

Equations

Mapping & exploring reactions with chemical equations.
“The Molar Subway”



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heat & pressure →



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Balanced Equations

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The Mole Ratio

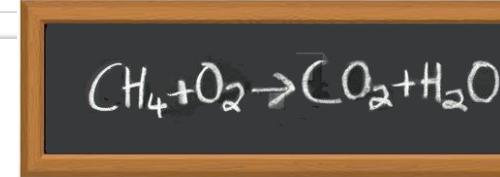
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Stoichiometry Calculations

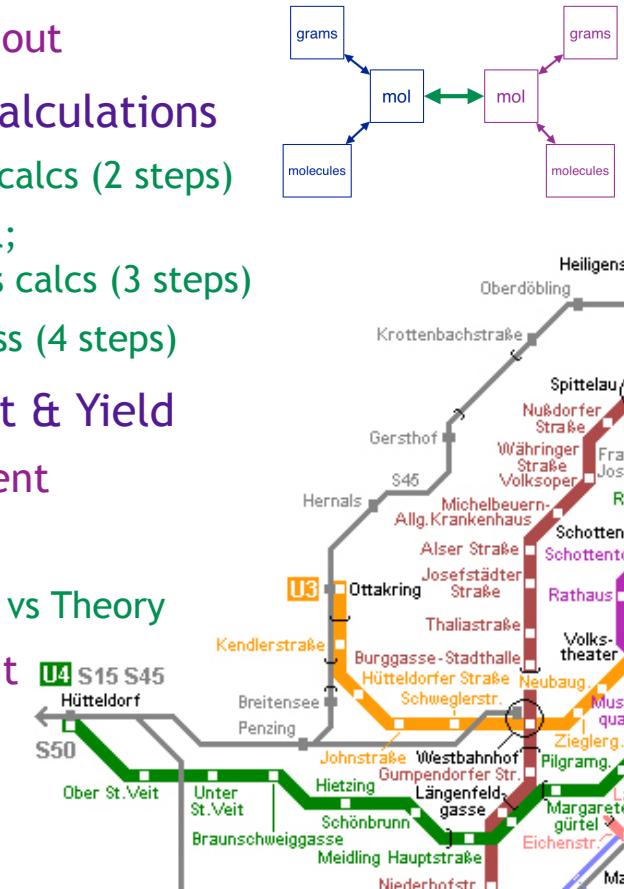
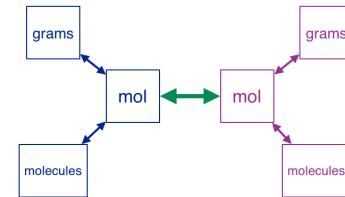
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- burns bright yellow



Sulfur

- easy to burn
- burns dull

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 - ▶ Not just more or less of a property that was already there, but something entirely new.
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- ▶ A new substance, responsible for the new properties.

stir together

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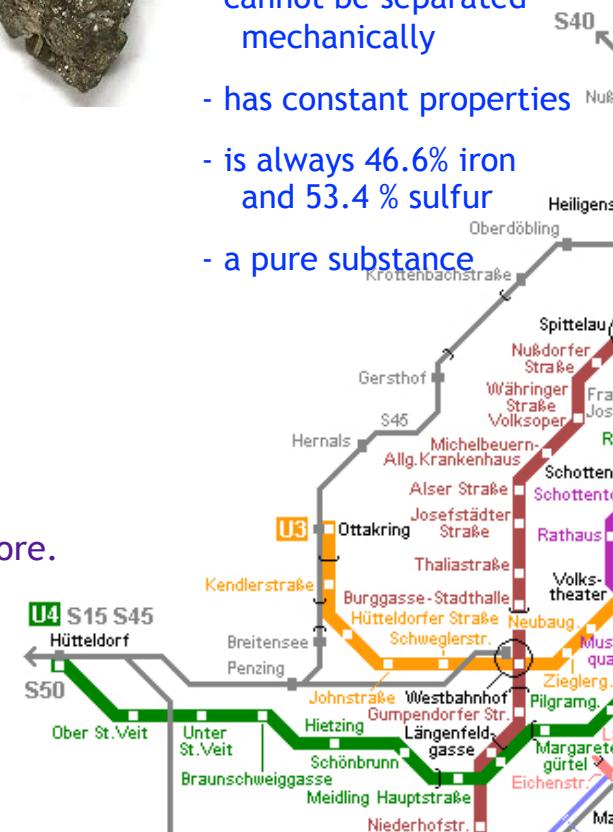
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- easy to burn
- burns bright yellow

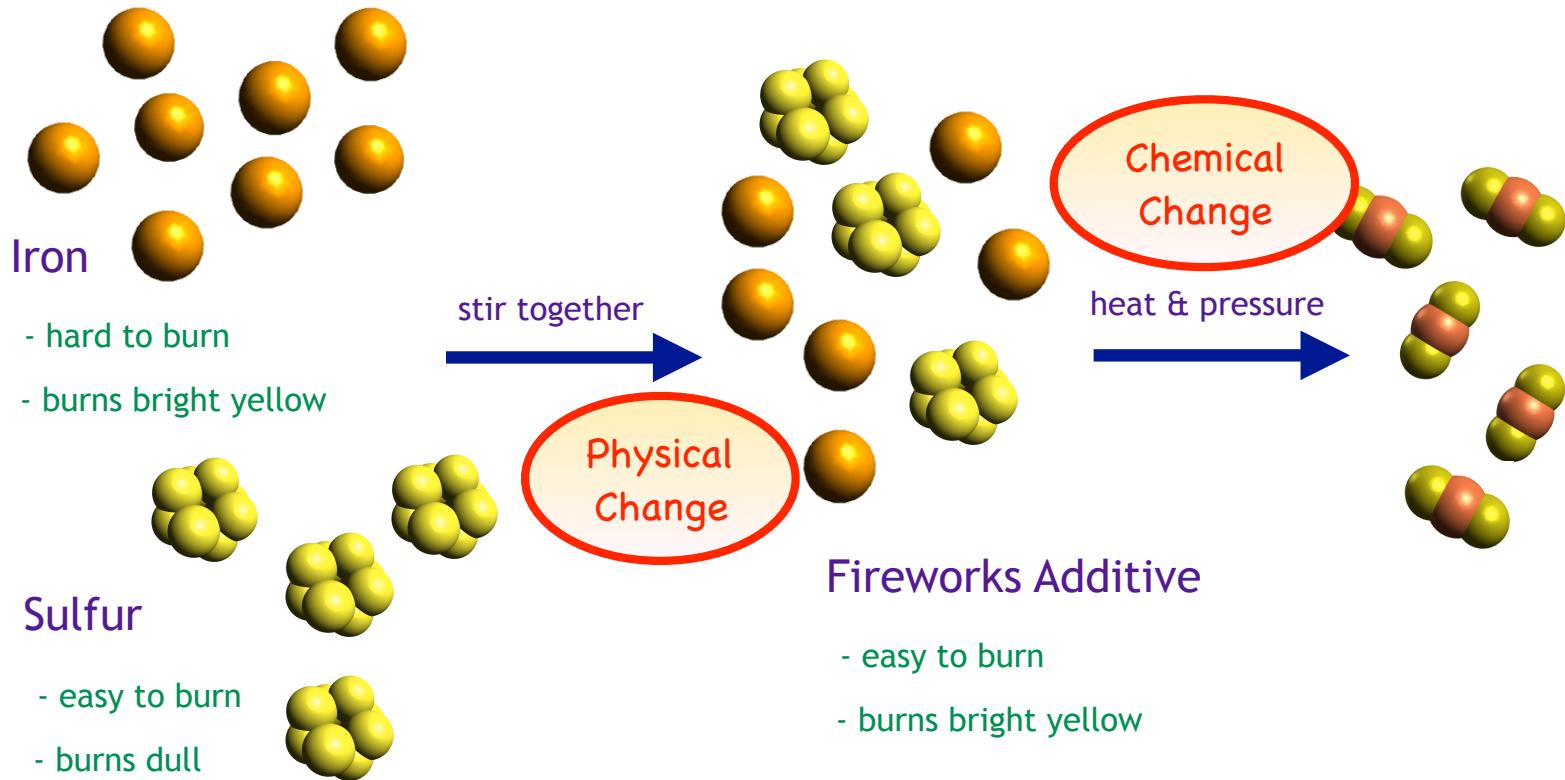


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- cannot be separated mechanically
- has constant properties
- is always 46.6% iron and 53.4 % sulfur
- a pure substance



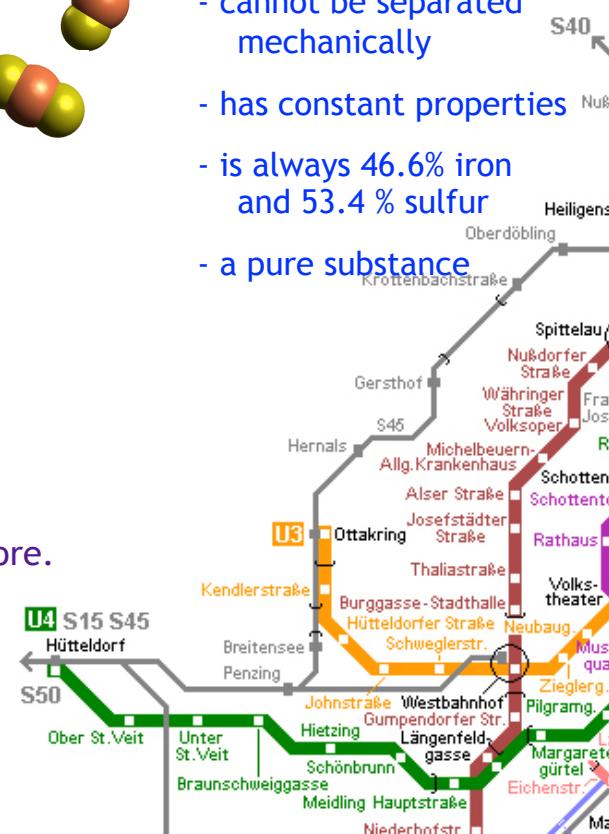
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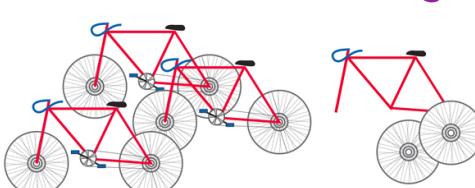
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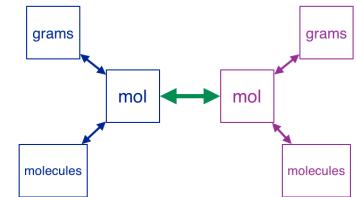
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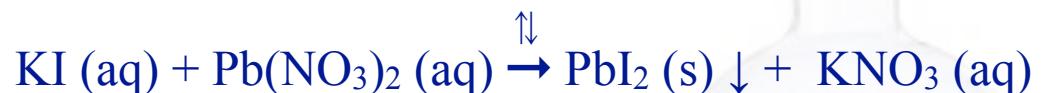
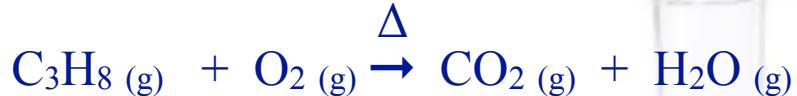
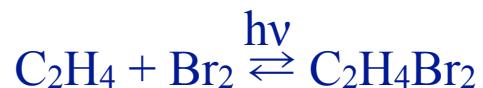


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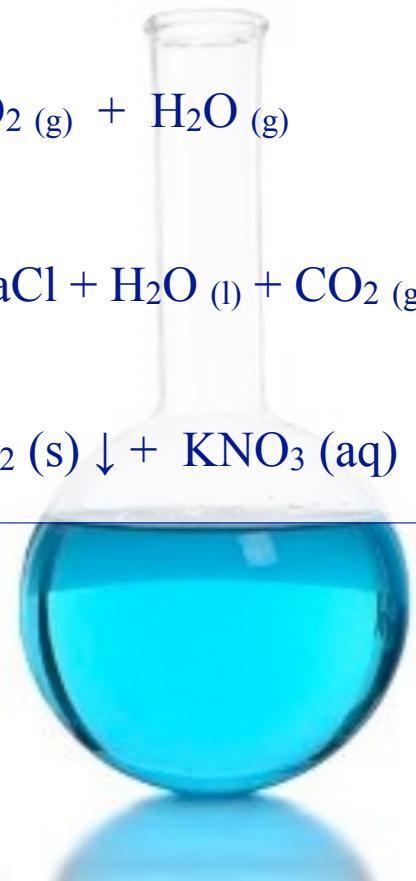


