Triple - Chemistry - Key Stage 4
Quantitative Chemistry

## Volumes of gases

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## Periodic Table of Elements

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* The lanthanides (atomic numbers 58-71) and the Actinides (atomic numbers 90-103) have been omitted.

Relative atomic masses for $\mathbf{C u}$ and $\mathbf{C l}$ have not been rounded to the nearest whole number.

## Task 1

Calculate the volume of gas in:

1. 4 g of $\mathrm{H}_{2}$
2. 8 g of $\mathrm{CH}_{4}$
3. $3.55 \mathrm{~g} \mathrm{of} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$
4. 0.002 g of He
5. $8.8 \mathrm{~g} \mathrm{of} \mathrm{CO}_{2}$
6. 2 g of Ar
7. 1 g of $\mathrm{N}_{2}$
8. 16 g of $\mathrm{O}_{2}$

## Task 2

1. What volume of carbon dioxide is produced when 125 g of calcium carbonate is thermally decomposed?
$\mathrm{CaCO}_{3} \longrightarrow \mathrm{CaO}+\mathrm{CO}_{2}$

Balance symbol equation

Calculate $\mathrm{Mr}_{\mathrm{r}}$ of $\mathrm{CaCO}_{3}$
Moles of $\mathrm{CaCO}_{3}$
Work out the ratio
Calculate the volume of carbon dioxide

## Task 3

1. What volume of oxygen is produced when 0.34 g hydrogen peroxide is left to decompose?
$2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2} \longrightarrow 2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}+\mathrm{O}_{2}$
2. What volume of nitrogen is needed to produce 6.8 g of ammonia?
$\mathrm{N}_{2}+3 \mathrm{H}_{2} \longrightarrow 2 \mathrm{NH}_{3}$
3. What volume of chlorine is needed to produce 4.68 g sodium chloride?
$2 \mathrm{Na}+\mathrm{Cl}_{2} \longrightarrow 2 \mathrm{NaCl}$
4. What volume of oxygen is required to produce 2 g sodium oxide? Answer in $\mathrm{cm}^{3}$. $4 \mathrm{Na}+\mathrm{O}_{2} \longrightarrow 2 \mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{O}$

## Task 1 answers

1. 4 g of $\mathrm{H}_{2}$. moles $=4 / \mathbf{2}=\mathbf{2}$. Volume $=\mathbf{2 \times 2 4 = 4 8 \mathrm { dm } ^ { 3 }}$
2. 8 g of $\mathrm{CH}_{4}$. moles $=8 / 16=0.5$. Volume $=0.5 \times 24=12 \mathrm{dm}^{3}$
3. 3.55 g of $\mathrm{Cl}_{2}$. moles $\boldsymbol{= 3 . 5 5 / 7 1} \boldsymbol{=} \mathbf{0 . 0 5}$. Volume $=0.05 \times 24=1.2 \mathrm{dm}^{3}$
4. 0.002 g of He . moles $=\mathbf{0 . 0 0 2 / 8} \mathbf{= 0 . 0 0 0 2 5}$. Volume $=0.00025 \times 24=0.006 \mathrm{dm}^{3}$

5. 2 g of Ar. moles $=2 / 40=0.05$ Volume $=0.05 \times 24=1.2 \mathrm{dm}^{3}$
6. 1 g of $\mathrm{N}_{2}$. moles $=\mathbf{1 / 2 8}=\mathbf{0 . 0 3 6}$. Volume $=0.036 \times 24=0.86 \mathrm{dm}^{3}$
7. 16 g of $\mathrm{O}_{2}$. moles $=16 / 32=0.5$ Volume $=0.5 \times 24=12 \mathrm{dm}^{3}$

## Task 2 answers

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| Balance symbol equation | $\mathbf{C a C O}_{\mathbf{3}} \longrightarrow \mathbf{C a O}+\mathbf{C O}_{\mathbf{2}}$ |
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| Calculate $\mathrm{M}_{r}$ of $\mathrm{CaCO}_{3}$ | $\mathbf{C a C O}_{\mathbf{3}}=\mathbf{1 0 0}$ |
| Moles of $\mathrm{CaCO}_{3}$ | $\mathbf{1 2 5 / \mathbf { 1 0 0 } = \mathbf { 1 . 2 5 }}$ |
| Work out the ratio | Ratio 1:1 $\quad$ Moles of $\mathbf{C O}_{\mathbf{2}}=\mathbf{1 . 2 5}$ |
| Calculate the volume of carbon dioxide | Volume $=\mathbf{1 . 2 5} \times \mathbf{2 4}=\mathbf{3 0} \mathbf{~ d m}^{\mathbf{3}}$ |

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