## **PROCLEAR GF Filters**

- liquid filters
- glass microfibre



PROCLEAR GF filters are designed for reliable and economical removal of particulate and microorganisms from pharmaceutical fluids.

The non-fibre releasing glass microfibre filter media gives excellent dirt holding capacity and high flow rates for long service life and efficient and cost-effective filter system design.

PROCLEAR GF filters have low extractable levels making them ideal for general clarification and prefiltration duties in pharmaceutical processing.

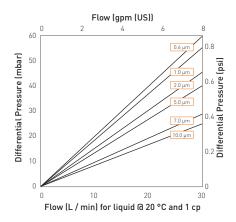
### **Features and Benefits**

- Excellent dirt holding capacity
- Non-fibre releasing glass microfibre media
- Long service life for maximum throughput
- MURUS and DEMICAPs can be gamma-irradiated and autoclaved



Note: PROCLEAR and DEMICAP are registered trademarks of Parker Hannifin Corporation.

## **Performance Characteristics**



For K size for a given flow rate multiply 10" size differential pressure by 2

For A size for a given flow rate divide B size differential pressure by 2 For E size for a given flow rate multiply B size differential pressure by 2

10" size (250 mm) Cartridge

B size (65 mm) Cartridge and Capsule

# **Specifications**

#### Materials of Construction

■ Filtration Media:	Glass Microfibre
Upstream Support:	Polypropylene
■ Downstream Support:	Polypropylene

#### Filter Cartridges

Inner Support Core: Polypropylene
Outer Protection Cage: Polypropylene
End Caps: Polypropylene
End Caps Insert: 316L Stainless Steel
\*Not available in B & L endcap variants

#### MURUS Disposable Filter Capsules

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■ Core:	Polypropylene
■ Sleeve:	Polypropylene
■ End Caps Insert:	316L Stainless Steel
Standard o-rings/gaskets:	Silicone
■ Capsule Body:	Polypropylene
■ Capsules Vent Seals:	Silicone

#### **DEMICAP Filter Capsules**

Core:	Polypropylene
■ Sleeve:	Polypropylene
■ Capsule Body:	Polypropylene
■ Capsules Vent Seals:	Silicone
Filling Bell:	Polycarbonate

#### Syringe Filters

■ Body: Polypropylene

#### **Recommended Operating Conditions**

#### Filter Cartridges

Up to 70 °C (158 °F) continuous operating temperature and higher short-term temperatures during CIP to the following limits:

Temperature		Max. For	Max. Forward dP		
°C	°F	(bar)	(psi)		
20	68	5.0	72.5		
40	104	4.0	58.0		
60	140	3.0	43.5		
80	176	2.0	29.0		
90	194	1.5	21.7		

#### MURUS Disposable Filter Capsules

Up to 25 °C ( 77 °F) @ 5.5 barg (79.7 psig) Up to 60 °C (140 °F) @ 2.8 barg (40.6 psig)

Parker Hannifin certify that this product complies with the current European Council Pressure Equipment Directive (PED) - Sound Engineering Practice (SEP). This product is intended for use with Group 1 & 2 Dangerous and Harmless Liquids and Group 2 Harmless Gases at the operating conditions stated in this document. The Pressure Equipment Directive mandates that category SEP product cannot bear the CE mark.

#### DEMICAP Filter Capsules

Up to  $40 \,^{\circ}\text{C} \, (104 \,^{\circ}\text{F})$  at line pressures up to 5.0 barg (72 psig).

#### Effective Filtration Area (EFA)

10" (250 mm):	$0.56  \text{m}^2$	$(6.0 \text{ ft}^2)$
K Size:	$0.27  \text{m}^2$	(2.9 ft <sup>2</sup> )
A Size:	$0.20  \text{m}^2$	(2.2 ft <sup>2</sup> )
B Size:	$0.10  \text{m}^2$	$(1.1 \text{ ft}^2)$
E Size:	$0.05  \text{m}^2$	$(0.6 \text{ ft}^2)$
Syringe ø50 mm:	$14.50cm^2$	(2.25 in <sup>2</sup> )

#### Sterilization

			Steam	-in-Place
	Cycles		Cycles (30 min.)	
Cartridges	10	130 °C (266 °F)	10	121 °C (249.8 °F)
MURUS	5	130 °C (266 °F)	-	-
DEMICAP	10	130 °C (266 °F)	-	=
Syringe	1	130 °C (266 °F)	-	-

PROCLEAR GF filter cartridges can be sanitized with hot water at up to 90 °C (194 °F) and are compatible with a wide range of chemicals.

