

Thermal properties of binary chlorides relevant to molten salt nuclear chemistry

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DEFINITIONS, EQUATIONS, DATA PROCESSING, AND REPORTING

Significant Figures: All values are presented with the same number of significant figures as taken from the original report/reference text.

Temperature: For consistency and better use of thermodynamic equations, all temperatures are presented in absolute units (K). If needed, the temperature was converted using the absolute conversion $T(K) = T(^{\circ}C) + 273.15$, with preservation of the number of significant figures.

Variance: Indicated with a "±" followed by the value. If no value is given, no variance was given in the original report/reference text.

Data Averaging: When a property measurement for a single compound has three or more reports, an ^φaverage value was calculated along with the standard deviation, indicated with a "±." The average values are presented at the bottom of the table below a solid line and are italicized.

Phase change and thermodynamic measurements: Please note, in some cases phase change temperatures or thermodynamic phase change values are reported under reduced or increased pressure, or increased temperature. These are noted with a superscript letter and explained in the table footer.

dec = Decomposes [¶]Estimated Value ~ = Approximate Value > = Occurs at a Higher Temperature

Vapor Pressure Expressions: [§]Vapor pressure coefficients A–D, as needed, come from **Eq. 1**.

$$\log P_{mmHg} = -\frac{A}{T} + B - C \log(T) + 10^{-3}DT \quad (1)$$

[%]Many expressions with multiple phases were originally designated as "A and B" in the primary literature.

[&]When multiple solid, liquid, gas phases have been characterized or computed the phases are represented as X_n (S, L, G; respectively) where n = phase number 1, 2, 3...

^{||}Different crystal modifications are indicated by α/β.

Vapor Pressure Expressions: For uniformity, all vapor pressure expressions were presented in units of mmHg.

Values originally presented in bar or atm were converted to mmHg using **Eq. 2** or **3**, respectively. Values that have been converted are marked with the symbols given. Conversion to pascals can be achieved using **Eq. 4**.

$$^{\dagger} \log P_{mmHg} = \log P_{bar} + \log(750.062) = -\frac{A}{T} + B - C \log(T) \quad (2)$$

$$^{\ddagger} \log P_{mmHg} = \log P_{atm} + \log(760) = -\frac{A}{T} + B - C \log(T) \quad (3)$$

$$\log P_{Pa} = \log P_{mmHg} + \log(133.322) = -\frac{A}{T} + B - C \log(T) \quad (4)$$

Thermodynamic calculations: Where possible, thermodynamic calculations were performed to fill in gaps using fundamental **Eqs. 5-7**. All calculations were performed with $T = 298 \text{ K}$. Values that have been converted are marked with the symbols given. When desired the isobaric heat capacity may be calculated using **Eq. 8**.

$$^{\Delta} \Delta G = \Delta H - T \Delta S \quad (5)$$

$$^* \Delta S^{\circ}_f = S^{\circ}_{molecule} - S^{\circ}_{elements} \quad (6)$$

$$^{\diamond} \Delta X_{sub} = \Delta X_{fus} + \Delta X_{vap} \quad (X = H, S) \quad (7)$$

$$C_p = \frac{\partial H}{\partial T} \text{ at constant } P \quad (8)$$

SOLVENT ELEMENT DATA

ALKALI (A) METAL ELEMENTS

Table S1. Melting (T_M) and Boiling (T_B) Phase Change Temperatures.

Compound	T_M (K)	T_B (K)	Ref
LiCl	883	1656	[1, 2]
NaCl	1075.33	1738	[1]
KCl	1044	1773	[1, 3]
RbCl	997	1663	[1]
CsCl	919	1570	[1]
FrCl ^⓪	850	1496	[4]
FrCl ^⓪	863	1548	[4]

^⓪These values were given in the same research publication, please see ref. [4] for more detail.

Table S2a. Experimental Solid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	D	T range (K)	Ref
NaCl	12,440	14.31	0.90	−0.46	298-1075	[5]
KCl	12,230	20.34	3.0		298-1044	[5]
RbCl [†]	10,920	14.533	2.32		700-996	[6]
RbCl	11,670	20.157	3.0		298-997	[5]
CsCl	10,800	19.99	3.02		700-919	[5]

Table S2b. Experimental Liquid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
LiCl	10,760	22.30	4.02	883-1656	[5]
NaCl	11,530	20.77	3.48	1075-1738	[5]
KCl	10,710	18.91	3.0	1044-1773	[5]
KCl [‡]	11,101	20.83	3.52	1189-1418	[7]
RbCl [†]	10,004	15.892	3.08	996-1679	[6]
RbCl	10,300	18.77	3.0	997-1663	[5]
CsCl [‡]	10,052	20.51	3.52	1102-1387	[7]
CsCl	9815	20.38	3.52	919-1570	[5]

Table S3. Computed Gas Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients. §, %, &, †

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
LiCl (G ₁)	11,620	16.416	2.79	700-883	[6]
LiCl (G ₂)	10,101	11.073	1.56	883-1633	[6]
(LiCl) ₂ (G ₁)	12,523	23.031	4.68	700-883	[6]
(LiCl) ₂ (G ₂)	9525	12.653	2.31	883-1633	[6]
(LiCl) ₂ (G ₃)	5312	4.617	0.37	1633-2000	[6]
(LiCl) ₃ (G ₁)	10,248	11.131	2.64	900-1633	[6]
NaCl (G ₁)	11,972	17.865	3.26	700-1074	[6]
NaCl (G ₂)	10,661	17.766	3.63	1074-1757	[6]
(NaCl) ₂ (G ₁)	13,231	26.333	5.69	700-1074	[6]
(NaCl) ₂ (G ₂)	10,638	26.344	6.49	1074-1757	[6]
(NaCl) ₂ (G ₃)	8739	21.075	4.87		[6]
KCl (G ₁)	12,151	17.254	2.99	700-1045	[6]
KCl (G ₂)	11,326	20.148	4.21	1045-1714	[6]
(KCl) ₂ (G ₁)	14,592	26.312	5.40	800-1045	[6]
(KCl) ₂ (G ₂)	12,877	31.525	7.67	1045-1714	[6]
(KCl) ₂ (G ₃)	4,849	4.185	0.32	1714-2000	[6]
CsCl (G ₁)	10,796	17.327	3.12	700-918	[6]
CsCl (G ₂)	10,522	22.717	5.04	918-1569	[6]
(CsCl) ₂ (G ₁)	12,271	25.545	5.41	700-918	[6]
(CsCl) ₂ (G ₂)	11,754	36.567	9.32	918-1569	[6]
(CsCl) ₂ (G ₃)	4610	4.252	0.33	1569-2000	[6]

Table S4a. Crystalline Phase Thermodynamic Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
LiCl	−408.6	59.3	−384.4	48.0	[1, 6]
NaCl	−411.2	72.1	−384.1	50.5	[1]
NaCl	−411.2	72.1	−384.1 ^{Δ,*}	66.9	[6]
KCl	−436.5	82.6	−408.5	51.3	[1]
KCl	−436.5	82.6	−408.5 ^{Δ,*}	51.6	[6]
RbCl	−435.4	95.9	−407.8	52.4	[1]
RbCl	−435.1	95.2	−407.3 ^{Δ,*}	51.4	[6]
CsCl	−443.0	101.2	−414.5	52.5	[1]
FrCl ^φ	−181.6				[4]
FrCl ^φ	−439.3				[4]

^φThese values were given in the same research publication, please see ref. [4] for more detail.

Table S4b. Gas Phase Thermodynamic Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f° ^{Δ,*}	C_p	Ref
LiCl	−195.4	212.9	−216.9	33.3	[6]
(LiCl) ₂	−593.5	288.8	−595.7	72.2	[6]
(LiCl) ₃	−962.3	335.8	−936.6	102.0	[6]
NaCl	−191.7	229.8	−211.7	35.8	[6]
(NaCl) ₂	−586.7	325.4	−586.6	119.8	[6]
KCl	−214.6	239.1	−233.3	36.5	[6]
(KCl) ₂	−615.4	350.4	−614.8	80.9	[6]
RbCl	−233.1	241.3	−248.9	36.5	[6]

Table S5. Enthalpic (ΔH , kJ/mol) and Entropic (ΔS , J/molK) Heats of Fusion (fus), Vaporization (vap), and Sublimation (sub).

Cmpd	ΔH_{fus}	ΔS_{fus}	ΔH_{vap}	ΔS_{vap}	ΔH_{sub}	ΔS_{sub}	Ref
LiCl	19.8	23.4	114.1 ^a		212.5 [◇]		[1, 8, 9]
LiCl	19.5	22.1					[6]
NaCl	28.16	26.2, 28.0	223.0	277.32 $\pm$ 2.8 ^a	221.84 $\pm$ 2.0 ^a	305.3 [◇]	[1, 8, 10-12]
NaCl	28.3	26.3					[6]
KCl	26.28	25.9	187.7	267.53 $\pm$ 1.6 ^a	214.01 $\pm$ 1.0 ^a		[1, 8, 12]
KCl	26.2	25.0					[6]
RbCl	24.4	18.4, 24.47					[1, 8, 10]
RbCl	23.7	23.8	148.5	88.5	172.2 [◇]	112.3 [◇]	[6]
CsCl	20.4	14.6					[1, 8]
CsCl	20.3	22.1					[6]
FrCl					181.6		[4]

^aValue recorded at 800 K.

ALKALINE EARTH (Ae) METAL ELEMENTS

Table S6. Melting (T_M) and Boiling (T_B) Phase Change Temperatures.

Compound	T_M (K)	T_B (K)	Ref
BeCl ₂	688	755	[1]
MgCl ₂	987	1685	[1]
CaCl ₂	1048	2208	[1]
SrCl ₂	1147	1523	[1]
BaCl ₂	1234	1833	[1]
RaCl ₂	~1173		[13]

Table S7a. Experimental Solid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, %, &}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
BeCl ₂	7870	27.15	5.03	298-688	[5]
Be ₂ Cl ₄	8970	37.0	7.65	298-688	[5]
MgCl ₂ [‡]	12,820	9.168±0.048		802-985	[14]
CaCl ₂ [†]	17,494	17.772	2.72	1000-1045	[6]
SrCl ₂ (S ₁) [†]	20,129	30.576	6.38	990	[6]
SrCl ₂ (S ₂) [†]	21,693	43.420	10.14	990-1146	[6]
BaCl ₂ (S ₁) [†]	19,689	23.239	4.12	1000-1198	[6]
BaCl ₂ (S ₂) [†]	20,773	35.811	7.91	1198-1235	[6]

Table S7b. Experimental Liquid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, %, &}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
BeCl ₂	7220	26.28	5.03	688-755	[5]
MgCl ₂ [‡]	11,735	20.27	4.076	1208-1413	[7]
MgCl ₂	10,840	25.53	5.03	987-1685	[5]
CaCl ₂ [†]	17,032	23.760	4.85	1045-2279	[6]
CaCl ₂	13,570	9.22		1110-1281	[5]
SrCl ₂ [†]	18,381	25.141	5.11	1146-2000	[6]
BaCl ₂ [†]	18,956	28.682	6.08	1235-2000	[6]

Table S8. Computed Gas Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, %, &, †}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
BeCl ₂ (G ₁)	7404	15.399	2.10	400-688	[6]
BeCl ₂ (G ₂)	8277	32.246	7.59	688-760	[6]
(BeCl ₂) ₂ (G ₁)	9334	21.283	3.10	500-688	[6]
(BeCl ₂) ₂ (G ₂)	11,028	53.192	13.83	688-760	[6]
(BeCl ₂) ₂ (G ₃)	2721	4.791	0.57	760-2000	[6]
MgCl ₂ (G ₁)	13,605	17.819	2.68	800-980	[6]
MgCl ₂ (G ₂)	11,955	19.216	3.71	980-1634	[6]
MgCl ₂ (G ₃)	12,347	3.765	0.18	1634-2000	[6]
(MgCl ₂) ₂ (G ₁)	18,276	25.918	4.42	900-980	[6]
(MgCl ₂) ₂ (G ₂)	14,943	28.441	6.40	980-1634	[6]
(MgCl ₂) ₂ (G ₃)	4476	4.959	0.50	1634-2000	[6]

Table S9a. Crystalline Phase Thermodynamic Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
BeCl ₂	−490.4	75.8	−445.6	62.4	[1]
BeCl ₂	−496.2	75.8	−449.5 ^{Δ, *}	62.4	[6]
MgCl ₂	−641.3	89.6	−591.8	71.4	[1]
MgCl ₂	−644.3	89.5	−594.7 ^{Δ, *}	71.3	[6]
CaCl ₂	−795.4	108.4	−748.8	72.9	[1]
CaCl ₂	−795.4	108.4	−748.8 ^{Δ, *}	72.6	[6]
SrCl ₂	−828.9	114.9	−781.1	75.6	[1]
SrCl ₂	−828.9	114.9	−780.2 ^{Δ, *}	75.6	[6]
BaCl ₂	−855.0	123.7	−806.7	75.1	[1]
BaCl ₂	−858.6	123.7	−810.3 ^{Δ, *}	75.2	[6]

Table S9b. Gas Phase Thermodynamic Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
BeCl ₂	−360.2	252.0	−366.0 ^{Δ,*}	51.6	[6]
(BeCl ₂) ₂	−823.2	381.5	−798.2 ^{Δ,*}	115.4	[6]
MgCl ₂	−392.5	277.0	−398.8 ^{Δ,*}	57.1	[6]
(MgCl ₂) ₂	−954.4	418.9	−926.8 ^{Δ,*}	123.6	[6]
CaCl ₂	−470.5	290.3	−478.1 ^{Δ,*}	59.4	[6]
SrCl ₂	−473.2	316.3	−484.6 ^{Δ,*}	55.7	[6]
BaCl ₂	−498.7	325.7	−510.7 ^{Δ,*}	56.2	[6]

Table S10. Enthalpic (ΔH , kJ/mol) and Entropic (ΔS , J/molK) Heats of Fusion (fus), Vaporization (vap), and Sublimation (sub).

