

PHY 117 HS2023

week 5 quiz
coming soon!

Week 6, Lecture 1

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To avoid confusion, we have 4 K s:

K = Kelvin

k = Boltzmann constant

K = kinetic energy

κ = coefficient of thermal conductivity

Thermodynamics - study of temperature, heat,
and the exchange of energy.
(mechanical work)

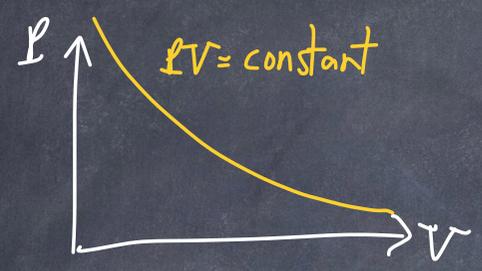
Macroscopic state: measurable properties:
volume, pressure, temperature,
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force/area

From Mariotte's bottle (fluids)
to Mariotte's Law (gases)



Ideal gases: randomly moving point particles with no inter-particle interactions

Boyle-Marriott law: $PV = \text{constant}$ for an ideal gas at constant temperature.



As we change temperature, PV takes different values.

The law is written as:

$$PV = nRT = NkT \quad \text{Ideal gas law}$$

pressure $[Pa] = \left[\frac{N}{m^2} \right]$ volume $[m^3]$ temperature $[K]$

N : number of gas molecules
 k : Boltzmann constant
 $k = 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K}$

n : number of moles

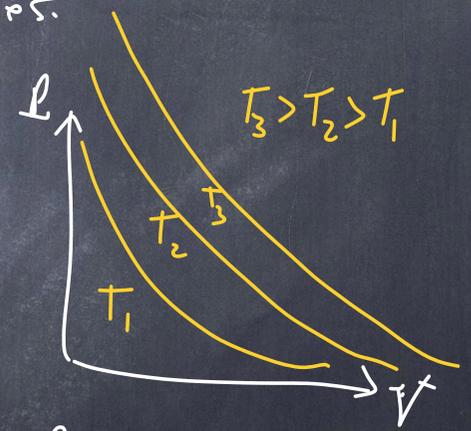
R : gas constant, $R = 8.314 \text{ J/K}\cdot\text{mol}$

we see that $nR = Nk$

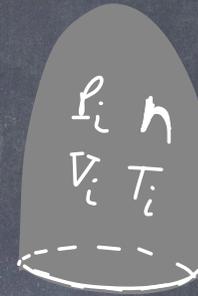
Note: $R = N_A \cdot k$
 $N = n \cdot N_A$

where N_A : Avogadro's number is # molecules/mole

$N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \frac{\text{molecules}}{\text{mole}}$



Why does our hot air balloon rise when air inside is heated?
 pressure decreases?
density decreases?
 volume increases?



Visually:

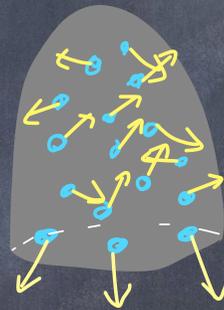
before heating



Initially:

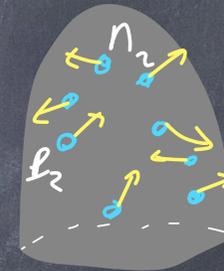
P_i : pressure inside
 $P_i = P_{atm}$
 V_1 = volume inside
 n_1 = # moles air inside
 T_1 = temp. inside

during heating



molecules speed up and push out of balloon

after heating



Finally:

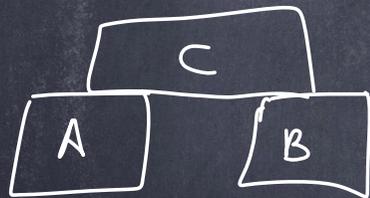
$P_2 = P_1 = P_{atm}$
 $V_2 = V_1$
 $n_2 < n_1$
 $T_2 > T_1$

What is temperature? Intuitively, it is a measure of the hotness or coldness of something.



