

# FOOD & BEVERAGE

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- F&B / Pharma / Medical Devices / Microelectronics / Power Generation / Data Centres
- Interests are Food / Rugby / Diving / Surfing / Cycling.



# OUR VISION

Making CLEAN AIR a human right.  
Just like clean water.

# OUR MISSION

PROTECTING PEOPLE, processes and the environment by defining, developing and delivering filter solutions that combine clean air with energy efficiency, in a sustainable and profitable way.

CLEAN AIR SOLUTIONS



# OUR CORE VALUES — THE SOUL OF OUR COMPANY

## RELIABILITY

We are reliable because we know the market and are honest and truthful. Our people, products and processes must always meet or exceed agreed results.

## COMMITMENT

We are committed to always striving for the best possible solutions and we stand at the forefront of technological and environmental developments in our fields of expertise.

## CUSTOMER SATISFACTION

We put our customers first, identifying customer needs and creating long-lasting customer value.

## TEAMWORK

Working together makes us stronger and increases employee satisfaction both locally and globally.

## LOCAL PRESENCE

Local understanding and presence on local markets builds customer relations and satisfaction.

# ABOUT CAMFIL

2019 Mark Simmons  
CEO & President of Camfil AB



HQ in Stockholm, Sweden

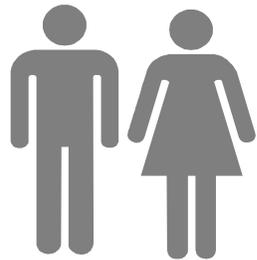


**55+**

Years of

clean air expertise

1963 Gösta Larson founded  
Camfil AB in Trosa, Sweden



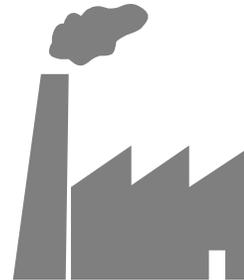
**4500**

Employees



**8300**

Million SEK  
net sales



**30**

Manufacturing  
sites



**6**

R&D centres



**30**

Countries with  
sales offices

# CAMFIL AROUND THE WORLD

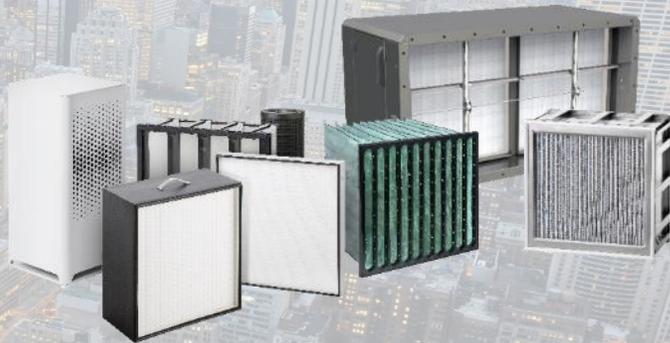


# BUSINESS AREAS & PRODUCTS

## FILTRATION SOLUTIONS (HVAC)

Air Handling Units & Filter Supplies

- Comfort
- Cleanrooms
- Industrial
- Containment



## AIR POLLUTION CONTROL

Industrial Dust, Fume & Mist Collection

- Dust
- Fume
- Mist



## POWER SYSTEMS

Air Filters for Acoustics & Turbo Machinery

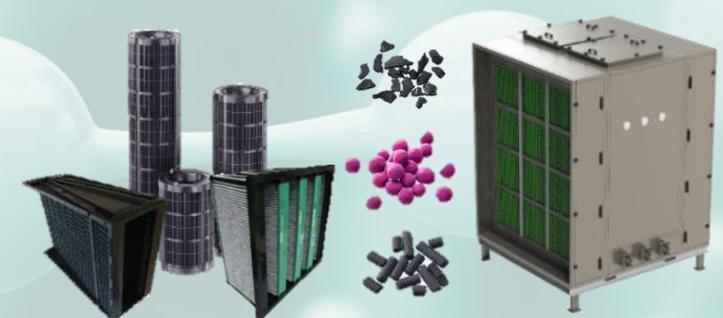
- Power Generation
- Compressors
- Oil & Gas



## MOLECULAR CONTAMINATION CONTROL

Air Filters for Harmful Gases & Odours

- Gases
- Odours
- Corrosion control



# CAMFIL TECH CENTRE IN SWEDEN STATE-OF-THE-ART RESEARCH FACILITY



“We do what is required of us to have the best understanding of our customers’ air quality problems and the optimum solutions to resolve them.” (Owner’s Directive)



**GAS TURBINE + AIR POLLUTION CONTROL TEST RIGS**

**MOLECULAR + PARTICLE TEST RIGS**

**IAQ LABORATORY**

**HEPA LABORATORY**

**CLASSROOMS**

**SCANNING ELECTRON MICROSCOPE (SEM)**



# QUALITY FIRST



Camfil started with high-quality products for the nuclear market and we want to continue this heritage in all our activities. We want everyone in Camfil to be proud of what we design, develop and deliver to all our customers worldwide.

# WHAT'S ON THE BOX IS IN THE BOX



At Camfil we are honest, trustworthy and deliver on our promises.

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ePM1?  
THE CHOICE IS YOURS



# SUSTAINABILITY



Camfil has been focused on sustainability since 1963. As sustainability becomes increasingly important and requested by customers, we need to ensure that we keep this focus.

Sustainability should not be something we do – **IT SHOULD BE WHO WE ARE.**

# SUSTAINABILITY — A PART OF OUR DNA

- Designing environmental aspects into our company's product line is a Camfil priority. In return, we are able to make workplaces greener as well.
- By maintaining a constant dialogue with our customers, filter media suppliers and evolving our product designs, we are able to reduce the air-flow resistance of our filters, directly improving the energy efficiency of ventilation systems that use our products in air handling units and other filtration systems.
- We can work with customers to determine life cycle cost and total cost of ownership for any products going into facilities.

# CAMFIL & UNITED NATIONS GOALS

Camfil aligns its strategy with the **UN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS**. We identified four goals that are the most relevant to our business and enable us to provide the most meaningful global contribution.



## GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

High indoor air quality that promotes good health and well-being



## DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH

Satisfactory working conditions for 4,500 employees at 30 manufacturing plants



## SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES

The most energy-efficient clean air solutions on the market



## RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION

Production plants' environmental impact is continuously being reduced

# THE AIR WE BREATHE



Humans eat **1 kg** food/day

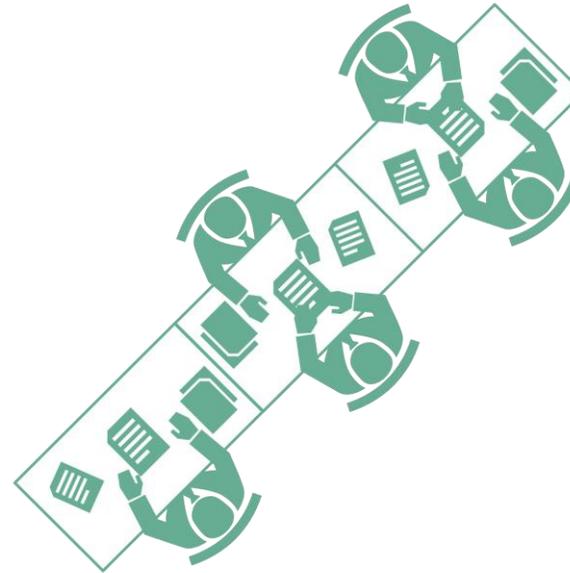


Humans drink **2 kg** fluids/day



Humans breathe **15 kg** air/day

We spend up to **90%** of our life indoors. This means that indoor air quality (IAQ) can substantially influence our health.



The indoor environment can be up to **50 times** more polluted than outdoor air.

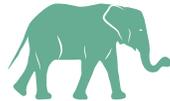


# LET'S COMPARE DIFFERENT SIZED PARTICLES

The blue whale, elephant and man are a good analogy for 10µm, 2.5µm and 1µm sized particles in terms of their relative size and relative mass and the number in our environment.



**PM1** <1µm particle | Human | 80 KG | more than 7 billion living



**PM 2.5** <2,5 µm particle | Elephant | 6Ton| less than 1 million living



**PM10** <10 µm particle | Blue Whale | 200 Ton| less than 25,000 living

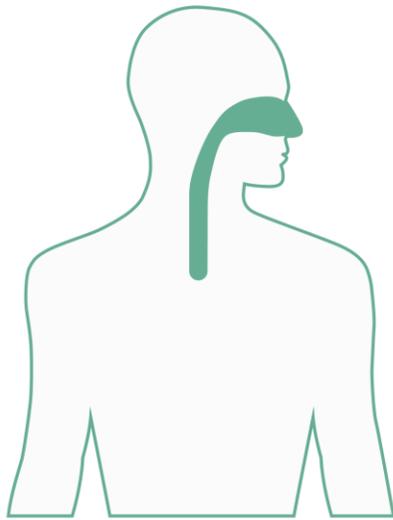


**PM1** is smaller than 1/1000th of a millimetre

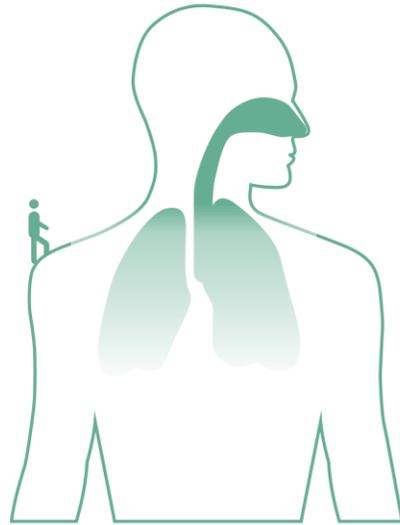


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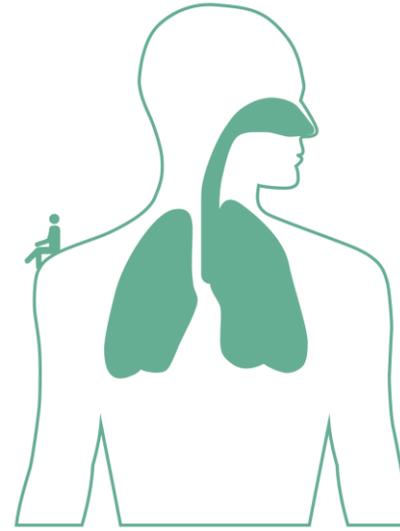
# PENETRATION OF PARTICLES AND GASES INTO THE BODY



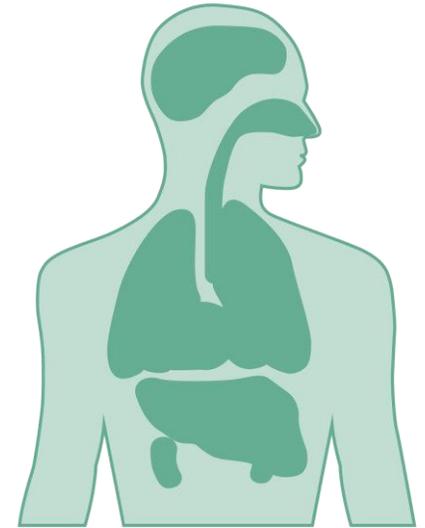
**PM10** Size  $<10\mu\text{m}$   
Coarse particles.  
Upper respiratory tract



**PM2.5** Size  $<2.5\mu\text{m}$   
Fine particles.  
Lower respiratory tract



**PM1** Size  $<1\mu\text{m}$   
Inhaleable particles  
Alveoli



Size  $<0.1\mu\text{m}$   
Ultrafine particles and gas  
Bloodstream / whole body

# PM1 — PEOPLE MATTER 1<sup>ST</sup>

We need to place air quality at the top of the environmental and human health agenda.

