

# Excess Molar Volumes, Relative Permittivities, and Refractive Indexes of 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane + Pyridine, +Anisole, +Methyl Ethyl Ketone, and +1,4-Dioxane at 303.15 K

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Excess molar volumes,  $V_m^E$ , relative permittivities,  $\epsilon_r$ , and refractive indexes,  $n_D$ , have been measured for binary mixtures of 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane ( $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$ ) with pyridine ( $\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ), anisole ( $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ), methyl ethyl ketone ( $\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ ), and 1,4-dioxane ( $1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$ ) at 303.15 K.  $V_m^E$  has been found to be negative throughout the entire mole fraction range for all these mixtures. The values of the deviations of  $\epsilon_r$  and  $n_D$  from a mole fraction average, which are represented respectively by  $\Delta\epsilon_r$  and  $\Delta n_D$  have been calculated. The results of  $V_m^E$ ,  $\Delta n_D$ , and  $\Delta\epsilon_r$  for the various mixtures have been fitted by the method of least squares to smoothing equations.

## Introduction

Binary mixtures of 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane ( $\text{CHCl}_2\text{-CHCl}_2$ ) with pyridine ( $\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ), anisole ( $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ), methyl ethyl ketone ( $\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ ), and 1,4-dioxane ( $1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$ ) are of considerable interest from the viewpoint of the existence of an electron donor–acceptor interaction leading to the formation of intermolecular complexes between the components. The specific interaction of  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$  with  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{-CHCl}_2$  can be thought of as being due to the presence of lone-pair electrons on the nitrogen atom of  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ , on account of which it can act as an n-donor toward  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{-CHCl}_2$ . On the other hand, the presence of lone-pair electrons on the oxygen atoms of  $\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$  and  $1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$  can make these compounds act as n-donors, and as described by Mulliken (1963),  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$  which contains

$\text{OCH}_3$  group and an aromatic ring system can act as an  $n\pi$ -type donor toward  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$ , which can be involved in the formation of hydrogen bonds with and act  $\sigma$ -acceptor toward  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ , and  $1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$ . Although Nath and Tripathi (1983, 1984, 1986) have made measurements of excess molar volumes, ultrasonic velocities,  $u$ , relative permittivities,  $\epsilon_r$ , refractive indexes,  $n_D$ , and dynamic viscosities,  $\eta$ , for mixtures of  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$  with dimethyl ketone and Chadha and Tripathi (1995) have measured excess molar enthalpies,  $H_m^E$ , for mixtures of  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$  with 2-methylfuran, tetrahydrofuran, 1,4-dioxane, and cyclopentanone, extensive studies concerning interactions between components of binary mixtures of  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$  with n-donor components have not been made. Hence, we have measured excess molar volume,  $V_m^E$ , relative permittivities,  $\epsilon_r$ , and refractive indexes,  $n_D$ , of  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + \text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ,  $+\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ,  $+\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ , and  $+1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$ , and the results of these measurements are reported and interpreted here.

## Experimental Section

**Materials.** 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane, methyl ethyl ketone and anisole, all three of AR quality, and 1,4-dioxane of uv spectral grade quality were obtained from Sisco Research Laboratories, Pvt. Ltd., Bombay. 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane and methyl ethyl ketone were shaken with potassium carbonate solution, separated, and then dried over anhydrous potassium carbonate, followed by fractional distillations. Anisole was distilled from sodium. Pyridine

**Table 1. Refractive Indexes,  $n_D^*$ , and Relative Permittivities,  $\epsilon_r^*$ , of the Pure Component Liquids at  $T = 303.15$  K**

compd	$n_D^*$		$\epsilon_r^*$	
	obs	lit.	obs	lit.
$\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$	1.5040	1.504 66 <sup>a</sup>	12.164	12.17 <sup>e</sup>
$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$	1.5118	1.511 60 <sup>b</sup>	4.249	4.250 <sup>f</sup>
$\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$	1.3740	1.374 12 <sup>c</sup>	17.664	17.65 <sup>g</sup>
$1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$	1.4180	1.418 09 <sup>d</sup>	2.200	
$\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$	1.4885	1.488 45 <sup>d</sup>	7.460	7.464 <sup>h</sup>

