

PHY 770 -- Statistical Mechanics
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Lecture 14

Chap. 6 – Grand canonical ensemble

- Fermi-Dirac distribution function
- Bose-Einstein distribution

***Partial make-up lecture -- early start time**

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Reminder:

Please think about the subject of your computational project – due next week.

Suggestions available upon request.

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Examples of grand canonical ensembles – ideal (non-interacting) quantum particles in a cube of length L with periodic boundary conditions -- Fermi-Dirac case

In the absence of a magnetic field, the particle spin does not effect the energy spectrum, and only effects the enumeration of possible states spin (g)

$$Z_{\mu}^{FD}(T, V, \mu) = \text{Tr} \left[e^{-\beta(\hat{H} - \mu \hat{N})} \right] = \prod_{\mathbf{p}_i} \left(\sum_{\epsilon_{\mathbf{p}_i} = 0}^1 e^{-\beta \epsilon_{\mathbf{p}_i}(\epsilon_{\mathbf{p}_i} - \mu)} \right)^g$$

$$= \prod_{\mathbf{p}_i} \left(1 + e^{-\beta(\epsilon_{\mathbf{p}_i} - \mu)} \right)^g$$

$$\Omega_{FD}(T, V, \mu) = -k_B T \ln \left[\prod_{\mathbf{p}_i} \left(1 + e^{-\beta(\epsilon_{\mathbf{p}_i} - \mu)} \right)^g \right]$$

$$= -k_B T g \sum_{\mathbf{p}_i} \ln \left(1 + e^{-\beta(\epsilon_{\mathbf{p}_i} - \mu)} \right)$$

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Fermi-Dirac case -- continued

$$\Omega_{FD}(T, V, \mu) = -k_B T g \sum_{\mathbf{p}_i} \ln \left(1 + e^{-\beta(\epsilon_{\mathbf{p}_i} - \mu)} \right)$$

Self-consistent determination of μ .

$$\langle N \rangle = - \left(\frac{\partial \Omega_{FD}}{\partial \mu} \right)_{T, V} = \sum_{\mathbf{p}_i} \frac{g}{e^{\beta(\epsilon_{\mathbf{p}_i} - \mu)} + 1}$$

Recall:

$$\sum_{\mathbf{p}} \Rightarrow \left(\frac{L}{2\pi\hbar} \right)^3 \int d^3 p = \frac{V}{(2\pi\hbar)^3} 4\pi \int_0^{\infty} p^2 dp \quad \text{since } \epsilon_{\mathbf{p}} \text{ is isotropic in } \mathbf{p}$$

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Fermi-Dirac case -- continued

$$\langle N \rangle = - \left(\frac{\partial \Omega_{FD}}{\partial \mu} \right)_{T, V} = \sum_{\mathbf{p}_i} \frac{g}{e^{\beta(\epsilon_{\mathbf{p}_i} - \mu)} + 1}$$

Let $z = e^{\beta\mu}$: $\langle N \rangle = \frac{Vg}{(2\pi\hbar)^3} 4\pi \int_0^{\infty} p^2 dp \frac{z}{e^{\beta p^2/2m} + z}$

Let $x^2 \equiv \beta \frac{p^2}{2m}$ $\lambda_T \equiv \frac{2\pi\hbar}{\sqrt{2\pi m k_B T}}$ $\langle N \rangle = \frac{Vg}{\lambda_T^3} f_{3/2}(z)$

Here: $f_{5/2}(z) \equiv \frac{4}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} dx x^2 \ln [1 + z e^{-x^2}] = \sum_{\alpha=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{\alpha+1} \frac{z^{\alpha}}{\alpha^{5/2}}$

$f_{3/2}(z) \equiv \frac{4}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} dx x^2 \frac{z}{e^{x^2} + z} = \sum_{\alpha=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{\alpha+1} \frac{z^{\alpha}}{\alpha^{3/2}} = z \frac{df_{5/2}(z)}{dz}$

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Fermi-Dirac case -- continued

Low temperature behavior: for $\mu > 0 \Rightarrow z \rightarrow \infty$ for $T \rightarrow 0$

$$\langle N \rangle = \frac{Vg}{(2\pi\hbar)^3} 4\pi \int_0^{\sqrt{2m\mu}} p^2 dp$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu(T=0) = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \left(\frac{6\pi^2 \langle N \rangle}{gV} \right)^{2/3} \equiv \varepsilon_F$$

