PHENOL

CAS Number: 108-95-2

Other Names: Benzenol; Carbolic acid; Phenylic acid; Hydroxybenzene;

Phenic acid

Formula: C₆H₆O or C₆H₅OH



Phenol is an organic hydroxy compound. Solution may be colorless to slightly pink in color with a distinctive phenol odor and sharp burning taste. It is an important industrial commodity as a precursor to many materials and useful compounds.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	Pass
Freeze Point	40.8°C
Color APHA	3.8
Water	0.0074 %wt.
Miscibility in water	Pass
Purity (GC)	99.9953 %wt.

APPLICATION

- Phenol is used as a precursor for cyclohexanone, plastics, nonionic detergents and pharmaceutical drugs like aspirin.
- It acts as an anesthetic in chloraseptic.
- It reacts with acetone to get bisphenol-A which is used in the synthesis of poly carbonates and epoxide resins.
- It is also used in the manufacture of synthetic resins, dyes, pharmaceuticals, synthetic tanning agents, perfumes, lubricating oils and solvents.
- In molecular biology, it is used in the extraction of nucleic acid from tissues by using the liquid/liquid phenol-chloroform extraction technique.



- It is an active component of paint strippers which are used for the removal of epoxy and polyurethane.
- It is also used in the preparation of cosmetics, hair colors and skin lightening preparations.
- In the field of medicine, its spray is useful in helping sore throat.

PACKAGING OPTIONS

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