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# **ECOCLEAN®**

# **Compressed air filters – new generation**

Reliable high-performance filtration for treating compressed air and gas at the highest industrial quality.

Compressed air filters and separators to guarantee the quality of compressed air in modern production processes





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#### High quality through manufacturer expertise

Modern production methods make ever increasing demands on the quality of compressed air. However, the ambient air taken in and compressed by the compressor is heavily contaminated by impurities. Moreover, depending on the compressor type, the delivered air will contain oil, which is conveyed with the compressed air in fine aerosols, together with impurities from the compressed air network, e.g. rust and scale. In addition, any condensate formed must be removed from the system. The function of the **ECOCLEAN®** compressed air filter is to remove these impurities and condensate, to prevent damage to the downstream equipment.

KSI Filtertechnik GmbH produces **ECOCLEAN®** compressed air filters and filter elements in-house. This ensures complete control for safeguarding our certified KSI industrial equipment quality. For that reason our compressed air treatment components satisfy current as well as future market demands. This assurance is provided through long term and continuous cooperation with market specialists, specialised trade channels, the institutes, as well as our ongoing and intensive development work.

The heart of each compressed air filter is the filter element. This component has to be chosen very carefully to ensure that the filter works according to its purpose. A filter can remove, depending on the selected element, solid particles, oil droplets, condensate, oil vapour, odours etc. from the compressed air system. The new

filter grades DMF and DSF are specifically designed for the removal of dust particles.

The combination of operation security and efficiency in one product is the idea behind the **ECOCLEAN®** product line. This idea is also envisioned in the **ECOCLEAN®** high performance filter elements.

All advantages of **ECOCLEAN®** filter elements are not only feasible when using the element in an **ECOCLEAN®** compressed air filter, but also when using in nearly *all filter housings of other manufacturers available on the market*. Another advantage: These filter elements are available for a price which is *up to 30% cheaper* (compared to filter elements in the market which show equal quality).

Compressed air filters of the new generation have several advantages. First, the differential pressure is much lower thanks to the removal of the tie rod. This change also simplifies the installation as the element is only placed in the filter housing. An unconvenient mounting via tie rod is no longer needed. Another aspect is about the space under the filter. Formerly the filter bowl needed to be removed before the element could be changed. The filter bowl can be moved to the side directly after turning it out of the filter head now.

### **Function**

#### **Water separation**

To provide best quality compressed air a water separator should be installed in front of a compressed air filter. The water separator extracts condensate by using a simple physical law. The higher compressed air quality prolongs the durability of the filter element in the compressed air filter.

#### **Compressed air filtration**

Due to the arch-shaped compressed air inlet the filter volume is completely used and there is up to 75% less flow resistance. The actual filtration is performed by the different layers of the filter element. The compressed air flows through them from inside to outside. In the different layers the different unwanted components of the medium are extracted. Behind the compressed air filter high quality compressed air is ready to use.



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### **ECOCLEAN®** Compressed air filters offer a double advantage



### 1. Optimum Operational Reliability

#### **Filter housing**

- A High-quality cast aluminium with anticorrosion coating (on the inside and outside), plus an impact and scratchresistant resin powder coating provide a corrosion-resistant filter housing.
- B Condensate is continually removed via the automatic D150 (from GTF-BL140/D200) condensation drain. As a userfriendly feature the internal pressure can be released via the condensate drain.
- C Highest quality with every **ECOCLEAN®** filter verified as 100% leak-proof.

#### Filter element

- Suspension anchoring positions the element securely and reliably. Differential pressure is reduced due to the removal of the tie rod.
- E A special compound adhesive securely fixes the end caps to the stainless steel support cages and the filter media.
- F The ECOCLEAN® high performance filter media is securely fixed and supported between stainless steel layers.
- G The plasticizer-free end caps prevent corrosion. This means no efflorescence and no increased bacteria growth.

#### High-performance filter media

- H The filter drainage layer made of special fleece stabilizes the filter media and prevents efflorescence and cracking meaning it safely counteracts the loss of filtering action.
- The high-performance filter fleece has a high chemical, mechanical and thermal loading capacity (up to 120°C), and it is silicone-free.





A hexagonal nut on the outside of the filter housing base facilitates quick and easy service. Cost



### 2. Maximum Cost Effectiveness

#### **Filter housing**

- KSI high-performance filters lower energy costs drastically through minimized investment costs and low differential pressure, while providing maximum efficiency.
- A The differential pressure indicator displays the most economical point in time for a filter element change, reducing operational costs.
- B Ideally sized connections and optimized flow paths achieve high flow efficiency to avoid pressure losses that increase costs.
- c ECOCLEAN® filter housings achieve up to 75% lower flow resistance compared to housings with right-angle flow paths.

#### Filter element

The specially designed interior and exterior

ECOCLEAN® support cages gain up to

45% less differential pressure as compared to conventional support cylinders.

