# (a) Grand Partition Function for Fermi-Dirac Statistics

The grand partition function for a system of fermions obeying the Pauli exclusion principle is given by:

$$\mathcal{Z} = \prod_{i=1}^{M} \left( 1 + e^{-\beta(\epsilon i - \mu)} \right)$$

where:

- $\beta = \frac{1}{k_B T}$  is the inverse temperature,
- $\epsilon i$  represents the energy levels,
- $\mu$  is the chemical potential,
- $\bullet$  M is the total number of available energy levels.

This partition function accounts for the fact that fermions can only occupy a given quantum state \*\*once\*\* due to the Pauli exclusion principle.

### Task 2: Bose-Einstein Condensate (BEC)

#### (a) Microstates

There are N+1 microstates. There can be k particles at E=0 and N-k particles at  $E=\epsilon$ , where  $k=0,1,\ldots,N$ .

### (b) Classical Partition Function

The classical partition function under the canonical ensemble is given by:

$$Z_C = \sum_{k=0}^{N} {N \choose k} e^{-\beta k\epsilon} = (1 + e^{-\beta \epsilon})^N.$$

The probability of finding a specific energy E is:

$$P(E) = \frac{\binom{N}{E/\epsilon} e^{-\beta E}}{Z_C}, \quad \text{(assuming $E$ is a multiple of $\epsilon$)}.$$

### (c) Classical Average Particle Number

The average number of particles in the ground state and excited state are:

$$\langle n_0 \rangle_C = \frac{1}{Z_C} \sum_{k=0}^N (N - k) \binom{N}{k} e^{-\beta k \epsilon} = \frac{N}{1 + e^{-\beta \epsilon}}.$$
$$\langle n_\epsilon \rangle_C = \frac{1}{Z_C} \sum_{k=0}^N k \binom{N}{k} e^{-\beta k \epsilon} = \frac{N}{1 + e^{\beta \epsilon}}.$$

Since  $\langle n_0 \rangle_C + \langle n_\epsilon \rangle_C = N$ , the result is consistent.

#### (d) Quantum Partition Function

The quantum partition function under the canonical ensemble is:

$$Z = \sum_{k=0}^{N} e^{-\beta k\epsilon} = \frac{e^{\beta \epsilon} - e^{-N\beta \epsilon}}{e^{\beta \epsilon} - 1}.$$

The probability of finding a specific energy E is:

$$P(E) = \frac{e^{-\beta E}}{Z}.$$

### (e) Quantum Average Particle Number under the Canonical Ensemble

The average number of particles in the ground state and excited state:

$$\langle n_0 \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \sum_{k=0}^{N} (N-k) \binom{N}{k} e^{-\beta k\epsilon} = N - \frac{1}{e^{\beta \epsilon} - 1} + \frac{N+1}{e^{(N+1)\beta \epsilon} - 1}. \tag{1}$$

$$\langle n_{\epsilon} \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \sum_{k=0}^{N} k \binom{N}{k} e^{-\beta k \epsilon} = \frac{1}{e^{\beta \epsilon} - 1} - \frac{N+1}{e^{(N+1)\beta \epsilon} - 1}.$$
 (2)

## (f) Quantum Partition Function under the Grand Canonical Ensemble

The grand partition function is:

$$\Omega_G = \sum_{N=0}^{\infty} e^{\beta \mu N} Z = \frac{1}{(e^{\beta(\mu - \epsilon)} - 1)(e^{\beta\mu} - 1)}.$$
 (3)

For the sum to converge, we require:

$$\mu < 0. \tag{4}$$

### (g) Particle Number under the Grand Canonical Ensemble Using the grand potential, the total average particle number is:

$$\langle N \rangle = \frac{1}{\beta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} \ln \Omega_G = \frac{e^{\beta(\epsilon - \mu)} (1 + e^{\beta \epsilon} - 2e^{\beta \mu})}{(e^{\beta(\mu - \epsilon)} - 1)^2 (e^{\beta \mu} - 1)^2}.$$
 (5)

# (h) Ground State Occupation under the Grand Canonical Ensemble

The average ground state occupation number is:

$$\langle n_0 \rangle = \frac{1}{\Omega_G} \sum_{N=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{N} (N-k) e^{\beta \mu N} e^{-\beta k \epsilon} = \frac{1}{e^{\beta(\epsilon-\mu)} - 1}.$$
 (6)

#### (i) Numerical Solution for $\mu$

To find  $\mu$  for given N and  $\beta$ , solve:

$$N = \sum_{l} \frac{1}{e^{\beta(\epsilon_{l} - \mu)} - 1}.$$
 (7)

Taking the derivative with respect to  $\beta$ :

$$\frac{d\mu}{d\beta}$$
 is then used to find  $\frac{d\langle n_0 \rangle}{d\beta}$ . (8)