

Isothermal Evaporation Process Simulation using Pitzer Model for the Quinary System LiCl–NaCl–KCl–SrCl₂–H₂O at 298.15 K

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Table S1. Pitzer Binary Parameters of the Quinary System LiCl–NaCl–KCl–SrCl₂–H₂O at 298.15 K

species	$\beta^{(0)}$	$\beta^{(1)}$	$C^{(\theta)}$	ref.
LiCl	0.20818	-0.07264	-0.004241	11,23
NaCl	0.0765	0.2664	0.001270	24
KCl	0.04835	0.2122	-0.000840	24
SrCl ₂	0.2827	1.5625	-0.000225	17
	0.28344	1.6256	-0.000891	19

Table S2. Pitzer Mixing Ion-interaction Parameters θ of the Quinary System LiCl–NaCl–KCl–SrCl₂–H₂O at 298.15 K

species	θ	ψ	ref.
Li ⁺ , Na ⁺	0.02016		11,23
Li ⁺ , K ⁺	-0.05075		11,23
Li ⁺ , Sr ²⁺	-0.0359		22
Na ⁺ , K ⁺	-0.01200		11,23
Na ⁺ , Sr ²⁺	0.07885		17
	0.0562		17
K ⁺ , Sr ²⁺	0.0271		18
Li ⁺ , Na ⁺ , Cl ⁻		-0.007416	11,23
Li ⁺ , K ⁺ , Cl ⁻		-0.005909	11,23
Li ⁺ , Sr ²⁺ , Cl ⁻		0.001921	22
Na ⁺ , K ⁺ , Cl ⁻		-0.001800	11,23
Na ⁺ , Sr ²⁺ , Cl ⁻		-0.01230	17
		-0.00705	17
K ⁺ , Sr ²⁺ , Cl ⁻		-0.0251	18

Table S3. μ^0/RT for Species of the Quinary System LiCl–NaCl–KCl–SrCl₂–H₂O at 298.15 K

species	μ^0/RT	ref.
H ₂ O	-95.6635	23
Li ⁺	-118.0439	23
Na ⁺	-105.651	23
K ⁺	-113.957	23
Sr ²⁺	-228.4630	this study
Cl ⁻	-52.955	23
LiCl·H ₂ O	-254.5962	23
NaCl	-154.99	23
KCl	-164.84	23
SrCl ₂ ·6H ₂ O	-904.0272	24
SrCl ₂ ·2H ₂ O	-517.1011	24

Table S4. Experimental and Predicted compositions (units: mol·kg⁻¹) of Invariant Points for the Systems at 298.15 K

NaCl–SrCl ₂ –H ₂ O	NaCl	SrCl ₂	Precipitating solids	
Experimental ¹²	2.00	2.94	NaCl + SrCl ₂ ·6H ₂ O	
Experimental ¹⁶	2.07	2.90		
Calculated ^a	1.97	2.94		
Calculated ^b	2.00	2.93		
Calculated ^c	1.97	2.92		
Calculated ^d	2.00	2.91		
^a With binary parameters and mixing parameters to the saturated molalities. ¹⁷ ^b With binary parameters ¹⁹ and mixing parameters to the saturated molalities. ¹⁷ ^c With binary parameters and mixing parameters fitted with ionic strengths below 7.0 mol·kg ⁻¹ . ¹⁷ ^d With binary parameters ¹⁹ and mixing parameters fitted with ionic strengths below 7.0 mol·kg ⁻¹ . ¹⁷				
KCl–SrCl ₂ –H ₂ O	KCl	SrCl ₂	Precipitating solids	
Experimental ¹³	1.60	3.37	KCl + SrCl ₂ ·6H ₂ O	
Experimental ¹⁶	1.41	3.29		
Calculated ^e	1.59	3.35		
Calculated ^f	1.62	3.35		
^e With binary parameters ¹⁷ and mixing parameters. ¹⁸ ^f With binary parameters ¹⁹ and mixing parameters. ¹⁸				
LiCl–SrCl ₂ –H ₂ O	LiCl	SrCl ₂	Precipitating solids	
Experimental ¹⁴	–	–	LiCl·H ₂ O + SrCl ₂ ·2H ₂ O	
Experimental ¹⁵	18.67	0.10		
Calculated ^g	19.39	0.012		
Calculated ^h	19.39	0.013		
Experimental ¹⁴	–	–	SrCl ₂ ·2H ₂ O + SrCl ₂ ·6H ₂ O	
Experimental ¹⁵	9.61	0.45		
Calculated ^g	10.37	0.72		
Calculated ^h	10.38	0.72		
^g With binary parameters ¹⁷ and mixing parameters fitted with experimental water activities. ²²				
^h With binary parameters ¹⁹ and mixing parameters fitted with experimental water activities. ²²				
NaCl–KCl–SrCl ₂ –H ₂ O	NaCl	KCl	SrCl ₂	Precipitating solids
Experimental ¹⁶	1.79	1.31	2.70	NaCl + KCl + SrCl ₂ ·6H ₂ O
Calculated	1.75	1.44	2.88	

Table S5. Solid Phases during Isothermal Evaporation of the mother liquor for the oilfield brine from Nanyishan district in the Qaidam Basin^a

No.	NaCl		KCl		SrCl ₂ ·6H ₂ O		SrCl ₂ ·2H ₂ O	
	m/mol	Precipitation	m/mol	Precipitation	m/mol	Precipitation	m/mol	Precipitation
		ratio/%		ratio/%		ratio/%		ratio/%
B	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00
C	0.0000	0.00	0.0606	5.69	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00
D	2.2444	98.71	1.0309	96.71	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00
E	2.2702	99.84	1.0568	99.14	0.0466	78.74	0.0000	0.00
F	2.2733	99.98	1.0582	99.28	0.0000	0.00	0.0591	99.83

^aCalculated using 1 kg water in original brine.

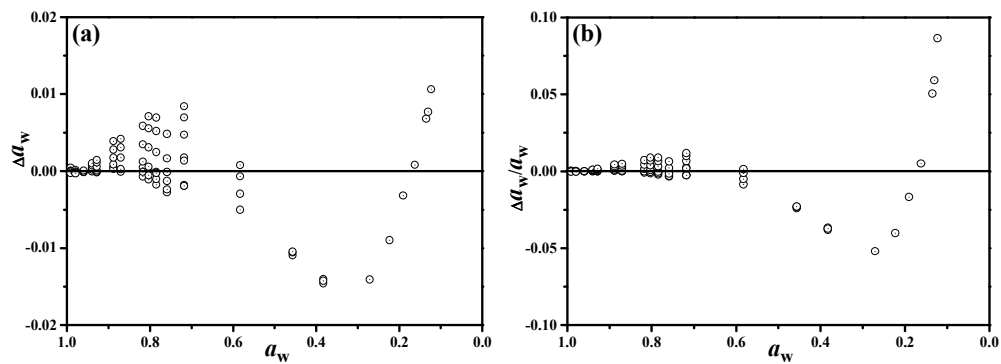


Figure S1. Calculated and experimental water activities of the system LiCl-SrCl₂-H₂O at 298.15 K. (a) $\Delta a_w = a_w(\text{exp}) - a_w(\text{cal})$;

(b) $\Delta a_w / a_w = (a_w(\text{exp}) - a_w(\text{cal})) / a_w(\text{exp})$.