

# Return Line Filter

Tank top mounting

Type: 10-FRE

### **Technical Data**

Design : Simplex Tanktop mounting

Max. Pressure (PS) : 10 bar [145 psi]

Test Pressure (PT) : 1.43 x PS (as per CE/PED)

1.3 x PS (as per ASME)

Temperature range : -20°C to +100°C (Standard)

-4°F to +212°F (Standard)

Connection : Upto 1-1/2" BSP(F)/ SAE-20

Element design : EPE standard

Material of Construction

Head : Aluminium Alloy.

Cover : Carbon Reinforced Plastic.
Bowl : Carbon Reinforced Plastic.
Seals : Nitrile / Viton / EPDM.

Flow Capacity

 0005
 50 lpm [13 gpm]

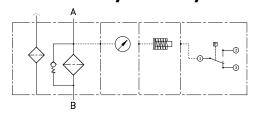
 0008
 80 lpm [20 gpm]

 0013
 130 lpm [35 gpm]

 0015
 150 lpm [40 gpm]

 0018
 180 lpm [45 gpm]

### **Hydraulic Symbol**



### **Description**

The 10-FRE series Filters are used for tank top mounting in the return line of the system and provide protection for tank and operating pumps as a result of filtering out dirt from the installation runback. The inlet is on the filter head which is outside the tank while the outlet is at the bottom of the filter bowl and discharges into the tank.

The filter bowl has an element locating spigot. The top cover is used for holding the element and is unscrewed for maintenance. The filters are also provided with an optional integral breather for additional protection of the system.

#### **Accessories**

Maintenance indicator - for monitoring the filter element contamination status. Available in various designs including

- Optical (pop-up version & gauge version).
- Electrical NO, NC & switch-over.
- · Optical-Electrical.

Bypass valve - to protect the filter element during start-up and over pressurisation due to clogging.

Breather - for enabling easy inflow / outflow of the air into the tank during functioning.

### **Filter Element**

The Filter Element is of star-pleated design with optimised pleat density for providing prolonged life.

The filter element is of Out-to-In design and the contaminant is retained outside the filter element and collected in the filter bowl.

The elements are available in various media options and selected based on the required oil cleanliness, initial pressure drop and dirt holding capabilities.

Media options for the filter element include

SS Wire Mesh - Cleanable, Nominal filtration.

Paper - Non-cleanable, Nominal filtration.

Non-woven - Non-cleanable, Nominal filtration.

Inorganic glass fibre - Non-cleanable, Absolute filtration acc. to ISO-16889.

Aguasorb - Water absorbing media, Non-cleanable.

For special applications / fluids the filter elements are supplied with SS hardware (end caps & inner tube) and / or different adhesives.

Technical specifications subject to change.

1	Max. working pressure	10 bar [145 psi]	= 10
2	Filter type	Return Line - EPE Standard Element	= FRE
3	Nominal Size	Filter type FRE without Bypass Valve Filter type FRE with Bypass Valve	= 0005N 0008N 0013N 0015N 0018N = 0005B 0008B 0013B 0015B 0018B
4	Filtering Media &	Nominal Filtration Grade  SS Wire Mesh   Cleanable with additional epoxy layer upstream for 10/25/40µm  Paper   Non-cleanable with epoxy mesh  Non-Woven   Non-cleanable with epoxy mesh  Absolute Filtration Grade (ISO16889)  Glass Fibre   Non-cleanable	= G10 G25 G40 G60 G80 G100 Others on request = P5 P10 P25 = VS10 VS25 VS40 VS60 = H1XL H3XL H6XL
	Filtration Grade	with epoxy mesh  Long Life Glass Fibre   Non-cleanable with plastic mesh & outer sleeve  Long Life Glass Fibre   Non-cleanable with epoxy mesh  Glass Fibre - Electrically Conductive Non-cleanable with epoxy mesh  Glass Fibre - Water Absorbing Non-cleanable with epoxy mesh  SS Fibre   Cleanable with SS mesh	H10XL H16XL H20XL  = H3XP H5XP H10XP H15XP H20XP  = H3XE H5XE H10XE H15XE H20XE  = H3XC H5XC H10XC H15XC H20XC  = AS1 AS3 AS6 AS10 AS20  = M5 M10 M15
5	Differential Pressure of Element	Maximum allowed differential pressure 30 Bar [435 psid]	= <b>A</b> (standard)
6a	Element Adhesive	Standard Adhesive T=100°C [212°F] Epoxy Adhesive (for fuels) High Temp. Adhesive T=160°C [320°F]	= <b>0</b> (standard) = <b>1</b> = <b>E</b>
6b	Element Hardware (End Caps + Inner Tube)	Carbon Steel + Carbon Steel Polyamide + Carbon Steel Stainless Steel + Stainless Steel Nickel Coated CS + Nickel Coated CS	= C = P (standard) = X = D
7	Magnet	Without	= <b>0</b> (standard)

