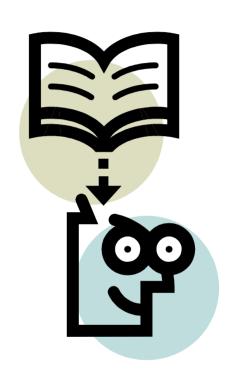
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# Introduction to Thermodynamics



Concepts and introduction to calculations

### Part 1

The First Law:
Energy is Conserved



Concepts and introduction to calculations

# 3 Laws of Thermodynamics

- Scientific "Law" an attempt to describe one aspect of nature (always has exceptions or can be wrong).
  - We need to specify WHEN the laws are valid!
     This is very important.
- Thermodynamics deals with changes between <u>forms</u>
   of energy: burning gas, absorbing light, substrate
   binding to an enzyme, formation of DNA duplex
- The laws summarize limits on how the transfer can occur and help us to derive equations to describe the process

# 3 Laws of Thermodynamics

- The first law of thermodynamics energy is conserved;
   different form of energies can interconvert.
- The second law of thermodynamics the entropy of an isolated system always increases during a spontaneous process.
- The third law of thermodynamics the entropy of any pure, perfect crystal can be chosen as equal to 0 at 0 K absolute temperature (defines zero for entropy).

# Using the laws

Some definitions are needed to keep things straight!

System vs. surroundings

The system is the portion of the universe that we are interested in studying.

interested in studying

The surroundings are everything else

The boundary is defined by the problem!

(is the system the enzyme, the cell, the organism or the culture?)

# The first law and energy transfer

- Energy is conserved it is neither created nor destroyed, only transferred
- The total energy of the <u>system</u> can change, but the total energy of system + surroundings does not!
- Can a particular system exchange energy?
  - Isolated system: no exchange of any kind with surroundings (like a sealed, rigid, perfect thermos)
  - Closed system: no exchange of matter, but it can exchange energy
  - Open system: can exchange matter and energy

# Energy transfer: Work and Heat

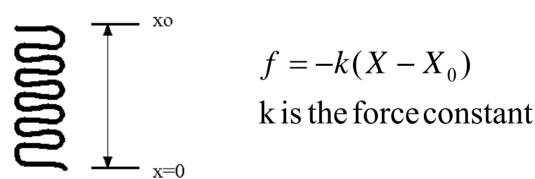
Work: a general form of energy exchange



- Work = <u>external</u> (opposing) force \* displacement
  - No ext. force → no work!! (sounds simple, but is important)
  - The external force could be wind, weights, friction, gravity, electrostatic field, etc
- Work has a sign! (shows the direction of the transfer)
  - Work done ON the system is positive, the energy of the system increases (examples: stirring, lifting)
  - Work done BY the system is negative, the energy of the system decreases (falling, pushing)
- The difference is just in the sign and what part we are calling the system

### How do we calculate work?

- Work = <u>external</u> (opposing) force \* displacement
- Imagine compressing or extending a spring (or a muscle fiber, or many other things that work this way)
- Hooke's law says that the force of a spring is directly proportional to the change in length of the spring.



 What opposes changing the spring length? The spring force: F=-k (x-x<sub>0</sub>) note that the force is not a constant!

### Work = <u>external</u> (opposing) force \* displacement

- What opposes changing the spring length? The spring force:  $F=-k(x-x_0)$  note that the force is not a constant!
- The negative sign tells us that the direction of the force is opposite to the direction of displacement (opposes change away from  $X_0$ )
- If we decide that the spring is the system, the external force is the opposite of the internal force: F=k(X-X<sub>0</sub>)

- Use our definition of work: w = F \* distance
- We need an integral since force changes with distance!

### Work = <u>external</u> (opposing) force \* displacement

More general form of work equation:

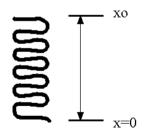
$$w = \int f dx \qquad w \neq f \Delta x$$

Using our definition of work and external force

$$f = k(X - X_0)$$

$$w = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} fd(x - x_0) = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} k(x - x_0) d(x - x_0)$$

$$= \int_{x_1 - x_0}^{x_2 - x_0} kx' dx' = \frac{1}{2} k[(x_2 - x_0)^2 - (x_1 - x_0)^2]$$



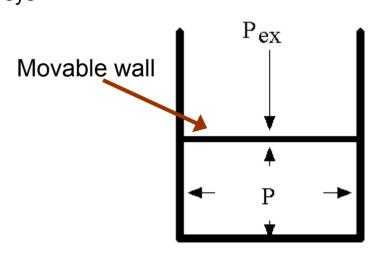
- Note that we used  $dx = d(x-x_0)$  and a change of variable
- This equation gives us a general result, we need to put in the numbers to get an actual work value

# Another example: PV work

- Work is involved in increasing or decreasing volume
- The system can expand and do work on the surroundings (P<sub>sys</sub>>P<sub>ext</sub>, work<0)</li>
- Negative work: means that the system does the work!
- The surroundings can do work on the system by compressing the system ( P<sub>ext</sub>>P<sub>svs</sub>, work>0 )
- What is the work?

$$w = \int f dx = \int \frac{f}{A} (A dx) = -\int P_{\text{opposing}} dV$$

 We need the negative since the work is negative if the volume increases (∆V>0) and P ≥ 0 always



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PV work: 
$$w = \int f dx = \int f /A (A dx) = -\int P_{\text{opposing}} dV$$

- Keep in mind that work is calculated using the pressure opposing the volume change
- For compression, this is the pressure of the system (and it often changes during compression!)
- For expansion, this is the external pressure (of the surroundings) and is usually constant
- If the pressure of the system and surroundings are <u>nearly</u> equal, the process is "reversible" (but work is not zero!)

Movable wall

If the opposing pressure is constant, it can be factored out of the integral

$$w = -\int P_{\text{opp}} dV = -P_{\text{opp}} (V_2 - V_1)$$

# PV work and the ideal gas law

- Ideal gas law: relates properties of the system:
   P, V, T, n (and R)
- Use only for (ideal) gases!!
- Rearrange equation to solve for what you need
- Sometimes P, V, T or n will be constant
- Remember: OK to factor constants out of integrals

$$PV = nRT$$

$$V = \frac{nRT}{P}$$

$$P = \frac{nRT}{V}$$

$$T = \frac{PV}{nR}$$

$$w = -\int PdV = -P \int dV = -P(V_2 - V_1) \text{ (if P const)}$$

$$w = -\int PdV = -\int \frac{nRT}{V} dV = -nRT \int \frac{dV}{V} = -nRT \ln \frac{V_2}{V_1} \text{ (if n, T const)}$$

 Make sure that the integral uses P<sub>gas</sub> (not P<sub>ext</sub>) before using the ideal gas law to substitute!

#### Non-PV work

- PV work relates to volume changes (which usually require work)
- Work in a gravitational field
  - Falling objects can convert potential energy to kinetic energy

- Water at the bottom of waterfall can be warmer
- At constant velocity, the gravitational energy can be converted to work

$$F_{grav}$$
=mass\*g : w = mass\*g\*( $h_2$ - $h_1$ )

- Or, work is required to lift objects!!
- Work in an electric field (gel electrophoresis, ion channels, etc.)
  - An electric field (from uneven electron distribution) produces force on other charges

work = voltage \* current \* time w = E l t

LIPA charges for their *work* : more current or longer time = more money

# Energy transfer, again: heat



- Heat can usually be defined in terms of temperature change
- Like work, the sign matters! Skiing vs. sunbathing.
- Heat added to the system is positive (temperature usually ↑)
- Heat removed from the system is negative (temperature usually ↓)
- The key property for heat is called the heat capacity
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Calculating energy transfer by heat



- For a closed system, q (the amount of heat transferred) is proportional to the temperature of the system before (T<sub>1</sub>) and after (T<sub>2</sub>) the heat exchange: q CdT where the proportionality constant C is called the heat capacity
- Amount of heat required to increase system T by 1°C (1K)
- Heat capacity is a property of the system
  - C depends on the system size (larger systems require more heat)
  - C depends on the substance (m ore complex systems require m ore heat)
  - C depends on the phase
  - C depends on the temperature And so on!
- C<sub>p</sub>: heat capacity at constant P
- $C_v$ : heat capacity at constant V (for so lids/liquids,  $C_p$   $C_v$ )
- C \*: specific heat, or heat capacity per 1 kg of substance

### System variables

- Each system will have certain properties, such as temperature, pressure, volume, etc.
- Some of these are special: they depend only on the current state of the system, not how it was prepared
- These are called state variables
- P,V,T, are state variables (there are more)
- Energy is a state variable, q and w are not
  - For travel, change in elevation does not depend on route but distance traveled (and gas used) DO
- q and w depend on path: how system was prepared!



