

Chemical Composition

Equation Sheet

Moles (mol)	Atoms, molecules, formula units, particles
	Avogadro's Number 6.022×10^{23} particles / mole

Molar Mass Sum of the masses of all elements in a compound (g/mol)	Mass (grams, g)
	Moles (mol)

Molar Mass: sum of all the masses of the elements in a compound.

Ex. H_2O

$$\text{H} = 2 \times 1.01 = 2.02$$

$$\text{O} = 1 \times 16.0 = 16.00$$

$$\underline{\hspace{1cm}} \\ 18.02 \text{ g/mol}$$

Percent Composition

$$\% \text{ composition} = \frac{\text{Mass of element}}{\text{Mass of compound}} \times 100$$

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$$\% \text{ H} = (2.02 / 18.02) \times 100 = 11.20 \%$$

$$\% \text{ O} = (16.00 / 18.02) \times 100 = 88.79 \%$$

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Empirical Formula:

1. Convert percentage to grams (change unit)
2. Divide grams by the atomic mass of the element
3. Divide each # of moles by the smallest number of moles
4. **Special numbers: To get a whole number...
 - a. 0.25 multiply all values by 4
 - b. 0.50 multiply all values by 2
 - c. 0.67 or 0.33 multiply all values by 3
5. To find the Molecular formula, divide the molecular mass (must be given in the problem) by the empirical mass to find the ratio.
6. Multiply all subscripts in the empirical formula by the ratio to get the molecular formula

Example: What is the empirical formula of a compound that has 25.18% hydrogen and 74.81 % carbon?

25.18 % H

74.81 % C

$$25.18 \text{ g H} / 1.01 = 24.93 \text{ mol H} / 6.23 = 4$$

CH₄

$$74.81 \text{ g C} / 12.01 = 6.23 \text{ mol C} / 6.23 = 1$$

Example: What is the molecular formula of a compound that has 25.18% hydrogen and 74.81 % carbon, the molecular mass of the compound is 64.0 g/mol?

Empirical formula is CH₄. The empirical mass is (C = 12.0) + H =(4 x 1.01) = 16.0 g/mol

$$\text{Ratio} = \frac{\text{molecular mass}}{\text{empirical mass}} = \frac{64.0 \text{ g/mol}}{16.0 \text{ g/mol}} = 4 \quad \text{Molecular formula} = \text{C}_4\text{H}_{16}$$

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Concentration Units

Solution: solvent (largest quantity: it does the dissolving) + solute
(smallest quantity it gets dissolved)

Molar Volume 22.414 L/mol	Volume (liters)
	Moles (mol)

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	Density (g/L)

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Molarity Moles solute / L solution	Volume of solution Liters (L) 1000 ml = 1 L

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Percent by mass (m/m) =	Mass of solute	X 100
	Mass of solvent	

Percent by volume (v/v) =	Volume of solute	X 100
	Volume of solvent	

$M_1 \times V_1$	=	$M_2 \times V_2$
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