

# Solubility Of Acetanilide In Pure And Mixed Solvents At 288.15 To 313.15 K And Its Correlation With Thermodynamic Model

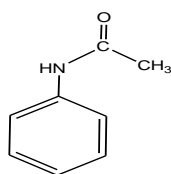
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**Abstract:** The solubility of Acetanilide in pure ethanol, water and ethanol + water solvents mixture were determined by using gravimetric method at the temperature ranging from (288.15 to 313.15) K. The solubility of acetanilide increases with increasing mole fraction of organic solvent and temperature. The solubility was correlated by using modified Apelblat equation. By using van't Hoff equation, the dissolution enthalpy, entropy and Gibbs free energy are predicted in aqueous co-solvent mixtures of ethanol.

**Keywords:** Acetanilide, Ethanol, Solubility, Enthalpy, Entropy.

## 1 INTRODUCTION

The chemical structure of acetanilide is as



Solid-liquid equilibrium (SLE) data are useful for the design and optimization of crystallization processes [1]. The acetanilide was the first aniline derivative has antipyretic as well as analgesic properties [2]. Y. Baena et.al. measured solubility of acetanilide in water, octanol, isopropyl myristate and chloroform at several temperatures [3] R.R. Pawar et.al. measured solubility and determined the thermodynamic functions of acetanilide in n-propanol + water at various mole fractions [4]. Y. Baena et.al. determined solubility of acetanilide in water and octanol at 25°C [5]. However there is no data available for solubility of acetanilide in pure ethanol and water-ethanol solvent mixtures. In present work, systematic study of solubility of acetanilide in pure ethanol and water + ethanol solvent mixtures over the whole composition range at 288.15 to 313.15 K are reported.

## 2 MATERIALS AND METHODS

### Material

Acetanilide were purchased from spectrochem (purity 99 %), Ethanol were purchased from fisher scientific (purity 99.5 %). Method The solubility of acetanilide was measured using an apparatus similar to that described as in the literature [6-8].

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An excess amount of acetanilide was added to the binary solvent mixture prepared by weight (Scale-Tec) with an accuracy of  $\pm 0.1$  mg, in a specially designed 100 ml double jacketed flask. Water was circulated between inner and outer walls of the flask. The temperature of the circulating water was controlled by thermostat within ( $\pm 0.1$ ) K. The solution was continuously stirred using a magnetic stirrer for long time so that equilibrium is assured, and the temperature of solution is same as that of circulating water; the stirrer was switched off; and the solution was allowed to stand for 1 hour. Then a fixed quantity of the supernatant liquid was withdrawn from the flask in a weighing bottle with the help of pipette which is hotter than the solution. By using electronic balance the mass of solution were weighed and kept in an oven at 343 K until the whole solvent was evaporated and the residue was completely dry. This was confirmed by weighing two or three times until a constant weight was obtained after keeping the sample in an oven for another 30 minutes every time. The solubility has been calculated using weight of solute and weight of solution. The same procedure was repeated three times. The mean value of the three determinations was applied to calculate the mole fraction solubility ( $x_B$ ). The mole fraction solubility ( $x_B$ ), and is as the initial mole fraction of solvent mixture ( $x_C^0$ ) is calculated by Eq. 1 and 2.

$$x_B = \frac{m_3}{m_2 + \sum_{i=2}^n m_i} \quad (1)$$

$$x_C^0 = \frac{M_2}{m_2 + m_3} \quad (2)$$

Where,  $m_3$ = mass of the solute,  $M_3$ = molecular weight of solute,  $m_i$ = mass of the solvent,  $M_i$ = molecular weight of solvent, in this  $n=2$  for single solvent and 3 for mixed solvent.  $m_2$  &  $m_3$ = mass of water and alcohol, respectively,  $M_2$  &  $M_3$ = molecular weight of water and alcohol, respectively [9].

