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Thermodynamics of the Reciprocal NaCl-KCl-NaNO₃-KNO₃ System

Project:

Thermodynamics of Salt Systems for Thermal Energy Storage

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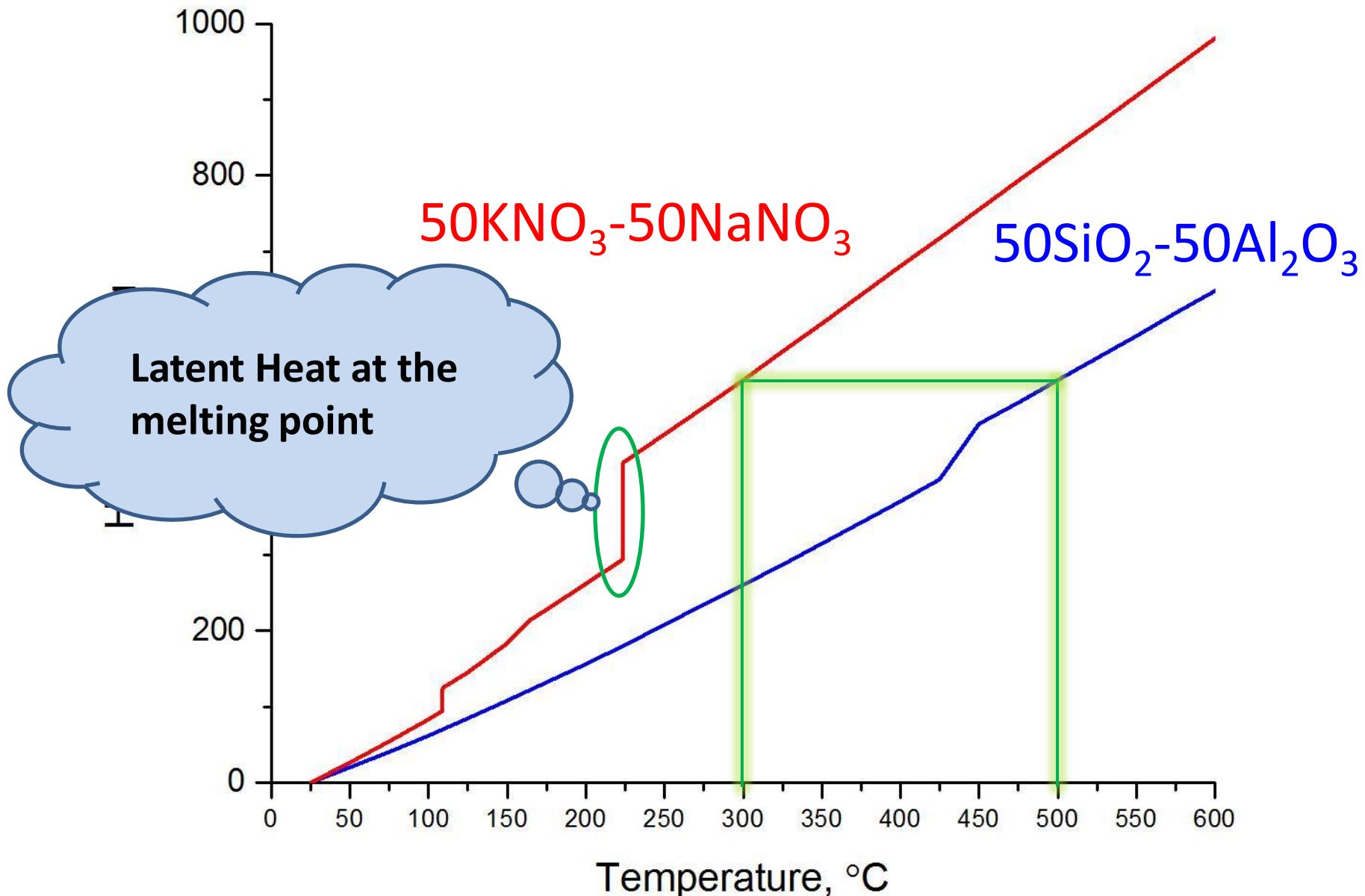
Russian Winter (-30°C)



