

Reproducible, Environmentally Friendly Solvent Concentrations

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As the US EPA "*Solvent Emission Reduction Program*" becomes more regulated on the amount of solvent that is emitted per year, it is extremely important to collect and recover solvent when concentrating environmental samples. This makes it more critical than ever to utilize a parallel evaporator that is capable of collecting up to 95% of the evaporated solvents. Traditional solvent concentration techniques such as N₂ blow-down and Kuderna-Danish (KD) lack the ability to recover the evaporated solvent, exposing users to hazardous emissions and high EPA fines. Join this presentation to discover why several state regulators recommend a solvent vapor recovery (SVR-N) for the concentrations of environmental samples.