Parts of a Chemical Equation

- ▶ **Reactants** are what you start with.
 - ▶ They are always on the **left**.
- ▶ Then an arrow pointing to the right.
 - ▶ → by default, read it “yields”
 - ▶ ⇌ means reversible (equilibrium)
 - ▶ Do not use ↔ or ⇒ or ←
(they mean other things)
- ▶ **Products** are what you end up with.
 - ▶ They are always on the **right**.
- ▶ Put a “+” between substances
- ▶ Order doesn’t matter.
- ▶ Over the arrow is optional:
 - ▶ Δ means add heat
 - ▶ hν means add light
 - ▶ chemical formula is solvent
 - ▶ temperature means temperature
 - ▶ ⇝ means reflux (boil)



- ▶ After the substance (can be written subscript):
 - ▶ (aq) means in water
 - ▶ (s), (l), (g) means solid, liquid, gas state
 - ▶ ↑ means gas evolved (escaped)
 - ▶ ↓ means precipitate (solid fell out)



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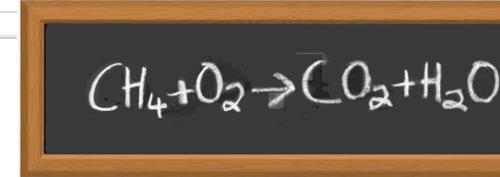
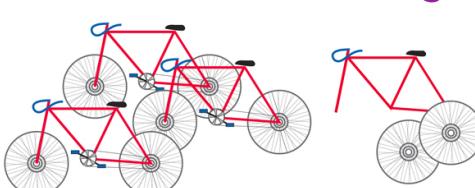
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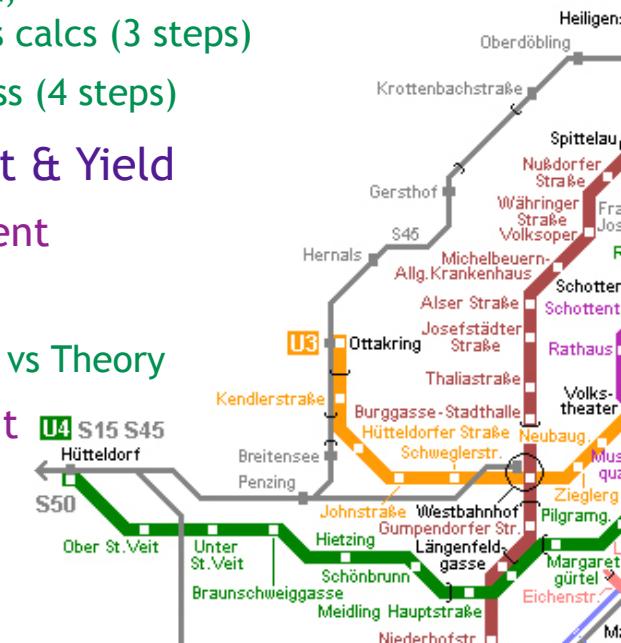
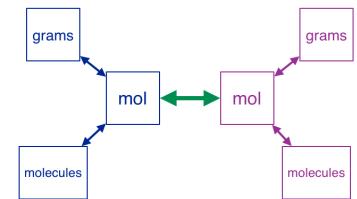
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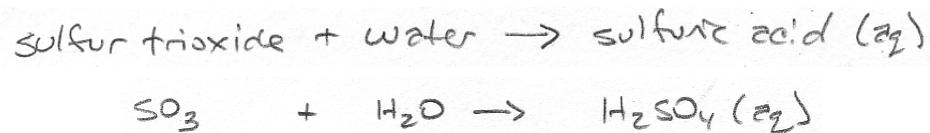


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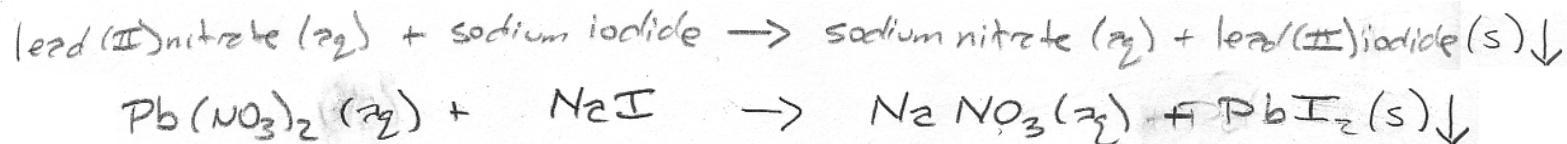


Writing Chemical Equations

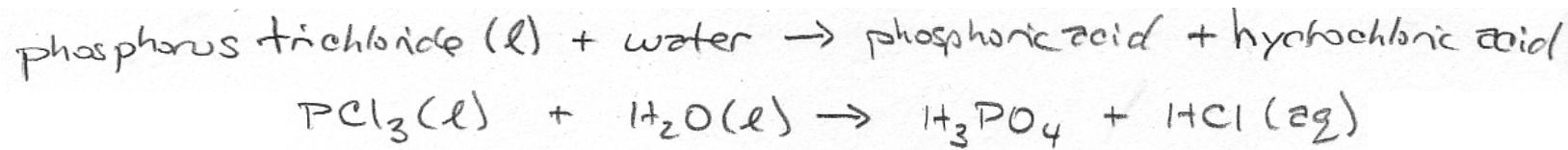
- When sulfur trioxide reacts with water, a solution of sulfuric acid forms"



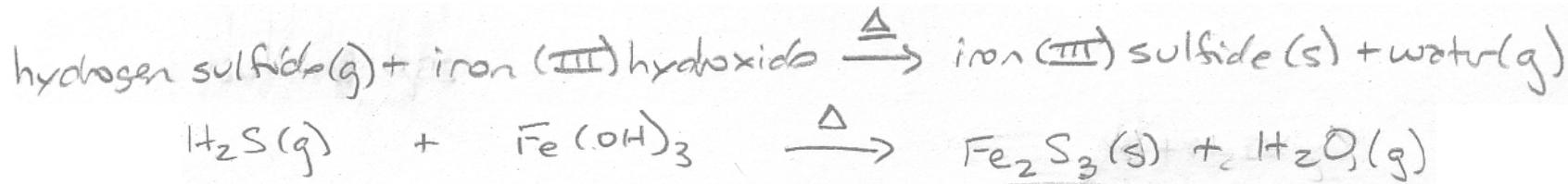
- "An aqueous solution of lead (II) nitrate is mixed with an aqueous solution of sodium iodide an aqueous solution of sodium nitrate is formed and a yellow solid lead (II) iodide appears."



- "When liquid phosphorus trichloride is added to water, it reacts to form aqueous phosphoric acid and hydrochloric acid."



- "Hydrogen sulfide gas is passed over hot iron (III) hydroxide, the resulting reaction produces solid iron (III) sulfide and gaseous water."



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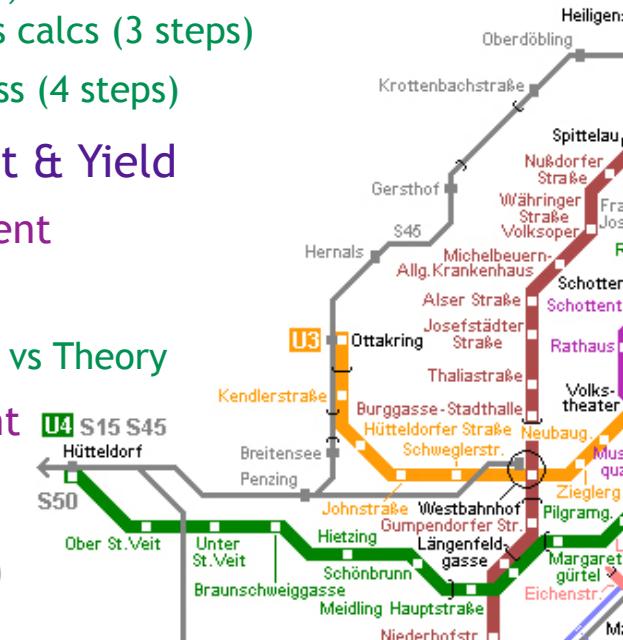
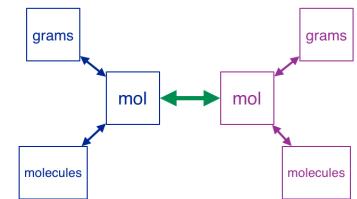
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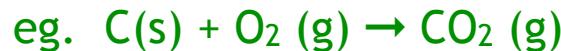


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Labeled by Kinetics

Combination Reaction:



Decomposition Reaction:



Single Displacement Reaction:



Double Displacement Reaction:



“trade partners”



- ▶ Labels based on what “boxes” the atoms fall into and the general pattern of what moves where.
- ▶ A very generic label.
- ▶ Each label is mutually exclusive, reaction is one or another – never two.



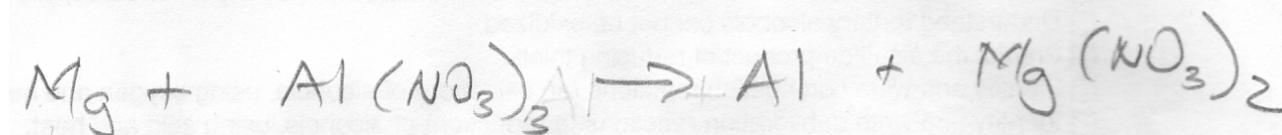
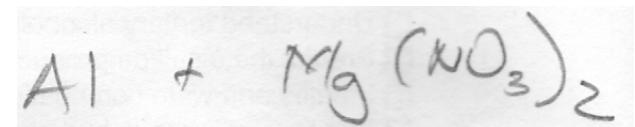
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Magnesium metal was put in a solution containing aluminum nitrate. The solution bubbled, a new metal appears as the magnesium dissolved. What happened? (write the chemical equation describing the reaction)

magnesium + aluminum nitrate



Single Displacement



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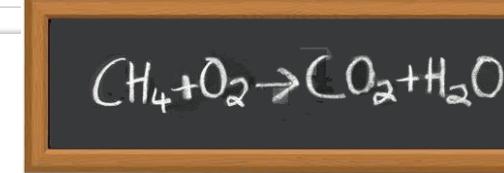
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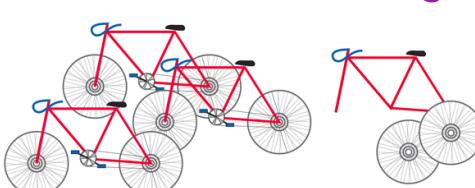
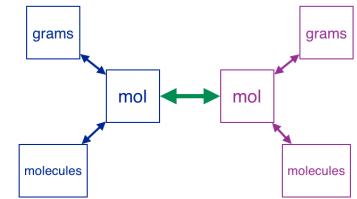
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Labeled by Reactivity

- ▶ Patterns we see frequently in reactions.
- ▶ These labels are not mutually exclusive, with each other or with kinetics.
 - ▶ Combustion Reaction (in oxygen is generally assumed)
 - ▶ Pattern: “something” + O₂ $\xrightarrow{\Delta}$ CO₂ + H₂O + NO₂ ...
 - ▶ Burning something. (Yes, you can use something other than oxygen but it's uncommon.)
 - ▶ Ex: C₃H₈ (g) + O₂ (g) → CO₂ (g) + H₂O (l)
 - ▶ Gas Evolution
 - ▶ Pattern: Reactants → Products + X (g) ↑
 - ▶ One product is gas and it floats away.
 - ▶ Ex: 2 KClO₃ (s) → 2 KCl (s) + 3 O₂ (g) ↑
 - ▶ Precipitation
 - ▶ Pattern: Reactants (aq) → Products (aq) + X (s) ↓
 - ▶ Reaction in solution, a solid forms and it falls out.
 - ▶ Ex: NaCl (aq) + AgNO₃ (aq) → NaNO₃ (aq) + AgCl (s) ↓
 - ▶ more coming: Red-Ox, Acid-Base, and Neutralization Rxns



