

States of Matter

Chp 3: Lecture 1

Let's start with Tim & Moby

- States of matter

• Brainpop Answers

- 1. B
- 2. C
- 3. D
- 4. A
- 5. B
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- 7. D
- 8. B
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5 States

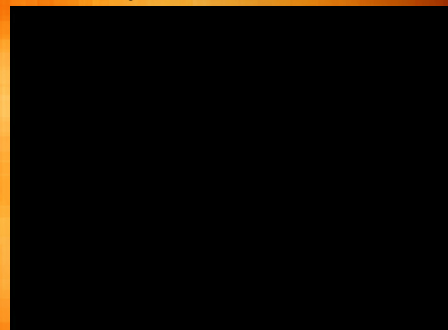


- All matter exists in some sort of physical form or **a state of matter**.
- There are 5 states of matter:
 1. **Solid**
 2. **Liquid**
 3. **Gas**
 4. **Plasma**
 5. Bose-Einstein Condensate (**BEC**)

The particles are movin'

- Matter is made up of little atoms
- These atoms are constantly moving and bumping into one another.
- The state of matter of a substance depends on 2 things:
 1. how **fast** the particles are **moving**
 2. how **strongly** the particles are **attracted** to one another

2. Bill Nye: Phases of Matter



The atoms move very differently

- **Solids** are solid. The atoms are locked in place and vibrate microscopically.
- **Liquids** move a little bit more. These atoms can slide past one another, but are still connected.
- **Gases** are unconnected and shoot all over the place.



Models of Three States of Matter



Particles of a solid do not move fast enough to overcome the strong attraction between them, so they are held tightly in place. The particles vibrate in place.



Particles of a liquid move fast enough to overcome some of the attraction between them. The particles are able to slide past one another.



Particles of a gas move fast enough to overcome nearly all of the attraction between them. The particles move independently of one another.

3. Matter Animation



Solids

- The atoms in a solid are tightly packed together.
- That's why they feel hard - the closer your molecules are, the harder you are.
- Solids also can hold their own shape.
- A rock will always look like a rock unless something happens to it.
- Solids like their shape and don't want to change.
- **Summary:** Solids have a definite volume and hold shape.



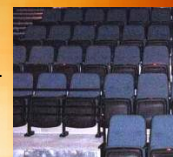
Two types of Solids

There are 2 types of solids:

1. **Crystalline** solids
2. **Amorphous** solids

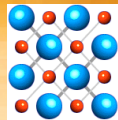
Crystalline Solids

- A crystalline solid has a **very orderly** and 3D arrangement of molecules.
- Think seats in a movie theater - they are all lined up, in rows and columns.



Examples of Crystalline Solids

- Salt
- Diamonds
- Ice
- A crystal is a solid that was **slowly** formed



Amorphous Solids

- Amorphous solids are made of atoms that are in **no particular** order.
- Think of going to the beach - you sit wherever there's room.
- Same thing when you go see a concert in a park.
- Each person has a *spot*, but there is **no order** or **no pattern**.



Examples of Amorphous Solids

- Amorphous solids do not have a definite melting point and can exist in two different states:
 - a "rubbery" state
 - a "glassy" state.
- Examples:
 - Butter
 - Rubber
 - Glass
 - wax



Weird Solids

- Some substances act like a solid and a liquid.
- Jello, Peanut Butter, Whole Milk, SLIME!
- You can spread peanut butter on bread, but peanut butter does not flow, right?
- It is not a liquid at room temperature.
- When you make Jello, it is first a liquid.
- You have to put it in the refrigerator so that it becomes a solid.
- These yummy forms of matter with properties of a liquid and a solid are called **colloids**.

Flowing Fluids

- A **fluid** is a form of matter that flows when any force is applied, no matter how small.
- **Liquids** are one kind of fluid, **gases** are another.
- You have seen water flow from a faucet (or overflow a sink) and felt cool air flow through an open window (or carry the aroma of cooking food into your room).
- Let's talk about liquids first.

Lovely Liquids

- A liquid is a substance that has **volume** and **mass**, but **no definite** shape.
- It takes the **shape** of its container.
- Think of what would happen if you knocked this glass of Coke over - It would spread all over the table, onto the floor, all over until it was spread out as far as it could possibly go!
- But when you pour it into a cup, it fills it up as much as possible.



How do liquid molecules move?



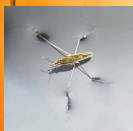
- The molecules in liquid water have more **energy** and move around much more than do the molecules in ice.
- In a liquid, molecules can slide over and around each other.
- This is how liquids flow and change shape.
- But the atoms do not have enough energy to completely break their bonds with one another.
- That is why liquids have **constant** volume even though the shape may change.
- Think of the balls in a ball pit - they spread out as much as they can, to fill the shape of the pit.

