



CHEMICAL ENGINEERING THERMODYNAMICS II (0905323)  
06 -THERMODYNAMICS OF MULTICOMPONENT MIXTURES

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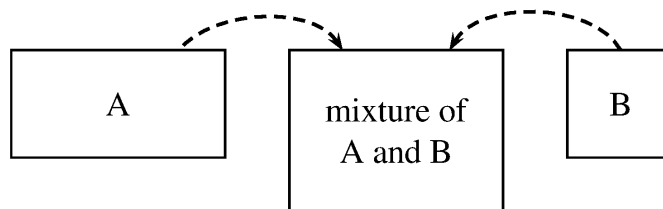
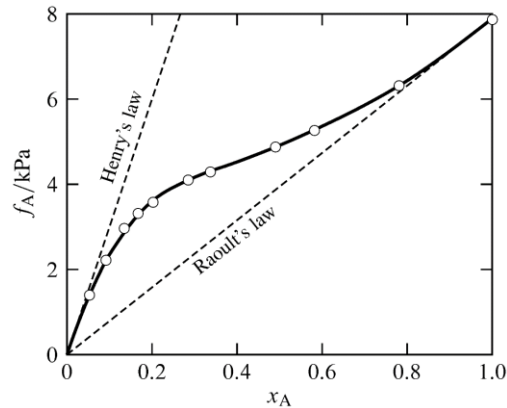
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## Scope

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- This lecture is concerned with the relationship between thermodynamic properties and the temperature, pressure, and composition of a mixture.
- The difference between pure component and mixture description is due to the **added composition dependence**.



## Differences Between Pure Component & Mixtures

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- For a pure component we can write the thermal EOS as

$$U = U(T, P) \Rightarrow u = u(T, P)$$

$$V = V(T, P) \Rightarrow v = v(T, P)$$

- For a mixture containing  $C$  components

$$U = U(T, P, N_1, \dots, N_C) = U(T, P, \mathbf{N})$$

$$u = u(T, P, x_1, \dots, x_{C-1}) = u(T, P, \mathbf{x})$$

$$V = V(T, P, N_1, \dots, N_C) = V(T, P, \mathbf{N})$$

$$v = v(T, P, x_1, \dots, x_{C-1}) = v(T, P, \mathbf{x})$$

- Notice the use of **boldface** notation to indicate a vector of variables (**N** & **x**).



## Definitions

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- The mole fraction is defined as

$$x_i = \frac{N_i}{N}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, C$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^C x_i = 1$$

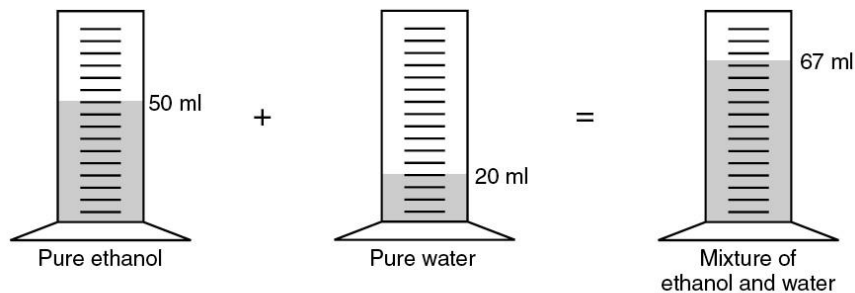
- $C$  is the number of components, and subscript  $i$  indicates  $i^{\text{th}}$  component in the mixture.
- We prefer to deal with the number of moles rather than mole fraction.
  - Mathematically, the number of moles of a component can be changed while fixing the number of moles of other components.
  - This is not the case for mole fractions. Changing one mole fraction will change the rest of mole fractions.



## Naïve Approach to Composition Dependence

- We want to know the concentration dependence of the mixture.
- The naïve approach is to postulate that each thermodynamic mixture property is the sum of the analogous properties for the pure component at the same  $(T,P)$  weighted with their fractional compositions e.g.

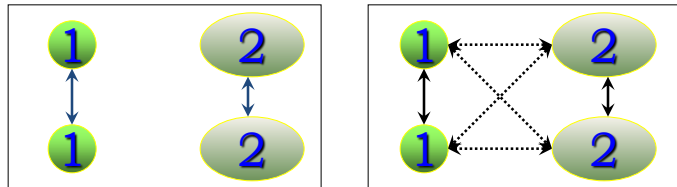
$$u(T, P, \mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^C x_i u_i(T, P)$$



**Figure 6.5** Mixing of ethanol and water.

## Why the Naïve Approach Fails?

- Unfortunately, this is not an accurate representation of the mixture properties.
- Mixtures deviate from this naïve description due to the cross term interactions not accounted for by this approach.



