



Article Solubility of Anthraquinone Derivatives in Supercritical Carbon Dioxide: New Correlations

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Abstract: Solubility of several anthraquinone derivatives in supercritical carbon dioxide was readily available in the literature, but correcting ability of the existing models was poor. Therefore, in this work, two new models have been developed for better correlation based on solid–liquid phase equilibria. The new model has five adjustable parameters correlating the solubility isotherms as a function of temperature. The accuracy of the proposed models was evaluated by correlating 25 binary systems. The proposed models observed provide the best overall correlations. The overall deviation between the experimental and the correlated results was less than 11.46% in averaged absolute relative deviation (AARD). Moreover, exiting solubility models were also evaluated for all the compounds for the comparison purpose.

Keywords: solubility; supercritical carbon dioxide; anthraquinone; AIC; new correlations

1. Introduction

Supercritical fluid (SCF) applications in process industry have gained a lot of momentum. The proper application solely depends on exact information on solubility, therefore, the estimation of solubility of a variety of substances in supercritical fluids has taking place in recent literature [1]. Among various supercritical fluids, carbon dioxide is one that has more attention due to its interesting and easily attainable critical properties [1]. Dyeing industry and pharmaceutical industry require solubility data, but the data are limited and available at particular specified temperatures and pressures [1]. Measuring solubility at each and every point would be a tedious task, therefore modeling is a must [2]. The present study is concerned about the modeling of anthraquinone derivatives in supercritical carbon dioxide. Anthraquinone derivatives are majorly used in dyeing industries—the exact prediction of solubility data are very much essential for the development of supercritical dyeing process. There are five frameworks through which solubility data are analyzed [3]. Out of five approaches, thermodynamic frameworks based on solid-gas equilibrium criteria and solid–liquid equilibrium criteria are very successful [4]. Solid–gas equilibrium approach requires critical, chemical, and physical information for the modeling. The availability of such information is very rare; therefore, solid-gas equilibrium approach entirely depends on group contribution methods for those necessary properties. Therefore, the solid-gas equilibrium approach would be purely lies on the accuracy of the predicted properties. Sometimes these properties may not be real and the corresponding correlation may not be appropriate. Therefore, we need to look for an alternative correlating approach under thermodynamic framework for better correlation purpose; under such circumstance, the solid–liquid equilibrium criteria approach may be useful in correlating the solubility [5–7]. In the present work we aimed at the development of new solubility models for the anthraquinone derivative which will be useful for supercritical dyeing process.



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Copyright: © 2021 by the authors. Licensee MDPI, Basel, Switzerland. This article is an open access article distributed under the terms and conditions of the Creative Commons Attribution (CC BY) license (https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0/). In this work, we proposed two new models based on solid–liquid equilibrium criteria. Further, important exiting solubility models are also evaluated for all the compounds for the comparison purpose. The following section deals with existing solubility models considered in this study.

2. Existing Solubility Models

2.1. Empirical Models

2.1.1. Chrastil Model

Chrastil et al. [8] proposed a semi empirical model based on solvate complex theory and have related the solubility of solute to density of supercritical fluid as follows:

$$S_2 = \rho_{\text{ScCO}_2}^k \exp\left(\frac{A_1}{T} + A_2\right) \tag{1}$$

where S_2 is the solute solubility in kg·m⁻³, k is the association number, d_1 is constant, and d_2 presents the function of enthalpy of solvation and vaporization. Equation (1) can be rewritten [9] to be mole fraction terms as follows:

$$y_{2} = \frac{\left(\rho_{\text{ScCO}_{2}}\right)^{k-1} \exp\left(\frac{A_{1}}{T} + d_{2}\right)}{\left[1 + \left(\rho_{\text{ScCO}_{2}}\right)^{k-1} \exp\left(\frac{A_{1}}{T} + A_{2}\right)\right]}$$
(2)

2.1.2. Adachi and Lu Model

Adachi and Lu (1983) [10] modified Chrastil's equation by considering the quantity *k* to be density-dependent and the model can be written as:

$$y_2 = \rho_{S_cCO_2}^{B_1 + B_2 \rho_{S_cCO_2} + B_3 \rho_{S_cCO_2}^2} \exp\left(\frac{B_4}{T} + B_5\right)$$
(3)

where y_2 is the solute solubility in the mole fraction, the B_1 to B_5 are parameters constant.

2.1.3. Mitra-Wilson Model

Mitra and Wilson (1991) [11] developed an empirical model for solubility of solute as a function of temperature and pressure:

$$\ln S_2 = C_1 \ln P + C_2 T + C_3 P T + C_4 \frac{P}{T} + C_5$$
(4)

Here, *P* is the pressure system used in atm, and C_1 to C_5 are the constant parameters.

2.1.4. Keshmiri Model

Keshmiri et al. (2014) [12] proposed the possible linear relationship between $\ln y_2$ and $\ln \rho_{ScCO_2}$ as the following expression:

$$\ln y_2 = D_1 + \frac{D_2}{T} + D_3 P^2 + (D_4 + \frac{D_5}{T}) \ln \rho_{\text{ScCO}_2}$$
(5)

where *T* and *P* are the temperature and pressure system used, respectively. The D_1 to D_5 are constant parameters.

2.1.5. Khansary Model

Subsequently, Khansary et al. (2015) [13] also developed a model relationship between $\ln y_2$ and $\ln \rho_{ScCO_2}$ as:

$$\ln y_2 = \frac{E_1}{T} + E_2 P + E_3 \frac{P^2}{T} + (E_4 + E_5 P) \ln \rho_{ScCO_2}$$
(6)

The E_1 to E_5 are constant parameters.

2.1.6. Bian Model

Bian et al. (2016) [14] found a model with five constant parameters with relationship between solubility of solute (y_2) in mole fraction and density, ρ_{ScCO_2} , and obtained the following model:

$$\ln y_2 = F_1 + \frac{F_2}{T} + \frac{F_3 \rho_{\text{ScCO}_2}}{T} + (F_4 + F_5 \rho_{\text{ScCO}_2}) \ln \rho_{\text{ScCO}_2}$$
(7)

where F_1 to F_5 are the model parameters.

