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(* problem 1      Bose gas in 2 dimensions      ***** *)
ClearAll["Global`*"]
(* the number of non-condensate particles is given by the given integral with  $\mu=0$ . In D=3 it is convergent, and all other particles go into the condensate. In D=2 the integral diverges at small p. As suggested in the hint it looks at small p as  $p dp / (p^2 / (2m k_B T))$  so integral is proportional to  $\log(p_{\min}) \rightarrow$  Infinity and thus any N can be accommodated without the condensate. *)
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(* problem 2      Bose gas in harmonic trap      ***** *)
rescaled momenta and coordinates I call pp and rr
pp=p/Sqrt[2*mass*kB*T], rr=r*Sqrt[mass* $\omega^2/2/kB/T$ ]
the expression at  $\mu=0$  gives the critical number Nc
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Nc = Assuming[mass > 0 && T > 0 && kB > 0 &&  $\omega$  > 0,
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Simplify[(4 * Pi / (2 * Pi * hbar) ^3) * (2 * mass * kB * T) ^ (3 / 2) *
(4 * Pi) * (mass *  $\omega^2 / 2 / kB / T$ ) ^ (-3 / 2) * nintegral]]
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$$\frac{16 \text{ kB}^3 \text{ nintegral T}^3}{\text{hbar}^3 \pi \omega^3}$$

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nintegral =
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NIntegrate[pp^2 * rr^2 / (Exp[pp^2 + rr^2] - 1), {pp, 0, Infinity}, {rr, 0, Infinity}]
0.236023
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(* that was the numerical value of the integral,
let me now do the proposed expansion which allows
to split the integral into the product of two Gaussians *)
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nintegral1 =
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NIntegrate[pp^2 * rr^2 / (Exp[pp^2 + rr^2]), {pp, 0, Infinity}, {rr, 0, Infinity}]
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nintegral2 = NIntegrate[pp^2 * rr^2 * (Exp[-pp^2 - rr^2] + Exp[-2 * pp^2 - 2 * rr^2]),
{pp, 0, Infinity}, {rr, 0, Infinity}]
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nintegral3 = NIntegrate[pp^2 * rr^2 *
(Exp[-pp^2 - rr^2] + Exp[-2 * pp^2 - 2 * rr^2] + Exp[-3 * pp^2 - 3 * rr^2]),
{pp, 0, Infinity}, {rr, 0, Infinity}]
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0.19635
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0.220893
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0.228165
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0.2281

(\* good convergence, now the numerical value \*)

0.2281

$\hbar = 6.626176 / (2 * \text{Pi}) * 10^{(-34)} * \text{kg} * \text{m}^2 / \text{s};$

$k_B = 1.38064852 * 10^{(-23)} * \text{m}^2 * \text{kg} / \text{s}^2 / \text{K};$

$T = 0.5 * 10^{(-6)} * \text{K};$

$\omega = 10^3 / \text{s};$

Nc

337159.

(\* indeed of the order of number of atoms used,  
start with  $10^6$  and cool by evaporation \*)

(\* problem 3 white dwarf \*\*\*\*\*)

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$Kin = N_{tot}^{(1 + 2/3)} * \hbar^2 / 2 / m_e / (4/3 * \text{Pi} * R^3)^{(2/3)}$

$Pot = -GN * N_{tot}^2 * m_p^2 / R$

DTot = Assuming[R > 0, Simplify[D[Kin + Pot, R]]]

$$\frac{3^{2/3} \hbar^2 N_{tot}^{5/3}}{4 \times 2^{1/3} m_e \pi^{2/3} (R^3)^{2/3}} - \frac{GN m_p^2 N_{tot}^2}{R}$$

$$= \frac{\hbar^2 N_{tot}^{5/3} \left(\frac{6}{\pi}\right)^{2/3} - 4 GN m_e m_p^2 N_{tot}^2 R}{4 m_e R^3}$$

Solve[DTot == 0, R]

$$\left\{ \left\{ R \rightarrow \frac{3^{2/3} \hbar^2}{2 \times 2^{1/3} GN m_e m_p^2 N_{tot}^{1/3} \pi^{2/3}} \right\} \right\}$$

$$\hbar = 6.626176 / (2 * \text{Pi}) * 10^{(-34)} * \text{kg} * \text{m}^2 / \text{s};$$

$$m_e = 9.1 * 10^{(-31)} * \text{kg};$$

$$m_p = 1.67 * 10^{(-27)} * \text{kg};$$

$$G_N = 6.67 * 10^{(-11)} * (\text{kg} * \text{m} / \text{s}^2) * \text{m}^2 / \text{kg}^2;$$

$$M_{\text{Sun}} = 1.989 * 10^{(30)} * \text{kg};$$

$$R_{\text{Sun}} = 695 * 10^6 * \text{m}$$

$$N_{\text{tot}} = M_{\text{Sun}} / m_p$$

$$695\,000\,000\,000\, \text{m}$$

$$1.19102 \times 10^{57}$$

$$\text{Radius} = \frac{3^{2/3} \hbar^2}{2 \times 2^{1/3} G_N m_e m_p^2 N_{\text{tot}}^{1/3} \pi^{2/3}}$$

$$2.38525 \times 10^6 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{density} = N_{\text{tot}} / (4 * \text{Pi} / 3 * \text{Radius}^3)$$

$$\text{densSun} = N_{\text{tot}} / (4 * \text{Pi} / 3 * R_{\text{Sun}}^3)$$

$$\frac{2.09521 \times 10^{37}}{\text{m}^3}$$

$$\frac{8.46984 \times 10^{29}}{\text{m}^3}$$

(\* compare it to Sun radius it is a real dwarf! \*)

(\* problem 4, neutron star

the only difference is that Fermi energy

is not that of electrons but neutrons, so  $n_e \rightarrow n_p$  \*)

$$\text{RadiusNS} = \frac{3^{2/3} \hbar^2}{2 \times 2^{1/3} G_N m_p^3 N_{\text{tot}}^{1/3} \pi^{2/3}}$$

$$1299.75 \text{ m}$$

(\* radius smaller by  $m_p/m_e=1800$ , density larger by  $1800^3$

the formulae used are crude, the real radius is about 10 times that

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