



DEFINING THE DESIGN OF YOUR LABORATORY: THE POSSIBILITIES THROUGH FILTRATION

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What we will cover today:

- > How Expensive is your air?
- > The cascade effect of filtration
- > Carbon footprint reduction
- > Let's talk ZNE
- > Tradition vs. Change
- > How to create safety through an ecosystem of filtration
- > SAFETY



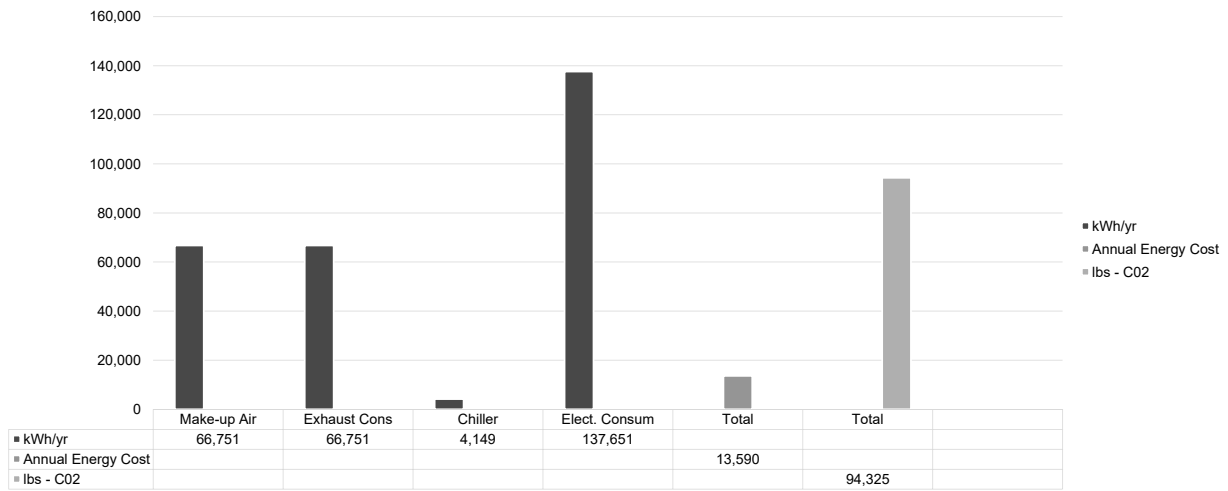
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How Expensive is Your Air



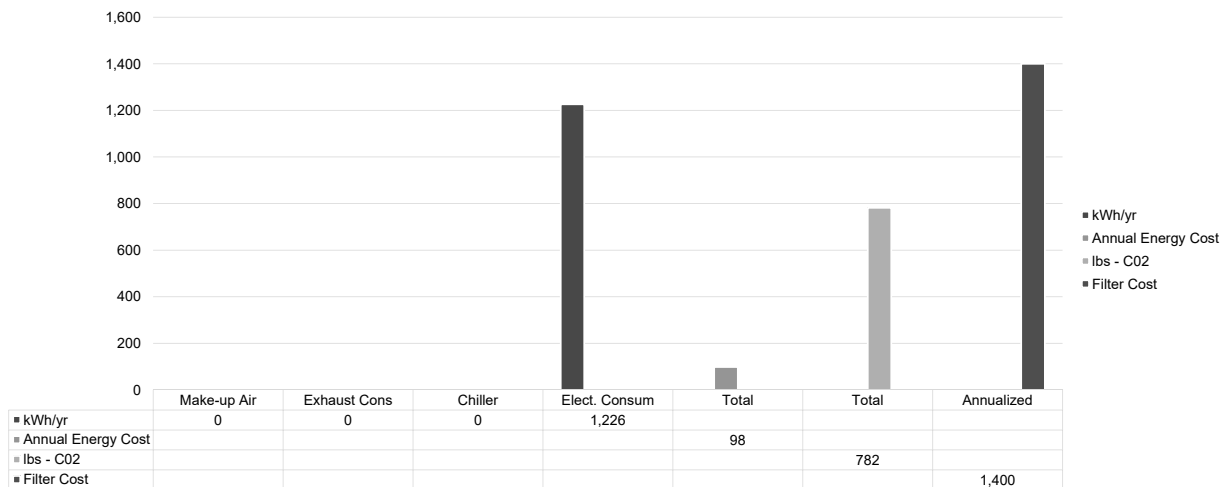
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How Expensive is Your Air



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The Cascading Effect of Filtration