2.1.7. Garlapati and Madras Model

Garlapati and Madras [2] proposed an empirical model and related solute solubility to density of supercritical fluid as:

$$\ln y_2 = G_1 + (G_2 + G_3 \rho_{\text{ScCO}_2}) \ln \rho_{\text{ScCO}_2} + \frac{G_4}{T} + G_5 \ln \rho_{\text{ScCO}_2} T$$
(8)

where G_1 to G_5 are constant parameters.

2.1.8. Reddy Model

Reddy et al. (2018) [15] proposed an empirical model based on degrees of freedom analysis as:

$$y_2 = (H_1 + H_2 P_r)T_r^2 + (H_3 + H_4 P_r)T_r + H_5$$
(9)

where P_r and T_r are reduced pressure of carbon dioxide ($P_r = \frac{P}{P_c}$) and reduced temperature of carbon dioxide ($T_r = \frac{T}{T_c}$), respectively. The H_1 - H_5 are model constants. The P_c and T_c are critical pressure ($P_c = 7.387$ MPa) and critical temperature ($T_c = 304.12$ K), respectively.

2.2. Solid-Liquid Equilibrium Criteria Model

The behavior of solid solute in the liquid phase is determined by a ratio of the fugacity between pure liquid solute and the solid state at pressure (P) and temperature (T), which have reported elsewhere [4,16–18]. Moreover, the activity of substance obtained from the melting temperature and the melting enthalpy of compound. The activity coefficient of the substance can be represented by the regular solution model together with theory of Flory Huggins [6,17,19]. The solubility representation of the solute in ScCO₂ is expressed by

$$\ln y_2 = \frac{\Delta H_2^m}{RT} \left(\frac{T}{T_m} - 1 \right) - \frac{v_2}{RT} (\delta_1 - \delta_2)^2 - \ln\left(\frac{v_2}{v_1}\right) - 1 + \frac{v_2}{v_1} \tag{10}$$

where ΔH_2^m , T_m , and v_2 are the enthalpy of melting, melting temperature, and molar volume of the solute, respectively. These data are presented in Table 1. v_1 is the molar volume of ScCO₂. ΔH_2^m and v_2 are estimated by Jain et al. method [20] and by Fedors method [21], respectively. The solubility parameter of ScCO₂ (δ_1) is calculated by Giddings method [22],

$$\delta_1 = 8.032 (P_c/MPa)^{0.5} \left(\frac{\rho_r}{2.66}\right)$$
(11)

where P_c is critical pressure ($P_c = 7.387$ MPa), ρ_r is the reduced density of CO₂, it can be calculated by $\rho_r = \frac{\rho}{\rho_c}$; the density of ScCO₂, ρ , is obtained from website of NIST Web Book [23]. By assumption that the ScCO₂ density depends on the solubility parameter of the solid solute (δ_2), the correlation can be expressed as:

$$\delta_2 = a + b\rho_{ScCO_2}^c \tag{12}$$

where ρ_{ScCO_2} is the density of ScCO₂ in (mol/m³) obtained from website of NIST Web Book [23], *a*, *b*, and *c* are adjustable parameters.

	Serial Number & Name	$T_{\mathbf{m}}$	$\Delta H_2^{m b}$ (KJ/mol)	$v_2 \cdot 10^4 { m c} ({ m m}^3/{ m mol})$
1.	C.I. disperse blue 3	453.6 ^a	35.48	2.172
2.	Blue 1	599.74 ^b	34.42	1.894
3.	1,4-dihydroxy-9,10-anthraquinone	469.15 ^a	27.81	1.665
4.	1-Hydroxy-4-(prop-2-enyloxy)-9,10- anthraquinone	463.38 ^b	31.74	2.030
5.	1,4-bis(prop-2'-enyloxy)-9,10- anthraquinone	448.17 ^b	35.67	2.280
6.	1-amino-2-methylanthraquinone	478.15 ^a	24.12	1.789
7.	1- amino-2-ethyl-9,10-anthraquinone	427.15 ^a	26.95	1.732
8.	1-amino-2,3- dimethylanthraquinone	486.15 ^a	24.60	1.790
9.	1-hydroxy-9,10-anthraquinone	599.28 ^a	23.92	1.610
10.	1-hydroxy-2-methylanthraquinone	458.15 ^a	24.40	1.759
11.	1-hydroxy-2-(methoxy methyl)anthraquinone	433.94 ^b	29.72	1.964
12.	1-hydroxyl-2-(ethoxy methyl)anthraquinone	401.15 ^a	32.55	2.113
13.	1-hydroxy-2-(1-propoxy methyl)anthraquinone	424.0 ^b	35.39	2.263
14.	1-hydroxy-2-(1-butoxymethyl) anthraquinone	389.74 ^b	38.22	2.412
15.	1-hydroxy-2-(n-amyloxy methyl) anthraquinone	418.64 ^b	41.06	2.561
16.	Quinizarin	469.15 ^a	27.81	1.665
17.	Violet 1(1,4-diaminoanthraquinone)	539.15 ^a	27.23	1.178
18.	Blue 59 (1,4-bis (ethyl amino)anthraquinone)	471.15 ^a	33.04	1.880
19.	Red 15 (1-amino-4-hydroxyanthraquinone)	489.15 ^a	27.51	1.116
20.	1 hydroxy-4-nitroanthraquinone	540 ^a	26.61	1.214
21	1,8-dihidroxy-4,5- dinitroanthraquinone	573.1 ^a	33.19	1.254
22.	1,4 diamino-2,3-dichloroanthraquinone	576 ^a	29.38	1.758
23.	1-aminoanthraquinone	526 ^a	23.63	1.176
24.	1-nitroanthraquinone	505.5 ^a	22.73	1.554
25.	C.I. Disperse orange 11	478.15 ^a	24.12	1.789

Table 1. Physical properties of the compounds.