We need to understand the effect of particulate matter on our health, finding solutions to protect people inside our buildings.



**PM<sub>1</sub>**  
People  
Matter 1<sup>st</sup>

# OUR PROMISE TO OUR CUSTOMERS

Your trusted leader in commercial and industrial clean air solutions. Our mission is to protect people, processes and the environment from harmful particles and gases by defining, developing and delivering solutions that combine clean air with energy efficiency in a sustainable way.

C L E A N  
A I R  
M A D E  
F O R  
I M P R O V I N G  
L I F E



# AGENDA

- IAQ Definitions
- Applications
- Food Production Area's
- New BRCGS Air Quality Standard – Why?
- Air Quality Standards “ A Brief History”
- Compliance
- ISO 16890
- EN16798-3:2017
- Eurovent 4-23 & RS4/C
- Molecular Filtration Guidance
- Risk Mitigation
- Maintenance & Condition Monitoring
- ProSafe Products
- AirCair Services
- Questions

## I A Q definition



Indoor air quality refers to the quality of the air inside buildings as represented by concentrations of pollutants and thermal conditions that affect the health, comfort and performance of occupants.

# How air enters a building through HVAC



1. Air is coming from the outdoor air untreated
2. Air being filtrated through a classified filter in one or several filter steps
3. Air passing through a heat exchanger
4. Air supplied to the room
5. Air Exhaust from the rooms
6. Exhaust air being filtrated through a classified filter in one or several filter steps
7. Air passing through a heat exchanger
8. Filtrated and heat exchanged air return to the outdoor air.

# HOW DOES AIR QUALITY IMPACT ON PRODUCTION?

- Product Contamination
- Employee Health
- Odour emissions effecting general public
- Product Shelf Life
- Labour Costs
- Production Cost
- Energy Costs

# WHAT ARE WE SEEING IN THE F&B MARKET

- Limited Knowledge
- Poor Understanding
- Commercially driven – Cheap
- Lack of accountability – Outsourcing to FM / MRO Companies
- Product call backs – Brand Damage, Reduction of Consumer Confidence
- Companies are receiving fines
- Questionable companies without standards supplying sites.
- Centralising of data!
- Consolidating of suppliers!
- Agreements are being put in place!

# APPLICATIONS

- Dairy
- Beverage
- Ready To Eat or R.T.E.

# SPRAY DRYER APPLICATION



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G4kf60Nrymk&feature=share>

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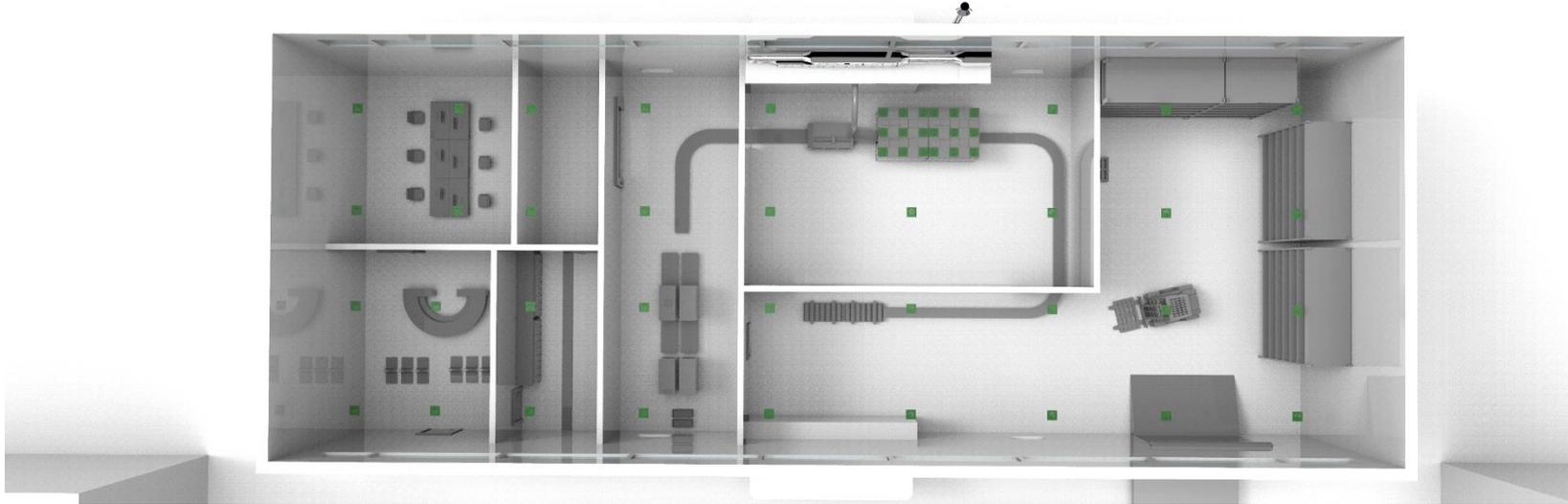
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# ASEPTIC FILLING



# Ready Meals



# PRODUCTION AIR QUALITY SUPPLY



# PRODUCTION AIR QUALITY EXTRACT



## LOW CARE AREAS – BASIC HYGIENE

- Food that is unlikely to contain pathogenic microorganisms and will not normally support their growth due to food characteristics.
- Fruit & Vegetable / Grains / Cereals / Bakery / Alcohol Production / Storage areas.
- Pre-Filters / CamCleaner / Molecular Filters



## MEDIUM CARE AREAS – MEDIUM HYGIENE

- Food that may contain pathogenic microorganisms but will not support their growth due to food characteristics.
- Raw Material Prep / Processed / Packaged /
- Juice Production , Canned goods, Milk products, peanut Butter / Dried Goods Filling / Tipping Stations / Meat Packaging etc..
- Pre Filters / Fine Filters / Molecular / CamCleaner



# HIGH CARE AREAS

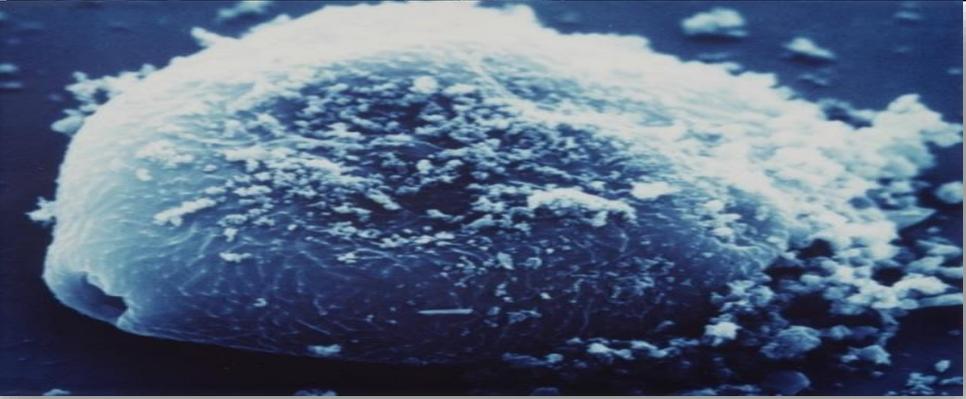
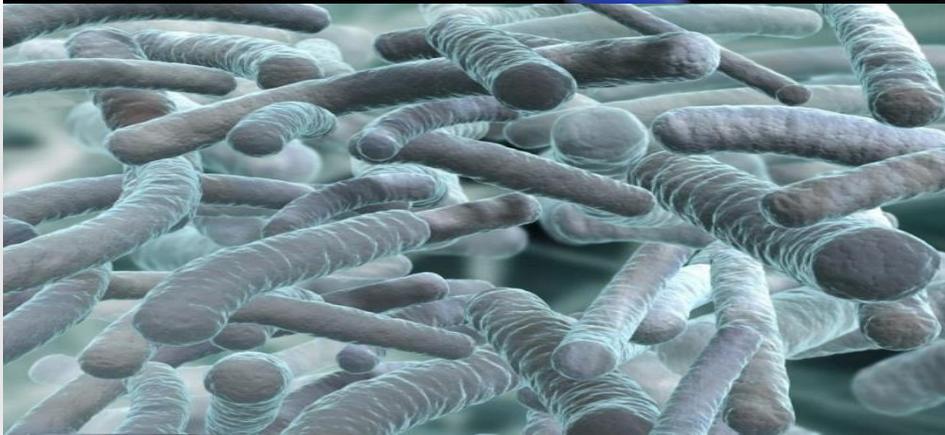
- An area where Microbiological REDUCTION Process is followed by ensuring sufficient air changes.
- Sandwich / Salads / Ready Meals
- Pre Filters / Fine Filters / Molecular / Hepa Filters / Terminal Housings / CamCleaner



# HIGH RISK AREAS – HIGH HYGIENE

- An area where Microbiological PREVENTION Process is followed. Sufficient air changes & Under Positive Pressure.
- Finished product for human consumption.
- Aseptic Filling / Cooked Meals or Meats / Tasting Areas / Washing Areas / Ice Cream
- Pre Filters / Fine Filters / Molecular / Hepa or Ulpa Filters / Terminal Housings