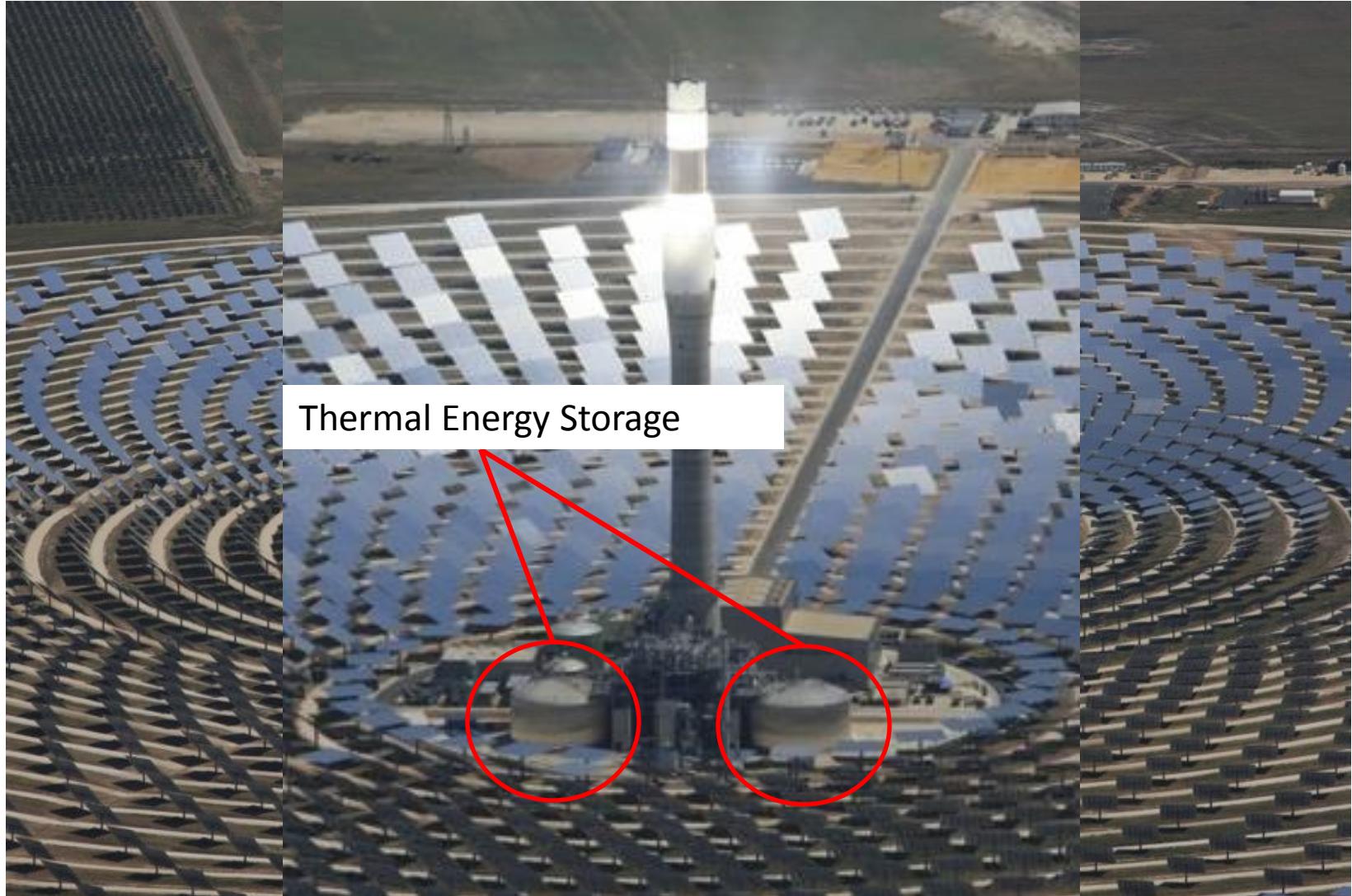
Sensible Thermal Energy Storage



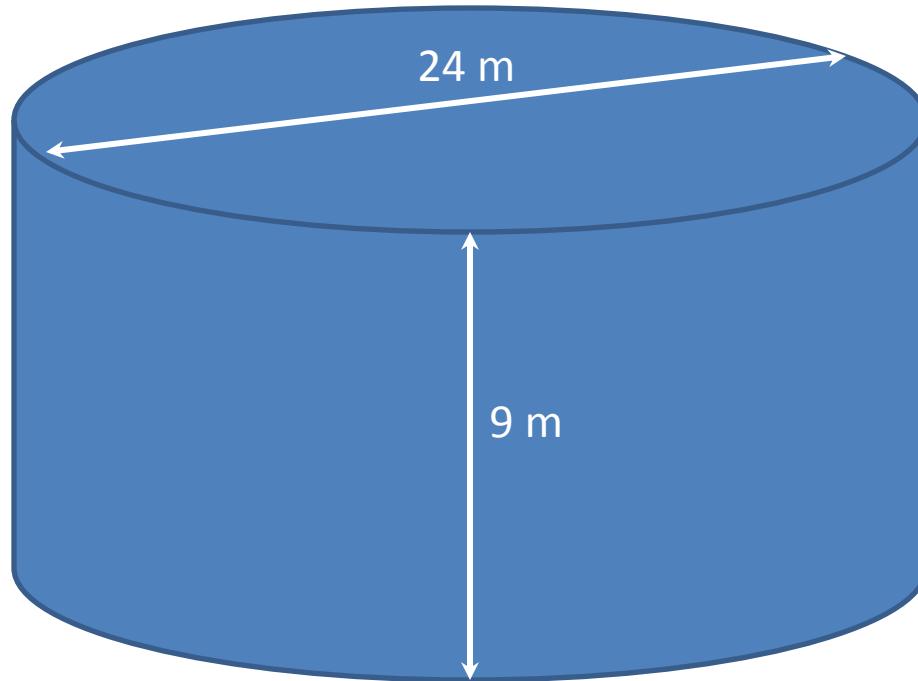
Heat Increment



Solar Power Plant

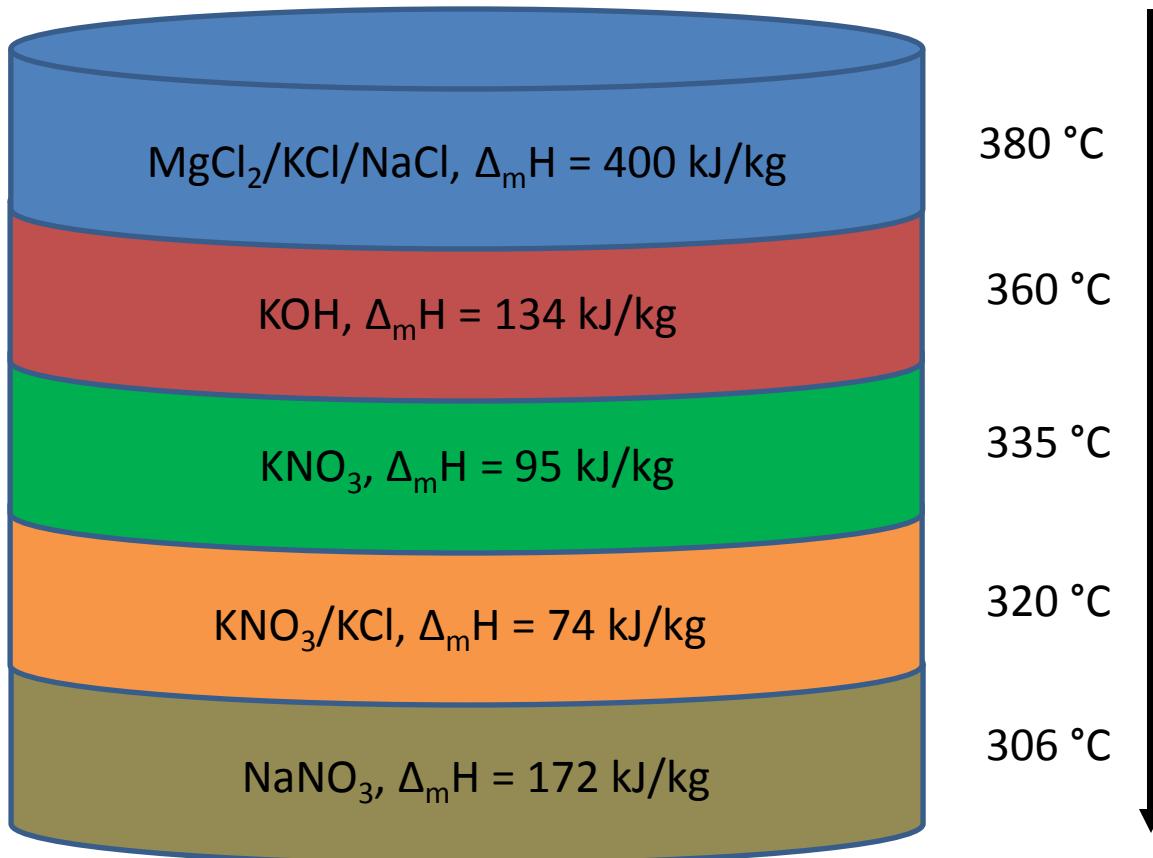


Weight of TES



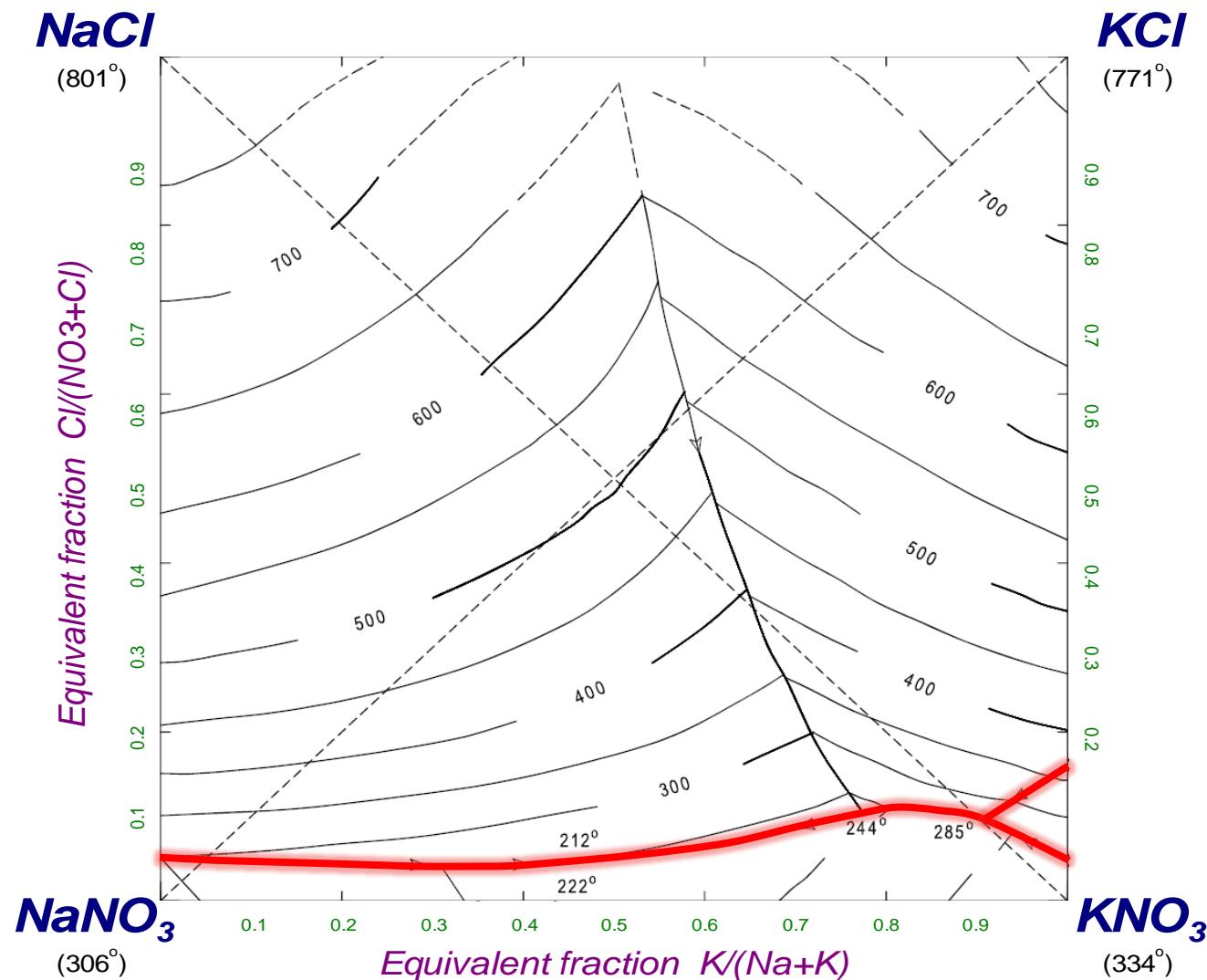
$$m=10\ 000 \text{ kg}$$

Cascaded Latent Heat Storage

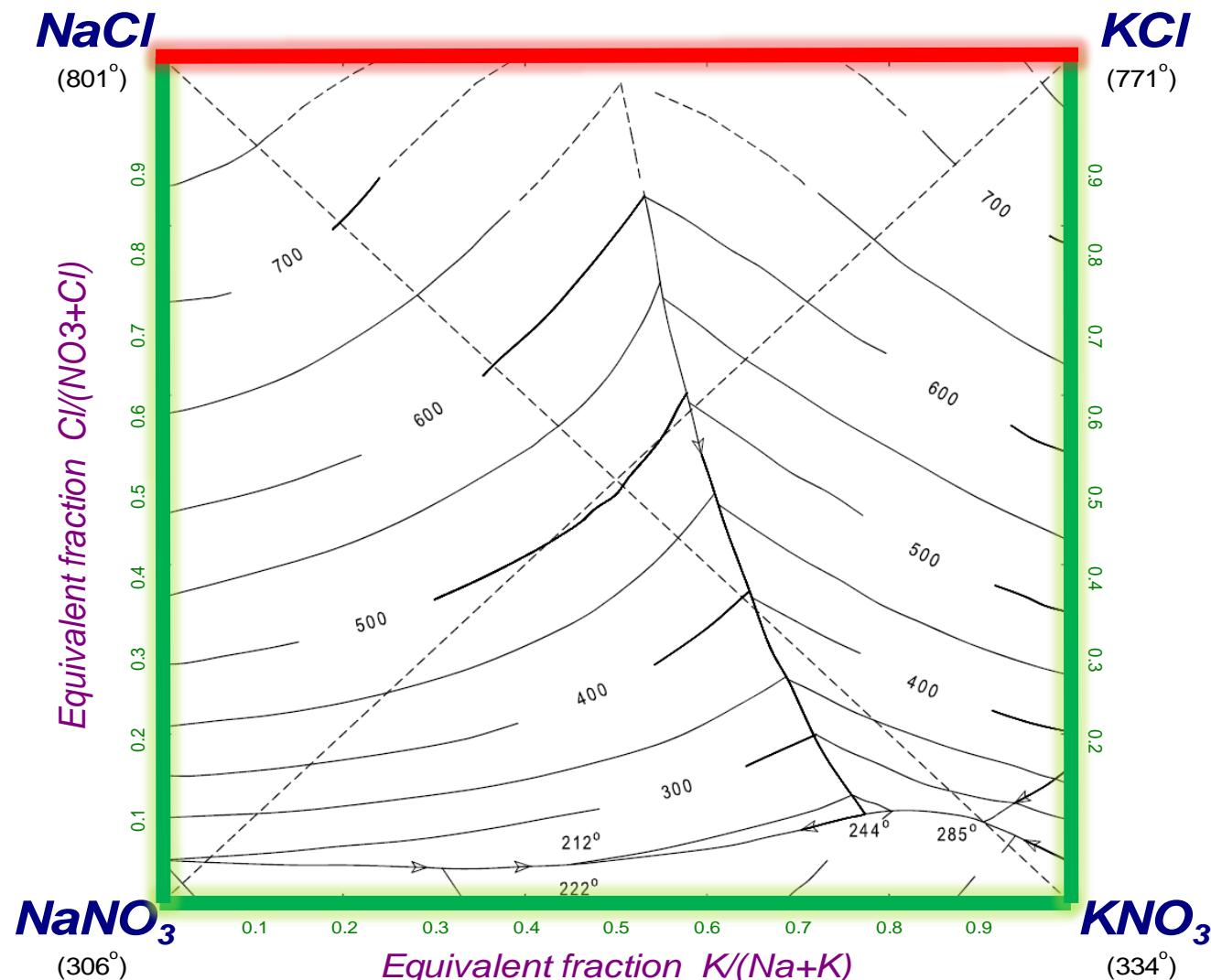


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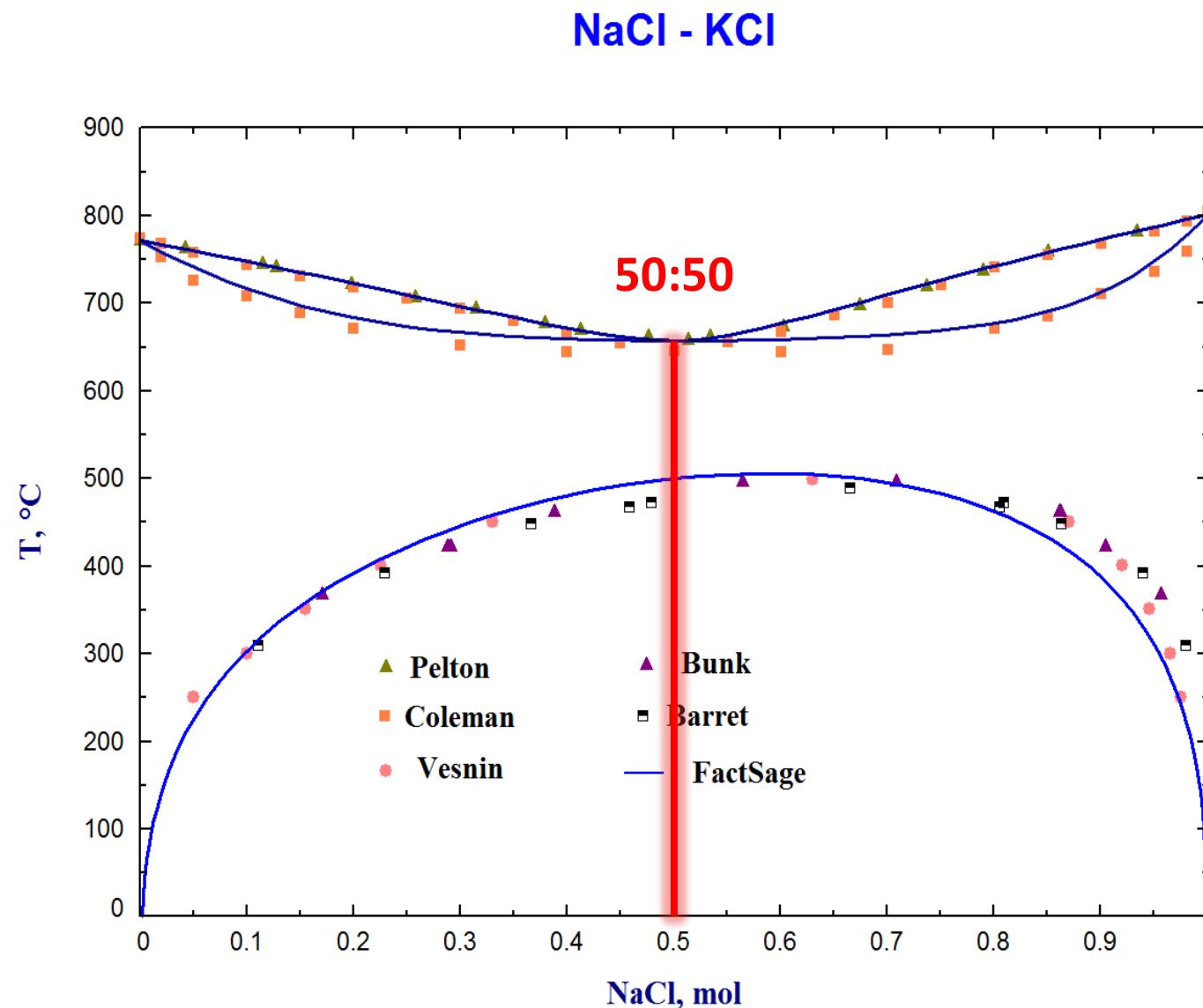
Phase Diagram of the NaCl-KCl-NaNO₃-KNO₃ system