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Fermi-Dirac case -- continued

Keeping more terms in low temperature expansion:

$$\Rightarrow \mu(T) \approx \varepsilon_F \left(1 - \frac{\pi^2}{12} \left(\frac{k_B T}{\varepsilon_F} \right)^2 + \dots \right)$$

$$U = \langle \hat{H} \rangle \approx \frac{3}{5} \langle N \rangle \varepsilon_F \left(1 + \frac{5\pi^2}{12} \left(\frac{k_B T}{\varepsilon_F} \right)^2 + \dots \right)$$

$$C_V \approx \frac{\langle N \rangle k_B^2 \pi^2}{2\varepsilon_F} T$$

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Fermi-Dirac case -- continued

Behavior of occupancy parameter:

$$\langle n_p \rangle = \frac{g}{e^{\beta(\varepsilon_p - \mu)} + 1} \equiv \frac{gz}{e^{\beta\varepsilon_p} + z}$$

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Examples of grand canonical ensembles – ideal (non-interacting) quantum particles in a cube of length L with periodic boundary conditions -- Bose-Einstein case (assumed to have spin 0)

$$Z_{\mu}^{BE}(T, V, \mu) = \text{Tr} \left[e^{-\beta(\hat{H} - \mu \hat{N})} \right] = \prod_{\mathbf{p}_i} \left(\sum_{n_{\mathbf{p}_i}=0}^{\infty} e^{-\beta n_{\mathbf{p}_i} (\epsilon_{\mathbf{p}_i} - \mu)} \right)$$

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Bose-Einstein case

Fermi-Dirac case

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$$\Omega_{BE}(T, V, \mu) = k_B T \ln(1-z) - \frac{k_B T V}{\lambda_T^3} g_{5/2}(z)$$

$$\Omega_{FD}(T, V, \mu) = -\frac{g k_B T V}{\lambda_T^3} f_{5/2}(z)$$

where $g_{5/2}(z) \equiv -\frac{4}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} x^2 dx \ln(1 - ze^{-x^2})$ where $f_{5/2}(z) \equiv \frac{4}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} x^2 dx \ln(1 + ze^{-x^2})$

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$$g_{3/2}(z) \equiv \frac{4}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} x^2 dx \frac{z}{e^{x^2} - z}$$

$$f_{3/2}(z) \equiv \frac{4}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} x^2 dx \frac{z}{e^{x^2} + z}$$

$$P = -\frac{\Omega_{BE}}{V} = -\frac{kT}{V} \ln(1-z) + \frac{kT}{\lambda_T^3} g_{5/2}(z)$$

$$P = -\frac{\Omega_{FD}}{V} = \frac{gkT}{\lambda_T^3} f_{5/2}(z)$$

$$\frac{\langle N \rangle}{V} = \frac{1}{V} \frac{z}{1-z} + \frac{kT}{\lambda_T^3} g_{3/2}(z)$$

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Case of Bose particles
 Non-interacting spin 0 particles of mass m at low T moving in 3-dimensions in large box of volume $V=L^3$: Assume that each state e_k is singly occupied.

$$N = \sum_k \langle n_k \rangle = \sum_k \frac{1}{e^{\beta(\epsilon_k - \mu)} - 1}$$

$$\epsilon_{n_x, n_y, n_z} = \frac{\hbar^2(n_x^2 + n_y^2 + n_z^2)}{8mL^2} \quad n_x, n_y, n_z = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

In the limit $L \rightarrow \infty$, $\epsilon_k \rightarrow \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{2m}$

$$\sum_k \rightarrow \left(\frac{L}{2\pi}\right)^3 \int d^3k = \int d\epsilon g_B(\epsilon)$$

$$g_B(\epsilon) = \frac{V}{4\pi^2} \left(\frac{2m}{\hbar^2}\right)^{3/2} \sqrt{\epsilon}$$

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Case of Bose particles at low T

$$N = \sum_k \langle n_k \rangle = \langle n_0 \rangle + \sum_{k>0} \frac{1}{e^{\beta(\epsilon_k - \mu)} - 1}$$

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Note that for low T a consistent solution exists such that $N \approx \langle n_0 \rangle$

$$\langle n_0 \rangle = \frac{1}{e^{\beta(-\mu)} - 1} \approx \frac{1}{1 - \beta\mu - 1} = \frac{1}{-\beta\mu} \text{ assuming } |\mu| \text{ small}$$

In this case, $\mu \approx -\frac{kT}{N}$

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Critical temperature for Bose condensation:

$$N = \underbrace{\langle n_0 \rangle}_{\text{condensate}} + \underbrace{\int_0^\infty d\epsilon g_B(\epsilon) \frac{1}{e^{\beta(\epsilon - \mu)} - 1}}_{\text{"normal" state}}$$

If $N = \int_0^\infty d\epsilon g_B(\epsilon) \frac{1}{e^{\beta(\epsilon - \mu)} - 1}$, there is no "condensate"

The temperature at which the above equality is satisfied is called the Einstein condensation temperature T_E .

