

# Limiting Reactants #2

(Honors Chemistry)

1a.) If you start with 20.5 g of  $\text{C}_3\text{H}_8$  and 5.29 g of oxygen gas, which is the limiting reagent? Use a BCA table!

$$20.5 \text{ g C}_3\text{H}_8 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{44 \text{ g}} = 0.466 \text{ mol} \quad 5.29 \text{ g O}_2 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{32 \text{ g}} = 0.165 \text{ mol}$$

	$\text{C}_3\text{H}_8$	$5\text{O}_2$	$3\text{CO}_2$	$4\text{H}_2\text{O}$
B	.466	.165	0	0
C	-.033	-.165	+.099	+.132
A	.433	0	.099	.132

$\text{O}_2$  is the limiting reactant

1b.) Using the information in question 1a, determine the number of moles of carbon dioxide that can be produced.

$$9.9 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol CO}_2$$

1c.) Using the information in question 1a, determine the mass of water that can be produced.

$$.132 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O} \times \frac{18 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mol}} = 2.38 \text{ g H}_2\text{O}$$

1d.) Using the information in question 1a, determine the mass of the excess reagent.

$$.433 \text{ mol C}_3\text{H}_8 \times \frac{44 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mol}} = 1.91 \times 10^1 \text{ g C}_3\text{H}_8 \text{ in excess}$$



2a.) If 40.5 g of aluminum sulfite reacts with 40.5 g of sodium hydroxide, what is the limiting reagent? Use a BCA table!

$$40.5 \text{ g } \text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_3)_3 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{294 \text{ g}} = .138 \text{ mol}$$

$$40.5 \text{ g } \text{NaOH} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{40 \text{ g}} = 1.01 \text{ mol}$$

	$\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_3)_3$	$6\text{NaOH}$	$3\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_3$	$2\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3$
B	.138	1.01	0	0
C	-.138	-.828	+.414	+.276
A	0	.182	.414	.276

$\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_3)_3$   
is the LR

2b.) Using the information in question 2a, determine the number of moles of  $\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3$  that can be produced

$$.276 \text{ mol } \text{Al}(\text{OH})_3$$

2c.) Using the information in question 2a, determine the mass of sodium sulfite that can be produced.

$$.414 \text{ mol } \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_3 \times \frac{126 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mol}} = 5.22 \times 10^1 \text{ g } \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_3$$

2d.) Using the information in question 2a, determine the mass of the excess reagent.

$$.182 \text{ mol } \text{NaOH} \times \frac{40 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mol}} = 7.28 \text{ g } \text{NaOH in excess}$$



3a.) If 67.3 g of aluminum oxide is reacted with 51.4 g of iron, what is the limiting reagent? Use a BCA table!

$$67.3\text{g Al}_2\text{O}_3 \times \frac{1\text{mol}}{102\text{g}} = .660\text{mol}$$

$$51.4\text{g} \times \frac{1\text{mol}}{56\text{g}} = .918\text{mol}$$

	$4\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$	$9\text{Fe}$	$3\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4$	$8\text{Al}$
B	.660	.918	0	0
C	-.408	-.918	+.306	+.816
A	.252	0	.306	.816

Fe is  
the  
LR

3b.) Using the information in question 3a, determine the number of moles of aluminum produced.

$$0.816\text{ mol Al}$$

3c.) Using the information in question 3a, what is the mass of  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4$  that can be produced?

$$.306\text{ mol Fe}_3\text{O}_4 \times \frac{232\text{g}}{1\text{mol}} = 7.10 \times 10^1\text{g Fe}_3\text{O}_4$$

3d.) Using the information in question 3a, determine the mass of the excess reagent.

$$.252\text{ mol Al}_2\text{O}_3 \times \frac{102\text{g}}{1\text{mol}} = 2.57 \times 10^1\text{g Al}_2\text{O}_3 \text{ in excess}$$