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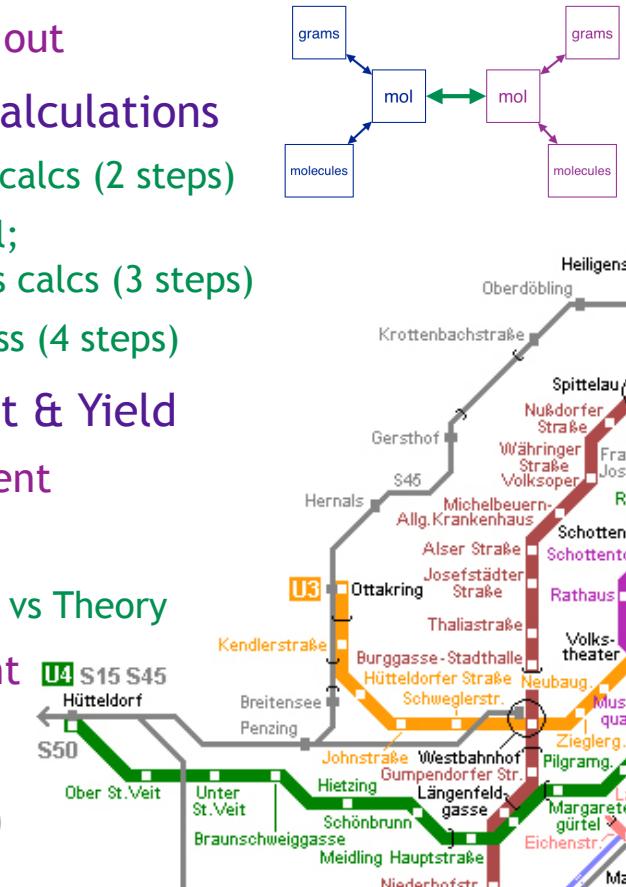
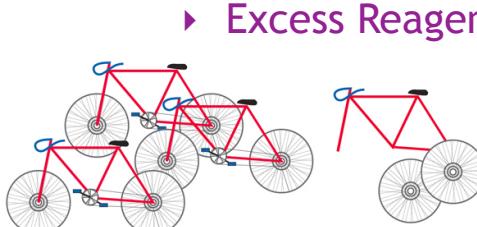
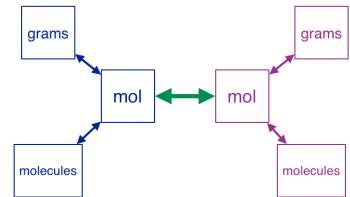


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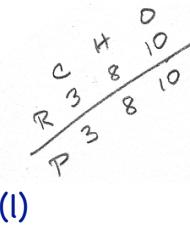
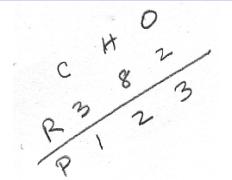
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- Both equations are valid chemical equations.
- The difference is the addition of coefficients.
- Coefficients indicate relative quantities.
- The second equation has the same number and flavor of atoms in reactants as it does in products.
- All the mass is accounted for.
- We say the second equations is balanced.
- We can do a lot with a balanced equation.

Eq 1:



Eq 2:



Reading an Equation



Propane

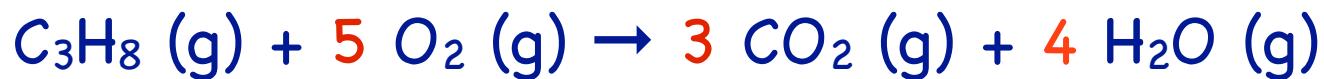
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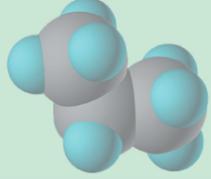
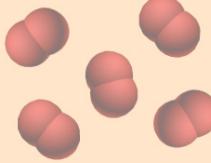
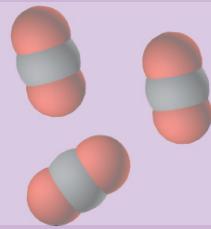
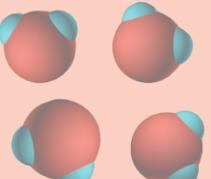
Carbon
dioxide

Water

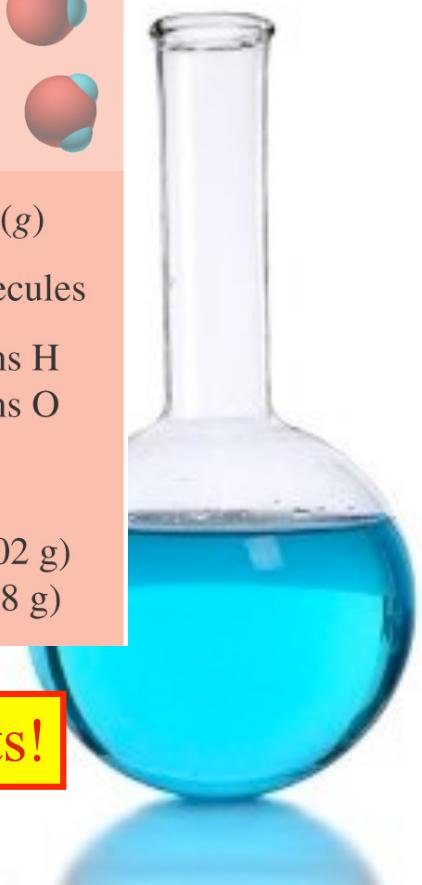


Reading a Balanced Equation



Propane	Oxygen	Carbon dioxide	Water
			
$\text{C}_3\text{H}_8(\text{g})$	$5 \text{ O}_2(\text{g})$	$3 \text{ CO}_2(\text{g})$	$4 \text{ H}_2\text{O}(\text{g})$
1 molecule	5 molecules	3 molecules	4 molecules
3 atoms C	10 atoms O	3 atoms C	8 atoms H
8 atoms H		6 atoms O	4 atoms O
1 mol	5 mol	3 mol	4 mol
44.09 g	$5 (32.00 \text{ g})$ (160.0 g)	$3 (44.01 \text{ g})$ (132.0 g)	$4 (18.02 \text{ g})$ (72.08 g)

Don't confuse coefficients and subscripts!



Balancing Equations

- ▶ The process:

- ▶ Step 1: Write the skeleton.
- ▶ Step 2: Translate everything into formulas.
- ▶ Step 3: Take Stock. See if it's balanced. If it is goto step 5.
- ▶ Step 4: Rewrite the equation, add a coefficient to balance a component.
 - ▶ Repeat Steps 3-4.
- ▶ Step 5: Make sure all coefficients are whole numbers.
- ▶ You're done.

- ▶ Tips to Win:

- ▶ Always start with the most complicated molecule.
- ▶ Always finish with the simplest, preferably H₂ or O₂
- ▶ It's iterative, you gotta experiment.
- ▶ You can use polyatomic ions instead of elements,
if they're kept whole in the reaction.
- ▶ Use fractions (e.g. $\frac{1}{2}$ or $2\frac{1}{3}$) to get to the end,
but *don't leave it that way.* (see step 5)



Problem:

Diphosphorus trioxide is formed by direct combination of its elements. Find the balanced eqn

Tip: Save O₂ or H₂ for last.

oxygen + phosphorus → diphosphorus trioxide



	O	P
R	2	4
P	3	2



	2	4
P	6	4



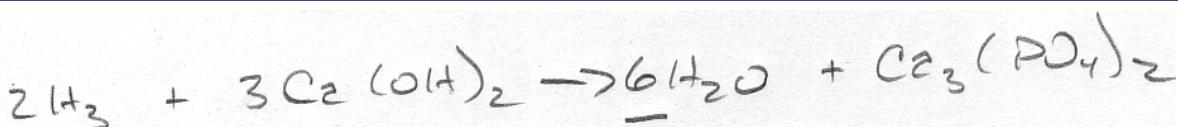
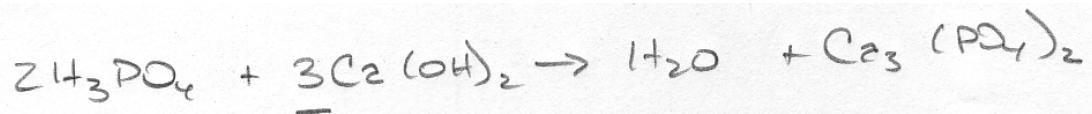
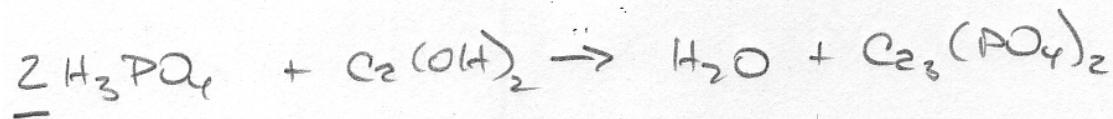
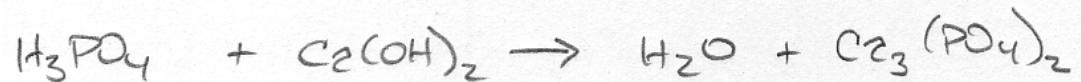
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Phosphoric acid and calcium hydroxide react to form water and calcium phosphate.
Find the balanced eqn.

Phosphoric Acid + Calcium Hydroxide → water + Calcium Phosphate



$$\begin{array}{rcccc} & \text{PO}_4 & \text{Ca} & \text{H} & \text{O} \\ \text{R} & 1 & 1 & 5 & 2 \\ \hline \text{P} & 2 & 3 & 2 & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcccc} & \text{R} & 1 & 8 & 2 \\ \hline \text{P} & 2 & 3 & 2 & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rccccc} & \text{R} & 2 & 3 & 12 & 6 \\ \hline \text{P} & 2 & 3 & 2 & 1 & \end{array}$$

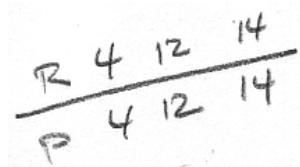
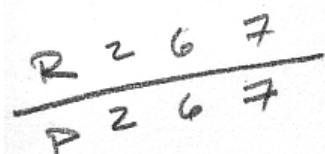
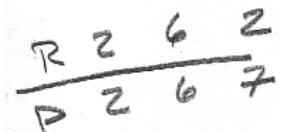
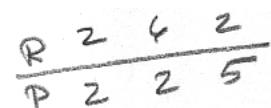
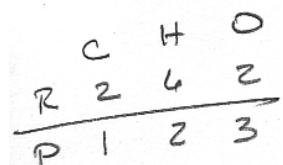
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Problem:

Ethane is burnt in air. Find the balanced eqn.

Tip: Use fractions to get to the end, but don't leave it that way.

Ethane + oxygen \rightarrow carbon dioxide + water



Equations

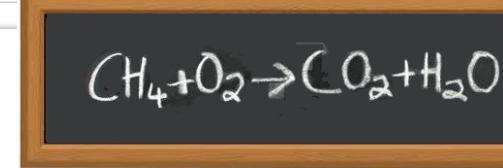
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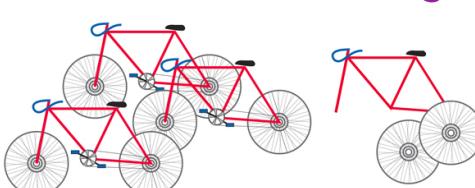
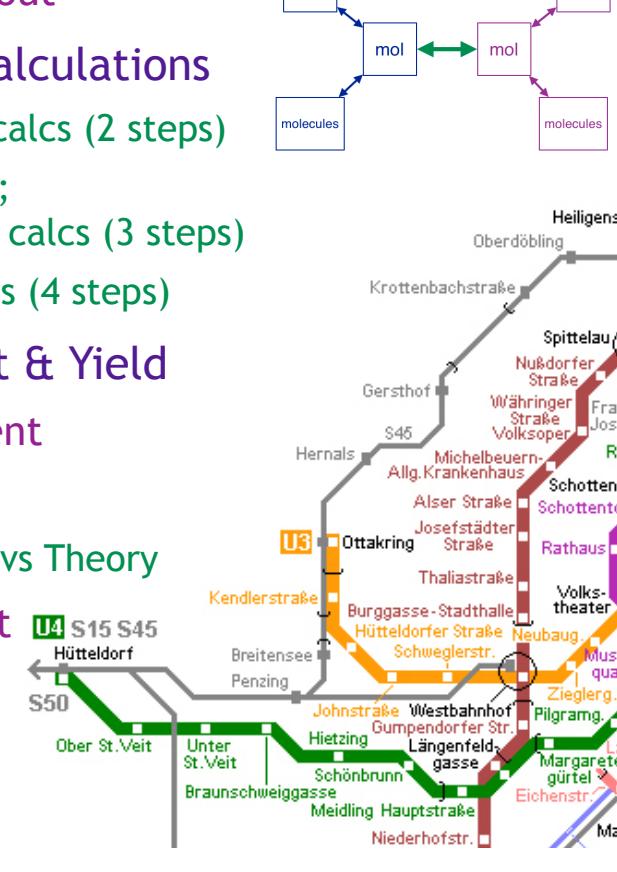
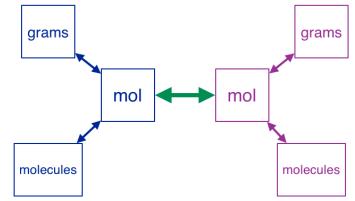
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$$15 \text{ molecules } O_2 \cdot \frac{4 \text{ H}_2\text{O}}{5 \text{ O}_2} = 12 \text{ m}$$



Stoichiometry

- ▶ Stoichiometry is the relationship between relative quantities of substances in a reaction or molecular formula.
- ▶ Having a balanced equation let's us see the ratio of products formed from reactants.
- ▶ In the balanced equation to the right, we can see that every propane molecule (C_3H_8) produces three carbon dioxide (CO_2) molecules.
- ▶ Therefore any number of propane molecules burnt, will produce three times as many carbon dioxide molecules.
- ▶ The balanced equation reveals all the possible stoichiometric relationships between reactants and products.
- ▶ It lets us answer any stoichiometric question about a system described by that equation.

