Exercise 2

The volume of a binary mixture has a molar volume, V, that depends on its composition:

$$V_m = 75x_1 + 95x_2 + 3.7x_1x_2 \quad (\frac{cm^3}{mol})$$

For a mixture with $x_1 = 0.60$, determine

a) the molar volume of the mixture

b) the partial molar volume of component 1.

Solution 2

a.
$$(x_1 = 0.60 \rightarrow x_2 = 0.4 \text{ then}, V = 83.9 \text{ cm}^3/\text{mol})$$

b.
$$\overline{V_1} = V_m + x_2 \left(\frac{\partial V_m}{\partial x_1}\right)_{P,T,n_1}$$

 $V_m = 75x_1 + 95(1-x_1) + 3.7x_1(1-x_1) = 95 - 16.3x_1 - 3.7x_1^2$
 $\left(\frac{\partial V_m}{\partial x_1}\right)_{P,T,n_1} = -16.3x_1 - 7.4x_1 = -16.3x_1 - 7.4(0.6) = -20.7$
 $\overline{V_1} = 83.9 + 0.4(-20.7) = 75.6 \ cm^3/mol$

Exercise 3

The molar enthalpy of a binary liquid system of species 1 and 2 at fixed T and P is represented by the following equation:

$$H = 400x_1 + 600x_2 + x_1x_2(40x_1 + 20x_2)$$

where H is in J/mol

- a. determine expressions for $\overline{H_1}$ and $\overline{H_2}$ as functions of x_1
- b. Numerical values for the pure species enthalpies H_1^* and H_2^*
- c. Find the expression of (H^E)
- d. Numerical values for the partial enthalpies at infinite dilution $\overline{H_1}$ and $\overline{H_2}$

Exercise 4

A container is divided into two equal compartments (figure below). One contains 3.0 mol H_2 at 25°C; the other contains 1.0 mol N_2 at 25°C. Calculate the Gibbs energy of mixing when the partition is removed. Assume perfect gas behavior. $P^0 = 1bar$



Solution

The Gibbs energy of mixing : so we have to consider both states initial and final

Two perfect gases in two identical containers with amounts n_A and n_B , both at the same T and P

We first calculate the initial Gibbs energy from chemical potentials. We need the pressure of each gas.

$$G_{initial} = n_A \overline{G_A} + n_B \overline{G_B} = n_A \mu_A + n_B \mu_B = n_A \left(\mu_A^\circ + RT \ln \frac{f_A}{f_A^\circ} \right) + n_B \left(\mu_B^\circ + RT \ln \frac{f_B}{f_B^\circ} \right) = n_A \left(\mu_A^\circ + RT \ln \frac{P_A}{P_A^\circ} \right) + n_B \left(\mu_B^\circ + RT \ln \frac{P_B}{P_B^\circ} \right)$$

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$$= n_A (\mu_A^\circ + RT \ln 3P) + n_B (\mu_B^\circ + RT \ln P) =$$

$$\begin{split} P_{1}V_{1} &= P_{2}V_{2} \rightarrow \frac{P_{1}}{P_{2}} = \frac{V_{2}}{V_{1}} = 2 \rightarrow P_{Af} = \frac{3P}{2} and P_{B} = \frac{P}{2} \\ G_{final} &= n_{A}\overline{G_{A}} + n_{B}\overline{G_{B}} = n_{A}\mu_{A} + n_{B}\mu_{B} = n_{A}\left(\mu_{A}^{\circ} + RTln\frac{P_{Af}}{P_{A}^{\circ}}\right) + n_{B}\left(\mu_{B}^{\circ} + RTln\frac{P_{Bf}}{P_{B}^{\circ}}\right) \\ &= n_{A}\left(\mu_{A}^{\circ} + RTln\frac{P_{Af}}{P_{A}^{\circ}}\right) + n_{B}\left(\mu_{B}^{\circ} + RTln\frac{P_{Bf}}{P_{B}^{\circ}}\right) = n_{A}\left(\mu_{A}^{\circ} + RTln\frac{3P}{2}\right) + n_{B}\left(\mu_{B}^{\circ} + RTln\frac{P}{2}\right) \\ \Delta G &= G_{f} - G_{i} = n_{A}RTln\frac{1}{2} + n_{B}RTln\frac{1}{2} = 4(8.314JK^{-1}mol^{-1})(298K)\ln\frac{1}{2} = -6900j.\,mol^{-1} \end{split}$$

Exercise 5

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bof3vwEBdc0&t=1s

For a mixture contains 75% H_2 and 25% N_2 (molar basis) estimate the pseudo critical Temperature and pressure (P_{pc} and T_{pc}) using Kay's rule.

We give:

For N_2 : $T_c = 126.2K$ and $P_c = 33.5atm$ For $H_2 T_c = 33 + 8 = 41K$ and $P_c = 12.8 + 8 = 20.8 atm$

Solution

$$T_{pc} = y_{H_2}T_{c_{H_2}} + y_{N_2}T_{c_{N_2}} = 62.3K P_{pc} = 24atm$$