

#### (4) Microcanonical Ensemble

Fixed intenergy  $E$  and gen coord.  $\vec{x}$

Macrostate  $M(E, \vec{x})$

mixed microstate  $(\mu) \rightarrow$  ensemble

•  $\mu$  at pt in phase space  $\{q_i, p_i\} \rightarrow \{x_i\}$

•  $H = H(\{q_i, p_i\})$

•  $H$  conserved i.e.  $H(\mu) = E$

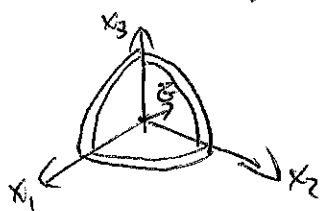
• total # states confined on surface area of constant energy ( $\Omega$ ) thus,



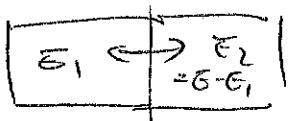
$$P(\mu) = \frac{1}{\Omega(E, \vec{x})} \quad (\text{assume uniform distribution})$$

• usually constraint energy w/ uncertainty  $\Delta$  st  $E - \Delta \leq H(\mu) \leq E + \Delta$   
more convenient to describe #  $\mu$  within energy shell

$$\Omega' \approx 2\Delta\Omega$$



joint sys



only energy exchange allowed

$$\# \mu = \mu_1 \otimes \mu_2 \quad H(\mu_1 \otimes \mu_2) = H_1(\mu_1) + H_2(\mu_2)$$

$$E_1 = E_1 + E_2$$

$$\text{Then } P_E(\mu_1 \otimes \mu_2) = \frac{1}{\Omega(E)} \begin{cases} 1 & H(\mu_1 \otimes \mu_2) = E \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

Note Entropy  $S = k_B \ln \Omega$

Thus joint sys has

$$\Omega(E) = \int dE_1 \Omega(E_1) \Omega(E - E_1) = \int dE_1 \exp \left[ \frac{S_1(E_1) + S_2(E - E_1)}{k_B} \right]$$

At equilibrium, we have saddle point at  $(E_1^*, E_2^*)$

By saddle point method,

i.e.  $f, S: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad U \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  if  $M = \sup_{x \in U} (S(x)) < \infty$  s.t.  $\int_U |f(x)| e^{\lambda S(x)} dx < \infty$

then  $\left| \int_U f(x) e^{\lambda S(x)} dx \right| \leq \text{const.} e^{\lambda M}$

$\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{R} \quad \lambda \geq \lambda_0$

Thus,  $S(E) = k_B \ln \Omega(E) \approx S_1(E_1^*) + S_2(E_2^*)$

extremum of  $\Omega(E) \Rightarrow \left. \frac{\partial S_1}{\partial E_1} \right|_{\vec{x}_1} = \left. \frac{\partial S_2}{\partial E_2} \right|_{\vec{x}_2}$  here  $\vec{x}_{1,2}$  seen as volume  $V$

Remark • Postulate of uniform distrib. of state, but max # state at  $(E_1^*, E_2^*)$   
 • This is because probabilistic avg. provides no info of dynamical evolution.

Since  $\frac{\partial S_i}{\partial E_i} = \frac{1}{T}$ , at equilibrium  $\frac{\partial S_1}{\partial E_1} = \frac{\partial S_2}{\partial E_2} \Rightarrow$  temp. equilibrium!

Remark  $\Omega_1(E_1^*, \vec{x}_1) \Omega_2(E_2^*, \vec{x}_2) \geq \Omega_1(E_1, \vec{x}_1) \Omega_2(E_2, \vec{x}_2)$  by Saddle Point Method.

thus  $\delta S = S(E_1^*) + S_2(E_2^*) - S_1(E_1) - S_2(E_2) \geq 0$  2<sup>nd</sup> Law;  $S = k_B \ln \Omega$

O.T.O.H  $\delta S = \left( \left. \frac{\partial S}{\partial E_1} \right|_{\vec{x}_1} - \left. \frac{\partial S}{\partial E_2} \right|_{\vec{x}_2} \right) \delta E = \left( \frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2} \right) \delta E_1 \geq 0$

Heat flow from high temp to low temp.

