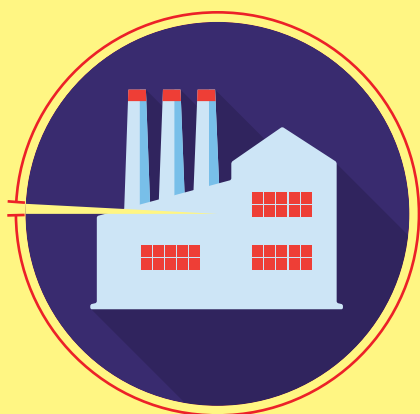
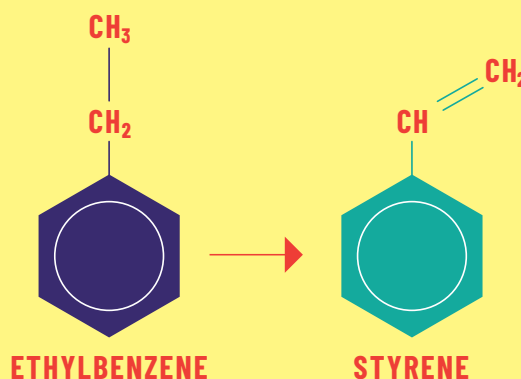


**Ethylbenzene** is a clear, flammable liquid with an odor similar to gasoline.



**99%**

of man-made ethylbenzene is used to create styrene.



**Styrene is essential to the creation of many useful consumer products, including:**

- Showers/bathtubs
- Household appliances
- Watercraft & flotation devices
- Automobile parts and tires
- Food packaging & containers
- Carpet backing
- Medical supplies
- Building insulation
- Safety products
- Septic tanks



**Ethylbenzene is also present in crude oil, some natural gas streams, and coal tar.**

It is a component of auto and aviation fuels and mixed with xylenes to produce many household sprays, paints, adhesives, cleaners, and dyes.

