

$$1. (a) z = e^{-(-m_B B)/kT} + e^{-m_B B/kT} = e^{m_B B/kT} + e^{-m_B B/kT}$$

$$\bar{z} = z^N$$

$$(b) \langle M \rangle = \sum_j M_j \frac{e^{-(-M_j B/kT)}}{\bar{z}} = \frac{1}{\bar{z}} \sum_j M_j e^{M_j B/kT}$$

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$$\bar{z} = \sum_j e^{M_j B/kT} \Rightarrow kT \frac{\partial \ln \bar{z}}{\partial B} = kT \frac{1}{\bar{z}} \sum_j \frac{M_j}{kT} e^{M_j B/kT} = \langle M \rangle$$

$$(c) dF = (TdS - PdV + \mu dN) - (TdS - SdT) = -SdT - PdV + \mu dN$$

$$(d) F = -kT \ln \bar{z} \Rightarrow \langle M \rangle = -\left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial B}\right)_T \text{ with } -S = \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial T}\right)_B$$

$$\therefore \left(\frac{\partial \langle M \rangle}{\partial T}\right)_B = -\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial T \partial B} = -\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial B \partial T} = \left(\frac{\partial S}{\partial B}\right)_T$$

$$(e) \text{ 3rd law } \Rightarrow S \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } T \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{For any } X, \left(\frac{\partial S}{\partial X}\right)_T \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } T \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{since } \frac{\Delta S}{\Delta X} = \frac{S_2 - S_1}{\Delta X} \text{ with } S_2 \text{ \& } S_1 \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } T \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{Then } \left(\frac{\partial S}{\partial B}\right)_T \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } T \rightarrow 0, \text{ and}$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial \langle M \rangle}{\partial T}\right)_B \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } T \rightarrow 0.$$

(f) For any fixed $\vec{B}$, as $T \rightarrow 0$ all the dipole moments are aligned with $\vec{B}$, so $\langle M \rangle$ approaches a constant and it is plausible that $\frac{\partial \langle M \rangle}{\partial T} \rightarrow 0$.

$$2. (a) \boxed{Z} = \frac{1}{N!} \frac{1}{h^{3N}} \int d^{3N}x \left(\int_0^\infty 4\pi p^2 dp \cdot e^{-pc/kT} \right)^N$$

$$= \frac{1}{N!} \left[8\pi V \left(\frac{kT}{hc} \right)^3 \right]^N$$

$$(b) \boxed{E} = kT^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \left(\ln T^{3N} + \ln (\text{function of } V \text{ and } N) \right)$$

$$= kT^2 \cdot 3N \frac{1}{T} = \boxed{3NkT}$$

$$(c) dF = -SdT - PdV + \mu dN$$

$$\Rightarrow P = - \frac{\partial F}{\partial V} = - \frac{\partial}{\partial V} (-kT \ln Z)$$

$$= kT \frac{\partial}{\partial V} (\ln V^N + \ln (\text{function of } T \text{ \& } N))$$

$$= kT \cdot \frac{N}{V}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{PV = NkT}$$

$$(d) \boxed{P = \frac{NkT}{V} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{E}{V}}$$

$$3. E = \int_0^{\epsilon_{\max}} P(\epsilon) d\epsilon \cdot \frac{\epsilon}{e^{(\epsilon-\mu)/kT} - 1}, \mu=0,$$

$$\text{with } P(\epsilon) d\epsilon = P(p) dp = A p^{p-1} dp \text{ \& } \epsilon = a p^n$$

This can be done with $\int d\epsilon$ or $\int dp$,

and with E calculated first or

C_V calculated directly.

One way, with $\int dp$ and C_V calculated directly:

$$C_V = \frac{\partial E}{\partial T} = \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \int_0^{\epsilon_{\max}} P(p) dp \cdot \frac{\epsilon(p)}{e^{\epsilon(p)/kT} - 1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \frac{\epsilon}{e^{\epsilon/kT} - 1} &= - \frac{\epsilon}{(e^{\epsilon/kT} - 1)^2} e^{\epsilon/kT} \left(\frac{\epsilon}{k} \right) \left(-\frac{1}{T^2} \right) \\ &= k \frac{x^2 e^x}{(e^x - 1)^2}, \quad x \equiv \frac{\epsilon}{kT} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Then } C_V = \int_0^{\epsilon_{\max}} A p^{p-1} dp \cdot k \frac{x^2 e^x}{(e^x - 1)^2}$$

