

- 2 A sample of an ideal monatomic gas has a volume of  $4.2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3$  at a pressure of  $3.6 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa}$  and a temperature of  $70^\circ\text{C}$ .

- (a) Explain why the mean velocity of the atoms of the gas is zero.

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- (b) Show that the sample of gas contains  $3.2 \times 10^{23}$  atoms.

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- (c) Each atom of the gas has a diameter of approximately  $2 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}$ .

Estimate the volume of the gas atoms.

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volume = .....  $\text{m}^3$  [1]

- (d) Explain why your answer in (c) provides evidence to support the assumption that the gas is ideal.

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