

Properties of Flammable Liquids and Gases

Name	Formula	TWA (OSHA PEL)	Flash Point F°		Explosive Limits		Ignition Temp., F°	Specific Gravity	Vapor Density
			Closed Cup	Open Cup	LEL %	UEL %			
1,3- Butadiene	CH <sub>2</sub> =CHCH=CH <sub>2</sub>	1 ppm	Gas	Gas	2.0	12.0	788	—	1.90
Acetaldehyde	CH <sub>3</sub> CHO	200 ppm	-38	.....	4.0	60.0	347	0.78	1.52
Acetic Acid (glacial)	CH <sub>3</sub> COOH	10 ppm	103	110	4.0	19.9	867	1.05	2.07
Acetone	CH <sub>3</sub> COCH <sub>3</sub>	1000 ppm	-4	15	2.5	13.0	869	0.79	2.00
Acetonitrile	CH <sub>3</sub> CN	40 ppm	.....	42	3	16	975	0.78	1.42
Acrylonitrile	CH <sub>2</sub> =CHCN	2 ppm	30	32	3.0	17.0	898	0.80	1.83
Ammonia (anhydrous)	NH <sub>3</sub>	50 ppm	Gas	Gas	15.0	28.0	1204	—	0.60
Amyl acetate-n	CH <sub>3</sub> COO(CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	100 ppm	77	.....	1.1	7.5	714	0.88	4.49
Amylamine (mono)	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>11</sub> NH <sub>2</sub>	—	30	45	2.2	22	.....	0.75	3.01
Benzene	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>6</sub>	1 ppm	12	.....	1.2	7.8	928	0.88	2.77
Butane-n	CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	—	-76	Gas	1.9	8.5	550	0.60	2.06
Butene-1	CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> CH=CH <sub>2</sub>	—	Gas	Gas	1.6	10.0	725	—	1.94
Butyl acetate-n	CH <sub>3</sub> COO(CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	150 ppm	72	98	1.7	7.6	797	0.88	4.00
Butyl alcohol-n	CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> OH	100 ppm	98	110	1.4	11.2	650	0.81	2.55
Butyl alcohol-sec	CH <sub>3</sub> CH(OH)CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	150 ppm	75	85	1.7 @ 212°F	9.8 @ 212°F	761	0.81	2.55
Butyl alcohol-tert	(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> COH	100 ppm	52	60	2.4	8.0	892	0.79	2.55
Cyclohexane	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>12</sub>	300 ppm	-4	.....	1.3	8	473	0.80	2.90
Decane-n	CH <sub>3</sub> (CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>8</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	—	115	.....	0.8	5.4	410	0.70	4.90
Diethyl ether	C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub> OC <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	400 ppm	-49	.....	1.9	36.0	356	0.72	2.55
Dimethylformamide	HCON(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	10 ppm	136	155	2.2 @ 212°F	15.2	833	0.90	2.52
Dimethylamine, anhydrous	(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> NH	10 ppm	Gas	Gas	2.8	14.4	752	—	1.60
Dioxane-p	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>10</sub> O <sub>2</sub>	100 ppm	54	65	2	22	356	1.0+	3.00
Dodecane-n	CH <sub>3</sub> (CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>10</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	—	165	.....	0.6	.....	397	0.75	5.86
Ethane	CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	—	Gas	Gas	3.0	12.5	882	.....	1.04
Ethyl alcohol	CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> OH	1000 ppm	55	71	3.3	19.0	685	0.79	1.59
Ethyl benzene	CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	100 ppm	70	75	0.8	6.7	810	0.87	3.66
Ethyl ether	C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub> OC <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	400 ppm	-49	.....	1.9	36.0	356	0.72	2.55
Ethylamine	CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> NH <sub>2</sub>	10 ppm	1	.....	3.5	14.0	725	0.80	1.60
Ethylene	H <sub>2</sub> C=CH <sub>2</sub>	—	Gas	Gas	2.7	36.0	842	.....	0.98
Ethylene oxide	C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub> O	1 ppm	-20	-4	3.0	100.0	1058	0.89	1.52
Formaldehyde gas	HCHO	.75 ppm	Gas	Gas	7.0	73.0	795	.....	1.00
Gasoline, aviation-commercial	—	.....	-50	.....	1.3	7.1	824	.....	.....
Gasoline, aviation-military	—	.....	-50	.....	1.2	7.1	880	.....	.....
Heptane-n	CH <sub>3</sub> (CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>5</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	500 ppm	25	30	1.1	6.7	399	0.70	3.50
Hexane-n	CH <sub>3</sub> (CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	500 ppm	-7	-14	1.1	7.5	437	0.70	3.00
Hydrogen	H <sub>2</sub>	—	Gas	Gas	4.0	75.0	932	.....	0.10

