

Separation Methods Based on Distributions in Discrete Stages (9/20/13)

1. Chemical Separations: The Big Picture

Classification and comparison of methods

2. Fundamentals of Distribution Separations

3. Separation Methods Based on Distributions in Discrete Stages

Such as solvent extraction and distillation

4. Introduction to Distribution Separations in chromatographic

methods. The plate theory, the rate theory; van Deemter's equation.

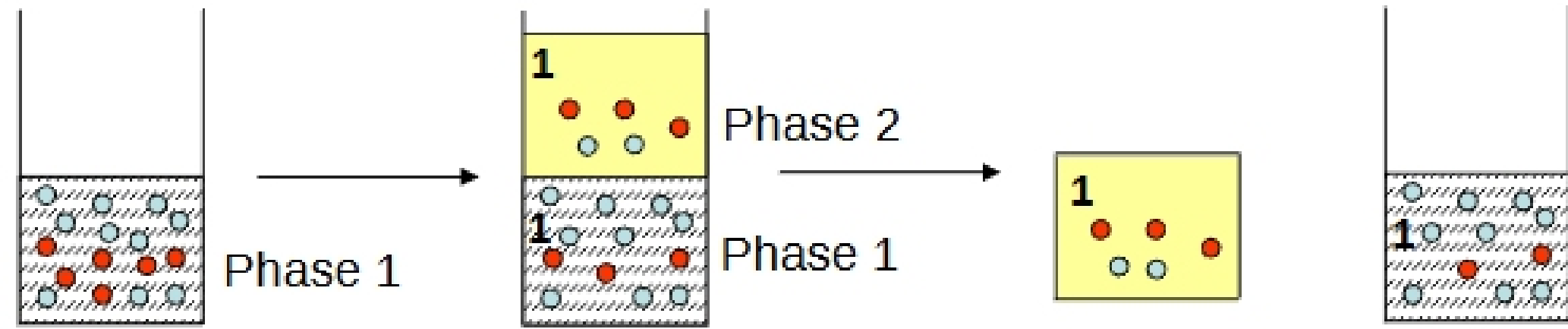
Counter-Current Extraction

• [A] = 0.01 M

• [B] = 1 M

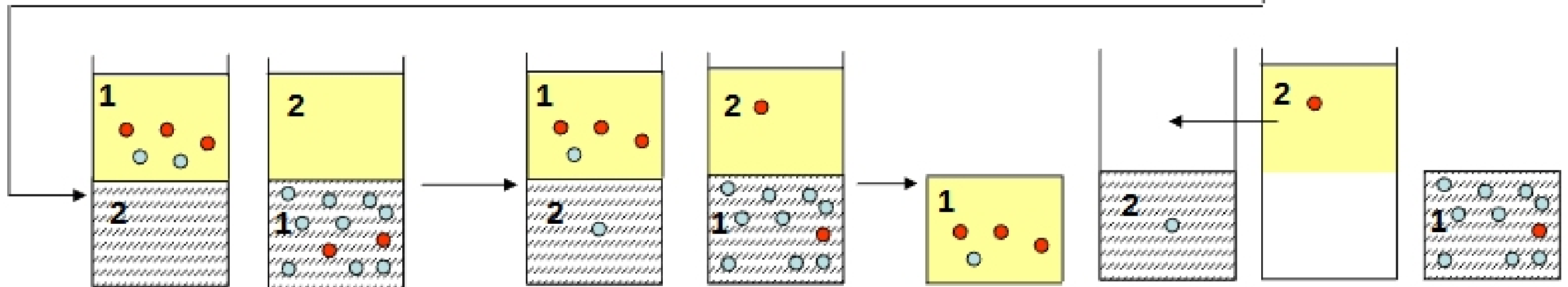
$V_1 = V_2 = 10 \text{ mL}$

$D_{cA} = 10, D_{cB} = 0.1$



Extraction 1

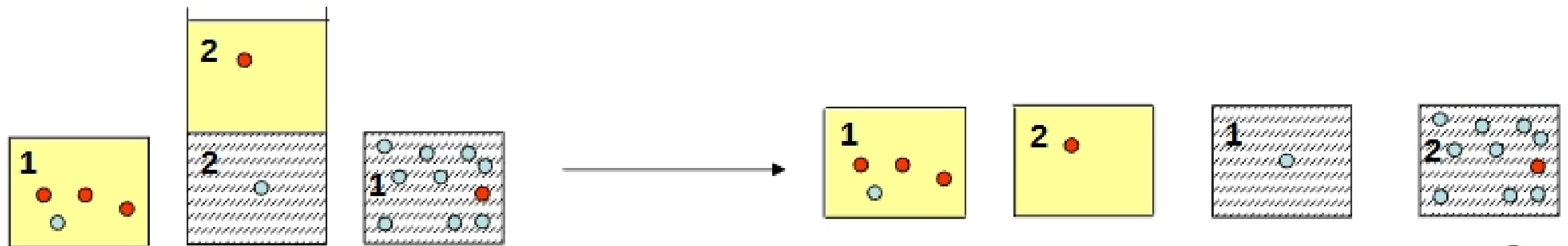
Separation of phases



Addition of fresh phases to Both phase 1 and 2

Extraction 2

Separation of phases



Extraction 3

