

Quick Reference Guide

### Millex<sup>®</sup> Syringe Filters What Do You Need to Filter Today?





# Millex Syringe Filters

Filter with confidence

Millipore has a long history of enabling efficient sample preparation within the life science, environmental monitoring, clinical and industrial quality control markets. We constantly strive to advance sample preparation methods and help scientists meet the demands of lower detection limits and increased sample workloads.

An essential component of high quality separation and purification processes, Millex syringe filters can be found in virtually every laboratory. The unsurpassed quality and consistency of results they provide has led to the creation of many sample preparation methods specifying Millex filters. Global availability allows these methods to be easily transferred to any laboratory, anywhere in the world.

#### Manufactured for Reliable Performance

Manufacturing occurs in a controlled environment using an automated process. Sterile devices are provided with a Certificate of Quality.

### Faster Flow Rate

33 mm Millex filters have 20% more filter surface than 25 mm filters for significantly higher flow rate and throughput.

#### **Higher Operating Pressure**

With a maximum housing pressure of 150 psig (10 bar) solutions can be filtered faster.

### Low Extractables, Low Binding

A variety of membranes and housings ensure chemical compatibility with a range of samples and solvents.

### **Choose From a Variety of Membranes**

- Millex-LCR filter contains a Millipore-exclusive hydrophilic PTFE membrane and are HPLC-certified for low levels of UV-absorbing extractables. They provide the cleanest sample for HPLC analysis.
- Durapore<sup>®</sup> (PVDF) filters combine fast flow with low protein binding.
- Nylon filters provide broad chemical compatibility for use with aqueous and organic solutions.
- Millipore Express<sup>®</sup> PLUS (PES) filters have fastest flow rates and higher throughput.
- MF-Millipore<sup>™</sup> mixed cellulose ester (MCE) membrane is a widely used, general purpose filter.



## Sample Preparation for Chromatography

Non-sterile, low-extractable filters for clarification or fine particulate removal prior to instrument analysis.



#### Choosing the appropriate Millex filter size:

Process Volume	Millex Filter Diameter
< 1 mL	4 mm
1 – 10 mL	13 mm
10 – 100 mL	25 mm
10 – 100 mL	33 mm

#### **Applications**

• HPLC, UHPLC, IC, GC, Dissolution testing, general particulate removal.

#### Membranes

- Millipore LCR (hydrophilic PTFE) Aqueous or mild organic solutions; low binding and extractables.
- Durapore<sup>®</sup> (PVDF)
   Aqueous or mild organic solutions; low binding and extractables.
- Nylon Aqueous or organic solutions.
- Millipore Express<sup>®</sup> (PES)
   Fast flow and low protein binding.
- Fluoropore<sup>™</sup> (hydrophobic PTFE) Organic solvents.

#### Housings

• High density polyethylene or polypropylene.

### **EXTRACTABLES**



Low water extractables indicate that Millex filters are ideal for dissolution studies and other aqueous-based sample prep protocols.



Low extractables are also observed with organic solvents.