### New state variables

- Sometimes we find it useful to combine several state variables into a new state variable
- Enthalpy (H) is a combination that is very useful
- H = E + PV
- Why is this useful? We will see that when the pressure is constant, the enthalpy change of the system is equal to the heat transferred
- ∆H = q if P constant (more on this later)

### Intensive vs. Extensive variables

- Variable can be classified into two groups
- Which group depends on whether the property depends on the size of the system
- Extensive: depend on system size (extent)
  - Volume, energy, enthalpy, heat capacity, mass, etc
- Intensive: do NOT depend on system size
  - Density, molar mass, pressure, temperature, etc.
- We can always convert an extensive variable to an intensive version by dividing by the system size
  - Volume → molar volume mass → density heat capacity → C<sub>p</sub>

# Equations of state

- Many of the state variables are determined by values of the other variables (they are not all independent)
- Equations that relate the variables of state are called equations of state
- Volume depends on other properties
  - Liquids and solids
  - volume is approximately constant! (V=c)
  - Better: volume depends slightly on T and P

$$\bar{V} = 18.07(1-45.9x10^{-6}P)$$
 Isothermal compressibility of water

 This equation relates molar volume (V with bar over it, the bar always mean quantity per mole), pressure and a constant that depends on how easy it is to compress that substance

# Equations of state: gas volumes

- While the volume of liquids and solids is nearly constant, the volume of gases depends greatly on conditions
- PV=nRT (the ideal gas law or ideal gas equation)
- Notice that increasing pressure from 1 to 1000 atm decreases volume by 1000x (at constant n and T)
- This is good only at low pressures where gas molecules do not interact with each other. ±10% at 1atm.
- For more accurate data, use the van der Waals equation

$$\left(P + \frac{n^2 a}{V^2}\right)(V - nb) = nRT \quad \text{note a and b are zero for an ideal gas}$$

# **Energy and Enthalpy changes**

- We need equations to tell us how to calculate  $\Delta E$  or  $\Delta H$
- Remember: change means final value minus initial value
- Since E and H are state variables, ∆E and ∆H depend only on initial and final states, not the path of the change!
- We can imagine ANY path between initial and final states and the values must not change
- Pick a path for which the calculation is easy!
- This will be the approach we take all semester
  - Often we can solve the problem many ways
  - Try to pick the easiest way
  - You <u>must</u> explain your work since "correct" solutions vary!

# Heat and Work changes

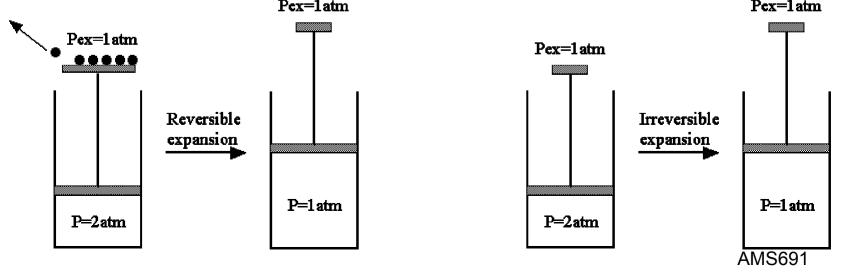
- Transfer of heat and/or work will result in changes to the energy of the system (recall first law)
- For a closed system, the follow equation holds:
  - $\Delta E = q + w$  (energy change equals sum of heat and work)
- Energy change is defined as energy<sub>final</sub> energy<sub>initial</sub>
- All signs are from the point of view of the system
- q is net heat transfer into the system (heat in)
- w is the net work done on the system (work in)
- If we can calculate heat and work, we can find ∆E



# Reversible paths

- There are an infinite number of ways to change a system from state A to state B
- A path where the system is kept very close to equilibrium is called a reversible path
- Other paths are called irreversible paths
- The endpoints do not depend on the path!

Example: gas expansion can be reversible or irreversible



# Example

•  $P_1V_1T_1 \rightarrow P_2V_2T_2$ 

$$\Delta E = q + w$$
 $w = -\int P_{op} dV = -\int P_{ext} dV$ 
 $= -1atm \int dV = -1atm \Delta V$ 
Pex=1atm

- For q, we need heat capacity but P<sub>sys</sub> and V both change!
- In general, we may find it necessary to consider a multi-step path in which something is kept constant during each step
- First change P, then V (or first T, then P, etc)

# Multi-step paths

•  $P_1V_1T_1 \rightarrow P_2V_2T_2$ 

This can be much easier to calculate using an intermediate state:

$$P_{1}V_{1}T_{1} \rightarrow P_{1}V_{2} \rightarrow P_{2}V_{2}T_{2}$$
or
$$P_{1}V_{1}T_{1} \rightarrow V_{1}T_{2} \rightarrow P_{2}V_{2}T_{2}$$

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# Multi-step reversible path, example

• 
$$P_1V_1T_1 \rightarrow P_2V_2T_2$$

$$P_1V_1T_1 \rightarrow \text{(constant P)} P_1V_2T \rightarrow \text{(constant V)} P_2V_2T_2$$

$$\Delta E = \Delta E_1 + \Delta E_2 = q_1 + w_1 + q_2 + w_2$$

$$w_1 = -\int P_{op}dV = -\int P_{sys}dV = -P_1\int dV$$

$$=-P_1\Delta V$$

$$q_1 = -\int C_p dT = -C_p \Delta T_A$$

$$w_2 = -\int P_{op} dV = 0$$

$$q_2 = -\int C_v dT = -C_v \Delta T_B$$

$$\Delta E = -P_1 \Delta V - C_p \Delta T_A - C_v \Delta T_B$$

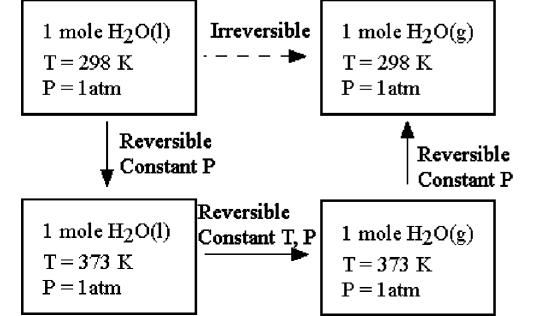


# Multi-step paths, another example

 The change from gas to liquid H<sub>2</sub>O at 100°C and 1atm is reversible

What is the energy for this phase change at 25°C and 1 atm (not reversible?)

We use several reversible steps to calculate ∆E



Always explicitly define your intermediate states

Make an alternate reversible path using constant T steps

# Common thermodynamic steps

- Some very useful restricted step have special names
- Isobaric: constant pressure,  $\Delta P=0$



• Isothermal: constant temperature,  $\Delta T=0$ 



Adiabatic: no heat transfer, q=0



• Isochoric: constant volume,  $\Delta V=0$ 



Cyclic: final state is the same as initial state!



# Key idea!



 The change in ANY variable of state of the system during a process depends ONLY on the initial and final states of the system, not on the paths taken.

 Changes in non-state variables such as q or w DO depend on the path

 For a cyclic path, there is NO change in any variable of state (this one is more useful than you might think)

# T & P changes: liquids or solids



- Use a series of steps with something held constant
- n moles  $H_2O @ P_1V_1T_1 \rightarrow P_2V_2T_2$  (all 3 change!)
- 1. Constant P  $q_P = \int_{T_1}^{T_2} C_P dT = C_P (T_2 T_1)$   $w_P = -P_1 (V_2 V_1) \approx 0 \text{ for liquid/solid}$

$$q = \int CdT$$

$$w = -\int P_{opp} dV$$

Constant V

$$\begin{aligned} q_V &= \int_{T_1}^{T_2} \mathrm{C}_V dT = \mathrm{C}_V (T_2 - T_1) \\ w_V &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Constant T

$$q_T=0\\ w_T=0$$
 (Since dT=0 and dV≈0)

4. 
$$\Delta E = q + w$$
,  $\Delta H = H_2 - H_1 = E_2 - E_1 + (P_2 V_2 - P_1 V_1)$ 

# T & P changes: ideal gas



- Use a series of steps with something held constant
- n moles  $H_2O(g) @ P_1V_1T_1 \rightarrow P_2V_2T_2$  (all 3 change!)

recall C = nC

#### 1. heat

- Constant P:  $q_p = C_p(T_2 T_1)$
- Constant V:  $q_v = C_v(T_2 T_1)$

$$q = \int CdT$$

$$w = -\int P_{opp} dV$$

#### 2. Work ( $\Delta V \neq 0$ for gas!)

- Constant P, expansion :  $w_p = -P_{ex}(V_2 V_1)$
- Constant P, reversible (expansion or compression):

$$w_p = -\int P_{sys} dV \quad (P_{sys} = P_{ext})$$

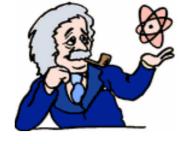
$$w_p = -P_{gas} \int dV = -P(V_2 - V_1) = -nR\Delta T$$

# Ideal gas: work at variable pressure

- Pressure varies: keep either T or V constant
- Use reversible process
- Constant V (isochoric): w=0
- Constant T (isothermal):

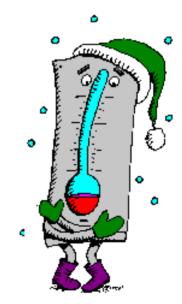
$$\begin{split} w_T &= -\int P_{sys} dV = -\int \frac{nRT}{V} dV \\ w &= -nRT \int \frac{dV}{V} = -nRT \ln \frac{V_2}{V_1} \\ w &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places} \\ v &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note init$$

# Key idea!



 The change in energy for an ideal gas depends only on temperature

$$\Delta E_{ideal\,gas} = f(T)$$



# Ideal gas: work at variable pressure

- Pressure varies: keep either T or V constant
- Use reversible process
- Constant V (isochoric): w=0
- Constant T (isothermal):

$$\begin{split} w_T &= -\int P_{sys} dV = -\int \frac{nRT}{V} dV \\ w &= -nRT \int \frac{dV}{V} = -nRT \ln \frac{V_2}{V_1} \\ w &= -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{Note initial/final switch places in change from V to P} \\ P_1 V_1 &= P_2 V_2 \text{ or } V_2 / V_1 = P_1 / P_2 \end{split}$$

# Ideal gas: isothermal P change

$$w_T = -nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2}$$

- Cannot calculate heat using heat capacity
- Recall that  $\Delta E=0$  for isothermal process (ideal gas)
- $\Delta E = q + w = 0 : q = -w$
- remember this shortcut!

