

Polyfil™ Junior

Absolute Rated Pleated
Polypropylene Cartridge
Filters Small-Scale
Applications



A range of absolute rated cartridge filters are designed for retrofitting into existing junior-style housings.

Featuring the latest developments in meltblown polypropylene filter media technology, Polyfil™ Junior cartridges are based on a robust all polypropylene construction, offering removal ratings from 0.5 to 5 micron absolute.

Polyfil™ Junior cartridges are suitable for absolute removal of unwanted particulates and for pre-filtration to membrane filters. The graded multi-layer polypropylene media provide pre-filtration of the process fluid prior to the absolute rated final layer. The unique design of the Polyfil™ Junior cartridges helps to achieve lower running costs and a smaller process footprint. Polyfil™ Junior cartridges are resistant to integrity failure caused by steam sterilisation and have excellent chemical compatibility characteristics.

Typical Applications

- Small-scale pharmaceuticals
- Ophthalmic solutions
- Electronics and semiconductors
- Small-scale fine chemicals
- Pilot-scale studies
- Inks and coatings

Ordering Information

Product Code:					
1	P	2	3	4	5
J	J-Style	P5	0.5µm	25	77.5mm (2.5")
S	S-Style	P8	0.8µm	50	136mm (5")
L	L-Style	01	1µm		

1: Configuration	2: Pore rating	3: Length	4: Seals (J/L Style)	5: Additional
J	P5	0.5µm	A Ethylene Propylene	P Pharma Grade
S	P8	0.8µm	B Silicone	
L	01	1µm	C Viton®	

Features and Benefits

- Graded multi-layer media
- High filtration area
- Guaranteed removal ratings
- Suitable for steam and hot water sanitisation
- Full traceability
- Controlled manufacturing environment

Specifications

Materials of Manufacture

Filter media:	Polypropylene
Support layers:	Polypropylene
Inner core:	Polypropylene
Outer support:	Polypropylene
End fittings:	Polypropylene
Support ring:	Stainless steel

Cartridge Dimensions (Nominal)

Effective Filtration Area:	Up to 0.15m ² (1.6ft ²) per 136mm module (depending on pore rating)
Diameter:	56mm (2.2")
Length:	77.5mm (2.5") 136mm (5")

Cartridge Treatment

Standard:	Cleaned without further treatment
Flushed:	Flushed with pyrogen-free water
Rinsed:	Ultra-clean, pulse flushed to give a system resistivity of 18MΩ.cm

Gaskets and O-Rings

J-style:	Silicone (other materials are available on request)
S-style:	Not supplied
L-style:	Silicone (other materials are available on request)

Maximum Differential Pressure

Normal flow direction at:

20°C (68°F):	6.0 bar (87psi)
80°C (176°F):	4.0 bar (58psi)
100°C (212°F):	3.0 bar (44psi)
120°C (248°F):	2.0 bar (29psi)
125°C (257°F):	1.5 bar (22psi)

Reverse flow direction at:

20°C (68°F):	2.1 bar (30psi)
80°C (176°F):	1.0 bar (15psi)
100°C (212°F):	0.5 bar (7psi)

Operating Temperature

Maximum continuous: 80°C (176°F)

Sterilisation

J-style:	<i>In situ</i> steam 70 x 25 minute cycles at 125°C (257°F)
S-style:	Autoclave 100 x 25 minute cycles at 125°C (257°F)
L-style:	<i>In situ</i> steam 70 x 25 minute cycles at 125°C (257°F)

Extractables

Minimum total extractables. Please refer to the Polyfil™ II Validation Guide.

Integrity Testing

Polyfil™ Junior filter cartridges are batch tested for integrity using the Bubble Point Test. Please contact us for procedural details.

Clean Water Flow Rates

- Typical clean water flow rate:
A 136mm (5") Polyfil™ Junior cartridge exhibits the flow- Δ P characteristics indicated below, for solutions with a viscosity of 1 centipoise.
- Other solutions:
For solutions with a viscosity other than 1 centipoise, multiply the indicated differential pressure by the viscosity in centipoise.