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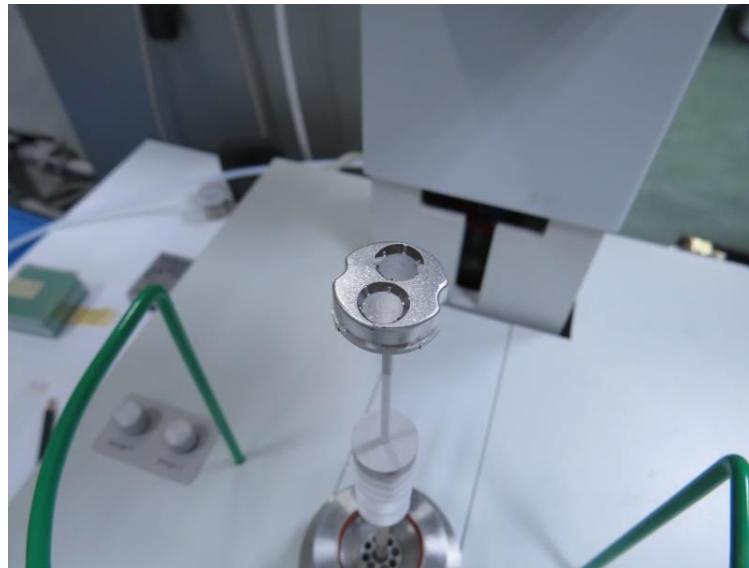


Phase Diagrams of the NaCl-KCl System



Differential Scanning Calorimetry

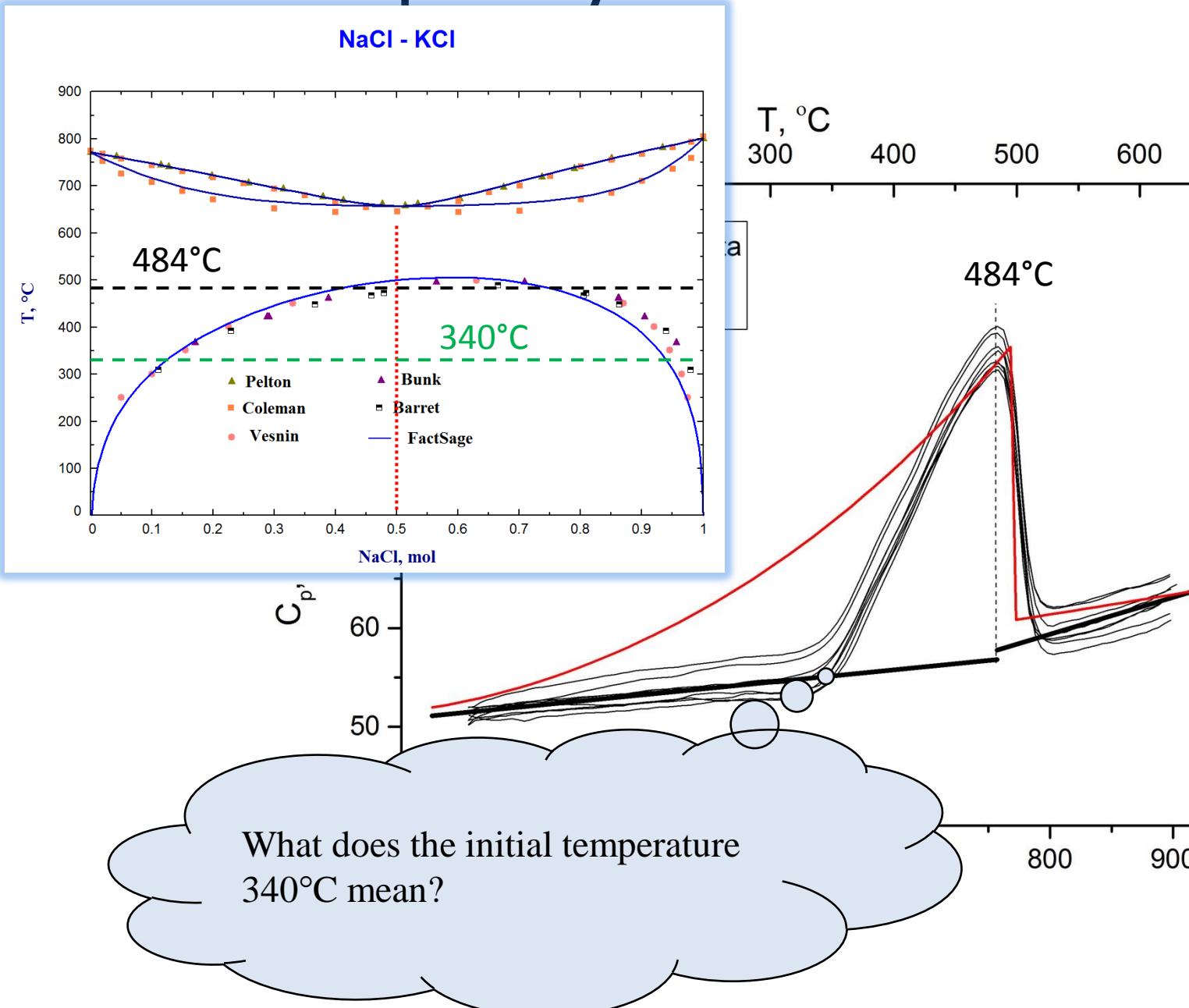
DSC 404C Netzsch



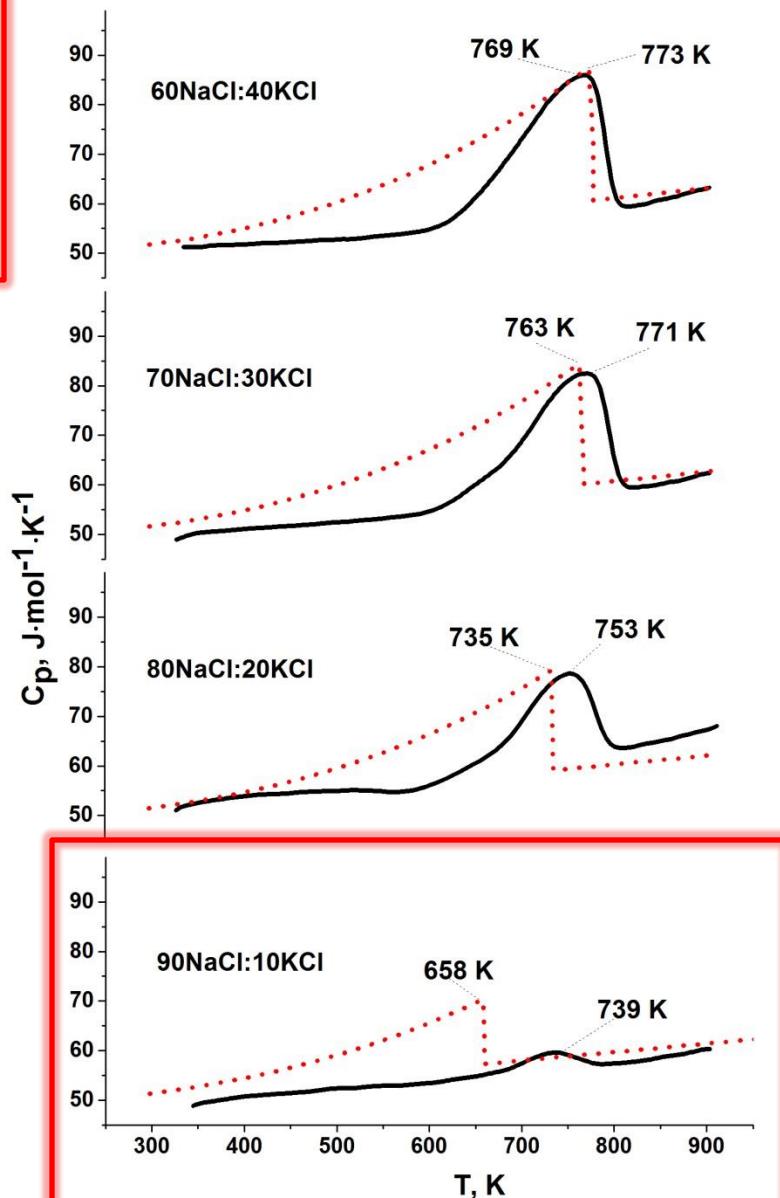
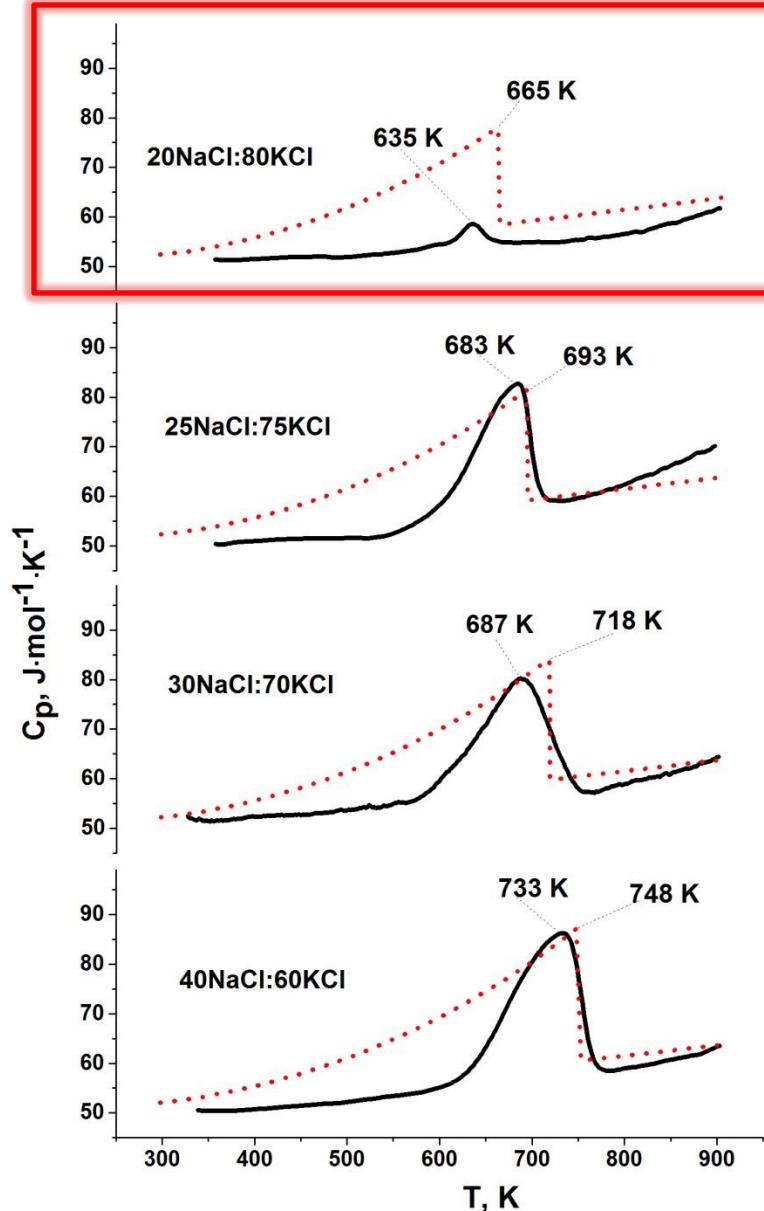
Sample holder



