

Consider a system of N non-interacting distinguishable particles at a given temperature T . Each particle can be in one of the three states, with the energies, 0 , ε , 2ε . Their degeneracy numbers are 1 , 2 , and 1 , respectively.

1. Write the expression for the molecular partition function q .
2. What are the values of q at $T \rightarrow 0$ and at $T \rightarrow \infty$?
3. What is the probability to find the particle in each of these states?
4. What is the average energy of a particle in such a system? What is it at $T \rightarrow 0$ and at $T \rightarrow \infty$?
5. Calculate the total energy of this system.
6. What is the entropy of this system? What is it at $T \rightarrow 0$ and at $T \rightarrow \infty$?