

# A comparative study of some scaling and traditional models describing the densities of the liquid and the gas on the SF<sub>6</sub> saturation line

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In this report we consider a number of objects; among them there are: (a) the liquid ( $\rho_l$ ) and the gas ( $\rho_g$ ) densities on the saturation line of SF<sub>6</sub>, (b) the average diameter ( $f_d$ ), the order parameter ( $f_s$ ), (c)  $\Delta\rho_l = (\rho_l - \rho_c)/\rho_c$ ,  $\Delta\rho_g = (\rho_g - \rho_c)/\rho_c$ , (d) thermodynamic complexes  $Z_l = \Delta\rho_l/f_s$ ,  $Z_g = |\Delta\rho_g|/f_s$ . One of the purposes of our study is to get numerical data on complexes ( $Z_l$ ,  $Z_g$ ,  $ur = f_d/f_s$ , etc.) in the range ( $2 \times 10^{-8} < \tau < 0.3$ ). In accordance with the goals, the authors consider tasks I..III. Due to tasks I, we are generating the initial array (SA) on the bases of experimental ( $\rho_l$ ,  $\rho_g$ ,  $T$ ) data in the range ( $2 \times 10^{-8} < \tau < 0.3$ ) (step 1). In the second step, we are building model A ( $f_s = B_{s0}\tau^\beta + B_{s1}\tau^{\beta+\Delta} + \dots$ ) and model B ( $f_d = B_{d0}\tau^{2\beta} + B_{d1}\tau^{1-\alpha} + \dots$ ), which work in the range ( $2 \times 10^{-8} < \tau < 0.3$ ) satisfactorily and follow to the scaling theory of critical phenomena (ST). In the frame of tasks II, we are investigating the equations C ( $Z_l = 1 + ur = 1 + ur_{bas} + (B_{d1}/B_{s0})\tau^{1-\alpha-\beta} + \dots$ ,  $Z_g = 1 - ur = 1 - ur_{bas} - (B_{d1}/B_{s0})\tau^{1-\alpha-\beta} + \dots$ ), here  $ur_{bas} = (B_{d0}/B_{s0})\tau^\beta$ . Using the SA array and C models, we calculate ( $Z_l$ ,  $Z_g$ ,  $ur_{bas}$ ) data, experimental ( $Z_l_{exp}$ ,  $Z_g_{exp}$ ,  $ur_{bas}$ ) data and construct a liquid as well as gasose branches of the binodal in these coordinates. In accordance with tasks III empirical equations ( $Z_l_{eff}(x_1, x_2, \tau)$ ,  $Z_g_{eff}(x_1, x_2, \tau)$ ) is being developed (step 1). In the second step, we determine ( $Z_l$ ,  $Z_g$ ,  $ur_{bas}$ ) data, which are connected with some literature ( $\rho_l$ ,  $\rho_g$ ,  $T$ ) values.