Question #85536, Chemistry / General Chemistry | for completion

For the following reaction, 5.99 grams of oxygen gas are mixed with excess iron . The reaction yields 19.6 grams of iron(II) oxide .

iron(s) + oxygen(g) iron(II) oxide(s)

What is the theoretical yield of iron(II) oxide?

What is the percent yield for this reaction?

Solution:

$$2\text{Fe} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{FeO}$$

theoretical yield FeO =
$$\frac{\text{m}(\text{O}_2) \cdot \text{M}(2\text{FeO})}{\text{M}(\text{O}_2)} = \frac{5.99 \cdot 2 \cdot 71.84 \ g/\text{mol}}{15.9 \ g/\text{mol} \cdot 2} = 27.064 g$$

% yield=
$$\frac{19.6g}{27.064g} \cdot 100\% = 72.42\%$$

Answer: theoretical yield FeO = 27.064g, % yield = 72.42%.

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