

# Computational Assignment Report

CHE221

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**System:** 2-Butanol & 1,3,5-TrimethylBenzene

**Activity Coefficient Model** – Wilson

**Pressure-** 760mm Hg

**Formulas Used:**

1) For getting activity coefficient

Wilson [8]	$\lambda_{12} - \lambda_{11}$	$-\ln(x_1 + \Lambda_{12}x_2) + x_2 \left( \frac{\Lambda_{12}}{x_1 + \Lambda_{12}x_2} - \frac{\Lambda_{21}}{\Lambda_{21}x_1 + x_2} \right)$ (30a)
	$\lambda_{21} - \lambda_{22}$	$-\ln(x_2 + \Lambda_{21}x_1) - x_1 \left( \frac{\Lambda_{12}}{x_1 + \Lambda_{12}x_2} - \frac{\Lambda_{21}}{\Lambda_{21}x_1 + x_2} \right)$ (30b)

1)  $\Lambda_{12} = \frac{V_2^L}{V_1^L} \exp - \frac{\lambda_{12} - \lambda_{11}}{RT}$        $\Lambda_{21} = \frac{V_1^L}{V_2^L} \exp - \frac{\lambda_{21} - \lambda_{22}}{RT}$

$V_i^L$  molar volume of pure liquid component i. For values of  $V_i^L$  see Appendix A.

$\lambda_{ij}$  interaction energy between components i and j  $\lambda_{ij} = \lambda_{ji}$

2) For getting  $P_{\text{sat}}(T)$ .

## 2. Antoine Vapor Pressure Equation

The Antoine vapor pressure equation is used in the following form:

$$\log[p_i^0] = A - \frac{B}{t + C}$$

with  $[p_i^0]$  vapor pressure of pure component i in mm Hg  
t temperature in degrees Celsius ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ )

## Code Logic

- Find  $T_1^{\text{sat}}$  and  $T_2^{\text{sat}}$  at  $P=760\text{mm}$ .
- Enter loop, vary  $x$  from 0 to 1 with increment of 0.01
- Loop starts
- Assume  $T'$  as the equilibrium temperature of the mixture
- $T' = x * T_1^{\text{sat}} + (1-x) * T_2^{\text{sat}}$
- Use the equation:

At equilibrium:

$$P = P_1^{\text{sat}}(T) * x * \gamma_1(x, T) + P_2^{\text{sat}}(T) * (1-x) * \gamma_2(x, T)$$

$$P_2^{\text{sat}}(T) = P / ((1-x) * \gamma_2(x, T) + (P_1^{\text{sat}}(T) / P_2^{\text{sat}}(T)) * x * \gamma_1(x, T))$$

We use fixed point iteration method to find the Equilibrium Temperature, starting with initial  $T_0 = T'$ .

