Chapter 2 - 2^{nd} Law of Thermodynamics

↳ heat spontaneously flows from high temp to low temp

Einstein Solid → $\boxed{\text{Entropy}}$ ← Ideal Gas

→ $\boxed{\text{Anaconda}}$ python language

install

Monty Python

Combinatorics

one coin

$$P(\text{heads}) = \frac{1}{2}$$

multiple coins

$$P(n) = \frac{n}{N}$$

$$P(3 \text{ heads}) = \frac{\Omega(3)}{\Omega(\text{all})} = \frac{\Omega(3)}{\sum_{n=0}^{n} \Omega(n)}$$

← microstate in the macrostate of 3

← all of the microstates

5 coins

microstates $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{H H T T H} \;—\; 3\text{H} \\ \text{T H H H H} \;—\; 4\text{H} \end{array} \right\}$ macrostates

how many microstates are in a macrostate?

↳ multiplicity

$$\Omega(n) = \frac{5!}{n!(5-n)!}$$

number of heads

$\Omega(0) = 1$

$\Omega(1) = 5$

$\Omega(2) = 10$

$\Omega(3) = 10$

$\Omega(4) = 5$

$\Omega(5) = 1$

$$\Omega(1) = \frac{5!}{1!(5-1)!} = \frac{5!}{1!4!}$$

$$= \frac{5 \cdot \cancel{4} \cdot \cancel{3} \cdot \cancel{2} \cdot \cancel{1}}{1 \cdot \cancel{4} \cdot \cancel{3} \cdot \cancel{2} \cdot \cancel{1}}$$

$$= 5$$

$$\Omega(2) = \frac{5!}{2!3!} = 10$$

$$\Omega(N, n) = \frac{N!}{n!(N-n)!} \leftarrow \text{Notation: } \binom{N}{n}$$

# of coins

10 atoms each w/ 0 or 1 packets of energy (energy unit)

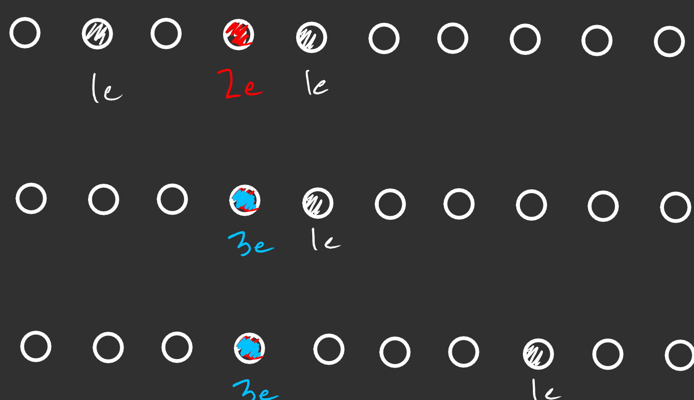
How many possible ways are there to distribute 4 energy units

← microstate

$$\Omega(10, 4) = \frac{10!}{4!\,6!} = 210$$

4 energy packets ← macrostate

What if an atom can have more than one energy packet at a time?



microstates

$$\Omega(N, q) = \frac{(q + N - 1)!}{q!\,(N-1)!} \qquad \binom{q+N-1}{q}$$

# of atoms

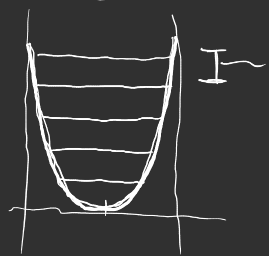
# of energy packets

q = macrostate

4 energy packets ← macrostate

This model of a collection of atoms w/ equal size energy quanta distributed among them is the $\underline{\text{Einstein}}$ $\underline{\text{Solid}}$.

