# **PROPLYENE GLYCOL (TECHNICAL)**



CAS Number: 57-55-6

Other Names: Propane-1,2-diol; α-Propylene glycol;

1,2-Propanediol; 1,2-Dihydroxypropane; Methyl ethyl glycol; Methylethylene glycol

Formula: C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>8</sub>O<sub>2</sub>

## **PRODUCT INTRODUCTION**

Propylene Glycol is a propanediol having chemical formula  $C_3H_8O_2$ . It is colourless, viscous, hygroscopic, low-melting and high-boiling liquid with low toxicity, it is used as a solvent, emulsifying agent, and antifreeze.

## PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	Colorless Transparent Liquid
Purity	99.87 %
Moisture	0.07
Distillation Range	184-187.4 °C
Density (20/20°C)	1.039
Colour	3
Refractive Index	1.430

## **APPLICATION**

- Propylene Glycol most important application is as a feedstock in the production of unsaturated polyester resins.
- It is a component of high-performance reinforced plastic laminates, gel coats, and sheet molding compounds, among other goods.
- Manufacturers use PG as a solvent, chemical intermediary, and heat transfer medium.
- It can be found in commodities such as engine coolants, polyester resins, and latex paints, as well as in airplane deicing fluid, plasticizers, lubricants, and more.
- Technical-grade PG is a component of many commercial paints and varnishes, where it acts as an intermediate, and cleaners and laundry detergents, where it is a stabilizer.

### **PACKAGING OPTIONS**

Drums