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# Lecture -31 Solid - Liquid Equilibrium - 2

Welcome to the MOOCs course, Advanced Thermodynamics the title of this lecture is solid-liquid equilibrium part 2. Since it is a continuation of our previous lecture on solid liquid equilibrium will be having a kind of recapitulation of what we have studied in the previous lecture. So in the previous lecture we have taken different SLE problems where a pure solids in equilibrium with liquid then what is the corresponding phase diagram that is what we have seen.

And then corresponding equilibrium relation in order to find out the equilibrium composition for such case of pure solids in equilibrium with liquid those things also we have develop, and then analogously phase diagram of partially miscible solids in equilibrium with liquid those things we have seen and then for such case also we have seen what are the equilibrium relation that can be used to obtain the equilibrium composition for the case of partially miscible solids in equilibrium with liquid as well. Those two cases we have seen.

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Recapitulation Phase diagram of pure solids and solid solutions have been discussed Corresponding equilibrium equations have also been established For pure solids:  $ln(x_i\gamma_i) = \frac{\Delta g_{fuston}}{\alpha} = \frac{\Delta h_{fuston}}{\alpha} - \frac{\Delta s_{fuston}}{\alpha}$ RT Generally, enthalpy (heat) and entropy of fusion are known at a specified temperature – normally at the melting point  $T_m$  but not at any temperature T Thus we constructed Th.D. pathway to develop following relation suitable for any temperature T:  $ln(x_i\gamma_i) = \frac{\Delta h_{fus,T_m}}{2} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} - 1 \right\}$  $\int \frac{\Delta C_P^{sl}}{T} dT + \frac{1}{RT}$  $\Delta C_P^{sl} dT$ If ΔC<sup>sl</sup><sub>n</sub> is constant, (for i<sup>th</sup> component)

So that is phase diagram of pure solids and in solid solutions in equilibrium with liquid have been discussed, then corresponding equilibrium equations have also been established for pure solids we have obtained this information that is  $\ln x_i \gamma_i = \frac{\Delta g_{fusion}}{RT}$  that is  $\frac{\Delta h_{fusion}}{RT} - \frac{\Delta s_{fusion}}{R}$  but in general this  $\Delta h_{fusion}$  and  $\Delta s_{fusion}$  are available at standard temperature something like at melting temperature etc.

So but we need at certain in temperature any temperature T so what we have to do we have to construct a thermodynamic pathway and then obtain this information at any other temperature T as well that is what we have done. So when we have done that one then we got this expression in the previous lecture that is  $\ln x_i \gamma_i = \frac{\Delta h_{fus,T_m}}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_m} \right\} - \frac{1}{R} \int_{T_m}^T \frac{\Delta C_p^{sl}}{T} dT + \frac{1}{RT} \int_{T_m}^T \Delta C_p^{sl} dT.$ 

So if you assume this  $\Delta C_p^{sl}$  as a constant and then do integration substitute the limits and then do some kind of simplification then for i<sup>th</sup> the component we got this relation, that is  $\ln \frac{x_i}{\gamma_i} = \frac{\Delta h_{fus,Tm}}{R}$  $\left\{\frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{Tm_i}\right\} + \frac{\Delta C_p^{sl}}{R} \left\{1 - \frac{Tm_i}{T} - ln\left(\frac{T}{Tm_i}\right)\right\}$ . This is what we have seen this is for the pure solids.

That is even the solids are being transferred into the liquids, liquids are now transferring into the solid phase, so even during the course of species transfer solid species remaining pure that is capital  $X_i$  is remaining 1 maybe then weight may be decreasing our amount may be decreasing because they are transferring to the liquid phase. We have seen in the previous lecture capital  $X_i$  we have indicated for the mole fraction of component i in the solid phase.

And then small  $x_i$  as usual we have taken the mole fraction of component i in the liquid phase so in the case of pure solids we have this  $x_i = 1$  always. So that is what we have then but in general there may be a kind of partial miscible solutions also. Then this  $x_i$  cannot be equal to 1.

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So for such conditions also we have developed these relations for partially miscible solid solutions we have  $f_i^s = f_i^l$  then we have capital X<sub>i</sub> capital  $\Gamma_i f_i^s = x_i \gamma_i f_i^l$  capital X<sub>i</sub> is nothing but the mole fraction of component a in the solid phase and then capital  $\Gamma_i$  is nothing but that indicate or display the non-ideality in the solid phase and then  $f_i^s$  is nothing but the fugacity of that component i in the solid phase at certain different conditions.