^a From CAS databased. (https://scifinder.cas.org/scifinder/view/scifinder/scifinderExplore.jsf). ^b Estimated by Jain et al. method [20]. ^c Estimated by Fedors method [21].

3. New Models

3.1. Model 1

In solid–liquid equilibrium criteria, the supercritical phase is generally assumed as an expanded liquid consisting of infinite dissolved solute. At equilibrium, the solubility is expressed as [2,13,14]

$$y_2 = \frac{1}{\gamma_2^{\infty}} \frac{f_2^S}{f_2^L}$$
(13)

In Equation (13), γ_2^{∞} is solute activity coefficient at infinite dilution in supercritical fluid and f_2^S , f_2^L are fugacity of solute in solid phase and supercritical fluid phase, respectively. From thermodynamics, pure solid to pure liquid fugacity ratio is expressed [24] as

$$\frac{f_2^S}{f_2^L} = \exp\left[\frac{\Delta H_2^m}{RT} \left(\frac{T}{T_m} - 1\right) - \int_{T_m}^T \frac{1}{RT^2} \left[\int_{T_m}^T \left[\Delta C_p\right] dT\right] dT\right]$$
(14)

In Equation (14), ΔC_p is known as difference in heat capacity between that of solid state minus liquid state, *R* is well known as universal gas constant. Combining Equations (13) and (14) gives Equation (15) for solubility for a special case where ΔC_p is constant.

$$y_2 = \frac{1}{\gamma_2^{\infty}} \exp\left[\frac{\Delta H_2^m}{RT} \left(\frac{T}{T_m} - 1\right) - \frac{\Delta C_p}{R} \left[\ln\left(\frac{T}{T_m}\right) - T_m\left(\frac{1}{T_m} - \frac{1}{T}\right)\right]\right]$$
(15)

In Equation (15), the quantities ΔH_2^m and T_m are constants for a given substance, therefore the exponential term in Equation (15) is written only in terms of temperature as

$$y_2 = \frac{1}{\gamma_2^{\infty}} \exp\left[a + \frac{b}{T} + c\ln(T)\right]$$
(16)

In Equation (16), $N_1 = \frac{\Delta H_2^m}{RT_m} + \frac{\Delta C_p}{R} [\ln(T_m) + 1], N_2 = \frac{-\Delta H_2^m}{R} - \frac{\Delta C_p T_m}{R}$ and $N_3 = \frac{-\Delta C_p}{R}$. The required activity coefficients in Equation (16) can be obtained from van Laar equation [24] as

$$\ln(\gamma_2^{\infty}) = A_{21} \left[\frac{A_{12} y_1}{A_{12} y_1 + A_{21} y_2} \right]^2 \tag{17}$$

Equation (17) combined with Equation (16) would give the new model as

$$y_2 = \exp\left[N_1 + \frac{N_2}{T} + N_3 \ln(T)\right] / \exp\left(A_{21} \left[\frac{A_{12}y_1}{A_{12}y_1 + A_{21}y_2}\right]^2\right)$$
(18)

Equation (18) represents the five parameter model derived based on solid and liquid phase equilibrium criterion and van Laar model for activity coefficient. In Equation (18), N_1 , N_2 , N_3 , A_{12} and A_{21} are constants.

3.2. *Model* 2

In this model, the solid–liquid equilibrium criteria are the same as that of model 1. In place of pure solid to pure liquid fugacity ratio, a second order polynomial in temperature is considered [25]. The consideration may be justified from the actual expression for the fugacity ratio [26,27], which is

$$\ln\left(\frac{f_s}{f_L}\right) = \frac{\Delta H_2^m}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_m}\right) - \frac{1}{RT} \int_{T_m}^T \Delta C_p dT + \frac{1}{R} \int_{T_m}^T \frac{\Delta C_p}{T} dT + \int_{P_2^{sat}}^P \frac{v_2}{RT} dP$$
(19)

Equation (19) gross form is a polynomial in temperature. The polynomial term (for temperature dependence) in literature is also observed with the work presented by Nordström and Rasmuson [25], who fitted the solubility of salicylamide in various solvents at normal pressures. Therefore, fugacity ratio in this work is expressed as a second order polynomial in terms of temperature as $\exp(A + B/T + C/T^2)$. Therefore, the final expression for solubility is

$$y_2 = \frac{1}{\gamma_2^{\infty}} \exp\left[A + \frac{B}{T} + \frac{C}{T^2}\right]$$
(20)

The required activity coefficients in Equation (20) can be obtained from van Laar equation as in Equation (17). Equation (17) combined with Equation (20) would give the new model as

$$y_{2} = \exp\left[A + \frac{B}{T} + \frac{C}{T^{2}}\right] / \exp\left(A_{21}\left[\frac{A_{12}y_{1}}{A_{12}y_{1} + A_{21}y_{2}}\right]^{2}\right)$$
(21)

Equation (21) represents the five parameter model derived based on solid and liquid phase equilibrium criterion and van Laar model for activity coefficient. In Equation (21) A, B, C, A_{12} , and A_{21} are constants.

