

COMPONENTS: (1) Holmium chloride; HoCl_3 ; [10138-62-2] (2) Ethanol; $\text{C}_2\text{H}_6\text{O}$; [64-17-5] (3) Water; H_2O ; [7732-18-5]		ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS: Sakharova, Yu.G; Ezhova, T.A. <i>Zh. Neorg. Khim.</i> 1976, 21, 551-4; <i>Russ. J. Inorg. Chem. (Engl. Transl.)</i> 1976, 21, 296-8.				
VARIABLES: Temperature		PREPARED BY: T. Mioduski and M. Salomon				
EXPERIMENTAL VALUES: solubility of $\text{HoCl}_3 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ in 96.8 % $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}^a$						
	sample 1	sample 2	sample 3	sample 4	mean solubilities	
t/°C	g/100 g ^b	g/100 g	g/100 g	g/100 g	g/100 g	mol kg ^{-1c}
20	34.62	34.81	34.86	34.87	34.79	1.406
30	33.72	33.85	34.04	33.89	33.87	1.350
40	33.88	34.02	33.83	34.16	33.97	1.356
50	34.25	34.68	34.47	34.56	34.49	1.388
60	36.02	36.11	35.77	35.83	35.93	1.478
^a It is not clearly stated whether the mixture is 96.8 mass % or 96.8 volume % ethanol.						
^b Solubilities reported as grams of hexahydrate in 100 g of solvent.						
^c Molalities calculated by the compilers.						
AUXILIARY INFORMATION						
METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE: Isothermal method used. Equilibrium was reached after 3-4 h. Identical results obtained by approaching equilibrium from above and below. Two of the data points in the table obtained after 3 hours of equilibration, and the remaining two data points obtained after 4 h of equilibration. The metal content in each aliquot taken for analysis was determined by complexometric titration with Trilon B. Analyses of the solids withdrawn at 20°C, 40°C and 60°C showed the solid phase to be the hexahydrate: i.e. ethanol was not found in any of the solid phases.			SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS: $\text{HoCl}_3 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ prep'd by dissolving c.p. grade oxide in dil (1:3) HCl followed by evapn and crystn. The crystals were dried in a desiccator over CaCl_2 , P_2O_5 and NaOH. The crystals analyzed for the metal by titrn with Trilon B, and for Cl by the Volhard method. The hexahydrate melted at 163.4 - 164.5°C. 96.8% ethanol prep'd by prolonged boiling of c.p. grade 93.5% ethanol with anhydr CuSO_4 followed by distn. Ethanol concn det'd refractometrically and pycnometrically.			
			ESTIMATED ERROR: Soly: results apparently precise to within $\pm 0.9\%$ (compilers). Temp: nothing specified.			
			REFERENCES:			

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COMPONENTS: (1) Holmium chloride; HoCl_3 ; [10138-62-2] (2) 1,2-Diethoxyethane; $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_2$; [629-14-1]	ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS: Kirmse, E.M.; Zwietasch, K.J. <i>Z. Chem.</i> <u>1967</u> , 7, 281.
VARIABLES: T/K = 298	PREPARED BY: T. Mioduski
EXPERIMENTAL VALUES: The solubility of HoCl_3 in 1,2-diethoxyethane at 25°C was reported to be <p style="text-align: center;">0.37 mass %</p> The corresponding molality calculated by the compiler is <p style="text-align: center;">$0.0137 \text{ mol kg}^{-1}$</p> The composition of the solid phase was given in terms of the Ho:Cl:ether ratio as <p style="text-align: center;">1:2.97:1.82</p>	
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VARIABLES: Room Temperature: T/K about 293	PREPARED BY: T. Mioduski
EXPERIMENTAL VALUES: The solubility of HoCl_3 in tetrahydrofuran at 20°C (room temperature) was reported to be 0.698 g per 100 ml of solution (0.0257 mol dm^{-3} , compiler).	
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METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE: Isothermal method employed. The solution was equilibrated in an extractor with agitation for 60-80 hours at room temperature. Holmium 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 $\text{HoCl}_3 \cdot 3.33\text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}$.	SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS: Sources and purities of initial materials not specified. HoCl_3 was prepared by conversion of the oxide by high temperature reaction with an excess of NH_4Cl followed by heating the product in a stream of dry nitrogen, and then in vacuum to remove unreacted NH_4Cl . Tetrahydrofuran was distilled from LiAlH_4 . ESTIMATED ERROR: Nothing specified. REFERENCES:

COMPONENTS: (1) Holmium chloride; HoCl_3 ; [10138-62-2] (2) Tributylphosphate; $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{27}\text{O}_4\text{P}$; [126-73-8]	ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS: Korovin, S.S.; Galaktionova, O.V.; Lebedeva, E.N.; Voronskaya, G.N. <i>Zh. Neorg. Khim.</i> <u>1975</u> , <i>20</i> , 908-14; <i>Russ. J. Inorg. Chem. (Engl. Transl.)</i> <u>1975</u> , <i>20</i> , 508-11.												
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METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE: Saturated solutions prepared isothermally with magnetic stirring. Equilibrium was attained after 25-30 d. The solution was centrifuged and an aliquot for analysis taken and added to methanol and precipitated with aq NH_3 . The pptd $\text{Ho}(\text{OH})_3$ was washed repeatedly and heated to the oxide for gravimetric analysis. The solid phase was analyzed (no details given) for phosphorous and only the anhydrous HoCl_3 was found. All operations were performed in a dry box through which a stream of argon was passed. The major objective of this work was to establish the nature of complexation between TBP and HoCl_3 in solution.	SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS: Anhydrous HoCl_3 prepared by chlorination of the oxide with CCl_4 vapor (1,2). Source and purity of materials not given. Ho was analyzed gravimetrically, and Cl by Volhard's method. Tributylphosphate (TBP) was purified "by the standard method." No additional details given. ESTIMATED ERROR: No estimate possible. REFERENCES: 1. Korshunov, B.G.; Drobot, D.V.; Bukhtiyarov, V.V.; Shevtsova, Z.N. <i>Zh. Neorg. Khim.</i> <u>1964</u> , <i>9</i> , 1427. 2. Novikov, G.I.; Tolmacheva, V.D. <i>Zh. Prikl. Khim.</i> <u>1965</u> , <i>38</i> , 1160												

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VARIABLES: Room temperature: $T/K = 298 \pm 3$	PREPARED BY: T. Mioduski and M. Salomon
EXPERIMENTAL VALUES: <p>Starting with the solvate $\text{HoCl}_3 \cdot 3\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{N})_3\text{PO}$, the solubility at $25 \pm 3^\circ\text{C}^a$ was given as</p> <p style="text-align: center;">$0.108 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$</p> <p>^aTable 3 in the English translation of the source paper states the temperature to be $23 \pm 3^\circ\text{C}$. This is probably a typographical error as the text clearly states that all measurements were carried out at $25 \pm 3^\circ\text{C}$.</p>	
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COMPONENTS: (1) Holmium chloride; HoCl_3 ; [10138-62-2] (2) Tetrachlorostannate; SnCl_4 ; [7646-78-8] (3) Phosphorus oxychloride; POCl_3 ; [10025-87-3]	ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS: Lyubimov, E.I.; Batyaev, I.M. <i>Zh. Prikl. Khim.</i> <u>1972</u> , 45, 1176-8.																					
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