

## ROUGH FIREWALKING CALCULATION

Thermal Conductivity

$$k_{\text{steel}} = 50.2 \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}\cdot\text{K}}$$

$$k_{\text{brick}} = 0.6 \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}\cdot\text{K}}$$

$$k_{\text{burnt}} = 0.1 \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}\cdot\text{K}} = 1 \times 10^{-3} \frac{\text{J}}{\text{cm}\cdot\text{s}\cdot\text{K}}$$

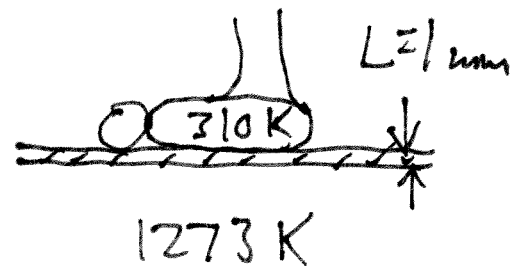
What current of heat is needed to cause a second degree burn.

$$16.4 \frac{\text{J}}{\text{cm}^2}$$

J. Occup. Med., 32, 215 (1990).

$$T_{\text{campfire}} \approx 1273 \text{ K}$$

$$T_{\text{body}} \approx 310 \text{ K}$$



$$\frac{dQ}{dt} = kA \frac{T_{\text{campfire}} - T_{\text{body}}}{L}$$

$$dt = \frac{dQ}{A} \frac{L}{k (T_c - T_b)}$$

$$= \frac{(16.4 \text{ J/cm}^2)(0.10 \text{ cm})}{(1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ J/cm}\cdot\text{s}\cdot\text{K})(1273 - 310) \text{ K}} = 1.7 \text{ s}$$

EXAMPLE

Compressing gas

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What is the final temperature of the compressed gas if its initial  $T_i = 27^\circ\text{C}$  and the initial and final pressures are 1.00 atm and 21.7 atm respectively?

$$p_1 V_1 = n_1 R T_1$$

$$p_2 V_2 = n_2 R T_2 \quad n_1 = n_2$$

$$nR = \frac{p_1 V_1}{T_1} = \frac{p_2 V_2}{T_2}$$

$$\frac{V_1}{V_2} = \frac{9}{1}$$

$$T_2 = T_1 \frac{p_2 V_2}{p_1 V_1}$$

$$T_2 = \frac{(300 \text{ K})(21.7 \text{ atm})}{(1.00 \text{ atm}) \times 9} = 723 \text{ K} = 450^\circ\text{C}$$

Variation of atmospheric pressure with elevation

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as  $y \uparrow$ ,  $p(y) \downarrow$ ,  $\rho(y) \downarrow$

2 unknown functions of  $y$ ,  
need 2 equations to solve

$$\textcircled{1} pV = nRT \Rightarrow pV = \frac{m_{\text{total}}}{M} RT \Rightarrow \rho = \frac{pM}{RT}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \frac{dp}{dy} = -\rho g$$

combine and solve

$$\frac{dp}{dy} = -\frac{pM}{RT} g$$

$$\int_{p_1}^{p_2} \frac{dp}{p} = -\frac{Mg}{RT} \int_{y_1}^{y_2} dy$$

$$\ln \frac{p_2}{p_1} = -\frac{Mg}{RT} (y_2 - y_1)$$

$$\frac{p_2}{p_1} = e^{-Mg(y_2 - y_1)/RT}$$

let  $y=0$  at sea level

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$$p_1 = 101.3 \text{ kPa}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = p_0 e^{-Mgy/RT}$$

