

CHAPTER 3

METHODOLOGY

3.1 Model 1

In this work, Gibbs free energy term is given by long range (Lr) electrostatic contributions b/w ions and short range (Sr) interaction b/w all species.

Using Pitzer's form of the Debye- Huckle (PDH) function as the electrostatic contribution to the free energy. So

$$\frac{F^{Lr}}{RT} = -(v_w n_w + v v_s n_s) \frac{4A_\phi I}{b} \ln(1 + bI^{1/2})$$

Where n_w, n_s = no. of moles of water, salt respectively

v_s, v_w = partial molar volume (m^3/mole) of salt, solvent respectively

b = the closest approach parameter

Total no. of ions per salt $v = v_M + v_X$

$$\text{Debye Huckel type constant } A_\phi = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{2\pi N_A}{V_S} \right]^{1/2} \left[\frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon D_S K T} \right]^{3/2}$$

Where M_w = molecular weight of solvent i.e., water in gram/mol,

N_A = Avogadro number,

K = Boltzmann constant, ϵ = permittivity of vacuum, e = electronic charge,

D_S = dielectric constant of water, V_S = the molar volume of water

I = the ionic strength $I = \sum C_i \frac{Z_i^2}{2}$ or $I = \frac{1}{2} C v |Z_+ Z_-|$

The expression for the short-range interaction contribution of aqueous salt solution is obtained from Flory- Huggins theory as given below,

$$\frac{F^{Sr}}{RT} = v_w n_w \ln \phi_w + v v_s n_s \ln \phi_s + \chi_{sw} v_w n_w \phi_s$$

Where χ_{sw} = salt-water interaction parameter, which dependent on the salt concentration and temperature

$$\frac{F}{RT} = -(n_w + \nu n_s) \frac{4A_x I_x}{b} \ln(1 + b I_x^{1/2}) + n_w \ln \phi_w + \nu n_s \ln \phi_s + \chi_{sw} n_w \phi_s$$

where n_s and n_w represent the moles of salt hydrate and water in salt hydrate solution, respectively. r_s is the number of Kuhn segments in Salt hydrate chain. The term χ_{sw} is the generalized Flory-Huggins parameter and considered as the function of the volume fraction of the salt hydrate, ϕ_s , and temperature, T .

$$\chi_{sw}(T, \phi_s) = \sum_{i=0}^n b_i(T) \phi_s^i$$

$b_i(T)$ is temperature dependent coefficient and as expressed as:

$$b_i(T) = b_{i\alpha} + b_{i\beta} \left(\frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_r} \right) + b_{i\gamma} \ln \left(T/T_r \right)$$

$b_{i\alpha}, b_{i\beta}$ and $b_{i\gamma}$ are constants

$b_i(T)$ is temperature dependent coefficient are calculated using non linear regression method

Derivative of Equation (1) w.r.t. moles of water and salt gives us chemical potential of water and salt hydrate respectively.

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\mu_w - \mu_w^0}{RT} &= \left(\frac{\delta \frac{F}{RT}}{\delta n_w} \right)_{n_s} \\
&= \left(I_x \ln(1 + b I_x^{1/2}) \right) \left[-\frac{v n_s}{n_w} \right] - \frac{(n_w + v n_s)}{2(1 + b I_x^{1/2})} \frac{I_x^{-1/2}}{n_w} + \ln \phi_w \\
&\quad + \phi_s \left(1 - \frac{v_w}{v_s} \right) - \chi_{sw} \phi_s^2 - \frac{\delta \chi_{sw}}{\delta \phi_s} \phi_s^2 (1 - \phi_s) \\
\frac{\mu_s - \mu_s^0}{RT} &= \left(\frac{\delta \frac{F}{RT}}{\delta n_s} \right)_{n_s} \\
&= I_x \ln(1 + b I_x^{1/2}) \left(2 + \frac{n_w}{n_s} \right) + \left(\frac{n_w}{n_s} + v \right) \left(\frac{1}{(1 + b I_x^{1/2})} b \frac{1}{2} I_x^{\frac{3}{2}} \right) \\
&\quad + v \left[\ln \phi_s + \left(1 - \frac{v_s}{v_w} \right) \phi_w + \frac{v_s}{v_w} \chi_{sw} (1 - \phi_s)^2 \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \frac{v_s}{v_w} \phi_s (1 - \phi_s)^2 \frac{\delta \chi_{sw}}{\delta \phi_s} \right]
\end{aligned}$$

