

## **Mathematical Relationships and Properties of Gases**

- The physical properties which will chiefly be concerned with are:

n = quantity or amount of a gas measured in moles.

P = pressure of the gas sample, measured in Pascals (Pa) or kiloPascals (kPa)

V = volume of the gas sample, measured in Litres (L) or m<sup>3</sup>

T = temperature of the gas sample, measured in Kelvins

$$(T_K = T^{\circ}C + 273)$$

### **Charles Law**

- the volume of a fixed quantity of gas kept at constant pressure is directly proportional to the Kelvin temperature.

$$V_1/T_1 = V_2/T_2$$

### **Boyle's Law**

- The volume of a fixed mass of a gas at constant temperature varies inversely as the applied pressure.

$$P_1 V_1 = P_2 V_2$$

### **Combined Gas Laws**

$$P_1 \times V_1 / T_1 = P_2 \times V_2 / T_2$$

### **The Ideal Gas Law**

$$P V = n R T$$