

Video: Popping balloons with style

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Credit: The American Chemical Society

Orange peels contain limonene, and this chemical is the key to a party trick in which you can pop a balloon with a twist.

Limonene is an exceptionally good [solvent](#) for the rubber in [balloons](#), but some other solvents can do it too.

In this video, Reactions explains why only some chemicals can burst

your bubble (or balloon):

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