Eq 1:



Eq 2:



stoichiometry /stoikē'ämtrē/
noun

noun: **stoichiometry**; noun: **stoichometry**

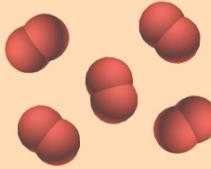
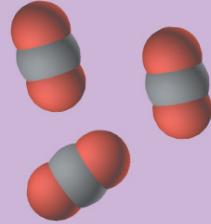
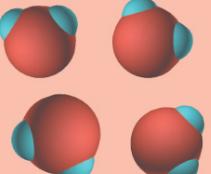
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the relationship between the relative quantities of substances taking part in a reaction or forming a compound, typically a ratio of whole integers.

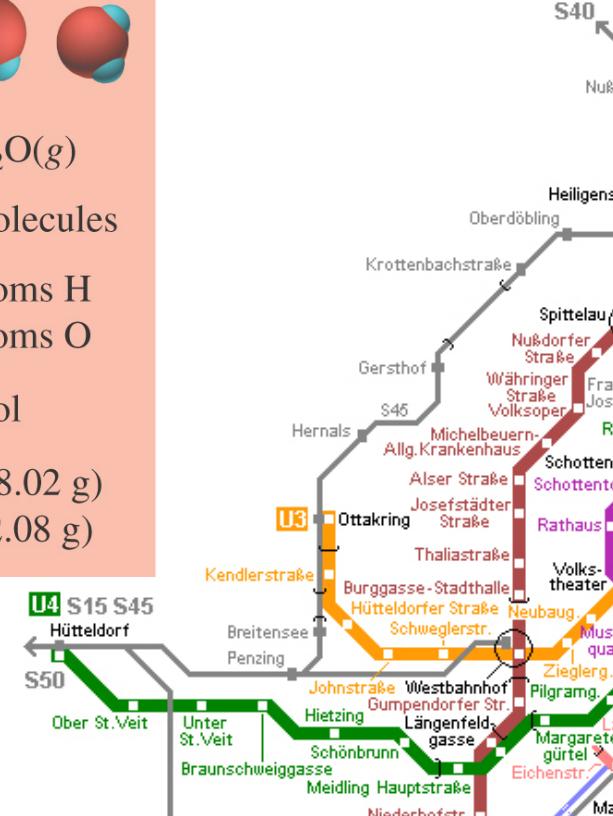
Origin: early 19th cent.: from Greek *stoikheion* ‘element’ + *-metry*.

Stoichiometry



Propane	Oxygen	Carbon dioxide	Water
			
$C_3H_8(g)$	$5 O_2(g)$	$3 CO_2(g)$	$4 H_2O(g)$
1 molecule	5 molecules	3 molecules	4 molecules
3 atoms C	10 atoms O	3 atoms C	8 atoms H
8 atoms H		6 atoms O	4 atoms O
1 mol	5 mol	3 mol	4 mol
44.09 g	5 (32.00 g) (160.0 g)	3 (44.01 g) (132.0 g)	4 (18.02 g) (72.08 g)

Don't confuse coefficients and subscripts!



The mole ratio



- If I consume 15 molecules oxygen, how many water molecules do I create?

$$15 \text{ molecules } O_2 \cdot \frac{4 H_2O}{5 O_2} = 12 \text{ molecules } H_2O$$

- If I consume 2.7 mol oxygen, how many mol water do I create?

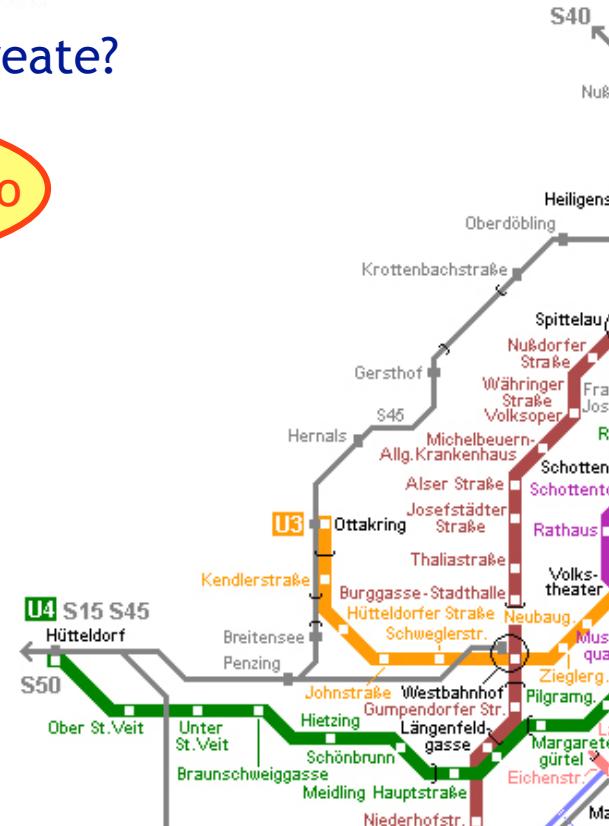
- ... and how many mol CO_2 do I create?
- ... and how many mol C_3H_8 do I consume?

The mole ratio

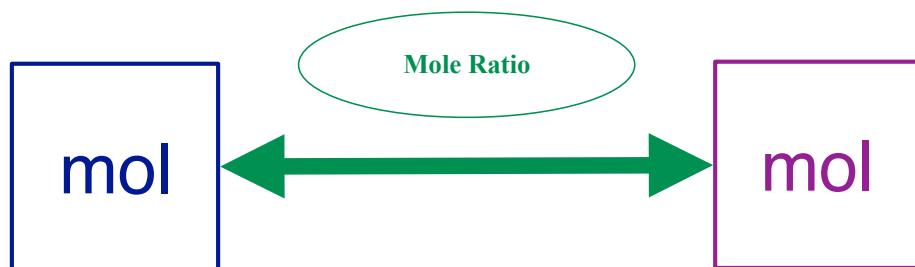
$$2.7 \text{ mol } O_2 \cdot \frac{4 H_2O}{5 O_2} = 2.2 \text{ mol } H_2O$$

$$2.7 \text{ mol } O_2 \cdot \frac{3 CO_2}{5 O_2} = 1.6 \text{ mol } CO_2$$

$$2.7 \text{ mol } O_2 \cdot \frac{1 C_3H_8}{5 O_2} = 0.54 \text{ mol } C_3H_8$$



The mole ratio



$$5 O_2 = 3 CO_2$$

$$5 O_2 = 4 H_2O$$

$$1 C_3H_8 = 3 CO_2$$

$$3 CO_2 = 4 H_2O$$

...

There are 12 combinations in this reaction.

12 mole ratio conversion factors.

The Balanced Equation unlocks them all.

This tool is especially powerful when we combine it with tools from the previous chapters.



Atomic Mass & Avogadro's Number

Elements like Copper (Cu)

- In chapter 2 we introduced two important conversion factors:

- Molar Mass/Atomic Mass
(the average mass of atoms of that elements)
- We get this from the periodic table
- It tell's us the weight of:
 - 1 mol of a substance (in grams)
 - 1 atom of a substance (in amu)

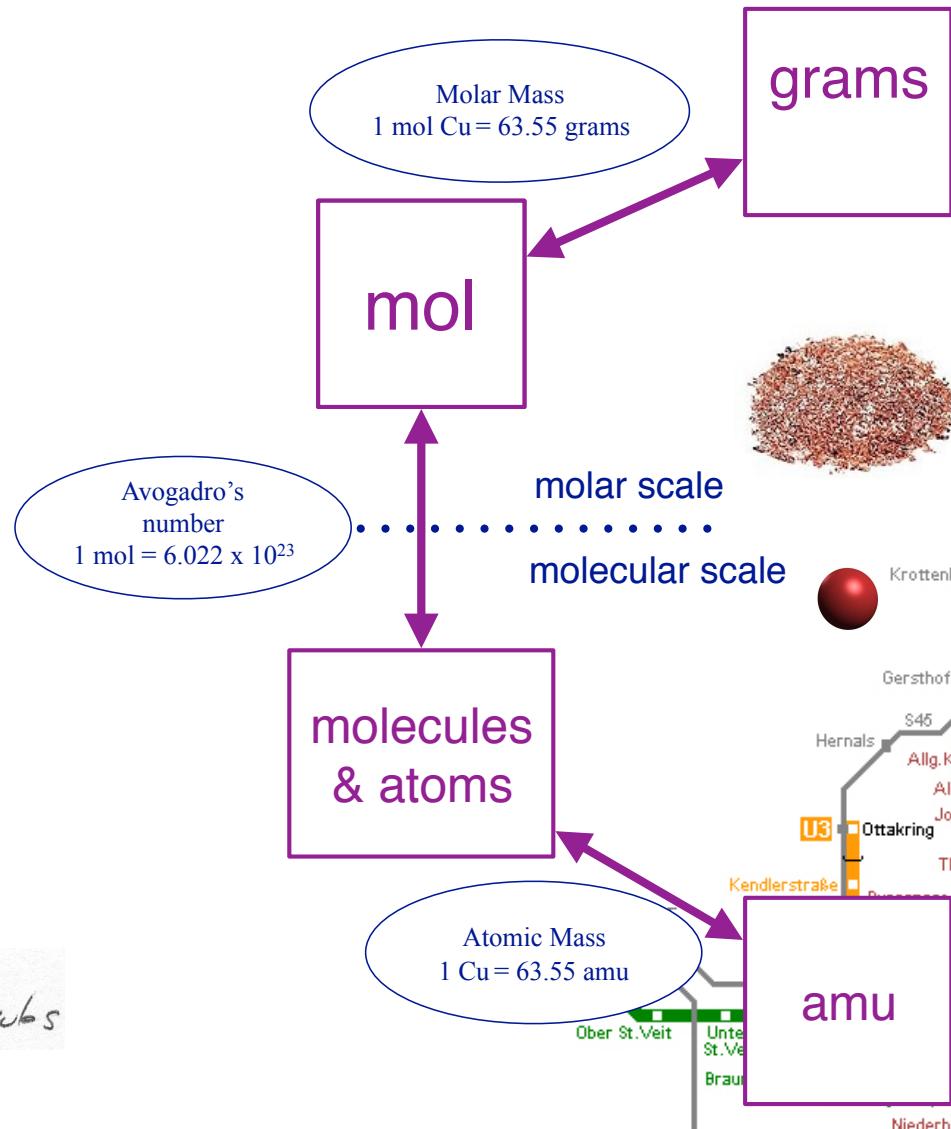
grams → mol

$$16,5 \text{ g Cu} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{63,55 \text{ g}} = 0,260 \text{ mol Cu}$$

- Avogadro's Number
 - 6.022×10^{23}
 - It's a measurement
 - You have to memorize it
- It let's us go from the moles to molecules or atoms

mol → molecules

$$0,260 \text{ mol Cu} \cdot \frac{6.022 \times 10^{23}}{1 \text{ mol}} = 1,56 \times 10^{23} \text{ molecules}$$



Molecular Formula & Molar Mass

Molecules like Water (H_2O)

- In chapter 3, we took apart molecules and introduced new conversion factors.
 - Molecular Formula (& Empirical Formula)
 - It lets us understand the composition of molecules.
 - We can use it as a conversion factor to go from molecules to how many atoms of any kind are in that molecule.