Whereas small  $x_i$  is nothing but the mole fraction of that component i in the liquid phase  $\gamma_i$  is nothing but the activity coefficient of that particular component in the liquid phase which indicated the non ideality of the system and then this  $f_i^l$  is nothing but the fugacity of component i in the liquid phase at certain reference conditions. So, now this we can write it as  $\frac{x_i \gamma_i}{x_i \Gamma_i} = \frac{f_i^s}{f_i^l}$ .

And then for this one also in the case of pure solids in equilibrium with liquids whatever the way that we have followed for the derivation of equilibrium relation; if you follow entirely the same pathway here also and do the simplification, then you get this ln of this then you get this relation

$$\ln \frac{x_i \gamma_i}{x_i \Gamma_i} = \frac{\Delta h_{fus,Tm}}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{Tm_i} \right\} + \frac{\Delta C_p^{sl}}{R} \left\{ 1 - \frac{Tm_i}{T} - \ln \left( \frac{T}{Tm_i} \right) \right\}$$

So only difference compared to the pure solids case is this this additional thing is coming here capital  $X_i$  and capital  $\Gamma_i$  are coming into the picture. In the case of partially miscible solution whereas in the case of pure solid solutions in equilibrium with liquids then this capital  $X_i = 1$  and then if it is a pure solid then it is a kind of ideal solid so then capital  $\Gamma_i$  is also equal to 1.

Remember ideality in the case of a solid is defined in the similar way as in the case of liquids that is if the component is pure then or if the component is almost pure then we can say that is a kind of ideal system. So if the solids are partially miscible so then they are not pure solids so then obviously they are not ideal so there would be some capital  $\Gamma_i$  information as well and then X<sub>i</sub> cannot be 1.

So they what is that  $X_i$  that we have to find out in general so this is what we have seen and then corresponding phase diagrams for whether of the cases also we have seen in the previous lecture now what we do we take a few example problem based on the discussions that we had in previous lecture. So, that we can find out the equilibrium composition or a eutectic composition etc. or how we can make use of these relations to get other kind of information? Those things we are going to see in the form of a few example problems.





So example 1 the excess Gibbs energy for a binary mixture of liquid a and liquid b is given by  $g^E = 6000 x_a x_b$  (1 - 0.0005 T) Joule per mole where T is in Kelvin. The solids are completely

immiscible the enthalpies of fusion and melting temperatures for either of the components are given for component a  $\Delta h_{fusion}$  is - 12 kilo Joule per mole and then melting point is nothing but 1000 Kelvin.

Whereas for component b  $\Delta h_{fusion}$  is nothing but - 10 kilo joule per mole and then melting temperature  $T_m$  is nothing but 800K. Now determine the temperature and the composition at eutectic point but neglect  $\Delta C_p^{sl}$ . So  $\Delta C_p^{sl}$  that is  $C_p^s - C_p^l$  is 0





So solutions in solids are completely miscible then  $f_a^s = x_a \gamma_a f_a^l$  and then  $f_b^s$  is nothing but  $x_b \gamma_b f_b^l$ . So then we have for completely immiscible system that means system is pure system that means solids are remaining pure solids they are completely immiscible so they are completely pure so then we have that capital  $X_i = 1$  and then capital  $\Gamma_i$  is also 1.

Then whatever the pure solids in equilibrium with liquid cases say that expression we have to use so that expression is nothing but this one that is  $\ln x_i \gamma_i = \frac{\Delta h_{fus,T_m}}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_{m_i}} \right\} + \frac{\Delta C_p^{sl}}{R} \left\{ 1 - \frac{T_{m_i}}{T} - \frac{1}{T_{m_i}} \right\}$  but in the problem it is mentioned  $\Delta C_p^{sl}$  is 0. So the second term is not going to be there and now this expression, if you write for two components so that is component a and b. So  $\ln x_a \gamma_a = \frac{\Delta h_{fus,T_m}}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_{m_a}} \right\}$  and then this  $\ln x_a \gamma_a I$  can write  $\ln x_a + \ln \gamma_a$  and then  $x_a I$  am writing 1 -  $x_b$  so  $\ln$  of 1 -  $x_b$  +  $\ln$  of  $\gamma_a$  = right hand side as it is. So now  $T_{m_i}$  in place of i I am writing a similarly for component b if you write  $\ln x_b \gamma_b = \frac{\Delta h_{fus,T_m}}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_{m_b}} \right\}$  for component b.

