Esters

Table of esters and their smells

from the alcohol (first word)

from the carboxylic acid (second word)

	methyl 1 carbon	**ethyl** 2 carbons	**propyl** 3 carbons	2-methyl propyl-	**butyl** 4 carbons	**pentyl** 5 carbons	**hexyl** 6 carbons	benzyl benzene ring	**heptyl** 7 carbons	**octyl** 8 carbons	**nonyl** 9 carbons
methanoate 1 carbon	ETHEREAL	BACARDÍ		ETHEREAL							?
ethanoate 2 carbons											
propanoate 3 carbons											?
2-methyl propanoate 4 carbons, branched		ETHEREAL	BACARDÍ								?
butanoate 4 carbons											?
pentanoate 5 carbons					ETHEREAL					?	?
hexanoate 6 carbons											
benzanoate benzene ring										?	
heptanoate 7 carbons						?					?
salicylate from salicylic acid					STRONG			DIFFERENT PEOPLE PERCEIVE DIFFERENT AROMAS!	?		?
octanoate 8 carbons											
nonanoate 9 carbons										?	
cinnamate											?
decanoate 10 carbons							?	?	?	?	?