PVT and Derived Thermodynamic Properties for the Glycine–Water System at Temperatures from 298 to 323 K and Pressures up to 300 MPa¹

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The specific volumes for the glycine-water system have been measured in the temperature range 298-323 K and at pressures up to 300 MPa, using a glass piezometer. The uncertainties in the specific volume are estimated to be less than 0.03%. The *PVT* relations are correlated by the Tait equation. Good agreement was found with correlations by the Tait equation using a simple extension similar to that proposed by Dymond and Malhotra. The isothermal compressibility and apparent molar volume of glycine are calculated by the Tait equation. The apparent molar volume of glycine increases with increasing pressure.

KEY WORDS: glycine; high pressure; PVT relation; Tait equation; water.

1. INTRODUCTION

PVT relations and thermodynamic properties for amino acid-water systems have attracted considerable interest as a model system which incorporates some of the molecular features associated with biopolymers [1-3]. Although a number of measurements for the glycine-water system have been reported at atmospheric pressure and 298.15 K [3-5], systematic studies covering wide range of pressure and temperature are scarce [6]. The present investigation was undertaken to obtain accurate PVTx data for the glycine-water system and to investigate the pressure effect on the derived thermodynamic properties, such as the apparent molar volume of glycine.

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2. EXPERIMENTAL

The specific volumes for the glycine-water system were measured with a glass piezometer. The glass piezometer used in this study is similar to that of Kumagai and Takahashi [7] and is shown in Fig. 1. The piezometer (H) was made of borosilicate glass and consisted of a capillary (3-mm i.d. and 100-mm length) and a bulb (about 10.3-cm³ volume). The volume of the piezometer was calibrated using mercury with an uncertainty of less than 0.01 %. The sample liquid introduced into the piezometer was sealed with mercury sandwiched between two stainless-steel pieces fixed to a hard steel rod (0.6-mm diameter). The upper end of the rod was connected to the core (C) of a linear variable differential transformer (B) mounted on the outside of the high-pressure guide (D). The guide had a 15-mm o.d., 5-mm i.d., and 290-mm length and was made of Cu–Be alloy. The mercury was displaced in accordance with the volume change of the sample liquid due to pressure. The displacement of the mercury was detected through the displacement of the core (C) by the use of the differential transformer and



Fig. 1. Experimental apparatus. A, micrometer; B, differential transformer; C, core; D, highpressure guide; E, hard steel rod; F, highpressure vessel; G, separator; H, glass piczometer; I, sample solution; J, pressure inlet.

measured by the use of a micrometer (A) and a null detector. The uncertainty in the determination of displacement is 0.03 mm. The details of the procedure for the determination of the specific volume were described by Kumagai and Takahashi [7]. Pressure was generated by a plunger pump and transmitted to the heat-treated SK steel high-pressure vessel (F) containing the piezometer. The pressure was measured with a Heise bourdon gauge, which was calibrated against a pressure balance periodically. The uncertainty in the pressure measurements was estimated to be less than 0.1 MPa. The temperature of the liquid sample was controlled by immersing the pressure vessel in a water bath, which was thermostatically controlled to within ± 5 mK. The temperature of the bath was measured with a standard mercury thermometer calibrated by the Leeds–Northrup platinum resistance thermometer. The uncertainty of the temperature measurements is within 10 mK.

The deionized distilled water and the glycine of special grade, 99 + % purity, were used without further purification. The solution of the desired composition was prepared by mixing about 200 cm³ of water and the desired amount of glycine in a flask. The composition was determined by weighing the sample before and after the evaporation of the water. At least four 10-cm³ volumes of the solution were sampled for the determination of the composition. The accuracy of the composition determination is estimated to be 2×10^{-5} mole fraction.

The pH of the solution at the temperature range of this study and at atmospheric pressure was about 6.0, which corresponds to the isoelectric point of glycine. At this pH, most of the glycine is a dipolar ion in the solution.

3. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

3.1. Experimental Results

The specific volume measurements were performed three times for each solution. The values shown in Table I are averages based on the three measurements. The difference between each experimental value and the average was less than 0.03%. To check the reliability of the present *PVT* apparatus, the present data for pure water were compared with the literature values. The present data agreed with those of Kell and Whalley [8], Chen et al. [9], Grindley and Lind [10], Kubota et al. [11], and Haar et al. [12] within 0.01, 0.01, 0.02, 0.03, and 0.02\%, respectively. Ellerton et al. [13] measured the density for the glycine–water system at 298.15 K and atmospheric pressure. The present data agreed with those of Ellerton et al. within 0.2\%.