# Sample Preparation for Chromatography

	Pore Size (µm)	Туре	Process Volume	Hold-up Volume (after air purge)	Outlet Connection	Qty/Pk	Catalogue No.
4 mm Diameter							
Millipore LCR (Hydrophilic PTFI	E) Membran	e					
	0.20	LG	1 mL	<10 µL	Male stepped	100	SLLGR04NL
	0.45	LH	1 mL	<10 µL	Male stepped	100 1000	SLLHR04NL SLLHR04NK
Durapore (PVDF) Membrane							
	0.22	GV	1 mL	<10 µL	Male stepped	100 1000	SLGVR04NL SLGVR04NK
	0.45	HV	1 mL	<10 µL	Male stepped	100 1000	SLHVR04NL SLHVR04NK
Fluoropore (Hydrophobic PTF	E) Membran	e					
	0.20	FG	1 mL	<10 µL	Male stepped	100	SLFGR04NL
	0.45	FH	1 mL	<10 µL	Male stepped	100	SLFHR04NL
13 mm Diameter							
Millipore LCR (Hydrophilic PTFI	E) Membran	e					
	0.20	LG	10 mL	<25 µL	Male Luer slip	100 1000	SLLGH13NL SLLGH13NK
	0.45	LCR	10 mL	<25 µL	Male Luer slip Male Luer slip Tube outlet	100 1000 100	SLCR013NL SLCR013NK SLCRT13NL
Durapore (PVDF) Membrane							
	0.22	GV	10 mL	<25 µL	Male Luer slip Male Luer slip Tube outlet	100 1000 100	SLGVX13NL SLGVX13NK SLGVX13TL
	0.45	ΗV	10 mL	<25 µL	Male Luer slip Male Luer slip Tube outlet	100 1000 100	SLHVX13NL SLHVX13NK SLHVX13TL
Nylon Membrane							
	0.20	GN	10 mL	<25 µL	Male Luer slip Male Luer slip Tube outlet	100 1000 100	SLGNX13NL SLGNX13NK SLGNX13TL
	0.45	HN	10 mL	<25 µL	Male Luer slip Male Luer slip Tube outlet	100 1000 100	SLHNX13NL SLHNX13NK SLHNX13TL
IC Millex Filters (Hydrophilic P	TFE) Membr	ane					
	0.20	IC Millex-LG	10 mL	<10 µL	Male Luer slip	100	SLLGC13NL
	0.45	IC Millex-LH	10 mL	<10 µL	Male Luer slip	100	SLLHC13NL
Fluoropore (Hydrophobic PTFE	) Membrane	9					
	0.20	FG	10 mL	<25 µL	Male Luer slip Male Luer slip Tube outlet	100 1000 100	SLFGX13NL SLFGX13NK SLFGX13TL
	0.45	FH	10 mL	<25 μL	Male Luer slip Male Luer slip Tube outlet	100 1000 100	SLFHX13NL SLFHX13NK SLFHX13TL



13 mm Millex filters have HDPE housings and a male Luer slip outlet or MLS outlet with extension tube.



	Pore Size (µm)	Туре	Process Volume	Hold-up Volume (after air purge)	Outlet Connection	Qty/Pk	Catalogue No.
25 mm Diameter							
Millipore LCR (Hydrophilic PTI	FE) Membra	ine					
	0.20	LCR	100 mL	<100 µL	Male Luer slip	50 250 1000	SLLGH25NS SLLGH25NB SLLGH25NK
	0.45	LCR	100 mL	<100 µL	Male Luer slip	50 250 1000	SLCR025NS SLCR025NB SLCR025NK
IC Millex Filters (Hydrophilic F	PTFE) Memb	orane					
	0.20	IC Millex-LG	100 mL	<100 µL	Male Luer slip	50	SLLGC25NS
	0.45	IC Millex-LH	100 mL	<100 µL	Male Luer slip	50	SLLHC25NS
Fluoropore (Hydrophobic PTF	E) Membra	ne					
	0.20	FG	100 mL	<100 µL	Male Luer slip	50 250 1000	SLFG025NS SLFG025NB SLFG025NK
	0.45	FH	100 mL	<100 µL	Male Luer slip	50 250 1000	SLFH025NS SLFH025NB SLFH025NK
	5.0	LS	100 mL	<100 µL	Male Luer slip	50	SLLS025NS
33 mm Diameter							
Durapore (PVDF) Membrane							
	0.22	GV	100 µL	≤ 80 µL	Male Luer slip	50 250 1000	SLGV033NS SLGV033NB SLGV033NK
	0.45	ΗV	100 μL	≤ 80 µL	Male Luer slip	50 250 1000	SLHV033NS SLHV033NB SLHV033NK
Nylon Membrane							
	0.20	GN	100 mL	≤ 80 µL	Male Luer slip	50 250 1000	SLGN033NS SLGN033NB SLGN033NK
	0.45	HN	100 μL	≤ 80 µL	Male Luer slip	50 250 1000	SLHN033NS SLHN033NB SLHN033NK
Millipore Express (PES) Memb	rane						
	0.22	GP	200 mL	≤ 80 µL	Male Luer slip	50 250 1000	SLGP033NS SLGP033NB SLGP033NK
	0.45	HP	100 μL	≤ 80 µL	Male Luer slip	50 250 1000	SLHP033NS SLHP033NB SLHP033NK



25 mm filters have HDPE housings with a male Luer slip outlet.