Compound	ΔH_{fus}	ΔS_{fus}	ΔH_{vap}	ΔS_{vap}	ΔH_{sub}	ΔS_{sub}	Ref
BeCl ₂	8.66						[1]
BeCl ₂	8.58	12.5					[6]
MgCl ₂	43.1		190 [◇]		233.1 ^a		[1, 9]
MgCl ₂	39.9	40.8					[6]
CaCl ₂	28.05	24.3					[1, 8]
CaCl ₂	27.3	26.1		102.9		129.0 [◇]	[6]
SrCl ₂	16.22	15.1					[1, 8]
SrCl ₂	16.5	14.4		109.7		124.1 [◇]	[6]
BaCl ₂	15.85	18.4					[1, 8]
BaCl ₂	16.0	12.9					[6]

^aValue recorded at 800 K.

FUEL ELEMENT DATA

ACTINIDE (An) METAL ELEMENTS

Table S11. Melting (T_M), Boiling (T_B), Sublimation (T_{sub}), Triple Point Temperature (T_{TP}), and Triple Point Pressure (P_{TP}) Phase Change Data.

Compound	T_M (K)	T_B (K)	T_{sub} (K)	T_{TP} (K)	P_{TP} (mmHg)	Ref
Trivalent Actinides						
AcCl ₃			1223			[15]
UCl ₃	1108	1930	1123			[1, 16]
NpCl ₃	1073		1023-1073			[17, 18]
PuCl ₃	1033±5	2063	1073			[1, 19, 20]
AmCl ₃	988, 773 ^a	1453 ^a	1023, 1123			[1, 19, 21, 22]
CmCl ₃	968±10					[23]
BkCl ₃	876					[23]
CfCl ₃	818					[24]
EsCl ₃	>723					[25]
Tetravalent Actinides						
ThCl ₄	1043	1194	1088			[1, 26]
PaCl ₄	950, 773 ^a		673			[27]
UCl ₄	863±5	1062	873, 673 ^a	863±1	18.4	[1, 28-31]
NpCl ₄	803	1120	773	811		[17, 19, 32]
PuCl ₄	856 ^b	1110 ^b				[33]
Pentavalent Actinides						
PaCl ₅	579	693 ^c	~473			[1, 34, 35]
UCl ₅	560	800				[1, 19]
Hexavalent Actinides						
UCl ₆	450.65±2.5	550	348-373 ^a			[1, 3, 19, 36]

^aUnder reduced pressure, ca. 10⁻⁴ mmHg ^bExtrapolated from AnCl₄ (An = Th, U, Np) thermodynamic data

^cExtrapolated from vapor pressure data.

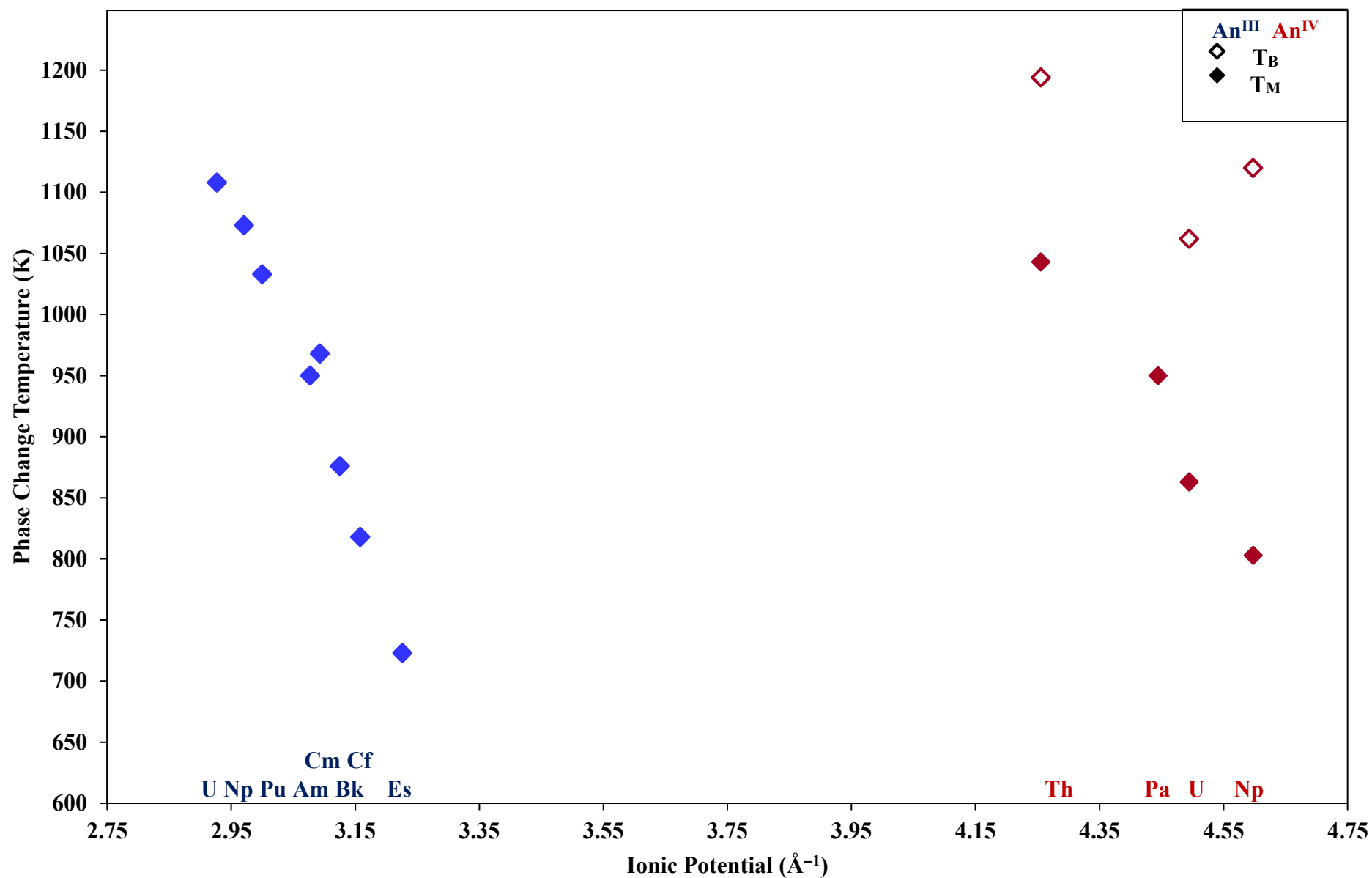


Figure S1. Graphical depiction of melting (T_M , solid diamonds) and boiling points (T_B , empty diamonds) in Kelvin of actinide chlorides, AnCl_x ($x = 3, 4$) in Kelvin by ionic potential (IP, $\text{\AA}^{-1}$) using 6-coordinate Shannon ionic radii (CN_6).

Table S12a. Experimental Trivalent Actinides (An^{III}) Solid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
UCl ₃	12,000	10.0			[18]
UCl ₃	11,149	8.90		590-790	[18]
UCl ₃	11,552	8.97		>790	[18]
UCl ₃ [†]	15,543	23.436	4.31	800-1114	[6]
PuCl ₃ [†]	18,270	29.725	5.34	700-1033	[6]
PuCl ₃	15,910±120	12.726±0.126		850–1033	[37]
PuCl ₃	18,270	32.60	5.34	298-1033	[5]

Table S12b. Experimental Trivalent Actinides (An^{III}) Liquid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
UCl ₃ [†]	13,506	24.778	5.35	1114-1851	[6]
PuCl ₃ [†]	15,490	28.883	6.45	1033-2065	[6]
PuCl ₃	12,356±32	10.237±0.033		1033–1100	[37]
PuCl ₃	12,590	9.509			[18]
PuCl ₃	15,490	31.76	6.45	1033-2063	[5]

Table S12c. Experimental Tetravalent Actinide (An^{IV}) Solid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§,||}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
ThCl ₄	12,910	14.30			[18]
ThCl ₄	12,900	14.30		974-1043	[5]
ThCl ₄ (α) [†]	11,929	20.522	3.27	600-679	[6]
ThCl ₄ (β) [†]	11,859	22.146	3.88	679-1042	[6]
UCl ₄ [‡]	7223±15	6.77 ±0.02			[38]
UCl ₄	10,427	13.2995			[18]
UCl ₄ [†]	11,571	23.637	4.01	600-863	[6]
UCl ₄	11,350	23.21	3.02	298-863	[39]
NpCl ₄	8920	12.17			[31]

Table S12d. Experimental Tetravalent Actinide (An^{IV}) Liquid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
ThCl ₄	7987	9.57			[18]
ThCl ₄ [†]	10,137	30.514	7.20	1042-1224	[6]
ThCl ₄	7980	9.57		1043-1186	[5]
UCl ₄	7205	9.65			[18]
UCl ₄ [†]	9720	29.332	6.68	863-1068	[6]
UCl ₄	9950	28.96	5.53	863-1062	[39]
NpCl ₄	6220	8.64			[31]

Table S12e. Experimental Pentavalent Actinide (An^V) Solid (s) or Liquid (l) Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, ||}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
PaCl ₅ (s)	11,162	23.87			[40]
PaCl ₅ (l)	7377	17.27			[40]
UCl ₅ (s)	3307	3.361			[39]
UCl ₅ (s) [†]	6957	23.014	4.04		[6]
UCl ₅ (s - α) [†]	2586	11.356	1.68	298-367	[6]
UCl ₅ (s - β) [†]	2591	11.446	1.71	367-600	[6]

Table S12f. Experimental Hexavalent Uranium (U^{VI}) Solid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, %, &, ||}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
UCl ₆ (s)	4000	10.20		298-450	[39]
UCl ₆ (s)	3788	9.52			[36]
UCl ₆ (s)	2422	6.634			[36]
UCl ₆ (s) [†]	4710	19.197	3.96		[6]
UCl ₆ (s - S ₁) [†]	2907	14.417	2.54	298-368	[6]
UCl ₆ (s - S ₂) [†]	2907	14.417	2.54	368-451	[6]

Table S13a. Computed Tetravalent Actinide (An^{IV}) Gas Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, %, &, †}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
(UCl ₄) ₂ (G ₁)	12,410	31.646	7.50	700-863	[6]
(UCl ₄) ₂ (G ₂)	8940	41.426	12.20	863-1154	[6]
PuCl ₄ (G ₁)	9351	17.819	3.47	600-1033	[6]
PuCl ₄ (G ₂)	6948	21.762	5.55	1033-2000	[6]

Table S13b. Computed Pentavalent Uranium (U^V) Gas Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, %, &, †}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
(UCl ₅) ₂ (G ₁)	4587	15.116	3.48	298-600	[6]
(UCl ₅) ₂ (G ₂)	4587	15.116	3.48	600-863	[6]
(UCl ₅) ₂ (G ₃)	1696	30.352	9.81	863-1154	[6]
(UCl ₅) ₂ (G ₄)	5237	8.421	1.14	1154-1700	[6]

Table S13c. Computed Hexavalent Uranium (U^{VI}) Gas Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, %, &, †}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
UCl ₆ (G ₁)	1958	7.356	2.25	298-863	[6]
UCl ₆ (G ₂)	463	14.344	5.22	863-1154	[6]
UCl ₆ (G ₃)	4118	6.703	0.69	1154-2000	[6]

