



## ULTRASONIC STUDIES OF MOLECULAR INTERACTIONS OF SOME PHENOTHIAZINES IN AQUEOUS MEDIUM AT 308K

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### Abstract:

Ultrasonic velocity, density and viscosity have been measured experimentally in aqueous medium of Prochlorperazine maleate, Chlorpromazine hydrochloride and Tri fluoperazine dihydrochloride at 308 K over the entire composition range. The useful acoustic parameters namely apparent molar compressibility ( $\phi_k$ ), apparent molar volume ( $\phi_v$ ), adiabatic compressibility ( $\beta_s$ ), specific acoustic impedance ( $Z$ ), intermolecular free length ( $L_f$ ) have been evaluated. From these parameters intermolecular interactions occurring in these solutions among the aqueous solutions have been discussed.

**Keywords:** Phenothiazines, ultrasonic, compressibility, behavior.

### Introduction:

Ultrasonic waves, in recent years, have acquired the status of an important probe for the structure and properties of matter in basic science. Ultrasonic techniques are best suited for physicochemical studies of systems. Some of the phenomenon analyzed in recent past, are the acoustic attenuation due to phonon-phonon interaction, the nuclear spin and electron spin interaction, with the acoustic waves and phonon – electron magnetic field interaction. In the field technology, the waves are being used for electron of flaws, testing of materials, mechanical cleaning of surface etc. In medicinal science too, the waves are being used to detect bone fractures, cancer tumors, fetal conditions and in physiotherapy, bloodless surgery, cardiology, gynecology etc. Present day applications of ultrasonic are emerging in the field of forensic sciences, space research and in wars. Solute-solvent interaction is of current interest in all branches of chemistry. In various theories of liquid state, intermolecular interaction is expressed as a potential. Ultrasonic waves provide valuable information about the molecular interaction in pure liquids<sup>1</sup>, aqueous solutions<sup>2</sup>, liquid mixtures<sup>3</sup> and also provide valuable information about the structure of solids<sup>4</sup>.

The study of molecular interaction in liquids provides valuable information regarding internal structure, molecular association, complex formation, internal pressure etc. The various techniques available to study them are nuclear magnetic resonance, microwave, ultraviolet and infrared spectroscopy, neutron and X-ray scattering and ultrasonic investigation. Ultrasonic technique reveals very weak intermolecular interactions due to its useful

wave length range. Moreover, ultrasonic parameters are directly related to a large number of thermodynamic parameters. Since various molecular theories of liquid state are based on thermodynamic consideration, ultrasonic absorption study and ultrasonic velocity determination provide means to study them.

Phenothiazines belongs to a class of heterocyclic compounds characterized by tricyclic aromatic ring with sulphur and nitrogen atoms and substituent in 2-and 10 - or -3- and 7- positions. Phenothiazine derivatives substituted in 2-and 10-positions<sup>5</sup> are commonly used as psychotropic, anticholinergic and antihistaminic drugs.

*Phenothiazines* are employed in pre-anesthetic medication and are a useful muscle relaxant in the treatment of tetanus. Phenothiazines are also used in veterinary therapeutics as antiparasitic slow release tablets for the treatment of animal farcioliasis, respiratory and digestive strongylosis and Cestodiasis<sup>6</sup>.

### Experimental:

Solvents methanol, dioxane and dimethyl formamide used in the present work were of AR grade and were purified and dried by the usual procedure. Densities, viscosities and ultrasonic velocities were measured at 303 K over a wide range of composition. Densities were determined by using bicapillarypyknometer. The viscosities were measured by precalibrated Ostwald type viscometer with an accuracy of about  $\pm 0.1\text{K}$ . Ultrasonic velocity measurements were made by using an ultrasonic interferometer (Mittal Enterprises, New Delhi) at a frequency of 2MHz with a tolerance of  $\pm 0.005\%$ . All the measurements were carried out at 303 K.

**Theory:**

Acoustic parameters such as apparent molar compressibility ( $\phi_k$ ), apparent molar volume ( $\phi_v$ ), adiabatic compressibility ( $\beta_s$ ), specific acoustic

impedence (Z), intermolecular free length ( $L_f$ ), Limiting apparent molar volume ( $\phi_v^0$ ), Limiting apparent molar compressibility ( $\phi_k^0$ ) were determined using following relations.

