

## acetylates

Compounds arising by replacement of one or both hydrogen atoms of acetylene (ethyne) by a metal or other cationic group. E.g.  $\text{NaC}\equiv\text{CH}$  monosodium acetylide. By extension, analogous compounds derived from terminal acetylenes,  $\text{RC}\equiv\text{CH}$ .

**Source:**

PAC, 1995, 67, 1307 (*Glossary of class names of organic compounds and reactivity intermediates based on structure (IUPAC Recommendations 1995)*) on page 1311