

# Multiphase and Reactive Flow Modelling

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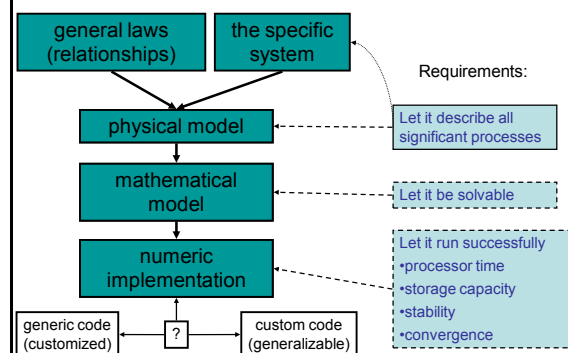
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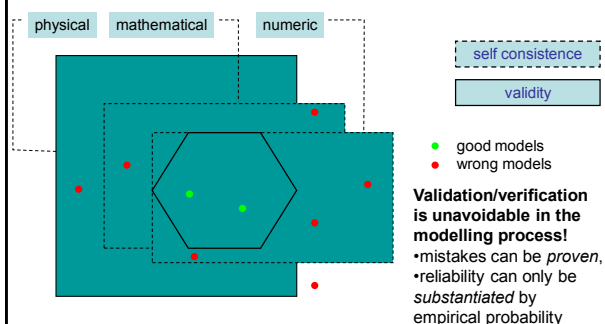
## What is modelling?

- Experimental modelling
- Theoretical modelling
  - Physical model layer
  - Mathematical model layer
- Numerical model

