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MET 320

Short Exam 4b

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Closed Book - No Calculators - No Notes

Constants:

$R = 1.987 \text{ cal/K}\cdot\text{gmole} = 8.31 \text{ J/K}\cdot\text{gmole}$; $F = 96,525 \text{ Joule}/(\text{volt}\cdot\text{Equivalent})$

1. (25 points) **Sodium Production by Electrolysis**



- a) Calculate the cell potential for the electrolysis of pure, liquid NaCl at 1000 K to form Cl₂ at 1 atm and pure, liquid Na.
- b) How would the cell potential change if the Na were in a solution having an activity of Na of 0.01 relative to pure, liquid Na?

Ans a

Ans b

2. (10 points) **Heat of Mixing**

Use the data given below for the liquid Cu-Sb system at 1190 K to determine the enthalpy change when 4 moles of liquid Sb at 1190 K are dissolved in 1,000,000 moles of Cu-Sb alloy at 1190 K having a mole fraction of Cu of 0.6.

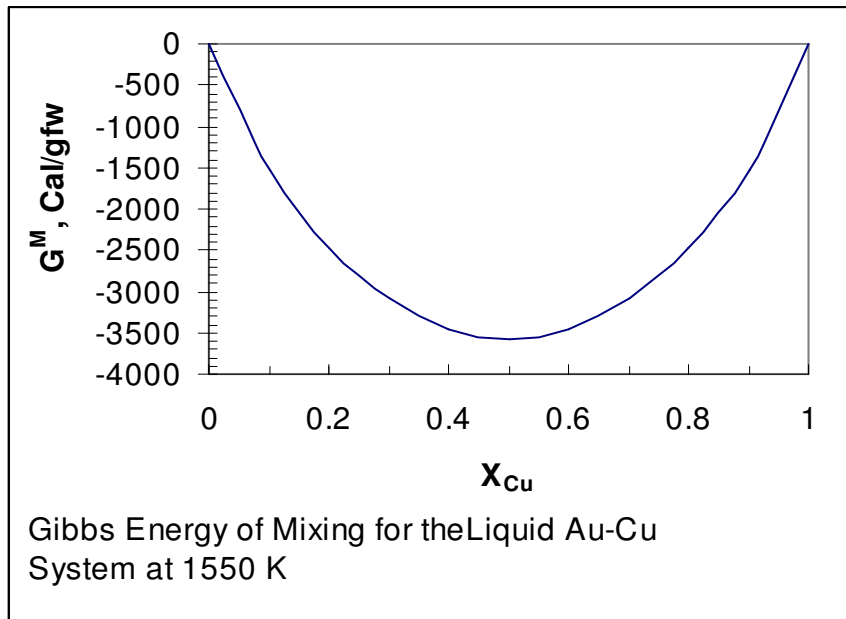
Data for the Liquid Cu-Sb System at 1190 K

X_{Cu}	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.9
H^M (cal/mole)	-983	-1474	-2399	-2458	-2487	-2017	-1586	-978	98
H^M_{Sb} (cal/mole)	81	266	465	698	1093	1053	-66	-2929	-6800

3. (15 points) Activity and Activity Coefficient from Integral Molar Gibbs Energy
Show how to find the activity and the activity coefficient of Au in a liquid Au-Cu alloy at 1550 K that is 40 atomic percent Cu from the following data:

Gibbs energy of Mixing for the Liquid Au-Cu System at 1550 K

X_{Cu}	G^M
0	0
0.1	-1519
0.2	-2461
0.3	-3089
0.4	-3453
0.5	-3572
0.6	-3453
0.7	-3089
0.8	-2461
0.9	-1519
1	0



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