

Problem #4: Huang MT1 F08

Given:  $\lambda_m = 5.6 \times 10^{-8} \text{ m}$  at STP

Find:  $d_{\text{co}}$

Solution: Use  $\lambda_m = \frac{1}{4\pi\sqrt{2}r^2(N/V)}$

[One common mistake: using the formula  $\lambda_m = \frac{1}{4\pi r^2(N/V)}$

Note:  $V = \text{volume}$ , not velocity]

Solve for  $r$ :

$$\left( \lambda_m = \frac{1}{4\pi\sqrt{2}r^2(N/V)} \right) \frac{r^2}{\lambda_m}$$

$$r^2 = \frac{1}{4\pi\sqrt{2}\lambda_m(N/V)}$$

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4\pi\sqrt{2}\lambda_m(N/V)}}$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 2r = 2\sqrt{\frac{1}{4\pi\sqrt{2}\lambda_m(N/V)}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{\pi\sqrt{2}\lambda_m(N/V)}}$$

Give diameter,  
not radius  
as answer

Now, need to find  $N/V$ :

Method 1: 1 mol occupies 22.4 L at STP and 1 mol =  $6.02 \times 10^{23}$  mol.

However,  $V$  has to be in units of  $m^3$  not L,  $V = 0.0224 m^3$

$$\frac{N}{V} = \frac{6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}}{0.0224 m^3} = 2.68 \times 10^{25} \text{ mol}/m^3$$

Method 2:  $PV = NkT \Rightarrow \frac{N}{V} = \frac{P}{kT}$

At STP,  $P = 1 \text{ atm}$  but we need to convert this to  $N/m^2$ ,  $P \approx 10^5 \text{ N}/m^2 (\text{Pa})$

$$\frac{N}{V} = \frac{10^5 \text{ N}/m^2}{1.38 \cdot 10^{-23} \text{ J/K} \cdot 273 \text{ K}} = 2.65 \times 10^{25} \text{ mol}/m^3$$

Note: Both  $T = 273 \text{ K}$  &  $T = 293 \text{ K}$  were accepted

$$d = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\pi \cdot 5.6 \cdot 10^{-8} \cdot 2.68 \times 10^{25}}} = 3.87 \cdot 10^{-10} \text{ m}$$

(1 atm, 273 K)

Also acceptable

$$d = 4.0 \cdot 10^{-10} \text{ m} \text{ (1 atm, 293 K)}$$

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i) D:  $P = \epsilon \sigma A T^4$

ii) A: From class

iii) D:  $P(\text{all heads}) = \frac{1}{2^{1000}}$  so  
need to throw it many times  
to achieve this microstate

iv) C: Carnot cycles & isothermal  
expansions are always reversible  
a) is reversible because any chemical  
equation has some non-zero probability  
of reversing.

v) C:  $l_f = l_0 (1 + \alpha \Delta T)$

A:  $l_f^2 = l_0^2 (1 + \alpha \Delta T)^2$

$= l_0^2 (1 + 2\alpha \Delta T + \alpha^2 \Delta T^2)$   
neglect

$= l_0^2 (1 + 2\alpha \Delta T)$

$$3 a) \quad Q = 0$$

$$\gamma = \frac{C_p}{C_v} = \frac{\frac{5}{2}R}{\frac{3}{2}R} = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$P_1 V_1^\gamma = P_2 V_2^\gamma$$

$$V_2 = \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}} V_1 = \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}} V_1$$

$$T_1 = \frac{P_1 V_1}{nR}$$

$$T_2 = \frac{P_2 V_2}{nR} = \frac{P_2 \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}} V_1}{nR}$$

$$\Delta E = \frac{3}{2} nR \Delta T = \frac{3}{2} nR \left( \frac{P_2 \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}} V_1}{nR} - \frac{P_1 V_1}{nR} \right)$$

$$\Delta E = \frac{3}{2} \left( P_2 \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}} V_1 - P_1 V_1 \right)$$

$$\Delta E = Q - W \Rightarrow W = -\Delta E$$

$$W = \frac{3}{2} \left( P_1 V_1 - P_2 \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}} V_1 \right)$$