<sup>a</sup> From Riddick and Bunger (1970). <sup>b</sup> Value obtained by extrapolation of data on  $n_D^*$  from Timmermans (1950). <sup>c</sup> From Timmermans (1950). <sup>d</sup> Value obtained by extrapolation of data on  $n_D^*$  from Riddick and Bunger (1970). <sup>e</sup> Nath (1995). <sup>f</sup> Value obtained by extrapolation on data on  $\epsilon_r^*$  from Riddick and Bunger (1970) and Jacobs et al. (1944). <sup>g</sup> Nath and Saini (1990). <sup>h</sup> Value obtained by interpolation of data on  $\epsilon_r^*$  from Nath and Tripathi (1984) and Riddick and Bunger (1970).

of HPLC quality was obtained from S. D. Fine Chemicals Ltd. and was used without further purification. 1,4-Dioxane was stored over sodium wire and was used. The densities of these purified samples of the various liquids were measured using a single-capillary pycnometer and have been reported recently (Nath, 1996) as 0.972 86, 0.984 64, 0.794 49, 1.022 32, and 1.578 57  $\text{g}\cdot\text{cm}^{-3}$  for  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ ,  $1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$ , and  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$ , respectively, at  $T = 303.15$  K, as compared with the corresponding literature (Timmermans, 1950) values 0.972 81, 0.984 62, 0.794 52, 1.022 30, and 1.578 60  $\text{g}\cdot\text{cm}^{-3}$  for the various liquids in the same order.

**Methods.** (i) Excess molar volumes,  $V_m^E$ , were measured with an imprecision of the order of  $\pm 0.002$   $\text{cm}^3\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$ , using a two-limbed Pyrex glass dilatometer, as described earlier (Nath and Chaudhary, 1992). Known amounts of the two liquid components were confined separately over mercury in the absence of air spaces in the two limbs of the dilatometer. The dilatometer (mounted on a stand) was immersed in a water thermostat, at  $(303.15 \pm 0.01)$  K. The mixing of the liquid components was achieved by rocking the cell back and forth through a definite angle, and the mercury levels in the capillary of the dilatometer were noted with an accuracy of  $\pm 0.001$  cm using a cathetometer.

(ii) Relative permittivities,  $\epsilon_r$ , were measured at  $(303.15 \pm 0.01)$  K and at 1.8 MHz with a decimeter type DK<sub>03</sub> (Wissenschaftlich-Technische, Werkstätten, Germany), using one cell MFL 1/S, no. 2078, for mixtures having  $\epsilon_r <$

**Table 2. Experimental Values of Excess Molar Volumes,  $V_m^E$ , for  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + \text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ , and  $1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$  at  $T = 303.15\text{ K}$** 

$x$	$V_m^E/\text{cm}^3\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$	$x$	$V_m^E/\text{cm}^3\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$	$x$	$V_m^E/\text{cm}^3\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$	$x$	$V_m^E/\text{cm}^3\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$
$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$							
0.0475	-0.014	0.2020	-0.045	0.5549	-0.076	0.7857	-0.051
0.0664	-0.017	0.2661	-0.057	0.6000	-0.076	0.8378	-0.042
0.0925	-0.028	0.3551	-0.068	0.6577	-0.070	0.8798	-0.030
0.1530	-0.039	0.4615	-0.074	0.7348	-0.063	0.9269	-0.017
$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$							
0.0587	-0.025	0.2476	-0.065	0.6061	-0.070	0.8899	-0.027
0.0769	-0.032	0.3022	-0.076	0.6765	-0.065	0.9309	-0.018
0.0986	-0.039	0.3449	-0.080	0.7254	-0.059		
0.1533	-0.047	0.4622	-0.083	0.7802	-0.053		
0.2009	-0.056	0.5291	-0.079	0.8131	-0.047		
$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$							
0.0759	-0.195	0.2007	-0.439	0.5399	-0.685	0.8397	-0.315
0.0789	-0.201	0.2479	-0.506	0.6274	-0.636	0.8988	-0.196
0.1338	-0.323	0.3097	-0.578	0.6944	-0.570	0.9609	-0.071
0.1521	-0.353	0.3750	-0.638	0.8085	-0.378		
$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$							
0.0615	-0.030	0.2620	-0.136	0.5322	-0.229	0.8489	-0.162
0.1118	-0.060	0.3002	-0.154	0.6082	-0.234	0.8970	-0.120
0.1624	-0.083	0.3353	-0.171	0.6564	-0.232	0.9213	-0.096
0.1913	-0.100	0.4033	-0.192	0.7532	-0.213	0.9539	-0.055
0.2310	-0.123	0.4813	-0.220	0.8150	-0.185		

