

## Figure Captions

**Figure 1** – Vapor pressure of methyl esters: (A) L: laurate ( $\square$ , Rose and Supina [36];  $\diamond$ , Scott et al., [37]); M: myristate ( $\blacktriangle$ , Rose and Supina [36];  $\bullet$ , Chen et al. [39]); P: palmitate ( $\blacktriangleup$ , Hou et al. [40];  $\square$ , Rose and Supina [36];  $\blacklozenge$ , Chen et al. [39];  $\blacklozenge$ , Widegren and Bruno [46]); (B) S: stearate ( $\triangle$ , Hou et al. [40];  $\square$ , Rose and Supina [36];  $\blacklozenge$ , Widegren and Bruno [46]); Oa: oleate ( $\blacktriangle$ , Rose and Schrot [41];  $\bullet$ , Scott et al. [37]); La: linoleate ( $\square$ , Scott et al. [37]) and Ln: linolenate ( $\circ$ , Scott et al. [37]). Symbols are experimental and lines were calculated using the PC-SAFT model.

**Figure 2** – Vapor pressure curves of ethyl esters: (A) L: laurate ( $\triangle$ , Shigley et al. [44];  $\square$ , Silva et al. [43]); M: myristate ( $\circ$ , Silva et al. [43];  $\diamond$ , Tang et al. [45]); P: palmitate ( $\circ$ , Tang et al. [45];  $\blacktriangle$ , Silva et al. [43];  $\blacklozenge$ , Widegren and Bruno [46],  $\bullet$ , Silva et al. [53]); (B) S: stearate ( $\blacktriangle$ , Silva et al. [43];  $\circ$ , Shigley et al. [44];  $\blacksquare$ , Widegren and Bruno [46]); Oa: oleate ( $\square$ , Silva et al. [43];  $\diamond$ , Ledanois [47];  $\blacktriangle$ , Silva et al. [53]) and La: linoleate ( $\blacksquare$ , Silva et al. [43]). Symbols are experimental and lines were calculated using the PC-SAFT model.

**Figure 3** – Density profile as a function of temperature for (A) methyl esters and (B) ethyl esters (L: laurate; M: myristate; P: palmitate; S: stearate; Oa: oleate; La: linoleate and Ln: linolenate (with 1, 2 and 3 double bonds, respectively). Experimental [48] PC-SAFT calculations.

**Figure 4** – Temperatures-composition diagrams for the ethyl esters binary mixtures. (A) ethyl myristate + ethyl palmitate ( $\circ$ , 1.5 kPa;  $\square$ , 1.0 kPa;  $\triangle$ , 0.5 kPa [45]), (B) ethyl palmitate + ethyl oleate ( $\circ$ , 5.3329 kPa;  $\square$ , 9.3326 kPa [53]). Lines are representing predicted values ( $k_{ij} = 0$ ) using both models (—, PC-SAFT; ----, PC-SAFT-JC).

**Figure 5** – Temperatures-composition diagrams for the methyl esters binary mixtures. (A) methyl laurate + methyl myristate ( $\circ$ , 4.0 kPa;  $\square$ , 6.67 kPa;  $\triangle$ , 13.33 kPa [36]), (B) methyl myristate + methyl palmitate ( $\circ$ , 1.4 kPa;  $\square$ , 1.0 kPa;  $\triangle$ , 0.5 kPa [39]). Lines are representing predicted values ( $k_{ij} = 0$ ) using both models (—, PC-SAFT; ----, PC-SAFT-JC).

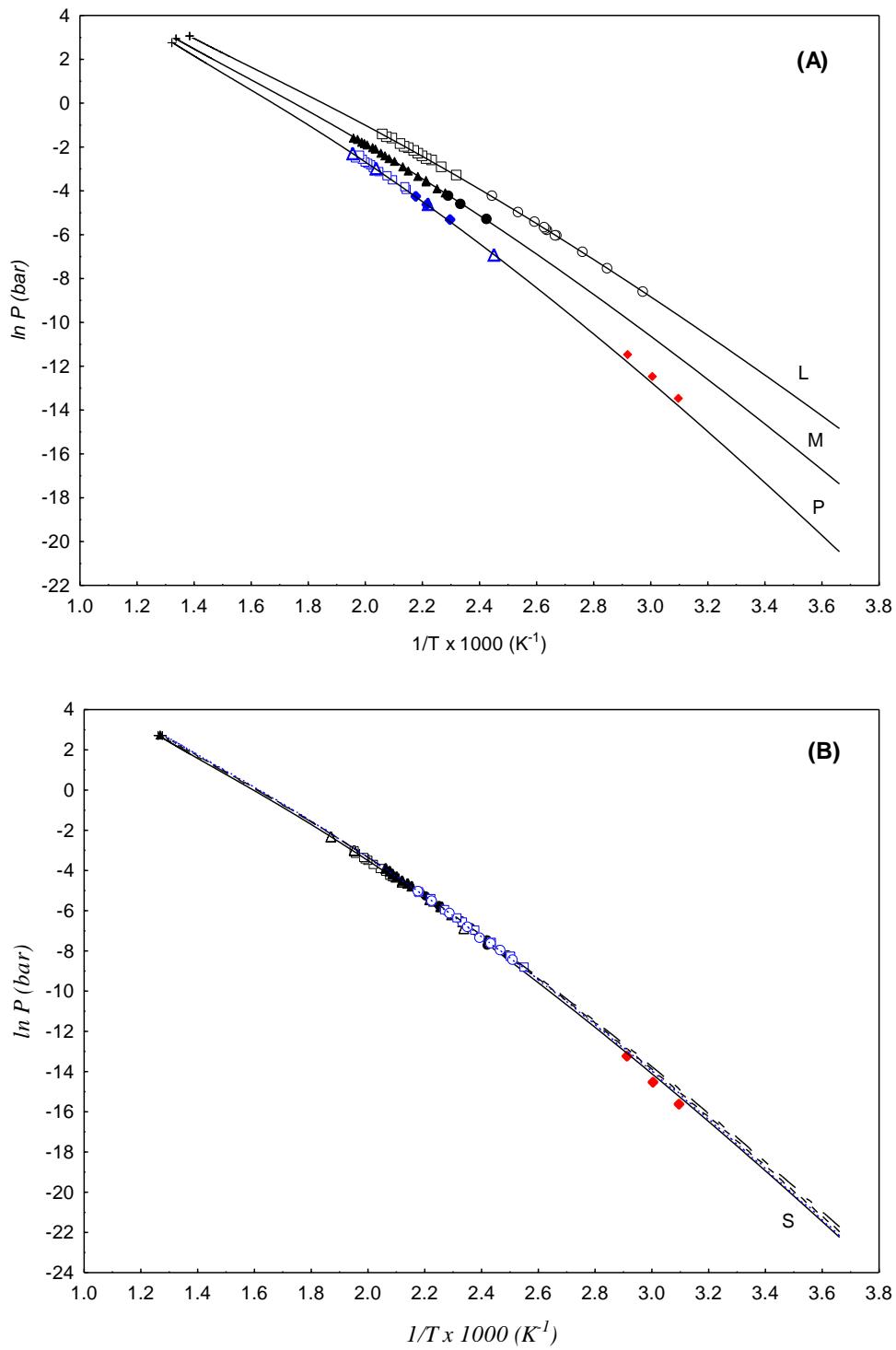
**Figure 6** – Temperatures-composition diagrams for the methyl palmitate(1) + methyl stearate(2) system. Symbols are experimental data at different pressures ( $\square$ , 0.5333 kPa [54];  $\circ$ , 3.947 kPa [36];  $\blacklozenge$ , 10.0 kPa;  $\blacksquare$ , 5.0 kPa;  $\bullet$ , 1.0 kPa and  $\blacktriangle$ , 0.1 kPa [40]). Lines are the calculated values using both models (—, PC-SAFT; ----, PC-SAFT-JC) with  $k_{ij} = 0$  (A) and  $k_{ij} = 0.01$  (B).

