

PVT Analysis

Synonym: [Fluid Analysis](#) = [PVT Analysis](#)

Part of the key areas of [Field Study & Modelling](#) and one of the [Subsurface Production Disciplines](#), related to predicting [dynamic fluid properties](#) at various temperature and pressure and includes the following components:

Fluid Sampling	Fluid Laboratory Testing	Fluid Modelling
= PVT Sampling	= PVT Laboratory Test	= PVT Modelling

The alternative name is [PVT Analysis](#) and means that major [fluid properties](#) are directly or indirectly related to the correlation between [fluid's Pressure](#), [Volume](#) and [Temperature](#).

The [PVT Analysis](#) term is a misnomer as some important [dynamic fluid properties](#) can not be accurately derived from [P ressure](#) – [Volume](#) – [Temperature](#) correlations.

See Also

[Petroleum Industry](#) / [Upstream](#) / [Subsurface E&P Disciplines](#)

[[Dynamic fluid properties](#)]

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