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Abstract:Process for separating off organic acids from aqueous solutions

In the conventional processes for treating process waters from, for example, aldolizations, which comprises organic acids, only basic constituents have
5 always been separated off, while the organic acid remained in the aqueous solution. Disposal or further treatment of this solution was possible only with difficulty industrially and required a high financial expenditure.

The present invention therefore relates to a process for separating off organic acids from aqueous solutions by the use of electrochemical processes.
10 The process according to the invention is utilized, inter alia, for cleaning up reaction waters produced in aldolization processes.

(Fig. 1)



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