$\hookrightarrow$ $\underline{\underline{\text{Debye}}}$ Model



$$\underline{\underline{\frac{1}{2}kx^2}}$$

$$f = \frac{1}{2\pi}\sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

- $\underline{\text{Large}}$ $\underline{\text{Number}}$ $\rightarrow$ addition of small numbers is not important

$$10^{23} + 23 = 10^{23}$$

- $\underline{\text{Very}}$ $\underline{\text{Large}}$ $\underline{\text{Number}}$

$$10^{10^{23}} \times 10^{23} = 10^{10^{23}+23} \approx 10^{10^{23}}$$

Stirling's Approximation

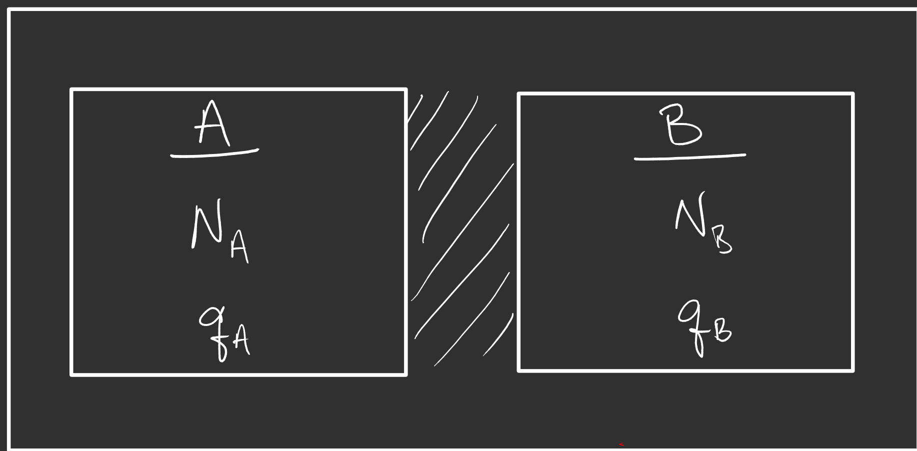
$$N! \approx N^N e^{-N}\sqrt{2\pi N} = \frac{N^N}{e^N}\underbrace{\sqrt{2\pi N}}$$

