

Apparent Molar Volumes of Sodium Chlorobenzoates in *N,N*-Dimethylformamide–Water Mixtures at 298.15 K

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Densities of sodium chlorobenzoates (*o*-, *m*-, *p*-) have been measured in dimethylformamide (DMF)–water mixtures at 298.15 K with an oscillating-tube densimeter. From these densities, apparent molar volumes of sodium chlorobenzoates in DMF–water mixtures have been calculated, and partial molar volumes at infinite dilution have been evaluated. Transfer volumes of each isomer from water to DMF–water mixed solvents have also been calculated from partial molar volumes at infinite dilution.

Introduction

There is an increased interest in the thermodynamic behavior in ternary mixtures (water + nonaqueous solvent + electrolyte) (Peña et al., 1995). However, there is a shortage of investigations of such mixtures, especially of aromatic solutes, which contain a substituted group. Systematic studies of aromatic solutes have usually been limited to their aqueous solutions (Desnoyers et al., 1973; Perron and Desnoyers, 1979; Strong et al., 1994; Gianni and Lepori, 1996). Little is known about the effect of substituents on the thermodynamic properties in mixed solvents. With this aim in mind, we report the densities of three geometrical isomers of sodium chlorobenzoates in dimethylformamide (DMF)–water mixtures.

Mixtures of aliphatic amides and water have been the subject of many studies (Assarsson and Eirich, 1968; Saphon and Bittrich, 1973). Since these amides cover a very wide range of dielectric constants and are usually miscible with water, they are used in studies of the interactions between the solubility of drugs and the dielectric constants of the pure compounds and of their aqueous mixtures (Rohdewald and Möldner, 1973). In addition, the amides can serve as model compounds for the investigation of the properties in aqueous solutions (de Visser et al., 1977).

Among these amides, DMF is of particular interest in view of the lack of hydrogen bonding in the pure solvent. Therefore, we have used its aqueous mixtures to study the influence of solvent structure on the solvation of a third compound.

Experimental Section

o-Chlorobenzoic acid (chemical grade, 99.0?100.0 mass%), *m*-chlorobenzoic acid (fluca, >98 mass %), *p*-chlorobenzoic acid (chemical grade, >99.5 mass %), and DMF (analytical grade, >99.5 mass %) were used without further purification. Water was deionized and redistilled. Each acid was purified from an ethanol–water mixture. A stock solution of each salt was prepared by weight by dissolving the purified acid in the appropriate amount of NaOH solution in neutralization ratio, and the final solution has 1% excess of NaOH. The working solutions were obtained by weight

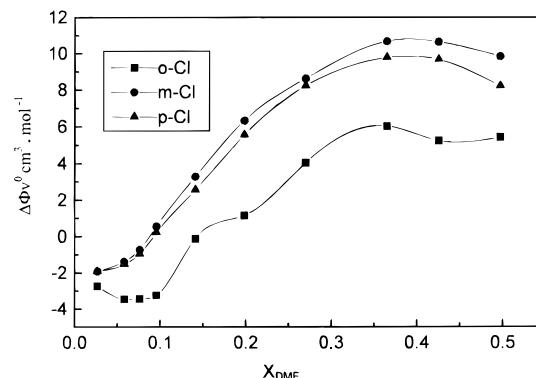


Figure 1. Transfer volumes of sodium chlorobenzoates from water to DMF–H₂O mixtures at 298.15 K.

dilution. All solutions were prepared by weight using a Mettler AE200 analytical balance with a precision of ± 0.0001 g.

The densities of solutions were determined by a vibrating-tube digital densimeter (model DMA 55, Anton Paar). The densimeter was calibrated with water ($\rho = 0.997\ 071$ g cm⁻³) and air ($\rho = 0.001\ 185$ g cm⁻³). The U-tube of the densimeter was washed with water and acetone repeatedly and then dried with air before the measurement. The temperature of the measuring cell was controlled at (298.15 ± 0.01) K by circulating water from a thermostat (HAAKE C). An average of triplicate measurements was taken into account. The accuracy of the density values was $\pm 1 \times 10^{-5}$ g cm⁻³.

