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Chemistry: *Review Problems for the Gas Laws*

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7. 25 g of methane (CH_4) has a pressure of 4.44 atm at 250°C . Find the volume occupied by the gas.

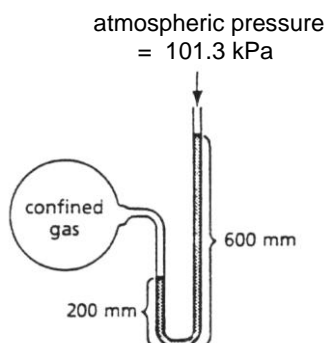
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a) Find the number of moles of gas.

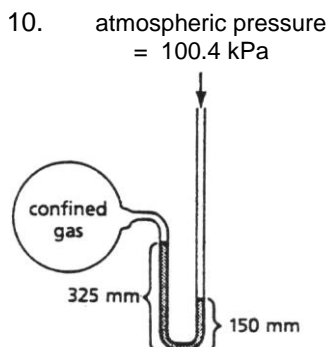
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Answers:

1. 2117 m/s
2. mm ~ 84 g, Kr
3. 67 L
4. 154°C

5. 12.8 cm^3
6. 760 mm Hg
7. 15.1 L
- 8a. 0.43 moles

- 8b. mm ~ 130 g, Xe
9. 154.6 kPa
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2. At room temperature, acetylene (C₂H₂) has a velocity of 480 m/s. At the same temperature, an unknown noble gas has a velocity of 267 m/s. What is the unknown gas?

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Acetylene} \quad \begin{cases} m_2 = 26 \text{ amu} \\ v_2 = 480 \text{ m/s} \end{cases} \quad \frac{v_1}{v_2} = \sqrt{\frac{m_2}{m_1}} \quad 0.80 = \sqrt{\frac{m_2}{26 \text{ amu}}} \\ \\ \text{Unknown} \quad \begin{cases} m_1 = ? \text{ amu} \\ v_1 = 267 \text{ m/s} \end{cases} \quad \frac{480 \text{ m/s}}{267 \text{ m/s}} = \sqrt{\frac{m_2}{26 \text{ amu}}} \quad m_2 = 84 \text{ amu} \\ \therefore \text{Krypton (Kr} = 83.80 \text{ amu)} \end{array}$$

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3. A sample of gas has an initial volume of 25 L and an initial pressure of 3.5 atm. If the pressure changes to 1.3 atm, find the new volume, assuming that the temperature remains constant.

$$\begin{array}{l} P_1 V_1 = P_2 V_2 \\ V_1 = 25 \text{ L} \quad V_2 = ? \text{ L} \\ P_1 = 3.5 \text{ atm} \quad P_2 = 1.3 \text{ atm} \quad 3.5 \text{ atm} (25 \text{ L}) = 1.3 \text{ atm} (V_2) \\ V_2 = 67.3 \text{ L} \end{array}$$

4. A sample of neon is at 89°C and 123 kPa. If the pressure changes to 145 kPa and the volume remains constant, find the new temperature, in °C.

$$\begin{array}{l} \frac{P_1}{T_1} = \frac{P_2}{T_2} \\ T_1 = 89^\circ\text{C} + 273 = 362 \text{ K} \quad T_2 = ?^\circ\text{C} \\ P_1 = 123 \text{ kPa} \quad P_2 = 145 \text{ kPa} \quad \frac{123 \text{ kPa}}{362 \text{ K}} = \frac{145 \text{ kPa}}{T_2} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{K} - 273 = ^\circ\text{C} \\ 427 - 273 = ^\circ\text{C} \\ T_2 = 154^\circ\text{C} \end{array} \\ T_2 = 427 \text{ K} \end{array}$$

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$$\frac{P_1 V_1}{T_1} = \frac{P_2 V_2}{T_2}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} V_1 = 28 \text{ cm}^3 & V_2 = ? \text{ cm}^3 \\ T_1 = 273 \text{ K} & T_2 = 203^\circ\text{C} + 273 = 476 \text{ K} \\ P_1 = 1 \text{ atm} & P_2 = 3.8 \text{ atm} \end{array}$$

$$\frac{1 \text{ atm} \cdot 28 \text{ cm}^3}{273 \text{ K}} = \frac{3.8 \text{ atm} \cdot V_2}{476 \text{ K}}$$

$$V_2 = 12.8 \text{ cm}^3$$

6. A sample of sulfur dioxide (SO₂) is initially at a temperature of 133°C, a volume of 20 L, and a pressure of 850 mm Hg. If the volume changes to 25 L and the temperature increases to 181°C, find the new pressure.

