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Comparative Solvents Data

A high-speed photograph of water being poured from a glass tube into a pool of water, creating a large splash and ripples. The water is clear and the background is a light blue gradient.

JEFFSOL[®] Alkylene Carbonates

In this brochure, you will find data on more than 270 solvents, including several produced by Huntsman Corporation. The solvents are listed in alphabetical order for easy reference, with Huntsman Corporation products printed in red.

Solvents examined in this study include JEFFSOL® Ethylene Carbonate (EC), JEFFSOL® Propylene Carbonate (PC), JEFFSOL® EC-25, EC-50, and EC-75 (blends of ethylene and propylene carbonate), and JEFFSOL® Butylene Carbonate (BC). All these alkylene carbonates are cyclic organic esters manufactured by Huntsman Corporation. They are excellent solvents for many organic and inorganic materials. Their solvent properties, high flash points, and low toxicity make them particularly attractive choices for many solvent applications today.

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Compound	Molecular Weight	Density, 25°C, g/ml	Flash Point, CC, °F	Normal Boiling Point, 760 mm Hg, °C	Evaporation Rate ¹		Viscosity, 25°C, cp	Surface Tension, 25°C, dynes/cm		Hydrogen Bonding Group ²	Molar Volume, cc/gM	Solubility Parameters ³				CAS Registry Number
					NBAC=1.00	Source ²		SPo	SPd			SPp	SPh			
Acetic Acid	60.05	1.045	104	116-118	1.34	HC	1.15	27.09	S	57.5	10.5	7.1	3.9	6.6	64-19-7	
Acetone	58.08	0.787	0	56	6.06	HC	0.31	22.86	M	74.0	9.8	7.6	5.1	3.4	67-64-1	
Acetonitrile	41.05	0.782	42	82	2.33	HC	0.34	28.92	P	52.9	11.9	7.5	8.8	3.0	75-05-8	
Acetophenone	120.15	1.026	180	202	0.032	HC	1.62	38.87	M	117.1	10.6	9.6	4.2	1.8	98-86-2	
Acrylonitrile	53.06	0.802	32	77	3.31	HC	0.33	26.67	P	66.2	12.1	8.0	8.5	3.3	107-13-1	
Allyl alcohol	58.08	0.850	72	96-98	1.00	HC	1.26	25.52	S	68.3	12.6	7.9	5.3	8.2	107-18-6	
N-(2-Aminoethyl)piperazine	129.21	0.980	200	218-222	0.007	HC	11.80	42.68	S	131.8	10.5	7.6	5.7	4.4	140-31-8	
n-Amyl acetate	130.18	0.872	75	142	0.40	EA	0.86	25.07	M	150.7	9.0	7.9	1.0	4.2	628-63-7	
