Technical data sheet



# **PNB: 3-BUTOXYPROPAN-2-OL**

## Description

PNB is a glycol ether with a wide variety of applications and its range of uses encompasses both personal care and industrial sectors.

Product/Trade Name	: Dowanol PNB
Chemical Name	: Propylene glycol n-butyl ether
Chemical formula	: C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>9</sub> OCH <sub>2</sub> CH(CH <sub>3</sub> )OH
CAS No.	: 5131-66-8

### **Typical Physical Properties**

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Appearance	: Clear colourless liquid
Colour	: <15 on Platinum- Cobalt scale
Water content	: <0.15%
Specific Gravity	: 0.878 at 20°C
Acidity	: max 0.01% as acetic acid
Solubility of PNB in water	: 5.5 wt% at 25°C
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Evaporation rate	: 0.093 (where butyl acetate =1.0)
Flash point PMCC	: 62.5°C

### Handling

Wear eye protection. Avoid ingestion. Keep off skin. See safety data sheet.

### Packaging

PNB is available in non-returnable plastic drums of 5, 25 and 200 litres capacity and in IBC's.

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