

Quiz 11

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- (a) Recall that the fundamental equation of an ideal gas in the entropy representation is

$$S = Ns_0 + NR \ln \left[\left(\frac{U}{U_0} \right)^c \left(\frac{V}{V_0} \right) \left(\frac{N}{N_0} \right)^{-(c+1)} \right], \quad \text{where } s_0 = (c+1)R - \left(\frac{\mu}{T} \right)_0. \quad (1)$$

Use this to find $U(S, V, N)$, and show that: [5]

$$T(S, V, N) = \frac{U}{cRN}. \quad (2)$$

- (b) You are given that the Helmholtz free energy is $F(T, V, N) = U - TS$. Find F for an ideal gas using the expressions in the previous part. Find the corresponding equations of state – i.e. the equations for $S(T, V, N)$, $P(T, V, N)$, and $\mu(T, V, N)$ – by taking appropriate partial derivatives of F . [5]