

EPS/HT Filters provide the same wide selection of single layer Polyethersulfone (PES) cartridge filters as standard EPS cartridge filters, but with a modified membrane support and hardware material to allow higher operating temperatures (up to 203°F). They are used for removing fine and ultrafine particles from aqueous liquids. Pore sizes range from 0.02 to 0.45  $\mu m$ .

The hydrophilic EPS/HT filters have low extractables for fast rinse-up to conductivity limits and fast rinse-down to TOC limits. EPS/HT filters deliver the high flows and throughput with chemical compatibility across a wide pH range.

EPS/HT filters are pulse power flushed until the rinse effluent reaches 18+ Megohm-cm and less than 3ppb TOC. Each filter is individually tested to ensure integrity.

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# Fine Particle Removal Clarification & Prefiltration



CARTRIDGES – Nominal Dimensions Length: 5 to 40 in. (12.7 to 101.6 cm) Outside Diameter: 2.75 in. (7.0 cm)



EPS/HT is recommended for the filtration of:

- UPDI Water
- Acids & Bases
- Etch Baths
- Solvents
- Bulk Chemicals
- Plating Solutions

### **Maximum Operating Parameters**

	CARTRIDGES
Operating Temperature (water)	203 °F at 30 psid (95 °C at 2.07 bard)
Forward Differential Pressure	80 psid at 68 °F (5.52 bard at 20 °C)
Reverse Differential Pressure	50 psid at 68 °F (3.45 bard at 20 °C)
Recommended Changeout Pressure	35 psid (2.41 bard)

#### Sanitization & Sterilization

Filtered Hot Water*	90 °C (194 °F), 30 minutes
Inline Steam*	275 °F (135 °C), 30 min, 25+ cycles
Autoclave*	250 °F (121 °C), 30 min, 25+ cycles
Chemical Sanitization	Performed using industry standard concentrations of hydrogen peroxide, peracetic acid, sodium hypochlorite and other selected chemicals.

<sup>\*</sup>For all elevated temperature procedures above, a stainless-steel support ring is required.

# Filtration Area (Nominal)

CARTRIDGES						
Length	5"	10"	20"	30"	40"	
	12.7cm	25.4cm	50.8cm	76.2cm	101.6cm	
Area	3.4 ft <sup>2</sup>	7.3 ft <sup>2</sup>	14.6 ft <sup>2</sup>	21.9 ft <sup>2</sup>	29.2 ft <sup>2</sup>	
	0.32m <sup>2</sup>	0.68m <sup>2</sup>	1.36m²	2.04m <sup>2</sup>	2.72m <sup>2</sup>	

#### **Integrity Testing**

DIFFUSION TE	DIFFUSION TEST PRESSURE*		
PSIG	BARG		
60	4.14		
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48	3.31		
35	2.41		
20	1.38		
	PSIG 60 60 48 35		

# **Construction Materials**

Filtration Media	Single Layered Polyethersulfone (PES) Membrane	
Media Support	High Temperature Polypropylene	
End Caps, Center Core, Outer Support Cage	High Temperature Polypropylene	
Sealing Method	Thermal Bonding	
O-Rings/Gaskets	Buna, Viton® (or FKM), EPDM, Silicone, FEP Encapsulated Silicone, FEP Encapsulated Viton (or FKM)	

DIFFUSION SPECIFICATIONS*					
Length	5"	10"	20"	30"	40"
mL/min (0.02μm)	≤ 10.8	≤ 25	≤ 50	≤ 75	≤ 100
mL/min (all other pore sizes)	≤ 12.9	≤ 30	≤ 60	≤ 90	≤ 120

<sup>\*</sup>For water wetted membrane  $\,$ 

#### **Extractables**

EPS/HT filters typically exhibit low levels of non-volatile residues and conform with USP <661>/<665>.

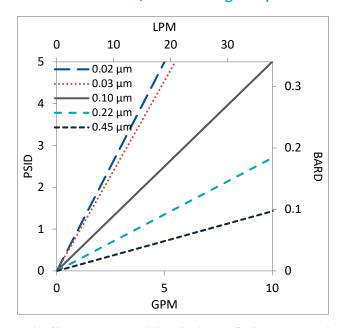
#### **TOC and Conductivity**

EPS/HT filter water effluent conforms with the TOC and water conductivity standards of SEMI Standard F104 (modified) and F63 after an appropriate flush with ultrapure water.

#### Non-Fiber Releasing

The EPS/HT filters comply with Title 21 CFR sections 211.72 and 210.3 (b)(6), for non-fiber releasing filters.

# Flow Rates for EPS/HT Cartridges by Pore Size

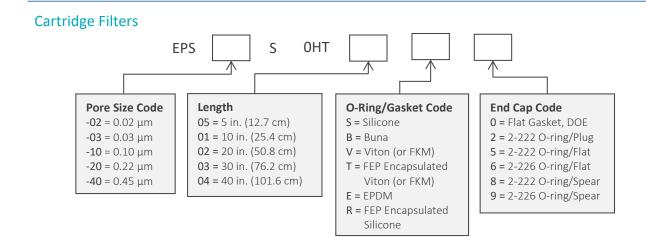


Flow rates for Cartridge filters are per 10-inch length. The test fluid is water at ambient temperature.

# **EPS/HT Cartridge Filters Ordering Information**

Fill in the corresponding codes in the boxes below to build your Part Number.

To consult with one of our technical team members, request a quote or place an order: call (603) 880-4420 or contact us here.





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