Stab. Cond  $\left. \frac{\partial^2 S_1}{\partial E_1^2} \right|_{\vec{x}_1} + \left. \frac{\partial^2 S_2}{\partial E_2^2} \right|_{\vec{x}_2} \leq 0$  at equilibrium where  $(E_1^*, E_2^*)$  maximum pt.  
 thus there must be  $C \geq 0$

### Two-level Sys.

Excited state w/ energy  $\epsilon$   
 Ground state w/  $\epsilon = 0$   
 total mixed states  $N$   
 # of excited states  $N_1$   
 total energy  $E$

$$H(\{n_i\}) = \sum_{i=1}^N n_i = \epsilon N_1 = E \Rightarrow N_1 = \frac{E}{\epsilon}$$

$$P(\{n_i\}) = \frac{1}{\Omega(E, N)} \delta_{\sum \epsilon n_i, E}$$

$$\Omega = \frac{N!}{N_1!(N-N_1)!} \quad S = k_B \ln \Omega$$

$$\frac{1}{T} = \left. \frac{\partial S}{\partial E} \right|_N = -\frac{k_B}{E} \ln \left( \frac{E}{N\epsilon - E} \right), \quad E(T) = \frac{N\epsilon}{e^{\frac{\epsilon}{k_B T}} + 1}$$

### Probability distribution.

By Bayes's thm i.e.  $P(x, y) = P(y|x)P(x)$

$$P(n_1) = \sum_{n_2, \dots, n_N} P(\{n_i\}) = \frac{\Omega(E - n_1\epsilon, N-1)}{\Omega(E, N)}$$

$$P(n_1=0) = \frac{\Omega(E, N-1)}{\Omega(E, N)} = 1 - \frac{N_1}{N}; \quad P(n_1=1) = 1 - P(n_1=0) = \frac{N_1}{N}$$

For  $N_1 = \frac{E}{\epsilon}$

$$P(0) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-\frac{\epsilon}{k_B T}}}$$

$$P(1) = \frac{e^{-\frac{\epsilon}{k_B T}}}{1 + e^{-\frac{\epsilon}{k_B T}}}$$

#### (4) Micro-ensemble

ex Ideal Gas

$N$  (free) particles,  $6N$  dim for  $\mu = \{\vec{p}_i, \vec{q}_i\}$  phase space.

PDF 
$$p(\mu) = \frac{1}{\Omega(E, V, N)} \delta(E - H)$$

$$\Omega = \int d\mu \delta(E - H) = \int \prod_{i=1}^N d\vec{q}_i d\vec{p}_i \delta(E - H) = V^N A^{3N} \Delta_{R(E)}$$

$3N$  spherical shell

$$R = \sqrt{2mE} \quad \text{b/c } \sum \vec{p}_i^2 = 2mE \quad \Delta_{R(E)} = \Delta E \sqrt{2mE}$$

for  $S^{d-1}$  surf. area  $A^d = \int_{\text{solid angle}} R^{d-1} d\Omega$

$$I = \int \prod_{i=1}^d dx_i e^{-x_i^2} = \pi^{d/2} = \int d^d x_i e^{-\sum x_i^2} = S_d \int dr R^{d-1} e^{-r^2}$$

for  $y = R^2$ ,  $\pi^{d/2} = S_d \left(\frac{d}{2} - 1\right)! \quad \text{w/ } \left(\frac{d}{2} - 1\right)! = \int y^{\frac{d}{2}-1} e^{-y} dy$

Thus 
$$\Omega = V^N (2mE)^{\frac{3N-1}{2}} \frac{2\pi^{d/2}}{\left(\frac{d}{2} - 1\right)!} \Delta_{R(E)}$$

ie.  $(E, V, N) \rightarrow (\lambda E, \lambda V, N)$

$$S = k_B \ln \Omega = N k_B \ln \left[ V \left( \frac{4\pi m E}{3N} \right)^{3/2} \right] \leftarrow \text{Not extensive.}$$

$$\frac{1}{T} = \frac{\partial S}{\partial E} \Big|_{N, V} = \frac{3 N k_B}{2 E}, \quad \frac{P}{T} = \frac{\partial S}{\partial V} \Big|_{N, E} = \frac{N k_B}{V} \quad \text{so } PV = N k_B T$$

Prob. distrib

$$p(\vec{p}_1) = \int d\vec{q}_1 \prod_{i=2}^N d\vec{q}_i d\vec{p}_i p(\{\vec{q}_i, \vec{p}_i\}) = \frac{V \Omega(E - \frac{\vec{p}_1^2}{2m}, V, N-1)}{\Omega(E, V, N)}$$

using expression of  $\Omega$ ,

$$p(\vec{p}_1) = \left( \frac{3N}{4\pi m E} \right)^{3/2} \exp \left( -\frac{3N}{2} \frac{\vec{p}_1^2}{2mE} \right)$$

for  $E = \frac{3N k_B T}{2}$

$$p(\vec{p}_1) = \frac{1}{(2\pi m k_B T)^{3/2}} \exp \left( -\frac{\vec{p}_1^2}{2m k_B T} \right)$$

Gibbs Paradox. mixing of same gas w/ same density.

distinct particle.