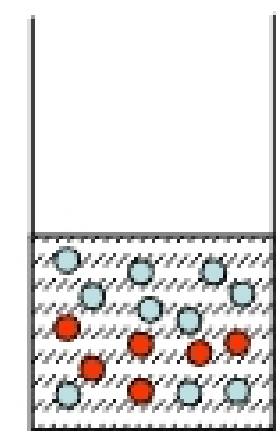
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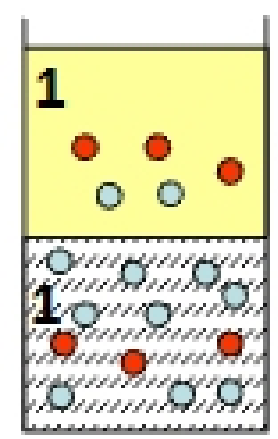
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Phase 1



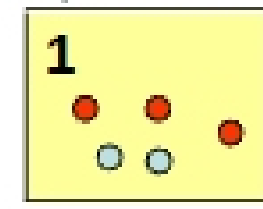
Phase 2

Phase 1

Extraction 1

$f_{A2,1} = 0.909$

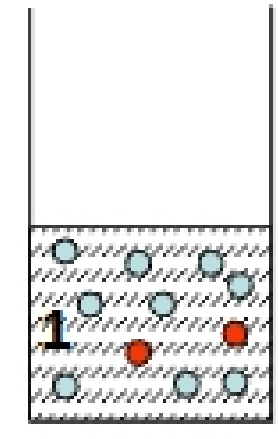
$f_{B2,1} = 0.091$



Separation of phases

$f_{A1,1} = 0.091$

$f_{B1,1} = 0.909$

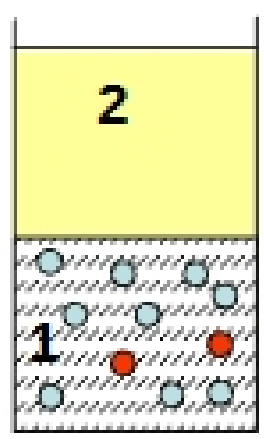
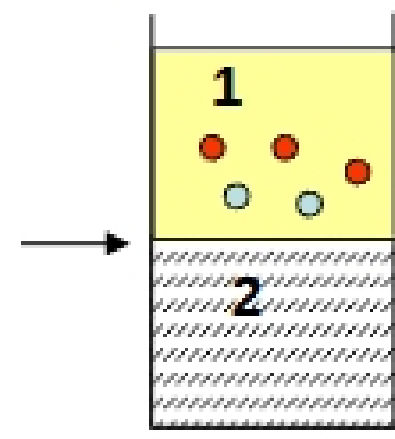


Total A = 0.909

Total B = 0.091

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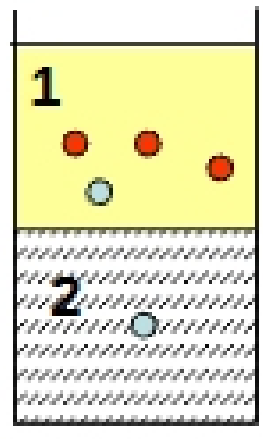
Addition of fresh phases to Both phase 1 and 2

$f_{A2,2} = 0.826$

$f_{B2,2} = 0.008$

$f_{A1,2} = 0.083$

$f_{B1,2} = 0.083$



Extraction 2

$f_{A2,2} = 0.083$

$f_{B2,2} = 0.083$

$f_{A1,2} = 0.008$

$f_{B1,2} = 0.826$