## 3 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

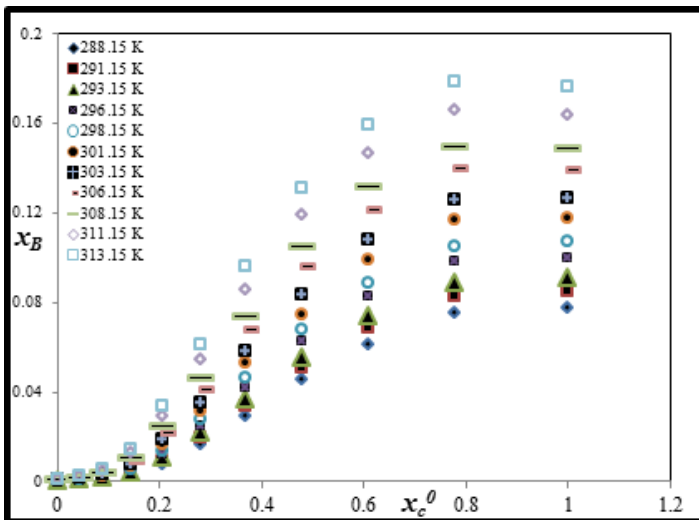
### Solubility data

Table 1 show the experimental and calculated (using Apelblat

equation) values of solubility ( $x_B$ ) of acetanilide at 288.15 to 313.15 K in water + ethanol. Variation of solubility with  $x_C^0$  is visually shown in Figures 1.

**Table 1:** Experimental  $x_{B(\text{exp.})}$  and calculated  $x_{B(\text{cal.})}$  values of mole fraction solubility of acetanilide for various initial mole fractions,  $x_C^0$ , of ethanol at temperatures (288.15 to 313.15) K

