Acetic Acid CAS Number: 64-19-7 EC Number: 200-580-7

Acetic Acid is the main component of vinegar and has a distinctive sour taste and pungent smell. Acetic Acid solution is a hydrophilic solvent, similar to ethanol. With a moderate relative static permittivity, it dissolves not only polar compounds but also non-polar compounds Inc. oils and elements such as sulphur and iodine.



Acetic Acid is also used as a primary component in the manufacture of Peracetic Acid.

CHEMICAL FORMULA CH3CO2H

APPEARANCE Colourless

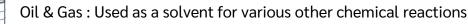
OTHER NAMES Ethanoic acid

<u>STRENGTH</u> 40%, 60%, 80%, Glacial

APPLICATIONS



Cleaning & Detergents : olds various applications within household detergents including descaling agents



Other Applications :

- Used as a preservative
- Used as a de-icing agent for airport runways
- Commonly in the manufacture of rubber, plastics, acetate fibres, pharmaceuticals, perfumes and photographic chemicals
- Used is the production of Vinyl Acetate monomer

