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LESSON 3

8. Calculate the melting temperature of mercury at 100 atm and 500 atm, knowing that its normal melting temperature is  $-38.9\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

**Data:**  $\rho(\text{Hg}_{(l)}, -38.9\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C and 1 atm}) = 13,690\text{ g}\cdot\text{cm}^{-3}$ ;  
 $\rho(\text{Hg}_{(s)}, -38.9\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C and 1 atm}) = 14,193\text{ g}\cdot\text{cm}^{-3}$ ;  $\overline{\Delta H}_{\text{fus}}(\text{Hg}) = 2.82\text{ cal}\cdot\text{g}^{-1}$

**Solution:**  $T_{\text{melt}}(100\text{atm}) = 234.51\text{ K}$ ;  $T_{\text{melt}}(500\text{atm}) = 236.61\text{ K}$

9. To sterilize laboratory equipment, the boiling point of water must be  $150\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ . Indicate the pressure that should be inside the autoclave. Determine the pressure when water boils at  $90\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

**Data:**  $R = 0.082\text{ atm}\cdot\text{l}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1} = 1.987\text{ cal}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1} = 8.314\text{ J}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$ ;  
 $\Delta H_{\text{vap}}(\text{H}_2\text{O}) = 539.4\text{ cal}\cdot\text{g}^{-1}$

**Solution:**  $P(150^{\circ}\text{C}) = 4.683\text{ atm}$ ;  $P(90^{\circ}\text{C}) = 0.693\text{ atm}$

10. Vapour pressure of Acetonitrile changes  $0.03\text{ atm}$  per  $^{\circ}\text{C}$  when the system is closed to the normal boiling point ( $80\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ). Calculate the heat of vaporization of acetonitrile.

**Data:**  $R = 0.082\text{ atm}\cdot\text{l}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1} = 1.987\text{ cal}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1} = 8.314\text{ J}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$ ;

**Solution:**  $\overline{\Delta H}_{\text{vap}} = 7339.43\text{ cal}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$

11. The vapour pressure of diethyl ether is  $0.247\cdot 10^5\text{ N}\cdot\text{m}^{-2}$  at  $0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  and  $1.228\cdot 10^5\text{ N}\cdot\text{m}^{-2}$  at  $40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ . Calculate:

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**Solution:** a)  $\Delta \bar{H}_{\text{vap}} = 6791.388 \text{ cal}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$ ; b)  $T_b^\circ = 307.658 \text{ K}$ ;  
 c)  $\Delta \bar{S}_{\text{vap}} = 22.071 \text{ cal}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$  d) Yes, it has.

12. The following table shows the values of vapour pressure of neon at different temperatures:

<b>T (°C)</b>	-228.7	-233.6	-240.2	-243.7	-245.7	-247.3	-248.5
<b>P (mmHg)</b>	19800	10040	3170	1435	816	486	325

Determine the:

- molar vaporization enthalpy.
- normal boiling point.
- standard molar entropy of vaporization.

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 $M_{\text{Ne}} = 20.79 \text{ a.m.u.}$

**Solution:** a)  $\Delta \bar{H}_v^\circ = 447.168 \text{ cal}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$ ; b)  $T_b^\circ = 27.07 \text{ K}$ ; c)  $\Delta \bar{S}_v^\circ = 16.519 \text{ cal}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$

13. The sublimation pressure of  $\text{Cl}_2$  (solid) is 352 Pa at  $-112^\circ\text{C}$  and 35 Pa at  $-126.5^\circ\text{C}$ . The vapour pressures of  $\text{Cl}_2$  (liquid) are 1590 Pa at  $-100^\circ\text{C}$  and 7830 Pa at  $-80^\circ\text{C}$ . Determine the triple point.