- Reduction of required HVAC
- Reduction or elimination of Venturi Valves
- Chillers reduced or removed
- Increase the GSF, or reduce the Floor to Floor space required
- Significantly reduce the AHU's required



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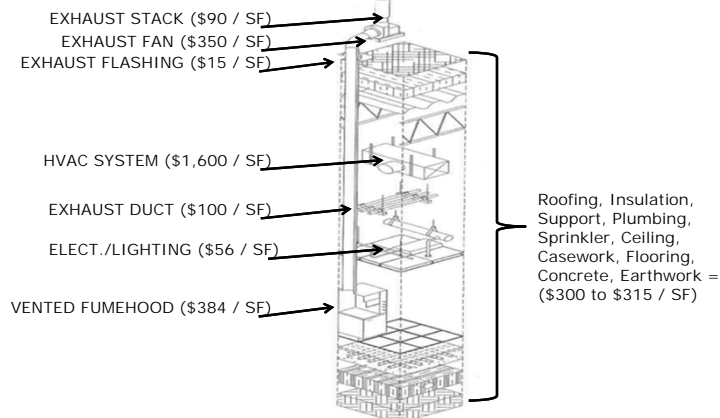
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The Cascading Effect of Filtration

Cost per Sq.Ft. Section w/DUCTED Hood

**TOTAL COST
PER SQUARE FOOT:
\$2,907.75**

**6-FOOT HOOD:
15 SQFT= \$39,225!**



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The Cascading Effect of Filtration

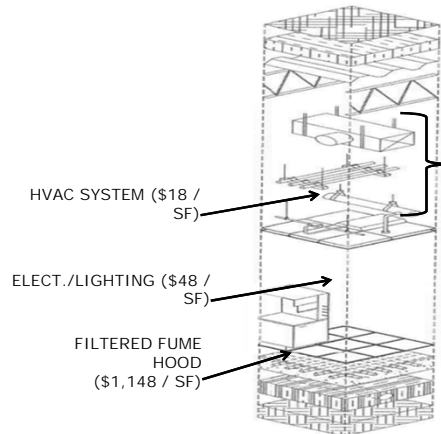
Cost per Sq.Ft. Section w/FILTERED Hood

**TOTAL COST PER
SQUARE FOOT:**
\$1,148

6-FOOT HOOD:
15 SQFT= \$22,710

SAVINGS:
\$1,759/SqFt
Hood
\$16,515/6-ft
Hood

42% Reduction



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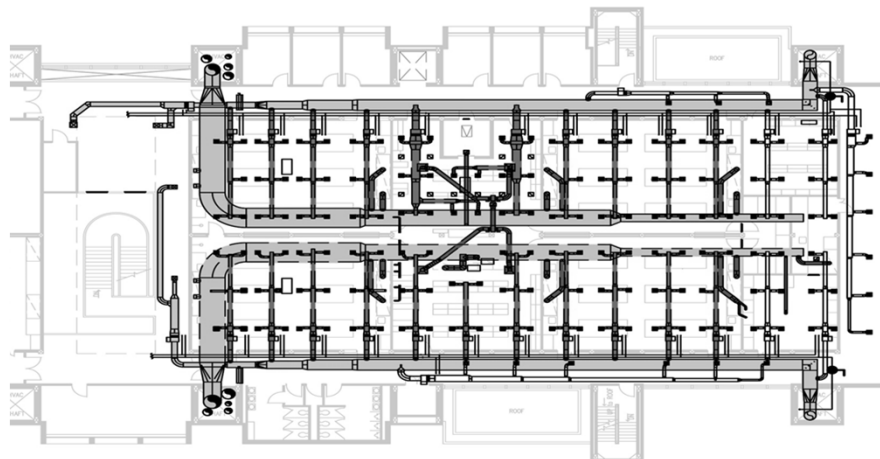
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The Cascading Effect of Filtration