Heat capacity of the 50NaCl-50KCl

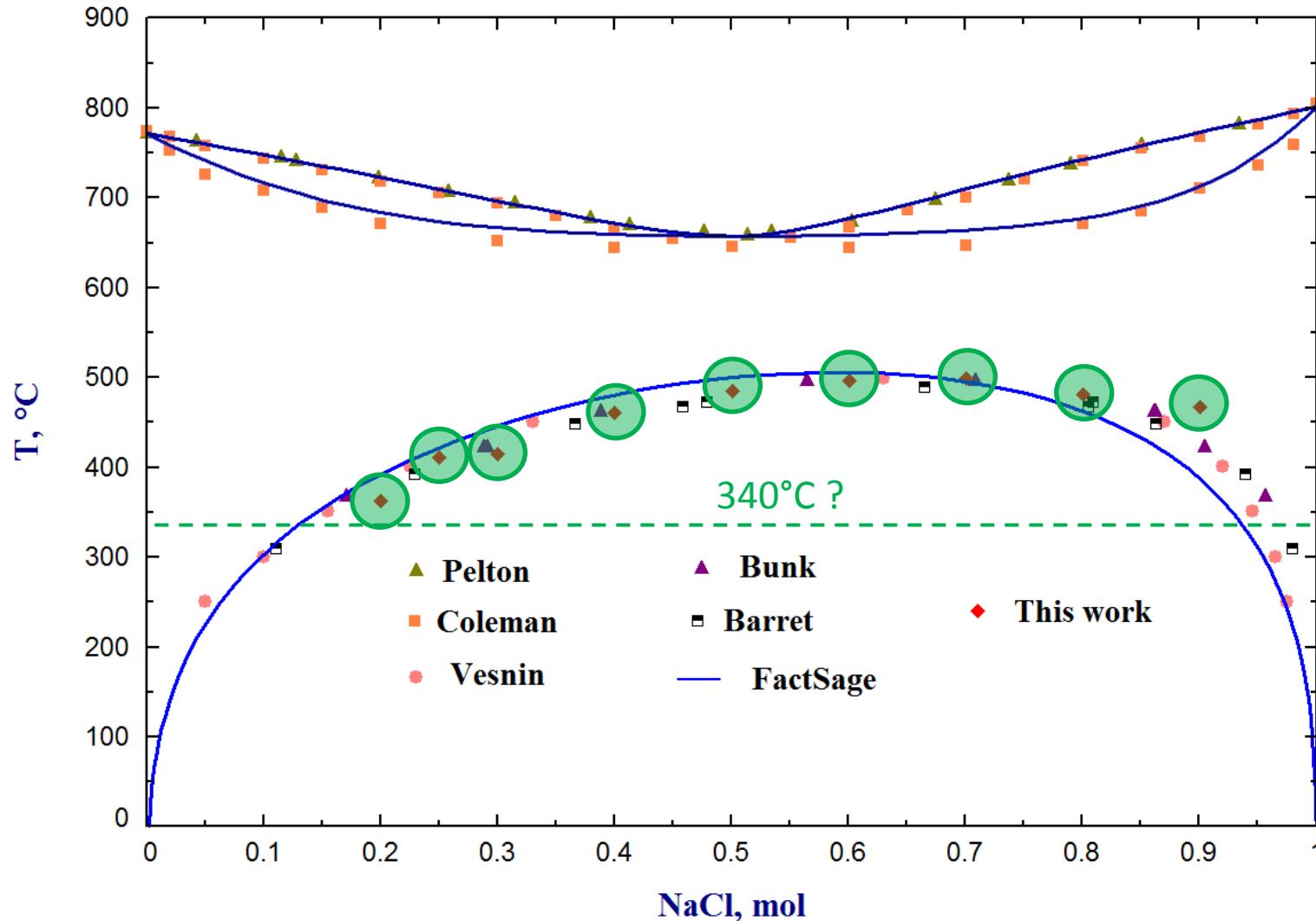


Heat capacity of the NaCl-KCl system



Phase Diagramm

NaCl - KCl



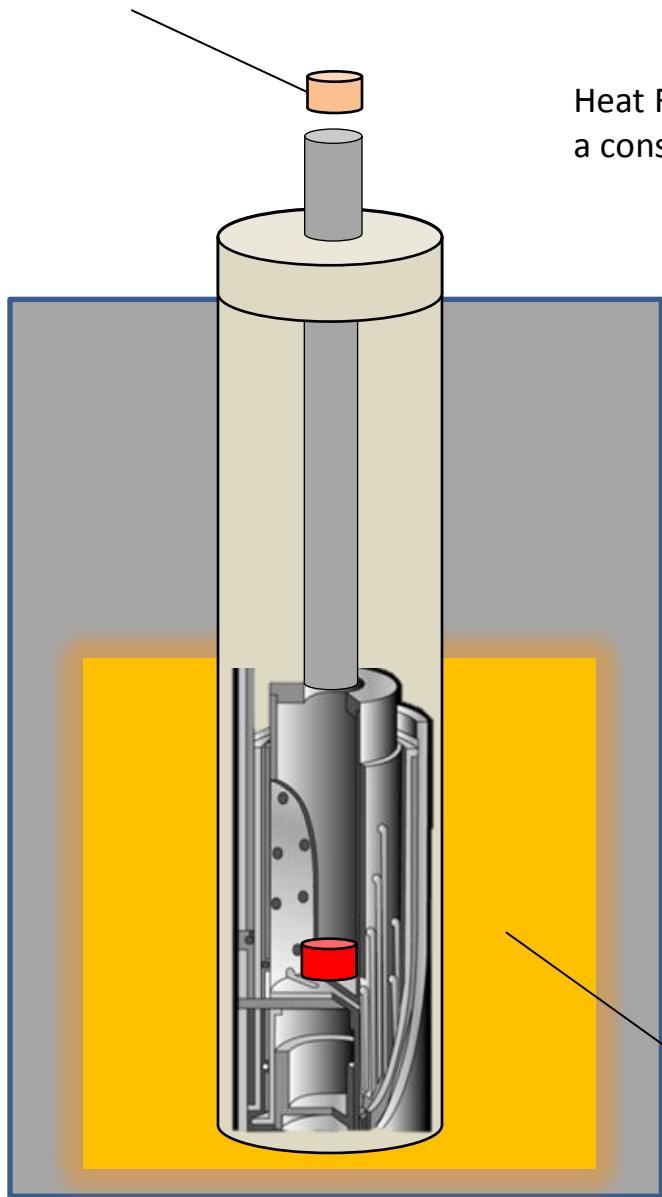
Drop Calorimeter

mHTC 96 Seteram



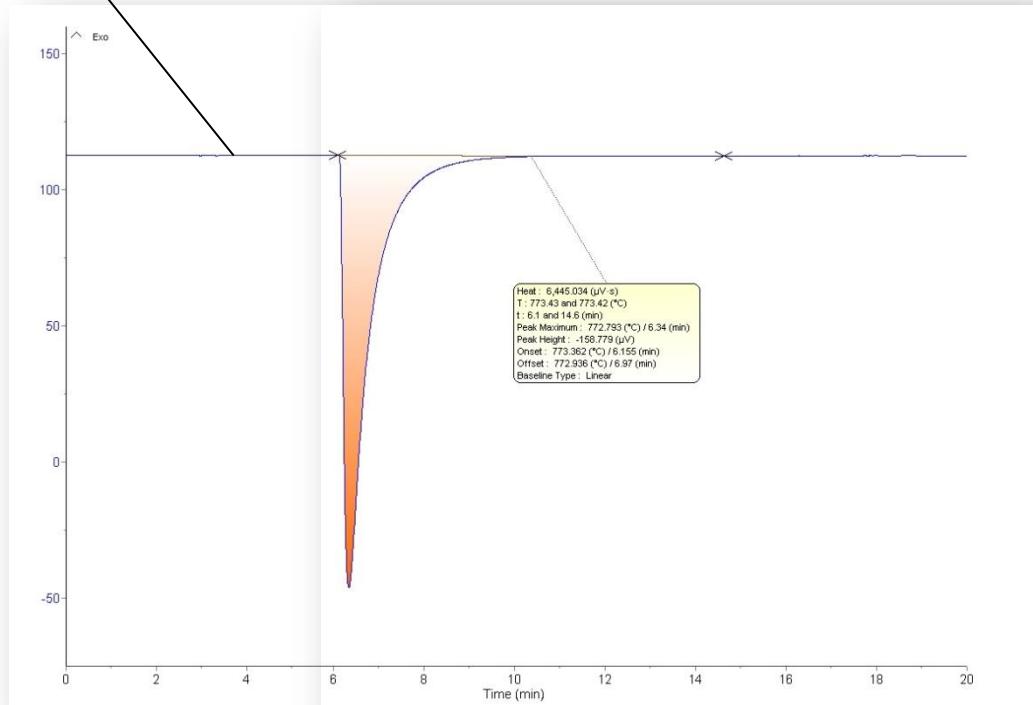
Drop Calorimetry

Sample (10-100mg)
at room temperature



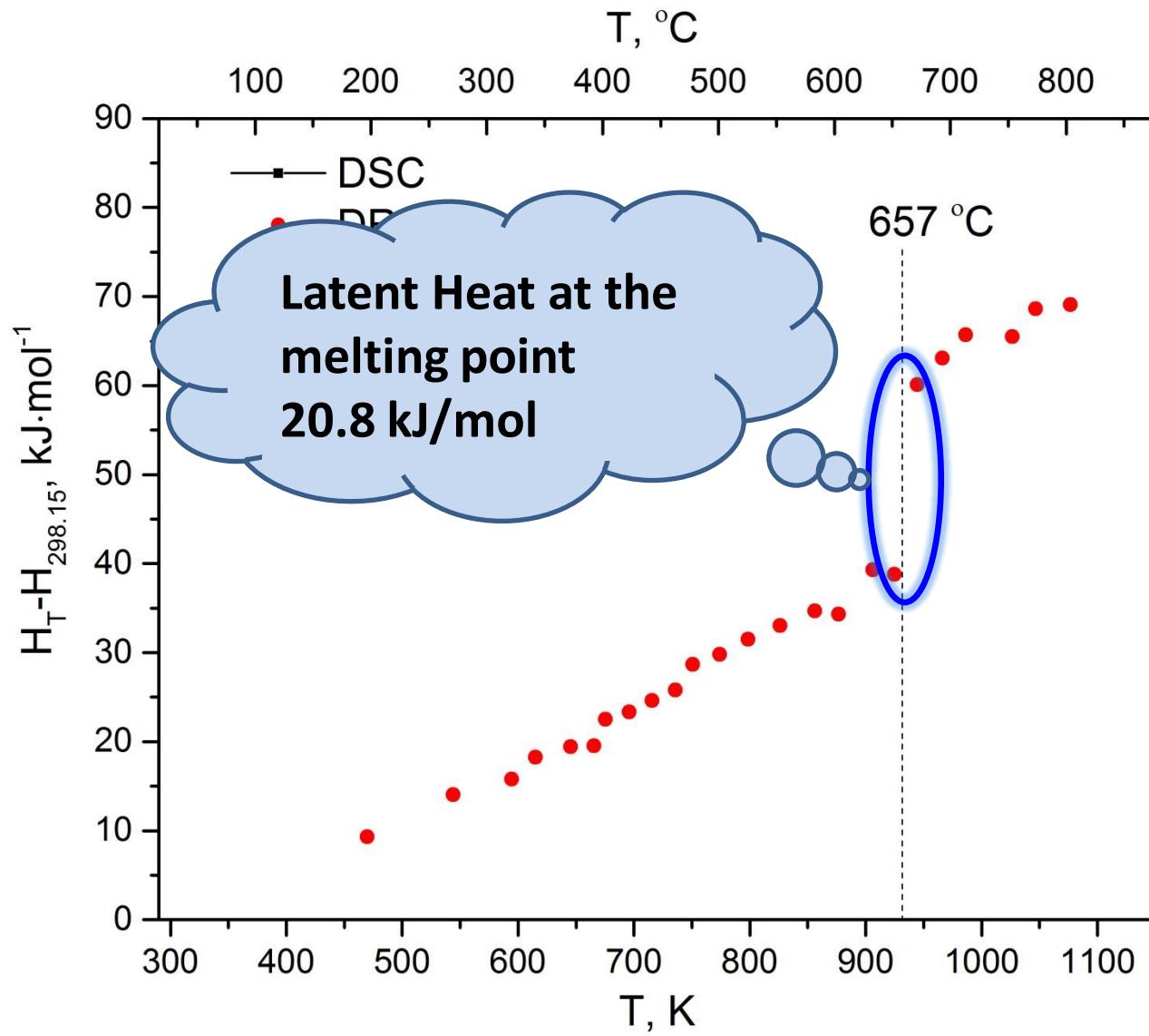
Heat Flow (μV) at
a constant T

Experimental data