**Table 3. Relative Permittivities,  $\epsilon_r$ , for  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + \text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ , and  $1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$  at  $T = 303.15\text{ K}$** 

$\epsilon_r$	$x$	$\epsilon_r$	$x$	$\epsilon_r$	$x$	$\epsilon_r$	$x$
$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$							
0.0437	12.310	0.2448	12.589	0.4833	12.095	0.7438	10.418
0.0798	12.412	0.2893	12.569	0.5371	11.857	0.8154	9.730
0.1186	12.488	0.3360	12.520	0.5830	11.602	0.8822	8.998
0.1607	12.556	0.3847	12.422	0.6328	11.297	0.9287	8.428
0.1982	12.579	0.4332	12.284	0.6952	10.836		
$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$							
0.0542	4.412	0.3007	5.106	0.5619	5.832	0.8498	6.802
0.1062	4.569	0.3568	5.257	0.6046	5.954	0.8945	6.990
0.1516	4.701	0.3996	5.378	0.6622	6.134	0.9499	7.226
0.2045	4.848	0.4474	5.508	0.7085	6.289		
0.2570	4.988	0.5100	5.680	0.7539	6.448		
$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$							
0.0447	17.728	0.2727	16.938	0.5159	14.528	0.7653	11.052
0.0890	17.718	0.3169	16.601	0.5578	13.997	0.8375	9.953
0.1354	17.617	0.3649	16.180	0.6120	13.266	0.8858	9.212
0.1765	17.473	0.4113	15.713	0.6661	12.508	0.9439	8.321
0.2255	17.230	0.4587	15.196	0.7151	11.806		
$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$							
0.0128	2.258	0.1800	3.020	0.4522	4.196	0.7332	5.603
0.0321	2.352	0.2215	3.200	0.5094	4.455	0.7591	5.752
0.0726	2.539	0.2589	3.360	0.5507	4.650	0.8151	6.099
0.1083	2.701	0.2882	3.486	0.6086	4.929	0.8727	6.487
0.1347	2.820	0.3558	3.776	0.6769	5.286	0.9314	6.912
0.1501	2.888	0.3994	3.966	0.7044	5.438	0.9715	7.224

7.0, and another cell MFL 2/S, no. 2084, for mixtures having  $\epsilon_r > 7.0$ , as described earlier (Nath and Singh, 1987). The imprecision in  $\epsilon_r$  is  $\sim 0.002$  units for mixtures having  $\epsilon_r < 7.0$ , and is  $\sim 0.005$  units for mixtures having  $\epsilon_r > 7.0$ .

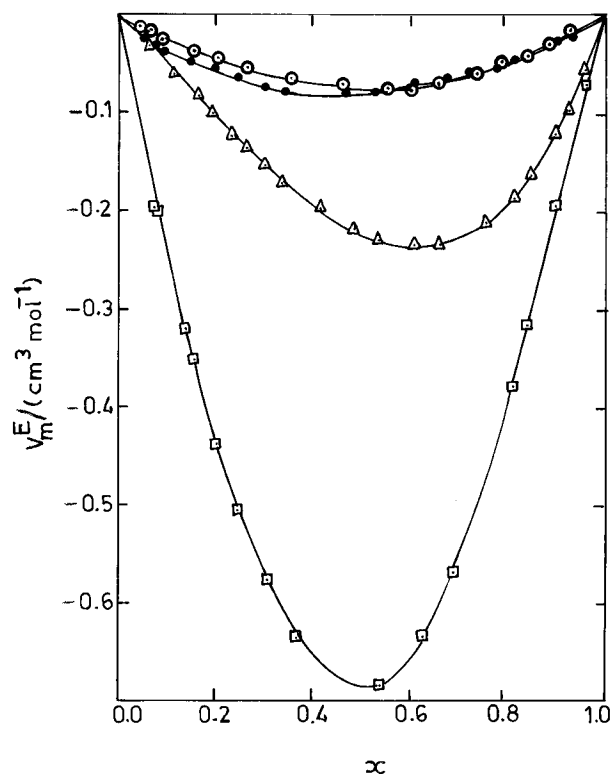
(iii) The refractive indexes (sodium D line),  $n_D$ , were measured at  $(303.15 \pm 0.01)\text{ K}$ , with an accuracy of  $\pm 0.0002$ , using a thermostated Abbe refractometer.

