

Safety Data Sheet

Ethyl Acetate

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Section 1

Product Description

Product Name: Ethyl Acetate
Recommended Use: Science education applications
Synonyms: Acetic Ether, Acetoxyethane, Ethyl Ethanoate, Vinegar Naptha
Distributor: Carolina Biological Supply Company
2700 York Road, Burlington, NC 27215
1-800-227-1150
Chemical Information: 800-227-1150 (8am-5pm (ET) M-F)
Chemtrec: 800-424-9300 (Transportation Spill Response 24 hours)

Section 2

Hazard Identification

Classification of the chemical in accordance with paragraph (d) of §1910.1200;

DANGER



Highly flammable liquid and vapor. Causes eye irritation. May cause respiratory irritation. May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

GHS Classification:

Flammable Liquid Category 2, Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2B, Specific Target Organ Systemic Toxicity (STOT) - Single Exposure Category 3

Section 3

Composition / Information on Ingredients

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS #</u>	<u>%</u>
Ethyl Acetate	141-78-6	100

Section 4

First Aid Measures

Emergency and First Aid Procedures

Inhalation: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
Eyes: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
Skin Contact: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
Ingestion: If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

Section 5

Firefighting Procedures

Extinguishing Media: Use dry chemical, CO2 or appropriate foam.
Fire Fighting Methods and Protection: Firefighters should wear full protective equipment and NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus.
Fire and/or Explosion Hazards: Fire or excessive heat may produce hazardous decomposition products. Vapors may travel back to ignition source. Closed Containers exposed to heat may explode.
Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide

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Spill or Leak Procedures

Steps to Take in Case Material Is Released or Spilled:

Exposure to the spilled material may be irritating or harmful. Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section 8 of this SDS. Additional precautions may be necessary based on special circumstances created by the spill including; the material spilled, the quantity of the spill, the area in which the spill occurred. Also consider the expertise of employees in the area responding to the spill. Ventilate the contaminated area.

Methods for Clean-up

Prevent the spread of any spill to minimize harm to human health and the environment if safe to do so. Wear complete and proper personal protective equipment following the recommendation of Section 8 at a minimum. Dike with suitable absorbent material like granulated clay. Gather and store in a sealed container pending a waste disposal evaluation. Shut off ignition sources; including electrical equipment and flames. Do not allow smoking in the area.

Section 7

Handling and Storage

Handling:

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. – No smoking. Keep container tightly closed. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/.../equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash thoroughly after handling. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Storage:

Keep container tightly closed. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Storage Code:

Red - Flammables. Store in approved flammable containers. Store away from oxidizing materials.

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Protection Information

Chemical Name Ethyl Acetate

ACGIH

(TWA)
400 ppm TWA

(STEL)
N/A

OSHA PEL

(TWA)
400 ppm TWA;
1400 mg/m³ TWA

(STEL)
N/A

Control Parameters

Engineering Measures:

Local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls are normally required when handling or using this product to avoid overexposure.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

Lab coat, apron, eye wash, safety shower.

Respiratory Protection:

Respirator Type(s):

None required where adequate ventilation is provided. If airborne concentrations are above the applicable exposure limits, use NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection. Wear chemical splash goggles when handling this product. Have an eye wash station available.

Eye Protection:

Skin Protection:

Avoid skin contact by wearing chemically resistant gloves, an apron and other protective equipment depending upon conditions of use. Inspect gloves for chemical break-through and replace at regular intervals. Clean protective equipment regularly. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, and when leaving work.

Gloves:

Butyl rubber, Natural latex,

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Physical Data

Formula: CH₃COOC₂H₅

Molecular Weight: 88.11

Appearance: Colorless Liquid

Odor: Moderate Fruity

Odor Threshold: No data available

pH: No data available

Melting Point: -84 °C

Boiling Point: 77 °C

Flash Point: -4 °C

Flammable Limits in Air: 2.2 - 9%

Vapor Pressure: 91.84 hPa at 18.7 °C

Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1): 6.2 (butyl acetate = 1)

Vapor Density (Air=1): 3.04

Specific Gravity: 0.902 at 20 °C

Solubility in Water: Soluble

Log Pow (calculated): 0.6

Autoignition Temperature: 426 °C

Decomposition Temperature: No data available

Viscosity: No data available

Percent Volatile by Volume: 100%

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Reactivity Data

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Reactivity:	Not generally reactive under normal conditions.
Chemical Stability:	Stable under normal conditions.
Conditions to Avoid:	Temperatures above flash point in combination with sparks, open flames, or other sources of ignition.
Incompatible Materials:	Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids, Strong alkalies
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Carbon oxides
Hazardous Polymerization:	Will not occur

Section 11 Toxicity Data

Routes of Entry	Inhalation and ingestion.
Symptoms (Acute):	Central Nervous System Depression, Nausea, Vomiting, Tachycardia, Hypotension
Delayed Effects:	No data available

Acute Toxicity:				
Chemical Name	CAS Number	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Ethyl Acetate	141-78-6	Oral LD50 Guinea pig Estimated 5500 mg/kg	Not determined	Not determined

Carcinogenicity:				
Chemical Name	CAS Number	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Ethyl Acetate	141-78-6	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

Chronic Effects:	
Mutagenicity:	No evidence of a mutagenic effect.
Teratogenicity:	No evidence of a teratogenic effect (birth defect).
Sensitization:	No evidence of a sensitization effect.
Reproductive:	No evidence of negative reproductive effects.
Target Organ Effects:	
Acute:	No data available
Chronic:	No data available

Section 12 Ecological Data

Overview:	This material is not expected to be harmful to the ecology.
Mobility:	This material is expected to have high mobility in soil. It absorbs weakly to most soil types.
Persistence:	Evaporation into atmosphere, Biodegradation, Photodegradation
Bioaccumulation:	Bioconcentration is not expected to occur.
Degradability:	Biodegrades at a moderate rate.
Other Adverse Effects:	No data

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Eco Toxicity
Ethyl Acetate	141-78-6	96 HR LC50 PIMEPHALES PROMELAS 220 - 250 MG/L [FLOW-THROUGH] 96 HR LC50 ONCORHYNCHUS MYKISS 484 MG/L [FLOW-THROUGH] 96 HR LC50 ONCORHYNCHUS MYKISS 352 - 500 MG/L [SEMI-STATIC] 48 HR EC50 DAPHNIA MAGNA 560 MG/L [STATIC] 48 HR EC50 DESMODESMUS SUBSPICATUS 3300 MG/L

Section 13 Disposal Information

Disposal Methods:	Dispose in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations. Always contact a permitted waste disposer (TSD) to assure compliance.
Waste Disposal Code(s):	If discarded, this product is considered a RCRA ignitable waste, D001.

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Transport Information

Ground - DOT Proper Shipping Name:

UN1173
Ethyl Acetate
Class 3
P.G. II

Air - IATA Proper Shipping Name:

UN1173
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Regulatory Information

TSCA Status:

All components in this product are on the TSCA Inventory.

Chemical Name	CAS Number	§ 313 Name	§ 304 RQ	CERCLA RQ	§ 302 TPQ	CAA 112(2) TQ
Ethyl Acetate	141-78-6	No	No	5000 lb final RQ; 2270 kg final RQ	No	No

California Prop 65:

No California Proposition 65 ingredients

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Additional Information

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Glossary

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists	NTP	National Toxicology Program
CAS	Chemical Abstract Service Number	OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act	PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
DOT	U.S. Department of Transportation	ppm	Parts per million
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer	RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
N/A	Not Available	SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
		TLV	Threshold Limit Value
		TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
		IDLH	Immediately dangerous to life and health