T/K	$x_C^0$	$x_{B(\text{exp.})} \times 10^{-2}$	$x_{B(\text{cal.})} \times 10^{-2}$	RD	
288.15	0.0000	0.0566	0.0566	0.0006	
	0.0416	0.0860	0.0854	0.0077	
	0.0891	0.1445	0.1440	0.0036	
	0.1436	0.3317	0.3266	0.0153	
	0.2068	0.8061	0.8117	-0.0069	
	0.2812	1.6859	1.6944	-0.0050	
	0.3698	2.9628	2.9672	-0.0015	
	0.4772	4.5300	4.5496	-0.0043	
	0.6100	6.1432	6.1451	-0.0003	
	0.7788	7.5224	7.4927	0.0040	
291.15	1.0000	7.7583	7.7597	-0.0002	
	0.0000	0.0626	0.0632	-0.0092	
	0.0416	0.0971	0.0983	-0.0120	
	0.0891	0.1687	0.1692	-0.0029	
	0.1436	0.3781	0.3874	-0.0246	
	0.2068	0.9574	0.9521	0.0055	
	0.2812	1.9513	1.9486	0.0014	
	0.3698	3.3808	3.3728	0.0024	
	0.4772	5.1086	5.1035	0.0010	
	0.6100	6.8662	6.8625	0.0005	
293.15	0.7788	8.2462	8.2906	-0.0054	
	1.0000	8.5330	8.5392	-0.0007	
	0.0000	0.0687	0.0679	0.0118	
	0.0416	0.1055	0.1077	-0.0206	
	0.0891	0.1882	0.1885	-0.0020	
	0.1436	0.4356	0.4347	0.0019	
	0.2068	1.0626	1.0609	0.0016	
	0.2812	2.1527	2.1442	0.0039	
	0.3698	3.6751	3.6813	-0.0017	
	0.4772	5.5556	5.5207	0.0063	
296.15	0.6100	7.4071	7.3917	0.0021	
	0.7788	8.8863	8.8740	0.0014	
	1.0000	9.1282	9.1060	0.0024	
	0.0000	0.0761	0.0753	0.0104	
	0.0416	0.1259	0.1232	0.0221	
	0.0891	0.2223	0.2219	0.0018	
	0.1436	0.5189	0.5178	0.0020	
	0.2068	1.2566	1.2510	0.0044	
	0.2812	2.4999	2.4836	0.0065	
	0.3698	4.2215	4.2104	0.0026	
298.15	0.4772	6.2494	6.2292	0.0032	
	0.6100	8.2741	8.2709	0.0004	
	0.7788	9.8221	9.8342	-0.0012	
	1.0000	10.0189	10.0337	-0.0015	
	0.0000	0.0806	0.0805	0.0010	
	0.0416	0.1371	0.1344	0.0198	
	0.0891	0.2481	0.2475	0.0024	
	0.1436	0.5806	0.5827	-0.0036	
	0.2068	1.4041	1.3986	0.0040	
	0.2812	2.7503	2.7455	0.0018	
301.15	0.3698	4.6026	4.6136	-0.0024	
	0.4772	6.8055	6.7638	0.0061	
	0.6100	8.8938	8.9198	-0.0029	
	0.7788	10.5166	10.5366	-0.0019	
	1.0000	10.6962	10.7083	-0.0011	
	0.0000	0.0866	0.0888	-0.0255	
	0.0416	0.1522	0.1528	-0.0035	
	0.0891	0.2860	0.2918	-0.0204	
	303.15	0.1436	0.6989	0.6969	0.0029
		0.2068	1.6428	1.6571	-0.0087
0.2812		3.1763	3.2012	-0.0078	
0.3698		5.3007	5.3066	-0.0011	
0.4772		7.4947	7.6731	-0.0238	
0.6100		9.9299	9.9985	-0.0069	
0.7788		11.6798	11.6931	-0.0011	
1.0000		11.7833	11.8128	-0.0025	
0.0000		0.0941	0.0946	-0.0052	
0.0416		0.1650	0.1660	-0.0061	
306.15	0.0891	0.3283	0.3258	0.0078	
	0.1436	0.7943	0.7862	0.0102	
	0.2068	1.8593	1.8582	0.0006	
	0.2812	3.5509	3.5536	-0.0008	
	0.3698	5.8544	5.8359	0.0032	
	0.4772	8.3857	8.3604	0.0030	
	0.6100	10.8315	10.7952	0.0034	
	0.7788	12.5748	12.5392	0.0028	
	1.0000	12.6548	12.6162	0.0030	
	0.0000	0.1007	0.1038	-0.0301	
308.15	0.0416	0.1849	0.1876	-0.0145	
	0.0891	0.3924	0.3846	0.0198	
	0.1436	0.9422	0.9437	-0.0016	
	0.2068	2.2055	2.2113	-0.0026	
	0.2812	4.1502	4.1688	-0.0045	
	0.3698	6.7600	6.7477	0.0018	
	0.4772	9.5809	9.5318	0.0051	
	0.6100	12.1672	12.1201	0.0039	
	0.7788	13.9820	13.9330	0.0035	
	1.0000	13.9310	13.9317	0.0005	
311.15	0.0000	0.1172	0.1102	0.0599	
	0.0416	0.2026	0.2032	-0.0030	
	0.0891	0.4288	0.4297	-0.0020	
	0.1436	1.0696	1.0670	0.0024	
	0.2068	2.4834	2.4867	-0.0013	
	0.2812	4.6512	4.6458	0.0012	
	0.3698	7.4196	7.4456	-0.0035	
	0.4772	10.4783	10.4189	0.0057	
	0.6100	13.1428	13.0990	0.0033	
	0.7788	14.9867	14.9529	0.0023	
313.15	1.0000	14.9184	14.8888	0.0020	
	0.0000	0.1281	0.1268	0.0010	
	0.0416	0.2299	0.2283	0.0067	
	0.0891	0.5018	0.5078	-0.0121	
	0.1436	1.2758	1.2850	-0.0072	
	0.2068	2.9611	2.9711	-0.0034	
	0.2812	5.4894	5.4808	0.0016	
	0.3698	8.6074	8.6505	-0.0050	
	0.4772	11.9013	11.9335	-0.0027	
	0.6100	14.6944	14.7279	-0.0023	
313.15	0.7788	16.5553	16.6336	-0.0047	
	1.0000	16.3972	16.4562	-0.0036	
	0.0000	0.1367	0.1368	-0.0004	
	0.0416	0.2470	0.2464	0.0024	
	0.0891	0.5696	0.5679	0.0031	
	0.1436	1.4578	1.4560	0.0012	
	0.2068	3.3688	3.3496	0.0057	
	0.2812	6.1394	6.1301	0.0015	
	0.3698	9.6196	9.5746	0.0047	
	0.4772	13.0763	13.0825	-0.0005	
313.15	0.6100	15.9114	15.9320	-0.0013	
	0.7788	17.8712	17.8638	0.0004	
313.15	1.0000	17.6196	17.5967	0.0013	



