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Polyvinyl Alcohol,

$(C_2H_4O)_n$ CAS RN[®]: 9002-89-5.—White powder. Soluble in water; insoluble in organic solvents.

- **pH (791)**: 5.0–8.0, in a solution (1 in 25)
- **Loss on Drying**: Dry at 110° to constant weight. It loses NMT 5% of its weight.
- **Residue on Ignition**: NMT 0.75%

[NOTE—Suitable grades are available as catalog number U232 from www.avantormaterials.com, catalog number 151940 from www.mpbio.com, and catalog number 114266 from www.emdmillipore.com.]

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