very large numbers we leave this off

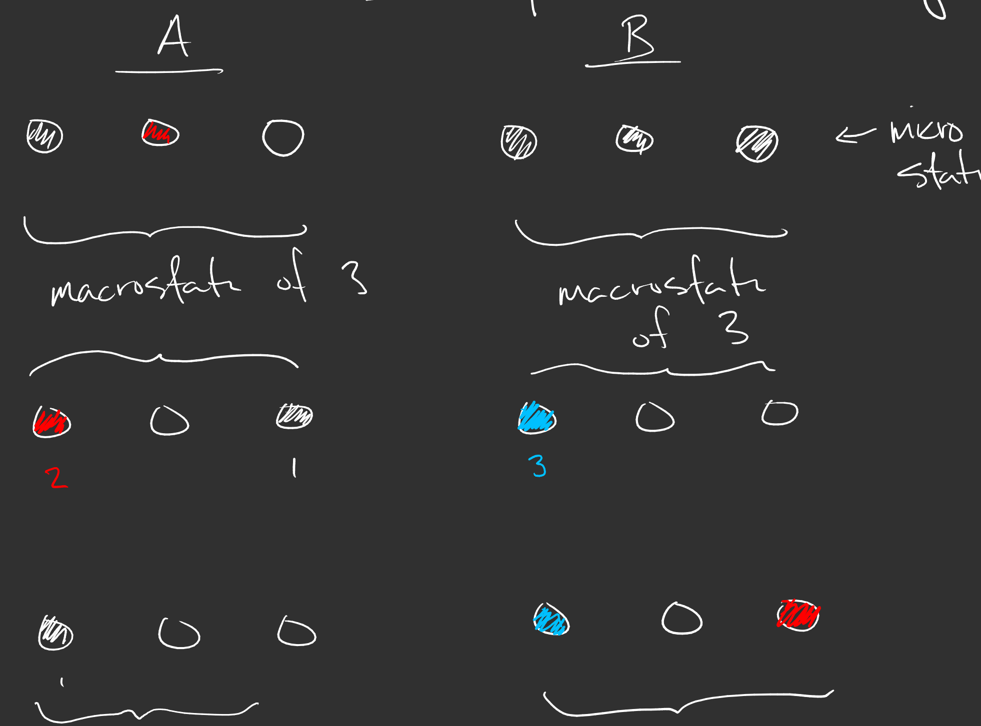
$$\downarrow$$

$$\ln N! \approx N\ln N - N$$

Two Systems



Ex. Each system has 3 particles and 6 total quanta of energy



q_A	mult_A	q_B	mult_B	mult_total
0	1	6	28	28
1	3	5	21	63
2	6	4	15	90
3	10	3	10	100
4	15	2	6	90
5	21	1	3	63
6	28	0	1	28
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macrostate w/ the most microstates

total number of microstates

macrostate of 1

$\Omega(3,1) = 3$

macrostate of 5

$$\Omega(3,5) = \frac{7!}{5!\,2!} = 21$$

Fundamental Assumption of Stat Mech:

all microstates are possible and equally probable

But that does not mean that every microstate will occur.

Not all macrostates are equally probable.

$$P_A(q) = \frac{\Omega_{total}(q_A)}{\sum_{q_A} \Omega_{total}(q_A)}$$

We could find the total # of microstates:

$$\Omega(6,6) = \frac{(6+6-1)}{6!\,(6-1)!} = \underline{\underline{462}}$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} \uparrow & \uparrow \\ N & q \end{array}$$

So lets apply Stirling's Approx to Multiplicity $\left[\ln N! = N\ln N - N\right]$

$$\Omega(N,q) = \frac{(q+N-1)!}{q!\,(N-1)!} \approx \underbrace{\frac{(q+N)!}{q!\,N!}}_{\text{very large number}}$$

$$\ln\Omega = \ln(q+N)! - \ln q! - \ln N!$$

$$\ln q! \rightarrow q\ln q - q \qquad \ln N! \rightarrow N\ln N - N$$

$$\ln(q+N)! = (q+N)\ln(q+N) - (q+N)$$

$$\ln\Omega = (q+N)\ln(q+N) \cancel{-q} \cancel{-N} - q\ln q \cancel{+q} - N\ln N \cancel{+N}$$

$$\boxed{\ln\Omega = (q+N)\ln(q+N) - q\ln q - N\ln N}$$

high temperature limit $\rightarrow q \gg N$

$$\ln \Omega = (q+N)\ln(q+N) - q\ln q - N\ln N$$

$$= q\ln(q+N) + N\ln(q+N) - q\ln q - N\ln N$$

$$= \ln\left[q\cdot\left(1+\frac{N}{q}\right)\right]$$

$$= \ln q + \ln\left(1+\frac{N}{q}\right)$$

$\ln(1+x) \approx x$ for small x

$$\to \frac{N}{q}$$

$$= \ln q + \frac{N}{q} \approx \ln(q+N)$$

$$\ln\Omega = \cancel{q\ln q} + N + N\ln q + \frac{N^2}{q} - \cancel{q\ln q} - N\ln N$$

$$= N\ln\left(\frac{q}{N}\right) + N + \underbrace{\frac{N^2}{q}}_{\text{small}}$$

$$\ln\Omega(q \gg N) \approx N\ln\left(\frac{q}{N}\right) + N$$

$$\Omega(q\gg N) = e^{N\ln\left(\frac{q}{N}\right)+N} = e^{N\ln\left(\frac{q}{N}\right)}\cdot e^{N} = \left(\underbrace{e^{\ln\left(\frac{q}{N}\right)}}\right)^{N}\cdot e^{N}$$

$$\Omega(q\gg N) = \left(\frac{q}{N}\right)^{N} e^{N} = \boxed{\left(\frac{eq}{N}\right)^{N}}$$