## Model layers



## Relating model layers properly

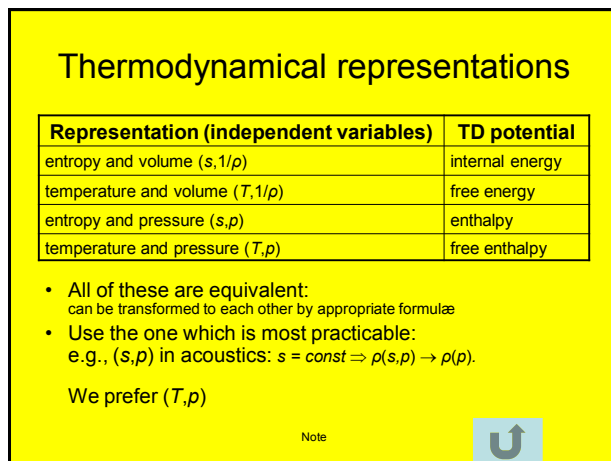
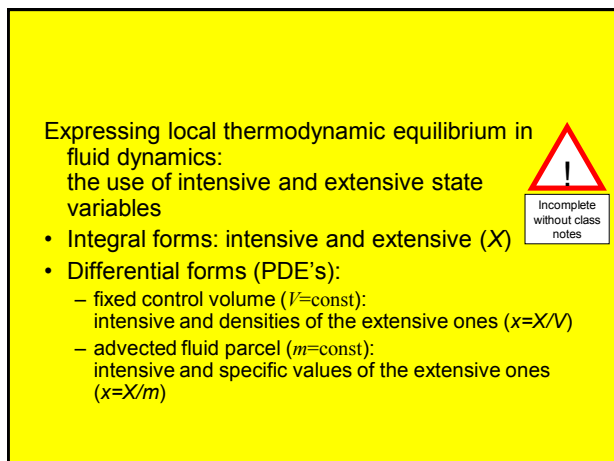
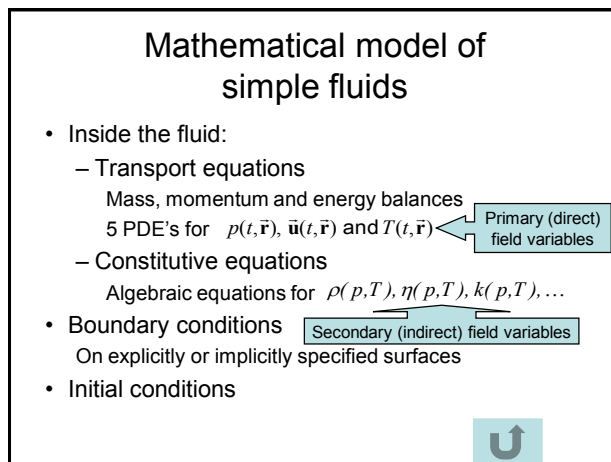
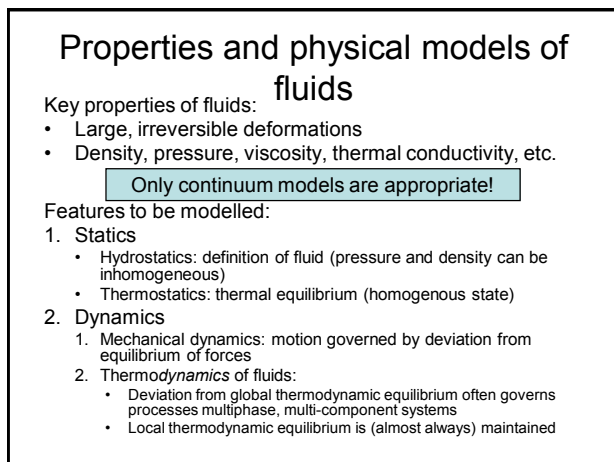
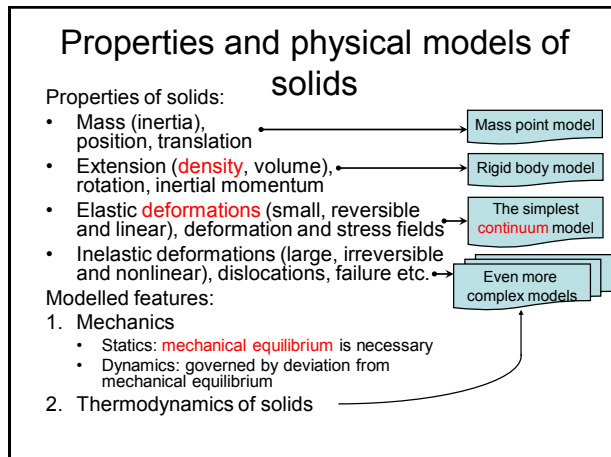
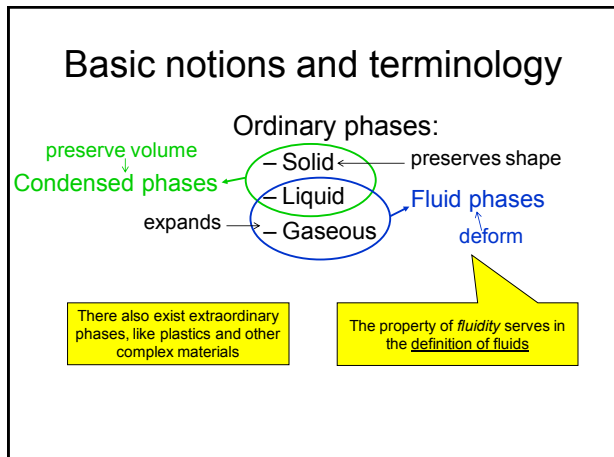


## Creating a physical model

What are the significant processes?

- Include all the significant processes
- Get rid of non-significant ones
- **The dimensionless numbers help us with these!**
- Classify the system based on the above





### Some models of simple fluids

- $\rho = const, \mu = const$  → **Stoksean fluid**
- $\rho(p), \mu = const$  → **compressible (or barotropic) fluid**  
 In both of these, the heat transport problem can be solved separately (one-way coupling):  
 fluid dynamical equations → heat transport equation (1 PDE)
- $\rho(p, T), \mu(p, T), k(p, T), \dots$  → **general simple fluid**  
 Mutually coupled thermo-hydraulic equations:  
 fluid dynamical equations ↔ heat transport equation
- Non-Newtonian behaviour etc. → **models for complex fluids**

### Phase transitions in case of a single compound

- **Evaporation, incl.**
  - Boiling
  - Cavitation
- **Condensation, incl.**
  - Liquefaction
  - Solidification
- Sublimation
- Freezing
- Melting

All phase transitions involve latent heat deposition or release

### Typical phase diagrams of a pure material:

Several solid phases (crystal structures) may exist

In equilibrium 1, 2 or 3 phases can exist together

Complete mechanical and thermal equilibrium

### Material properties in multi-phase, single component systems

One needs explicit constitutional equations for each phase.