Objects have thermometric properties: gases expand, as do most solids + liquids with temperature (if allowed to). Electrical resistance changes...

0th law of thermodynamics: IF 2 objects are in thermal equilibrium with a third object, then they are in thermal equilibrium with each other.



C is in thermal equilibrium with A+B (no further thermometric change).

C is the same temperature as A + B.

place A+B in contact



A + B must be the same temperature.



Since 2019, the Kelvin is defined using

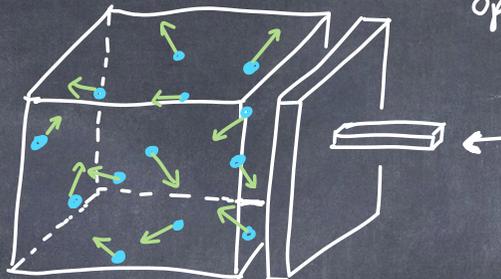
$$k = 1.380649 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K}$$

$J = \frac{\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2}{\text{s}^2}$ so we can get definitions of the K from m, s, kg

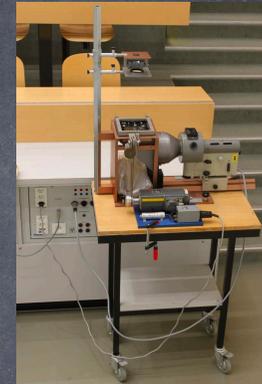
But what is temperature really?
At the molecular level?

box (5 closed sides)

piston pushing 6th open side

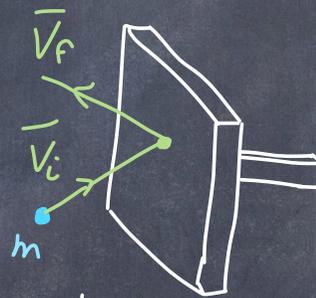


gas of molecules



we put molecules in a box, and close with a piston.

when one molecule hits the piston, its momentum changes.



initial: $\vec{v}_i = v_{ix}\hat{x} + v_{iy}\hat{y} + v_{iz}\hat{z}$
 final: $\vec{v}_f = v_{fx}\hat{x} + v_{fy}\hat{y} + v_{fz}\hat{z}$

considering the x-direction: $\Delta p_x = m v_{fx} - m v_{ix}$
 Assume it is an elastic collision, $|\vec{v}_f| = |\vec{v}_i|$

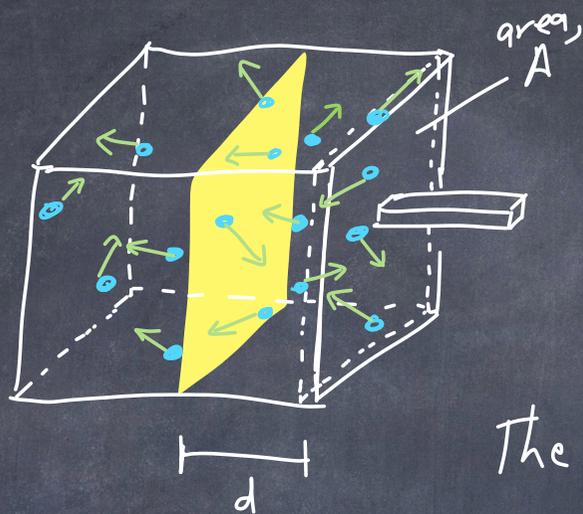
$$|v_{fx}| = |v_{ix}|$$

$$\Delta p_x = 2m v_x$$

for one molecule in gas

$$(\Delta \vec{p} = \text{Impulse} = \vec{I})$$

total volume V



In some Δt (time), molecules hit the piston. The ones that hit the piston must be less than a certain distance away from the piston, moving to the right, depends on velocity

$$v_x = \frac{d}{\Delta t} \quad d = v_x \Delta t$$

The volume of this box is $A \cdot d = A \cdot v_x \Delta t$

The number of particles in this box that hit the piston:

$$N_R = \frac{N}{V} \cdot v_x \Delta t A \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