## F&B Plant Development Industry Bodies

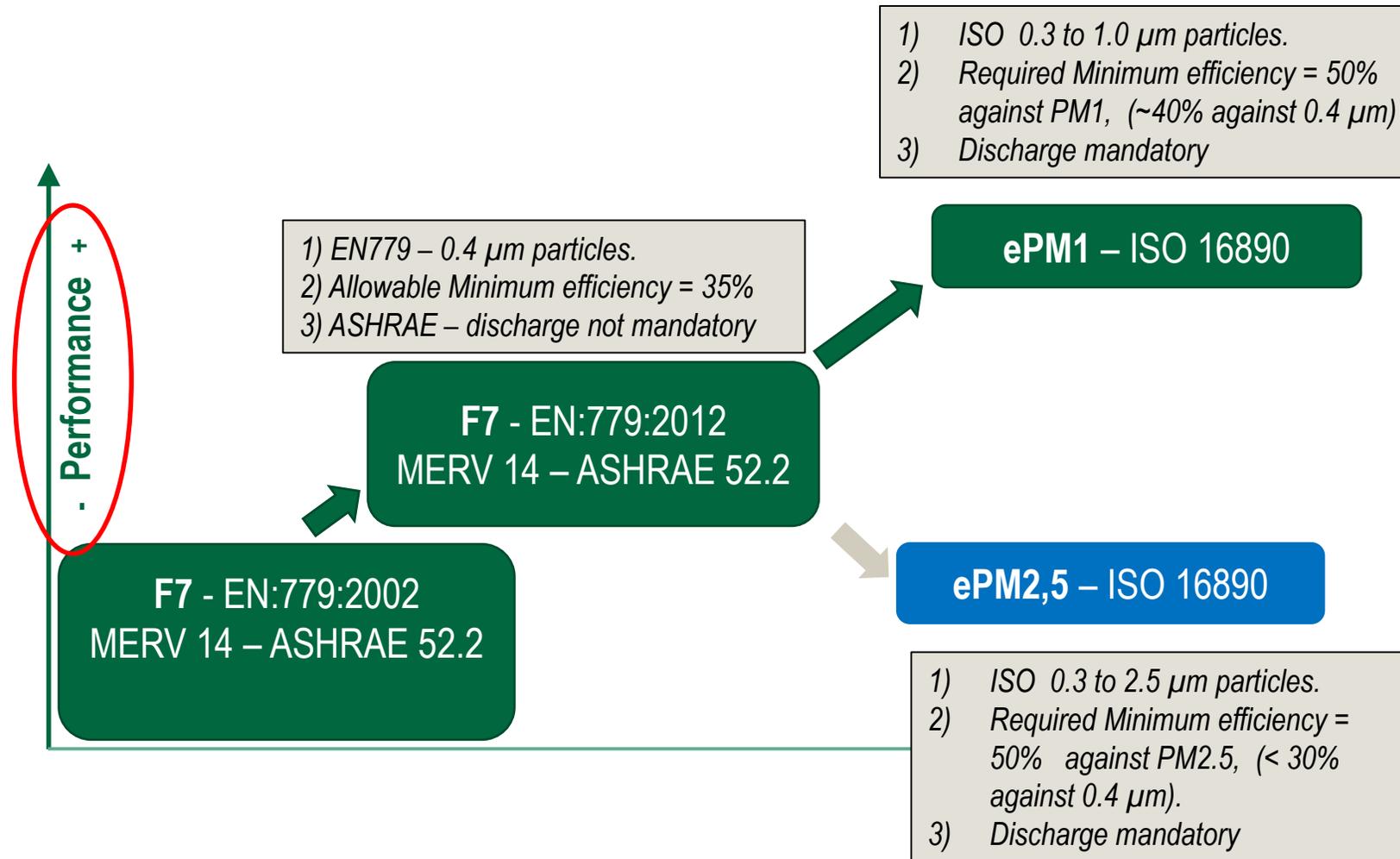


# STANDARDS AGENCIES



# PM1 VS PM2.5

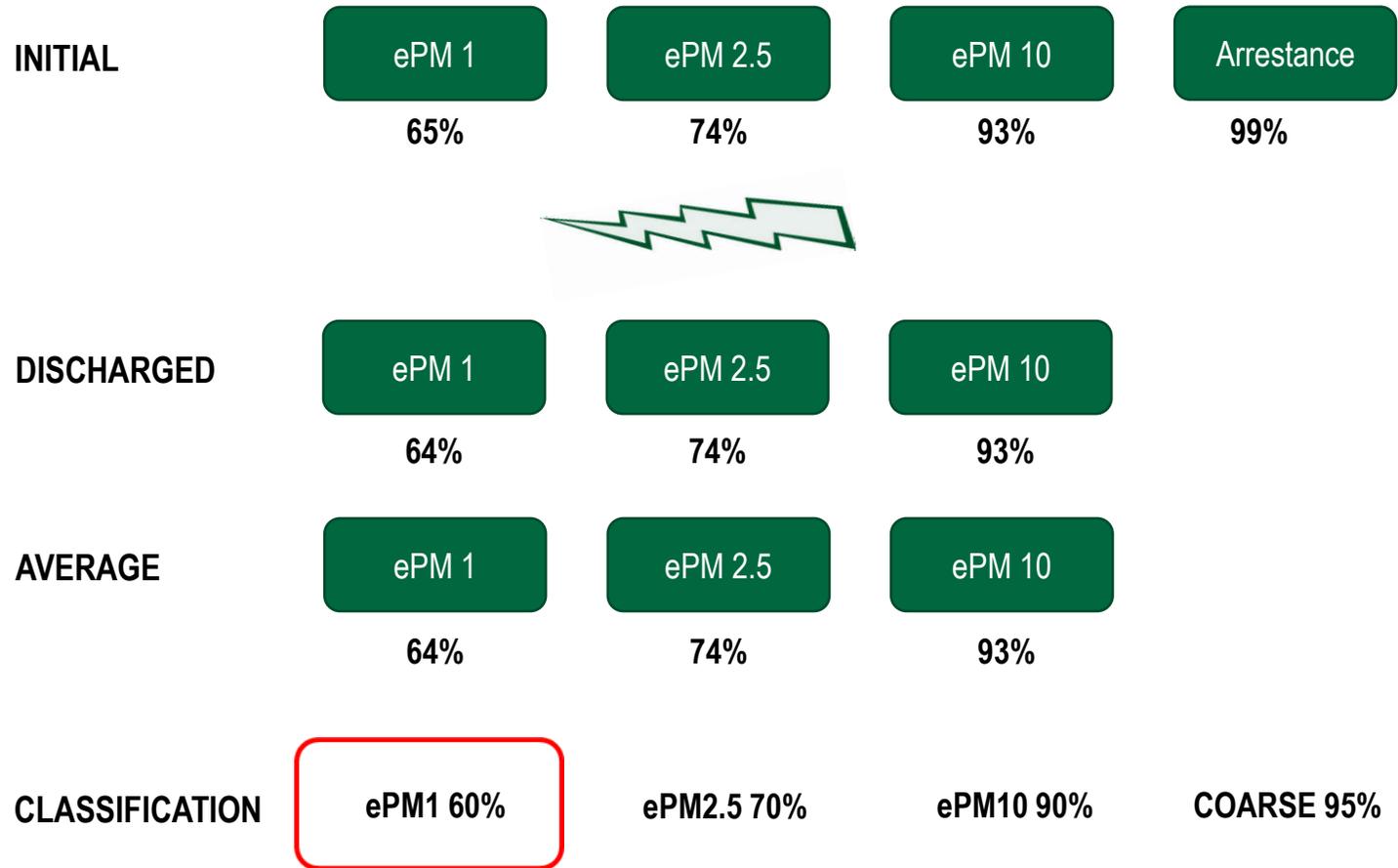
# ISO 16890 – Impact of Classification on Air Quality



# EXAMPLE: FILTER 1



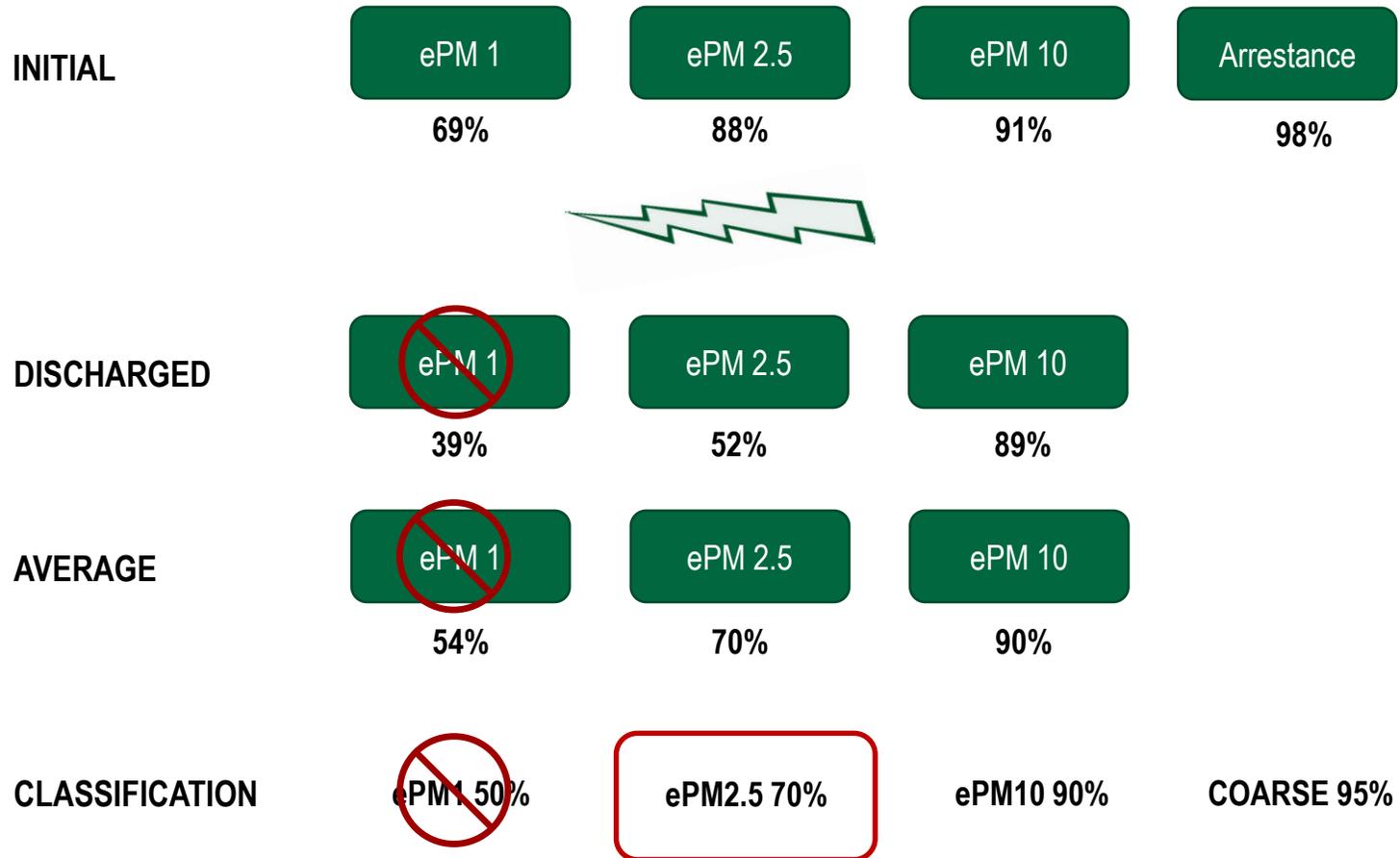
Fine fibre filter media without  
electrostatic charge



## EXAMPLE: FILTER 2



Coarse fibre filter media with electrostatic charge



# NEW BRC AIR QUALITY STANDARD – WHY?

- Compliance
- ISO 16890:2016
- EN16798 – 3:2017
- Easy Filter Selection
- Standardization
- Transparency



# Why develop a new global test standard?

*What are the customer benefits?*



Recognition

—

Air filters positively influence  
air quality and human health



More intuitive

—

Filter efficiency and  
classification aligned with  
real world air pollution



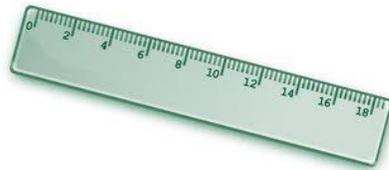
Global applicability

—

Eliminate confusion

# Why develop a new global test standard?

*What are the benefit for the industry:*



Level playing field

—  
Fair product comparison.  
Drive product development.  
Drive innovation and customer value.  
Eliminate some low performing products.



