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Compressed Air Filters

Particulate, Liquid, and Oil Removal

20 - 11,875 scfm

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Superior filtration

Proper filtration is necessary to ensure consistent air quality, but with it comes pressure drop. Every 2 psi of pressure drop increases power costs by approximately 1%. KAESER filters remove more contaminants with less pressure drop for lower operating costs. With a complete selection of application-specific filter types, sizes, technical service, and support, KAESER offers a customized solution for all of your compressed air quality needs.

Why treat compressed air

Ambient air contains contaminants that are drawn into the compressor. These contaminants are concentrated during compression and can easily pass into the compressed air system. A typical compressed air system is contaminated with abrasive solid particles such as dirt, rust, and pipe scale. Compressor fluids, condensed moisture, and ambient hydrocarbon vapors also compromise air quality.

Contaminated compressed air systems increase operating costs by reducing efficiency. This results in damaged pneumatic equipment, higher maintenance and repair costs, reduced production (due to downtime), and increased product rejections.

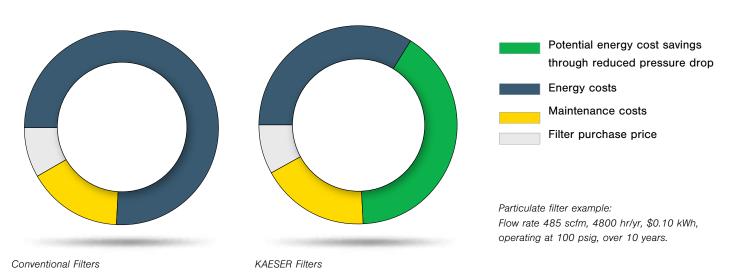
Meeting your air quality requirements

Properly sized and selected KAESER filters in conjunction with the appropriate dryer will remove harmful contaminants. This allows the compressed air system to deliver the quality of air required—whether it's plant, instrument, or breathing air.

High performance filters and separators

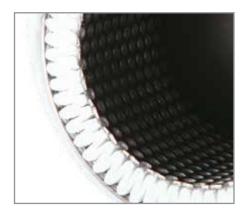
Engineered and developed using the latest innovations and manufacturing techniques, KAESER filter housings are designed with larger flow areas to ensure the lowest pressure drop and provide easier installation, operation, and maintenance. The result is consistent product quality with minimized operating costs.

Life cycle cost savings





Key Features



Deep pleated filter elements

KAESER's KB, KD, and KE dust and coalescing filter elements feature deeppleated filter elements wrapped in stainless steel cages. The extra large surface area ensures superior filtration, increased efficiency, and reduced pressure drop.



High efficiency carbon matting

Unlike the granular material used in many other filters, KAESER's KA filters use carbon impregnated matting to prevent channeling while also reducing pressure drop. This highly absorptive matting is also effective at preventing particles from escaping.



Minimized pressure losses

The generous sized connections help keep pressure losses to an absolute minimum. Additionally, all particulate and coalescing filters (KB, KD, KE) come standard with a differential pressure gauge to check filter efficiency at a glance.

Filter Accessories



Eco-Drain

The optional Eco-Drain reliably removes condensate automatically. It features both a maintenance reminder and fault indicator lights. It can be rotated to fit in tight spaces and still allow service access.



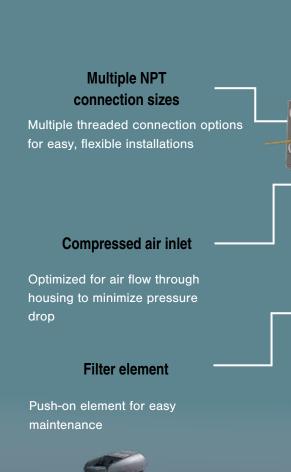
Installation kits

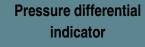
The modular connection kit simplifies installation of multiple filters in series (as seen on p.3), and the wall mounting kit includes all the needed hardware for a fast and secure installation.



Differential pressure sensor

This optional sensor sends differential pressure information to the SIGMA AIR MANAGER or other plant monitoring systems via a 4-20mA output.