Results and Discussion

The apparent molar volumes Φ_v are calculated from solution densities using eq 1

$$\Phi_v = M_S/\rho - 1000(\rho - \rho_0)/m_S\rho\rho_0 \quad (1)$$

where M_S , m_S , ρ , and ρ_0 are the solute molar mass, solute molality, and densities of the solution and solvent, respectively.

The molal concentration (m), densities (ρ), and apparent molar volumes (Φ_v) of the sodium chlorobenzoate (*o*-, *m*-,

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Table 1. Molar Concentration (*m*), Densities (ρ), and Apparent Molar volumes (Φ_v) of the Sodium *o*-Chlorobenzoate in DMF–H₂O Mixtures at 298.15 K

| <i>m/mol kg⁻¹</i> | $\rho/g\text{ cm}^{-3}$ | $\Phi_v/\text{cm mol}^{-1}$ | <i>m/mol kg⁻¹</i> | $\rho/g\text{ cm}^{-3}$ | $\Phi_v/\text{cm mol}^{-1}$ | <i>m/mol kg⁻¹</i> | $\rho/g\text{ cm}^{-3}$ | $\Phi_v/\text{cm mol}^{-1}$ |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0000$ | | | | | | | | |
| 0.0000 | 0.99707 | | 0.0000 | 0.99683 | | 0.0000 | 0.98663 | |
| 0.0750 | 1.00308 | 97.87 | 0.0750 | 1.00301 | 95.59 | 0.0750 | 0.99215 | 104.77 |
| 0.1000 | 1.00505 | 98.01 | 0.1000 | 1.00504 | 95.70 | 0.1000 | 0.99396 | 104.88 |
| 0.1250 | 1.00700 | 98.18 | 0.1250 | 1.00702 | 96.09 | 0.1250 | 0.99575 | 105.04 |
| 0.2500 | 1.01656 | 98.72 | 0.2500 | 1.01678 | 96.84 | 0.2500 | 1.00442 | 105.95 |
| 0.3750 | 1.02587 | 98.96 | 0.3750 | 1.02614 | 97.58 | 0.3750 | 1.01271 | 106.70 |
| 0.5000 | 1.03491 | 99.18 | 0.5000 | 1.03513 | 98.25 | 0.5000 | 1.02076 | 107.13 |
| $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0267$ | | | | | | | | |
| 0.0000 | 0.99626 | | 0.0000 | 0.99698 | | 0.0000 | 0.98200 | |
| 0.0750 | 1.00244 | 95.60 | 0.0750 | 1.00294 | 98.55 | 0.0750 | 0.98755 | 104.49 |
| 0.1000 | 1.00447 | 95.71 | 0.1000 | 1.00489 | 98.72 | 0.1000 | 0.98936 | 104.60 |
| 0.1250 | 1.00648 | 95.85 | 0.1250 | 1.00681 | 98.99 | 0.1250 | 0.99115 | 104.93 |
| 0.2500 | 1.01629 | 96.55 | 0.2500 | 1.01619 | 99.85 | 0.2500 | 0.99977 | 106.18 |
| 0.3750 | 1.02578 | 97.03 | 0.3750 | 1.02521 | 100.50 | 0.3750 | 1.00802 | 107.03 |
| 0.5000 | 1.03496 | 97.45 | 0.5000 | 1.03394 | 100.97 | 0.5000 | 1.01600 | 107.57 |
| $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0581$ | | | | | | | | |
| 0.0000 | 0.99639 | | 0.0000 | 0.99598 | | 0.0000 | 0.97651 | |
| 0.0750 | 1.00261 | 95.06 | 0.0750 | 1.00184 | 99.91 | 0.0750 | 0.98208 | 104.36 |
| 0.1000 | 1.00464 | 95.30 | 0.1000 | 1.00376 | 100.05 | 0.1000 | 0.98388 | 104.76 |
| 0.1250 | 1.00665 | 95.53 | 0.1250 | 1.00565 | 100.30 | 0.1250 | 0.98563 | 105.34 |
| 0.2500 | 1.01649 | 96.26 | 0.2500 | 1.01487 | 101.17 | 0.2500 | 0.99427 | 106.40 |
| 0.3750 | 1.02596 | 96.89 | 0.3750 | 1.02371 | 101.88 | 0.3750 | 1.00260 | 107.02 |
| 0.5000 | 1.03511 | 97.40 | 0.5000 | 1.03226 | 102.39 | 0.5000 | 1.01058 | 107.64 |
| $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0759$ | | | | | | | | |
| 0.0000 | 0.99687 | | 0.0000 | 0.99288 | | 0.0000 | 0.97651 | |
| 0.0750 | 1.00308 | 95.19 | 0.0750 | 0.99845 | 102.65 | 0.0750 | 0.98208 | 104.36 |
| 0.1000 | 1.00511 | 95.40 | 0.1000 | 1.00037 | 103.07 | 0.1000 | 0.98388 | 104.76 |
| 0.1250 | 1.00710 | 95.77 | 0.1250 | 1.00220 | 103.22 | 0.1250 | 0.98563 | 105.34 |
| 0.2500 | 1.01687 | 96.66 | 0.2500 | 1.01106 | 104.15 | 0.2500 | 0.99427 | 106.40 |
| 0.3750 | 1.02630 | 97.26 | 0.3750 | 1.01957 | 104.81 | 0.3750 | 1.00260 | 107.02 |
| 0.5000 | 1.03545 | 97.68 | 0.5000 | 1.02782 | 105.23 | 0.5000 | 1.01058 | 107.64 |

