## ETHYL ACETATE

# **CAUTIONARY RESPONSE INFORMATION**

#### Common Synonyms

Acetic ester Acetic ether Acetic ether
Acetic acid, ethyl ester
Ethyl ethanoate
Vinegar naphtha

Pleasant fruity odor

Floats on water. Flammable, irritating vapor is produced.

Keep people away Avoid inhalation.

Shut off ignition sources and call fire department Stay upwind and use water spray to "knock down" vapor Avoid contact with liquid and vapor. Notify local health and pollution control agencies.

Fire

FI AMMARI F Flashback along vapor trail may occur.

Vapor may explode if ignited in an enclosed area. Extinguish with dry chemical, alcohol foam, or carbon dioxide.

Water may be ineffective on fire.
Cool exposed containers with water

**Exposure** 

CALL FOR MEDICAL AID.

VAPOR

Irritating to eyes, nose and throat.

If inhaled will cause headache, dizziness, nausea, or

loss of consciousness.

Move to fresh air.

If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

LIQUID

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Irritating to skin and eyes.
Harmful if swallowed.
Remove contaminated clothing and shoes.
Flush affected areas with plenty of water.
IF IN EYES, hold eyelids open and flush with plenty of water.
IF SWALLOWED and victim is CONSCIOUS, have victim drink water

Water **Pollution**  Effect of low concentrations on aquatic life is unknown. May be dangerous if it enters water intakes

Notify local health and wildlife officials.

Notify operators of nearby water intakes

#### 1. CORRECTIVE RESPONSE ACTIONS

Stop discharge

Collection Systems: Skim Salvage waterfowl

### 2. CHEMICAL DESIGNATIONS

- CG Compatibility Group: 34; Ester
- 2.2 Formula: CH3COOCH2CH3

- HO/UN Designation: 3.2/1173
  DOT ID No.: 1173
  CAS Registry No.: 141-78-6
  NAERG Guide No.: 129
  Standard Industrial Trade Classification: 51372

#### 3. HEALTH HAZARDS

- 3.1 Personal Protective Equipment: Organic vapor canister or air mask; goggles or face shield.
- 3.2 Symptoms Following Exposure: Headache, irritation of respiratory passages and eyes, dizziness and nausea, weakness, loss of consciousness.
  3.3 Treatment of Exposure: INHALATION: if victim is overcome, move him to fresh air immediately and
- call a physician; if breathing is irregular or stopped, start resuscitation and administer oxygen EYES: flush with water for at least 15 min.
- 3.4 TLV-TWA: 400 ppm 3.5 TI V-STEL: Not listed
- 3.6 TLV-Ceiling: Not listed.
- 3.7 Toxicity by Ingestion: Grade 2; LD50 = 0.5 to 5 g/kg
- 3.8 Toxicity by Inhalation: Currently not available.
- 3.9 Chronic Toxicity: Currently not available
- 3.10 Vapor (Gas) Irritant Characteristics: Vapors cause a slight smarting of the eyes or respiratory system if present in high concentrations. The effect is temporary.
   3.11 Liquid or Solid Characteristics: Minimum hazard. If spilled on clothing and allowed to remain, may
- cause smarting and reddening of the skin.
- 3.12 Odor Threshold: 1 ppm 3.13 IDLH Value: 2.000 ppm
- 3.14 OSHA PEL-TWA: 400 ppm
- 3.15 OSHA PEL-STEL: Not listed.
- 3.16 OSHA PEL-Ceiling: Not listed.
- 3 17 FPA AFGI · Not listed

#### 4. FIRE HAZARDS

- 4.1 Flash Point: 55°F O.C. 24°F C.C.
- 4.2 Flammable Limits in Air: 2.2%-9.0%
- **4.3 Fire Extinguishing Agents:** Alcohol foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemicals
- 4.4 Fire Extinguishing Agents Not to Be Used: Not pertinent
- 4.5 Special Hazards of Combustion Products: Not pertinent
- 4.6 Behavior in Fire: Not pertinent
- 4.7 Auto Ignition Temperature: 800°F 4.8 Electrical Hazards: Class I, group D
- 4.9 Burning Rate: 3.7 mm/min.
- 4.10 Adiabatic Flame Temperature: Currently not available
- 4.11 Stoichometric Air to Fuel Ratio: 23.8 (calc.)
- 4.12 Flame Temperature: Currently not available
- 4.13 Combustion Molar Ratio (Reactant to Product): 8.0 (calc.)
- 4.14 Minimum Oxygen Concentration for Combustion (MOCC): N<sub>2</sub> diluent: 11.2%

#### 5. CHEMICAL REACTIVITY

- 5.1 Reactivity with Water: No reaction
- 5.2 Reactivity with Common Materials: No
- 5.3 Stability During Transport: Stable
- 5.4 Neutralizing Agents for Acids and Caustics: Not pertinent
- 5.5 Polymerization: Not pertinent
- 5.6 Inhibitor of Polymerization: Not pertinent

#### 6. WATER POLLUTION

- 6.1 Aquatic Toxicity: Currently not available
- 6.2 Waterfowl Toxicity: Currently not
- Biological Oxygen Demand (BOD): (Theor.) 66%, 5 days
- 6.4 Food Chain Concentration Potential:
- 6.5 GESAMP Hazard Profile: Bioaccumulation: 0 Damage to living resources: 1 Human Oral hazard: 0 Human Contact hazard: 0

