

So far, we have

- looked at how to determine the composition by mass of a compound from a formula
- converted from MASS to MOLES (related to the number of atoms/molecules)
- converted from MOLES to MASS

Are we missing anything?

- What about SOLUTIONS, where the desired chemical is not PURE, but found DISSOLVED IN WATER?
- How do we deal with finding the moles of a desired chemical when it's in solution?

MOLAR CONCENTRATION *

- unit: MOLARITY (M): moles of dissolved substance per LITER of solution

$$M = \text{molarity} = \frac{\text{moles of SOLUTE}}{\text{L SOLUTION}}$$

↙ dissolved substance

$$6.0 \text{ M HCl solution} = \frac{6.0 \text{ mol HCl}}{\text{L}}$$

If you have 0.250 L (250 mL) of 6.0 M HCl, how many moles of HCl do you have? $6.0 \text{ mol HCl} = \text{L}$

$$0.250 \text{ L} \times \frac{6.0 \text{ mol HCl}}{\text{L}} = 1.5 \text{ mol HCl}$$

* See SECTIONS 4.7 - 4.10 for more information about MOLARITY and solution calculations (p 154 - 162 - 9th edition) (p 156-164 - 10th edition)

If you need 0.657 moles of hydrochloric acid, how many liters of 0.0555 M HCl do you need to measure out?

$$0.0555 \text{ mol HCl} = \text{L}$$

$$0.657 \text{ mol HCl} \times \frac{\text{L}}{0.0555 \text{ mol HCl}} = \boxed{11.8 \text{ L of } 0.0555 \text{ M HCl}}$$

In a lab setting, we're not likely to have 11.8 L of this solution (11800 mL), so we're not very likely to use this one to get 0.657 moles of HCl!

What if we used 6.00 M HCl?

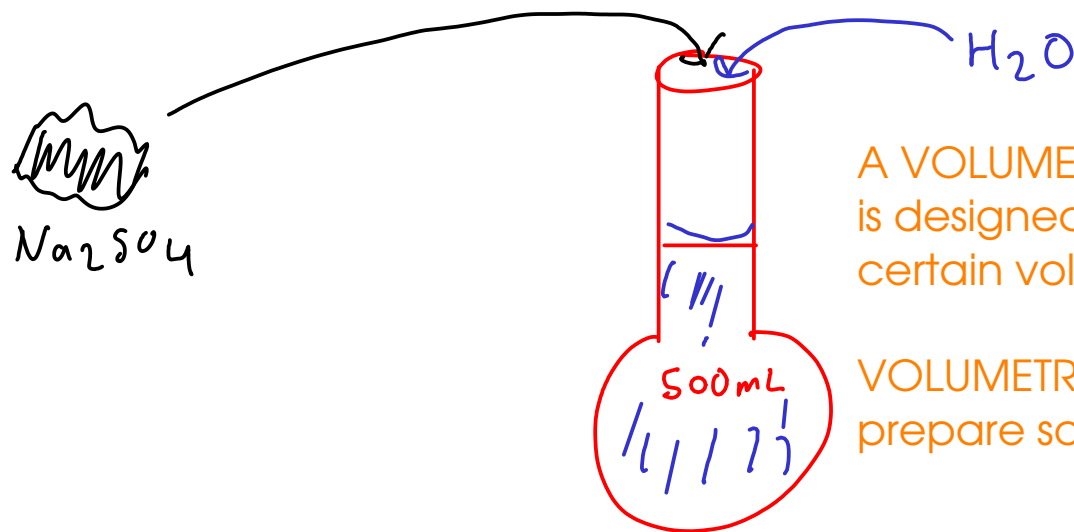
$$6.00 \text{ mol HCl} = \text{L}$$

$$0.657 \text{ mol HCl} \times \frac{\text{L}}{6.00 \text{ mol HCl}} = \boxed{0.110 \text{ L of } 6.00 \text{ M HCl}}$$

This one required only 110. mL to get the desired moles of HCl. Use this one!

Example: How would we prepare 500. mL of 0.500 M sodium sulfate in water?

Dissolve the appropriate amount of sodium sulfate into enough water to make 500. mL of solution.



A VOLUMETRIC FLASK is a flask that is designed to precisely contain a certain volume of liquid.

VOLUMETRIC FLASKS are used to prepare solutions.

volumetric flask

To find the mass of sodium sulfate to add to the flask, first calculate the moles of sodium sulfate in 500. mL (0.500 L) of solution.

$$0.500 \text{ L} \times \frac{0.500 \text{ mol Na}_2\text{SO}_4}{\text{L}} = 0.250 \text{ mol Na}_2\text{SO}_4$$

Now convert the moles of sodium sulfate to mass using the formula weight.

$$142.05 \text{ g Na}_2\text{SO}_4 = \text{mol Na}_2\text{SO}_4$$

$$0.250 \text{ mol Na}_2\text{SO}_4 \times \frac{142.05 \text{ g Na}_2\text{SO}_4}{\text{mol Na}_2\text{SO}_4} = \boxed{35.5 \text{ g Na}_2\text{SO}_4}$$

Add 35.5 grams sodium sulfate to a 500. mL volumetric flask, then add distilled water to the mark.

