

Specific Heat

1) What is the specific heat (of an) diatomic ideal gas? N, V, T (at large T)

$$U = \frac{f}{2} NkT$$

●●● $f = 3$ transl. + 2×1 vibr. + 2 rotat.

$$\rightarrow U = \frac{7}{2} NkT \rightarrow C_V = \left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial T} \right)_V = \boxed{\frac{7}{2} Nk}$$

2) For this system
2P) What is ΔS if the temperature T_i is increased to T_f ?

$$\Delta S = \int \frac{dQ}{T} = \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \frac{C_V dT}{T} = \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \frac{\frac{7}{2} Nk dT}{T}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{7}{2} Nk \ln\left(\frac{T_f}{T_i}\right)}$$

Thermodynamic Identities

$$dU = Tds - pdV + \mu dN$$

a) $dG = ?$ $G = U - TS + pV$

$$\begin{aligned} dG &= dU - Tds - SdT + pdV + Vdp \\ &= (\cancel{Tds} - \cancel{pdV} + \mu dN) - \cancel{Tds} - SdT + \cancel{pdV} + Vdp \\ &= -SdT + Vdp + \mu dN \end{aligned}$$

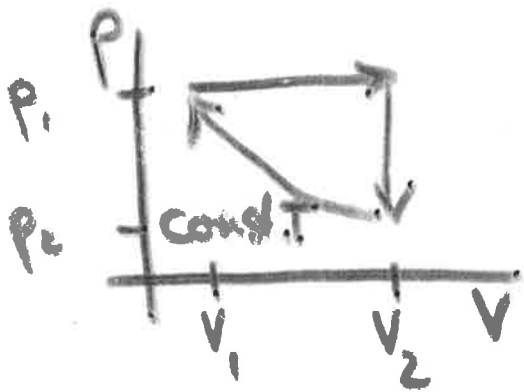
b) Maxwell relation: List two (there are more)

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial p} \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial T} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \frac{\partial G}{\partial p} \quad \rightarrow \quad - \left(\frac{\partial S}{\partial p} \right)_{T, N} = \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial T} \right)_{p, N}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial N} \frac{\partial G}{\partial T} = \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \frac{\partial G}{\partial N} \quad \rightarrow \quad - \left(\frac{\partial S}{\partial N} \right)_{T, p} = \left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial T} \right)_{p, N}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial N} \frac{\partial G}{\partial p} = \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \frac{\partial G}{\partial N} \quad \rightarrow \quad \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial N} \right)_{T, p} = \left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial p} \right)_{T, N}$$

1st Law of Therm. & Heat Engines & Refridg.

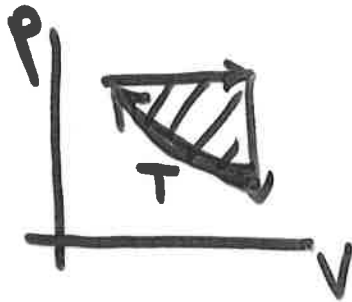


ideal diatomic gas at high T

Determine $\epsilon = \frac{W_{by}}{Q_h}$

a) W_{by} b) Q_h

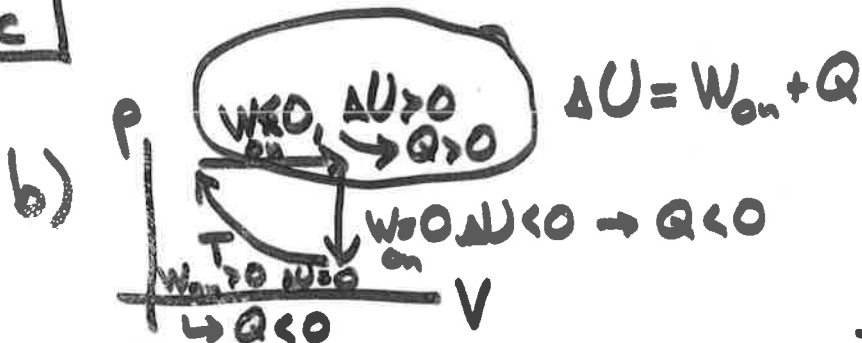
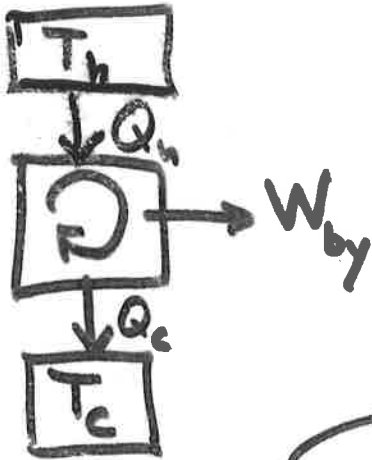
$$\epsilon = \frac{W_{by}}{Q_h}$$



a) $W_{by} = \int p dV$

$$= p_1 (V_2 - V_1) + \int_{V_2}^{V_1} \frac{NkT}{V} dV$$

$$= p_1 (V_2 - V_1) + p_1 V_1 \ln \frac{V_1}{V_2}$$



$$Q_h = \Delta U - W_{on} = \frac{7}{2} NkAT + \int_{V_1}^{V_2} p dV$$

$f = 3 \text{ trans} + 2 \times 1 \text{ vibr.} + 2 \text{ rot.}$

$$Q_h = \frac{7}{2} p_1 (V_2 - V_1) + p_1 (V_2 - V_1) = \frac{9}{2} p_1 (V_2 - V_1)$$