Approximate value of T_E :

$$N \approx \frac{V}{4\pi^2} \left(\frac{2m}{\hbar^2}\right)^{3/2} \int_0^\infty d\epsilon \sqrt{\epsilon} \frac{1}{e^{\beta\epsilon} - 1} = \frac{V}{4\pi^2} \left(\frac{2mkT_E}{\hbar^2}\right)^{3/2} \int_0^\infty dx \sqrt{x} \frac{1}{e^x - 1}$$

$$N \approx \frac{V}{4\pi^2} \left(\frac{2mkT_E}{\hbar^2}\right)^{3/2} 2.612 \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2} \Rightarrow kT_E = \left(\frac{N/V}{2.612}\right)^{2/3} \frac{2\pi\hbar^2}{m}$$

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Summary:

Define $z \equiv e^{\beta\mu} \leq 1$ $\lambda_T \equiv \left(\frac{2\pi\hbar^2}{mkT}\right)^{1/2}$

The Landau potential for the Bose system can be written:

$$\Omega_{BE}(T, V, \mu) = kT \ln(1-z) + \frac{4kT}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{V}{\lambda_T^3} \int_{\lambda_T \sqrt{\pi}/L}^\infty dx x^2 \ln(1 - ze^{-x^2})$$

$$\langle N \rangle = -\left(\frac{\partial \Omega_B}{\partial \mu}\right) = \frac{z}{1-z} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{V}{\lambda_T^3} \int_{\lambda_T \sqrt{\pi}/L}^\infty dx x^2 \left(\frac{z}{e^{x^2} - z}\right)$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\langle n_0 \rangle}$

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Some convenient integrals

$$g_{5/2}(z) \equiv \frac{4}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} dx x^2 \ln(1 - ze^{-x^2}) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n^{5/2}}$$

$$g_{3/2}(z) \equiv \frac{4}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} dx x^2 \left(\frac{z}{e^{x^2} - z} \right) = z \frac{d}{dz} g_{5/2}(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n^{3/2}}$$

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$$\langle n_0 \rangle = \frac{z}{1-z} \quad \text{where } z \equiv e^{\beta \mu} \leq 1 \quad \lambda_T \equiv \left(\frac{2\pi \hbar^2}{mkT} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$\langle N \rangle - \langle n_0 \rangle = \frac{4}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{V}{\lambda_T^3} \int_0^{\infty} dx x^2 \left(\frac{z}{e^{x^2} - z} \right) = \frac{V}{\lambda_T^3} \left(g_{3/2}(z) - \frac{4}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^{\lambda_T \sqrt{\pi}/L} dx x^2 \left(\frac{z}{e^{x^2} - z} \right) \right)$$

$$\langle N \rangle - \langle n_0 \rangle \approx \frac{V}{\lambda_T^3} g_{3/2}(z) \quad \text{note that } \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} g_{3/2}(z) = 2.612$$

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Equation for z :

$$\langle N \rangle = \langle n_0 \rangle + \frac{V}{\lambda_T^3} g_{3/2}(z)$$

Define Einstein temperature

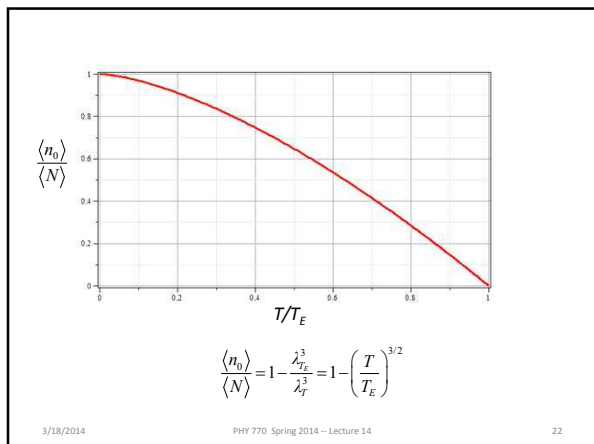
$$\langle N \rangle = \frac{V}{\lambda_{T_E}^3} g_{3/2}(1) = \frac{V}{\lambda_{T_E}^3} 2.612$$

