Answer on Question #84287 – Chemistry – General Chemistry

Task:

How many liters of NH₃ are needed to react completely with 16.0 L of NO (at STP)?

Solution:

The balance chemical equation is as follow,

$$4NH_3 + 6NO = 5N_2 + 6H_2O$$

One mole of an ideal gas at STP occupies 22.4 liters. ($V_m = 22.4 \text{ L/mol}$).

According to equation,

$$\frac{n(NH_3)}{4} = \frac{n(NO)}{6};$$

$$n = \frac{V}{V_m};$$

$$\frac{V(NH_3)}{4*V_m} = \frac{V(NO)}{6*V_m};$$

$$\frac{V(NH_3)}{2} = \frac{V(NO)}{3};$$

$$V(NH_3) = \frac{2*V(NO)}{3} = \frac{2*16.0L}{3} = 10.67L$$

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Answer: 10.67 liters of NH₃.

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