Supporting Information

We note that in order to obtain the sub-cooled liquid vapor pressures used in Figure 9, the solid vapor pressure of a compound, found in the literature, can be converted to that of the sub-cooled liquid from the following equation (*39*).

$$\ln \frac{\mathbf{P}_{s}^{\circ}}{\mathbf{P}_{L}^{\circ}} = -\frac{\Delta S_{fus}(\mathbf{T}_{M})}{R} \left[\frac{\mathbf{T}_{M}}{T} - 1 \right]$$
(11)

where P_s° is the solid vapor pressure, P_L° sub-cooled liquid vapor pressure, T_m is the melting point, T is the temperature of interest and $\Delta_{fus}S$ is the entropy of fusion.

The derivation of equation (8) from equation (6), when $P << P^{\circ}$ and $C_{BET} >> 1$, is as follows

$$\frac{n}{n_{m}} = \frac{C_{BET}x}{(1-x)(1+(C_{BET}-1)x)}, x = \frac{P}{P^{\circ}}$$
(6)

Equation (6) simplifies to the following

$$\frac{n}{n_{m}} \cong \frac{C_{BET} x}{1 + C_{BET} x}$$
(12)

since $1-x \approx 1$ and $C_{BET} - 1 \approx C_{BET}$. Equation (12) can be reformulated as follows

$$\frac{n}{n_{m}} \approx \frac{C_{BET} \frac{P}{P^{\circ}}}{1 + C_{BET} \frac{P}{P^{\circ}}} \times \frac{P^{\circ}}{P^{\circ}} \approx \frac{C_{BET} P}{P^{\circ} + C_{BET} P}$$
(13)

and since $\frac{n}{n_m} = \frac{\theta}{\theta_m}$ we can equate (13) to the Langmuir isotherm (1) as follows

$$\frac{C_{BET}P}{P^{\circ} + C_{BET}P} \cong \frac{KP}{1 + KP}$$
(14)

which simplifies to

$$K \cong \frac{C_{BET}}{P^{\circ}}$$
(8)

(39) Schwarzenbach, R. P.; Gschwend, P. M.; Imboden, D. M. *Environmental Organic Chemistry*; 2 ed.; Wiley-Interscience: Hoboken, 2003.