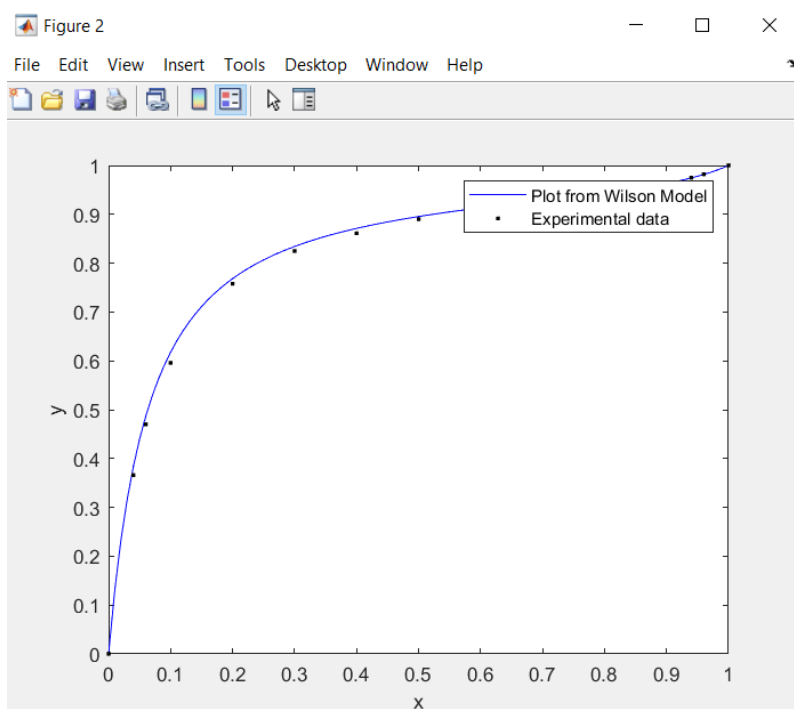
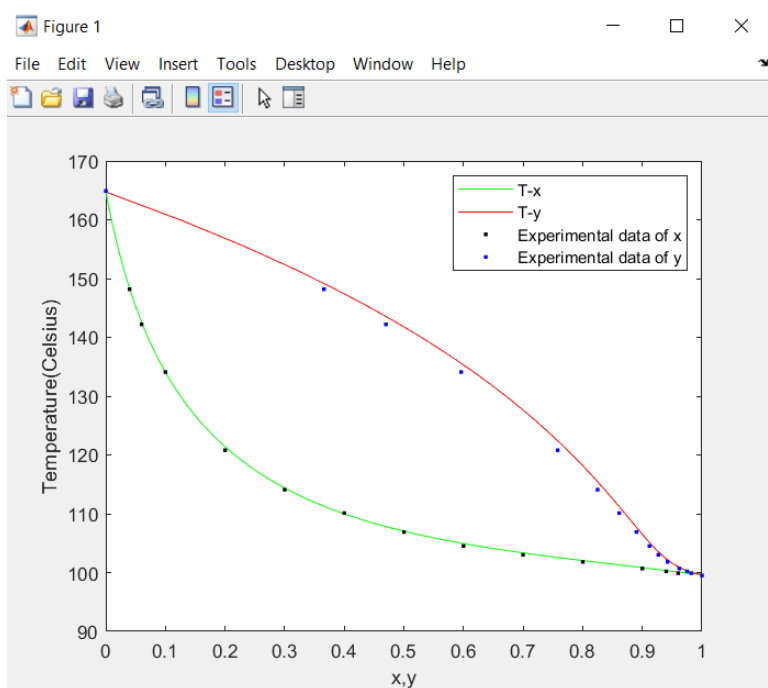
$$P_2^{\text{sat}}(T_n) = P / ((1-x) * \gamma_2(x, T_{n-1}) + (P_1^{\text{sat}}(T_{n-1}) / P_2^{\text{sat}}(T_{n-1})) * x * \gamma_1(x, T_{n-1}))$$

Get  $T_1$  from  $P_2^{\text{sat}}(T_1)$  using Antoine's equation.

Iterate till you get a Temperature such that there is negligible difference in value for the next iteration.

- Calculate  $y$  from equation:  
 $P(1-y) = (1-x) * \gamma_2 * P_2^{\text{sat}}(T);$
- Loop ends
- Output the plots,

# PLOTS



## Output

- $T_2^{\text{sat}} = 164.7161^\circ \text{Celsius}$  at  $P=760\text{mm}$ , Pure 1,3,5-TrimethylBenzene
- $T_1^{\text{sat}} = 99.5955^\circ \text{Celsius}$  at  $P=760\text{mm}$ , Pure 2-Butanol

At P=760mm Hg, Pure component T2sat= 164.716100 Celsius , ✓  
T1sat= 99.595500 Celsius

The relative error(in %) from experimental data for y

NaN

4.877647

3.584777

3.631280

1.373884

1.123431

1.191737

0.616620

0.156843

0.169359

0.185455

0.145834

0.037839

0.039290

0.000000

The relative error(in %) from experimental data for ✓

Equilibrium Temperature

0.111535

0.035574

0.261024

0.035132

0.484000

0.242874

0.103589

0.122054

0.410634

0.331683

0.239394

0.126077

0.136006

0.188989

0.095946