

Entropy

We have demonstrated that for a sufficiently slow process

$$\delta Q = T \delta \left(\frac{E}{T} + \ln Z \right)$$

This is some function of state

Call it

$$S = \frac{E}{T} + \ln Z + \text{const}$$

S - entropy

$$T dS = E + P dV$$

We may rewrite the definitions of pressure and temperature using entropy

$$P = - \left(\frac{\partial E}{\partial V} \right)_S, \quad \frac{1}{T} = \left(\frac{\partial S}{\partial E} \right)_V$$

Let's consider a closed cycle of changing the state of the system,

$$\oint dE = 0$$

Similarly

$$0 = \oint dS = \oint \frac{\delta Q}{T}$$

Because S is a function of state, we may measure it from whatever larvae we like, so $\text{const} \rightarrow 0$

$$\sigma = \frac{E}{T} + \ln Z$$

assume, only the most probable state contributes to entropy

$$Z = \sum_i e^{-\frac{\epsilon_i}{T}} \approx \Omega(E) e^{-\frac{E}{T}}$$

Then $e^S = \Omega(E)$ and

$$S = \ln \Omega(E) = - \ln w_i$$

(Landau-Lifshitz : $S = - \langle \ln w_i \rangle$)