$$q_T = nRT \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2}$$

# Ideal gas: $P_1V_1T_1 \rightarrow P_2V_2T_2$ example

- Remember we are free to choose any path
- One possibility:  $(T_1,P_1) \rightarrow (T_1,P_2) \rightarrow (T_2,P_2)$  (V=nRT/P)

$$\Delta E = \Delta E_1 + \Delta E_2 = \left[ q_T + w_T \right] + \left[ q_p + w_p \right]$$

$$\Delta E = nRT_1 \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} - nRT_1 \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} + C_p (T_2 - T_1) - nR(T_2 - T_1)$$

$$\Delta E = \left( C_p - nR \right) (T_2 - T_1) = \left( C_p - nR \right) \Delta T$$

$$\Delta H = \Delta E + \Delta (PV) = (C_p - nR)\Delta T + \Delta (nRT) = (C_p - nR)\Delta T + nR\Delta T$$

$$\Delta H = C_p\Delta T$$

# Ideal gas: $P_1V_1T_1 \rightarrow P_2V_2T_2$ example

- 2<sup>nd</sup> possibility:  $(T_1,V_1) \rightarrow (T_1,V_2) \rightarrow (T_2,V_2)$  (P = nRT/V)
- $\Delta E$ ,  $\Delta H$  must be the same as 1<sup>st</sup> path (q, w may not be)

$$\Delta E = \Delta E_1 + \Delta E_2 = \left[ q_T + w_T \right] + \left[ q_V + w_V \right]_{=0!}$$
 
$$\Delta E = nRT_1 \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} - nRT_1 \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} + C_V (T_2 - T_1) + 0$$
 
$$\Delta E = (\mathbf{C}_V) \Delta \mathbf{T}$$

$$\Delta H = \Delta E + \Delta (PV) = C_V \Delta T + \Delta (nRT) = C_V \Delta T + nR\Delta T$$
$$\Delta \mathbf{H} = (\mathbf{C_V} + nR)\Delta \mathbf{T}$$

# Ideal gas: $P_1V_1T_1 \rightarrow P_2V_2T_2$ summary

- Our results show  $\Delta E$ ,  $\Delta H$  depend only on T (not P,V)
- $\Delta E$ ,  $\Delta H$  must be the same as 1<sup>st</sup> path (q, w may not be)
- Path 1:  $\Delta E = (C_p nR)\Delta T$   $\Delta H = C_p \Delta T$
- Path 2:  $\Delta E = C_v \Delta T$   $\Delta H = (C_v + nR) \Delta T$
- So, C<sub>p</sub>=C<sub>v</sub>+nR for ideal gas
- $C_p$  is larger, some heat goes to work instead of  $\Delta T$

- ∆E=C<sub>v</sub>∆T always, not just at constant V
- $\Delta H = C_p \Delta T$  always, not just at constant P gas only!

Ideal

## Useful special cases

 For a closed system at constant volume, the heat absorbed is equal to the energy change (w=0 if dV=0)

$$\Delta E = q_v = C_v \Delta T$$

note that this is ALWAYS true for an ideal gas

• For a closed system at constant pressure, the heat absorbed is equal to the enthalpy change  $(w_p = -P\Delta V : \Delta H = \Delta E + \Delta (PV) = q - P\Delta V + P\Delta V = q)$ 

$$\Delta H = q_p = C_p \Delta T$$

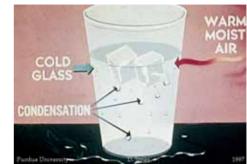
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These allow us to use heat to find ΔH and ΔE

# Phase changes: names

Gas → liquid condensation

Solid → liquid fusion/melting



Liquid → solid freezing

Liquid → gas vaporization

Solid → gas sublimation

Other phase changes possible:

protein folding, lipid rearrangements, amyloid formation ...

# Phase changes

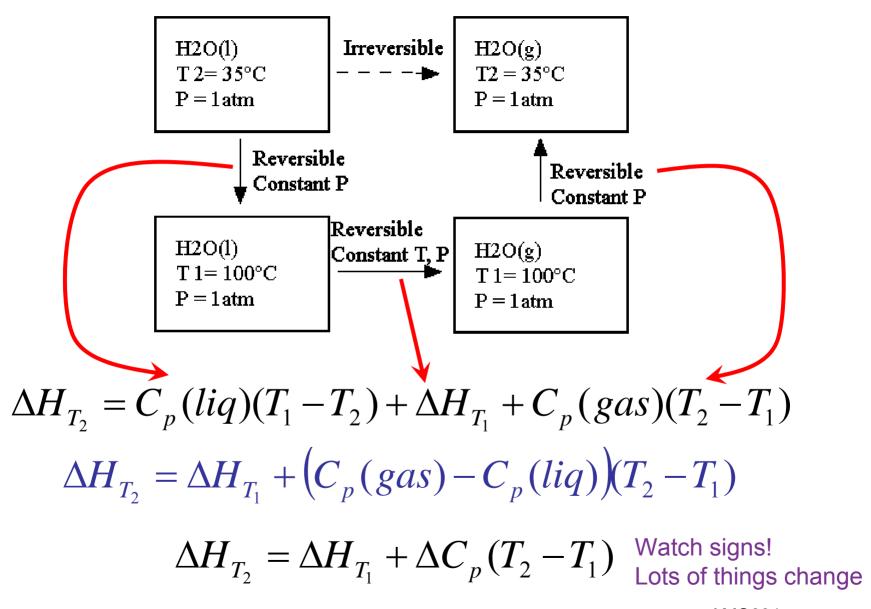


- Consider a reversible phase change at constant T,P
- What is the work done on the system during the change?

$$w = -\int P_{op} dV = -\int P dV = -P \int dV = -P \Delta V$$

- If gas phases are not involved,  $\Delta V$  is very small
- What is the heat for the phase change?
- At constant P, the heat  $q_p = \Delta H$  (q is easy to measure here)
- The energy change for the phase change at constant P is
- $\Delta E = q + w = \Delta H P\Delta V$   $\Delta E \approx \Delta H$  if no gas:  $\Delta V$  small!
- Note that we previously calculated ΔE first, here ΔH first

#### What if the process is not near equilibrium?



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## Calculating $\Delta E$ for the phase change

The energy of the isobaric phase change is always

$$\Delta E = \Delta H - P \Delta V$$

- If all phases are condensed (liquid/solid), ΔV≈0 & ΔΕ≈ΔΗ
- If one phase is a gas, volume change is large!
- In this case we ignore the volume of the condensed phase in  $\Delta V$

$$\Delta E = \Delta H - P \Delta V_{gas} = \Delta H - \Delta n_{gas} RT$$

•  $\Delta n$  is the change in number of moles of gas (may be + or -)

•  $H_2O$ :  $\Delta E_{fusion} = 333 \text{ kJ/kg}$  but  $\Delta E_{vap} = 2367 \text{ kJ/kg}$ 

#### Volume changes



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$$\Delta E = \Delta H - P \Delta V$$

ΔH values are found in tables (from q)

$$\Delta V = V_{\text{liquid}} - V_{\text{gas}} \approx -V_{\text{gas}}$$

$$\Delta V = V_{gas} - V_{liquid} \approx V_{gas}$$

$$\Delta V = V_{\text{liquid}} - V_{\text{solid}} \approx 0$$

$$\Delta V = V_{gas} - V_{solid} \approx V_{gas}$$

#### Chemical reactions



- The change in the system is represented by the general reaction n<sub>A</sub>A + n<sub>B</sub>B → n<sub>C</sub>C + n<sub>D</sub>D
- Heat transfer in chemical reactions
- If the reaction takes places at constant P, the heat transfer is equal to the change in enthalpy (just like before)
- Exothermic: negative ∆H, heat is released
- Endothermic: positive  $\Delta H$ , heat is absorbed
- If the reaction takes places at constant V, the heat transfer is equal to the change in energy (just like before)

#### Chemical reactions



 Values for energy and enthalpy depend on the stoichiometric coefficients! (even with per-mole units)

$$2H_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2H_2O$$

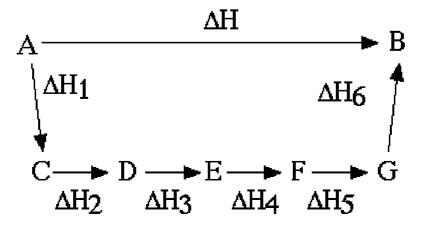
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$$- H_2 + \frac{1}{2} O_2 \rightarrow H_2 O$$

Energy per mole refers to a mole of reaction!

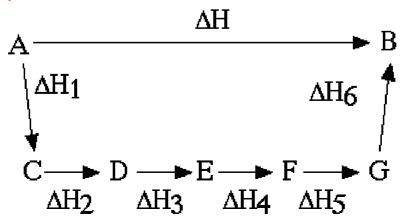
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- Consider a reaction A→B containing a sum of many reactions (E+S→ ES→ EP→ E+P)
- Also consider a simple reaction that we can imagine taking place in many steps
- The overall ∆H is just the sum along the path
- As before, the steps along the way do not affect the value of ΔH (or ΔE, etc) between initial (reactants) and final (products) states



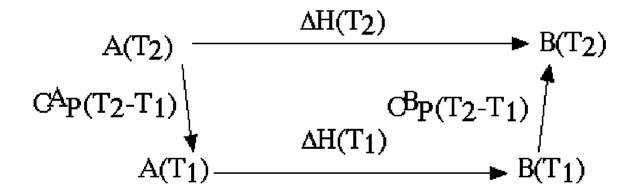
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## Temperature dependence

- As with phase changes, ∆H values are often given for "standard" conditions and "typical" temperature
- Corrections for different conditions are done very similarly to the procedure shown for phase changes



where ΔH = H(products) - H(reactants)
 and ΔC<sub>P</sub> = C<sub>P</sub>(products) - C<sub>P</sub>(reactants) {or C<sub>P</sub>(B) - C<sub>P</sub>(A)}

# Energy changes of a reaction

 The energy change of a reaction at constant P is calculated AFTER the enthalpy (like for phase changes)

$$\Delta E = \Delta H - P(\Delta V)$$

- We still need the tables for ∆H
- If gases are involved, we can ignore the volumes of solids and liquids, and if the gas phase is close to an ideal gas

$$\Delta E = \Delta H - \Delta nRT$$

• Note that the number of moles of gas can change, so we use  $\Delta n$ ! This differs somewhat from phase changes.

