

# Constant pressure

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## 1 Isobatic phase space distribution and partition function

Assume two system coupled to a common thermal reservoir so that each system is described by a canonical distribution at temperature  $T$ . System 2 act as a barostat whose number of particles and volume is much larger than system 1, respectively.

If the volume of each system were fixed, the total canonical partition function would be

$$\begin{aligned} Q(N, V, T) &= C_N \int dx_1 dx_2 e^{-\beta \mathcal{H}_1(x_1) + \mathcal{H}_2(x_2)} \\ &= g(N, N_1, N_2) C_{N_1} \int dx_1 de^{-\beta \mathcal{H}_1(x_1)} C_{N_2} \int dx_2 de^{-\beta \mathcal{H}_2(x_2)} \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

The canonical phase space distribution function  $f(x)$  of combined system 1 and 2 is

$$f(x) = \frac{C_N e^{-\beta \mathcal{H}}}{Q(N, V, T)} \quad (2)$$

To determine the distribution function of system 1, we need to integrate over the phase space of system 2

$$\begin{aligned} f_1(x_1, V_1) &= \frac{g(N, N_1, N_2)}{Q(N, V, T)} C_{N_1} de^{-\beta \mathcal{H}_1(x_1)} C_{N_2} \int dx_2 de^{-\beta \mathcal{H}_2(x_2)} \\ &= \frac{Q_2(N - N_1, V - V_1, T)}{Q(N, V, T)} C_{N_1} de^{-\beta \mathcal{H}_1(x_1)} \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

Express the partition function in terms of Helmholtz free energies according to  $Q(N, V, T) = e^{\beta A(N, V, T)}$ ,

$$\frac{Q_2(N_2, V - V_1, T)}{Q(N, V, T)} = e^{\beta [A(N - N_1, V - V_1, T) - A(N, V, T)]} \quad (4)$$

Expand  $A(N - N_1, V - V_1, T)$  to first order

$$\begin{aligned} A(N - N_1, V - V_1, T) &\approx A(N, V, T) - N_1 \left( \frac{\partial A}{\partial N} \right) \Big|_{N_1=0, V_1=0} - V_1 \left( \frac{\partial A}{\partial V} \right) \Big|_{N_1=0, V_1=0} \\ &= A(N, V, T) - \mu N_1 + P V_1 \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

So

$$f_1(x_1, V_1) = g(N, N_1, N_2) e^{\beta \mu N_1} e^{-\beta P V_1} e^{-\beta \mathcal{H}_1} \quad (6)$$

## 2 Nosé-Hoover From canonical ensemble to isothermal-isobaric

Nosé introduced a Hamiltonian

$$H_{\text{Nosé}} = \Phi(q) + \sum \frac{p^2}{2ms^2} + (X + 1)kT \ln s + \frac{p_s^2}{2Q} \quad (7)$$

and the equations of motion from it is

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{q} &= \frac{p}{ms^2} \\ \dot{p} &= F(q) \\ \dot{s} &= \frac{p}{Q} \\ \dot{p}_s &= \sum \frac{p^2}{ms^3} - \frac{(X + 1)kT}{s} \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

The partition function of the ensemble is

$$Q_{\text{Nosé}} = (N!)^{-1} \int ds dq dp dp_s \delta(H_{\text{Nosé}} - E) \quad (9)$$

The equations can be simplified by take  $dt_{old} \equiv s dt'$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{q} &= \frac{p'}{ms} \\ \dot{p}' &= sF(q) \\ \dot{s} &= \frac{sp'_s}{Q} \\ \dot{p}'_s &= \sum \frac{p'^2}{ms^2} - (X + 1)kT \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

The partition function of the ensemble becomes

$$Q_{\text{Nosé}} = (N!)^{-1} \int ds dq dp' dp'_s \delta[\Phi(q) + \sum \frac{p'^2}{2ms^2} + (X + 1)kT \ln s + \frac{p_s'^2}{2Q} - E] \quad (11)$$