t-Amyl alcohol (2-methyl-2-butanol)	88.15	0.801	70	102	0.93	AS	3.66	22.30	S	109.2	10.3	6.7	4.9	6.1	75-85-4	
Aniline	93.13	1.018	158	184	0.048	HC	3.75	41.95	S	91.5	11.1	9.5	2.5	5.1	62-53-3	
Anisole (methoxybenzene)	108.14	0.991	125	154	0.322	HC	1.01	34.47	M	109.1	13.0	8.7	2.0	9.5	100-66-3	
Benzene	78.11	0.870	12	80	3.50	AS	0.61	28.21	P	89.4	9.1	9.0	0.0	1.0	71-43-2	
Benzonitrile	103.12	1.006	161	188	0.065	HC	1.24	39.02	P	102.5	9.7	8.5	4.4	1.6	100-47-0	
Benzyl alcohol	108.14	1.041	213	205	0.007	HC	5.43	38.60	S	103.9	11.6	9.0	3.1	6.7	100-51-6	
Biphenyl (mp 69-72°C)	154.21	0.989	235	255	NA ^a	—	0.95 ^b	32.20 ^b	P	155.9	10.6	10.5	0.5	1.0	92-52-4	
BM (1-methoxy-2-butanol)	104.15	0.909	104	135	0.384	HC	1.97	26.53	M	114.6	11.0	8.1	2.7	6.9	3085-35-6	
iso-Butyl acetate	116.16	0.864	71	115-117	1.50	AS	0.67	23.20	M	133.5	8.2	7.4	1.8	3.1	110-19-0	
n-Butyl acetate	116.16	0.878	72	124-126	1.00	AS	0.68	24.81	M	132.5	8.5	7.7	1.8	3.1	123-86-4	
iso-Butyl alcohol	74.12	0.799	99	108	0.64	AS	3.42	22.40	S	92.8	11.1	7.4	2.8	7.8	78-83-1	
n-Butyl alcohol	74.12	0.806	95	117-118	0.44	AS	2.62	23.35	S	91.5	11.3	7.8	2.8	7.7	71-36-3	
sec-Butyl alcohol	74.12	0.804	80	98	0.897	HC	2.93	22.45	S	92.0	10.8	7.7	2.8	7.1	15892-23-6	
t-Butyl alcohol (mp 25°C)	74.12	0.782	40	83	0.95	HC	3.35	20.05	S	94.8	11.1	7.4	2.8	7.4	75-65-0	
n-Butylamine	73.14	0.737	6	78	3.59	HC	0.47	23.96	S	99.2	9.1	7.9	2.2	3.9	109-73-9	
n-Butyl benzyl phthalate	312.37	1.096	390	370	<0.001	HC	44.30	40.17	M	285.0	10.9	9.3	5.5	1.5	85-68-7	
iso-Butyl iso-butyrate	144.22	0.851	99	147-148	0.48	AS	0.84	22.30	M	166.0	8.1	7.4	1.4	2.9	97-85-8	
1,2-Butylene carbonate (JEFFSOL® BC)	116.12	1.141	275	251	<0.005	HC	3.15	38.1	M	101.8	12.1	8.3	3.0	4.8	4437-85-8	
iso-Butyl heptyl ketone	184.32	0.817	189	213-224	0.01	UC	1.73	25.10	M	224.6	8.0	7.2	2.9	1.8	19594-40-2	
n-Butyl lactate	146.19	0.980	157	185-187	0.036	HC	3.22	28.00	S	149.2	9.7	7.7	3.2	5.0	138-22-7	
n-Butyl stearate	340.59	0.857	320	350	<0.005	HC	8.26	33.20	M	397.4	7.5	7.1	1.8	1.7	123-95-5	
gamma-Butyrolactone	86.09	1.117	209	204-205	0.030	HC	1.73	40.43	M	77.1	12.8	9.3	8.1	3.6	96-48-0	

