## **Compressed Air Filtration**



High performance filtration and separation for processing of compressed air and compressed gases in industrial supplier quality



#### High quality through manufacturer competence

**KSI** develops amd manufactures compressed air filters and filter elements. This ensures complete control to ensure certified KSI industrial equipment quality. Our compressed air treatment components exceed customer expectations. Many years of cooperation with specialists in the market, research institutions as well as our internal development work ensure continuous improvement and technological advancement.

#### The KSI ECOCLEAN approach

The combination of operational safety and energy efficiency in one product – this is the **KSI ECOCLEAN** approach, perfectly implemented also for high-performance filter elements.

## The KSI ECOCLEAN APF | APE Plus-Effects +++

- + up to 55 % less differential pressure loss
  - ► significantly reduced energy requirements and thus significantly reduced energy costs
- NEW: high-density deep-bed pleating, made possible by new pleating machines, narrower pleating and new filter medium
  - ► approximately 250% larger filtration surface compared to a conventional pleated element
  - ► about 25% larger filtration surface compared to a conventional deep-bed pleated element

The significant reduction in flow velocity within the filtration medium makes the APF series the market leader in efficiency and lowest pressure drop.

#### APF ADVA PREM FILTRA



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The increasing demands of modern production processes place ever higher demands on the quality of compressed air. By compressing ambient air the concentration of harmful substances like particles, moisture and oil mist rises and therefore jeopardizes compressed air applications in industry and many other fields. In addition, impurities such as fine dust, oil droplets, rust particles, scale, parts of sealing material etc. from the compressed air network are added – and of course condensate (water). Filtration technology of the **KSI ECOCLEAN** series protects pneumatic production plants, machines, tools, measuring instruments or products against contamination by means of high-performance filtration.

The heart of a compressed air filter is its filter insert (element), which must be optimally adapted to the respective requirement, as compressed air filters ensure, among other things, that solid particles, oil components, condensate, oil vapour, odours and much more are safely removed from the air or gas stream.



An enormous service simplification: the internal condensate drain, which is inserted into the filter housing with the adapter.

#### The KSI ECOCLEAN APF | APE Plus-Effects +++

- highly efficient polyester drainage layer to improve performance and reduce differential pressure
  - ► anti-re-entry layer favors coalescence and drainage
- + cathodic dip coating (KTL) of the housing
  - ► prevents corrosion and thus offers optimal protection
- + housings made in aluminum die casting process
  - ▶ solid and at the same time very light filter housing
  - ► easy handling during installation and service
- + element optimized in length and diameter
  - ► lowest differential pressures and best filtration / separation at full flow capacity
- + coloured end caps for easy recognition of filter grades



#### The functional principle

#### **Water separation**

To ensure highest compressed air quality, a water separator should be installed before using a compressed air filter. This separates condensate using a simple physical principle: centrifugal force.

The installation of a water separator not only increases the quality of the compressed air, but also the service life of the downstream filter elements.

#### **Compressed air filtration**

Due to the arc-shaped compressed air inlet, the flow distribution in the filter is optimized, resulting in 75% less flow resistance than comparable elbow shapes.

Filtration takes place through the various layers of the filter element, which is passed through from the inside to the outside, thus removing the unwanted components. After the compressed air filter, high-quality compressed air is now ready for further use.

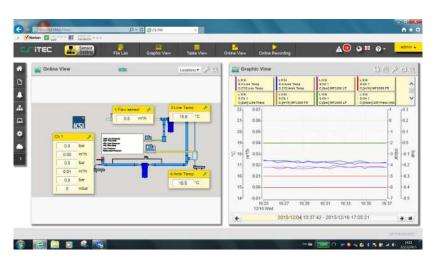




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## **Lowest Differential Pressure** at Highest Performance

Moisture, residual oil, particles: The performance of a compressed air system and the service life of the downstream components depend to a large extent on filtration. In recent years, we have continuously developed our **KSI ECOCLEAN** filters and filter elements in our own well-equipped test centre (photo) in order to further increase performance, reliability and operational safety without affecting competitive pricing.