## Property Changes on Mixing

- Evidently, there is a property change on mixing. Property changes on mixing are defined as

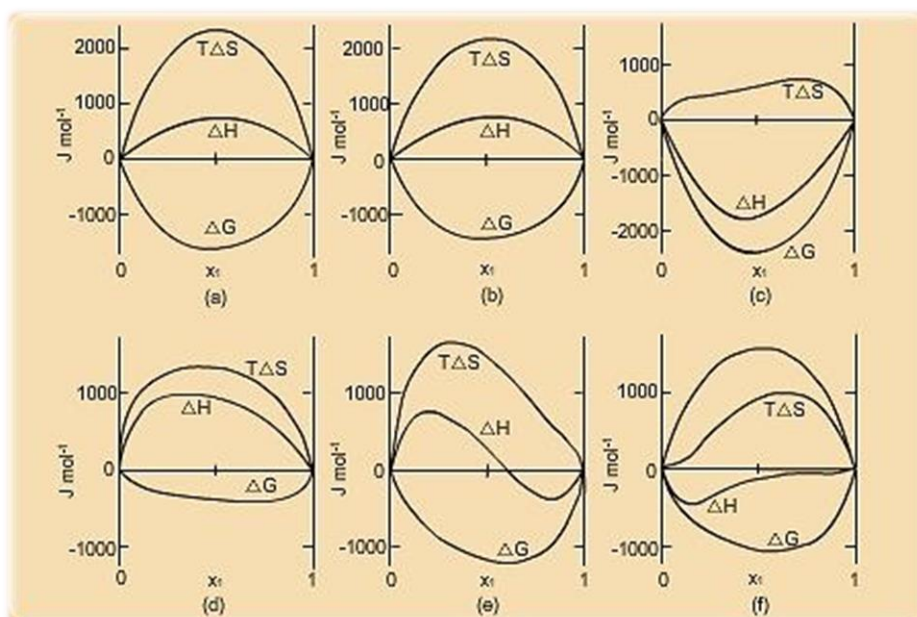
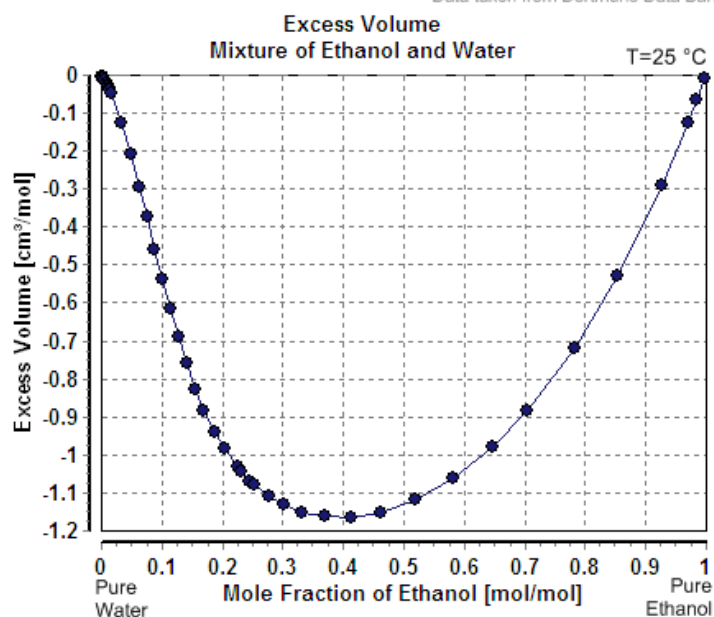
$$\left( \begin{array}{c} \text{Property change} \\ \text{on mixing} \end{array} \right) = \left( \begin{array}{c} \text{Actual mixture} \\ \text{property} \end{array} \right) - \left( \begin{array}{c} \text{Naïve approach} \\ \text{value} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\Delta h_{\text{mix}} = h(T, P, \mathbf{x}) - \sum_{i=1}^C x_i h_i(T, P)$$

$$\Delta v_{\text{mix}} = v(T, P, \mathbf{x}) - \sum_{i=1}^C x_i v_i(T, P)$$



Data taken from Dortmund Data Bank



## Partial Molar Properties

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- Define any partial molar property as

$$\bar{\theta}_i = \bar{\theta}_i(T, P, \mathbf{x}) = \left. \frac{\partial(N\theta)}{\partial N_i} \right|_{T, P, N_{j \neq i}}$$