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Isoprene	CH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )CH=CH <sub>2</sub>	—	-65	.....	1.5	8.9	743	0.70	2.40
Isopropyl alcohol	[CH <sub>3</sub> ] <sub>2</sub> CHOH	400 ppm	53	60	2.0	12.7 @ 200°F	750	0.79	2.07
Isopropyl ether	[CH <sub>3</sub> ] <sub>2</sub> CHOCH[CH <sub>3</sub> ] <sub>2</sub>	500 ppm	-18	-15	1.4	7.9	830	0.73	3.52
Isopropylamine	[CH <sub>3</sub> ] <sub>2</sub> CHNH <sub>2</sub>	5 ppm	—	-35	—	—	756	0.69	2.00
*Jet fuel, JP-4*			-10 to +30	.....	1.3	8.0	464	—	—
Methane	CH <sub>4</sub>		Gas	Gas	5.0	15.0	999	.....	0.55
Methyl alcohol	CH <sub>3</sub> OH	200 ppm	52	54	6.0	36.0	867	0.79	1.11
Methyl ethyl ketone	CH <sub>3</sub> COCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	200 ppm	16	24	1.4 @ 200°F	11.4 @ 200°F	759	0.81	2.48
Methyl methacrylate	CH <sub>2</sub> =C(CH <sub>3</sub> )COOCH <sub>3</sub>	100 ppm	50	50	1.7	8.2	.....	0.94	3.60
Naphtha		100 ppm	-57	.....	1.1	5.9	550	0.60	2.5
Octane-n	CH <sub>3</sub> (CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>6</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	500 ppm	56	.....	1.0	6.5	403	0.70	3.86
Pentane-n	CH <sub>3</sub> (CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	1000 ppm	-57	.....	1.5	7.8	500	0.63	2.48
Propane	CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	1000 ppm	Gas	Gas	2.1	9.5	842	—	1.56
Propyl acetate-n	CH <sub>3</sub> COOCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	200 ppm	55	70	1.7 @ 100°F	8.0	842	0.89	3.52
Propyl alcohol-iso	[CH <sub>3</sub> ] <sub>2</sub> CHOH	400 ppm	53	60	2.0	12.7 @ 200°F	750	0.79	2.07
Propyl alcohol-n	CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> OH	200 ppm	74	77	2.2	13.7	775	0.80	2.07
Propylamine-n	CH <sub>3</sub> (CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> NH <sub>2</sub>	—	-35	.....	2.0	10.4	604	0.72	2.03
Propylbenzene-n	C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>7</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	—	86	.....	0.8	6	842	0.90	4.14
Propylene	CH <sub>2</sub> :CHCH <sub>3</sub>	—	Gas	Gas	2.0	11.1	851	—	1.49
Propylene oxide	C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>6</sub> O	100 ppm	-35	.....	2.3	36.0	840	0.83	2.00
Styrene	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub> CH=CH <sub>2</sub>	100 ppm	88	100	0.9	6.8	914	0.91	3.60
Tetradecane-n	CH <sub>3</sub> (CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>12</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	—	212	.....	0.5	.....	392	0.77	6.83
Tetrahydrofuran	C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>8</sub> O	200 ppm	6	.....	2.0	11.8	610	0.89	2.50
Tetrahydrofurfuryl alcohol	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>8</sub> OCH <sub>2</sub> OH	—	167	167	1.5	9.7	540	1.06	3.52
Toluene	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	200 ppm	40	45	1.1	7.1	896	0.87	3.14
Triethylamine	(C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> N	25 ppm	—	16	1.2	8.0	480	0.73	3.48
Trimethylamine	(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> N	—	Gas	Gas	2.0	11.6	374	—	2.03
Vinyl acetate	CH <sub>2</sub> =CHOOCCCH <sub>3</sub>	—	18	30	2.6	13.4	756	0.90	2.97
Vinyl Chloride	CH <sub>2</sub> =CHCl	1 ppm	—	-108.4	3.6	33.0	882	0.91	2.20
Vinyl ethyl ether	CH <sub>2</sub> =CHOC <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	—	<-50	.....	1.7	28.0	395	0.75	2.50
Xylene-m	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> (CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	100 ppm	81	.....	1.1	7.0	982	0.87	3.66
Xylene-o	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> (CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	100 ppm	90	.....	0.9	6.7	867	0.89	3.66
Xylene-p	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> (CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	100 ppm	81	.....	1.1	7.0	984	0.87	3.66