

# 2-Phase Property Table Development Methods

NPSS consortium thermal working meeting

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# Task

- Update NPSS - FPT tables for 2-phase properties

## Plan

- Utilize methods developed by NASA Marshal to develop system for two phase property lookup near the dome.

Nguyen, Martin, "AN INTERPOLATION METHOD FOR OBTAINING THERMODYNAMIC PROPERTIES NEAR SATURATED LIQUID AND SATURATED VAPOR LINES", 52<sup>nd</sup> JANNAF Propulsion Meeting, NASA ID-20040075672, Feb. 2004.

- Make use of CoolProp for thermophysical properties
  - Does not handle mixtures
- Create a suite of variables needed for 2-phase heat transfer.

# Grid development

- 2 table system : pressure (P) to enthalpy (H)
  - Table 1 : Saturation lines
  - Table 2 : all other data
- Create grid minimizing number of points, Set minimum error tolerance, reduce points until this error tolerance is hit.

# Grid development

Table 1

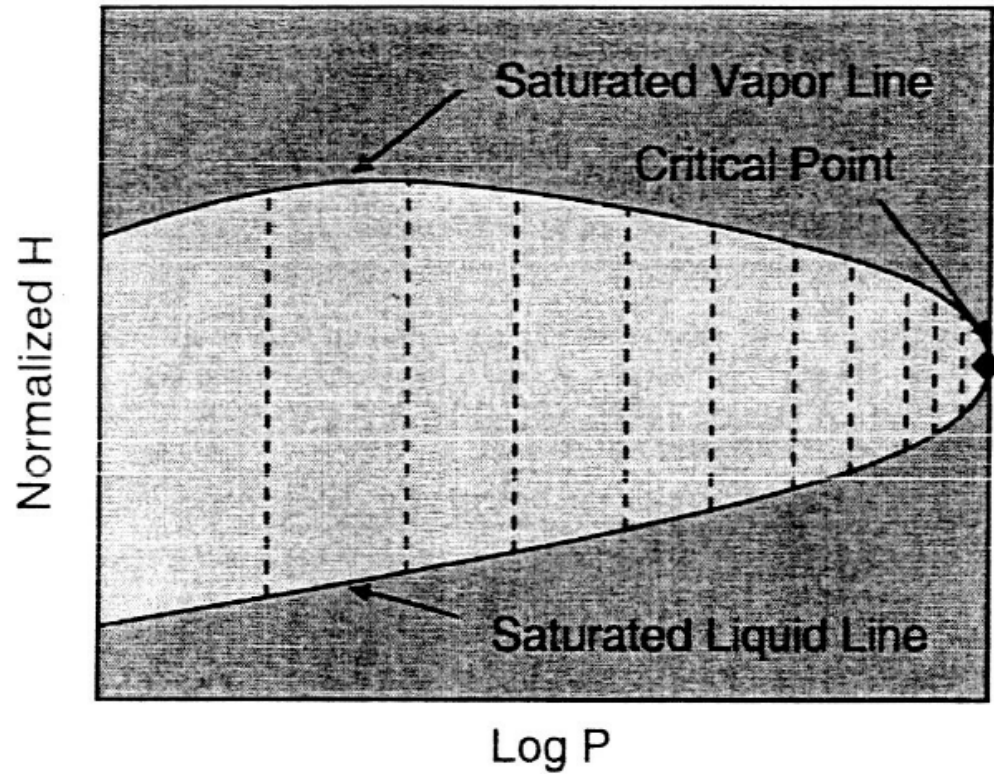


Figure 4. Pressure Grid for Saturation Lines

Table 2

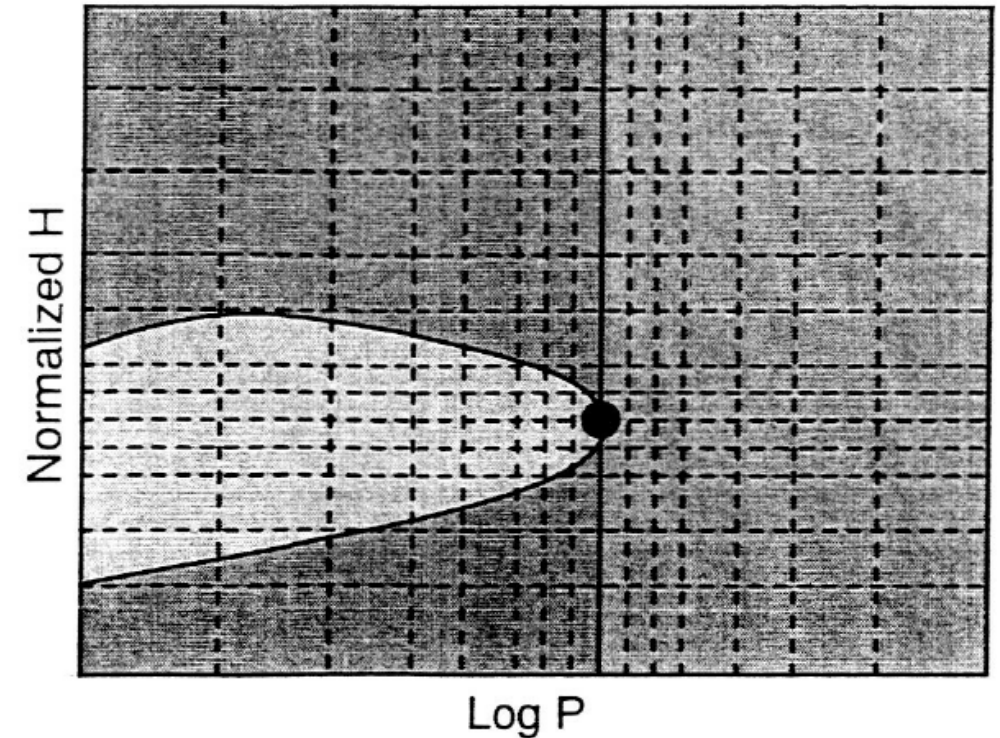


Figure 8. Pressure-Enthalpy Grid for the Entire Region  
Finer grid in both P and H near critical point.

# Interpolation method

Inside Dome :

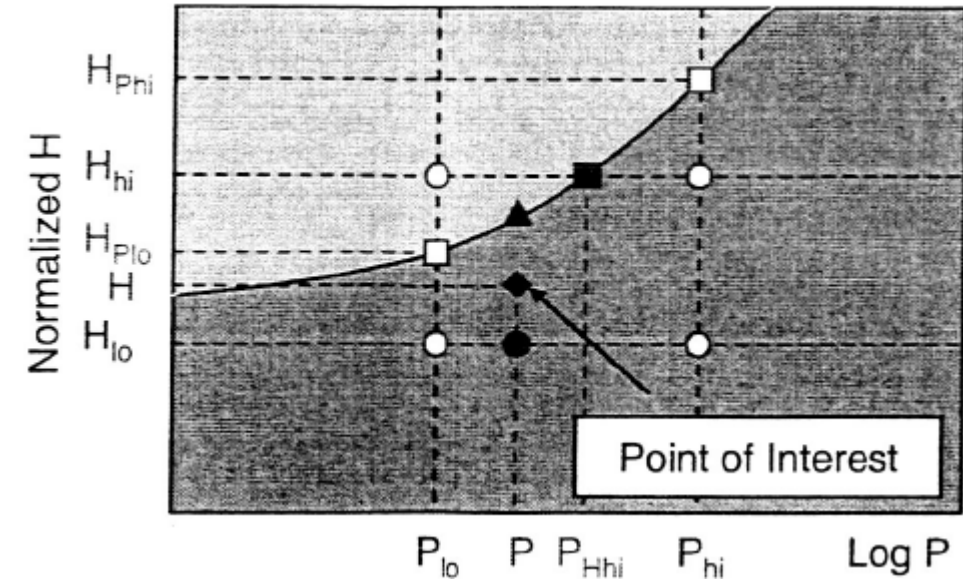
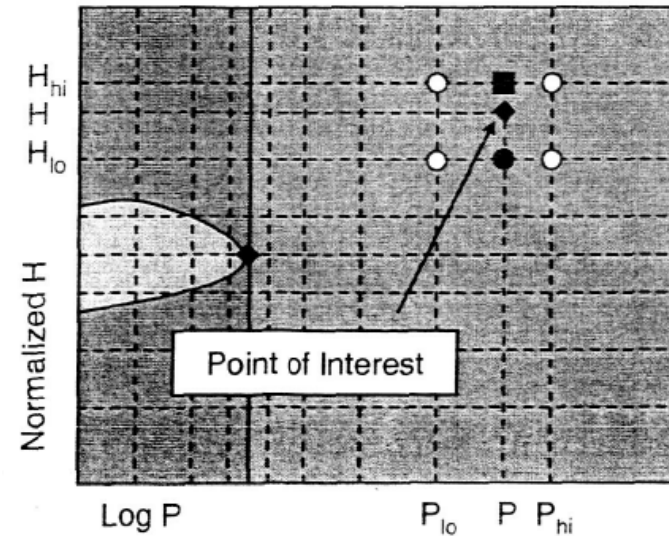
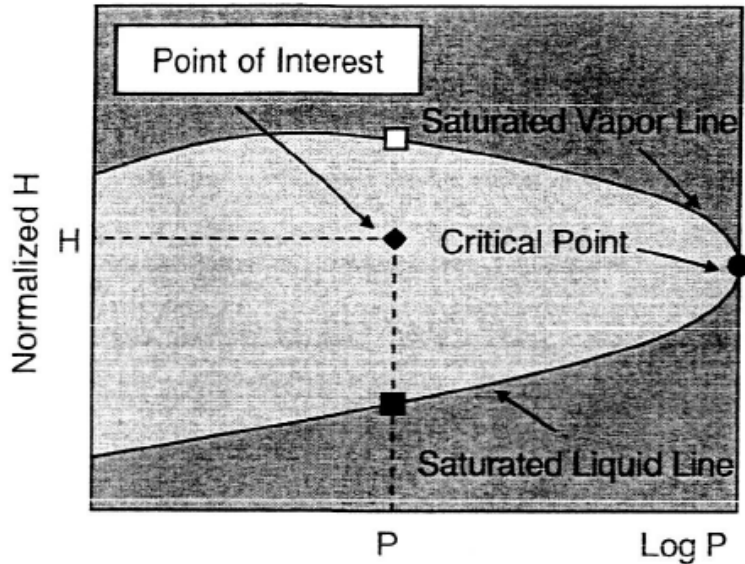
Calculate Quality then use linear interpolation between the saturation lines.

