

Answer on Question 76561 in General Chemistry

$$m(\text{AgNO}_3) = 0.401 \text{ g}$$

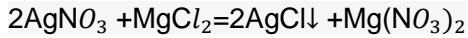
$$m(\text{MgCl}_2) = 0.253 \text{ g}$$

$$m(\text{AgCl}) = 0.292 \text{ g}$$

percent yield for the reaction=?

Solution:

Write the equation of the reaction



Find the amount of substance

$$n(\text{AgNO}_3) = \frac{m(\text{AgNO}_3)}{Mr} = \frac{0.401}{170} = 0.002 \text{ mol}$$

$$Mr(\text{AgNO}_3) = Ar(\text{Ag}) + Ar(\text{N}) + 3Ar(\text{O}) = 108 + 14 + 3 \times 16 = 170$$

$$n(\text{MgCl}_2) = \frac{m(\text{MgCl}_2)}{Mr} = \frac{0.253}{95} = 0.003$$

$$Mr(\text{MgCl}_2) = Ar(\text{Mg}) + 2Ar(\text{Cl}) = 24 + 2 \times 35.5 = 95$$

MgCl₂ in excess

$$n(\text{AgCl}) = n(\text{AgNO}_3) = 0.002 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{Theoretical yield } m(\text{AgCl theor}) = n \times Mr = 0.002 \times 153.5 = 0.307 \text{ g}$$

$$Mr(\text{AgCl}) = Ar(\text{Ag}) + Ar(\text{Cl}) = 108 + 35.5 = 153.5$$

$$\text{Percent yield} = \frac{m}{m(\text{theor})} \times 100\% = \frac{0.292}{0.307} \times 100\% = 95\%$$

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