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline \bullet & \bullet \\ \hline A & B \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \Delta S > 0$$

identical particle

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline \bullet & \bullet \\ \hline A & B \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \Delta S = 0 \quad (\text{should expect})$$

due to overcount  $N!$  thus.

$$\Omega(N, E, V) = \frac{V^N}{N!} \frac{2\pi^{3N/2}}{(3N/2 - 1)!} (2mE)^{\frac{3N-1}{2}} \Delta_R \Rightarrow S = N k_B \left( \ln \frac{eV}{N} + \delta \right) \quad \text{not extensive!}$$

## Canonical Ensemble



$$p(\mu_R \otimes \mu_S) = \frac{1}{\Omega_{SR}(\bar{E}_{tot})} \begin{cases} 1 & H_R(\mu_R) + H_S(\mu_S) = \bar{E}_{tot} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$p(\mu_S) = \frac{\Omega_R(\bar{E}_{tot} - H_S(\mu_S))}{\Omega_{SR}(\bar{E}_{tot})} \propto \exp\left(\frac{1}{k_B} S_R(\bar{E}_{tot} - H_S(\mu_S))\right)$$

Since  $\bar{E}_{tot} \gg H_S(\mu_S)$  then  $S_R(\bar{E} - H_S(\mu_S)) \approx S_R(\bar{E}) - H_S \frac{\partial S_R}{\partial \bar{E}_R} = S_R(\bar{E}) - \frac{H_S}{T}$

Thus 
$$p(\mu) = \frac{e^{-\beta H(\mu)}}{Z} \quad \text{here } \mu = \mu_S$$

$$Z = \sum_{\{\mu\}} e^{-\beta H(\mu)}$$

Note:  $p(\bar{E}) = \int dH p(H) \delta(H - \bar{E}) = \int d\mu p(\mu) \delta(H(\mu) - \bar{E})$   
 $\rightarrow p(\bar{E}) = \sum_{\mu} p(\mu) \delta(H(\mu) - \bar{E}) = \frac{e^{-\beta \bar{E}}}{Z} \sum_{\mu} \delta(H(\mu) - \bar{E})$

thus 
$$p(\bar{E}) = \frac{\Omega(\bar{E}) e^{-\beta \bar{E}}}{Z} = \frac{1}{Z} \exp\left(-\frac{F(\bar{E})}{k_B T}\right)$$

now we have also

$$Z = \sum_{\mu} e^{-\beta H(\mu)} = \sum_{\bar{E}} e^{-\beta F(\bar{E})} \quad \text{most probable}$$

$$\langle H \rangle = -\frac{\partial \ln Z}{\partial \beta}$$

Since  $E = F + TS = -T^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \left( \frac{F}{T} \right) = \frac{\partial (F/T)}{\partial \beta}$

$$\Rightarrow F(T, \bar{E}) = -k_B T \ln Z$$

## Cumulant of H

$Z = \sum_{\mu} e^{-\beta H(\mu)}$  if  $\beta \rightarrow i k \quad \Sigma \rightarrow \int$  we have F.T.  $Z \rightarrow \tilde{Z}(k)$

so  $\langle H \rangle_c = -\frac{\partial \ln Z}{\partial \beta} \quad \langle H^2 \rangle_c = \frac{\partial^2 \ln Z}{\partial \beta^2} \quad \text{Generally } \langle H^n \rangle_c = (-1)^n \frac{\partial^n \ln Z}{\partial \beta^n}$

## Central limit theorem

$\langle H^2 \rangle = k_B T^2 C_x$  where  $C_x \sim N$  width of  $p(\bar{E}) \propto \sqrt{k_B T^2 C_x} \propto N^{1/2}$

relative error  $\sqrt{k_B T^2 C_x} / \langle H \rangle_c \rightarrow 0$  clearly all  $\langle H^n \rangle_c \sim N$  thus.

$$p(\bar{E}) = \frac{1}{Z} e^{-\beta F(\bar{E})} \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi k_B T^2 C_x}} \exp\left(-\frac{(\bar{E} - \langle H \rangle_c)^2}{2 k_B T^2 C_x}\right)$$

④ can.ensem.

