



Lesson 16: The Mole

- Scientists cannot count individual atoms and molecules, so they place large numbers of them into groups.
- This group is called a mole, 1 mol is **Avagadro's number**
- $1 \text{ mol} = 6.0 \times 10^{23}$ (atoms, particles, molecules)
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Molar Mass

- Mass of one mole of a substance is called the molar mass, recorded as the atomic molar mass
- Underneath the atomic name on the periodic table



Ex.) Determine the following:

a) What is the molar mass of methane gas: $\text{CH}_4(\text{g})$?

$$\begin{aligned} & 1 \text{ carbon} + 4 \text{ hydrogen} \\ & = 1(12.01) + 4(1.01) \\ & = \boxed{16.05 \text{ g/mol}} \end{aligned}$$

b) What is the molar mass of $(\text{NH}_4)_3\text{PO}_4(\text{g})$?

$$\begin{aligned} & = 3(14.01) + 12(1.01) + 1(30.97) + 4(16.00) \\ & = \boxed{149.12 \text{ g/mol}} \end{aligned}$$

c) What is the molar mass of carbon dioxide?

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{CO}_2(\text{g}) \\ & 1(12.01) + 2(16.00) \\ & = \boxed{44.01 \text{ g/mol}} \end{aligned}$$



From the data booklet (pg. 10), this equation can be used to find any of the following things:

$n = \frac{m}{M}$	n = number of moles (mol)
	m = mass (g)
	M = molar mass (g/mol)

m M

$g \div \frac{g}{mol}$
 ~~$g \cdot \frac{mol}{g}$~~

Ex.) How many moles of silicon are in a 56.18 g sample? Si M = 28.09 g/mol

$$n = \frac{m}{M} = \frac{56.18 \cancel{g}}{28.09 \cancel{g/mol}} = \boxed{2.00 \text{ mol}}$$



Ex.) What is the mass of 10.0 mol of water? H_2O $2(1.01) + 16.00$
 $M \cdot n = m$ $= 18.02g/mol$

$$m = M \cdot n = \frac{18.02g}{mol} \cdot 10.0mol = \boxed{180.2g}$$

Ex.) How many moles are in 360 g of glucose? $C_6H_{12}O_6(s)$
 $n = \frac{m}{M} = \frac{360g}{180.18g/mol} = \boxed{2.00mol}$ $6(12.01) + 12(1.01) + 6(16.00)$
 $= 180.18g/mol$

Ex.) What is the mass of 5.00 mol of $NH_3(g)$? 1.998
 $1(14.01) + 3(1.01)$ 2.00
 $= 17.04g/mol$

Worksheet

$$n = \frac{m}{M}$$

$$m = n \cdot M = (5.00mol)(17.04g/mol) = \boxed{85.20g}$$

$$5 = \frac{m}{17.04}$$