Reduction of amenities: 0

#### 7. SHIPPING INFORMATION

- 7.1 Grades of Purity: 85-100%
- 7.2 Storage Temperature: Ambient
- 7.3 Inert Atmosphere: No requirement
- 7.4 Venting: Open (flame arrester) or pressure-
- 7.5 IMO Pollution Category: D
- 7.6 Ship Type: Data not avaialable
- 7.7 Barge Hull Type: Currently not available

#### 8. HAZARD CLASSIFICATIONS

- 8.1 49 CFR Category: Flammable liquid
- 8 2 49 CFR Class: 3
- 8.3 49 CFR Package Group: II
- 8.4 Marine Pollutant: No 8.5 NFPA Hazard Classification:

Category Classification Health Hazard (Blue)....... 1 Flammability (Red)..... 3

- 8.6 EPA Reportable Quantity: 5000 pounds
- Instability (Yellow)..... 0
- 8.7 EPA Pollution Category: D 8.8 RCRA Waste Number: U112
- 8.9 EPA FWPCA List: Not listed

#### 9. PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL **PROPERTIES**

- 9.1 Physical State at 15° C and 1 atm: Liquid
- 9.2 Molecular Weight: 88.11
- 9.3 Boiling Point at 1 atm: 171°F = 77°C =
- 9.4 Freezing Point: -117°F = -83°C = 190°K
- **9.5 Critical Temperature:** 482.0°F = 250°C = 523.2°K
- 9.6 Critical Pressure: 558 psia = 38 atm = 3.8
- 9.7 Specific Gravity: 0.902 at 20°C (liquid)
- 9.8 Liquid Surface Tension: 24 dynes/cm = 0.024 N/m at 20°C
- 9.9 Liquid Water Interfacial Tension: 6.79 dynes/cm = 0.00679 N/m at 30°C 9.10 Vapor (Gas) Specific Gravity: 3.0
- 9.11 Ratio of Specific Heats of Vapor (Gas): 1.080
- 9.12 Latent Heat of Vaporization: 158 Btu/lb = 87.6 cal/g = 3.67 X 10<sup>5</sup> J/kg **9.13 Heat of Combustion:** -10,110 Btu/lb = -5616 cal/g = -235.1 X 10<sup>5</sup> J/kg
- 9.14 Heat of Decomposition: Not pertinent 9.15 Heat of Solution: Not pertinent
- 9.16 Heat of Polymerization: Not pertinent 9.17 Heat of Fusion: 28.43 cal/g
- 9.18 Limiting Value: Currently not available 9.19 Reid Vapor Pressure: 3.27 psia

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9.20 SATURATED LIQUID DENSITY		9.21 LIQUID HEAT CAPACITY		9.22 LIQUID THERMAL CONDUCTIVITY		9.23 LIQUID VISCOSITY	
Temperature (degrees F)	Pounds per cubic foot	Temperature (degrees F)	British thermal unit per pound-F	Temperature (degrees F)	British thermal unit inch per hour-square foot-F	Temperature (degrees F)	Centipoise
35 40 45 50 55 60 65 70 75 80 85 90 95 100	57.620 57.410 57.190 56.980 56.760 56.550 56.330 56.100 55.880 55.660 55.430 55.200 54.970 54.730	15 20 25 30 35 40 45 50 65 60 65 70 75 80 85 90 100 115 115 120 125 130 135 140	0.444 0.446 0.448 0.449 0.451 0.453 0.454 0.456 0.458 0.459 0.461 0.463 0.464 0.468 0.468 0.469 0.471 0.473 0.474 0.476 0.478 0.479 0.481 0.483 0.484 0.486	35 40 45 50 55 60 65 70 75 80 85 90 95 100 105 115 125 130 125 130	1.053 1.047 1.047 1.035 1.029 1.024 1.018 1.012 1.006 1.000 0.994 0.983 0.977 0.977 0.975 0.959 0.959 0.959 0.959	35 40 45 50 55 60 65 70 75 80 85 90 95 100 105 110 125 130 145 140 145 155	0.565 0.545 0.526 0.507 0.490 0.473 0.458 0.443 0.429 0.416 0.403 0.391 0.379 0.368 0.358 0.348 0.338 0.329 0.312 0.304 0.296 0.289 0.282 0.275

9.24 SOLUBILITY IN WATER		9.25 SATURATED VAPOR PRESSURE		9.26 SATURATED VAPOR DENSITY		9.27 IDEAL GAS HEAT CAPACITY	
Temperature (degrees F)	Pounds per 100 pounds of water	Temperature (degrees F)	Pounds per square inch	Temperature (degrees F)	Pounds per cubic foot	Temperature (degrees F)	British thermal unit per pound-F
68	8.700	70 75 80 85 90 95 100 105 115 120 125 130 145 145 155 160 165 170 175	1.452 1.666 1.905 2.174 2.475 2.811 3.186 3.602 4.064 4.575 5.140 5.764 6.450 7.205 8.034 8.941 9.934 11.020 12.200 13.490 14.880 16.400	70 75 80 85 90 95 100 105 115 120 135 136 145 155 160 175	0.02251 0.02557 0.02898 0.03277 0.03696 0.04160 0.04672 0.05236 0.05236 0.05855 0.06535 0.07279 0.08092 0.08979 0.09945 0.11000 0.12140 0.13370 0.14710 0.16160 0.17720 0.19400 0.21210	0 25 50 75 150 125 250 225 250 375 400 425 450 525 550 575 600	0.282 0.299 0.299 0.307 0.316 0.325 0.333 0.342 0.351 0.360 0.369 0.378 0.387 0.396 0.405 0.415 0.424 0.433 0.443 0.452 0.462 0.471 0.481 0.491 0.501