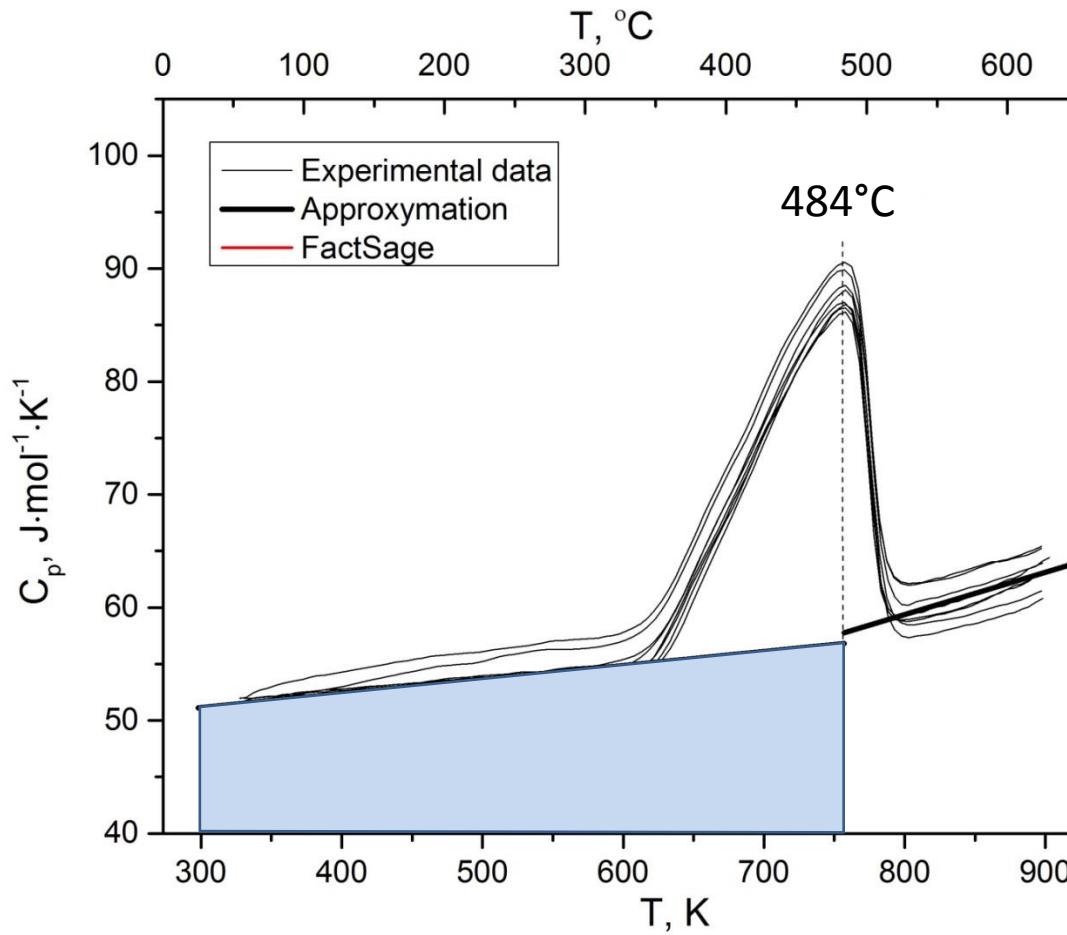


Hot zone,
constant temperature T

Enthalpy increment in the 50NaCl – 50KCl mixture

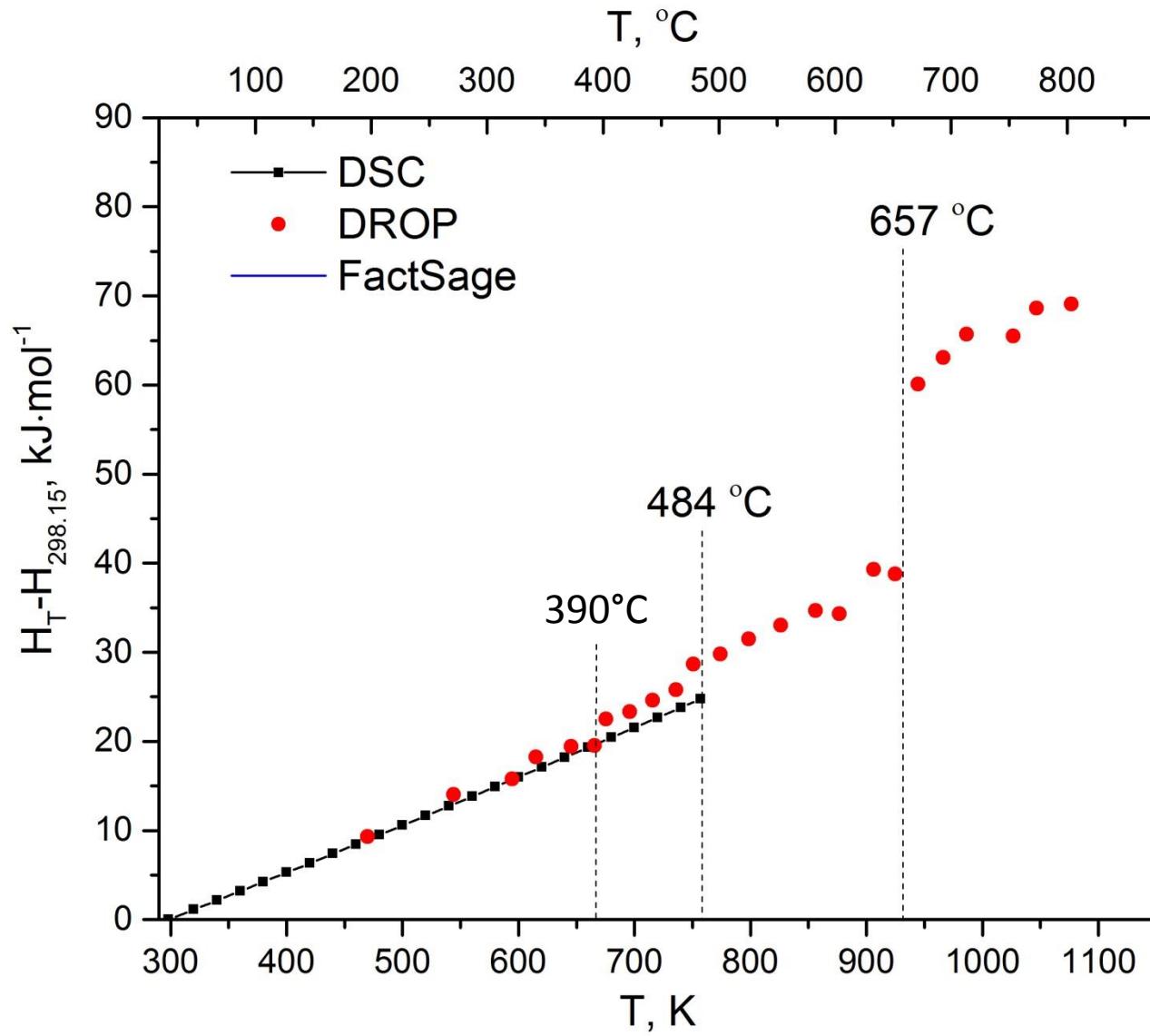


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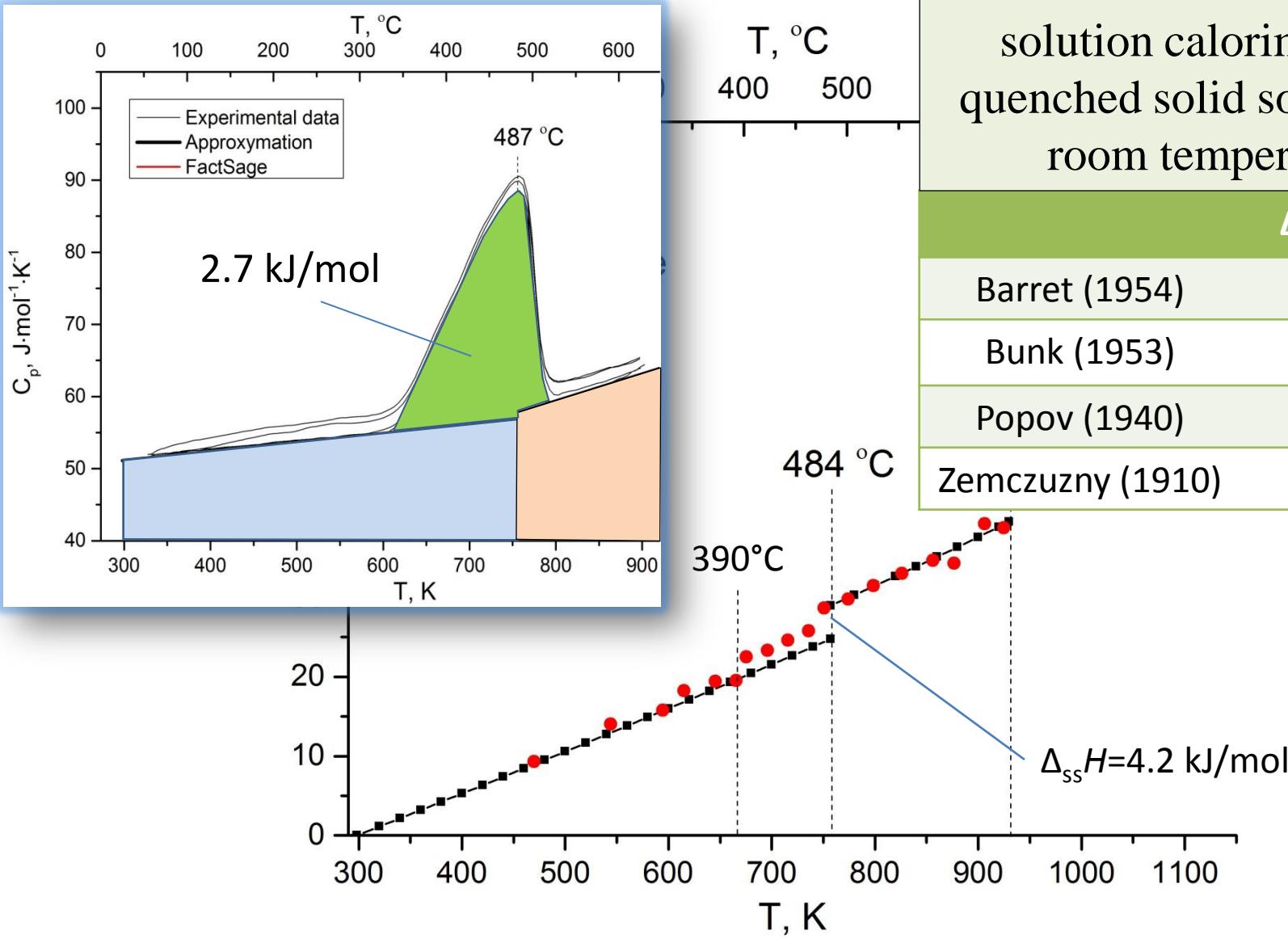


$$H_T^\circ - H_{298.15}^\circ = \int_{298.15}^T C_p^\circ(T) dT$$

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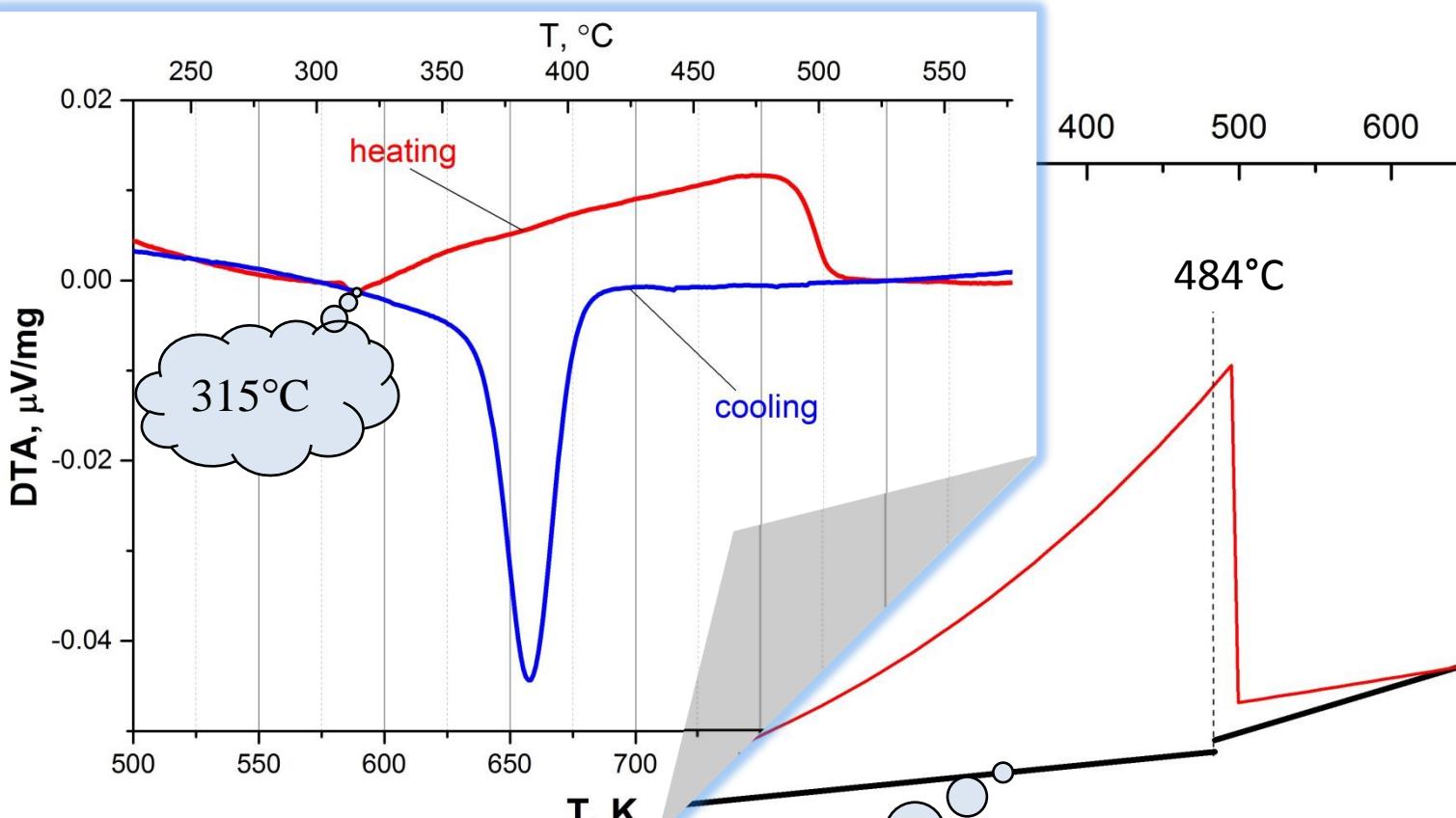