The condition for the phase equilibrium between two separate phases (Phase-1 and Phase-2) are given by

$$\mu_w^\alpha = \mu_w^\beta$$

$$\text{And } \mu_s^\alpha = \mu_s^\beta$$

By solving equation simultaneously, phase diagram can be obtained.

$$\begin{aligned}
&\frac{\ln(1 - \phi_s^\alpha)}{\ln(1 - \phi_s^\beta)} + \left(\phi_s^\alpha - \phi_s^\beta \right) \left(1 - \frac{v_w}{v_s} \right) \\
&\quad - \left[\chi_{sw}(T, \phi_s^\alpha) \phi_s^{2\alpha} + \frac{\delta \chi_{sw}(T, \phi_s^\alpha)}{\delta \phi_s^\beta} \phi_s^{2\alpha} (1 - \phi_s^\alpha) \right] \\
&\quad - \left[\chi_{sw}(T, \phi_s^\beta) \phi_s^{2\beta} + \frac{\delta \chi_{sw}(T, \phi_s^\beta)}{\delta \phi_s^\beta} \phi_s^{2\beta} (1 - \phi_s^\beta) \right] = 0
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& v \left[\ln \frac{\phi_s^\alpha}{\phi_s^\beta} + \left(1 - \frac{v_s}{v_w}\right) (2 - \phi_s^\alpha - \phi_s^\beta) \right] \\
& + \left[\frac{v_s}{v_w} \chi_{sw}(T, \phi_s^\alpha) (1 - \phi_s^\alpha)^2 + \frac{v_s}{v_w} \phi_s^\alpha (1 - \phi_s^\alpha)^2 \frac{\delta \chi_{sw}(T, \phi_s^\alpha)}{\delta \phi_s^\alpha} \right] \\
& + \left[\frac{v_s}{v_w} \chi_{sw}(T, \phi_s^\beta) (1 - \phi_s^\beta)^2 + \frac{v_s}{v_w} \phi_s^\beta (1 - \phi_s^\beta)^2 \frac{\delta \chi_{sw}(T, \phi_s^\beta)}{\delta \phi_s^\beta} \right] \\
& = 0
\end{aligned}$$

The critical point is given by the following conditions :

