





Conventional **Evaporator**



Self-cleaning Evaporator



Operating Cost



High



Low



Scaling/Fouling in Tubes



Occurs



Does not occur



Power Consumption



High because heat transfer is not constant



Low



Recirculation **Velocity**



2-2.5 m/s



0.6-0.7 m/s



Water **Evaporation Capacity**



Average 60% on design capacity



100% on design capacity



CIP (Cleaning in Place)



Once a week



Not required



Pumping Power



More



Less





Plant Design



Oversized



Compact (constant heat transfer, no over-dimensioning is required)



Compatibility for **High Hardness Effluent**



Pre-treatment required



Compatible for high hardness effluent



Compatibility for High Suspended Solids



Pre-treatment required



Compatible for high TSS



Hazards Stream Generation after CIP/Jet Cleaning



Hazardous waste streams from cleaning must be recycled in ETP/MEE



There are no hazardous waste streams from cleaning



Product Concentration



Restrictions due to chocking



High concentration can be achieved



Enhanced Productivity



Equipment need to be taken out of production for clearing



Equipment does not need to be taken out of production for cleaning (Inline-Continuous)



Energy Performance



Decreases as operation time increases



Better (tubes remain clean and the heat transfer is constant)



Hydro-jetting



Once every three months



Not required



Additional Cost for Cleaning



Costs include: chemical usage, anti-scalent usage, water consumption during cleaning, cost to treat water from cleaning, manpower, cost hiring waterjet, consumables like qasket



Not applicable





