

Psat_Antoine_databank.m

```
function Psat = Psat_Antoine_databank( i, T )
%saturated vapor pressures from Antoine's equation for pure substances

%data from Towler and Sinnott (2013), Appendix C
%T entered in degC, Psat given in mm Hg

%components
%i = 1: water
%i = 2: n-butane
%i = 3: n-pentane
%i = 4: n-hexane
%i = 5: n-heptane
%i = 6: n-octane
%i = 7: n-nonane
%i = 8: n-decane
%i = 9: n-hexadecane
%i = 10: benzene
%i = 11: toluene
%i = 12: ethylbenzene
%i = 13: 1-propylbenzene (n-propylbenzene)
%i = 14: 1-butylbenzene (n-butylbenzene)
%i = 15: methanol
%i = 16: ethanol
%i = 17: 1-propanol      (n-propanol)
%i = 18: 1-butanol       (n-butanol)
%i = 19: 1-pentanol      (n-pentanol)
%i = 20: 1-octanol       (n-octanol)
%i = 21: L-lactic acid
%i = 22: L-lactide

a( 1) = 18.3036; b( 1) = 3816.44; c( 1) = -46.13;
a( 2) = 15.6782; b( 2) = 2154.90; c( 2) = -34.42;
a( 3) = 15.8333; b( 3) = 2477.07; c( 3) = -39.94;
a( 4) = 15.8366; b( 4) = 2697.55; c( 4) = -48.78;
a( 5) = 15.8737; b( 5) = 2911.32; c( 5) = -56.51;
a( 6) = 15.9426; b( 6) = 3120.29; c( 6) = -63.63;
a( 7) = 15.9671; b( 7) = 3291.45; c( 7) = -71.33;
a( 8) = 16.0114; b( 8) = 3456.80; c( 8) = -78.67;
a( 9) = 16.1841; b( 9) = 4214.91; c( 9) = -118.70;
a(10) = 15.9008; b(10) = 2788.51; c(10) = -52.36;
a(11) = 16.0137; b(11) = 3096.52; c(11) = -53.67;
a(12) = 16.0195; b(12) = 3279.47; c(12) = -59.95;
a(13) = 16.0062; b(13) = 3433.84; c(13) = -66.01;
a(14) = 16.0793; b(14) = 3633.40; c(14) = -71.77;
a(15) = 18.5875; b(15) = 3626.55; c(15) = -34.29;
a(16) = 18.9119; b(16) = 3803.98; c(16) = -41.68;
a(17) = 17.5439; b(17) = 3166.38; c(17) = -80.15;
a(18) = 17.2160; b(18) = 3137.02; c(18) = -94.43;
a(19) = 16.5270; b(19) = 3026.89; c(19) = -105.00;
a(20) = 15.7428; b(20) = 3017.81; c(20) = -137.10;
a(21) = 16.0785; b(21) = 4276.57; c(21) = -91.00;
a(22) = 19.6150; b(22) = 7279.91; c(22) = 0.00;

Psat = exp(a(i) - b(i) / (T + 273.15 + c(i)));

end
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Psat_Antoine.m

```
function Psat = Psat_Antoine( i, T )
%saturated vapor pressures from Antoine's equation for pure substances

%components
%i = 1: benzene
%i = 2: toluene

if i == 1
    ii = 10;
else
    ii = 11;
end

Psat = Psat_Antoine_databank( ii , T );

end
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Session

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>> Psat_Antoine(1,80.1)
ans =
759.9559

>> Psat_Antoine(2,110.6)
ans =
759.4392

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Comments

The function `Psat_Antoine_databank` acts as repository of Antoine's equation constants for many pure substances. It only needs to be written once.

The function `Psat_Antoine` draws from `Psat_Antoine_databank` to define Antoine's equations for only benzene ($i = 1$) and toluene ($i = 2$). This function would be written for calculations involving binary mixtures of benzene and toluene, and makes it possible to speak of components 1 and 2 instead of 10 and 11. (Who would want to number the components of a binary mixture as 10 and 11?)

P_{sat} for benzene comes out very close to 760 mm Hg at 80.1 degC, which is the normal boiling point of benzene. P_{sat} for toluene comes out very close to 760 mm Hg at 110.6 degC, which is the normal boiling point of toluene. Thus, the Matlab session carries out a check on the Antoine's equations for benzene and toluene.

How very nice!

