

# Chemistry Bell Work, March 26 – March 29

Mass and Volume 2:

Density & Mass & Volume  
Calculations, Percent Error, Percent  
Range, Density of a Gas, Density  
Particle Model



# Chemistry Bell Work, Monday, 3/25/18, 5 Questions



1. What is an experimental value? Give an example.

An experimental value is a value you determined from measurements. Example: the mass & volume data in your lab book.

2. What is an “accepted value?”

It is the known accepted value of a substance and is found in reference sources. This value can be “looked up.”

3. A handbook gives the density of calcium as 1.54 g/cm<sup>3</sup>. What is the percent error of a density calculation of 2.25 g/cm<sup>3</sup> conducted from measurements of mass and volume?

$$\text{Percent Error} = \frac{|\text{Accepted Value} - \text{Experimental Value}|}{\text{Accepted Value}} \times 100$$

$$\text{Accepted Value} = 1.54, \quad \text{Experimental Value} = 2.25$$

$$\% \text{ Error} = \frac{|1.54 - 2.25|}{1.54} \times 100 = \frac{|-0.71|}{1.54} \times 100 = \frac{0.71}{1.54} \times 100$$

$$\text{Percent error} = 46.10\%$$



#### 4. Determine the Percent Range for the following densities:

– 6.2 g/cm<sup>3</sup>, 7.0 g/cm<sup>3</sup>, 7.3 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

$$\% \text{ range} = \frac{\text{Highest Value} - \text{Lowest Value}}{\text{Lowest Value}} \times 100$$

Highest value = 7.3

Lowest Value = 6.2

$$\% \text{ range} = \frac{7.3 - 6.2}{6.2} \times 100 = 17.7\%$$

#### 5. Define Density

Density is the amount of mass that occupies 1 unit of volume. If our unit of volume is milliliters, then density is the amount of mass that occupies 1 mL. Mathematically:

$$\text{Density} = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{volume}} \quad \text{or} \quad D = \frac{m}{v}$$

Example: 1 g of water occupies 1 mL. The density is 1 g per mL and is

written  $1 \frac{\text{g}}{\text{mL}}$  or 1 g/mL or  $\frac{1 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mL}}$



# Chemistry Bell Work, Tuesday, 3/27/18, 2 questions



1. The mass of a 5.00 mL sample of clay is 11 g. What is the density of the clay?

$$\text{Density} = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{volume}} \text{ or } D = \frac{m}{v}$$

$$m = 11\text{g}$$

$$D = \frac{m}{v} = \frac{11\text{g}}{5.00\text{ mL}} = 2.2 \frac{\text{g}}{\text{mL}}$$

$$v = 5.00\text{ mL}$$

2. The density of aluminum is 2.70 g/cm<sup>3</sup>. What is the mass of a solid piece of aluminum with a volume of 1.50 cm<sup>3</sup>?

$$D = 2.70\text{ g/cm}^3, V = 1.50\text{ cm}^3, m = ?$$

$$D = \frac{m}{V} \quad \frac{2.70\text{ g/cm}^3}{1} = \frac{m}{1.50\text{ cm}^3} = \mathbf{4.05\text{ g}}$$

Or  $m = D \bullet V$

$$m = (2.70\text{ g/cm}^3) \bullet (1.50\text{ cm}^3) = \mathbf{4.05\text{ g}}$$



1. What is the mass of 127 mL of iron? The density of iron = 7.87 g/mL

$$m = D \bullet V$$

$$D = 7.87 \text{ g/mL},$$

$$V = 127 \text{ mL},$$

$$m = ?$$

$$m = 7.87 \frac{\text{g}}{\text{mL}} * 127 \text{ mL} = 999 \text{ g}$$

2. The density of sugar is 1.59 g/mL. The mass of a sample is 4.0 g.  
Find the volume of the sample.

$$D = \frac{1.59 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mL}}$$

$$m = 4.0 \text{ g}$$

$$V = ?$$

$$D = \frac{m}{v} \quad 1.59 \text{ g/mL} = \frac{4.0 \text{ g}}{V} = 2.5 \text{ mL}$$

$$V = \frac{m}{D} \quad V = \frac{4.0 \text{ g}}{1.59 \text{ g/mL}}$$

$$V = 2.5 \text{ mL}$$

# Chemistry, Bell Work, Thursday, Mar 29 (3 questions)



1. How does the density of the carbon dioxide ( $\text{CO}_2$ ) gas compare to liquid and solid  $\text{CO}_2$ ?

	Density (g/mL)
Solid $\text{CO}_2$ (dry ice)	1.56
Liquid $\text{CO}_2$	1.10
$\text{CO}_2$ gas	0.0019

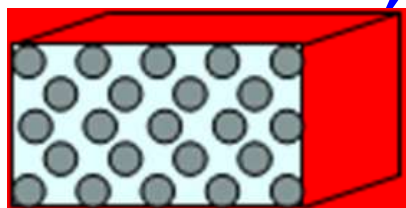
$$\frac{\text{solid density}}{\text{liquid density}} = \frac{1.56}{1.10} = 1.40$$

$$\frac{\text{liquid density}}{\text{gas density}} = \frac{1.10}{0.0019} = 579$$

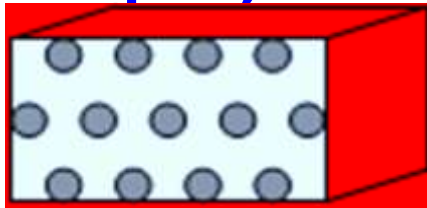
$$\frac{\text{solid density}}{\text{gas density}} = \frac{1.56}{0.0019} = 821$$

- The solid  $\text{CO}_2$  particles are 1.4 times more dense (close) than the liquid  $\text{CO}_2$
- The  $\text{CO}_2$  gas is 579 times more spread out than the liquid  $\text{CO}_2$
- $\text{CO}_2$  gas is 821 times more spread out than solid  $\text{CO}_2$

2. Using what you know about density, draw and label a pictures of a solid, a liquid, and a gas using particle drawings in a box.



solid



liquid



gas

3. What is in between the particles? Empty space.