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The CUNOTM EF GP series self cleaning metal filter is an all metal cleanable edge type filter designed for high pressure applications. The threaded aluminum sump is O-ring sealed to the head for quick reduction without disturbing pipe connections. Mounting holes and sump drain are provided to allow ease of installation and operation.

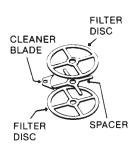
Applications

Coatings	Adhesives
Food & Beverage	Syrups
Oil & Gas	Lubricating oils, Bunker "C", Quenching oils, Cooling oils, Cutting oils, Diesel oils, Fuel oils, Tar, Wax, Grease

Theory of Operation

The CUNO EF GP series self cleaning metal filter cartridge is an assembled unit composed of a stack of alternating metal discs and spacers of uniform thickness on a rotatable metal shaft. The thickness of the spacer determines the degree of filtration. The CUNO EF GP series filter is available in spacings from 0.003" to 0.008".

Cleaning blades are mounted on a stationary rod adjacent to the cartridge stack and extend into the



openings between the discs. Turning the cartridge handle rotates the disc and spacer assembly past the fixed cleaner blades. By rotating the cartridge, in either direction, the particles lodged between the discs are positively reduced or "combed" from the surface without interruption of flow. Drain as often as experience indicates is necessary.

Flow Capacity

The flow rates listed in Table 1 are based on clean fluid with a pressure drop of 3 psi. Flow rates for other viscosity fluids are approximately proportional. Select a filter model according to the nature and concentration of the contaminant to be reduced.

Features & Benefits

Cleanable design

Reduces used filter cartridge disposal

Positive cleaning action with no interruption of flow or service

Maximizes process up-time

Rugged all metal construction for trouble-free operation

- Can handle highly viscous fluids
- Can be used on suction side of pumps

Table 1. - Model GP Flow Rates

	Screen		Viscosity in SSU			
Spacing (in.)	Mesh	Free Area (in²)	100	300	700	2000
(111.)	Equiv.	(/	Flow in gpm			
0.003	200	3.0	5.0	3.1	1.8	1.0
0.005	120	4.0	6.0	3.9	2.4	1.4
0.008	70	5.4	6.6	4.6	2.7	1.7

Catalog Numbers

Model	Spacing (in.)	Filter Catalog Number	Cartridge Catalog Number		
	Steel Cartridge				
GP	0.003	13087-01-50-0030	13131-09-50-0030		
	0.005	13087-01-50-0050	13131-09-50-0050		
	0.008	13087-01-50-0080	13131-09-50-0080		

For replacement parts, contact your 3M Purification Representative.



Specifications

Table 2 lists the Model GP general specifications.

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General Filter Data					
Inlet/Outlet Connection	1" NPTF				
Drain	¾" - 16AN814-8DL				
Max. Operating Pressure	3000 psi @ 300 °F				
Sludge Capacity	5.7 in ³				
Shipping Weight	9 lbs				
Housing Data					
Head	Anodized Aluminum				
Sump	Anodized Aluminum				
Head Gasket	Buna N O-ring				
Gland Seal	Buna N O-ring				
Cartridge Data					
Diameter	1 1⁄4"				
Length	4 ½"				
Material*	Steel				
Spacing	0.003", 0.005", or 0.008"				

Inlet 11/8" Outlet 12" Required to Reduce Sump

Figure 1. - Model GP Dimensions

Dimensions

Rough plumbing dimensions for the Model GP are given in Figure 1. Allow enough space for sump reduction.

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