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SOLUTIONS TO THERMODYNAMIC MECH. PRACTICE PROBLEMS

E+R P31.12

$$q = e^{-0/T} + e^{-100/T} + e^{-200/T}$$

$$= 1 + e^{-100/T} + e^{-200/T}$$

$$T = 50 \text{ K}: p_0 = \frac{e^{-0/T}}{q} = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-100/50} + e^{-200/50}} = 0.867$$

$$p_1 = \frac{e^{-100/T}}{q} = 0.118$$

$$p_2 = \frac{e^{-200/T}}{q} = 0.016$$

$$T = 500 \text{ K}: q = 2.49$$

$$\therefore p_0 = 0.40$$

$$p_1 = 0.329$$

$$p_2 = 0.269$$

$$T = 5000 \text{ K}: q = 1 + 0.98 + 0.96 = 2.94$$

$$\therefore p_0 = 0.340$$

$$p_1 = 0.333$$

$$p_2 = 0.327$$

E+R P31.13

AS DISCUSSED IN THE TEXT,  $6000 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  IS THE  $\Delta \tilde{\nu}$  WAVE NUMBER FOR THE ENERGY LEVEL SPACING, RELATED TO

$\Delta E$  BY:

$$\Delta E = hc \Delta \tilde{\nu} = (6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}) (3 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}) (6000 \text{ cm}^{-1})$$

$$= 1.19 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

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WE ARE TOLD THAT 8 TIMES AS MANY MOLECULES ARE FOUND IN THE GROUND STATE AS THE EXCITED STATE:

$$\therefore \frac{P_0}{P_1} = 8 \quad \frac{P_0}{P_1} = \frac{\left(\frac{e^{-E_0/KT}}{q}\right)}{\left(\frac{e^{-E_1/KT}}{q}\right)} = \frac{e^{-E_0/KT}}{e^{-E_1/KT}} = e^{\Delta E/KT}$$

$\Delta E \equiv E_1 - E_0$

$$e^{\Delta E/KT} = e^{(1.19 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J})/KT} = 8 \rightarrow \frac{8619}{T} = \ln 8$$

$$\therefore T = 4145 \text{ K}$$

EXR 31.19

$$\frac{P_0}{P_1} = 5 \rightarrow \frac{e^{-E_0/KT}}{e^{-E_1/KT}} = e^{\Delta E/KT} = 5$$

$$\frac{94.157}{T} = \ln 5 \quad \therefore T = 58.5 \times 10^3 \text{ K}$$

EXR 31.20

$$E_1 = hc\tilde{\nu} = (2.41 \times 10^{-21} \text{ J})$$

$121.1 \text{ cm}^{-1}$

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} \text{PROBABILITY TO} \\ \text{OCCUPY EITHER EXCITED} \\ \text{STATE AT } T=100\text{K} \end{array} \right) = 2P_1 = 2 \left( \frac{e^{-E_1/KT}}{q} \right) = \underline{0.148}$$

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2 IDENTICAL ENERGY LEVELS AT  $121.1 \text{ cm}^{-1}$

$$q = e^{-0/kT} + e^{-0/kT} + e^{-E_1/kT} + e^{-E_1/kT}$$

$$= 2 + 2e^{-E_1/kT} = 2 + 2e^{-174.6/T} = 2.35$$

@ 500K :  $p(T=500K) = 2p_1 = \underline{0.414}$

$$q = 3.41$$

@ 2000K :  $p(T=2000K) = 2p_1 = \underline{0.478}$

$$q = 3.83$$

$$U = \frac{NkT}{2} \quad C_V = \frac{Nk}{2}$$

EXR P33.3  $\Sigma_m = \alpha m^2$

$$q = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} e^{-\alpha m^2/kT} = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (e^{-\alpha/kT})^{m^2} \quad Q = q^N$$

$$U = kT^2 \frac{\partial \ln Q}{\partial T} = \frac{NkT}{2}$$

$$C_V = \left( \frac{\partial U}{\partial T} \right)_V = \frac{Nk}{2}$$

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$$(a) q = e^{-(-D)/kT} + e^{-(-D)/kT} + e^{-0/kT} \\ = 2e^{D/kT} + 1$$

$$(b) U = kT^2 \frac{\partial \ln q}{\partial T} = kT^2 \left( \frac{-\frac{2D}{kT^2} e^{D/kT}}{(1+2e^{D/kT})} \right) = \frac{-2D e^{D/kT}}{(1+2e^{D/kT})}$$

$$(c) U(T \rightarrow \infty) = \frac{-2D}{1+2} = -\frac{2}{3}D$$

$$(d) U(T \rightarrow 0) = -D$$

$$(e) \frac{p_3}{(p_1 + p_2)} = \frac{e^{-0/kT}}{2e^{D/kT}} = \frac{1}{2} e^{-D/kT}$$

$$(f) S = -k_b \sum_{j=1}^3 p_j \ln p_j \quad q(T \rightarrow \infty) = 3 \\ = -k_b \left[ \frac{1}{3} \ln \frac{1}{3} \right] = k_b \ln \left( \frac{1}{3} \right) = \underline{1.09 k_b}$$