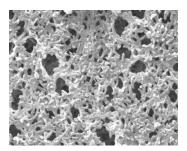


GNC filters are part of Critical Process Filtration's economical, general service product line that can be used to lower the total cost of filtration from simple to the most complex applications. Produced using the same quality materials and manufacturing excellence as our other product lines, you can be assured of their performance, dependability and scalability. While general service filters are not integrity tested or validated for retention, these highly efficient filters remove large amounts of contaminants early in the process to reduce the load on your expensive downstream filters. They are also useful as stand-alone clarifying or particle removal filters in less critical applications.

GNC cartridge and capsule filters consist of a single layer, positively charged Nylon 6,6 membrane used for filtering aqueous and non-aqueous liquids that contain negatively charged contaminants. Pore sizes range from 0.03 to 1.2 μm . GNC filters have broad chemical compatibility and deliver high flow and throughput.

Critical Process provides unrivaled delivery times, technical consulting before purchasing, and very competitively priced high-performance products. Our comprehensive testing & analysis and validation services support your team whenever they need it. Your process experts partnering with our filtration experts is how we deliver your company's solution right the first time.



GNC filters are recommended for the filtration of:

- Process Water
- Chemicals
- DI Water
- Solvents
- Inks and Dyes

Fine Particle Removal Clarification & Prefiltration



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



CAPSULES – Nominal Dimensions Length: 2 to 30 in. (5.1 to 76.2 cm) Outside Diameter: 3.50 in. (8.9 cm)

Maximum Operating Parameters

	CARTRIDGES	CAPSULES
Liquid Operational Pressure	N/A 80 psi at 68 °F (5.51 bard a	
Gases Operational Pressure	N/A 60 psi at 68 °F (4.13 bar at 20 °	
Operating Temperature (water)	180 °F at 30 psid (82 °C at 2.06 bard) 110 °F at 30 psid (43 °C at 2.06 bard)	
Forward Differential Pressure	80 psid at 68 °F (5.51 bard at 20 °C) Liquid - 80 psid at 68 °F (5.51 bard (Liquid and Gas) Gas - 60 psi at 68 °F (4.13 bar at 20	
Reverse Differential Pressure	50 psid at 68 °F (3.44 bard at 20 °C) 50 psid at 68 °F (3.44 bard at 20	
commended Changeout Pressure 35 psid (2.41 bard) 35 psid (2.41 bard)		35 psid (2.41 bard)

Sanitization & Sterilization

Filtered Hot Water*	90 °C (194 °F), 30 minutes,	
	multiple cycles, max 3 psid forward flow	N/A
Inline Steam*	275 °F (135 °C), 30 min, 25+ cycles	N/A
Autoclave*	250 °F (121 °C), 30 min, 25+ cycles	250 °F (121 °C), 30 min, 25+ cycles
Chemical Sanitization	Performed using industry standard concentrations of hydrogen peroxide, peracetic acid and other selected chemicals.	

^{*}Cartridge Filters – For all elevated temperature procedures above, a stainless-steel support ring is required.

Filtration Area

	CAPSULES	CARTRIDGES AND CAPSULES			CARTRIDGES	
Length	2"	5"	10"	20"	30"	40"
	5.08cm	12.7cm	25.4cm	50.8cm	76.2cm	101.6cm
Area	1.2 ft ²	3.3 ft ²	7.0 ft ²	14.0 ft ²	21.0 ft ²	28.0 ft ²
	0.11m ²	0.30m ²	0.65m ²	1.30m ²	1.95m ²	2.60m ²

Extractables

GNC filters typically exhibit low levels of non-volatile residues.

