

# ParMax™ Filter Vessel

For High-Flow Capacity



ParMax™ vessels are designed to accept ParMax™ filter cartridges that handle up to 500 gpm (1892 lpm) per 60" length. They provide significant size and capital cost reduction when compared with vessels containing conventional size filter cartridges. The horizontal design and coreless cartridge configuration make cartridge change fast and easy.

ParMax filter cartridges feature inside/out flow direction and are available in either 40" or 60" lengths. Actual flow rate is dependent upon fluid viscosity, micron rating, contaminant, media type and inlet velocity. Consult ParMax cartridge flow charts for each application.



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## Benefits

- Large diameter cartridge yields high flow rate per cartridge resulting in fewer cartridges and smaller, lower cost vessels.
- Horizontal design provides better access to cartridges, eliminating the need for an elevated platform. Vertical orientation is also available.
- Inside-out flow direction captures contaminants on the interior of the filter cartridge, reducing cleanup effort and overall downtime.
- Designed and manufactured in accordance with the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code to ensure the highest quality and integrity.
- Available in carbon steel, 304L and 316L stainless steel. Other materials are available upon request. Carbon steel models include stainless steel cartridge support baskets.

- Available in 150 PSI and 300 PSI pressure ratings. Custom pressure ratings available upon request.
- O-ring cover seal for quick and positive vessel closure sealing.
- Closure locating guides for quick and accurate cover alignment.
- Cartridges have external O-ring for positive seal and are mechanically constrained under operating conditions

## Applications

- Potable Water
- Process Water
- Edible Oils
- Pre-RO Membrane Protection
- Solvents
- RO Membrane Cleaning
- Lubricants
- Coolants
- Cutting Oils
- Process Chemicals

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## ParMax Filter Cartridges

- One six-inch diameter cartridge can handle up to 500gpm flow (60" length)
- The inside-to-outside flow allows for a high contaminant holding capacity
- High-flow and long filter life
- Ideal choice for a wide variety of critical process applications

## Standard Design

The best of pleated and large diameter technologies are combined in Parker's ParMax™ high-flow filter cartridges. The unique layered construction provides excellent retention across a wide range of flux rates. ParMax cartridges are available with polypropylene and microfiberglass media in absolute (99.98%) ratings from 1 to 90 microns.

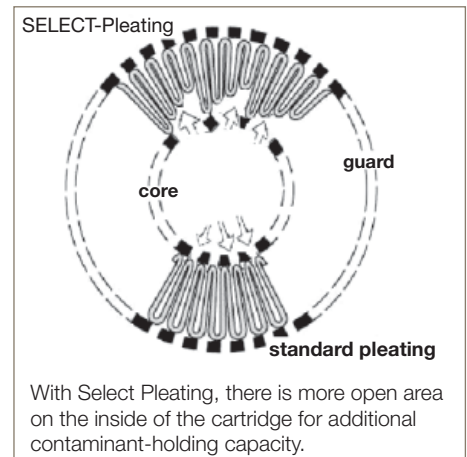
## SELECT Design

The unique layered construction and staged pleating of the ParMax™ Select cartridges provide improved dirt-holding capacity and retention across a wide range of flux rates. ParMax Select cartridges are available with polypropylene pleated depth media and microfiberglass media in absolute (99.98%) ratings from 1 to 90 microns.

## Typical Aqueous Flow Rates

Optimal Flow Rate	Surface Area (sq. ft.)	Flux Rate (GPM   sq. ft.)
<b>20" Cartridge</b>		
<b>120 GPM</b>		
Standard	25	4.80
Select	32	3.75
<b>40" Cartridge</b>		
<b>240 GPM</b>		
Standard	50	4.80
Select	62	3.87
<b>60" Cartridge</b>		
<b>360 GPM</b>		
Standard	75	4.80
Select	94	3.83
Recommended Max. Flow Rate	Surface Area (sq. ft.)	Flux Rate (GPM   sq. ft.)
<b>20" Cartridge</b>		
<b>175 GPM</b>		
Standard	25	7.00
Select	32	5.47
<b>40" Cartridge</b>		
<b>350 GPM</b>		
Standard	50	7.00
Select	62	5.65
<b>60" Cartridge</b>		
<b>500 GPM</b>		
Standard	75	6.67
Select	94	5.32

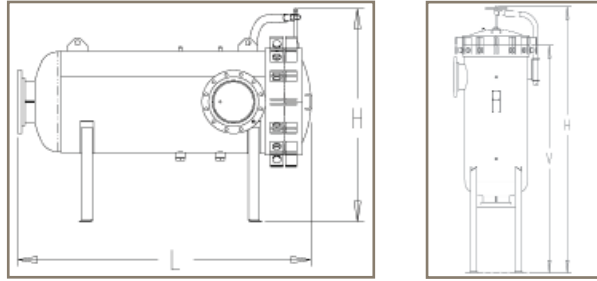
Using higher flow rates than optimal can result in reduced cartridge efficiency and life as well as system filtrate velocities exceeding 10 FPS.