**Figure 7** – Experimental and predicted melting points for ethyl esters: **(A)** ( $\Delta$ , ethyl oleate(1) + ethyl laurate(2);  $\square$ , ethyl palmitate(1) + ethyl laurate(2)) and **(B)** ( $\ast$ , ethyl linoleate(1) + ethyl palmitate(2);  $\circ$ , ethyl oleate(1) + ethyl palmitate(2)). Calculated lines are the PC-SAFT model ( $k_{ij} = 0$ ).

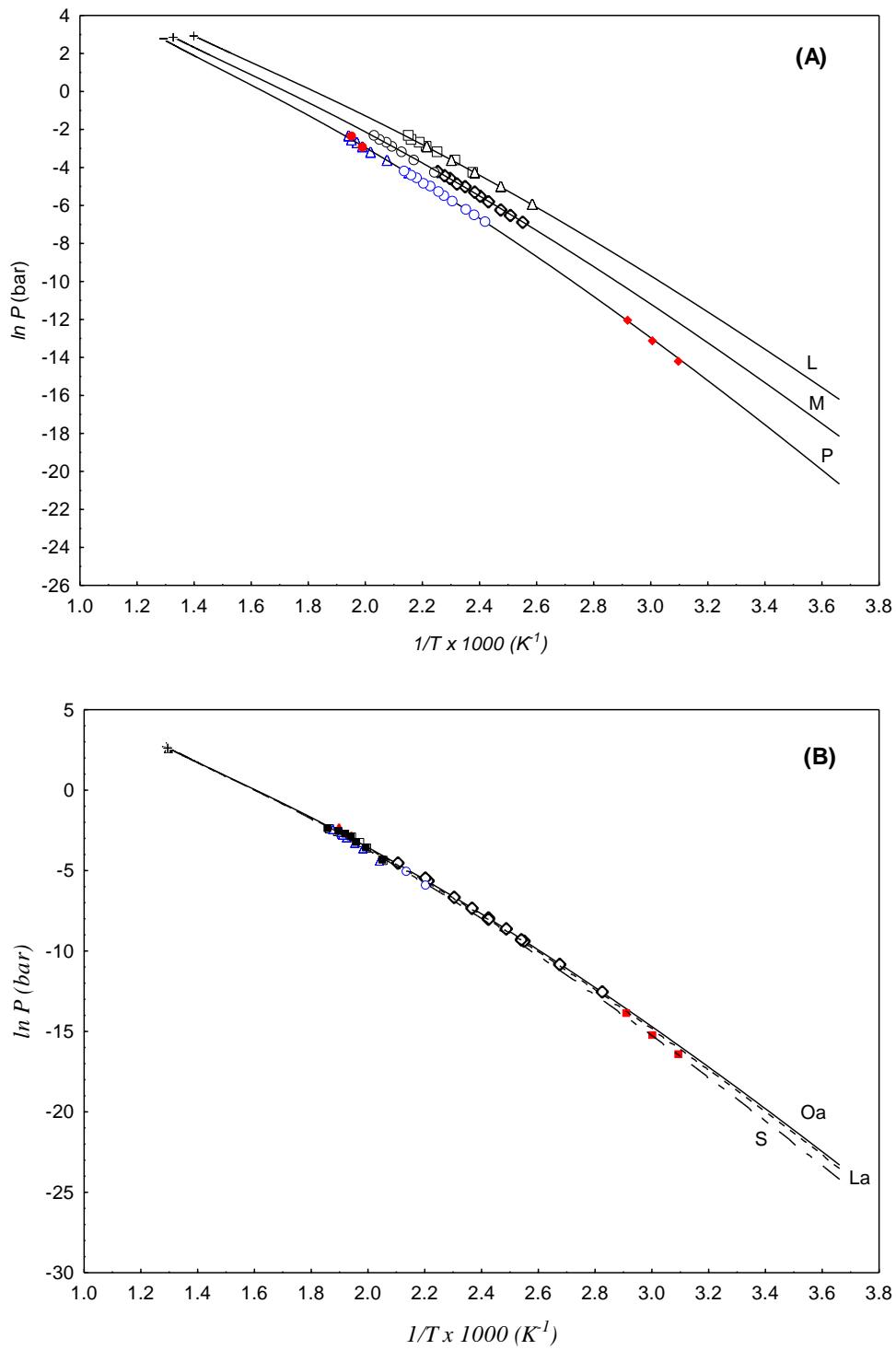
**Figure 8** – VLE diagram for the systems ethanol(1) + hexyl acetate(2) and methanol(1) + hexyl acetate(2). Symbol are experimental data [58] and lines the PC-SAFT model using transferable cross-association parameters ( $k_{ij} = 0$ ).

