$$q = \frac{S}{k} - \alpha \overline{N} - \beta \overline{E} = \frac{TS + \mu \overline{N} - \overline{E}}{k_{\rm B}T}$$

$$q \equiv \ln \left\{ \exp \left(-\alpha N_r - \beta E_s \right) \right\} = \frac{PV}{k_{\rm B}T}$$

$$z \equiv e^{-\alpha} = e^{\frac{\mu}{k_{\rm B}T}}$$

$$q \equiv \ln \left\{ \sum_{r,s} z^{N_r} e^{-\beta E_s} \right\}$$

$$= \ln \left\{ \sum_{N_r=0}^{\infty} z^{N_r} Q_{N_r}(V,T) \right\} \qquad (Q_0 \equiv 1)$$

$$q(z, V, T) \equiv \ln \mathcal{Q}(z, V, T)$$

$$\mathcal{Q}(z, V, T) \equiv \sum_{N_r=0}^{\infty} z^{N_r} Q_{N_r}(V, T) \qquad (Q_0 \equiv 1)$$