#### **Energy saving filter media**

- The KSI high-performance element achieves maximum filter surface area through the specially optimized winding of the filter media. The construction-based surface filtration, in contrast to the usual 2-layer pleated elements, achieves a significantly higher internal surface area (filter depth volume) for maximum depth filtration. Due to this very high depth filtration capacity of ECOCLEAN® filter elements the differential pressure rises very slowly giving long life and reduced energy costs.
- The media depth volume ensures the highest contaminant removal, whilst allowing maximum filtration performance.



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### **Compressed air filter elements**

Type SMA/DSF

0,01 micron separation efficiency

Max. residual oil content at Max. residual oil content at Max. residual oil content 20°C: 0,01 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

25 micron separation

Max. temperature: 120°C

Type MFO/DMF

1 micron separation efficiency

20°C: 0,1 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Max. temperature: 120°C

Type FF5

5 micron separation

efficiency

at 20°C: 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Max. temperature: 120°C

Type VF25:

efficiency

20°C: 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Type CA (activated carbon)

Max. residual oil content at

20°C: 0,003 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Max. residual oil content at Max. temperature: 70°C

(effective up to 30°C)

Max. temperature: 120°C



Element Type	SMA/DSF	MFO/DMF	FF5	VF25	CA			
Max. particle Ø [micron]								
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			
Max. residual oil [mg/m³]								

<sup>\*</sup>ECOCLEAN® high performance filter elements exceed ISO 8573.1 requirements.

## **Water Separators**

#### **WS** Water separators

Cyclone separators that safely separate condensate using centrifugal force





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# **Capacities and dimensions compressed air filters**

Туре	Capa	city*		Dimensions (mm)				Connection Element				
	m³/h	cfm	A	В	С	D						
GTF-BL25	35	21	90	21	220	110	1/4"	GTE3711	1			
GTF-BL50	52	31	90	21	220	110	3/8"	GTE3711	1			
GTF-BL6o	52	31	90	21	220	110	1/2"	GTE3711	1			
GTF-BL70	120	71	90	21	281	160	1/2"	GTE5111	1			
GTF-BL8o	120	71	90	21	281	160	3/4"	GTE5111	1			
GTF-BL90	216	127	130	40	332	260	3/4"	GTE7111	1			
GTF-BL100	216	127	130	40	332	260	1"	GTE7111	1			
GTF-BL110	360	212	130	40	478	310	1"	GTE7311	1			
GTF-BL120	540	318	130	40	482	390	1 1/4"	GTE7411	1			
GTF-BL130	725	426	130	40	545	435	1 ½"	GTE7411	1			
GTF-BL135	725	426	130	40	545	435	2"	GTE7411	1			
GTF-BL140	800	471	184	51	704	490	2"	GTE8501	1			
GTF-BL160	1200	706	184	51	704	560	2"	GTE8601	1			
GTF-BL170	1500	882	250	74	620	440	2 1/2"	GTE8701	1			
GTF-BL190	1900	1460	250	74	1062	630	3"	GTE8901	1			
FF080-01	1400	823	360	162	841	550	DN 80	FE8601	1			
FF100-02	2800	1647	550	245	1115	550	DN 100	FE8601	2			
FF100-03	4200	2470	550	245	1115	550	DN 100	FE8601	3			
FF150-04	5600	3294	620	276	1237	550	<b>DN</b> 150	FE8601	4			
FF150-06	8400	4941	800	300	1270	680	<b>DN</b> 150	FE8601	6			
FF200-08	11200	6588	800	328	1275	680	DN 200	FE8601	8			

refer to 1 bar (abs.) and 20°C at 7 bar g operating pressure | Max. operating pressure: GTF25 – GTF170: 16 bar g, GTF190: 12 bar g, FF080-01 – FF200-08: 16 bar g

For drawings and correction factors turn to page 9.

# Field of application

Installation site	Installation inside in non-aggressive atmosphere
Ambient temperature max.	50°C
Ambient temperature min.	+2°C
Operating pressure	2 to 16 bar g, GTF-BL190: 2 to 12 bar g
Medium	Compressed air and gases

## **Technical features**

Separation efficiency	VF25	FF <sub>5</sub>	MFO/DMF	SMA/DSF	
Particle filtration	25 micron	5 micron	1 micron	0,01 micron	
Max. residual oil at 20°C	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	5 mg/m³	0,1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	0,01 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Pressure drop - clean and dry	30 mbar	40 mbar	75 mbar	100 mbar	
Pressure drop - oil saturated	50 mbar	75 mbar	150 mbar	300 mbar	
Pressure drop - change element	400 mbar	400 mbar	400 mbar	400 mbar	



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# **Water Separators capacity and dimensions**