Global standard

—  
One test for all providers  
Removes an obstacle to global trade



Simplicity

—  
Easier to explain product  
value in terms of function  
and application

# A Quality Standards a Brief History

## Filtration Standards for General Air Filter



~~CEN 779:2012~~



ASHRAE 52.2



International Organization for Standardization

**2017 – New ISO 16890 Standard**  
(Focus on Particulate Matter **PM1**, PM2.5 & PM10)



## Filtration Standards for HEPA & ULPA Filter



EN1822:2009

## Energy / Environment Standards



~~Eurovent 4/21 (Energy Rating)~~



Eurovent RS4/C/001-2019 (Energy Rating)



# COMPLIANCE

- **ISO 16890:2016** Air filters for general ventilation – Part 1: Technical specifications, requirements and classification system based upon particulate matter efficiency (ePM)

This is the new standard for the testing of air filters. From 30 June 2018 this replaced BS EN 779:2012 and provides a much better test with a clearer classification system. The test has been developed and improved over the previous test method to ensure that reported efficiencies represent the real-life performance much more accurately than the previous test method.

- **EN 16798-3:2017** Energy performance of buildings. Ventilation for buildings. For non-residential buildings. Performance requirements for ventilation and room-conditioning systems

This standard gives much-needed guidance regarding the performance of ventilation systems and the requirements for ensuring the required air quality is achieved. It also provides a clear link to the outdoor air quality (ODA) and its impact on indoor air quality, with guidance on the air filtration specification required based on the ODA.

# EN16798

## 2.2.1 OUTDOOR AIR QUALITY

EN 16798-3:2017 splits outdoor air quality into three categories: ODA1, ODA2 and ODA3. These are based on the World Health Organization (WHO) annual mean limits for particle sizes of 2.5  $\mu\text{m}$  and 10.0  $\mu\text{m}$ .

Current WHO limits for air quality are used as the basis for establishing the three ODA categories and are as follows:

- Annual mean for  $\text{PM}_{2.5} < 10 \mu\text{g.m}^{-3}$
- Annual mean for  $\text{PM}_{10} < 20 \mu\text{g.m}^{-3}$

From these values the three ODA air quality categories are as follows:

- **ODA1** Applies where the WHO (2005) guidelines and any national air quality standards or regulations for outdoor air are fulfilled (i.e.  $\text{PM}_{2.5} < 10 \mu\text{g.m}^{-3}$  and  $\text{PM}_{10} < 20 \mu\text{g.m}^{-3}$ )
- **ODA2** Applies where pollutant concentrations exceed the WHO guidelines or any national air quality standards or regulations for outdoor air by a factor of up to 1.5 (i.e.  $\text{PM}_{2.5} \leq 15 \mu\text{g.m}^{-3}$  and  $\text{PM}_{10} \leq 30 \mu\text{g.m}^{-3}$ )
- **ODA3** Applies where pollutant concentrations exceed the WHO guidelines or any national air quality standards or regulations for outdoor air by a factor greater than 1.5 (i.e.  $\text{PM}_{2.5} > 15 \mu\text{g.m}^{-3}$  and  $\text{PM}_{10} > 30 \mu\text{g.m}^{-3}$ )

# EN16798

## How to establish ODA

Governments and environmental authorities around the world monitor air quality; the data for this can normally be found on a national or regional government website. For example, in the UK it is available on the Department for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Defra) website at <https://uk-air.defra.gov.uk/data/gis-mapping>. Using this website you can view historical data for air quality monitoring for the particle sizes  $PM_{2.5}$  and  $PM_{10}$ .

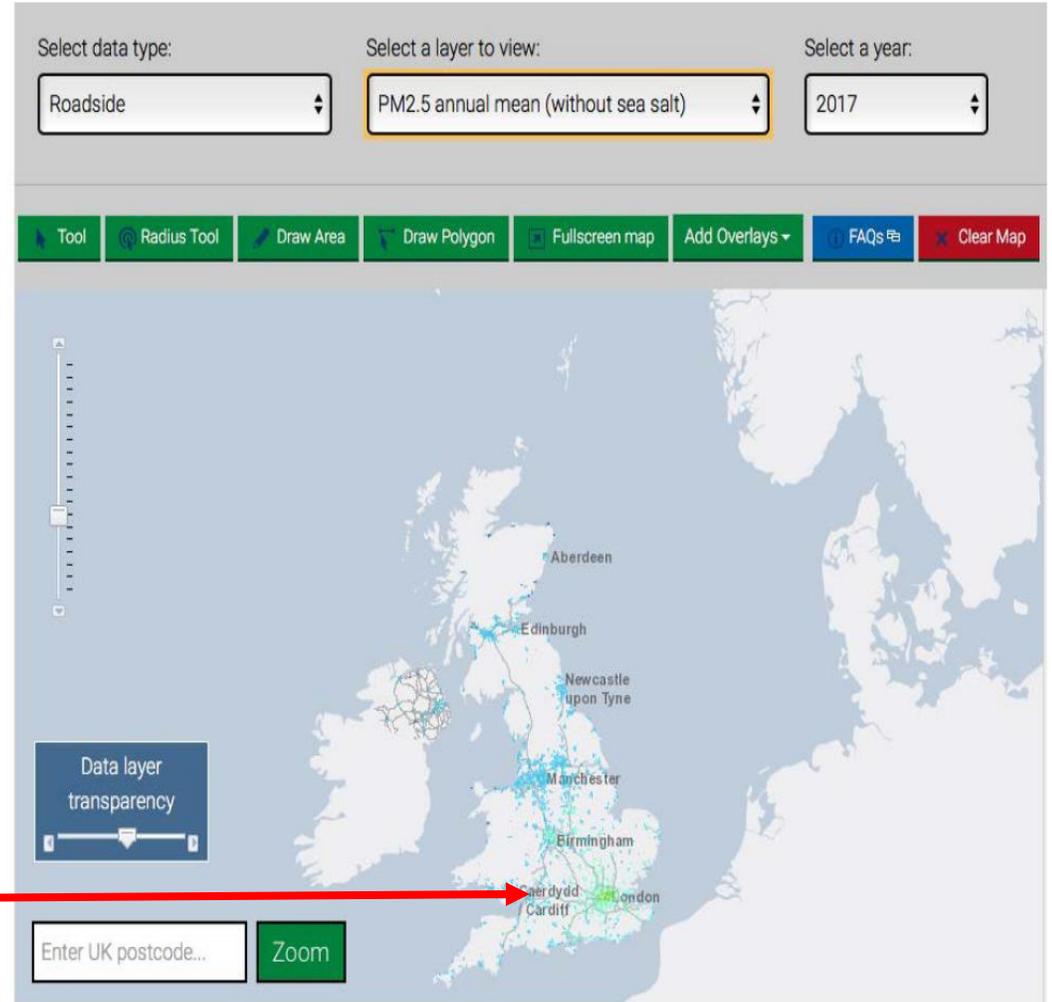
- For data type, select 'Roadside'.
- Select either 'PM2.5 annual mean (without sea salt)' or 'PM10 annual mean (without sea salt)'.
- Select the most recent year (2015 at the date of publication).
- Enter your postcode at the bottom left and zoom until the colour coding appears, detailing the particulate levels.

The definitions for the ODA categories set out earlier are as follows:

- ODA1  $PM_{2.5}$  annual mean  $< 10 \mu g.m^{-3}$
- ODA2  $PM_{2.5}$  annual mean  $\leq 15 \mu g.m^{-3}$
- ODA3  $PM_{2.5}$  annual mean  $> 15 \mu g.m^{-3}$

### $PM_{2.5}$ excluding sea salt roadside concentration

Annual mean ( $\mu g.m^{-3}$ )



# EN16798-3:2017 & EUROVENT 4-21

EN 16798-3:2017 details five supply air categories (i.e. five categories defining the quality of air needed for any particular application): SUP1 to SUP5. These are defined as follows:

- **SUP1** Applications with high hygiene demands such as hospitals and the pharmaceuticals and electronics industries.

SUP1 refers to supply air with concentrations of particulate matter which fulfil the limit values stipulated by WHO (2005) guidelines multiplied by a factor of 0.25 (i.e. annual mean for  $PM_{2.5}$  is  $\leq 2.5 \mu g.m^{-3}$  and for  $PM_{10}$  is  $\leq 5 \mu g.m^{-3}$ ).

- **SUP2** Applications with medium hygiene demands such as food and beverage production.

SUP2 refers to supply air with concentrations of particulate matter which fulfil the limit values stipulated by WHO (2005) guidelines multiplied by a factor of 0.5 (i.e. annual mean for  $PM_{2.5}$  is  $\leq 5 \mu g.m^{-3}$  and for  $PM_{10}$  is  $\leq 10 \mu g.m^{-3}$ ).

- **SUP3** Applications with basic hygiene demands such as low-risk food and beverage production.

SUP3 refers to supply air with concentrations of particulate matter which fulfil the limit values stipulated by WHO (2005) guidelines multiplied by a factor of 0.75 (i.e. annual mean for  $PM_{2.5}$  is  $\leq 7.5 \mu g.m^{-3}$  and for  $PM_{10}$  is  $\leq 15 \mu g.m^{-3}$ ).

- **SUP4** Applications without hygiene demands such as general production areas (e.g. automotive).

SUP4 refers to supply air with concentrations of particulate matter which fulfil the limit values stipulated by WHO (2005) guidelines (i.e. annual mean for  $PM_{2.5}$  is  $\leq 10 \mu g.m^{-3}$  and for  $PM_{10}$  is  $\leq 20 \mu g.m^{-3}$ ).

- **SUP5** Production areas of heavy industry such as steel mills, smelters and welding plants.

SUP5 refers to supply air with concentrations of particulate matter which fulfil the limit values stipulated by WHO (2005) guidelines multiplied by a factor of 1.5 (i.e. annual mean for  $PM_{2.5}$  is  $\leq 15 \mu g.m^{-3}$  and  $PM_{10}$  is  $\leq 30 \mu g.m^{-3}$ ).

The final step is to use Table 1 to compare ODA and SUP values to identify the appropriate filter.