$\underbrace{N_R}_{\text{\# that hit the piston on the right}} = \underbrace{\frac{N}{V}}_{\text{density = \# / volume}} \cdot \underbrace{v_x \Delta t A}_{\text{volume of molecules with correct } v_x \text{ to hit wall}} \cdot \underbrace{\frac{1}{2}}_{\text{moving to the right}}$

The total momentum of ptcls hitting piston is:

$$\underbrace{\Delta p_x}_{\text{momentum of all molecules}} = \left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{N}{V} v_x \Delta t A \right) \underbrace{(2m v_x)}_{\Delta p \text{ for one molecule}}$$

$$\Delta p_x = \frac{N}{V} m v_x^2 A \Delta t$$

The total force on the wall is $F = \frac{dp}{dt} = \frac{\Delta p}{\Delta t}$

$$F_x = \frac{N}{V} m v_x^2 A \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta t}$$

Pressure is F/A

$$P = \frac{N}{V} m v_x^2 \frac{A}{A}$$

pressure due to v_x of N molecules.

so $PV = Nm v_x^2$

rewrite as $PV = 2N \left(\frac{1}{2} m v_x^2 \right) = 2N \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Kinetic energy} \\ \text{of a molecule} \\ \text{in 1-d} \end{array} \right)$

we recognize that since $PV = NkT$,

then

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Kinetic} \\ \text{energy} \\ \text{of a single} \\ \text{molecule} \\ \text{in 1-d} \end{array} = \frac{1}{2} m v_x^2 = \frac{1}{2} k T$$

Now we know that temperature is the kinetic energy of the molecules (from their velocity)

$\frac{1}{2} k T$ is the average kinetic energy in 1 dimension

$$\overline{K}_{1D} = \left\langle \frac{1}{2} m v_x^2 \right\rangle = \frac{1}{2} k T$$

K : kinetic energy
 k : Boltzmann constant

Note: $\langle v_x^2 \rangle > 0$ though $\langle v_x \rangle = 0$ since $\frac{1}{2}$ go in $+\hat{x}$
and $\frac{1}{2}$ go in $-\hat{x}$

Also, the molecule has equal velocities in x, y, z directions

$$\text{So } K_{3b} = \frac{1}{2} m \langle v_x^2 \rangle + \frac{1}{2} m \langle v_y^2 \rangle + \frac{1}{2} m \langle v_z^2 \rangle = 3 \left(\frac{1}{2} kT \right)$$

$$\text{Note: } \langle v^2 \rangle = \langle v_x^2 \rangle + \langle v_y^2 \rangle + \langle v_z^2 \rangle = 3 \langle v_x^2 \rangle$$

$$\text{So } K_{3b} = 3 \left(\frac{1}{2} m \langle v_x^2 \rangle \right) = \frac{1}{2} m \langle v^2 \rangle = 3 \left(\frac{1}{2} kT \right)$$

Kinetic energy in 3-b for 1 molecule

3 degrees of freedom (x, y, z)

Kinetic energy per degree of freedom

$$\text{we call } \sqrt{\langle v^2 \rangle} \equiv v_{rms}$$

v_{rms} = "root mean square" speed

For N particles, the translational kinetic energy
(in 3 dimensions)

is:

$$K_{3D} = N \left(\frac{3}{2} kT \right) = \frac{3N}{2} m \langle v^2 \rangle = \frac{N}{2} m \langle v^2 \rangle$$

$$\cancel{N} \frac{3}{2} kT = \cancel{N} \frac{m \langle v^2 \rangle}{2} \Rightarrow T = \frac{m \langle v^2 \rangle}{3k}$$

$$\langle v^2 \rangle = \frac{3kT}{m}$$

for
3 degrees
of freedom
(independent
of N)

Q: What is the rms speed of Nitrogen (N_2)
molecules at room temperature?

