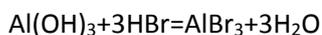


20mL of Al(OH)_3 reacts completely with 50mL of 1mol of HBr. What is the concentration of Al(OH)_3 ?

Solution:

We write the equation for the reaction:



$$M(\text{Al(OH)}_3) = \frac{n(\text{Al(OH)}_3)}{v(\text{Al(OH)}_3)} = \frac{\text{mole}}{\text{l}}$$

M – concentration of the substance

Convert your mL solutions to L in order to plug them into formula.

$$v(\text{Al(OH)}_3) = 20\text{ml} * \frac{1\text{l}}{1000\text{ml}} = 0,020\text{l}$$

$$v(\text{HBr}) = 50\text{ml} * \frac{1\text{l}}{1000\text{ml}} = 0,050\text{l}$$

Find the amount of the substance HBr, which came in response:

$$n(\text{HBr}) = V(\text{HBr}) * M(\text{HBr})$$

$$n(\text{HBr}) = 1 * 0.050 = 0.05 \text{ mole}$$

According to the reaction equation we find the amount of the substance Al(OH)_3 :

$$\frac{n(\text{Al(OH)}_3)}{n(\text{HBr})} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$n(\text{Al(OH)}_3) = \frac{n(\text{HBr})}{3} = \frac{0.05}{3} = 0.017 \text{ mole}$$

Find the concentration of Al(OH)_3 :

$$M(\text{Al(OH)}_3) = \frac{0.017 \text{ mole}}{0.020 \text{ l}} = 0.85$$

Answer: 0.85 M (Al(OH)_3)