Chemistry 1104 Lab: Molar Mass

Goals:

- **1. Introduction to Gas Laws.**
- 2. Determine the Molar Mass(g/mole) of an unknown substance.

Ideal Gas Law:

$\mathbf{PV} = \mathbf{nRT}$

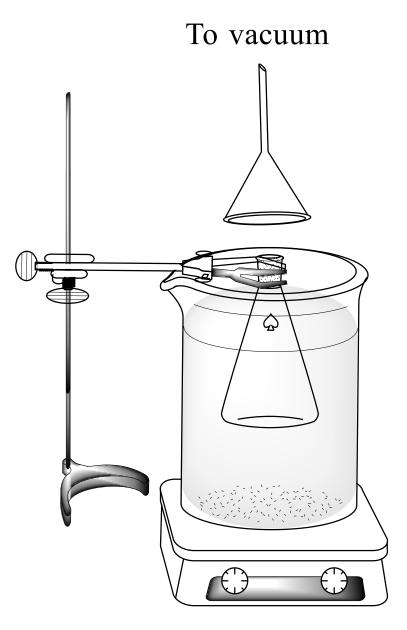
- **P** = **Pressure**
- V = Volume
- n = moles of gas
- R = Gas Constant(0.0821 L·atm/K·mole)
- **T** = **Temperature in Kelvin**

Modified Ideal Gas Law:

$$M = \frac{mRT}{PV}$$

- **P** = **Pressure**
- $\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{Volume}$
- m = mass of gas
- R = Gas Constant(0.0821 L·atm/K·mole)
- T = Temperature in Kelvin $T(K) = T(^{\circ}C) + 273.15$

Experimental Setup:



Experimental Procedure:

- 1. Record Mass of flask and stopper.
- 2. Add unknown to flask. Cover.
- 3. Heat flask and unknown until liquid vaporizes and fills flask.
- 4. Remove flask. Stopper. Cool. Vent.
- 5. Record mass of flask, stopper and condensed liquid.
- 6. Discard unknown.
- 7. Fill flask with water and determine mass of water. Mass of Water(g) = Volume(mL)