SUPPLY AIR				
SUP1	SUP2	SUP3	SUP4	SUP5
$PM_{2.5} \leq 2.5 \mu g.m^{-3}$	$PM_{2.5} \leq 5 \mu g.m^{-3}$	$PM_{2.5} \leq 7.5 \mu g.m^{-3}$	$PM_{2.5} \leq 10 \mu g.m^{-3}$	$PM_{2.5} \leq 15 \mu g.m^{-3}$
$PM_{10} \leq 5 \mu g.m^{-3}$	$PM_{10} \leq 10 \mu g.m^{-3}$	$PM_{10} \leq 15 \mu g.m^{-3}$	$PM_{10} \leq 20 \mu g.m^{-3}$	$PM_{10} \leq 30 \mu g.m^{-3}$
ePM <sub>1</sub> *	ePM <sub>1</sub> *	ePM <sub>2.5</sub> *	ePM <sub>10</sub> *	ePM <sub>10</sub> *

OUTDOOR AIR			SUPPLY AIR				
CAT	$PM_{2.5}$	$PM_{10}$	ePM <sub>1</sub> *	ePM <sub>1</sub> *	ePM <sub>2.5</sub> *	ePM <sub>10</sub> *	ePM <sub>10</sub> *
<b>ODA 1</b>	$<10 \mu g.m^{-3}$	$<20 \mu g.m^{-3}$	70%	50%	50%	50%	50%
<b>ODA 2</b>	$<15 \mu g.m^{-3}$	$<30 \mu g.m^{-3}$	80%	70%	70%	80%	50%
<b>ODA 3</b>	$<15 \mu g.m^{-3}$	$<30 \mu g.m^{-3}$	90%	80%	80%	90%	80%

RISK/HYGIENE LEVEL	ODA 1	ODA 2	ODA 3
<b>LOW RISK/BASIC HYGIENE</b>	ePM <sub>2.5</sub> = 50%	ePM <sub>2.5</sub> = 70%	ePM <sub>2.5</sub> = 80%
<b>HIGH CARE/HIGH HYGIENE/HIGH RISK</b>	ePM <sub>1</sub> = 50%	ePM <sub>1</sub> = 70%	ePM <sub>1</sub> = 80%

# EUROVENT 4/23-2019

New Energy Rating is based on  
Implementation planned for 2019

The demands on energy efficiency of  
Max. 1% of all listed filters  
**That means most „A+“ filters will be replaced by „B“, etc.**

Fully based on ISO 16890  
3 tables with energy classes  
Higher demands on Energy Efficiency  
Some filters will change the Energy Class  
Most filters will have slightly higher energy consumption

Stricter rules for Certification  
ISO 16890 test reports for 2019

The new Energy Rating is based on



**CAMFIL**  
Opakfil ES 7 – ISO ePM1 60% A+

[www.eurovent-certification.com](http://www.eurovent-certification.com)

**ISO ePM<sub>1</sub> 60%**  
EN-ISO16890-1:2016




DISTRIBUTION OF THE CLASSES FOR ePM1						
	A+	A	B	C	D	E
50&55%	800	900	1050	1400	2000	>2000
60&65%	850	950	1100	1450	2050	>2050
70&75%	950	1100	1250	1550	2150	>2150
80&85%	1050	1250	1450	1800	2400	>2400
>90%	1200	1400	1550	1900	2500	>2500

DISTRIBUTION OF THE CLASSES FOR ePM2.5						
	A+	A	B	C	D	E
50&55%	700	800	950	1300	1900	>1900
60&65%	750	850	1000	1350	1950	>1950
70&75%	800	900	1050	1400	2000	>2000
80&85%	850	1000	1200	1500	2100	>2100
>90%	1000	1110	1300	1600	2200	>2200

DISTRIBUTION OF THE CLASSES FOR ePM10						
	A+	A	B	C	D	E
50&55%	450	550	650	750	1100	>1100
60&65%	500	600	700	850	1200	>1200
70&75%	600	700	800	900	1300	>1300
80&85%	700	800	900	1000	1400	>1400
>90%	800	900	1050	1400	1500	>1500

# MOLECULAR FILTRATION

Certain contaminants are not present in the air as particles and can only be captured by a physical barrier. Pollutants such as NO<sub>x</sub> and SO<sub>x</sub> that are present as gaseous molecules, particularly in urban environments, may require carbon filtration to achieve the required air quality standard.

Table 3 details the cases when carbon/molecular filtration is likely to be required or deemed necessary to ensure suitable air quality.

OUTDOOR AIR QUALITY	SUPPLY AIR QUALITY				
	SUP 1	SUP 2	SUP 3	SUP 4	SUP 5
ODA 1	Recommended				
ODA 2	Required	Recommended			
ODA 3	Required	Required	Recommended		

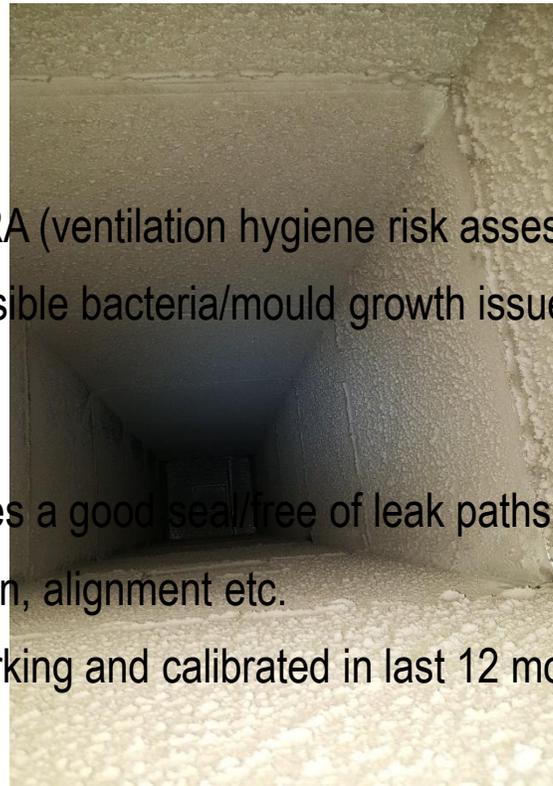
Carbon/molecular filtration can be installed as a third-stage dedicated carbon filter or as a second stage that provides a combined specification for both ePM (as in Table 2) and molecular filter capability. It is recommended that any carbon filters used are tested to ISO 10121-2:2013, thus ensuring that their efficiency has been independently verified.

# RISK MITIGATION - CONSIDERATIONS

Most manufacturers offer a range of products of varying specifications, some of which are tailored for particular industry segments, including food and beverage. Therefore, wherever possible, you should confirm the following when selecting a filtration product:

- Has the filter been tested to the latest international standard, ISO 16890:2016? The supplier should be able to confirm this with an official independent test certificate. This is the only way to ensure that the filtration used actually provides the correct level of protection and is of the required specification.
- Does the product have specific certification or independent testing that confirms its suitability and safety for use within food and beverage facilities? Examples include:
  - Food contact materials – Regulation (EC) 1935/2004 (or similar; this confirms its suitability for food contact)
  - VDI 6022: hygienic standards for ventilation and air conditioning systems (this gives guidelines on confirming hygienic design)
  - ISO 846:1997 – Plastics – Evaluation of the action of microorganisms (this confirms materials to be microbially inert).
- Is the supplier technically competent and able to provide support when needed? Air quality and filtration are complex subjects, and a supplier who can demonstrate a high level of technical support and guidance is invaluable.
- Do the filters carry labels from the manufacturer (not necessarily the supplier) that can be used to verify compliance once they have been fitted? All filters should carry such labelling.

# MAINTENANCE & CONDITION MONITORING



- Motor & Fan Condition
- AHU Cleanliness/Hygiene - VIRA (ventilation hygiene risk assessment)
- Glass traps fitted to ensure possible bacteria/mould growth issues are monitored.
- Coil Condition/Cleanliness
- Filter Frame Condition – provides a good seal/free of leak paths
- Pulley, belt and bearing condition, alignment etc.
- Pressure gauges – are they working and calibrated in last 12 months

## SECTION 6 MAINTENANCE, CONDITION AND HYGIENE MONITORING

This section gives guidance on best engineering practice with regard to the ongoing maintenance, condition and hygiene monitoring of ventilation equipment. By following this advice when selecting filtration, you will give the ventilation system a comprehensive protection system to minimise contamination, hygiene issues and associated downtime.

Condition and hygiene monitoring to identify and resolve any issues will help to ensure that the ventilation equipment operates in a compliant and efficient way. This will protect both your product and your employees from any potential contamination hazards associated with poorly maintained ventilation equipment. Monitoring will also ensure that the equipment operates in the most cost-effective way through energy and waste reduction, and increased filter life and reliability, thus reducing the need for unplanned maintenance and associated downtime.

When you complete a risk assessment and formulate a maintenance regime, consider the following points:

- Establish a routine filter monitoring regime. The frequency will be dictated by the filter type, location and duty. Routine monitoring of filter pressure drop (DP) is also essential, along with visual condition assessments.
- Routinely monitor HEPA filter condition and pressure drop. In addition, HEPA filters should be integrity tested in accordance with BS EN ISO 14644. The frequency of the integrity testing is outlined in BS EN ISO 14644 and is dictated by the room classification.
- Routinely monitor any drive belts to ensure that they are in good condition, correctly aligned and that tension is being maintained.
- Monitor fan and motor bearings by means of vibration analysis at suitable intervals.
- Regularly monitor vibration mounts to ensure they remain in good condition and have good vibration suppression characteristics.
- Regularly check all coils to ensure they are in good condition and clean. Coils should be steam cleaned as necessary.
- Regularly check all interior surfaces and components of the AHU for condition and cleanliness. Pay particular attention to identify potential sites of microbial growth and corrosion.
- Monitor the exterior condition of AHU for cleanliness, unit integrity (air leak paths) and signs of corrosion.
- Conduct regular visual checks to identify any sign of moisture and water pooling. If any signs are found, intervene immediately to identify the source and take corrective action.
- Check all AHU pressure gauges and calibrate them annually to ensure accuracy.
- Carry out ventilation hygiene risk assessments by an authorised provider to highlight any potential risks from the ventilation system. As a minimum, this should be carried out annually or as per any local guidance and regulation.
- Clean AHUs regularly (six monthly at a minimum) to remove any build-up of loose debris etc.
- Carry out additional deep cleans as necessary (normally when a risk of microbial contamination has been identified or the unit is heavily contaminated).
- Monitor air intake screens regularly, and clean or replace them as necessary.
- Check all controls for correct operation.

All of the above could have a potential impact on product safety and quality or employee health. If the risk dictates, do not use the equipment until corrective action has been taken.

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## BRC Global Standard for Food Safety Issue 8 is Now GFSI-Recognised

2019/05/23

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We are very pleased to announce that the BRC Food Safety Standard issue 8 is being added to the scope of GFSI recognition for BRC Global Standards after a successful assessment against version 7.2 of the GFSI Benchmarking Requirements.

For GFSI, continued collaboration with Certification Programme Owners as they update their standards and processes is key to our strategic purpose of harmonisation of food safety programmes. We were delighted that BRC Global Standards submitted the latest

THE CAMFIL GROUP

# ProSafe Range



# Sensitive products

## FOOD & BEVERAGE



“Air is a food ingredient”  
General market change towards quality  
(organics, “Bio”, fair-trade,  
no harmful chemicals,...)

