

<p>COMPONENTS:</p> <p>(1) 2,3-Dimethylbutane; C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>14</sub>; [79-29-8]</p> <p>(2) Water; H<sub>2</sub>O; [7732-18-5]</p>	<p>EVALUATOR:</p> <p>M.C. Haulait-Pirson, Department of Chemistry, University of Leuven, Belgium.</p> <p>G.T. Hefter, School of Mathematical and Physical Sciences, Murdoch University, Perth, W.A., Australia. November 1984</p>
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CRITICAL EVALUATION:

Quantitative solubility data for the system 2,3-dimethylbutane (1) and water (2) have been reported in the publications listed in Table 1.

TABLE 1: Quantitative Solubility Studies of the 2,3-Dimethylbutane (1) - Water (2) System

Reference	T/K	Solubility	Method
Englin <i>et al.</i> (ref 1)	273-323	(2) in (1)	analytical
Polak and Lu (ref 2)	273,298	mutual	GLC, Karl Fischer
Price (ref 3)	298-423	(1) in (2)	GLC
Krzyzanowska and Szeliga (ref 4)	298	(1) in (2)	GLC

The original data in all of these publications are compiled in the Data Sheets immediately following this critical Evaluation. For convenience, further discussion of this system will be divided into two parts.

1. THE SOLUBILITY OF 2,3-DIMETHYLBUTANE (1) IN WATER (2)

The solubility data for 2,3-dimethylbutane in water (ref 2, 3) are listed in Table 2 and plotted in Figure 1. The datum of Krzyzanowska and Szeliga (ref 4) has been excluded from this Evaluation as it does not appear to be independent of that of Price (ref 3).

At 298K, where comparison is possible, agreement between the reported values is only fair. At other temperatures only the values of Price (ref 3) are available. Thus all values are classified as Tentative. It should be noted firstly that the increase in solubility at lower temperatures reported by Polak and Lu (ref 2) is larger than is usually observed in hydrocarbon-water systems (e.g. benzene in water), and secondly the values of Price (ref 3) are usually reliable over the entire temperature range studied.

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CRITICAL EVALUATION: (continued)

TABLE 2: Tentative Values for the Solubility  
2,3-Dimethylbutane (1) in Water (2)

T/K	Solubility values		
	Reported values <sup>a</sup> $10^3 g(1)/100g\ sln$	"Best" values ( $\pm \sigma_n$ ) <sup>b</sup> $10^3 g(1)/100g\ sln$	$10^6 x_1$
273	3.29 (ref 2)	3.3	6.9
298	2.25 (ref 2), 1.91 (ref 3)	$2.1 \pm 0.2$	4.4
303	1.9* (ref 3)	1.9	4.0
313	1.9* (ref 3)	1.9	4.0
323	2.1* (ref 3)	2.1	4.4
343	2.8* (ref 3)	2.8	5.9
363	3.5* (ref 3)	3.5	7.3
383	4.6* (ref 3)	4.6	9.6
403	7.5* (ref 3)	7.5	16
423	18* (ref 3)	18	38

<sup>a</sup> Values marked with an asterisk (\*) have been obtained by the Evaluator by graphical interpolation of the original measurements.

<sup>b</sup> Obtained by averaging where appropriate,  $\sigma_n$  has no statistical significance.

