DOWNSTREAM SOLUTIONS





SOLARIS PRODUCTS RANGE











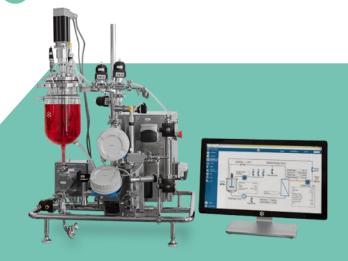
Cross flow filtration skids



Full flow filtration skids



TFF SOLUTIONS: KRONOS & TYTAN



KRONOS is a benchtop automatic Tangental Flow Filtration (TFF) system, designed following the most updated criteria of cGMP.

KRONOS can handle up to 0.5 m2 total filtration area and is equipped with multiple modules which make it ideal for innovative process development as well as for automatic process sequences.

TYTAN is Solaris' completely customisable pilot / industrial scale Tangential Flow Filtration (TFF) system based on microfiltration and ultrafiltration techniques and operating at low pressure ranges (1-5 bar).

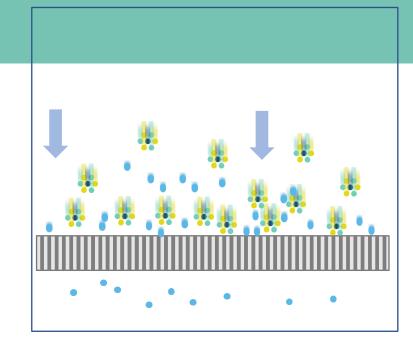


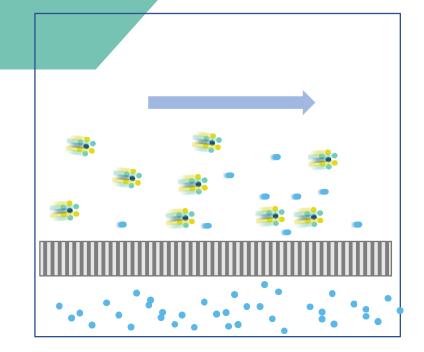


WHY CROSS FLOW FILTRATION?

Conventional filtration Dead End Filtration Normal Flow filtration

Tangential Flow filtration
Cross Flow Filtration



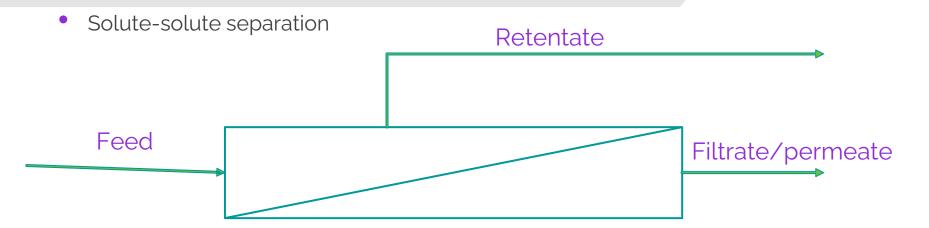




MEMBRANE BASED BIOSEPARATION

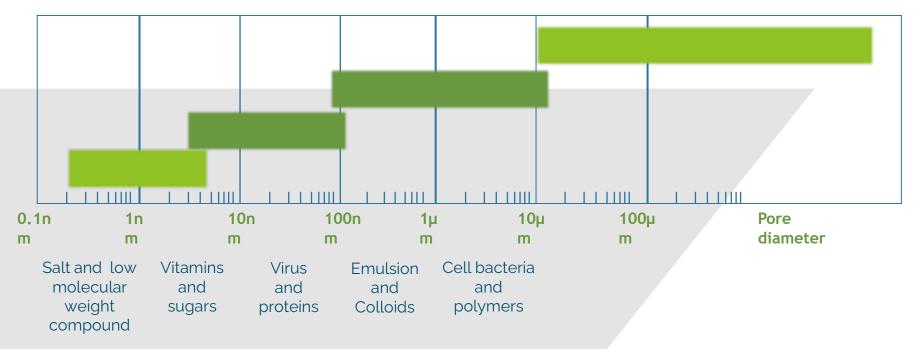
A membrane is a thin semi permeable and selective barrier that permits the separation of certain species in a fluid by combination of sieving and diffusion mechanisms such as:

- Particle-liquid separation
- Particle-solute separation
- Solute-solvent separation





MEMBRANE CATEGORIES BY PORE SIZE



1nm Sucrose 7nm Hemoglobin

100nm Influenza virus

0.28µm Pseudomonas Diminuta

1µm Staphylococcus Bacteria

10µm Yeast cell

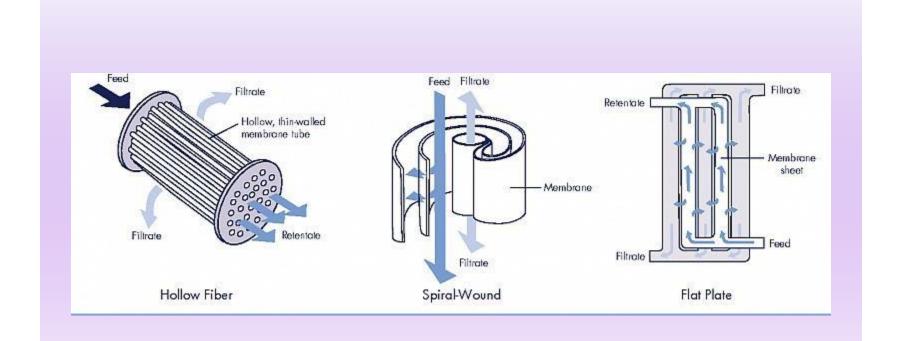
Microfiltration (MF) 0.1-10µm) Bacteria, suspended particles

