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Chemistry: *Graham's Law*

Do the following problems, showing your work and including all proper units.

1. If neon gas travels at 400 m/s at a given temperature, calculate the velocity of butane, C_4H_{10} , at the same temperature.

2. Hydrogen sulfide, H_2S , has a very strong rotten egg odor. Methyl salicylate, $C_8H_8O_3$, has a wintergreen odor, and benzaldehyde, C_7H_6O , has a pleasant almond odor. If the vapors for these three substances were released at the same time from across a room, which odor would you smell first? Show your work and explain your answer.

3. A nitrogen molecule travels at about 505 m/s at room temperature. Find the velocity of a helium atom at the same temperature.

4. A carbon dioxide molecule travels at 45.0 m/s at a certain temperature. At the same temperature, find the velocity of an oxygen molecule.

5. Nitrogen gas effuses through an opening 1.59 times faster than does an unknown gas.
 - a. Calculate the molecular mass of the unknown gas.

 - b. Make a reasonable prediction as to what the unknown gas is.

6. An unknown gas diffuses 1.62 times slower than does oxygen gas.
 - a. Calculate the molecular mass of the unknown gas.

 - b. Make a reasonable prediction as to what the unknown gas is.

Answers:

1. 236 m/s
2. H_2S
3. 1336 m/s

4. 52.8 m/s
- 5a. 71 a.m.u.
- 5b. Cl_2

- 6a. 84 a.m.u.
- 6b. Kr