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*“Hydrothermal extractions-reactions for circular bioeconomy”.*

**Speaker:** Danilo Cantero (Universidad de Valladolid, España)

*“Simulation of heat transfer effects on the supercritical CO<sub>2</sub> extraction at a two-vessel industrial plant”.*

**Speaker:** Felipe Toledo (Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile)

*“Integrated and sustainable pressurized fluid processes for biorefinery of plant and animal by-products”.*

**Speaker:** Marleny Saldaña (University of Alberta, Canada)

*“Important aspects and challenges for the supercritical extraction processes in industry”.*

**Speaker:** Pedro Ivo Nunes (Singularity, Brazil)

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*“Ultra-high pressure processes - Design and examples”.*

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*“Development of an online integrated method for analyzing bioactive compounds: Pressurized Liquid Extraction coupled with High-Performance Liquid Chromatography”.*

**Speaker:** Juliane Viganó (Universidade Federal de Sao Carlos, Brazil)

*“Come into a new era of purification”.*

**Speaker:** Assia Kone (SFE Process, France)

*“Complex fluid phase behavior in binary and ternary systems, including the critical region”.*

**Speaker:** Cor Peters (Colorado School of Mines, USA)

*“ScCO<sub>2</sub>-impregnation of clove extract in polycarbonate, poly(L-lactic acid) and their blends”.*

**Speaker:** Mathilde Champeau (Universidade Federal ABC, Brazil)

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**Speaker:** Andrea Sánchez-Camargo (Universidad de los Andes, Colombia)

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**Speaker:** Vladimir Cabral, Universidade Estadual de Maringá

**009** – “*Development of  $\beta$ -sitosterol-loaded nanocapsules obtained by supercritical fluid extraction of emulsion process for potential use in functional foods.*” D. Cerro, C. Streitt, A. Rojas, J. Romero, and A. Torres.

**Speaker:** Daniela Cerro, University of Santiago de Chile

**010** – “*Concentration of oxygenated terpenes in orange essential oil by supercritical fluid adsorption.*” V. Saldanha Carvalho, J. Viganó, L. H. Fasolin, and J. Martínez.

**Speaker:** Victor Saldanha Carvalho, UNICAMP

**021** – “*Supercritical CO<sub>2</sub> and melt-extrusion to produce enhanced PLGA scaffolds.*” I. Gracia, F. Carrascosa, J.M. García, M.J. Ramos, J.F. Rodríguez, and M.T. García.

**Speaker:** Ignacio Gracia, University of Castilla-La Mancha

**023** – “*High-pressure sequential extractions using aqueous solutions of deep eutectic solvents (DES): a sustainable process with Green Certificate.*” L. Benvenutti, A. A. Ferreira Zielinski, and S. R. Salvador Ferreira.

**Speaker:** Laís Benvenutti, Federal University of Santa Catarina

**034** – “*Kappaphycus alvarezii biorefinery: PLE and SFE applications for phenolics and carragenan recovery and aerogel drying.*” A. R. Rudke, C. J. De Andrade, and S. R. S. Ferreira.

**Speaker:** Cristiano J. De Andrade, Federal University of Santa Catarina

**039** – “*Antioxidant extracts from olive pomace by compressed fluid extraction technologies: comparison between SFE and PLE.*” C. Dauber, M. Romero, A. Gámbaro, E. Ibáñez, and I. Vieitez.

**Speaker:** Cecilia Dauber, Universidad de la República

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**Speaker:** Alejandra Torres, University of Santiago de Chile

**048** – “Supercritical CO<sub>2</sub> assisted impregnation of pink pepper essential oil in gelatin-siloxane gels for biomedical applications.” U. Silva do Nascimento, B. Guzzo da Silva, and L. Passos Maia-Obi.

**Speaker:** Ligia Maia-Obi, Federal University of ABC

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**Speaker:** Małgorzata Zakrzewska, NOVA School of Science and Technology

**051** – “Evaluation of the lipid fraction of tucumã-do-Amazonas (*Astrocaryum aculeatum*) almond extracts obtained by SFE.” L. M. S. Carvalho, R. Grimaldi, and J. Martínez.

**Speaker:** Luciedry Carvalho, UNICAMP

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**Speaker:** Marcelle Batista, Federal University of Paraná

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**Speaker:** Bruno Nogueira, Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro

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**Speaker:** Juana Lopez-Limón, Universidad Iberoamericana Puebla

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**Speaker:** Marcos Corazza, Federal University of Para

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**Speaker:** Rafael Villablanca – Ahues, Technische Universität Clausthal

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**Speaker:** Lorena Jaramillo, Escuela Politécnica Nacional / Université de Toulouse.