$$T = 293 \text{ K}, \text{ molar mass } M = \frac{28 \text{ g}}{\text{mol}}$$

$$m = \text{mass of 1 molecule} = \frac{M}{N_A} \quad M = m N_A$$

$$A: v_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{3kT}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{3 N_A kT}{m N_A}} = \sqrt{\frac{3RT}{M}} = \sqrt{\frac{3(8.314 \frac{\text{J}}{\text{K}\cdot\text{mol}})(293 \text{ K})}{0.028 \text{ kg/mol}}}$$

$$v_{rms} = 510 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

Note: velocity
depends on T
+ mass

velocity of particles in a gas:

$$\frac{1}{2} m \langle v^2 \rangle = \frac{3}{2} k T$$

$$\uparrow$$
$$v_{\text{rms}} = \sqrt{\langle v^2 \rangle} = \sqrt{\frac{3kT}{m}}$$

The distribution of velocities is

$$f(v) = \frac{4}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left(\frac{m}{2kT} \right)^{3/2} v^2 e^{-\frac{mv^2}{2kT}}$$

Maxwell-Boltzmann
distribution
for velocities.

m : mass of a molecule

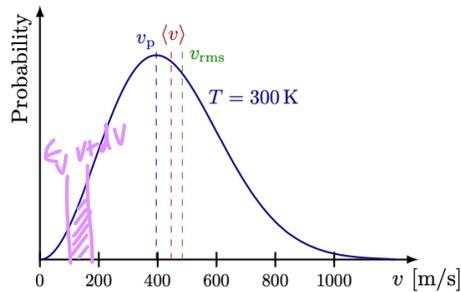
v : velocity of a molecule

T : temperature

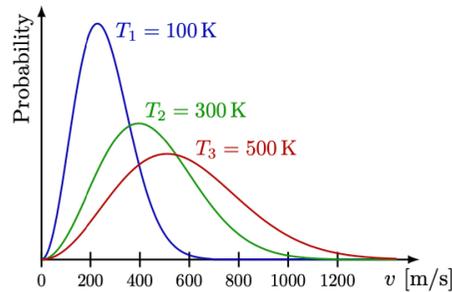
If we had N molecules,

$dN = N f(v) dv$: dN is the number
of molecules within a velocity
range of $v \rightarrow v + dv$

$$\int dN = N = \int_{v_1}^{v_2} N f(v) dv$$



(a) The distribution is asymmetric.



(b) For different temperatures.

Figure 17.4: Maxwell-Boltzmann distribution for oxygen gas O_2 with atomic weight ~ 16 per atom.

$v_p = v_{max}$: speed for which $f(v)$ is maximum = $\sqrt{\frac{2kT}{m}}$

v_{av} : mean of $f(v)$

v_{rms} : $\sqrt{\langle v^2 \rangle}$

we could rewrite $f(v)$ as $f(E)$

where $E = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$
is kinetic energy

$$f(E) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left(\frac{1}{kT}\right)^{3/2} E^{1/2} e^{-E/kT}$$

Maxwell-Boltzmann
energy distribution.

$$dN = N f(E) dE$$

is the # of particles

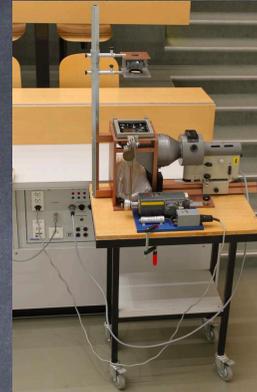
with an energy between E and $E + dE$



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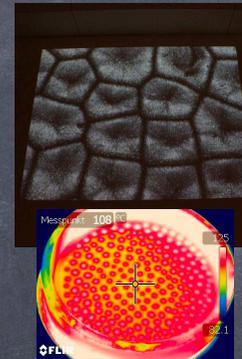
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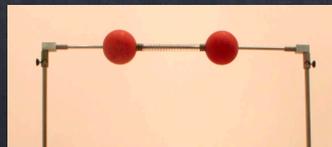
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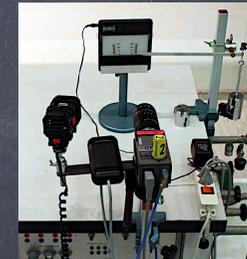
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Th2



E12



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