Outside Dome :

linear interpolation between the 4 surrounding points

Outside Dome, near saturation line :

linear interpolation replacing points within the dome with saturation line numbers



# Parameter List : [High-Level Interface — CoolProp 6.6.0 documentation](#)

| Parameter                                                                  | Units   | Input/Output | Trivial | Description                                              |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|--------------|---------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| <code>DELTA</code> , <code>Delta</code>                                    |         | IO           | False   | Reduced density ( $\rho/\rho_c$ )                        |
| <code>DMOLAR</code> , <code>Dmolar</code>                                  | mol/m^3 | IO           | False   | Molar density                                            |
| <code>D</code> , <code>DMASS</code> , <code>Dmass</code>                   | kg/m^3  | IO           | False   | Mass density                                             |
| <code>HMOLAR</code> , <code>Hmolar</code>                                  | J/mol   | IO           | False   | Molar specific enthalpy                                  |
| <code>H</code> , <code>HMASS</code> , <code>Hmass</code>                   | J/kg    | IO           | False   | Mass specific enthalpy                                   |
| <code>P</code>                                                             | Pa      | IO           | False   | Pressure                                                 |
| <code>Q</code>                                                             | mol/mol | IO           | False   | Molar vapor quality                                      |
| <code>SMOLAR</code> , <code>Smolar</code>                                  | J/mol/K | IO           | False   | Molar specific entropy                                   |
| <code>S</code> , <code>SMASS</code> , <code>Smass</code>                   | J/kg/K  | IO           | False   | Mass specific entropy                                    |
| <code>TAU</code> , <code>Tau</code>                                        |         | IO           | False   | Reciprocal reduced temperature ( $T_c/T$ )               |
| <code>T</code>                                                             | K       | IO           | False   | Temperature                                              |
| <code>UMOLAR</code> , <code>Uolar</code>                                   | J/mol   | IO           | False   | Molar specific internal energy                           |
| <code>U</code> , <code>UMASS</code> , <code>Umass</code>                   | J/kg    | IO           | False   | Mass specific internal energy                            |
| <code>ACENTRIC</code> , <code>acentric</code>                              |         | O            | True    | Acentric factor                                          |
| <code>ALPHA0</code> , <code>alpha0</code>                                  |         | O            | False   | Ideal Helmholtz energy                                   |
| <code>ALPHAR</code> , <code>alphar</code>                                  |         | O            | False   | Residual Helmholtz energy                                |
| <code>A</code> , <code>SPEED_OF_SOUND</code> , <code>speed_of_sound</code> | m/s     | O            | False   | Speed of sound                                           |
| <code>BVIRIAL</code> , <code>Bvirial</code>                                |         | O            | False   | Second virial coefficient                                |
| <code>CONDUCTIVITY</code> , <code>L</code> , <code>conductivity</code>     | W/m/K   | O            | False   | Thermal conductivity                                     |
| <code>CP0MASS</code> , <code>Cp0mass</code>                                | J/kg/K  | O            | False   | Ideal gas mass specific constant pressure specific heat  |
| <code>CP0MOLAR</code> , <code>Cp0molar</code>                              | J/mol/K | O            | False   | Ideal gas molar specific constant pressure specific heat |
| <code>CPMOLAR</code> , <code>Cpmolar</code>                                | J/mol/K | O            | False   | Molar specific constant pressure specific heat           |
| <code>CVIRIAL</code> , <code>Cvirial</code>                                |         | O            | False   | Third virial coefficient                                 |
| <code>CVMASS</code> , <code>Cvmass</code> , <code>0</code>                 | J/kg/K  | O            | False   | Mass specific constant volume specific heat              |
| <code>CVMOLAR</code> , <code>Cvmolar</code>                                | J/mol/K | O            | False   | Molar specific constant volume specific heat             |
| <code>C</code> , <code>CPMASS</code> , <code>Cpmass</code>                 | J/kg/K  | O            | False   | Mass specific constant pressure specific heat            |