More on MOLARITY

To prepare a solution of a given molarity, you generally have two options:

① Weigh out the appropriate amount of solute, then dilute to the desired volume with solvent (usually water)

② Take a previously prepared solution of known concentration and DILUTE it with solvent to form a new solution

"stock solution"

- Use DILUTION EQUATION

The dilution equation is easy to derive with simple algebra.

$$M \times V$$

$$\frac{\text{mol}}{\text{L}} \times \text{L} = \text{moles solute}$$

... but when you dilute a solution, the number of moles of solute REMAINS CONSTANT. (After all, you're adding only SOLVENT)

$$M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

before
dilution

after
dilution

Since the number of moles of solute stays the same, this equality must be true!

$$M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2 \quad \dots \text{the "DILUTION EQUATION"}$$

M_1 = molarity of concentrated solution

V_1 = volume of concentrated solution

M_2 = molarity of dilute solution

V_2 = volume of dilute solution (total volume, not volume of added solvent!)

The volumes don't HAVE to be in liters, as long as you use the same volume UNIT for both volumes!

Example: Take the 0.500 M sodium sulfate we discussed in the previous example and dilute it to make 150. mL of 0.333 M solution. How many mL of the original solution will we need to dilute?

$$M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

$$M_1 = 0.500 \text{ M}$$

$$M_2 = 0.333 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = ?$$

$$V_2 = 150. \text{ mL}$$

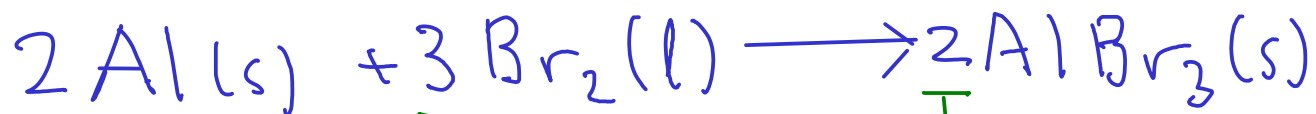
$$(0.500 \text{ M}) V_1 = (0.333 \text{ M})(150. \text{ mL})$$

$$V_1 = 99.9 \text{ mL of } 0.500 \text{ M Na}_2\text{SO}_4$$

Measure out 99.9 mL of 0.500 M sodium sulfate solution, then add water until the total volume is 150 mL. (You can do this in a large graduated cylinder very quickly!)

CHEMICAL CALCULATIONS CONTINUED: REACTIONS

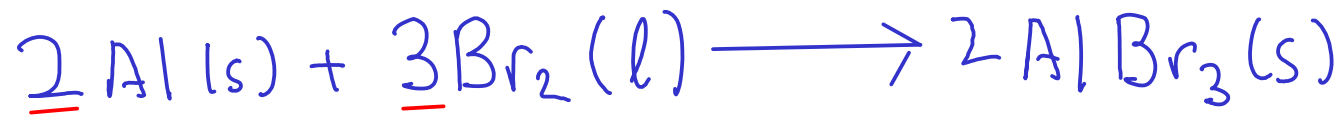
- Chemical reactions proceed on an ATOMIC basis, NOT a mass basis!
- To calculate with chemical reactions (i.e. use chemical equations), we need everything in terms of ATOMS ... which means MOLES of atoms



coefficients are in terms of atoms and molecules!



- To do chemical calculations, we need to:
 - Relate the amount of substance we know (mass or volume) to a number of moles
 - Relate the moles of one substance to the moles of another using the equation
 - Convert the moles of the new substance to mass or volume as desired



* Given that we have 25.0 g of liquid bromine, how many grams of aluminum would we need to react away all of the bromine?

① Convert grams of bromine to moles: Need formula weight $\text{Br}_2 : \frac{2 \times 79.90}{159.80}$

$$159.80 \text{ g Br}_2 = \text{mol Br}_2$$

$$25.0 \text{ g Br}_2 \times \frac{\text{mol Br}_2}{159.80 \text{ g Br}_2} = 0.15645 \text{ mol Br}_2$$

② Use the chemical equation to relate moles of bromine to moles of aluminum

$$2 \text{ mol Al} = 3 \text{ mol Br}_2$$

$$0.15645 \text{ mol Br}_2 \times \frac{2 \text{ mol Al}}{3 \text{ mol Br}_2} = 0.10430 \text{ mol Al}$$

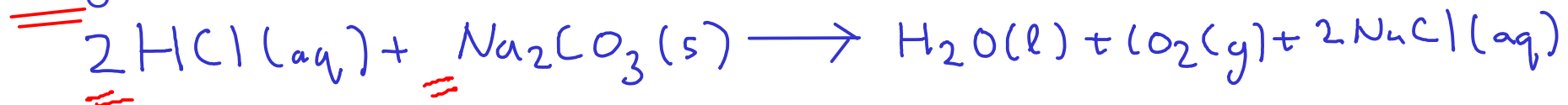
③ Convert moles aluminum to mass: Need formula weight $\text{Al} : 26.98$

$$26.98 \text{ g Al} = \text{mol Al}$$

$$0.10430 \text{ mol Al} \times \frac{26.98 \text{ g Al}}{\text{mol Al}} = \boxed{2.81 \text{ g Al}}$$

Example:

How many milliliters of 6.00M hydrochloric acid is needed to completely react with 25.0 g of sodium carbonate?



- 1 - Convert 25.0 g sodium carbonate to moles. Use FORMULA WEIGHT.
- 2 - Convert moles sodium carbonate to moles HCl. Use CHEMICAL EQUATION.
- 3 - Convert moles HCl to volume HCl solution. Use MOLARITY (6.00 M HCl)