Literature data obtained by solution calorimetry of quenched solid solutions at room temperature

$$\Delta_{ss}H, \text{ kJ/mol}$$

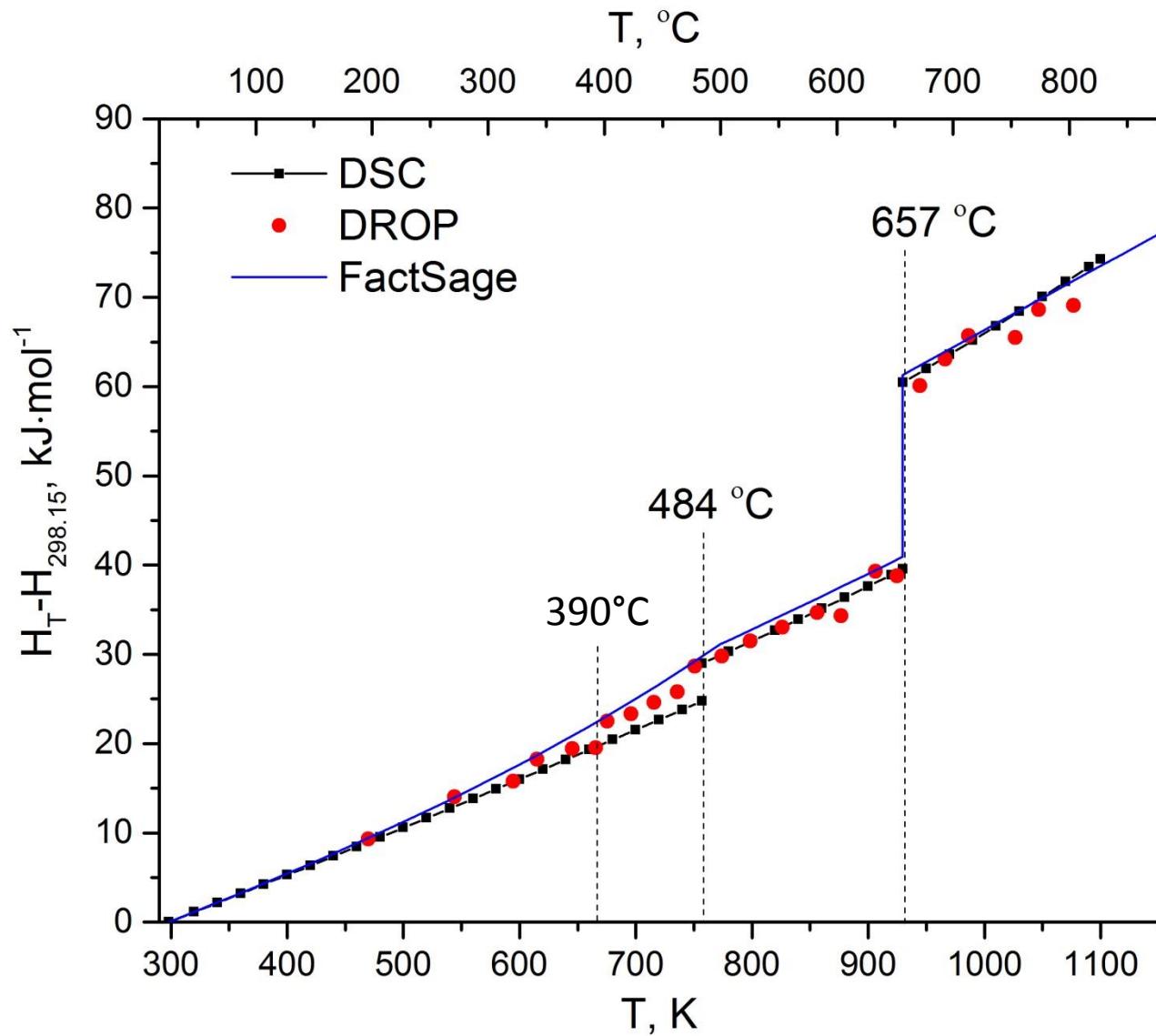
Barret (1954)	4.4
Bunk (1953)	4.5
Popov (1940)	4.4
Zemczuzny (1910)	4.4

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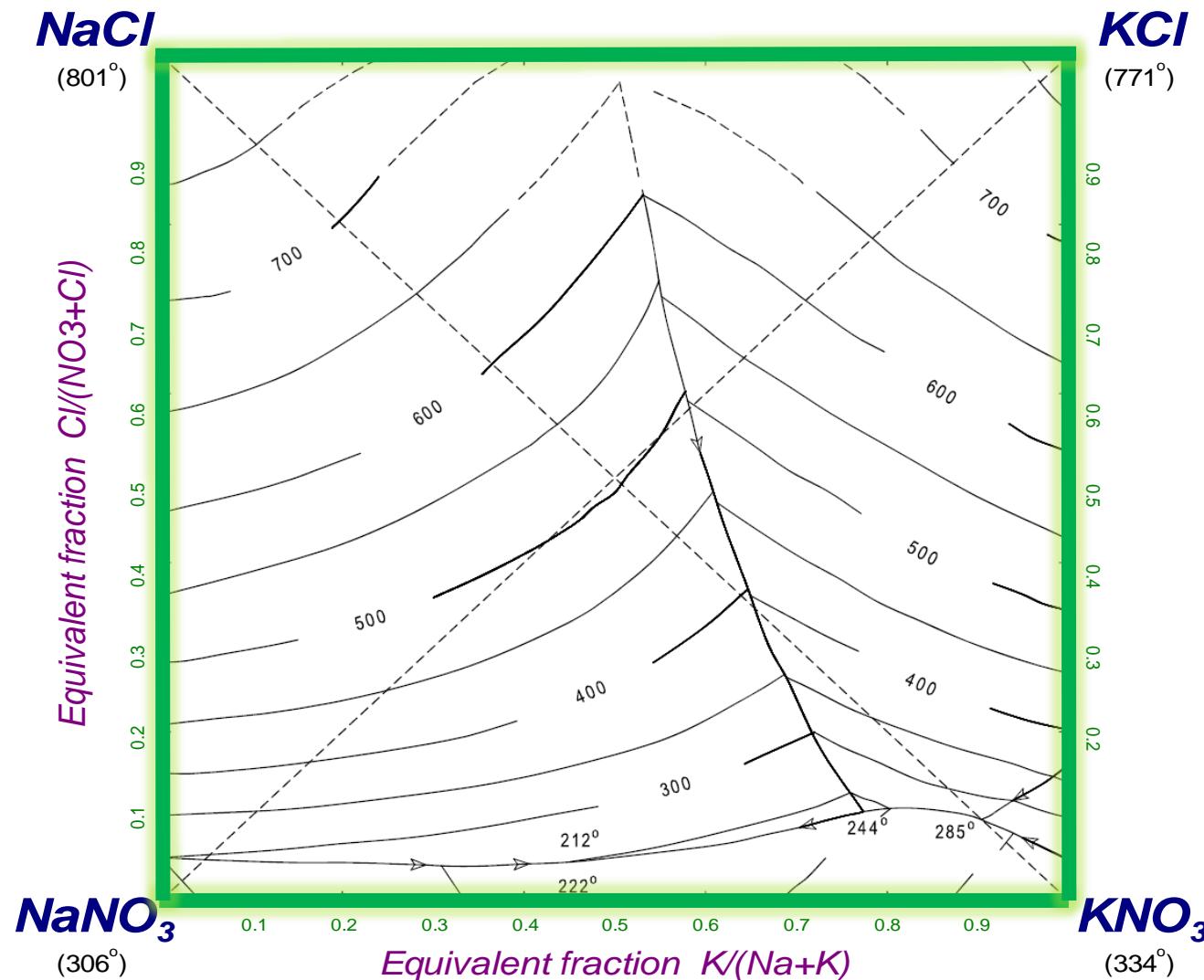


What does the initial temperature
(340°C) mean?

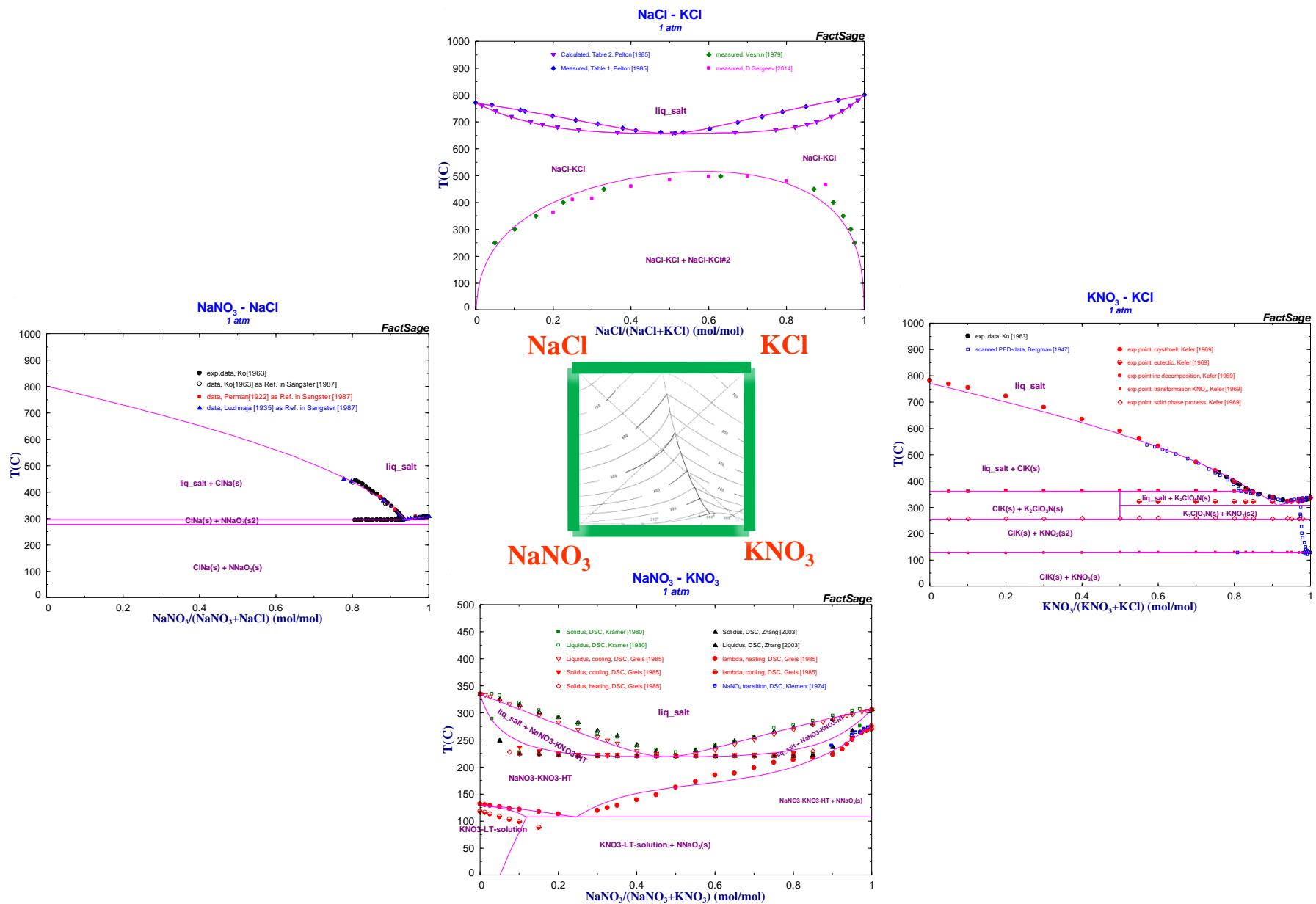
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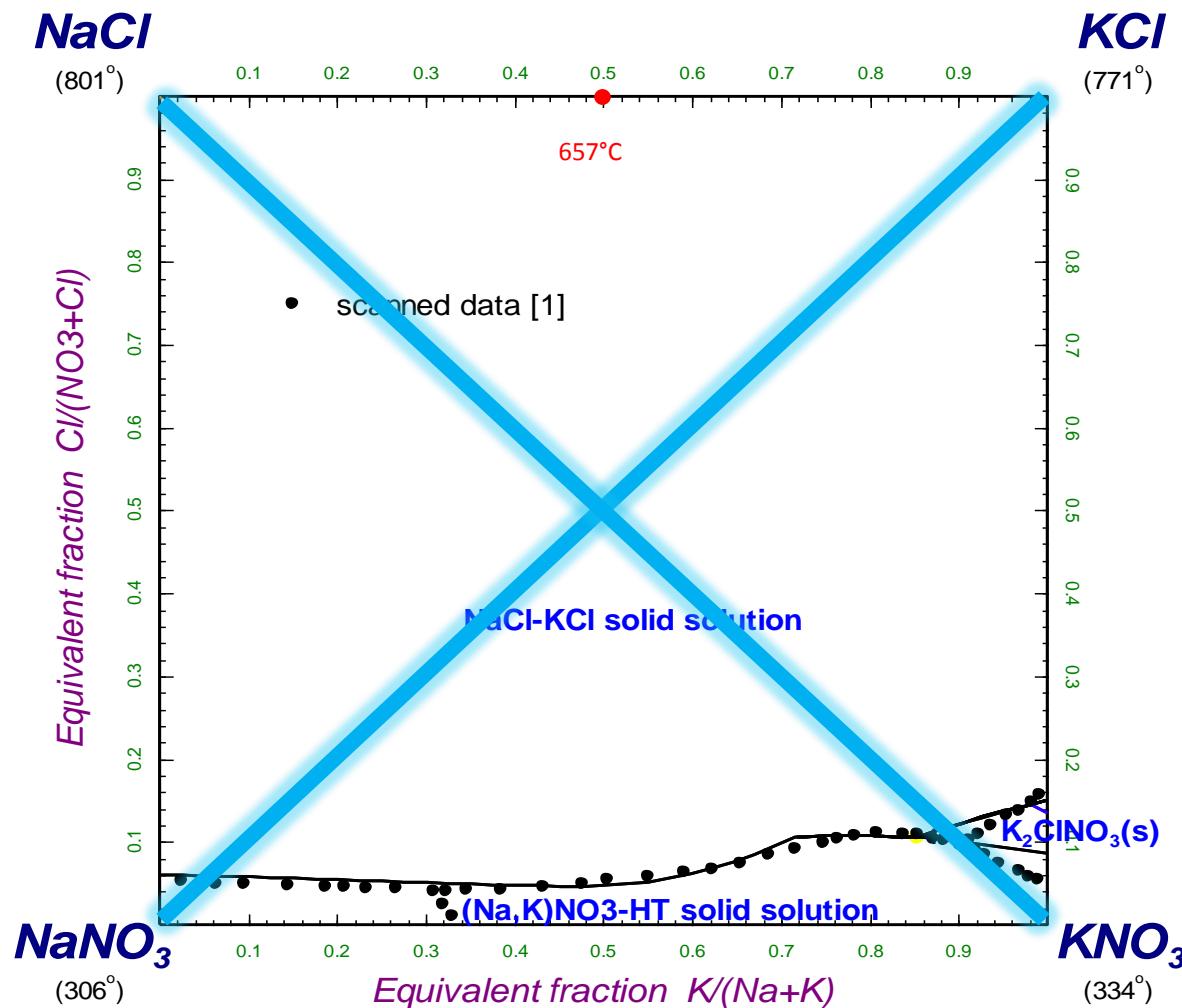
Reciprocal NaCl-KCl-NaNO₃-KNO₃ system



