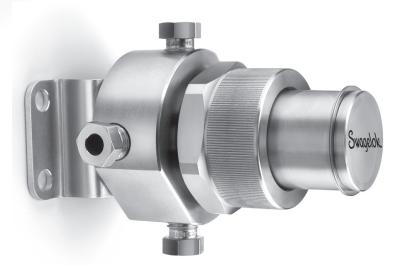
# Gas Filters





# FC Series

- Coalescing or particle filtration
- Designed for on-line process analyzers
- Easy element replacement
- 1/8 in., 1/4 in., and 6 mm end connections



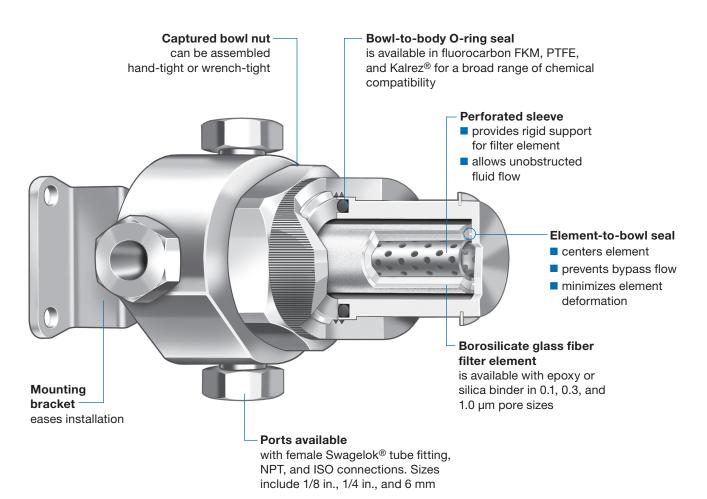
- Horizontal mounting reduces panel space requirements.
- Drain connection port located on body eliminates need to disconnect line when changing elements.
- Stainless steel construction enhances system cleanliness.

#### **Particulate Efficiency**

99.99 % (all elements)

#### **Internal Volume**

1.2 in.3 (19.7 cm<sup>3</sup>)



#### **Materials of Construction**

Component	Material Grade/ ASTM Specification	
Body, bowl	316 SS/A479	
Bowl nut	316 SS/A479	
O-ring	Fluorocarbon FKM	
Filter element	Borosilicate glass fiber with epoxy or silica binder	
Sleeve	316 SS/A240	
Retaining ring, mounting bracket	316 SS/A240	
Mounting bracket bolt (2)	316 SS	

Wetted components listed in italics.

# **Pressure-Temperature Ratings**

Ratings are based on bowl nut tightened to 45 in.·lb (5 N·m). Ratings are limited to 250°F (121°C) with epoxy binder. Ratings extend to 400°F (204°C) with silica binder.

Fluorocarbon FKM O-rings are standard; for optional O-ring materials and ratings, see **Options**, page 4.

Material	316 SS	
Temperature °F (°C)	Working Pressure psig (bar)	
0 (-17) to 100 (37)	1000 (68.9)	
150 (65)	955 (65.7)	
200 (93)	915 (63.0)	
250 (121)	870 (59.9)	
300 (148)	825 (56.8)	
350 (176)	795 (54.7)	
400 (204)	760 (52.3)	

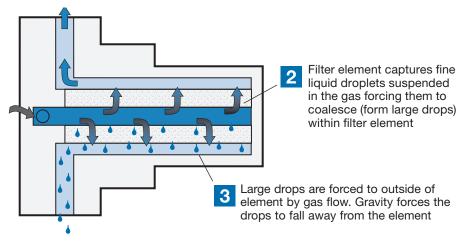


# **Operation**

#### **Coalescing Filtration**

Orientation of the filter housing is **critical** for proper operation. The **drain port** must face **down**.

Gas stream enters side port and moves through filter element from inside to outside Dry, filtered gas exits through top port and flows to process analyzer

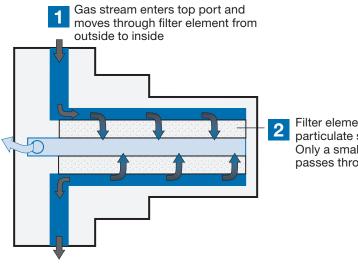


4 Liquid exits out drain port

#### **Particle Filtration**

Orientation of the filter is **not critical** for proper operation.