For detailed operational procedures and advice on cleaning and sterilization, please contact the Technical Support Group through your usual Parker domnick hunter contact.

#### **Biological Safety**

Materials conform to the relevant requirements of 21CFR Part 177 and current USP Plastics Class VI - 121 °C and ISO10993 equivalents.

#### **Quality Standards**

Pharmaceutical grade products are manufactured in accordance with cGMP, 100% flushed with pharmaceutical grade purified water.

#### Gamma-Irradiation

PROCLEAR GF MURUS & DEMICAP disposable filters can be gamma-irradiated up to a maximum dosage of 40 kGy.

## **Performance Characteristics**

#### TOC / Conductivity

The filtrate quality from a 10" (250 mm) PROCLEAR GF conforms to the requirements of current USP <643> (TOC) and USP <645> (conductivity) within the first 200 ml flush of purified water.

#### **Endotoxins**

Aqueous extracts from the 10" (250 mm) PROCLEAR GF contain < 0.25 EU / ml when tested in accordance with the Limulus Amoebocyte Lysate test.

#### Non-Volatile Extractables (NVE)

Total NVEs extracted in the first 5 litre flush of purified water for a 10" (250 mm) cartridge are <10 mg.

Total NVEs extracted in the first 5 litre flush of purified water for an A size  $7.9^{\circ\circ}$  (200 mm) DEMICAP capsule are <5 mg.

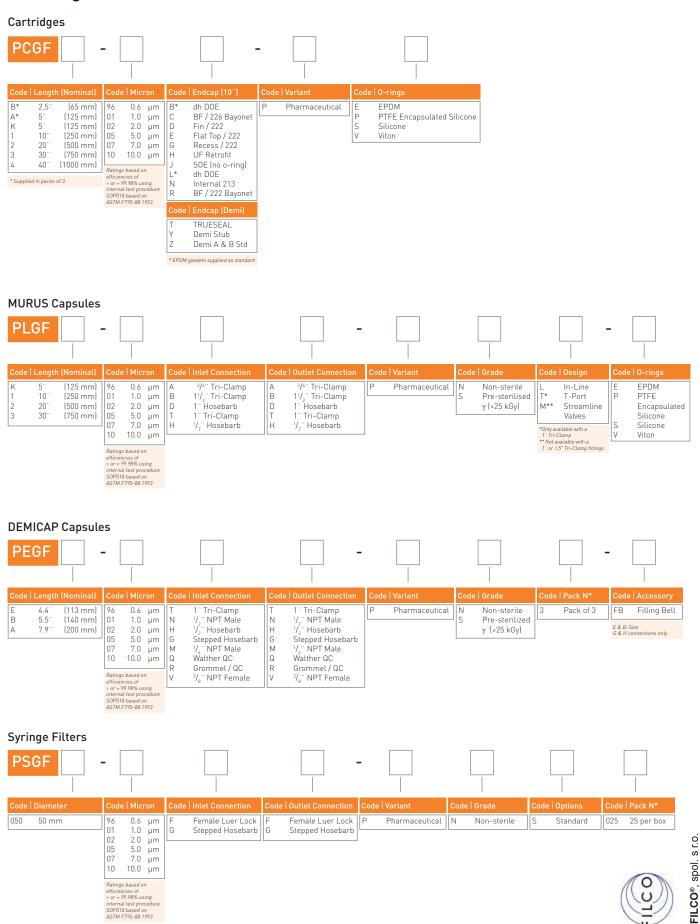
#### Pharmaceutical Validation

A full validation guide is available upon request from Laboratory Services Group (LSG).

#### Oxidizable Substances

PROCLEAR GF filter cartridges meet current USP and EP quality standards for sterile purified water for oxidizable substances following a <1 litre water flush.

## **Ordering Information**



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