

Figure 4. Solubility isotherms of 1,10-decanediol from a solid mixture of benzoic acid and 1,10-decanediol in supercritical carbon dioxide.

an average of 3.8%. In summation, the Peng-Robinson equation of state provides a reasonable correlation of the benzoic acid and 1,10-decanediol solubilities at 308 K. The correlation at 318 K is not as good but is still acceptable.

#### Glossary

$a_i$  parameter in equation of state, component  $i$   
 $A$  parameter in equation of state

$b_i$  parameter in equation of state, component  $i$   
 $B$  parameter in equation of state  
 $k_{ij}$  binary interaction parameter, components,  $i$ - $j$   
 $P$  pressure  
 $T$  temperature  
 $V_i^s$  solid-phase molar volume, component  $i$   
 $y_i$  gas-phase mole fraction, component  $i$   
 $Z$  compressibility factor

#### Greek Letters

$\phi$  fugacity coefficient, component  $i$

#### Subscripts

vp vapor pressure

Registry No. CO<sub>2</sub>, 124-38-9; 1,10-decanediol, 112-47-0; benzoic acid, 65-85-0.

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## Volumetric Properties of Molten Hydrated Salts. 7. Mixtures of Ferric Nitrate Nonahydrate with Hydrates of Calcium, Cadmium, Zinc, and Magnesium Nitrates

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Volumetric behavior of molten mixtures of ferric nitrate nonahydrate with hydrates of calcium, cadmium, zinc, and magnesium nitrates has been studied at different temperatures and compositions by using a manometric densimeter. Density and molar volumes varied linearly with composition. Molar volumes were additive except for Mg<sup>2+</sup> mixtures. Variations of thermal expansion coefficient and molar expansivity have been discussed in terms of changes in hydration of Fe<sup>3+</sup> ions and the van der Waals volume.

#### Introduction

In continuation of our studies on the behavior of molten hydrated salts and mixtures (1-6), volumetric behavior of mixtures of molten ferric nitrate nonahydrate with hydrates of calcium, cadmium, zinc, and magnesium nitrates are reported.

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#### Experimental Section

Salts were of AnalaR (BDH) grade or equivalent purity. The number of moles of water per mole of the electrolyte ( $R$ ), determined by volumetric titration using EDTA, was found with a precision of  $\pm 0.01$  mol/mol of cation. For the samples used,  $R$  was 9.08 for ferric nitrate, 4.12 for calcium nitrate, 4.15 for cadmium nitrate, 6.22 for zinc nitrate, and 6.02 for magnesium nitrate. Calibration of densimeter, dilation correction, sample preparation, etc. have been described earlier (7). Temperature was controlled and known with a precision of  $\pm 0.05$  °C.

#### Results and Discussion

Densities ( $\rho$ ) of different binary mixtures were measured over a range of composition limited by solubility and at temperatures ranging between 288.2 and 353.2 K at ca. 5-deg intervals (Table I) in both heating and cooling cycles. The data in different sets were reproducible within  $\pm 0.0003$  g cm<sup>-3</sup>. Molar volumes were calculated by using mean molecular mass ( $M$ ) of the mixture. Densities and molar volumes varied linearly with

Table I. Density and Molar Volume Data of  $\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \cdot 9.08\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O}$  Systems

