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- Units of pressure and of gas constant  $R$
- Real gases: Effect of molecular attraction
- Real gases: Effect of molecular size

Next: Continue ch11: Real gases: van der Waals equation; phase diagrams

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### Units of pressure and of gas constant $R$

In CH101 Fall 2016 (lecture 12) we discussed units of pressure

1 Pa = force/area = 1 kg m/s<sup>2</sup> / m<sup>2</sup> = 1 kg m<sup>-1</sup> s<sup>-2</sup>  
 1 bar = 100 kPa (exactly)  
 1 atm = 101.325 kPa (exactly)

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## Pressure = Force/Area

Pa = J/m<sup>3</sup>  
 1 atm = 101325 Pa  
 m<sup>3</sup> = 1000 L

Convert R = 8.314 J / (K mol) to L atm / (K mol).

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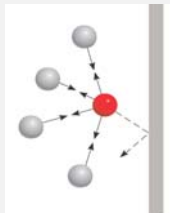
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## Effect of intermolecular attraction

Gas particles **attract one another**: van der Waals *a*

$$P_{\text{observed}} = P_{\text{empty}} - a(n/V)^2$$

# hitting wall  $\propto n/V$   
 # pulling back  $\propto n/V$   
 combined effect  $\propto (n/V)^2$



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[TP] Predict the effect of intermolecular attraction on the pressure exerted by a gaseous molecule in a collision with the wall of its container. The stronger the attraction, the ...

20% 1. greater the pressure  
 20% 2. smaller the pressure  
 20% 3. The pressure will not be affected  
 20% 4. Cannot answer without knowing the temperature  
 20% 5. Cannot answer without knowing the polarity of the molecule

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[TP] Equal amounts of gases A and C are in a single container. The molar masses of the gases are **identical**, but gas C has **stronger intermolecular forces**. The container is pierced with a hole **0.003 mm** in diameter. After 5 minutes, the container will contain ...

33% 1. more A than C  
 33% 2. the same amount of A and C  
 33% 3. more C than A

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[Quiz] Which of the following is the correct order of species for increasing value of van der Waals  $a$ ?

- 20% 1.  $\text{H}_2 < \text{Kr} < \text{CO}_2 < \text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 20% 2.  $\text{H}_2 < \text{Kr} < \text{H}_2\text{O} < \text{CO}_2$   
 20% 3.  $\text{Kr} < \text{H}_2 < \text{CO}_2 < \text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 20% 4.  $\text{Kr} < \text{H}_2 < \text{H}_2\text{O} < \text{CO}_2$   
 20% 5.  $\text{H}_2 < \text{H}_2\text{O} < \text{Kr} < \text{CO}_2$



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## Contributions to van der Waals $a$

Van der Waals  $a$  reflects intermolecular attractions present when gas particles encounter one another.

Therefore, hydrogen bonding can make a contribution.



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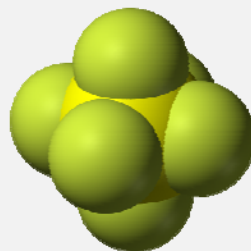
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## Effect of molecular size

While gas particles are tiny compared to the volume of their container, they do take up some space.

The graphic illustrates the electron cloud of  $\text{SF}_6$ .



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[TP] A gas in a rigid 2.5 L container has a pressure of 1.3 bar = 130 kPa. If 1.2 grams of small glass beads are added to the container (without changing the temperature), the pressure of the gas will ...

- 33% 1. increase  
 33% 2. be unaffected  
 33% 3. decrease

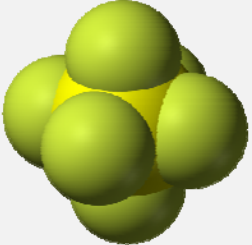


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### Effect of molecular size

Gas particles **have a volume**: van der Waals  $b$

$$V_{\text{container}} = V_{\text{empty}} + b n$$


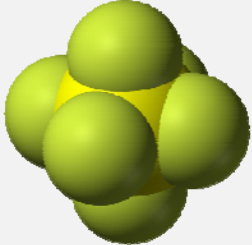
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[TP] Gas particles **have a volume** measured by van der Waals  $b$ .  
For  $\text{SF}_6$ ,  $b = 88 \text{ mL/mol}$ . The percent of gas **container volume** taken up by the  $\text{SF}_6$  molecules themselves is ...

17% 1. 0.01%  
17% 2. 0.05%  
17% 3. 0.1%  
17% 4. 0.5%  
17% 5. 1%  
17% 6. 5%



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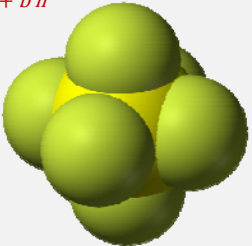
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Gas particles **have a volume**: van der Waals  $b$

$$V = V_{\text{real}} = V_{\text{empty}} + b n = V_{\text{ideal}} + b n$$

For  $\text{SF}_6$ ,  $b = 88 \text{ mL/mol}$

% of molar gas volume ...  
 $\approx (0.088 / 22) \times 100\% = 0.40\%$



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