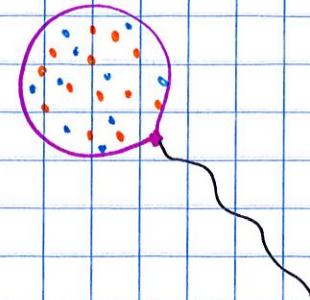


# Ch 10 - Gases

## 1. Characteristics of Gases

- expand to fill their containers
- high compressible
- extremely low densities
- always homogeneous mixtures



## 2. Pressure

- amount of force applied to an area

$$P = \frac{F}{A}$$

- atmospheric pressure - weight of the air per unit area

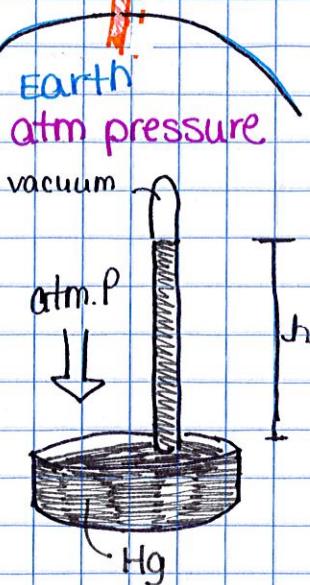
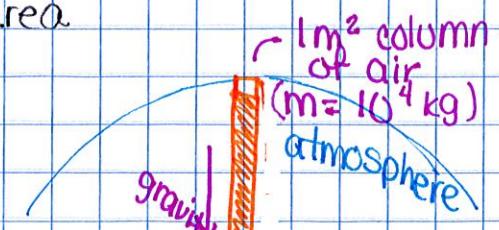
- units of pressure

• Pascals  $1 \text{ Pa} = 1 \text{ N/m}^2$

• Bar  $1 \text{ bar} = 10^5 \text{ Pa} = 100 \text{ kPa}$

• mm Hg (torr) - diff. in height of 2 connected columns of Hg

• atmosphere  $1.00 \text{ atm} = 760 \text{ torr}$



- Standard Pressure

• normal atmospheric pressure @ sea level

= 1.00 atm

= 760 torr (760 mm Hg)

= 101.325 kPa

Ex(1) In countries that use the metric system, like Canada, atmospheric pressure in weather reports is given in units of kPa.

(A) Convert 99.3 kPa to mm Hg.

(B) Convert mm Hg to in. Hg, the U.S. system.

(C) Convert 99.3 kPa to atm.

$$760 \text{ mm Hg} = 101.325 \text{ kPa}$$

$$(A) 99.3 \text{ kPa} \left( \frac{760 \text{ mm Hg}}{101.325 \text{ kPa}} \right) = 744.8 \text{ mm Hg}$$

$$(B) 744.8 \text{ mm Hg} \left( \frac{1 \text{ cm Hg}}{10 \text{ mm Hg}} \right) \left( \frac{1 \text{ in Hg}}{2.54 \text{ cm Hg}} \right) = 29.32 \text{ in Hg}$$

$1 \text{ in} = 2.54 \text{ cm}$   
 $1 \text{ cm} = 10 \text{ mm}$

$$(C) 99.3 \text{ kPa} \left( \frac{1.00 \text{ atm}}{101.325 \text{ kPa}} \right) = .98 \text{ atm}$$