**Figure 9** – Temperature-composition diagram for the systems **(A)** ethanol(1)+ethyl palmitate(2) and **(B)** ethanol(1)+ethyl stearate (2). Symbol are experimental data ( $\triangle$ , 24 kPa;  $\circ$ , 92 kPa [7]) and lines the PC-SAFT model using transferable cross-association parameters (—, PC-SAFT; ----, PC-SAFT-JC) with  $k_{ij} = 0$ .

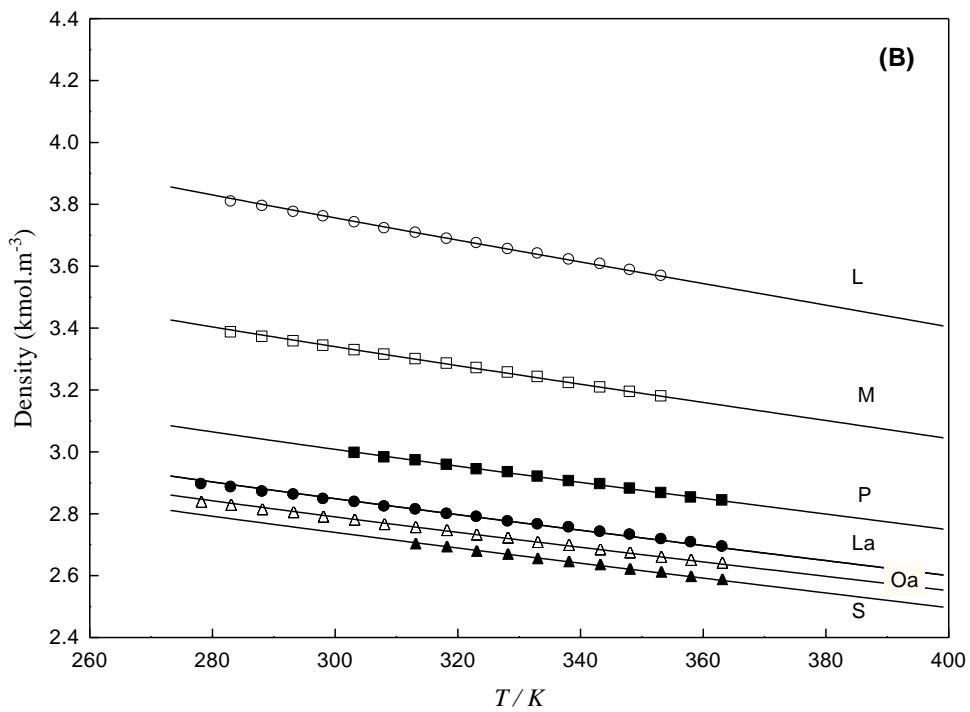
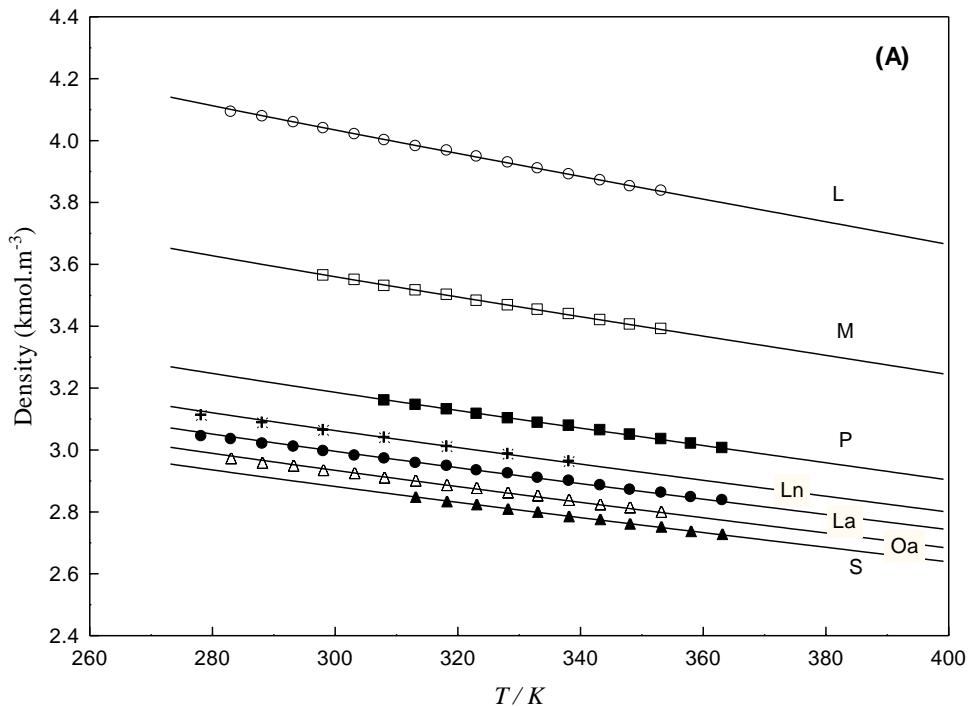
**Figure 10** – Pressure-composition diagram for the systems **(A)** ethanol(1) + ethyl laurate(2), **(B)** ethanol(1) + ethyl myristate(2), **(C)** methanol(1) + methyl laurate(2) and **(D)** methanol(1) + methyl myristate(2), at high temperatures. Symbol are experimental data ( $\triangle$ , 493 K;  $\square$ , 523 K;  $\circ$ , 543 K, [60,61]) and lines are the calculated values using transferable cross-association parameters (—, PC-SAFT; ----, PC-SAFT-JC) with  $k_{ij} = 0$ .



