## Cleaning instructions:

## Hydro EV:

- 1. Clean start will start after the measurement
- 2. Raise the dispersion head and remove QAS beaker
- 3. Use an empty beaker to allow the dispersion head to drain
- 4. Lower the dispersion head
- 5. Remove beaker
- 6. Place a beaker of clean deionized water (dispersant) and lower head
- 7. The stirrer will start
- 8. Follow software prompts and repeat until clean (the background is stable)

## A good background in manual mode is:

less than 100 on detector 1 less than 20 on detector 20 continuously decreasing curve

- 9. Repeat the cycle if more cleaning is required
- 10. If the background does not reach the above values the windows need to be cleaned (Check with AAF staff)