Non-Fiber Releasing

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

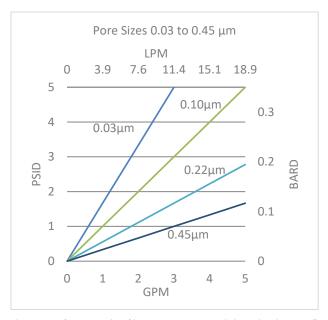
FDA Compliance

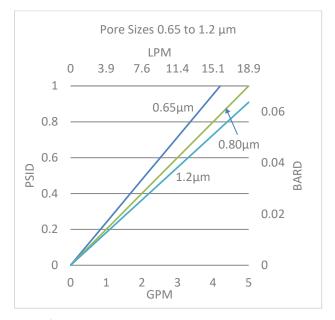
Materials meet the requirements listed by the FDA as appropriate for use in articles intended for repeated food contact as specified in Title 21 CFR sections 174.5, 177.1500, 177.1520, 177.1630, 177.2440, and 177.2600 as applicable.

Construction Materials

Filtration Media	Positively Charged Nylon 6,6 Membrane	
Media Support	Polypropylene	
End Caps, Center Core, Outer Support Cage, Capsule Housing	Polypropylene	
Sealing Method	Thermal Bonding	
O-Rings/Gaskets Cartridges only	Buna, Viton® (or FKM), EPDM, Silicone, FEP Encapsulated Silicone, FEP Encapsulated Viton (or FKM)	

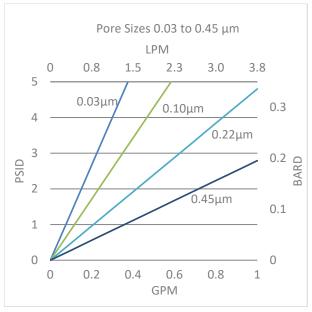
Flow Rates for GNC Cartridges

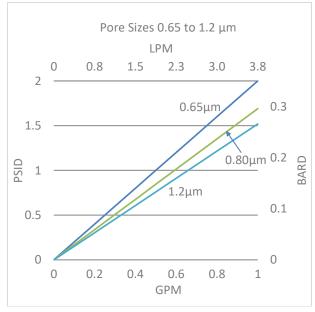




Flow rates for Cartridge filters are per 10-inch length. The test fluid is water at ambient temperature.

Flow Rates for GNC Capsules



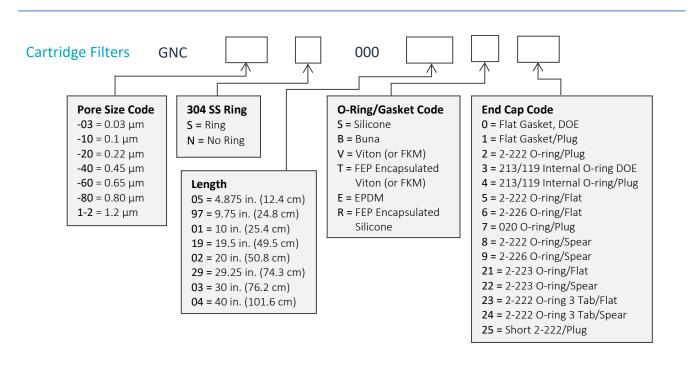


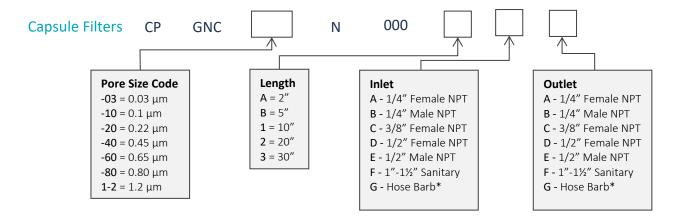
Flow rates for Capsule filters are per square foot of membrane area. The test fluid is water at ambient temperature. Flows are tested using a 2" capsule filter with ½" FNPT inlet and outlet ports. Rates will vary based on end configuration of the capsule.

GNC Filters Ordering Information

All Critical Process filters are configurable to meet customer specifications. 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) 880-4220 Ext. 106, or send an email to sales@criticalprocess.com





Housings

CPF offers Model CSH sanitary housings in Single-Round (Inline and T-Style) and Multi-Round (3, 6, 8, 12 and 21-round) configurations.



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