So here also  $\ln x_b \gamma_b I$  can write  $\ln x_b + \ln \gamma_b$  so then we have right hand side as it is without any change. So now we have to solve this equation actually now this  $\Delta h_{\text{fusion}}$  are given for both the components  $T_{m_a}T_{m_b}$  are also given so we have to find out these temperatures and then this  $x_b$  compositions. So two equations or two unknowns are there but you know what is this information activity coefficient that we do not know.

But molar excess Gibbs energy expression is given so that is we can use that expression to get this  $\ln \gamma_a$  because we know RT  $\ln \gamma_a = -\bar{g}_a^E$ . So that is  $\bar{g}_a^E$  is nothing  $\operatorname{but}\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial n_a}(n_T, g^E)\right]_{T,P,n_b}$  if you do that you know you can if you find out this differentiation whatever  $g^E$  that is given that  $g^E$  you write in terms of moles;  $g^E$  is given in terms of mole fraction that you write in terms of moles and then multiplied by total number of moles  $n_T$ .

And then whatever that product is there you partially differentiate with respect to n<sub>a</sub> then again you convert that expression in terms of the mole fraction, so that you get this one these things so many examples we have done in LLEK, so similarly when you do this you get so that RT ln  $\gamma_a$  is nothing but 6,000 (1 - 0.0005 T)  $x_b^2$ . So from here ln  $\gamma_a$  is this one that is  $\frac{6000 (1 - 0.0005 \text{ T}) x_b^2}{RT}$ .

Similarly RT ln  $\gamma_b$  is nothing but  $\bar{g}_b^E$ , so that is  $\bar{g}_b^E$  is nothing but  $\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial n_b}(n_T, g^E)\right]_{T,P,n_a}$ . So whatever  $g^E$  expression is given in the problem that is given in mole fractions you convert in terms of moles by taking  $x_a = \frac{n_a}{n_T}$  and  $x_b = \frac{n_b}{n_T}$ . Then whatever the  $g^E$  expression in terms of moles is said that you multiply by  $n_T$ , so whatever the product expression is coming that you partially differentiate with respect to  $n_b$ .

So then whatever the final expression that comes in terms of moles that again you convert in terms of mole fractions then you will get  $\frac{6000 (1 - 0.0005 \text{ T}) (1 - x_b)^2}{RT}$ ,  $(1 - x_b)^2 = x_a$  square but  $(1 - x_b)^2$ you can write and then that part is nothing but equal to RT ln  $\gamma_b$ . So ln  $\gamma_b$  is nothing but  $\frac{6000 (1 - 0.0005 \text{ T}) (1 - x_b)^2}{RT}$ .

So now this expression you can write here in place of  $\ln \gamma_a$  and this expression you can write in place of  $\ln \gamma_b$  here.

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Then what you have you have this expression  $\ln (1 - x_b) + \ln \gamma_a$  is nothing but  $\frac{6000 (1 - 0.0005 \text{ T}) x_b^2}{RT} =$ right hand side is as it is for the component a similarly for the component b  $\ln x_b + \ln \gamma_b$  is nothing but  $\frac{6000 (1 - 0.0005 \text{ T}) x_a^2}{RT}$  so that is  $\frac{(1 - x_b)^2}{RT}$  and then right hand side is same as it is for a component b, so now only thing unknown is in these two equation is the temperature and then this  $x_b$ .

So we have two equations two unknowns, so when you solve these two equations you can get you know whatever the temperature and then  $x_b$  that we get as this temperature you get 656 Kelvin and then  $x_b$  you will get 0.66. So that means eutectic composition or the composition at the eutectic point is nothing but  $x_a = 0.34$  and then  $x_b$  is nothing but 0.66 this is how we can solve problems on SLE.

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Now we take another example problem antimony and lead form a eutectic at 251 degree centigrade so temperature is given and 11.2 weight percent so weight percent of this antimony is given the enthalpy of fusion and the melting point of lead are as follows for the lead they are given as  $\Delta h_{fusion}$  is - 5.1 kilo Joule per mole and then for the lead melting point is 327.5 degree centigrade.

So determine the composition of lead-rich solid solution at eutectic. State any assumptions that you make, so nothing has began has been given. So it is actually mentioned lead rich solid solution at eutectic so actually one of the phase reach in one particular component if it is mentioned like that that means it is partially miscible system or partially miscible solid solutions are there, so then  $\ln \frac{x_i \gamma_i}{x_i \Gamma_i}$  whatever that expression that we have to use. And then we have to find out what is this  $X_i$  capital  $X_i$ .

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So this is the expression that we have to use in this expression whatever the things are there are provided or not that we have to see if not provided we have to make certain kind of assumption that is also clearly stated in the problem. So let the subscript 1 designate antimony and 2 for the lead, so at eutectic temperature a liquid solution and antimony rich solution and then lead rich solid solution not in equilibrium all three phases are at equilibrium that is the eutectic point.