$$\frac{\delta^2 \left(\frac{F}{RT} \right)}{\delta \phi_s^2} = \frac{\delta^2 \left(\frac{F}{RT} \right)}{\delta \phi_s^3}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\delta^2 \left(\frac{F}{RT} \right)}{\delta \phi_s^2} = & \left(\left(\left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} \frac{v n_s}{\phi_s^2} + v \frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \right) I_x \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \left(\ln \left(1 + b I_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) + \frac{1}{2} I_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{1 + b I_x^{\frac{1}{2}}} \right) \right. \\
& + (n_w + v n_s) \frac{I_x}{(\phi_s(1-\phi_s))^2} \left(\ln \left(1 + b I_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) + \frac{1}{2} I_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{1 + b I_x^{\frac{1}{2}}} \right) \\
& + (n_w + v n_s) I_x \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \frac{b}{1 + b I_x^{\frac{1}{2}}} \frac{1}{4} \left(2 I_x^{\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{I_x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{b} - 1 \right) \\
& + \left(\left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} v \left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s^3} \frac{-1 + 2\phi_s}{1 - \phi_s} \right) + \left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s^2(1-\phi_s)^2} + n_s \frac{2\phi_s - 1}{\phi_s^2(1-\phi_s)^2} \right) \right) I_x \ln \left(1 + b I_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) \right) \\
& + \left(\left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} \frac{v n_s}{\phi_s^2} + \frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \left(\frac{I_x}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \ln \left(1 + b I_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) \right) \\
& + \left(\left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} \frac{v n_s}{\phi_s^2} + \frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) I_x^{\frac{3}{2}} \frac{1}{(1 + b I_x^{\frac{1}{2}})} b \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \\
& + -\frac{v_s}{v_w} v \left[\frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \frac{1}{\phi_s^3(1-\phi_s)} \ln(1-\phi_s) + n_s \left(\frac{4\phi_s - 3}{\phi_s^4(1-\phi_s)^4} \right) \ln(1-\phi_s) \right. \\
& + \left. n_s \frac{-1}{\phi_s^3(1-\phi_s)^2} \right] + (-2) \left(\left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s^4(1-\phi_s)} \ln(1-\phi_s) \right) + n_s(-3) \phi_s^{-4} \ln(1-\phi_s) \right. \\
& + \left. n_s \phi_s^{-3} \frac{-1}{\phi_s - 1} \right) + n_s \frac{(-1)}{\phi_s^3(1-\phi_s)^2} + n_s(-1) \frac{3\phi_s - 2}{(\phi_s - 1)^2 \phi_s^3} \left. - \left[-\frac{v_s}{v_w} \frac{v n_s}{\phi_s^2} \frac{1}{(1-\phi_s)^2} \right. \right. \\
& + \left. n_w \frac{2}{(1-\phi_s)^3} + \left(\frac{v_s}{v_w} v \right) \left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} \frac{v n_s}{\phi_s^2} n_s \frac{1}{\phi_s^2} + n_w \frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \frac{1}{\phi_s^2} + n_w n_s(2) \phi_s^{-3} \right) \right. \\
& + \left. -\frac{v_s}{v_w} v \left[\frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \frac{1}{\phi_s^3(1-\phi_s)} \ln(1-\phi_s) + n_s \left(\frac{4\phi_s - 3}{\phi_s^4(1-\phi_s)^4} \right) \ln(1-\phi_s) \right. \right. \\
& + \left. \left. n_s \frac{-1}{\phi_s^3(1-\phi_s)^2} \right] + (-2) \left(\left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s^4(1-\phi_s)} \ln(1-\phi_s) \right) + n_s(-3) \phi_s^{-4} \ln(1-\phi_s) \right. \right. \\
& + \left. \left. n_s \phi_s^{-3} \frac{-1}{\phi_s - 1} \right) + n_s \frac{(-1)}{\phi_s^3(1-\phi_s)^2} + n_s(-1) \frac{3\phi_s - 2}{(\phi_s - 1)^2 \phi_s^3} \left. - \left[-\frac{v_s}{v_w} \frac{v n_s}{\phi_s^2} \frac{1}{(1-\phi_s)^2} \right. \right. \\
& + \left. \left. n_w \frac{2}{(1-\phi_s)^3} + \left(\frac{v_s}{v_w} v \right) \left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} \frac{v n_s}{\phi_s^2} n_s \frac{1}{\phi_s^2} + n_w \frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \frac{1}{\phi_s^2} + n_w n_s(2) \phi_s^{-3} \right) \right] \right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\delta^3 \left(\frac{F}{RT} \right)}{\delta \phi_s^3} = & \left(\frac{1}{1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}} \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{I_x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} + \frac{1}{2} I_x^{\frac{-1}{2}} - \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}} I_x \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \right) I_x \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \left(-\frac{v_s v n_s}{\phi_s^2} + v \frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} + \right. \\