$$p = \left(\frac{\epsilon}{a} \right)^{1/n} \Rightarrow p^{p-1} = \left(\frac{\epsilon}{a} \right)^{\frac{p-1}{n}} \text{ \& } dp = \frac{1}{a^{1/n}} \epsilon^{\frac{1}{n}-1} d\epsilon$$

$$\text{so } \boxed{C_V =} A \frac{1}{a^{\frac{p-1}{n}}} \frac{1}{a^{1/n}} \int_0^{\epsilon_{\max}} \epsilon^{\frac{p-1}{n} \epsilon^{\frac{1}{n}-1}} d\epsilon \cdot k \frac{x^2 e^x}{(e^x - 1)^2}$$

$$= A \frac{1}{a^{\frac{p-1}{n} + n}} (kT)^{D/n} \int_0^{\epsilon_{\max}/kT} x^{\frac{p}{n}-1} dx \cdot k \frac{x^2 e^x}{(e^x - 1)^2}$$

$$\propto \boxed{\text{constant} \times T^{D/n}} \text{ for } \frac{\epsilon_{\max}}{kT} \gg 1$$

$$\text{where } \boxed{\text{constant} = k \frac{A}{a^{\frac{p-1}{n} + n}} k^{D/n} \int_0^{\infty} dx \frac{x^{\frac{p}{n}+1} e^x}{(e^x - 1)^2}}$$

check: for Debye model with $D=3$ & $n=1$, $a = \sqrt{\pi}$, this gives

$$C_V = k \frac{A}{\sqrt{\pi}^3} k^3 \int_0^{\infty} dx \frac{x^4 e^x}{(e^x - 1)^2} \times T^3 \quad \checkmark$$

$$4. (a) \boxed{E} = pc \left(1 + \frac{m^2 c^4}{p^2 c^2}\right)^{1/2} \approx pc \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{m^2 c^4}{p^2 c^2}\right) = \left[pc + \frac{ac}{p}\right],$$

$$(b) \frac{\partial E}{\partial p} = c - \frac{ac}{p^2} \Rightarrow \boxed{p = \frac{1}{3} nc < p - \frac{a}{p}} \quad \boxed{a \equiv \frac{1}{2} m^2 c^2}$$

$$(c) \frac{4\pi p^2 dp}{h^3/V} = \frac{2V}{h^3} \cdot 4\pi p^2 dp \text{ or } \boxed{\rho(p) = \frac{2V}{h^3} \cdot 4\pi p^2} \text{ from usual argument}$$

$$(d) N = \frac{2V}{h^3} \cdot 4\pi \int_0^{p_F} p^2 dp = \frac{2V}{h^3} \cdot \frac{4\pi}{3} p_F^3 \Rightarrow \boxed{p_F = h \left(\frac{3}{8\pi} n\right)^{1/3}}, n \equiv \frac{N}{V}$$

$$(e) \boxed{P} = \frac{1}{N} \cdot \frac{2V}{h^3} \cdot 4\pi \int_0^{p_F} dp p^2 \cdot \frac{1}{3} pc \left(p - \frac{a}{p}\right) \\ = \frac{8\pi}{3} \frac{c}{h^3} \left(\frac{p_F^4}{4} - a \frac{p_F^2}{2}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{3} \frac{c}{h^3} p_F^2 (p_F^2 - m^2 c^2) \\ = \frac{2\pi}{3} \frac{c}{h^3} h^2 \left(\frac{3}{8\pi} n\right)^{2/3} \left[h^2 \left(\frac{3}{8\pi} n\right)^{2/3} - (mc)^2\right] \quad \lambda \equiv \frac{h}{mc}$$

$$(f) \text{ Note that } \frac{h^2}{(mc)^2} \left(\frac{3}{8\pi} n\right)^{2/3} = \lambda^2 \left(\frac{3}{8\pi} \frac{M}{\frac{4}{3}\pi R^3}\right)^{2/3} = \lambda^2 \left(\left(\frac{3}{8\pi}\right)^2 \frac{2}{m'} \frac{M}{R^3}\right)^{2/3}$$

$$\text{and that } \frac{2\pi}{3} \frac{hc}{h^2} \left(\frac{3}{8\pi} n\right)^{2/3} (mc)^2 = \frac{2\pi}{3} hc \frac{1}{\lambda^2} B \frac{M^{2/3}}{R^2} \quad \lambda^2 B \frac{M^{2/3}}{R^2}$$

