

<b>COMPONENTS:</b> (1) Gold(III) hydroxide; $\text{Au}(\text{OH})_3$ ; [1303-52-2] (2) Sulfuric acid; $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ; [7664-93-9] (3) Water; $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ; [7732-18-5]	<b>ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:</b> Jirsa, F.; Jelinek, H. Z. <i>Elektrochem.</i> <u>1924</u> , 30, 286-9.																																																
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24	1.57	0.00013
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48	1.46	0.00081
144	1.01	0.00039
150	1.01	0.00043
192	1.01	0.00039
410	1.01	0.00042
280	0.89	0.00032
432	0.89	0.00039
624	0.89	0.00035
768	0.89	0.00036
144	0.54	0.00031
552	0.53	0.00015
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624	0.53	0.00018
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<b>METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:</b> Solid Au(OH) <sub>3</sub> and solvent were mixed and shaken in a constant temperature bath at 25 ± 0.01°C for at least 3 weeks, then allowed to sediment for 2-10 days. Clear solution was removed by decantation and passed through a sintered Jena glass filter. Other mixtures were shaken for 4 days at 40°C and then transferred to the 25°C bath and treated as above. Alkali content was determined by titration with H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> . Gold content was determined by potentiometric titration with FeSO <sub>4</sub> in an atmosphere of N <sub>2</sub> .	<b>SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:</b> Au(OH) <sub>3</sub> was produced by a method described by others (1) and washed thoroughly. The NaOH solutions were prepared from pure amalgams. Conductivity water was used throughout. All other materials were of reagent grade quality.										
<b>ESTIMATED ERROR:</b> No estimate is given.											
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## EXPERIMENTAL VALUES contd:

Solubility of Au(OH)<sub>3</sub> in aqueous NaOH at 25°C.

$C_{\text{NaOH}}/\text{mol kg}^{-1}$	$10^4 C_{\text{Au}}/\text{mol kg}^{-1}$	
	U <sup>a</sup>	S <sup>b</sup>
0.0683	- - -	0.73
0.0752	0.89	0.85
0.0939	0.97	1.00
0.0968	- - -	1.51
0.1005	1.01	1.00
0.1100	1.13	1.09
0.1507	2.01	2.00
0.1678	- - -	2.13
0.1696	2.33	2.31
0.1998	2.91	- - -
0.2364	- - -	4.44
0.2595	4.49	4.50
0.2997	5.49	5.79
0.3254	- - -	6.53
0.3547	7.99	7.98
0.3778	9.05	9.02
0.3900	- - -	9.73
0.4138	- - -	10.54
0.4215	- - -	9.79
0.4402	9.44	- - -
0.4941	7.70	7.77
0.519	- - -	7.14
0.522	7.33	7.20
0.543	7.60	6.34
0.660	- - -	4.90
0.667	4.62	4.69
0.748	3.46	3.53
0.790	3.23	3.17
0.840	2.61	2.63
1.048	1.47	1.44
1.049	1.50	1.48
1.299	1.60	- - -
1.445	- - -	1.94
1.682	1.69	1.70
2.293	2.01	2.01
2.845	2.22	2.20
3.095	2.39	2.32
3.541	2.61	2.62
3.983	2.68	2.63
6.05	3.76	3.84
8.37	5.32	5.23

<sup>a</sup> Equilibrium was approached from undersaturation.<sup>b</sup> Equilibrium was approached from supersaturation.

<b>COMPONENTS:</b> (1) Gold(III) hydroxide; $\text{Au}(\text{OH})_3$ ; [1303-52-2] (2) Nitric acid; $\text{HNO}_3$ ; [7697-37-2] (3) Water; $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ; [7732-18-5]	<b>ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:</b> Bezzubenko, A. A.; Peshchevitskii, B. I. <i>Izvest. Sibir. Otdel. Akad. Nauk SSSR</i> <u>1961</u> , 62-7.																																
<b>VARIABLES:</b> Concentration of nitric acid at $25 \pm 0.05^\circ\text{C}$ .	<b>PREPARED BY:</b> T. Michalowski																																
<b>EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:</b> <p style="text-align: center;">Solubility of <math>\text{Au}(\text{OH})_3</math> in aqueous <math>\text{HNO}_3</math> at <math>25^\circ\text{C}</math>.</p> <table style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: center;"><math>C_{\text{HNO}_3} / \text{mol dm}^{-3}</math></th> <th style="text-align: center;"><math>10^3 C_{\text{Au}} / \text{mol dm}^{-3}</math></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">10.1</td><td style="text-align: center;">380</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">7.64</td><td style="text-align: center;">79</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">6.05</td><td style="text-align: center;">23</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">4.84</td><td style="text-align: center;">7.4</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">4.03</td><td style="text-align: center;">4.1</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">2.84</td><td style="text-align: center;">1.2</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">2.42</td><td style="text-align: center;">0.57</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">2.42</td><td style="text-align: center;">0.63</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">1.94</td><td style="text-align: center;">0.44</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">1.55</td><td style="text-align: center;">0.36</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">1.21</td><td style="text-align: center;">0.27</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">0.96</td><td style="text-align: center;">0.20</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">0.60</td><td style="text-align: center;">0.10</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">0.41</td><td style="text-align: center;">0.070</td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center;">0.32</td><td style="text-align: center;">0.057</td></tr> </tbody> </table> <p>One determination at <math>40^\circ\text{C}</math> showed that the solubility in a <math>\text{HNO}_3</math> concentration of <math>1.35 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}</math> is <math>2.5 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol Au dm}^{-3}</math>.</p>		$C_{\text{HNO}_3} / \text{mol dm}^{-3}$	$10^3 C_{\text{Au}} / \text{mol dm}^{-3}$	10.1	380	7.64	79	6.05	23	4.84	7.4	4.03	4.1	2.84	1.2	2.42	0.57	2.42	0.63	1.94	0.44	1.55	0.36	1.21	0.27	0.96	0.20	0.60	0.10	0.41	0.070	0.32	0.057
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