

The thermodynamics of mixing

2 perfect gases:

• Gibbs energy: $\Delta_{mix} G = n_A RT \ln \frac{p_A}{p} + n_B RT \ln \frac{p_B}{p}$
 $= n RT (X_A \ln X_A + X_B \ln X_B)$

• Entropy: $\Delta_{mix} S = - \frac{\Delta_{mix} G}{T} = -nR (X_A \ln X_A + X_B \ln X_B)$

Since $\ln X < 0 \Rightarrow \Delta_{mix} S > 0$

$\Rightarrow \Delta_{mix} H = 0$ no interaction between molecules

\Rightarrow driving force of mixing is entropy!

ideal solutions:

$$\mu_A^* \xleftarrow{\text{pure}} \mu_A^0 \xleftarrow{\text{vapour}} + RT \ln \frac{p_A}{p^0} = p_A^*$$

\uparrow liquid

+ another substance dissolved:

$$\mu_A = \mu_A^0 + RT \ln p_A$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu_A = \mu_A^* + RT \ln \frac{p_A}{p_A^*}$$

Raoult's law: $p_A = X_A p_A^* \Leftrightarrow$ ideal solution

$$\mu_A = \mu_A^* + RT \ln X_A$$

molecular interpretation:

rate of vaporization = $k \chi_A$

rate of condensation = $k' p_A$

equilib. : $k' p_A = k \chi_A$

$p_A = \frac{k}{k'} \chi_A$ pure liquid $p_A^* = \frac{k}{k'}$

$\Rightarrow p_A = p_A^* \chi$

• ideal solutions applies for very similar liquids

• $\mu_A = \mu_A^* + RT \ln \chi_A$ also applies to very dilute solutions where Raoult's law does not apply

it is replaced by Henry's law : $p_B = \chi_B K_B$
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empirical constant

dilute \Rightarrow ~~solvent~~ solvent behaves like a slightly modified pure liquid
solute sees predominantly solvent molecules \Rightarrow very different

Henry's law ($p_B = X_B K_B$)

⇒ solubility of O₂-gas in blood decreases with decreases pressure ⇒ problems at high altitude or when diving

Liquid mixtures:

ideal: $\Delta_{mix} G = nRT \{ X_A \ln X_A + X_B \ln X_B \}$

$$\Delta_{mix} S = -nR \{ X_A \ln X_A + X_B \ln X_B \}$$

rarely found!

Regular solution

excess functions describe difference

$$S^{EX} = \Delta_{mix} S - \Delta_{mix} S^{ideal}$$

regular: $H^{EX} \neq 0 \quad S^{EX} = 0$

$$H^{EX} = n \beta RT X_A X_B \quad \beta = w/RT$$

$$w \sim |2 \epsilon_{AB} - \epsilon_{AA} - \epsilon_{BB}|$$

$\beta < 0 \Rightarrow$ mixing favourable since exothermic

$\beta > 0 \Rightarrow$ endothermic

$$\Delta_{mix} G = nRT \{ X_A \ln X_A + X_B \ln X_B + \beta X_A X_B \}$$

Colligative properties

- depend only on the number of solute particles present, not their identity
- for: solute not volatile, solute does not dissolve in solid solvent

• always a reduction of chemical potential

$$\mu_A = \mu_A^* + RT \ln X_A$$

$X_A < 1$

⇒ liquid-vapour equilib. occur at a higher temp. and the solid-liquid equilib. occurs at a lower temp.

• molecular interpretation

- entropy of mixing is added and lowers tendency to get into the higher entropic state of a gas
- also additional molecular randomness ~~or~~ hinders freezing!

boiling point

$$\mu_A^*(g) = \mu_A^*(l) + RT \ln X_A$$

$$\ln(1 - X_B) = \frac{\mu_A^*(g) - \mu_A^*(l)}{RT} = \frac{\Delta_{vap} G}{RT}$$

$$\Delta_{vap} G = \Delta_{vap} H - T \Delta_{vap} S$$

\ ignore small T-dependence /

$$\ln(1 - X_B) = \frac{\Delta_{vap} H}{RT} - \frac{\Delta_{vap} S}{R}$$

$$X_B = 0 \Rightarrow \ln 1 = \frac{\Delta_{vap} H}{RT^*} - \frac{\Delta_{vap} S}{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln(1 - X_B) = \frac{\Delta_{vap} H}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T^*} \right)$$

$$X_B \ll 1 \quad \ln(1 - X_B) \approx -X_B$$

$$X_B = \frac{\Delta_{vap} H}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T^*} \right)$$

$$\underset{T=T^*}{\frac{1}{T}} = \frac{\Delta_{vap} H}{R} \frac{T - T^*}{TT^*} \approx \frac{\Delta T}{T^{*2}}$$

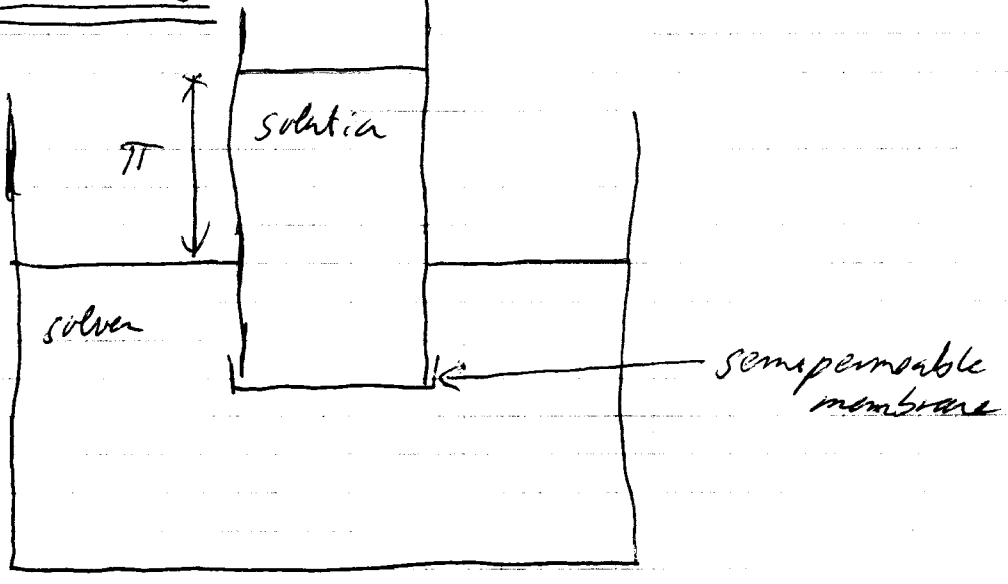
$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\Delta T = K X_B \quad K = \frac{RT^{*2}}{\Delta_{vap} H}}$$

analog for freezing point

Solubility

$$\ln X_B = \frac{\Delta_{\text{fus}} H}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T^*} - \frac{1}{T} \right)$$

Osmosis



$$\mu_A^*(p) = \mu_A(X_A, p + \pi)$$

$$\mu_A(X_A, p + \pi) = \mu_A^*(p + \pi) + RT \ln X_A$$

$$\mu_A^*(p + \pi) = \mu_A^*(p) + \int_p^{p+\pi} V_m dp$$

$$\Rightarrow -RT \ln X_A = \int_p^{p+\pi} V_m dp$$

$\approx \ln(1 - X_B)$
 $\approx -X_B$ dilute

$$\Rightarrow RT X_B = \pi V_m$$

$$X_B \approx \frac{n_B}{n_A} \quad n_A V_m = V$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\pi = \frac{n_B}{V} RT \right)$$