## Results and Discussion

The values of  $n_D^*$  and  $\epsilon_r^*$  of the pure liquids  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ ,  $1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$ , and  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$  are given in Table 1. Values of  $V_m^E$  for  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ,  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ,  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$

**Table 4. Refractive Indexes,  $n_D$ , for  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + \text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ , and  $1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$  at  $T = 303.15\text{ K}$** 

$x$	$n_D$	$x$	$n_D$	$x$	$n_D$	$x$	$n_D$
$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$							
0.0491	1.5024	0.2899	1.4988	0.5292	1.4952	0.8111	1.4914
0.1294	1.5010	0.3318	1.4982	0.5843	1.4945	0.8518	1.4905
0.1619	1.5005	0.3774	1.4975	0.6459	1.4935	0.8633	1.4904
0.2035	1.4998	0.4384	1.4966	0.7038	1.4928	0.9328	1.4895
0.2579	1.4992	0.4656	1.4962	0.7560	1.4922		
$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$							
0.0802	1.5102	0.3261	1.5045	0.5294	1.4996	0.8556	1.4920
0.1077	1.5095	0.3439	1.5038	0.5982	1.4982	0.9468	1.4900
0.1702	1.5080	0.3846	1.5030	0.6915	1.4960		
0.2097	1.5072	0.4456	1.5015	0.7766	1.4940		
0.2579	1.5060	0.4948	1.5005	0.8204	1.4930		
$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$							
0.1037	1.3895	0.3634	1.4240	0.5633	1.4468	0.7559	1.4665
0.2221	1.4052	0.3918	1.4272	0.6059	1.4510	0.8102	1.4715
0.2683	1.4120	0.4543	1.4345	0.6618	1.4570	0.8752	1.4770
0.3070	1.4168	0.4990	1.4398	0.7089	1.4620	0.9275	1.4815
$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$							
0.0289	1.4210	0.1710	1.4335	0.4737	1.4576	0.8210	1.4796
0.0424	1.4220	0.2531	1.4408	0.5931	1.4655	0.8291	1.4800
0.0528	1.4232	0.3128	1.4454	0.6040	1.4660	0.8991	1.4845
0.0917	1.4265	0.3205	1.4460	0.6768	1.4710	0.9048	1.4846
0.1198	1.4290	0.4000	1.4520	0.6980	1.4722		



**Figure 1.**  $V_m^E$  plotted versus  $x$  for the following systems at  $303.15\text{ K}$ : (○)  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ; (●)  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ; (□)  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ ; (△)  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$ . The smoothed curves are based on the parameters  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$ ,  $A_3$ , and  $A_4$  given in Table 5.

+  $(1-x)\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ , and  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$  are given in Table 2, whereas those of the relative permittivities  $\epsilon_r$  for these mixtures are given in Table 3, and values of  $n_D$  are given in Table 4. The values of  $V_m^E/\text{cm}^3\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$  for the various mixtures of  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$  have been plotted against the mole fraction of  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$ ,  $x$ , in Figure 1, whereas the values of refractive indexes  $n_D$  of these mixtures have been plotted against  $x$  in Figure 2. The values of  $x$  have the uncertainty of  $\pm 0.0001$ . The values of the changes of refractive index on mixing,  $\Delta n_D$ ,

Table 5. Values of the Parameters  $A_i$  of eq 3 and the Standard Deviations,  $\delta$ , for the Various Mixtures