Standard on particulate and coalescing filters

Compressed air outlet

Filters maintain rated efficiency down to ten percent of flow capacity

Safety locking screw

Bleeds off pressure before allowing disassembly for increased safety

Condensate outlet

(Internal automatic condensate drain not shown)

Superior Quality and Durability

Eco-Drain optional

Top quality castings

Powder coated exterior for added durability and corrosion resistance

Salt spray corrosion tested

Treated interior

Continuously-welded, stainless steel inner and outer cages for filter elements

5-year warranty on filter head and housing

Enhanced Performance

Latest filter media technology results in higher efficiencies and lower Delta P

150°F maximum inlet temperature

232 psig maximum working pressure

Stainless steel support sleeves, oil and acid resistant coated collars, and end caps

The tapered housing and non-turbulent lower filter zone prevents condensate from being picked up by the air flow

Pressure Vessel Style

ASME pressure vessels, stamped, and registered

CRN numbers available - consult factory with filter model and Province

Flange connections for models 1875 scfm (F530) and larger

Flanges are ASME pattern, Class 150

Full vessel diameter access for element replacement

232 psig maximum working pressure

Differential pressure indicator standard for models KB, KE, and KD

Silicone-free certification

All KAESER filters are available silicone-free upon request and are certified under test standard PV-VW 3.10.7. Each filter undergoes an individual coating test to confirm compliance and the test certificate can be supplied with the filter.

Note: please specify this requirement prior to quotation.

Filter Types

	KC ¹	KB ²	KE ²	KD	KA	
	(Cyclone)	(Basic)	(Extra Fine)	(Dust)	(Adsorb)	
	Moisture Separator	Coalescing and Particulate	Extra Coalescing and Particulate	Particulate (Afterfilter)	Vapor	
Initial pressure differential at saturation	1.5 psi	2.0 psi	< 2.9 psi	< 0.5 psi (New, dry)	0.5 psi (New, dry)	
Aerosol content at inlet	-/-	10 mg/m ³	10 mg/m ³	-/-	-/-	
Remaining aerosol content at outlet as per ISO 12500- 1:06-2007	-/-	< 0.1 mg/m ³	< 0.01 mg/m ³	-/-	-/-	
Filter medium	-/-		support structure and Irainage fiber	Deep pleated with support structure	High efficiency carbon fiber	
Application	Bulk liquid separation	Filters solids, liquids, aerosols, and particulates	Same as KB, but for higher compressed air quality	Exclusively for filtering particulates	Exclusively for removing oil vapor	

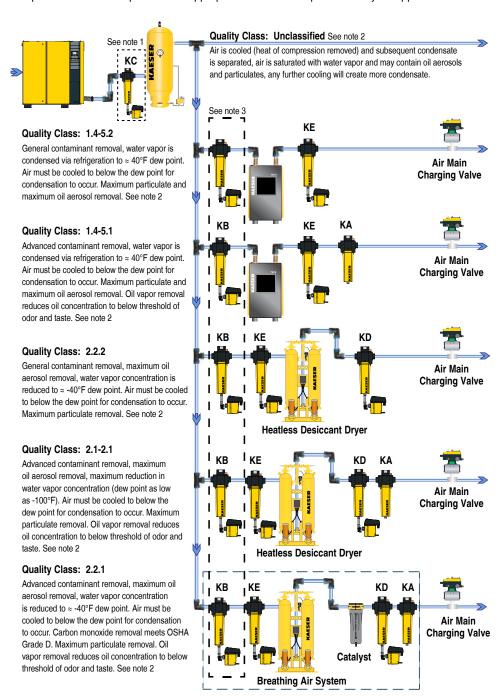


¹ Eco-Drain 31 is standard.

² Float-type drain is standard up to 500 sdfm. Available with optional zero-loss Eco-Drain 30 or 31 to save energy and prevent compressed air loss.

Examples of Air Treatment Configurations with ISO 8573.1: 2010 Quality Classes Shown

These configurations don't depict every possible dryer-filter combination. Your KAESER representative can help select the appropriate air treatment products for your application.



- (1) For compressors without an integrated moisture separator.
- (2) Configuration meets ISO class when tested in an ISO 12500 certified facility per ISO 12500 testing directives.
- (3) KB not needed if non-corrosive tank and piping are used before dryer.