pressure at one mile high

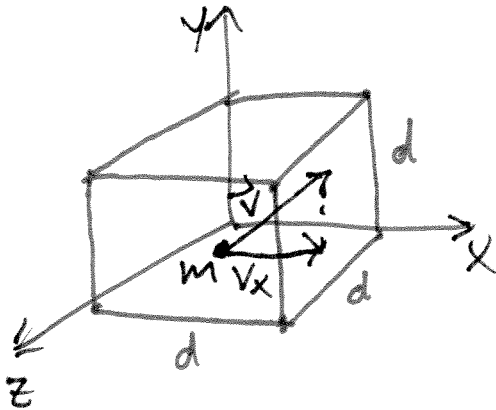
$$\frac{Mgy}{RT} = \frac{(28.8 \times 10^{-3} \text{ kg/mol})(9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)(1609 \text{ m})}{(8.314 \text{ J/mol}\cdot\text{K})(283 \text{ K})}$$

$$\doteq 0.19$$

$$\begin{aligned} p &= p_0 e^{-0.19} \\ &= (1.013 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa}) e^{-0.19} \\ &= 0.84 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa} \\ &= 0.83 \text{ atm} \end{aligned}$$

$$p \rightarrow \rho = \frac{pM}{RT}$$

- Kinetic Molecular Model of an Ideal Gas - 5-5



Use Newton's Laws

$N$  molecules

$$V = d^3$$

elastic collision with wall

$v_x$  changes direction

$v_y, v_z$  remain unchanged

momentum of molecule

$$\Delta p_x = p_x^f - p_x^i = -mv_x - (mv_x) = -2mv_x$$

momentum of wall =  $2mv_x$  ( $p$  conserved)

impulse-momentum theorem, force exerted by molecule on wall is  $f_1$

$$F_1 \Delta t = \Delta p = 2mv_x$$

Time interval between two collisions with the same wall  $\Delta t = \frac{2d}{V_x}$

force imparted to wall by a single collision

$$F_1 = \frac{2mV_x}{\Delta t} = \frac{2mV_x}{2d/V_x} = \frac{mV_x^2}{d}$$

All molecules

$$F_{\text{TOTAL}} = \frac{m}{d} (V_{x1}^2 + V_{x2}^2 + \dots + V_{xN}^2)$$

for  $N$  molecules, average value of square of velocity in  $x$ -direction is

$$\overline{V_x^2} = \frac{V_{x1}^2 + V_{x2}^2 + \dots + V_{xN}^2}{N}$$

TOTAL FORCE  $F = \frac{Nm \overline{V_x^2}}{d}$

All 3 v components

$$v^2 = v_x^2 + v_y^2 + v_z^2$$

average of all molecules

$$\overline{v^2} = \overline{v_x^2} + \overline{v_y^2} + \overline{v_z^2}$$

$$\overline{v_x^2} = \overline{v_y^2} = \overline{v_z^2}$$

So  ~~$\overline{v^2} = 3\overline{v_x^2}$~~   $\overline{v^2} = 3\overline{v_x^2}$

Sub back into F equation

$$F = \frac{N}{3} \left( \frac{m\overline{v^2}}{d} \right)$$

Total pressure

$$P = \frac{F}{A} = \frac{F}{d^2} = \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{N}{d^3} m\overline{v^2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{N}{V} \right) m\overline{v^2}$$

$$P = \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{N}{V} \right) \left( \frac{1}{2} m\overline{v^2} \right)$$

# Molecular Interpretation of Temperature

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Ideal Gas Law

$$pV = nRT$$

KMM

$$pV = \frac{2}{3} N \left( \frac{1}{2} m \overline{v^2} \right)$$

$$nRT = \frac{2}{3} N \left( \frac{1}{2} m \overline{v^2} \right)$$

$$\frac{n}{N} = \frac{1}{N_A}$$

$$\frac{R}{N_A} T = \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{1}{2} m \overline{v^2} \right)$$

$k_B$  - Boltzmann Constant

$$= 1.381 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/molecule} \cdot \text{K}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} m \overline{v^2} = \frac{3}{2} k_B T$$

Speed

$$v_{rms} = \sqrt{\overline{v^2}} = \sqrt{\frac{3k_B T}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{3RT}{M}}$$