molecules $H_2O \rightarrow$ atoms H

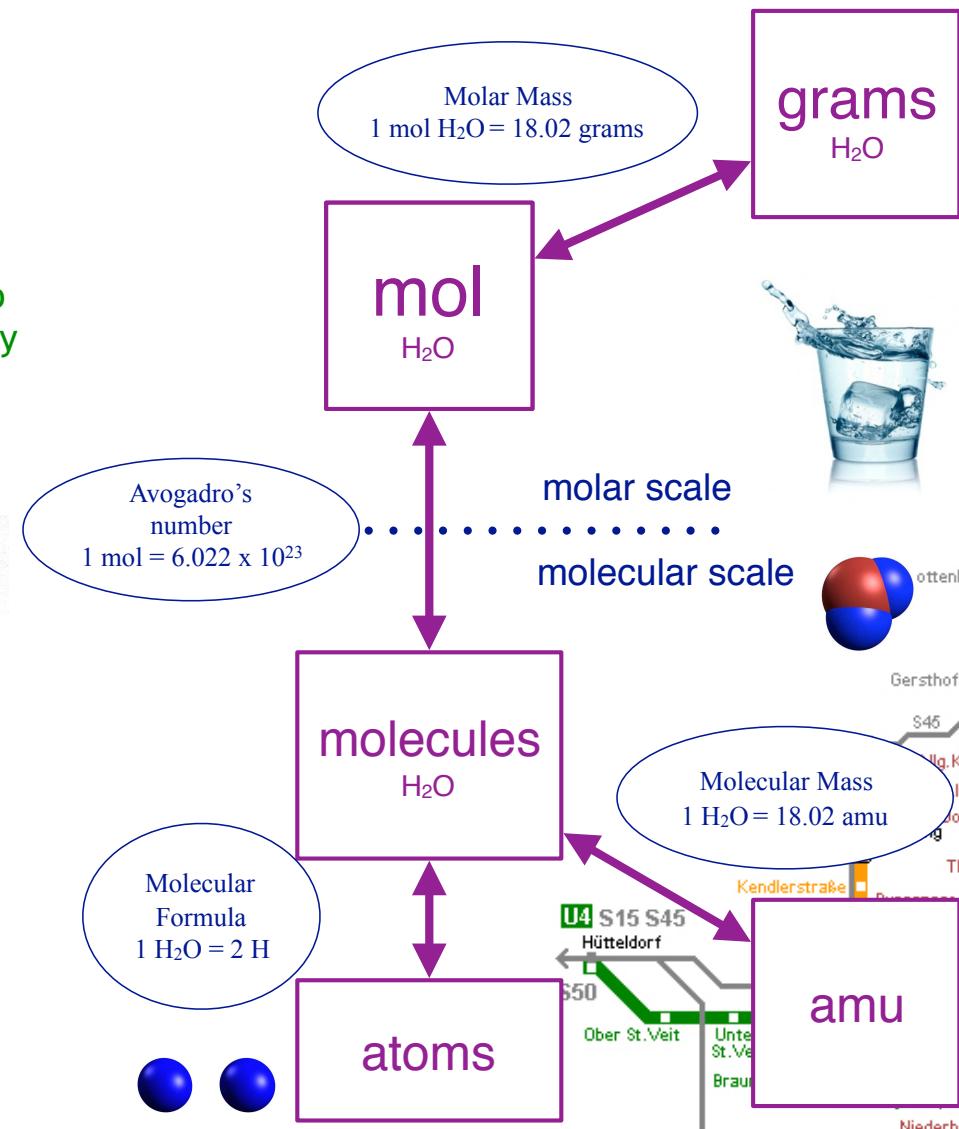
$$725 \text{ molecules } H_2O \cdot \frac{2 \text{ H}}{1 \text{ } H_2O} = 1,450 \text{ atoms H}$$

Molar Mass/Molecular Mass

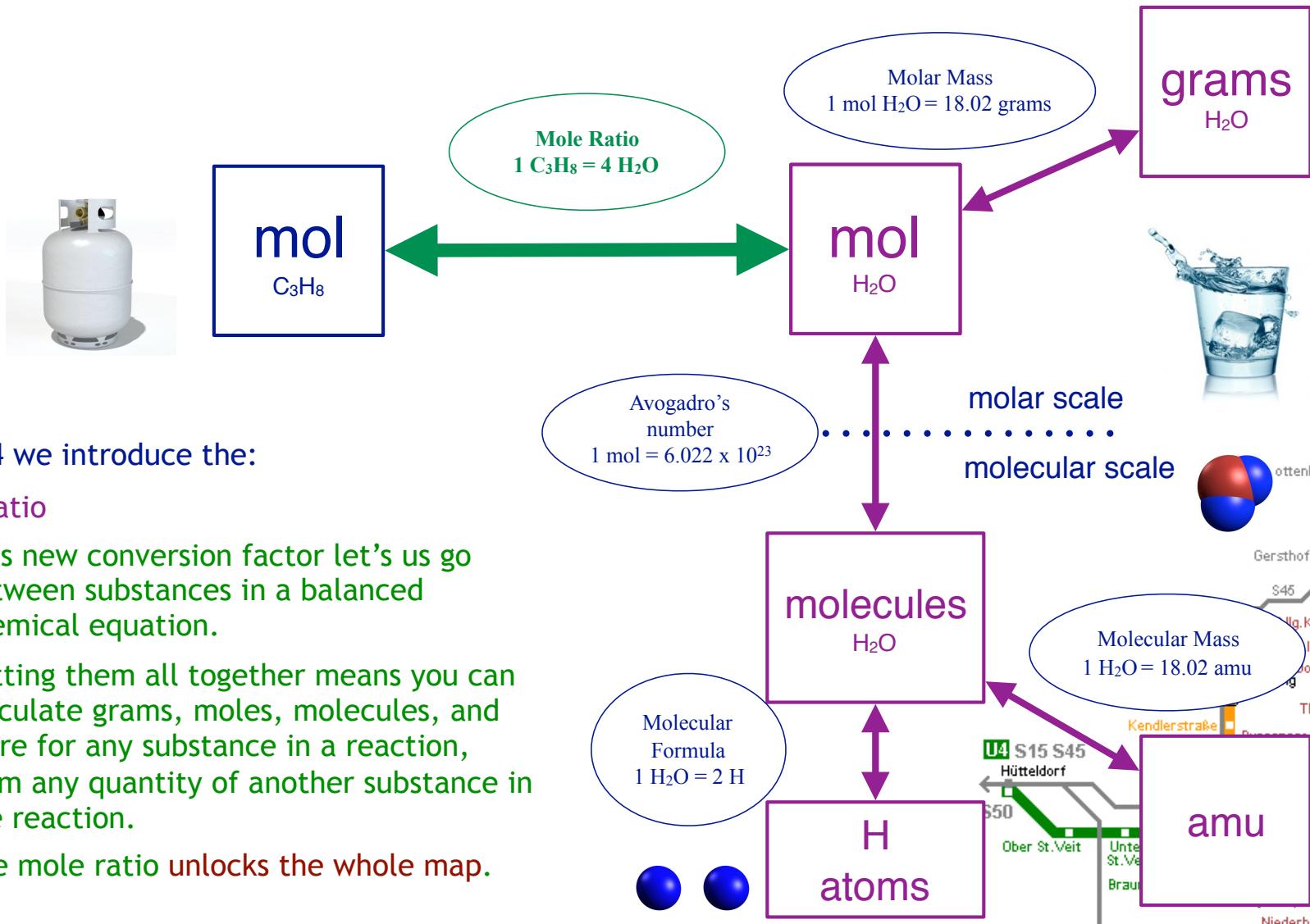
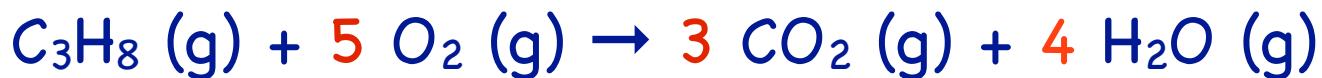
- It relates weight to mols for whole molecules.

mol \rightarrow grams

$$2.5 \text{ mol } H_2O \cdot \frac{18.02 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mol}} = 45.05 \text{ g } H_2O$$