## LIFE SCIENCE



“Of course, hygiene is relevant  
for all filter stages”  
“What is important for F&B must  
be mandatory for Life Science”

# THE COMPLETE PROSAFE FAMILY!



## COMPLETE RANGE OF PROCESS SAFETY

now available for all stages from intake air to the product (G4 to H14)

# Retrospective view

What does ProSafe mean?

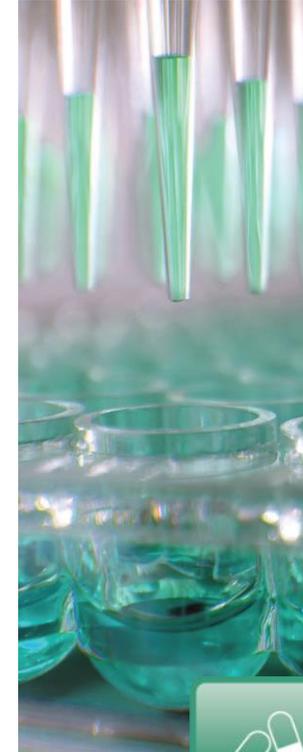
➔ ProSafe = **Process Safety**

- Particle protection
- Avoiding of harmful substances
- Hygiene in air conditioning
- Biological resistance
- Chemical resistance
- Food-safe
- Simplification of audits

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Beverage**



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# ProSafe = Process Safety

- Particle protection



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- Hygiene in air conditioning



- Biological Resistance



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- Food-safe  
*„air is part of ingredients“*



- Simplification of audits

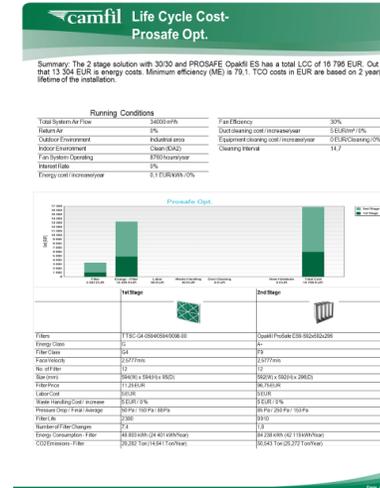
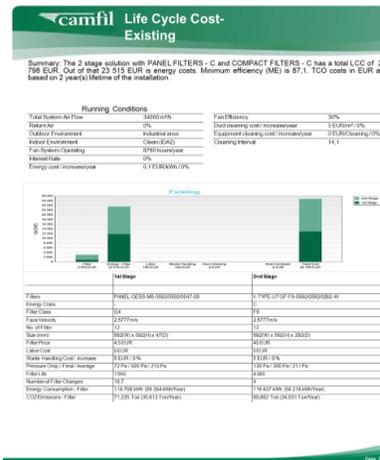
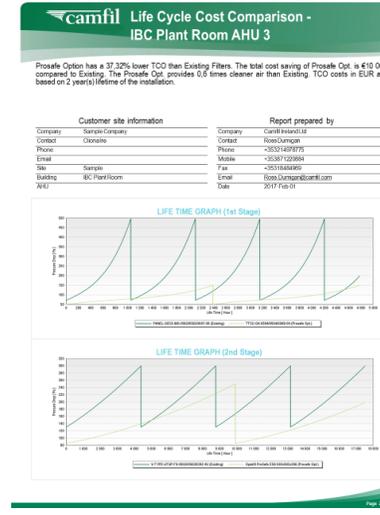


# ProSafe = Customer Benefits

- Air Filter with reliable performance  Low Dp / Low Energy Consumption / Longer Life / Less Waste etc..... 
- Free of bisphenol A, Phthalate and formaldehyde  In reference to the Infant Milk Powder Contamination in China. 
- VDI 6022 concurrent  Hygienic Air Conditioning & IAQ Guarantee 
- ISO 846 Certified  Antimicrobial Inert which means Micro organisms cannot grow on our products 
- Tested with all common Cleansing agent and disinfectant  The components of ProSafe products will not be affected by harsh chemicals used for cleaning in F&B or LS 
- EC 1935/2004 concurrent  Products are certified for food Contact 
- Online Certificates / Documentation  All product material is available to the customer online by scanning the QR Code 

# Life Cycle Cost Benefits

ProSafe Filters are the most energy efficient filters on the market. ProSafe not only reduces your overall running costs without compromising on IAQ while also ensuring Full Protection of your people / product & processes.



# ISO 846 test

Samples of each component are sent for independent testing to ensure:

- No Fungal Growth
- No Bacteria Growth
- Fully Microbial Inert



# EU Regulation 1935/2004

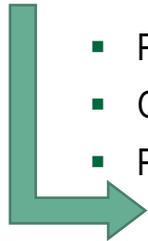
- “any material or article intended to come into contact **directly** or **indirectly** with food” (3)
- “must be sufficiently inert to preclude substances from being transferred to food in quantities large enough to endanger human health [...]” (3)
- “Member States should lay down rules on sanctions applicable to infringements of the provisions of this Regulation [...]” (26)



# EU Regulation 1935/2004

## Closer look at the components:

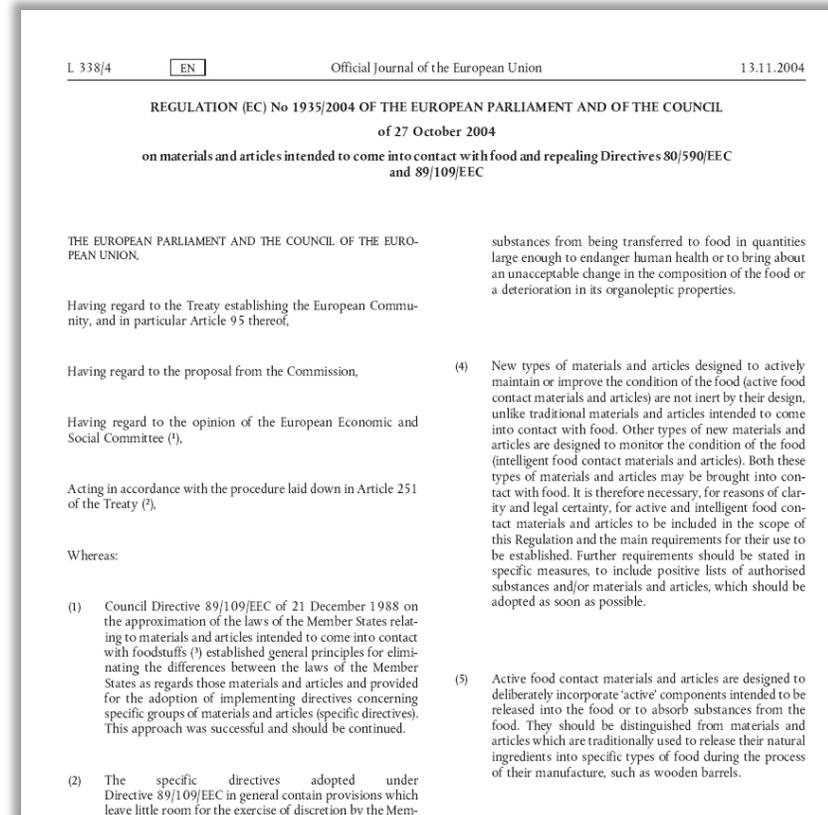
- Filter media (Glas)
  - test of migration of lead and cadmium
- Filter frame (aluminium)
  - Yet no individual regulation in EU
  - Tested acc. to french law (limits for alloys)



- Potting (PU)
- Gasket (PU)
- Plastic frames

### „Commission Regulation 10/2011 for *plastic materials*“

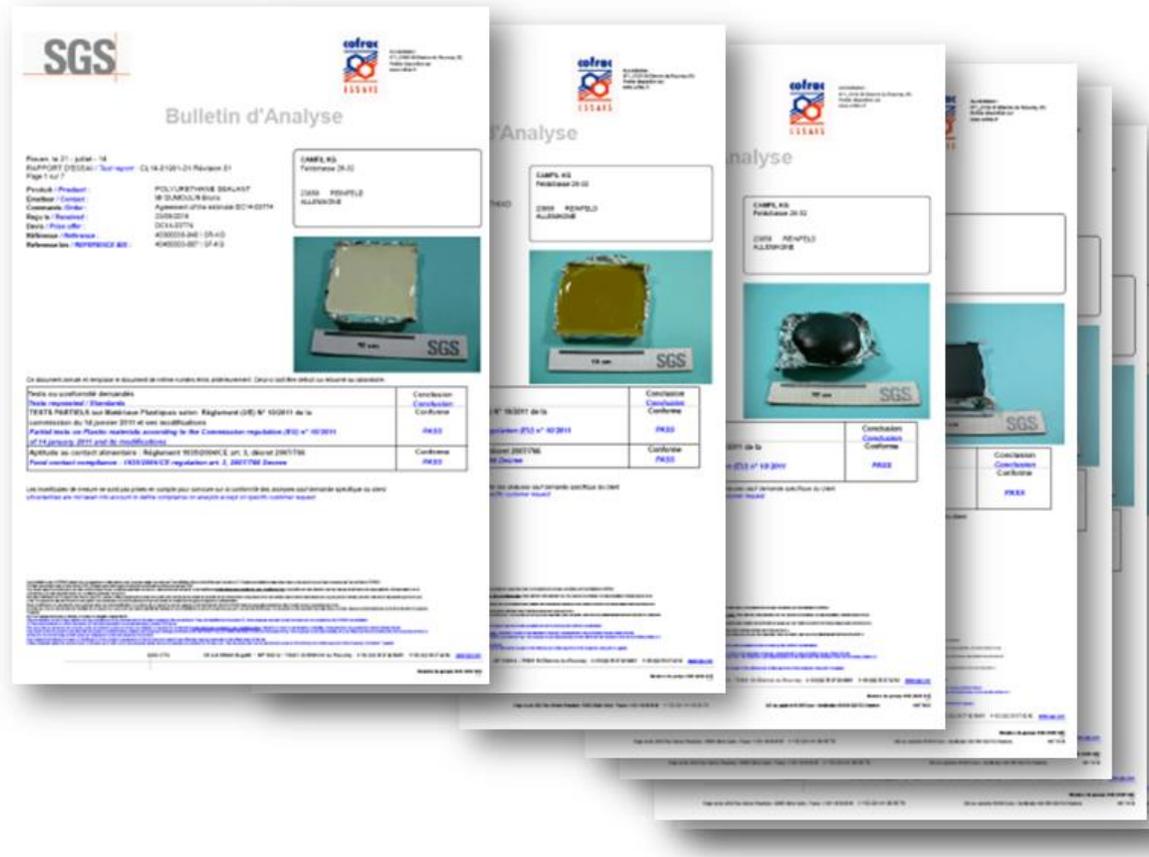
- **Overall. migration in:**
  - Acetic acid 3%
  - Ethanol (10%)
  - Olive oil
- **Specific. migration of**
  - Several. phthalates
  - 7 heavy metals
  - Aromatic Amines



# Test EC 1935:2004

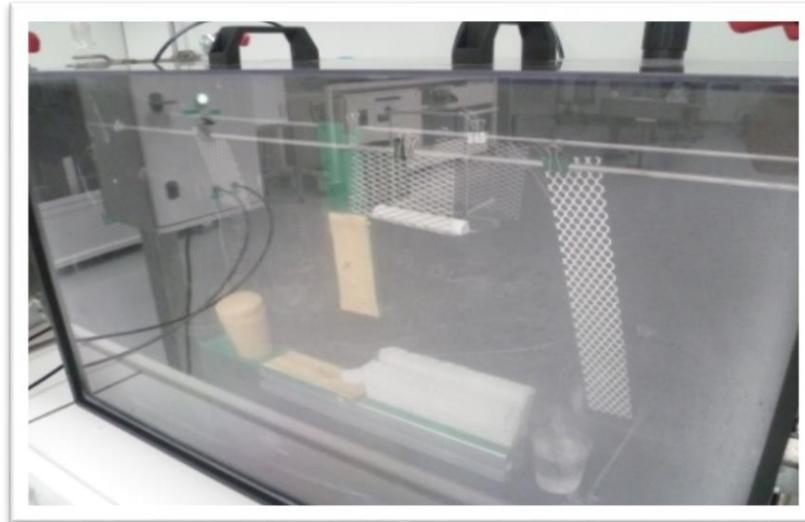
Many probes of each material sent to an independant institute to do overall migration test.