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$$\begin{array}{ll} V_1 = 20 \text{ L} & V_2 = 25 \text{ L} \\ T_1 = 133^\circ\text{C} + 273 = 406 \text{ K} & T_2 = 181^\circ\text{C} + 273 = 454 \text{ K} \\ P_1 = 850 \text{ mm Hg} & P_2 = ? \text{ mm Hg} \end{array}$$

$$\frac{850 \text{ mm Hg} \cdot 20 \text{ L}}{406 \text{ K}} = \frac{P_2 \cdot 25 \text{ L}}{454 \text{ K}}$$

$$P_2 = 760 \text{ mm Hg}$$

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7. 25 g of methane (CH₄) has a pressure of 4.44 atm at 250°C. Find the volume occupied by the gas.

$$n = 25 \text{ g CH}_4 \left(\frac{1 \text{ mol CH}_4}{16 \text{ g CH}_4} \right) = 1.5625 \text{ mol CH}_4$$

$$P = 4.44 \text{ atm}$$

$$T = 250^\circ\text{C} + 273 = 523 \text{ K}$$

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

$$\therefore R = 0.0821 \text{ atm} \cdot \text{L/mol} \cdot \text{K}$$

$$PV = nRT$$

$$\therefore V = \frac{nRT}{P}$$

$$V = \frac{1.5625 \text{ mol CH}_4 \cdot 0.0821 \text{ atm} \cdot \text{L/mol} \cdot \text{K} \cdot 523 \text{ K}}{4.44 \text{ atm}}$$

$$V = 15.1 \text{ L}$$

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8. A sample of gas has a volume of 5.0 L when at a temperature of 310 K and a pressure of 220 kPa.

a) Find the number of moles of gas.

$$PV = nRT$$

$$P = 220 \text{ kPa}$$

$$T = 310 \text{ K}$$

$$V = 5.0 \text{ L}$$

$$\therefore R = 8.314 \text{ kPa} \cdot \text{L/mol} \cdot \text{K}$$

$$\therefore n = \frac{PV}{RT}$$

$$n = \frac{(220 \text{ kPa})(5.0 \text{ L})}{(8.314 \text{ kPa} \cdot \text{L/mol} \cdot \text{K})(310 \text{ K})}$$

$$n = 0.43 \text{ mol}$$

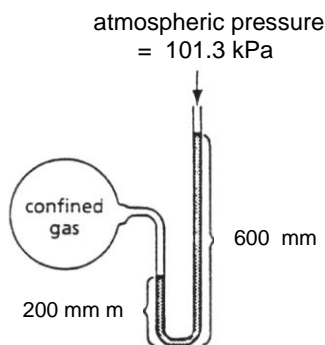
b) If there are 56 g of the gas in the sample, which noble gas is it?

$$\text{Molar Mass (MM)} = \frac{\text{g}}{\text{mol}}$$

$$\text{Molar Mass} = \frac{56 \text{ g}}{0.43 \text{ mol}} \Rightarrow \text{MM} = 131.2 \text{ g/mol} \quad \therefore \text{Xenon (Xe} = 131.29 \text{ g/mol)}$$

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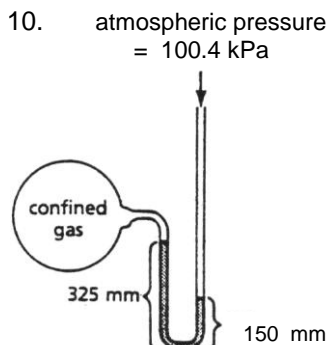
$$400 \text{ mm} \left(\frac{101.3 \text{ kPa}}{760 \text{ mm Hg}} \right) = 53.3 \text{ kPa}$$

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$$325 \text{ mm}$$

$$- 150 \text{ mm}$$

$$175 \text{ mm} \left(\frac{101.3 \text{ kPa}}{760 \text{ mm Hg}} \right) = 23.3 \text{ kPa}$$

$$P_{\text{Big}} = P_{\text{small}} + P_{\text{height}}$$

$$100.4 \text{ kPa} = P_{\text{small}} + 23.3 \text{ kPa}$$

$$P_{\text{small}} = 77.1 \text{ kPa}$$

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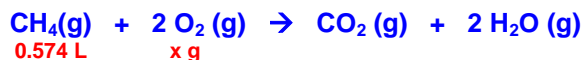
$$\frac{P_1 V_1}{T_1} = \frac{P_2 V_2}{T_2}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} V_1 = 0.65 \text{ L} & V_2 = ? \text{ L} \\ T_1 = 305 \text{ K} & T_2 = 273 \text{ K} \\ P_1 = 100 \text{ kPa} & P_2 = 101.3 \text{ kPa} \end{array}$$

$$\frac{(100 \text{ kPa})(0.65 \text{ L})}{305 \text{ K}} = \frac{(101.3 \text{ kPa})(V_2)}{273 \text{ K}}$$

$$V_2 = 0.574 \text{ L CH}_4 \text{ @ STP}$$

Substitute volume of methane gas @STP and solve ideal stoichiometry problem.



$$x \text{ g O}_2 = 0.574 \text{ L} \left(\frac{1 \text{ mol CH}_4}{22.4 \text{ L CH}_4} \right) \left(\frac{2 \text{ mol O}_2}{1 \text{ mol CH}_4} \right) \left(\frac{32 \text{ g O}_2}{1 \text{ mol O}_2} \right) = 1.64 \text{ g O}_2$$

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