4. Methodology

We used fminsearch algorithm which uses the Nelder–Mead simplex as described by Lagarias et al. [28] built in MATLAB software (R2019b) student version to fit models and experimental data collected from literature. Furthermore, we also inspected the quality of modeling through various entities such as correlation coefficient (R^2), adjusted R^2 (Adj. R^2), root mean square deviation (*RMSE*), sum of squares due to error (*SSE*), and the overall average absolute relative deviation (*AARD*) between experimental data and calculated results. The R^2 , Adj. R^2 , SSE, and RMSE are evaluated using the following formulas [29]

$$AARD/(\%) = \frac{100}{N_{i}} \sum_{i=1}^{N_{i}} \frac{\left| y_{2}^{cal} - y_{2}^{exp} \right|}{y_{2}^{exp}}$$
(22)

$$R^{2} = 1 - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{N_{i}} \left(y_{2}^{\exp} - y_{2}^{cal}\right)^{2}}{\sum_{i=1}^{N_{i}} \left(y_{2}^{\exp} - y_{2}^{cal}\right)^{2}}$$
(23)

Adj.
$$R^2 = R^2 - \frac{Q(1-R^2)}{N_i - Q - 1}$$
 (24)

$$SSE = \left[\sum_{i=1}^{N_{i}} \left(y_{2}^{\exp} - y_{2}^{cal}\right)^{2}\right]$$
 (25)

$$RMSE = \left[\frac{1}{N_i} \sum_{i=1}^{N_i} \left(y_2^{\exp} - y_2^{cal}\right)^2\right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
(26)

In Equation (22), y_2^{cal} and y_2^{exp} represent the mole fraction of calculated and experimental solubility's values, respectively. $y_2^{\overline{\text{exp}}}$ is the global mean value of experimental data in mole fraction.

Statistical comparison of models is essential to ensure the success of the new model. In order to this achieve this, the well-known Akaike's Information Criterion (AIC) proposed by Akaike [30,31] has been used. AIC is expressed as

$$AIC = N \ln\left(\frac{SSE}{N}\right) + 2K \tag{27}$$

In Equation (27), *K* is number of parameter constants, *N* is number of data points, *SSE* is the sum of squares due to error. Importantly, AIC is number of adjustable parameters of the individual model.

5. Results and Discussion

In this study, we propose two new solid–liquid equilibrium criteria models to correlate solubility of solid in supercritical carbon dioxide. The accuracy of the proposed models is evaluated by correlating 25 anthraquinone derivative compounds available in the literature. The correlating ability of the new models are evaluated in terms of: *AARD*, *R*², Adj. *R*², *SSE*, and *RMSE*. There are more than 25 models available in literature [29] for correlating solubility of solids in supercritical fluids. However, for comparison purposes, we have considered Chrastil model, Adachi and Lu model, Mitra—Wilson model, Keshmiri et al. model, Khansary et al. model, Garlapati and Madras model, Reddy et al., model, and one existing three parameters solid–liquid equilibrium model. These are grouped as three parameter models and five parameter models. Table 2 shows the information of the 25

anthraquinone derivatives considered in this study. Table 2 shows the solubility range and references [4,16-18,32-38] from which the data are obtained. Table 1 shows the physical properties such as melting point, melting enthalpy, and molar volume of the solutes. For some compounds, these properties are not available and for such compounds we have used the Jain et al. method [20] and Fedors method [21] for evaluating the melting enthalpy and solute molar volumes, respectively. The constant parameters of literature models considered, Chrastil, Adachi-Lu, Mitra—Wilson, Keshmiri et al., Khansary et al., Bian et al., Garlapati— Madras, and Reddy et al., are listed in the Supplementary Materials (Tables S1–S8). Table 3 shows the correlation results of the three parameter solid-liquid equilibrium model. Table 4 shows the correlation constants of the new model 1. Table 5 shows the correlation constants of the new model 2. Table 6 shows the overall mean statistical parameters of various solubility models. From Table 6, it is clear that the proposed models show the lowest AARD. The new model 1 shows an overall AARD% of 6.538 and the second model (new model 2) shows an overall AARD% of 6.377. The two models proposed in this work are observed to perform the correlation on a par. Although they look different in functional form, their correlation ability is matching well. This correlating matching ability may be attributed to its oneness in their functional form.

Table 2. Solubility information of the compounds.

Serial	Number and Name	Chemical Structure	Solubility Range $y_2 \times 10^6$	T(K) and P(MPa) Range	Ν	Reference
1.	C.I. disperse blue 3	O NHCH3 O NHC2H4OH	0.68–63.575	(323.7–413.7); (10.51–32.98)	23	[33]
2.	Blue 1	NH ₂ O NH ₂ NH ₂ O NH ₂	6.63-44.5	(333.3–373.2); (20–40)	18	[34]
3.	1,4-dihydroxy-9,10- anthraquinone	OH OH	13–314	(308–348); (12.16–40.53)	40	[35,36]
4.	1-Hydroxy-4-(prop- 2'-enyloxy)-9,10- anthraquinone		9–498	(308–348); (12.16–40.53)	38	[36]
5.	1,4-bis(prop-2'- enyloxy)-9,10- anthraquinone		2–200	(308–348); (12.16–40.53)	34	[36]
6.	1-amino-2- methylanthraquinone	CH ₃	4.6–109.6	(308–348); (12.2–35.5)	43	[37]

Table 2. Cont.									
7.	1- amino-2-ethyl-9,10- anthraquinone		2.6–77.8	(308–348); (12.2–35.5)	43	[37]			
8.	1-amino-2,3- dimethylanthraquinone	CH ₃	4.6–37.9	(308–348); (12.2–35.5)	41	[37]			
9.	1-hydroxy-9,10- anthraquinone	OH OH	30-445	(308–348); (12.2–35.5)	45	[38]			
10.	1-hydroxy-2- methylanthraquinone	O OH CH ₃	9–737	(308–348); (12.2–35.5)	45	[38]			
11.	1-hydroxy-2- (methoxy methyl)anthraquinone	CH2OCH3	1–537	(308–348); (12.2–35.5)	45	[38]			
12.	1-hydroxyl-2-(ethoxy methyl)anthraquinone	CH,OCH,CH3	23–1100	(308–348); (12.2–35.5)	45	[38]			
13.	1-hydroxy-2-(1- propoxy methyl)anthraquinone		103–1676	(308–348); (12.2–35.5)	45	[38]			
14.	1-hydroxy-2-(1- butoxymethyl) anthraquinone		82–2699	(308–348); (12.2–35.5)	45	[38]			
15.	1-hydroxy-2-(n- amyloxy methyl) anthraquinone	CH ₂ OI-Bu	38–2640	(308–348); (12.2–35.5)	45	[38]			
16.	Quinizarin	OH OH OH	69–6940	(353.2–393.2); (12–30)	15	[35,36]			
17.	Violet 1(1,4- diaminoanthraquinone)		0.13–2.61	(323.15–383.15); (15–25)	15	[16]			

