

Phases of matter

Last time: mixtures

N_A molecules of type A

N_B molecules of type B

Example: mix $n_{\text{water}} + n_{\text{EtOH}}$

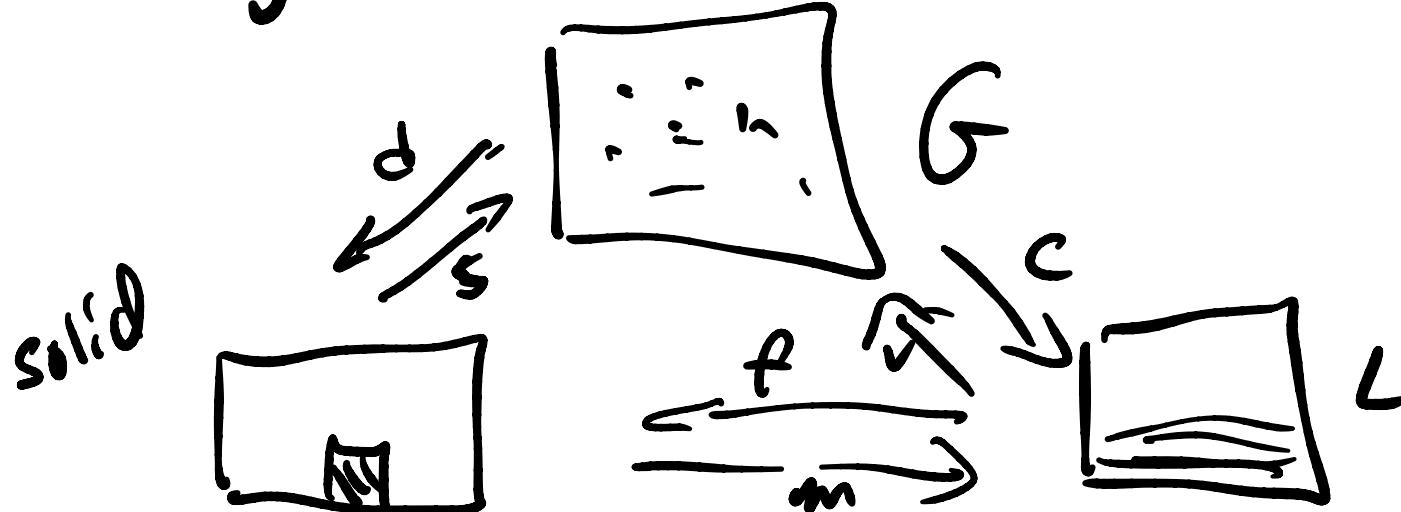
non ideal mixing, Volume shrinks

Connect some ideas to phase transitions

Phases of matter: solid, liquid, gas

[same bulk properties everywhere]

