REDOX LANGUAGE

"oxidizer"

- "Oxidation" is loss of electrons, but an OXIDIZING AGENT is something that causes ANOTHER substance to lose electrons. An oxidizing agent is itself reduced during a redox reaction.
- "Reduction" is gain of electrons, but a REDUCING AGENT is something that causes ANOTHER substace to gain electrons. Reducing agents are themselves oxidized during a redox reaction.

$$2 \xrightarrow{A} (s) + 3 \xrightarrow{B} (l) \longrightarrow 2 \xrightarrow{A} (B \xrightarrow{G} (s))$$

Aluminum is OXIDIZED during this process. We say that metallic aluminum is a REDUCING AGENT!

Bromine is REDUCED during this process. We say that bromine is an OXIDIZING AGENT!

- * Strong oxidizers (oxidizing agents) can cause spontaneous fires if placed into contact with combustibles (safety issue!).
 - * Reactive metals tend to be REDUCING AGENTS, while oxygen-rich ions like NITRATES tend to be OXIDIZING AGENTS. HALOGENS (Group VIIA) also tend to be OXIDIZING AGENTS

END OF CHAPTER 4 MATERIAL

- Gases differ from the other two phases of matter in many ways:
 - They have very low viscosity (resistance to flow), so they flow from one place to another very easily.
 - They will take the volume of their container. In other words, gas volumes are variable.
 - They are the least dense of all three phases.
 - Most gases are transparent, and many are invisible. thermal expansion!
 - Gases show a much larger change of volume on heating or cooling than the other phases.
 - Gases react to changes in temperature and pressure in a very similar way. This reaction often does not depend on what the gas is actually made of.

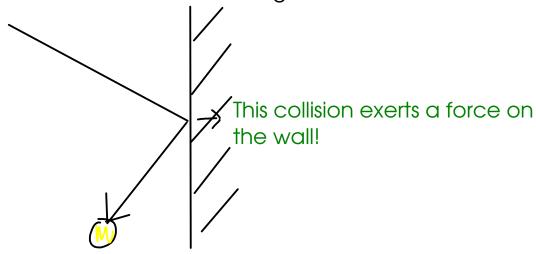
KINETIC THEORY

- is a way to explain the behavior of gases.
- views the properties of gases as arising from them being molecules in motion.

- Pressure: force per unit area. Units: Pascal, bar, mm Hg, in Hg, atm, etc.

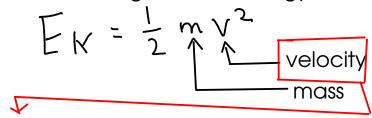


- According to kinetic theory, pressure is caused by collisions of gas molecules with each other and the walls of the container the gas is in.



¹³⁵- Temperature:

- a measure of the average kinetic energy of the molecules of the gas

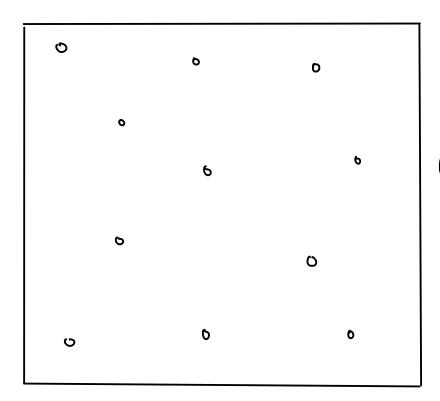


- The faster the gas molecules move, the higher the temperature!
- The temperature scales used when working with gases are ABSOLUTE scales.
 - ABSOLUTE: scales which have no values less than zero.

- KELVIN: metric absolute temperature scale.

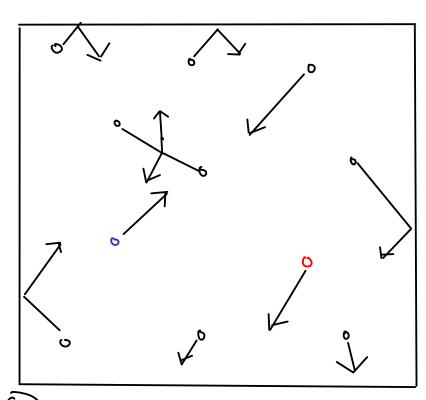
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Quick comparison of temperature scales!			K = 27	K=273.15+°C	
	212	100	373	Water boils	
\rightarrow	$\gamma\gamma$	25	298	Room temperature	
	32	Ø	273	Water freezes	
	-460	-273	0	Absolute zero!	
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THE KINETIC PICTURE OF GASES



Gas molecules are small compared to the space between the gas molecules!