18.	Blue 59 (1,4-bis (ethyl amino)anthraquinone)		0.218–14.9	(323.15–383.15); (12.5–25)	26	[16]
19.	Red 15 (1-amino-4- hydroxyanthraquinone)	NH ₂	1.84–24.5	(323.15–383.15); (12.5–25)	20	[18]
20.	1 hydroxy-4- nitroanthraquinone	OH O NO ₂	1.22-8.64	(323.15–383.15); (15–25)	15	[18]
21	1,8-dihidroxy-4,5- dinitroanthraquinone		0.168–1.12	(323.15–383.15); (15–25)	15	[4]
22.	1,4 diamino-2,3- dichloroanthraquinone		0.053–5.24	(323.15–383.15); (12.5–25)	18	[4]
23.	1- aminoanthraquinone	NH ₂	0.55–35.1	(323.15–383.15); (12.5–25)	18	[17]
24.	1- nitroanthraquinone		0.984–25.2	(323.15–383.15); (12.5–25)	18	[17]
25.	C.I. Disperse orange 11	O NH ₂ CH ₃ O	0.58–30.3	(323.15–383.15); (12–25)	12	[32]

Table 2. Cont.

Sl.No*	а	b	с	AARD%
1	16,983	0.111170	1.15140	55.328
2	14,423	8.083700	0.76039	34.399
3	14,867	0.524320	1.01780	12.935
4	13,786	0.390040	1.04700	14.982
5	15,545	0.025248	1.30360	36.224
6	14,282	1.375900	0.92731	16.165
7	17,441	0.022117	1.31830	25.785
8	19,195	0.002538	1.52380	23.006
9	13,508	0.477910	1.03180	12.740
10	16,683	0.021064	1.32190	8.198
11	15,754	0.000044	1.97910	82.871
12	13,395	0.693360	0.99182	18.228
13	13,574	0.153700	1.13460	16.541
14	10,512	2.867000	0.86305	17.309
15	13,936	0.081591	1.18840	36.363
16	16,800	0.000017	2.01370	32.140
17	22,206	0.000122	1.59150	39.940
18	18,628	0.010357	1.38690	8.268
19	22,846	0.009591	1.38010	6.304
20	22,936	0.001514	1.56360	11.761
21	23,417	0.001591	1.55150	28.828
22	19,181	0.005504	1.45030	14.566
23	22,218	0.002795	1.50580	5.625
24	18,613	0.096199	1.17250	10.777
25	18,221	0.010624	1.39170	20.698

Table 3. Correlation results of the three parameter solid–liquid equilibrium model (Equations (10)–(12)).

Sl.No*: Serial number and name same as Table 2.

Sl.No*	A ₁₂	$A_{21} \cdot 10^5$	N_1	N_2	N_3	AARD%	<i>R</i> ²	Adj.R ²	RMSE·10 ⁷	$SSE \cdot 10^{16}$
1	4.6317	7.4408	-123.220	5849.4	16.501	10.3260	0.925	0.904	30.93	2,295,600
2	3.6237	0.1369	-22.280	491.4	1.197	1.2124	0.998	0.997	0.04	2.85400
3	3.8856	56.018	-119.110	5355.7	16.390	4.3482	0.980	0.977	76.09	23,159,000
4	4.1249	66.839	-255.500	11861.0	36.544	7.8210	0.802	0.773	185.89	138,230,000
5	4.4232	34.492	352.360	-17338.0	-53.119	7.8357	0.905	0.891	96.46	37,222,000
6	3.9076	20.069	-35.941	1222.0	4.032	4.6621	0.949	0.943	28.25	3,592,400
7	4.3202	11.976	-44.086	1418.5	5.251	5.8040	0.941	9.340	29.90	4,023,100
8	3.7536	10.665	-133.510	5959.7	18.268	2.3299	0.981	0.979	6.39	183,520
9	3.7520	100.30	-65.421	2831.4	8.549	2.5184	0.960	0.954	66.34	19,807,000
10	4.1139	100.84	-118.880	5233.1	16.522	8.1326	0.945	0.938	308.08	427,110,000
11	3.6917	132.15	-81.270	3572.1	10.940	8.1276	0.843	0.823	309.64	431,440,000
12	3.8667	183.28	-54.582	2282.9	7.074	4.9246	0.960	0.955	300.20	405,550,000
13	3.8025	327.28	-73.225	3236.9	9.889	3.6837	0.963	0.958	333.17	499,500,000
14	4.0108	399.95	-203.750	9484.9	29.170	6.1019	0.964	0.960	825.19	3,064,200,000
15	4.2943	294.42	-80.585	3362.6	11.087	9.7765	0.919	0.909	1267.30	7,226,900,000
16	4.8875	1186.7	967.570	-52133.0	-140.540	11.4640	0.906	0.867	8137.90	119,200,000,000
17	3.8754	0.4939	-95.533	4234.2	12.097	4.6045	0.946	0.924	0.66	657.72
18	4.2476	2.0376	-114.860	5180.0	15.189	10.5440	0.967	0.960	6.82	139,560
19	4.1111	3.8448	-141.350	6609.0	19.113	8.9540	0.922	0.879	9.75	199,440
20	3.7799	1.8628	-78.114	3418.2	9.746	3.1992	0.993	0.989	1.63	3990.60
21	3.5828	0.3210	-31.261	922.3	2.662	1.1563	0.973	0.958	0.10	13.78
22	4.3364	0.5898	-148.990	6728.0	20.046	10.9930	0.891	0.831	2.82	14339
23	4.1502	4.8759	-128.930	5935.5	17.365	9.4322	0.903	0.848	14.82	395,570
24	3.9199	4.3919	-67.609	2866.9	8.373	5.3605	0.977	0.965	7.33	96,592
25	4.3723	3.6415	28.875	-2317.9	-5.576	10.1480	0.970	0.953	16.25	316,930

Sl.No*: Serial number and name same as Table 2.

