

CHM 421/621 Assignment 2

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Due on 3rd Oct., 2019.

1. For a system with the fundamental equation

$$u = \left(\frac{\theta}{R}\right) s^2 - \left(\frac{R\theta}{v_0^2}\right) v^2$$

- (a) Find the three equations of state.
 - (b) Verify that the equations of state are homogeneous zero order, i.e. that T , P and μ are intensive parameters.
 - (c) Show that $\mu = -u$ here.
 - (d) Express μ as a function of T and P .
2. A particular system obeys the relation

$$u = Av^{-2}\exp(s/R)$$

N moles of this substance, initially at temperature T_0 and pressure P_0 , are expanded isentropically ($s = \text{constant}$) until the pressure is halved. What is the final temperature?

3. Show that if a single-component system is such that PV^k is constant in an adiabatic process (k is a positive constant) the energy is

$$U = \frac{1}{k-1}PV + Nf(PV^k/N^k)$$

where f is an arbitrary function.

4. Two particular systems have the following equations of state:

$$\frac{1}{T^{(1)}} = \frac{3}{2} R \frac{N^{(1)}}{U^{(1)}}$$
$$\frac{1}{T^{(2)}} = \frac{5}{2} R \frac{N^{(2)}}{U^{(2)}}$$

where R is the gas constant. The mole number of the first system is $N^{(1)} = 2$ and that of the second is $N^{(2)} = 3$. The two systems are separated by a diathermal wall, and the total energy in the composite system is 2.5×10^3 J. What is the internal energy of each system in equilibrium?

5. The fundamental equation of a particular type of two-component system is

$$S = NA + NR \ln \frac{U^{\frac{3}{2}} V}{N^{\frac{5}{2}}} - N_1 R \ln \frac{N_1}{N} - N_2 R \ln \frac{N_2}{N}$$
$$N = N_1 + N_2$$

where A is an unspecified constant. A closed rigid cylinder of total volume 10 L is divided into two chambers of equal volume by a diathermal rigid membrane, permeable to the first component but impermeable to the second. In one chamber is placed a sample of the system with original parameters $N_1^{(2)} = 1$, $N_2^{(2)} = 0.5$, $V^{(2)} = 5$ L, and $T^{(2)} = 250$ K. After equilibrium is established, what are the values of $N_1^{(1)}$, $N_2^{(1)}$, T , $P^{(1)}$, and $P^{(2)}$?