

# IAPWS Equations for Transport Properties and Surface Tension of Water and Steam

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## Symbols

$I, J$	exponents
$n$	coefficient
$p$	pressure
$R$	specific gas constant, $R = 0.461\,526\text{ kJ}/(\text{kg K})$
$T$	temperature
$\Lambda$	reduced thermal conductivity
$\Psi$	reduced dynamic viscosity
$\delta$	reduced density
$\phi$	dimensionless Helmholtz free energy
$\gamma$	dimensionless Gibbs free energy
$\eta$	dynamic viscosity
$\lambda$	thermal conductivity
$\pi$	reduced pressure
$\theta$	reduced temperature
$\rho$	density
$\sigma$	surface tension
$\tau$	inverse reduced temperature

## 1. Dynamic Viscosity

**Range of validity:**  $273.15\text{ K} \leq T \leq 423.15\text{ K}$  and  $p \leq 500\text{ MPa}$   
 $423.15\text{ K} < T \leq 873.15\text{ K}$  and  $p \leq 350\text{ MPa}$   
 $873.15\text{ K} < T \leq 1173.15\text{ K}$  and  $p \leq 300\text{ MPa}$

**Reduced dynamic viscosity:**  $\Psi(\mathbf{d}, t) = \Psi_0(t)\Psi_1(\mathbf{d}, t)$

where  $\Psi = \mathbf{h}/\mathbf{h}^*$  with  $\mathbf{h}^* = 55.071\text{E-6 Pa s}$   
 $\mathbf{d} = \mathbf{r}/\mathbf{r}^*$  with  $\mathbf{r}^* = 317.763\text{ kg/m}^3$

$$\mathbf{t} = T^* / T \quad \text{with } T^* = 647.226 \text{ K}$$

**Ideal gas part:**

$$\Psi_0(\mathbf{t}) = \left[ \mathbf{t}^{0.5} \sum_{i=0}^3 n_i \mathbf{t}^i \right]^{-1}$$

**Real fluid part:**

$$\Psi_1(\mathbf{d}, \mathbf{t}) = \exp \left[ \mathbf{d} \sum_{i=1}^{19} n_i (\mathbf{d} - 1)^{I_i} (\mathbf{t} - 1)^{J_i} \right]$$

**Table 1: Coefficients of the ideal gas part**

$i$	$n_i$
0	0.100 000 E+01
1	0.978 197
2	0.579 829
3	-0.202 354

**Table 2: Coefficients and exponents of the real fluid part**

$i$	$I_i$	$J_i$	$n_i$
1	0	0	0.513 204 7
2	0	1	0.320 565 6
3	0	4	-0.778 256 7
4	0	5	0.188 544 7
5	1	0	0.215 177 8
6	1	1	0.731 788 3
7	1	2	0.124 104 4 E+01
8	1	3	0.147 678 3 E+01
9	2	0	-0.281 810 7
10	2	1	-0.107 078 6 E+01
11	2	2	-0.126 318 4 E+01
12	3	0	0.177 806 4
13	3	1	0.460 504 0
14	3	2	0.234 037 9
15	3	3	-0.492 417 9
16	4	0	-0.417 661 0 E-01
17	4	3	0.160 043 5
18	5	1	-0.157 838 6 E-01
19	6	3	-0.362 948 1 E-02

## 2. Thermal Conductivity

**Range of validity:**

$$\begin{aligned} &273.15 \text{ K} \leq T \leq 398.15 \text{ K and } p \leq 400 \text{ MPa} \\ &398.15 \text{ K} < T \leq 523.15 \text{ K and } p \leq 200 \text{ MPa} \\ &523.15 \text{ K} < T \leq 673.15 \text{ K and } p \leq 150 \text{ MPa} \\ &673.15 \text{ K} < T \leq 1073.15 \text{ K and } p \leq 100 \text{ MPa} \end{aligned}$$

**Reduced thermal conductivity:**  $\Lambda(\mathbf{d}, \mathbf{t}) = \Lambda_0(\mathbf{t})\Lambda_1(\mathbf{d}, \mathbf{t}) + \Lambda_2(\mathbf{d}, \mathbf{t})$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \Lambda &= \mathbf{l} / \mathbf{l}^* & \text{with } \mathbf{l}^* &= 0.4945 \text{ W/(m K)} \\ \mathbf{d} &= \mathbf{r} / \mathbf{r}^* & \text{with } \mathbf{r}^* &= 317.763 \text{ kg/m}^3 \\ \mathbf{t} &= T^* / T & \text{with } T^* &= 647.226 \text{ K} \end{aligned}$$

**Ideal gas part:**  $\Lambda_0(\mathbf{t}) = \left[ \mathbf{t}^{0.5} \sum_{i=0}^3 n_i \mathbf{t}^i \right]^{-1}$

**First real fluid part:**  $\Lambda_1(\mathbf{d}, \mathbf{t}) = \exp \left[ \mathbf{d} \sum_{i=0}^4 \sum_{j=0}^5 n_{ij} (\mathbf{t}-1)^i (\mathbf{d}-1)^j \right]$

**Second real fluid part:**

$$\Lambda_2(\mathbf{d}, \mathbf{t}) = \frac{0.0013848}{\Psi(\mathbf{d}, \mathbf{t})} (\mathbf{t}\mathbf{d})^{-2} \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}}{\partial (\mathbf{t}^{-1})} \right)_d^2 \left[ \mathbf{d} \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{d}}{\partial \mathbf{p}} \right)_t \right]^{0.4678} \mathbf{d}^{0.5} \exp \left[ -18.66 (\mathbf{t}^{-1} - 1)^2 - (\mathbf{d} - 1)^4 \right]$$

where  $\mathbf{p} = p / p^*$  with  $p^* = 22.115 \text{ MPa}$   
 $\Psi$  according to above equations for the dynamic viscosity  
 Partial derivatives  $\left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}}{\partial (\mathbf{t}^{-1})} \right)_d$  and  $\left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{d}}{\partial \mathbf{p}} \right)_t$  from the corresponding equations  
 of IAPWS-IF97 (see Appendix)