Modelling results of the binary salt systems



Univariant line of the NaCl-KCl-NaNO₃-KNO₃ system

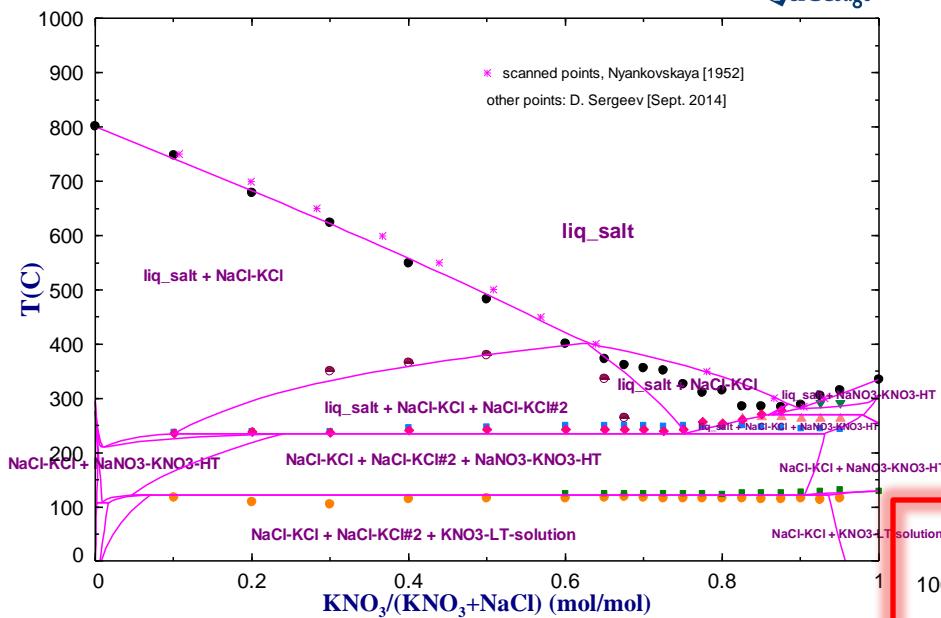


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Diagonal Systems

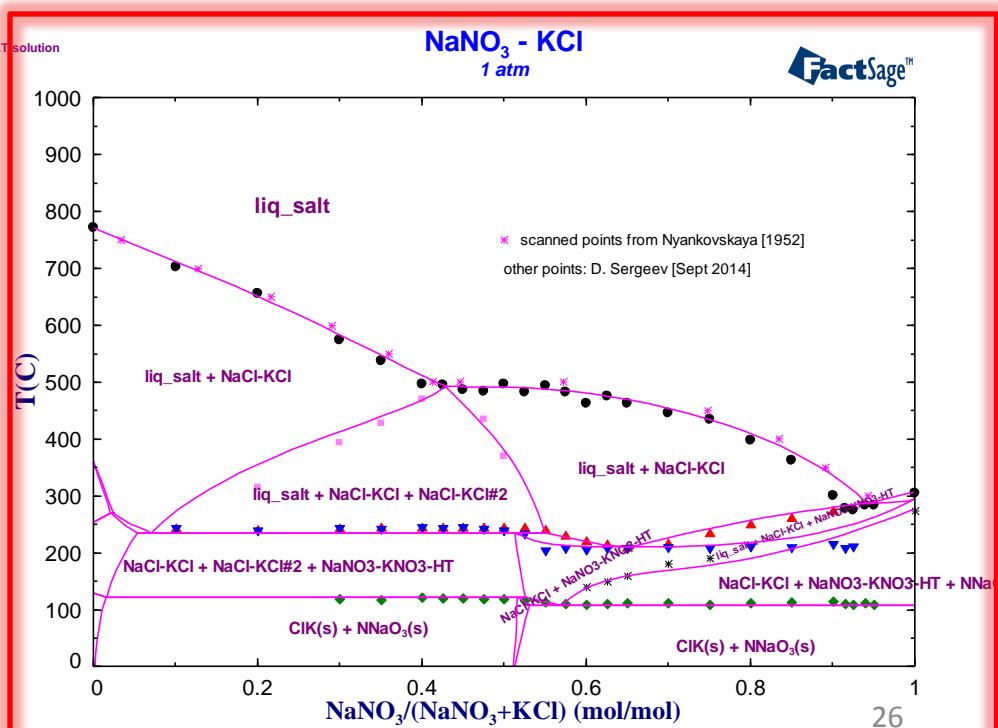
KNO₃ - NaCl
1 atm

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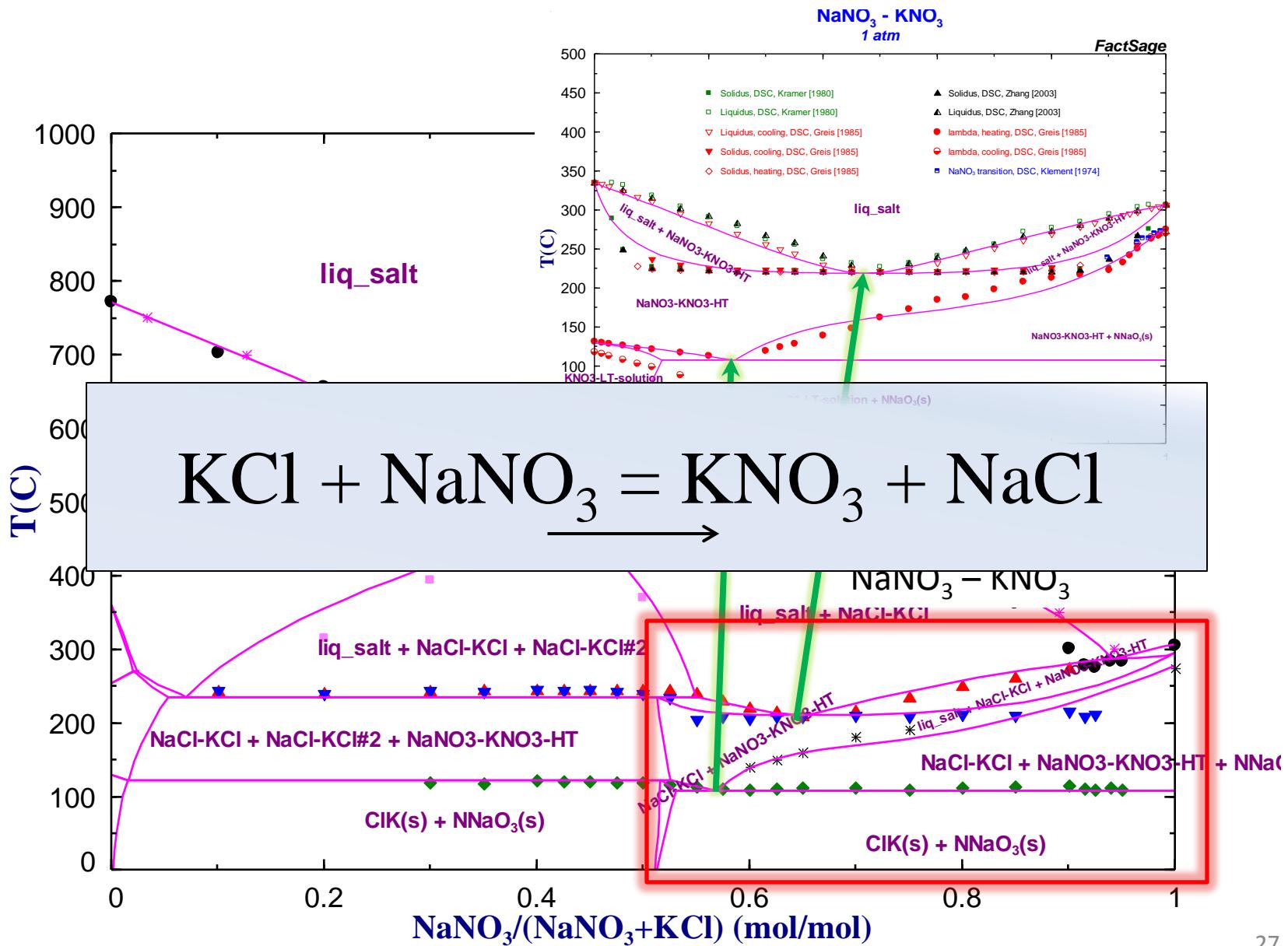