For $T > T_E$, $\langle n_0 \rangle \ll \langle N \rangle$ and $\langle N \rangle = \frac{V}{\lambda_T^3} g_{3/2}(z)$ has a solution for $z < 1$

For $T \leq T_E$, $z \rightarrow 1^-$ and $\langle N \rangle = \langle n_0 \rangle + \frac{V}{\lambda_T^3} g_{3/2}(1)$

$$\Rightarrow \text{For } T \leq T_E \quad \frac{\langle n_0 \rangle}{\langle N \rangle} = 1 - \frac{\lambda_{T_E}^3}{\lambda_T^3} = 1 - \left(\frac{T}{T_E} \right)^{3/2}$$

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http://www.colorado.edu/physics/2000/bec/three_peaks.html

Bose-Einstein Condensation at 400, 200, and 50 nano-Kelvins

⁸⁷Rb atoms (~2000 atoms in condensate)

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The Nobel Prize in Physics 2001
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The Nobel Prize in Physics 2001 was awarded jointly to Eric A. Cornell, Wolfgang Ketterle and Carl E. Wieman "for the achievement of Bose-Einstein condensation in dilute gases of alkali atoms, and for early fundamental studies of the properties of the condensates".

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Other systems with Bose statistics

Thermal distribution of photons -- blackbody radiation:

In this case, the number of particles (photons) is not conserved so that $\mu=0$.

$$\langle n_k \rangle = \frac{1}{e^{\beta \epsilon_k} - 1}$$

$$\epsilon_k = \hbar \omega = \hbar c k = h \nu$$

$$\sum_k \rightarrow \left(\frac{L}{2\pi} \right)^3 \int d^3k \delta(\epsilon - \hbar c k) = \frac{V}{\pi^2 \hbar^3 c^3} \int d\epsilon \epsilon^2$$

Distribution of radiated energy :

$$\langle E \rangle = \sum_k \langle n_k \rangle \epsilon_k = \frac{V}{\pi^2 \hbar^3 c^3} \int d\epsilon \frac{\epsilon^3}{e^{\beta \epsilon} - 1} = \frac{8\pi^5 V}{15 c^3} \int d\nu \frac{\nu^3}{e^{\beta h \nu} - 1}$$

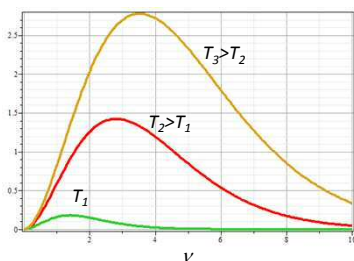
$$\langle E \rangle = \frac{8\pi^5 V (kT)^4}{15 (hc)^3}$$

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Blackbody radiation distribution:



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Other systems with Bose statistics

Thermal distribution of vibrations -- phonons:

In this case, the number of particles (phonons) is not conserved so that $\mu=0$.

$$\langle n_k \rangle = \frac{1}{e^{\beta \epsilon_k} - 1}$$

$$\epsilon_k = \hbar \omega$$

For Einstein solid, the fundamental frequency ω vibrates in 3 directions for all N particles.

$$\langle E \rangle = 3N\hbar\omega \left(\frac{1}{e^{\beta \hbar \omega} - 1} + \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$C = \left(\frac{\partial \langle E \rangle}{\partial T} \right) = 3Nk \left(\frac{\hbar \omega}{kT} \right)^2 \frac{e^{\beta \hbar \omega}}{(e^{\beta \hbar \omega} - 1)^2}$$

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Other systems with Bose statistics -- continued
 Thermal distribution of vibrations -- phonons:

$$\langle n_k \rangle = \frac{1}{e^{\beta \epsilon_k} - 1}$$

$$\epsilon_k = \hbar \omega$$

For Debye solid, the fundamental frequency $\omega = \bar{c}k$, where \bar{c} denotes the speed of sound (assumed here to be the same in 3 directions).

