

EXCESS ENTHALPIES OF BINARY MIXTURES CONTAINING EITHER METHYLCYCLOPENTANE OR METHYLCYCLOHEXANE

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Abstract

A flow microcalorimeter of the Picker design was used to measure excess molar enthalpies H^E at 298.15 K, as a function of mole fraction, of the mixtures methylcyclopentane (c-C₅H₉CH₃) + cyclopentane (c-C₅H₁₀), and + methylcyclohexane (c-C₆H₁₁CH₃), and of methylcyclohexane + n-heptane (n-C₇H₁₆), + n-decane (n-C₁₀H₂₂), + cyclopentane, + benzene (C₆H₆), and + tetrachloromethane (CCl₄). The calorimeter was equipped with separators and operated in the discontinuous mode. The H^E s of the first-named three systems are negative, those of the remaining four are all positive. At equimolar composition, $H^E(x_1=0.5)/J.mol^{-1}$ ranges from -113 for (c-C₅H₉CH₃ + c-C₅H₁₀) to + 792 for (c-C₆H₁₁CH₃ + C₆H₆).

1. INTRODUCTION

In a series of investigations,⁽¹⁻⁹⁾ we reported excess molar enthalpies H^E , excess molar heat capacities C_p^E at constant pressure, and excess molar volumes V^E of binary liquid mixtures composed of either a five- or a six-membered cyclic ether and various second components. In order to obtain more information as to the influence of ring size upon thermodynamic mixing quantities, we also measured H^E of mixtures containing either cycloheptane or cyclooctane,⁽¹⁰⁾ and C_p^E and V^E of mixtures containing *trans, trans, cis*-1,5,9-cyclododecatriene.⁽¹¹⁾ As a sequel to these investigations we present here excess molar enthalpies at 298.15 K of the binary liquid mixtures methylcyclopentane (c-C₅H₉CH₃) + cyclopentane

($c\text{-C}_5\text{H}_{10}$), and + methylcyclohexane ($c\text{-C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3$), and of methylcyclohexane + n-heptane ($n\text{-C}_7\text{H}_{16}$), + n-decane ($n\text{-C}_{10}\text{H}_{22}$), + cyclopentane, + benzene (C_6H_6), and + tetrachloromethane (CCl_4). Contacts were maintained with Kohler's group in Bochum, who also studied the effect of addition of a methyl group to the cyclopentane and cyclohexane ring on excess properties of their mixtures with n-alkanes. (12-15)

2. EXPERIMENTAL

All liquids were of the best quality available from Fluka, that is of puriss. quality (n-heptane, cyclopentane, methylcyclopentane, methylcyclohexane, benzene, tetrachloromethane) or purum quality (n-decane: olefin free, purity >99%). They were carefully dried with molecular sieve (Union Carbide Type 4A, beads, from Fluka) and stored in the dark.

Excess molar enthalpies H^E were measured with a flow microcalorimeter of the Picker design (from Setaram) equipped with separators and operated in the discontinuous mode. The calorimeter was thermostatted to about ± 0.002 K as checked with a quartz thermometer (Hewlett-Packard, model 2801A). The maximum inaccuracy of the temperature readings is less than ± 0.005 K. Before being transferred to the separators, all liquids were degassed. H^E at any given composition was obtained as usual (16-18) from

$$H^E = (x_1 V_1^* + x_2 V_2^*) V_Z I L / (\ell f). \quad (1)$$

Here x_1 and $x_2 = 1 - x_1$ designate the mole fractions of component 1 and 2, respectively, V_1^* and V_2^* are the molar volumes of the pure liquids, $V_Z I$ is the electric power dissipated by the Zener diode during a separate electric calibration run (Joule effect), L/ℓ is the ratio of the distance of the recorder trace from the base line (obtained at steady state mixing conditions) to the distance corresponding to the calibration experiment, and f is the total flow rate. For details we refer to our earlier articles. The performance of the calorimeter was routinely controlled by measuring H^E at 298.15 K of selected test mixtures, say (benzene + cyclohexane), over the entire composition range. Agreement with recommended literature data (19) was always satisfactory, that is to say within 1% over most of

the composition range. All excess molar enthalpies are based on the relative atomic mass table of IUPAC, 1986.⁽²⁰⁾

3. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Experimental results for the excess molar enthalpies at 298.15 K are given in Table 1, while graphical representations are provided by Figs. 1 and 2. For each of the seven mixtures, H^E was fitted with a smoothing function of Redlich-Kister type, i.e.

$$H^E/\text{J}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1} = x_1x_2 \sum_{i=0}^k A_i (x_1 - x_2)^i. \quad (2)$$

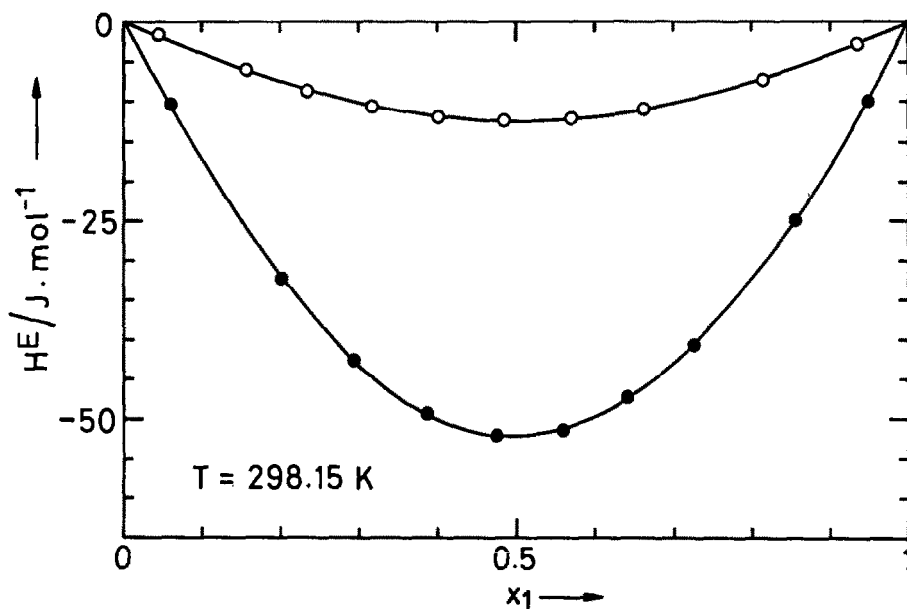


Fig.1. Excess molar enthalpies H^E at 298.15 K. Experimental results: O, $\{x_1\text{C-C}_5\text{H}_9\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{C-C}_5\text{H}_{10}\}$; ●, $\{x_1\text{C-C}_5\text{H}_9\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{C-C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3\}$; —, calculated from eqn.(2) with coefficients from Table 2.

