

Transition skills - basic mathematical competencies answer sheet

Rearranging equations

1.

a. $c = \frac{100}{v}$

b. $v = \frac{1000n}{c}$

2.

a. $m = d \times v$

b. $d = \frac{m \times 10^{-3}}{v \times 10^{-6}} = \frac{m}{v \times 10^{-3}}$

1 mark for both parts of the fraction correct, 1 mark for cancelling down the $\times 10^{-6}$ to $\times 10^{-3}$.

3.

a. $p = \frac{h}{\lambda}$

b. $v = \frac{h}{\lambda m}$

1 mark for substitution of $p = mv$ into the first equation and 1 mark for successful rearrangement.

4.

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{KE}{0.5m}} \text{ or } v = \sqrt{\frac{2KE}{m}}$$

1 mark for first rearrangement moving 0.5 m underneath the KE, 1 mark for dealing with the v^2 by addition of the square root.

Quantity calculus

1. g cm^{-3}

2. $2.\text{mol dm}^{-3}$

3. $3.\text{g cm}^{-3}$

4. $4.\text{mol dm}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$

5. $5.\text{N m}^{-2}$

6.

a) $\text{mol}^2 \text{ dm}^{-6}$

b) $\text{mol}^{-1} \text{ dm}^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$

c) $\text{kPa}^{-0.5}$

d) $\text{mol}^2 \text{ dm}^{-6}$

e) mol dm^{-3}

Moles and mass

1. a. $32.0 \text{ g} \div 16.0 \text{ g mol}^{-1} = 2 \text{ mol}$
b. $175 \text{ g} \div 100.1 \text{ g mol}^{-1} = 1.75 \text{ mol}$
c. $0.2 \text{ g} \div 180.0 \text{ g mol}^{-1} = 0.0011 \text{ mol}$
2. a. $20 \text{ mol} \times 180 \text{ g mol}^{-1} = 3\,600 \text{ g}$
b. $5.00 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol} \times 63.5 \text{ g mol}^{-1} = 0.318 \text{ g}$
c. $42.0 \text{ mol} \times 249.6 \text{ g mol}^{-1} = 10\,500 \text{ g}$
3. a. i. $3.09 \text{ g} \div 0.0250 \text{ mol} = 123.6 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$
ii. CuCO_3
b. molar mass of chromium carbonate = $4.26 \text{ g} \div 0.015 \text{ mol} = 284 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$
 $\text{Cr}_2(\text{CO}_3)$

BONUS QUESTION

$6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ p} \div 7\,500\,000\,000 \text{ people} = 8.03 \times 10^{13} \text{ p per person}$ or 803 000 million pounds per person!

Moles and concentration

1. a. $1.5 \text{ mol} \div 0.25 \text{ dm}^3 = 6.0 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$
b. $0.25 \text{ dm}^3 \times 0.0150 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} = 3.75 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$
c. $0.125 \text{ mol} \div 0.85 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} = 0.15 \text{ dm}^3$
2. a. $5.0 \text{ g} \div 84.0 \text{ g mol}^{-1} = \underline{0.0595 \text{ mol}}$
 $0.0595 \text{ mol} \div 0.100 \text{ dm}^3 = \underline{0.60 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}}$
b. $0.025 \text{ dm}^3 \times 3.8 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} = \underline{0.095 \text{ mol}}$
 $0.095 \text{ mol} \times 40.0 \text{ g mol}^{-1} = \underline{3.8 \text{ g}}$
c. $2.5 \text{ g} \div 129.9 \text{ g mol}^{-1} = \underline{0.0192 \text{ mol}}$
 $0.0192 \text{ mol} \div 1.3 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} = \underline{0.015 \text{ dm}^3}$
 $0.015 \text{ dm}^3 = \underline{15 \text{ cm}^3}$ (to 2 sig. fig.)