



**PRODUCT NAME: RE:CHEMISTRY SOLVE100** 

**CAS Reg. No.:** 539-88-8

**INCI NAME:** Ethyl Levulinate

# **DESCRIPTION:**

Pure Ester-based Solvent.

- 100% Biogenic Carbon according to ASTM D6866-20.
- Readily biodegradable.
- Non-flammable and Low volatile.
- Classified as Non-corrosive, Non-sensitising and Non-toxic.
- Miscible in conventional organic solvents and water.
- Ethyl Levulinate is a GRAS (Generally Recognized As Safe) rated substance by FEMA and listed as Solvent in the Safer Chemical Ingredients List of US EPA Safer Choice.

# **PERFORMANCE:**

- Sustainable replacement for many commonly used solvents.
- Strong polymer solvency able to dissolve a broad range of polymeric binders making it an ideal carrier solvent or powerful component for resin clean-up and removal operations.
- Outstanding performance as a degreasing agent, bringing strong solvency across a broad range of organic residues.

# **APPLICATIONS:**

- Agrochemistry
- Air care, Home care, and Industrial cleaning
- CASE

# **PHYSICO-CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:**

PROPERTY	UNIT	RESULT
APPEARANCE	-	Clear liquid
AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE	°C	460 at 1002.4 mbar
BOILING POINT	°C	205.8
COLOUR	-	Colourless to pale yellow
DENSITY (20 °C)	g/ml	1.012
EVAPORATION RATE (n-BUTYL ACETATE = 1) 1	-	< 0.01
FLASH POINT (CLOSED CUP)	°C	90
HSP (25 °C)	-	-
DISPERSION (δD)	(J/cm <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>1/2</sup>	14.60
POLAR (δP)	(J/cm <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>1/2</sup>	10.46

PROPERTY	UNIT	RESULT
HYDROGEN BONDING (δH)	(J/cm <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>1/2</sup>	6.98
MELTING POINT / FREEZING POINT	°C	<-60
MIR VALUE <sup>2</sup>	g O₃/g VOC	1.07
MOLECULAR	-	-
FORMULA	-	C <sub>7</sub> H <sub>12</sub> O <sub>3</sub>
WEIGHT	g/mol	144.17
PARTITION COEFFICIENT / LOG P (20 °C)	-	0.324
SOLUBILITY IN WATER (20 °C)	g/l	170.7
SURFACE TENSION (20 °C)	dyn/cm	33.25
VAPOUR PRESSURE <sup>3</sup>	-	-
20 °C	kPa	0.0117
25 °C	kPa	0.0183
VISCOSITY (DYNAMIC) (20 °C)	mPa∙s	2.146
VISCOSITY (KINEMATIC) (20 °C)	mm²/s	2.119

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 1}\text{According to ASTM D3539}.$ 

**SHELF LIFE AND STORAGE:** The Product has a shelf life of 730 days from the date of manufacture when stored in the original unopened containers in normal conditions.

# **COMPATIBILITY:**

MATERIAL	COMPATIBILITY	MATERIAL	COMPATIBILITY
ABS		NITRILE RUBBER	
ACRYLIC		NYLON	
ADMIRALTY BRASS (CDA443)		POLYETHYLENE TEREPHTALATE	
ALUMINIUM (Al2024 - T3)		POLYPROPYLENE	
ALUMINIUM (Al5083)		POLYVINYLCHLORIDE (PVC)	
ALUMINIUM (Al7075 - T6)		PVA	
BUTYL RUBBER		PVDF	
CHLORINATED PVC		SAN GRADE 1	
CLAD ALUMINIUM (Al2024 - T3)		SAN GRADE 2	
CLAD ALUMINIUM (Al7075 - T6)		SAN GRADE 3	
COPPER (CDA110)		SBR	
EPDM		SILICONE	
GALVANIZED MILD STEEL (C1010)		STAINLESS STEEL (304L)	
GALVANIZED STEEL (G90)		STAINLESS STEEL (316L)	
HIGH DENSITY POLYETHYLENE		TEFLON	
LDPE		TYGON	
NEOPRENE		VITON	

Low (red / orange) to medium (yellow) and high compatibility (light / dark green).

 $<sup>^2</sup>$  MIR = Maximum Incremental Reactivity (calculated).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Calculated.