Ultrafiltration (UF) 0.005-0.05µm

Colloids, macromolecules



FILTER TYPE



TMP AND ΔP

The transmembrane pressure (TMP) in cross-flow UF is given by:

• where:
$$TMP = \frac{Pf + 2}{Pr} - P_p$$

- Pf = inlet pressures on the feed side .
- Pr = outlet pressures on the feed side (retentate). Pp = pressure on the permeate side.
- *the TMP in UF is usually generated by pressurizing the feed side with a valve on the retentate line.
- ΔP determine the feed flow :
- ΔP = Feed Pressure Retentate Pressure



Permeate flux in UF determines its productivity. Permeate flux depends on:

- the properties of the membrane and the feed solution
- transmembrane pressure
- the solute mass transfer coefficient (which affects the concentration polarization)
- membrane fouling (permeate flux decreases with time due to fouling)
- Process temperature.

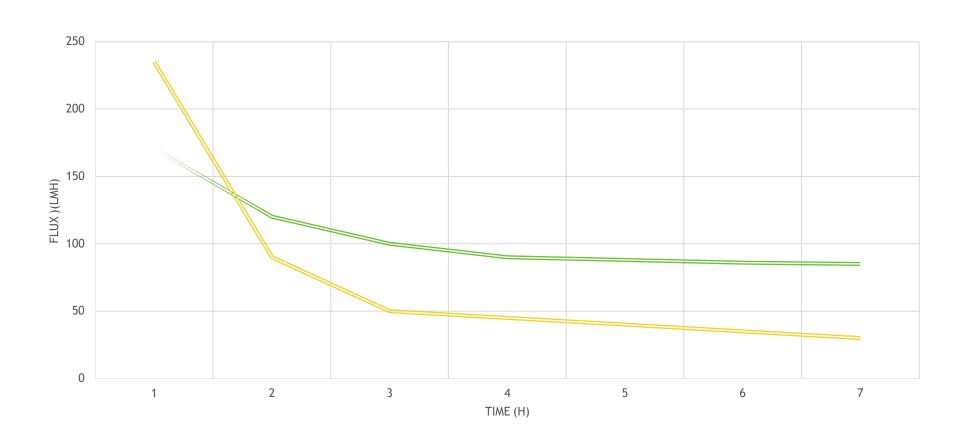
High permeate flux in UF is important.

This can be done by controlling the extent of concentration polarization (gel layer) and membrane fouling