Liquids have a definite volume

- In fact, liquids don't like to change their volume, even if they don't mind changing their shape.
- Example: it doesn't matter whether you pour a soda into a big glass or small glass, you'll still have the same amount and it'll take up the same amount of space (volume).
- But think of how hard it would be to force a liquid, or **compress** it, into a small space.

Two Properties of Liquids

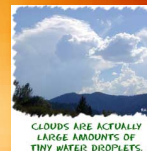
- **Viscosity** --The *resistance* of a liquid to flow. Think of pouring honey (high viscosity) vs. water (low viscosity).



- **Surface Tension** -- The molecules on the surface of a liquid are sometimes so strongly attracted to one another that they form a sheet across the top. This is what lets bugs like water skaters stay atop water.

Giddy Gases

- Gas is everywhere.
- Our atmosphere is a big layer of gas that surrounds the Earth.
- Gases are **random** groups of atoms.
- In solids, atoms and molecules are compact and close together.
- Liquids have atoms a little more spread out.
- However, gases are really spread out and the atoms and molecules are full of energy.
- They are bouncing around constantly - that's why they're giddy!



How do gas molecules move?

- Remember, gas atoms and molecules move very quickly.
- They move so quickly, that they can completely break away from one another.
- When they break away, they collide and bump into one another constantly.
- This causes them to spread out as much as they can.

Gases Do NOT have a definite volume

- Gases can fill a container of any size or shape.
- Think about a balloon - No matter what shape you make the balloon it will be evenly filled with the gas atoms.
- The atoms and molecules are spread equally throughout the entire balloon.
- Liquids can only fill the bottom of the container while gases can fill it entirely.



4. Bill Nye: Part 2



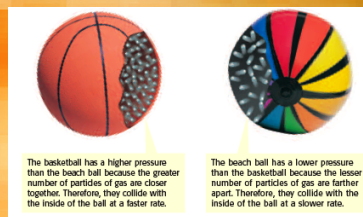
Awful Science Humor

Did you hear about the chemist who was reading a book about helium?

He just couldn't put it down.

Let's Talk Pressure

- A force applied to a fluid creates **pressure**.
- Pressure acts in **all directions**, not just the direction of the applied force.
- When you inflate a basketball, you are increasing the pressure in the ball.
- A pressure of 30 pounds per square inch means every square inch of the inside of the ball feels a force of 30 pounds.
- This force acts up, down, and sideways in all directions inside the ball.
- This is also what makes the basketball feel solid, even though it is filled with air.

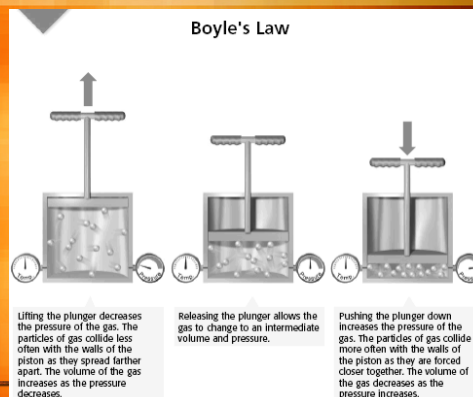


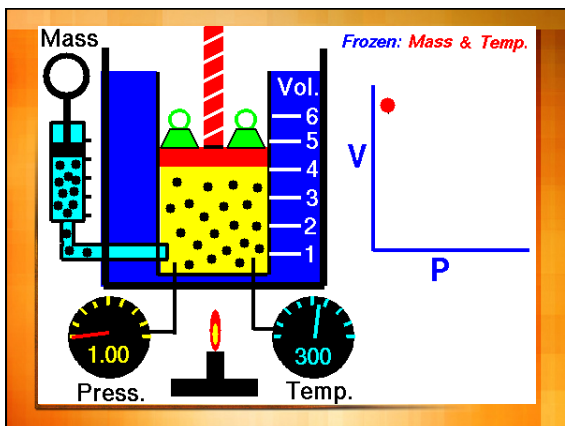
- Compare the basketball to the beach ball though.
- Even though they have the same volume, the basketball has much more air particles compressed into it.
- This causes a higher pressure, which causes the basketball to feel more solid.