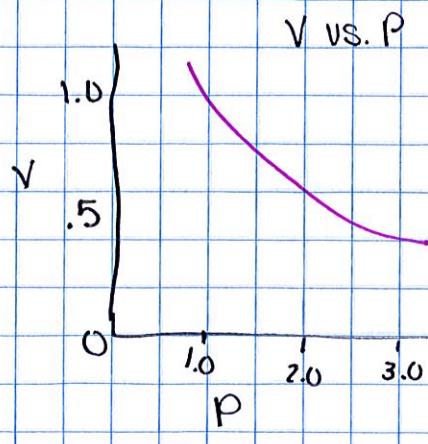
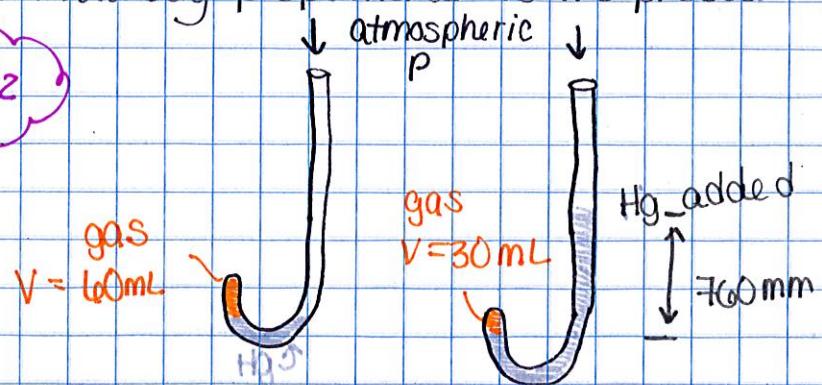
$$1 \text{ atm} = 101.325 \text{ kPa}$$

### 3. Boyle's Law

$$V \propto \frac{1}{P}$$

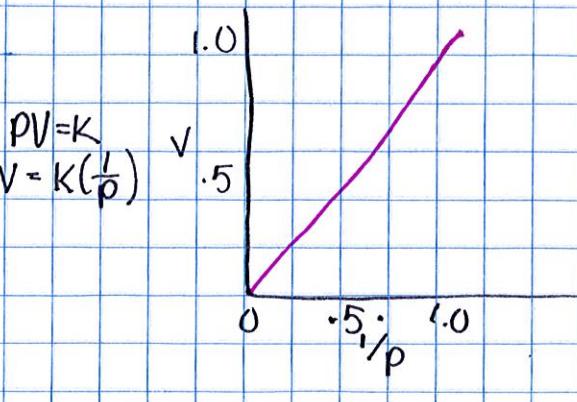
The volume of a fixed quantity of gas at constant temperature is inversely proportional to its pressure.

$$\boxed{P_1 V_1 = P_2 V_2}$$



$$PV = K$$

$$V = K \left( \frac{1}{P} \right)$$



(2)

Ex (2) Boyle's Law

$$P_1 V_1 = P_2 V_2$$

Sulfur dioxide ( $\text{SO}_2$ ), a gas that plays a role in the formation of acid rain, is found in the exhaust of vehicles & power plants. Consider a 1.53 L sample of gaseous  $\text{SO}_2$  at a pressure of  $5.6 \times 10^3 \text{ Pa}$ . If the pressure changed to  $1.5 \times 10^4 \text{ Pa}$  at constant temperature, what will be the new volume of the gas?

$$\begin{aligned} P_1 &= 5.6 \times 10^3 \text{ Pa} & (5.6 \times 10^3 \text{ Pa})(1.53 \text{ L}) &= (1.5 \times 10^4 \text{ Pa}) V_2 \\ V_1 &= 1.53 \text{ L} \\ P_2 &= 1.5 \times 10^4 \text{ Pa} & .571 \text{ L} &= V_2 \\ V_2 &? \end{aligned}$$

(3) Fluorine gas exerts a pressure of 900 torr. When the pressure increases to 1.50 atm, the volume is 250 mL. What was the original volume?

$$\begin{aligned} P_1 &= 900 \text{ torr} \left( \frac{1 \text{ atm}}{760 \text{ torr}} \right) = 1.18 \text{ atm} & (1.18 \text{ atm})(V_1) &= (1.50)(250 \text{ mL}) \\ V_1 &? \\ P_2 &= 1.50 \text{ atm} & (1.18 \text{ atm})(V_1) &= 375 \text{ atm} \cdot \text{mL} \\ V_2 &= 250 \text{ mL} & V_1 &= 317.8 \text{ mL} \end{aligned}$$

(4) Ozone gas occupies 1.20 L at 720 torr pressure. What volume will it occupy at 1.00 atm pressure?