$$Flux \ rate \ (LMH) = \frac{Filtrate \ flow \ rate * 60}{filter \ area}$$



FLUX AND PROCESS TIME

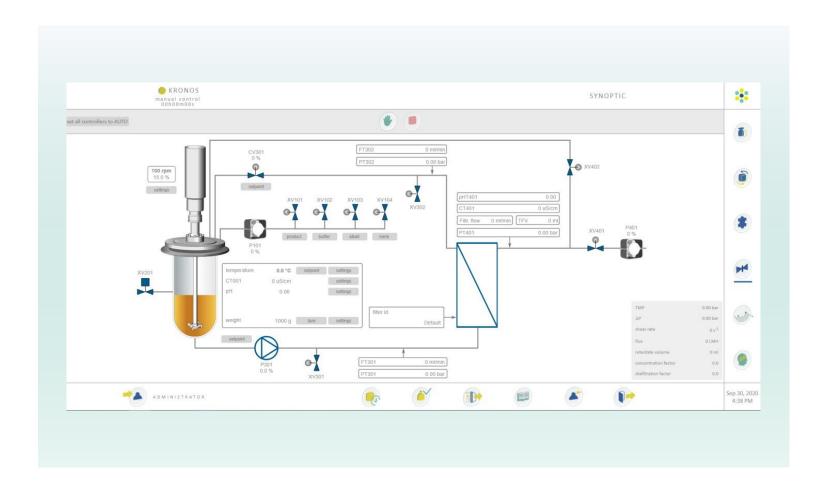


SOFTWARE PLATFORM



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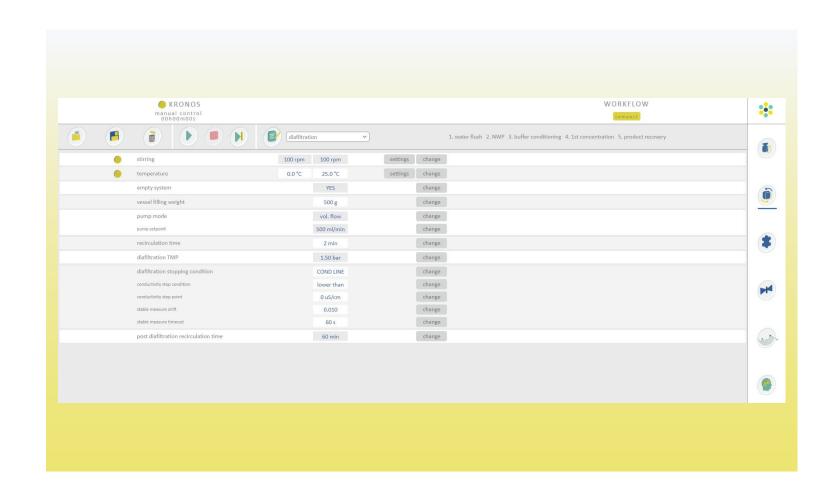
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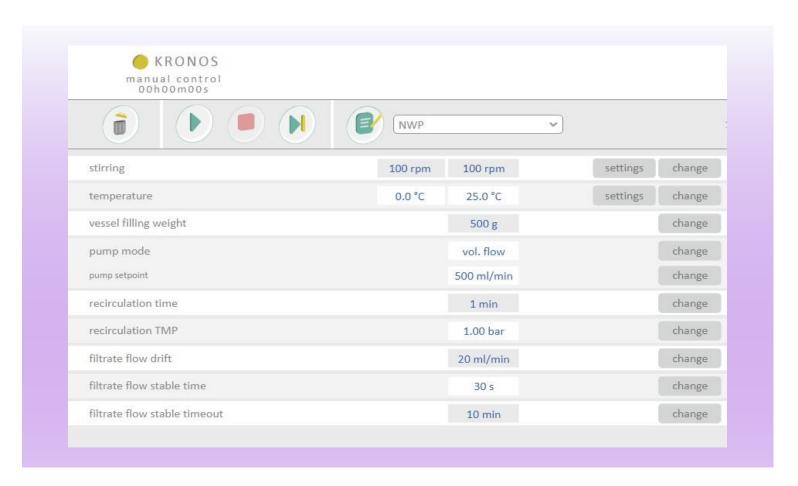


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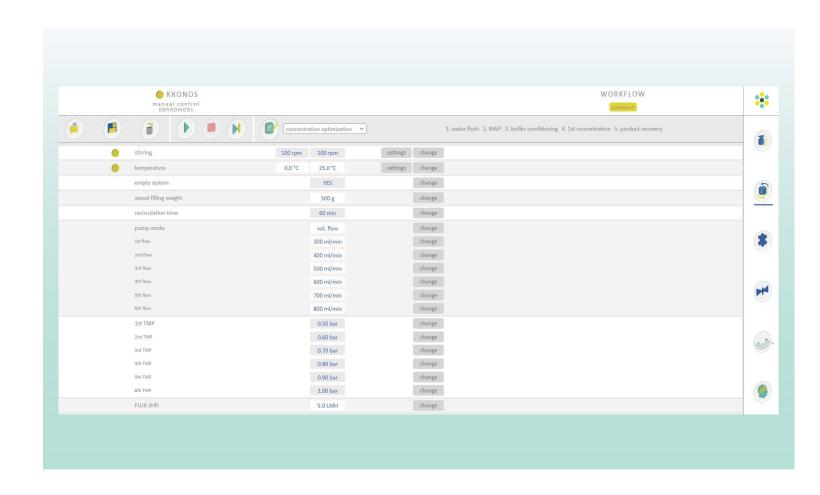


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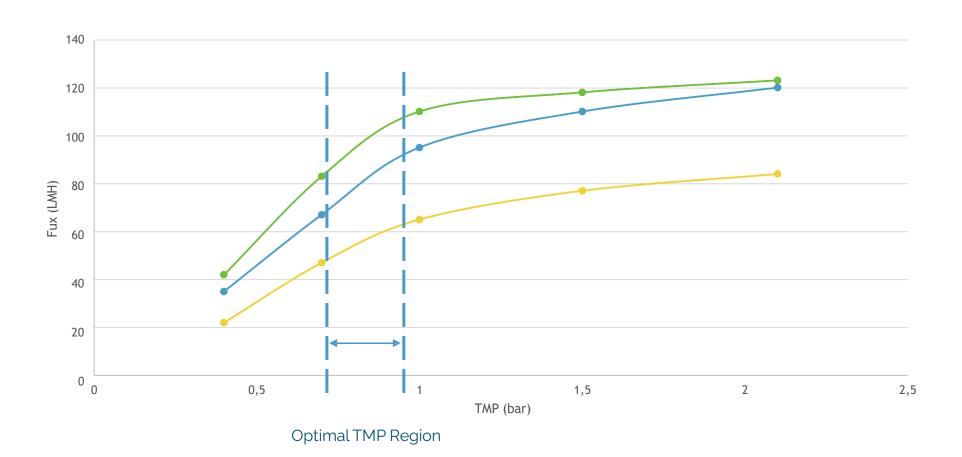


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TMP OPTIMIZATION





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