

A page from a lab notebook is shown below. The page displays data needed to find the empirical formula of a compound.

Mass of crucible	5.23 g
Mass of crucible and iron powder	7.46 g
Mass of iron powder	<u> </u>
Mass of sulfur added to crucible	1.28 g
Mass of crucible and contents after reaction	8.74 g
Mass of iron-sulfur compound	y

- a. Calculate the values for x and y. Show your calculations and include units in your answer.
- b. Assume all the iron and sulfur reacted to form an iron-sulfur compound. Calculate the number of moles of sulfur **and** the number of moles of iron that reacted to form the compound. Show your calculations and include units in your answer.
- c. Determine the empirical formula for the iron-sulfur compound. Show your calculations or explain your reasoning.