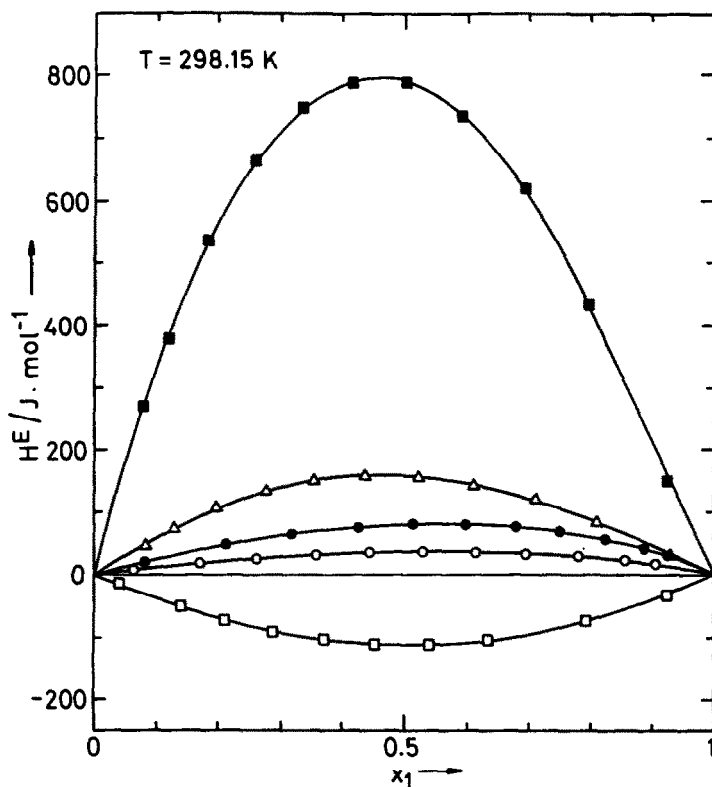


Fig.2. Excess molar enthalpies H^E at 298.15 K. Experimental results: \circ , $\{x_1\text{-C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{n-C}_7\text{H}_{16}\}$; \bullet , $\{x_1\text{-C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{n-C}_{10}\text{H}_{22}\}$; \square , $\{x_1\text{-C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{C}_5\text{H}_{10}\}$; \blacksquare , $\{x_1\text{-C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_6\}$; \triangle , $\{x_1\text{-C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{CCl}_4\}$; —, calculated from eqn.(2) with coefficients from Table 2.

The coefficients A_i and the corresponding standard deviations s are shown in Table 2. These coefficients were used to obtain the calculated curves in the figures.

Only for methylcyclohexane + n-heptane,⁽²¹⁻²⁵⁾ + cyclopentane,⁽²⁶⁾ + benzene^(27,28) and + tetrachloromethane⁽²⁹⁾ could we find published results on H^E . For $\{x_1\text{C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{n-C}_7\text{H}_{16}\}$ agreement with Lundberg's results⁽²⁴⁾

TABLE 1
 Excess molar enthalpies H^E for (methylcyclopentane + another liquid) and (methylcyclohexane + another liquid)
 at 298.15 K and atmospheric pressure

x_1	$H^E/\text{J}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$	x_1	$H^E/\text{J}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$	x_1	$H^E/\text{J}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$	x_1	$H^E/\text{J}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$
$\{x_1\text{-C}_5\text{H}_9\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{-C}_5\text{H}_{10}\}$							
0.0446	- 1.47	0.3159	-10.63	0.5699	-12.08	0.9322	-2.74
0.1561	- 6.01	0.4000	-11.93	0.6621	-10.94		
0.2332	- 8.62	0.4840	-12.37	0.8137	-7.22		
$\{x_1\text{-C}_5\text{H}_9\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{-C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3\}$							
0.0595	-10.03	0.3849	-49.31	0.6423	-47.24	0.9491	-9.74
0.2009	-32.37	0.4746	-52.04	0.7264	-40.51		
0.2918	-42.66	0.5597	-51.30	0.8554	-24.90		
$\{x_1\text{-C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{-C}_7\text{H}_{16}\}$							
0.0622	7.68	0.3575	31.14	0.6133	35.98	0.8550	21.41
0.1689	17.65	0.4437	34.97	0.6945	33.34	0.9042	15.98
0.2609	25.53	0.5285	36.43	0.7802	28.49		
$\{x_1\text{-C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{-C}_{10}\text{H}_{22}\}$							
0.0810	20.39	0.4250	75.16	0.6782	76.14	0.8867	40.59
0.2126	47.30	0.5144	80.18	0.7513	68.09	0.9262	29.86
0.3192	64.58	0.5983	80.33	0.8250	56.09		
$\{x_1\text{-C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{-C}_5\text{H}_{10}\}$							
0.0395	-12.8	0.2893	-92.0	0.5388	-112.3	0.9238	-32.6
0.1402	-49.9	0.3702	-104.6	0.6333	-105.9		
0.2114	-71.6	0.4526	-111.2	0.7938	-75.7		