For each phase ( $p$ ) one needs to know:

- the thermodynamic potential  $\mu^{(p)}(p, T)$
- the thermal equation of state  $\rho^{(p)}(p, T)$
- the viscosity  $\eta^{(p)}(p, T)$
- the heat capacity  $c_p^{(p)}(p, T)$
- the thermal conductivity  $k^{(p)}(p, T)$

### Conditions of local phase equilibrium in a contact point in case of a pure material

- 2 phases:
  - $T^{(1)} = T^{(2)} =: T$
  - $p^{(1)} = p^{(2)} =: p$
  - $\mu^{(1)}(T, p) = \mu^{(2)}(T, p)$
  - Locus of solution: a **line**  $T_s(p)$  or  $p_s(T)$ , the **saturation** temperature or pressure (e.g. 'boiling point').
- 3 phases:
  - $T^{(1)} = T^{(2)} = T^{(3)} =: T$
  - $p^{(1)} = p^{(2)} = p^{(3)} =: p$
  - $\mu^{(1)}(T, p) = \mu^{(2)}(T, p) = \mu^{(3)}(T, p)$
  - Locus of solution: a **point**  $(T_t, p_t)$ , the **triple point**.

### Multiple components

- Almost all systems have more than 1 (chemical) components
- Phases are typically *multi-component mixtures*

Concentration(s): measure(s) of composition

There are lot of practical concentrations in use, e.g.

- Mass fraction (we prefer this!)  
 $c_1 = m_1/m, c_2 = m_2/m, \dots, c_k = m_k/m, \dots, \sum_k c_k = \sum_k m_k/m = 1$
- Volume fraction (used in CFD and if volume is conserved upon mixing!)  
 $\alpha_1 = V_1/V, \alpha_2 = V_2/V, \dots, \alpha_k = V_k/V, \dots, \sum_k \alpha_k = \sum_k V_k/V = 1$
- Mole fraction (used in case of chemical reactions and diffusion)  
 $y_1 = n_1/n, y_2 = n_2/n, \dots, y_k = n_k/n, \dots, \sum_k y_k = \sum_k n_k/n = 1$

## Multiple components

Concentration fields appear as new primary field variables in the mathematical model  
One of them (usually that of the solvent) is redundant, not used.

$$c_k(t, \vec{r}) \text{ for } k = 2, \dots, K$$

## Notations to be used (or at least attempted)

- Phase index (upper):
  - ( $p$ ) or
  - (s), (l), (g), (v), (f) for solid, liquid, gas, vapour, fluid
- Component index (lower):  $k$
- Coordinate index (lower):  $i, j$  or  $t$

Examples:  $\rho^{(s)}, c_k^{(p)}, u_i^{(p)}$

- Partial differentiation:

$$\partial_t, \partial_i (\partial_1 = \partial_x, \partial_2 = \partial_y, \partial_3 = \partial_z)$$

Note



## Material properties in multi-component mixtures

- One needs constitutional equations for each phase
- These algebraic equations depend also on the concentrations

For each phase ( $p$ ) one needs to know:

- the thermodynamic potential  $\mu^{(p)}(p, T, c_1^{(p)}, c_2^{(p)}, \dots)$
- the thermal equation of state  $\rho^{(p)}(p, T, c_1^{(p)}, c_2^{(p)}, \dots)$
- the heat capacity  $c_p^{(p)}(p, T, c_1^{(p)}, c_2^{(p)}, \dots)$
- the viscosity  $\eta^{(p)}(p, T, c_1^{(p)}, c_2^{(p)}, \dots)$
- the thermal conductivity  $k^{(p)}(p, T, c_1^{(p)}, c_2^{(p)}, \dots)$
- the diffusion coefficients  $D_{k,i}^{(p)}(p, T, c_1^{(p)}, c_2^{(p)}, \dots)$



