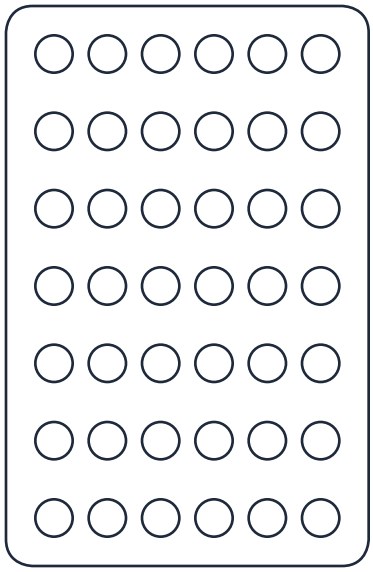
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States of matter

Solid

keeps its own shape

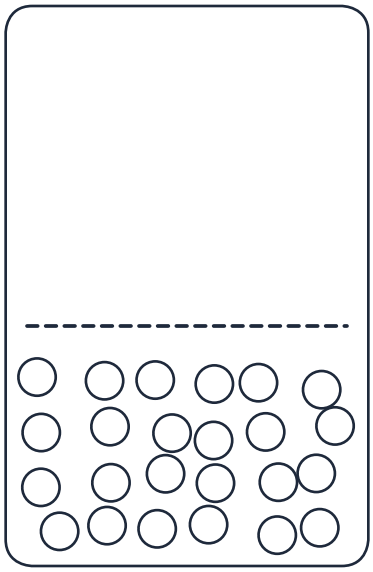


The tiny particles are packed tight and only wiggle in place.



Liquid

flows and takes the shape of its container

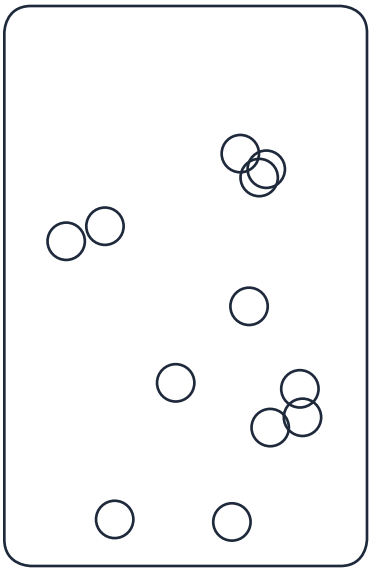


The particles are close, but they slide past each other.

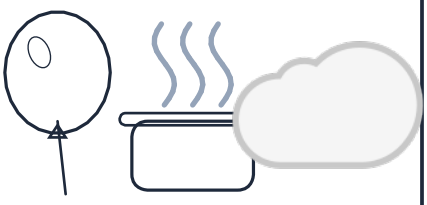


Gas

spreads out to fill any space



The particles are far apart and zoom around.



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