Density, compressibility, heat capacity



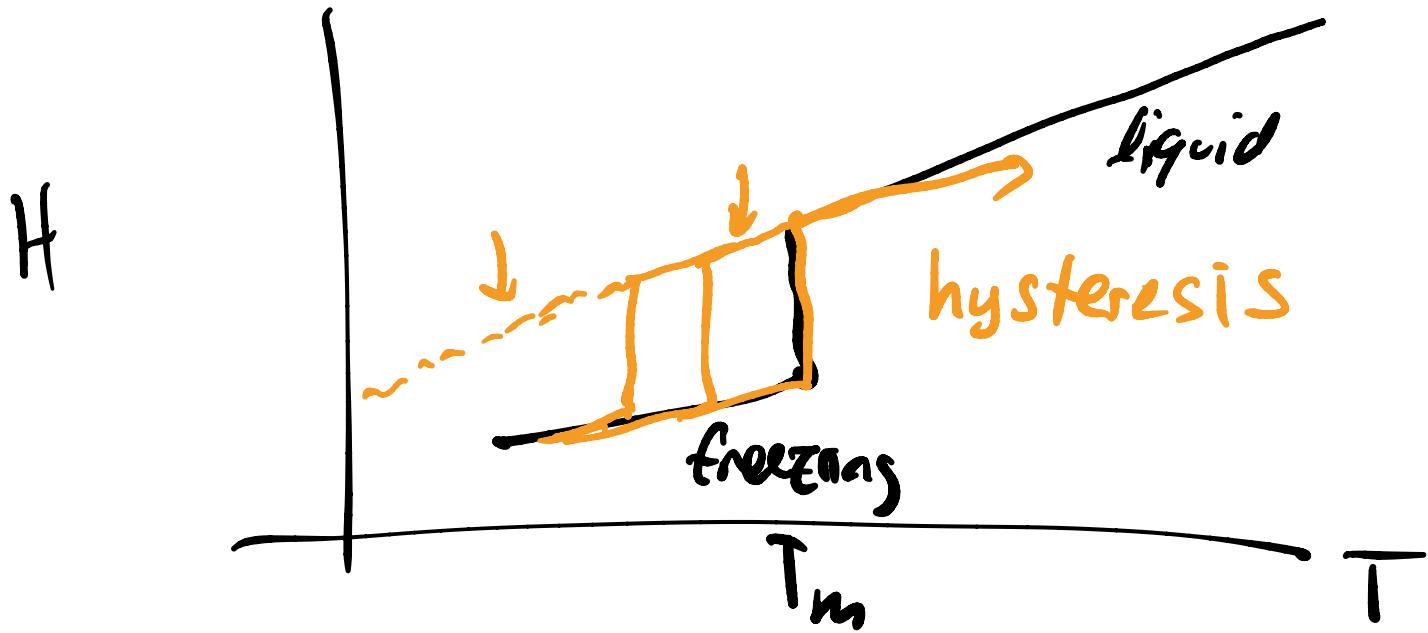
most stable: which phase should
your system be in

Kinetics can play a role in real world

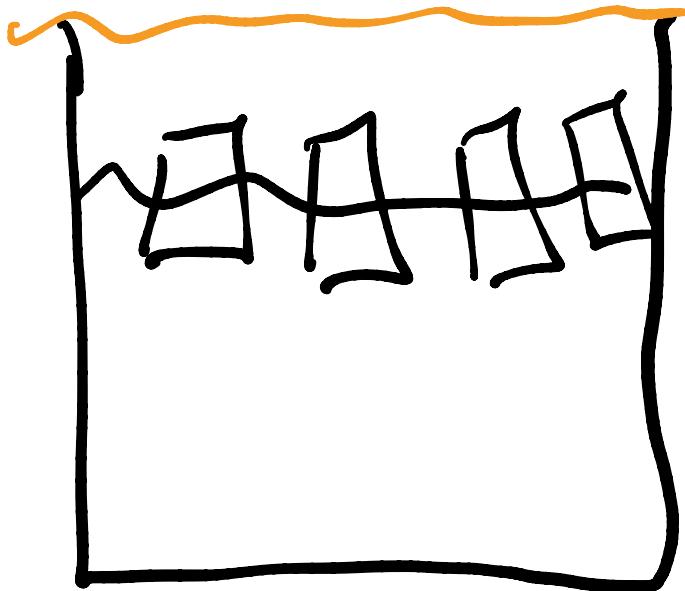
- Carbon : diamond, graphite, C₆₀

Non equilibrium "phase"