#### So what is $\Delta H$ for a reaction?

- Values for  $\Delta E$ ,  $\Delta H$ , etc. depend on the chemical substances
- For heating, we use heat capacity for the substance(s)
- For work, we use ideal gas volume changes (or zero for solid/liq)
- For phase changes, we need to get  $\Delta H$  from a table
  - Phase changes are tabulated for many substances
  - Not tabulated for each temperature/pressure/etc
- For chemical reactions, we also need tables
  - It is not possible to tabulate all known reactions
  - New reactions would still not have entries in the tables
- We need a method that gives accurate ∆H for all reactions
- Create a thermodynamic cycle

#### So what is $\Delta H$ for a reaction?

- Consider the reaction  $n_AA + n_BB \rightarrow n_CC + n_DD$
- $\Delta H = H$  (products)-H (reactants)

$$\Delta H = n_{C}\overline{H}_{C} + n_{D}\overline{H}_{D} - n_{A}\overline{H}_{A} - n_{B}\overline{H}_{B}$$

- This seems OK, but what is the enthalpy of substance A?
- Imagine a new path for this reaction



- Standard molar enthalpy of a compound
  - defined to be equal to the enthalpy of formation of 1 mol of the compound at 1 atm pressure from elements at their standard states (T must be specified)
  - Enthalpies of formation for pure elements in their most stable form at 1 atm pressure are zero by definition

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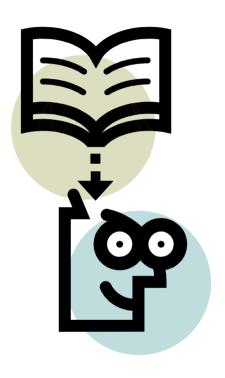
$$\Delta H(T) = n_C \Delta \overline{H}_{f,C}^0 + n_D \Delta \overline{H}_{f,D}^0 - n_A \Delta \overline{H}_{f,A}^0 - n_B \Delta \overline{H}_{f,B}^0$$

- Remember to use zero for any elements in most stable form (at 298K, O<sub>2</sub>(g), not O<sub>2</sub>(liq)
- The superscript zero denotes that the value corresponds to the standard state (more later: for now it is 1atm pressure)
- We can calculate the  $\Delta H$  for other T as we did previously, using  $\Delta C_p$  for all products and reactants multiplied by their stoichiometric coefficients

#### Molecular interpretation of energy and enthalpy

- For ideal gases, the increase in the internal energy (as a function of T) represents the gas molecules with higher translational, rotational and vibrational energies
- More complex molecules have more ways to store energy before T rises and hence higher heat capacities
- For real gases, liquids and solids, molecular interactions can also store energy, resulting in higher heat capacities
- Relative energy changes:
   temperature < phase change < reaction</li>

The Second Law:
The entropy of the universe (always) increases



# Entropy: concepts

- Entropy (S) is a measure of disorder. The greater the disorder, the larger the entropy
- Entropy can also be related to information content and probabilities
- Disorder occurs spontaneously ("time's arrow")
- If the system is kept at constant energy and volume (isolated), every change increases the disorder of the system
- If S<sub>sys</sub> does go down, the entropy of the universe always increases
- Any attempt to reduce disorder must be accompanied by an increase in disorder somewhere else!



# Gibbs free energy: concepts

- Gibbs free energy (G): a new state variable
- G is a useful combination of enthalpy and entropy (why?)

$$G = H - TS$$
  $\Delta G = \Delta H - \Delta (TS)$ 

- At constant T and P, G<sub>system</sub> always decreases for a spontaneous process
- Note constant T, P are required. There was no such restriction for entropy-based spontaneity
- G can tell us whether a process is possible (before we even try)
- G does <u>not</u> tell us how <u>fast</u> the process will occur

# Carnot cycle



- Carnot's cycle led to the historical development of entropy as a state variable
- He showed that  $\frac{q_{rev}}{T}$  is path-independent (= $\Delta$ S)
- Working through this process can provide a useful review of energy, heat and work calculations
- He showed that it is not possible to convert heat to work with perfect efficiency
- Conversely, it takes work to move heat from a cold area to a warmer one (air conditioner)
- We will not focus on the derivation, but rather the applications
- How is a heat engine related to disorder??

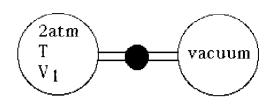
# Entropy: the 2<sup>nd</sup> law

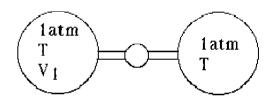
- Entropy is an extensive state variable
- The units are energy/temperature  $(\Delta S=q_{rev}/T)$
- The sum of the entropy changes of the system and surrdoundings are always positive
- In special cases, the entropy change may be zero
- Entropy is NOT conserved
- The second law of thermodynamics:
  - Heat spontaneously flows from a hot body to a cooler body, but work must be done to transfer heat from the cooler to the hot body
  - $\Delta S(system) + \Delta S(surroundings) ≥ 0$
  - $\Delta$ S(isolated system) ≥ 0

Equality is for reversible changes

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- Consider an ideal gas expansion with two possible paths
- Isolated system, V<sub>f</sub>=2\*V<sub>i</sub>
- $\Delta T = 0$  (remember why?)
- $\Delta S_{sys}$  must be same for all paths

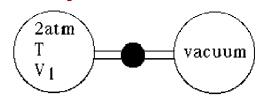


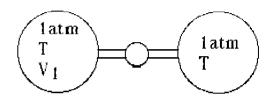


- Irreversible expansion:
- $\Delta S_{univ} > 0$
- Reversible expansion:
- $\Delta S_{univ} = 0$

- Irreversible expansion:
- $\Delta E=0$ , w=0 so  $q_{irrev}=0$ .







- $\Delta S_{surr} = 0$
- ΔS is independent of path, so consider an isothermal reversible path

$$w_{rev} = -nRT \ln \frac{V_2}{V_1} = -nRT \ln 2$$

$$q_{rev} = nRT \ln 2$$

Thus for the irreversible process

$$\Delta S_{sys} = \Delta S_{univ} = \frac{q_{rev}}{T} = nR \ln 2 > 0$$

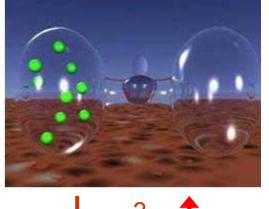
- Irreversible expansion:
- $\Delta E=0$  (why?), w=0 so  $q_{irrev}=0$ .
- we need  $q_{rev}$  to calculate  $\Delta S!$
- $\Delta S_{surr} = 0$
- ∆S is independent of path, so consider an isothermal reversible path

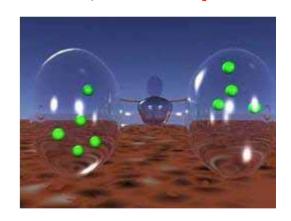
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$$q_{rev} = -w = nRT \ln 2$$

Thus for the irreversible process

$$\Delta S_{univ} = \Delta S_{sys} + \Delta S_{surr} = \frac{q_{rev}}{T} + 0 = nR \ln 2 > 0$$





- Reversible expansion:
- Since it is reversible, q = q<sub>rev</sub>

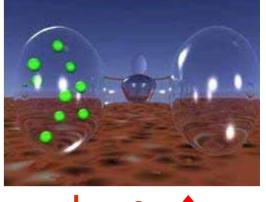


Since the process actually IS reversible,

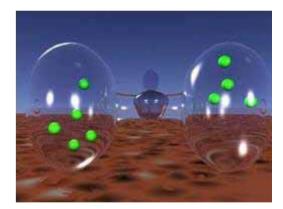
$$q_{surr} = -nRT \ln 2$$

$$\Delta S_{univ} = \Delta S_{svs} + \Delta S_{surr} = nR \ln 2 - nR \ln 2 = 0$$

- $\Delta S_{sys}$  is the same for both paths, but  $\Delta S_{univ}$  is not (??)
- Note that  $\Delta S_{univ} = 0$  only for this special case.







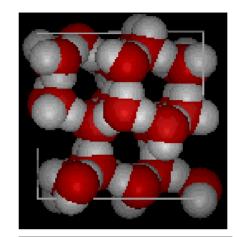
## Entropy happens

- Entropy is a measure of disorder
- More disorder ≡ more entropy
- The total entropy of the universe increases with every spontaneous process
- A part of the universe may show a decrease in entropy and become more ordered
  - Biological organisms are complex
  - We can construct complex materials from simpler ones
  - Water can freeze, gases condense, etc.
- The entropy of the rest of the universe will increase even more than the partial universe decreased

# Example: entropy of water

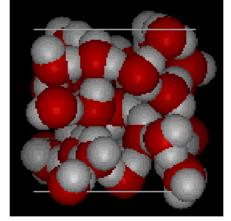
 $\overline{S}$  = molar entropy

•  $H_2O(s)$ : 41.0 J/K



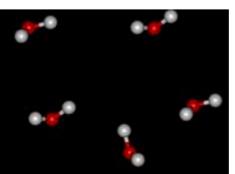
highly ordered

• H<sub>2</sub>O (liq): 63.2 J/K



partly ordered

• H<sub>2</sub>O (g): 188.3 J/K



very disordered

# The Third Law: A pure, perfect crystal at 0 Kelvin has no entropy

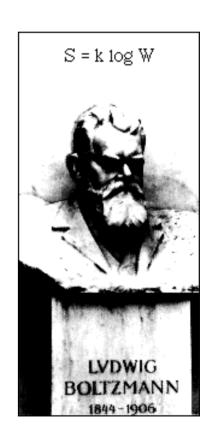


#### What do entropy values mean?

$$S = k_b \ln N$$
 Key equation!