$$\text{Then } \underbrace{\frac{\alpha G}{4\pi}}_{\bar{a}} \frac{M^2}{R^4} = \underbrace{\frac{DB}{\lambda^2}}_{\bar{b}} \frac{M^{2/3}}{R^2} \underbrace{\left(\lambda^2 B \frac{M^{2/3}}{R^2} - 1\right)}_{\bar{c}} \Rightarrow \frac{DB}{\lambda^2} \frac{M^{2/3}}{R^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{a} M^{4/3} = \bar{b} \bar{c} M^{2/3} - \bar{b} R^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{R^2} = \bar{c} M^{2/3} \left(1 - \frac{\bar{a}}{\bar{b}\bar{c}} M^{2/3}\right)$$

$$= \lambda^2 \left(\left(\frac{3}{8\pi}\right)^2 \frac{2}{m'}\right)^{2/3} M^{2/3} \left(1 - \frac{\alpha G / 4\pi}{DB - B} M^{2/3}\right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{h}{mc}\right)^2 \left(\left(\frac{3}{8\pi}\right)^2 \frac{2}{m'}\right)^{2/3} M^{2/3} \left(1 - \left(\frac{M}{M_0}\right)^{2/3}\right)$$

$$\text{where } \boxed{M_0} = \left(\frac{DB^2}{\alpha G / 4\pi}\right)^{3/2} = \left(\frac{2\pi}{3} hc\right)^{3/2} \left(\left(\frac{3}{8\pi}\right)^2 \frac{2}{m'}\right)^2 \left(\frac{4\pi}{\alpha G}\right)^{3/2}$$

$$(g) \boxed{M_0} = \frac{3}{4} \left(\frac{hc}{G}\right)^{3/2} \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^{3/2} \frac{1}{m'^{1/2}}$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^{3/2} \frac{m^3}{m'^{1/2}} = 3.49 \times 10^{30} \text{ kg} = 1.75 M_\odot$$

$$(h) R^2 = \lambda_n^2 \left(\left(\frac{3}{8\pi}\right)^2 \frac{2M}{m_n}\right)^{2/3} \left(1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{2/3}\right), M = \frac{1}{2} M_0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{R} = \lambda_n \left(\left(\frac{3}{8\pi}\right)^2 \frac{M_0}{m}\right)^{1/3} (0.6083)$$

$$= \boxed{2.5 \text{ km}}$$

[true values are $\sim 2.5 M_\odot$ and $\sim 10 \text{ km}$.]

This treatment, with $\alpha = \frac{3}{2}$, gives $0.44 M_\odot$ for white dwarf versus true Chandrasekhar limit of $1.44 M_\odot$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 5. (a) \Delta(T_c) = 0 &\Rightarrow 1 = N(0)V_0 \int_0^{\hbar\omega_D} dE \frac{\tanh\left(\frac{E}{2kT}\right)}{E} \\
 &= N(0)V_0 \int_0^{\hbar\omega_D/2kT_c} dx \frac{\tanh x}{x}, \quad x \equiv \frac{E}{2kT_c} \\
 &\approx N(0)V_0 \ln\left(1.134 \frac{\hbar\omega_D}{kT_c}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{-\frac{1}{N(0)V_0}} = \frac{kT_c}{1.134 \hbar\omega_D} \Rightarrow \boxed{kT_c = 1.134 \hbar\omega_D e^{-\frac{1}{N(0)V_0}}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (b) T=0 &\Rightarrow 1 = N(0)V_0 \int_0^{\hbar\omega_D} dE \frac{\tanh(\omega)}{(\epsilon^2 + \Delta(0)^2)^{1/2}} \\
 &= N(0)V_0 \int_0^{\hbar\omega_D/\Delta(0)} dx \frac{\tanh x}{x} \\
 &= N(0)V_0 \sinh^{-1}\left(\frac{\hbar\omega_D}{\Delta(0)}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

$x \equiv \frac{E}{\Delta(0)}$
 taken to be
 real & positive

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\hbar\omega_D}{\Delta(0)} = \sinh\left(\frac{1}{N(0)V_0}\right) \approx \frac{1}{2} e^{\frac{1}{N(0)V_0}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\Delta(0) = 2 \hbar\omega_D e^{-\frac{1}{N(0)V_0}}}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{2\Delta(0)}{kT_c}} = \frac{4 \hbar\omega_D e^{-\frac{1}{N(0)V_0}}}{1.134 \hbar\omega_D e^{-\frac{1}{N(0)V_0}}} = \boxed{3.53}$$