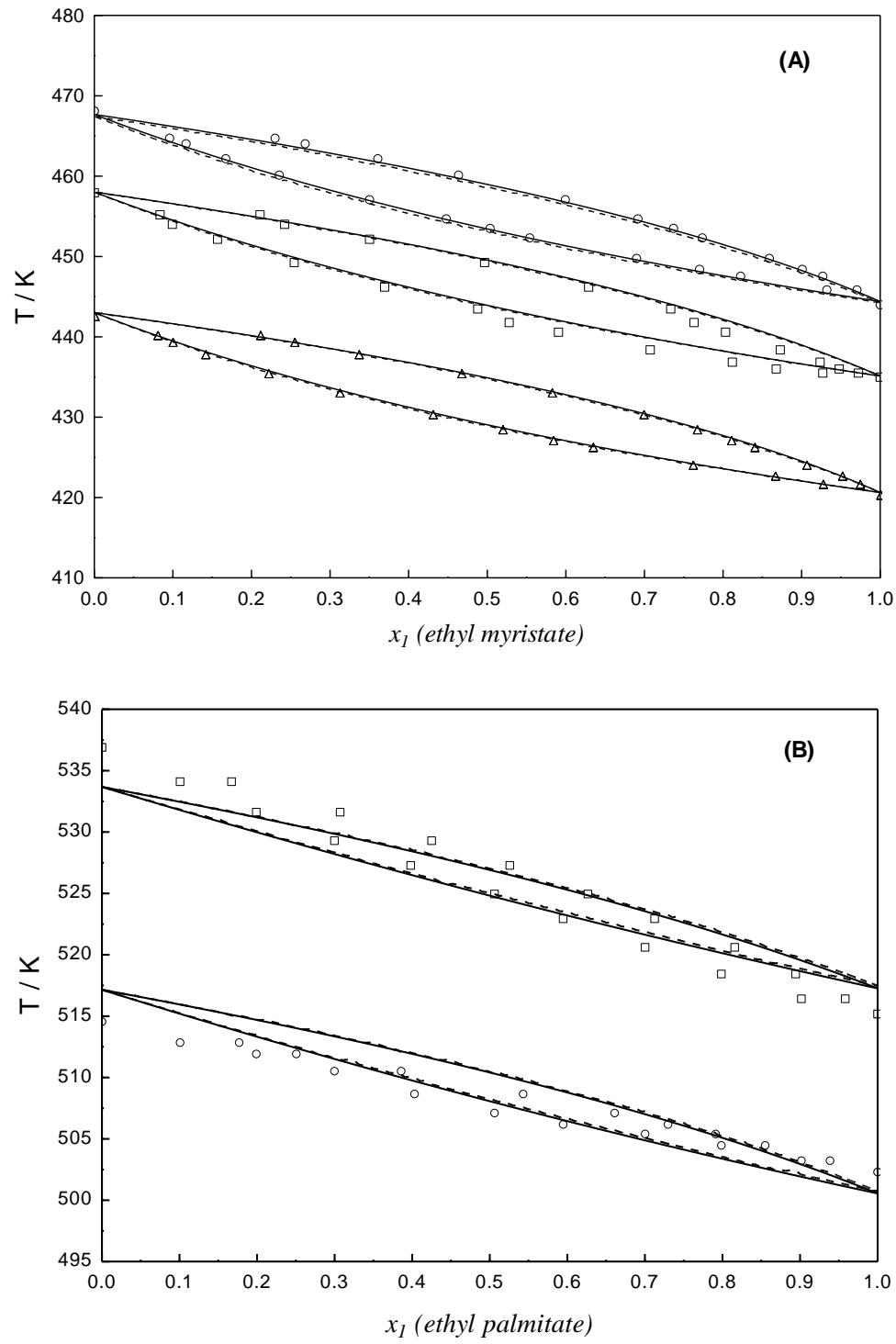
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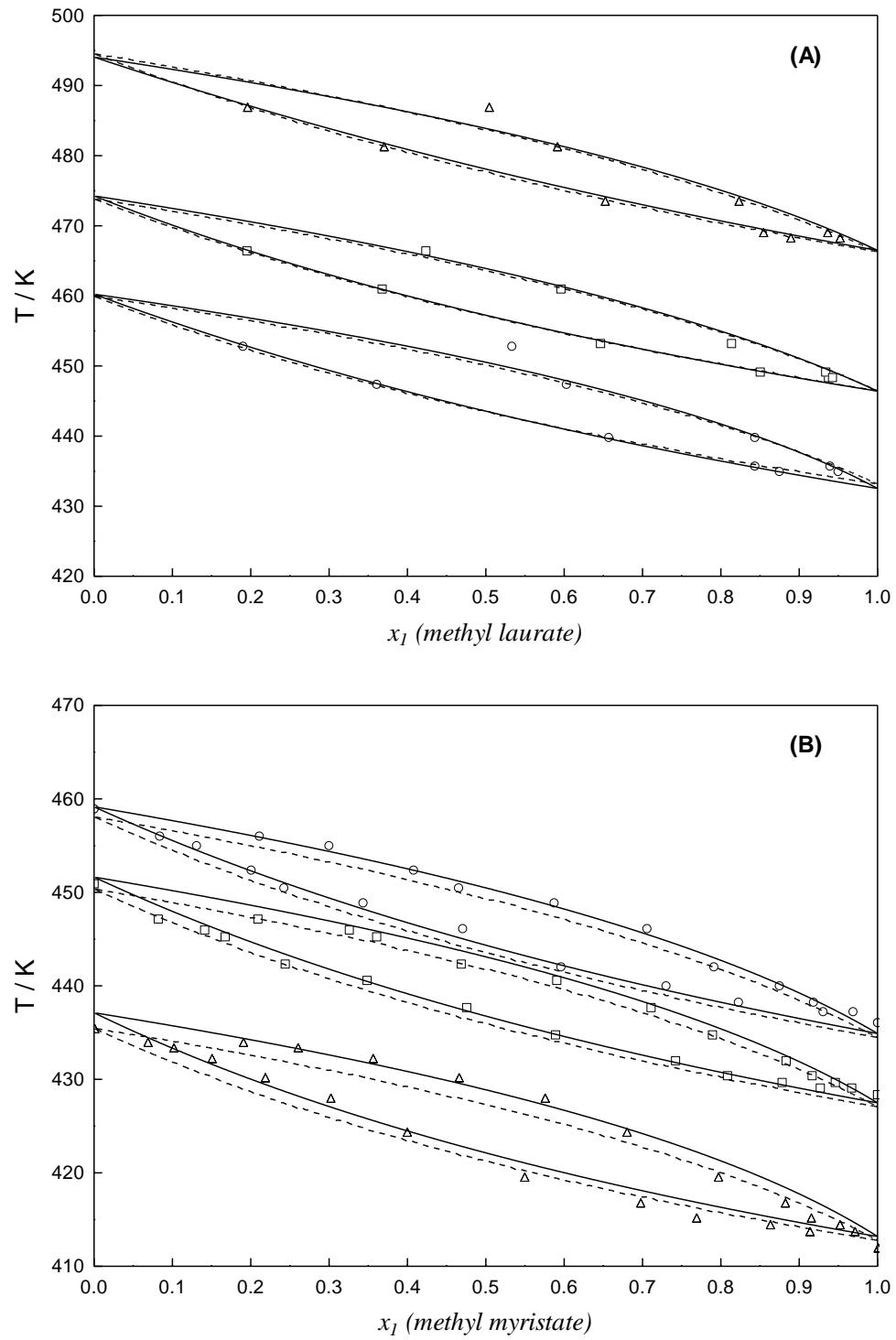