- Alp Niels Both Library
- k<sub>b</sub> is Boltzmann's constant: 1.381x10<sup>-23</sup> J/K
- N is the number of states of the system
- Inversely,  $N = e^{\frac{S}{k_b}}$
- We can use this to estimate N from measurement of S (or  $\Delta$ N from  $\Delta$ S)

- This provides a ZERO for entropy:
- For a pure, perfect crystal at 0K, there is one state and entropy S = k In 1 = 0



#### Example: coin flips



- The probability of getting a head or tail is 0.5 (50%)
- What happens if we flip a coin twice?
- HH, HT, TH, TT each have 0.25 probability
- The number of possible states depends on how we define our system!
- Two heads: 1 state
- Matching flips: 2 states
- A head and a tail (any order): 2 states
- A head THEN a tail: 1 state

#### Example: deck of playing cards

- There are 52 unique cards in a deck
- There is only 1 state with all cards in a specific order: S=0
- If we randomly shuffle the cards, there are 52! possible arrangements. 52! = 8x10<sup>67</sup>
- 52x51x50x49x48= 12million sequences of 5 cards
- Is A♣K♣Q♣J♣10♣ better than J♣2♦7♠9♥4♠?? Why??
- What is the entropy gain from shuffling the cards?
  - Note that the shuffled cards will still have 1 state, but it is not defined
- $\Delta S = S_{\text{shuffled}} S_{\text{ordered}} = k \ln(52!) k \ln(1) = 2.1 \times 10^{-21} \text{ J/K} > 0$



#### Other important examples of entropy

- Protein folding
  - 1. chain entropy
  - 2. hydrophobic effect
- mixing of gases (or of any components)
- solvation or desolvation of ions
- ligand **binding**, dimer formation, etc.

Reaction	$\Delta S^0$ (J K <sup>-1</sup> mol <sup>-</sup>	<sup>-1</sup> )
$CO_3^{2-}(aq) + H^+(aq) \rightarrow HCO_3^-(aq)$	+148.1	why??
$NH_4^+(aq) + CO_3^{2-}(aq) \rightarrow NH_3(aq) + HCO_3^-(aq)$	+146.0	less charge
$OH^-(aq) + H^+(aq) \rightarrow H_2O(l)$	+80.7	
$\mathrm{NH_{4}^{+}}(aq) \ + \ \mathrm{HCO_{3}^{-}}(aq) \ \rightarrow \ \mathrm{CO_{2}}(aq) \ + \ \mathrm{H_{2}O}(l) \ + \ \mathrm{NH_{3}}(aq)$	+94.2	less charge, more molec.
$NH_3(aq) + H^+(aq) \rightarrow NH_4^+(aq)$	+2.1	
$HC_2O_4^-(aq) + OH^-(aq) \rightarrow C_2O_4^{2-}(aq) + H_2O(l)$	-23.1	charge more dense
$CH_4(aq) \rightarrow CH_4(CCl_4)$	+75	hydrophobic effect
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# Entropy of mixing

 Consider mixing of 2 ideal gases (mixing of other substances is conceptually similar: lipids, etc)

$$\Delta S(mixing) = -R[n_1 \ln X_1 + n_2 \ln X_2]$$

Where  $n_i$  are the number of moles and  $X_i$  are the mole fractions  $X_1 = \frac{n_1}{n_1 + n_2}, X_2 = \frac{n_2}{n_1 + n_2}$ 

- Since  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are **always** less than 1,  $\Delta S$  of mixing is always positive (why?), so the mixed state is less ordered.
- Shake a box of marbles with 2 colors
  - what happens?
  - what if you don't shake it?
- The mixture of gases in the air would not be expected to separate spontaneously!!

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#### **Entropy**

The general form that we will use to calculate entropy is

$$\Delta S = S_{\it final} - S_{\it initial} = \int_{\it initial}^{\it final} dS = \int_{\it initial}^{\it final} \frac{dq_{\it rev}}{T} \ \, ({\rm T\,may\,change,but\,what\,is\,dq?})$$

- You MUST use a reversible path to calculate entropy with heat: q<sub>rev</sub>
- Can the second law be violated?
  - Consider a box with 2 molecules
  - What happens if they both move to the same side? (0.5 probability)
- The second law is based on probabilities.
- For macroscopic systems, the probability of violation is very small (10<sup>-300</sup> for 1000 molecules on same side)
- For microscopic systems, fluctuations do occur.

#### Entropy of chemical reactions

For the general reaction n<sub>A</sub>A + n<sub>B</sub>B → n<sub>C</sub>C + n<sub>D</sub>D

$$\Delta S = n_c \overline{S_c} + n_d \overline{S_d} - n_a \overline{S_a} - n_b \overline{S_b}$$

- Tables of standard molar entropies are available
- Watch T, P just like with molar enthalpies
- Important: standard entropies for elements in their most stable form are NOT zero. What is zero?
- Third law of thermodynamics:
  - The entropy of a <u>pure</u>, <u>perfect crystal at 0K</u> is zero
  - Only one state:  $S = k_b \ln (1) = 0$
  - Not all crystals are perfect!
    - defects
    - carbon monoxide

#### Temperature dependence of entropy

- Entropy values in tables are for a specific temperature
- Heating a substance should increase the entropy

$$S_2 - S_1 = \int_1^2 \frac{dq_{rev}}{T} = \int_{T_1}^{T_2} \frac{CdT}{T}$$

- Note that we can NOT use ∆S=q<sub>rev</sub>/T if T changes!
- If P is constant:

$$S_2 - S_1 = \int_{T_1}^{T_2} \frac{C_P dT}{T}$$

If C<sub>p</sub> is independent of T (watch out for phase changes)

$$S_2 - S_1 = C_P \ln \frac{T_2}{T_1}$$

• Do NOT use  $\Delta S = C_p \Delta T/T$  (why not??)

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- If V is constant:  $S_2 S_1 = \int_{T_1}^{T_2} \frac{C_V dT}{T}$
- If  $C_V$  is independent of T  $S_2 S_1 = C_V \ln \frac{T_2}{T_1}$
- Note that heating always increases S (T<sub>2</sub>>T<sub>1</sub>, In(T2/<sub>T1</sub>)>0)

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#### Example: T dependence of entropy

- Calculate the entropy change at constant P when 1 mole of liquid water at 100°C is brought in contact with 1 mole of liquid water at 0°C. Assume C<sub>p</sub>(H<sub>2</sub>O,liq)=75 J/molK.
- What happens? What is the final temperature?
  - (100K+0K)/2=50°C (only since  $C_D$  is a constant here)
- The entropy change of the hot water is

$$\mathrm{S}(50^{\circ}\mathrm{C}) - \mathrm{S}(100^{\circ}\mathrm{C}) = \overline{\mathrm{C}}_{P} \ln \frac{323}{373} = -10.7 \mathrm{JK}^{-1} \qquad \text{<0 but 2$^{nd} law ok}$$

The entropy change of the cold water is (using q<sub>cold</sub>=-q<sub>hot</sub>)

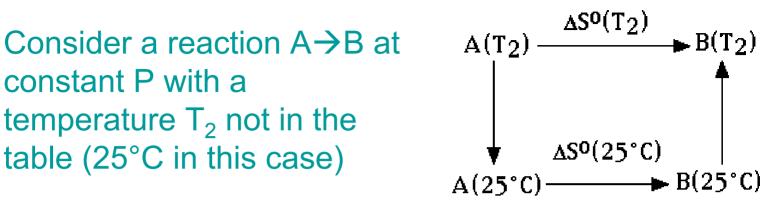
$$S(50^{\circ}C) - S(0^{\circ}C) = \overline{C}_P \ln \frac{323}{273} = 12.61 \text{JK}^{-1}$$

- Note that the entropy change is larger at lower T
- $\Delta S_{\text{univ}} = 1.82 \text{ J/K} > 0$  so process is spontaneous

Note: for 1 mole each hot and cold water

#### Entropy of a chemical reaction at different T

constant P with a temperature T<sub>2</sub> not in the table (25°C in this case)



- Construct a new path using 25°C data
- Correction term involves entropy for changing temperatures of reactants and products

$$\Delta S^o(T_2) = \Delta S^o(25^\circ C) + \textstyle \int_{T_2}^{298} C_P(A) \frac{dT}{T} + \textstyle \int_{298}^{T_2} C_P(B) \frac{dT}{T} \quad \text{Watch initial/final T}$$

General form of temperature correction

$$\Delta S^{o}(T_{2}) = \Delta S^{o}(T_{1}) + \int_{T_{2}}^{T_{1}} \Delta C_{P} \frac{dT}{T} \qquad \Delta C_{p} = C_{p}(B) - C_{p}(A)$$

Note that only the difference in heat capacity is important

#### Example: entropy of a chemical reaction

- Consider the reaction 2H₂(g)+O₂(g)→2H₂O(g)
  - reaction is exothermic (q<0), reaction is spontaneous ( $\Delta$ S>0?)
- The entropy change at 25°C is

$$\Delta S(25^{\circ}C) = 2\overline{S}_{H_{2}O(g)}^{o} - 2\overline{S}_{H_{2}(g)}^{o} - \overline{S}_{O_{2}(g)}^{o}$$
 Note the use of stoichiometry 
$$= 2(188.72) - 205.04 - 2(130.57) = -88.74 \text{JK}^{-1}$$