mole fractn $\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O}$	temp, K	density, $\text{g cm}^{-3}$	mole fractn $\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O}$	temp, K	density, $\text{g cm}^{-3}$	mole fractn $\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O}$	temp, K	density, $\text{g cm}^{-3}$
$\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O} = \text{Ca}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 4.12\text{H}_2\text{O}$								
0.0000	293.2	1.6953		313.2	1.7220	0.2971	303.2	1.7388
	298.7	1.6893		323.2	1.7112		308.2	1.7336
	303.2	1.6848		333.2	1.7000		313.2	1.7281
	313.2	1.6741		343.2	1.6888		323.2	1.7171
	323.2	1.6635	0.1994	353.2	1.6775		333.2	1.7060
	333.2	1.6526		298.2	1.7759		343.2	1.6949
	343.2	1.6416		303.2	1.7707		353.2	1.6843
	353.2	1.6307		313.2	1.7604	0.4006	303.2	1.7465
0.0995	288.2	1.7104		323.2	1.7492		308.2	1.7408
	293.7	1.7052		333.2	1.7380		313.2	1.7353
	303.2	1.6959		343.2	1.7272		323.2	1.7246
	313.2	1.6854	0.3970	353.2	1.7162		333.2	1.7134
	323.2	1.6747		298.2	1.8649		343.2	1.7026
	333.2	1.6641		303.2	1.8598		353.2	1.6921
	343.2	1.6531		313.2	1.8485	0.5949	303.2	1.7666
	353.2	1.6422		323.2	1.8375		308.2	1.7613
0.1991	293.2	1.7040		333.2	1.8264		313.2	1.7557
	303.2	1.6939		343.2	1.8156		323.2	1.7450
	313.2	1.6843	0.5962	353.2	1.8044		333.2	1.7346
	323.2	1.6739		298.2	1.9723		343.2	1.7239
	333.2	1.6633		303.2	1.9667		353.2	1.7132
	343.2	1.6525		313.2	1.9556	0.7985	308.2	1.7948
	353.2	1.6424		323.2	1.9448		313.2	1.7894
0.3988	293.2	1.7164		333.2	1.9344		318.2	1.7845
	303.2	1.7069		343.2	1.9235		323.2	1.7787
	313.2	1.6973	0.7979	353.2	1.9124		333.2	1.7680
	323.2	1.6874		298.2	2.0931		343.2	1.7572
	333.2	1.6777		303.2	2.0876		353.2	1.7468
	343.2	1.6678		313.2	2.0766	0.8971	303.2	1.8148
	353.2	1.6575		323.2	2.0658		308.2	1.8094
0.5987	293.2	1.7238		333.2	2.0549		313.2	1.8038
	303.2	1.7152		343.2	2.0443		323.2	1.7932
	313.2	1.7063	0.8991	353.2	2.0334		333.2	1.7827
	323.2	1.6969		298.2	2.1902		343.2	1.7723
	333.2	1.6878		303.2	2.1850		353.2	1.7623
	343.2	1.6785		313.2	2.1741	1.0000	308.2	1.8273
	353.2	1.6692		323.2	2.1630		313.2	1.8220
0.7987	293.2	1.7350		333.2	2.1519		318.2	1.8165
	303.2	1.7265		343.2	2.1412		323.2	1.8110
	313.2	1.7180	1.0000	353.2	2.1307		333.2	1.8001
	323.2	1.7093		298.2	2.2898		343.2	1.7900
	333.2	1.7006		303.2	2.2842		353.2	1.7792
	343.2	1.6919		313.2	2.2731			
	353.2	1.6834		323.2	2.2622		$\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O} = \text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6.02\text{H}_2\text{O}$	
0.8988	293.2	1.7370		333.2	2.2515	0.1060	298.2	1.6968
	303.2	1.7289		343.2	2.2405		303.2	1.6916
	313.2	1.7210		353.2	2.2300		313.2	1.6813
	323.2	1.7128					323.2	1.6705
	333.2	1.7047	$\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O} = \text{Zn}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6.22\text{H}_2\text{O}$				333.2	1.6597
	343.2	1.6966	0.0985	303.2	1.7195		343.2	1.6488
	353.2	1.6885		308.2	1.7142		353.2	1.6382
1.0000	303.2	1.7332		313.2	1.7090	0.1964	308.2	1.6798
	308.2	1.7294		323.2	1.6982		313.2	1.6745
	313.2	1.7256		333.2	1.6872		323.2	1.6639
	323.2	1.7177		343.2	1.6761		328.2	1.6590
	333.2	1.7094	0.1994	353.2	1.6652		333.2	1.6532
	343.2	1.7023		303.2	1.7278		338.2	1.6481
	353.2	1.6949		308.2	1.7224		343.2	1.6429
				313.2	1.7169		353.2	1.6325
				323.2	1.7056	0.4015	333.2	1.6371
$\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O} = \text{Cd}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 4.15\text{H}_2\text{O}$								
0.0995	298.2	1.7379		333.2	1.6952		338.2	1.6326
	303.2	1.7328		343.2	1.6843		343.2	1.6273
				353.2	1.6732		348.2	1.6229
							343.2	1.6173

temperature. The data were least-squares fitted, using IBM 360/44 data processing system, into an equation of the type

$$\rho, V = A \mp B(T - 300) \quad (1)$$

Parameters  $A$  and  $B$ , which are characteristic of a given composition, and standard deviations of the fit are given in Table II.

