

**ABSTRACT**

[Problem to be solved] To provide a traceable vinyl acetate, a polymer containing the vinyl acetate, and a vinyl alcohol polymer which is a saponified product of the polymer.

[Solution] Vinyl acetate having a ratio of carbon-14 to total carbon of  $1.0 \times 10^{-14}$  or more, a vinyl acetate polymer containing the vinyl acetate as a monomer unit and a vinyl alcohol polymer obtained by saponifying the vinyl acetate polymer.