And with  $\dot{q}$  we can get

$$\begin{aligned}\ddot{q} &= \frac{\dot{p}}{ms} - \frac{p\dot{s}}{ms^2} \\ &= \frac{F(q)}{m} - \frac{pp_s}{Qms} \\ &= \frac{F(q)}{m} - \zeta\dot{q}\end{aligned}\tag{12}$$

where the thermodynamics fiction coefficient is defined as

$$\zeta \equiv \frac{p_s}{Q}\tag{13}$$

thus

$$\dot{\zeta} = \frac{1}{Q} \left[ \sum \frac{p^2}{ms^2} - (X+1)kT \right]\tag{14}$$

In order to get the equations of motion with  $\zeta$  instead of  $s$ , we redefine  $p \equiv m\dot{q}$  and obtain

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{q} &= \frac{p}{m} \\ \dot{p} &= \frac{d}{dt}(m\dot{q}) = F(q) - \zeta p \\ \dot{\zeta} &= \frac{1}{Q} \left[ \sum \frac{p^2}{ms^2} - (X+1)kT \right]\end{aligned}\tag{15}$$

If we introduce  $x \equiv q/V^{1/D}$ , the equations of motion become

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= \frac{d}{dp} \left( \frac{q}{V^{1/D}} \right) = \frac{p}{mV^{1/D}} - \frac{\dot{\epsilon}}{D}x \\ \dot{p} &= F - \zeta p + \frac{\dot{\epsilon}}{D}p \\ \dot{\epsilon} &= \frac{\dot{V}}{DV} \\ \ddot{\epsilon} &= \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\dot{V}}{DV} = \frac{\ddot{V}}{DV} - \frac{\dot{V}^2}{DV^2} = \frac{P - P_0}{DVM} - D\dot{\epsilon} \\ \dot{\zeta} &= \frac{1}{Q} \left[ \sum \frac{p^2}{ms^2} - (X+1)kT \right]\end{aligned}\tag{16}$$

The microcanonical ensemble average of the function  $F$  is denoted  $F_{NVE}$ , which is defined as

$$F_{NVE}(N, V, E) \equiv [N! \Omega(N, V, E)]^{-1} \int_V d\mathbf{r}^N \int d\mathbf{p}^N \delta[\mathcal{H}(\mathbf{r}^N, \mathbf{p}^N; V) - E] F(\mathbf{r}^N, \mathbf{p}^N; V)\tag{17}$$

where

$$\Omega(N, V, E) = (N!)^{-1} \int_V d\mathbf{r}^N \int d\mathbf{p}^N \delta[\mathcal{H}(\mathbf{r}^N, \mathbf{p}^N; V) - E] \quad (18)$$

is the microcanonical ensemble partition function.

The canonical ensemble partition function is

$$Q(N, V, T) = (N!)^{-1} \int_V d\mathbf{r}^N \int d\mathbf{p}^N \exp\left[-\frac{\mathcal{H}(\mathbf{r}^N, \mathbf{p}^N; V)}{kT}\right] \quad (19)$$

The isothermal-isobaric ensemble partition function is

$$\Delta(N, P, T) = (N!)^{-1} \int_0^\infty dV \int_V d\mathbf{r}^N \int d\mathbf{p}^N \exp\left[-\frac{PV + \mathcal{H}(\mathbf{r}^N, \mathbf{p}^N; V)}{kT}\right] \quad (20)$$

The isoenthalpic-isobaric ensemble partition function is

$$\Gamma(N, P, H) = (N!)^{-1} \int_0^\infty dV \int_V d\mathbf{r}^N \int d\mathbf{p}^N \delta[\mathcal{H}(\mathbf{r}^N, \mathbf{p}^N; V) + PV - H] \quad (21)$$

For any function  $F(\mathbf{r}^N, \mathbf{p}^N; V)$