The heat capacity change is

$$\begin{split} &\Delta C_P^o = 2\overline{C}_{PH_2O(g)}^o - 2\overline{C}_{PH_2(g)}^o - \ \overline{C}_{PO_2(g)}^o \quad & \text{Note the use of real } C_p \text{ values} \\ &= 2(33.6) - 29.4 - 2(28.8) = -19.8 \text{JK}^{-1} \end{split}$$

• Using data in table for S and C  $\Delta S_{rxn} > \Delta S_{temperature}$  $\Delta S^{o}(100^{o}C) = \Delta S^{o}(25^{o}C) + \int_{298}^{373} \Delta C_{P} \frac{dT}{T} = -88.74 + \Delta C_{P} \ln \frac{373}{298} = -93.18 \text{JK}^{-1}$ 

AS <0 yet the reaction DOES take place! Why? AMS691</li>

#### Entropy of a phase change

- Consider a reversible phase change
- The entropy is the heat absorbed by the system divided by the equilibrium temperature (q<sub>rev</sub>/T)
- If P and T are constant during the phase change

$$\Delta S_{tr} = \frac{q_{rev}}{T_{tr}} = \frac{\Delta H_{tr}}{T_{tr}}$$

- If the phase change is not reversible, construct a new path
- Heat or cool each phase to get to the equilibrium T
- This is done in the same was as T corrections for reactions

#### Absolute (3<sup>rd</sup> law) entropies

- The 3<sup>rd</sup> law stated that the entropy of a pure, perfect crystal at 0K is zero
- The absolute entropy is the sum all of the entropy involved in getting from this state to the state of interest
- Residual entropy at 0K + heat until phase change + phase change entropy + heat until next phase change + etc...
- For a liquid compound at 25°C and 1atm

$$\begin{split} \overline{S}^{o}(25^{o}\mathrm{C}, latm) &= S^{o}(0\mathrm{K}) + \int_{0}^{T_{m}} \overline{\mathrm{C}}_{p}(s) \frac{dT}{T} + \\ \frac{\Delta H_{m}^{o}}{T_{m}} + \int_{T_{m}}^{298} \overline{\mathrm{C}}_{p}(l) \frac{dT}{T} \end{split}$$

Note how the temperatures of the integrals and the C<sub>p</sub>s change

## Gibbs Free Energy

• Gibbs free energy is **defined** as G = H - TS  $\Delta G = \Delta H - \Delta (TS)$ 

memorize!

- G is an extensive variable of state
- The molar Gibbs free energy is intensive and has a special name: chemical potential or  $\mu$
- For an equilibrium system,  $\Delta\mu=0$
- Recall that the 2<sup>nd</sup> law told us that any process would be spontaneous if (and only if)  $\Delta S_{univ} > 0$
- At constant T and P, we only need to consider ∆G<sub>system</sub>
- ΔG<sub>system</sub><0: process will occur spontaneously (when??)</li>
- $\Delta G_{\text{system}} > 0$ : process **will not** occur spontaneously (reverse will)
- $\Delta G_{\text{system}} = 0$ : process is at equilibrium (no change)

#### Calculation of Gibbs free energy changes

- If the temperature is constant :  $\Delta G = \Delta H T\Delta S$
- Note that we care about ∆G for constant T process, but we may need to know the effect of T on G (for T corrections)
- If we know  $\Delta H$  and  $\Delta S$ , we can calculate  $\Delta G$  from defin
- Values are tabulated for  $\overline{H}^0, \overline{S}^0$ , and also  $\overline{G}^0$
- Recall that these values relate to the standard state
- Standard states involve pressure but also concentration!
  - More on this extremely important topic later
- Zero free energy is arbitrary (like energy & enthalpy)
- G for elements in most stable form are zero

#### Example: Gibbs free energy changes

Calculate ∆G° for the reaction H<sub>2</sub>O(I) → H<sub>2</sub>(g) + ½ O<sub>2</sub>(g) will it occur spontaneously?

$$\Delta G^{o}(25^{\circ}C) = \overline{G}_{H_{2}(g)}^{o} + \frac{1}{2}\overline{G}_{O_{2}(g)}^{o} - \overline{G}_{H_{2}O(l)}^{o}$$
  
= 0 + 0 - (-237.19) = 237.19kJmol<sup>-1</sup>

Since  $\Delta G>0$ , the reaction will **not** occur spontaneously (but the reverse reaction will)

Another approach:

$$\Delta H^{o} = \overline{H}_{H_{2}(g)}^{o} + \frac{1}{2} \overline{H}_{O_{2}(g)}^{o} - \overline{H}_{H_{2}O(l)}^{o}$$

$$= 0 + 0 - (-285.83) = 285.83 \text{kJmol}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta S^{o} = \overline{S}_{H_{2}(g)}^{o} + \frac{1}{2} \overline{S}_{O_{2}(g)}^{o} - \overline{S}_{H_{2}O(l)}^{o}$$

$$= 130.5 + \frac{205.04}{2} - 69.95 = 163.14 \text{JK}^{-1} \text{mol}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta G^{0} = \Delta H^{0} - T\Delta S^{0}$$
$$\Delta G^{0} = 237.19 \, kJ \, / \, mol$$

The **same** value of  $\Delta G$  is obtained with either method

#### Example: Gibbs free energy changes

 Calculate ΔG° for the hydrolysis of proteins using Gly<sub>2</sub> as a model system, at 25°C and 1atm in dilute aqueous solution

$$Gly_2(aq) + H_2O \rightarrow 2 Gly(aq)$$

• The table only has data for Gly(s), we assume that the  $\Delta G$  for dissolution of Gly<sub>2</sub> is same as 2Gly

$$\Delta G^{o}(25^{\circ}C) = 2\overline{G}^{o}(glycine, s) - \overline{G}^{o}(glycylglycine, s) - \overline{G}^{o}(H_{2}O, l)$$
  
=  $2(-377.69) - (-490.57) - (-237.19)$   
=  $-27.62 \text{kJmol}^{-1}$ 

- This value is negative, thus hydrolysis of the protein backbone is spontaneous under these conditions
- We know that the process is slow (catalyzed by enzymes)

- The Gibbs free energy can tell us whether a reaction will be spontaneous (or if the reverse is spontaneous)
- We know that temperature can influence whether a reaction goes forward or backward (not just the rate, but the direction!)
- Example: proteins can fold at intermediate temperature, but folded proteins can unfold at low or high temperatures
- Why does this change in direction occur? The "∆G sign rule" still holds, so ∆G itself must depend on T

$$\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S$$
 *T is explicitly included in the*  $\Delta G$  *definition*  $\Delta H$  *and*  $\Delta S$  *themselves depend on T!*

Which effect is dominant? Do we need to worry about both? Usually not

 Very often, if the T does not change much, the following is a reasonable approximation:

$$\Delta G(T_2) = \Delta H(T_1) - T_2 \Delta S(T_1)$$

Note that we assumed  $\Delta H$  and  $\Delta S$  did not change from  $T_1 \rightarrow T_2$ 

- Example:  $\Delta G(37^{\circ}C) = \Delta H(25^{\circ}C) 37^{\circ}C \Delta S(25^{\circ}C)$
- In other words, the largest component of the temperature change usually comes from multiplying T times ΔS

$$\Delta G(T_2) = \Delta H(T_1) - T_2 \Delta S(T_1)$$
 Subtract these equations 
$$\Delta G(T_1) = \Delta H(T_1) - T_1 \Delta S(T_1)$$
 
$$\Delta G(T_2) - \Delta G(T_1) = - (T_2 - T_1) \Delta S(T_1)$$
 Note  $\Delta H$  cancels

This can be useful to approximate how  $\Delta G$  changes with T

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Note ∆S cancels

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So, if we know ΔG and either ΔH or ΔS at T<sub>1</sub>, we can estimate ΔG at T<sub>2</sub>

#### Example: peptide bond hydrolysis

 Calculate ΔG° for the hydrolysis of proteins using Gly<sub>2</sub> as a model system, at 37°C and 1atm in dilute aqueous solution

$$Gly_2(aq) + H_2O \rightarrow 2 Gly(aq)$$

- Is the process more or less spontaneous than at 25°C?
- We'll discuss later what "more spontaneous" really means

The table only has data for 37°C. What do we do?

 Let's take a quick review of what we did for this calculation at 25°C

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#### Peptide hydrolysis at 37°C

We need our ΔG value at 25°C and either ΔS or ΔH

$$\Delta G(25^{\circ}C) = -27.62 \text{ kJ/mol}$$
 
$$\Delta S^{0}(25^{\circ}C) = 2\overline{S}^{0}(\text{glycine}) - \overline{S}^{0}(\text{glycy lg lycine})$$
 
$$-\overline{S}^{0}(H_{2}O,1) = 2(103.51) - (190.0) - (69.95)$$
 
$$= -52.9 \text{JK}^{-1} \text{mol}^{-1} \qquad \text{Note that entropy favors reactants, but rxn still happens}$$
 
$$\Delta G^{0}(37^{\circ}C) = \Delta G^{0}(25^{\circ}C) - 12\Delta S^{0}(25^{\circ}C) \qquad \text{using the eqn}$$
 
$$= -27.62 - 12(-0.0529) = -26.98 \text{kJmol}^{-1} \qquad \Delta G(T_{2}) = \Delta G(T_{1}) - (T_{2} - T_{1})\Delta S(T_{1})$$

$$\Delta G(37^{\circ}C) = -26.98 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

 The value is *less negative*: less spontaneous at 37°C (but it is still spontaneous!)