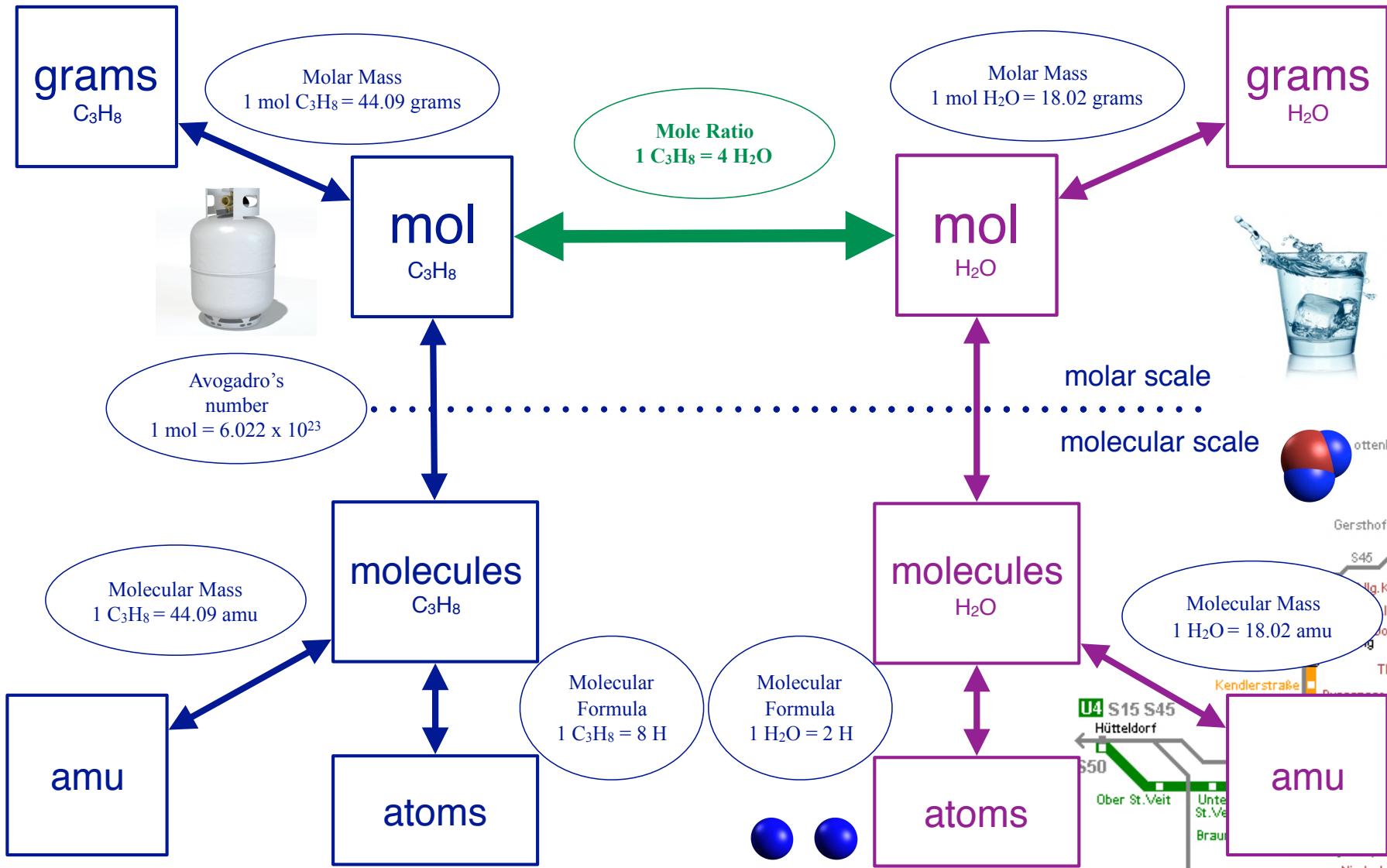


Chapter 4: the Mole Ratio

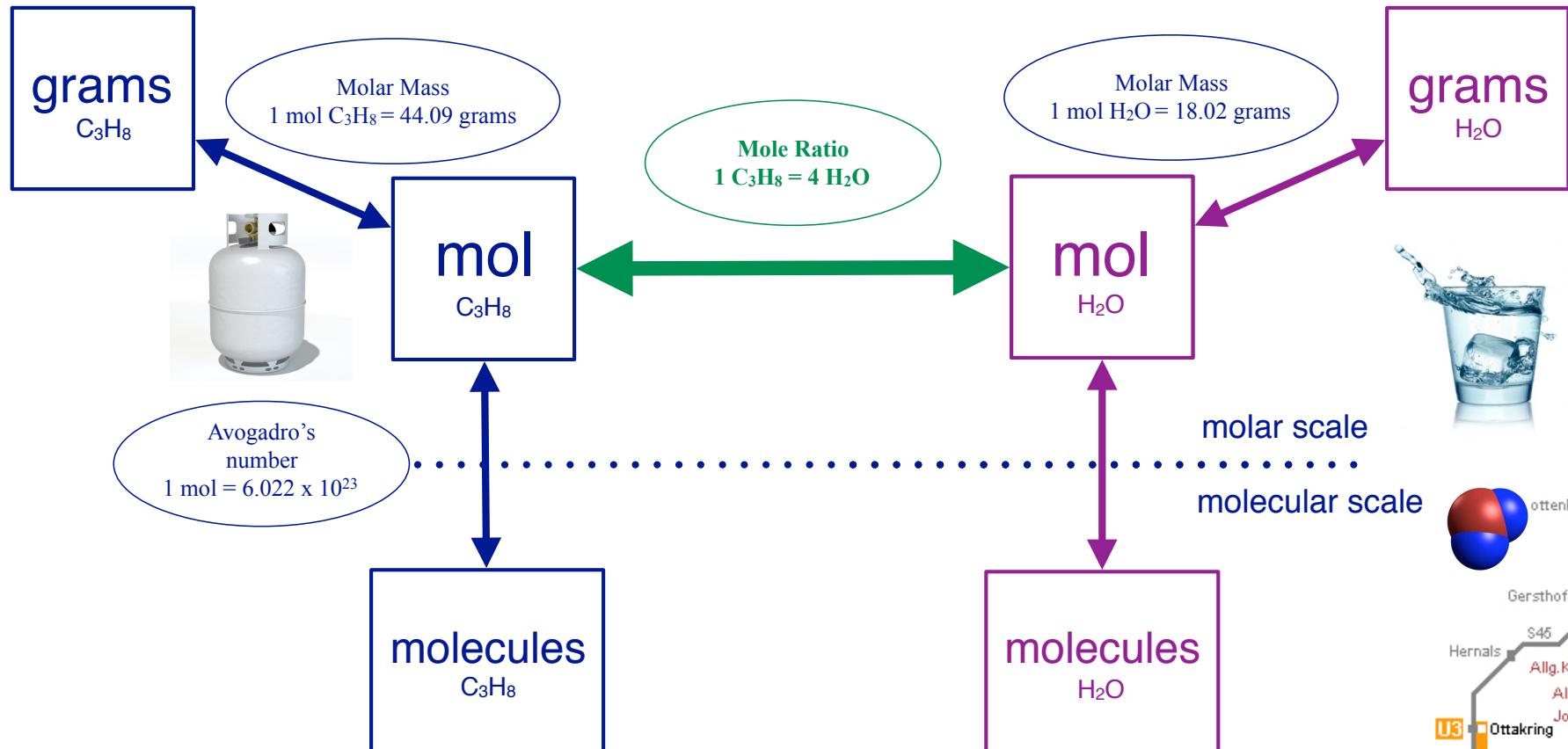
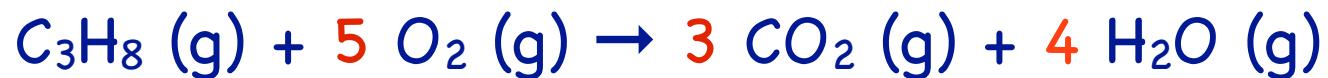


- In chapter 4 we introduce the:
 - Mole Ratio**
 - This new conversion factor lets us go between substances in a balanced chemical equation.
 - Putting them all together means you can calculate grams, moles, molecules, and more for any substance in a reaction, from any quantity of another substance in the reaction.
 - The mole ratio unlocks the whole map.

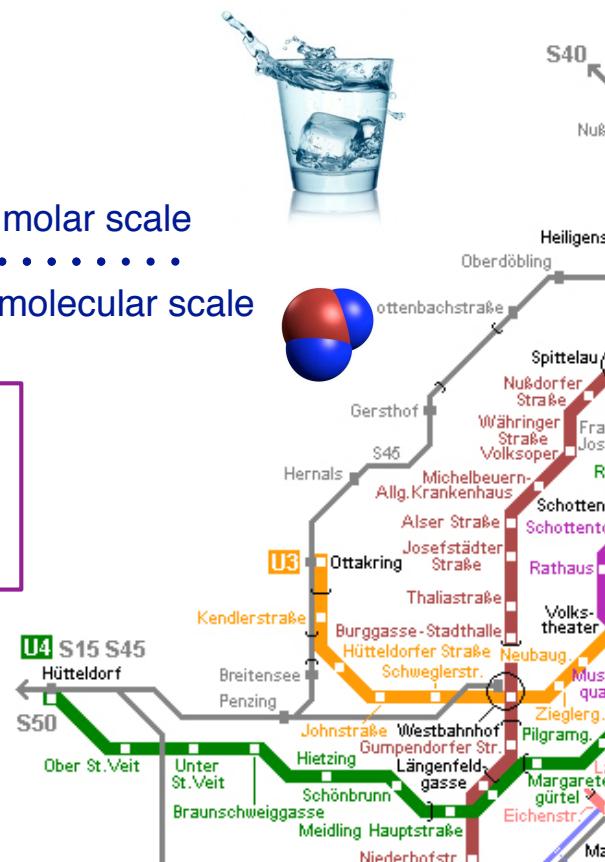
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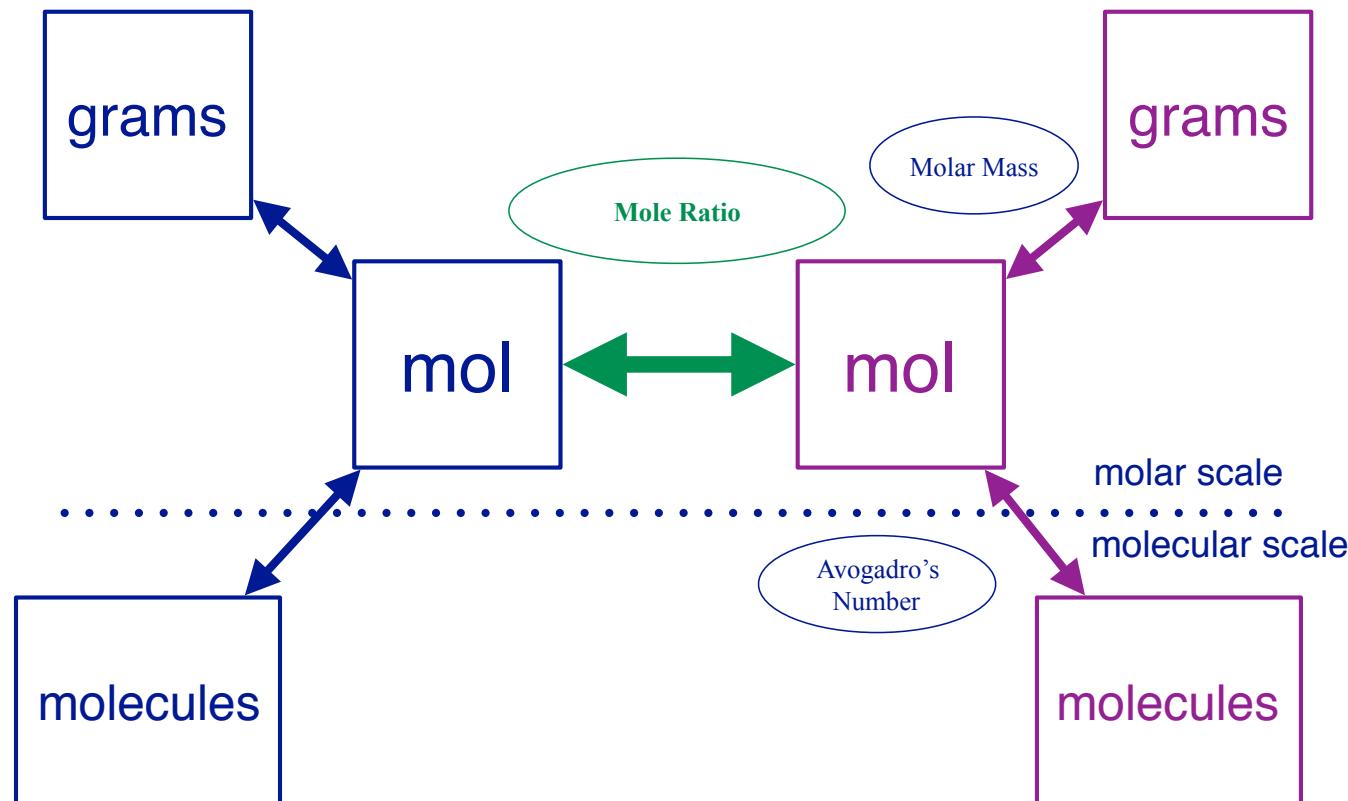
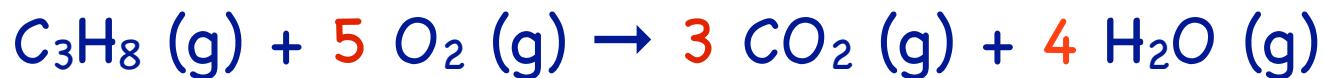
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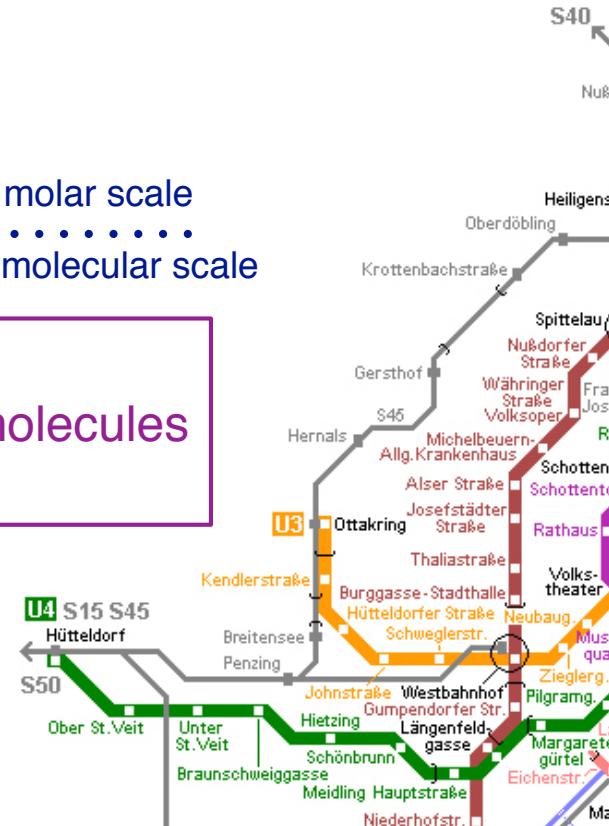
- For this discussion we will focus on grams, moles, and molecules.
- You are responsible for using these conversion factors.



Using a Balanced Equation



- ▶ We will use the molecular scale to design and understand reactions.
- ▶ We will use the molar scale to conduct reactions.
- ▶ We will add **more conversion factors** that start with mols, in future chapters.
- ▶ But the mole ratio will stay at the heart of all our reaction stoichiometry maps.



