

Answer on Question #42604, Chemistry, Inorganic Chemistry

Question:

how many grams Ca(OH)₂ from Ca(OH)₂ + 2HCl = CaCl₂ + 2H₂O given 45 g H₂O

Solution:

We need to find the amount of substance of water:

$$N(\text{H}_2\text{O})(\text{mole}) = 45/18 = 2.5;$$

From the reaction equation we can see, that the amount of Ca(OH)₂ is equal to the half of water amount:

$$N(\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2)(\text{mole}) = 2.5/2 = 1.25;$$

Now we can calculate the mass of Ca(OH)₂:

$$M(\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2) = 1.25 \cdot 74 = 92.5$$

Answer: 92.5