glassy materials \rightarrow extremely high
viscosity
disordered



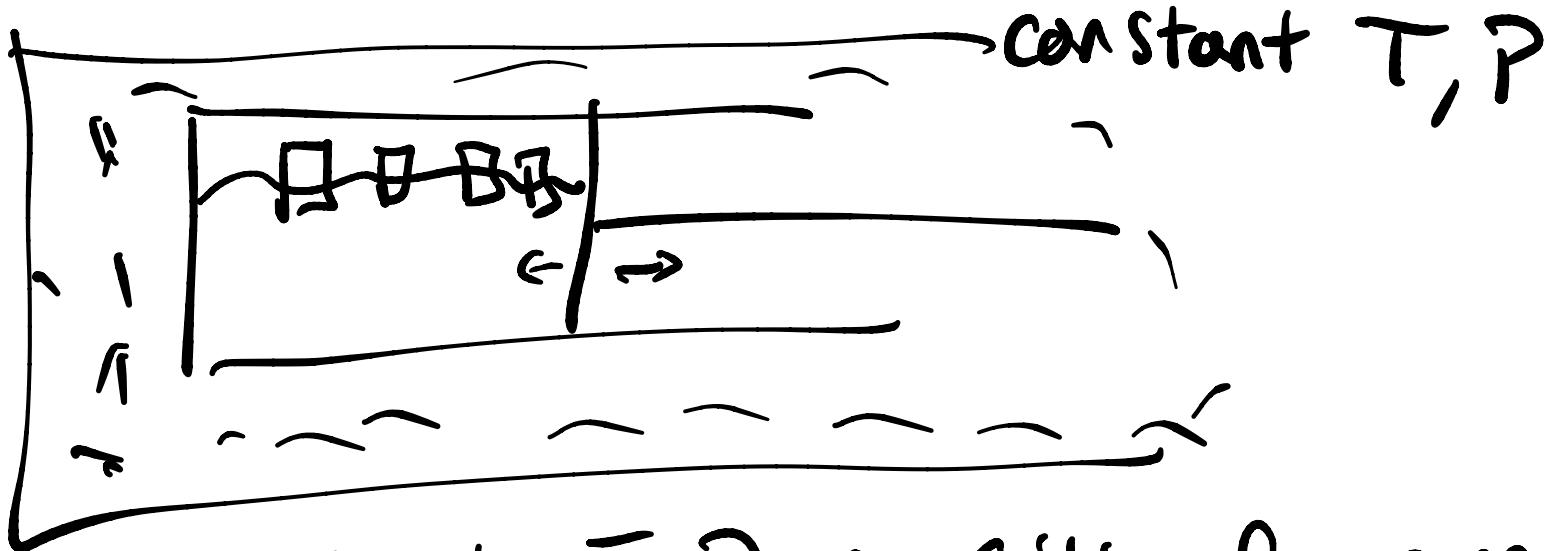
Why is this like a mixture?



fixed # molecules
of water

ice are in solid

water are in lsg



@ constant $T, P \rightarrow$ Gibbs free energy
is a thermodynamic potential

$G \downarrow$

$$G = H - TS$$

$$G(P, T, N_A, N_B)$$

$$\begin{aligned} dG &= \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial P}\right)_{T, N_A, N_B} dP + \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial T}\right)_{P, N_A, N_B} dT + \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial N_A}\right)_{P, T, N_B} dN_A \\ &\quad + \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial N_B}\right)_{T, T, N_A} dN_B + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Chemical potential -

how much does G change if N changes

$$dG = -SdT + VdP + \sum_{i=1}^{n_{\text{species}}} \mu_i dN_i$$

$$\mu \text{ as } \frac{\partial G}{\partial N} \text{ or } \frac{\partial G}{\partial n}$$

$$\mu_i = \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial n_i} \right)_{P, T, n_j \neq i}$$

μ_i depends on $P, T, n_1, n_2 \dots n_{i-1}, n_{i+1} \dots$

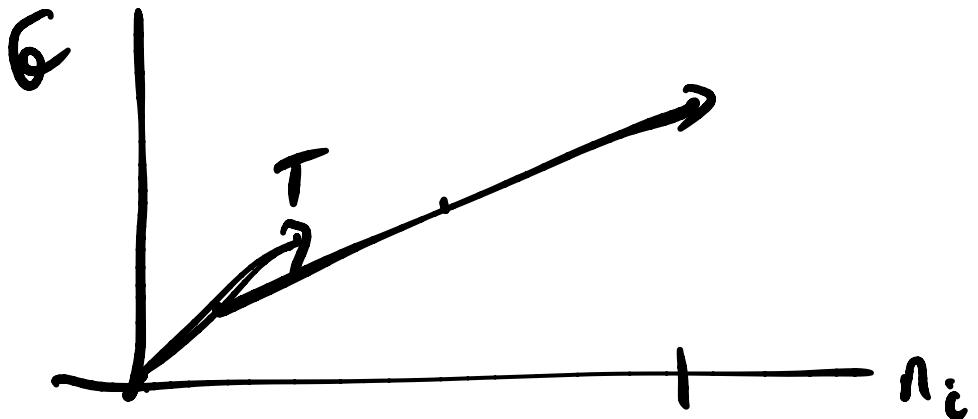
\bar{V}_i volume of species i per mol

$$V_{\text{tot}} = \bar{V}_1 n_1 + \bar{V}_2 n_2 + \dots$$

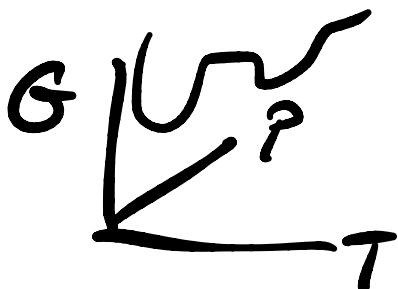
$$G_{\text{total}} = \bar{G}_1 n_1 + \bar{G}_2 n_2 + \dots$$

