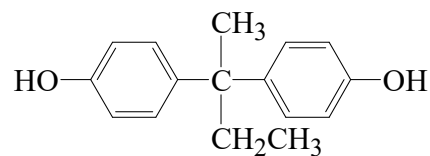




>>Entry Name: 2,2-Bis(4-hydroxyphenyl)butane

Synonym(s): 4,4'-(1-Methylpropylidene)bisphenol, 9Cl. 4,4'-*sec*-Butylidenediphenol, 8Cl. Bisphenol B



CAS Registry Number: 77-40-7

Molecular Formula: C₁₆H₁₈O₂

Molecular Weight: 242.317

Accurate Mass: 242.13068

Percentage Composition: C 79.31%; H 7.49%; O 13.21%

Use/Importance: Used in the manuf. of polyesters and polycarbonates, and in prepn. of diazo dyes; antioxidant for rubbers; component of photochromic, thermal printing, electrophotographic and electrorecording compositions

Physical Description: Needles or prisms (C₆H₆/petrol)

Melting Point: Mp 124-125°

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>>Derivative: Dibenzoyl

Molecular Formula: C₃₀H₂₆O₄

Molecular Weight: 450.533

Accurate Mass: 450.18311

Percentage Composition: C 79.98%; H 5.82%; O 14.20%

Melting Point: Mp 143°

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