Our KSI-owned test center provides us with all relevant data at the push of a button and offers the best conditions for product development.

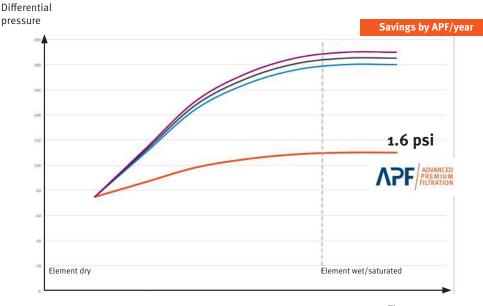
# 1.6 psi differential pressure thanks to high-density deep-bed pleating

Up to 55 % less differential pressure, significantly lower energy requirements and thus radically reduced energy costs – these out-standing properties of the KSI ECOCLEAN APF series are made possible by highdensity deep-bed ple-ating.

Innovative pleating machines, tighter pleating and new filter media, in combination with new filter housings enable optimized flow distribution through the filtration layers, making the APF series the market leader in efficiency and mini-mum pressure loss.

### Differential pressure by comparison

SMA Submicrofilter (0.01 micron, 0.01 mg/m³)



## **Compressed Air Filtration**





## Highest quality standards for most reliable operation

**KSI ECOCLEAN** compressed air filters meet the highest quality requirements and are extremely economical in operation, purchase and maintenance. The housing is made of die-cast aluminium, protected inside and outside with a cathodic dip coating (KTL) and powder-coated outside.

- + connections: 3/8" to 3"
- + capacities 35 1,300 cfm
- + protects production & processes
  - ► extended machine & system service life
- + minimizes operating costs ► saves energy
- + maximizes operational safety
  - ► protection against production or machine failure
- + best industrial equipment quality ► long service life
- + high service friendliness ► minimized service costs

#### **Product range standard filtration**

Threaded filter 14 types: APF35-38 with 35 cfm and 3/8"

connection up to APF1300 with 1,300 cfm and

3" connection

Flanged filter 8 types: APFF825-3-01 with 825 cfm and

DN8o connection up to APFF7415-8-09 with 7,415 cfm and 8" flange connection

Higher capacities available on request.

- + fast and safe installation ► fast commissioning
- + user-oriented filtration (25, 5, 1, 0.1 and 0.01 micron, as well as activated carbon) ► optimum choice
- + activated carbon, molecular sieve & hopcalite cartridges▶ individually combinable
- + best quality due to 100% leak test
- + KSI ECOCLEAN filters are equipped with an automatic condensate drain

#### **Further filter types:**



**Cartridge Filters** 

Activated carbon cartridge Molecular sieve cartridge Catalyst cartridge



**Medical Sterile Filters** 

Up to 1,300 cfm, 3"



**Flanged Filters** 

up to 7,415 cfm, 8" flange connection



Stainless Steel Filters

Sterile stainless steel filters and process filters



Water Separators

up to 1,300 cfm, 3"



**High-Pressure Filters** 

725 psi – 7,250 psi



Vacuum Filters

Vacuum pump protection filters Vacuum pump exhaust filters



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The **KSI ECOCLEAN** combines operational safety and economy in one product:

- through the clever design of the internal and external support frame up to 55% less differential pressure compared to conventional support cylinders
- maximum filter area due to the specially optimized pleating reformaximum surface filtration
- special component adhesive securely fixes the end caps
- plastic end caps prevent blooming and bacterial growth
- filter drainage layer made of special fleece stabilizes the filter medium and protects against inflating effects and crack formation
- high-performance filter fleece is chemically, mechanically and thermally (up to 248°F) resistant and technically silicone-free
- filter depth enables highest filtration capacity