& (n_w + v n_s) \frac{I_x}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \left. \right) + \left(\ln \left(1 + bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) + \frac{1}{2} I_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}} \right) \left(\frac{I_x}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \left(-\frac{v_s v n_s}{\phi_s^2} + v \frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} + \right. \\
& (n_w + v n_s) \frac{I_x}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \left. \right) + \left(\ln \left(1 + bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) + \frac{1}{2} I_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}} \right) I_x \left(-\frac{2\phi_s-1}{(\phi_s(1-\phi_s))^2} \right) \left(-\frac{v_s v n_s}{\phi_s^2} + v \frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} + \right. \\
& (n_w + v n_s) \frac{I_x}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \left. \right) + \left(\ln \left(1 + bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) + \frac{1}{2} I_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}} \right) I_x \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \left(\left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} v \left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \phi_s^{-2} + \right. \right. \\
& n_s (-2\phi_s^{-1})) + v \left(\left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} + n_s \left(-\frac{2\phi_s-1}{(\phi_s(1-\phi_s))^2} \right) + \left(-\frac{v_s v n_s}{\phi_s^2} + v \frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \frac{I_x}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} + \right. \\
& (n_w + v n_s) \left(\frac{I_x}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \left. \right) + (n_w + v n_s) I_x \left(-\frac{2\phi_s-1}{(\phi_s(1-\phi_s))^2} \right) + \frac{1}{4} b \left(\left(-\left(1 + \right. \right. \right. \\
& bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \left. \right)^{-2} b I_x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left. \right) (n_w + v n_s) \left(2 I_x^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{I_x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{b} - 1 \right) + \frac{1}{1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}} \left(\left(-\frac{v_s v n_s}{\phi_s^2} + v \frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \right) \left(2 I_x^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{I_x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{b} - 1 \right) \left. \right) + \\
& \frac{1}{1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}} (n_w + v n_s) \left(\left(3 I_x^{\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{b} I_x^{\frac{-1}{2}} \right) \right) \left(\left(\left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} v \left(\frac{-1+2\phi_s}{(1-\phi_s) \phi_s^3} \right) + \left(\frac{2}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)^2} \right) \right) I_x \ln \left(1 + \right. \right. \right. \\
& bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \left. \right) \left. \right) \left(\left(\left(n_s \left(\frac{\delta}{\delta \phi_s} \left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} v \left(\frac{6 \phi_s^2 - 8 \phi_s + 3}{\phi_s^4(1-\phi_s)^2} \right) + \left(2 \frac{3\phi_s+1}{\phi_s^2(\phi_s-1)^3} \right) \right) \right) I_x \ln \left(1 + \right. \right. \right. \right. \\
& bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \left. \right) \left. \right) \left(\left(n_s \left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} v \left(\frac{-1+2\phi_s}{(1-\phi_s) \phi_s^3} \right) + \left(\frac{2}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)^2} \right) \right) \left(\frac{\delta}{\delta \phi_s} I_x \right) \ln \left(1 + \right. \right. \right. \right. \\
& bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \left. \right) \left. \right) \left(\left(n_s \left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} v \left(\frac{-1+2\phi_s}{(1-\phi_s) \phi_s^3} \right) + \left(\frac{2}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)^2} \right) \right) I_x \left(I_x^{\frac{3}{2}} \frac{1}{(1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}})} b \frac{1}{2} \right) \right) \right) \left. \right) + \\