33 mm filters have polypropylene housings with a male Luer slip outlet.

# Automation-Compatible Filters

Engineered specifically for robotic systems, automation-compatible 25 mm Millex syringe filters deliver trouble-free operation in automated filter changing stations.

- Domed housing ensures reliable delivery of filters.
- Pressure resistant housing resists bursting
- Luer-Lok<sup>®</sup> connection optimized for precise alignment and fit.
- Available in either bulk of delivery tubes for use with automated filter changing system, including Caliper, Varian and Sotax workstations.

### Applications

- Dissolution testing.
- HPLC sample preparation.

### Membranes

• Glass Fiber

Clarifying aqueous or organic solutions with high particulate levels.

• Millex LCR (hydrophilic PTFE)\*

Clarifying aqueous or organic solutions.

• Durapore (PVDF)\*

Clarifying aqueous and mild organic solutions; ultra-low protein binding.

• Nylon\*

Clarifying aqueous or organic solutions.

• Multi-layer Prefilter configuration

Clarification of high particulate and viscous solutions.

\* Also available with glass fiber prefilter for clarifying solutions with high particulate levels.

### Housings

• Low-extractable, high-density polyethylene.



A rigid domed housing design helps prevent backpressure, which can cause a workstation shut-down.



The domed housing of automation-compatible 25 mm Millex syringe filters enables smooth, reliable delivery by eliminating shingling between filters in the transport rack.

Membrane	Pore Size (µm)	Process Volume (max)	Qty/Pk	Catalogue No.
25 mm				
Glass Fiber Filter				
	1.0 PB	100 mL	200 (8 x 25) 1000	SLPBDZ5NZ SLPBDZ5NK
Millipore LCR (Hydrophilic PT	FE) Membrane			
	0.20 LG	100 mL	200 (8 x 25) 1000	SLLGDZ5NZ SLLGDZ5NK
	0.45 LCR	100 mL	200 (8 x 25) 1000	SLCRDZ5NZ SLCRDZ5NK
Millipore LCR (Hydrophilic PT	FE) Membrane with 1.0 µm	Glass Fiber Prefilter		
	0.45 /1.0 LCR/PB	100 mL	200 (8 x 25) 1000	SLCRBZ5NZ SLCRBZ5NK
Durapore (PVDF) Membrane				
	0.45 HV	100 mL	200 (8 x 25) 1000	SLHVDZ5NZ SLHVDZ5NK
Durapore (PVDF) Membrane v	vith 1.0 µm Glass Fiber Pre	filter		
	0.45/1.0 HV/PB	100 mL	200 (8 x 25) 1000	SLHVBZ5NZ SLHVBZ5NK
Nylon Membrane				
	0.45 HN	100 mL	200 (8 x 25) 1000	SLHNDZ5NZ SLHNDZ5NK
	0.20 GN	100 mL	200 (8 x 25) 1000	SLGNDZ5NZ SLGNDZ5NK
Nylon Membrane with 1.0 µm	Glass Fiber Pre-filter			
	0.45 /1.0 HN/PB	100 mL	200 (8 x 25) 1000	SLHNBZ5NZ SLHNBZ5NK

### Standard (1000 packs) for individual use or 200 pack tubes for use on robotic systems.



# High Particulate/Viscous Filtration

HPF Millex filters include multiple media: a graduated prefilter and a membrane filter for high throughput filtration of viscous or particle-laden solutions.

### Applications

- Analytical sample prep.
- Wine analysis.
- General particulate removal.

### Membranes

Graduated glass fiber prefilter with a choice of;

- Millipore LCR (hydrophilic) for aqueous or organic solutions.
- Durapore (PVDF) for aqueous and mild organic solutions.
- Nylon for aqueous or organic solutions.

### Housings

• High-density polyethylene, which is compatible with the most commonly used solvents.



