

8.5 Providing a Theoretical Basis for the P-T Phase Diagram

- the clapeyron equation is developed which allows us to calculate the slope of the coexistence curves in a P-T phase diagram if ΔS_m and ΔV_m for the transition are known

$$\frac{dP}{dT} = \frac{\Delta S_m}{\Delta V_m}$$

- we also get Trouton's rule, which states that $\Delta S_{\text{vaporization}} \approx 90 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ for liquids.

- slope of liquid-gas coexistence curve given by

$$\left(\frac{dP}{dT}\right)_{\text{vaporization}} = \frac{\Delta S_{\text{vaporization}}}{\Delta V_{\text{vaporization}}} = \frac{95 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}}{2.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}} \approx 4.8 \times 10^3 \text{ Pa K}^{-1} \\ = 4.8 \times 10^{-2} \text{ bar K}^{-1}$$

8.6 Using the Clausius-Clapeyron Equation to Calculate Vapor Pressure as a Function of T

- Clausius-Clapeyron equation - obtained assuming ideal gas law holds for a liquid-gas coexistence curve, we have $\Delta V \approx \Delta V_{\text{gas}}$

$$\frac{dP}{dT} = \frac{\Delta S_{\text{vaporization}}}{\Delta V_{\text{vaporization}}} \approx \frac{\Delta H_{\text{vaporization}}}{T \Delta V_{\text{gas}}} = \frac{P \Delta H_{\text{vaporization}}}{RT^2}$$

$$\frac{dP}{P} = \frac{\Delta H_{\text{vaporization}}}{R} \frac{dT}{T^2}$$

$$\int_{P_i}^{P_f} \frac{dP}{P} = \frac{\Delta H_{\text{vaporization}}}{R} \times \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \frac{dT}{T^2}$$

$$\ln \frac{P_f}{P_i} = - \frac{\Delta H_{\text{vaporization}}}{R} \times \left(\frac{1}{T_f} - \frac{1}{T_i} \right)$$