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²See page 7 for explanation of abbreviations.

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^aNot applicable — material is a solid at 25°C. ^b75°C.

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					25°C, NBAC=1.00	Source ²					SPo	SPd	SPp	SPh	
alpha-Terpineol (+11° rotation)	154.25	0.932	193	217-218	0.006	HC	39.23	30.90	S	166.0	9.3	6.8	3.9	5.0	98-55-5
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	167.85	1.582	None	147	0.68	HC	1.64	35.24	P	105.2	10.6	9.2	2.5	4.6	79-34-5
Tetrachloroethylene	165.83	1.619	None	121	2.59	HC	0.84	31.59	P	101.1	9.9	9.3	3.2	1.4	127-18-4
Tetraethylene glycol	194.23	1.121	350	314	<0.01	AS	44.60	45.12	S	173.3	11.9	8.1	2.8	8.2	112-60-7
Tetraglyme (tetraethylene glycol dimethyl ether)	222.28	1.005	285	275-276	—	—	3.43	33.9	M	221.2	8.7	7.7	1.0	4.0	143-24-8
Tetrahydrofuran	72.10	0.882	1	67	6.30	EA	0.46	26.50	M	81.7	9.5	8.2	2.8	3.9	109-99-9
Tetrahydrofurfuryl alcohol	102.13	1.050	183	178	0.04	HC	5.35	37.00	S	97.3	13.5	9.8	5.0	7.8	97-99-4
Tetralin	132.21	0.969	171	207	0.035	HC	2.01	33.16	P	136.4	9.8	9.6	1.0	1.4	119-64-2
Tetramethyl urea	116.16	0.967	150	177	0.09	HC	1.41	32.90	M	120.4	10.6	8.2	4.0	5.4	632-22-4
Toluene	92.14	0.863	40	111	2.00	AS	0.57	28.16	P	106.8	8.9	8.8	0.7	1.0	108-88-3
Toluene diisocyanate	174.20	1.212	194	250	<0.01	HC	3.00	50.81	S	143.7	11.6	7.5	8.0	3.8	26417-62-5
TPM (tripropylene glycol methyl ether)	206.29	0.961	237	236-251	<0.01	AR	5.64	29.35	M	214.1	9.5	7.4	2.0	5.7	20324-33-8
Tri-n-butyl phosphate	266.32	0.975	380	182 ^w	<0.001	HC	3.37	27.77	M	273.1	8.8	8.0	3.1	2.1	126-73-8
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	133.42	1.334	None	74-76	6.00	EA	0.80	25.14	P	100.4	8.9	8.3	2.1	1.0	71-55-6
1,1,2-Trichloroethylene	131.39	1.460	None	87	6.39	HC	0.53	29.04	P	90.0	9.3	8.8	1.5	2.6	79-01-6
Trichlorofluoromethane	137.37	1.480	None	23.7	19.40	HC	0.42	18.86	P	92.8	7.6	7.5	1.0	0.0	75-69-4
1,1,2-Trichlorotrifluoroethane (Freon 113)	187.38	1.571	None	47-48	21.00	HC	0.74	17.82	P	119.3	7.2	7.2	0.8	0.0	76-13-1
Tricresyl phosphate (90%)	368.37	1.140	230	265 ^x	<0.005	HC	71.70	44.31	M	323.1	11.3	9.3	6.0	2.2	1330-78-5
1-Tridecanol	200.37	0.819	>230	156 ^y	<0.008	HC	23.23	29.98	S	244.6	8.4	7.0	1.5	4.4	112-70-9
Triethanolamine (TEA)	149.19	1.120	365	190^z	<0.005	HC	607.70	46.07	S	133.2	14.3	8.3	4.3	10.8	102-71-6
Triethylene glycol	150.17	1.121	330	285-287	<0.005	HC	39.51	45.13	S	134.0	13.5	7.8	6.1	9.1	112-27-6
Triethyl phosphate	182.16	1.068	240	215	0.014	HC	1.56	28.98	S	170.6	10.9	8.2	5.6	4.5	78-40-0
Triglyme (triethylene glycol dimethyl ether)	178.23	0.982	23	216	—	—	1.96	31.3	M	181.5	8.7	7.7	1.1	4.0	112-49-2
2,2,4-Trimethylpentane	114.23	0.688	18	98-99	3.63	HC	0.48	18.32	P	166.0	7.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	540-84-1
Trimethyl phosphate	140.08	1.195	245	197	0.043	HC	1.99	36.96	M	117.2	12.4	8.2	7.8	5.0	512-56-1
Tripropylene glycol	192.26	1.016	>280	268	<0.005	HC	55.05	33.70	S	189.2	10.6	7.1	2.3	7.6	85550-18-1
Turpentine (alpha-pinene, +/-, racemic)	136.24	0.854	90	155-156	0.41	HC	1.32	27.60	P	159.5	7.9	7.6	2.1	0.0	2437-95-8
Water	18.02	0.997	None	100	0.36	AS	0.90	72.00	S	18.0	23.4	7.6	7.8	20.7	7732-18-5
Xylene (mixed isomers)	106.16	0.856	85	135-143	0.77	AS	0.63	27.63	P	121.9	9.9	9.8	0.9	1.2	1330-20-7
o-Xylene	106.16	0.871	90	143-145	0.54	HC	0.75	29.48	P	121.9	9.0	8.3	3.7	0.0	95-47-6
p-Xylene	106.16	0.859	81	138	0.72	HC	0.60	27.76	P	123.6	8.8	8.1	3.4	1.0	106-42-3

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^w22 mm Hg. ^x10 mm Hg. ^y13 mm Hg. ^z5 mm Hg.

NOTES:

Evaporation rate data sources are indicated by the following abbreviations:

- AR — Arco (Lyondell).
- AS — ASTM book, test D3539.
- DO — Dow.
- DU — Du Pont.
- EA — Eastman.
- EX — Exxon.
- HC — Huntsman Corporation.
- UC — Union Carbide.

Hydrogen bonding groups are indicated by the following abbreviations:

- M — Moderately hydrogen bonded solvents (ketones, esters, ethers and glycol monoethers).
- P — Poorly hydrogen bonded solvents (hydrocarbons and halo-, nitro-, and cyano-substituted hydrocarbons).
- S — Strongly hydrogen bonded solvents (alcohols, amines, acids, amides, and aldehydes).

Hansen solubility parameters SPd, SPp, and SPh (cal^{1/2} cm^{-3/2}) were obtained from the following references:

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