

Product: Butyl Glycol

Technical Data Sheet

Property	Unit	Specification	Test Method
Purity	Wt %	Min 99.0	GC
Free Acid as Acetic Acid	Wt %	Max 0.010	ASTM D1613
Water Content	Wt %	Max 0.10	ASTM E203
Color (Pt - Co)		Max 10	ASTM D1209
Appearance		Clear	Visual

Description

Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether (EGMBE), also known as 2-butoxyethanol, butyl glycol, butyl cellosolve, butyl oxitol, is a colourless mild odour liquid. It is completely soluble in water, alcohol, oils, aliphatic and aromatic hydrocarbons. EGMBE has high solvency but relatively low evaporation rate.

Coatings and Inks

EGMBE is used as a solvent in nitrocellulose, ethyl cellulose, lacquers, paints, printing inks.

Other Applications

As raw material for production of plasticizers. Metal cleaning and degreasing agent, hydraulic fluids formulation.

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