Sl.No*	A ₁₂	$A_{21} \cdot 10^5$	A	В	$C \cdot 10^{-5}$	AARD/%	R^2	Adj.R ²	$RMSE \cdot 10^{12}$	$SSE \cdot 10^{6}$
1	4.6319	7.461	-1.0778	-6194.3	10.941	10.347	0.925	0.904	229.99000	3.0956
2	3.6237	0.137	-13.461	-353.46	0.744	1.2124	1.000	1.000	0.00029	0.0040
3	3.8855	56.020	0.35304	-5347.8	8.728	4.3504	0.980	0.977	2319.70	7.6153
4	4.1251	66.837	10.906	-12028	19.499	7.8214	0.947	0.940	13855.00	18.6110
5	4.4208	34.554	-34.627	17225	-28.081	7.8227	0.905	0.891	3719.90	9.6436
6	3.9077	20.070	-6.642	-1350.7	2.048	4.6627	0.949	0.943	360.00	2.8284
7	4.3203	11.977	-5.9057	-1950	2.697	5.8043	0.941	0.934	403.16	2.9932
8	3.7542	10.660	-0.2361	-6047.9	9.856	2.3265	0.981	0.979	18.39	0.6393
9	3.752	100.310	-3.0674	-2776.4	4.593	2.5168	0.961	0.956	1983.30	6.6387
10	4.114	100.850	1.5165	-5534	8.762	8.1321	0.945	0.938	42,770.00	30.8290
11	3.7153	120.250	0.29924	-4765.9	7.677	4.0867	0.984	0.982	2753.40	7.8222
12	3.8668	183.240	-2.9085	-2409.6	3.886	4.9225	0.960	0.954	40,519	30.0070
13	3.8026	327.230	-1.0388	-3291.2	5.381	3.6796	0.963	0.958	49,885	33.2950
14	4.0108	400.240	8.7869	-9511.2	15.448	6.1073	0.965	0.960	307,640	82.6830
15	4.2944	294.450	-0.13121	-3641.3	5.518	9.7817	0.919	0.909	725,400	126.960
16	4.8875	1186.800	-75.478	52,674	-97.606	11.464	0.906	0.867	11,919,000	813.740
17	3.8754	0.494	-6.4227	-4295.6	7.500	4.6045	0.946	0.916	0.06577	0.0662
18	4.2476	2.038	-2.9703	-5529.4	9.416	10.544	0.967	0.960	13.9560	0.6820
19	4.1111	3.845	-0.55598	-6866.1	11.846	8.954	0.922	0.896	19.9440	0.9745
20	3.7799	1.863	-6.3245	-3452.8	6.041	3.1992	0.993	0.989	0.39906	0.1631
21	3.5828	0.321	-11.654	-954.12	1.649	1.1563	0.973	0.958	0.00138	0.0096
22	4.3364	0.590	-1.3261	-7404.6	12.425	10.993	0.891	0.846	1.43390	0.2823
23	4.1502	4.876	-1.0106	-6311.3	10.770	9.4324	0.903	0.862	39.5560	1.4824
24	3.9199	4.392	-5.9336	-3036	5.190	5.3605	0.977	0.968	9.65920	0.7326
25	4.3723	3.642	-12.201	1613.4	-3.456	10.148	0.970	0.945	31.6930	1.6251

Table 5. Correlation constants of the new model 2 (Equation (21)).

Sl.No*: Serial number and name same as Table 2.

Table 6. Overall mean statistical parameters of solubility models.

Model	No. of Constants	<i>R</i> ²	Adj. R ²	SSE	RMSE	AARD %
Chrastil	3	0.89690	0.89295	1.30×10^{-6}	$1.01 imes 10^{-4}$	17.485
Adachi-Lu	5	0.89850	0.89780	1.27	7.69×10^{-2}	15.130
Mitra- Wilson	5	0.87990	0.87560	3.539	1.70×10^{-1}	21.240
Keshmiri et al.	5	0.89100	0.35800	2.75×10^{-7}	1.00×10^{-4}	17.298
Khansary et al.	5	0.89100	0.88700	6.67×10^{-7}	6.24×10^{-5}	17.530
Bian et al.	5	0.89644	0.89278	2.69×10^{-7}	4.97×10^{-5}	18.251
Garlapati- Madras	5	0.87800	0.87300	2.01×10^{-7}	4.53×10^{-5}	16.599
Reddy et al.	5	0.75600	0.74400	3.92×10^{-6}	1.50×10^{-4}	29.711
SLE model	3	0.88985	0.86064	4.44×10^{-6}	1.77×10^{-4}	23.599
New Model 1	5	0.93930	0.92270	5.26×10^{-7}	4.825×10^{-5}	6.538
New Model 2	5	0.95092	0.93728	4.73×10^{-4}	5.244×10^{-7}	6.377

To know the efficacy of the proposed models, further analysis is carried out with paired t-test and Akaike's Information Criterion (AIC). Table 7 shows the paired t-test (paired t-test, p < 0.05) results for AARD, R^2 , and Adj. R^2 . From the results, it is clear that AARDs of the new models are statistically significant. Table 7 shows the paired t-test results for SSE and *RMSE*. From the results, it is clear that SSEs of the new models are not statistically significant. R^2 , Adj. R^2 , and *RMSE* are showing mixed results and hence we

could not infer any statistical meaning from them such as significant or not significant. Table 8 shows AIC information of the proposed models and literature models. From Tables 4 and 5, the new models are significantly different at 95% confidence level (paired t-test, p < 0.05). Table 8 of AIC information shows that among all models, the new models are having lower AIC values. The AIC value for the new model 1 is -730.59, and for the new model 2 is -1177.56. The lower AIC value indicates the goodness of the new models and we conclude that those models are superior to other models considered in the work.