Food Contact test for overall migration, heavy metals, phthalates and PAA migration.



# Test chemical resistance

- Peracetic acid (bactericidal 0.001%)
- Hydrogen peroxide (bactericidal from 1%)
- Acetic acid (Bactericidal: from 3%)
- Ethanol (bactericidal action peak between 60% and 70%)
- Isopropanol (peak bactericidal action between 60% and 70%)
- Acetone (bactericidal action peak between 60% and 70%)
- Bleach (commercial solution at 2.6% - 0.072% Bactericide, fungicide 0.18%)
- Ammonium salt (50-100 mg / L)



# Comfort Filters

the family is growing...



# Clean Process Filter



Absolute V ProSafe  
(Only in virgin ABS plastic  
with PU gasket  
610x610 & 305x610)



Opakair ProSafe  
(F7 and F9)



Megalam  
mostly ProSafe approved  
(Exceptions like Neoprene gasket)



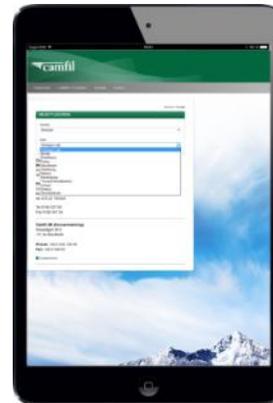
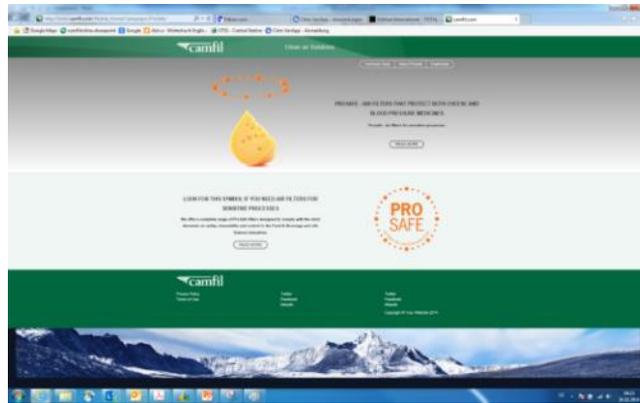
Megalam ES ProSafe  
Latest multi-layer membrane  
composite media  
First membrane 100% compatible  
with Life-Science and F&B

# How to know it's ProSafe

Look for the ProSafe label with QR-Code leading to:

[www.camfil.com/prosafe](http://www.camfil.com/prosafe)

Dedicated and responsive-design website



# Information material online

- New Brochure



- AirMail with case studies



- Certificates



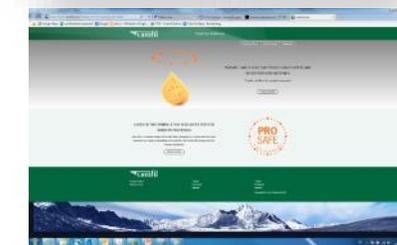
- ProSafe Article



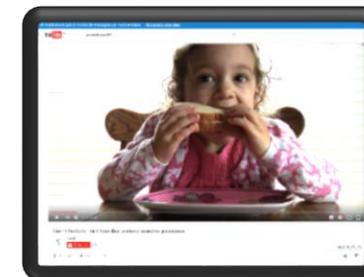
- All data sheets



- ProSafe website



- Prosafe film



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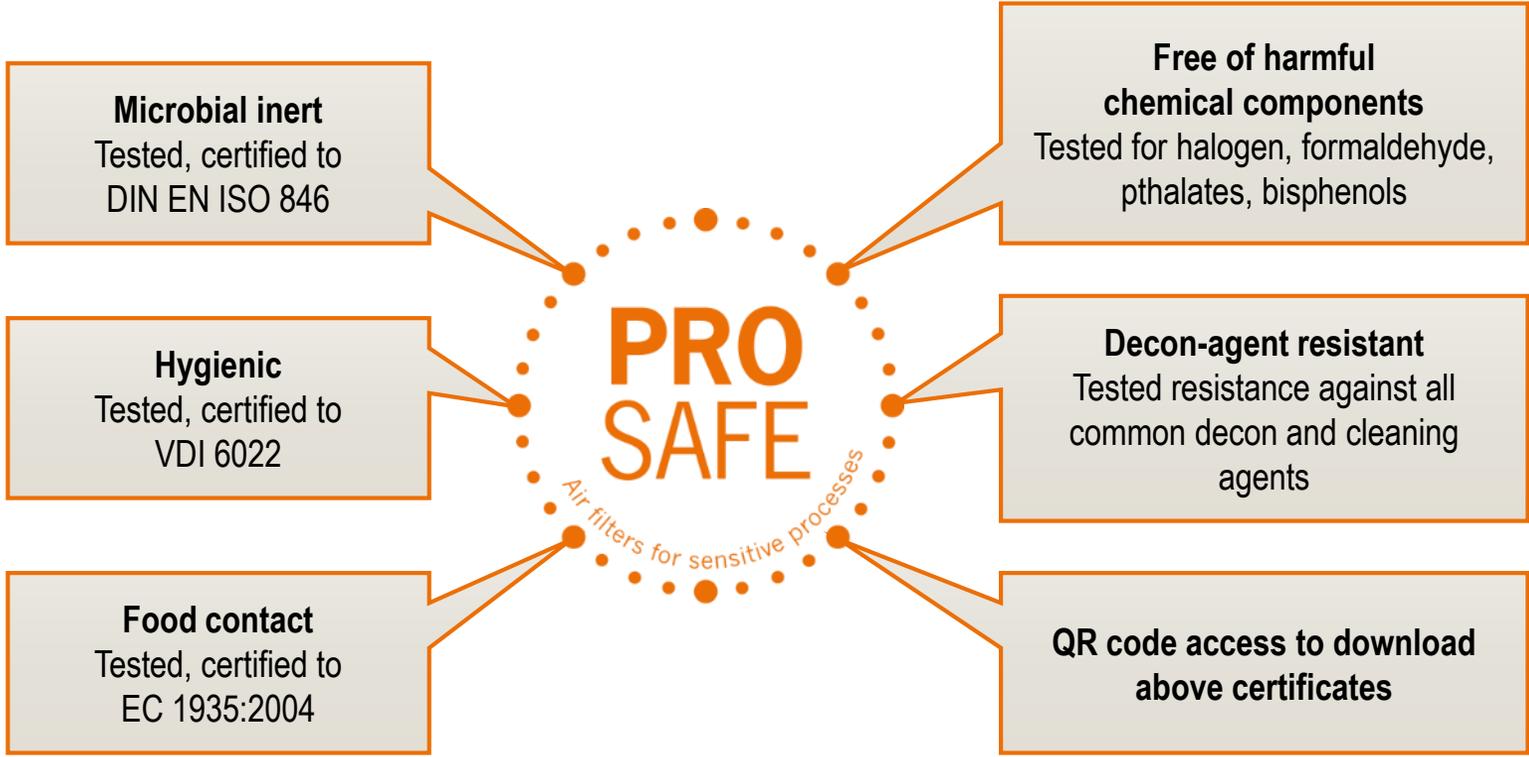
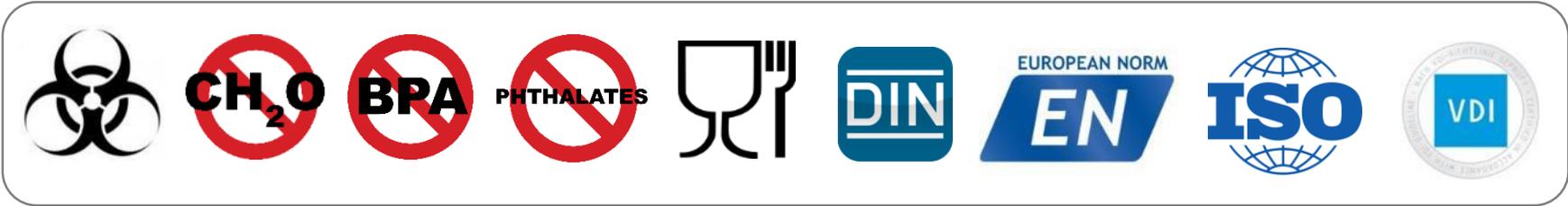


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# Prosafe F&B benefits

- Quality and Compliance are paramount :
- Prosafe Eliminates Risks:
- Exclusive Camfil Prosafe Protection:
- 24H / 365 D / 52 W Access to all Documentation:
- Quality Certified and Full Traceability :





# F&B Plant ProSafe Benefits & References



- Increasing Production Output
- Fully Certified Products – Ease of Auditing
- Full Traceability – Ease of Auditing
- Energy & CO<sup>2</sup> Reduction – Improving Sustainability
- F&B Plant Managers we are here to help
- Education on Hvac Standards at your site?
- Added Value references...KERRY / DAIRYGOLD / LAKELAND / Glanbia / Ferrero / Coca Cola / Nestle / Danone etc...



# AirCair™

Fully compliant filtration management contract with a difference.....



- Guaranteed air quality, HVAC hygiene and compliance for food production facilities.



SERVICE LEVEL AGREEMENT PROPOSAL  
(Complete Air Quality Management)

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Site A

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- For a fixed monthly cost, we will guarantee to provide the best possible air quality and ensure your filtration and HVAC equipment are maintained in line with **BRC GLOBAL STANDARD FOOD SAFETY ISSUE 8 - UNDERSTANDING AIR QUALITY REQUIREMENTS AND AIR FILTER SPECIFICATIONS IN FOOD PRODUCTION** and EHEDG Doc. 47 Guidelines.