So assume the solid solutions at the eutectic temperature exhibit ideal solution behavior because nothing is given about non ideality of the solid phase and then that is also possible further we can assume the liquid solution is ideal since it is only 11.2% of antimony. So it is a small fraction it is there not negligible but small fraction only there, so then we can say that the liquid solution is almost kind of pure solution and then we can take the liquid solution is also as a kind of ideal behavior.

So from here capital  $\Gamma_i = 1$  and then from here small  $\gamma_i = 1$  then we have for both the component if you write we have this one small  $\gamma_2 = 1$  capital  $\Gamma_1 = 1$  capital  $\Gamma_2 = 1$  we can also assume the change in heat capacity between solid and liquid phases is negligible,  $\Delta C_p^{sl} = 0$  because no information is given. So we have to assume there is no option so that second term in the RHS is gone in this equation this relationship required to find the composition of the solid solution reduces to this form  $\ln \frac{x_2}{x_2} = \frac{\Delta h_{fus,2}}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_{m_2}} \right\}$  because we wanted to find out you know this x<sub>2</sub> this is the final relation.

And then we have to find out this capital  $X_2$  how much it is this is given this is also given, so a data for a required temperature we have to find out this capital  $X_2$  but what is this small  $x_2$  that is not given but weight fraction of these two items are given. So antimony 11.2 weight percent so what we can have we can convert them into the mole fractions and then get that small  $x_2$  so here T is the eutectic temperature that is given,  $x_2$  is the mole fraction of lead in the lead rich phase.

That is what we have to find out and then find the mole fractions at the eutectic point from the mass fractions whatever this 11.28% antimony and then remaining lead is there. So that weight fraction basis we can use but these are given in the weight fraction. So, we have to convert them into the mole fractions. So, how we can do? We need to have the molecular weight information about these components so that we can get from the reference books.

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So molecular weight of and antimony not given from reference books we can get this one 121.76 gram per mole and then molecular weight of lead is 207.20 gram per mole then  $x_1$  should be because antimony we have taken as component one so  $x_1$  should be 11.2 divided by 121.76 and

whole divided by 11.2 divided by 121.76 + 88.8 divided by 207.2 that comes out to be 0.177. So that means  $x_2$  is 0.823.

So only unknown in the previous equation that is to be solved to get the capital X<sub>2</sub> is this small x<sub>2</sub> that is also now we got it so this if you substitute here in this equation and then give this eutectic temperature this  $T_{m_2}$  is given and  $\Delta h_{\text{fusion}}$  is also given x<sub>2</sub> you just obtained so from here if you write  $\frac{x_2}{X_2} = \exp \frac{\Delta h_{fus,2}}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_{m_2}} \right\}$  and then from here X<sub>2</sub> is nothing but  $\frac{x_2}{\exp \frac{\Delta h_{fus,2}}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_{m_2}} \right\}}$ .

So this is what we have so this is  $X_2$  is 0. 823 divided by exponential of  $\Delta h_{fusion}$  is - 5100 it is given 5.1 kilo Joule, it is given so - 5100, R is 8.314 and then eutectic temperature T is given and then  $T_{m_2}$  is given so all that you substitute so then you get 0.955. So that means  $X_1$  is 0.045. So in the lead rich phase lead is very high almost 95.5% by moles but this is all we can solve the different types of problems initially we can take one more example problem.





Example 3 Bismuth and cadmium form a eutectic at 144 degree centigrade and  $x_a = 0.45$  they are also completely immiscible in the solid solutions; they are also completely miscible in the solid phase, that means pure solids we have to take the melting points for these two components are given as 271 and 321 degree centigrade respectively.

The enthalpies of fusion of these two elements are - 10.46 kilo Joule per mole and then - 6.1 kilo Joule per mole respectively estimate 3-suffix Margules parameter based on this data. Let us say the liquid phase whatever is their liquid phase non-ideality, if you described by 3-suffix Margules equation whatever they 3-suffix Margules parameters A and B are there, that you have to find out neglect  $\Delta C_p^{sl}$  that is  $C_p^s - C_p^l$  is 0. So it is a pure solid system that equations we have to take pure solids in equilibrium with liquid.