& \left(\left(\left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} v \left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s^3} \frac{-1+2\phi_s}{1-\phi_s} \right) + \left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s^2(1-\phi_s)^2} + n_s \frac{2\phi_s-1}{\phi_s^2(1-\phi_s)^2} \right) \right) \left(\frac{I_x}{n_s} \right) \ln \left(1 + bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) \right) \right) + \\
& \left(\left(\left(-\frac{v_s}{v_w} v \left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s^3} \frac{-1+2\phi_s}{1-\phi_s} \right) + \left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s^2(1-\phi_s)^2} + n_s \frac{2\phi_s-1}{\phi_s^2(1-\phi_s)^2} \right) \right) I_x \left(I_x^{\frac{3}{2}} \frac{1}{(1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}})} b \frac{1}{2} \right) \right) \right) \left. \right) + \\
& \left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \left(-\frac{v_s v}{\phi_s^2} + \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \left(\frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) I_x \ln \left(1 + bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) + n_s \left(\frac{\delta}{\delta \phi_s} \left(2 \frac{v_s v}{\phi_s} + \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \right) \left(\frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) I_x \ln \left(1 + bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) + n_s \left(-\frac{v_s v}{\phi_s^2} + \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \left(\frac{2\phi_s-1}{\phi_s^2(1-\phi_s)^2} \right) I_x \ln \left(1 + bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) + \\
& n_s \left(-\frac{v_s v}{\phi_s^2} + \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \left(\frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \left(\frac{I_x}{n_s} \right) \ln \left(1 + bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) + n_s \left(-\frac{v_s v}{\phi_s^2} + \right.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \Big) \Big(\frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \Big) I_x^{\frac{5}{2}} \frac{1}{\left(1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}\right)} b^{\frac{1}{2}} + b^{\frac{1}{2}} \Big[\left(\left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \left(-\frac{v_s v}{\phi_s^2} + \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) I_x^{\frac{3}{2}} \frac{1}{\left(1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}\right)} \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) + \right. \\
& \left(n_s \left(\frac{\delta}{\delta\phi_s} \left(2 \frac{v_s v}{\phi_s} + \frac{2\phi_s-1}{(\phi_s-1)^2 \phi_s^2} \right) \right) I_x^{\frac{3}{2}} \frac{1}{\left(1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}\right)} \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) + \left(\left(-\frac{v_s v}{\phi_s^2} + \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) \left(\frac{3}{2} \right) \frac{I_x^{\frac{3}{2}}}{n_s} \frac{1}{\left(1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}\right)} \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) + \left(n_s \left(-\frac{v_s v}{\phi_s^2} + \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) I_x^2 \left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{b}{\left(1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}\right)^2} \right) \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) + \\
& n_s \left(-\frac{v_s v}{\phi_s^2} + \frac{1}{\phi_s(1-\phi_s)} \right) I_x^{\frac{3}{2}} \frac{1}{\left(1+bl_x^{\frac{1}{2}}\right)} \left(\frac{2\phi_s-1}{(\phi_s-1)^2 \phi_s^2} \right) + v [n_s \ln\phi_s \frac{1}{(\phi_s(1-\phi_s))^3} + n_s \frac{1}{\phi_s^3(1-\phi_s)^2} + \\
& n_s \ln\phi_s \left(\frac{-3\phi_s+1}{(\phi_s-1)^3 \phi_s^2} \right) + n_s \frac{1}{\phi_s^3(1-\phi_s)^2} + n_s \left(\frac{-3\phi_s+2}{(\phi_s-1)^2 \phi_s^3} \right) + \frac{n_s}{\phi_s^3(1-\phi_s)^3} \ln\phi_s \frac{1-2\phi_s}{1-2\phi_s} + n_s \left(\frac{1}{\phi_s^3} \right) \frac{2}{2} \frac{2\phi_s-1}{(\phi_s-1)^2} + \\
& n_s \ln\phi_s (-2) \left(\frac{3\phi_s^2-3\phi_s+1}{(\phi_s-1)^3 \phi_s^3} \right) + n_s \frac{(-1)}{\phi_s^5(1-\phi_s)^2} + n_s \left(\frac{5\phi_s-4}{(\phi_s-1)^2 \phi_s^5} \right) + \frac{\delta}{\delta\phi_s} \left(\left(\frac{\delta^2 \chi_{sw}}{\delta\phi_s^2} \right) (n_w)(\varphi_s) + \right. \\
& \left(\frac{\delta\chi_{sw}}{\delta\varphi_s} \right) \left(-\frac{v_s v n_s}{\phi_s} \right) + \left(\frac{\delta\chi_{sw}}{\delta\varphi_s} \right) (n_w) - \frac{v_s}{v_w} v \left[\frac{\delta\chi_{sw}}{\delta\varphi_s} \left(\frac{n_s}{\phi_s} + n_w \right) + \chi_{sw} \left(n_s \frac{1}{\phi_s^2(1-\phi_s)} + n_s \phi_s^{-2} + n_w + \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. \left(-\frac{v_s v n_s}{\phi_s^2} \right) \right) \right]
\end{aligned}$$

