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### **CFC-2 Centrifugal Fraction Collector and Sample Concentration System for SFC Named Winner Laboratory Equipment Magazine's 2009 Reader's Choice Awards**

ModularSFC's CFC-2™ System was named as the winner of Laboratory Equipment magazine's 2009 Readers Choice awards in the chromatography accessories category. The novel centrifugal fraction collector was recognized for its ability to increase yields, simplify processing, and save time for Supercritical Fluid Extraction (SFE).

SFE is recognized as a superior technique within several industries: foods and flavoring, petroleum, pharmaceuticals, and environmental protection. The low viscosity, higher diffusivity, and lower surface tension of the CO<sub>2</sub> used in the mobile phase provides significant advantages compared to traditional extraction techniques such as Soxhlet. However, the complexity of recovering the extracted material from gaseous CO<sub>2</sub> has inhibited SFE from becoming the technique of choice for most researchers. The Modular SFC. CFC-2 fraction collector overcomes this hurdle by eliminating the need for post purification processing.

The award will be presented during Pittcon 2009 on Tuesday, March 10, 2009 from 5:00 to 7:30 pm, at the Hyatt Regency McCormick Place, Room CC11.

Modular SFC is introducing the CFC-2c Chiral Centrifugal Fraction Collector and Sample Concentration System for Supercritical Fluid Chromatography at Pittcon 2009, March 8 - 13, 2009, in Chicago (Booth No. 4943).

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### **About Modular SFC**

Modular SFC is an instrument design and development company founded in 2007. The Company is committed to providing scientists and researchers the necessary tools to advance SFC into the mainstream of analytical and preparative chromatography. The company filed for its first SFC fraction collection technology patents in January 2007 and began shipment of its CFC Series of benchtop fraction collectors in 2008.