

PROVENT Plus

- Intrinsecally Hydrophobic PTFE membrane
- High permeability versus air and gas
- Repeatedly steamable in situ
- Thermowelded construction
- FDA-listed materials per CFR21
- Bio-Safety per USP-Plastics
- Validation Guide available on request

PROVENT Plus cartridge is specifically designed to be used as a vent filter installed on tanks to protect the contained products from the contamination by external agents. PROVENT Plus can be used also for sterilizing filtration of air feeding to fermentors, on condition that the temperature does not exceed the operating conditions herebelow listed.

PROVENT Plus are matching the request for air filters with increased flow capacity at lower pressure drop to assure longer service life and reduce the total energy consumption for more economical air filtration.

PROVENT Plus is manufactured within a controlled environment and each cartridge is integrity tested and is validated for bacterial retention correlated to microbiological challenge test. The retention is checked on regular sampling.

MATERIALS OF CONSTRUCTION

Filter media	PTFE membrane		
Upstream supports	polypropylene		
Downstream supports	polypropylene		
Internal Core	polypropylene		
External Cage	polypropylene		
End caps / Adapters	polypropylene		

FOOD-SAFETY

PROVENT filter elements meet regulation (EC) 1935/2004 for indirect food contact.

BIO-SAFETY

Filter media and components pass USP Biological Reactivity and Chemical-Physical tests for CLASS VI plastics. The filter meets USP "Water for injection" requirements for particle release and the effluent is Non Directory and the

particle release and the effluent is Non-Pyrogenic per USP Bacterial Endotoxins (< 0,25 EU/ml).

QUALITY STANDARDS

Produced under a certified Quality System certified to guarantee traceability of manufacturing records and integrity testing results.

OPERATING CONDITIONS

- max. continuous temperature	70 °C (150 °F)			
- max. cumulative time of steam sterilization	100 cycles of 60 minutes at 140 °C			
- sanitization with chemicals	can be sanitized by standard chemical agents			
- max. differential pressure	5,0 bar at 25 °C (73 PSI at 77 °F)			
- recommended change out differential pressure	2,0 bar at 25 °C (29 PSI at 77 °F)			

CODE	ABSOLUTE FILTRATION RATING	3) BACTERIAL RETENTION >10 ⁷ CFU/cm ²	ACCEPTABLE LIMIT FOR INTEGRITY TEST	
SM	0,2 µm	Brevundimonas diminuta in liquid	1) ≤ 14 ml/min @ 0,8 bar	
	0,2 µm	Bacteriophage T1 in aerosol	1) ≤ 14 ml/min @ 0,8 bar	
SMA	0,2 µm	Brevundimonas diminuta in liquid	2) ≤ 16 Nml/10min @ 2,5 bar	
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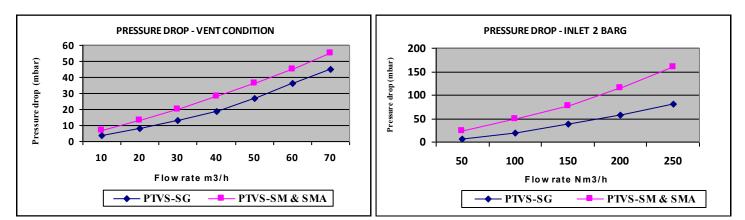
1- The integrity is verified by DIFFUSION TEST using an aqueous solution of isopropyl alcohol (IPA 50/50 V/V) as wetting liquid.

2- The integrity is verified by WATER FLOW INTRUSION TEST.

3- Cartridges are validated for retention of the microorganism reported in the table according to ASTM F838



AIR FLOW RATE FOR 10" CARTRIDGE



PROVENT Plus ORDERING INFORMATION

END FITTING	CODE	1							
SOE: open end with (2) O-Ring 2.222. Blind end with flat top.	203		ABSOLUTE FILTRATION RATING micron	CODE		CODE SB	PACKING PE Single box	ΓΥ-	
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