

Perform the following calculations.

1) Calculate the volume (in mL) of 1.50 M NaCl solution required to provide 0.500 moles of NaCl.

Solve by using the concentration as a conversion factor to convert from moles to L, then convert from L to mL.

$$\text{mL} = 10^{-3} \text{L} \quad 1.50 \text{ mol NaCl} = 1 \text{L}$$

$$0.500 \text{ mol NaCl} \times \frac{1 \text{L}}{1.50 \text{ mol NaCl}} \times \frac{\text{mL}}{10^{-3} \text{L}} =$$

$$= \boxed{333 \text{ mL of } 1.50 \text{ M NaCl}}$$

2) Calculate the number of moles of KCl present in 125 mL of 0.250 M KCl solution.

Solve by converting mL to L, then using the concentration as a conversion factor to convert L to moles.

$$\text{mL} = 10^{-3} \text{L} \quad 0.250 \text{ mol KCl} = 1 \text{L}$$

$$125 \text{ mL} \times \frac{10^{-3} \text{L}}{\text{mL}} \times \frac{0.250 \text{ mol KCl}}{1 \text{L}} = \boxed{0.0313 \text{ mol KCl}}$$

3) Calculate the mass of 0.777 moles of KNO_3 .

Use the formula weight to convert from moles to grams.

$$\text{KNO}_3: \begin{array}{l} \text{K}: 39.10 \times 1 \\ \text{N}: 14.01 \times 1 \\ \text{O}: 16.00 \times 3 \end{array}$$

$$\underline{101.11 \text{ g KNO}_3} = 1 \text{ mol KNO}_3$$

$$0.777 \text{ mol KNO}_3 \times \frac{101.11 \text{ g KNO}_3}{1 \text{ mol KNO}_3} = \boxed{78.6 \text{ g KNO}_3}$$

4) Calculate the number of moles present in 75.0 kg of NaNO_3 .

First, convert kilograms to grams, then using the formula weight to convert from grams to moles.

$$\text{kg} = 10^3 \text{ g} \quad \text{NaNO}_3: \begin{array}{l} \text{Na}: 22.99 \times 1 \\ \text{N}: 14.01 \times 1 \\ \text{O}: 16.00 \times 3 \end{array}$$

$$\underline{85.00 \text{ g NaNO}_3} = 1 \text{ mol NaNO}_3$$

$$75.0 \text{ kg NaNO}_3 \times \frac{10^3 \text{ g}}{\text{kg}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol NaNO}_3}{85.00 \text{ g NaNO}_3} = \boxed{882 \text{ mol NaNO}_3}$$