At a given temperature, the molar volume of the mixture,  $V$ , decreases with increase in composition of the hydrated divalent

cation (Figure 1). It has been suggested (7) that the water of hydration in molten hydrated salts is retained by cations forming weak field hydrated cations of type  $\text{M}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_n^{m+}$ . Addition of hydrated  $\text{M}^{2+}$  (where  $\text{M} = \text{Ca}, \text{Cd}, \text{Zn},$  and  $\text{Mg}$ ) to  $\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \cdot 9\text{H}_2\text{O}$  results in preferential orientation of  $\text{NO}_3^-$  ions toward  $\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_n^{3+}$ , because of its higher cationic potential leading to the formation of solvent-separated ion pairs (SSIP) and displacement of some of the lattice water from hydration sphere of  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  ions. This leads to increased packing density and hence a decrease in molar volume with increase in  $X$ , as

Table II. Least-Squares Equations of Density and Molar Volume Data of  $\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 9.08\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O}$  Systems

mole fractn $\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O}$		$\rho = A - B(T - 300), \text{g cm}^{-3}$			$V = A' + B'(T - 300), \text{cm}^3 \text{mol}^{-1}$			$10^4 \alpha, ^\circ \text{K}^{-1}$	$10V_E, \text{cm}^3 \text{deg}^{-1}$
		A	$10^3 B$	$10^3 \text{SE}$	A'	$10B'$	10SE		
$\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O} = \text{Ca}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 4.12\text{H}_2\text{O}$									
0.0000	293-353	1.7169	1.0753	0.22	240.074	1.5747	0.71	6.26	1.575
0.0995	288-353	1.7269	1.0527	0.54	228.801	1.4548	0.05	6.09	1.455
0.1991	293-353	1.7250	1.0307	0.40	219.166	1.3700	0.84	5.97	1.370
0.3988	293-353	1.7363	0.9803	0.26	198.036	1.1678	0.58	5.64	1.168
0.5987	293-353	1.7424	0.9132	0.27	177.682	0.9689	0.46	5.24	0.969
0.7987	293-353	1.7523	0.8621	0.09	157.209	0.8028	0.19	4.91	0.803
0.8988	293-353	1.7532	0.8086	0.06	147.346	0.7035	0.20	4.61	0.704
1.0000	303-353	1.7563	0.7717	0.32	137.252	0.6248	0.28	4.39	0.625
$\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O} = \text{Cd}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 4.15 \text{H}_2\text{O}$									
0.0995	298-353	1.7658	1.0996	0.31	228.005	1.4919	0.76	6.22	1.492
0.1994	298-353	1.8035	1.0893	0.29	217.837	1.3794	0.59	6.03	1.379
0.3970	298-353	1.8923	1.0972	0.12	197.505	1.1992	0.35	5.79	1.199
0.5962	298-353	1.9992	1.0838	0.21	177.252	1.0033	0.22	5.42	1.003
0.7979	298-353	2.1200	1.0843	0.11	157.937	0.8423	0.08	5.11	0.842
0.8991	298-353	2.2175	1.0880	0.21	146.564	0.7796	0.14	4.90	0.779
1.0000	298-353	2.3167	1.0879	0.19	136.071	0.6622	0.06	4.69	0.662
$\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O} = \text{Zn}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6.22\text{H}_2\text{O}$									
0.0985	303-353	1.7523	1.0881	0.18	229.211	1.4995	0.50	6.20	1.499
0.1994	303-353	1.7604	1.0901	0.19	222.087	1.4482	0.31	6.19	1.448
0.2971	303-353	1.7718	1.0962	0.15	214.832	1.3993	0.33	6.18	1.399
0.4006	303-353	1.7789	1.0884	0.19	207.786	1.3390	0.16	6.11	1.339
0.5949	303-353	1.7985	1.0664	0.13	194.009	1.2099	0.22	5.92	1.209
0.7985	308-353	1.8323	1.0709	0.20	178.638	1.1016	0.23	5.84	1.102
0.8971	303-353	1.8460	1.0517	0.29	171.622	1.0255	0.14	5.69	1.026
1.0000	308-353	1.8645	1.0685	0.22	164.092	0.9899	0.17	5.73	0.989
$\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O} = \text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6.02\text{H}_2\text{O}$									
0.1060	298-353	1.7237	1.0683	0.20	229.777	1.4947	0.55	6.19	1.495
0.1964	308-353	1.7166	1.0527	0.16	222.695	1.4422	0.24	6.13	1.442
0.4015	333-353	1.6964	0.9860	0.33	206.820	1.2860	0.44	5.81	1.286

