

bisphenols

By usage, the methylenediphenols, $\text{HOC}_6\text{H}_4\text{CH}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{OH}$, commonly *p,p*-methylenediphenol, and their substitution products (generally derived from condensation of two equivalent amounts of a phenol with an aldehyde or ketone).

Source:

PAC, 1995, 67, 1307 (*Glossary of class names of organic compounds and reactivity intermediates based on structure (IUPAC Recommendations 1995)*) on page 1323