

# Ideal Gas Law

$$PV = nRT$$

P = pressure (atm)  
V = volume (L)

n = # mol (mol)  
T = temperature (K)

R = ideal gas constant

$$R = .08206 \frac{\text{L} \cdot \text{atm}}{\text{mol} \cdot \text{K}}$$

(Ex) 1.33 mol of oxygen gas exerts .850 atm of pressure at 11.0°C. What is the volume of the gas?  
 $PV = nRT$

$$P = .850 \text{ atm}$$

$$V = ?$$

$$n = 1.33 \text{ mol}$$

$$R = .08206 \frac{\text{L} \cdot \text{atm}}{\text{mol} \cdot \text{K}}$$

$$T = 11.0^\circ\text{C}$$

$$+273$$

$$\hline 284 \text{ K}$$

$$\frac{(.850 \text{ atm}) V}{.850 \text{ atm}} = \frac{(1.33 \text{ mol})(.08206 \frac{\text{L} \cdot \text{atm}}{\text{mol} \cdot \text{K}})(284 \text{ K})}{.850 \text{ atm}}$$

$$V = 36.5 \text{ L}$$

(Ex) .8765 mol of helium gas occupies 2.006 L of space at a pressure of 700.0 torr. What is the temperature of the helium gas?  
 $PV = nRT$   
1 atm = 760 torr

$$P = \frac{700.0 \text{ torr}}{760 \text{ torr}} \cdot 1 \text{ atm} = .9211 \text{ atm}$$

$$V = 2.006 \text{ L}$$

$$n = .8765 \text{ mol}$$

$$R = .08206 \frac{\text{L} \cdot \text{atm}}{\text{mol} \cdot \text{K}}$$

$$T = ?$$

$$\frac{(.9211 \text{ atm})(2.006 \text{ L})}{(.8765 \text{ mol})(.08206 \frac{\text{L} \cdot \text{atm}}{\text{mol} \cdot \text{K}})} = \frac{(.8765 \text{ mol})(.08206 \frac{\text{L} \cdot \text{atm}}{\text{mol} \cdot \text{K}}) T}{(.8765 \text{ mol})(.08206 \frac{\text{L} \cdot \text{atm}}{\text{mol} \cdot \text{K}})}$$

$$25.69 \text{ K} = T$$

(Ex) 25.00g of fluorine gas fills a .750L container at 30.0°C. What is the pressure in the container?

$$PV = nRT$$

$$P = ?$$

$$V = .750L$$

$$n = 25.00g \text{ F}_2 = .6579 \text{ mol}$$

$$R = .08206 \frac{\text{L atm}}{\text{mol K}}$$

$$T = 30.0^\circ\text{C}$$

$$+ 273$$

$$303 \text{ K}$$

$$\frac{25.00g \text{ F}_2}{38.00g} \cdot 1 \text{ mol} = .6579 \text{ mol}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{MM} \\ 2 \times 19.00g \\ = 38.00g \end{array}$$

$$P \left( \frac{.750L}{.750L} \right) = \frac{(.6579 \text{ mol}) \left( .08206 \frac{\text{L atm}}{\text{mol K}} \right) (303 \text{ K})}{.750L}$$

$$P = 21.8 \text{ atm}$$