Table S14a. Thermodynamic Crystalline Phase Trivalent Actinide (An^{III}) Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
AcCl ₃ [¶]	−1053	148.7±6.0	−980.7 ^{Δ,*}		[27]
UCl ₃	−863.700±2.000	163.900±2.000	−797.832±2.088	102.520±0.500	[41]
UCl ₃	−861.9	159.0	−794.6 ^{Δ,*}	102.5	[6]
NpCl ₃	−896.800±3.000	160.400±4.000	−829.811±3.237	101.850±4.000	[41]
PuCl ₃	−959.600±1.800	161.700±3.000	−891.806±2.024	101.200±4.000	[41]
PuCl ₃	−961.5	159.0	−1008.9	102.9	[6]
AmCl ₃	−977.800±1.300	146.200±6.000	−905.105±2.290	103.000±10.000	[41]
CmCl ₃	−974±4	163±6	−901.7 ^{Δ,*}		[42]
CmCl ₃ [¶]	−969.6±6.7	163.1±6.0	−897.3 ^{Δ,*}		[27]
BkCl ₃ [¶]	−952±15	164.6±6.0	−878.0 ^{Δ,*}		[27]
CfCl ₃ [¶]	−965±20	167.2±6.0	−890.9 ^{Δ,*}		[43]
EsCl ₃ [¶]	−950±24				[27]
FmCl ₃ [¶]	−963±44				[27]
MdCl ₃ [¶]	−864±50				[27]
NoCl ₃ [¶]	−716±50				[27]

Table S14b. Thermodynamic Gas Phase Trivalent Actinide (An^{III}) Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
UCl ₃	−523.000±20.000	380.300±10.000	−521.652±20.221	82.400±5.000	[41]
UCl ₃	−580.7	357.0	−572.4 ^{Δ,*}	76.1 [¶]	[6]
NpCl ₃	−589.000±10.400	362.800±10.000	−582.357±10.822	78.500±5.000	[41]
PuCl ₃	−647.400±1.868	368.620±10.000	−641.299±3.598	78.470±5.000	[41]

Table S14c. Thermodynamic Crystalline Phase Tetravalent Actinide (An^{IV}) Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).^{||}

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
ThCl ₄ (β)	−1186.300±1.300	183.500±5.000	−1092.293±1.984	120.3±6.0	[44]
ThCl ₄	−1186.8	190.4	−1095.1 ^{Δ,*}	120.3	[6]
PaCl ₄	−1044.3				[45]
PaCl ₄	−1044±13	193.7±4.2	−954±13		[46]
UCl ₄	−1018.800±2.500	197.200±0.800	−929.605±2.512	121.800±0.400	[41]
UCl ₄	−1018.8	197.2	−929.6 ^{Δ,*}	120.8	[6]
NpCl ₄	−984.000±1.800	200.000±8.000	−895.562±2.998	122.000±6.000	[41]
PuCl ₄	−963.6±7.5				[46]
PuCl ₄	−968.700±5.000	201.000±10.000	−879.368±5.826	121.400±4.000	[41]

Table S14d. Thermodynamic Gas Phase Tetravalent Actinide (An^{IV}) Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
ThCl ₄	−951.400±5.166	403.400±4.000	−922.956±5.304	101.4±3.0	[44]
ThCl ₄	−967.9	397.6	−938.0 ^{Δ,*}	101.6	[6]
UCl ₄	−815.400±4.717	409.300±5.000	−789.442±4.947	103.500±3.000	[41]
UCl ₄	−1018.8	197.2	−929.6 ^{Δ,*}	120.8	[6]
(UCl ₄) ₂	−1891.6	581.3	−1768.9 ^{Δ,*}	165.0	[6]
NpCl ₄	−787.000±4.600	423.000±10.000	−765.050±5.487	105.000±5.000	[41]
PuCl ₄	−792.000±10.000	409.000±10.000	−764.683±10.438	103.400±5.000	[41]
PuCl ₄	−793.7	412.5	−767.4 ^{Δ,*}	98.0 [¶]	[6]

Table S14e. Thermodynamic Crystalline (cr) or Gas (g) Phase Pentavalent Actinide (An^V) Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
PaCl ₅ (cr)	−1147.8±14.4	238.8±8	−1037.2 ^{Δ,*}		[27]
PaCl ₅ (g)	−1042±15	440.8	−991.7 ^{Δ,*}		[27]
UCl ₅ (cr)	−1039.000±3.000	242.700±8.400	−930.115±3.908	150.600±8.400	[41]
UCl ₅ (cr)	−1041.5	246.9	−933.9 ^{Δ,*}	114.6	[6]
UCl ₅ (g)	−900.000±15.000	438.700±10.000	−849.552±15.074	123.600±5.000	[41]
(UCl ₅) ₂ (g)	−1960.2	707.2	−1808.5 ^{Δ,*}	263.4	[6]

Table S14f. Thermodynamic Crystalline (cr) or Gas (g) Phase Hexavalent Uranium (U^{VI}) Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
UCl ₆ (s)	−1066.500±3.000	285.500±1.700	−937.120±3.043	175.700±4.200	[41]
UCl ₆ (s)	−1068.2	285.8	−938.9 ^{Δ,*}	175.6	[6]
UCl ₆ (g)	−985.500±5.000	438.000±5.000	−901.588±5.218	147.200±3.000	[41]
UCl ₆ (g)	−987.8	432.7	−902.3 ^{Δ,*}	142.7	[6]

Table S15a. Di- and Trivalent Actinide (An^{II} and An^{III}) Enthalpic (ΔH , kJ/mol) and Entropic (ΔS , J/molK) Heats of Fusion (fus), Vaporization (vap), and Sublimation (sub).^{||}

Compound	ΔH_{fus}	ΔS_{fus}	ΔH_{vap}	ΔS_{vap}	ΔH_{sub}	ΔS_{sub}	Ref
Divalent Actinide							
AmCl ₂ (α)	17.2						[47]
AmCl ₂ (β)	15.8						[47]
Trivalent Actinides							
UCl ₃	49	43.7	225.9	205.0	263.6	238.5	[18, 47]
UCl ₃	48.6	43.7	175.9	95.0	224.5 [◇]	138.7 [◇]	[6]
NpCl ₃	50						[47]
PuCl ₃	63.6	61.5	241.0	241.8	304.6	263.6	[1, 6, 18]
PuCl ₃	49, 55						[27, 47]
AmCl ₃	48.1±0.4						[27]
CmCl ₃	47.9±0.4						[27]

Table S15b. Tetravalent Actinide (An^{IV}) Enthalpic (ΔH , kJ/mol) and Entropic (ΔS , J/molK) Heats of Fusion (fus), Vaporization (vap), and Sublimation (sub).^{||}

Compound	ΔH_{fus}	ΔS_{fus}	ΔH_{vap}	ΔS_{vap}	ΔH_{sub}	ΔS_{sub}	Ref
ThCl ₄	43.9		146.4		190.4 [◇]		[1]
ThCl ₄	94.2 [◇]	80.7 [◇]	152.7	151.9	246.9	232.6	[18]
ThCl ₄			146.4	122.6			[18]
ThCl ₄	61.5	59.0	120.8	98.7	182.3 [◇]	157.7 [◇]	[6, 27]
ThCl ₄	94.14	90.8	152.7	127.6	246.9	218.4 [◇]	[48]
UCl ₄	44.8, 49.8						[1]
UCl ₄	49.8	49.8 [◇]	150.6	174.5	193.7	224.3	[18, 27]
UCl ₄	54.4	63.0	126.8	118.7	181.2 [◇]	181.7 [◇]	[6]
UCl ₄	61.5		138.1		199.6		[48]
NpCl ₄	59.6	82.1 [◇]	123.5±0.8	176.1±7.1	189.5±1.7	258.2±2.1	[27, 49]
NpCl ₄	55.5 [◇]		115.2±3.3		170.7 ±3.4		[31]
<i>ThCl₄avg^ϕ</i>	<i>73.4±25.0</i>	<i>76.8±16.2</i>	<i>143.8±13.2</i>	<i>125.2±21.8</i>	<i>216.6±35.1</i>	<i>202.9±39.8</i>	
<i>UCl₄avg^ϕ</i>	<i>52.1±6.3</i>		<i>138.5±11.9</i>		<i>191.5±9.4</i>		

Table S15c. Penta- and Hexavalent Actinide (An^V and An^{VI}) Enthalpic (ΔH , kJ/mol) and Entropic (ΔS , J/molK) Heats of Fusion (fus), Vaporization (vap), and Sublimation (sub).^{||}

Compound	ΔH_{fus}	ΔS_{fus}	ΔH_{vap}	ΔS_{vap}	ΔH_{sub}	ΔS_{sub}	Ref
Pentavalent Actinides							
PaCl ₅	31.5	54.7 [◇]	61.29	88.3	92.76	143	[27, 40]
UCl ₅	35.6	59.3		192.9		252.2 [◇]	[6, 27]
Hexavalent Actinide							
UCl ₆	20.9	46.4					[6, 27]

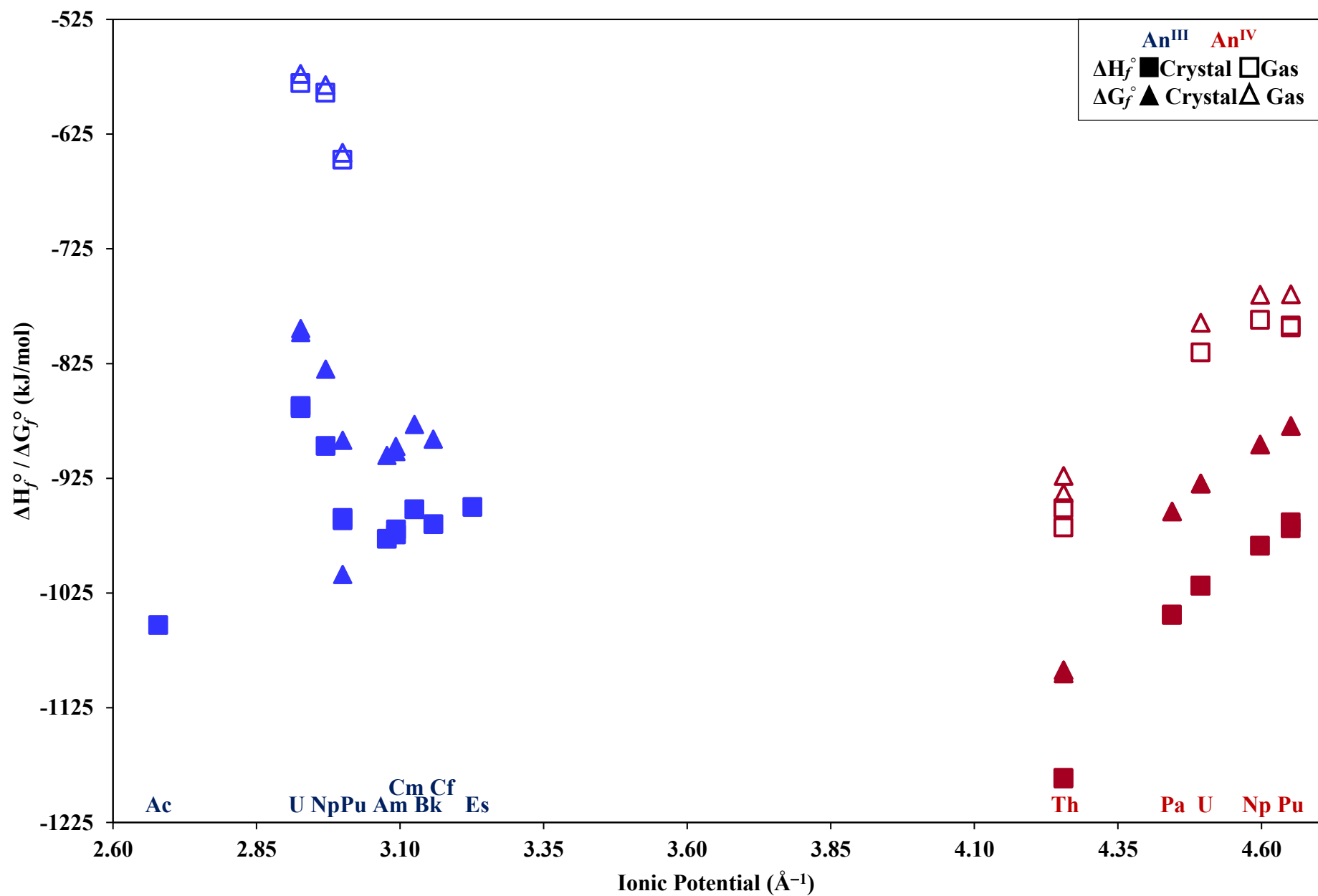


Figure S2. Graphical depiction of enthalpies and Gibbs free energies of formation (ΔH_f° , squares, ΔG_f° , triangles) for the crystalline (solid shapes) and gas phases (empty shapes) in kJ/mol for AnCl_x ($x = 3, 4$) by ionic potential (IP, $\text{\AA}^{-1}$) using 6-coordinate Shannon ionic radii (CN_6).

