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Lecture No. 01 Thermodynamics

Entropy change in ideal gas and mixing of gases →

As we know entropy is the measure of degree of randomness or disorderliness of the system. If we calculate change in entropy for ideal gas then, At first we take a cylinder which occupy one mole of ideal gas and the container (cylinder) contains a frictionless weightless movable piston at constant pressure. Let us suppose the ideal gas is going to expand reversibly from volume v_1 to v_2 . In this process the condition is reversible so the $P_{int} = P_{ext}$ (approx) and the gas is expanding against external pressure at all possible stages. In this condition the maximum work done is Pdv .

$$W = Pdv$$

from 1st law of thermodynamics

$$\text{or } dq = dE + dw \quad \text{--- I}$$

$$\text{We know, } Cv = \frac{dE}{dT}, \text{ so } dE = [Cv \cdot dT] \quad \text{II}$$

$$\text{& also } PV = RT, \text{ so, } P = \frac{RT}{V}$$

Now we put the value of dE & P from equation II to I we have

$$dq = Cv \cdot dT + RT \frac{dV}{V} \quad \text{--- III}$$

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Dividing by T to equation 1II we have

$$\frac{dq}{T} = \underbrace{C_V \frac{dT}{T}}_{\text{constant}} + R \frac{dv}{v}$$

we know, $\frac{dq}{T} = ds$

$$so \ ds = C_V \frac{dT}{T} + R \frac{dv}{v}$$

for a fix change from initial state to final state, total change in entropy

can be written as ΔS .

$$so, \ \Delta S = \int_{T_1}^{T_2} ds = C_V \int_{T_1}^{T_2} \frac{dT}{T} + R \int_{V_1}^{V_2} \frac{dv}{v}$$

$$\Delta S = C_V \ln \frac{T_2}{T_1} + R \ln \frac{V_2}{V_1} \quad \text{IV}$$

$$\text{for an ideal gas } \frac{V_2}{V_1} = \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad (\text{B.t.s } P_1 V_1 = k T_1)$$

$$\Delta S = C_V \cdot \ln \frac{T_2}{T_1} + R \cdot \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2} \quad \text{V}$$

This is for one mole of gas. But for n mole of gas:

$$\Delta S = C_V \cdot \ln \frac{T_2}{T_1} + nR \ln \frac{V_2}{V_1} \quad \text{VI}$$

Now change in entropy for ideal gas at ~~V₂~~ constant volume: -

I At Constant volume $V_1 = V_2$, so form eqn V_1

$$(\Delta S)_V = n C_V \ln \frac{T_2}{T_1}$$

$$(\Delta S)_V = 2.303 n C_V \log_{10} \frac{T_2}{T_1}$$

II At Constant pressure: -

At Constant Pressure $P_1 = P_2$

So form

$$(\Delta S)_P = n C_P \ln \frac{T_2}{T_1}$$

$$\text{or } (\Delta S)_P = 2.303 n C_P \log_{10} \frac{T_2}{T_1}$$

III At Isothermal Condition: -

At Constant Temperature (Isothermal) $T_1 = T_2$

$$(\Delta S)_T = n R \ln \frac{V_2}{V_1}$$

$$= n R \ln \frac{P_1}{P_2}$$

$$(\Delta S)_T = 2.303 n R \log_{10} \frac{P_1}{P_2}$$

Physical significance of entropy:-

- i) By the help of value of entropy a state of matter can be identified
 $\Delta S_g > \Delta S_l > \Delta S_s$.
- ii) The value & sign of ΔS predict the given process or reaction is spontaneous or not.
 If $\Delta S = +ve$ the process is Spontaneous
- iii) It help to find out the value of free energy

$$\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S.$$

The above equation give the relation between ΔH , ΔS & ΔG which are responsible for driving force of spontaneous changes.

