

Honors Chemistry – Gas Laws Worksheet Key

1. Determine the pressure in torr and kPa on a day when the pressure is .96atm.

$$\text{torr} = (.96\text{atm})(760\text{torr/atm}) = 729.6 = \mathbf{730\text{torr}}$$
$$\text{kPa} = (.96\text{atm})(101.3\text{kPa/atm}) = \mathbf{97\text{kPa}}$$

2. A reaction occurs in which a gas is produced causing the mercury column in an open-end manometer to be 125mm higher on the side of the sample gas. If the prevailing atmospheric pressure is .97atm, what is the pressure of the gas in Pascal's?

$$P_{\text{gas}} = (.97\text{atm})(760\text{mmHg/atm}) - 125\text{mmHg} = 612.2\text{torr}$$
$$612.2\text{torr}(101,300\text{Pa}/760\text{torr}) = \mathbf{8.2 \times 10^4 \text{Pa}}$$

3. Determine the pressure of a sample gas in an open-end manometer in which the mercury column is 25.0mm higher on the sample gas side and the prevailing atmospheric pressure is .97 atm. Give your final answer in Pascal's.

$$P_{\text{gas}} = (.97)(760) - 25 = 712.2\text{torr}$$
$$712.2\text{torr}(101,300\text{Pa}/760\text{torr}) = \mathbf{9.5 \times 10^4 \text{Pa}}$$

4. A gas, initially at .60atm has its volume decreased to 1/3 its original amount. Determine the final pressure in torr.

$$P_1 V_1 = P_2 V_2 \quad P_2 = (.60)(V_1)/(1/3 V_1) = 1.8\text{atm}$$
$$1.8\text{atm}(760\text{torr/atm}) = 1368\text{torr} = \mathbf{1.4 \times 10^3 \text{torr}}$$

5. A 1.50L container of gas, initially at 25.0°C has its temperature increased to 50.0°C. What is the final volume of the gas if P and n are held constant?

$$V_1/T_1 = V_2/T_2 \quad V_2 = (1.50)(273.15+50)/(273.15+25) = \mathbf{1.63\text{L}}$$

6. Determine the pressure of a gas in pascals if 2.00moles of that gas are sealed in a 500.mL container at 30.°C.

$$P = nRT/V = (2.00)(.0821)(303.15)/(.500) = 99.55\text{atm}$$
$$99.55\text{atm} (101,300\text{Pa}/1\text{atm}) = \mathbf{1.01 \times 10^7 \text{Pa}}$$

7. Determine how many moles of gas are contained in a sealed 650.mL container at 700. torr and 25°C.

$$n = PV/RT = (700./760)(.650\text{L})/ (.0821)(25 + 273.15) = \mathbf{.0245\text{mol}}$$

8. Determine the volume of 1 mole of a gas at STP.

$$V = nRT/P = (1)(.0821)(273.15) / (1) = \mathbf{22.4\text{L (standard molar volume)}}$$