NaNO₃ - KCl
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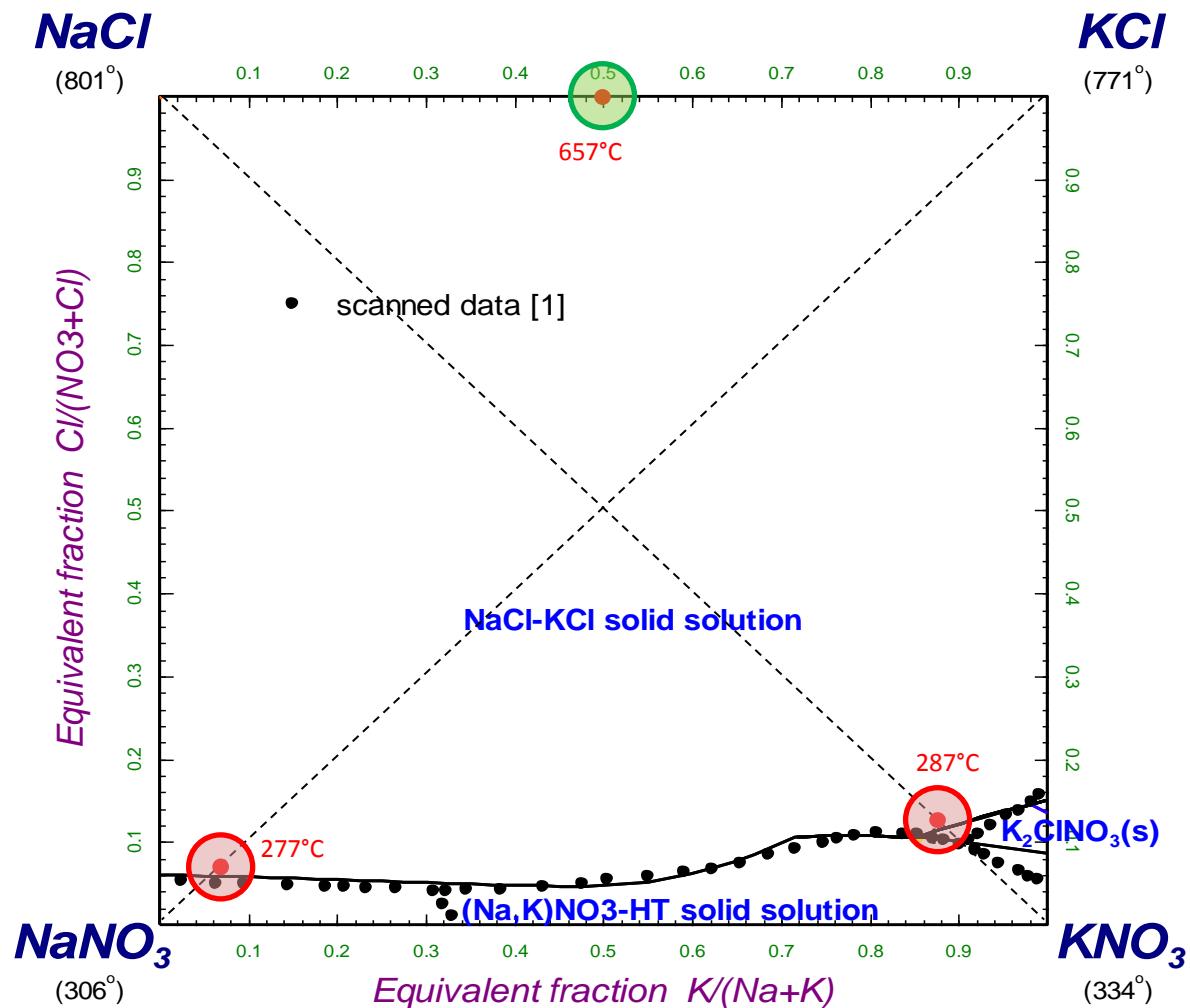
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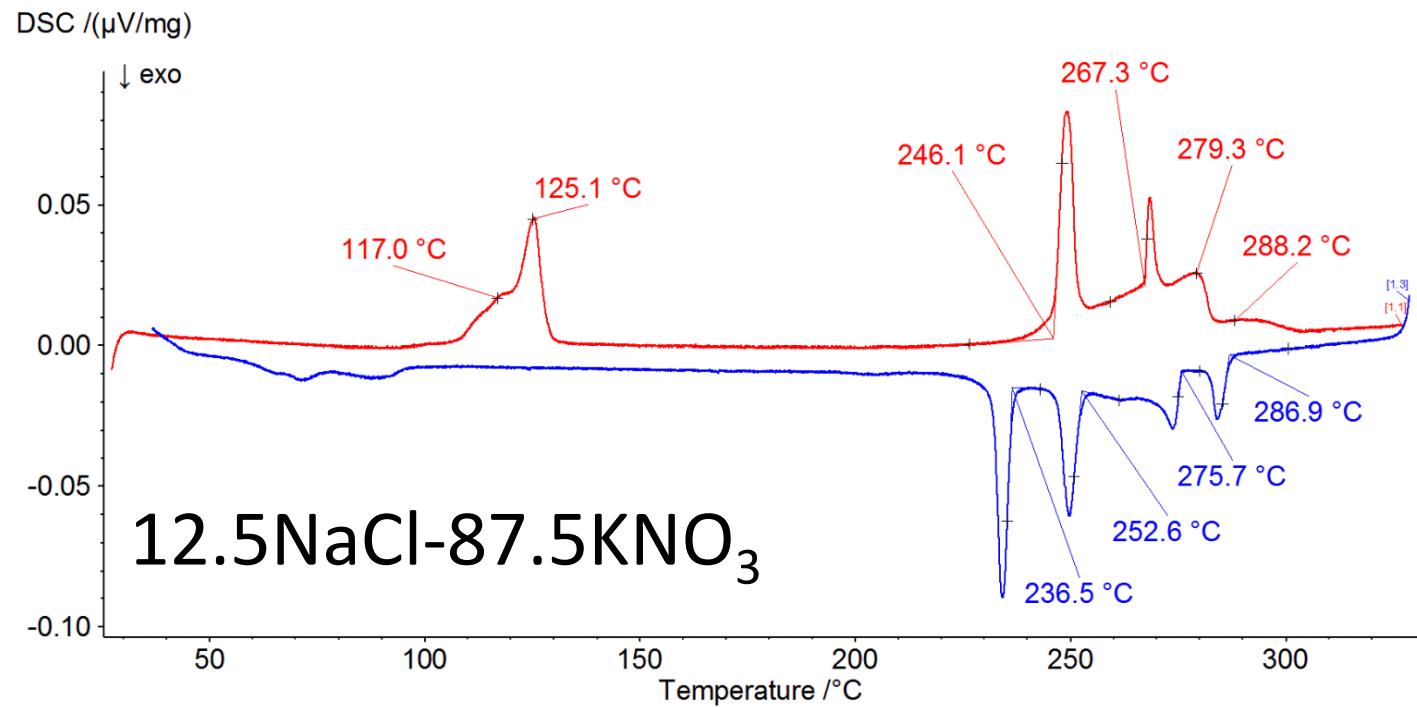
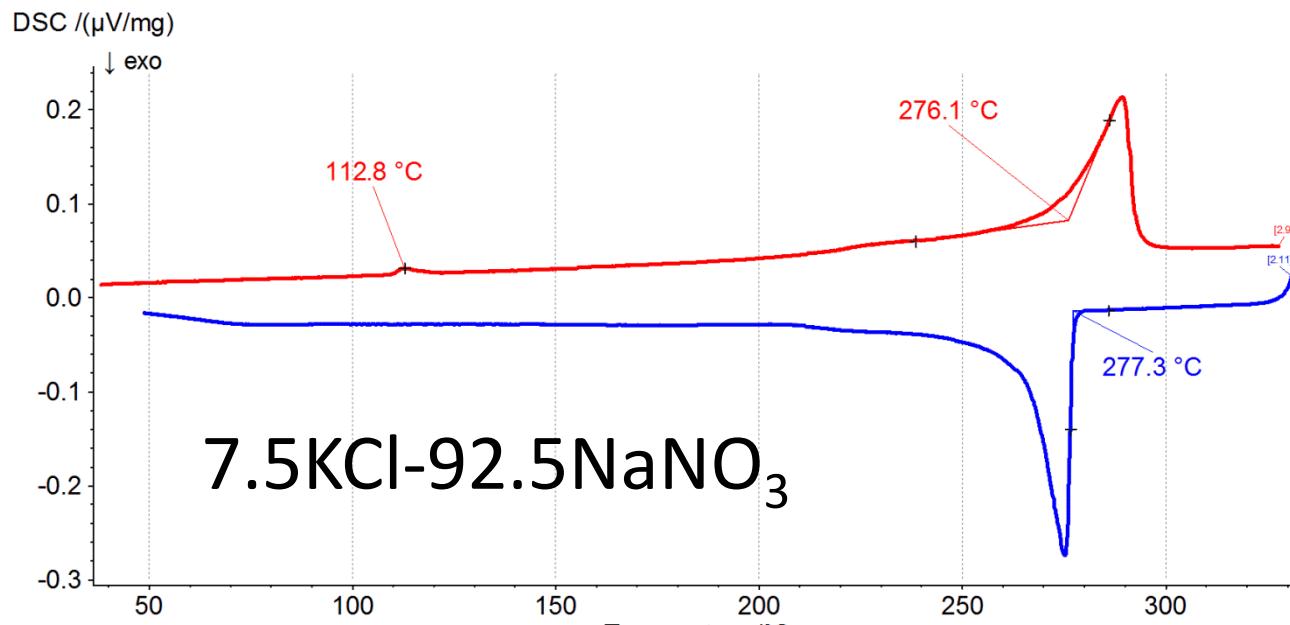


Diagonal System

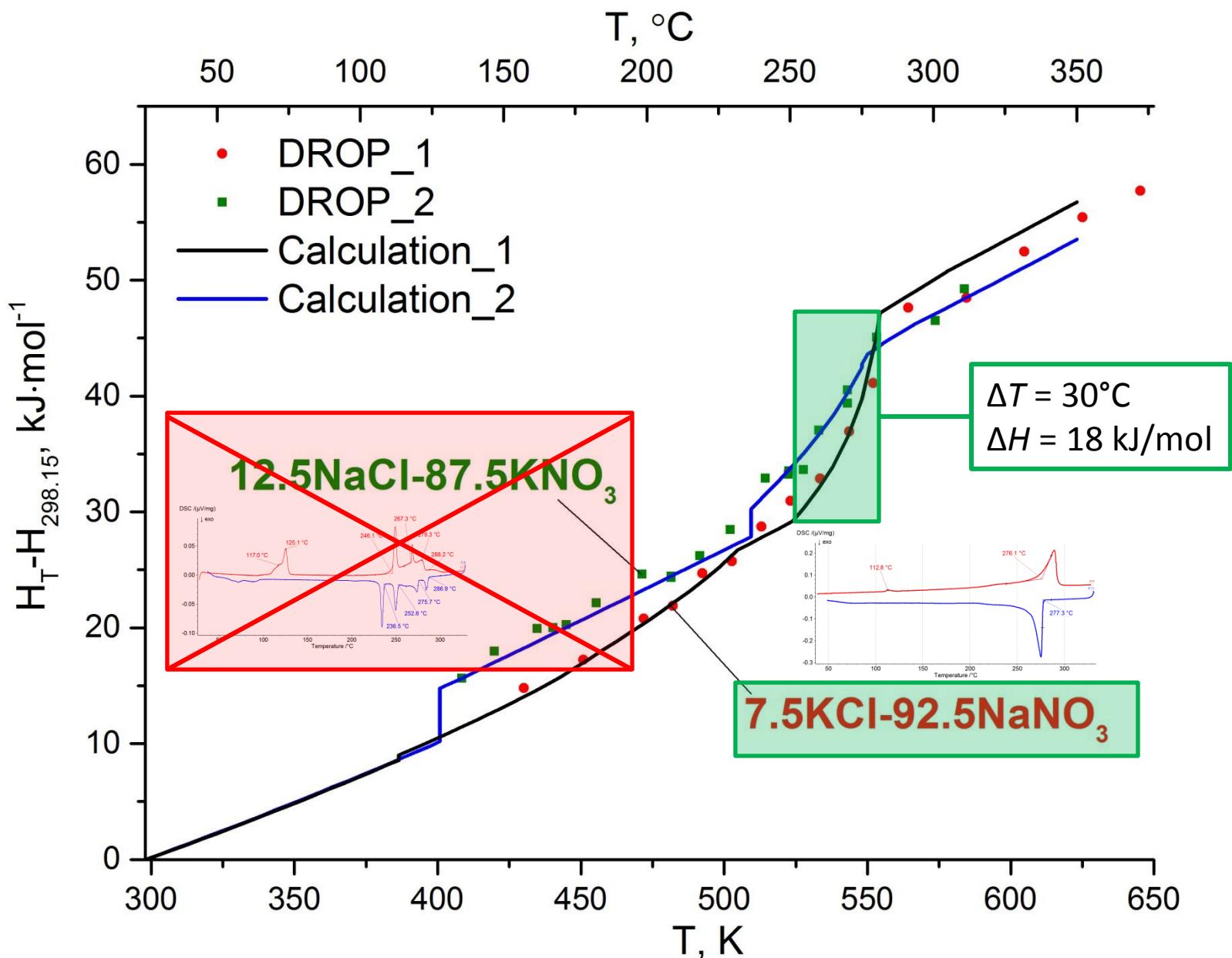


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Heat Increment





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