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# STOICHIOMETRY

## CHAPTER ONE DETAILED NOTES

### STOICHIOMETRY

#### DEFINITION

\* The study of relative amounts of substances involved in a chemical reaction is called

Stoichiometry

OR

\* "The quantitative measure of reactants and products" → (from Balochistan Board)

#### ORIGIN

\* Greek word "Stoicheion" means "element" and "metry" means "measurement"

### STOICHIOMETRIC AMOUNTS

→ The amount of reactants and products in a balanced chemical equation are called "Stoichiometric Amounts"

### IMPORTANCE [from KPK Board]

→ It is essential when quantitative information about a chemical reaction is required

→ It tells how much of the matter is required to form a specific amount of another "matter"

→ It tells how much of the "product" could be



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formed under "given conditions" if a particular amount of "matter" is present.

→ It also plays an important role when calculating the amount of products such as "masses, moles, volumes and percentage yield etc."

## ✦✦ ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY ✦✦ → [KPK Side info]

→ It deals with the study of analysis of "obtaining, processing, characterizing" the composition & structure of "matter" both "qualitatively & quantitatively".

## ✦✦ BALANCED CHEMICAL EQUATION ✦✦ → Bal Board

→ Balanced chemical equations have definite ratios of "reactants & products"

→ It has same number of "atoms" of each type on both sides of equation.

## ✦✦ MOLE ✦✦

### DEFINITION

→ One mole is the amount of substance that has as many particles (atoms, molecules, ions or formula units) as the number of atoms in exactly "12g" of "carbon-12" → [Bal Board]

OR

→ The atomic mass, formula mass and molecular mass of a substance expressed in "grams".



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## IMP POINTS [Balochistan Board]

- \* Mole is a Latin word; it means a "huge mass"
- \* Its symbol is "mol"
- \* It is represented by "n"

## OTHER DEF [KPK Board]

- The amount of (mass) of substance, which contains Avogadro's number " $(6.023 \times 10^{23})$ " of particles (atoms, ions, molecules, formula units).
- It establishes a link between mass of a substance & "number" of particles.

## †† AVOGADRO'S NUMBER ††

### DEFINITION

"The number of atoms, ions or molecules present in one mole of substance is called Avogadro's number"

## VIP Points [Bal Board]

- Its numerical value is " $6.023 \times 10^{23}$ "
- It is represented by "NA"
- Scientists call this Avogadro's number in the honour of Italian scientist "Amedeo Avogadro" (1776-1856)
- The unit of Avogadro's number is read as "per mole" or "inverse of mole"



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## QUALITATIVE ANALYSIS (KPK Board)

- It tells us "what" is in the sample

## QUANTITATIVE ANALYSIS (KPK Board)

- It tells us "how much" is in the sample
- It's very important in medical science

## MOLE RATIOS

- Mole ratio means the ratio of no of moles of "reactants" taking part and the number of moles of "products" formed.

## MOLAR MASS

- The mass of mole of a substance "in grams" is called molar mass
- Its unit is "g/mol"

## MOLAR VOLUME

- One mole of any gas at STP (standard temperature and pressure) occupies volume of "22.414 dm<sup>3</sup>".
- This volume is called "Molar volume".
- It is denoted by "V<sub>m</sub>".



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# ★ STOICHIOMETRIC CALCULATIONS ★ [BAL Board]

## MOLE CALCULATIONS

○ MASS TO MOLES → No of moles =  $\frac{\text{Given mass}}{\text{Molar mass}}$  of a substance

○ MOLES TO MASS → Mass = Moles  $\times$  Molar mass

○ PARTICLES TO MOLES → Moles =  $\frac{\text{Particles}}{\text{Avogadro's No}}$

## PARTICLE CALCULATIONS

○ MOLES TO PARTICLES → Particles = Moles  $\times$  NA

○ MASS TO PARTICLES → Particles =  $\frac{\text{Given mass}}{\text{Molar mass}} \times \text{NA}$

