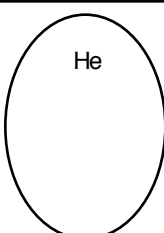


WS 6.6 Graham's Law

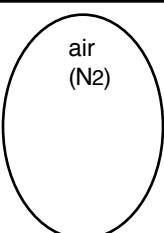
1. What exactly is temperature a measurement of? _____
2. Why is it important to include the word "*average*" in your answer? _____
3. What two factors does an object's kinetic energy depend on? _____ and _____
4. What specifically is the equation for kinetic energy? _____
5. Which would increase the kinetic energy of an object more: doubling the object's *mass* or doubling the objects *velocity*? _____ Explain: _____
6. State Graham's Law as an equation for two gases (A and B) at the same temp: _____
7. **Consider two gases, He and O₂, at the same temperature...** (✓ answer bank below)
Which particles would have greater average kinetic energy? _____ Which particles are heavier? _____
Which particles would have greater velocity? _____ Which gas would diffuse across the room faster? _____
8. **Two gas samples, one H₂ and one CO₂, are such that their particles have the same velocity...**
Which gas molecules have the greater average kinetic energy? _____
Which gas is at the higher temperature? _____ Explain: _____
9. Explain the following two demos using **words** and **diagrams**:

The He/SF₆ balloon demo:

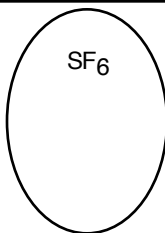
	He	air (N₂)	SF₆
initial size:			
prediction:			
final size:			



He

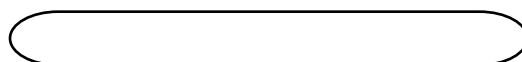


air (N₂)



SF₆

The NH₃/HCl racing demo:



For the following questions, use the Graham's Law equation. Show all work.

10. At a certain temperature, O₂ molecules move with an average velocity of 345 mph. At that same temperature, what would be the average velocity of **a)** He atoms? **b)** CO₂ molecules?

Ans: **a)** _____ **b)** _____

11. At a certain temperature, CH₄ molecules move with an average velocity of 187 m/sec. At that same temp, gas X particles have an average velocity of 141 m/sec. **a)** Is gas X heavier or lighter than CH₄? **b)** What is the molecular weight of gas X? **c)** What is a possible identity of gas X?
(see choices in ans. bank)

Ans: **a)** _____ **b)** _____ **c)** _____

BONUS A sample of gas is at room temp (22°C). to what temp (°C) would it have to be taken to cause the average velocity of the particles to double? _____ ...triple? _____ (*Hint: look back at your answers for #1 and 4*)

Ans #7-8 (IRO): CO₂ CO₂ He He neither O₂

Ans #10-11 (IRO+5): 28.1 32.3 294 469 976 CO₂ He N₂ F₂

Units (IRO): mph mph g/mol