Boyle's Law



- Robert Boyle wrote a law that states:
 - For a fixed amount of gas at a constant temperature, the volume of the gas increases as its pressure decreases.
- **$P \times V = \text{constant}$**
- \uparrow Pressure then \downarrow Volume
- \downarrow Pressure then \uparrow Volume

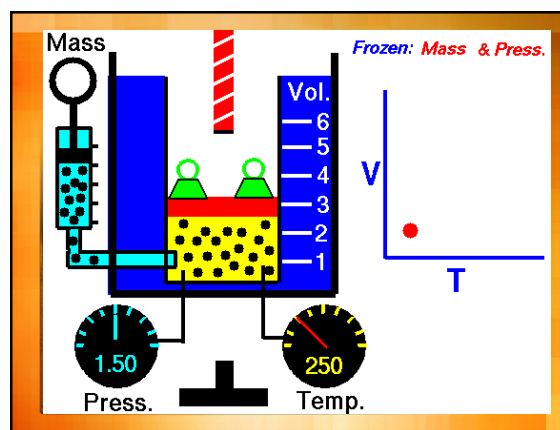
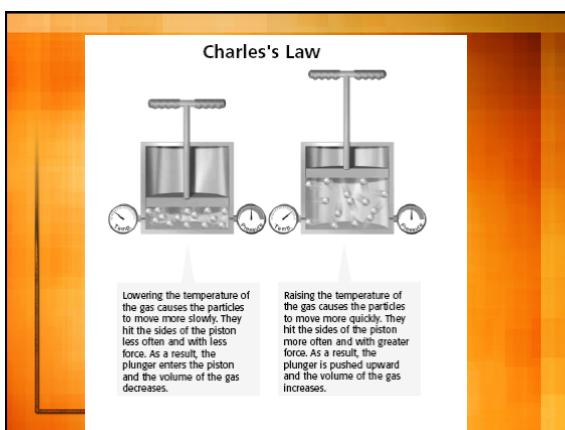




Charles' s Law



- Jacques Charles wrote a law that states:
 - For a fixed amount of gas at a constant pressure, the volume of the gas increase as its temperature increases.
- $V/T = \text{constant}$
- \uparrow Volume then \uparrow Temperature
- \downarrow Volume then \downarrow Temperature




Pulsating Plasmas

- The 4th state of matter, plasma is matter that does not have a definite **shape** or **volume** and whose particles have broken apart.
- Plasma is an **ionized gas**, a gas into which sufficient energy is provided to free electrons from atoms or molecules and to allow both species, ions and electrons, to coexist.
- In other words, a plasma is a **gas** that has **electricity** running through it.

Little Book Graph Drawing

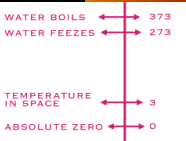
- Turn to page 4 in your little book and complete the drawing of the graphs for both Boyle & Charles' Laws

- Plasmas are the **most common** state of matter in the universe.
- Plasma occurs naturally and makes up the stuff of our sun, the core of stars and occurs in quasars, x-ray beam emitting pulsars, and supernovas.
- On Earth, plasma is naturally occurring in **flames, lightning, and the auroras** (northern & southern lights).
- Artificial plasmas include fluorescent lights.



A fifth state of matter?

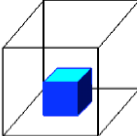
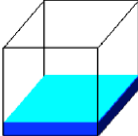
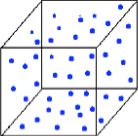
- A fifth state of matter called **Bose-Einstein Condensation** was proved in 1995 by two men at the University of Colorado.
- This phenomenon was originally predicted in the 1920s by Satyendra Nath Bose and Albert Einstein.
- At ultra-low temperatures, we're talking cold, like "3 degrees above Absolute Zero, the coldest you can possible get", atoms begin to stop moving.
- Einstein wondered, what would happen if this occurred in a gas?
- Remember, a gas is defined by the fact that its particles move!




A Fifth State of Matter

- The **Bose-Einstein (BEC)** state of matter was the only one created while your parents were alive. In 1995, two scientists, Cornell and Weiman, finally created the condensate.
- When you hear the word **condensate**, think about condensation and the way gas molecules come together and condense and to a liquid.
- The molecules get **denser** or packed closer together.
- Two other scientists, Satyendra Bose and **Albert Einstein**, had predicted it in the 1920s, but they didn't have the equipment and facilities to make it happen at that time.
- Now we do. If plasmas are super hot and super excited atoms, the atoms in a Bose-Einstein condensate (BEC) are total opposites.
- They are super unexcited and super cold atoms.

Review – Draw the Boxes & write the info

		
Solid	Liquid	Gas
Holds Shape	Shape of Container	Shape of Container
Fixed Volume	Free Surface	Volume of Container
Fixed Volume	Fixed Volume	Volume of Container

States of Matter Summary



Matter-piece Theater

- This is a ton of information to remember, yes?
- In my opinion, one of the best ways to remember information is by getting a little silly and pretending to "BE" the information.
- Time for a little acting.
- Each person in your group is going to act out a state of matter:
 - Letter A: Solid
 - Letter B: Liquid
 - Letter C: Gas
 - Letter D: Plasma
- Take 1 minute to decide how you are going to act.
- On the count of 3, stand up and show your group.