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$A = -kT \ln Q$, and per the problem statement, $\ln Q \approx \int_0^\infty \ln(Q_1(\omega, T)) g(\omega) d\omega$

Plugging in 3.8.14, and 7.3.2, we get

$$A = -kT \int_0^\infty \ln \left[\frac{e^{-1/2 \beta \hbar \omega}}{1 - e^{-\beta \hbar \omega}} \right] \frac{V \omega^2}{\pi^2 c^3} d\omega$$

$$= \frac{-kTV}{\pi^2 c^3} \left[\frac{1}{2} \beta \hbar \int_0^\infty \omega^3 d\omega + \int_0^\infty d\omega \omega^2 \ln(1 - e^{-\beta \hbar \omega}) \right]$$

Note that 7.3.2 gives $\frac{g(\omega)}{V} = \frac{\omega^2}{\pi^2 c^3}$ ← Per unit volume.
 $\Rightarrow g(\omega) d\omega = \frac{\omega^2 V d\omega}{\pi^2 c^3}$

Let's do term #2 first

u-substitution: $x = \beta \hbar \omega$, $dx = \beta \hbar d\omega$, $d\omega = \frac{dx}{\beta \hbar} \Rightarrow \omega^2 = \frac{x^2}{\beta^2 \hbar^2}$

$$\int_0^\infty d\omega \omega^2 \ln(1 - e^{-\beta \hbar \omega}) \rightarrow \frac{1}{(\beta \hbar)^3} \int_0^\infty \frac{dx x^2}{dx} \ln(1 - e^{-x})$$

Integrate by parts

$$dv = dx x^2 \Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dx} = x^2 \Rightarrow v = \frac{1}{3} x^3$$

$$u = \ln(1 - e^{-x}) \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{e^{-x}}{1 - e^{-x}} \Rightarrow du = \frac{e^{-x}}{1 - e^{-x}} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{(\beta \hbar)^3} \left[\ln(1 - e^{-x}) \frac{1}{3} x^3 \Big|_0^\infty - \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{3} x^3 \frac{e^{-x}}{1 - e^{-x}} dx \right]$$

0 (b/c $\ln(1) = 0$ and $0^3 = 0$)

$$= \frac{-1}{(\beta \hbar)^3} \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{3} x^3 \frac{e^{-x}}{1 - e^{-x}} dx = \frac{-1}{3(\beta \hbar)^3} \int_0^\infty \frac{x^3}{e^x - 1} dx = \frac{-\Gamma(4)}{3(\beta \hbar)^3} \frac{1}{\Gamma(4)} \int_0^\infty \frac{x^{4-1}}{(e^x - 1)^{-1} e^x} dx$$

Now recognize that $\frac{1}{\Gamma(4)} \int_0^\infty \frac{x^{4-1}}{(e^x - 1)^{-1} e^x} dx = \zeta_4(1) = \zeta(4)$ (the Riemann zeta fn.)

$$= \frac{-\Gamma(4) \zeta(4)}{3(\beta \hbar)^3} = \frac{-3! \pi^4}{3(\beta \hbar)^3 90} = \frac{-\pi^4}{45(\beta \hbar)^3}$$

↑ appendix D.

Now plug this term back into A (and carry out the integration symbolically in term #1):

$$A = \frac{kTV}{\pi^2 c^3} \left[\frac{1}{2} \beta \hbar \frac{\omega^4}{4} \Big|_0^\infty - \frac{\pi^4}{45} \frac{1}{(\beta \hbar)^3} \right] = \lim_{\omega \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{V}{\beta \pi^2 c^3} \cdot \frac{1}{8} \frac{\beta \hbar \omega^4}{4} \right] - \frac{V}{\beta \pi^2 c^3} \frac{\pi^4}{45 (\beta \hbar)^3}$$

$$A = \lim_{\omega \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{V \hbar \omega^4}{32 \pi^2 c^3} \right] - \frac{V \pi^2}{45 (c \hbar)^3 \beta^4}$$

The first term is a constant, and we can always shift energies by a constant. Thus...

$$A = \frac{-V \pi^2}{45 (c \hbar)^3 \beta^4}$$

Thermodynamics

$$P = - \left(\frac{\partial A}{\partial V} \right)_{T, N} = \frac{\pi^2}{45 (c \hbar)^3 \beta^4} = P$$

$$U = -T^2 \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial T} \left(\frac{A}{T} \right) \right]_{N, V} = -T^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \left(\frac{-V \pi^2 k^4 T^3}{45 (c \hbar)^3} \right) = T^2 \left(\frac{3 V \pi^2 k^4 T^2}{45 (c \hbar)^3} \right) = \frac{V \pi^2}{15 c^3 \hbar^3 \beta^4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{U}{V} = \frac{\pi^2}{15 (c \hbar)^3 \beta^4} \quad \text{This agrees with 7.3.12}$$

$$U = \left(\frac{\partial A}{\partial N} \right)_{T, V} = 0 \quad S = - \left(\frac{\partial A}{\partial T} \right)_{V, N} = \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \left[\frac{V \pi^2 k^4 T^3}{45 (c \hbar)^3} \right] \Rightarrow S = \frac{4 V \pi^2 k^4 T^3}{45 (c \hbar)^3}$$