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Table S16. Melting (T_M) and Boiling (T_B) Phase Change Temperatures of Di- and Trivalent Rare Earths.

Compound	T_M (K)	T_B (K)	Ref
Divalent Rare Earths			
SmCl ₂	1131	2233	[6]
EuCl ₂	1004		[1]
YbCl ₂	994	~2200	[1, 6]
Trivalent Rare Earths			
ScCl ₃	1240	1359	[1, 6]
YCl ₃	994	1755	[1]
LaCl ₃	1131	2023	[1, 48]
CeCl ₃	1080	2003	[1, 19]
PrCl ₃	1059	1973	[1, 3]
NdCl ₃	1032	1873	[1]
PmCl ₃	928	1943	[1, 48]
SmCl ₃	955		[1]
EuCl ₃	896	(dec)	[1, 3]
GdCl ₃	875	1853	[1, 3]
TbCl ₃	855	1869	[1, 6]
DyCl ₃	991	1803	[1]
HoCl ₃	993	1773	[1]
ErCl ₃	1049	1750	[1, 6]
TmCl ₃	1118	1800	[1, 6]
YbCl ₃	1127	>1573 (dec)	[1, 6]
LuCl ₃	1198	~1750	[1, 6]

Table S17a. Experimental Solid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients of Di- and Trivalent Rare Earths.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
Divalent Rare Earths					
SmCl ₂ [†]	17,205	22.728	4.34	1000-1013	[6]
Trivalent Rare Earths					
ScCl ₃ [†]	13,490	20.350	3.24	700-1240	[6]
ScCl ₃	14,200	14.37		1065-1233	[5]
YCl ₃ [†]	16,208	19.289	2.77	900-994	[6]
LaCl ₃ [†]	18,843	27.350	5.04	900-1131	[6]
LaCl ₃	19,040	36.20	7.05	298-1131	[5]
CeCl ₃ [†]	18,142	25.358	4.54	900-1080	[6]
CeCl ₃	18,750	36.38	7.05	298-1080	[5]
PrCl ₃ [†]	18,151	28.097	5.39	900-1059	[6]
PrCl ₃	18,490	36.31	7.05	298-1059	[5]
NdCl ₃ [†]	17,856	26.563	4.90	900-1032	[6]
NdCl ₃	18,220	36.27	7.05	298-1032	[5]
SmCl ₃ [†]	5362	13.153	2.98	400-950	[6]
EuCl ₃ [†]	15,213	23.117	3.85	800-897	[6]
GdCl ₃ [†]	16,949	22.850	3.77	875	[6]
TbCl ₃ ^{†,a}	16,247	25.385	4.78	800-855	[6]
DyCl ₃ [†]	17,297	21.583	3.22	900-924	[6]
HoCl ₃ [†]	15,695	19.188	2.79	800-993	[6]
ErCl ₃ [†]	15,816	21.658	3.57	800-1049	[6]
TmCl ₃ [†]	15,992	19.386	2.90	900-1101	[6]
YbCl ₃ [†]	17,268	19.980	2.58	900-1148	[6]

^aDesignated as "B" in the primary literature.

Table S17b. Experimental Liquid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients for Di- and Trivalent Rare Earths.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
Divalent Rare Earths					
SmCl ₂	16,807	24.709	5.13	1013-2000	[6]
Trivalent Rare Earths					
ScCl ₃	12,104	31.467	7.20	1240-1359	[6]
YCl ₃	17,157	38.319	8.80	994-1757	[6]
LaCl ₃	17,750	38.476	9.00	1131-2045	[6]
CeCl ₃	17,705	37.481	8.67	1080-1997	[6]
PrCl ₃	15,442	25.266	5.30	1059-1982	[6]
NdCl ₃	16,105	30.893	6.90	1032-1976	[6]
EuCl ₃	13,395	27.498	6.02	897-1300	[6]
GdCl ₃	15,971	30.648	6.80	875-1919	[6]
TbCl ₃	15,664	30.596	6.79	855-1869	[6]
DyCl ₃	16,585	32.586	7.19	924-1810	[6]
HoCl ₃	15,270	31.917	7.18	993-1780	[6]
ErCl ₃	15,605	34.537	7.90	1049-1750	[6]
TmCl ₃	16,009	34.611	7.90	1101-1800	[6]
YbCl ₃	14,971	24.283	4.64	1148-1300	[6]

Table S18a. Divalent Rare Earth (RE^{II}) Thermodynamic Crystalline Phase Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
LaCl ₂	−501.732	125.94	−455.82 ^{Δ, *}	75.82	[52]
CeCl ₂	−554.807	131.80	−506.14 ^{Δ, *}	76.26	[52]
PrCl ₂	−669.969	131.78	−620.94 ^{Δ, *}	77.03	[52]
NdCl ₂	−693.128	130.82	−644.32 ^{Δ, *}	77.20	[52]
NdCl ₂		140.1±0.5		77.77±0.30	[54]
PmCl ₂	−754.793	127.69	−705.05 ^{Δ, *}	78.64	[52]
SmCl ₂	−802.961	122.59	−752.27 ^{Δ, *}	84.64	[52]
SmCl ₂		132.2±0.4		84.41±0.3	[54]
EuCl ₂	−822.635	127.85	−771.07 ^{Δ, *}	75.00	[52]
EuCl ₂		138.3±0.8		75.23±0.4	[54]
GdCl ₂	−488.280	134.58	−441.61 ^{Δ, *}	82.10	[52]
TbCl ₂	−596.497	140.28	−550.00 ^{Δ, *}	75.92	[52]
DyCl ₂	−687.686	145.21	−641.95 ^{Δ, *}	76.60	[52]
DyCl ₂		144.2±0.6		77.30±0.3	[54]
HoCl ₂	−664.380	144.20	−618.43 ^{Δ, *}	76.51	[52]
TmCl ₂	−712.281	137.07	−664.59 ^{Δ, *}	76.77	[52]
TmCl ₂		135.1±0.3		76.68±0.2	[54]
YbCl ₂	−782.489	119.98	−733.90 ^{Δ, *}	75.76	[52, 62]
YbCl ₂	−799.6	130.5	−754.1 ^{Δ, *}	82.9	[62]
YbCl ₂	−799.1	122.6	−751.3 ^{Δ, *}	74.2	[6]
YbCl ₂		120.0±0.6		75.73±0.4	[54]
LuCl ₂	−431.872	125.17	−387.49 ^{Δ, *}	75.70	[52]
<i>YbCl₂</i> _{avg} ^φ	<i>−791.0±9.7</i>	<i>123.5±5.0</i>	<i>−744.0±10.9</i>	<i>78.1±3.9</i>	

Table S18b. Trivalent Rare Earth (RE^{III}) Thermodynamic Crystalline Phase Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
ScCl ₃	−925.1	127.2	−852.9	91.6	[1, 50]
ScCl ₃	−918.8	121.3	−844.8 ^{Δ,*}	92.1	[6]
YCl ₃	−1000.0	140.2	−928.8 ^{Δ,*}	92.0	[1][6]
YCl ₃	−973.6	137.7	−901.6 ^{Δ,*}	92.0	[51]
LaCl ₃	−1071.6±1.5	137.90	−996.0 ^{Δ,*}	97.81	[52]
LaCl ₃	−1070.7	137.7	−995.0 ^{Δ,*}	98.1	[6]
LaCl ₃	−1072.2			108.8	[1]
CeCl ₃	−1060.1±1.5	151.83	−984.2 ^{Δ,*}	98.11	[52]
CeCl ₃	−1053.5	150.6	−977.2 ^{Δ,*}	87.8	[6]
CeCl ₃	−1060.5	151.0	−984.8	87.4	[1]
PrCl ₃	−1057.5±1.5	154.34	−982.0 ^{Δ,*}	98.46	[52]
PrCl ₃	−1056.9	153.3	−981.0 ^{Δ,*}	98.9	[6]
PrCl ₃	−1056.9	153.3	−980.8	98.97	[1, 53]
NdCl ₃	−1041.1±1.0	154.25	−966.0 ^{Δ,*}	99.40	[52]
NdCl ₃	−1041.8	153.5	−966.5 ^{Δ,*}	99.2	[6]
NdCl ₃	−1041.0	143.9	−962.8 ^{Δ,*}	96.2	[51]
NdCl ₃	−1041.8	153.4	−966.6	99.1	[55]
NdCl ₃	−1041.0			113.0	[1]
PmCl ₃	−1033.7±10	153.57	−958.4 ^{Δ,*}	98.74	[52]
SmCl ₃	−1025.3±2.0	150.47	−949.7 ^{Δ,*}	99.45	[52]
SmCl ₃	−1025.9	147.7	−949.4 ^{Δ,*}	99.5	[6]
SmCl ₃	−1025.9	150.1	−950.2	99.5	[1, 56]
EuCl ₃	−935.4±3.0	144.18	−855.5 ^{Δ,*}	106.93	[52]
EuCl ₃	−936.0	144.1	−856.0 ^{Δ,*}	107.0	[1][6]
EuCl ₃	−922.2	125.5	−836.6 ^{Δ,*}	98.3	[51]

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
GdCl ₃	−1023.3±1.5	151.95	−948.6 ^{Δ,*}	97.42	[52]
GdCl ₃	−1008.0	151.5	−933.1 ^{Δ,*}	97.8	[6]
GdCl ₃	−1008.0	151.4	−993.1	88.0	[1][57]
TbCl ₃	−1010.6±3.0	155.38	−935.4 ^{Δ,*}	97.76	[52]
TbCl ₃	−997.0	153.1	−921.0 ^{Δ,*}	97.5	[6]
TbCl ₃	−997.0	153.1	−921.1	97.5	[1, 58]
DyCl ₃	−992.4±3.0	168.80	−920.4 ^{Δ,*}	98.90	[52]
DyCl ₃	−998.3	150.8	−920.9 ^{Δ,*}	97.1	[6]
DyCl ₃	−989.9	154.0	−913.7	97.1	[59]
DyCl ₃	−1000.0				[1]
HoCl ₃	−997.5±2.5	167.86	−925.4 ^{Δ,*}	99.28	[52]
HoCl ₃	−1005.4	154.0	−929.1 ^{Δ,*}	96.2	[6]
HoCl ₃	−1005.4	154.0	−929.2	96.2	[60]
HoCl ₃	−1105.4			88.0	[1]
ErCl ₃	−995.5±2.0	166.71	−923.6 ^{Δ,*}	99.15	[52]
ErCl ₃	−994.5	154.8	−919.1 ^{Δ,*}	98.1	[6]
ErCl ₃	−994.5	152.7	−918.5	98.1	[59]
ErCl ₃	−998.7			100.0	[1]
TmCl ₃	−996.2±2.5	164.47	−923.4 ^{Δ,*}	99.23	[52]
TmCl ₃	−988.1	159.0	−913.7 ^{Δ,*}	97.7 [¶]	[6]
TmCl ₃	−986.6	146.9	−908.5	97.7	[1, 61]
YbCl ₃	−959.2±3.0	159.48	−889.1 ^{Δ,*}	99.49	[52]
YbCl ₃	−961.1	135.1	−883.7 ^{Δ,*}	95.4	[6]
YbCl ₃	−959.8	147.7	−886.2	95.3	[1, 62]
LuCl ₃	−984.2±2.5	142.75	−911.8 ^{Δ,*}	98.23	[52]
LuCl ₃	−987.1 ±2.5	84.22	−897.3 ^{Δ,*}		[63, 64]
LuCl ₃	−945.6				[1]

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
$ScCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-923.0 ± 3.6				
YCl_{3avg}^ϕ	-991.2 ± 15.2				
$LaCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-1071.5 ± 0.8			101.6 ± 6.3	
$CeCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-1058.0 ± 3.9	151.1 ± 0.6	-982.1 ± 4.2	91.1 ± 6.1	
$PrCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-1056.9 ± 0.0			99.3 ± 0.6	
$NdCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-1041.3 ± 0.4	151.3 ± 4.9	-965.5 ± 1.8	101.4 ± 6.6	
$SmCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-1025.8 ± 0.3	149.4 ± 1.5	-949.8 ± 0.4	99.5 ± 0.0	
$EuCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-932.4 ± 6.8	137.9 ± 10.8	-849.4 ± 11.0	104.1 ± 5.0	
$GdCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-1011.8 ± 7.6	151.6 ± 0.3	-958.3 ± 31.2	92.8 ± 5.6	
$TbCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-1000.4 ± 6.8	153.9 ± 1.3	-925.8 ± 8.3	97.6 ± 0.2	
$DyCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-995.2 ± 4.8	157.9 ± 9.6	-918.3 ± 4.0	97.7 ± 1.0	
$HoCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-1028.4 ± 51.5	158.6 ± 8.0	-927.9 ± 2.2	94.9 ± 4.8	
$ErCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-995.8 ± 2.0	158.1 ± 7.6	-920.4 ± 2.8	98.8 ± 0.9	
$TmCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-989.4 ± 4.6	156.8 ± 9.0	-915.2 ± 7.6	98.2 ± 0.9	
$YbCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-960.0 ± 1.0	147.4 ± 12.2	-886.3 ± 2.7	96.7 ± 2.4	
$LuCl_{3avg}^\phi$	-972.3 ± 23.2				

Table S18c. Divalent Rare Earth (RE^{II}) Gas Phase Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol).

