

# Lecture 3: Equilibrium Conditions

1. Energy

A. Entropy

B. Transforming energy into other potentials

2. Reaction quotients and equilibrium



What is energy?

- capacity to produce change

What forms does it take? work, thermal, chemical, etc



equilibrium: no more change, so energy minimized

1st Law of Thermodynamics:  $\Delta U = Q + W$

$\Delta \text{energy} = \text{heat} + \text{work}$

Work  
$$W = \int_{x_0}^x F dx$$

$$F = m \cdot \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$P = \frac{F}{A}$$

P-V work

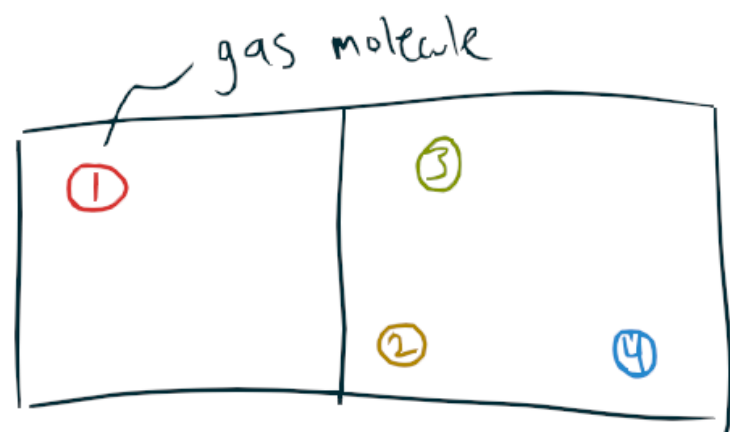
$$W = \int_{z_0}^z \frac{F}{A} A dz = - \int_{V_0}^V P dV$$



$$A = xy$$
$$V = xyz$$

← convention defines work the system does as negative

Q or heat: related to T but must also capture that there is a natural direction which reactions proceed



remove partition  
 what happens?  
 what are the possible distributions?



$2^4 = 16$  options

$\frac{6}{16}$  options with 2:2

most probable state

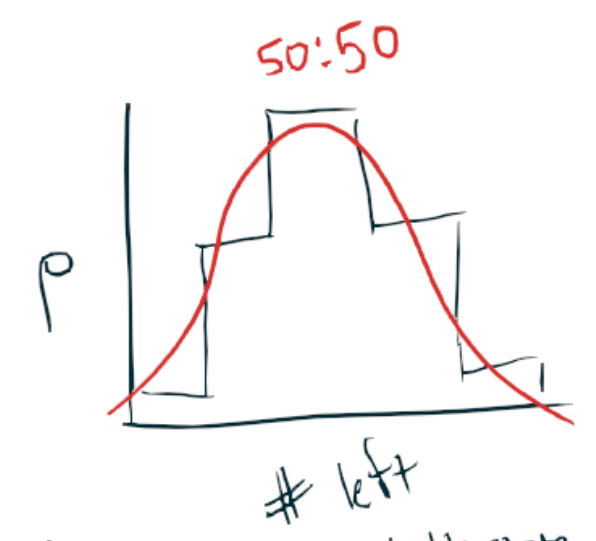
Entropy is minimized when a system is at the most probable state  
 ↳ causes change towards max p

2nd law says

$$dS = \frac{dQ}{T}$$

So

$$\Delta U = T dS - P dV$$



$$dU = TdS - PdV$$

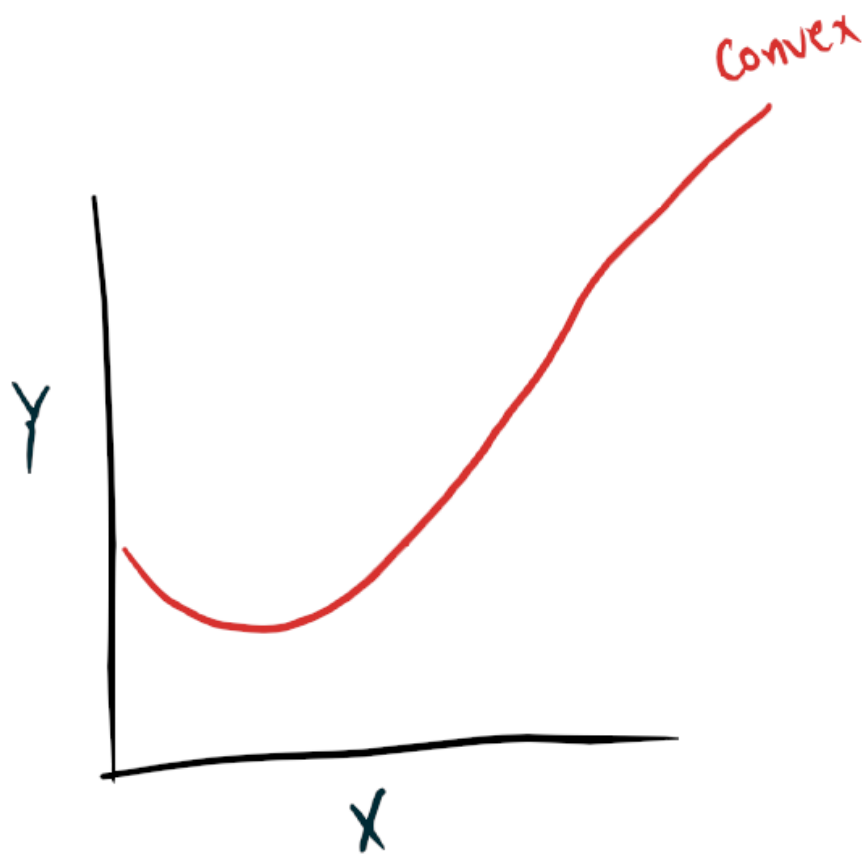
What if our system includes a chemical reaction that changes the amounts of chemical components?