- This leads to defining mixture properties in terms of partial molar quantities as

$$\theta = \sum_{i=1}^C x_i \bar{\theta}_i(T, P, \mathbf{x})$$



## Mixture Properties & Partial Molar Quantities

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- The mixture property expression is similar in form to the naïve approach form.
- The major difference is that the partial molar quantities are mixture properties that needs to be known/obtained, while the naïve approach is based solely on pure component properties.
- The partial molar property is generally not equal to the pure component molar property

$$\theta_i(T, P) \neq \bar{\theta}_i(T, P, \mathbf{x})$$



## Notation for Partial Molar Quantities

Name	Symbol	Derivative	Mixture Property
<b>Partial</b> molar internal energy	$\bar{u}_i$	$\left( \frac{\partial(Nu)}{\partial N_i} \right)_{T,P,N_{j \neq i}}$	$u = \sum_{i=1}^C x_i \bar{u}_i$
<b>Partial</b> molar volume	$\bar{v}_i$	$\left( \frac{\partial(Nv)}{\partial N_i} \right)_{T,P,N_{j \neq i}}$	$v = \sum_{i=1}^C x_i \bar{v}_i$
<b>Partial</b> molar enthalpy	$\bar{h}_i$	$\left( \frac{\partial(Nh)}{\partial N_i} \right)_{T,P,N_{j \neq i}}$	$h = \sum_{i=1}^C x_i \bar{h}_i$
<b>Partial</b> molar entropy	$\bar{s}_i$	$\left( \frac{\partial(Ns)}{\partial N_i} \right)_{T,P,N_{j \neq i}}$	$s = \sum_{i=1}^C x_i \bar{s}_i$
<b>Partial</b> molar Gibbs energy	$\bar{g}_i$	$\left( \frac{\partial(Ng)}{\partial N_i} \right)_{T,P,N_{j \neq i}}$	$g = \sum_{i=1}^C x_i \bar{g}_i$
<b>Partial</b> molar Helmholtz energy	$\bar{a}_i$	$\left( \frac{\partial(Na)}{\partial N_i} \right)_{T,P,N_{j \neq i}}$	$a = \sum_{i=1}^C x_i \bar{a}_i$



## Property Changes on Mixing

- We can make use of the definition of partial molar properties to obtain an expression for the “property changes on mixing”

$$\left( \begin{array}{c} \text{Property Change} \\ \text{on mixing} \end{array} \right) = \left( \begin{array}{c} \text{Actual Mixture} \\ \text{Property} \end{array} \right) - \left( \begin{array}{c} \text{Mixture Property} \\ \text{via the naive approach} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\Delta \theta_{\text{mix}}(T, P, N_1, \dots, N_C) = \theta(T, P, N_1, \dots, N_C) - \sum_{i=1}^C N_i \theta_i(T, P)$$

- The mixture property is obtainable from the partial molar property as

$$\theta = \sum_{i=1}^C x_i \bar{\theta}_i(T, P, \mathbf{N})$$





## Enthalpy & Volume Changes on Mixing

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### ■ Volume change on mixing

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta V_{\text{mix}}(T, P, \mathbf{N}) &= V(T, P, \mathbf{N}) - \sum_{i=1}^C N_i v_i(T, P) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^C N_i [\bar{v}_i(T, P, \mathbf{N}) - v_i(T, P)]\end{aligned}$$

### ■ Enthalpy change on mixing

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta H_{\text{mix}}(T, P, \mathbf{N}) &= H(T, P, \mathbf{N}) - \sum_{i=1}^C N_i h_i(T, P) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^C N_i [\bar{h}_i(T, P, \mathbf{N}) - h_i(T, P)]\end{aligned}$$



## Other Properties

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### ■ Similar expressions can be obtained for other properties. The equivalent of pure component properties are obtained by using partial molar properties in a mixture

### ■ Consider the Helmholtz free energy

#### ■ Pure Component

#### ■ Mixture $a = u - Ts$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial}{\partial N_i}(Na)|_{T, P, N_{j \neq i}} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial N_i}(Nu)|_{T, P, N_{j \neq i}} - T \frac{\partial}{\partial N_i}(Ns)|_{T, P, N_{j \neq i}} \\ \bar{a}_i &= \bar{u}_i - T\bar{s}_i\end{aligned}$$



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- Consider the partial molar heat capacity at a constant pressure for a mixture

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{c}_{P,i} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial N_i} (Nc_P) \Big|_{T,P,N_{j \neq i}} = \frac{\partial}{\partial N_i} \Big|_{T,P,N_{j \neq i}} \frac{\partial}{\partial T} (Nh) \Big|_{P,N_j} \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \Big|_{P,N_j} \frac{\partial (Nh)}{\partial N_i} \Big|_{T,P,N_{j \neq i}} = \left( \frac{\partial \bar{h}_i}{\partial T} \right) \Big|_{P,N_j}\end{aligned}$$

- Shows that the partial molar heat capacity for a mixture is defined in a manner similar to that for a pure component.