## Conditions of local phase equilibrium in a contact point in case of multiple components

- Suppose  $N$  phases and  $K$  components:
- Thermal and mechanical equilibrium on the interfaces:  
 $T^{(1)} = T^{(2)} = \dots = T^{(N)} =: T$   
 $p^{(1)} = p^{(2)} = \dots = p^{(N)} =: p$        $2N \rightarrow$  only 2 independent unknowns
- Mass balance for each component among all phases:

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_1^{(1)}(T, p, c_1^{(1)}, \dots, c_K^{(1)}) &= \mu_1^{(2)}(T, p, c_1^{(2)}, \dots, c_K^{(2)}) = \dots = \mu_1^{(N)}(T, p, c_1^{(N)}, \dots, c_K^{(N)}) \\ \mu_2^{(1)}(T, p, c_1^{(1)}, \dots, c_K^{(1)}) &= \mu_2^{(2)}(T, p, c_1^{(2)}, \dots, c_K^{(2)}) = \dots = \mu_2^{(N)}(T, p, c_1^{(N)}, \dots, c_K^{(N)}) \\ &\vdots \\ \mu_K^{(1)}(T, p, c_1^{(1)}, \dots, c_K^{(1)}) &= \mu_K^{(2)}(T, p, c_1^{(2)}, \dots, c_K^{(2)}) = \dots = \mu_K^{(N)}(T, p, c_1^{(N)}, \dots, c_K^{(N)}) \end{aligned}$$

$K(N-1)$  independent equations for  $2+N(K-1)$  independent unknowns



## Phase equilibrium in a multi-component mixture

Gibbs' Rule of Phases, *in equilibrium*:

$$\# \text{phases} \equiv N \leq \# \text{components} + 2 \equiv K + 2$$

TD limit on the # of phases

If there is no (global) TD equilibrium:  
additional phases may also exist

- in transient metastable state(s) or
- in spatially separated, distant points

## Miscibility

The number of phases in a given system is also influenced by the miscibility of the components:

- Gases always mix  $\rightarrow$   
Typically there is at most 1 contiguous gas phase
- Liquids maybe miscible or immiscible  $\rightarrow$   
Liquids may separate into more than 1 phases  
(e.g. polar water + apolar oil)

- Surface tension (gas-liquid interface)
- Interfacial tension (liquid-liquid interface)

(In general: Interfacial tension on fluid-liquid interfaces)

- Solids typically remain granular

## Topology of phases and interfaces

A phase may be

- *Contiguous*  
(more than 1 contiguous phases can coexist)
- *Dispersed*:
  - solid particles, droplets or bubbles
  - of small size
  - usually surrounded by a contiguous phase
- *Compound*

Interfaces are

- 2D interface surfaces separating 2 phases
  - gas-liquid: *surface*
  - liquid-liquid: *interface*
  - solid-fluid: *wall*
- 1D contact lines separating 3 phases and 3 interfaces (at least)
- 0D contact points with (at least) 4 phases, 6 interfaces and 4 contact lines

Topological limit on the # of phases (always local)

## Special Features to Be Modelled

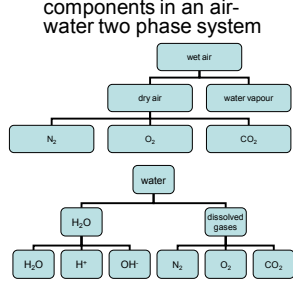
- Multiple components →
    - chemical reactions
    - molecular diffusion of constituents
  - Multiple phases → inter-phase processes
    - momentum transport,
    - mass transport and
    - energy (heat) transfer
- across interfaces** and within each phase.  
(Local deviation from total TD equilibrium is typical)

## Are components = chemical species?

Not always:

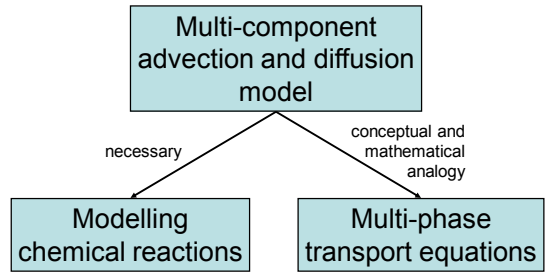
- Major reagents in chemical reactions has to be modelled separately,
- but similar materials can be grouped together and treated as a single component
  - The grouping can be refined in the course of the modelling