$$\mu_i = \bar{\mu}_i = G_i/n_i = \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial n_i} \right)_{P,T, n_j \neq 1}$$

$G_i \leftarrow$ contribution of species i to the free-energy
go from 0 moles to n_i moles



const P, T, α_{jxt} :



$$\int_0^{n_i} \frac{\partial F}{\partial n_i} dn_i = F_{\text{syst}} - F(n_i=0) = G_i;$$

μ_i

$$\mu_i n_i = G_i \Rightarrow \mu_i = G_i / n_i$$

species

$$G = \sum_{i=1}^s \mu_i n_i \leftarrow$$

$$dG = -SdT + VdP + \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^{n \text{ species}} \mu_i dn_i}_{\sim}$$

$$G = \sum \mu_i n_i$$

$$dG = \sum \underline{(\mu_i dn_i)} + n_i d\mu_i$$

$$\boxed{SdT - VdP + \sum \lambda_i d\mu_i = 0}$$

Gibbs-Duhem Relation

at const $T, P \leftrightarrow dP = c dT = 0$

$$\sum n_i d\mu_i = 0$$

Chemical potentials
not independent

2 species

$$n_A d\mu_A + n_B d\mu_B = 0$$

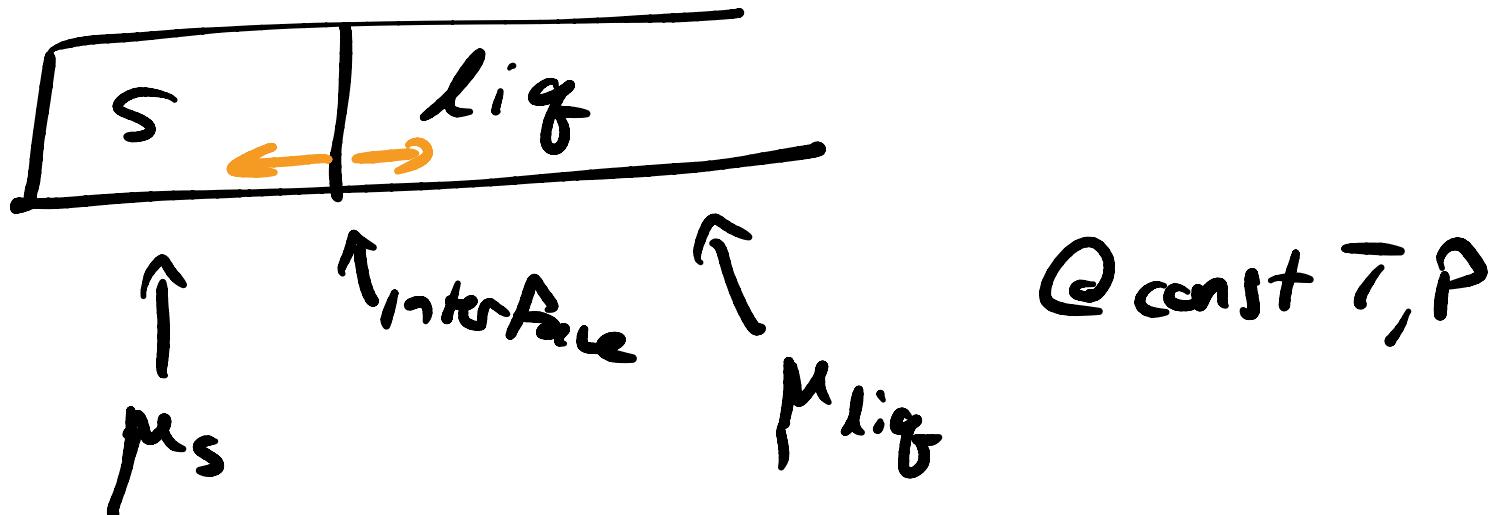
divide
by n
 $= n_A + n_B$

$$\chi_A d\mu_A + \chi_B''(1-x_A) d\mu_B = 0$$

$$\chi_A d\mu_A + (1-\chi_A) d\mu_B = 0$$

$$d\chi_B = \frac{-\chi_A}{1-\chi_A} d\mu_A$$

