

$$\dot{S}(t) = \frac{k_B}{2} \sum_{nm} J_{nm} \ln \frac{W_{nm} p_m}{W_{mn} p_n} - \frac{k_B}{2} \sum_{nm} J_{nm} \ln \frac{W_{nm}}{W_{mn}}$$

i) general expression for $\dot{S}^i(t)$ will show ≥ 0

ii) general expression for $\dot{S}^e(t)$ entropy flow if $\frac{W_{nm}}{W_{mn}} = e^{-\beta(E_n - E_m)} \Rightarrow \dot{S}^e = \frac{\dot{E}}{T}$

i) $J_{nm} = W_{nm} p_m - W_{mn} p_n$

$\dot{S}^i(t) \geq 0$ b/c each term has form $(x-y) \ln \frac{x}{y} \geq 0$ always + = 0 iff $x=y$

$\dot{S}^i(t) = 0$ iff $W_{nm} p_m = W_{mn} p_n \checkmark$

general definition of equilibrium

$\frac{W_{nm}}{W_{mn}} = \frac{p_n}{p_m}$ satisfied at Boltzmann equil.

$p_n = p_n^s = \frac{e^{-\beta E_n}}{Z}$

$\dot{S}^i(t) > 0$: not in equilibrium

ii) check $\dot{S}^e = \frac{\dot{E}}{T}$ for sys coupled to env at temp T (special case)

$\frac{W_{nm}}{W_{mn}} = e^{-\beta(E_n - E_m)} \Rightarrow$

$E_n - E_m \equiv Q_{nm} \stackrel{\text{def'n of}}{=} \text{heat flow from env in } m \rightarrow n \text{ trans}$

$\dot{S}^e = \frac{1}{2T} \sum_{nm} J_{nm} (E_n - E_m)$

$\dot{S}^e = \frac{1}{2T} \sum_{nm} J_{nm} Q_{nm} = \frac{1}{2T} \left[\sum_{nm} J_{nm} E_n - \sum_{nm} J_{nm} E_m \right]$

$\equiv \frac{\dot{Q}}{T} = \frac{1}{2T} \left[\sum_{nm} J_{nm} E_n + \sum_{nm} J_{mn} E_m \right]$

def'n of heat flow rate \dot{Q}

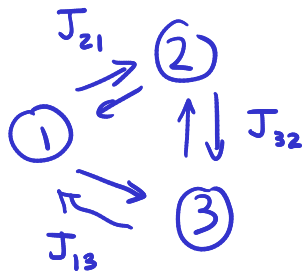
$= \frac{1}{2T} \left[\sum_{nm} J_{nm} E_n + \sum_{nm} J_{nm} E_n \right]$

$$dS \equiv \frac{dQ}{T} = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{nm} J_{nm} E_n \quad \sum_m J_{nm} = \dot{P}_n$$

$$= \frac{1}{T} \sum_n \dot{P}_n E_n = \frac{1}{T} \dot{E} \quad \bar{E} = \sum_n P_n E_n$$

$$T \dot{S}^e = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{nm} J_{nm} Q_{nm}$$

analogy
power \sim current \times voltage



$$T \dot{S}^e = J_{21} (E_2 - E_1) + J_{32} (E_3 - E_2) + J_{13} (E_1 - E_3)$$

Equilibrium is boring:

W_{nm} is const. in time

$$P_n(t) \rightarrow P_n^s = \frac{e^{-\beta E_n}}{Z}$$

satisfies: $\frac{W_{nm}}{W_{mn}} = \frac{P_n^s}{P_m^s} \Rightarrow J_{nm}^s = W_{nm} P_m^s - W_{mn} P_n^s = 0$
for every conn. (n,m)

$$\dot{S}^i = \frac{k_B}{2} \sum_{nm} J_{nm} \ln \frac{W_{nm} P_m}{W_{mn} P_n} = 0$$

$$\dot{S}^e = \frac{k_B}{2} \sum_{nm} J_{nm} \ln \frac{W_{nm}}{W_{mn}} = 0$$

$$\dot{S} = \dot{S}^i + \dot{S}^e = 0$$