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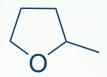
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#### **Chemical nature**

Chemical name: 2-Methyltetrahydrofuran

IUPAC name: 2-Methyloxolane

Synonyms: Tetrahydro-2-methylfuran, MeTHF

Molecular formula:  $C_5H_{10}O$  Molecular weight: 86.13 g/mol CAS number: 96-47-9 EC number: 202-507-4

**EU REACH** 

Registration number: 01-2119968920-28-XXXX (IFC)

01-2119968920-28-0009 (TFC)

## **Delivery specifications**

Parameter	Specification	Analysis method *
2-Methyltetrahydrofuran purity (excl. BHT) [%]	min. 99.9	AM 112
Butylated Hydroxytoluene (BHT) [ppm]	150 - 400	AM 131
Moisture content [wt%]	max. 0.03	AM 110
Peroxides (as H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> ) [ppm]	max. 15	AM 111
APHA colour	max. 20	AM 109

<sup>\*</sup> Available on request

## Physical data

Appearance: clear, colourless, transparent liquid

Odour: ether like
Boiling point: 78°C
Flash point (closed cup): -10°C
Melting point/freezing point: -136°C
Refractive Index (20°C): 1.405-1.407

Relative density (20°C/4°C): 0.84-0.86



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Viscosity (20°C): 0.576 mm<sup>2</sup>/s

Vapour pressure (25°C): 14 kPa
Evaporation rate (*n*-butylacetate = 1): 4.2
Auto-ignition temperature: 260°C
Latent heat of vaporization (20°C): 89.7 cal/g

Solubility in water (20°C): 14 wt% Solubility of water in MeTHF (20°C): 4.4 wt%

Partition coefficient *n*-octanol/water: 1.1

Water azeotrope boiling point: 71°C (89.4 wt% MeTHF, 10.6 wt% water)

Hansen solubility parameter:

Non-polar:
 Polar:
 Hydrogen bond:
 Total:
 Solubility of MgBr<sub>2</sub> (25°C):
 Dielectric constant (25°C):

Donicity: 18 kcal/mol

### **Applications**

Use as solvent in chemical synthesis, for grignard reactions or organometallic reactions Use in solvent recovery, as an extraction solvent

Use as additive in bio-fuels

## **Packaging**

Available in bulk (ISO container) and drum (170 kg net)

#### Shelf life

The product should be stored under ambient conditions (max. 25°C), protected from exposure to direct sunlight, heat sources and air. Storage under nitrogen atmosphere is recommended.

Shelf life: 24 months after production (with stabilizer)

#### Other information

UN number: 2536

ADR/ADN/RID hazard class: 3, code F1

IMDG hazard class: 3
ICAO hazard class: 3

HS code: 2932.1900



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