For each relationship among the thermodynamic variables in a pure fluid, there exists an identical relationship for the partial molar thermodynamic properties in a mixture!

Ex: The enthalpy of a binary liquid system of species (1) & (2) at fixed  $T$  and  $P$  is represented by the eqn.:

$$H = 400x_1 + 600x_2 + 500x_1x_2 \quad H \text{ in KJ/Kg.}$$

- Find an expression for  $\bar{H}_1$  and  $\bar{H}_2$  as a function of mole fraction  $x_1, x_2$
- Determine the values  $\bar{H}_1^\infty, \bar{H}_2^\infty$
- Determine the values  $H_1, H_2$

Soln.

$$a. \quad H = 400x_1 + 600x_2 + 500x_1x_2$$

$$H = 400 \frac{n_1}{n_T} + 600 \frac{n_2}{n_T} + 500 \frac{n_1}{n_T} \cdot \frac{n_2}{n_T}$$

$$n_T H = 400n_1 + 600n_2 + 500 \frac{n_1 n_2}{n_T}$$

$$n_T H = 400n_1 + 600n_2 + 500 \frac{n_1 n_2}{(n_1 + n_2)}$$

$$\bar{H}_1 = \left[ \frac{\partial n_T H}{\partial n_1} \right]_{T, P, n_2}$$

$$\bar{H}_1 = 400 + 500n_2 \left[ \frac{(n_1 + n_2)(1) - n_1}{(n_1 + n_2)^2} \right]$$

$$\bar{H}_1 = 400 + 500n_2 \left[ \frac{n_2}{(n_1 + n_2)^2} \right]$$

$$\bar{H}_1 = 400 + 500 \frac{n_2^2}{n_T^2}$$

$$\bar{H}_1 = 400 + 500x_2^2$$

$$\bar{H}_2 = \left[ \frac{\partial n_T H}{\partial n_2} \right]_{T, P, n_1} = 600 + 500 n_1 \left[ \frac{(n_1 + n_2)(1) - n_2(1)}{(n_1 + n_2)^2} \right]$$

$$\bar{H}_2 = 600 + 500 n_1 \left[ \frac{n_1}{n_T^2} \right]$$

$$\bar{H}_2 = 600 + 500 \frac{n_1^2}{n_T^2}$$

$$\bar{H}_1 = 600 + 500 x_1^2$$

$$b. \quad \bar{H}_1^\infty = \lim_{x_1 \rightarrow 0} \bar{H}_1 = \lim_{\substack{x_1 \rightarrow 0 \\ \therefore x_2 \rightarrow 1}} 400 + 500 x_2^2 = 400 + 500 = 900 \text{ KJ/kg.}$$

$$\bar{H}_2^\infty = \lim_{x_2 \rightarrow 0} \bar{H}_2 = \lim_{\substack{x_2 \rightarrow 0 \\ \therefore x_1 \rightarrow 1}} 600 + 500 x_1^2 = 600 + 500 = 1100 \text{ KJ/kg.}$$

$$c. \quad \bar{H}_1 = \lim_{x_1 \rightarrow 1} \bar{H}_1 = \lim_{\substack{x_1 \rightarrow 1 \\ \therefore x_2 \rightarrow 0}} 400 + 500 x_2^2 = 400 \text{ KJ/kg.}$$

$$\bar{H}_2 = \lim_{x_2 \rightarrow 1} \bar{H}_2 = \lim_{\substack{x_2 \rightarrow 1 \\ \therefore x_1 \rightarrow 0}} 600 + 500 x_1^2 = 600 \text{ KJ/kg.}$$

H.W: The molar volume ( $\text{cm}^3/\text{mol}$ ) for a binary liquid mixture at a constant  $T$  &  $P$  is given by;  
 $V = 90 x_1 + 50 x_2 + x_1 x_2 (6 x_1 + 9 x_2)$

a. Find an expression for  $\bar{V}_1$  and  $\bar{V}_2$  as a function of mole fraction.

b. Find the values of  $\bar{V}_1$  and  $\bar{V}_2$  for pure components.

c. Find the values of  $\bar{V}_1^\infty$ ,  $\bar{V}_2^\infty$ .

ANS;

$$a. \quad \bar{V}_1 = 99 - 24 x_1 + 21 x_1^2 - 6 x_1^3$$

$$\bar{V}_2 = 50 + 12 x_1^2 - 6 x_1^3$$

$$b. \quad \bar{V}_1 = 90 \text{ cm}^3/\text{mol}, \quad \bar{V}_2 = 50 \text{ cm}^3/\text{mol}$$

$$c. \quad \bar{V}_1^\infty = 99 \text{ cm}^3/\text{mol}, \quad \bar{V}_2^\infty = 56 \text{ cm}^3/\text{mol.}$$

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