**Table 3: Coefficients of the ideal gas part**

$i$	$n_i$
0	0.100 000 0 E+01
1	0.697 826 7 E+01
2	0.259 909 6 E+01
3	-0.998 254 0

Table 4: Coefficients  $n_{ij}$  of the first real fluid part

$i \text{ ®}$ $j \text{ ¯}$	0	1	2	3	4
0	0.132 930 46 E+01	0.170 183 63 E+01	0.522 461 58 E+01	0.871 276 75 E+01	-0.185 259 99 E+01
1	-0.404 524 37	-0.221 568 45 E+01	-0.101 241 11 E+02	-0.950 006 11 E+01	0.934 046 90
2	0.244 094 90	0.165 110 57 E+01	0.498 746 87 E+01	0.437 866 06 E+01	0.
3	0.186 607 51 E-01	-0.767 360 02	-0.272 976 94	-0.917 837 82	0.
4	-0.129 610 68	0.372 833 44	-0.430 833 93	0.	0.
5	0.448 099 53 E-01	-0.112 031 60	0.133 338 49	0.	0.

### 3. Surface tension between liquid and vapor phase

**Range of validity:** from the triple point to the critical point

**Surface tension:** 
$$\frac{\mathbf{s}}{1 \text{ mN m}^{-1}} = 235.8(1 - \mathbf{q})^{1.256} [1 - 0.625(1 - \mathbf{q})]$$

where  $\mathbf{q} = T / T^*$  with  $T^* = T_c = 647.096 \text{ K}$

### References

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### Appendix: Partial derivatives $\left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}}{\partial (\mathbf{t}^{-1})} \right)_d$ and $\left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{d}}{\partial \mathbf{p}} \right)_t$

For region boundaries see <http://www.cheresources.com/iapwsif97.shtml>

**Region 1:**

$$\left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}}{\partial (\mathbf{t}^{-1})} \right)_d = \frac{\tilde{T}^* p^* (\mathbf{g}_{pt} T^* - \mathbf{g}_p T)}{\tilde{p}^* T^2 \mathbf{g}_{pp}}$$

$$\left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{d}}{\partial \mathbf{p}} \right)_t = - \frac{\tilde{p}^* \mathbf{g}_{pp}}{\tilde{\mathbf{r}}^* R T \mathbf{g}_p^2}$$

$$\tilde{T}^* = 647.226 \text{ K}, \quad \tilde{p}^* = 22.115 \text{ MPa}, \quad \tilde{\mathbf{r}}^* = 317.763 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

$$T^* = 1386 \text{ K}, \quad p^* = 16.53 \text{ MPa}$$

For the partial derivatives  $\mathbf{g}_t$  and  $\mathbf{g}_{t\pi}$  in region 1 see <http://www.cheresources.com/iapwsif97.shtml>

**Region 2:**

$$\left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}}{\partial (\mathbf{t}^{-1})} \right)_d = \frac{\tilde{T}^* p^* ((\mathbf{g}_{pt}^0 + \mathbf{g}_{pt}^r) T^* - (\mathbf{g}_p^0 + \mathbf{g}_p^r) T)}{\tilde{p}^* T^2 (\mathbf{g}_{pp}^0 + \mathbf{g}_{pp}^r)}$$

$$\left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{d}}{\partial \mathbf{p}} \right)_t = - \frac{\tilde{p}^* (\mathbf{g}_{pp}^0 + \mathbf{g}_{pp}^r)}{\tilde{\mathbf{r}}^* R T (\mathbf{g}_p^0 + \mathbf{g}_p^r)^2}$$

$$\tilde{T}^* = 647.226 \text{ K}, \quad \tilde{p}^* = 22.115 \text{ MPa}, \quad \tilde{\mathbf{r}}^* = 317.763 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

$$T^* = 540 \text{ K}, \quad p^* = 1 \text{ MPa}$$

For the partial derivatives  $\mathbf{g}_p^0$ ,  $\mathbf{g}_p^r$ ,  $\mathbf{g}_{pp}^0$  and  $\mathbf{g}_{pp}^r$  in region 2 see <http://www.cheresources.com/iapwsif97.shtml>

**Region 3:**

$$\left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}}{\partial (\mathbf{t}^{-1})} \right)_d = \frac{\tilde{T}^*}{\tilde{p}^*} \frac{R \mathbf{r}^2}{\mathbf{r}^*} \left( \mathbf{f}_d - \frac{T^*}{T} \mathbf{f}_{dt} \right)$$

$$\left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{d}}{\partial \mathbf{p}} \right)_t = \frac{\tilde{p}^*}{\tilde{\mathbf{r}}^*} \frac{\mathbf{r}^*}{\mathbf{r}^* R T \left( 2 \mathbf{f}_d + \frac{\mathbf{r}}{\mathbf{r}^*} \mathbf{f}_{dd} \right)}$$

$$\tilde{T}^* = 647.226 \text{ K}, \quad \tilde{p}^* = 22.115 \text{ MPa}, \quad \tilde{\mathbf{r}}^* = 317.763 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

$$T^* = 647.096 \text{ K}, \quad \mathbf{r}^* = 322 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

For the partial derivatives  $\mathbf{f}_\delta$ ,  $\mathbf{f}_{\delta\delta}$ , and  $\mathbf{f}_{\delta\tau}$  in region 3 see <http://www.cheresources.com/iapwsif97.shtml>