Compound	ΔH_f°	Ref
LaCl ₂	−326.632	[52]
CeCl ₂	−320.473	[52]
PrCl ₂	−353.737	[52]
NdCl ₂	−355.198	[52]
PmCl ₂	−417.371	[52]
SmCl ₂	−463.376	[52]
EuCl ₂	−480.500	[52]
GdCl ₂	−315.709	[52]
TbCl ₂	−310.258	[52]
DyCl ₂	−361.738	[52]
HoCl ₂	−360.580	[52]
ErCl ₂	−362.122	[52]
TmCl ₂	−386.234	[52]
YbCl ₂	−453.600	[52]
LuCl ₂	−281.362	[52]

Table S18d. Trivalent Rare Earth (RE^{III}) Thermodynamic Gas Phase Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
YCl ₃	−698.2	351.5	−690.0 ^{Δ,*}	77.8	[6]
LaCl ₃	−730.3	364.5	−722.2 ^{Δ,*}	78.4	[6]
LaCl ₃	−731.3				[52]
CeCl ₃	−723.0	370.7	−712.3 ^{Δ,*}	78.4	[6]
CeCl ₃	−729.0				[52]
PrCl ₃	−731.0	374.0	−720.9 ^{Δ,*}	78.4	[6]
PrCl ₃	−727.9				[52]
NdCl ₃	−719.1	374.4	−709.6 ^{Δ,*}	78.3	[6]
NdCl ₃	−718.8	374.4	−709.5	78.3	[55]
NdCl ₃	−709.3				[52]
PmCl ₃	−701.7				[52]
SmCl ₃	−710.3				[52]
EuCl ₃	−658.1	363.7	−643.6 ^{Δ,*}	88.0	[6]
EuCl ₃	−660.4				[52]
GdCl ₃	−696.6	371.5	−687.3 ^{Δ,*}	78.2	[6]
GdCl ₃	−709.8				[52]
TbCl ₃	−691.2	375.3	−803.1	78.2	[6, 58]
TbCl ₃	−702.3				[52]
DyCl ₃	−677.4	379.9	−668.4 ^{Δ,*}	78.2	[6]
DyCl ₃	−677.4	376.5	−667.5	78.1	[59]
DyCl ₃	−691.5				[52]
HoCl ₃	−712.9	363.6	−699.1 ^{Δ,*}	78.2	[6]
HoCl ₃	−682.4	377.4	−672.8	78.2	[60]
HoCl ₃	−694.2				[52]

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
ErCl ₃	−703.9	363.6	−690.7 ^{Δ,*}	78.1	[6]
ErCl ₃	−674.0	376.2	−664.6	78.1	[59]
ErCl ₃	−693.1				[52]
TmCl ₃	−691.1	364.6	−678.0 ^{Δ,*}	78.1	[6]
TmCl ₃	−665.7	374.1	−655.4	78.1	[61]
TmCl ₃	−694.7				[52]
YbCl ₃	−638.9	370.0	−749.2	78.1	[6, 62]
YbCl ₃	−652.3				[52]
LuCl ₃	−626.3	352.5	−616.4 ^{Δ,*}	78.1	[6]
LuCl ₃	−678.4				[52]
<i>NdCl₃</i> _{avg} ^ϕ	−715.7±5.6				
<i>TbCl₃</i> _{avg} ^ϕ	−694.9±6.4				
<i>DyCl₃</i> _{avg} ^ϕ	−682.1±8.1				
<i>HoCl₃</i> _{avg} ^ϕ	−696.5±15.4				
<i>ErCl₃</i> _{avg} ^ϕ	−690.3±15.1				
<i>TmCl₃</i> _{avg} ^ϕ	−683.8±15.8				
<i>YbCl₃</i> _{avg} ^ϕ	−643.4±7.7				

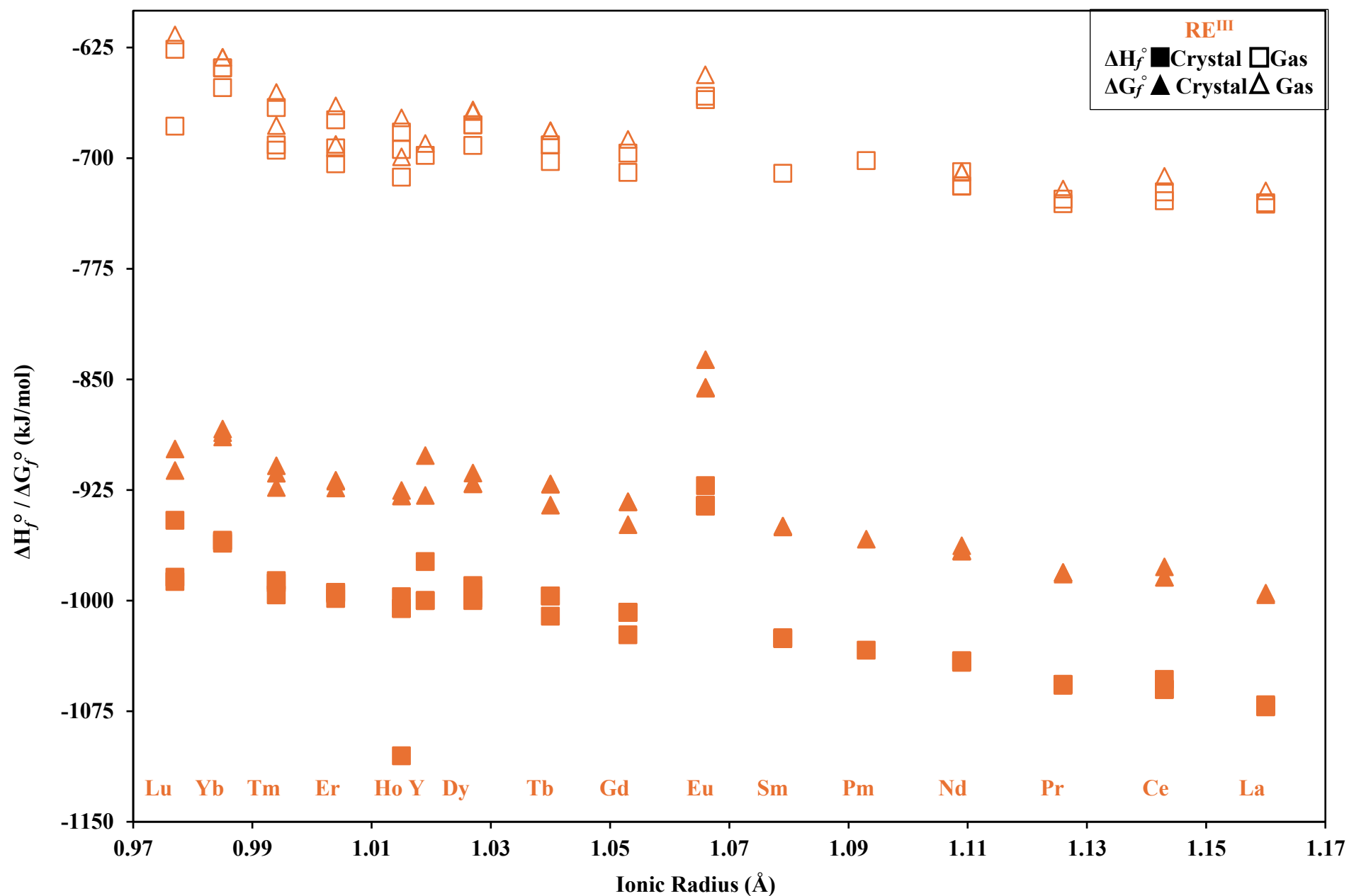


Figure S3. Graphical depiction of enthalpies and Gibbs free energies of formation (ΔH_f° , squares, ΔG_f° , triangles) for the crystalline (solid shapes) and gas phases (empty shapes) in kJ/mol of rare earth chlorides, $\text{RE}^{\text{III}}\text{Cl}_3$, by 8-coordinate Shannon ionic radii (CN_8).

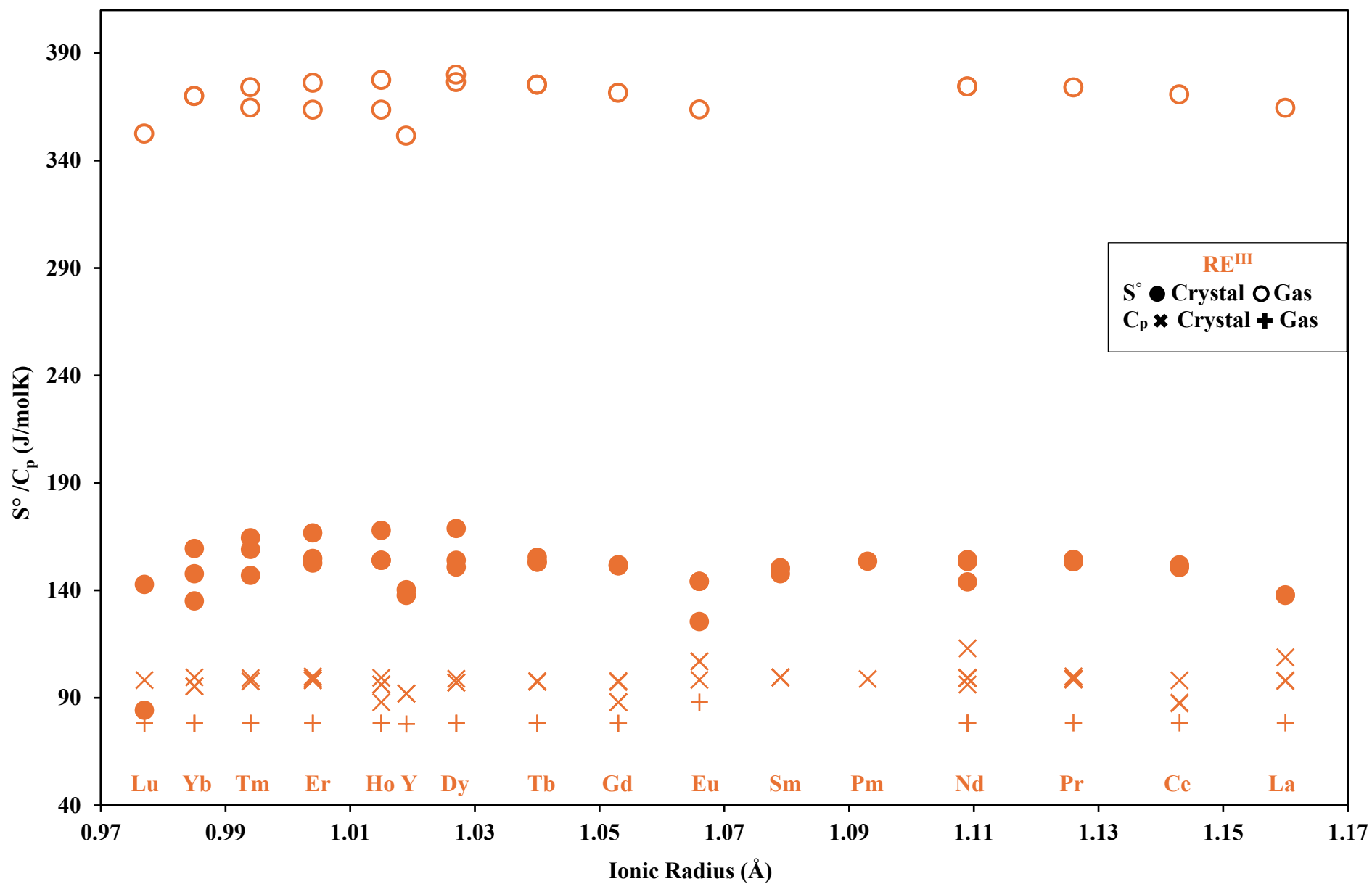


Figure S4. Graphical depiction absolute entropies (S° , circles) and molar heat capacities (C_p , x, +) for crystalline (solid shapes) and gas phases (empty shapes) in J/molK of rare earth chlorides, $\text{RE}^{\text{III}}\text{Cl}_3$, by 8-coordinate Shannon ionic radii (CN_8).

Table S19a. Divalent Rare Earth (RE^{II}) Enthalpic (ΔH , kJ/mol) and Entropic (ΔS , J/molK) Heats of Fusion (fus), Vaporization (vap) and Sublimation (sub).