<sup>\*</sup> Before ordering, check for availability.

8	Bypass Valve #	Without bypass valve With Bypass Valve - 3.5 Bar [50.7 psid] Others - on request	= <b>0</b> (std forN) = <b>7</b> (std forB)
9a	Maintenance Indicator - type	Without Optical-Manometer:0-6 kg/cm² [0-85 psi] Optical-Manometer:0-25 kg/cm² [0-350 psi] Optical - Pop-up Electrical - Pressure Switch - Closer - NO Electrical - Pressure Switch - Opener - NC Electrical - Pressure Switch - Switch-over Optical+Electrical - Switch-over+lamp Special	= 0 (standard) = A = B = C = D = F = G = K = SP
9b	Maintenance Indicator - cracking pressure	N/A 2.5 Bar [36.2 psid] Other pressure (in Bar)	= - (standard) =2.5 (std for C,D,F,G,K) = as applicable
10	Inlet connection (Refer C1 on pg.5)	BSP Thread (ISO-228) - 3/4" BSP(F) BSP Thread (ISO-228) - 1" BSP(F) BSP Thread (ISO-228) - 1-1/4" BSP(F) BSP Thread (ISO-228) - 1-1/2" BSP(F) SAE Straight Thread O'Ring Boss (J1926) With adaptor	= <b>G05</b> (for 0005-13) = <b>G06</b> (for 0005-13) = <b>G07</b> (for 0015-18) = <b>G08</b> (for 0015-18) = <b>S**</b> (refer pg.5) = <b>RA0</b> (to be specified)
11	Seal Material	Nitrile Viton EPDM Neoprene	= P (standard) = V = E = N
12	Housing Material	Standard - as per catalogue Special	= 0 = SP
13	Other Options (multiple options possible)	Without With 1/4" air vent port - duly plugged With 1/4" BSP Air Vent Valve With breather filter	= 0 = EP (for w/o indicator) = E (for w/o indicator) = F

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# Bypass Valve assembled in the element