$Y$	$A_1$	$A_2$	$A_3$	$A_4$	$\delta$
		$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$			
$V_m^E/\text{cm}^3\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$	-0.3088	-0.0484	0.0351	0.0999	0.0016
$\Delta n_D$	-0.001 503	0.000 047	-0.007 823	0.011 166	0.000 17
$\Delta\epsilon_r$	8.8607	0.6924	0.1696	-0.0693	0.0047
		$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$			
$V_m^E/\text{cm}^3\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$	-0.3154	0.0310	-0.0587	0.0891	0.0031
$\Delta n_D$	0.000 397	0.000 476	0.004 481	-0.000 585	0.000 12
$\Delta\epsilon_r$	-0.8070	-0.7943	-0.0460	0.0669	0.0028
		$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$			
$V_m^E/\text{cm}^3\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$	-2.7611	-0.0101	0.4705	0.6190	0.0032
$\Delta n_D$	0.034 741	-0.000 647	-0.005 584	-0.014 552	0.000 30
$\Delta\epsilon_r$	8.6164	-3.7388	0.1685	-0.0205	0.0046
		$x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$			
$V_m^E/\text{cm}^3\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$	-0.9040	-0.4651	-0.0336	0.0419	0.0035
$\Delta n_D$	0.022 737	-0.001 136	0.010 382	0.005 723	0.000 27
$\Delta\epsilon_r$	-1.6547	-1.3992	-0.2055	0.1136	0.0031

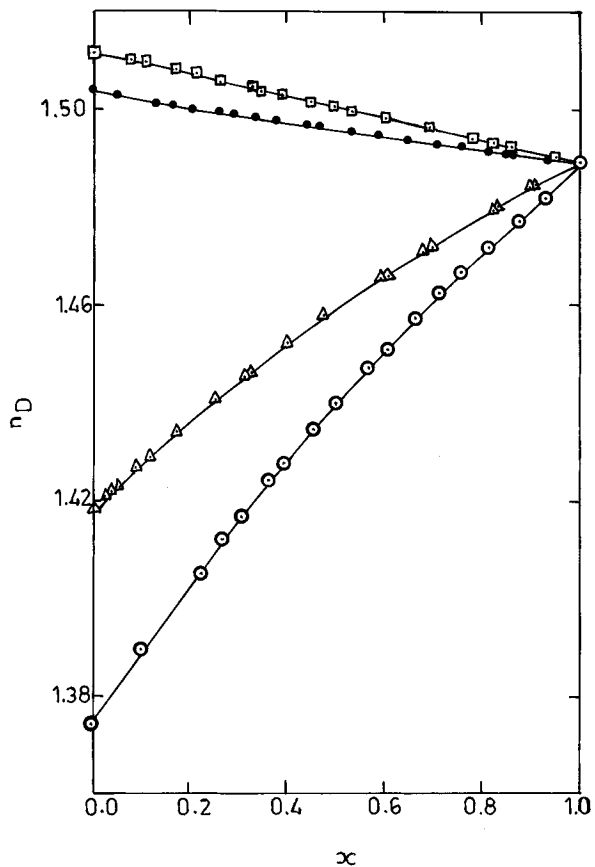


Figure 2.  $n_D$  plotted versus  $x$  for the following systems at 303.15 K: (●)  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ; (◻)  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ; (○)  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ ; (△)  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$ . The smoothed curves are based on the values of  $n_D$  obtained from eq 1, using parameters  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$ ,  $A_3$ , and  $A_4$  given in Table 5.

for the various mixtures of  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$  were calculated from the refractive indexes  $n_D$  of the mixtures, using the relation

$$\Delta n_D = n_D - \sum_i x_i n_{D,i}^* \quad (1)$$

where  $n_{D,i}^*$  refers to the refractive index of the pure component  $i$  and  $x_i$  is the mole fraction of the component  $i$  in the mixture. Iglesias et al. (1984) have also represented the refractive index data for mixtures, by the changes of refractive index on mixing,  $\Delta n_D$ . Also the values of the changes of relative permittivity on mixing  $\Delta\epsilon_r$  for the various mixtures of  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$  were calculated from the