### MILLIPORE ADVANTAGE

A multi-layer filter can improve throughput of high particulate/viscous samples.



### Standard (50 or 1000 packs) for individual use or 200 (8 x 25) pack tubes for use on robotic filter changing workstations.

Membrane	Pore Size (µm)	Process Volume (max)	Qty/Pk	Catalogue No.
25 mm				
Millipore LCR (Hydrophilic PTFE) with Glass Fiber P	re-filter			
	0.45 LCR	100 mL	50 1000	SLCRM25NS SLCRM25NK
	0.20LG	100 mL	50 1000	SLLGM25NS SLLGM25NK
Durapore (PVDF) Membrane and Glass Fiber Pre-fil	lter			
	0.45 HV	100 mL	50 200 (8 x 25) 1000	SLHVM25NS SLHVMZ5NZ SLHVM25NK
Nylon Membrane and Glass Fiber Pre-filter				
	0.45 HN	100 mL	50 200 (8 x 25) 1000	SLHNM25NS SLHNMZ5NZ SLHNM25NK
	0.20 GN	100 mL	50 1000	SLGNM25NS SLGNM25NK

### **AUTOMATION COMPATIBLE**

These filters are specially designed for reliable operation on robotic systems.





[multivitamin tablets dissolved overnight and filtered at 5 psi]

# Laboratory Filtration

Non-sterile 25 mm filters with a variety of membranes for prefiltration, clarification, or fine particulate removal (0.22  $\mu$ m pore size) from aqueous solutions.

### Applications

• Clarification and particulate removal.

#### Membranes

- Glass fiber
   Prefiltration.
- Durapore (PVDF)
   Aqueous and mild organic solutions; ultra-low protein binding.
- Mixed cellulose esters (MCE) Aqueous solutions.

### Housings

• PVC.

### Connections

• Female Luer-Lok inlet / Male Luer slip outlet.



	Pore Size (µm)	Туре	Process Volume	Hold-up Volume (after air purge)	Qty/Pk	Catalogue No.
25 mm Diameter						
Glass Fiber Filter						
	Prefilter	AP	100 mL	<100 µL	50	SLAP02550
Durapore (PVDF) Membrane						
	0.22	GV	100 mL	<100 µL	1000	MSP000842
	5.0	SV	100 mL	<100 µL	250	SLSV025NB
Mixed Cellulose Esters (MCE) Membrane						
	0.22	GS	100 mL	<100 µL	250	SLGS025NB
	0.45	HA	100 mL	<100 µL	250 1000	SLHA025NB SLHA02510
	0.8	AA	100 mL	<100 µL	250 1000	SLAA025NB SLAA025NK

### MILLIPORE ADVANTAGE

Wide variety of membranes and pore sizes lets you choose the best filter for your application.

# **Medical Devices**

Sterile filters for hospital pharmacy and direct patient care.

### Applications

- For use in medical applications in the U.S. and Japan only.
- See page 13 for CE-marked filters.



	Pore Size (µm)	Туре	Process Volume	Hold-up Volume (after air purge)	Sterilization Method*	Qty/Pk	Catalogue No.	
25 mm Diameter								
Millipore Express (PES) Membrane								
Medical Millex-GP Filter Unit	0.22	GP	200 mL	< 100 µL	RS	50	SLMP025SS SLMPL25SS <sup>§</sup>	
Mixed Cellulose Esters (MCE) Membran	e							
Medical Millex-GS Filter Unit	0.22	GS	100 mL	< 100 µL	EO	50	slgsv255f <sup>‡</sup>	
33 mm Diameter								
Millipore Express PLUS (PES) Membran	e							
Medical Millex-HP Filter Unit	0.45	HP	200 mL	< 100 µL	RS	50	SLHPM33RS	
Medical Millex-GP Filter Unit	0.22	GP	200 mL	< 100 µL	RS	50	SLGPM33RS	
Durapore (PVDF) Membrane								
Medical Millex-VV Filter Unit	0.1	VV	100 mL	< 100 µL	RS	50	SLVVM33RS	
Medical Millex-GV Filter Unit	0.22	GV	100 mL	< 100 µL	RS	50	SLGVM33RS	
Medical Millex-HV Filter Unit	0.45	ΗV	100 mL	< 100 µL	RS	50	SLHVM33RS	
Mixed Cellulose Esters (MCE) Membrane								
Medical Millex-GS Filter Unit	0.22	GS	100 mL	< 100 µL	EO	50	SLGSM33SS	
Medical Millex-HA Filter Unit	0.45	HA	100 mL	< 100 µL	EO	50	SLHAM33SS	
Medical Millex-AA Filter Unit	0.8	AA	100 mL	< 100 µL	EO	50	SLAAM33SS	