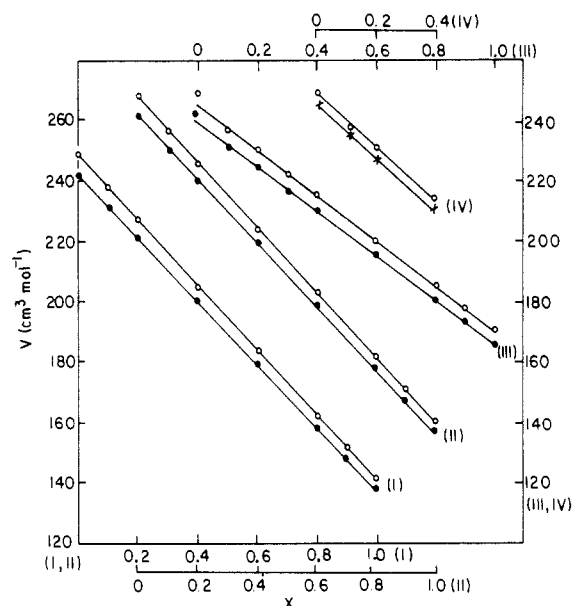


Figure 1. Isotherms of molar volumes ( $V$ ) vs. mole fraction of divalent cation ( $X$ ) for  $\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 9.08\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O}$  systems at (●) 303, (×) 313, (○) 353 K. Scales on the axes are (I) for Ca, (II) for Cd, (III) for Zn, and (IV) for Mg.

observed.  $V$ - $X$  isotherms were linear, indicating applicability of the principle of additivity of volumes, at least to a first approximation. Variation in molar volume with changes in temperature and composition may be represented by the equation

$$V = \int \Delta V_T dT + \int \Delta V_X dX \quad (2)$$

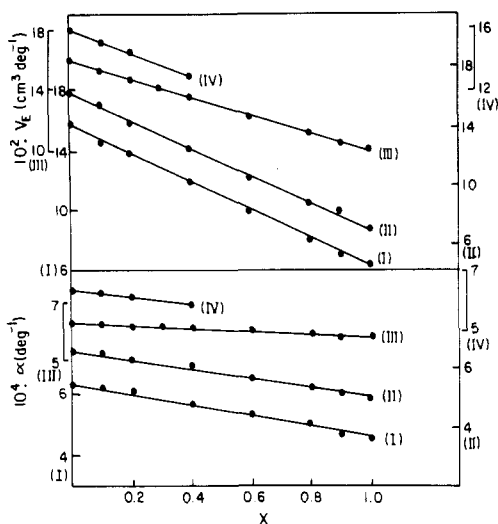
where  $\Delta V_T$ , the change in volume with temperature has been shown (1) to be equal to the product of thermal expansion

Table III. Partial Molar Volumes of  $\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 9.08\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O}$  Systems

$\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O}$	temp, K	$\bar{V}(\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 9.08\text{H}_2\text{O}), \text{cm}^3 \text{mol}^{-1}$	$\bar{V}(\text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot \text{RH}_2\text{O}), \text{cm}^3 \text{mol}^{-1}$	lit.
$\text{Ca}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 4.12\text{H}_2\text{O}$	313.2	241.37	137.59	(135.80) <sup>a</sup>
	333.2	244.50	138.84	
	353.2	247.80	140.04	
$\text{Cd}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 4.15\text{H}_2\text{O}$	313.2	240.82	137.10	(136.71) <sup>a</sup>
	333.2	243.97	138.39	
	353.2	247.24	139.68	
$\text{Zn}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6.22\text{H}_2\text{O}$	313.2	239.70	165.10	(161.37) <sup>b</sup>
	333.2	242.82	167.05	
	353.2	246.06	168.98	
$\text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6.02\text{H}_2\text{O}$	313.2	241.82	152.56	(166.88) <sup>c</sup>
	333.2	244.42	160.43	
	353.2	247.69	161.91	

<sup>a</sup> Reference 8. <sup>b</sup> Reference 9. <sup>c</sup> Reference 10.