$$b) \quad \Delta T = 0$$

$$\Delta E = \frac{3}{2} n R \Delta T = 0$$

$$\Delta E = Q - W = 0 \Rightarrow Q = W$$

$$W = \int_{V_2}^{V_3} P dV = n R T_2 \int_{V_2}^{V_3} \frac{dV}{V} = n R T_2 \ln\left(\frac{V_3}{V_2}\right)$$

$$P V = n R T \quad T \text{ is constant}$$

$$\frac{P V}{n R} = \text{constant} \Rightarrow P_2 V_2 = P_3 V_3$$
$$\frac{P_2}{P_3} = \frac{V_3}{V_2}$$

$$W = n R T_2 \ln\left(\frac{P_2}{P_3}\right)$$

$$P_3 = P_1$$

$$T_2 = \frac{P_2 \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}} V_1}{n R} \quad \text{from part a}$$

$$W = P_2 \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}} V_1 \ln\left(\frac{P_2}{P_1}\right)$$

$$Q = W$$

$$c) \quad \Delta E = \frac{3}{2}nR(T_1 - T_3) = \frac{3}{2}nR(T_1 - T_2)$$

$$\Delta E = \frac{3}{2}nR\left(\frac{P_1 V_1}{nR} - \frac{P_2 \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}} V_1}{nR}\right)$$

$$\Delta E = \frac{3}{2}\left(P_1 V_1 - P_2 \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}} V_1\right)$$

$$Q = n C_p \Delta T = \frac{5}{2}nR(T_1 - T_2)$$

$$\boxed{Q = \frac{5}{2}\left(P_1 V_1 - P_2 \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}} V_1\right)}$$

$$\Delta E = Q - W \Rightarrow W = Q - \Delta E$$

$$W = \left(\frac{5}{2} - \frac{3}{2}\right)\left(P_1 V_1 - P_2 \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}} V_1\right)$$

$$\boxed{W = P_1 V_1 - P_2 \left(\frac{P_1}{P_2}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}} V_1}$$

d)

$$pV = nRT$$

$$V = \frac{nRT}{p} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{1}{V} = \frac{p}{nRT}$$

$$\frac{dV}{dT} = \frac{nR}{p}$$

$$\beta = \frac{1}{V} \frac{dV}{dT}$$

$$\beta = \left( \frac{p}{nRT} \right) \left( \frac{nR}{p} \right)$$

$$\boxed{\beta = \frac{1}{T}}$$

4) (35 pts.) One mole of water is cooled from  $T_1=25^\circ\text{C}$  to  $T_2=0^\circ\text{C}$  and frozen in a refrigerator. You can treat the heat being taken out of the water as the low-temperature heat input for the refrigerator. The refrigerator operates at maximum theoretical efficiency (no entropy created) and exhausts heat into a second mole of water at (again)  $T_1=25^\circ\text{C}$ , heating it to  $T_3=100^\circ\text{C}$  and converting a fraction ( $n'$  mole) into vapor.

Note: For parts *a)* through *d)*, express your answer for each part in terms of any or all of the quantities given in the problem,  $T_1$ ,  $T_2$ ,  $T_3$  and  $n'$ , and relevant physical constants. You can use  $m$  as the mass of one mole of water. Also remember that there are two thermodynamic processes for each of these parts: the cooling and the freezing, or, the warming and the vaporization.

*a)* Find the total amount of heat,  $|Q_c|$ , that flows out of the first mole of water.

Assume all the water gets frozen

$$Q_{25^\circ\text{C} \rightarrow 0^\circ\text{C}} = mc(T_2 - T_1)$$

$$Q_{\text{Liquid} \rightarrow \text{Solid}} = mL_f$$

$$|Q_c| = |Q_{25 \rightarrow 0} + Q_{\text{liquid} \rightarrow \text{solid}}|$$

Answer:

$$|mc(T_2 - T_1) - mL_f|$$



b) Find the total amount of entropy,  $|\Delta S_T|$ , that flows out of the first mole of water.

