## Answer on Question #50324, Chemistry, Other

## Task:

How many grams of magnesium oxide (MgO) are produced when 1200 grams of magnesium (Mg) burn in an excess of oxygen, as shown below?

## **Answer:**

$$v = \frac{m}{M}$$

$$M(Mg) = 24.3 g / mol$$

$$M(MgO) = 40.3 g / mol$$

$$v(Mg) = \frac{1200}{24.3} = 49.4 mol$$

$$v(Mg) = v(MgO) = 49.4 mol$$

$$m(MgO) = v(MgO) \cdot M(MgO)$$

$$m(MgO) = 49.4 \cdot 40.3 = 1990.1 g$$