

Watts® Pleated Cartridges

Not all pleated cartridges perform the same!

“Ours”



“Theirs”



VS.

The difference is the media!

Watts, cellulose-free, 100% synthetic filter media allows the pleats to retain their form, maintaining a large amount of surface area. This allows the cartridge to handle higher solids loading and flow rates with a lower pressure drop that increases the filter efficiency and life, while reducing filter change out costs and frequency.

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The cellulose blended pleats collapsed on one another, blinding off large amounts of the cartridges surface area. Premature blinding of the surface area reduces the flow capacity and efficiency while it raises the differential pressure, and contributes to a limited filter life and frequent filter change outs.

Flow Rates

Maximum flow rate guidelines for watts cartridges are shown below:

Micron rating (Nominal)	Standard Cartridges (2-3/4" OD)			Full-Flow (B-B)	
	9-3/4"	20"	29-1/4"	9-3/4"	20"
1 Micron	4	8	12	10	15
5 Micron	7	14	21	15	25
20 Micron	8	16	24	15	25
50 Micron	10	20	30	15	25

Watts Pleated Specifications

Maximum temperature	140°F (60°C)
Minimum Temperature	40°F (4.4°C)
Maximum pressure	40 psid
Recommended change out	25 psid
Filter media (1 & 5 micron)	Polypropylene
Filter media (20 & 50 micron)	Polyester
Material - center tube	Polypropylene
Material - end caps	Molded Polyurethane
ID	1-1/6"

Washable And Reusable

Watts pleated cartridges are washable and reusable, five micron and up to reduce filtration costs. For best results, direct spray into the pleats to dislodge the sediment.