3.2 Model 2

We assume that the molar gibbs energy of mixing contains an electrostatic contribution given by a Deybe Huckel-type function and a contribution from extended Flory-Huggins theory ,as follows:

$$\frac{\Delta G}{RT} = \frac{\Delta G^{DH}}{RT} + \frac{\Delta G^{FH}}{RT}$$

Where superscripts DH and FH denote Deybe Huckel and Flory Huggins Contribution, respectively

Pizer's form of the Deybe-Huckel type function as the electrostatic contribution to the molar Gibbs energy of mixing is given by

$$\frac{\Delta G^{DH}}{RT} = \phi_1 \left(\frac{W}{1000} \right) \left[-A_\phi \left(\frac{4I}{b} \right) \ln \left(1 + bI^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) \right]$$

Where $I = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{\phi_2 \left(\frac{1000}{W} \right)}{\phi_1} \right] |Z_m Z_x|$

The values for $A_\phi = 0.392$ and $b = 1.2$ at 25°C

The electrostatic contribution does not contain adjustable parameters.

The Flory-Huggins contribution to the molar Gibbs energy of mixing is given by the following

$$\frac{\Delta G^{FH}}{RT} = \phi_1 \ln \phi_1 + \phi_2 \ln \phi_2 + g_{12}(\phi_2) \phi_1 \phi_2$$

Where the first two terms and the last term on the right hand side of equation represent, respectively, the configurational entropy of mixing and the residual free-energy, mostly enthalpic ,interaction between water and salt ion .

g_{12} refers the interaction between water and ion. It is interaction parameter.

For a binary salt water system Deybe Huckel and Flory Huggins contribution are combined to give the molar Gibbs energy of mixing given by

$$\frac{F}{RT} = \phi_1 \left(\frac{W}{1000} \right) \left[-A_\phi \left(\frac{4I}{b} \right) \ln \left(1 + bI^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) \right] + \phi_1 \ln \phi_1 + \phi_2 \ln \phi_2 + g_{12}(\phi_2) \phi_1 \phi_2$$

$$g_{12}(\phi_2) = \sum c_k \phi_2^{k-1}$$

The condition for the phase equilibrium between two separate phases (Phase-1 and Phase-2) are given by

$$\ln a_w = \frac{\mu_w - \mu_w^0}{RT} = \left(\frac{\delta \frac{F}{RT}}{\delta n_w} \right)_{n_s} = \frac{2 A_\phi I^{\frac{3}{2}}}{1 + bI^{\frac{1}{2}}} + \ln \phi_1 + (\phi_1^2 g_{12} - \phi_1 \phi_2 g'_{12})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \ln \beta_w = \frac{\mu_s - \mu_s^0}{RT} &= \left(\frac{\delta \frac{F}{RT}}{\delta n_s} \right)_{n_s} = c \left[\left(\left(\frac{v}{n_w} (1 - \phi_2) \right) I \ln \left(1 + bI^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) \right) + (1 - \phi_2) \left(c_1 \frac{v}{n_w} \frac{1}{1 - \phi_2} \right) \ln \left(1 + bI^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) \right. \\ &+ \left. I^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{1 + bI^{\frac{1}{2}}} b \frac{1}{2} \left(c_1 \frac{v}{n_w} \right) \right] + \frac{v}{n_w} (1 - \phi_2) \left(\ln \left(\frac{\phi_2}{1 - \phi_2} \right) + 2 \right) + \frac{\delta g_{12}(\phi_2)}{\delta \phi_2} \frac{v}{n_w} (1 - \phi_2) \phi_2 \\ &+ g_{12}(\phi_2) \left(\frac{\delta}{\delta n_p} \phi_1 \right) \phi_2 + g_{12}(\phi_2) \phi_1 \left(\frac{\delta}{\delta n_p} \phi_2 \right) \\ c &= \left(\left(\frac{W}{1000} \right) - A_\phi \left(\frac{4}{b} \right) \right) ; c_1 = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1000}{W} \right) |z_m z_x| \end{aligned}$$

$$\mu_w^\alpha = \mu_w^\beta$$

$$\text{And } \mu_s^\alpha = \mu_s^\beta$$

By solving equation and simultaneously, phase diagram can be obtained.