< 0



$$dG = \mu_L dN_L + \mu_S dN_S \leq 0 \quad \text{for spontaneous process}$$

$N_f = N_L + N_S = \text{const}$

$$dN_L + dN_S = 0, \quad -dN_L = dN_S$$

$$dG = \underbrace{d\eta_s (\mu_s - \mu_\ell)}_{< 0 \text{ if } \mu_s > \mu_\ell} \text{ or } = d\eta_\ell (\mu_\ell - \mu_s)$$

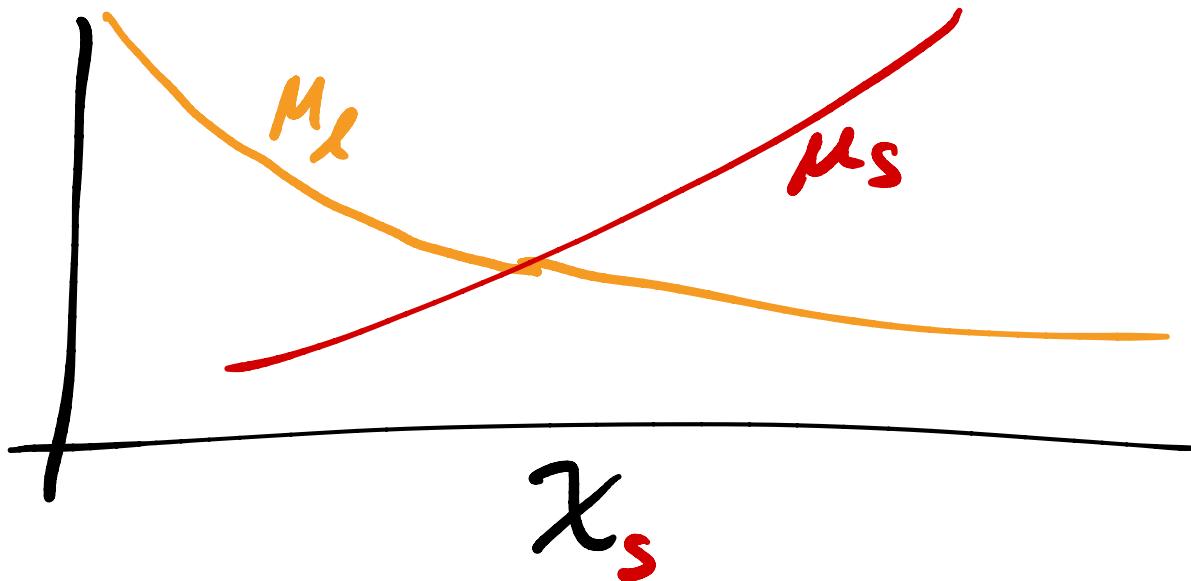
if $\mu_s > \mu_\ell$ $d\eta_s < 0$ less solid

$\mu_s < \mu_\ell$ $d\eta_s > 0$ more solid

Move from high to low

if $dG=0$ ~~$d\eta_s, d\eta_\ell = 0$~~ or

$$\mu_s = \mu_\ell$$



$$G(n_e, n_s)$$

$$dG = \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial n_e}\right)_{n_s} dn_e + \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial n_s}\right)_{n_e} dn_s = \mu_e dn_e + \mu_s dn_s$$

Takeaways:

μ change in free energy
with amount of something

"stuff" moves from high to low
chem pot

equilibrium between phases, $\mu_A = \mu_B$

$$S \leftarrow | \rightarrow L$$

$$\Delta V = (\bar{V}_S - \bar{V}_L) d n_S$$

normally melting \Rightarrow higher volume
except H_2O

$$dq = (\bar{H}_S - \bar{H}_L) d n_S$$