

Chemical Amounts

2.8 The Mole

- Unit for amount of substance in terms of the number of entities (atoms, molecules, ...) in it.
- 1 mol of entities \rightarrow # of atoms in 12 g of ¹²C
 - 1 atom of ${}^{12}C \rightarrow 1.99265 \times 10^{-23} g^{12}C$ (mass spectrometry)
 - $12 g^{12}C \times [1 atom/1.99265 \times 10^{-23} g^{12}C] =$

 $= 6.0221 \times 10^{23}$ atoms

 \Rightarrow 1 mol of entities \rightarrow 6.0221×10²³ entities

• The Avogadro constant (N_A) - # of entities per mol

6.0221×10²³ /mol

• Conversion between moles and entities [1 mol entities/6.0221×10²³ entities]

Example: How many atoms of hydrogen are present in 2.7 mol of water.

$$2.7 \text{ mol HeO} \times \left(\frac{60221 \times 10^{23} \text{ molec.HeO}}{1 \text{ mol HeO}}\right) \times \left(\frac{2 \text{ atoms H}}{1 \text{ molec.HeO}}\right) = 33 \times 10^{24} \text{ atoms H}$$

2.9 Molar Mass (M)

- Mass of a substance per 1 mol of its particles – element → atoms
 - molecular compound \rightarrow molecules
 - ionic compound \rightarrow formula units
- $M = m_{particle} \cdot N_A$ Example: What is the molar mass of ¹H, if the mass of 1 atom ¹H is 1.673×10⁻²⁴ g?

 $M = 1.673 \times 10^{-24} \text{g} \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} / \text{mol} = 1.007 \text{ g/mol}$

- Naturally occurring elements are mixtures of isotopes
 - molar masses of isotopes \leftarrow mass spectrometry
 - average molar masses of elements

Example: Calculate the average atomic mass of Cu, given that it naturally occurs as 69.17% ⁶³Cu (*M*=62.94g/mol) and 30.83% ⁶⁵Cu (*M*=64.93g/mol).

 $0.6917 \times 62.94 \text{ g} / \text{mol} + 0.3083 \times 64.93 \text{ g} / \text{mol} =$ = 63.55 g / mol



Example: What is the mass of 1.221 mol Kr?

 $m = 1.221 \text{ mol} \times 83.80 \text{ g/mol} = 102.3 \text{ g}$

• *M* can be used as a conversion factor **Example:** How many moles of atoms are present in 1.23 g of Kr?

1.23 g Kr ×
$$\left(\frac{1 \text{ mol Kr}}{83.80 \text{ g Kr}}\right) = 1.47 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol Kr}$$



2.10 Measuring Out Compounds

Molar mass of a compound - sum of the molar masses of its elements multiplied by their subscripts in the chemical formula
Example: Determine the molar masses of CO₂ and K₂SO₄.
(C→12.01; O→16.00; S→32.06; K→39.10 g/mol)

 $\Rightarrow 1 \times 12.01 \text{ g/mol} + 2 \times 16.00 \text{ g/mol} = 44.01 \text{ g/mol}$ $\Rightarrow 2 \times 39.10 + 1 \times 32.06 + 4 \times 16.00 = 174.26 \text{ g/mol}$

• Conversion between moles (*n*) and masses (*m*) of compounds (same as for elements)

Example: Calculate the number of moles of urea, $(NH_2)_2CO$, in 2.3×10^5 kg of this compound.

M = 2×14.00 + 4×1.008 + 1×12.01 + 1×16.00 = = 60.04 g/mol

 2.3×10^5 kg urea $\times \left(\frac{10^3 \text{ g urea}}{1 \text{ kg urea}}\right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ mol urea}}{60.04 \text{ g urea}}\right) = 3.8 \times 10^6 \text{ mol urea}$