Phase Diagram equations

$$\begin{aligned} (1 - \phi_2^\alpha) \left(\ln \left(\frac{\phi_2^\alpha}{1 - \phi_2^\alpha} \right) + 2 \right) &- (1 - \phi_2^\beta) \left(\ln \left(\frac{\phi_2^\beta}{1 - \phi_2^\beta} \right) + 2 \right) \\ &+ \left(\frac{\delta g_{12}(\phi_2^\alpha)}{\delta \phi_2^\alpha} (1 - \phi_2^\alpha)^2 \phi_2^\alpha + g_{12}(\phi_2^\alpha) \left((-3\phi_2^\alpha + 2\phi_2^{\alpha^2} + 1) \right) \right) \\ &- \left(\frac{\delta g_{12}(\phi_2^\beta)}{\delta \phi_2^\beta} (1 - \phi_2^\beta)^2 \phi_2^\beta + g_{12}(\phi_2^\beta) \left((-3\phi_2^\beta + 2\phi_2^{\beta^2} + 1) \right) \right) \\ &+ \left[\left(((1 - \phi_2^\alpha)) I^\alpha \ln \left(1 + bI^{\alpha \frac{1}{2}} \right) \right) + (c_1) \ln \left(1 + bI^{\alpha \frac{1}{2}} \right) + I^{\alpha \frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{1 + bI^{\alpha \frac{1}{2}}} b \frac{1}{2} (c_1) \right] \\ &- \left[\left(((1 - \phi_2^\beta)) I^\beta \ln \left(1 + bI^{\beta \frac{1}{2}} \right) \right) + (c_1) \ln \left(1 + bI^{\beta \frac{1}{2}} \right) \right. \\ &\left. + I^{\beta \frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{1 + bI^{\beta \frac{1}{2}}} b \frac{1}{2} (c_1) \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{1-\phi_2^\alpha}{1-\phi_2^\beta}\right) + \left[\left(\phi_2^\alpha g_{12}(\phi_2^\alpha) - (\phi_2^{\alpha^2} - \phi_2^{\alpha^3}) \frac{\delta g_{12}(\phi_2^\alpha)}{\delta \phi_2^\alpha} \right) - \left(\phi_2^\beta g_{12}(\phi_2^\beta) - (\phi_2^{\beta^2} - \phi_2^{\beta^3}) \frac{\delta g_{12}(\phi_2^\beta)}{\delta \phi_2^\beta} \right) \right] + \left[\frac{I\alpha^{\frac{3}{2}}}{1+bI\alpha^{\frac{1}{2}}} - \frac{I\beta^{\frac{3}{2}}}{1+bI\beta^{\frac{1}{2}}} \right]$$

Critical Point equations

$$\frac{\delta^2(\frac{F}{RT})}{\delta \phi_2^2} = \frac{\delta^3(\frac{F}{RT})}{\delta \phi_2^3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\delta^2(\frac{F}{RT})}{\delta \phi_2^2} = & -I \ln\left(1 + bI^{\frac{1}{2}}\right) + c_1 \ln\left(1 + bI^{\frac{1}{2}}\right) + I^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{1+bI^{\frac{1}{2}}} \frac{1}{2} \frac{c_1}{1-\phi_2} + \ln \frac{\phi_2}{1-\phi_2} + \frac{\delta g_{12}(\phi_2)}{\delta \phi_2} (\phi_2 - \phi_2^2) \\ & + g_{12}(\phi_2) (1 - 2\phi_2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\delta^3(\frac{F}{RT})}{\delta \phi_2^3} = & \frac{1}{1-\phi_2} + \frac{1}{\phi_2} + \frac{\delta^2 g_{12}(\phi_2)}{\delta \phi_2^2} (\phi_2 - \phi_2^2) + \frac{\delta g_{12}(\phi_2)}{\delta \phi_2} 2(1-2\phi_2) - 2g_{12}(\phi_2) \\ & + \frac{c_1}{(1-\phi_2^2)} \left(-\ln\left(1 + bI^{\frac{1}{2}}\right) - \frac{I}{1+bI^{\frac{1}{2}}} \right) + c_1 \frac{I}{1+bI^{\frac{1}{2}}} b \frac{1}{2} I^{-\frac{1}{2}} \frac{c_1}{(1-\phi_2)^2} \end{aligned}$$