#### Compressed air quality with KSI ECOCLEAN filter elements according to ISO 8573.1\*

| Element Type              | SI | ИΑ |   |   |   | MF | 1 |   |   |   | MF | 0 |   |   |   | FF5 |   |   |   |   | VF2 | 25 |   |   |   | CA |   |   |   |   |
|---------------------------|----|----|---|---|---|----|---|---|---|---|----|---|---|---|---|-----|---|---|---|---|-----|----|---|---|---|----|---|---|---|---|
| max. particle Ø [micron]  |    |    |   |   | V |    |   |   |   | V |    |   |   | V |   |     |   | V |   |   | V   |    |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |
| Compressed air class      | 5  | 4  | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5  | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5  | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5   | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5   | 4  | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5  | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| max. residual oil content |    |    |   |   | A |    |   |   | A |   |    |   | A |   |   |     | A |   |   |   | A   |    |   |   |   |    |   |   |   | A |

<sup>\*</sup>KSI ECOCLEAN high performance filter elements exceed ISO 8573.1 by far.



#### For KSI filter housings:

CAK activated carbon cartridge MSK molecular sieve cartridge HC hopcalite cartridges





high-density deep-bed pleating





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#### Scope of supply Compressed air filter including: **KSI ECOCLEAN** Filter housing incl. filter element Automatic condensate drain for APF35-38 - APF410 D150 D200 Automatic condensate drain for APF470 - APF1300

#### Туре Capacity\* **Dimensions (inch)** Connection Grp. cfm Α В C D APF35-38 9.21 0.71 3.15 3/8" 35 2.95 010 APF35-12 9.21 0.71 1/2" 010 35 3.15 2.95 APF55▶ 9.21 1/2" 55 0.71 3.15 2.95 010 APF70-12▶ 1/2" 70 12.91 0.91 4.09 3.86 010 APF70-34 3.86 12.91 3/4" 0.91 4.09 010 70 APF130-34 3/4" 150 12.91 0.91 4.09 3.86 010 APF130-1 1" 150 12.91 0.91 4.09 3.86 010 1" APF210 6.06 210 24.09 1.34 5.91 010 APF320 1 1/4" 320 24.09 1.34 6.06 5.91 010 APF410► 1 1/2" 410 24.09 1.34 6.06 5.91 010 APF470 470 29.29 1.77 7.72 7.68 2" 010 2" APF765 765 29.29 1.77 7.72 7.68 010 APF885 885 28.82 2.20 8.46 8.27 2 1/2" 010 8.46 3" APF1300 2.20 8.27 010 35.39

| Replacement element |     |      |
|---------------------|-----|------|
| Element             | Qty | Grp. |
|                     |     |      |
| APE <sub>35</sub>   | 1   | 110  |
| APE <sub>35</sub>   | 1   | 110  |
| APE <sub>55</sub>   | 1   | 110  |
| APE70               | 1   | 110  |
| APE70►              | 1   | 110  |
| APE130►             | 1   | 110  |
| APE130►             | 1   | 110  |
| APE210►             | 1   | 110  |
| APE320-410►         | 1   | 110  |
| APE320-410►         | 1   | 110  |
| APE470►             | 1   | 110  |
| APE765              | 1   | 110  |
| APE885►             | 1   | 110  |
| APE1300             | 1   | 110  |

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Example order code for APF55 with 1 micron efficiency: APF55MFO

