

# Density, Excess Molar Volumes of Water-Ethanol Binary Mixtures at Various

**Temperatures** 

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## ABSTRACT

In the present work Densities of pure ethanol, water and its binary mixtures were measured at temperatures ranges from 293.15 to 313.15 K, over the whole mole fraction range of ethanol. Excess molar volume obtained is negative. Density and excess molar volumes plotted against mole fraction X1 of ethanol. **Keywords :** Ethanol, Water, Binary Mixtures, Density, Excess Molar Volume.

#### I. INTRODUCTION

Water is one of the most basic and important materials in living systems. Despite its apparent molecular simplicity, it has long been considered as complex nature [1]. Ethanol has been widely used in medicine and food. Especially, the interaction between ethanol and water molecules by hydrogen bonding is a central issue [2–4].

Ethanol has been used in the last few years as a distillation container or extractive solvent in the chemical industry, as a carrier or additive in food and pharmaceutical processes, and in antimicrobial applications for medical uses. This molecule contains a hydrophilic hydroxyl group which is available to hydrogen-bond of similar compounds, and a residual end conferring a degree of hydrophobicity on the molecule [5].

Mixtures of water with aliphatic alcohols are of considerable interest from the view point of the existence of some interaction, such as hydrogen bonding between water-which contains an –OH group and can act as a  $\pi$ -type donar – and alcohol molecules, which have one acidic H atom on the –OH group and can act as  $\sigma$ - acceptor [6]. The values of density of pure water is determined in previous work [7]

In this study, results obtained of density and excess molar volume of binary mixture formed by ethanol with water at temperature from 293.15 to 313.15 K are reported.

#### **II. EXPERIMENTAL SECTION**

#### Material:

Ethanol was supplied by Changzhou Yangquan chemical with purity (GC) 99.9%. In all experiment, triple distilled water was used.

#### Method:

Binary mixture was prepared by knowing masses of each liquid in airtight stoppered glass bottles. The densities of pure liquid and binary mixture of liquids were measured in 15 cm<sup>3</sup> double arm pycnometer [8-11]. This pycnometer was calibrated using conductivity water with 0.9970 cm<sup>-3</sup> at  $25^{\circ}$ C its density. The pycnometer filled with air bubble free experimental liquid was kept in a transparent walled water bath in which the temperature was maintained to attained thermal equilibrium. The position of the liquid level in the two arms was recorded with travelling microscope which read correctly to  $\pm 0.01$  mm. [12].

#### **III. RESULT AND DISCUSSION**

Density and excess molar volume of ethanol with water at temperatures from (293.15 to 313.15) K are shown in table 2 and in figures 1 and 2. Following equation is used to calculate excess molar volume  $V^{E}$  [13].

$$V^{E} = \frac{(X_{1}M_{1} + X_{2}M_{2})}{\rho_{12}} - \left(\frac{X_{1}M_{1}}{\rho_{1}}\right) - \left(\frac{X_{2}M_{2}}{\rho_{2}}\right)$$

Where,  $X_1$ ,  $X_2$  are mole fractions,  $M_1$ ,  $M_2$  are molecular weights and  $\rho_1$ ,  $\rho_2$  are density of components 1 & 2 respectively of binary mixtures.  $\rho_{12}$  is the mixtures density.

Densities of ethanol with water is determined at temperatures from 293.15 to 313.15 K. the densities of the pure ethanol are shown in table 1 along with the literature values. From table 1 it is seen that there is closeness between experimental values and literature

values. The results obtained are satisfactory. The density and corresponding  $V^E$  data of the binary systems of ethanol with water is shown in table 2 at different temperatures. Figure1 shows the plots of densities as a function of mole fraction of ethanol in water. Continuous decrease in density at the same rate on addition of ethanol in water is observed. Excess molar volumes,  $V^E$  for ethanol in water have been plotted in figure 2 from this fig.  $V^E$  Found to be negative.

Tomp (T/K)	Density (ρ·	$10^{-3}(\text{kg}\cdot\text{m}^{-3})$
1 emp. (1/K)	Expt.	Lit.
293.15	0.7892	-
295.15	0.7876	-
298.15	0.7851	0.7850[14]
300.15	0.7835	-
303.15	0.7809	-
305.15	0.7792	-
308.15	0.7768	0.7771[15]
310.15	0.7750	-
313.15	0.7731	0.7731[15]

**Table 1.** Densities (p) of pure ethanol at various temperatures (T/K)

**Table 2.** Density ( $\rho$ ), Excess molar volume (V<sup>E</sup>) for various mole fractions (X<sub>1</sub>) of ethanol at (293.15 to 313.15) K