## VOLUME CALCULATIONS

○ MOLES TO VOLUME → Volume of gas = Moles  $\times$  Molar volume

○ MASS TO VOLUME → Volume =  $\frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Molar mass}} \times \text{Molar volume}$

# ★ PRINCIPLES ★ [Bal board]

Stoichiometric Calculations are based on

following principles

→ Reactants are completely converted into products

→ No side reaction occurs

→ While doing calculations "law of conservation of mass" and "law of definite proportions" is obeyed



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## LAW OF CONSERVATION OF MASS

- According to this law, "mass (matter)" can neither be "created or destroyed".
- It states that "total mass of reactants is equal to total mass of products" in a chemical equation.

## LAW OF DEFINITE PROPORTIONS

- According to this law, "a pure compound always contains the same element combined in the same ratio by mass".

## PERCENTAGE COMPOSITION

### DEFINITION

"The percentage composition is the number of parts by mass of an element in 100 parts by mass of a compound" → (Bal board)

OR

"The relative amount of each element in a compound are expressed as the percentage composition"

### FORMULA

$$\text{Percentage composition of an element} = \frac{\text{Molar mass of Element}}{\text{Molar mass of Compound}} \times 100$$



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## ★ LIMITING REACTANT OR REAGENT ★

The reactant that is consumed completely in a chemical reaction is called limiting reactant or reagent.

→ It can also be defined as the reagent which produces "least number" of moles of "products" in a chemical reaction.

→ It "limits" or determines the amount of products formed in the reaction

→ "Na karon ga, Na khelne don ga" - (Sikhi MAAK)

→ It stops the reaction

## ★ NON-LIMITING REACTANT OR REACTANT IN EXCESS ★

→ The reactant left "unused" or "un-reacted" after the completion of reaction

→ The reactant which is in "large amount"

## ★ THEORETICAL YIELD ★

→ The quantity of "product" calculated from a balanced chemical equation is called theoretical yield.

→ It is also called "Expected yield".

→ It is the ideal yield and calculated by "paper & pen".

## ★ ACTUAL YIELD ★

The quantity of product that is actually



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produced in a chemical reaction

- It is also called "practical yield"
- It is determined by "experiment" thus
- also called "experimental yield"
- The actual yield is always less than theoretical yield due to following reasons

- 1) Side reactions may produce "by-products"
- 2) Some reactions are "reversible"
- 3) "Mechanical loss" takes place due to filtration, distillation & separation by separating funnel, washing & crystallization etc.
- 4) Reaction "conditions" like temperature, pressure
- 5) "pH" etc might have been disturbed

→ If actual yield is very low, final cost can be high.

## YIELD

"The yield of a chemical reaction is the amount of product that is produced from given amount of reactants"

## PERCENT YIELD

→ The "efficiency" of a chemical reaction is determined with the help of percent yield, which is actually a comparison of actual yield & theoretical yield

### FORMULA

→ 
$$\text{Percent yield} = \frac{\text{Actual yield}}{\text{Theoretical yield}} \times 100$$



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## SIGNIFICANCE OF %age yield [Bal board]

- It shows efficiency of reaction
- Greater the %age yield, higher will be the efficiency of reaction & vice versa

## TIDBITS [KPK Board]

- In the Chemical industry, you need to know the limiting reactant in order to get the maximum yield of product at minimum cost
- AMU (Atomic mass unit) is defined as one-twelfth the mass of an atom of Carbon-12. Also known as "dalton (Da)" or "unified atomic mass unit (u)"
  - 1 litre =  $1 \text{ dm}^3$
  - 1 litre = 1000 ml
  - $1 \text{ dm}^3 = 1000 \text{ cm}^3$
- Equal volumes of different gases contain the "same" number of "particles", but
  - Equal mass of different gases do not contain the same number of particles