## COMPONENTS:

1. Praseodymium fluoride; PrF$_3$; [13709-46-1]
2. Methanol; CH$_4$O; [67-56-1]

## ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:

Kirmse, E.M.


## VARIABLES:

Room temperature

## PREPARED BY:

T. Mioduski

## EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:

The solubility of PrF$_3$ in methanol at room temperature was reported to be

0.01 mass %

The corresponding molality calculated by the compiler is

5.1 x 10^-4 mol kg$^{-1}$

The solid phase was dried in a desiccator over P$_4$O$_{10}$ and the Pr:F ratio found to equal almost 1:3.

## AUXILIARY INFORMATION

**METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:**

Isothermal method. About 100 mg of PrF$_3$ was added to 10-20 cm$^3$ of solvent, and the mixture mechanically agitated at room temperature for 100 h. 5-10 g of saturated solution were removed by decanting or by centrifuging, and the solution evaporated to dryness. The residue was heated with about 10 cm$^3$ of 10% KOH solution for 1-2 h to obtain solid Pr(OH)$_3$ and a basic F$^-$ solution. The precipitate was washed, dissolved in aq HCl, and Pr determined several times by complexometric titration with potentiometric end-point detection (1). The fluoride content in the filtrate was determined photometrically using Al-Eriochrome cyanine color lake indicator (2).

The reported solubility is a mean of "numerous parallel determinations," or "at least two parallel determinations."

**SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:**

Pr$_6$O$_{11}$ (source and purity not specified) was dissolved in HCl and the fluoride precipitated by addition of aq HF. The solid produced was PrF$_3$.0.5H$_2$O and was dehydrated by washing with acetone followed by drying at 310°C for 120 hours.

The solvent was dried and purified by "standard methods."

**ESTIMATED ERROR:**

Soly: results with relative errors exceeding 50% were rejected.

Temp: unknown.

## REFERENCES:

**COMPONENTS:**

1. Praseodymium fluoride; PrF$_3$; [13709-46-1]
2. 1-(Chloromethoxy) butane; C$_4$H$_{11}$ClO; [2351-69-1]

**ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:**

Dressler, H.
GDR. 1980.

**VARIABLES:**

Room Temperature

**PREPARED BY:**

T. Mioduski

**EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:**

The solubility of PrF$_3$ in chloromethyl n-butyl ether was reported to be

0.03 mass %

and

$1.52 \times 10^{-4}$ mol/100 g of solution.

The corresponding molality calculated by the compiler is

$1.52 \times 10^{-3}$ mol kg$^{-1}$

In the solid phase the Pr:F:ether ratio was found to be

1:2.90:0.23.

**AUXILIARY INFORMATION**

**METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:**

Method analogous to that described in (1). No other information available.

**SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:**

It appears that the fluoride was prepared as in (1). In spite of drying the fluoride by two methods at 573 K, the Pr:F:H$_2$O ratio was 1:3.00:0.38.

No other information available.

**ESTIMATED ERROR:**

Nothing specified.

**REFERENCES:**

COMPONENTS:
(1) Praseodymium fluoride; PrF$_3$; [13709-46-1]
(2) 1-Methoxydecane; C$_{11}$H$_{24}$O; [7289-52-3]

VARIABLES:
Room Temperature

EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:

The solubility of PrF$_3$ in methyl n-decyl ether was reported to be

0.02 mass %

and

1.01 x $10^{-4}$ mol/100 g sln

The corresponding molality calculated by the compiler is

1.01 x $10^{-3}$ mol kg$^{-1}$.

In the solid phase the Pr:F:ether ratio was found to be

1:2.91:0.10.

AUXILIARY INFORMATION

METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:
Method analogous to that described in (1).
No other information available.

SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:
It appears that the fluoride was prepared as in (1). In spite of drying the fluoride by two methods at 573 K, the Pr:F:H$_2$O ratio was 1:3.00:0.38.

No other information available.

ESTIMATED ERROR:
Nothing specified.

REFERENCES:
COMPONENTS:
(1) Praseodymium fluoride; PrF₃
[13709-46-1]
(2) Tetrahydrofuran; C₄H₈O;
[109-99-9]

ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:
Rossmanith, K.
Monatsh. Chem. 1966, 97, 1357-64.

VARIABLES:
Room Temperature: T/K = 294-296

EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:
The solubility of PrBr₃ in tetrahydrofuran at 21-23°C was reported to be
0.62 g per 100 mL of solution (0.016 mol dm⁻³, compiler).

PREPARED BY:
T. Mioduski

AUXILIARY INFORMATION

METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:
Isothermal method employed. The solution was equilibrated in an extractor with agitation for 60-80 hours at room temperature.

Praseodymium was determined by the oxalate method and by titration with EDTA using Xylenol Orange indicator. The solvent was determined by difference.

Anhydrous materials were handled in a dry box through which was passed a stream of nitrogen free of carbon dioxide.

The solid phase is PrBr₃·4C₄H₈O.

SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:
Sources and purities of initial materials not specified. PrBr₃ was prepared by conversion of the oxide by high temperature reaction with an excess of NH₄Br followed by heating the product in a stream of dry nitrogen, and then in vacuum to remove unreacted NH₄Br.

Tetrahydrofuran was distilled from LiAlH₄.

ESTIMATED ERROR:
Nothing specified.

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**EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:**

The solubility of PrF₃ in [CH₃(CH₂)₃]₃P(O) at room temperature was given as 0.02 mass %

The corresponding molality calculated by the compiler is 1.0 x 10⁻³ mol kg⁻¹

The solid phase was dried in a desiccator over P₂O₅ and the Pr:F ratio determined to be almost 1:3.

**AUXILIARY INFORMATION**

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Isothermal method. About 100 mg of PrF₃ was added to 10-20 cm³ of solvent, and the mixture mechanically agitated at room temperature for 100 h. 5-10 g of saturated solution were removed by decanting or by centrifuging, and the solution evaporated to dryness. The residue was heated with about 10 cm³ of 10% KOH solution for 1-2 h to obtain solid Pr(OH)₃ and a basic F⁻ solution. The precipitate was washed, dissolved in aq HCl, and Pr determined several times by complexometric titration with potentiometric end-point detection (1). The fluoride content in the filtrate was determined photometrically using Al-Eriochrome cyanine color lake indicator (2).

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The solvent was dried and purified by "standard methods."

**ESTIMATED ERROR:**
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**REFERENCES:**
### COMPONENTS:

(1) Praseodymium fluoride; PrF$_3$; [13709-46-1]

(2) Dimethylsulfoxide; C$_2$H$_6$OS; [67-68-5]

### ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:

Kirmse, E.M.


### VARIABLES:

Room temperature

### EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:

The solubility of PrF$_3$ in (CH$_3$)$_2$SO at room temperature was given as 0.03 mass %

The corresponding molality calculated by the compiler is $1.5 \times 10^{-3}$ mol kg$^{-1}$

The solid phase was dried in a desiccator over P$_4$O$_{10}$ and the Pr:F ratio found to be almost 1:3.

### AUXILIARY INFORMATION

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The solvent was dried and purified by "standard methods."

**ESTIMATED ERROR:**

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**REFERENCES:**

COMPONENTS:
(1) Praseodymium fluoride; PrF₃; [13709-46-1]
(2) Pyridine; C₆H₅N; [110-86-1]

ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:
Kirmse, E.M.

VARIABLES:
Room temperature

PREPARED BY:
T. Mioduski

EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:
The solubility of PrF₃ in pyridine at room temperature was reported to be

0.075 mass %

The corresponding molality calculated by the compiler is

3.8 x 10⁻³ mol kg⁻¹

The solid phase was dried in a desiccator over P₄O₁₀ and the Pr:F ratio found to equal almost 1:3.

AUXILIARY INFORMATION

METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:
Isothermal method. About 100 mg of PrF₃ was added to 10-20 cm³ of solvent, and the mixture mechanically agitated at room temperature for 100 h. 5-10 g of saturated solution were removed by decanting or by centrifuging, and the solution evaporated to dryness. The residue was heated with about 10 cm³ of 10% KOH solution for 1-2 h to obtain solid Pr(OH)₃ and a basic F⁻ solution. The precipitate was washed, dissolved in aq HCl, and Fr determined several times by complexometric titration with potentiometric end-point detection (1). The fluoride content in the filtrate was determined photometrically using Al-Eriochrome cyanine color lake indicator (2).

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SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:
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The solvent was dried and purified by "standard methods."

ESTIMATED ERROR:
Soly: results with relative errors exceeding 50% were rejected.

Temp: unknown.

REFERENCES:
### COMPONENTS:

1. Praseodymium fluoride; PrF$_3$; [13709-46-1]
2. Acidic nitrosyl fluoride; NOF.3HF; [14947-17-2]

### ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:


### VARIABLES:

Room temperature

### PREPARED BY:

T. Mioduski

### EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:

The solubility of PrF$_3$ in acidic nitrosyl fluoride at room temperature was reported to be

$$0.06 \text{ mass } \%$$

The molality calculated by the compiler is

$$3.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol kg}^{-1}$$

### AUXILIARY INFORMATION

**METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:**

Isothermal method employed. The solute-solvent mixture was placed in a Teflon vessel and mechanically agitated at room temperature for 10 h. The reaction mixture was allowed to settle for 24 h and the supernatant saturated solution was analyzed for the Pr content. An aliquot was evaporated to dryness under vacuum at 100-150°C, and the dry residue dissolved and analyzed (the method of analysis not specified).

Presumably, the solid phase is anhydrous PrF$_3$ (compiler).

**SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:**

PrF$_3$ was at least 99% pure.

NOF.3HF prepared by saturation of liquid HF with NOF, and was distilled twice at 95°C before use. The melting point of acidic nitrosyl fluoride was 3.8°C.

**ESTIMATED ERROR:**

Nothing specified.

**REFERENCES:**