Example:



## Multi-component transport

We set up transport equations for single-phase multi-component fluids



## Multi-component transport Outline

- Balance equations
- Mass balance — equation of continuity
- Component balance
- Advection
- Molecular diffusion
- Chemical reactions

## Mass balance for a control volume

Eulerian (fixed) control volume in 3D

Mass inside:  $m(t) = \iiint \rho(t, \vec{r}) dV$

Outflow rate:  $J(t) = \iint \vec{j}(t, \vec{r}) \cdot d\vec{A}$

Mass production rate:  $Q(t) = 0$

Mass is a conserved quantity (in 3D): no production (sources) and decay (sinks) inside

This is a conservation law

Integral form:  $\frac{dm}{dt} = -J(t) + Q(t)$

Mass balance equation

By definition:  $\vec{u}(t, \vec{r}) := \vec{j} / \rho$

Differential form:  $\partial_t \rho + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\rho \vec{u}) = 0$

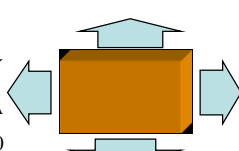
### Component mass balance

For each component:

Mass inside:  $m_k(t) = \iiint \rho_k(t, \vec{r}) dV$

Outflow rate:  $J_k(t) = \iint \vec{j}_k(t, \vec{r}) \cdot d\vec{A}$

Mass production rate:  $Q_k(t) = 0$



**If component masses are also conserved, then no production (sources) and decay (sinks) inside**

**These are also conservation laws**

Integral form:  $\frac{dm_k}{dt} = -J_k(t) + Q_k(t)$

**Mass balance equations**

By definition:

Differential form:  $\partial_t \rho_k + \nabla \cdot (\rho_k \vec{u}_k) = 0 \leftarrow \vec{u}_k(t, \vec{r}) := \vec{j}_k / \rho_k$

### The mass transport equations

$$\partial_t \rho + \nabla \cdot (\rho \vec{u}) = 0$$

$$\sum_k \uparrow \quad \sum_k \rho_k = \rho, \quad \sum_k \vec{j}_k = \sum_k \rho_k \vec{u}_k = \vec{j}$$

$$\forall k: \partial_t \rho_k + \nabla \cdot (\rho_k \vec{u}_k) = 0$$

$$\rho_k = c_k \rho, \quad \vec{j}_k = \rho_k \vec{u}_k = c_k \rho \vec{u}_k$$

$$\vec{u}_k = \vec{u} + (\vec{u}_k - \vec{u}) = \vec{u} + \vec{w}_k$$

$$\partial_t (c_k \rho) + \nabla \cdot (c_k \rho \vec{u}) = -\nabla \cdot (\rho_k \vec{w}_k) = -\nabla \cdot \vec{j}_{diff k} \leftarrow \vec{j}_{diff k} := \rho_k \vec{w}_k$$

**advection**      **diffusion**

$$c_k [\partial_t \rho + \nabla \cdot (\rho \vec{u})] + \rho [\partial_t c_k + \vec{u} \cdot \nabla c_k] = -\nabla \cdot \vec{j}_{diff k}$$

$$\forall k: D_t c_k = \partial_t c_k + \vec{u} \cdot \nabla c_k = -\frac{1}{\rho} \nabla \cdot \vec{j}_{diff k}$$

$$\sum_k \vec{j}_{diff k} = \sum_k \rho_k \vec{w}_k = \vec{0}$$

### Notations to be used (or at least attempted)

- Material derivative of a specific quantity:
 
$$\frac{Df}{Dt} := \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + (\vec{u} \cdot \nabla) f \rightarrow D_t f := \partial_t f + (\vec{u} \cdot \nabla) f$$