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta S_{e_{25^\circ \rightarrow 0^\circ \text{C}}} &= \int_{25^\circ \text{C}}^{0^\circ \text{C}} \frac{1}{T} dQ \\ &= \int_{25^\circ \text{C}}^{0^\circ \text{C}} \frac{1}{T} mc dT \\ &= mc \ln\left(\frac{T_2}{T_1}\right) \quad \leftarrow \text{numerically convert to Kelvin!} \\ &\quad T = 273 + T_n\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta S_{e_{\text{liquid} \rightarrow \text{solid}}} &= \frac{\Delta Q_{\text{liquid} \rightarrow \text{solid}}}{T_2} \\ &= \frac{mL_f}{T_2}\end{aligned}$$

Answer:

$$\left| mc \ln\left(\frac{T_2}{T_1}\right) - m \frac{L_f}{T_2} \right|$$

c) Find the total amount of heat,  $|Q_2|$ , that flows into the second mole of water.

$$Q_{2, 25^\circ\text{C} \rightarrow 100^\circ\text{C}} = mc(T_3 - T_2)$$

$$Q_{2, \text{vaporize}} = n'm L_v$$

Answer:

$$|mc(T_3 - T_2) + n'm L_v|$$

d) Find the total amount of entropy,  $|\Delta S_2|$ , that flows into the second mole of water.

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta S_{25^\circ \rightarrow 100^\circ} &= \int_{25^\circ}^{100^\circ} \frac{1}{T} dQ \\ &= mc \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \frac{1}{T} dT \\ &= mc \ln\left(\frac{T_f}{T_i}\right)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta S_{\text{liquid} \rightarrow \text{gas}} &= \frac{\Delta Q}{T_3} \\ &= \frac{n'm L_v}{T_3}\end{aligned}$$

Answer:

$$\left| mc \ln\left(\frac{T_f}{T_i}\right) + \frac{n'm L_v}{T_3} \right|$$

e) What is  $\Delta S_1 + \Delta S_2$ ? Note that there are no absolute value signs around the entropy changes here. (*Hint*: Can this process be reversed?)

$$\begin{aligned} & mc \ln\left(\frac{T_2}{T_1}\right) - m \frac{L_f}{T_2} + mc \ln\left(\frac{T_3}{T_1}\right) + \frac{n' m L_v}{T_3} \\ &= mc \ln\left(\frac{T_2 T_3}{T_1^2}\right) - m \left(\frac{L_f}{T_2} - \frac{n' L_v}{T_3}\right) \end{aligned}$$

Answer:

0 reversible

f) Find  $n'$ .

$$m c \ln\left(\frac{T_2 T_3}{T_1^2}\right) - m \left(\frac{L_f}{T_2} - \frac{n' L_v}{T_3}\right) = 0$$

$$c \ln\left(\frac{T_2 T_3}{T_1^2}\right) = \frac{L_f}{T_2} - \frac{n' L_v}{T_3}$$

$$n' = \frac{T_3}{L_v} \left[ \frac{L_f}{T_2} - c \ln\left(\frac{T_2 T_3}{T_1^2}\right) \right]$$

Formulaic Answer:

$$\frac{T_3}{L_v} \left[ \frac{L_f}{T_2} - c \ln\left(\frac{T_2 T_3}{T_1^2}\right) \right]$$

$$T_1 = 298\text{K} \quad T_2 = 273\text{K} \quad T_3 = 373\text{K}$$

$$L_f = 3.33 \times 10^5 \frac{\text{J}}{\text{kg}} \quad L_v = 22.6 \times 10^5 \frac{\text{J}}{\text{kg}}$$

$$C = 4.19 \times 10^3 \frac{\text{J}}{\text{kg} \cdot \text{C}}$$

Numerical Answer:

$$n' = 0.107$$

f) How much work,  $|W|$ , must be done by the refrigerator?

$$|Q_2| = |W| + |Q_1|$$

$$\begin{aligned} |W| &= |mC(T_3 - T_2) + n^2 m L_v| - |mC(T_2 - T_1) - mL_f| \\ &= |mC(T_3 - T_2) + n^2 m L_v - mC(T_2 - T_1) - mL_f| \end{aligned}$$

Formulaic Answer:

$$mC(T_3 - T_2) + n^2 m L_v - mC(T_2 - T_1) - mL_f$$

Numerical Answer:

$$W = 2116 \text{ J}$$