Ultrasonic velocity	$u = \lambda u$	-----	1
Adiabatic compressibility	$\beta_s = 1 / u^2 \rho_s$	-----	2
Apparent molar volume	$\phi_v = 10^3(\rho_0 - \rho_s) / m - \rho_0 \rho_s + M / \rho_0$	-----	3
Apparent molar compressibility	$\phi_k = 10^3(\rho_0 \beta_s - \rho_s \beta_0) / m - \rho_s \rho_0 + \beta_s M / \rho_s$	-----	4
Intermolecular free length	$L_f = K (\beta_s)^{1/2}$	-----	5
Specific acoustic impedance	$Z = \rho \cdot u$	-----	6
Limiting apparent molar volume	$\phi_v = \phi_v^0 + S_v C^{1/2}$	-----	7
Limiting apparent molar compressibility	$\phi_k = \phi_k^0 + S_k^{1/2}$	-----	8

**Table-1.** Density, Ultrasonic Velocity and related Parameters of some phenothiazines in aqueous medium at 308K.

System	Conc. mol. dm <sup>-3</sup>	Density $\rho$ Kg m <sup>-3</sup>	Ultrasonic Velocity(u) m/s	$\beta_s \times 10^{-10}$ Pa <sup>-1</sup>	$\phi_v \times 10^{-5}$ m <sup>3</sup> mol <sup>-1</sup>	$\phi_k \times 10^{-14}$ m <sup>3</sup> mol <sup>-1</sup> Pa <sup>-1</sup>	$L_f \times 10^{-11}$ (m)	Z $\times 10^5$ Kg m <sup>-2</sup> sec <sup>-1</sup>	Relative association RA $\times 10^{-3}$
PCP	0.02	992.53	1447.5	4.8086	68.6781	252.3160	4.5973	14.3668	1014.1777
	0.04	992.86	1449.1	4.7964	64.0197	137.2820	4.5914	14.3875	1014.1414
	0.06	993.09	1452.0	4.7762	62.6288	97.5682	4.5817	14.4196	1013.7005
	0.08	993.32	1453.8	4.7632	61.9265	78.6137	4.5755	14.4408	1013.5166
	0.1	993.54	1456.2	4.7465	61.5103	66.8052	4.5675	14.4679	1013.1839
CPZ	0.02	999.13	1517.0	4.3491	9.89	-7.5032	4.1917	15.1568	1005.08
	0.04	999.36	1517.1	4.3476	22.1	3.3286	4.3713	15.1612	1005.29
	0.06	999.56	1517.4	4.3450	26.3	6.7828	4.3700	15.1673	1005.43
	0.08	999.84	1518.2	4.3392	28.2	8.0472	4.3671	15.1795	1005.53
	0.1	1000.11	1518.9	4.3340	29.4	8.8654	4.3645	15.1906	1005.65
TFP	0.02	997.98	1531.3	4.2732	28.2304	-37.9341	4.1543	15.2820	1000.79
	0.04	998.02	1533.0	4.2636	38.0825	-11.1873	4.1496	15.2996	1000.46
	0.06	998.64	1538.7	4.2294	40.3674	-6.9366	4.1329	15.3660	999.848
	0.08	998.89	1540.0	4.2212	41.9771	-1.3182	4.1289	15.3829	999.817
	0.1	999.12	1541.6	4.2115	42.9592	1.8835	4.1242	15.4024	999.701

**Result and discussion:**

Table 1 shows that density ( $\rho$ ), ultrasonic velocity (u) and viscosity ( $\eta$ ) increases with increase in concentration for all three systems. The increase in ultrasonic velocity is due to decrease in intermolecular free length ( $L_f$ ) as shown in table. This suggests that there is a strong interaction between chlorpromazine and solvent molecule. Adiabatic compressibility ( $\beta_s$ ) is a measure of intermolecular association or repulsion calculated from the measured ultrasonic velocity (u) and density ( $\rho$ ). Adiabatic compressibility is found to decrease with increase in concentration<sup>7</sup>. Since adiabatic compressibility is inversely related to the product of density and ultrasonic velocity based on this the compressibility is expected to decrease which has observed in the present case. When the sound waves travels through the solution, certain part of it travels through the medium and rest gets reflected by the ion<sup>8</sup> i.e. restriction for flow of sound velocity by the ions. The character that determines the restriction movement of sound waves is known

as acoustic impedance (Z). It has been found that acoustic impedance increases with increase in concentration. The apparent molar compressibility ( $\phi_k$ ) explains the solute-solvent and solute- solute interactions in solution and was calculated by using the equation no.4. The apparent molar volume ( $\phi_v$ ) is defined as the change in volume of solution for the added one mole of a particular component at constant temperature and pressure. It is thermodynamic property which helps in elucidating solvation behavior of electrolyte in solution. Apparent molar volume was evaluated from the density of solution and solvent.

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