\* EO = ethylene oxide; RS = radiosterilized.  $\ddagger$  vented inlet § Luer-Lok/Luer-Lok

# Sterile Filtration

Pre-sterilized filters for sterilizing (0.22  $\mu m$  pore size or smaller) or clarifying biological solutions.

### Applications

- Tissue culture media/additives.
- Buffers.
- Biological solutions.

### Membranes

- Millipore Express<sup>®</sup> PLUS (PES)
   Fast flow & low protein binding.
- Durapore<sup>®</sup> (PVDF) Ultra-low protein binding.
- Mixed cellulose esters (MCE) General purpose; binds trace proteins.
- Millipore LCR (hydrophilic PTFE) Broad chemical compatibility.

### Housings

- 4, 13 mm: high density polyethylene.
- 25 mm: PVC.
- 33 mm: modified acrylic.
- Female Luer-Lok<sup>®</sup> inlet/male Luer slip outlet (except MP and OR).



#### Choosing the appropriate Millex filter size:

Process Volume	Millex Filter Diameter
< 1 mL	4 mm
1 – 10 mL	13 mm
10 – 100 mL	25 mm
10 – 200 mL	33 mm

### MILLIPORE ADVANTAGE

Millipore Express membrane provides faster flow (below) and lower protein binding (right) than other polyethersulfone membranes.





### Sterilized, individually blister packaged.

	Pore Size (µm)	Туре	Process Volume	Hold-up Volume (after air purge)	Sterilization Method*	Qty/Pk	Catalogue No.
4 mm Diameter							
Durapore (PVDF) Membrane							
	0.22	GV	1 mL	< 10 µL	EO	100	SLGV004SL
	0.45	HV	1 mL	< 10 µL	EO	100	SLHV004SL
13 mm Diameter							
Millipore LCR (Hydrophilic PTFE) Memb	rane						
	0.20	LG	10 mL	< 25 µL	EO	100	SLLG013SL
Durapore (PVDF) Membrane							
	0.22	GV	10 mL	< 25 µL	EO	100	SLGV013SL
	0.45	ΗV	10 mL	< 25 µL	EO	100	SLHV013SL
25 mm Diameter							
Durapore (PVDF) Membrane							
	5.0	SV	100 mL	< 100 µL	EO	50	SLSV025LS
Mixed Cellulose Esters (MCE) Membrar	e with ma	le Luer-Lok o	utlet				
	0.22	OR	100 mL	< 100 µL	EO	50	SLGL0250S
Mixed Cellulose Esters (MCE) Membrar	ie with ver	ited inlet					
	0.22	GS	100 mL	< 100 µL	EO	50	SLGSV255F
Millipore LCR (Hydrophilic PTFE) Memb	rane						
	0.20	LG AP	100 mL 100 ml	< 100 µL < 100 µl	E0 NS	50 50	SLLG025SS SLAP02550
Borosilicate Glass Filter A120 for prefiltrat	tion		100 112	100 μ2	110	00	02,11 02000
33 mm Diameter							
Millipore Express PLUS (PES) Membran	e						
	0.22	GP	200 mL	< 100 µL	RS	50	SLHP033RS
	0.45	HP	200 mL	< 100 µL	RS	250	SLHP033RB
Durapore (PVDF) Membrane							
	0.1	VV	100 mL	< 100 µL	RS	50	CE SLVV033RS
	0.22	GV	100 mL	< 100 µL	RS	50 250	<pre>C€ SLGV033RS C€ SLGV033RB</pre>
	0.45	HV	100 mL	< 100 µL	RS	50	CE SLHVO33RS
Mixed Cellulose Esters (MCE) Membrar	16					230	CCSERVOSSIND
	0.22	GS	100 ml	< 100 µl	ΕQ	50	C€ SLGS03355
						250	<pre>C€ SLGS033SB</pre>
	0.45	HA	100 mL	< 100 µL	EO	50	CE SLHA033SS
	0.8	ΔΔ	100 ml	~ 100 ul	FO	250	
	0.0	7.77	TOOTIL	< 100 με	LU	250	CE SLAA033SB
50 mm Diameter							
Millipore Express (PES) Membrane							
	0.22	GP	4000 mL	< 1 mL	RS	10	SLGP05010
	0.22	GP with filling bell			RS	10	SLGPB5010

