

AME 60636

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Homework 5

Due: Wednesday, 16 February 2022

1. Use `chemkin` to plot on a single graph $\bar{c}_{P,i}(T)$ for O, O₂, O₃, N, N₂, CH₄, Ar, and He for $298\text{ K} < T < 5000\text{ K}$. Use the units of erg/mol/K for \bar{c}_p . Clearly label your plot. Produce a second related plot which gives $\bar{c}_{P,i}(T)/\bar{R}$ for the same range of temperature. Give a physical interpretation of your results.
2. Use `chemkin` to plot on a single graph $\bar{h}_i(T)$ for O, O₂, O₃, N, N₂, CH₄, Ar, and He for $298\text{ K} < T < 5000\text{ K}$. Use the units of erg/mol for \bar{h}_i . Clearly label your plot. Give a physical interpretation of your results.
3. Consider the ozone reaction mechanism given by Powers, Singh, and Paolucci, 2002, *Journal of Chemical Physics*, Vol. 117, p. 1482-1496. At $t = 0\text{ s}$, we have mass fractions $Y_{\text{O}} = 0.25$, $Y_{\text{O}_2} = 0.25$, $Y_{\text{O}_3} = 0.5$, $T = 3000\text{ K}$, and $P = 100\text{ kPa}$. Take the system to be isochoric and adiabatic.
 - (a) Write a system of four ordinary differential equations in four unknowns to describe the evolution of each species concentration as well as temperature. Include appropriate initial conditions.
 - (b) Find a physical equilibrium state.
 - (c) Perform a local linear analysis around the physical equilibrium, and identify the time scales of reaction.
 - (d) Write a `fortran` (or equivalent) code to integrate the full equations from the initial state to the equilibrium state. Include a copy of your codes as an appendix to your solution. Use the `chemkin` software package to calculate reaction rates and thermodynamic properties.
 - (e) Plot all species concentrations versus t .
 - (f) Plot temperature versus t .
 - (g) Plot \bar{p}_{O} versus \bar{p}_{O_3} .
 - (h) Plot $P(t)$.