**Fig 1:** Variation in mole fraction solubility ( $x_B$ ) of acetanilide with initial mole fraction ( $x_C^0$ ) of ethanol.

The solubility of acetanilide increases with increasing temperature. Acetanilide is an organic compound; naturally the solubility is more in ethanol as compared with water. In mixed solvents with water as the proportion of organic solvent increases, as expected the solubility also increases. Modified Apelblat Equation The modified Apelblat equation can be used to correlate the solubility and temperature as follows [10].

$$\ln x_B = A + \frac{B}{T} + C \ln T \tag{3}$$

A, B, and C are empirical constant and T is temperature in Kelvin. The value A and B represents the variation in the solution coefficient and the C value represents the effect of temperature on the fusion enthalpy [11]. Relative deviation (RD) [12] was calculated using equation 4.

$$RD = \frac{x_B - x_B^c}{x_B^c} \tag{4}$$

From table 1 it can be seen that there is an excellent agreement between experimental and calculated values of mole fraction solubility. The values of parameters A, B and C along with co-relation coefficient ( $R^2$ ) are listed in table 2.

**Table 2:** Parameters (A, B, C) and correlation coefficient ( $R^2$ ) of Apelblat equation

	$x_C^0$	A	B	C	$R^2$
E + W	0.0000	-293.970	10182.1	44.3492	0.9939
	0.0416	73.8902	-6856.09	-10.0932	0.9985
	0.0891	-266.895	7476.91	41.3887	0.9994
	0.1436	-378.908	12156.1	58.4439	0.9995
	0.2068	-397.964	13285.5	61.2773	0.9998
	0.2812	-448.284	15973.2	68.6454	0.9999
	0.3698	-394.588	13942.3	60.5077	0.9999
	0.4772	-367.121	13082.8	56.2601	0.9994
	0.6100	-211.563	6445.47	32.9134	0.9998
	0.7788	-184.290	5488.54	28.7193	0.9998
1.0000	-167.334	4883.37	26.1023	0.9999	

**Thermodynamics functions of dissolution**

According to the van't Hoff equation, the standard molar enthalpy change of solution  $\Delta H_{sol}^0$  is generally obtained from the slope of the  $\ln x_B$  versus  $(1/T - 1/T_{hm})$  plot. Average temperature  $T_{hm}$  is introduced to obtain a single value of  $\Delta G_{sol}^0$  and  $\Delta S_{sol}^0$  in the temperature range studied

$$T_{hm} = \frac{T}{1 - \frac{1}{T}} \tag{5}$$

In the work,  $T_{hm} = 300.8773$  K. The values of  $\Delta H_{sol}^0$  are derived using equation 6.

$$\Delta H_{sol}^0 = -R \left( \frac{\partial \ln x_B}{\partial (1/T)} \right) = -R \left[ \frac{\partial \ln x_B}{\partial (1/T)} \right] \tag{6}$$

The values of slope and intercept of  $\ln x_B$  versus  $(1/T - 1/T_{hm})$  plot for different solutions including pure solvents and binary solvent mixtures are listed in Table 3. The  $\Delta G_{sol}^0$  can be calculated in the way similar to Krug et al [13] as

$$\Delta G_{sol}^0 = -RT_{hm} \times \text{intercept} \tag{7}$$

The standard molar entropy change  $\Delta S_{sol}^0$  is obtained from

$$\Delta S_{sol}^0 = \frac{(\Delta H_{sol}^0 - \Delta G_{sol}^0)}{T} \tag{8}$$

Both  $\Delta G_{sol}^0$  and  $\Delta S_{sol}^0$  pertain to the mean temperature  $T_{hm} = 300.8773$  K.