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So  $f_a^s = x_a \gamma_a f_a^l$  and  $f_b^s = x_b \gamma_b f_b^l$ . So this actually reference there something like a you know not we can have here something like that, like this at reference temperature from SLE that is when pure solids are in equilibrium with liquid then we have this derivation  $\ln x_a \gamma_a = \frac{\Delta h_{fus,Tm}}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_m} \right\}$ 

$$+\frac{\Delta C_p^{Sl}}{R}\left\{1-\frac{T_m}{T}-\ln\left(\frac{T}{T_m}\right)\right\}$$

This is what we have it is said that this  $\Delta C_p^{sl}$  is negligible or neglected that is what given in the statement, so this part can be ignored. So now if you write this equation for two components component a and component b so  $\ln x_a \gamma_a = \frac{\Delta h_{fus,T}m_a}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_{m_a}} \right\}$ . So whatever  $\ln \gamma_a x_a$  that we can write  $\ln \gamma_a + \ln x_a$  so that  $\ln x_a$  if you bring it to the left hand side we have  $-\ln x_a$ .

Similarly for the second component if you do  $\ln \gamma_b = \frac{\Delta h_{fus,Tm_b}}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_{m_b}} \right\}$ - ln x<sub>b</sub>. So these two relations are there, so here this  $\Delta h_{fusion}$  are given  $T_m's$  are given  $T_{m_a}T_{m_b}$  are given and then T is also given x<sub>a</sub> is also given. So x<sub>b</sub> is also known so only thing that you know ln  $\gamma_a \ln \gamma_b$  are not known. So far we do not need them we need corresponding 3-suffix Margules parameters A B.

So whatever the 3-suffix Margules equations are there, so corresponding  $\ln \gamma_a \ln \gamma_b$  equations we how to use. So from 3-suffix Margules equation we have  $\ln \gamma_a = \frac{A+3B}{RT} x_b^2 - \frac{4B}{RT} x_b^3$  and then we have  $\ln \gamma_b = \frac{A-3B}{RT} x_a^2 + \frac{4B}{RT} x_a^3$ . So now in place of this  $\ln \gamma_a$  you substitute this one and then in place of  $\ln \gamma_b$  you substitute this one then what we will have are substituting or maybe equating this equation 2 and 4 and then equation 3 and 5 if you equate.

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Then we have  $\ln \gamma_a$  is nothing but  $\frac{A+3B}{RT} x_b^2 - \frac{4B}{RT} x_b^3 =$  right hand side of equation 2 that is  $\frac{\Delta h_{fus,Tm_a}}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_{m_a}} \right\}$ - ln x<sub>a</sub> then equation number 3 that is  $\ln \gamma_b =$  we are having. So  $\ln \gamma_b$  is nothing but  $\frac{A-3B}{RT} x_a^2 + \frac{4B}{RT} x_a^3$  for 3-suffix Margules equation and then = right hand side whatever we have  $\frac{\Delta h_{fus,Tm_b}}{R} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_{m_b}} \right\}$ - ln x<sub>b</sub>.

So here we know this  $x_a$  is given so  $x_b$  is also be known  $T_{m_a}$  is given  $T_{m_b}$  is also given eutectic point temperature T is also given so in this equation everything is known except A and B. So we have two equations, so in these two equations except A and B you substitute all these values here so then A + 3B when you substitute all these values in the equation number 6 you will get  $\frac{(A+3B)0.55^2}{8.314*417.15} - \frac{(4B)0.55^3}{8.314*417.15} = \frac{-10460}{8.314} \left\{ \frac{1}{417.15} - \frac{1}{544.15} \right\} - \ln 0.45.$ 

Then these values if you substitute in equation number 7 then we have  $\frac{(A - 3B)0.45^2}{8.314 + 417.15} + \frac{(4 B)0.45^3}{8.314 + 417.15}$ =  $\frac{-6100}{8.314} \left\{ \frac{1}{417.15} - \frac{1}{594.15} \right\}$  - ln 0.55. So, these two equations we are having and then these two unknowns A and B are there so if you solve these equations two equations then you will get a as 1157 Joule per mole and then B as - 90.3 joule per mole.

So 3-suffix Margules parameters A and B you can obtain like this. Like this different types of SLE problems can be solved using the equation equilibrium relation that we have established in the previous lecture.



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So the references for this lecture are Engineering and chemical thermodynamics by Koretsky, Molecular Thermodynamics of Fluid Phase equilibria by prausnitz et al, Chemical, Biochemical and Engineering Thermodynamics by Sandler and Introduction to Chemical Engineering Thermodynamics by Smith et al. However this entire lecture is prepared from this reference book Engineering and chemical thermodynamics by Koretsky; which is an excellent book for SLE problems with this we have completed all the lectures of this course advanced thermodynamics thank you very much for your attention. Thank You