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## Dehydrated Alcohol

### Final Authorized Version 1.0

C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>OH                    46.07

Ethanol;

Ethyl alcohol [64-17-5].

#### DEFINITION

Dehydrated Alcohol contains NLT 99.2% by weight, corresponding to NLT 99.5% by volume, at 15.56°, of C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>OH.

#### IDENTIFICATION

- **A. SPECIFIC GRAVITY <841>** <sup>[1]</sup>: NMT 0.7962 at 15.56°, indicating NLT 99.2% of C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>OH by weight
- **B. SPECTROPHOTOMETRIC IDENTIFICATION TESTS** <sup>[2]</sup>, *Infrared Absorption* <197S...

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