PureFlo® PES Filter Capsules

Encapsulated Pharmaceutical grade PES membrane filter

The PureFlo® PES filter capsule in its all-polypropylene construction provides excellent chemical compatibility and superior flow per unit surface area as compared to other membrane capsules. PureFlo® PES Filter Capsules have been specially designed for sterilizing in biopharmaceutical applications. Its hydrophilic PES membrane does not require pre-wetting agents, thereby eliminating a potential source of contamination. The PES membrane is also low protein binding.

The capsules were designed for simple and efficient filtration of small to medium volumes used in low flow application, laboratory, and pilot runs. No adhesives, binders, or surfactants are used in the manufacturing process of theses capsules. They are rinsed with pyrogen free water to reduce extractables and downtime. All filter capsules are 100% integrity tested to ensure filter performance each and every time out of the package. PureFlo PES filter capsules are well suited for Pharmaceutical applications where superior flow and bacterial retention is required. The capsule can be ordered pre sterilized.

Applications					
Culture media	Fermentation Broths				
Serums	SVP (Small volume parenterals)				
Vaccines	Product Sterilization				
Reagents & Buffers	Biologics				
Antibiotics	Beverages				
WFI-POU	Scale up processes				



SPECIFICATIONS

Regulatory Compliance

Manufactured from materials that conform to the requirements of 21CFR Part 177 of the U.S. Code of Federal Regulations and USP Class VI Biological test for Plastics

Bacterial Retention

Complete retention of $\geq 10^7$ organisms/cm² of Brevundimonas diminuta in accordance with the current HIMA challenge methodology (ASTM F838-83). Validation Guide upon request.

Autoclavable & Sanitizable

Capsules can be autoclaved up to 6 times @126°C for 60 minutes or chemically sanitized in place using common sanitizing agents such as hot water @ 90°C for a limited time (dependent on time and temperature).

Water Bubble Point Specification

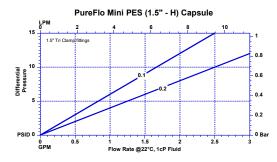
0.1um : 23psi,0.16 MPA (IPA) 0.2um : 47psi,0.32 MPa

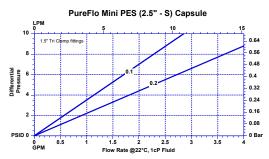
Bacterial Endotoxin

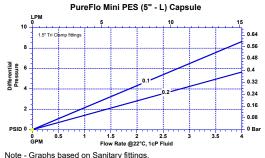
Effluent is non-Pyrogenic per USP Bacterial Endotoxin (0.25 EU/ml), determined using Limulus Amebocyte Lysate (LAL) test.

Features	Benefits
■ Hydrophilic PES Membrane	■ Inherently hydrophilic for cleaner filtrates
	■ High flow rate reduces processing time
	■ Low Protein-binding membrane maximizing yields■ Biologically inert membrane
	■ Bacterial Retentive to produce sterile solutions
■ Small Compact Design	■ Simple, quick, and efficient filtration
	■ Low hold-up volume reduces product waste
■ Low Filter Extractables	 No adhesives, binders, or surfactants are used during manufacturing resulting in superior downstream cleanliness All capsules are rinsed with pyrogen free water

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Note - Graphs based on Sanitary fittings.

Materials of Construction

Membrane: Hydrophilic Polyethersulfone Membrane Supports: Polypropylene, or PET option

Cage, Core, End Caps: Polypropylene, or Polyethylene option

Fitting Connections

NPT, Sanitary Flange, Hose Barb, Coupling Vent/Drain - Luer Lock with Cap

Dimensions (TC fittings)

Length: 1.5 in (128 mm) Length: 2.5 in (155 mm) Length: 5.0 in (210 mm) Length: 10 in (340mm) Diameter: 2.75 in (70 mm)

Effective Filtration Area

1.5 in - 0.65 ft² (600 cm²) 2.5 in - 1.3 ft² (1200 cm²) 5.0 in - 2.7 ft² (2400 cm²) 10 in - 5.2 ft² (4800 cm²)

Operating Conditions

Maximum Forward Differential Pressure:

73 psid (5.0 bar) at 20°C 36 psid (2.5 bar) at 50°C 17 psid (1.2 bar) at 80°C

Maximum Reverse Differential Pressure:

44 psid (3.0 bar) at 20°C

Maximum Operating Temperature: 80°C

PureFlo PES Filter Capsule (Pharmaceutical grade) Ordering Guide

PureFlo Capsule Filters	Filter Media	Pore size (Micron)	Length	Input Fitting	Output Fitting	Options		
			H = 1.5"	1H = 1/8" Hose barbs	1H = 1/8" Hose barbs	-PH = Pharma grade		
SKL	S = PES	010 = 0.1um	S = 2.5"	1NF = 1/8" FNPT	1NF = 1/8" FNPT	-E = Polyethylene Shell and PET media support for		
		020 = 0.2um	L = 5"	2H = 1/4" to 1/2" Hose barbs	2H = 1/4" to 1/2" Hose barbs			
			K = 10"	2HS = 1/4" to 3/8" Hose barbs	2HS = 1/4" to 3/8" Hose barbs	Gamma Sterilization		
				2L = Large Female Luer Lock fitting	2L = Large Female Luer Lock fitting	-N = No vent or Drain		
				2N = 1/4" MNPT	2N = 1/4" MNPT	fittings		
				2NF = 1/4" FNPT	2NF = 1/4" FNPT	-NI = No vent or Drain		
				2Q = 1/4" Male Quick Coupling for Metal latch	2Q = 1/4" Male Quick Coupling for Metal latch	inlet fitting		
				2QF = 1/4" Female Quick Coupling with Metal latch	2QF = 1/4" Female Quick Coupling with Metal latch	-NO = No vent or Drain		
				2QFP = 1/4" Female Quick Coupling with Plastic latch	2QFP = 1/4" Female Quick Coupling with Plastic latch	Oultet fitting		
				2QP = 1/4" Male Quick Coupling for Plastic latch	2QP = 1/4" Male Quick Coupling for Plastic latch			
				3H = 3/8" Hose Barb	3H = 3/8" Hose Barb			
				3HE = 3/8" Hose Barb Elbow	3HE = 3/8" Hose Barb Elbow			
				3NF = 3/8" FNPT	3NF = 3/8" FNPT			
				4H = 1/2" Hose Barb	4H = 1/2" Hose Barb			
				4N = 1/2" MNPT	4N = 1/2" MNPT			
				4QP = 1/2" Male Quick Coupling for Plastic latch	4QP = 1/2" Male Quick Coupling for Plastic latch			
				MT = 1/2" Tri clamp	MT = 1/2" Tri clamp			
				TC = 1-1/2" Tri clamp	TC = 1-1/2" Tri clamp			
	Example - 2.5", 0.2 micron PES Capsule, with 1.5" TriClamp fittings would be SKLS020STCTC-PH							

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