## Molecule Monday

$$H_3C$$
 $CH_3$ 
 $C$ 
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## Names

- Methyl butyrate
- Methyl butanoate
- ▶ Butanoic acid methyl ester
- Methyl butyrate
- ▶ Butyric acid methyl ester

## **PROPERTIES**

- Clear colorless liquid
- ► Flash point 57°F
- Less dense than water
- ► Slightly soluble in water
- ► Floats on water
- Vapors heavier than air.

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