#### With flanged connection:

| Туре            | Capacity* |       | Dime  | ensions ( | inch) |       | Connection | Grp. | Element  | ( |
|-----------------|-----------|-------|-------|-----------|-------|-------|------------|------|----------|---|
|                 | cfm       | Α     | В     | С         | D     | E     |            |      |          |   |
| APFF825-3-01 ►  | 825       | 34.33 | 4.57  | 14.17     | 11.22 | 20.08 | 3" flange  | 011  | APE825 ► |   |
| APFF1685-3-02 ► | 1,685     | 45.35 | 6.97  | 21.65     | 15.94 | 20.08 | 3" flange  | 011  | APE825 ► |   |
| APFF1685-4-02 ► | 1,685     | 45.35 | 6.97  | 21.65     | 15.94 | 20.08 | 4" flange  | 011  | APE825 ► |   |
| APFF2475-4-03 ► | 2,475     | 45.35 | 6.97  | 21.65     | 15.94 | 20.08 | 4" flange  | 011  | APE825 ► |   |
| APFF3300-6-04 ► | 3,300     | 48.11 | 8.15  | 24.41     | 18.11 | 21.26 | 6" flange  | 011  | APE825 ► |   |
| APFF4950-6-06 ► | 4,950     | 51.85 | 8.78  | 26.77     | 22.83 | 24.65 | 6" flange  | 011  | APE825 ► |   |
| APFF6590-8-08 ► | 6,590     | 67.17 | 11.34 | 31.50     | 28.15 | 29.92 | 8" flange  | 011  | APE825 ► |   |
| APFF7415-8-09 ► | 7,415     | 67.17 | 11.34 | 31.50     | 28.15 | 29.92 | 8" flange  | 011  | APE825 ► |   |

<sup>\*</sup>calculated at 14.5 psi (abs.) and 68°F at 101.5 psi working pressure

Example order code for APFF3300-6-04 with 0.01 micron efficiency: APFF3300-6-04 SMA

#### Other connections and capacities on request

| Correction factors |        |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|--------------------|--------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Working pressure   | psi    | 29   | 44   | 58   | 73   | 87   | 101  | 116  | 131  | 145  | 160  | 174  | 189  | 203  | 218  | 232  |
|                    | factor | 0.38 | 0.50 | 0.63 | 0.75 | 0.88 | 1.00 | 1.12 | 1.25 | 1.37 | 1.49 | 1.62 | 1.74 | 1.86 | 1.98 | 2.10 |

Multiply the capacity of the filter with the correction factor in the table above. Example for capacity of Type APF55 at 145 psi: capacity nominal (55 cR/min) x factor (1.37) = capacity corrected (75.35 cR/min).

<sup>\*</sup>calculated at 14.5 psi (abs.) and 68°F at 101.5 psi working pressure

<sup>► =</sup> filtration grade





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|--------------------------------|----------------------|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| Specifications                 | ► VF25               | ► FF5            | ► MFO             | ► MF1                 | ► SMA       |
| Particle removal               | 25 micron            | 5 micron         | 1 micron          | o.1 micron            | 0.01 micron |
| Residual oil content at 68°F   | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 5 mg/m³          | o.5 mg/m³         | 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | o.o1 mg/m³  |
| Differential pressure dry*     | o.7 psi              | o.7 psi          | o.8 psi           | o.9 psi               | 1.1 psi     |
| Diff. pressure wet. saturated* | o.7 psi              | 1.1 psi          | 1.2 psi           | 1.3 psi               | 1.6 psi     |
| Max. working pressure          | APF35-38 - APF       | 765: 232 psi I A | APF885: 195.75 p  | si I APF1300: 15      | 2.25 psi    |
| Max. temperature               | Elements: 248        | °F               |                   |                       |             |
| Min. temperature               | 34°F                 |                  |                   |                       |             |
| Housing material               | Aluminum, ins        | ide and outside  | e cathodic dip-pa | int coating           |             |
| Colour                         | blue powder co       | oated / RAL 501  | .0                |                       |             |

|                        | μ                                 | 10,0                                 |  |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Specifications         | ► DMF                             | ► DSF                                |  |
| Particle removal       | 1 micron                          | 0.01 micron                          |  |
| Differential pressure* | o.8 psi                           | 1.1 psi                              |  |
| Max. working pressure  | APF35-38 - APF765: 232 psi I APF8 | 85: 195.75 psi l APF1300: 152.25 psi |  |
| Max. temperature       | Housings: 248°F·Elements: 248°    | F                                    |  |
| Min. temperature       | 34°F                              |                                      |  |
| Housing material       | Aluminum, inside and outside cat  | hodic dip-paint coating              |  |
| Colour                 | blue powder coated / RAL 5010     |                                      |  |

