

GCSE Chemistry B (Twenty First Century Science) J258/01 Breadth in Chemistry (Foundation Tier)

Question Set 23

Multiple Choice Questions

	An industrial firm makes nitrogen oxide, NO, by the following reaction:	
	$N_2(g) + O_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2NO(g)$	
(a)	The \Longrightarrow sign shows that the reaction is 'in equilibrium'. Which two statements are correct at equilibrium? Tick (\checkmark) two boxes. The reaction N ₂ (g) + O ₂ (g) \Longrightarrow 2NO(g) has stopped. There is a mixture of N ₂ , O ₂ and NO. The reaction N ₂ (g) + O ₂ (g) \Longrightarrow 2NO(g) goes in both directions.	
(b)	The reaction 2NO(g) \rightarrow N ₂ (g) + O ₂ (g) does not happen. The NO then reacts with air and water to form nitric acid. Nitric acid is an ingredient used to make fertilisers.	[2]
	Why is nitric acid not used as a fertiliser on its own?	
	Tick (✓) one box.	
	It contains nitrogen.	
	It is not an ammonium compound.	
	It is too acidic.	[4]
(c)	In theory, 28g of nitrogen makes a maximum of 60g of NO.	[1]
	However, in a reaction, 28 g of nitrogen makes 9.0 g of NO.	
	Calculate the percentage yield of the reaction.	
	Percentage vield = %	[2]

Total Marks for Question Set 23: 5

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