Note

### Two ways of resolving redundancy

- Pick exactly  $K$  mass transport equations and choose the  $K$  primary variables as follows:
 
$$k = 1, \dots, K: \partial_t \rho_k + \nabla \cdot (\rho_k \vec{u}) = -\nabla \cdot \vec{j}_{diff k} \quad k = 2, \dots, K: D_t c_k = -\frac{1}{\rho} \nabla \cdot \vec{j}_{diff k}$$
- If needed, calculate the remaining secondary variable fields from the algebraic relations:
 
$$\rho(t, \vec{x}) = \sum_k \rho_k(t, \vec{x})$$

$$c_k(t, \vec{x}) = \rho_k(t, \vec{x}) / \rho(t, \vec{x})$$

$$c_1(t, \vec{x}) = 1 - \sum_{k=2}^K c_k(t, \vec{x})$$

$$\rho_k(t, \vec{x}) = \rho(t, \vec{x}) \cdot c_k(t, \vec{x})$$

Typically, this is the solvent

For a binary mixture:  $c_1(t, \vec{x}) = c(t, \vec{x})$ ,  $c_2(t, \vec{x}) = 1 - c(t, \vec{x})$

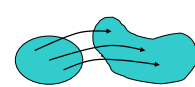
### Differential forms in balance equations

Conservation of  $F$ :  $F(t) = \iiint \varphi(t, \vec{r}) dV = \iiint f(t, \vec{r}) \cdot \rho(t, \vec{r}) dV$

- equations for the density ( $\varphi$ )
  - general:  $\partial_t \varphi + \nabla \cdot \vec{j}_\varphi = 0$
  - if  $\vec{j}_\varphi = \vec{u} \cdot \varphi$ :  $\partial_t \varphi + \nabla \cdot (\vec{u} \cdot \varphi) = 0$
  - if  $m$  is conserved:  $D_t f = \partial_t f + (\vec{u} \cdot \nabla) f = 0$
- equation for the specific value ( $f$ )

These forms describe passive advection of  $F$

### Passive advection



- Computational advantage: The component transport equations uncouple from the basic fluid dynamical problem and can be solved separately and *a posteriori*
- The concentrations of the fluid particles do not change with time:  $D_t c_k = \partial_t c_k + (\vec{u} \cdot \nabla) c_k = 0$
- The component densities vary in fixed proportion to the overall density:  $\partial_t \rho_k + \nabla \cdot (\rho_k \vec{u}) = 0$
- The solution requires
  - Lagrangian particle orbits
  - Initial conditions (hyperbolic equations)

### Simple diffusion models

- No diffusion → pure advection

Turbulent mixing

$$\vec{j}_{diff, k} = \vec{0}$$

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t \rho_k + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\rho_k \vec{u}) = 0 \\ D_t c_k = 0 \end{cases}$$

- Equimolecular counter-diffusion

$$\vec{j}_{diff, k} = -\rho D \vec{\nabla} c_k \text{ for constant } D \text{ and } \rho \rightarrow \begin{cases} \partial_t \rho_k + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\rho_k \vec{u}) = D \nabla^2 \rho_k \\ D_t c_k = D \nabla^2 c_k \end{cases}$$

- Fick's 1st Law

for each solute if  $c_k \ll 1$  ( $k = 2, \dots, K$ )

$$\vec{j}_{diff, k} = -\rho D_k \vec{\nabla} c_k \text{ constant } D_k \text{ and } \rho \rightarrow \begin{cases} \partial_t \rho_k + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\rho_k \vec{u}) = D_k \nabla^2 \rho_k \\ D_t c_k = D_k \nabla^2 c_k \end{cases}$$

but note that  $\sum_{k=1}^K \vec{j}_{diff, k} \neq \vec{0}$

$$\text{Fick's 2nd Law} \\ \partial_t c_k = D_k \nabla^2 c_k$$

### Further diffusion models

#### Thermodiffusion and/or barodiffusion

Occur(s) at

- high concentrations
- high T and/or p gradients

For a binary mixture:

$$\vec{j}_{diff} = -\rho D (\nabla c + (k_T/T) \nabla T + (k_p/p) \nabla p)$$

$D \cdot k_T$ : coefficient of thermodiffusion

$D \cdot k_p$ : coefficient of barodiffusion

Analogous cross effects appear in the heat conduction equation

### Further diffusion models

#### Nonlinear diffusion model

Cross effect among species' diffusion

Valid also at

- high concentrations
  - more than 2 components
  - low T and/or p gradients
- (For a binary mixture it falls back to Fick's law.)