Compound	ΔH_{fus}	ΔS_{fus}	ΔH_{vap}	ΔS_{vap}	ΔH_{sub}	ΔS_{sub}	Ref
LaCl ₂	38.0		137.1 [◇]		175.1		[52]
CeCl ₂	38.3		197.2 [◇]		235.5		[52]
PrCl ₂	38.7		277.2 [◇]		315.9		[52]
NdCl ₂	39.0		298.7 [◇]		337.7		[52]
PmCl ₂	39.4		298.2 [◇]		337.6		[52]
SmCl ₂	14.2	14.0	324.5 [◇]	101.3	338.7	115.3 [◇]	[6, 52]
EuCl ₂	23.0		320.7 [◇]		343.7		[52]
GdCl ₂	40.6		133.1 [◇]		173.7		[52]
TbCl ₂	35.0		253.2 [◇]		288.2		[52]
DyCl ₂	34.1		292.6 [◇]		326.7		[52]
HoCl ₂	33.3		270.3 [◇]		303.6		[52]
ErCl ₂	32.4		246.1 [◇]		278.5		[52]
TmCl ₂	31.1		294.4 [◇]		325.5		[52]
YbCl ₂	31.1		297.3 [◇]		328.4		[52]
LuCl ₂	29.8		119.9 [◇]		149.7		[52]

Table S19a. Trivalent Rare Earth (RE^{III}) Enthalpic (ΔH , kJ/mol) and Entropic (ΔS , J/molK) Heats of Fusion (fus), Vaporization (vap) and Sublimation (sub).

Compound	ΔH_{fus}	ΔS_{fus}	ΔH_{vap}	ΔS_{vap}	ΔH_{sub}	ΔS_{sub}	Ref
ScCl ₃	67.4	54.3	150.4	110.6	217.8 [◇]	164.9 [◇]	[6]
YCl ₃	31.5	31.7	200.1	113.7	231.6 [◇]	231.8 [◇]	[6]
LaCl ₃	58.0	51.3		91.2		142.5 [◇]	[6]
LaCl ₃	55.7		284.6 [◇]		340.3		[52]
CeCl ₃	45.2	41.8		97.8		139.6 [◇]	[6]
CeCl ₃	55.5		275.6 [◇]		331.1		[52]
PrCl ₃	50.6	47.8		105.1		152.9 [◇]	[6]
PrCl ₃	52.1		277.5 [◇]		329.6		[52]
NdCl ₃	50.2	48.7		98.7		147.4 [◇]	[6]
NdCl ₃	48.1		283.7 [◇]		331.8		[52]
PmCl ₃	47.8		284.2 [◇]		332.0		[52]
SmCl ₃	46.0	48.4					[6]
SmCl ₃	47.6		267.4 [◇]		315.0		[52]
EuCl ₃	51.0	56.9					[6]
EuCl ₃	45.0		230.0 [◇]		275.0		[52]
GdCl ₃	40.7	46.5		102.9		149.4 [◇]	[6]
GdCl ₃	40.6		272.9 [◇]		313.5		[52]
TbCl ₃	25.0	29.3	194.9	104.3	219.9 [◇]	133.6 [◇]	[6]
TbCl ₃	33.4		274.9 [◇]		308.3		[52]
DyCl ₃	24.2		276.9 [◇]		300.9		[52]
DyCl ₃	43.9	47.5	209.5	115.7	253.4 [◇]	163.2 [◇]	[6]
HoCl ₃	30.543		272.8 [◇]		303.3		[52]
HoCl ₃	44.3	44.6	186.2	104.6	230.5 [◇]	149.2 [◇]	[6]
ErCl ₃	36.4		266.0 [◇]		302.4		[52]
ErCl ₃	41.7	39.8	183.8	105.0	225.5 [◇]	144.8 [◇]	[6]
TmCl ₃	35.6		265.9 [◇]		301.5		[52]
TmCl ₃	45.3	41.2	188.3	104.6	233.6 [◇]	145.8 [◇]	[6]
YbCl ₃	35.982		270.9 [◇]		306.9		[52]
YbCl ₃	63.6	55.4	243.3		306.9 [◇]		[6, 52]
LuCl ₃	39.33		266.47 [◇]		305.8		[52]

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Table S20. Melting (T_M), Boiling (T_B), Sublimation (T_{sub}), and Triple Point (T_{TP}) Phase Change Temperatures.

Compound	T_M (K)	T_B (K)	T_{sub} (K)	T_{TP} (K)	Ref
ZrCl ₂	995	1564			[1, 6]
ZrCl ₃	900				[1]
ZrCl ₄	700 ^a		604	710	[1, 6]
MoCl ₂	773 (dec)				[1]
MoCl ₃	673 (dec)				[1, 48]
MoCl ₄	590	595	554		[1, 6, 48]
MoCl ₅	467	541			[1]
TcCl ₄		573			[3]
TcCl ₅		505			[19]
RuCl ₃	~773 (dec)				[1, 19]
RhCl ₃	~723	990			[1]
PdCl ₂	952				[1]
AgCl	728	1820			[1]
CdCl ₂	841	1237			[1]

^aUnder increased pressure, 17.9 bar.

Table S21a. Experimental Solid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	D	T range (K)	Ref
ZrCl ₂ [†]	12,761	17.490	2.66		700-1000	[6]
ZrCl ₂	8500	16.61	1.50		298-995	[5]
ZrCl ₃ [†]	6979	23.644	4.86		400-714	[6]
ZrCl ₄ [†]	6134	17.869	2.80		400-609	[6]
MoCl ₂ [†]	10,792	31.381	7.30		600-1219	[6]
MoCl ₃ [†]	12,630	55.648	14.16		500-926	[6]
MoCl ₄ [†]	6279	20.785	3.73		400-603	[6]
MoCl ₅ [†]	4978	22.315	4.79		298-470	[6]
MoCl ₅	5210	13.1			298-467	[5]
RuCl ₃ [†]	8870	15.800	2.59		500-1123	[6]
RuCl ₃	16,750	30.53	4.63		298-1000	[5]
RhCl ₃ [†]	10,151	18.377	3.26		500-1221	[6]
PdCl ₂ [†]	9418	15.215	2.37		600-952	[6]
AgCl	11,830	12.39	0.30	−1.02	298-455	[5]
CdCl ₂ [†]	10,179	17.689	2.79		600-842	[6]
CdCl ₂	9270	17.46	2.11		298-842	[5]

Table S21b. Experimental Liquid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
ZrCl ₂ [†]	10,851	17.831	3.41	1000-1564	[6]
ZrCl ₂	8440	26.37	5.03	995-1564	[5]
PdCl ₂ [†]	8765	16.819	3.14	952-1232	[6]
AgCl [†]	10,750	13.332	2.29	730-1835	[6]
AgCl	11,320	17.34	2.55	455-1547	[5]
CdCl ₂ [†]	9335	25.579	5.83	842-1236	[6]
CdCl ₂	9183	25.907	5.04	842-1236	[5]

Table S22. Computed Gas Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, %, &, †}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
ZrCl ₂	12,637	7.429	0.93	1564-2000	[6]
ZrCl ₃ (G ₁)	10,369	18.859	2.96	600-714	[6]
ZrCl ₃ (G ₃)	6681	2.898	0.10	1564-2000	[6]
ZrCl ₄	17,718	3.328	−0.37	1400-2000	[6]
MoCl ₂ (G ₁)	20,008	21.784	3.93	1100-1219	[6]
MoCl ₂ (G ₂)	16,089	14.465	2.60	1219-2000	[6]
MoCl ₃ (G ₁)	16,243	38.973	9.23	800-926	[6]
MoCl ₃ (G ₃)	7357	3.979	0.51	1219-2000	[6]
MoCl ₄ (G ₁)	4237	30.870	8.20	603-926	[6]
MoCl ₄ (G ₂)	11,183	2.538	−0.51	1219-2000	[6]
MoCl ₄ (G ₃)	7280	3.636	0.42	1219-2000	[6]
RuCl ₃ (G ₁)	16,502	32.048	6.15	800-1123	[6]
PdCl ₂ (G ₁)	15,653	18.146	2.50	800-952	[6]
PdCl ₂ (G ₂)	15,024	19.898	3.31	952-1232	[6]
PdCl ₂ (G ₃)	6303	3.579	0.32	1232-1825	[6]

Table S23a. Thermodynamic Crystalline Phase Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
ZrCl ₂	−502.0				[1]
ZrCl ₂	−431.0	110.0	−385.7 ^{Δ,*}	72.6	[6, 65]
ZrCl ₃	−711.9	145.9	−644.0 ^{Δ,*}	96.2	[6]
ZrCl ₃	−714.2	145.8	−646.3	96.2	[65]
ZrCl ₄	−980.5	181.6	−889.9	119.8	[1]
ZrCl ₄	−980.5	181.6	−890.0 ^{Δ,*}	119.9	[6]
MoCl ₂	−279.7	116.3	−239.3 ^{Δ,*}	74.6	[6]
MoCl ₃	−428.1	124.7	−356.9 ^{Δ,*}	94.8	[6]
MoCl ₄	−494.7	182.9	−407.6 ^{Δ,*}	124.4	[6]
MoCl ₄	−477.0	223.8	−402.2	129.7	[65]
MoCl ₅	−527.1	238.5	−423.4 ^{Δ,*}	155.5	[6]
MoCl ₅	−527.2	238.5	−423.5	155.6	[65]
MoCl ₆	−523.0	255.2	−391.0	175.3	[65]
RuCl ₃	−205.0				[1]
RuCl ₃	−246.7	121.9	−174.8 ^{Δ,*}	115.1 [¶]	[6]
RuCl ₃	−230.1	127.1	−159.7	92.2	[66]
RhCl ₃	−299.2	126.8	−227.8	92.2	[1, 66]
RhCl ₃	−274.6	122.1	−201.8 ^{Δ,*}	92.2 [¶]	[6]
PdCl ₂	−173.2	104.5	−126.6 ^{Δ,*}	75.3 [¶]	[6]
PdCl ₂	−198.7	104.2	−152.0	75.3	[53]
AgCl	−127.0	96.3	−109.8	50.8	[1]
AgCl	−127.1	96.2	−109.8 ^{Δ,*}	53.0	[6]
CdCl ₂	−391.5	115.3	−343.9	74.7	[1]
CdCl ₂	−391.5	115.3	−343.9 ^{Δ,*}	74.6	[6]
<i>RuCl₃</i> _{avg} ^ϕ	−227±21				

Table S23b. Thermodynamic Liquid Phase Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
ZrCl ₂	−411.6	122.5	−370.0	91.0	[65]
MoCl ₄	−462.8	245.5	−394.5	146.4	[65]
MoCl ₅	−510.1	273.8	−416.9	175.7	[65]

Table S23c. Thermodynamic Gas Phase Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
ZrCl ₂	−195.1	292.6	−204.2 ^{Δ, *}	57.7	[6]
ZrCl ₂	−186.2	292.6	−195.3	57.7	[65]
ZrCl ₃	−522.0	339.3	−511.8 ^{Δ, *}	76.0	[6]
ZrCl ₃	−524.3	339.3	−514.1	76.0	[65]
ZrCl ₄	−870.0	367.7	−835.0 ^{Δ, *}	98.2	[6, 65]
MoCl ₂	+83.1	294.0	+70.5 ^{Δ, *}	67.4	[6]
MoCl ₃	−149.6	332.5	−140.4 ^{Δ, *}	76.1	[6]
MoCl ₄	−384.1	371.8	−353.4 ^{Δ, *}	98.1	[6]
MoCl ₄	−384.9	371.9	−354.3	98.1	[65]
MoCl ₅	−447.3	398.2	−391.2 ^{Δ, *}	121.2	[6]
MoCl ₅	−447.7	397.8	−391.5	119.5	[65]
MoCl ₆	−461.4	419.8	−378.5 ^{Δ, *}	142.7	[6]
MoCl ₆	−439.3	419.7	−356.4	144.1	[65]
RuCl ₃	+56.1	397.6	+45.8 ^{Δ, *}	55.8 [¶]	[6]
RuCl ₃	+79.1	328.4	+89.4	55.2	[66]
RuCl ₄	−79.9	374.2	−49.9	63.4	[66]
PdCl ₂	+117.6	307.0	+103.8 ^{Δ, *}	60.6 [¶]	[6]
AgCl	+89.0	246.1	+61.6 ^{Δ, *}	35.8 ^b	[6]
CdCl ₂	−205.2	294.7	−211.1 ^{Δ, *}	58.1	[6]

Table S24. Enthalpic (ΔH , kJ/mol) and Entropic (ΔS , J/molK) Heats of Fusion (fus), Vaporization (vap) and Sublimation (sub).