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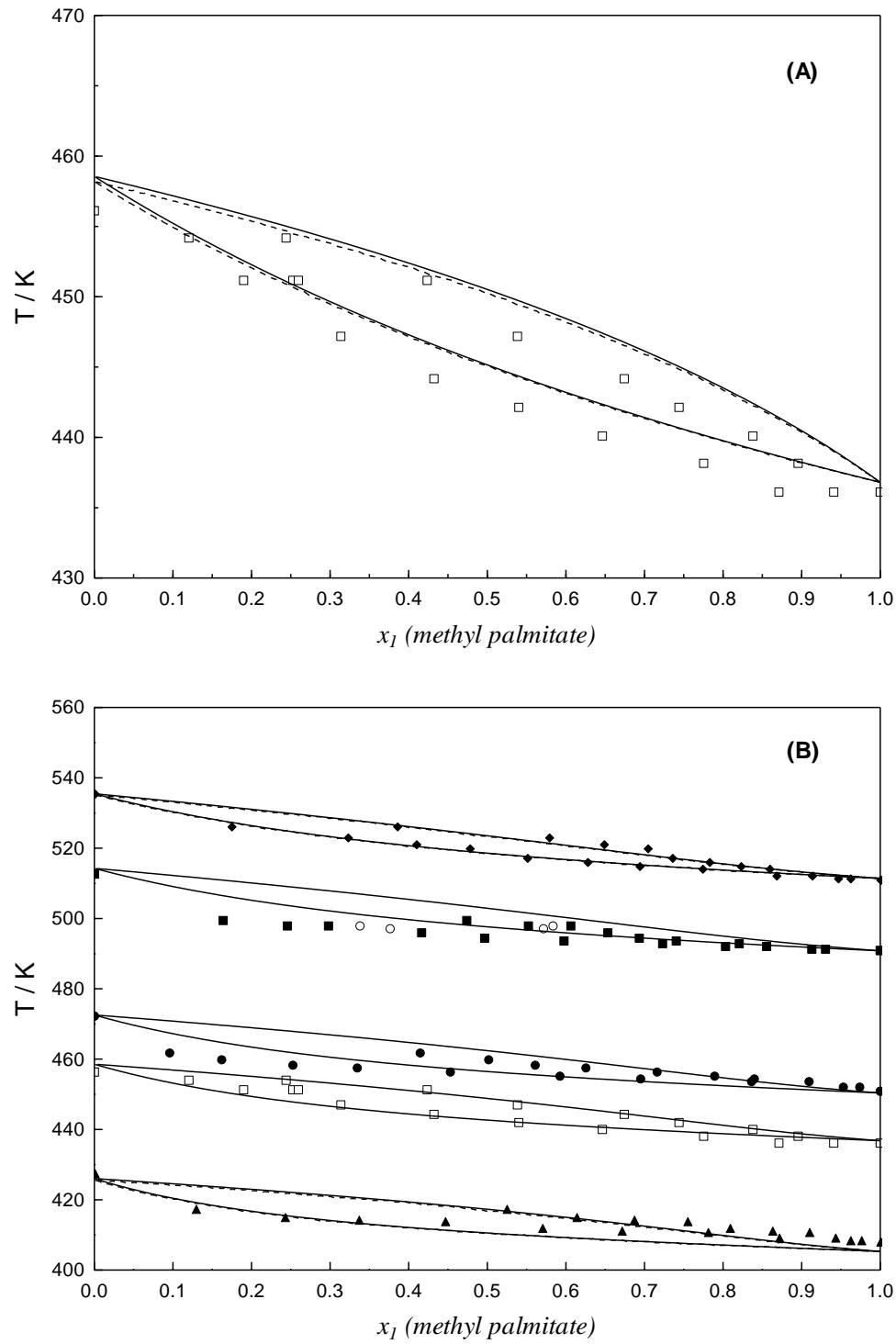
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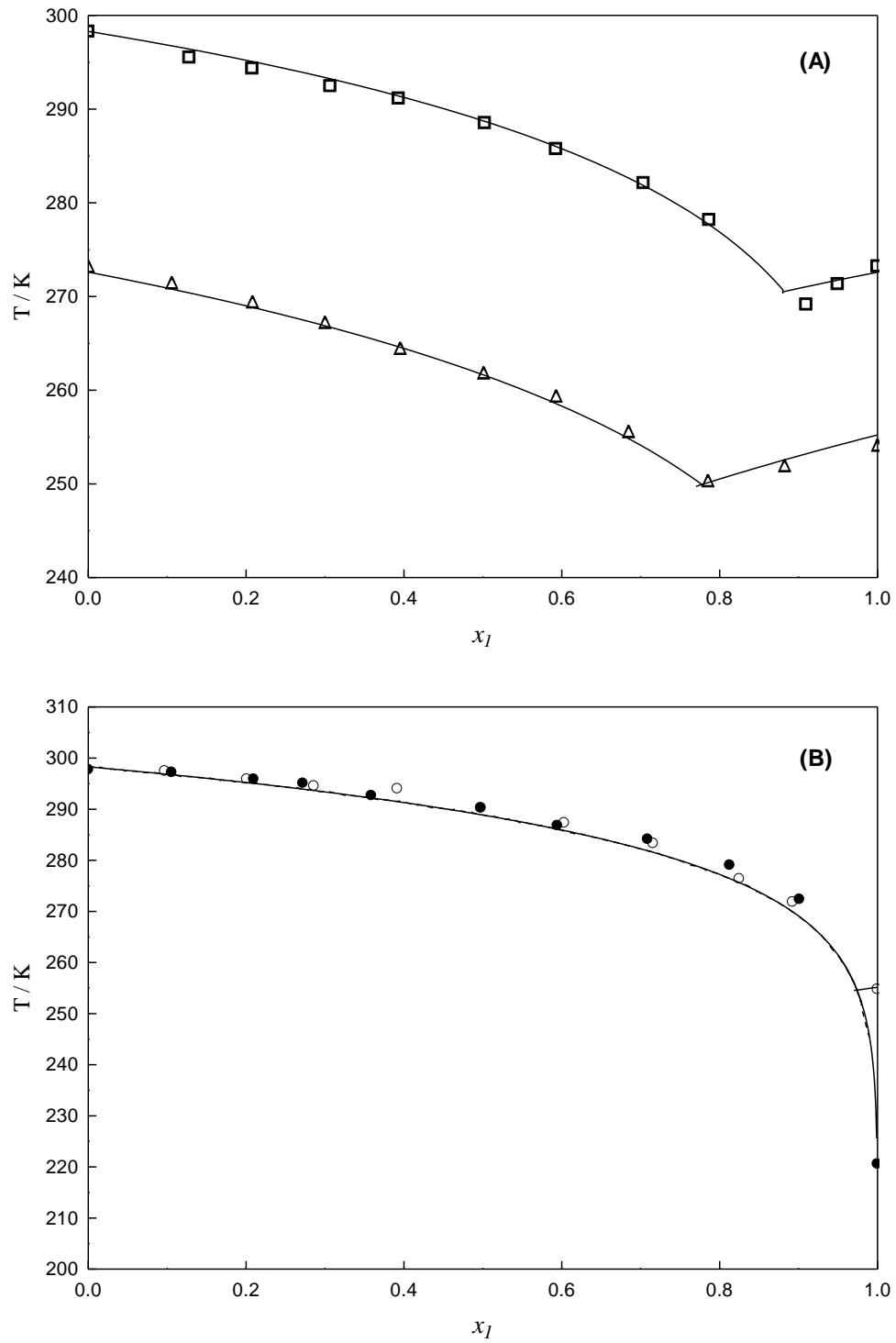