	298.15 K v			
P	$x(H_2O) = 1.0$	$x(H_2O) = 0.99050$	$x(H_2O) = 0.97048$	$x(H_2O) = 0.94821$
0.1	1.0030	0.9868	0.9570	0.9290
10	0.9985	0.9826	0.9534	0.9258
20	0.9943	0.9786	0.9498	0.9227
30	0.9900	0.9746	0.9462	0.9196
40	0.9858	0.9707	0.9428	0.9166
50	0.9819	0.9669	0.9394	0.9137
60	0.9780	0.9633	0.9362	0.9108
70	0.9742	0.9597	0.9330	0.9080
80	0.9706	0.9562	0.9299	0.9051
90	0.9670	0.9529	0.9269	0.9024
100	0.9635	0.9496	0.9240	0.8998
110	0.9602	0.9464	0.9211	0.8973
120	0.9568	0.9433	0.9182	0.8947
130	0.9536	0.9403	0.9155	0.8923
140	0.9504	0.9374	0.9129	0.8898
150	0.9475	0.9344	0.9102	0.8874
160	0.9443	0.9315	0.9077	0.8851
170	0.9414	0.9287	0.9052	0.8829
180	0.9385	0.9261	0.9028	0.8806
190	0.9358	0.9234	0.9004	0.8785
200	0.9330	0.9207	0.8980	0.8763
210	0.9303	0.9182	0.8957	0.8742
220	0.9277	0.9157	0.8934	0.8721
230	0.9253	0.9133	0.8912	0.8701
240	0.9226	0.9109	0.8890	0.8682
250	0.9202	0.9085	0.8869	0.8662
260	0.9179	0.9063	0.8848	0.8643
270	0.9154	0.9040	0.8828	0.8624
280	0.9132	0.9018	0.8808	0.8605
290	0.9109	0.8996	0.8789	0.8587
300	0.9087	0.8976	0.8768	0.8570

Table I. Specific Volumes for the Glycine-Water System $(P \text{ in } MPa; v \text{ in } cm^3 \cdot g^{-1})$

P	303.15 K v				
	$x(H_2O) = 1.0$	$x(H_2O) = 0.98726$	$x(H_2O) = 0.97302$	$x({\rm H}_2{\rm O}) = 0.94435$	
0.1	1.0044	0.9831	0.9620	0.9262	
10	1.0000	0.9791	0.9583	0.9231	
20	0.9957	0.9752	0.9547	0.9200	
30	0.9915	0.9713	0.9511	0.9170	
40	0.9873	0.9675	0.9475	0.9140	
50	0.9835	0.9638	0.9442	0.9111	
60	0.9796	0.9603	0.9409	0.9084	
70	0.9760	0.9568	0.9377	0.9056	
80	0.9722	0.9534	0.9345	0.9029	
90	0.9687	0.9501	0.9315	0.9003	
100	0.9652	0.9470	0.9286	0.8977	
110	0.9619	0.9438	0.9257	0.8951	
120	0.9586	0.9407	0.9228	0.8927	
130	0.9554	0.9377	0.9200	0.8902	
140	0.9522	0.9349	0.9173	0.8879	
150	0.9491	0.9320	0.9147	0.8856	
160	0.9461	0.9292	0.9121	0.8833	
170	0.9432	0.9264	0.9095	0.8811	
180	0.9403	0.9239	0.9071	0.8789	
190	0.9376	0.9212	0.9047	0.8767	
200	0.9348	0.9186	0.9022	0.8746	
210	0.9322	0.9161	0.8999	0.8726	
220	0.9296	0.9137	0.8977	0.8705	
230	0.9270	0.9113	0.8955	0.8685	
240	0.9245	0.9089	0.8932	0.8665	
250	0.9220	0.9067	0.8911	0.8646	
260	0.9197	0.9044	0.8890	0.8628	
270	0.9173	0.9022	0.8869	0.8609	
280	0.9150	0.9000	0.8849	0.8590	
290	0.9127	0.8978	0.8829	0.8572	
300	0.9106	0.8957	0.8809	0.8554	

