## **Homework Assignments:**



- Chapter 4 HW due today at 11:55 pm
- Increased number of attempts to 4 in OWL homework
- · Chapter 5 HW due October 11 at 11:55 pm
- My office hours:

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M (10:00 – 10:50 am)
W, F (12:00 – 1:00 pm)
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#### **Stoichiometric Relationships with Gases**

(1) How many liters of  $N_2$  at 1.15 atm and 30.0 ° C are produced by decomposition of 45.0 g NaN<sub>3</sub> (sodium azide)? (Molar mass of NaN<sub>3</sub> = 65.010 g/mol)

$$2 \text{ NaN}_3(s) \longrightarrow 2 \text{ Na}(s) + 3 \text{ N}_2(g)$$

## Stoichiometric Relationships with Gases



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Moles of N<sub>2</sub> produced:

$$\frac{45.0 \text{ g}}{65.010 \text{ g/mol}} \times \frac{3 \text{ mol N}_2}{2 \text{ mol NaN}_3} = 1.04 \text{ mol}$$

Volume of N<sub>2</sub> produced:

$$V = \frac{nRT}{P} = \frac{(1.04 \text{ mol}) \left( 0.082 \text{ 06} \frac{\text{L atm}}{\text{K mol}} \right) (303 \text{ K})}{(1.15 \text{ atm})} = 22.5 \text{ L}$$

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### Partial Pressure and Dalton's Law

- Dalton's Law of Partial Pressures: The total pressure exerted by a mixture of gases in a container at constant V and T is equal to the sum of the pressures of each individual gas in the container.
- Partial pressure of gas 1 (P<sub>1</sub>) The pressure that gas 1 would exert if it were alone in the container

$$P_{\text{total}} = P_1 + P_2 + \dots + P_N$$

Mole Fraction (
$$X$$
) =  $\frac{\text{Moles of component}}{\text{Total moles in mixture}}$ 

Mole fraction of i gas,

$$X_i = \frac{n_i}{n_{\text{total}}}$$
  $\Rightarrow$   $P_i = X_i P$   $X_i = \frac{P_i}{P_{\text{total}}}$ 

### **Example Problem**

- A scientist tries to generate a mixture of gases similar to a volcano by introducing 15.0 g of water vapor, 3.5 g of SO<sub>2</sub>, and 1.0 g of CO<sub>2</sub> into a 40.0-L vessel held at 120 ° C
  - · Calculate the partial pressure of each gas and the total pressure

For all of the gases,  $T=120^{\circ}\mathrm{C}=393~\mathrm{K}$ , and  $V=40.0~\mathrm{L}$ .

$$\begin{array}{l} {\rm H_2O:15.0~g~H_2O} \times \frac{1~{\rm mol~F_2O}}{18.0~{\rm g~H_2O}} = 0.833~{\rm mol} \\ P_{\rm H_2O} = \frac{(0.833~{\rm mol})(0.08206~{\rm L~atm~mol^{-1}~K^{-1}})(393~{\rm K})}{40.0~{\rm L}} = 0.672~{\rm atm} \\ {\rm SO_2:3.5~g~SO_2} \times \frac{1~{\rm mol~SO_2}}{64.1~{\rm g~SO_2}} = 0.055~{\rm mol} \\ P_{\rm SO_2} = \frac{(0.055~{\rm mol})(0.08206~{\rm L~atm~mol^{-1}~K^{-1}})(393~{\rm K})}{40.0~{\rm L}} = 0.044~{\rm atm} \\ {\rm CO_2:1.0~g~CO_2} \times \frac{1~{\rm mol~CO_2}}{44.0~{\rm g~CO_3}} = 0.023~{\rm mol} \\ P_{\rm CO_2} = \frac{(0.023~{\rm mol})(0.08206~{\rm L~atm~mol^{-1}~K^{-1}})(393~{\rm K})}{40.0~{\rm L}} = 0.018~{\rm atm} \end{array}$$

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Total pressure is the sum of these:

$$P_{\text{total}} = P_{\text{H}_3\text{O}} + P_{\text{SO}_2} + P_{\text{CO}_2} = 0.672 + 0.044 + 0.018 = 0.734 \text{ atm}$$

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34.2 g of  $N_2(g)$ , 44.1 g  $O_2(g)$ , and 63.7 g of  $CO_2(g)$  are placed in a container. Which gas has the highest partial pressure?