Compound	ΔH_{fus}	ΔS_{fus}	ΔH_{vap}	ΔS_{vap}	ΔH_{sub}	ΔS_{sub}	Ref
ZrCl ₂	42.7	42.7	163.6	104.6	206.3 [◇]	147.3 [◇]	[6]
ZrCl ₄					103.1	169.2	[6]
MoCl ₄					101.5	168.4	[6]
MoCl ₅		40.2					[6]
PdCl ₂	18.4	19.3					[6]
AgCl	13.2	18.1	171.7	93.6	184.9 [◇]	111.7 [◇]	[6]
CdCl ₂	37.3	44.3	118.9	96.2	156.2 [◇]	140.5 [◇]	[6]

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Table S25. Melting (T_M), Boiling (T_B), and Sublimation (T_{sub}) Phase Change Temperatures.

Compound	T _M (K)	T _B (K)	T _{sub} (K)	Ref
TiCl ₂	1308	1773		[1]
TiCl ₃	698 (dec)	1233		[1]
TiCl ₄	249.03	409.60		[1]
VCl ₂	1623		1183	[1]
VCl ₃	773 (dec)			[1]
VCl ₄	245	424		[1]
CrCl ₂	1097	1393		[1]
CrCl ₃	1100	1573 (dec)		[1]
MnCl ₂	923	1463		[1]
FeCl ₂	950	1296		[1]
FeCl ₃	580.75	~589		[1]
CoCl ₂	1010	1322		[1]
NiCl ₂	1304		1258	[1]
CuCl	696	1763		[1]
CuCl ₂	871	1266		[1]
NbCl ₃			763	[67]
NbCl ₄	1073 (dec)		548 ^a	[1]
NbCl ₅	478.95	520.56		[1]
TaCl ₃	713 (dec)			[1]
TaCl ₄	573 (dec)			[1]
TaCl ₅	489	512		[1]
WCl ₂	773 (dec)			[1]
WCl ₃	823 (dec)			[1]
WCl ₄	723 (dec)			[1]
WCl ₅	526	559		[1]
WCl ₆	555	610		[1]

^aUnder reduced pressure, ca. 10⁻⁴ mmHg.

Table S26a. Experimental Solid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, %, &}

Compound	A	B	C	D	T range (K)	Ref
TiCl ₂ (S ₁) [†]	12,980	21.437	3.56		700-1166	[6]
TiCl ₂ (S ₂) [†]	13,299	23.489	4.14		1166-1246	[6]
TiCl ₂	15,230	19.36	2.51		298-1308	[5]
TiCl ₃	9620	21.47	3.27		298-698	[5]
VCl ₂ [†]	9720	5.735			800-1620	[6]
VCl ₃ [†]	9659	20.260	3.28		500-916	[6]
CrCl ₂ [†]	14,005	17.727	2.53		800-1088	[6]
CrCl ₂	14,000	15.14	0.62	−0.58	298-1097	[5]
CrCl ₃ [†]	15,876	23.851	3.83		800-1088	[6]
CrCl ₃	13,950	17.49	0.73	−0.77	298-1218	[5]
MnCl ₂ [†]	11,792	17.628	2.81		700-923	[6]
FeCl ₂	9890	11.10			670-740	[5]
Fe ₂ Cl ₆	9540	45.53	9.5		298-580	[5]
CoCl ₂	14,150	30.10	5.03		298-1010	[5]
NiCl ₂ [†]	12,715	17.305	2.25		700-1228	[6]
NiCl ₂	13,300	21.88	2.68		298-1258	[5]
CuCl ₂ (S ₁) [†]	8419	9.044	−0.12		500-683	[6]
CuCl ₂ (S ₂) [†]	8940	8.984	−0.41		683-709	[6]
CuCl ₂ (S ₃) [†]	9569	9.017	−0.71		709-862	[6]
NbCl ₄ [†]	6870	9.425			400-602	[6]
NbCl ₄ [†]	6800	17.845	2.91		400-602	[6]
NbCl ₄	6870	12.30			577-631	[5]
NbCl ₅	5296	18.617	2.99		298-479	[6]
NbCl ₅	4370	11.51			403-479	[5]
TaCl ₃ [†]	8877	19.414	3.27		500-912	[6]
TaCl ₄ [†]	5622	18.905	3.22		298-559	[6]
TaCl ₅ [†]	5288	18.359	2.88		298-490	[6]
TaCl ₅	6275	34.305	7.04		298-490	[5]

Compound	A	B	C	D	T range (K)	Ref
WCl ₂ [†]	13,493	18.300	3.33		800-862	[6]
WCl ₄ [†]	7287	25.764	5.65		400-771	[6]
WCl ₄	3253	8.195			555-598	[5]
WCl ₄ (S ₁)	3996	9.615			458-503	[5]
WCl ₄ (S ₂)	3588	8.795			503-554	[5]
WCl ₅	3670	9.50			413-526	[5]
WCl ₆ (S ₁) [†]	5867	23.653	4.87		298-450	[6]
WCl ₆ (S ₂) [†]	6029	29.293	6.86		450-503	[6]
WCl ₆ (S ₃) [†]	4629	19.377	4.22		503-555	[6]
WCl ₆ (S ₁)	4580	10.73			425-503	[5]
WCl ₆ (S ₂)	4080	9.73			503-555	[5]

Table S26b. Experimental Liquid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
TiCl ₂	13,110	17.93	2.51	1308-1773	[5]
TiCl ₄ [†]	2915	22.641	5.94	298-409	[6]
TiCl ₄	2919	25.129	5.788	298-410	[5]
VCl ₄ [†]	3255	26.458	7.16	298-427	[6]
CrCl ₂ [†]	12,501	22.449	4.54	1088-1576	[6]
CrCl ₂	13,800	27.70	5.03	1097-1575	[5]
MnCl ₂ [†]	10,257	19.226	3.91	923-1509	[6]
MnCl ₂	10,606	23.68	4.33	923-1463	[5]
CoCl ₂	11,050	27.06	5.03	1010-1322	[5]
CuCl	10,170	8.04		1000-1922	[5]
Cu ₃ Cl ₃	3750	4.90		900-1800	[5]
NbCl ₅ [†]	5147	39.053	10.73	479-519	[6]
NbCl ₅	2870	8.37		479-520	[5]
TaCl ₅ [†]	5124	39.007	10.68	490-506	[6]
TaCl ₅	2975	8.68		490-512	[5]
WCl ₅	2760	7.72		526-559	[5]
WCl ₆ [†]	4619	23.229	5.63	555-613	[6]
WCl ₆	3050	7.87		555-610	[5]

Table S27. Computed Gas Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, %, &, †}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
TiCl ₂ (G ₁)	15,633	22.129	3.82	800-1246	[6]
TiCl ₂ (G ₂)	6471	4.694	0.57	1246-1939	[6]
TiCl ₃ (G ₁)	9851	16.393	2.42	600-1017	[6]
(TiCl ₃) ₂ (G ₁)	10,772	20.681	3.40	600-1017	[6]
(TiCl ₃) ₂ (G ₂)	4458	5.855	0.69	1017-2000	[6]
TiCl ₄	9043	3.389		800-2000	[6]
CrCl ₃ (G ₁)	12,631	19.538	3.11	700-1279	[6]
FeCl ₂ (G ₁)	10,901	17.819	2.83	600-950	[6]
FeCl ₂ (G ₂)	9422	21.831	4.70	950-1293	[6]
(FeCl ₂) ₂ (G ₁)	13,914	26.033	4.73	700-950	[6]
(FeCl ₂) ₂ (G ₂)	10,978	34.198	8.51	950-1293	[6]
(FeCl ₂) ₂ (G ₃)	3876	4.393	0.35	1293-2000	[6]
FeCl ₃ (G ₁)	8141	21.485	3.80	400-577	[6]
FeCl ₃ (G ₂)	6502	25.492	6.28	577-604	[6]
(FeCl ₃) ₂ (G ₁)	8047	29.026	5.52	400-577	[6]
(FeCl ₃) ₂ (G ₂)	4776	37.136	10.51	577-604	[6]
(FeCl ₃) ₂ (G ₃)	4109	6.874	1.01	604-2000	[6]
CoCl ₂ (G ₁)	11,865	18.509	2.92	700-994	[6]
CoCl ₂ (G ₂)	9985	19.525	3.89	994-1354	[6]
(CoCl ₂) ₂ (G ₁)	15,153	26.775	4.94	700-994	[6]
(CoCl ₂) ₂ (G ₂)	11,436	29.150	6.98	994-1354	[6]
(CoCl ₂) ₂ (G ₃)	4212	4.628	0.31	1354-2000	[6]
CuCl (G ₁)	11,765	16.471	3.22	800-1482	[6]
(CuCl) ₃ (G ₁)	8584	27.024	6.20	500-683	[6]
(CuCl) ₃ (G ₂)	7864	27.862	6.85	683-709	[6]
(CuCl) ₃ (G ₃)	6942	28.044	7.37	709-1482	[6]
(CuCl) ₃ (G ₄)	9429	7.003	0.73	1482-2000	[6]

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
TaCl ₃ (G ₁)	12,581	20.733	3.55	700-912	[6]
TaCl ₄ (G ₁)	7568	18.463	2.92	400-559	[6]
TaCl ₅ (G ₁)	4889	4.561		506-2000	[6]
WCl ₅ (G ₁)	5963	25.427	5.34	298-526	[6]
WCl ₅ (G ₂)	5124	26.771	6.42	526-558	[6]
(WCl ₅) ₂ (G ₁)	9304	38.321	8.16	400-526	[6]
(WCl ₅) ₂ (G ₂)	7670	41.691	10.54	526-558	[6]
(WCl ₅) ₂ (G ₃)	1248	5.467	1.01	558-2000	[6]
WCl ₆	2862	4.644	0.44	613-2000	[6]

Table S28a. Thermodynamic Crystalline Phase Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and molar heat capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
TiCl ₂	−515.5	87.4	−465.9 ^{Δ,*}	69.8	[6]
TiCl ₂	−513.8	87.4	−464.4	87.4	[1]
TiCl ₃	−721.7	139.7	−654.4 ^{Δ,*}	97.1	[6]
TiCl ₃	−720.9	139.7	−653.5	97.2	[1]
VCl ₃	−581.2	131.0	−511.9 ^{Δ,*}	93.2	[6]
VCl ₃	−580.7	131.0	−511.2	93.2	[1]
CrCl ₂	−395.4	115.3	−356.2 ^{Δ,*}	69.3	[6]
CrCl ₃	−556.5	123.0	−486.1	91.8	[1]
MnCl ₂	−481.3	118.2	−440.5 ^{Δ,*}	73.0	[6]
MnCl ₂	−481.3	118.2	−440.5	72.9	[1]
FeCl ₂	−341.6	117.9	−302.1 ^{Δ,*}	76.5	[6]
FeCl ₂	−341.8	118.0	−302.3	76.7	[1]
FeCl ₃	−399.3	147.8	−335.5 ^{Δ,*}	96.9	[6]
FeCl ₃	−399.5	142.3	−334.0	96.7	[1]

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
CoCl ₂	−312.5	109.2	−269.8	78.5	[1, 6]
NiCl ₂	−305.3	98.0	−259.1 ^{Δ,*}	71.7	[6]
NiCl ₂	−305.3	97.7	−259.0	71.7	[1]
CuCl	−136.8	87.4	−119.7 ^{Δ,*}	53.3	[6]
CuCl	−137.2	86.2	−119.9	48.5	[1]
CuCl ₂	−218.0	108.0	−173.7 ^{Δ,*}	71.7	[6]
CuCl ₂	−220.1	108.1	−175.7	71.9	[1]
TaCl ₅	−859.0	221.7	−746.4 ^{Δ,*}	147.9	[1, 6]
WCl ₂	−260.3	130.5	−223.0 ^{Δ,*}	77.8	[6]
WCl ₄	−443.1	198.3	−359.5 ^{Δ,*}	129.7	[6]
WCl ₅	−513.0	217.6	−401.9 ^{Δ,*}	155.6	[6]
WCl ₆	−593.7	238.5	−455.5 ^{Δ,*}	175.4	[6]
WCl ₆	−602.5				[1]

Table S28b. Thermodynamic Liquid Phase Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and molar heat capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
TiCl ₄	−804.2	252.3	−737.2	145.2	[1]
VCl ₄	−570.1	258.6	−505.6 ^{Δ,*}	156.9	[6]
VCl ₄	−569.4	255.0	−503.7		[1]

