Answer on Question #77048 - Chemistry - Physical Chemistry

Question:

To precipitate as Ag2S(s), all Ag+ present in 250 ml of a saturated solution of AgBrO3 requires 3.36 cm3 ofH2S(g) measured at STP (Assuming H2S is enough soluble in water). Ksp of AgBrO3 is :[Ksp(Ag2S) = 10-50, Ka(H2S) = 10-21]

Solution:

 $Ksp = [Ag^+] [BrO^{3-}]$, we know that $AgBrO_3$ is saturated, so if we find the solubility of Ag, we can refer to BrO_3 , and also find the mole Ag.

$$H_2S = 2H^+ + S^{2-};$$
 $Ka = [H^+]^2 [S^{2-}]$
 $2AgBrO_3 + H_2S = Ag_2S + 2HBrO_3;$
 $2Ag^+ + S^{2-} = Ag_2S;$
 $Ksp = [Ag^+]^2 [S^{2-}]$
 $10^{-50} = (2x)^2 * x = 4x^3$
 $10^{-50/3} = 4x$
 $X = 10^{-50/3}/4$

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