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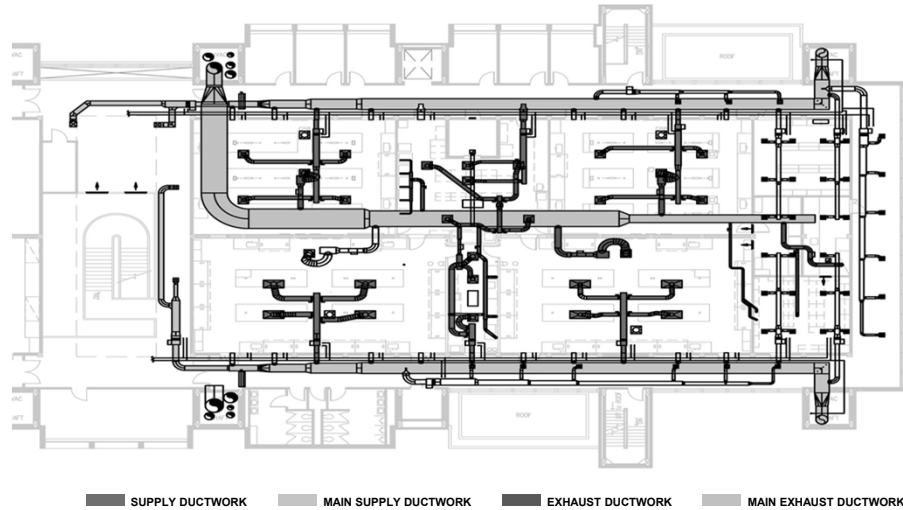
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The Cascading Effect of Filtration



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The Cascading Effect of Filtration

- Define the design of your lab with flexibility
- Reduction in infrastructure cost
- Solution to help achieve LEED
- Or even better, the cornerstone to achieve ZNE



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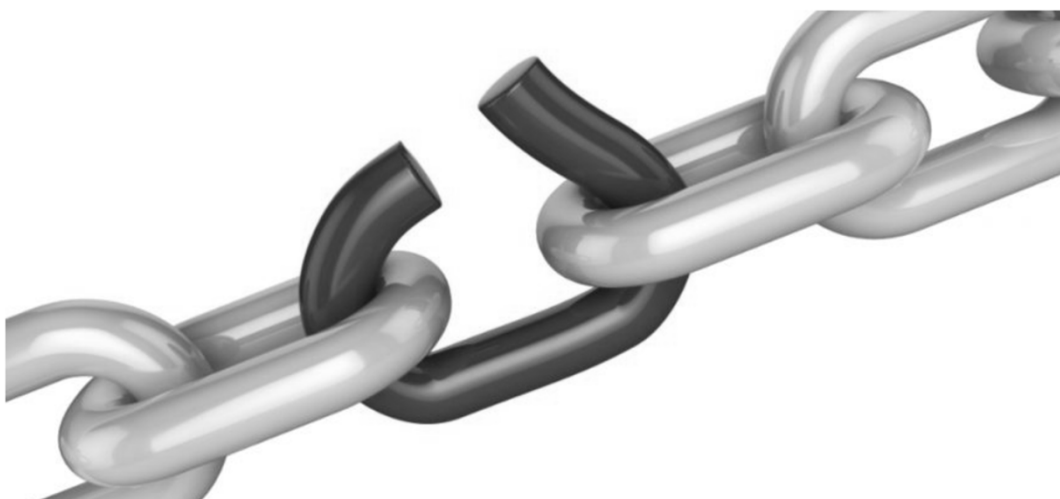


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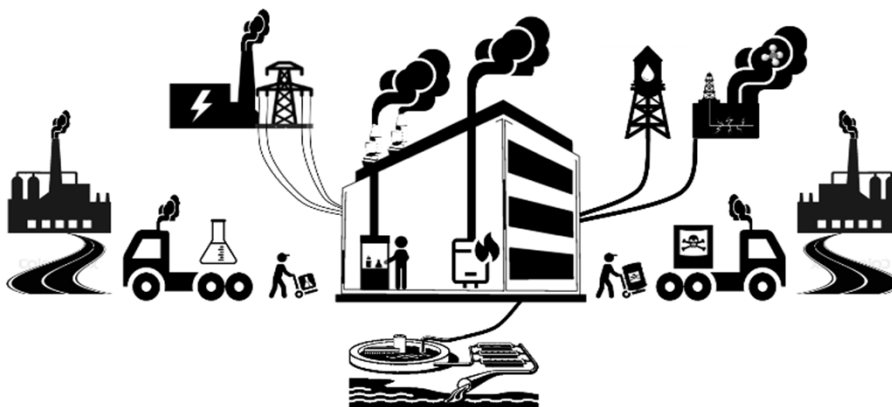


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Carbon footprint reduction

Overview: Lab Environmental Footprint



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THE FUME HOOD: Where does it go??

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Intended use: containment and extraction of hazardous fumes
Actual use: a really expensive storage closet



Ever wonder where it all goes?

Chemicals casually laying about:

Will kill you instantly

Slow and agonizing death

Two chemicals that should *never* ever be that close together

No idea.

