

# Setup

Box of atoms  $m$

$$n = \frac{N}{V} \rightarrow r_0 \approx n^{-1/3}$$

$$\lambda_T = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2m\pi k_B T}}$$

dimensionless quantity  $n\lambda_T^3$  or  $\lambda_T/r_0$

if we fixed the density  $n$ , then there must exist low temperature  $T_{deg}$  when  $\lambda_T \approx r_0$ .

## Analysis

- For  $T > T_{deg}$ : Classical regime  $\rightarrow U/N \propto \frac{3}{2} k_B T$ , where Temperature sets the energy scale.
- For SHO where  $E_n = (n + \frac{1}{2})\hbar\omega_0$ :
  - Occupancy up to high  $n$  s.t.  $E_n \approx n\hbar\omega_0 \approx k_B T$
  - Average Occupancy of a particular level  $< 1$  where  $n(E) \approx e^{-\beta(E-\mu)}$
  - We then must have  $\sum_i n(E_i) = N$ , and  $\mu(T) = k_B T \ln(n\lambda_T^3) = k_B T \ln\left(\frac{T_{deg}}{T}\right)^{3/2} = -\frac{3}{2} k_B T \ln\left(\frac{T}{T_{deg}}\right)$
- For  $T = 0$ , the overlap comes from **Quantum Statistics** instead of other physical potential interactions. Thus our Hamiltonian is still  $H = \sum_i \frac{p_i^2}{2m}$ 
  - For SHO with Fermions, we have  $n_i = 0, 1$ ,  $H = (N + 1/2)\hbar\omega$ , and there is only one accessible microstate so  $S = 0$ , and  $\mu = \frac{E_{n+1} - E_N}{N+1-N} = (N + \frac{3}{2})\hbar\omega_0 \approx N\hbar\omega_0$
- For  $T < T_{deg}$ , we will derive that
  - $n^F(E_i) = \frac{1}{e^{\beta(E_i - \mu)} + 1}$ , and  $\sum_i n^F(E_i) = N$

## Distribution function $n^{F,B}(E)$

Start with the Grand Partition Function  $T, V, \mu$

For a microstate, we must have  $H = \sum_i E_j n_j$  and  $N = \sum_j n_j$  Where  $n_j = 0, 1$  for Fermions,  $n_j \in [0, \infty)$  for Bozons

We then write our partition function

$$Z = \sum_N \sum_{n_j} e^{-\beta[E - \mu N]}, \text{ where } \langle N \rangle = \frac{1}{\beta} \frac{1}{Z} \left( \frac{\partial Z}{\partial \mu} \right)_{T,V}$$

Then, we can follow these steps to solve for physical systems exactly:

- Simplify for noninteracting particles
- include Fermi or Bozon statistics

To be proven:

- $\langle N \rangle = \sum_i \frac{1}{e^{\beta(E_i - \mu) + 1}}$  for Fermions
- $\langle N \rangle = \sum_i \frac{1}{e^{\beta(E_i - \mu) - 1}}$  for Bozons