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## Design Specifications (All dimensions are inches)

Model *Material of Construction (C, G or S)	Cartridge Qty. in Vessel	H Overall Height (Horizontal)	L Overall Length (Horizontal)	Vessel Nominal Diameter	Optimal Inlet/Outlet Size	Max. Flow GPM	Empty Vessel Weight (lbs.)
<b>40 INCH CARTRIDGE(S) - HORIZONTAL DESIGN</b>							
PX * U0140H03F	1	43.0	60.2	8.0	3	350	250
PX * U0340H06F	3	58.4	69.8	16.0	6	1,050	694
PX * U0540H08F	5	59.0	77.0	20.0	8	1,750	935
PX * U0740H10F	7	60.0	79.7	22.0	10	2,450	1106
PX * U0840H10F	8	61.0	79.9	24.0	10	2,800	1248
PX * U1240H12F	12	64.0	88.4	30.0	12	4,200	1672
PX * U1540H14F	15	65.0	90.8	32.0	14	5,250	1938
PX * U1940H16F	19	67.3	94.5	36.0	16	6,650	2593
<b>60 INCH CARTRIDGE(S) - HORIZONTAL DESIGN</b>							
PX * U0160H04F	1	43.0	81.3	8.0	4	500	325
PX * U0360H08F	3	58.4	91.8	16.0	8	1,500	756
PX * U0560H10F	5	59.0	99.0	20.0	10	2,500	1070
PX * U0760H10F	7	60.0	99.7	22.0	10	3,500	1181
PX * U0860H12F	8	61.0	101.9	24.0	12	4,000	1389
PX * U1260H14F	12	64.0	109.7	30.0	14	6,000	1834
PX * U1560H16F	15	65.0	112.9	32.0	16	7,500	2113
PX * U1960H18F	19	67.3	116.5	36.0	18	9,500	2828

Model *Material of Construction (C, G or S)	Cartridge Qty. in Vessel	H Overall Height (Vertical)	V Access Height (Vertical)	Vessel Nominal Diameter	Optimal Inlet/Outlet Size	Max. Flow GPM	Empty Vessel Weight (lbs.)
<b>40 INCH CARTRIDGE(S) - VERTICAL DESIGN</b>							
PX * U0140V03F	1	69.4	65.5	8.0	3"	350	250
PX * U0340V06F	3	94.3	81.9	16.0	6"	1,050	694
PX * U0540V08F	5	106.3	90.0	20.0	8"	1,750	935
PX * U0740V10F	7	115.2	98.8	22.0	10"	2,450	1106
PX * U0840V10F	8	115.5	98.8	24.0	10"	2,800	1248
PX * U1240V12F	12	129.0	110.3	30.0	12"	4,200	1672
PX * U1540V14F	15	135.0	115.8	32.0	14"	5,250	1938
PX * U1940V16F	19	143.6	123.4	36.0	16"	6,650	2593

Actual flow rate is dependent on fluid viscosity, micron rating, contaminant, media type and inlet velocity. Consult media flow charts for each application. Shipping weights and dimensions are for 150 PSIG nominal design only. 40" & 60" refer to nominal cartridge length.



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## Maximum Operating Conditions

Material of Construction	Max. Allowable Pressure (psi @ MAT °F)	Max. Allowable Temp. (MAT) (°F @ MAP psi)
Carbon Steel	150 psi (10.3 bar)	250° (121° C)
Carbon Steel	300 psi (20.7 bar)	250° (121° C)
304L Stainless Steel	150 psi (10.3 bar)	250° (121° C)
304L Stainless Steel	300 psi (20.7 bar)	250° (121° C)
316L Stainless Steel	150 psi (10.3 bar)	250° (121° C)
316L Stainless Steel	300 psi (20.7 bar)	250° (121° C)

## Ordering Information

PX																	
Code		Material		Design		Cartridge Qty.		Cartridge Length (in.)		Vessel Orientation		Optimal Inlet/Outlet Size (in.)		Inlet/Outlet Connection Type		Finish	
PX	ParMax Vessel	C	Carbon Steel	U	ASME Code	01	1	40	40"	H	Horizontal	03	3"	F	ANSI 150 lb. flange	C	Painted
		G	304L Stainless Steel			03	3	60	60"	V	Vertical*	04	4"	H	ANSI 300 lb. flange	B	Glass Bead Blast
		S	316L Stainless Steel			05	5					06	6"			P	Passivated
						07	7					08	8"				
						08	8					10	10"				
						12	12					12	12"				
						15	15					14	14"				
						19	19					16	16"				
												18	18"				

\*60" vertical not recommended.

F=150 PSI vessel design  
H=300 PSI vessel design

C is valid for carbon steel design only.  
B & P are valid for stainless steel design only.