Table 2. Molar Concentration (*m*), Densities (ρ), and Apparent Molar Volumes (Φ_v) of the Sodium *m*-Chlorobenzoate in DMF–Water Mixtures at 298.15 K

| <i>m/mol kg⁻¹</i> | $\rho/g\text{ cm}^{-3}$ | $\Phi_v/\text{cm mol}^{-1}$ | <i>m/mol kg⁻¹</i> | $\rho/g\text{ cm}^{-3}$ | $\Phi_v/\text{cm mol}^{-1}$ | <i>m/mol kg⁻¹</i> | $\rho/g\text{ cm}^{-3}$ | $\Phi_v/\text{cm mol}^{-1}$ |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0000$ | | | | | | | | |
| 0.0000 | 0.99707 | | 0.0000 | 0.99715 | | 0.0000 | 0.98664 | |
| 0.0250 | 0.99910 | 97.19 | 0.0750 | 1.00310 | 98.68 | 0.0250 | 0.98841 | 108.04 |
| 0.0500 | 1.00111 | 97.40 | 0.1000 | 1.00504 | 98.92 | 0.0500 | 0.99016 | 108.25 |
| 0.0750 | 1.00310 | 97.60 | 0.1250 | 1.00696 | 99.15 | 0.0750 | 0.99190 | 108.34 |
| 0.1000 | 1.00508 | 97.71 | 0.2500 | 1.01633 | 99.97 | 0.1000 | 0.99362 | 108.49 |
| 0.1250 | 1.00703 | 97.94 | 0.3750 | 1.02532 | 100.66 | 0.1250 | 0.99533 | 108.59 |
| 0.2000 | 1.01283 | 98.25 | 0.5000 | 1.03405 | 101.09 | 0.2500 | 1.00358 | 109.47 |
| $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0267$ | | | | | | | | |
| 0.0000 | 0.99644 | | 0.0000 | 0.99703 | | 0.0000 | 0.98208 | |
| 0.0750 | 1.00259 | 96.00 | 0.0750 | 1.00277 | 101.50 | 0.0250 | 0.98385 | 108.20 |
| 0.1000 | 1.00461 | 96.11 | 0.1000 | 1.00465 | 101.64 | 0.0500 | 0.98560 | 108.42 |
| 0.1250 | 1.00662 | 96.17 | 0.1250 | 1.00650 | 101.89 | 0.0750 | 0.98732 | 108.78 |
| 0.2500 | 1.01635 | 97.03 | 0.2500 | 1.01551 | 102.81 | 0.1000 | 0.98904 | 108.87 |
| 0.3750 | 1.02577 | 97.54 | 0.3750 | 1.02417 | 103.45 | 0.1250 | 0.99072 | 109.17 |
| 0.5000 | 1.03493 | 97.87 | 0.5000 | 1.03255 | 103.91 | 0.2500 | 0.99892 | 110.07 |
| $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0581$ | | | | | | | | |
| 0.0000 | 0.99643 | | 0.0000 | 0.99622 | | 0.0000 | 0.97637 | |
| 0.0750 | 1.00254 | 96.54 | 0.0750 | 1.00177 | 104.08 | 0.0250 | 0.97816 | 107.56 |
| 0.1000 | 1.00450 | 97.12 | 0.1000 | 1.00359 | 104.19 | 0.0500 | 0.97994 | 107.57 |
| 0.1250 | 1.00646 | 97.39 | 0.1250 | 1.00540 | 104.26 | 0.0750 | 0.98167 | 108.15 |
| 0.2500 | 1.01608 | 98.08 | 0.2500 | 1.01421 | 104.82 | 0.1000 | 0.98341 | 108.23 |
| 0.3750 | 1.02533 | 98.70 | 0.3750 | 1.02268 | 105.33 | 0.1250 | 0.98509 | 108.72 |
| 0.5000 | 1.03426 | 99.21 | 0.5000 | 1.03084 | 105.78 | 0.2500 | 0.99340 | 109.50 |
| $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0759$ | | | | | | | | |
| 0.0000 | 0.99663 | | 0.0000 | 0.99290 | | 0.0000 | 0.97637 | |
| 0.0750 | 1.00267 | 97.48 | 0.0750 | 0.99828 | 106.48 | 0.0250 | 0.97816 | 107.56 |
| 0.1000 | 1.00464 | 97.72 | 0.1000 | 1.00005 | 106.53 | 0.0500 | 0.97994 | 107.57 |
| 0.1250 | 1.00658 | 98.03 | 0.1250 | 1.00179 | 106.72 | 0.0750 | 0.98167 | 108.15 |
| 0.2500 | 1.01609 | 98.85 | 0.2500 | 1.01034 | 107.18 | 0.1000 | 0.98341 | 108.23 |
| 0.3750 | 1.02521 | 99.56 | 0.3750 | 1.01848 | 107.85 | 0.1250 | 0.98509 | 108.72 |
| 0.5000 | 1.03405 | 100.04 | 0.5000 | 1.02636 | 108.29 | 0.2500 | 0.99340 | 109.50 |