The results are shown in table 4 and 5, along with relative contribution of enthalpy (%  $\zeta_H$ ) and entropy (%  $\zeta_{TS}$ ) given by equation 9 and 10 respectively [14].

$$\% \zeta_H = \frac{|\Delta H_{sol}^0|}{|\Delta H_{sol}^0| + T|\Delta S_{sol}^0|} \times 100 \tag{9}$$

$$\% \zeta_{TS} = \frac{T|\Delta S_{sol}^0|}{|\Delta H_{sol}^0| + T|\Delta S_{sol}^0|} \times 100 \tag{10}$$

The values of  $\Delta H_{sol}^0$  and  $\Delta S_{sol}^0$  for all the solutions are positive indicating the solution process as endothermic. The contribution of enthalpy to positive molar Gibbs energy is more as compared to entropy for all solutions.

**Table 3:** Slope (m) and intercept (c) of the  $\ln x_B$  versus  $(1/T - 1/T_{hm})$  plot along with  $R^2$ .


Acetanilide + Ethanol + Water			
$x_C^0$	m	c	$R^2$
0.0000	-3144	-7.025	0.991
0.0416	-3823	-6.499	0.998
0.0891	-4959	-5.837	0.998
0.1436	-5405	-4.962	0.998
0.2068	-5127	-4.094	0.998
0.2812	-4653	-3.432	0.997
0.3698	-4239	-2.928	0.997
0.4772	-3822	-2.559	0.996
0.6100	-3444	-2.301	0.998
0.7788	-3141	-2.145	0.998
1.0000	-2959	-2.136	0.999

**Table 4:** Thermodynamic parameters of Acetanilide at  $T_{hm} = 300.8773$  K

$x_C^0$	$\Delta H_{sol}^0/kJ \cdot K^{-1} \cdot mol^{-1}$	$\Delta G_{sol}^0/kJ \cdot K^{-1} \cdot mol^{-1}$	$\Delta S_{sol}^0/kJ \cdot K^{-1} \cdot mol^{-1}$	$T\Delta S_{sol}^0/kJ \cdot K^{-1} \cdot mol^{-1}$
Acetanilide + Ethanol + Water				
0.0000	26.1392	17.5730	0.0285	8.5662
0.0416	31.7844	16.2572	0.0516	15.5272
0.0891	41.2291	14.6012	0.0885	26.6279
0.1436	44.9372	12.4124	0.1081	32.5248
0.2068	42.6259	10.2411	0.1076	32.3848
0.2812	38.685	8.5851	0.1000	30.0999

0.3698	35.2430	7.3244	0.0928	27.9187
0.4772	31.7761	6.4013	0.0843	25.3748
0.6100	28.6334	5.7559	0.0760	22.8775
0.7788	26.1143	5.3657	0.0690	20.7486
1.0000	24.6011	5.3432	0.0640	19.2579

**Table 5:** Relative contribution of enthalpy (%  $\zeta H$ ) and entropy (%  $\zeta TS$ )

	% $\zeta H$	% $\zeta TS$
0.0000	75.3174	24.6807
0.0416	67.1810	32.8190
0.0891	60.7588	39.2412
0.1436	58.0119	41.9881
0.2068	56.8264	43.1736
0.2812	56.2406	43.7594
0.3698	55.7981	44.2019
0.4772	55.6004	44.3996
0.6100	55.5871	44.4129
0.7788	55.7249	44.2751
1.0000	56.0913	43.9087

## 4 CONCLUSIONS

This paper reports experimental data for the solubility of acetanilide in pure water, ethanol and binary mixtures of water-ethanol from (288.15-313.15) K. the solubility of acetanilide was increase with increasing temperature. The thermodynamic aspects of the solubility process of acetanilide in binary mixtures were studied in order to select the best solvent and optimize its solubility.

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