

9.2.7 Supercritical-Fluid Chromatography and Extraction

Supercritical fluid chromatography (SFC) has led to the use in the literature of a number of new terms whose meanings have generally been adopted by workers in the field. These new terms are formalized in the present sub-chapter to the general nomenclature of chromatography. Supercritical fluids have also been used for the extraction of samples and frequently similar equipment and operating conditions to those used in SFC have been employed and many of the terms used in SFC are also applicable in this field.