

Answer on question #68649, Physics / Molecular Physics — Thermodynamics

Question 10 gram of natural gas which contains CH₄ and C₂H₄.when this natural gas is burn in the presence of oxygen then from it we can get some water and 29 gram CO₂ gass.then what is the weight of water?

Solution It is equal to speed of light divided by wavelength: First of all we find mass of C in natural gas. We can find it from mass of CO₂ as mass part of C is $M(C)/M(CO_2) = 12/(12 + 2 \cdot 16) \approx 0.27$. So we have

$$m(C) = 0.27 \cdot 29 = 7.83 \text{ g}$$

Now we know mass of H is natural gas

$$m(H) = 10 - m(C) = 2.17 \text{ g}$$

From this we find mass of water, as we know that hydrogen makes 1/8 of it:

$$m(H_2O) = m(H) \cdot 9 = 19.53 \text{ g}$$