Table I. (Continued)

P	313.15 K v				
	$x(H_2O) = 1.0$	$x(H_2O) = 0.98753$	$x(H_2O) = 0.97135$	$x(H_2O) = 0.95892$	
0.1	1.0078	0.9870	0.9633	0.9471	
10	1.0034	0.9830	0.9596	0.9437	
20	0.9993	0.9791	0.9560	0.9404	
30	0.9951	0.9751	0.9525	0.9371	
40	0.9910	0.9713	0.9490	0.9339	
50	0.9870	0.9677	0.9457	0.9308	
60	0.9832	0.9642	0.9425	0.9278	
70	0.9795	0.9608	0.9393	0.9248	
80	0.9758	0.9574	0.9362	0.9218	
90	0.9723	0.9541	0.9331	0.9190	
.00	0.9689	0.9509	0.9303	0.9163	
10	0.9655	0.9478	0.9274	0.9136	
20	0.9622	0.9446	0.9246	0.9109	
30	0.9590	0.9417	0.9218	0.9084	
40	0.9559	0.9388	0.9192	0.9059	
50	0.9529	0.9359	0.9165	0.9034	
60	0.9499	0.9331	0.9139	0.9010	
70	0.9470	0.9304	0.9115	0.8986	
80	0.9442	0.9278	0.9091	0.8963	
90	0.9414	0.9251	0.9066	0.8940	
200	0.9387	0.9226	0.9042	0.8917	
210	0.9360	0.9200	0.9020	0.8895	
220	0.9334	0.9176	0.8997	0.8873	
230	0.9308	0.9152	0.8975	0.8852	
240	0.9283	0.9128	0.8953	0.8831	
250	0.9258	0.9105	0.8931	0.8811	
260	0.9234	0.9083	0.8911	0.8792	
270	0.9211	0.9061	0.8890	0.8773	
280	0.9190	0.9039	0.8870	0.8753	
290	0.9168	0.9017	0.8850	0.8734	
300	0.9146	0.8996	0.8831	0.8716	

Table I. (Continued)

300

0.9184

0.9041

0.8867

0.8657

	323.15 K v				
Р	$x({\rm H}_2{\rm O}) = 1.0$	$x(H_2O) = 0.98780$	$x({\rm H}_2{\rm O}) = 0.97118$	$x(H_2O) = 0.94837$	
0.1	1.0121	0.9917	0.9674	0.9385	
10	1.0077	0.9876	0.9637	0.9352	
20	1.0035	0.9837	0.9601	0.9320	
30	0.9993	0.9798	0.9565	0.9289	
40	0.9952	0.9760	0.9530	0.9257	
50	0.9913	0.9724	0.9496	0.9227	
60	0.9875	0.9689	0.9465	0.9198	
70	0.9838	0.9654	0.9433	0.9169	
80	0.9801	0.9619	0.9401	0.9142	
90	0.9765	0.9586	0.9371	0.9115	
100	0.9732	0.9555	0.9342	0.9089	
110	0.9698	0.9523	0.9313	0.9064	
120	0.9665	0.9492	0.9285	0.9039	
130	0.9633	0.9462	0.9257	0.9013	
140	0.9603	0.9433	0.9230	0.8989	
150	0.9672	0.9405	0.9204	0.8965	
160	0.9541	0.9377	0.9178	0.8941	
170	0.9512	0.9350	0.9153	0.8918	
180	0.9485	0.9323	0.9128	0.8896	
190	0.9456	0.9297	0.9104	0.8874	
200	0.9429	0.9272	0.9080	0.8852	
210	0.9402	0.9246	0.9057	0.8832	
220	0.9376	0.9222	0.9034	0.8811	
230	0.9350	0.9197	0.9012	0.8790	
240	0.9324	0.9173	0.8989	0.8770	
250	0.9299	0.9151	0.8968	0.8750	
260	0.9276	0.9129	0.8948	0.8731	
270	0.9253	0.9106	0.8927	0.8712	
280	0.9229	0.9084	0.8906	0.8693	
290	0.9206	0.9063	0.8886	0.8675	

Table I. (Continued)

The apparent molar volume, $\phi_{\rm v}$, of the glycine can be expressed as

$$\phi_{\rm v} = M/d - 1000(d - d_{\rm w})/mdd_{\rm w} \tag{1}$$

where M is the molecular weight of the glycine, m the molality, d the density of the solution, and d_w the density of the water. The apparent molar volumes calculated from the present data are shown in Fig. 2. The result calculated from the equation proposed by Ellerton et al. at 298.15 K is given by the solid line. The results of the present study agreed with the calculated results to within 2%.