\* EO = ethylene oxide; RS = radiosterilized

# Vent/Gas Filters

Fluoropore (hydrophobic PTFE) membrane is an excellent moisture barrier and can be used for sterilizing (0.2  $\mu$ m pore size) or clarifying gases or organic solutions.

### Applications

- Sterile filtering gases.
- Venting sterile containers.
- In-line vacuum pump protection (50 mm filters).

#### Membranes

• Fluoropore (hydrophobic PTFE).

#### Housings

• PVC for EO-sterilized filters; polypropylene for autoclavable filters.

#### Pressure

- 25 mm filters 5 bar (75 psi) max.
- 50 mm filters 4 bar (60 psi) max.



### MILLIPORE ADVANTAGE

Because Millex filters are bi-directional, you don't have to worry about their orientation when using them in-line.

Pore Size (µm)	Туре	Inlet Type	Outlet Type	Sterilization Method	Qty/Pk	Catalogue No.
25 mm Diamete	r					
0.20	FG	Female Luer-Lok	Male Luer slip	EO	50	SLFG025LS
		Female Luer-Lok	Male Luer-Lok	EO	50	SLFGL25BS
		Female Luer-Lok	Needle	EO	25	SLFGN25VS
		Female Luer-Lok	Male Luer slip	Autoclavable	50	SLFG02550*
50 mm Diamete	r					
0.20	FG	Stepped hose barb (latex)	Stepped hose barb (latex)	Autoclavable	10	SLFG05010*
		with female Luer slip interior	with female Luer slip interior		100	SLFG05000*
		Stepped hose barb (silicone) with female Luer slip interior	1/8" NPTM	Autoclavable	10	SLFG55010*
	Stepped hose barb (latex) with female Luer slip interior	1/8" NPTM	Autoclavable	10 100	SLFG65010* SLFG65000*	
		1/8" NPTM	1/8" NPTM	Autoclavable	10 100	SLFG75010* SLFG75000*
		Stepped hose barb (silicone) with female Luer slip interior	Stepped hose barb (silicone) with female Luer slip interior	Autoclavable	10 100	SLFG85010* SLFG85000*
0.45	FH	Stepped hose barb with female Luer slip interior	Stepped hose barb with female Luer slip interior	Autoclavable	10 100	SLFH05010* SLFH05000*
1.0	FA	Stepped hose barb with female Luer slip interior	Stepped hose barb with female Luer slip interior	Autoclavable	10 100	SLFA05010* SLFA05000*

\* Solvent resistant polyethylene housing.

### High Quality Wateris Essential for Optimal Results



The quality of water used in the preparation of samples, mobile phases, buffers and standards in large part determines the quality and consistency of HPLC and UV/Vis analyses. The new Milli-Q<sup>®</sup> Integral system produces both pressurized pure and ultrapure water directly from tap water, giving you complete control over the quality and volume of water required by your laboratory. In addition, you benefit from low operating costs, thanks to the Elix<sup>®</sup> technology inside.

The Milli-Q Integral system provides perfect convenience through separate Points-of-Delivery (PODS), which you can adapt with a final polisher to match your specific applications.

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\* Elix technology features continuous deionization which combines electrodialysis and ion exchange. The process effectively deionizes water while continuously regenerating resins through an electric current.

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