$$\langle E \rangle = \frac{3V\hbar}{2\pi^2 \bar{c}^3} \int_0^{\omega_D} \frac{\omega^3 d\omega}{e^{\beta \hbar \omega} - 1} = 9NkT \left(\frac{T}{T_D} \right)^3 \int_0^{T_D/T} \frac{x^3 dx}{e^x - 1}$$

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Effects of interactions between particles -- classical case

$$\hat{H} = \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{\hat{\mathbf{p}}_i^2}{2m} + \sum_{i,j}^{N(N-1)} V(\hat{\mathbf{r}}_{ij}) \equiv \hat{T}^N + \hat{V}^N$$

Canonical partition function : $Z_N(T) = \text{Tr} [e^{-\beta \hat{H}}] = \frac{1}{N!} \frac{1}{(\lambda_T)^{3N}} Q_N(T, V)$

where $Q_N(T, V) \equiv \int d\mathbf{r}_1 \int d\mathbf{r}_2 \dots \int d\mathbf{r}_N e^{-\beta \hat{V}^N}$

Grand canonical partition function :

$$Z_\mu(T) = \sum_{N=1}^{\infty} Z_N(T) e^{\beta N \mu} = \sum_{N=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{N!} \frac{1}{(\lambda_T)^{3N}} Q_N(T, V) e^{\beta N \mu}$$

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Effects of interactions between particles -- classical case -- continued

$$\hat{V}^N = \sum_{i,j}^{N(N-1)} V(\hat{\mathbf{r}}_{ij})$$

$$Q_N(T, V) \equiv \int d\mathbf{r}_1 \int d\mathbf{r}_2 \dots \int d\mathbf{r}_N e^{-\beta \hat{V}^N}$$

$$= \int d\mathbf{r}_1 \int d\mathbf{r}_2 \dots \int d\mathbf{r}_N e^{-\beta \sum_{i,j}^{N(N-1)} V(\hat{\mathbf{r}}_{ij})}$$

$$\approx \int d\mathbf{r}_1 \int d\mathbf{r}_2 \dots \int d\mathbf{r}_N W_N(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2, \dots, \mathbf{r}_N)$$

$$W_N(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2, \dots, \mathbf{r}_N) \equiv \prod_{i,j}^{N(N-1)} (f_{ij} + 1)$$

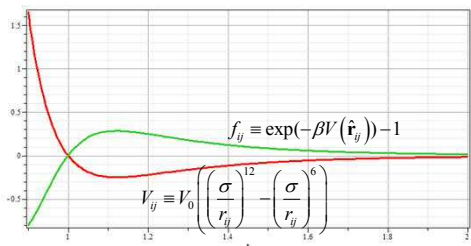
$$f_{ij} \equiv \exp(-\beta V(\hat{\mathbf{r}}_{ij})) - 1$$

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Effects of interactions between particles – classical case -- continued



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Effects of interactions between particles – classical case -- continued

$$Z_\mu(T, V) = \sum_{N=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{N!} \frac{1}{\lambda_T^{3N}} e^{\beta N \mu} \int d\mathbf{r}_1 \int d\mathbf{r}_2 \dots \int d\mathbf{r}_N W_N(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2, \dots, \mathbf{r}_N)$$

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$$f_{ij} \equiv \exp(-\beta V(\hat{\mathbf{r}}_{ij})) - 1$$

Note that:

$$W_1 = 1 \quad W_2(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2) = 1 + f_{12}$$

$$W_3(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}_3) = (1 + f_{12})(1 + f_{13})(1 + f_{23})$$

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Effects of interactions between particles – classical case -- continued

$$Z_\mu(T, V) = \sum_{N=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{N!} \frac{1}{\lambda_T^{3N}} e^{\beta N \mu} \int d\mathbf{r}_1 \int d\mathbf{r}_2 \dots \int d\mathbf{r}_N W_N(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2, \dots, \mathbf{r}_N)$$

In terms of cumulant expansion:

$$Z_\mu(T, V) = \exp \left(\sum_{\nu=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\nu!} \frac{1}{\lambda_T^{3\nu}} e^{\beta \nu \mu} \int d\mathbf{r}_1 \int d\mathbf{r}_2 \dots \int d\mathbf{r}_\nu U_\nu(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2, \dots, \mathbf{r}_\nu) \right)$$

Typical cluster functions:

$$U_1(\mathbf{r}_1) = W_1(\mathbf{r}_1)$$

$$U_2(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2) = W_2(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2) - W_1(\mathbf{r}_1)W_1(\mathbf{r}_2)$$

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