Multiplicities & Entropy

a) What is Ω for an Einstein-solid?

$$\Omega(q, N) = \binom{q+N-1}{q} = \frac{(q+N-1)!}{q! (N-1)!} \approx \frac{(q+N)!}{q! N!}$$

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b) Approximate $\Omega(q, N)$ for $q \gg N$ (high T) & $q, N \gg 1$

b)

$$\ln \Omega = \ln(q+N)! - \ln q! - \ln N!$$

Stirling

$$\approx (q+N) \ln(q+N) - (q+N) - [q \ln q - q] - [N \ln N - N]$$

$$= (q+N) \ln(q+N) - q \ln q - N \ln N$$

c)

$$= (q+N) \left[\ln q + \ln \left(1 + \frac{N}{q}\right) \right] - q \ln q - N \ln N$$

$$\approx \cancel{q \ln q} + N \ln q + \underbrace{(q+N) \left(\frac{N}{q}\right)}_{\rightarrow 0} - \cancel{q \ln q} - N \ln N$$

$$= N \ln \frac{qe}{N}$$

$$\Omega \approx \left(\frac{qe}{N}\right)^N$$

d) Using this result $\Omega = \left(\frac{q\epsilon}{N}\right)^N$

and $U = q\epsilon$ determine $U(T)$.

$$\frac{1}{T} = \frac{\partial S}{\partial U} = \frac{\partial}{\partial U} \left[k \ln \left(\frac{q\epsilon}{N} \right)^N \right] = \frac{\partial}{\partial U} \left[Nk \ln \left(\frac{U\epsilon}{\epsilon N} \right) \right]$$

$$= Nk \frac{1}{U}$$

$$\rightarrow U = NkT \quad (\text{consistent with equipart. thm})$$

Phase Transitions

For the Van der Waals Model

$$P = \frac{NkT}{(V-Nb)} - a \frac{N^2}{V^2}$$

One (you could) can show that $V_c = 3Nb$.

Determine kT_c (as function of a & b only!)

Critical point: $\frac{\partial P}{\partial V} = 0$ & $\frac{\partial^2 P}{\partial V^2} = 0$

at $T = T_c$

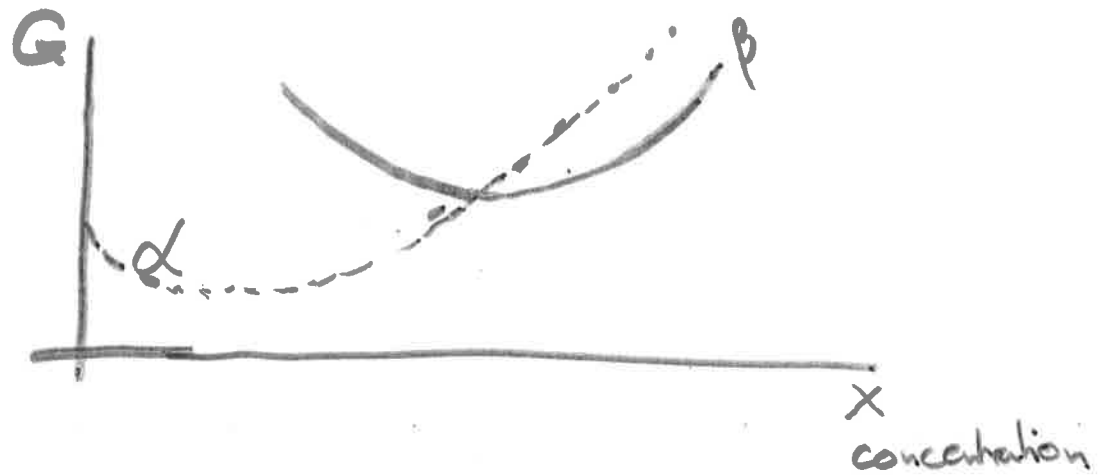
$$-\frac{NkT}{(V-Nb)^2} + \frac{2aN^2}{V^3} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow kT_c = \frac{2aN^2}{V_c^3} \frac{(V_c - Nb)^2}{N} = \frac{2aN^2 (2Nb)^2}{(3Nb)^3} \frac{1}{N}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{8}{27} \frac{a}{b}}$$

Phase Transitions / Phase Separation

For the following scenario:



Is there phase separation? For which x -range?
If yes into which two phases
does the system separate?