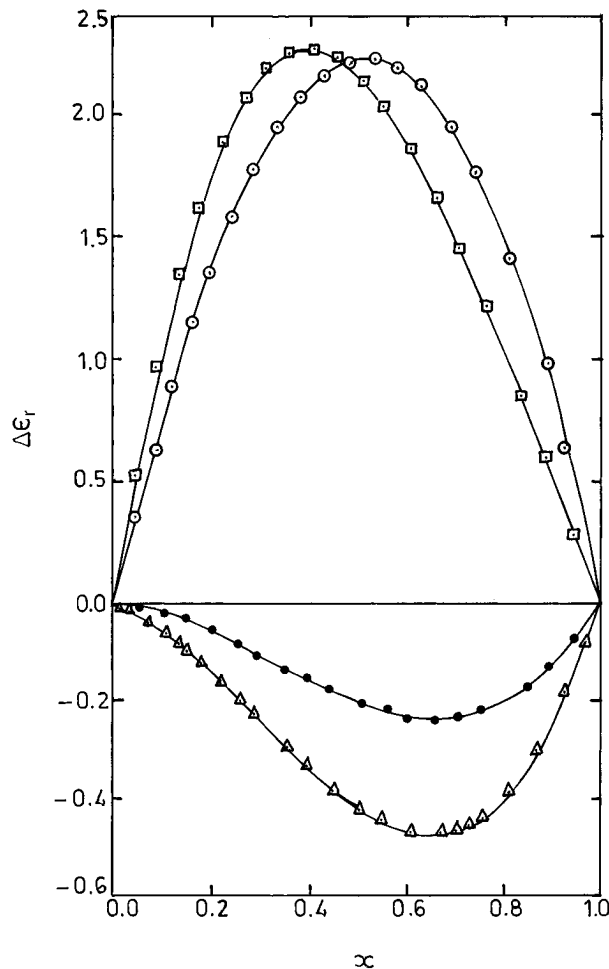


Figure 3.  $\Delta\epsilon_r$  plotted versus  $x$  for the various systems at 303.15 K: (○)  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ; (●)  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ; (◻)  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ ; (△)  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$ . The smoothed curves are based on the parameters  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$ ,  $A_3$ , and  $A_4$  given in Table 5.

relative permittivities  $\epsilon_r$  of the mixtures, using the relation

$$\Delta\epsilon_r = \epsilon_r - \sum_i x_i \epsilon_{r,i}^* \quad (2)$$

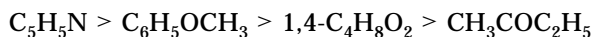
where  $\epsilon_{r,i}^*$  refers to the relative permittivity of the pure component  $i$ .  $\Delta\epsilon_r$  has been plotted against  $x$  in Figure 3. The values of  $V_m^E$ ,  $\Delta n_D$ , and  $\Delta\epsilon_r$  for  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ,  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ,  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ , and  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$  were fitted by the method of least squares to the

Redlich–Kister (1949) type equation:

$$Y = x(1-x) \sum_{i=1}^n A_i (2x - 1)^{i-1} \quad (3)$$

where  $Y$  is  $V_m^E/\text{cm}^3 \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$  or  $\Delta n_D$  or  $\Delta \epsilon_r$ . The values of the parameters  $A_i$  of eq 3 and the standard deviations  $\delta$  are given in Table 5.

The data show that  $V_m^E$  is negative throughout the entire range of  $x$  for  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ,  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ,  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ , and  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$ . At  $x = 0.5$ ,  $V_m^E$  for the various mixtures of  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$  has the sequence



The negative values of  $V_m^E$  for the present mixtures show that  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$  forms intermolecular complexes with  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ ,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ , and  $1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$  in the liquid state. The relative permittivity data are found to exhibit positive deviations (Rivail and Thiebaut, 1974) from a mole fraction mixture law for chloroform + pyridine where a strong intermolecular complex is formed on account of the hydrogen-bond interaction between the components. The data show (see Figure 3) that  $\Delta \epsilon_r$  is highly positive for  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$ , and  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ , and slightly negative  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$ , and  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$ . The positive values of  $\Delta \epsilon_r$  for a system may be interpreted as being due to the specific interaction between the components. The present values  $\Delta \epsilon_r$ , thus, indicate that  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$  forms strong intermolecular complexes with  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$  and  $\text{CH}_3\text{COC}_2\text{H}_5$ , which is in accordance with the  $V_m^E$  data. The values of  $\Delta \epsilon_r$  are highly negative (Chadha and Tripathi, 1995) for  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$ , which gives evidence in favor of the formation of strong intermolecular complexes between  $\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2$  and  $1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$  in the liquid state. The negative value of  $\Delta \epsilon_r$  for  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OCH}_3$  and  $x\text{CHCl}_2\text{CHCl}_2 + (1-x)(1,4\text{-C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2)$  may be attributed to the predominance of contributions to  $\Delta \epsilon_r$  from nonspecific interactions.

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