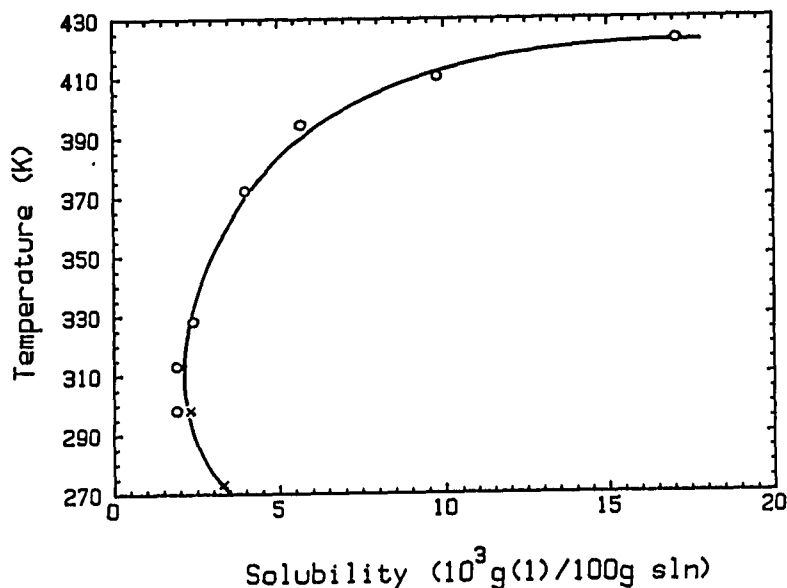


FIGURE 1. Solubility of 2,3-dimethylbutane in water: ref 2 (x); ref 3 (O).

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## 2. THE SOLUBILITY OF WATER (2) IN 2,3-DIMETHYLBUTANE (1)

The reported solubility data for water in 2,3-dimethylbutane (ref 1, 2) are listed in Table 3. There are insufficient data to warrant plotting.

Agreement between the values at 273K is excellent but at 298K the datum of Englin *et al.* (ref 1) is about 50% (relative) higher than that of Polak and Lu (ref 2). In well characterized systems (e.g. water in benzene) the data of Englin *et al.* are generally satisfactory at  $T < 300\text{K}$  but are markedly higher than "Recommended" values at higher temperatures. The value of Polak and Lu (ref 2) is therefore preferred at 298K and at higher temperatures the data of Englin *et al.* should be regarded only as order of magnitude values.

TABLE 3: Recommended (R) and Tentative Values of the Solubility of Water (2) in 2,3-Dimethylbutane (1)

T/K	Solubility values		
	Reported values 10 <sup>3</sup> g(2)/100g sln	"Best" values 10 <sup>3</sup> g(2)/100g sln	10 <sup>4</sup> x <sub>2</sub>
273	2.9 (ref 1), 3.0 (ref 2)	3.0 (R)	1.43 (R)
283	5.8 (ref 1)	5.8	2.8
293	11.0 (ref 1)	11	5
298	15 <sup>a</sup> (ref 1), 9.0 (ref 2)	9	4
303	19.2 (ref 1)	20 <sup>b</sup>	10 <sup>b</sup>
313	32.3 (ref 1)	30 <sup>b</sup>	14 <sup>b</sup>
323	51.6 (ref 1)	50 <sup>b</sup>	24 <sup>b</sup>

<sup>a</sup> Graphically interpolated by the Evaluator; datum of Polak and Lu (ref 2) preferred, see text.

<sup>b</sup> Order-of-magnitude values only, see text.

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<b>VARIABLES:</b> One temperature: 25°C	<b>PREPARED BY:</b> M.C. Haulait-Pirson
<b>EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:</b> <p>The solubility of 2,3-dimethylbutane in water at 25°C was reported to be 19.10 mg(1)/kg(2).</p> <p>The corresponding mass percent and mole fraction, <math>x_1</math>, calculated by compiler are 0.00191 g(1)/100 g sln and <math>3.99 \times 10^{-6}</math>.</p> <p>Editor's Note: Based on the results for this and other hydrocarbon-water systems, uncertainty exists about whether the datum compiled here is independent of that of Price for the same system (see previous page).</p>	
<b>AUXILIARY INFORMATION</b>	
<b>METHOD/APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:</b> Saturated solutions of (1) in (2) were prepared in two ways. First, 200 $\mu$ L of (1) was injected into 20 mL of (2) and thermostatted at 25°C. Second, the mixture of (1) and (2) as above was thermostatted at 70°C and then cooled to 25°C. The time required to obtain equilibrium was three weeks. The solubility of (1) in (2) was measured by glc. A Perkin-Elmer model F-11 gas chromatograph equipped with a 100-150 mesh Porasil column (70°C) and a flame ionization detector was used. Saturated solutions of heptane in (2) were used as standard solutions.	<b>SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:</b> (1) not specified. (2) not specified. <b>ESTIMATED ERROR:</b> soly. 0.48 mg(1)/kg(2) (standard deviation from 7-9 determinations) <b>REFERENCES:</b>