$$\vec{j}_{diff, k} = \rho \cdot \sum_{\ell \neq k} \frac{M_\ell}{M} \cdot \frac{\tilde{K}_{k\ell} - \tilde{K}_{\ell k}}{\det(\mathbf{K})} \cdot \vec{\nabla} y_\ell$$

$$\tilde{\mathbf{K}} = \text{adj}(\mathbf{K})$$

$$K_{k\ell} = \frac{y_\ell}{D_{k\ell}} + \frac{M_\ell}{M_k} \cdot \sum_{s \neq k} \frac{y_s}{D_{ks}} \text{ if } k \neq \ell$$

$$K_{kk} = 0$$

$$y_k = \frac{M}{M_k} \cdot c_k \text{ : mole fraction}$$

$$M = \sum_k y_k M_k \text{ : mean molar mass}$$

$$D_{k\ell} \text{ : binary diffusion coefficient t}$$

$$D_{k\ell}(T, n, M_k, M_\ell) = D_{\ell k}$$

### Further notes on diffusion modelling

- For internal consistency of the whole model
  - $D$  has to be changed in accordance to the turbulence model ('turbulent diffusivity')
  - Diffusive heat transfer has to be included in the heat transport equation
- In the presence of multiple phases, the formulation can be straightforwardly generalised by introducing the phasic quantities

$$c_k \rightarrow c_k^{(p)}, \rho_k \rightarrow \rho_k^{(p)}, \vec{j}_k \rightarrow \vec{j}_k^{(p)}, \vec{j}_{diff, k} \rightarrow \vec{j}_{diff, k}^{(p)}, D_k \rightarrow D_k^{(p)} \dots$$

### The advection–diffusion equations



$$\partial_t (\rho \cdot c_k) + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\vec{u} \cdot \rho \cdot c_k) = -\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{j}_k$$

⇕ since m is conserved

$$D_t c_k \equiv \partial_t c_k + (\vec{u} \cdot \vec{\nabla}) c_k = -\frac{1}{\rho} \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{j}_k \leftarrow \text{e.g. } D \cdot \nabla^2 c_k$$

The component masses are *conserved* but *not passive* quantities



### The advection–diffusion–reaction equations



$$\partial_t (\rho \cdot c_k) + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\vec{u} \cdot \rho \cdot c_k) = -\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{j}_k + (\text{mass production rate density})$$

⇕ since m is conserved

$$D_t c_k \equiv \partial_t c_k + (\vec{u} \cdot \vec{\nabla}) c_k = -\frac{1}{\rho} \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{j}_k + (\text{local specific production rate})$$

The component masses are *not conserved* quantities



## Reaction modelling OUTLINE

1. Reaction stoichiometry
2. Reaction energetics
3. Reaction kinetics

Effects in the model equations:

- reactive source terms in the advection–diffusion–reaction equations
- reaction heat source terms in the energy (=heat conduction) equation



## Chemical reactions

- *Chemical reactions* are stochastic processes in which a molecular configuration of atoms transitions into another configuration



A figure showing initial and final configurations and explaining the relevant energy changes is missing from here

### Energetics

forward reaction:  $\Delta E > 0$  energy released → exothermic  
reverse reaction:  $\Delta E < 0$  energy consumed → endothermic

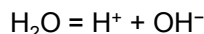


## A binary reaction

### Stoichiometry

*forward reaction*

reactant → products



product ← reactants

*reverse reaction*

$$\forall k : |v_k| = 1$$

### Reagents and reaction products

k	species
1	H <sub>2</sub> O
2	H <sup>+</sup>
3	OH <sup>-</sup>

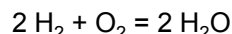


## A template reaction

### Stoichiometry

*forward reaction*

reactants → product



products ← reactant

*reverse reaction*

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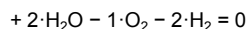
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1	H <sub>2</sub> O
2	O <sub>2</sub>
3	H <sub>2</sub>



