



Technical Data Sheet Eastman™ Propionic Acid

Applications

- Adhesives
- Adjuvants
- · Agriculture intermediates
- Fertilizer
- Food and beverage intermediates
- Food flavors & food fragrances
- Fungicides int
- · Herbicides intermediate for other
- Insecticides int
- Other-food chemicals
- Pharmaceutical chemicals
- Process solvents
- · Soil fumigants int

Product Description

Propionic Acid is a general sales grade and may be used to produce numerous esters, salts, and other derivatives for use in the plastics, coatings, agricultural chemicals, food, flavor, and perfume industries.

Typical Properties

Property	Typical Value, Units
General	
Molecular Weight	74.08
Empirical Formula	$C_3H_6O_2$
Form	Liquid
Color	
Pt-Co	10 ppm
Refractive Index	1.385 n(25°C/D)
Viscosity	
@ 25°C	1.16 cP
Vapor Pressure	
@ 25°C	2.7 mm Hg
Heat of Decomposition	367 k∙cal/g
Specific Gravity	
@ 20°C/20°C	0.99
Freezing Point	-21 °C (-6 °F)
Boiling Point	141 °C (286 °F)
Flash Point	
Tag Closed Cup	52 °C (126 °F)
Fire Point	58 °C (136 °F)
Autoignition Temperature	466 °C (871 °F)
Solubility	
in Water, @ 25°C	Miscible
Water In, @ 25°C	Miscible
Assay	99 wt %

Comments

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