Table S28c. Thermodynamic Gas Phase Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and molar heat capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
TiCl ₂	-237.2	278.3	-244.5 ^{Δ, *}	57.7	[6]
TiCl ₃	-539.3	316.8	-524.8 ^{Δ, *}	72.5	[6]
(TiCl ₃) ₂	-1247.5	482.1	-1173.4 ^{Δ, *}	169.7	[6]
TiCl ₄	-763.2	354.8	-726.8 ^{Δ, *}	95.5	[6]
TiCl ₄	-763.2	353.2	-726.3	95.4	[1]
VCl ₄	-525.5	366.5	-493.1 ^{Δ, *}	93.2	[6]
VCl ₄	-525.5	362.4	-492.0	96.2	[1]
CrCl ₂	-136.2	307.9	-154.4 ^{Δ, *}	57.7	[6]
CrCl ₃	-325.2	317.6	-313.0 ^{Δ, *}	76.0	[6]
MnCl ₂	-264.1	295.4	-276.1 ^{Δ, *}	57.1	[6]
FeCl ₂	-140.9	299.3	-155.5 ^{Δ, *}	57.6	[6]
(FeCl ₂) ₂	-431.4	464.5	-420.6 ^{Δ, *}	125.9	[6]
FeCl ₃	-254.0	344.2	-248.7 ^{Δ, *}	77.70	[6]
(FeCl ₃) ₂	-660.5	537.1	-604.8 ^{Δ, *}	173.7	[6]
CoCl ₂	-93.7	298.5	-107.2 ^{Δ, *}	59.6	[6]
(CoCl ₂) ₂	-349.7	450.4	-333.1 ^{Δ, *}	127.5	[6]
NiCl ₂	-70.2	298.2	-83.7 ^{Δ, *}	60.6	[6]
CuCl	+91.2	237.2	+63.6 ^{Δ, *}	35.1	[6]
(CuCl) ₃	-263.7	429.5	-262.3 ^{Δ, *}	124.3	[6]
NbCl ₅	-703.3	404.1	-646.6 ^{Δ, *}	119.0	[6]
NbCl ₅	-703.7	400.6	-646.0	120.8	[1]
TaCl ₃	-322.2	346.0	-313.2 ^a	75.5	[6]
TaCl ₄	-574.1	377.3	-541.2 ^{Δ, *}	99.0	[6]
TaCl ₅	-764.8	413.0	-709.3 ^{Δ, *}	120.1	[6]
WCl ₂	-12.6	309.4	-28.6 ^{Δ, *}	58.4	[6]
WCl ₄	-335.8	379.3	-306.1 ^{Δ, *}	98.8	[6]
WCl ₅	-412.5	405.5	-357.4 ^{Δ, *}	120.2	[6]
(WCl ₅) ₂	-869.1	711.4	-729.2 ^{Δ, *}	263.3	[6]
WCl ₆	-493.6	419.3	-409.3 ^{Δ, *}	143.8	[6]
WCl ₆	-513.8				[1]

Table S29. Enthalpic (ΔH , kJ/mol) and Entropic (ΔS , J/molK) Heats of Fusion (fus), Vaporization (vap) and Sublimation (sub).

Compound	ΔH_{fus}	ΔS_{fus}	ΔH_{vap}	ΔS_{vap}	ΔH_{sub}	ΔS_{sub}	Ref
TiCl ₄			35.8	87.5			[6]
VCl ₄			37.1	86.8			[6]
CrCl ₂	46.9	43.1	179.9	114.1	226.8 [◇]	157.2 [◇]	[6]
MnCl ₂	37.7	40.8	147.4	97.7	185.1 [◇]	138.5 [◇]	[6]
FeCl ₂	43.0	45.2					[6]
FeCl ₃	43.1	74.7					[6]
CoCl ₂	43.9	44.2					[6]
NiCl ₂		59.4		119.9 [◇]	220.1	179.3	[6]
CuCl	6.9	9.7					[6]
NbCl ₅	33.9	70.7	52.3	100.7	86.2 [◇]	171.4 [◇]	[6]
TaCl ₅	35.1	71.7	53.2	105.1	88.3 [◇]	176.8 [◇]	[6]
WCl ₅					20.6	39.1	[6]
WCl ₆	6.7	12.1	59.8	97.6	66.5 [◇]	109.7 [◇]	[6]

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Table S30. Melting (T_M), Boiling (T_B), and Triple Point (T_{TP}) Phase Change Temperatures.

Compound	T_M (K)	T_B (K)	T_{TP} (K)	Ref
SCl ₂	151	332.75		[1]
S ₂ Cl ₂	196	410		[1]
SnCl ₂	520	896		[1]
SnCl ₄	307.22	387.30		[1]
SbCl ₃	346.55	493.45		[1]
SbCl ₅	277	413 (dec)		[1]
TeCl ₂	481	601		[1]
TeCl ₄	497	660		[1]
ICl	300.53	370 (dec)		[1]
ICl ₃	336	370 (dec)	374 ^a	[1]

^aUnder increased pressure, 16 atmospheres.

Table S31a. Experimental Crystalline Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	D	T range (K)	Ref
SnCl ₂ [†]	7335	19.781	3.67		400-520	[6]
SbCl ₃ [†]	4161	20.495	4.26		298-346	[6]
SbCl ₃	3460	2.81	-1.02	-5.6		[5]
TeCl ₂ [†]	4539	17.421	3.40		298-448	[6]
TeCl ₄ [†]	6846	25.915	5.35		400-497	[6]

Table S31b. Experimental Liquid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	D	T range (K)	Ref
SCl ₂ [†]	2306	18.846	4.72		298-332	[6]
S ₂ Cl ₂ [†]	2917	22.530	5.90		298-410	[6]
SnCl ₂ [†]	6925	23.120	5.19		520-885	[6]
SnCl ₄ [†]	3262	32.036	9.10		298-382	[6]
SnCl ₄	1925	7.865			298-387	[5]
SbCl ₃ [†]	3644	21.741	5.34		346-496	[6]
SbCl ₃	3770	29.48	7.04		346-493	[5]
SbCl ₅ [†]	2779	19.861	5.02		298-413	[6]
SbCl ₅	2530	8.56			277-350	[5]
TeCl ₂ [†]	4163	19.472	4.49		448-593	[6]
TeCl ₂	3350	8.51			481-601	[5]
TeCl ₄ [†]	8211	58.025	16.24		497-687	[6]

Table S32. Computed Gas Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, %, &, †}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
SCl ₂ (G ₁)	783	-5.841	-1.61	332-717	[6]
SCl ₂ (G ₂)	2831	2.003	0.04	717-2000	[6]
S ₂ Cl ₂ (G ₁)	587	-11.537	-3.37	410-717	[6]
S ₂ Cl ₂ (G ₂)	3868	4.714	0.50	717-2000	[6]
SnCl ₂	1967	8.386	1.24	885-2000	[6]
SnCl ₄	7251	6.435	0.73	600-2000	[6]
SbCl ₅ (G ₁)	1017	-10.387	-4.34	413-496	[6]
SbCl ₅ (G ₂)	2349	5.929	0.58	496-1000	[6]
TeCl ₂	6562	0.899	-0.21	700-2000	[6]
TeCl ₄	2452	3.434	0.05	687-2000	[6]

Table S33a. Thermodynamic Crystalline Phase Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
SnCl ₂	−325.1	134.1	−283.3 ^{Δ, *}		[1]
SnCl ₂	−328.0	134.1	−286.2 ^{Δ, *}	78.0	[6]
SnCl ₂	−328.026	78.047	−286.222	78.047	[56]
SbCl ₃	−382.2	184.1	−323.7	107.9	[1]
SbCl ₃	−382.2	184.1	−323.7 ^{Δ, *}	107.5	[6]
TeCl ₂	−190.2	161.4	−157.0 ^{Δ, *}	83.7 [¶]	[6]
TeCl ₄	−326.4			138.5	[1]
TeCl ₄	−323.8	203.0	−236.5 ^{Δ, *}	138.5	[6]
TeCl ₄	−323.8	200.8	−235.9	138.5	[58]
ICl	−35.4	97.9	−14.049	55.229	[65]
ICl ₃	−89.5	167.4	−22.3	100.8	[68, 69]
<i>SnCl₂</i> _{avg} ^ϕ	−327.0±1.7	115.4±32.4	−285.2±1.7		
<i>TeCl₄</i> _{avg} ^ϕ	−324.7±1.5			138.5±0.0	

Table S33b. Thermodynamic Liquid Phase Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
SCl ₂	−50.0	183.7	−28.7 ^{Δ, *}	91.0	[1, 6]
S ₂ Cl ₂	−57.9	224.4	−39.1 ^{Δ, *}	124.3	[6]
S ₂ Cl ₂	−58.2	223.8	−39.26	124.29	[50, 70]
SnCl ₄	−511.3	258.7	−440.1 ^{Δ, *}	165.3	[6]
SnCl ₄	−511.29	258.74	−440.12	165.27	[56]
SbCl ₅	−440.2	301.2	−350.2	159.0 [¶]	[6, 71]
ICl	−23.9	135.2	−14.0	102.8	[65]

Table S33c. Thermodynamic Gas Phase Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and Molar Heat Capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
Gas Phase					
SCl ₂	−17.6	281.3	−25.4 ^{Δ, *}	50.9	[6]
S ₂ Cl ₂	−16.7	327.2	−28.6 ^{Δ, *}	73.0	[6]
SeCl ₂	−33.5	295.7	−42.5 ^{Δ, *}	53.7	[6]
SeCl ₂	−33.5	295.7	−42.5	53.5	[50]
SnCl ₂	−197.9	305.9	−207.3 ^{Δ, *}	54.6	[6]
SnCl ₂	−197.945	305.855	−207.350	54.632	[56]
SnCl ₄	−471.5	365.0	−432.0 ^{Δ, *}	98.4	[6]
SnCl ₄	−471.54	364.95	−432.04	98.45	[56]
SbCl ₃	−313.1	339.1	−300.8 ^{Δ, *}	76.8 [¶]	[6]
SbCl ₃	−313.8	337.7	−301.2	76.7	[71]
SbCl ₅	−399.4	401.8	−339.3 ^{Δ, *}	112.6 [¶]	[6]
SbCl ₅	−388.82	401.77	−328.73	120.92	[50]
TeCl ₂	−113.0	305.7	−122.822	54.346	[58]
ICl	+17.1	247.6	−5.7	35.5	[65]

Table S34. Enthalpic (ΔH , kJ/mol) and Entropic (ΔS , J/molK) Heats of Fusion (fus), Vaporization (vap) and Sublimation (sub).

Compound	ΔH_{fus}	ΔS_{fus}	ΔH_{vap}	ΔS_{vap}	ΔH_{sub}	ΔS_{sub}	Ref
SCl ₂			31.0	93.4			[6]
S ₂ Cl ₂			35.8	87.3			[6]
SnCl ₂	14.6	28.2	93.7	105.9	108.3 [◇]	134.1 [◇]	[6]
SnCl ₄		38.2	33.5	87.7		125.9 [◇]	[6]
SbCl ₃	13.0	37.5	47.8	96.3	60.8 [◇]	133.8 [◇]	[6]
SbCl ₅			36.1	87.3			[6]
TeCl ₂	11.3	25.2	57.6	97.1	68.9 [◇]	122.3 [◇]	[6]
TeCl ₄	18.9	38.0	64.4	93.8	83.3 [◇]	131.8 [◇]	[6]
ICl ₃	11.4		41.3		52.8		[69]

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Table S35. Melting (T_M), Boiling (T_B), and Sublimation (T_{sub}) Phase Change Temperatures.

Compound	T_M (K)	T_B (K)	T_{sub} (K)	Ref
AlCl ₃	465	454	453	[1, 6]

Table S36. Experimental Solid Phase Vapor Pressure Coefficients.[§]

Compound	A	B	C	D	T range (K)	Ref
Al ₂ Cl ₆	6360	9.66	-3.77	-6.12	298-453	[5]

Table S37. Computed Vapor Pressure Coefficients.^{§, %, &, †}

Compound	A	B	C	T range (K)	Ref
AlCl ₃ (G ₁)	6720	19.415	2.97	400-454	[6]
AlCl ₃ (G ₂)	11,177	4.206	0.16	900-2000	[6]
(AlCl ₃) ₂ (G ₁)	6642	25.842	4.22	298-454	[6]
(AlCl ₃) ₂ (G ₂)	3433	6.927	1.00	454-2000	[6]

Table S38. Thermodynamic Data for Enthalpy of Formation (ΔH_f° , kJ/mol), Standard Entropy (S° , J/molK), Gibbs Free Energy of Formation (ΔG_f° , kJ/mol), and molar heat capacity (C_p , J/molK).

Compound	ΔH_f°	S°	ΔG_f°	C_p	Ref
Crystalline Phase					
AlCl ₃	-705.4	109.3	-629.8 ^{Δ, *}	91.1	[6]
AlCl ₃	-704.2	109.3	-628.8	91.1	[1]
Gas Phase					
AlCl ₃	-584.6	314.5	-570.2 ^{Δ, *}	71.0	[6]
(AlCl ₃) ₂	-1295.7	475.0	-1220.9 ^{Δ, *}	158.3	[6]

Table S39. Entropic (ΔS , J/molK) Heat of Fusion (fus).

Compound	ΔS_{fus}	Ref
AlCl ₃	75.9	[6]

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