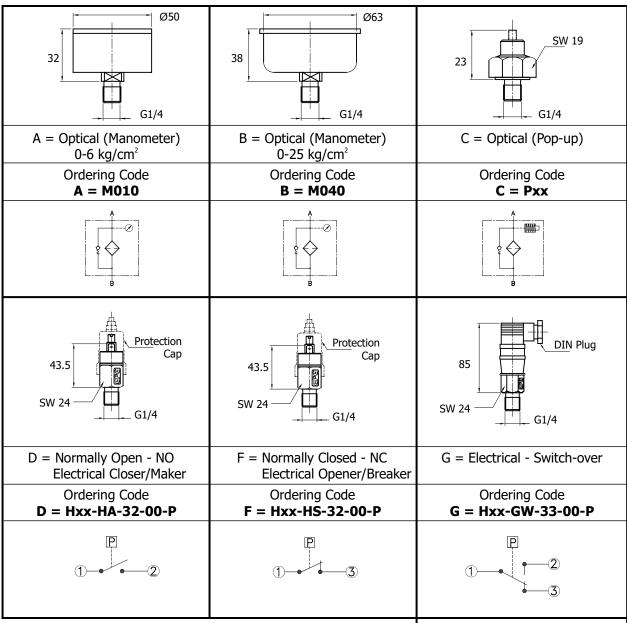
Ordering Code - Seal Kit

Ordering Code - Filter Element

**1.** 0013N - H10XP - A - O P - O - P 3 4 5 6ab 8 11

Ordering Code - Breather Element

7. 0003 - P10 - 0 - 00 - 0 - 0



### **Maintenance Indicator functioning**

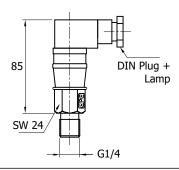
Pressure indicators are used in the return line filters to ascertain the condition of the filter. These measure the pressure upstream of the filter element & operate when a preset pressure is reached.

The needle of the manometer indicates the pressure. In the pop-up version a red indicator pin pops out in the housing chamber thereby indicating the state.

The Electrical Indicators are triggered when the set pressure is reached and activate by opening /closing the circuit as designed. The Optical-Electrical version (type K) has additional green & red LEDs to indicate the state.

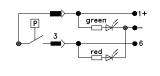
### **Tightening Torque Values :** Nm [ft/lbs] ±10%

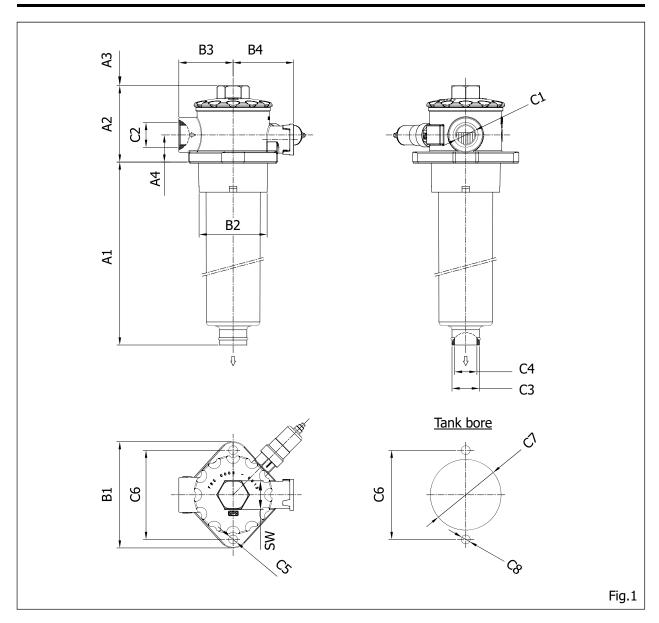
Type	Inlet Port - BSP		Top Cover	Mounting Holes		
1,700	Size	Torque	Torque	Size	Torque	
10 505 0005 0013	G 3/4"	70 [52]	Hand tighten.	M10	15 [11]	
10 FRE 0005-0013	G 1"	70 [52]	If required, tighten slightly	M10	15 [11]	
10 FDF 001F 0010	G 1-1/4"	80 [59]	with open-ended	M10	15 [11]	
10 FRE 0015-0018	G 1-1/2"	80 [59]	spanner.	M10	15 [11]	



