Advanced Thermodynamics

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Effect of Pressure on equilibrium transformations: Clausius Clapeyron equation, phase diagram for unary system

Questions:

- 1. How is free energy expressed in terms of temperature and pressure?
- 2. Why we cannot use enthalpy or entropy to define stability of a phase?
- How does the melting of AI, water, gray cast iron change with pressure?Please give reasons for your answers.
- 4. Comment on the slopes of liquid and solid regimes of a cooling curve during solidification.
- Based on Clasium-Clayperon equation comment on the influence of pressure on graphite to diamond transformation and austenite to martensite transformation.
- 6. What do you understand from the sign of the slopes of phase boundaries in the phase diagram of H₂O?