

Chapter 3

Evaluating Properties Continued

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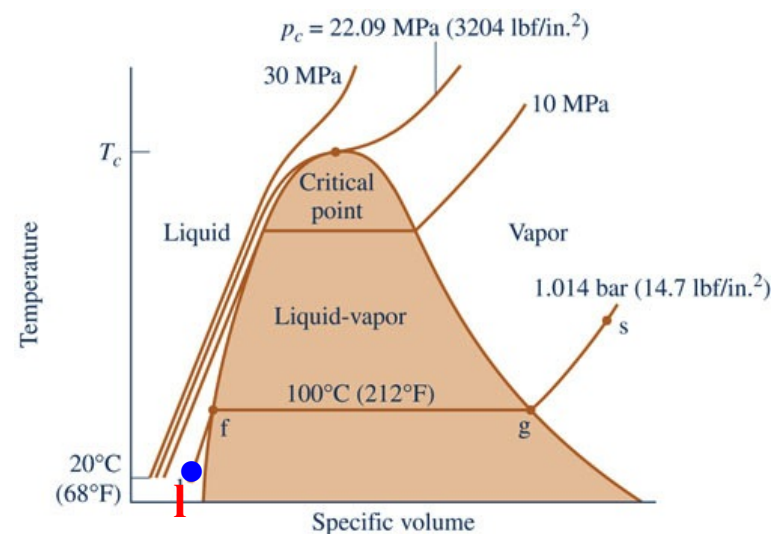
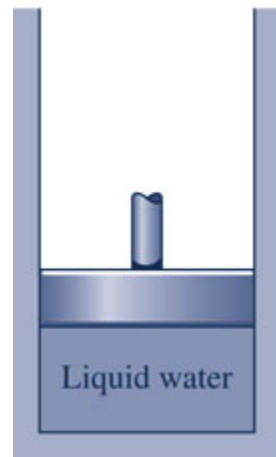
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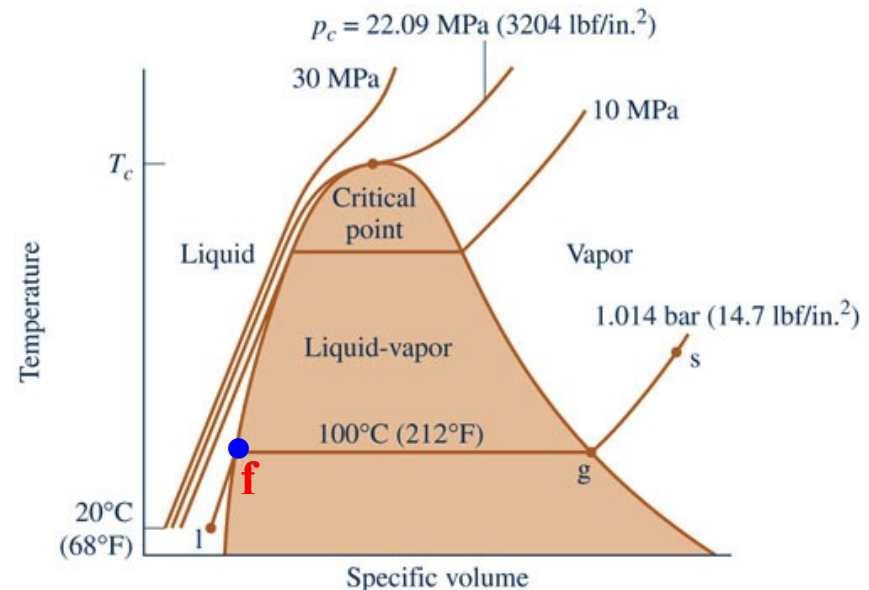
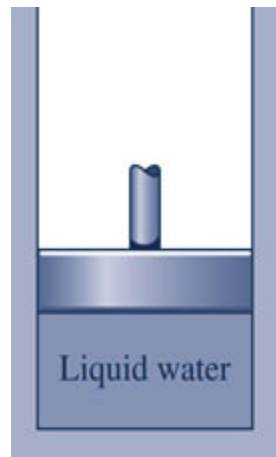
Phase Change

- ▶ Consider a closed system consisting of a unit mass of **liquid water** at 20°C contained within a piston-cylinder assembly.
- ▶ This state is represented by **I** (highlighted by the **blue dot**).
- ▶ Liquid states such as this, where temperature is lower than the saturation temperature corresponding to the pressure at the state, are called **compressed liquid** states.



