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13. BDAT for Wastewater

Best Demonstrated Available Technology (BDAT) for solvents wastes includes three waste treatability groups (spent solvent wastewaters, wastewaters from the pharmaceutical industry and other solvent wastes). How are wastewaters defined?

EPA has established a separate treatability group for spent solvent wastewaters. Wastewaters are defined as solvent-water mixtures containing total organic carbon (TOC) of one percent or less [51 FR 40609].