# AirCair™

Fully compliant filtration management contract with a difference.....

- All filters supplied will be tested as per ISO16890 and EN1822:2009 and will be certified by Eurovent. Ensuring all filters are tested as per the most current standards and offering the most cost effective, energy efficient solution



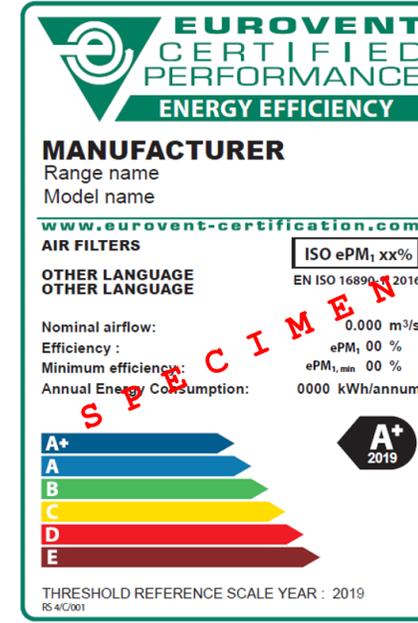
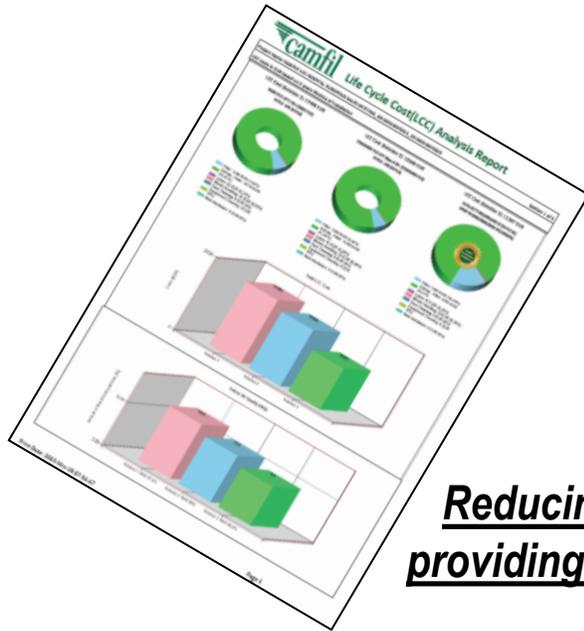
- Wherever suitable, Camfil Prosafe filters will be supplied. Specifically designed for Process Safety, with food contact certificates for the materials used (according EC1935-2004) and anti-microbial growth certificates (according ISO846 and VDI6022)



# AirCair™

## Low Energy Air Filtration and Life Cycle Costing

- Camfil will ensure that the most energy efficient products are used, all having been independently tested by Eurovent to rating standard RS4/C/001-2019 providing unbiased confirmation of the filters energy rating.



- We will carry out Life Cycle Costing using Camfil's unique software tool. Using site and application specific data to accurately identify the most cost effective, energy efficient solution for each application. Thus reducing site energy usage, maximising filter service life and reducing downtime associated with maintenance.

**Reducing direct and associated costs of AHU air filtration whilst providing a reliable quality air maintenance and monitoring solution**

# AirCair™

A filtration management contract with a difference.....

- **Compliant Service** - Complete peace of mind. Ensuring that the air handling equipment hygiene and air quality within the production areas are maintained to the highest standards to meet the requirements of both internal and external audits.
- Camfil will provide all relevant documentation, certification and reports to satisfy both internal and external audits.
- Tailored service to ensure that all relevant testing is carried out for Basic, Medium and High hygiene areas as per BRC/Retailer audit standards and EHEDG Doc. 47



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## Area “RISK” Classifications

Food production plants split into 3 classifications depending on criticality:

### High Risk

Facility where ready-to-eat **cooked** products are manufactured and segregation from low risk production is required to prevent pathogen transfer.

### High Care

Facility where ready-to-eat products are manufactured such as salads and sandwiches. No cooking is normally undertaken in these facilities, hence a reduced risk of pathogen transfer from uncooked products.

### Low Risk

Uncooked food processing such as meat packaging.

**Cleanroom as per ISO 14644** – typically for aseptic filling and must be maintained as per the ISO14644 standard and in line with the relevant cleanroom classification.

## Air Filter Selection For Food & Beverage

In Accordance with ISO16890:2016, BS EN16798:2017; Eurovent 4/23 and the  
**BRC GLOBAL STANDARD FOOD SAFETY ISSUE 8 - UNDERSTANDING AIR  
QUALITY REQUIREMENTS AND AIR FILTER SPECIFICATIONS IN FOOD  
PRODUCTION**

	ODA1	ODA2	ODA3
Low Risk	ePM <sub>2.5</sub> = 50%	ePM <sub>2.5</sub> = 70%	ePM <sub>2.5</sub> = 80%
High Care/High Risk	ePM <sub>1</sub> = 50%	ePM <sub>1</sub> = 70%	ePM <sub>1</sub> = 80%

The ISO16890:2016 filter efficiency shown in the above table is the minimum final stage filter efficiency based on the outdoor air quality (ODA) for the location of your production facility.

***Please contact Camfil for guidance on establishing the ODA for your location.***

The above table details the final filtration efficiency that should be used. To ensure that these filters are protected to provide maximum service life and a cost effective solution, they should be protected by a suitable pre-filter. The minimum recommended efficiency for this pre-filter is ISO Coarse 65%.

# AirCair™ Service Options



DESCRIPTION
1. Filter Supply and fit as per site requirements
2. Waste Disposal
3. Condition Monitoring Visits & Report:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Filter Pressure Drop</li> <li>• Visual Inspection Of Filters Not Being Changed</li> <li>• Drive Belt Condition Inspection/Assessment</li> <li>• Fan and Motor Bearing Condition Assessment</li> <li>• Vibration Mount Condition Assessemnt</li> <li>• Coil Condition Assessment</li> <li>• Interior Condition/Corrosion Issues</li> <li>• Exterior Condition/Corrosion Issues</li> <li>• General AHU Cleanliness</li> </ul>
4. Supply & Extract Air Flow volumes/Air Change Rate <sup>1</sup>
5. Room Pressure Differentials <sup>2</sup>
6. Temperature Monitoring/Verification
7. Microbiological Monitoring <sup>3</sup>
8. Humidity Monitoring/Verification
9. HEPA Filter Validation/DOP Testing <sup>2</sup>
10. Particle Counting <sup>2</sup>
11. Pressure Gauge Calibration
12. Ventilation Hygiene Risk Assesment <sup>3</sup>
13. Ductwork Cleaning

Service options shown in the table opposite are offered to ensure compliance with industry audit requirements including the **BRC GLOBAL STANDARD FOOD SAFETY ISSUE 8 - UNDERSTANDING AIR QUALITY REQUIREMENTS AND AIR FILTER SPECIFICATIONS IN FOOD PRODUCTION**

1. Carried out in accordance with BSRIA Commissioning Air Systems BG 49/2015  
 2. Carried out in accordance with ISO 14644  
 3. Carried out in accordance with BESA TR19 App B





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Summary - what is included:



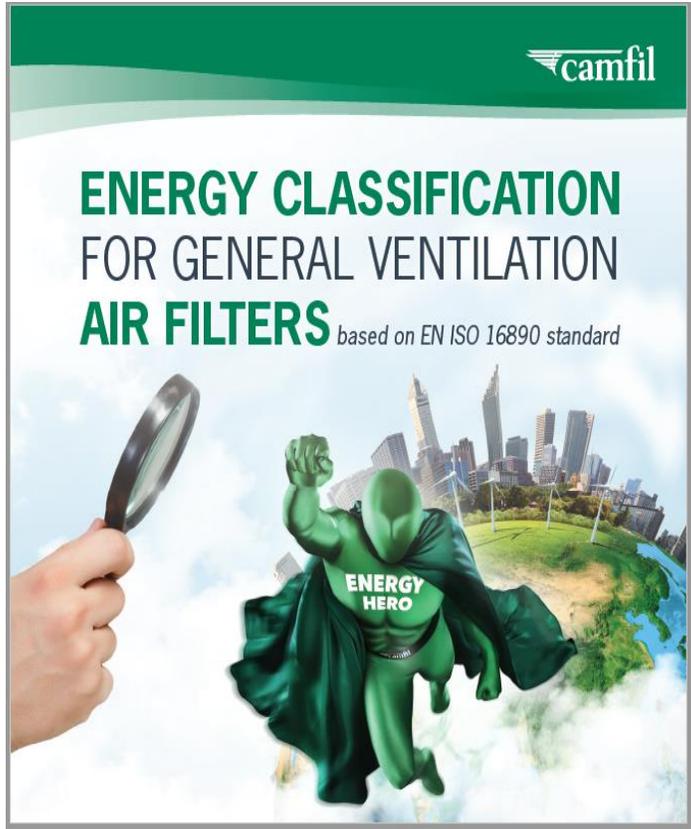
- ✓ **Supply and fit of ProSafe™ energy efficient** filter technology specifically designed for the food & beverage industry.
- ✓ 6 monthly visits to carry out scheduled maintenance and monitoring.
- ✓ **Fixed monthly cost** to allow easy budgeting and planning, minimising unexpected and unplanned cost.
- ✓ Service complies with **BRC GLOBAL STANDARD FOOD SAFETY ISSUE 8 - UNDERSTANDING AIR QUALITY REQUIREMENTS AND AIR FILTER SPECIFICATIONS IN FOOD PRODUCTION**
- ✓ Service provided as per **EHEDG Guidelines** on Air Handling Systems in the Food Industry.
- ✓ **Condition reporting** to cover all aspects of work carried out and condition report highlighting any additional remedial work.
- ✓ 12 monthly **validation report** to confirm results of particle counting, DOP testing and pressure gauge calibration.

# HVAC FILTER COMPLIANCE CHECKLIST

- CERTIFIED TO ISO 16890
- CERTIFIED TO EUROVENT RS4/C/001-2019
- CERTIFIED ISO 846
- CERTIFIED EC1935:2004
- CERTIFIED VDI 6022
- FREE FROM HARMFUL COMPONENTS
- FULL PRODUCT TRACABILITY



# Questions and answers



**ENERGY CLASSIFICATION  
FOR GENERAL VENTILATION  
AIR FILTERS** *based on EN ISO 16890 standard*



International  
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Standardization

CLEAN AIR SOLUTIONS



In Partnership with



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**UNDERSTANDING  
AIR QUALITY  
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SPECIFICATIONS  
IN FOOD  
PRODUCTION**

2018  
BRC GLOBAL STANDARDS



THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

The Camfil logo features a stylized green wing icon to the left of the word "camfil" in a bold, lowercase, serif font. The background of the entire slide is a photograph of several sailboats racing on the water, with their white sails billowing in the wind. The boats are white with various sponsor logos, including "ecc" and "Camfil".

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