Table 7. a. Paired *t*-test results for averaged absolute relative deviation (AARD), R^2 and Adj. R^2 , b. Paired *t*-test results for sum of squares due to error (SSE) and *RMSE*.

Paired <i>t</i> -test Results for AARD, R^2 and Adj. R^2									
	AA	RD	1	R ²	Adj. R ²				
Models	New Model 1	New Model 2	New Model 1	New Model 2	New Model 1	New Model 2			
Chrastil	S	S	NS	NS	NS	NS			
Adachi-Lu	S	S	NS	NS	NS	NS			
Mitra-Wilson	S	S	S	S	NS	NS			
Keshmiri et al.	S	S	NS	NS	NS	NS			
Khansary et al.	S	S	S	S	S	NS			
Bian et al.	S	S	NS	NS	NS	NS			
Garlapati- Madras	S	S	S	S	NS	NS			
Reddy et al.	S	S	S	S	NS	S			
SLE model	S	S	S	S	NS	NS			

Paired *t*-test Results for SSE and *RMSE*

	SSE		RMSE			
Models	New Model 1	New Model 2	New Model 1	New Model 2		
Chrastil	NS	NS	NS	NS		
Adachi-Lu	NS	NS	S	NS		
Mitra-Wilson	NS	NS	S	S		
Keshmiri et al.	NS	NS	NS	NS		
Khansary et al.	NS	NS	S	NS		
Bian et al.	NS	NS	NS	NS		
Garlapati- Madras	NS	NS	NS	NS		
Reddy et al.	NS	NS	NS	NS		
SLE model	NS	NS	NS	NS		

NS: Not significant; S: Significant.

Sl.No*	Equation (18)	Equation (21)	Equation (2)	Equation (3)	Equation (4)	Equation (5)	Equation (6)	Equation (7)	Equation (8)	Equation (9)	SLE (Equa- tions (10)-(12))
1	-572.60	-883.48	-543.41	-547.95	-544.26	-529.96	-533.91	-548.37	-521.14	-520.16	-502.02916
2	-686.29	-804.56	-604.41	-296.42	-285.04	-603.40	-608.51	-587.68	-602.21	-583.75	-577.05251
3	-932.89	-1530.00	-968.16	-303.79	-230.96	-975.80	-948.67	-929.28	-880.29	-824.08	-904.08437
4	-815.91	-1417.10	-711.57	-53.04	-44.02	-700.99	-706.31	-693.52	-698.85	-672.92	-692.25585
5	-769.80	-1285.45	-730.70	-140.86	-99.47	-731.25	-724.22	-704.18	-716.47	-677.58	-656.16322
6	-1086.85	-1691.20	-1051.84	-326.98	-284.62	-1041.34	-1035.41	-1010.52	-1017.78	-951.70	-999.79284
7	-1081.98	-1688.77	-1001.05	-257.98	-232.93	-1006.04	-1001.16	-1009.39	-999.11	-945.54	-960.43326
8	-1155.83	-1671.09	-1022.17	-331.42	-313.68	-1020.25	-1035.60	-1005.96	-977.98	-980.62	-1008.7995
9	-1063.09	-1733.98	-973.50	-220.08	-210.03	-954.59	-955.82	-973.06	-975.24	-894.61	-974.00663
10	-924.90	-1664.88	-970.35	-215.20	-156.93	-961.05	-951.72	-929.51	-928.08	-832.69	-975.57241
11	-924.44	-1726.60	-815.67	-760.86	-930.34	-820.67	-943.42	-811.84	-808.04	-986.59	-921.64403
12	-927.23	-1666.10	-913.68	-153.10	-143.13	-916.41	-889.74	-923.98	-887.23	-849.04	-900.93092
13	-917.85	-1661.42	-876.78	-128.34	-80.13	-883.27	-875.88	-866.40	-821.62	-790.88	-871.09925
14	-836.22	-1620.49	-815.23	-26.09	-22.74	-795.27	-789.52	-795.24	-845.10	-743.41	-815.42235
15	-797.61	-1601.19	-790.56	-791.01	-764.98	-787.64	-774.85	-789.17	-793.49	-732.22	-773.78737
16	-200.68	-482.72	-218.20	-189.25	25.92	-216.10	-196.21	-217.34	-223.00	-170.32	-202.70016
17	-485.91	-623.97	-270.41	-234.37	-238.65	-486.03	-469.66	-494.58	-491.75	-463.79	-173.59318
18	-724.58	-1042.54	-758.18	-324.42	-304.19	-729.89	-732.67	-755.40	-699.79	-705.83	-763.27385
19	-542.68	-787.26	-265.77	-241.05	-228.48	-547.15	-532.15	-545.48	-514.00	-533.35	-569.89688
20	-458.87	-610.44	-438.25	-182.81	-199.53	-429.90	-419.25	-456.83	-432.72	-433.09	-441.6821
21	-543.89	-652.93	-485.64	-245.06	-236.68	-470.10	-480.91	-486.40	-479.42	-481.78	-467.63919
22	-532.90	-727.94	-559.09	-248.76	-247.35	-538.41	-527.98	-556.60	-539.48	-528.07	-570.46594
23	-473.19	-698.09	-472.09	-182.95	-178.74	-459.60	-456.90	-486.09	-446.49	-435.79	-486.12245
24	-498.56	-710.77	-485.77	-195.10	-185.25	-475.73	-471.13	-497.48	-476.43	-481.84	-505.23963
25	-309.92	-456.09	-303.97	-110.80	-97.41	-298.57	-295.69	-298.64	-275.30	-287.64	-295.23155
Overall	-730.59	-1177.56	-681.86	-268.31	-249.34	-695.18	-694.29	-694.92	-682.04	-660.29	-680.36

Table 8. AIC information of the proposed models and literature models.

