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## Chemistry: Percent Yield

<u>Directions</u>: Solve each of the following problems. Show your work, including proper units, to earn full credit.

1. "Slaked lime," Ca(OH)<sub>2</sub>, is produced when water reacts with "quick lime," CaO. If you start with 2 400 g of quick lime, add excess water, and produce 2 060 g of slaked lime, what is the percent yield of the reaction?

2. Some underwater welding is done via the thermite reaction, in which rust (Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>) reacts with aluminum to produce iron and aluminum oxide (Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>). In one such reaction, 258 g of aluminum and excess rust produced 464 g of iron. What was the percent yield of the reaction?

3. Use the balanced equation to find out how many liters of sulfur dioxide are actually produced at STP if  $1.5 \times 10^{27}$  molecules of zinc sulfide are reacted with excess oxygen and the percent yield is 75%.

$$2 \operatorname{ZnS}(s) + 3 \operatorname{O}_2(g) \rightarrow 2 \operatorname{ZnO}(s) + 2 \operatorname{SO}_2(g)$$

4. The Haber process is the conversion of nitrogen and hydrogen at high pressure into ammonia, as follows:

$$N_2(g) + 3 H_2(g) \rightarrow 2 NH_3(g)$$

If you must produce 700 g of ammonia, what mass of nitrogen should you use in the reaction, assuming that the percent yield of this reaction is 70%?

Answers: 1. 65% 2. 87% 3.  $4.19 \times 10^4 \text{ L SO}_2$  4. 824 g N<sub>2</sub>