$$\begin{aligned} P_1 &= 720 \text{ torr} \\ V_1 &= 1.20 \text{ L} \\ P_2 &= 760 \text{ torr} \\ V_2 &? \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{(720 \text{ torr})(1.20 \text{ L})}{760 \text{ torr}} = \frac{(760 \text{ torr})(V_2)}{760 \text{ torr}}$$

$$V_2 = 1.14 \text{ L}$$

#### 4. Charles's Law

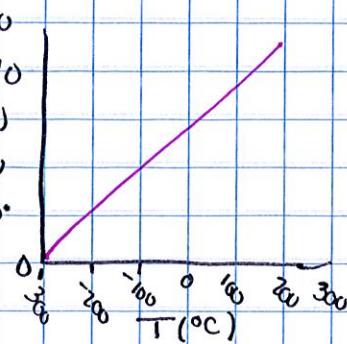
$$V \propto T$$

The volume of a fixed amount of gas at constant pressure is directly proportional to its absolute temperature (in Kelvin).

$$\left\{ \frac{V_1}{T_1} = \frac{V_2}{T_2} \right.$$

$$\frac{V}{T} = k$$

$V$   
(atm)



#### Ex (5) Charles's Law

$$\frac{V_1}{T_1} = \frac{V_2}{T_2}$$

A sample of neon gas at 50°C and a volume of 2.50 L is cooled to 25°C. What is the new volume?

$$V_1 = 2.50 \text{ L}$$

$$T_1 = 50^\circ \text{C}$$

$$V_2 = ?$$

$$T_2 = 25^\circ \text{C}$$

$$\frac{(2.50 \text{ L})}{50^\circ \text{C}} = \frac{V_2}{25^\circ \text{C}}$$

$$1.25 \text{ L} = V_2$$

Ex (6) A sample of argon gas is cooled and its volume changed from 380 mL to 250 mL. If the final temperature was  $-55^\circ \text{C}$ , what was the original temperature?

$$V_1 = 380 \text{ mL}$$

$$T_1 = ?$$

$$V_2 = 250 \text{ mL}$$

$$T_2 = -55^\circ \text{C} = 385 \text{ K}$$

$$\frac{380}{T_1} = \frac{250}{385}$$

$$T_1 = 289 \text{ K}$$

$$= 33 \text{ K}$$

$$33 \text{ K} = 58.96^\circ \text{C}$$

## 5. Avogadro's Law

$V \propto n$

The volume of a gas at constant temperature and pressure is directly proportional to the number of moles of gas.

$$\frac{V_1}{n_1} = \frac{V_2}{n_2}$$

$$V = kn$$

Ex (7) Avogadro's Law

$$\frac{V_1}{n_1} = \frac{V_2}{n_2}$$

100.0 g of N<sub>2</sub> gas occupies a volume of 33.6 L. Adding another 50.0 g of N<sub>2</sub> gas, changes the volume to what?

$$n_1 = 100.0 \text{ g} \left( \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{28.0 \text{ g}} \right) = 3.57 \text{ mol}$$

$$V_1 = 33.6 \text{ L}$$

$$n_2 = (100.0 \text{ g} + 50.0 \text{ g}) \left( \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{28.0 \text{ g}} \right) = 5.36 \text{ mol}$$

$$V_2 = ?$$

$$\frac{33.6 \text{ L}}{3.57 \text{ mol}} \neq \frac{V_2}{5.36 \text{ mol}}$$

$$50.4 \text{ L} = V_2$$

Ex (8) Starting with a 10.2 L balloon filled with 40.0 g of helium, the helium slowly leaks out of the balloon to a volume of 4.8 L. What mass of helium is left in the balloon?

$$n_1 = 10 \text{ mol} \quad 40.0 \text{ g} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{4.00 \text{ g}} = 10 \text{ mol He}$$

$$V_1 = 10.2 \text{ L}$$

$$n_2 = 4.71 \text{ mol}$$

$$V_2 = 4.8 \text{ L}$$

$$\frac{10.2 \text{ L}}{10 \text{ mol}} = \frac{4.8 \text{ L}}{n_2} \quad n_2 = 4.71 \text{ mol}$$

$$4.71 \text{ mol He} \times \frac{4.00 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mol}} = 18.82 \text{ g}$$