K = Electrical Switch-over + Lamp

Ordering Code **K = Hxx-GS-34-00-P** 



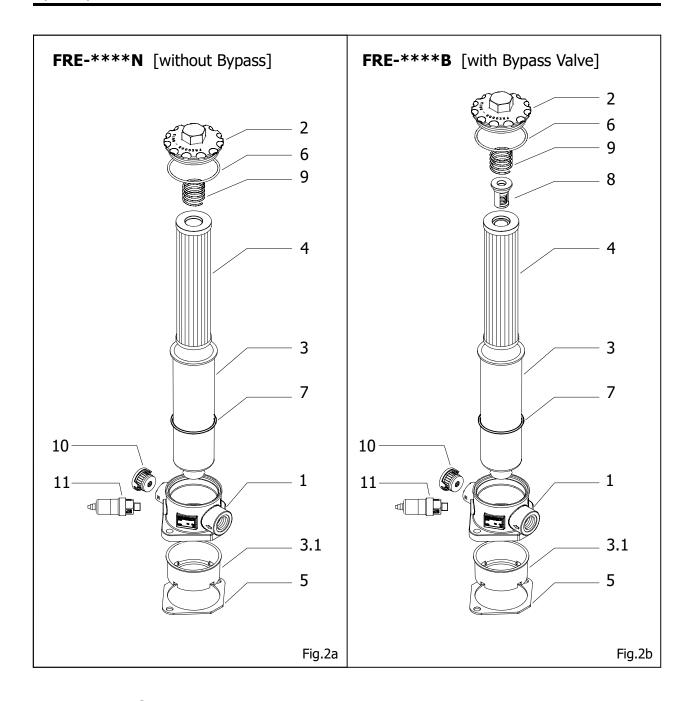


Туре	Capacity ltr [gal]	Weight kg [lbs] <sup>1)</sup>	A1	A2	A3 <sup>2)</sup>	A4	B1	B2 (tapered)	В3	B4	SW
10 FRE 0005	0.6 [0.16]	0.8 [1.76]	93 [3.66]		100 [3.94]						
10 FRE 0008	0.8 [0.21]	1.0 [2.21]	155 [6.10]	98.5 [3.88]	160 [6.30]	34 [1.34]	137 [5.39]	Ø88.1 [Ø3.47]	70 [2.76]	77 [3.03]	36 [1.42]
10 FRE 0013	1.2 [0.32]	1.4 [3.08]	245 [9.65]		250 [9.84]						
10 FRE 0015	1.7 [0.45]	2.1 [4.63]	160 [6.30]	125	164 [6.46]	45.5	162	Ø108	85	88.5	40
10 FRE 0018	2.2 [0.58]	2.5 [5.51]	253 [9.96]	[4.92]	254 [10.00]	[1.79]	[6.38]	[Ø4.25]	[3.35]	[3.50]	[1.57]

Туре	Connections (C1 & C2)	C3	C4	C5	C6 (PCD)	C7 (Tank Bore)	C8
10 FRE 0005	G05: G3/4"-30dp (C1) with Ø34 [Ø1.34] (C2)						
10 FRE 0008	G06 : G1"-30dp (C1) with Ø41 [Ø1.61] (C2) - popular S12 : 1-1/16-12UN 2B - SAE J1926/1 (C1)	Ø32.5 [Ø1.28]	Ø24.1 [Ø0.95]	Ø11.5 [Ø0.45]	115 [4.53]	Ø91.2 [Ø3.59]	M10
10 FRE 0013							
10 FRE 0015	G07 : G1-1/4"-32dp (C1) with Ø51 [Ø2.01] (C2)	Ø45	Ø35.6	Ø11.5	142	Ø111.6	M10
10 FRE 0018	G08 : G1-1/2"-32dp (C1) with Ø56 [Ø2.20] (C2) - popl. S20 : 1-5/8-12UN 2B - SAE J1926/1 (C1)	[Ø1.77]	[Ø1.40]	[Ø0.45]	[5.59]	[Ø4.39]	1110

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 1)}$  = Weight including standard filter element and maintenance indicator  $^{\rm 2)}$  = Servicing height for filter element replacement

Dimensions in mm [inch]