## Reaction stoichiometry

### Stoichiometric constants

- *forward reaction*:



$$v_1 = +2, v_2 = -1, v_3 = -2$$

- *reverse reaction*:



$$v_1 = -2, v_2 = +1, v_3 = +2$$

- for reactants:  $v_k < 0$ ,
- for reaction products:  $v_k > 0$
- for catalysts:  $v_k = 0$

$$\sum_k v_k \neq 0$$

### Reagents and reaction products

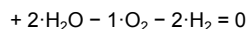
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3	H <sub>2</sub>

The number of molecules is not conserved



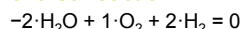
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- for catalysts:  $v_k = 0$

$$\sum_k M_k \cdot v_k = 0$$

### Reagents and reaction products


k	species
1	H <sub>2</sub> O
2	O <sub>2</sub>
3	H <sub>2</sub>

BUT: the total mass is conserved





## Reactive source terms





**One reaction process:**  $\forall k: \frac{dn_k}{dt} = v_k \cdot \dot{\xi}$   
reaction rate

**Several reactions:**  $\forall k: \frac{dn_k}{dt} = \sum_{[r]} v_{k[r]} \cdot \dot{\xi}_{[r]}$   
reaction rate vector

Possible units:

- mol/s,  $\rightarrow \forall k: \frac{dn_k}{dt} = M_k \cdot \sum_{[r]} v_{k[r]} \cdot \dot{\xi}_{[r]} = Q_k(t)$
- (mol/m<sup>3</sup>)/s,  $\rightarrow \forall k: \frac{d\rho_k}{dt} = M_k \cdot \sum_{[r]} v_{k[r]} \cdot \dot{\xi}_{[r]}$
- (mol/kg)/s,  $\rightarrow \forall k: \frac{dc_k}{dt} = M_k \cdot \sum_{[r]} v_{k[r]} \cdot \dot{\xi}_{[r]}$

reactive source terms   


## An alternative formulation:

summation over reaction pairs instead of individual reactions

$$\forall k: \frac{dm_k}{dt} = M_k \cdot \sum_{[r]} v_{k[r]} \cdot (\dot{\xi}_{[r]}^{\rightarrow} - \dot{\xi}_{[r]}^{\leftarrow}) = Q_k(t)$$

$$\forall k: \frac{d\rho_k}{dt} = M_k \cdot \sum_{[r]} v_{k[r]} \cdot (\dot{\xi}_{[r]}^{\rightarrow} - \dot{\xi}_{[r]}^{\leftarrow})$$

$$\forall k: \frac{dc_k}{dt} = M_k \cdot \sum_{[r]} v_{k[r]} \cdot (\dot{\xi}_{[r]}^{\rightarrow} - \dot{\xi}_{[r]}^{\leftarrow})$$

forward and reverse reaction rates

## Reactive heat source terms in the energy transport equation

Energy released (or consumed) in the course of the reactions appear in the system as *reaction heat*.

The corresponding source terms in the energy balance (aka. heat transport) equation are:

$$\sum_{[r]} \Delta E_{[r]} \cdot \dot{\xi}_{[r]} \quad \text{or, equivalently} \quad \sum_{[r]} \Delta E_{[r]} \cdot (\dot{\xi}_{[r]}^{\rightarrow} - \dot{\xi}_{[r]}^{\leftarrow})$$


energy released in reaction [r]      energy released in forward reaction [r]

## Reaction kinetics

For a wide range of reactions the reaction rates look like this

$$\dot{\xi}_{[r]} \propto \left[ \prod_i (c_i)^{\nu_i} \right] \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{E_{\text{act}[r]}}{R \cdot T}\right)$$

probability of the simultaneous presence of all reactant molecules      probability of the transition at the prevailing temperature



## Notational system for local extensive quantities

- For integral description (in control volumes):
  - extensive quantity:  $F$
- For differential description (local values):
  - density:  $\varphi = F/V = \rho \cdot f$
  - specific value  $f = F/m$
  - molar value  $f = F/n$
  - molecular value  $F^* = F/N$