$\mu_i$  = chemical potential of species  $i$

$$dU = TdS - PdV + \sum \mu_i dN_i \quad U(S, V, N_i)$$

$T, S$  and  $P, V$  and  $\mu_i, N_i$  are three conjugate pairs

and we can transform  $U(S, V, N_i) \rightarrow G(T, P, N_i)$



$\frac{dy}{dx}$  is monotonic which means there is one  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  for each  $x$   
 $\frac{dy}{dx}$  and  $x$  are conjugate pairs

$F(x)$  or  $G(\frac{dy}{dx})$   
 are the two transforms  
 of the same relationship

$$f(x, y)$$

$$g(x, w)$$

$$df = u dx + w dy$$

$$dg = df - \underline{d(wy)}$$

$$g = f - wy$$

$$dg = u dx + \cancel{w dy} - \cancel{w dy} - Y dw$$

$$dg = u dx - Y dw$$

$w, Y$  conjugate pair

$$w dy + Y dw$$



$$dU = TdS - PdV + \sum \mu_i dN_i$$

$$U(S, V, N_i)$$

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

$$G(T, P, N_i)$$

product rule

$$dG = dU - d(TS)^* - d(-PV)^*$$

$$dG = dU - TdS - SdT + VdP + PdV$$

$$dG = \cancel{TdS} - \cancel{PdV} + \sum \mu_i dN_i - \cancel{TdS} - SdT + VdP + \cancel{PdV}$$

$$dG = VdP - SdT + \sum \mu_i dN_i \quad \text{what does this line mean in words?}$$

$$G = \underline{U} - TS + \underline{PV}$$

$$H = U + PV$$

$$\frac{\partial G}{\partial N_i} = \mu_i$$



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ideal gas  $PV = nRT$

$$\left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial P}\right) = V$$

$$P\left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial P}\right) = nRT$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial P}\right) \frac{1}{n} = \frac{RT}{P}$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial \mu_i}{\partial P}\right) = \frac{RT}{P}$$

$$\int_{P^0}^P d\mu_i = \int_{P^0}^P \frac{RT}{P} dP$$

reference state

$$\mu_i^P - \mu_i^{P^0} = RT(\ln P - \ln P^0) = RT \ln \frac{P}{P^0}$$

if  $P^0$  is pure  $i$ , then  $\frac{P}{P^0}$  is mole fraction

$$\mu_i^P = \mu_i^{P^0} + RT \ln X_i$$



Lets consider  $aA + bB \rightleftharpoons cC + dD$

$$\Delta G = c\mu_C + d\mu_D - b\mu_B - a\mu_A$$

$$\Delta G = \sum v_i \mu_i = 0 \text{ at equilibrium}$$

$$\Delta G = \sum v_i (\mu_i^\circ + RT \ln X_i)$$

$$\Delta G = \sum ( \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{standard states}}}{v_i \mu_i^\circ} + v_i RT \ln \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{mole fractions}}}{X_i} )$$

$$\Delta G = c\mu_C^\circ + d\mu_D^\circ - a\mu_A^\circ - b\mu_B^\circ + \sum v_i RT \ln X_i$$

$$\Delta G = \Delta G^\circ + RT (c \ln X_C + d \ln X_D - a \ln X_A - b \ln X_B)$$

$$\Delta G = \Delta G^\circ + RT \ln \left( \frac{X_C^c \cdot X_D^d}{X_A^a \cdot X_B^b} \right)$$

$$0 = \Delta G^\circ + RT \ln Q$$

$$\Delta G^\circ = -RT \ln K$$

$\nearrow$   
 $Q$  product quotient





Reference States: only valid for the  $T$  measured at

$$\Delta G^\circ = \underline{H^\circ} - T \underline{S^\circ}$$

these can be experimentally determined,  
but they change w/ Temperature

