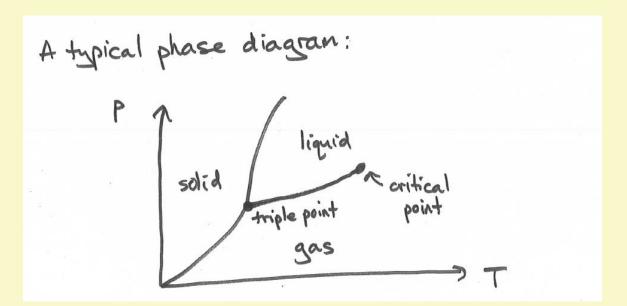
PHYS1013 Energy and Matter

$$\begin{aligned} & U_{i}(n_{i}, P_{i}, V_{i}, \dots) \\ & U_{i}(n_{i}, P_{i}, P_$$

PHASES OF MATTER & PHASE CHANGES



assume we are sat on a phase boundary.

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CLAUSIUS - CLAPBYRON EQUATION

& ne move in T,P but wish to stay on the boundary => dq = dq2

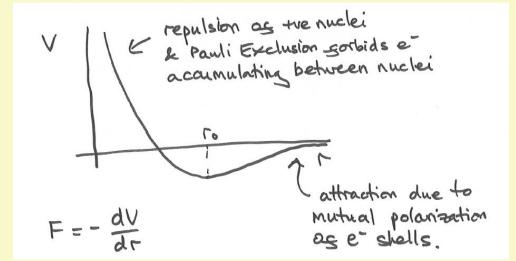
$$-S_{1}dT_{2} + V_{1}dP = -S_{2}dT + V_{2}dP$$

$$= \frac{dP}{dT} = \frac{S_{2}-S_{1}}{V_{2}-V_{1}}$$

$$\frac{dP}{dT} = \frac{L}{T(v_2 - v_1)}$$

dgi=sidT+vidP

MODELLING INTER-ATOMIC FORCES



VAN DER WAALS GASES

we remove the volume as the N atoms

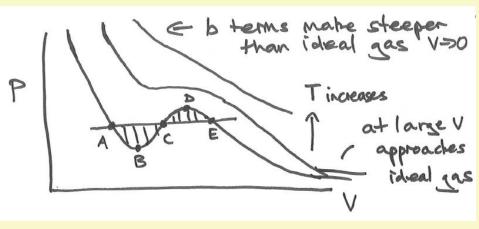
attractions between molecules tend to reduced pressure

$$\left(P + \frac{N^2a}{V^2}\right)\left(V - Nb\right) = NRT$$

Isothems:

number as collisions at density N/V attractive sorce or density too

=> OP & N2/V2



A & E are two discrept V is discrept density states

-> liquid & gas

there is a critical point where $\left(\frac{\partial P}{\partial V}\right)_T = 0$ "point as inglection"

What about c? The pressure rises the pressure goes up.

it's unstable

B3. The equation of state for a van der Waals gas is given by

$$\left(P+N^2\frac{a}{V^2}\right)(V-Nb)=NkT$$

Where k is Boltzmann's constant, N is the number of molecules, P pressure, V volume and T temperature.

- (a) What is the physical model that underlies each of the two parameters a and b and why do they enter with the other parameters as shown?
 [3]
- (b) Show, by directly differentiating the equation of state, in the form above, with respect to V, that the turning points of isotherms in the PV plane lie on the curve

$$P = \frac{N^2 a}{V^2} - \frac{2N^3 ab}{V^3}$$
 [3]

- (c) Show that the maximum of the curve in (b) is given when V = 3Nb and hence for this point $P = a/27b^2$ and T = 8a/27kb. [6]
- (d) Sketch the isotherms of the van der Waals gas on a PV diagram. [3]
- (e) Explain carefully why the model predicts the existence of two different density states at some P, T values. How can these phases be interpreted?
 [3]
- (f) Explain the physical significance of the point identified in (c). [2]

B4. The Clausius-Clapeyron equation for the slope of a phase boundary in the P–T plane of a simple substance is given by

$$\frac{dP}{dT} = \frac{\Delta S}{\Delta V}.$$

(a) For a gas-liquid transition at low pressure, show that the Clausius-Clapeyron equation can be written as

$$\frac{dP}{dT} = \frac{LP}{RT^2},$$

where *L* is the molar latent heat. What approximation was needed?

(b) Use the Clausius-Clapeyron equation obtained for a gas-liquid transition to show that the vapour pressure of a material has the approximate functional form

$$P_v(T) = P_0 \exp(-L/RT).$$

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State the key assumption for this result.

(c) The latent heat of vaporisation of water is approximately $L=40.8 \, \mathrm{kJ \ mol^{-1}}$. Given the fact $P_0 \approx P_{\mathsf{atm}} \exp(12.86)$, find the pressure of water vapour on the coexistence curve at $T=25\,^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$ in terms of P_{atm} .

[2]

(d) On a summer day the temperature at midday is $T=25\,^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$ and the relative humidity is found to be $50\,\%$, that is, the partial pressure of water vapour is measured to be half of the value found above. As the evening comes, the temperature falls and reaches the point T_D (called the *dew point*) where condensation starts. Assuming that the amount of water vapour in air has not changed since midday, what is T_D ?

[6]

1 more MP to go

Exam 2:30-4:30pm 25th May

Section A (do all - 1/3rd of marks) + Section B (2 from 3 – 2/3rds of marks)

No formula sheet – there is a constants sheet (see https://www.southampton.ac.uk/~evans/PHYS1013)

Good luck!