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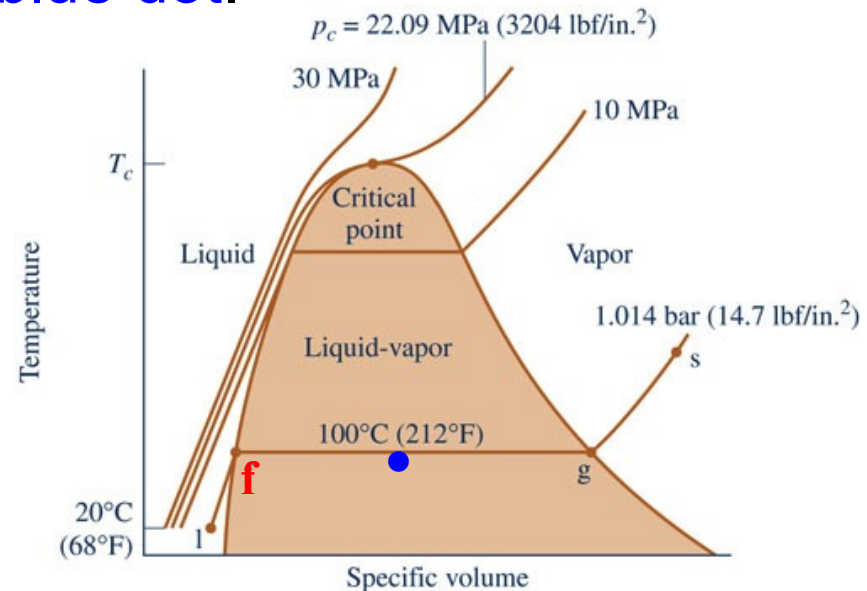
- ▶ As the **system is heated** at constant pressure, the **temperature increases considerably while the specific volume increases slightly**.
- ▶ Eventually, the system is brought to the state represented by **f** (highlighted by the **blue dot**).
- ▶ This is the **saturated liquid** state corresponding to the specified pressure.



Two-Phase Liquid-Vapor Mixture

- ▶ When the system is at the saturated liquid state, **additional heat transfer** at fixed pressure results in the formation of vapor without change in temperature but with a **considerable increase in specific volume** as shown by movement of the **blue dot**.
- ▶ With **additional heating** at fixed pressure, **more vapor is formed** and **specific volume increases further** as shown by additional movement of the **blue dot**.

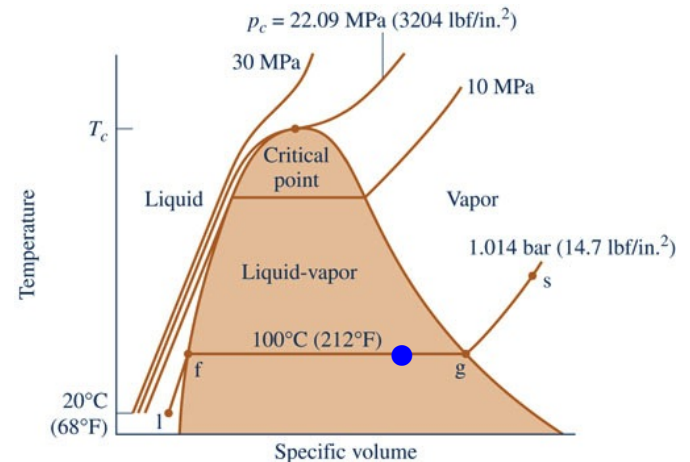
- ▶ At these states, the system now consists of a **two-phase liquid-vapor mixture**.