Something you should probably avoid if you plan on reproducing one day.



(What is this anyway?
A trap door?)

Ramblings of a mad man

Layers of erud-
"research"

It spins by
itself! Magic!



The hot plate/stirrer:
abused more than the
undergrad interns.

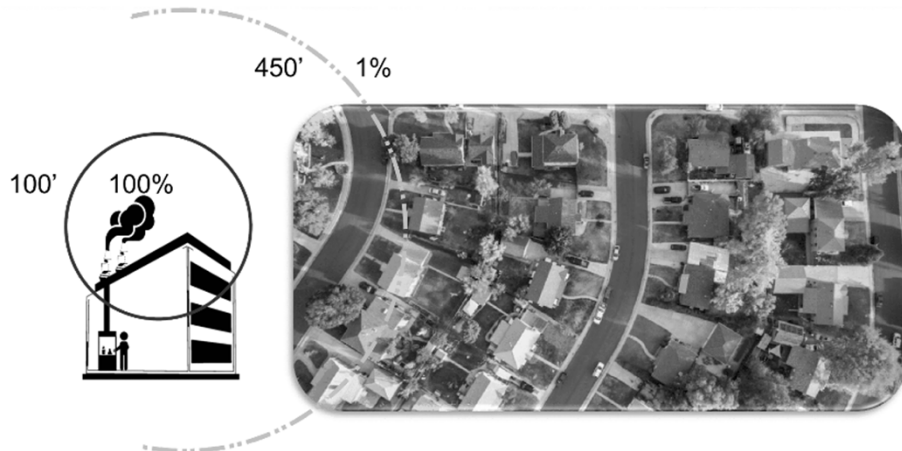
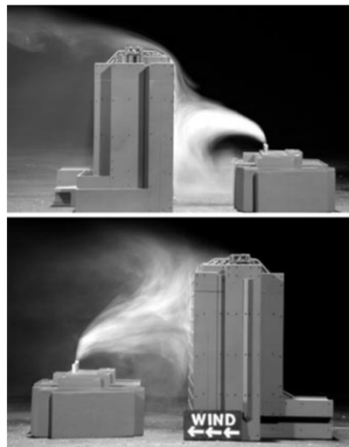


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Air Pollution Travels Long Distances

- Toxaphene, a pesticide used in the U. S. corn belt has been found in fatty tissues of polar bears and other Arctic animals – thousands of miles from any possible source.
- Nitrogen oxides deposited from the air have contributed to fish kills by increasing the growth of oxygen-depleting algae in the Chesapeake Bay. Over a quarter of the nitrogen in the Bay and its tidal rivers and streams is estimated to come from air pollution carried by the wind from power plants and industrial sources far away.
- Emissions of sulfur oxides from power plants in the Midwest contribute to acid rain, haze and particle pollution problems in the eastern United States hundreds of miles away.

<https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2015-08/documents/peg.pdf>

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Let's talk ZNE

Case Study: Bristol Community College



Challenge

- Trying to achieve ZNE in the Northeast climate (Zone 5)
- Ducted Fume Hoods would have consumed over half of the PV arrays.
- LEED Silver Plus design proven to be inadequate

The Solution

- (13) filter fume hoods

The Results

- Reduction of the facilities make-up air requirements from 70,000cfm to 24,000 cfm
- MEP equipment reduction down to 14% of the GSF
- ZNE for \$0 additional cost
- EUI of just 51 kBtu/sf-yr
- More usable square footage



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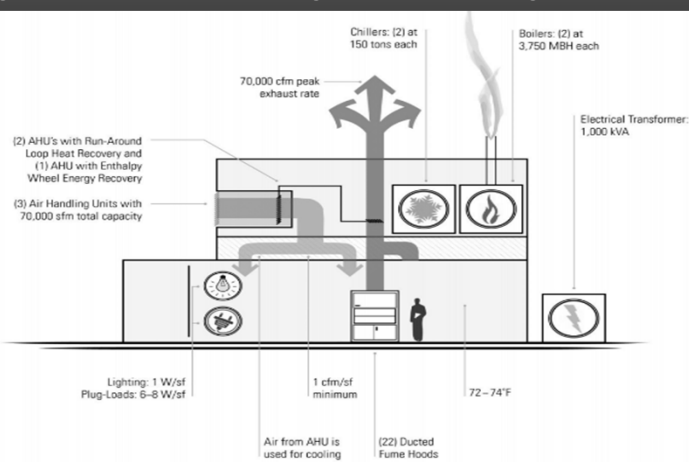
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Let's talk ZNE

High Performance Design – does this get us to ZNE?