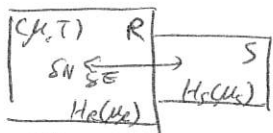
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2-level 
$$Z = \sum_{\mu} e^{-\beta H(\mu)} = \sum_{\{n_i\}} e^{-\beta \sum_{i=1}^N n_i} = \prod_{i=1}^N \left( \sum_{\{n_i\}} e^{-\beta n_i} \right)$$
  

$$Z = (1 + e^{-\beta \epsilon})^N$$

Ideal gas 
$$Z = \int \frac{1}{N!} \prod_{i=1}^N \frac{d^3 q_i d^3 p_i}{h^3} \exp \left( -\beta \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{p_i^2}{2m} \right) = \frac{1}{N!} \left( \frac{V}{\lambda^3} \right)^N \quad w/ \quad \lambda = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2\pi m k_B T}}$$

Grand canonical Ensemble



Prob distrib 
$$P(\mu_s) = \frac{e^{\beta \mu N(\mu_s) - \beta H(\mu_s)}}{Q}$$

$$Q(T, \mu, \vec{x}) = \sum_{\mu_s} e^{\beta \mu N(\mu_s) - \beta H(\mu_s)}$$

reorganized 
$$Q = \sum_{N=0}^{\infty} e^{\beta \mu N} \underbrace{\sum_{\{\mu_s | N\}} e^{-\beta H(\mu_s)}}_{Z(T, N, \vec{x})}$$

we have 
$$\langle N \rangle = \frac{\partial}{\partial (\beta \mu)} \ln Q \quad \langle N^2 \rangle_c = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial (\beta \mu)^2} \ln Q$$

Approx.  $\max\{N\} = N^* \approx \langle N \rangle$  sharpness of distribution

$$Q(T, \mu, \vec{x}) = \sum_{N=0}^{\infty} e^{\beta \mu N} Z(T, N, \vec{x}) = e^{\beta \mu N^*} Z(T, N^*, \vec{x}) = e^{\beta \mu N^* - \beta F}$$

since grand potential 
$$G = E - TS - \mu N$$

$$Q = e^{-\beta G}$$

thus 
$$G = -k_B T \ln Q \quad w/ \quad \text{therm.} \quad -S = \frac{\partial G}{\partial T} \Big|_{\mu, \vec{x}} \quad N = - \frac{\partial G}{\partial \mu} \Big|_{T, \vec{x}} \quad J = \frac{\partial G}{\partial X} \Big|_{T, \mu}$$

ex ideal gas

$$Q = \sum_{N=0}^{\infty} e^{\beta \mu N} \frac{1}{N!} \int \left( \prod_{i=1}^N \frac{d^3 q_i d^3 p_i}{h^3} \right) \exp \left( -\beta \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{p_i^2}{2m} \right) = \sum_{N=0}^{\infty} \frac{e^{\beta \mu N}}{N!} \left( \frac{V}{\lambda^3} \right)^N = \exp \left( e^{\beta \mu} \frac{V}{\lambda^3} \right)$$

Remark - can recover ideal gas law  $PV = Nk_B T$  from calculating therm prop.

## Gibbs canonical ensemble

$$M \equiv (T, \vec{J})$$

— constant force acts on sys.

$$\text{Thus } p(\mu_s, \vec{x}) = \frac{e^{-\beta H(\mu_s) + \beta \vec{J} \cdot \vec{x}}}{Z}$$

$$Z(N, T, \vec{J}) = \sum_{\mu_s, \vec{x}} e^{\beta \vec{J} \cdot \vec{x} - \beta H(\mu_s)}$$

$$\text{Gibbs } G = E - TS - \vec{x} \cdot \vec{J} \Rightarrow \vec{x} = - \frac{\partial G}{\partial \vec{J}}$$

$$\text{Since } \langle x \rangle = k_B T \frac{\partial \ln Z}{\partial \vec{J}} \Rightarrow \boxed{G(N, T, \vec{J}) = -k_B T \ln Z}$$

$$\text{Enthalpy } H = E - \vec{x} \cdot \vec{J}$$

$$-\frac{\partial \ln Z}{\partial \beta} = \langle H - \vec{x} \cdot \vec{J} \rangle = H \Rightarrow G = \frac{\partial H}{\partial T}$$

## ex Ideal gas in isobaric ensemble

$$M = (N, T, P) \quad \mu = \{\vec{p}_i, \vec{q}_i\} \text{ and } V$$

thus

$$P(\{\vec{p}_i, \vec{q}_i\}, V) = \frac{1}{Z} \exp \left[ -\beta \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{p_i^2}{2m} - \beta P V \right] \quad \text{if within box of } V \text{ else } 0$$

$$Z = \int_0^\infty dV e^{-\beta P V} \frac{1}{N!} \int \prod_{i=1}^N \frac{d^3 p_i d^3 q_i}{h^3} \exp \left( -\beta \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{p_i^2}{2m} \right)$$

$$= \int_0^\infty dV V^N e^{-\beta P V} \frac{1}{N! \lambda^{3N}} = \frac{1}{(\beta P)^{N+1} \lambda^{3N}}$$