SOLID PARTICLES / DUST										
If particles greater than 5µm have been measured, class 0-5 cannot be applied										
Class	Maximum particle count per cubic meter of a particle size with d* (µm)									
	0.1 - 0.5 μm 0.5 - 1 μm 1 - 5 μm									
0	As specified and more stringent than Class 1									
1	≤ 20,000 ≤ 400 ≤ 10									
2	≤ 400,000	≤ 6000	≤ 100							
3		≤ 90,000	≤ 1000							
4	≤ 10,000									
5	≤ 100,000									
6	0 - ≤ 5 mg/m³									
7	5 - ≤ 10 mg/m³									
8										
9										
5 6 7 8	≤ 100,000 0 - ≤ 5 mg/m³									

 $> 10 \text{ mg/m}^3$

HUMIDITY AND LIQUID WATER									
Class	Pressure Dew Point								
0	As specified and more stringent than Class 1								
1	≤ -70°C ≤ -94°F								
2	≤ -40°C	≤ -40°F							
3	≤ -20°C	≤ -4°F							
4	≤ 3°C	≤ 37°F							
5	≤ 7°C	≤ 45°F							
6	≤ 10°C ≤ 50°F								
Class	Concentration of liquid water								
7	≤ 0.5 g/m³								
8	0.5 - ≤ 5 g/m³								
9	5 - ≤ 10 g/m³								
Х	> 10 g/m³								

TOTAL OIL											
Liquid, aerosol, and vapor											
Class	Class mg/m³ ppm w/w										
0	As specified and more stringen than Class 1										
1	≤ 0.01	≤ 0.008									
2	≤ 0.1	≤ 0.08									
3	≤ 1.0	≤ 0.8									
4	≤ 5.0	≤ 4									
5											
6											
7											
8		· ·									
9											
Х	> 5.0	> 4									

^{*} At reference conditions: 68°F (20°C), 14.5 psia (1 bar), 0% relative humidity

Technical Specifications

Housing	Housing Type	Filter Grades	Rated Flow (scfm)	Connection Size/ Type (in.)	Max. Working Pressure and Temperature	*Dimensions W x D x H (in.)	Weight (lbs.)
F6		KB, KE, KD, KA	20	3/4 NPT (F)		4.75 x 3.625 x 10.75	7.9
F9		KC, KB, KE, KD, KA	30	1/2 or 3/4 NPT (F)		4.75 x 3.025 x 10.75	7.9
F16		KD KE KD KA	55	3/4 or 1 NPT (F)		5.25 x 4 x 12	9.3
F22		KB, KE, KD, KA	80	- 1 NPT(F)		F 0F v 4 v 14	0.0
F26			90	TINPT(F)		5.25 x 4 x 14	9.9
F46	Bowl Style	KC, KB, KE ,KD, KA	160			7.75 x 6 x 14.75	18.5
F83	- with Bayonet Connection		295	4.4/0 0 NDT/F\		7.75 x 6 x 18.125	20.5
F110		KB, KE, KD, KA	390	1-1/2, or 2 NPT(F)		0 00	04.5
F142		KC, KB, KE KD, KA	500			7.75 x 6 x 26	24.5
F184		KB, KE, KD, KA	650			9.5 x 7.75 x 28.125	37
F250		KB, KE, KD, KA	885	3 NPT(F)	232 psig	9.5 x 7.75 x 33.25	40.8
F320		KB, KE, KD, KA	1130			9.5 x 7.75 x 38.75	45.2
F185		KC	625		150°F	16.4 x 6.6 x 44.0	84
F283		NC NC	1000	3 NPT(M)		16.4 x 8.5 x 43.6	106
F350			1250			16.4 x 8.5 x 43.6	108
F530			1875	4 FLG		19.6 x 10.6 x 45.4	168
F700]		2500	6 FLG		22.6 x 12.6 x 48.5	234
F880	Pressure Vessel with Full Access		3125			22.0 X 12.0 X 40.3	238
F1060		KC, KB, KE, KD, KA	3750			26.0 x 15.8 x 49.9	375
F1410			5000	9 FI C		31.5 x 19.9 x 53.3	580
F1940			6875	- 8 FLG			593
F2470]		8750	- 10 FLG		00.0 00.0 50.4	816
F3360			11,875	10 FLG		36.3 x 23.8 x 53.4	830

*Dimensions vary based on accessories and filter grade

Proper Filter Sizing

To find the maximum flow for a filter size at pressures other than 100 psig, multiply the rated flow by the Correction Factor corresponding to the minimum pressure at the inlet of the filter. Do not select filters by pipe size. Use flow rate and operating pressure.

Correction Factors

Specifications are subject to change without notice.

Operating Pressure (psig)	30	40	60	80	100	115	120	125	140	160	180	200	220	230
Capacity Correction Factor	0.39	0.48	0.65	0.83	1.00	1.06	1.08	1.10	1.16	1.23	1.30	1.37	1.43	1.46



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