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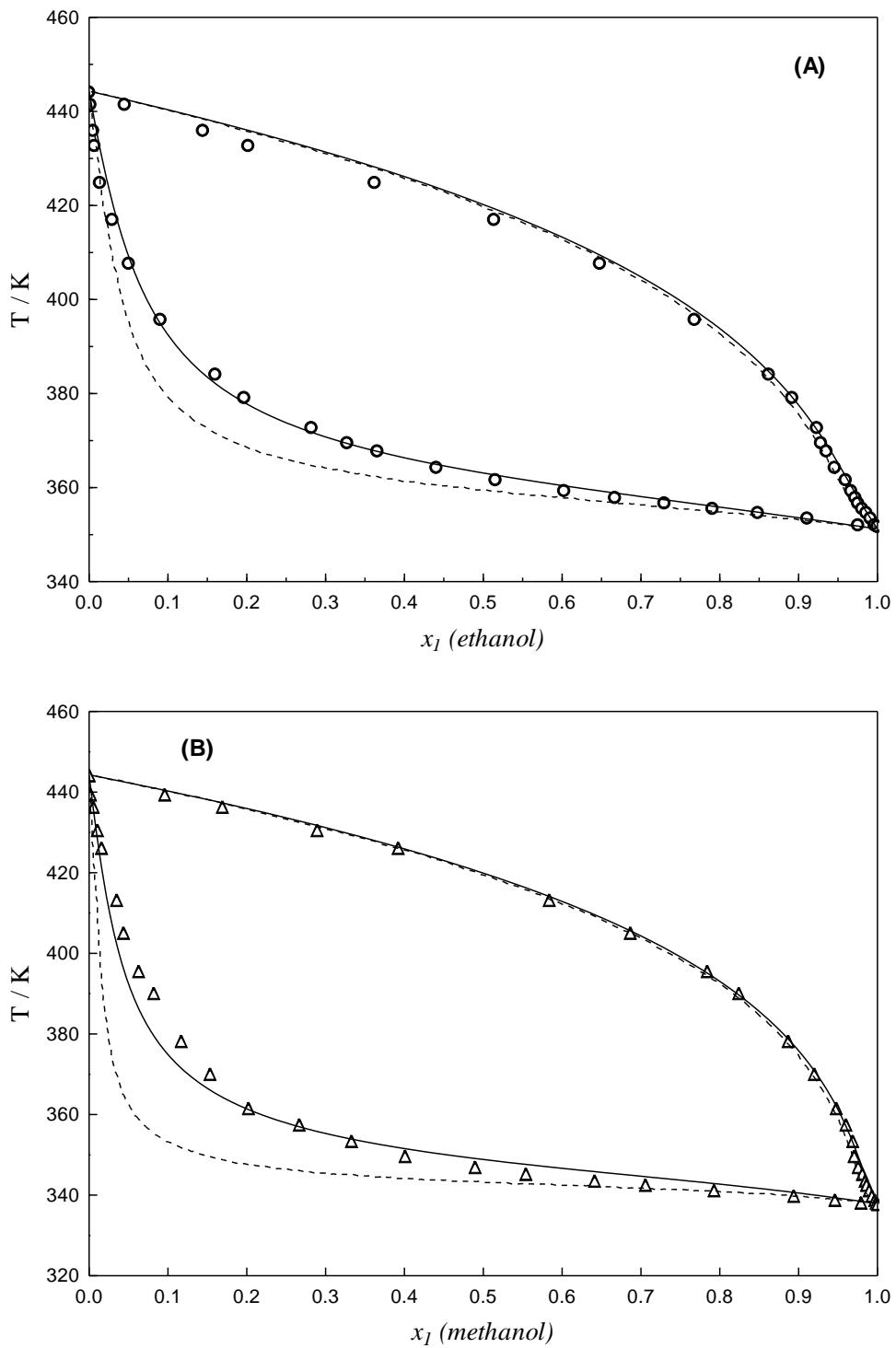
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