p-) in DMF–water mixtures at 298.15 K are reported in Tables 1–3.

Since the data concerning the pressure dependence of the dielectric constant of the DMF–water system are not

Table 3. Molar Concentration (m), Densities (ρ), and Apparent Molar Volumes (Φ_v) of the Sodium *p*-Chlorobenzoate in DMF–H₂O Mixtures at 298.15 K

| $m/\text{mol kg}^{-1}$ | $\rho/\text{g cm}^{-3}$ | $\Phi_v/\text{cm mol}^{-1}$ | $m/\text{mol kg}^{-1}$ | $\rho/\text{g cm}^{-3}$ | $\Phi_v/\text{cm mol}^{-1}$ | $m/\text{mol kg}^{-1}$ | $\rho/\text{g cm}^{-3}$ | $\Phi_v/\text{cm mol}^{-1}$ |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0000$ | | | $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0956$ | | | $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.3650$ | | |
| 0.0000 | 0.99707 | | 0.0000 | 0.99700 | | 0.0000 | 0.98661 | |
| 0.0750 | 1.00314 | 97.07 | 0.0750 | 1.00299 | 98.14 | 0.0750 | 0.99192 | 107.65 |
| 0.1000 | 1.00514 | 97.11 | 0.1000 | 1.00491 | 98.72 | 0.1000 | 0.99365 | 107.97 |
| 0.1250 | 1.00708 | 97.54 | 0.1250 | 1.00683 | 98.99 | 0.1250 | 0.99535 | 108.18 |
| 0.2500 | 1.01672 | 98.07 | 0.2500 | 1.01616 | 100.06 | 0.2500 | 1.00363 | 109.22 |
| 0.3750 | 1.02608 | 98.39 | 0.3750 | 1.02511 | 100.83 | 0.3750 | 1.01148 | 110.01 |
| 0.5000 | 1.03522 | 98.55 | 0.5000 | 1.03376 | 101.38 | 0.5000 | 1.01919 | 110.38 |
| $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0267$ | | | $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.1410$ | | | $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.4250$ | | |
| 0.0000 | 0.99620 | | 0.0000 | 0.99696 | | 0.0000 | 0.98200 | |
| 0.0750 | 1.00237 | 95.74 | 0.0750 | 1.00278 | 100.43 | 0.0750 | 0.98732 | 107.40 |
| 0.1000 | 1.00439 | 95.91 | 0.1000 | 1.00464 | 101.04 | 0.1000 | 0.98905 | 107.93 |
| 0.1250 | 1.00640 | 96.02 | 0.1250 | 1.00650 | 101.33 | 0.1250 | 0.99076 | 108.18 |
| 0.2500 | 1.01614 | 96.91 | 0.2500 | 1.01555 | 102.36 | 0.2500 | 0.99905 | 109.20 |
| 0.3750 | 1.02554 | 97.51 | 0.3750 | 1.02426 | 103.02 | 0.3750 | 1.00702 | 109.83 |
