# **STyLUX**<sup>®</sup>

# 0.2 µm ST-grade 25 mm Capsule Filter (CA2 Model)

#### Description

STyLUX<sup>®</sup> is a hydrophilic PES membrane filter compatible with a wide range of liquids. It withstands a wide pH range (1-14) and can be used for sterilizing filtration for a broad range of pharmaceutical preparations, antibiotics, vaccines, protein solutions, virus suspensions, enzymes, buffers, ophthalmic solutions, reagents, salt solutions, nutrients, serum and blood-based products, biologicals, and wine and beverages. The filter's asymmetric membrane structure has very low binding characteristics for preservatives commonly used in the pharmaceutical industry and is compatible with most cleaning chemicals, sanitizers and biocides.

The STyLUX<sup>®</sup> ST0.2 capsule filter has the added benefit of quality certification that meets the critical demands of the pharmaceutical, biotechnology and related industries.

#### Materials of Construction

All components of the encapsulated discs are animal component free. These materials are listed for food contact use in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Title 21, as below:

Membrane Downstream support Capsule housing Sealing method	Polyethersulfone Polypropylene Polypropylene Thermal Bonding	CFR Title 21, 177.2440 CFR Title 21, 177.1520 CFR Title 21, 177.1520
Pore Size	0.2 μm	
EFA	3.6 cm <sup>2</sup>	
<i>Operating Characteristics</i> Operating temperature range: Maximum operating pressure:	32 °F to 100 °F (0 °C to 38 °C) 80 psig @ 100 °F (5.5 bar @ 38 °	2C)

#### Sterilization

Autoclave: 121 °C to 135 °C (15 to 30 psi, 1 to 2 bar), 30 to 60 minutes,  $\geq$  3 cycles. Gamma irradiation: 25 to 40 kGy once. Do not autoclave irradiated capsules. Capsules must not be in-line steam sterilized.

## **Biological Safety**

STyLUX<sup>®</sup> filters meet the requirements as specified in the current USP <88> Class VI plastics, physicochemical, oxidizable substances, and USP <87> cytotoxicity tests. No binders, adhesives or surfactants are used in the construction of STyLUX<sup>®</sup> filters. Filters comply with European Commission Regulation No 10/2011. The 25 mm capsules are TSE/BSE/animal component free (ACF).

## **Quality Assurance**

STyLUX<sup>®</sup> filters comply with the Food and Drug Administration Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 210 and 211. Product is manufactured and packaged in a cleanroom facility that, through voluntary compliance, meets or exceeds FDA Good Manufacturing Practice Standards. To ensure product reliability, Meissner's Quality Assurance staff continually audits the manufacturing process for conformance to its Quality Management System. Each filter is integrity tested during manufacture and is clearly marked with filter type, lot number and serial number.



# Ordering Guide



Additional information about this filter product is available in the STyLUX® Green Docs document at www.meissner.com/green-docs.

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