

## **4. CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL INFORMATION**

### **4.1 CHEMICAL IDENTITY**

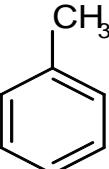
Information regarding the chemical identity of toluene is located in Table 4-1.

### **4.2 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Information regarding the physical and chemical properties of toluene is located in Table 4-2.

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**Table 4-1. Chemical Identity of Toluene**

Characteristic	Information	Reference
Chemical name	Toluene	HSDB 2010
Synonym(s)	Methylbenzene; phenylmethane; benzene, methyl-; toluol; methylbenzol	Haynes et al. 2013; HSDB 2010
Registered trade name(s)	Methacide; Antisal 1A	HSDB 2010
Chemical formula	C <sub>7</sub> H <sub>8</sub>	Haynes et al. 2013; HSDB 2010
Chemical structure		Haynes et al. 2013; HSDB 2010
Identification numbers:		
CAS registry	108-88-3	Haynes et al. 2013
NIOSH RTECS	XS5250000	RTECS 2014
EPA hazardous waste	U220	HSDB 2010
OHM/TADS	7216928	NFPA 1994
DOT/UN/NA/IMCO shipping	UN 1294	HSDB 2010
IMCO	3.2	HSDB 2010
HSDB	131	HSDB 2010
NCI	CO7272	HSDB 2010

CAS = Chemical Abstracts Services; DOT/UN/NA/IMCO = Department of Transportation/United Nations/North America/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code; EPA = Environmental Protection Agency; HSDB = Hazardous Substances Data Bank; NCI = National Cancer Institute; NIOSH = National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; NFPA = National Fire Protection Association; OHM/TADS = Oil and Hazardous Materials/Technical Assistance Data System; RTECS = Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances

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**Table 4-2. Physical and Chemical Properties of Toluene**

Property	Information	Reference
Molecular weight	92.13	Fabri et al. 2012
Color	Colorless	Haynes et al. 2013
Physical state	Liquid	Haynes et al. 2013
Melting point	-94.991°C	Fabri et al. 2012
Boiling point	110.625°C	Fabri et al. 2012
Density:		
at 20°C	0.8631 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	Fabri et al. 2012
Vapor density	3.1 (air=1)	HSDB 2010
Odor	Sweet, pungent, benzene-like odor	HSDB 2010
Odor threshold:		
Water	0.024–0.17 mg/L	WHO 2004
Air	2.14 ppm (8 mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	HSDB 2010
Solubility:		
Water at 25°C	526 mg/L	HSDB 2010
Organic solvent(s)	Miscible with alcohol, chloroform, ether, acetone, glacial acetic acid, and carbon disulfide	HSDB 2010
Partition coefficients:		
Log K <sub>ow</sub>	2.73	HSDB 2010
Log K <sub>oc</sub>	1.57–2.25	HSDB 2010
Vapor pressure at 25°C	28.4 mm Hg	HSDB 2010
Henry's law constant:	6.64x10 <sup>-3</sup> atm·m <sup>3</sup> /mol	HSDB 2010
Autoignition temperature	480°C (896°F)	HSDB 2010
Flashpoint	4°C (40°F, closed cup); 16°C (open cup)	HSDB 2010
Flammability limits	1.1–7.1%	HSDB 2010
Conversion factors ppm (v/v) to mg/m <sup>3</sup> in air (20°C)	1 ppm=3.76 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	HSDB 2010
Explosive limits	1.27% lower limit	Fabri et al. 2012; HSDB 2010

v/v = volume for volume