**Data:**  $R = 0.082 \text{ atm}\cdot\text{l}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1} = 1.987 \text{ cal}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1} = 8.314 \text{ J}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$ ;  
 $1 \text{ atm} = 1.013 \cdot 10^5 \text{ Pa}$

**Solution:** a)  $T_{\text{triple}} = 168.918 \text{ K}$ .  $P_{\text{triple}} = 1096.304 \text{ Pa}$

14. 20 moles of an equimolecular mixture of A and B are distilled, this mixture begins to boil at  $65^\circ\text{C}$  until the boiling point of the residue reaches  $75^\circ\text{C}$ . Draw approximately the phase diagram T vs. X, and answer each of the following questions:

- What is the composition of the residue?
- What is the composition of the distillate?
- How many moles does the distillate contain?

**Data:** The boiling temperature of A is greater than B.

**Solution:** a)  $x_B^L \approx 0.44$ ; b)  $x_B^V \approx 0.87$ ; c)  $n^V \approx 12.12 \text{ moles}$

15. Water and phenol are partially miscible at  $55^\circ\text{C}$ . When these two liquids are mixed at  $55^\circ\text{C}$

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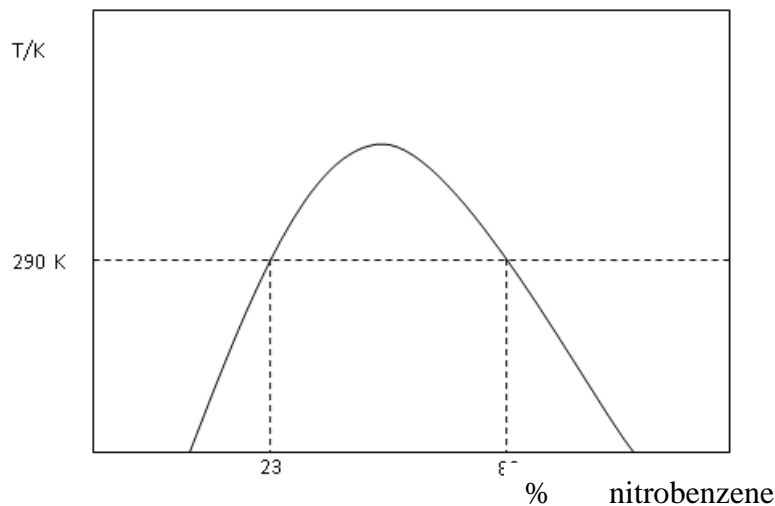
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16. For a liquid-liquid, partially miscible system containing 0.050 kg of A and 0.050 kg of B, calculate, at a temperature T, the masses of the phases in equilibrium. At this temperature the compositions of B in both phases are 30 and 85.5% (w/w), respectively.

**Solution:**  $m^{L,1} = 0.064$ ;  $m^{L,2} = 0.036$

17. According to the following phase diagram, a mixture of 50 g of n-hexane and 50 g of nitrobenzene is heated to 290 K.

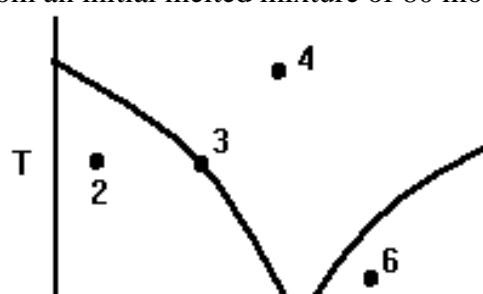
- What is the mass of each phase?
- What is the mass of each component in each of the phases?



**Solution:** a)  $w_I = 55$  g;  $w_{II} = 45$  g; b)  $w_{I,A} = 12.65$  g;  $w_{I,B} = 42.31$  g;  $w_{II,A} = 37.35$  g;  $w_{II,B} = 7.65$  g

18. A system presents the solid-liquid phase diagram of the figure. Determine:

- the phases and components that are present in every region of the diagram.
- the degrees of freedom and the thermodynamic properties required to define the system state in the points.
- What would be the maximum number of moles of pure A that can be obtained by crystallization from an initial melted mixture of 80 moles and  $X_A = 0.9$ ?



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