LOW DENSITY!



- Gas molecules are constantly in motion. They move in straight lines in random directions and with various speeds.
- Attractive and repulsive forces between gas molecules are so small that they can be neglected except in a collision.
 - Each gas molecule behaves independently of the others.
- Collisions between gas molecules and each other or the walls are ELASTIC.
- (S) The average kinetic energy of gas molecules is proportional to the absolute temperature.

How does this picture explain the properties of gases?

- Gases expanding to fill their container? Agrees with kinetic picture, since gas molecules are independent
- Thermal expansion of gas at constant pressure? Agrees, because the container has to EXPAND to keep the pressure (from collisions) constant when the gas molecules move faster.
- Pressure increases with temperature at constant volume: Agrees, because the number and force of collisions increases with molecular speed.

GAS LAWS

- were derived by experiment long before kinetic theory, but agree with the kinetic picture!

Boyle's Law:

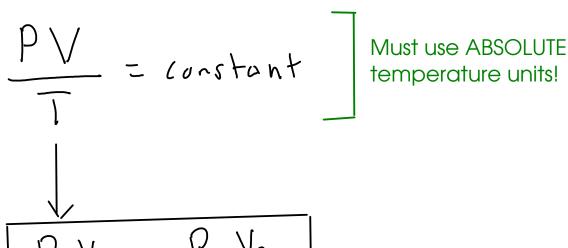
$$P_1V_1 = constant$$

$$P_2V_2 = constant$$

$$P_1V_1 = P_2V_2$$
True at constant temperature

Charles's Law:





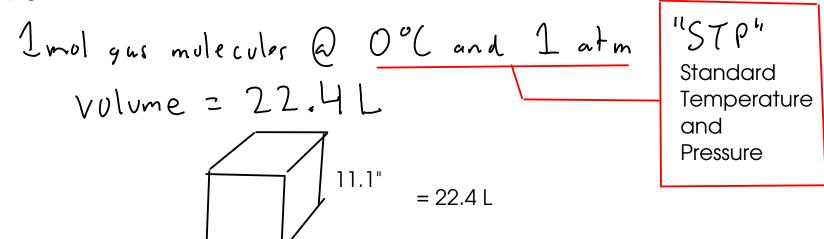
Must use ABSOLUTE temperature units!

Avogadro's law:

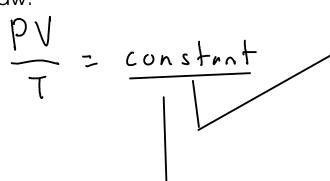
- amount (moles) of gas must be constant,

- a mole of any gas at the same conditions has the same volume.

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Ideal gas law:



... but this constant actually depends on the amount

of gas!

The ideal gas constant.

... combining these together ...

P = pressure at m

V = volume L

T = ABSOLUTE temperature k

R = ideal gas constant

n = number of moles of gas molecules

A balloon is taken from a room where the temperature is 27.0 C to a freezer where the temperature is -5.0 C. If the balloon has a volume of 3.5 L in the 27.0 C room, what is the volume of the balloon in the freezer. Assume pressure is constant.

$$\frac{P_{1}V_{1}}{T_{1}} = \frac{P_{2}V_{2}}{T_{2}}; \text{ (inst P)} \quad \frac{V_{1}}{T_{1}} = \frac{V_{2}}{T_{2}} \quad V_{1} = 3.5L \quad V_{2} = ?$$

$$\frac{3.5L}{306,2K} = \frac{V_{2}}{268,2K}; \quad V_{2} = 3.1 L$$
in freezer

2.25 L of nitrogen gas is trapped in a piston at 25.0 C and 1.00 atm pressure. If the piston is pushed in so that the gas's volume is 1.00 L while the temperature increases to 31.0 C, what is the pressure of the gas in the piston?

Calculate the mass of 22650 L of oxygen gas at 25.0 C and 1.18 atm pressure.

≯Volume of a 10'x10'x8' room

- 1 Find moles oxygen gas using IDEAL GAS EQUATION (PV=nRT)
- 2 Convert moles oxygen gas to mass using FORMULA WEIGHT.

$$PV = nRT$$
 $P = 1.18 atm$ $R = 0.08206 \frac{L \cdot atm}{mol \cdot K}$
 $N = PV$ $V = 22650L$ $T = 25.00C$
 $= 298.2 K$

$$N_{o_2} = \frac{(1/18aLm)(22650L)}{(0.08206 \frac{L-alm}{mol\cdot k})(298.2k)} = 1092.22235) mol O_2$$