| Specifications               | ► CA  |
|------------------------------|---|
| Residual oil content at 68°F | o.oo3 mg/m³   |
| Differential pressure*       | 1.5 psi   |
| Max. working pressure        | APF35-38 - APF765: 232 psi   APF885: 195.75 psi   APF1300: 152.25 psi |
| Max. temperature             | Housings: 248°F   |
|                              | Elements: 122°F; recommended: 77°F                                    |
| Min. temperature             | 34°F  |
| Housing material             | Aluminum, inside and outside cathodic dip-paint coating               |
| Colour                       | blue powder coated / RAL 5010   |

<sup>\*</sup> only valid for threaded filters









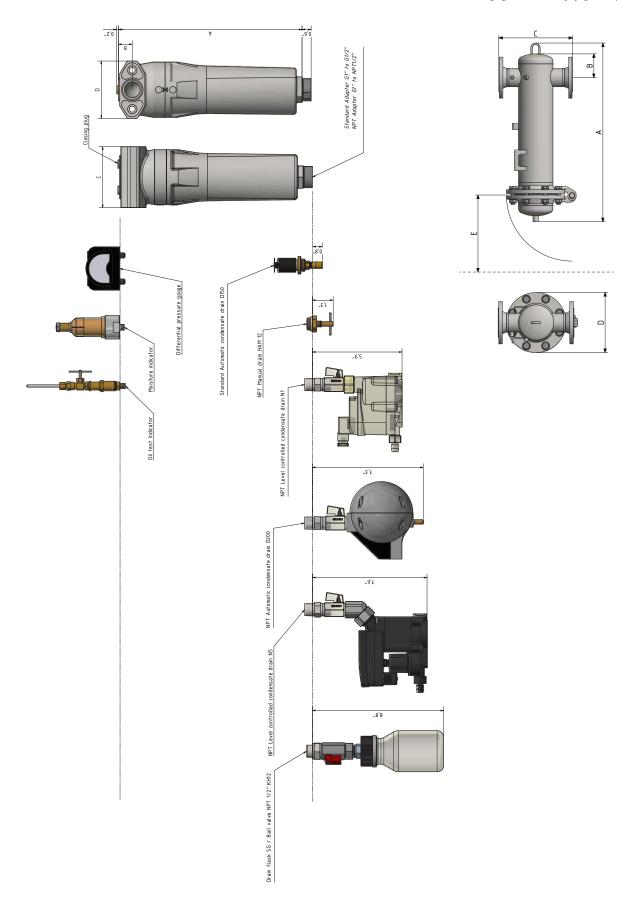




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#### **Dimensional Drawing**

APFF825-3-01 - APFF7415-8-09



# APF ADVANCED PREMIUM FILTRATION



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#### **Approvals for pressure equipment**

EU Approval for fluid group 2 according to Pressure Equipment Directive 2014/68/EU, module B+D

(category IV)

North America CRN (certificates on request)

**ASME B31.3** 

**Quality assurance** 

Development/production DIN EN ISO 9001

#### Air purity class according to ISO 8573-1:2010

Solid particles vary by filter element, see page 7

Moisture (gaseous) vary by filter element, see page 7

Total oil vary by filter element, see page 7

## **Options**



Differential pressure indicator



Potential-free, digital differential pressure manometer



Moisture indicator



Oil indicator



**Condensate drain** 



automatic drain D150



automatic drain D200



level-controlled condensate drain **KONDRAIN** KN350 (option for **KSI ECOCLEAN** standard filter)



Wall mounting incl. filter connection set

manual drain HAM12, standard in CA activated carbon filters, DMF and DSF dust filters and in all cartridge filters