## #72437 Chemistry, Other

1. The compound KCLO<sub>3</sub> decomposes according to the following equation

 $@KCLO_3 \rightarrow 2KCL + 3O_2$ 

- a) what is the mole ratio of  $KCLO_3$  to  $O_2$  in this reaction?
- b) How many moles of  $O_2$  can be produced by letting 6.0 moles of KCLO<sub>3</sub> react based on the above equation?
- c) How many molecules of oxygen gas, O<sub>2</sub>, are produced in question 1b?
- 2. Magnesium combines with chlorine, Cl<sub>2</sub> to form magnesium chloride, MgCl<sub>2</sub> during a synthesis reaction.
  - a) write a balanced chemical equation for the reaction.
  - b) How many moles of magnesium chloride can be produced with 3 moles of chlorine?

## Answer:

1a. 2 KCLO<sub>3</sub>  $\rightarrow$  2KCL + 3O<sub>2</sub>

Mole ratio  $KCLO_3$  to  $O_2$  is 2 : 3

1b. n (O<sub>2</sub>) =  $3/2 \cdot n$  (KClO<sub>3</sub>) =  $3/2 \cdot 6 = 9$  moles

1c. 1 mole =  $6.022 \cdot 10^{23}$  molecules

9 moles  $\cdot 6.022 \cdot 10^{23}$  molecules = 54.198  $\cdot 10^{23}$  molecules

2a. Mg +  $Cl_2$  = Mg $Cl_2$ 

 $n (MgCl_2) = n (Cl_2)$ 

2b. 3 moles of  $Cl_2$  gives 3 moles of  $MgCl_2$ 

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