TABLE 1 - continued

x_1	$H^E/J.\text{mol}^{-1}$	x_1	$H^E/J.\text{mol}^{-1}$	x_1	$H^E/J.\text{mol}^{-1}$	x_1	$H^E/J.\text{mol}^{-1}$
	$\{x_1C-C_6H_{11}CH_3 + x_2C_6H_6\}$						
0.0782	270.5	0.2604	665.2	0.5009	788.9	0.7975	433.8
0.1195	379.4	0.3354	748.6	0.5899	735.4	0.9234	150.6
0.1841	535.0	0.4166	790.0	0.6940	618.8		
	$\{x_1C-C_6H_{11}CH_3 + x_2CCl_4\}$						
0.0843	48.2	0.2766	134.2	0.5215	156.2	0.8105	83.2
0.1285	73.9	0.3540	151.5	0.6097	143.8	0.9291	28.9
0.1968	108.1	0.4368	159.7	0.7112	120.2		

TABLE 2

Coefficients A_i and standard deviations s for least-squares representation by eqn.(2) of H^E at 298.15 K.

Mixture	A_0	A_1	A_2	A_3	s
$x_1C-C_5H_9CH_3$					
+ $x_2C-C_5H_{10}$	-49.86	-0.10	8.16	-	0.17
+ $x_2C-C_6H_{11}CH_3$	-208.74	6.62	20.49	-21.95	0.16
$x_1C-C_6H_{11}CH_3$					
+ $x_2n-C_7H_{16}$	143.96	32.21	13.79	-	0.30
+ $x_2n-C_{10}H_{22}$	317.94	69.27	38.72	31.43	0.48
+ $x_2C-C_5H_{10}$	-453.9	-25.4	28.6	-	1.4
+ $x_2C_6H_6$	3169.8	-556.1	-237.1	-476.2	5.6
+ x_2CCl_4	637.7	-107.9	-94.8	-	2.0

$$H^E/\text{J.mol}^{-1} = x_1x_2[136.3 + 27.7(x_1 - x_2)] \quad (3)$$

is excellent, while those of Vesely et al.⁽²²⁾ are considerably lower and those of Alessi et al.⁽²³⁾ are much higher than our values. Holzhauer and Ziegler⁽²¹⁾ report enthalpy data at one composition only, that is at $x_1 = 0.5109$ and $298.15 \text{ K } H^E = 34.2 \text{ J.mol}^{-1}$, in excellent accord with our results. Similarly, upon interpolation Brandt's excess enthalpies⁽²⁵⁾ are very close to those determined by us. For $\{x_1\text{C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{C-C}_5\text{H}_{10}\}$ only H^E at equimolar composition has been measured previously: de St.Romain et al.⁽²⁶⁾ found $H^E(x_1=0.5) = -112 \text{ J.mol}^{-1}$, in excellent agreement with our $-113.5 \text{ J.mol}^{-1}$. Data on H^E of $\{x_1\text{C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_6\}$, obtained with Van Ness type isothermal displacement calorimeters, have been reported by Nagata et al.⁽²⁷⁾ as well as by Tanaka et al.⁽²⁸⁾. Both sets agree satisfactorily with our results. Finally, H^E of $\{x_1\text{C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{CH}_3 + x_2\text{CCl}_4\}$ has been measured with a flow calorimeter by Harsted and Thomsen.⁽²⁹⁾ Their values are very close to ours, i.e. at $x_1 = 0.5$ they report 162.8 J.mol^{-1} as compared to 159.4 J.mol^{-1} from our experiments.

A detailed discussion of our results in terms of the KGB group contribution theory⁽³⁰⁾ is in preparation.

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