| 0.5000 | 1.03462 | 98.02 | 0.5000 | 1.03259 | 103.69 | 0.5000 | 1.01472 | 110.28 |
| $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0581$ | | | $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.1980$ | | | $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.4970$ | | |
| 0.0000 | 0.99638 | | 0.0000 | 0.99599 | | 0.0000 | 0.97632 | |
| 0.0750 | 1.00252 | 96.14 | 0.0750 | 1.00157 | 103.28 | 0.0500 | 0.97995 | 106.31 |
| 0.1000 | 1.00451 | 96.51 | 0.1000 | 1.00337 | 103.79 | 0.0750 | 0.98169 | 107.17 |
| 0.1250 | 1.00646 | 96.98 | 0.1250 | 1.00514 | 104.27 | 0.1000 | 0.98346 | 107.18 |
| 0.2500 | 1.01610 | 97.80 | 0.2500 | 1.01384 | 105.28 | 0.1250 | 0.98515 | 107.79 |
| 0.3750 | 1.02536 | 98.48 | 0.3750 | 1.02224 | 105.82 | 0.2500 | 0.99340 | 109.29 |
| 0.5000 | 1.03440 | 98.83 | 0.5000 | 1.03034 | 106.28 | 0.3750 | 1.00135 | 110.03 |
| $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.0759$ | | | $x_{\text{DMF}} = 0.2700$ | | | | | |
| 0.0000 | 0.99660 | | 0.0000 | 0.99284 | | | | |
| 0.0750 | 1.00268 | 96.94 | 0.0750 | 0.99827 | 105.80 | | | |
| 0.1000 | 1.00463 | 97.52 | 0.1000 | 1.00002 | 106.22 | | | |
| 0.1250 | 1.00658 | 97.79 | 0.1250 | 1.00173 | 106.724 | | | |
| 0.2500 | 1.01607 | 98.81 | 0.2500 | 1.01019 | 107.55 | | | |
| 0.3750 | 1.02520 | 99.51 | 0.3750 | 1.01833 | 108.10 | | | |
| 0.5000 | 1.03397 | 100.15 | 0.5000 | 1.02621 | 108.48 | | | |

Table 4. Volumetric Parameters for Eq 2 of Sodium *p*-Chlorobenzoate

| x_{DMF} | $\Phi_v^0/\text{cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ | r | S_v^* | SD |
|------------------|---|---------|---------|-------|
| 0.0000 | 97.07 | 0.99307 | 3.07 | 0.071 |
| 0.0267 | 94.35 | 0.99904 | 4.38 | 0.037 |
| 0.0581 | 93.61 | 0.99966 | 5.36 | 0.021 |
| 0.0759 | 93.63 | 0.99678 | 5.86 | 0.092 |
| 0.0956 | 93.84 | 0.99765 | 6.15 | 0.082 |
| 0.1410 | 96.96 | 0.99936 | 5.72 | 0.040 |
| 0.198 | 98.24 | 0.99925 | 5.89 | 0.045 |
| 0.2700 | 101.13 | 0.99730 | 5.91 | 0.085 |
| 0.3650 | 103.10 | 0.99731 | 5.75 | 0.083 |
| 0.4250 | 102.33 | 0.99724 | 7.53 | 0.109 |
| 0.4970 | 102.51 | 0.99222 | 7.41 | 0.182 |

