Stoichiometry Notes (Read Chapter 10 in your text book for more background)

Mole Ratio- whole number relationship of moles of one substance to moles of another substance in a balanced chemical equation

Limiting Reactant - the reactant that is used completely in a chemical reaction.

Stoichiometry- mass and mole relationships between reactants and products in a chemical rxn.

PURPOSES

 $A + B \rightarrow C + D$

- 1. To find the amount of substance C a given amount of A will yield.
- 2. To find the amount of substance B that will react with a given amount of A.

GENERAL FORMS

Grams A → Mol A → Mol B → Grams B

grams A x
$$\frac{1 \text{ mol A}}{\text{m.m. A (g)}}$$
 x $\frac{\text{# moles B}}{\text{moles A}}$ x $\frac{\text{m.m. B (g)}}{\text{mol B}}$ = grams B

MOLES-MOLES PROBLEMS

1. How many moles of oxygen are necessary in the combustion of 7.50 moles of butane (C_4H_{10}) ? $C_4H_{10} + O_2 \rightarrow CO_2 + H_2O$

Balance:
$$2 C_4 H_{10} + 13 O_2 \rightarrow 8 CO_2 + 10 H_2 O$$

Given: 7.50 mol of butane (C₄H₁₀)

Asked for: moles of O₂

moles A x
$$\frac{\text{# moles B}}{\text{# moles A}}$$
 = moles B

(# = number of moles, coefficients, from balanced equation)

7.5 mol
$$C_4H_{10}$$
 x $\frac{13 \text{ mol } O_2}{2 \text{ mol } C_4H_{10}} = 48.75 \text{ mol } O_2$

MASS-MASS PROBLEMS

2. How many grams of water would be produced by the combustion of 3.75 g butane?

$$2 C_4 H_{10} + 13 O_2 → 8 CO_2 + 10 H_2 O$$

Given: 3.75 g butane (C₄H₁₀)

Asked for: grams of H₂O

grams A x
$$\underline{1 \text{ mol A}}$$
 x $\underline{\# \text{ moles B}}$ x $\underline{\text{m.m. B (g)}}$ = grams B (m.m. = molar mass)
m.m. A (g) $\# \text{ moles A}$ 1 mol B

$$3.75 \text{ g C}_4\text{H}_{10} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol C}_4\text{H}_{10}}{58 \text{ g C}_4\text{H}_{10}} \times \frac{10 \text{ moles H}_2\text{O}}{2 \text{ moles C}_4\text{H}_{10}} \times \frac{18 \text{ g H}_2\text{O}}{1 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O}} = 5.82 \text{ g H}_2\text{O}$$

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