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Let's take ZNE

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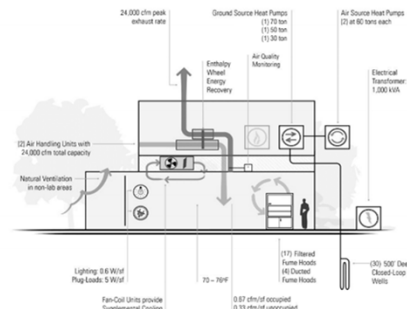
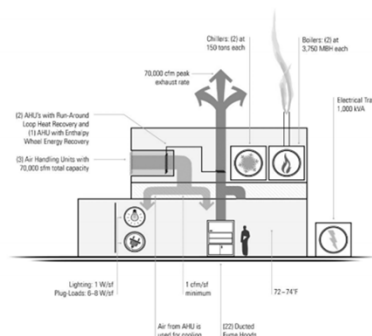
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Let's talk ZNE

This is how ZNE is achieved

High Performance

Zero Net Energy



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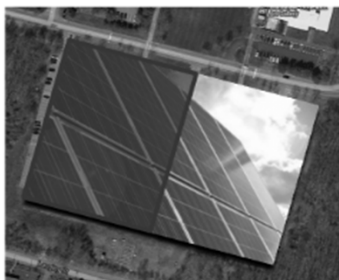
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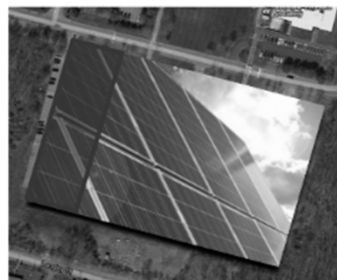
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Modeled Energy Performance

High Performance



Zero Net Energy



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*If we continue to
design labs with the
traditional mind set, we
will have no one to
blame but ourselves*



*Let's not fear
change, but rather
tradition.*



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Creating safety through an ecosystem of filtration



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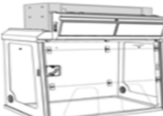
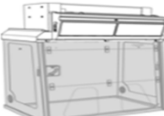
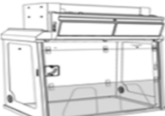
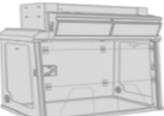


Compliance with standards attests to the performance of our products




Strict Safety Standards
Your safety is our priority

Our ductless fume hoods comply with the following standards:


Filtration	Containment	Face velocity	The product in its entirety
			
AFNOR NF-X 15-211: 2009 BS 7989 EN 1822-1 ASTM 2862-82 ASTM D2854-83 ASTM D2857-83 ASTM D5742-95	AFNOR NF-X 15-211: 2009 EN 14175 ASHRAE 110:1995	AFNOR NF-X 15-211: 2009 EN 14175	AFNOR NF-X 15-211: 2009 ANSI Z9.5-2012 DIN 12927

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Containment

- The fume hood must maintain any chemical vapors or particles within the enclosure without any propagation in the lab environment

Test protocol supplied upon request



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Air Face Velocity

- Represents the fume capacity to create a barrier between the operator and the handling
- Face velocity must be between 0.4 & 0.6 m/s



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Documentation

- Must have documentation providing a list of chemicals which can be retained by the filtration. This should indicate the CAS number, boiling point, breakthrough point, vapor pressure AND the filters retention capacity for each chemical during the normal operating phase, before there is detectable release no greater than 1% of the TLV.
- Provide a certificate of validation of the handlings within the enclosure, with guaranteed life cycle of the filters performance
- Third party validation of the test data



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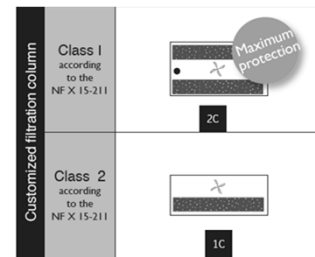
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Filtration Efficiency

- Normal operating phase - Emissions at the filters exhaust must be lower than 1% of the TLV
- Detection Phase - The concentration at the filters exhaust must be lower than 1% of the TLV (Class 1), or 50% of the TLV (Class 2) and the automatic detection sensor must warn of breakthrough past the primary level of filtration
- Safety Phase – The concentration at the filter exhaust must be lower than 50% of the TLV



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