- 1. CO<sub>2</sub>
- 2. N<sub>2</sub>
- 3. O<sub>2</sub>

Answer: CO<sub>2</sub>

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# Kinetic-Molecular Theory



- In many important practical settings, gases do not always behave ideally, especially at very high pressure and or very low temperatures
  - Nonideal gas behavior can be explained using kinetic molecular theory

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#### Postulates of the kinetic-molecular theory



- 1. Gases are made up of large collections of particles, which are in constant random motion
- 2. Gas particles are infinitely small and occupy negligible volume
- 3. Gas particles move in straight lines except when they collide with other particles or with the container walls
  - √ These collisions are elastic, so kinetic energy of particles is conserved
- 4. Particles interact with each other only when collisions occur

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### Postulates of kinetic theory



5) The average kinetic energy of a gas is proportional to the absolute temperature of the gas but does not depend upon the identity of the gas

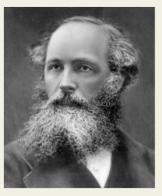
$$KE_{avg} = \frac{1}{2}mv_{rms}^2$$
 rms - root-mean-square speed

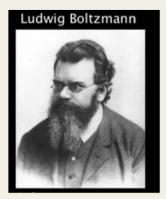
As temperature increases, average molecular speed increases

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- At a given temperature, gas molecules in a sample can be characterized by an average speed
  - Some gas molecules move faster than average, some move slower than average
  - The distribution function that describes the speeds of a collection of gas particles is known as the Maxwell-Boltzmann distribution of speeds

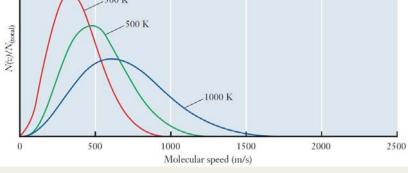




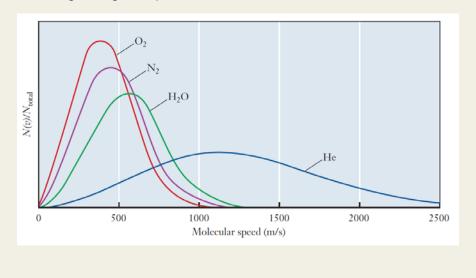
James Clerk Maxwell

As temperature increases, the fraction of molecules moving at higher speeds increases

300 K



• As molecular mass decreases, the fraction of the molecules moving at higher speed increases



 Most gas molecules move at the most probable speed (Vmp), which is the peak of the curve in the Maxwell-Boltzmann plot

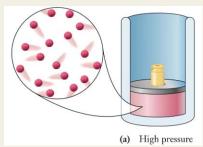
$$\upsilon_{\rm mp} = \sqrt{\frac{2RT}{M}}$$

- 1) M molar mass of the gas
- 2) R Gas constant
- 3) T Absolute temperature

### Limitations of the Kinetic Theory



- 1) According to kinetic theory, particles/molecules in a gas are infinitely small and they occupy no space
- Under high pressure conditions,
  - ✓ Gas molecules are squeezed very close together
  - ✓ The average distance between molecules decreases
  - ✓ Therefore, the volume of the gas particles becomes significant



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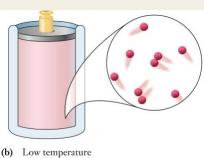
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### Limitations of the Kinetic Theory



- 2) According to Kinetic molecular theory, gas molecules move in straight lines and interact only through perfectly elastic collisions
- At low temperature
  - Kinetic energy decreases (with temperature)
  - Gas molecules experience sticky collisions
  - Therefore, attractive and repulsive forces are significant at low

temperature



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# Correcting the Ideal Gas Equation



 Van der Waals equation is commonly used to describe the behavior of real gases

$$\left(P + \frac{an^2}{V^2}\right)(V - nb) = nRT$$

- a, b van der Waals constants
- *a* corrects for attractive forces (attraction between gas particles)
  - Molecules with stronger attractive forces have larger a values
- b corrects for the volume occupied by gas molecules
  - Large molecules have larger b values

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### Correcting the Ideal Gas Equation



Table 5.2 Van der Waals constants

Gas	a (atm L² mol <sup>-2</sup> )	<i>b</i> (L mol <sup>-1</sup> )
Ammonia, NH <sub>3</sub>	4.170	0.03707
Argon, Ar	1.345	0.03219
Carbon dioxide, CO <sub>2</sub>	3.592	0.04267
Helium, He	0.034	0.0237
Hydrogen, H <sub>2</sub>	0.2444	0.02661
Hydrogen fluoride, HF	9.433	0.0739
Methane, CH <sub>4</sub>	2.253	0.04278
Nitrogen, N <sub>2</sub>	1.390	0.03913
Oxygen, O <sub>2</sub>	1.360	0.03183
Sulfur dioxide, SO <sub>2</sub>	6.714	0.05636
Water, H <sub>2</sub> O	5.464	0.03049

- The van der Waals constants *a* and *b* are gas specific
  - Both are zero in gases behaving ideally

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