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**Speaker:** Srujana Mekala, University of Alberta

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**Speaker:** Eduardo Cassel, Pontifícia Universidade Católica do Rio Grande do Sul

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**Speaker:** Fredy Huayta, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú

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**Speaker:** Vanessa Cruz, University of São Paulo

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**Speaker:** Gabriel Silveira Dos S., Institute of Chemistry University of São Paulo

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**Speaker:** Mariana Fortunatti Montoya, PLAPIQUI-UNS-CONICET

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**Speaker:** Victor Marulanda, Universidad de La Salle

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**Speaker:** João Leocádio, University of Coimbra

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**Speaker:** Juan M. Milanesio, IPQA-UNC-CONICET

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**Speaker:** María Laura Goñi, IPQA-UNC-CONICET

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F. A. Maia and L. H. Fasolin

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E. A. Rebelatto, L. Vitali, A. R. Rudke, K. S. Andrade, and S. R. S. Ferreira

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## Calculation of critical endpoints and phase diagrams of highly asymmetrical binary mixtures

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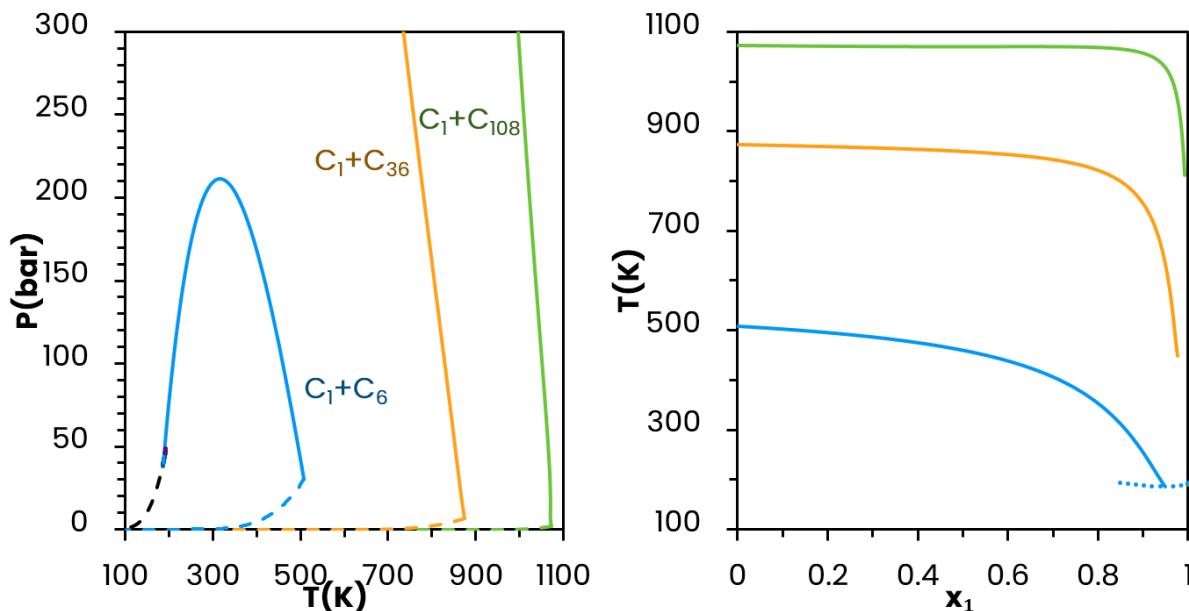
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The determination of monovariant lines like critical and three-phase equilibrium curves in phase diagrams of binary mixtures plays a fundamental role in analyzing potential process conditions and assessing the qualitative and quantitative capabilities of thermodynamic models. In this regard, the automatic generation of global phase equilibrium diagrams (GPED) has become an invaluable analytical tool, enabling intelligent solutions to highly complex and nonlinear mathematical problems. In particular, it was mainly the software GPEC (Global Phase Equilibrium Calculations) and the publications describing its computation strategies and methods that made it possible for a large international community of researchers to use GPED's as frequent tools in the application of equations of state to different problems.

However, the original GPEC algorithm face challenges in resolving highly asymmetric mixtures, such as gases ( $\text{CH}_4$ ,  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_6$ ,  $\text{CO}_2$ ,  $\text{N}_2$ ) in combination with heavy paraffins, vegetable oils, or even polymers, as well as electrolytic aqueous systems. These challenges manifest in convergence problems and floating point overflow. More specifically, the UCEP or “ $k$  point” located quite close to the pure gas critical point (phase behavior of type III or IV) frequently fails to be properly found and converged in this type of systems due to the low concentration of the solute in the critical phase.

In this study, we present an innovative calculation methodology to address these challenges in highly asymmetric binary systems. Our approach builds upon the extension of existing algorithms, aiming to achieve an automatic generation of GPED that does not require manual intervention. The approach is based on the formulation of other phase equilibrium problems dealing with nearly pure phases. As a case study, we apply our methodology to analyze phase equilibrium transitions in industrially relevant systems, such as  $\text{CO}_2$  with heavy alkanes.

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