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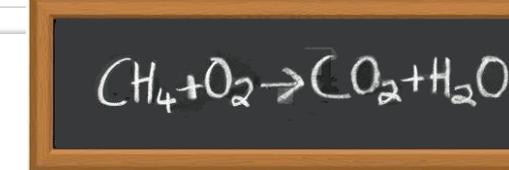
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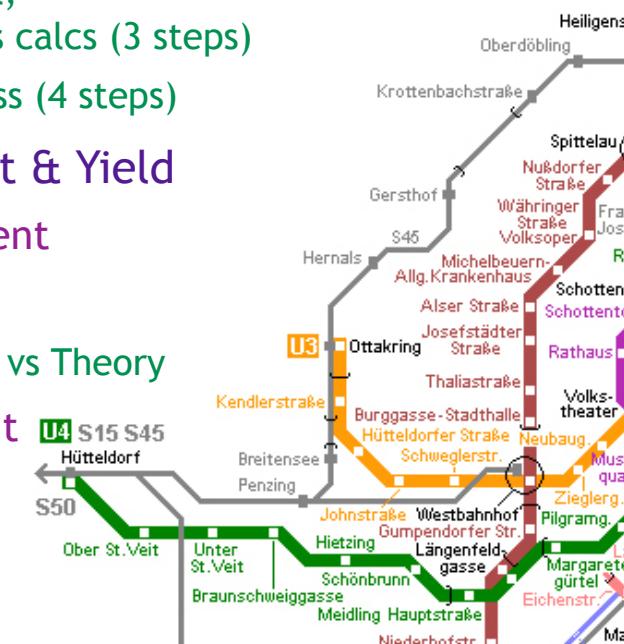
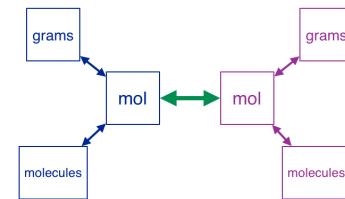
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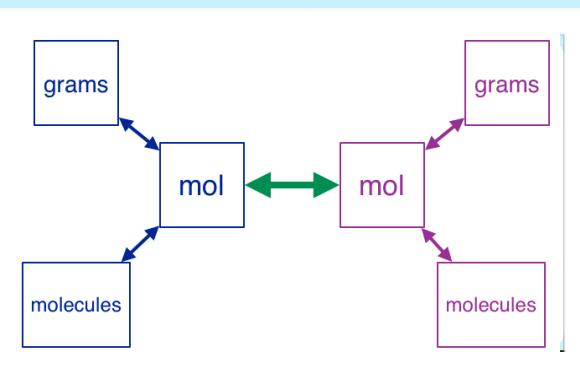


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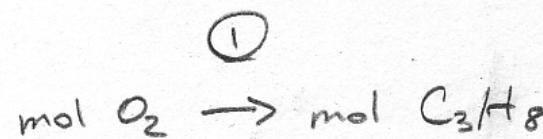
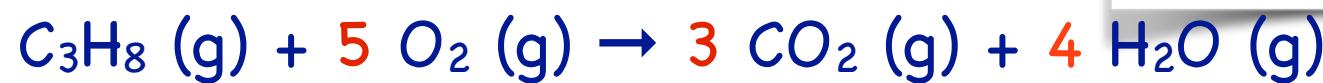


Problem:

How many moles of C_3H_8 can you burn in 19.2 mol of oxygen gas?



Solution

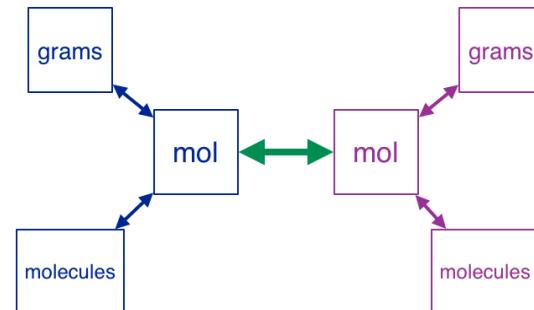


② $5 O_2 = 1 C_3H_8$

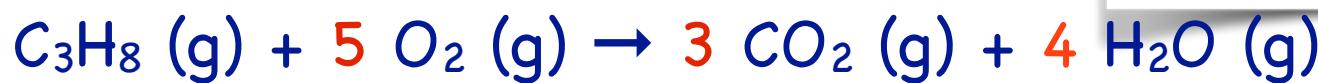
$$19.2 \text{ mol } O_2 \cdot \frac{1 C_3H_8}{5 O_2} = \underline{\underline{3.84 \text{ mol } C_3H_8}}$$

Problem:

How many moles of C_3H_8 were burnt to produce 26.2g of carbon dioxide?



Solution



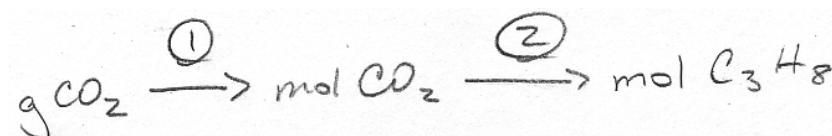
① molar mass CO_2

$$\begin{array}{r} 1(C) \ 12.01 \\ 2(O) \ 32.00 \\ \hline 44.01 \end{array}$$

$$1\ mol = 44.01\ g$$

② mole ratio CO_2/C_3H_8

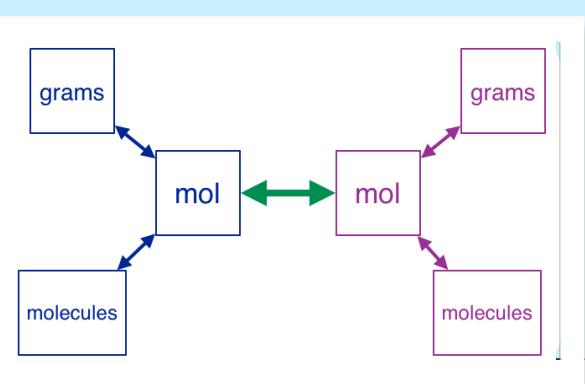
$$3\ CO_2 = 1\ C_3H_8$$



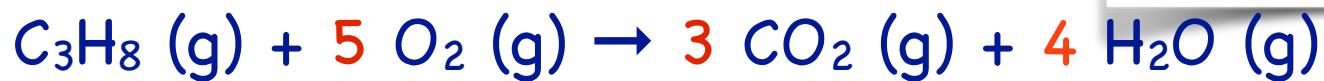
$$26.2\ g\ CO_2 \cdot \frac{1\ mol}{44.01\ g} \cdot \frac{1\ C_3H_8}{3\ CO_2} = \underline{\underline{0.198\ mol\ C_3H_8}}$$

Problem:

How many grams of water were produced when you burnt 24.2 grams C₃H₈?



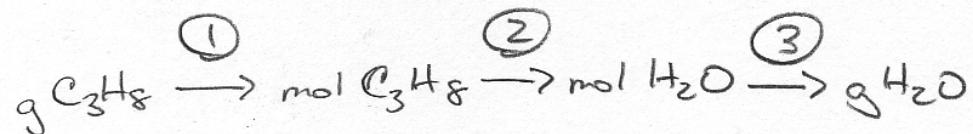
Solution



① molar mass C₃H₈

$$\begin{array}{r} 3(\text{C}) & 36.03 \\ 8(\text{H}) & 8.06 \\ \hline 44.09 & 4 \end{array}$$

$$44.09 \text{ g} = 1 \text{ mol}$$



$$24.2 \text{ g C}_3\text{H}_8 \cdot \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{44.09 \text{ g}} \cdot \frac{4 \text{ H}_2\text{O}}{1 \text{ C}_3\text{H}_8} \cdot \frac{18.02 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mol}} =$$

$$39.56307553 \text{ g}$$

③ molar mass H₂O

$$\begin{array}{r} 2(\text{H}) & 2.016 \\ 1(\text{O}) & 16.00 \\ \hline 18.016 & \end{array}$$

$$18.02 \text{ g} = 1 \text{ mol}$$

$$\boxed{39.6 \text{ g H}_2\text{O}}$$

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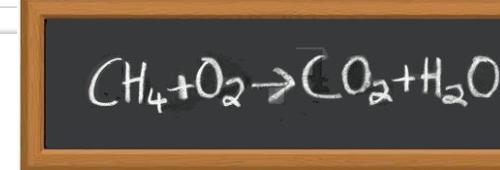


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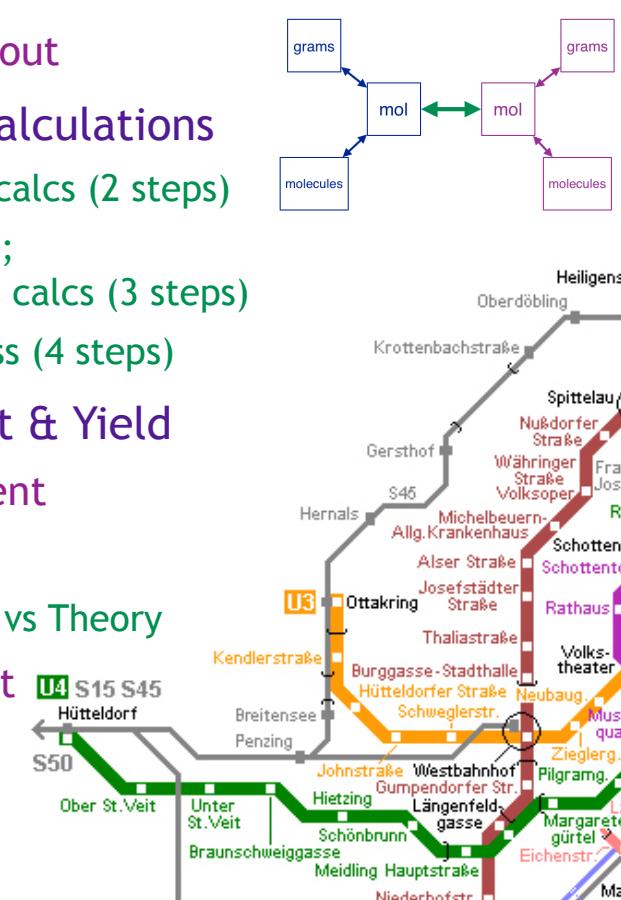
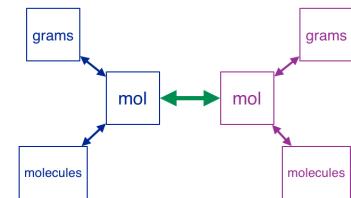


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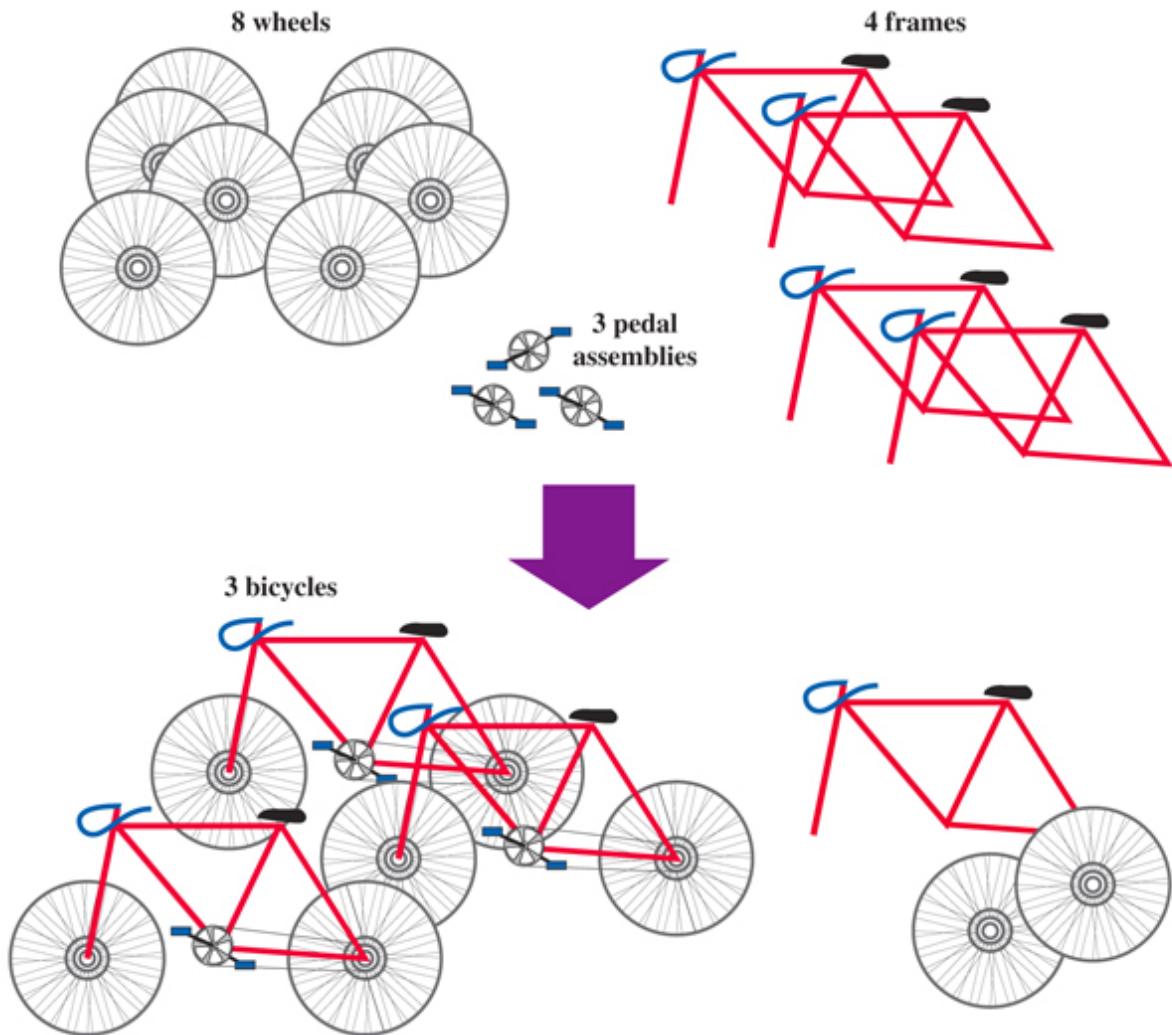
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Limiting/Excess Reagents



- ▶ The **limiting reactant** (or limiting reagent) is the reactant that limits the amount of product that can be made.
 - ▶ The reaction stops when the limiting reactant is used up.
 - ▶ The amount of limiting reactant controls how much product is formed.
- ▶ The **excess reactant** is the reactant that remains when the reaction stops.
 - ▶ There is always left over excess reactant.