Table 5. Volumetric Parameters for Eq 2 of Sodium *m*-Chlorobenzoate

| x_{DMF} | $\Phi_v^0/\text{cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ | r | S_v | SD |
|------------------|---|---------|-------|-------|
| 0.0000 | 96.58 | 0.99669 | 3.73 | 0.034 |
| 0.0267 | 94.67 | 0.9953 | 44.60 | 0.087 |
| 0.0581 | 95.21 | 0.99079 | 5.72 | 0.153 |
| 0.0759 | 95.87 | 0.99926 | 5.95 | 0.045 |
| 0.0956 | 97.15 | 0.99940 | 5.64 | 0.038 |
| 0.1410 | 99.88 | 0.99878 | 5.77 | 0.056 |
| 0.1980 | 102.92 | 0.99587 | 3.95 | 0.070 |
| 0.2700 | 105.21 | 0.99240 | 4.26 | 0.103 |
| 0.3650 | 107.28 | 0.97316 | 4.11 | 0.128 |
| 0.4250 | 107.23 | 0.99308 | 5.55 | 0.086 |
| 0.4970 | 106.43 | 0.97873 | 6.12 | 0.169 |

available, we cannot calculate the Debye–Hückel limiting slope. So we were forced to use the Masson equation

$$\Phi_v = \Phi_v^0 + S_v^* m^{1/2} \quad (2)$$

where Φ_v^0 is the limiting apparent molar volumes and S_v^* is the experimental slope.

Table 6. Volumetric Parameters for Eq 2 of Sodium *p*-Chlorobenzoate

| x_{DMF} | $\Phi_v^0/\text{cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ | r | S_v | SD |
|------------------|---|---------|-------|-------|
| 0.0000 | 96.13 | 0.97929 | 3.60 | 0.145 |
| 0.0267 | 94.20 | 0.99847 | 5.40 | 0.058 |
| 0.0581 | 94.62 | 0.99122 | 6.17 | 0.161 |
| 0.0759 | 95.19 | 0.99597 | 7.09 | 0.125 |
| 0.0956 | 96.34 | 0.99579 | 7.27 | 0.131 |
| 0.1410 | 98.69 | 0.99474 | 7.14 | 0.144 |
| 0.1980 | 101.69 | 0.98698 | 6.72 | 0.215 |
| 0.270 | 104.37 | 0.98658 | 6.03 | 0.195 |
| 0.3650 | 105.91 | 0.99720 | 6.50 | 0.095 |
| 0.4250 | 105.81 | 0.99364 | 6.49 | 0.144 |
| 0.4970 | 104.34 | 0.99168 | 9.52 | 0.204 |

Table 7. Transfer Volumes of Sodium Chlorobenzoate from Water to DMF–H₂O Mixtures at 298.15 K

| x_{DMF} | $\Delta\Phi_v^0/\text{cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ | | |
|------------------|---|-------|-------|
| | 0- | m- | p- |
| 0.0267 | -2.72 | -1.91 | -1.93 |
| 0.0581 | -3.46 | -1.37 | -1.53 |
| 0.0759 | -3.44 | -0.71 | -0.96 |
| 0.0956 | -3.23 | 0.57 | 0.21 |
| 0.1410 | -0.11 | 3.30 | 2.56 |
| 0.1980 | 1.17 | 6.34 | 5.56 |
| 0.2700 | 4.06 | 8.63 | 8.24 |
| 0.3650 | 6.03 | 10.70 | 9.78 |
| 0.4250 | 5.26 | 10.65 | 9.68 |
| 0.4970 | 5.44 | 9.85 | 8.21 |

The parameters of eq 2, correlation coefficients (r) and standard deviations (SD) of fitting, are listed in Tables 4–6.

Transfer volumes of each isomer from water to DMF–H₂O mixtures at 298.15 K are given in Table 7 by using eq 3:

$$(\Delta\Phi_v^0)_{tr} = \Phi_v^0(\text{DMF} + \text{H}_2\text{O}) - \Phi_v^0(\text{H}_2\text{O}) \quad (3)$$

The changes of transfer volumes of sodium *m*-chlorobenzoate and sodium *p*-chlorobenzoate with the molar fractions of DMF are similar (Figure 1), and both of them go through a maximum, but the amplitude of the maximum varies with the substituent position on aromatic ring. The changes of transfer volumes of sodium *o*-chlorobenzoate are different from those of the other two isomers. All of this can be assigned to the structural alteration of the mixed solvents and the different interactions between *o*-, *m*-, *p*-substituents and solvent.

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