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⊗ Coarse of observation of microscopic variables leads to macroscopic variables.

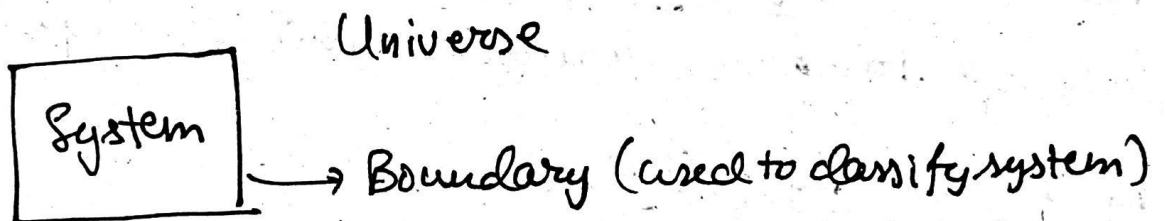
Last mode in last day's note is like a volume expansion (So?)

In his notation \rightarrow Coarse graining = Observation with a least count greater than smaller modes of system.

This is how the last mode leads to a macroscopic quantity like volume (length)

Δ Thermodynamic system —

Take a part of the universe that you want to study.



Δ Isolated system — No exchange of matter or energy.

⊗ In the context of thermodynamics we do not consider mass and energy equivalent.

Δ Open system — Exchange of matter and energy.

Δ Closed system — Allows energy exchange, but not matter.

Exchange of energy -

Heating the system

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Relation of these two: 1st Law

Δ Adiabatic wall - No exchange of heat energy.

↳ Another way of saying 'thermally isolated'

Δ Diathermic wall → Allow energy transfer.

Δ State of a system: Macroscopic variables describe this.

↳ Equilibrium values.

(*) Always only described at equilibrium.

↳ Something that is not changing with time.

Regardless of what happens in a process, thermodynamic variables are still related by thermodynamic relations.

Δ Mechanical Equilibrium -

Dictated by NLM,

$$\vec{F}_N = 0, \vec{\gamma}_N = 0$$

Δ Chemical Equilibrium -

No spontaneous change in chemical composition.

Δ Thermal Equilibrium →

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↳ diathermic

Allow a system to evolve.

No change in properties.

If we have all three eqs, it is called thermodynamic equilibrium.

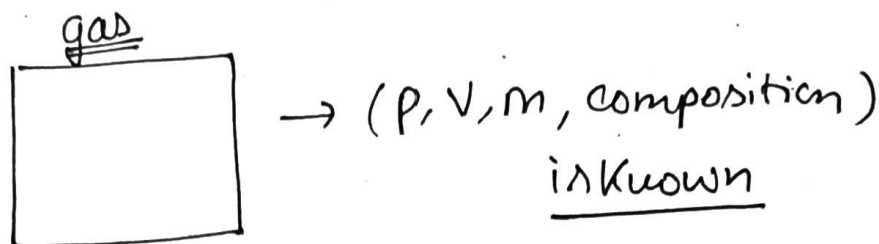
Macroscopic variables — (x, y, z) (Say)

Then $\exists f(x, y, z) = 0$

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Equation of state \rightarrow Empirical relation

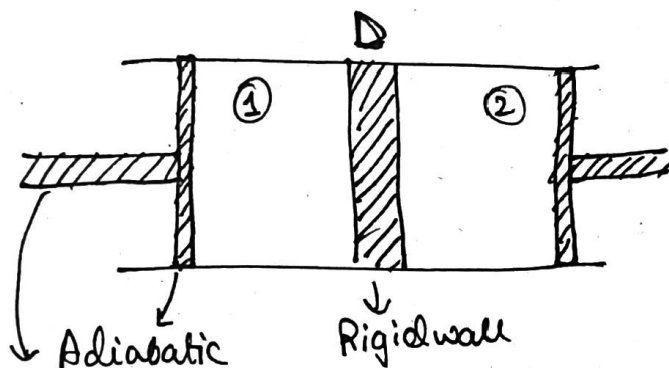
⊗ Claim \rightarrow (Later) the equations that relate these can be derived from microscopic physics.

○ Thermal equilibrium and temperature \rightarrow



p and V can change independently

Self Note : n variables, p constraints $\Rightarrow n - p$ indep variables.



○ Dis adiabatic, \Rightarrow ① and ② can coexist for any (p_1, V_1) and (p_2, V_2)

○ Dis ~~diathermic~~ diathermic $\Rightarrow (p_1, V_1)$ and (p_2, V_2) are not independent

$\Rightarrow \exists$ a function $f(p_1, V_1, p_2, V_2) = 0$

△ Thermal eq is a state achieved by two or more systems characterised by restricted state of parameters on having been separated by a diathermic wall.

⊗ Temp defined & next class..