

## **Relationships of Some Useful Thermodynamic Properties of Liquid with Sound Velocity and Density Data**

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**Abstract:** In order to compute various useful and importance thermodynamic properties of liquids from sound velocity and density data, a number of correlations have been presented. Sound velocity and density data for numerous liquids are available in literature and the experimental measurements of these properties are very simple and convenient, also very economical. Such data provides very simple methods of determining the thermodynamic properties. Expressions of heat capacity at constant pressure  $C_p$ , heat capacity at constant volume  $C_v$ , heat capacities ratio ( $\gamma$ ), internal pressure ( $P_{\text{int}}$ ), energy of vaporisation ( $\Delta E_v$ ), cohesive energy density ( $c$ ) and solubility parameter ( $\delta$ ) are obtained in terms of density ( $\rho$ ) and sound velocity ( $u$ ) on the basis of empirical relations for thermal expansivity ( $\alpha$ ) and isothermal compressibility ( $\beta_T$ ) proposed earlier from this lab.

**Keywords:** Thermodynamics, Sound velocity, Density, Heat capacity.

## 1. Introduction

Correlations between various thermodynamic and transport properties of a liquid have been found to be very useful in the study of physicochemical and structural behaviour. Some of the properties of liquid which are very difficult to determine experimentally even not possible. In such case the correlation with other known property is carried out. Sound velocity is one of the very important thermodynamic property of liquid which can be determined very easily using low cost technique. Sound velocity and density data in conjunction with the equation of state provides a lot of information about the interactions occurring in liquid system. Correlation between sound velocity and surface tension has been made by earlier worker<sup>1-3</sup>. These interrelationships have been employed by many researchers<sup>4-9</sup>. In the year 1999, Markus<sup>10</sup> presented a critical review on the relationship between transport and thermodynamic properties of pure organic liquids at ambient conditions. Interrelationships between other properties are also available in literature<sup>11,12</sup>.

Considering sound velocity and density as tools (since their experimental measurements are simple and economical), expressions<sup>13-16</sup> for thermal expansivity ( $\alpha$ ) and isothermal compressibility ( $\beta_T$ ) were deduced in terms of these properties. These relations are tested and applied for pure liquids, binary and multicomponent liquid system.

$$(1) \quad \alpha = (0.0191 \times \beta_T)^{1/4} = \frac{75.6 \times 10^{-3}}{T^{1/9} U^{1/2} \rho^{1/3}}$$

$$(2) \quad \beta_T = \frac{1.71 \times 10^{-3}}{T^{4/9} U^2 \rho^{4/3}}$$

In the present work, expressions for estimating the heat capacities (at constant volume and at constant pressure) are deduced in terms of  $\rho$  and  $U$ , so that  $C_v$  and  $C_p$  of liquid can be obtained directly from the experimental values of density and sound velocity.

Starting with the thermodynamic relation

$$(3) \quad \beta_S = (U^2 \rho)^{-1}$$

and remembering that

$$(4) \quad V = \frac{M}{\rho}$$

$$(5) \quad \beta_s - (U^2 \rho)^{-1} = \frac{\alpha^2 TM}{\rho C_p} \quad .$$

We obtain

$$(6) \quad \frac{1.71 \times 10^{-3}}{T^{4/9} u^2 \rho^{4/3}} - (U^2 \rho)^{-1} = \frac{\alpha^2 TM}{\rho C_p}$$

Using eqs (1) and (2) for  $\alpha$  and  $\beta_T$ , above equation reduces to

$$C_p = \frac{5715.36 \times 10^{-4} MU}{\rho^{1/3} (1.71 - T^{4/9} \rho^{1/3})}$$

which on simplification gives

$$(7) \quad \gamma = \frac{C_p}{C_v} = \frac{\beta_T}{\beta_s} \quad .$$

There are two routes of arriving the interrelation for  $C_v$ , one is to start with the thermodynamic relation

$$(8) \quad C_p - C_v = \frac{\alpha^2 TV}{C_p}$$

and using the value of  $C_p$  and  $\alpha$  in terms of  $u$  and  $\rho$ . This is a lengthy procedure. Another way is to use equation for  $\gamma$  i.e.

$$(9) \quad \gamma = \frac{C_p}{C_v} = \frac{\beta_T}{\beta_s} \quad .$$

By substituting the values of  $\beta_T$  and  $\beta_s$  in terms of  $u$  and  $\rho$ .  $\gamma$  is obtained as

$$(10) \quad \gamma = \frac{1.71 \times 10^{-3}}{T^{4/9} \rho^{1/3}}$$

here,  $C_v$  is given by

$$(11) \quad C_v = \frac{C_p}{\gamma} = \frac{5715.36.M.u.T^{5/3}}{17.1(17.1 - \rho^{1/3}T^{1/9})} .$$

In the year 1997<sup>13</sup>, the interrelationship between internal pressure ( $P_{\text{int}}$ ) and sound velocity was obtained as

$$(12) \quad P_{\text{int}} = 44.2 \times T^{4/3} u^{3/2} \rho .$$

Now we shall obtained the relationship for cohesive energy, density,  $c$ , and solubility parameter, ( $\delta$ ), introduced by Hildebr and co-workers<sup>12</sup> in their regular solution theory. They discussed the significance of these thermodynamic properties. The internal pressure is related to the energy of vaporization,  $U_{\text{vap}}$ , by the equation

$$(13) \quad P_{\text{int}} = \frac{U_{\text{vap}}}{V}$$

where  $V$  is the molar volume.

$U_{\text{vap}}$  is obtained by the relation

$$(14) \quad U_{\text{vap}} = H_{\text{vap}} - RT .$$

Using the value of heat of vaporisation  $H_{\text{vap}}$ . The cohesive energy density,  $c$ , and the solubility parameter,  $\delta$ , are obtained as

$$(15) \quad c = n \frac{U_{\text{vap}}}{V} \approx \frac{U_{\text{vap}}}{V}$$

$$(16) \quad \delta = \sqrt{C}$$

$n$  is taken as unity of non-polar liquids.

Using equations (12), (15) and (16)

$$(17) \quad C = 44.2.T^{4/3}.\rho.U^{3/2}$$

$$\text{and} \quad \delta = (44.2.T^{4/3}.\rho.U^{3/2})^{1/2}$$

$$(18) \quad \delta = T^{2/3} \cdot \rho U^{3/4}.$$

Hence

$$(19) \quad \delta = T^{2/3} \rho^{1/3} U^{3/4}.$$

Thus we have succeeded in relating sound velocity and density with a number of useful and important thermodynamic properties viz  $C_p$ ,  $C_v$ ,  $\gamma$ ,  $P_{\text{int}}$ ,  $U_{\text{vap}}$ ,  $c_{\text{ed}}$  and  $\delta$  of liquids. This will enable to obtain these thermodynamic properties with help of only sound velocity and density data. In the subsequent paper we shall describe the experimental verification of these equations.

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