Problem Set 3 CHEM 26200

3 Deviations from Ideality

- 3/2: 1. An "ideal" rubber band is at 300 K and a mass of 200 g stretches its length by 10 mm. Give the stretch length at 330 K.
 - 2. A pill of 0.1 mol of gadolinium (III) sulfate $(Gd_2(SO_4)_3)$ is used for adiabatic demagnetization.
 - (a) Give the molar mass.
 - (b) Assuming all electrons unpaired in the f orbital, give the magnetic moment.
 - (c) Calculate the heat transferred from the lattice to the spin degree of freedom as the field is varied from $1\,\mathrm{T}$ to $0\,\mathrm{T}$.
 - (d) Estimate the heat capacity of the pill, and determine its lattice temperature if it starts at 4 K.
 - 3. A Joule-Thomson expansion is an adiabatic and reversible expansion from a pressure P_1 to a pressure P_2 , made closer to reversible by having a porous section that slows down the gas.
 - (a) Show that the Joule-Thomson expansion conserves enthalpy.
 - (b) Show that an ideal gas's temperature is unchanged during a Joule-Thomson expansion.
 - (c) Argue why a real gas can cool (or heat up) during a Joule-Thomson expansion.
 - (d) Show that the temperature change is given by $(\partial T/\partial P)_H$.
 - (e) Problem 22-48: Show that

$$\left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial P}\right)_{H} = \frac{V}{C_{P}}(\alpha T - 1)$$

where α is the coefficient of thermal expansion.

- (f) Problem 22-49: Show that a gas with only excluded volume cools upon expansion.
- (g) Problem 22-51: Give the sign and estimate the magnitude of $(\partial T/\partial P)_H$ for N₂ gas around 300 K from 100 atm to 1 atm based on van der Waals parameters.