coefficient ( $\alpha$ ) and the van der Waals volume ( $V_0$ ). For a volumetrically ideal system,  $\Delta V_X$ , the change in volume with composition, would be equal to  $(\bar{V}_2 - \bar{V}_1)$ , where  $\bar{V}_1$  and  $\bar{V}_2$  are the partial molar volumes of the components. Partial molar volumes were evaluated by extrapolating the  $V$ - $X$  plots and also by least-squares fitting the  $V$ - $X$  data into the linear equation,  $V = E + FX$  (Table III). Partial molar volumes of divalent nitrates were found to be within  $\pm 1\%$  of the literature values except for  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$ -containing mixtures.  $\bar{V}(\text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O})$  were about 4-6% lower than the literature values (10). It has been shown (11) that  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$ - $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  interactions are strong in consistency with the high charge-to-radius ratio of  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  ion. In  $\text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  the  $\text{NO}_3^-$  ions are oriented toward H atoms of water resulting in a decrease in  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$ - $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  interactions. In mixtures, the preferential orientation of  $\text{NO}_3^-$  ions toward  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  ions (vide supra) would decrease their interactions with H atoms of water. This would lead water molecules to be strongly held



**Figure 2.** Composition variation of thermal expansion coefficient ( $\alpha$ ) and molar expansivity ( $V_E$ ) of  $\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \cdot 9.08\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{M}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot R\text{H}_2\text{O}$  systems at 300 K. Scales on the Y axis are (I) for Ca, (II) for Cd, (III) for Zn, and (IV) for Mg.

with  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  ions resulting in a decrease of  $\bar{V}(\text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O})$  as observed.

Both the expansion coefficient ( $\alpha = -(1/\rho)(d\rho/dT)$ ) and the molar thermal expansivity ( $V_E = dV/dT$ ) of the mixtures show a decrease (Figure 2) on addition of hydrated  $\text{M}^{2+}$  to  $\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \cdot 9\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . Sharma et al. (8) have shown that  $V_E$  could be approximated to the product of  $\alpha$  and  $V_0$ . The addition of hydrated  $\text{M}^{2+}$  decreases the number of moles of  $\text{NO}_3^-$  ions from 3 to 2 per mole of the mixture. Also, the moles of water associated with the cations decrease from 9 to 4 or 6 per mole of the mixture. Both these factors would lead to a decrease

in  $V_0$  and hence in  $V_E$ , as observed.

Variation in  $\alpha$  is opposite to that expected from the Born model of ion-water interactions. Inove et al. have shown (12) that a decrease in water content changes the hydration number of  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  ion from 6 to 4 and results in ion-pair formation displacing coordinate water into lattice water which has high configurational contribution to  $\alpha$  (13). It may be concluded that the addition of divalent cations results in a greater electrostriction to lattice water and a decrease in  $\alpha$ , as observed.

**Registry No.**  $\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \cdot 9\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , 7782-61-8;  $\text{Ca}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , 13477-34-4;  $\text{Cd}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , 10022-68-1;  $\text{Zn}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , 10196-18-6;  $\text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , 13446-18-9.

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## Ultrasonic Speed in Liquid Phase of Bromotrifluoromethane (R13B1) under High Pressures

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The ultrasonic speeds in the liquid phase of bromotrifluoromethane (R13B1) were measured at temperatures from 283.15 to 323.15 K and pressures from near saturated vapor pressure to about 50 MPa by using a sing-around technique operated at a frequency of 2 MHz. The ultrasonic speeds show a large pressure effect in the lower pressure region as the temperature comes close to critical. The smoothing curve for the experimental values fits well to the observed values in high-pressure range. However, in the vicinity of vapor pressure, acoustic absorption in the liquid phase was observed which induced distortion in speed; so the present results in this region have large deviations from the fitting curve.

#### Introduction

Experimental work on ultrasonic speed for refrigerants are rare, especially at high pressure. In our recent work (1), a new apparatus was constructed using a sing-around technique em-

ploying a fixed-path ultrasonic interferometer of 2 MHz, which was used to observe the precise ultrasonic speed in liquid under high pressure. The speed in the liquid phase of dichlorotetrafluoroethane (R114) was measured at various conditions of temperature and pressure. Kokernak and Feldman (2) measured the ultrasonic speed in liquid of dichlorodifluoromethane (R12) under its saturated vapor pressure, and estimated the values of some refrigerants including R114 by a theoretical rule. This report is the only one concerning study of the speed in the liquid phase of refrigerant R114. However, the value of R114 reported in their paper was ascertained to differ about 15% from that obtained by extrapolation of our experimental results (1) to the saturation vapor pressure. In this paper, the ultrasonic speed in the liquid phase of bromotrifluoromethane (R13B1) was measured at temperatures from 283.15 to 323.15 K, at pressures from near saturation to about 50 MPa. Temperature and pressure effects on sound speed are discussed and compared with those for refrigerant R114 reported previously.