

Petrosky–Farshad (1993) saturated oil formation volume factor Bo @model

Saturated oil formation volume factor	B _o	bbl/stb	p _b	$B_o(p, T) = c_1 + c_2 \cdot [R_s^{c_4}(p, T) \gamma_g^{c_5} \gamma_o^{c_6} + c_7 T^{c_8}]^{c_3}$ $c_1 = 1.0113, c_2 = 7.2046 \cdot 10^{-5}, c_3 = 3.0936, c_4 = 0.3738$ $c_5 = 0.2914, c_6 = -0.6265, c_7 = 0.24626, c_8 = 0.5371$
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where

p	psia	Fluid pressure
T	°F	Initial formation temperature
γ_{API}	°API	Oil API gravity
γ_o	frac	Oil specific gravity
γ_g	frac	Gas specific gravity

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References

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