

## “Moles, Grams & Molecules” Solutions

### PROCEDURE 1:

Item	1. Mass per Dozen	2. Dozens in 15 Grams	3. Mass of 2 Dozen	4. Dozens per 36 pieces	5. Mass 1 piece
Small paperclips	5.2 – 5.8 grams	Average 2.73	10.4 – 11.6 grams	3	0.43 – 0.48 grams
Large paperclips	12.1 – 12.4 grams	Average 1.22	21.2 – 24.8 grams	3	1.01 – 1.03 grams
Small nuts	13.7 – 13.8 grams	Average 1.09	27.4 – 27.6 grams	3	1.14 – 1.15 grams
Large nuts	36.8 – 37.0 grams	Average 0.41	73.6 – 74 grams	3	3.07 – 3.08 grams

2. Example:  $15 \text{ grams} \times \frac{1 \text{ dozen}}{5.2 \text{ grams}} = \mathbf{2.88 \text{ dozen}}$

3. Example:  $\frac{5.2 \text{ grams}}{\text{dozen}} \times 2 \text{ dozen} = \mathbf{10.4 \text{ grams}}$

5. Example:  $\frac{5.2 \text{ grams}}{\text{dozen}} \times \frac{1 \text{ dozen}}{12 \text{ pieces}} = \mathbf{0.43 \text{ grams piece}}$

### QUESTIONS

1. No.
2. Yes.

### PROCEDURE 2:

Element	Mass per Mole	Moles in 50 grams	# Moles per $1.806 \times 10^{24}$ pieces	Mass 1 Atom
Aluminum	27 grams	1.85	3	$4.49 \times 10^{-23}$
Iron	56 grams	0.89	3	$9.30 \times 10^{-23}$
Helium	4 grams	12.5	3	$66.4 \times 10^{-23}$

2. Example:  $50 \text{ grams} \times \frac{1 \text{ mole}}{27 \text{ grams}} = \mathbf{1.85 \text{ moles}}$

3. Example:  $2 \text{ moles Al} \times \frac{27 \text{ grams}}{\text{mole}} = \mathbf{54 \text{ grams}}$

4. Example:  $1.806 \times 10^{24}$  atoms  $\times \frac{1 \text{ mole}}{6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms}} = 3$

5. Example:  $\frac{27 \text{ grams Al}}{1 \text{ mole Al}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mole Al}}{6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms Al}} = 4.49 \times 10^{-23} \frac{\text{grams}}{\text{atom}}$

QUESTIONS:

1. No.
2. Yes.

GENERAL QUESTIONS.

1.  $6.02 \times 10^{23}$
- 2a. 24 grams of C is 2 moles of carbon, so we need 2 moles of Na to have the same number of atoms because each mole has  $6.02 \times 10^{23}$  atoms. 2 moles of Na has **46 grams**.
- 2b. 6 moles of helium has 24 grams. Since 1 mole of carbon has 12 grams, we need **2 moles** of carbon to have 24 grams of carbon.
- 3a. T 1 mole of anything has the same number of atoms.
- 3b. F 1 mole of Na is 23 grams, 1 mole of K is 39 grams (see periodic table)
- 3c. F Since 1 mole of each has a different mass, 1 atom of each will have a different mass.
- 3d. T A 10 gram sample of anything has 10 grams of mass.
- 3e. F Think about having 10 grams of small paperclips and 10 grams of large nuts; you would have a different number of each in the 10 grams.

$$10 \text{ grams Na} \times \frac{1 \text{ mole}}{23 \text{ grams}} \times \frac{6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms}}{1 \text{ mole}} = 2.6 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms Na}$$

$$10 \text{ grams K} \times \frac{1 \text{ mole}}{39 \text{ grams}} \times \frac{6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms}}{1 \text{ mole}} = 1.5 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms Na}$$