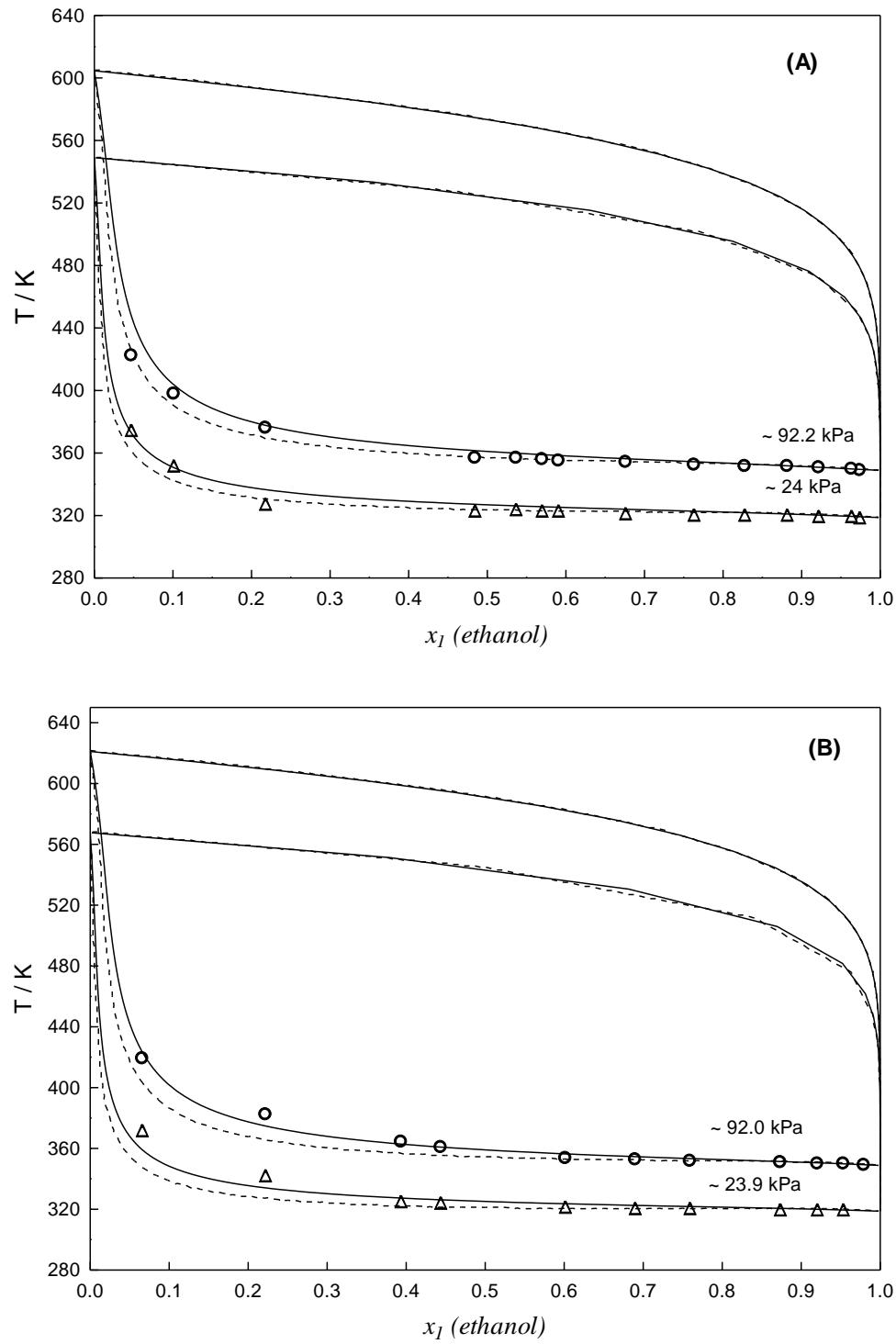
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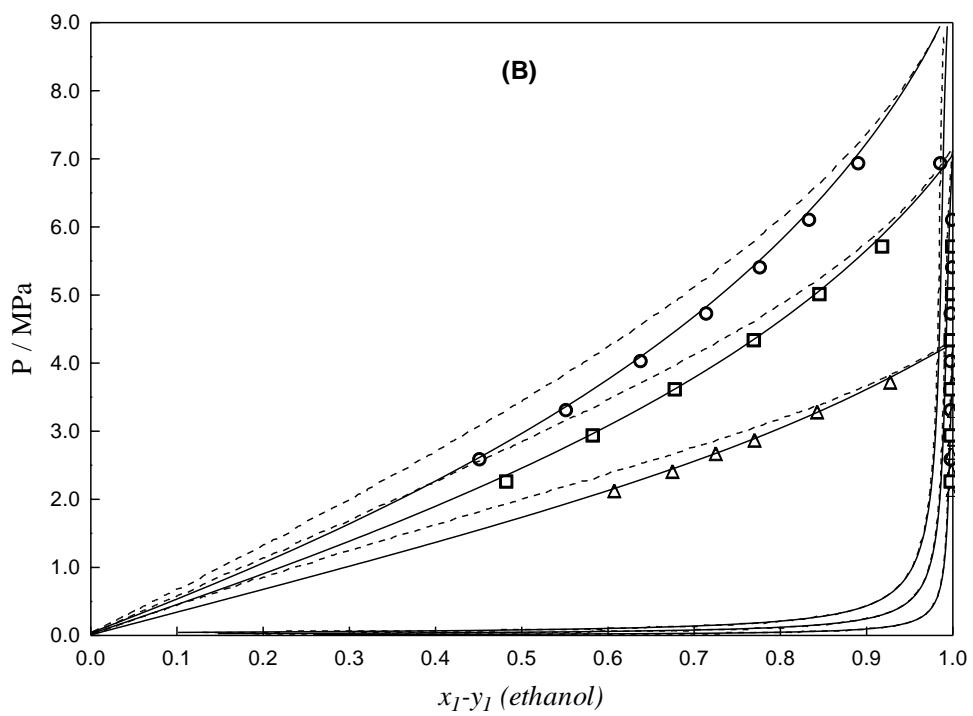
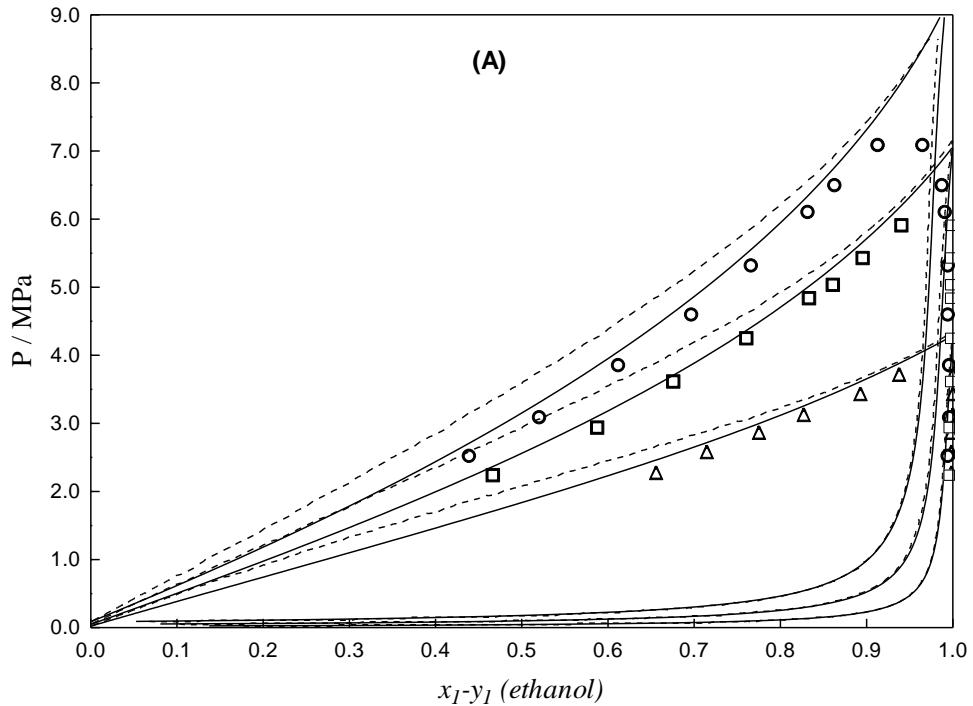