Sl.No*: Serial number and name same as Table 2.

From new model 1 constants, one can calculate melting temperature and melting enthalpies. The back calculations are a bit tricky and we need to use a root finding method to calculate melting temperature and then melting enthalpy is estimated. The calculated values are reported in Table 9. It is observed that the melting temperature is much lower than actual values (Table 1); whereas the melting enthalpies for few compounds (Compound numbers 9, 11, 20, and 24) are magnitude wise matching with the computed values reported in Table 1 (Jain et al. method). This disparity may be attributed to use of approximate empirical expression for the fugacity ratio for the development of the solubility expression. Probably, exact expression would give better results and this is out of the scope of the present work.

To illustrate the ability of the proposed models, solubility data of 1-amino-2,3-dimethyl-9,10-anthraquinone in supercritical carbon dioxide were selected as illustrated in Figures 1–4, respectively. In another illustration, we selected Red 15 (1-amino-4-hydroxyanthraquinone) to show the goodness of the new model 1 and the new model 2 (Figures 5 and 6). In Figure 7, the global mean AARD% values of all models is depicted. In terms of global mean AARD, the overall order for the ability correlating of the models is: new model 2 > new model 1 > Adachi and Lu > Garlapati and Madras > Keshmiri et al. > Chrastil > Khansary et al. > Bian et al. > Mitra and Wilson > SLE model > Reddy et al.

Sl.No*	N_1	N_2	N_3	Tm (K) ^a	$-\Delta H_2^m$ (J/mol) ^b
1	-123.22	5849.4	16.501	140.5761	46,711.00
2	-22.28	491.4	1.197	26.78756	3976.00
3	-119.11	5355.7	16.39	140.8947	42,620.00
4	-255.5	11861	36.544	181.0266	94,055.00
5	352.36	-17338	-53.119	NA	NA
6	-35.941	1222	4.032	63.66784	9723.90
7	-44.086	1418.5	5.251	63.68529	11,226.00
8	-133.51	5959.7	18.268	136.2973	47,423.00
9	-65.421	2831.4	8.549	113.3441	22,545.00
10	-118.88	5233.1	16.522	140.9835	41,585.00
11	-81.27	3572.1	10.94	125.9199	28,425.00
12	-54.582	2282.9	7.074	105.5913	18,215.00
13	-73.225	3236.9	9.889	128.3756	25,761.00
14	-203.75	9484.9	29.17	183.3302	75,220.00
15	-80.585	3362.6	11.087	123.8086	26,666.00
16	967.57	-52133	-140.54	NA	NA
17	-95.533	4234.2	12.097	109.262	33,795.00
18	-114.86	5180	15.189	124.6076	41,299.00
19	-141.35	6609	19.113	141.5514	52,723.00
20	-78.114	3418.2	9.746	104.079	27,366.00
21	-31.261	922.3	2.662	43.4634	7402.40
22	-148.99	6728	20.046	131.4074	53,603.00
23	-128.93	5935.5	17.365	136.1121	47,327.00
24	-67.609	2866.9	8.373	98.16466	22,930.00
25	28.875	-2317.9	-5.576	NA	NA

Table 9. Computed T_m and ΔH_2^m from new model 1.

Sl.No*: Serial number and name same as Table 2. ^a Newton method is used to calculate the root. $N_1 + \frac{N_2}{T_m} + N_3 \ln(T_m) = 0$. ^b $\Delta H_2^m = (-N_2 + N_3 T_m)R$. NA: Not able evaluated the root hence not reported.



Figure 1. Plot of mole fraction (y_2) as a function of pressure (P/MPa) for 1-amino-2,3-dimethyl-9,10-anthraquinone, the solid line represents the proposed model 1 (Equation (18)).



Figure 2. Plot of mole fraction (y_2) as a function of density $\rho/(\text{kg.m}^{-3})$ for 1-amino-2,3-dimethyl-9,10-anthraquinone, the solid line represents the proposed model 1 (Equation (18)).



Figure 3. Plot of mole fraction (y_2) as a function of pressure (P/MPa) for 1-amino-2,3-dimethyl-9,10anthraquinone, the solid line represents the proposed model 2 (Equation (21)).



Figure 4. Plot of mole fraction (y_2) as a function of density $\rho/(\text{kg.m}^{-3})$ for 1-amino-2,3-dimethyl-9,10-anthraquinone, the solid line represents the proposed model 2 (Equation (21)).



Figure 5. Plot of mole fraction solubility of Red 15 (1-amino-4-hydroxyanthraquinone) against pressure (P/MPa), the solid line presents the new model 1 (Equation (18)).



Figure 6. Plot of mole fraction solubility of Red 15 (1-amino-4-hydroxyanthraquinone) against pressure (P/MPa), the solid lines present the new model 1 (Equation (18)) and the new model 2 (Equation (21)), respectively.



Figure 7. Global mean AARD% of literature models and the proposed model.

6. Conclusions

The new models developed in this study may be useful in correlating solubility data of any compound in supercritical fluid. A comparison between the proposed models and some specific literature models (particularly three and five parameters constants) was made to correlate the solubility of 25 anthraquinone derivatives. The results showed that the proposed models exhibited excellent agreement with those experimental data in the literature and that the proposed models are superior to all of the other models considered in the present work with AARD of 6.538% for new model 1, and AARD of 6.377% for new model 2. The new models of this work can be used for modeling solubility of any other system.

Supplementary Materials: The following are available online, Table S1: Correlation Constants of Chrastil's model, Table S2: Correlation Constants of Adachi-Lu model, Table S3: Correlation Constants of Mitra -Wilson model, Table S4: Correlation Constants of Keshmiri et al. model, Table S5: Correlation Constants of Khansary et al. model, Table S6: Correlation Constants of Bian et al. model, Table S7: Correlation Constants of Garlapati – Madras model, Table S8: Correlation Constants of Reddy et al. model.

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