

Product:

3M[™] Versaflo[™] A2B2E2K1HgP Filter, TR-6580E



Further to the communications sent in August 2022, we are pleased to provide an update that TR-6580E filters are currently with an independent testing facility where testing will be conducted to confirm that the filters meet the performance requirements of EN12941:1998+A2:2008 and EN 12942:1998+A2:2008 Respiratory Protective Devices, Section 6.11.2.4.2 & 6.11.2.4.3 Gas Capacity.

In parallel with this testing, manufacturing of the TR-6580E has resumed at our 3M facility. We expect distribution of filters to our channel partners will resume towards the end of 2022 **subject to final regulatory approval.**

At this time, we expect to manufacture a sufficient quantity TR-6580E to clear the majority of current open orders before the end of the year. We also expect to have normal stock levels available again during Q1 2023.

During this period, we also expect to continue to maintain a strong supply of TR-6130E and TR-6310E filters to help ensure a smooth transition back to TR-6580E as appropriate.

Please work with your local 3M representatives for planning during this interim period and adjust future product orders to the appropriate product.

The TR-6580E will have updated storage conditions, between -30°C and +40°C (originally -30°C to +50°C). These new storage conditions will be marked on the product packaging and the applicable User Instructions. Other EN-approved 3M[™] Versaflo filters in the range (e.g. TR-6130E and TR-6310E) will continue to have the original storage conditions of -30°C to +50°C.

The User Advisory Notice from August 2022 still applies to any TR-6580E filters sold in the past. The updated storage conditions described above will only apply to TR-6580E released from our 3M facility that are marked with the new storage conditions.

We apologize for the inconvenience this may have caused and appreciate your continued support. If you have any questions, please contact your local 3M Sales Representative.

3M remains committed to providing quality products and services to our customers. We apologize for any inconvenience that this situation may cause you. We appreciate your continued support of 3M Personal Safety products and services.