

Lecture 26 review:

1. ECT) for particles in a box:

Combine $E_j = E_{n_x, n_y, n_z} = \frac{h^2}{8mL^2} (n_x^2 + n_y^2 + n_z^2)$

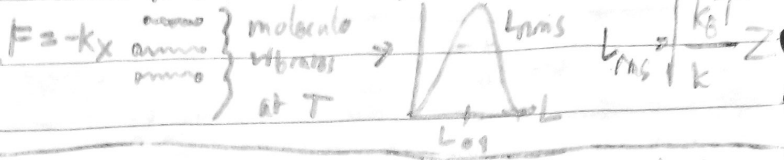
$E = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial Z}{\partial \beta} \rightarrow Z = \left(\frac{2\pi m k_B T}{h^2} \right)^{3/2} V$

$E = \frac{3}{2} N k_B T = \frac{3}{2} nRT$ for N particles

$T \propto$ energy per degree of freedom

$(\frac{1}{2} k_B T)$ energy per degree of freedom

2. In notes,



Lecture 27: What is ΔG ?

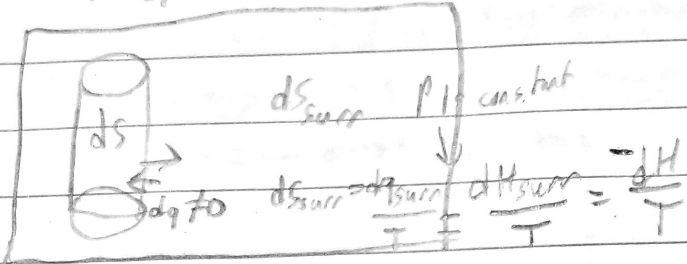
isolated system: $S_{tot}(t > 0) > S_{tot}(t = 0)$

"tot" = total or $dS_{tot} > 0$

- This is valid at constant $E \& V$ since S is a function of $E, V, S(E, V, \dots)$

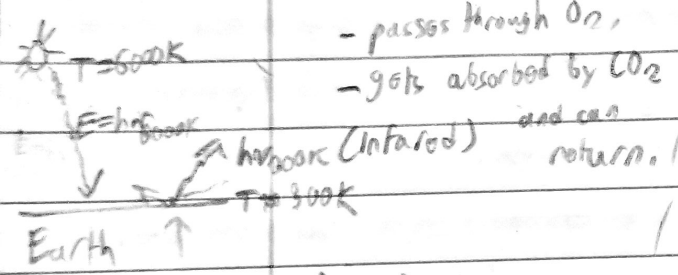
Can we come up with a similar formula for constant $T \& P$ (more practical)

When is a rxn. in a sys. at constant $T \& P$ spontaneous?



"env" = environment
"tot" = total

ex. for $dS > 0$



From postulates 1: $dS_{tot} = dS + dS_{surr} > 0$
 $= dS + \frac{dH_{surr}}{T} > 0$

$dS_{tot} = dS - \frac{dH}{T} > 0$

multiply by T on both sides

$G = H - TS$ $dH - TdS < 0$

$dG = dH - TdS$ $dG < 0 \iff dS_{tot} > 0$
at constant T if T is constant

How much does S (or W) change?

Z ?

$S = 2$ (exact $Z = 8\pi \left(\frac{k_B T}{ck} \right)^3$ per unit volume)

$Z_{20} = \frac{Z_1 \cdot Z_2 \cdot \dots \cdot Z_{20}}{20!} = \frac{Z^{20}}{20!}$

Z_{1p} photon, 6000K = $1.8 \times 10^{16} (m^{-3})$ } $N=1 \rightarrow$
 Z_{20} protons, 300K = $10^{28} (m^{-3})$ } $N=20$
highly spontaneous