3.2. Tait Equation

The PVTx relations for the glycine-water system were correlated with the Tait equation. The Tait equation can be expressed in the form

$$(V_0 - V)/V_0 = C \ln[(B + P)/(B + P_0)]$$
⁽²⁾

where V and V_0 are specific volumes at the corresponding pressures, P and P_0 , and B and C are parameters. The reference state was chosen to be 0.1 MPa. The parameters were optimized by minimizing the deviation of the calculated volume from the experimental one. For water, C was equal to 0.13196 and B was expressed by a linear function of temperature as

$$B = 2.0588 \times 10^2 + 0.2769 \ T \tag{3}$$



Fig. 2. The apparent molar volume of glycine at 0.1 MPa.

Temperature (K)	$X(H_2O)$	Max. dev. $(\%)^a$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{ADD} \\ (\%)^a \end{array}$	Bias (%) ^a
298.15	1.0	0.03	0.01	0.00
	0.99050	0.05	0.01	0.01
	0.97048	0.08	0.02	0.02
	0.94821	0.09	0.03	0.03
303.15	1.0	0.03	0.01	0.00
	0.98726	0.03	0.01	0.01
	0.97302	0.04	0.02	0.00
	0.94435	0.05	0.02	0.02
313.15	1.0	0.02	0.01	-0.01
	0.98753	0.02	0.01	-0.01
	0.97135	0.04	0.02	-0.01
	0.95892	0.05	0.01	0.00
323.15	1.0	0.02	0.01	0.00
	0.98780	0.02	0.01	-0.01
	0.97118	0.05	0.03	-0.03
	0.94837	0.07	0.05	-0.05

 Table II.
 Deviations of the Experimental Specific Volume for the Glycine–Water System from the Tait Equation

^a Maximum deviation (%) = max. of 100 $|(V_{expt} - V_{calc})|/V_{calc}$. ADD(%) = (100/ND) $\sum_{1}^{ND} |(V_{expt} - V_{calc})|/V_{calc}$ and bias(%) = (100/ND) $\sum_{1}^{ND} ((V_{expt} - V_{calc}))/V_{calc}$, where ND is the total number of data points.



Fig. 3. The isothermal compressibility for the glycine-water system at 298.15 and 323.15 K.



Fig. 4. The apparent molar volume of glycine at 298.15 and 323.15 K.

Dymond and Malhotra [14] proposed the one-fluid approximation for B for mixtures of n-alkanes, while C was considered to be constant.

For the glycine-water system, C could also be treated as a constant, 0.13196. The parameter B could be expressed by the following equation:

$$B = B_0 + 1.598 \times 10^3 X_G \tag{4}$$

where B_0 is the value of *B* calculated from Eq. (3), and X_G is the mole fraction of glycine. Comparison of the volumes calculated with the Tait equation and Eqs. (3) and (4) with the experimental values is given in Table II. The Tait equation can fit the data with an average absolute deviation of 0.015%. The isothermal compressibility β_T was calculated using the Tait equation as shown in Fig. 3. The compressibility decreased with pressure or the mole fraction of glycine. The apparent molar volumes of glycine were calculated with Eqs. (1) and (2) and are shown in Fig. 4. The apparent molar volume increased with pressure or the mole fraction of glycine. This behavior is the same as that observed by Yananos [4].

4. CONCLUSIONS

PVTx relations were obtained for the glycine-water system at 298-323 K and pressures up to 300 MPa. The data for the water in this study showed a good agreement with literature values.

The Tait equation, with the parameter C = 0.13196, gave a satisfactory correlation of the specific volumes of the glycine-water system. The

parameter B of the Tait equation was found to depend on temperature and the mole fraction of glycine. The apparent molar volume of glycine under pressure was calculated with the Tait equation and was found to increase with pressure or the mole fraction of glycine.

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