Limiting/Excess Reagents

- Iron and sulfur react to make iron (III) sulfide. If I have 20.0 grams of each, which is the limiting reagent?

It's just like making bicycles
— which pile runs out first?



Answer: start making bicycles,
the one that makes the least
bicycles is the limiting reagent.

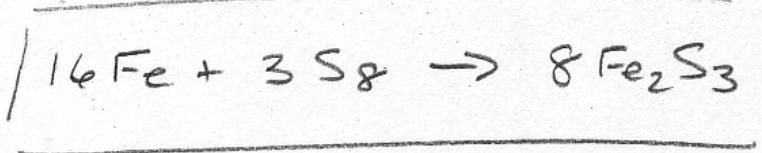
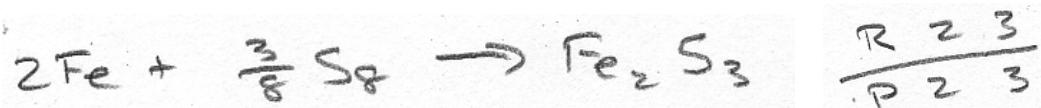
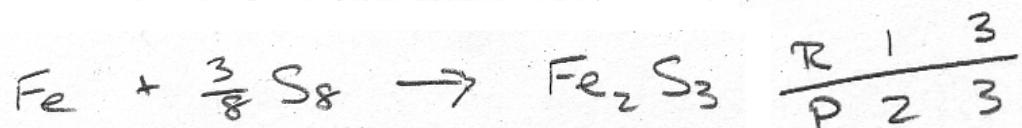
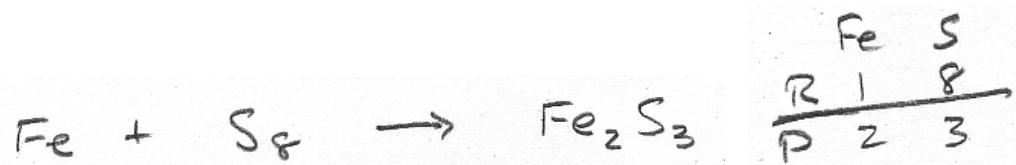
(bicycles = any product)



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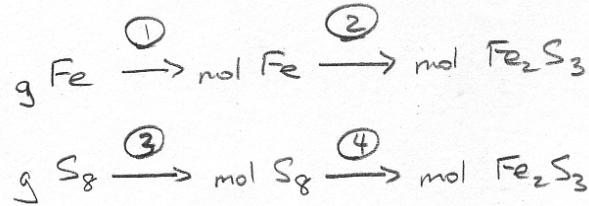
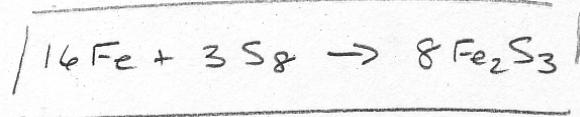
$$\text{Iron} + \text{Sulfur} \rightarrow \text{Iron(II) Sulfide}$$



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Solution



which ever makes the least Fe_2S_3 is the limiting reagent.

$$\textcircled{1} 55.85\text{ g} = 1\text{ mol}$$

$$\textcircled{2} 16\text{ Fe} = 8\text{Fe}_2\text{S}_3$$

$$\textcircled{3} 8(\text{s}) = \frac{32.07 \times 8}{256.6\text{ g/mol}}$$

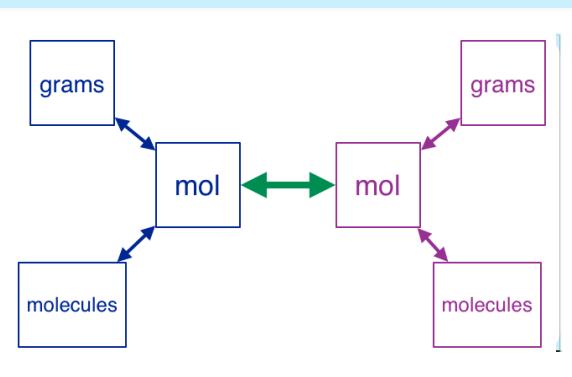
$$\textcircled{4} 3\text{S}_8 = 8\text{Fe}_2\text{S}_3$$

$$\underline{\text{Fe}} \quad 20.0\text{ g Fe} \cdot \frac{1\text{ mol}}{55.85\text{ g}} \cdot \frac{8\text{Fe}_2\text{S}_3}{16\text{ Fe}} = 0.179\text{ mol Fe}_2\text{S}_3$$

$$\underline{\text{S}_8} \quad 20.0\text{ g S}_8 \cdot \frac{1\text{ mol}}{256.6\text{ g}} \cdot \frac{8\text{Fe}_2\text{S}_3}{3\text{S}_8} = 0.208\text{ mol Fe}_2\text{S}_3$$

So Iron Runs out First.

Iron is the limiting reagent
Sulfur is the excess reagent.



A word about yield...

$$\text{Fe} \quad \frac{20.0\text{g Fe}}{\text{55.85g Fe}} \cdot \frac{1\text{mol}}{1\text{mol}} \cdot \frac{8\text{Fe}_2\text{S}_3}{16\text{Fe}} = 0.179\text{ mol Fe}_2\text{S}_3$$

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- ▶ So our **theoretical yield** for this reaction is 0.179 moles (or the equivalent quantity in grams).
- ▶ But we rarely achieve a theoretical yield.
- ▶ Our actual yield (aka **experimental yield**) is always less.
 - ▶ We may have recovered only 0.135 moles (our experimental yield)
- ▶ We report the **percent yield** for any reaction to show how close we came.
 - ▶ Percent yield = $(\text{experimental yield} / \text{theoretical yield}) \times 100$

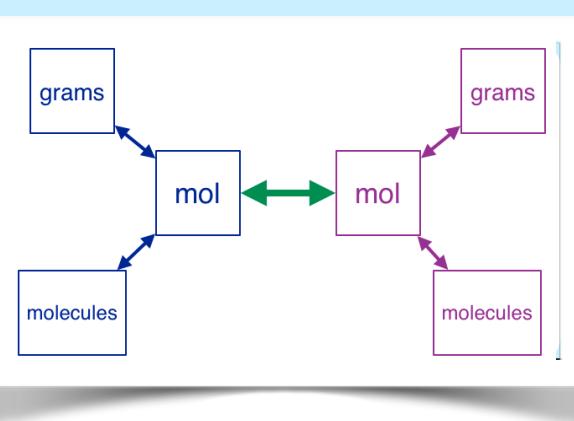
$$\text{Percent Yield} = \frac{\text{Exp. Y.}}{\text{The. Y.}} = \frac{0.135\text{ mol}}{0.179\text{ mol}} = 75.4\%$$



Problem:

Stannic oxide (32.4 g) and carbon monoxide (14.3 g) react to form stannous oxide and carbon dioxide.

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- (b) How much of the excess reagent is left over?



Solution

A plan:

Step 1: Find the balanced chemical equation.

Step 2: Figure out how much product (any product) you could get from each reagent. (hint: you'll need mole ratios)

Step 3: Identify the limiting reagent (the one that runs out first)

Step 4: Figure out how much of the excess reagent you actually use.

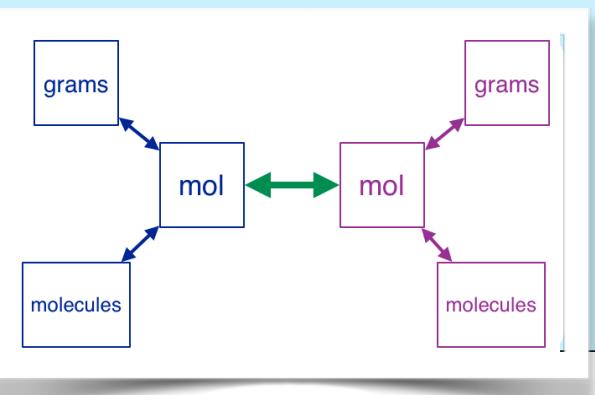
Step 5: Subtract what you used, from what you started with, to find out how much of the excess reagent is left over.

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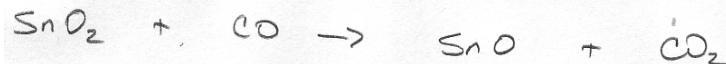
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① 1 mol $\text{SnO}_2 = 150.71 \text{ g}$

$$\begin{array}{r} 118.71 \\ + 32.00 \\ \hline 150.71 \end{array}$$

② 1 mol $\text{SnO}_2 = 1 \text{ mol CO}_2$

③ 1 mol CO = 28.01 g

$$\begin{array}{r} 12.01 \\ + 16.00 \\ \hline 28.01 \end{array}$$

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SnO_2 is
Limiting Reagent.

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Final
Limiting
Reagent

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{g SnO}_2 \xrightarrow{\textcircled{1}} \text{mol SnO}_2 \xrightarrow{\textcircled{2}} \text{mol CO}_2 \\ \text{g CO} \xrightarrow{\textcircled{3}} \text{mol CO} \xrightarrow{\textcircled{4}} \text{mol CO}_2 \end{array}$$

Final Excess
Left Over

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{g SnO}_2 \xrightarrow{\textcircled{1}} \text{mol SnO}_2 \xrightarrow{\textcircled{2}} \text{mol CO} \xrightarrow{\textcircled{3}} \text{g CO} \\ \text{subtract from initial grams.} \end{array}$$

Final
Limiting
Reagent

$$32.4 \text{ g } \text{SnO}_2 \cdot \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{150.71 \text{ g}} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ CO}_2}{1 \text{ SnO}_2} = 0.215 \text{ mol} \quad \text{Limiting Reagent}$$

$$14.3 \text{ g CO} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{28.01 \text{ g}} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ CO}_2}{1 \text{ CO}} = 0.511 \text{ mol}$$

(a) 1 SnO_2 is the Limiting Reagent

Find Excess
Left Over

$$32.4 \text{ g } \text{SnO}_2 \cdot \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{150.71 \text{ g}} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ CO}}{1 \text{ SnO}_2} \cdot \frac{28.01 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mol}} = 6.02 \text{ g CO}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 14.3 \text{ g CO initial} \\ - 6.02 \text{ g CO used} \\ \hline 8.28 \end{array}$$

(b) 1 8.3 g CO Left Over

Equations

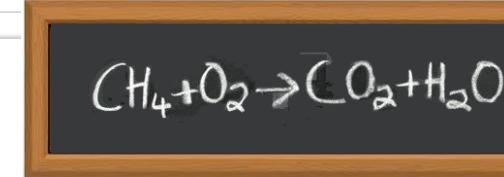
- ▶ Chemical Change
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 - ▶ Chemical Equations
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 - ▶ Writing Chemical Equations
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 - ▶ by Kinetics
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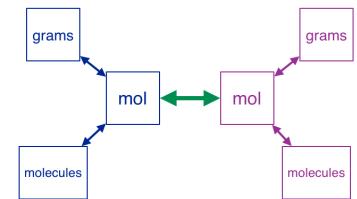
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- ▶ Balanced Equations
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- ▶ The Mole Ratio
 - ▶ A new conversion factor
 - ▶ Mapping it all out
- ▶ Stoichiometry Calculations
 - ▶ mol → mol calcs (2 steps)
 - ▶ mass → mol;
mol → mass calcs (3 steps)
 - ▶ mass → mass (4 steps)
- ▶ Limiting Reagent & Yield
 - ▶ Limiting Reagent
 - ▶ Yield
 - ▶ Experiment vs Theory
- ▶ Excess Reagent



$$15 \text{ molecules } O_2 \cdot \frac{4 \text{ H}_2\text{O}}{5 \text{ O}_2} = 12 \text{ m}$$



Questions?