#### Peptide hydrolysis at 37°C using $\Delta H$

$$\Delta G(25^{\circ}C) = -27.62 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

$$\begin{split} \Delta H^o(25^\circ\text{C}) &= 2\overline{H}^o(\text{glycine}) - \overline{H}^o(\text{glycylglycine}) \\ &- \overline{H}^o(\text{H}_2\text{O}, 1) = 2(-537.2) - (-745.25) - (-285.83) \\ &= -43.32 \text{kJmol}^{-1} \end{split}$$
 Note: exothermic, enthalpy favors products

$$\frac{\Delta G(37^{\circ}C)}{310} - \frac{\Delta G(25^{\circ}C)}{298} \stackrel{?}{=} (\frac{1}{310} - \frac{1}{298}) \Delta H(25^{\circ}C)$$

$$\frac{\Delta G(37^{\circ}C)}{310} = \frac{-27.62}{298} + (-1.299 \times 10^{-4})(-43.32) \quad \underline{\Delta G(T_2)}_{T_2} \approx \frac{\Delta G(T_1)}{T_1} + \left(\frac{1}{T_2} - \frac{1}{T_1}\right) \Delta H(T_1)$$

$$= -0.0871$$

$$\Delta G(37^{\circ}C) = 310(-0.0871) = -26.99 \text{kJmol}^{-1}$$

Value obtained using ∆S: -26.98 kJ/mol

Using either ΔH or ΔS to correct ΔG gives the same answer

#### What external conditions affect $\Delta G$ ?

- ∆G determines whether a reaction is spontaneous
- We know that the environment can affect this
- Environmental effect #1 : how does pressure affect ∆G?

$$G(P_2) - G(P_2) = \int V dP$$

- Why? G = H-TS : dG = d(E+PV) d(TS)
- dG = dE + d(PV) d(TS) = dE + PdV + VdP TdS SdT
- For a reversible path with PV work only,
   dE = dq<sub>rev</sub> + dw = TdS PdV (cancels)

$$dG = TdS - PdV + PdV + VdP - TdS - SdT$$

so 
$$dG = VdP - SdT$$
 at constant T,  $dG = VdP$ 

#### Pressure dependence of $\Delta G$

dG = VdP

$$\Delta G = \int V dP \quad \text{if V independent of P (\it liquid or solid!)},$$
 
$$\Delta G = V \int dP = V (P_2 - P_1) \checkmark$$
 Note difference! 
$$\Delta G = \int V dP \quad \text{for ideal gas,}$$
 
$$\Delta G = \int \frac{nRT}{P} dP = nRT \ln \frac{P_2}{P_1}$$

#### How will pressure change ∆G for a process?

• We have  $\Delta G(P_1)$  and need  $\Delta G(P_2)$ 

$$\Delta \Delta G = \Delta G(P_2) - \Delta G(P_1)$$

$$\Delta\Delta G = \Delta V(P_2-P_1)$$
 Reactant and product are solids/liquids only

- Where ∆V is the volume change V(products) V(reactants)
- If the volume does not change, pressure has no effect
- Increase P: favor lower volumes (and vice versa)

$$\Delta \Delta G = \Delta n \, RT \ln \frac{P_2}{P_1}$$
 Reactant and product include gases: we Ignore volumes of solids and liquids

- Reactions that increase n<sub>gas</sub> are favored by reducing P
- Reactions that decrease n<sub>gas</sub> are favored by increasing P

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#### Example: P,T dependence of ∆G

- Can diamond be spontaneously converted to graphite at 25°C and 1atm?
- Use the table to find  $\Delta G^{\circ}$  from molar  $G^{\circ}$  for each phase
- C(graphite, s) $\rightarrow$ C(diamond, s)  $\Delta$ G°=2.84 kJ/mol
- This is positive, so the reaction is not spontaneous
- *rEVERSE* reaction is spontaneous! (diamond → graphite)

- Reverse reaction is VERY SLOW!
- ΔG° doesn't tell us about how fast reaction happens

#### Example: P,T dependence of $\Delta G$

- Can diamond be spontaneously converted to graphite at higher pressures or temperatures? If so, what is the minimum value required? \$\$\$\$\$\$
- Pressure: we know  $\Delta G(P_2) = \Delta G(P_1) + \Delta V(P_2 P_1)$
- We need the volume change for the reaction

	Density g/cm <sub>3</sub>	Molar volume cm <sup>3</sup> /mol
C(graphite)	2.25	5.33
C(diamond)	3.51 (50% higher!)	3.42

Guess what higher P will do!

- $\Delta G(P_2) = 2.84 \text{ kJ/mol} + (5.33-3.4)\text{cm}^3/\text{mol} * (P_2-1\text{atm})$
- $\Delta G$  will be zero when  $P_2=15,000$  atm
- Temperature:  $\Delta G^0 = \Delta H^0 T \Delta S^0$
- $\Delta S^{\circ} = -3.31 \text{ J/(K mol)} < 0 \text{ so increased T will NQInhelp}$

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#### Free energy of phase changes

- We often consider a phase change under equilibrium conditions
  - Melting point or boiling point of water
- Under equilibrium conditions, what is ∆G?

$$\Delta G = 0$$

- What if conditions are not at equilibrium?
  - Protein unfolding under native conditions
  - Changes to lipid bilayer structure
- In these cases, we still correct ∆G for temperature or pressure, but ∆G(T,P<sub>eq</sub>)=0

#### Non-covalent reactions

- Most of our examples have involved making breaking chemical bonds
- These process are very important in biology
  - Enzymatic reactions

- ATP hydrolysis
- Protein/nucleic acid synthesis and polymerization
- Many other important reactions do not change chemical bonds
  - Formation of duplex DNA
- Protein folding

Hydrophobic effect

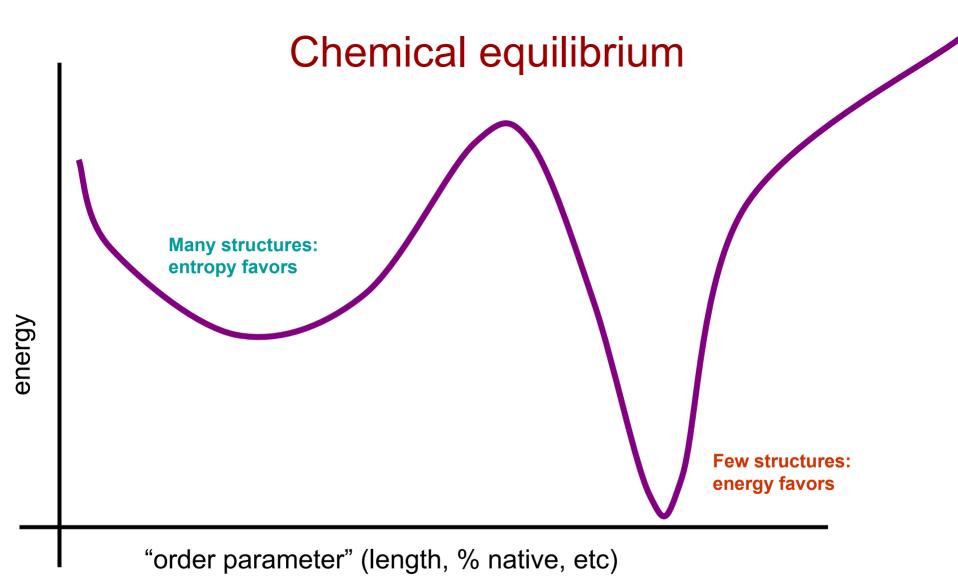
- Ion transport

Ligand binding

- Hydrogen bonding
- The same principles apply to all of these processes

# Free energy and chemical equilibria





Equilibrium, like free energy, is a (temperature-dependent) balance between energy and entropy

#### What is equilibrium?

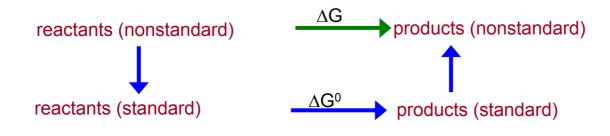
- We have been treating processes as "spontaneous" or not based on the sign of  $\Delta G^{\circ}$
- What meaning does the magnitude of ∆G° have?
- How can we say that a reaction will be spontaneous or not based only on ΔG°, when we know that it depends on concentrations?
  - All reactant and no product → form at least some product
  - All product and no reactant → form at least some reactant
  - All reactions will have an *equilibrium mixture* of reactants and products
- The values of ΔG, ΔH, etc. in table refer to the substances in their standard state: ΔG<sup>0</sup>, ΔH<sup>0</sup>, etc.