Туре	Capa	city*	D	imensions (mm)		Connection
	m³/h	cfm	A	В	С	
GTF-BL25 WS	35	21	90	21	220	1/4"
GTF-BL50 WS	52	31	90	21	220	3/8"
GTF-BL60 WS	52	31	90	21	220	1/2"
GTF-BL70 WS	120	71	90	21	281	1/2"
GTF-BL80 WS	120	71	90	21	281	3/4"
GTF-BL90 WS	216	127	130	40	332	3/4"
GTF-BL100 WS	216	127	130	40	332	1"
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GTF-BL120 WS	540	318	130	40	482	1 1/4"
GTF-BL130 WS	725	426	130	40	545	11/2"
GTF-BL135 WS	725	426	130	40	545	2"
GTF-BL140 WS	800	471	184	51	704	2"
GTF-BL160 WS	1200	706	184	51	704	2"
GTF-BL170 WS	1500	882	250	74	620	2 1/2"
GTF-BL190 WS	1900	1460	250	74	1062	3"
FF080-01 WS	1400	823	360	162	841	<b>DN</b> 80
<b>FF100-02</b> WS	2800	1647	550	245	1115	DN 100
<b>FF100-03</b> WS	4200	2470	550	245	1115	DN 100
<b>FF150-04</b> WS	5600	3294	620	276	1237	DN 150
<b>FF150-06</b> WS	8400	4941	800	300	1270	DN 150
<b>FF200-08</b> WS	11200	6588	800	328	1275	DN 200

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# Field of application

Installation site	Installation inside in non-aggressive atmosphere
Ambient temperature max.	50°C
Ambient temperature min.	+2°C
Operating pressure	2 to 16 bar g, GTF-BL190 WS: 2 to 12 bar g
Medium	Compressed air and gases

## **Technical features**

Max. operating pressure	GTF-BL25 WS - 170 WS: 16 bar g GTF-BL190 WS: 12 bar g FF080-01 WS - FF200-08 WS: 16 bar g
Max. temperature	70°C
Min. temperature	2°C
Pressure drop	70 mbar



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#### **Approvals for Pressure Equipment**

EU Approved for fluid group 2 according to Pressure Equipment Directive 97/23/EG, module B+D (categorie IV)

Other ASME

**Quality Management** 

Development/Production DIN EN ISO 9001

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

Solid particles according to filter element, page 2
Humidity (gaseous) according to filter element, page 2
Total oil according to filter element, page 2

### Versions and options

- ECOCLEAN® GTF-BL with threaded connection for volume flows from 21 cfm to 1460 cfm
- ECOCLEAN® FF with flanged connection for volume flows from 823 cfm to 6588 cfm
- Various filter grades: VF25, FF5, MFO, SMA, CA, DMF, DSF (DMF and DSF filters are run through vice versa)
- Options: page 8

### The ECOCLEAN® Basic.Line Plus Effect +++

- protects production & processes => extends machine & installation endurance
- minimises operating costs => saves energy
- maximises operational reliability => protection against production or machine downtime
- + best industrial equipment quality ⇒ long lifetime
- + easy serviceability => minimized service costs
- quick and secure assembly => quick installation
- user-oriented filtration (25, 5, 1 and 0,01 micron as well as activated carbon) => optimum selection
- very competitive price-performance ratio due to no customization, only available in one colour and without private labelling



### KSI alternative filter elements

The customer enjoys all of the advantages of the **ECOCLEAN®** filter elements not only if the filter elements are used in an **ECOCLEAN®** compressed air filter, but also when they are used in almost any of the housings from other manufacturers that are on the market. A further advantage: KSI offers these filter elements at prices that are up to 30% lower (than qualitatively comparable filter elements on the market).



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## **Options**



Differential pressure indicator



Volt free digital differential pressure manometer



**Moisture indicator** 



Oil indicator



Filter connection set



Wall mount incl. filter connection set

### **Condensate drains**



automatic drain D150, standard for threaded filter GTF-BL25 - GTF-BL135



automatical drain D200, standard for threaded filter GTF-BL140 - GTF-BL190, as well as for all flanged filters



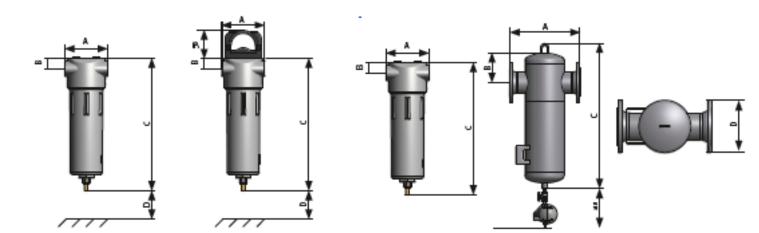
level-regulated condensate drain KONDRAIN® N1 (option for ECOCLEAN® standard filter)



manual drain HAM12, standard in CA activated carbon grade, as well as in all cartridge filters

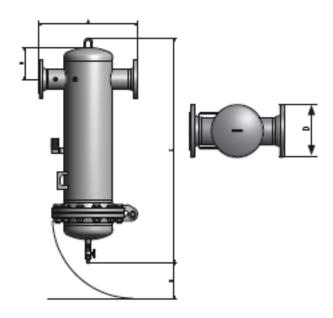


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Drawing compressed air filter with threaded connection

Drawing water separators



Drawing compressed air filter with flanged connection

Correction factors																
Operating pressure	bar g	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	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

Please multiply the capacity of the filter with the correction factor in the table above. Example: Capacity Type GTF70 at 10 bar g - Capacity nominal (71 cfm) x factor (1,37) = Capacity corrected (97,3 cfm)