T/IZ	$\mathbf{X}_{1}$	ρ·10 <sup>-3</sup>	$\mathbf{V}^{\mathrm{E}}.10^{6}$	T/K	ρ·10 <sup>-3</sup>	$\mathbf{V}^{\mathrm{E}}$ .10 <sup>6</sup>
1/K	Ethanol	$(kg \cdot m^{-3})$	$(m^3 \cdot mol^{-1})$	1/K	(kg·m <sup>-3</sup> )	$(\mathbf{m}^3 \cdot \mathbf{mol}^{-1})$
	0.0000	0.9975	0.0000		0.9944	0.0000
	0.0416	0.9816	-0.1962		0.9778	-0.2057
	0.0891	0.9683	-0.4669		0.9628	-0.4624
293 15	0.1436	0.9532	-0.7228	305 15	0.9458	-0.6964
290.10	0.2068	0.9348	-0.9200	500.10	0.9261	-0.8798
	0.2812	0.9137	-1.0466		0.9044	-1.0026
	0.3698	0.8990	-1.3903		0.8810	-1.0550
	0.4772	0.8677	-1.1086		0.8576	-1.0674

	0.6100	0.8430	-0.9800		0.8327	-0.9428
	0.7788	0.8178	-0.7124	-	0.8076	-0.6902
	1.0000	0.7892	0.0000	-	0.7792	0.0000
	0.0000	0.9970	0.0000		0.9934	0.0000
	0.0416	0.9810	-0.1975	-	0.9767	-0.2100
	0.0891	0.9675	-0.4666		0.9613	-0.4639
	0.1436	0.9520	-0.7172		0.9438	-0.6912
	0.2068	0.9334	-0.9114	-	0.9239	-0.8715
295.15	0.2812	0.9122	-1.0379	308.15	0.9019	-0.9919
	0.3698	0.8892	-1.0902		0.8785	-1.0450
	0.4772	0.8660	-1.0982		0.8551	-1.0583
	0.6100	0.8412	-0.9708		0.8300	-0.9309
	0.7788	0.8161	-0.7070		0.8049	-0.6762
	1.0000	0.7876	0.0000		0.7768	0.0000
	0.0000	0.9963	0.0000		0.9927	0.0000
	0.0416	0.9802	-0.2011		0.9760	-0.2114
	0.0891	0.9662	-0.4667		0.9603	-0.4622
	0.1436	0.9502	-0.7115		0.9424	-0.6842
	0.2068	0.9312	-0.9017		0.9224	-0.8649
298.15	0.2812	0.9099	-1.0285	310.15	0.9004	-0.9874
	0.3698	0.8868	-1.0807	-	0.8768	-1.0381
	0.4772	0.8635	-1.0908	-	0.8533	-1.0507
	0.6100	0.8387	-0.9622	-	0.8283	-0.9277
	0.7788	0.8136	-0.7053	-	0.8032	-0.6778
	1.0000	0.7851	0.0000	-	0.7750	0.0000
	0.0000	0.9958	0.0000		0.9916	0.0000
	0.0416	0.9796	-0.1817		0.9747	-0.2136
	0.0891	0.9653	-0.4451	-	0.9587	-0.4637
	0.1436	0.9489	-0.6870	-	0.9404	-0.6830
	0.2068	0.9299	-0.8789	-	0.9200	-0.8583
300.15	0.2812	0.9084	-1.0052	313.15	0.8978	-0.9773
	0.3698	0.8851	-1.0564	1	0.8743	-1.0342
	0.4772	0.8619	-1.0699	]	0.8507	-1.0494
	0.6100	0.8370	-0.9480		0.8256	-0.9230
	0.7788	0.8119	-0.6919		0.8005	-0.6732
	1.0000	0.7835	0.0000	]	0.7723	0.0000

0.0000	0.9950	0.0000
0.0416	0.9786	-0.2059
0.0891	0.9639	-0.4660
0.1436	0.9471	-0.7024
0.2068	0.9275	-0.8855
0.2812	0.9058	-1.0084
0.3698	0.8826	-1.0635
0.4772	0.8593	-1.0745
0.6100	0.8344	-0.9485
0.7788	0.8093	-0.6954
1.0000	0.7809	0.0000
	0.0000 0.0416 0.0891 0.1436 0.2068 0.2812 0.3698 0.4772 0.6100 0.7788 1.0000	0.00000.99500.04160.97860.08910.96390.14360.94710.20680.92750.28120.90580.36980.88260.47720.85930.61000.83440.77880.80931.00000.7809



Figure 1. Plot of density ( $\rho$ ) Vs mole fraction (X<sub>1</sub>) of ethanol in water system at 293.15 to 313.15 K.



Figure 2. Plot of Excess molar volume ( $V^E$ ) Vs X<sub>1</sub> for ethanol in water at 293.15 to 313.15 K.

### **IV. CONCLUSION**

Densities, Excess molar volume of pure water, ethanol and in water-ethanol binary mixtures is measured at temperatures from 293.15 to 313.15 K. Continuous decrease in density at the same rate on addition of ethanol in water are observed and excess molar volume is found to be negative.

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