#### Equilibrium and standard states

- Once equilibrium is reached, concentrations no longer change over time (but reactions still occur, more later)
- Associated with equilibrium is a fixed ratio of reactants and products (not necessarily referring to changes in chemical bonds)
- This ratio is known as the equilibrium constant: K<sub>eq</sub>
- This constant is the same regardless of who prepared the system, or how it was prepared
- Living organisms are NOT at equilibrium (until they die), but in a steady state
- Many processes in organisms are at equilibrium, such as ligand binding, protein folding and more

#### Equilibrium and standard states

- Metabolic processes involve an enormous number of complex biological reactions operating together
- These reactions are controlled by the factors we have been studying
- We have seen that T, P and V influence ∆G, but a very important factor is also concentration
  - If [reactant] = 0 , how could a reaction be spontaneous??
- Since we need to have some numbers in tables, we choose a "standard state" for the reactions in the table
- All reactions not in the standard state need a correction



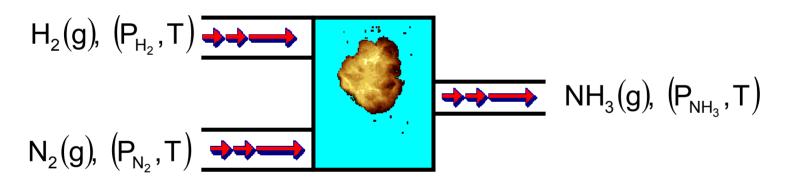
#### Ideal and non-ideal behavior

- One factor that influences behavior is concentration
- Another important factor is whether the system is ideal
  - Presence of some molecules may change the behavior of others
  - Ideal vs non-ideal gases
  - Ideal vs non-ideal solutions
- Example: the behavior of a certain amount of DNA is very different in pure water and in solution with ions (salt)
- We have 2 choices:
  - 1. Change all of our equations to handle all possible neighboring molecules that can influence behavior

2. Use the same equations but introduce a way that the results can be corrected

#### Free energy and non-standard states

- Consider a flow reaction chamber (details not important)
- H<sub>2</sub>(g) and N<sub>2</sub>(g) flow into the chamber at P<sub>H2</sub> and P<sub>N2</sub>
- NH<sub>3</sub>(g) comes out of the chamber at P<sub>NH3</sub>
- T is constant



$$\frac{1}{2}N_{2}(g), (P_{N_{2}}) + \frac{3}{2}H_{2}(g), (P_{H_{2}}) \xrightarrow{\Delta G} NH_{3}(g), (P_{NH_{3}})$$

$$\frac{1}{2}N_{2}(g), (1atm) + \frac{3}{2}H_{2}(g), (1atm) \xrightarrow{\Delta G^{0}} NH_{3}(g), (1atm)$$

#### What is the overall $\Delta G$ ?

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recall 
$$G(P_2) - G(P_1) = nRT \ln \frac{P_2}{P_1}$$
  

$$\Delta G_1 = \frac{1}{2} RT \ln \frac{1}{P_{N_2}} + \frac{3}{2} RT \ln \frac{1}{P_{H_2}} = RT \ln \left( \frac{1}{P_{N_2}^{1/2} P_{H_2}^{3/2}} \right)$$

where we used  $a \ln x = \ln x^a$  and  $\ln a + \ln b = \ln(ab)$ 

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#### Correction to $\Delta G^{\circ}$ for non-standard states

$$\Delta G_{total} = \Delta G^0 + RT \ln \left( \frac{P_{NH_3}}{P_{N_2}^{1/2} P_{H_2}^{3/2}} \right)$$

- Recall that we cannot take the log of a number with units
- The true equation should really be:

$$\Delta G_{total} = \Delta G^0 + RT \ln \left( \frac{P_{NH_3}}{P^0} \right)^{1/2} \left( \frac{P_{N_2}}{P^0} \right)^{1/2} \left( \frac{P_{H_2}}{P^0} \right)^{3/2}$$

The standard state is usually left out (value usually 1)

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#### Example

$$\Delta G_{total} - \Delta G^0 = RT \ln \left( \frac{P_{NH_3}}{P_{N_2}^{1/2} P_{H_2}^{3/2}} \right)$$

- Calculate the Gibbs free energy relative to that under standard conditions for forming 1 mole of NH<sub>3</sub> at 298K if a) 10 atm of N<sub>2</sub> and 10 atm of H<sub>2</sub> were used to form 0.01 atm of NH<sub>3</sub>
  - b) 0.01 atm of N<sub>2</sub> and 0.01 atm of H<sub>2</sub> were used to form 10 atm of NH<sub>3</sub>

$$\Delta G_{298K} - \Delta G_{298K}^{0} = RT \ln \left( \frac{P_{NH_3}}{P_{N_2}^{1/2} P_{H_2}^{3/2}} \right)$$

Note that we don't need values for  $\Delta G^{\circ}$  to know which direction ∆G will change

$$= 8.314 \frac{J}{molK} \cdot 298K \ln \left( \frac{0.01}{3.16 \cdot 31.6} \right)$$

$$=-2.28x10^4 \frac{J}{mol}$$
 More favorable than at std. state

a)

$$\Delta G_{298K} - \Delta G_{298K}^{0} = 8.314 \frac{J}{mol K} \cdot 298K \ln \left(\frac{10}{0.1 \cdot 0.001}\right) = 2.85 \times 10^{4} \frac{J}{mol}$$

Less favorable than at std. state

Doesn't give overall △G!

#### Generalized equations for ideal gases

$$aA + bB \rightarrow cC + dD$$

$$\Delta G_{total} = \Delta G^{0} + RT \ln Q$$

$$Q = \left(\frac{P_{C}^{c} P_{D}^{d}}{P_{A}^{a} P_{B}^{b}}\right)$$

- Where P<sub>i</sub> are the partial pressures of the gases
- Q is the reaction quotient not the equilibrium constant!
- Note that we add the LN of Q
- Q < 1: more favorable than system at standard state</li>
- Q > 1: less favorable than system at standard state
- This does not tell us if it is favorable overall! (need  $\Delta G^{\circ}$  too)

#### General approach

- Consider the reaction A → 2B
- Assume that the table tells us that ∆G° = 10 kJ/mol
- Equal mixture of both gases: each has 0.5 atm P<sub>i</sub>

$$Q = \frac{\left[\frac{\left[B\right]}{1mol/L}\right]^2}{\frac{\left[A\right]}{1mol/L}}$$
 Due to **conditions** 
$$\Delta G_{total} = \Delta G^0 + RT \ln Q = \Delta G^0 + RT \ln \left[\frac{\left[B\right]}{1mol/L}\right]^2}{\frac{\left[A\right]}{1mol/L}}$$

$$\Delta G_{total} = \Delta G^{0} + RT \ln Q = 10 \frac{kJ}{mol} + RT \ln \frac{0.5^{2}}{0.5} = 8.3 \frac{kJ}{mol}$$

### Equilibrium constant K<sub>eq</sub>

- Consider a reaction that has reached equilibrium (  $\Delta G=0$  )
- The previous equation still holds, but we can replace Q with K

$$K_{eq} = \left(rac{\left(P_{C}^{eq}\right)^{c}\left(P_{D}^{eq}\right)^{d}}{\left(P_{A}^{eq}\right)^{a}\left(P_{B}^{eq}\right)^{b}}
ight)$$
 K is Q at equilibrium

• Since  $\Delta G=0$  at equilibrium,

#### **KEY EQUATIONS!**

$$\Delta G_{eq} = 0 = \Delta G^0 + RT \ln K \Rightarrow \Delta G^0 = -RT \ln K \text{ or } K = e^{-\Delta G^0/RT}$$

$$\Delta G_{total} = \Delta G^{0} + RT \ln Q = -RT \ln K + RT \ln Q = RT \ln \left(\frac{Q}{K}\right)$$

 So, what matters is the actual ratio of product/reactant compared to the ratio at equilibrium

#### K<sub>eq</sub>, entropy and enthalpy

$$K = e^{-\Delta G^0/RT} = e^{-\left(\frac{\Delta H^0 - T\Delta S^0}{RT}\right)} = e^{-\left(\frac{\Delta H^0}{RT} - \frac{\Delta S^0}{R}\right)} = e^{-\frac{\Delta H^0}{RT}} e^{\frac{\Delta S^0}{R}}$$

• Thus the equilibrium constant is related to  $\Delta H$  and  $\Delta S$  too

 The value of the equilibrium constant will certainly depend on the temperature

• We will see later that knowing the values  $K_{eq}$  as a function of temperature can be used to determine  $\Delta H^\circ$  and  $\Delta S^\circ$  (as well as  $\Delta G^\circ$ )

Example 
$$K = e^{-\Delta G^0/RT}$$

- Calculate the equilibrium constant at 25°C for the decarboxylation of liquid pyruvic acid to form gaseous acetaldehyde and CO<sub>2</sub>
- $\Delta G^{\circ} = \Delta G^{\circ}_{f}(acetaldehyde) + \Delta G^{\circ}_{f}(CO_{2}) \Delta G^{\circ}_{f}(pyruvic acid)$
- $\Delta G^{\circ}=(-33.3 \text{ kJ/mol}) + (-394.36 \text{ kJ/mol}) (-463.38 \text{ kJ/mol}) = -64.28 \text{ kJ/mol}$

• So, 
$$K = e^{-\left(\frac{-64.28kJ/mol}{RT}\right)} = 1.85x10^{11}$$
 no units!

 Calculate the fraction of folded conformation for a protein with a free energy of folding of a) -0.5 kJ/mol b) -5 kJ/mol

$$K = \frac{\left[folded\right]}{\left[unfolded\right]} = \frac{X}{1 - X} = e^{-\left(\frac{-0.5 \times 10^3}{8.314 \cdot 298 K}\right)} = 1.22 \qquad K = \frac{\left[folded\right]}{\left[unfolded\right]} = \frac{X}{1 - X} = e^{-\left(\frac{-5 \times 10^3}{8.314 \cdot 298 K}\right)} = 7.5$$

$$X = 1.22(1 - X) \qquad X = \frac{1.22}{2.22} = 0.55 = 55\% \qquad X = 7.5(1 - X) \qquad X = \frac{7.5}{8.5} = 0.88 = 88\%$$

Example 
$$K = e^{-\Delta G^0/RT}$$

 Let's say you want to design a "picomolar" inhibitor of HIV reverse transcriptase (RT) at 37°C. What does the (standard) free energy of binding need to be?

I-RT 
$$\rightarrow$$
 I + RT 
$$K_d = \left(\frac{[free inhibitor][RT]}{[bound inhibitor]}\right) = 1x10^{-12}$$

 Note that K<sub>eq</sub> is the concentration of inhibitor needed to form a complex with ½ of the enzyme

$$\Delta G^{0} = -RT \ln K = -8.314 \frac{J}{mol \cdot K} 325K \ln(1x10^{-12}) = -74.6 \frac{kJ}{mol}$$

 Compare this very large binding energy to the protein stability energies discussed previously