



I like to have the baloon away from the catalyst.

Best help for hydrogenation :

<http://curlyarrow.blogspot.ch/2010/01/catalytic-hydrogenation-part-ii-tips.html>

and

<http://curlyarrow.blogspot.ch/2010/03/catalytic-hydrogenation-part-iii-more.html>

use these knob-stoppers as it will allow to change from N2 to vacuum to H2



Use three or at least two neck flask and a good stirring bar. Use the same over time as it gets dirty with catalyst.