

## Physics 301

Homework due 12 October 2022

- 1) One kilogram of water at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  is brought into contact with a heat reservoir at  $100^\circ\text{C}$ .

When the water has reached  $100^\circ\text{C}$ ,

- (a) what has been the change in entropy of the water?
- (b) what has been the change in entropy of the reservoir?
- (c) what has been the change in entropy of the entire system?

- 2) Stowe problem 9-18.

- 3) Stowe problem 9-23.

- 4) Find the work necessary to inflate a spherical soap bubble to a radius  $R$  in the atmosphere. The surface tension of the soap is  $\mathcal{S}$ .

- 5) Consider a system whose equation of state is given by  $\frac{p^2}{T^{1/3}} e^{aV} = b$ , where  $p$  is pressure,

$T$  is absolute temperature,  $V$  is volume, and  $a$  and  $b$  are constants. Calculate the

- (a) isothermal compressibility
- (b) coefficient of volume expansion

①  $\Delta S = \int dS = \int \frac{dQ}{T}$ . T is in Kelvin, so convert:  $T_{\text{initial}} = 0^\circ\text{C} = 273$   
 $T_{\text{final}} = 100^\circ\text{C} = 373$

a) Use the fact that  $dQ = C dT$ . For water,  $C = 1 \text{ Cal/g/}^\circ\text{C}$

$$\Delta S = C \cdot m \int_{\frac{273.16}{T}}^{\frac{373.16}{T}} \frac{dT}{T} = C m \ln T \Big|_{\frac{273.16}{T}}^{\frac{373.16}{T}} = C m \ln \left( \frac{373.16}{273.16} \right) = C m \ln 1.37$$

Plug in  $m = 1000 \text{ g}$ , and  $C$ :

$$\Delta S_{\text{water}} = (1000 \text{ g} \times 1 \text{ Cal/g/}^\circ\text{C}) \cdot \ln 1.37 = \boxed{312 \text{ Cal/}^\circ\text{C}}$$

b)  $\Delta S = \int dS = \frac{1}{T} \int dQ$  (T is constant for the reservoir)

$\int dQ$  for the reservoir must be the same as  $-\Delta Q$  for the kilogram of water, since energy is conserved. For the water,

$$-\Delta Q = -C \int dT = -C (373.16 - 273.16) \cdot 1000 \text{ g} \cdot \frac{1^\circ\text{C}}{1^\circ\text{K}} = -10^5$$

$$\Delta S = \frac{1}{373.16 \text{ K}} \cdot (-10^5 \text{ Cal}) \cdot \frac{^\circ\text{K}}{^\circ\text{C}} = \boxed{-268 \text{ Cal/}^\circ\text{C}}$$

c)  $\Delta S_{\text{system}} = \Delta S_{\text{water}} + \Delta S_{\text{res}} = 312 - 268 = \boxed{44 \text{ Cal/}^\circ\text{C}}$

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2) a) # dof/molecule = 5  
 # molecules =  $6.02 \times 10^{23}$

$$\# \text{dof}_{\text{tot}} = (5) 6.02 \times 10^{23} = \boxed{3.01 \times 10^{24}}$$

b)  $E = \frac{1}{2} NkT$

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$$T = \frac{2E}{Nk}$$

Plug in  $E = 3200 \text{ J}$

$$N = 3.01 \times 10^{24}$$

$$k = 1.381 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K}$$

$$\boxed{T = 154 \text{ K}}$$

$$c) \frac{\sigma}{E} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{N}} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3.01 \times 10^{24}}} = 8.15 \times 10^{-13} \rightarrow \boxed{8.15 \times 10^{-11} \%}$$

3) Begin with  $\mathcal{N} = \nu N$ .

$$a) \frac{1 \text{ gram} \times \frac{\text{mole}}{18 \text{ grams}} \times 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ molecules}}{\text{mole}} = \boxed{3.34 \times 10^{22}}$$

$$b) \Delta Q = C \Delta T$$

$$\Delta Q = (1 \text{ Cal/g/}^\circ\text{C}) \times (1 \text{ K}) \times \left(\frac{1^\circ\text{C}}{1 \text{ K}}\right) = \boxed{1 \text{ Calorie}}$$

$$c) \Delta E = \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{N} k \Delta T = \frac{1}{2} \nu N k \Delta T, \text{ so}$$

$$\nu = \frac{2 \Delta E}{N k \Delta T} = \frac{2 \cdot 1 \text{ Calorie}}{(3.34 \times 10^{22}) \cdot (1.381 \times 10^{-23} \frac{\text{J}}{\text{K}}) \cdot (1 \text{ K}) \cdot \left(\frac{1 \text{ Calorie}}{4.184 \text{ J}}\right)}$$

$$= \boxed{1.8}$$

$$(4) W = \int \sigma dW$$

For surface tension problems,  $dW = \sigma \cdot d(\text{Area})$

You might expect then that

$$W (\text{create a sphere of radius } R) = \sigma \cdot (\text{area of sphere}) \\ = \sigma \cdot 4\pi R^2$$

However, a soap bubble actually has 2 surfaces, inner + outer,

so you need to work on both. Thus actually  $W = 2 \cdot \sigma \cdot 4\pi R^2$

$$\boxed{W = 8 \cdot \sigma \pi R^2}$$

(The student is not strongly penalized for missing the factor of 2.)

$$\textcircled{5} \quad \frac{P^2}{T^{1/3}} e^{aV} = b$$

a) Find  $K \equiv -\frac{1}{V} \left( \frac{\partial V}{\partial P} \right)_T$

$$e^{aV} = b T^{1/3} P^{-2}$$

$$aV = \ln(b T^{1/3} P^{-2})$$

$$V = \frac{1}{a} \ln(b T^{1/3} P^{-2})$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \ln b T^{1/3} - \frac{2}{a} \ln P$$

$$\left( \frac{\partial V}{\partial P} \right)_T = -\frac{2}{aP}$$

$$K = -\frac{1}{V} \left( \frac{\partial V}{\partial P} \right)_T = -\frac{2}{\ln(b T^{1/3} P^{-2})} \left( -\frac{2}{aP} \right) = \boxed{\frac{2}{P \ln(b T^{1/3} P^{-2})}}$$

b) Find  $\beta \equiv \frac{1}{V} \left( \frac{\partial V}{\partial T} \right)_P$

$$V = \frac{1}{a} \ln(b T^{1/3} P^{-2})$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \ln(b P^{-2}) + \frac{1}{3a} \ln T$$

$$\left(\frac{dV}{dT}\right)_P = \frac{1}{3aT}$$

$$\beta = \frac{1}{V} \left(\frac{dV}{dT}\right)_P = \frac{a}{\ln(bT^{1/3} P^{-2})} \cdot \frac{1}{3aT} = \frac{1}{3T \ln(bT^{1/3} P^{-2})}$$