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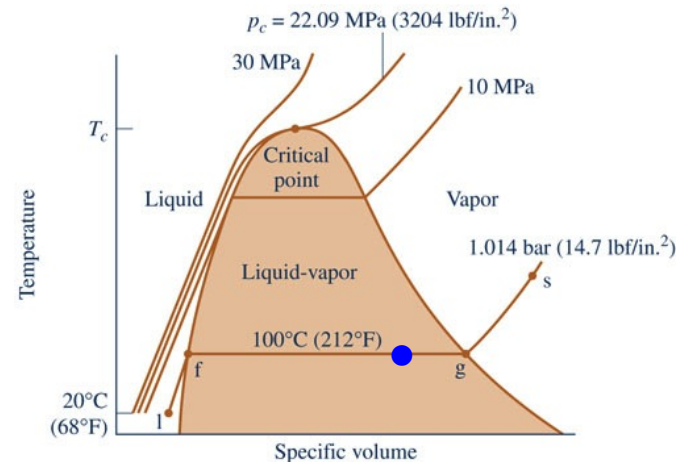
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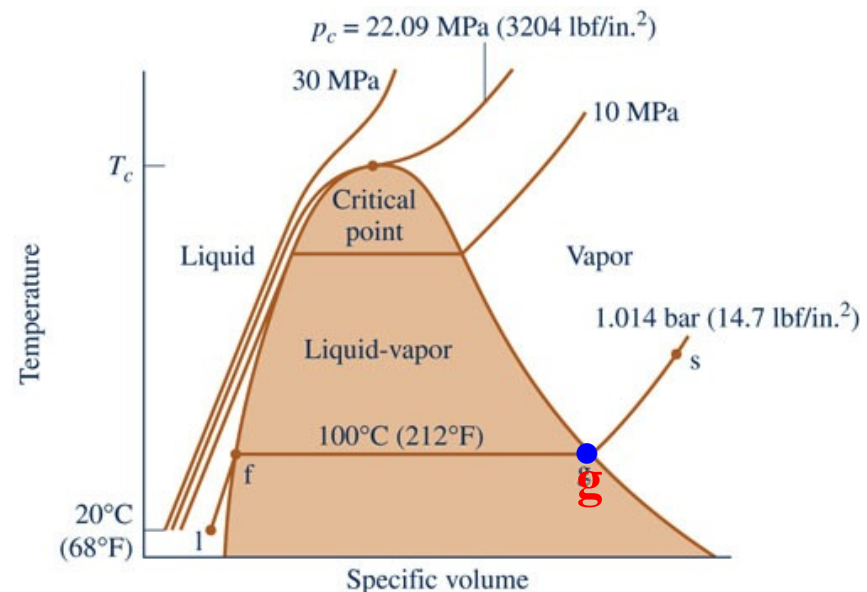
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- ▶ The **value of quality** ranges from 0 to 1.
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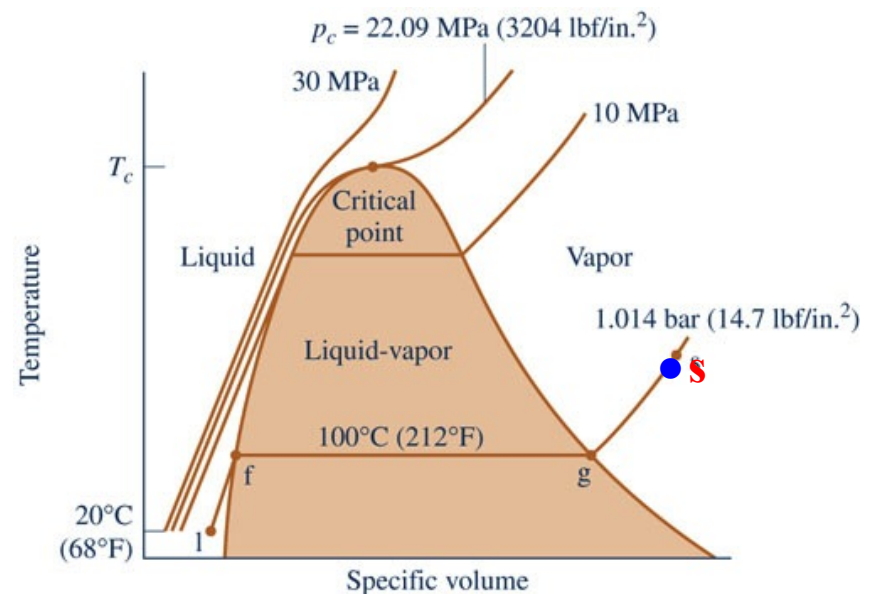
Saturated Vapor

- ▶ If the system is heated further until the last bit of liquid has vaporized it is brought to the **saturated vapor** state.
- ▶ This state is represented by **g** (highlighted by the blue dot).
- ▶ At **saturated vapor states**, $x = 1$.



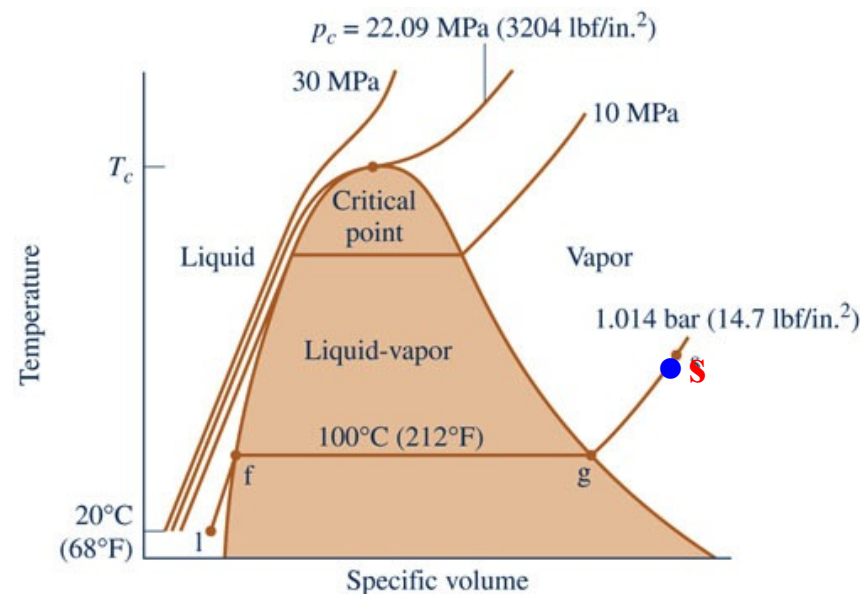
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Steam Tables

- ▶ Tables of properties for different substances are frequently set up in the same general format. The tables for water, called the **steam tables**, provide an example of this format. The steam tables are in appendix **tables A-2 through A-5**.
 - ▶ Table A-4 applies to water as a **superheated vapor**.
 - ▶ Table A-5 applies to **compressed liquid** water.
 - ▶ Tables A-2 and A-3 apply to the **two-phase, liquid-vapor mixture** of water.