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|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|---|-------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <code>D2ALPHA0_DDELTA2_CONSTTAU</code> , <code>d2alpha0_ddelta2_consttau</code>                           |         | O | False | Second derivative of ideal Helmholtz energy with delta                   |
| <code>D3ALPHA0_DDELTA3_CONSTTAU</code> , <code>d3alpha0_ddelta3_consttau</code>                           |         | O | False | Third derivative of ideal Helmholtz energy with delta                    |
| <code>DALPHA0_DDELTA_CONSTTAU</code> , <code>dalpha0_ddelta_consttau</code>                               |         | O | False | Derivative of ideal Helmholtz energy with delta                          |
| <code>DALPHA0_DTAU_CONSTDELTA</code> , <code>dalpha0_dtau_constdelta</code>                               |         | O | False | Derivative of ideal Helmholtz energy with tau                            |
| <code>DALPHAR_DDELTA_CONSTTAU</code> , <code>dalphar_ddelta_consttau</code>                               |         | O | False | Derivative of residual Helmholtz energy with delta                       |
| <code>DALPHAR_DTAU_CONSTDELTA</code> , <code>dalphar_dtau_constdelta</code>                               |         | O | False | Derivative of residual Helmholtz energy with tau                         |
| <code>DBVIRIAL_DT</code> , <code>dBvirial_dT</code>                                                       |         | O | False | Derivative of second virial coefficient with respect to T                |
| <code>DCVIRIAL_DT</code> , <code>dCvirial_dT</code>                                                       |         | O | False | Derivative of third virial coefficient with respect to T                 |
| <code>DIPOLE_MOMENT</code> , <code>dipole_moment</code>                                                   | C m     | O | True  | Dipole moment                                                            |
| <code>FH</code>                                                                                           |         | O | True  | Flammability hazard                                                      |
| <code>FRACTION_MAX</code> , <code>fraction_max</code>                                                     |         | O | True  | Fraction (mole, mass, volume) maximum value for incompressible solutions |
| <code>FRACTION_MIN</code> , <code>fraction_min</code>                                                     |         | O | True  | Fraction (mole, mass, volume) minimum value for incompressible solutions |
| <code>FUNDAMENTAL_DERIVATIVE_OF_GAS_DYNAMICS</code> , <code>fundamental_derivative_of_gas_dynamics</code> |         | O | False | Fundamental derivative of gas dynamics                                   |
| <code>GAS_CONSTANT</code> , <code>gas_constant</code>                                                     | J/mol/K | O | True  | Molar gas constant                                                       |
| <code>GMOLAR_RESIDUAL</code> , <code>Gmolar_residual</code>                                               | J/mol/K | O | False | Residual molar Gibbs energy                                              |
| <code>GMOLAR</code> , <code>Gmolar</code>                                                                 | J/mol   | O | False | Molar specific Gibbs energy                                              |
| <code>GWP100</code>                                                                                       |         | O | True  | 100-year global warming potential                                        |
| <code>GWP20</code>                                                                                        |         | O | True  | 20-year global warming potential                                         |
| <code>GWP500</code>                                                                                       |         | O | True  | 500-year global warming potential                                        |
| <code>G</code> , <code>GMASS</code> , <code>Gmass</code>                                                  | J/kg    | O | False | Mass specific Gibbs energy                                               |
| <code>HELMHOLTZMASS</code> , <code>Helmholtzmass</code>                                                   | J/kg    | O | False | Mass specific Helmholtz energy                                           |
| <code>HELMHOLTZMOLAR</code> , <code>Helmholtzmolar</code>                                                 | J/mol   | O | False | Molar specific Helmholtz energy                                          |
| <code>HH</code>                                                                                           |         | O | True  | Health hazard                                                            |
| <code>HMOLAR_RESIDUAL</code> , <code>Hmolar_residual</code>                                               | J/mol/K | O | False | Residual molar enthalpy                                                  |
| <code>ISENTROPIC_EXPANSION_COEFFICIENT</code> , <code>isentropic_expansion_coefficient</code>             |         | O | False | Isentropic expansion coefficient                                         |
| <code>ISOBARIC_EXPANSION_COEFFICIENT</code> , <code>isobaric_expansion_coefficient</code>                 | 1/K     | O | False | Isobaric expansion coefficient                                           |