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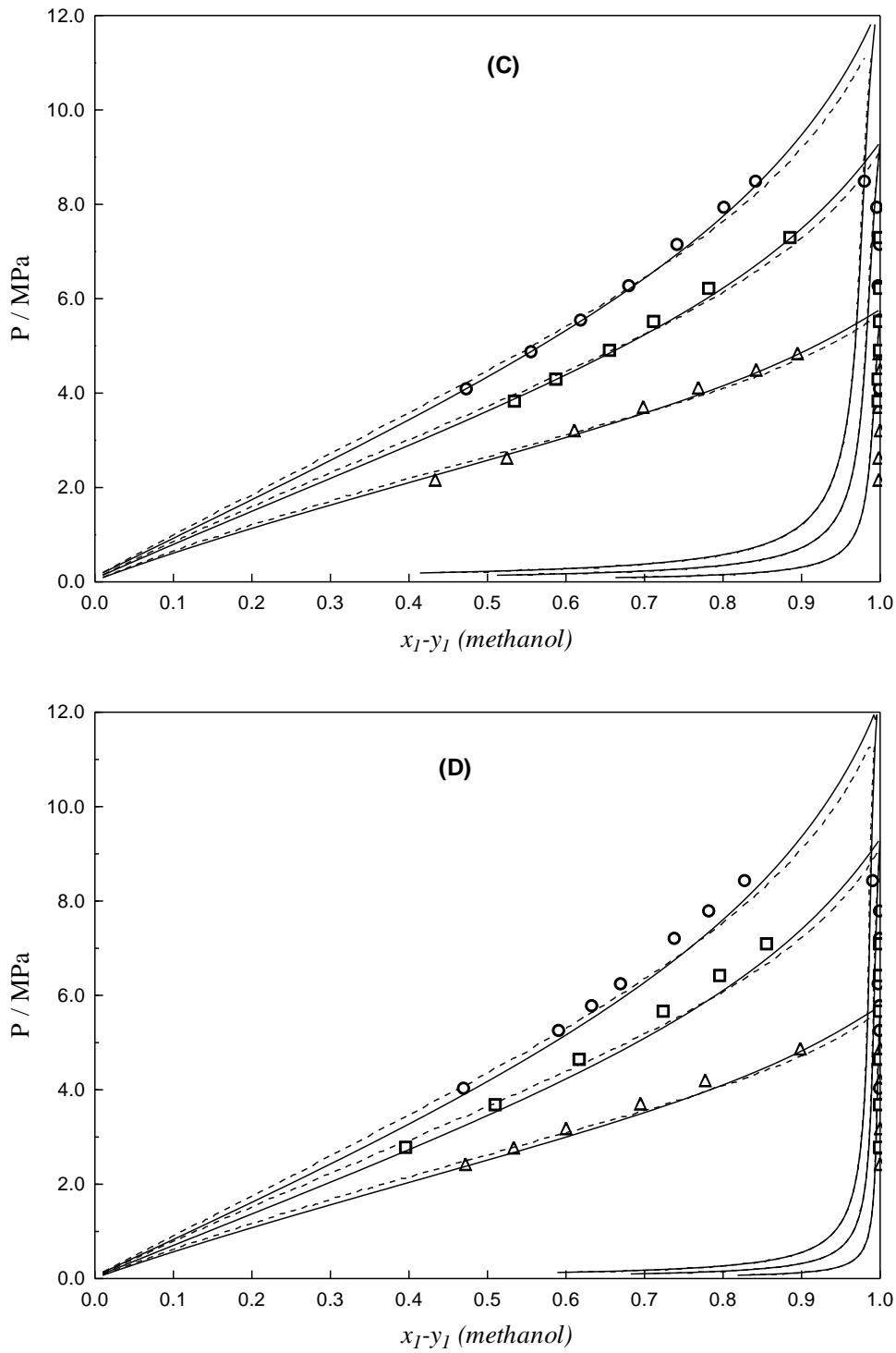


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