Filtered gas exits side port and flows to the process analyzer



Filter element captures any particulate suspended in gas. Only a small volume of gas passes through the element

Most gas bypasses filter element, exits through bottom port, and returns to process line

# Air Flow Data at 70°F (20°C)

2 psi (0.13 bar) pressure differential

_	Inlet Pressure, psig (bar)							
Pore Size	5 (0.34)	10 (0.68)	20 (1.3)	40 (2.7)	100 (6.8)	250 (17.2)	500 (34.4)	1000 (68.9)
μm	Air Flow, std ft <sup>3</sup> /min (std L/min)							
0.1, 0.3	1.7 (48)	1.9 (53)	2.5 (70)	3.4 (96)	6.0 (160)	10 (280)	15 (420)	25 (700)
1.0	2.8 (79)	3.2 (90)	3.8 (100)	4.8 (130)	7.3 (200)	_	_	_

# **Cleaning and Packaging**

All FC series filters are cleaned in accordance with Swagelok Standard Cleaning and Packaging (SC-10), MS-06-62.



# **Ordering Information and Dimensions**

Select a filter ordering number and an element ordering number.

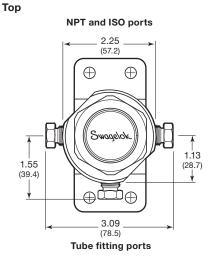
End Connections		Filter Ordering	
Туре	Size	Number	
Female Swagelok tube fitting	1/4 in.	SS-FCB	
	6 mm	SS-FCC	
Female NPT	1/8 in.	SS-FCD	
	1/4 in.	SS-FCE	
Female ISO <sup>①</sup>	1/4 in.	SS-FCG	

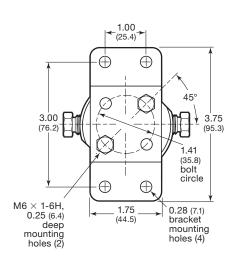
① See specifications ISO7/1, BS EN 10226-1, DIN 2999, JIS B0203.

Nominal Pore Size µm	Filtration Service	Element Ordering Number		
Epoxy Binder				
0.1	Particle	GE-15K-FC-01		
0.3	Coalescing and particle	GE-15K-FC-03		
1.0	Particle	GE-15K-FC-10		
Silica Binder				
0.1	Particle	GS-15K-FC-01		

Dimensions, in inches (millimeters), are for reference only and are subject to change.

0.66 (16.8)





### **Options**

### **Special Cleaning and Packaging (SC-11)**

3.82

(97.0)

To order FC series filters with optional cleaning and packaging in accordance with Swagelok *Special Cleaning and Packaging (SC-11), MS-06-63*, to ensure compliance with product cleanliness requirements stated in ASTM G93 Level C, add -SC11 to the filter ordering number.

Example: SS-FCB-SC11

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# **Oxygen Service Hazards**

For more information about hazards and risks of oxygenenriched systems, see the Swagelok *Oxygen System Safety* technical report, MS-06-13.

#### **O-Ring Materials**

Fluorocarbon FKM is standard. PTFE and Kalrez are available.

To order an FC series filter with an optional O-ring, add a designator to the ordering number.

**Bottom** 

Example: SS-FCB-KZ

#### **O-Ring Kits**

Select a kit ordering number.

O-Ring Material	Temperature Rating, °F (°C)	Designator	Kit Ordering Number
Fluorocarbon FKM	0 to 400 (-17 to 204)	_	VT-9K-FC
Kalrez	32 to 350 (0 to 176)	-KZ	KZ-9K-FC
PTFE	0 to 400 (-17 to 204)	-TR	T-9K-FC

#### **Safe Product Selection**

When selecting a product, the total system design must be considered to ensure safe, trouble-free performance. Function, material compatibility, adequate ratings, proper installation, operation, and maintenance are the responsibilities of the system designer and user.

# **⚠ WARNING**

Do not mix/interchange Swagelok products or components not governed by industrial design standards, including Swagelok tube fitting end connections, with those of other manufacturers.

# **Warranty Information**

Swagelok products are backed by The Swagelok Limited Lifetime Warranty. For a copy, visit swagelok.com or contact your authorized Swagelok representative.