# Parameter List : [High-Level Interface — CoolProp 6.6.0 documentation](https://coolprop.org/fluid_properties/HighLevelInterface.html)

|                                                                                |         |   |       |                                                       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|---|-------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| ISOTHERMAL_COMPRESSIBILITY, isothermal_compressibility                         | 1/Pa    | O | False | Isothermal compressibility                            |
| I, SURFACE_TENSION, surface_tension                                            | N/m     | O | False | Surface tension                                       |
| M, MOLARMASS, MOLAR_MASS, MOLEMASS, molar_mass, molar_mass, molemass, molemass | kg/mol  | O | True  | Molar mass                                            |
| ODP                                                                            |         | O | True  | Ozone depletion potential                             |
| PCRIT, P_CRITICAL, Perit, p_critical, perit                                    | Pa      | O | True  | Pressure at the critical point                        |
| PHASE, Phase                                                                   |         | O | False | Phase index as a float                                |
| PH                                                                             |         | O | True  | Physical hazard                                       |
| PIP                                                                            |         | O | False | Phase identification parameter                        |
| PMAX, P_MAX, P_max, pmax                                                       | Pa      | O | True  | Maximum pressure limit                                |
| PMIN, P_MIN, P_min, pmin                                                       | Pa      | O | True  | Minimum pressure limit                                |
| PRANDTL, Prandtl                                                               |         | O | False | Prandtl number                                        |
| PTRIPLE, P_TRIPLE, p_triple, ptriple                                           | Pa      | O | True  | Pressure at the triple point (pure only)              |
| P_REDUCING, p_reducing                                                         | Pa      | O | True  | Pressure at the reducing point                        |
| RHOCRIT, RHOMASS_CRITICAL, rhocrit, rhomass_critical                           | kg/m^3  | O | True  | Mass density at critical point                        |
| RHOMASS_REDUCING, rhomass_reducing                                             | kg/m^3  | O | True  | Mass density at reducing point                        |
| RHOMOLAR_CRITICAL, rhomolar_critical                                           | mol/m^3 | O | True  | Molar density at critical point                       |
| RHOMOLAR_REDUCING, rhomolar_reducing                                           | mol/m^3 | O | True  | Molar density at reducing point                       |
| SMOLAR_RESIDUAL, Smolar_residual                                               | J/mol/K | O | False | Residual molar entropy (sr/R = s(T,rho) - s^0(T,rho)) |
| TCRIT, T_CRITICAL, T_critical, Tcrit                                           | K       | O | True  | Temperature at the critical point                     |
| TMAX, T_MAX, T_max, Tmax                                                       | K       | O | True  | Maximum temperature limit                             |
| TMIN, T_MIN, T_min, Tmin                                                       | K       | O | True  | Minimum temperature limit                             |
| TTRIPLE, T_TRIPLE, T_triple, Ttriple                                           | K       | O | True  | Temperature at the triple point                       |
| T_FREEZE, T_freeze                                                             | K       | O | True  | Freezing temperature for incompressible solutions     |
| T_REDUCING, T_reducing                                                         | K       | O | True  | Temperature at the reducing point                     |
| V, VISCOSITY, viscosity                                                        | Pa s    | O | False | Viscosity                                             |
| Z                                                                              |         | O | False | Compressibility factor                                |

Coolprop can also obtain derivatives using its syntax : what derivatives are needed?

$$c_p = \left. \frac{\partial h}{\partial T} \right|_p$$

and called through python

```
In [23]: import CoolProp.CoolProp as CP

# c_p using c_p
In [24]: CP.PropsSI('C','P',101325,'T',300,'Water')
Out[24]: 4180.6357765560715

# c_p using derivative
In [25]: CP.PropsSI('d(Hmass)/d(T)|P','P',101325,'T',300,'Water')
Out[25]: 4180.6357765560715
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$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial P}$  and  $\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial h}$  Needed in energy balance equations for finite-volume methods