## **Spare Parts List**

		Size FRE		0005	0008	0013	0015	0018		
Item #	Qty.	Description	Material							
1	1	Filter Head	Aluminium			-				
2	1	Top Cover	Plastic			-				
3	1	Filter Bowl	Plastic	-						
3.1	1	Support Cup	Plastic	-						
4	1	Filter Element	Various	As per "Ordering Code - Filter Element"						
5	1	Gasket	Buna N/Viton	Sold as kit - "Ordering Code - Seal Kit"						
6	1	Cover O-Ring	Buna N/Viton		Sold as kit -	"Ordering Coo	le - Seal Kit"			
7	1	Housing O-Ring	Buna N/Viton		Sold as kit -	"Ordering Coo	le - Seal Kit"			
8	1	Bypass Valve	Plastic	BYP-FRE-01/** BYP-FRE-02/**						
9	1	Compression Spring	Spring Steel	CSP-FRE-01/** CSP-FRE-02/**						
10	1	Breather Element	Various	As per "Ordering Code - Breather Element"						
11	1	Indicator	Various	As per section "Maintenance Indicator"						

### **Installation**

Before installation, conduct a visual check to ensure that the filter has not suffered any damage during shipping / handling.

Verify that the requested type matches with what stamped on the nameplate.

Check that the pressure rating of the filter is suitable for the system in which it is being installed.

During assembly of the filter the tightening torques (refer page 4), the flow direction (inlet on top and outlet below the bowl) and the required service height (A3 in fig.1) for removing the filter element (4) and the filter bowl (3) are to be considered.

Before the assembly, the hole pattern of the tank must be compared to the tank bore dimensions in fig.1. Check that the installation opening for assembling the filter in the tank cover is not too large so that unobjectionable sealing is guaranteed.

Remove the inlet & outlet plugs. Also remove the cable ties used for holding the gasket (5), if any.

Locate the support cup (3.1) in the opening in the tank.

Make sure the optical part of the indicator is visible and/or the electricals connected appropriately. If the maintenance indicator is ignored the bypass valve, if available, will open when the pressure differential increases thereby bypassing the filter element and contaminated fluid will pass to the clean side of the filter outlet thereby compromising the filtration effectiveness.

Ensure that the gasket (5) is correctly located and screw the filter mounting bolts to specified torques (page 4), taking care to avoid any stress on the components.

Connect the inlet piping ensuring the filter is not subjected to any abnormal forces / transmission of vibrations. Tighten the inlet connection to the specified torques.

We recommend using a suitable safety relief valve in the system to ensure the user and equipment are protected against possible damage caused by pressure surges.

The filter is designed with a three-part housing. These filters must be installed in vertical position into the tank with the filter bowl downward.

It is recommended to lead drain pipes of a length of upto 500 mm in a bracket in order to avoid oscillations caused by the fluid flow in the tank.

It is to be ensured that in case of maintenance works, the filter bowl and the drain pipe are pulled out of the filter head together.

### **Connecting electrical indicator**

Connect indicator using the three wired cable.

Verify electrical ratings on the indicator (11) name plate.

Connection settings:

Normally Open 1 (black) + 2 (brown)Normally Closed 1 (black) + 3 (blue)

Switch-Over 1 (black) + 2 (brown) + 3 (blue)

### **Starting Operation**

Switch on the service pump.

Monitor the static-up pressure on the servicing display of the return filter and return pipe, respectively.

If the static-up pressure before the return filter is more than 1 bar, check the volume flow of the pump and the dimensional layout of the return filter.

#### **Maintenance**

The filter element (4) is clogged and must be renewed or cleaned when the manometer reading has reached the marked value, the visual pointer extends from the maintenance indicator at operating temperature and/or the switching process on the electrical indicator is triggered.

### Filter element service

Switch off the pump and depressurise system.

Unscrew the top cover (2) of the return filter with the compression spring (9).

Pull out the filter bowl (3) with filter element (4) and detach filter element from the spigot.

Check and, if necessary clean the filter bowl (3).

Filter element of type H..-XL, H..-XP, H..-XE, H..-XC, AS..., P... and VS ... is to be replaced.

Filter element with G... media is cleanable. The effectiveness of cleaning depends on the type of dirt and the level of the differential pressure at the time of changing the filter element. If the differential pressure after the filter element's cleaning process exceeds more than 50% of the pre-service value the G...filter element also needs to be replaced.

Remove the safety packing from the new filter element before installing in the filter.

Replace filter element by slightly turning it back on its locator. Check Housing O-Ring (7) and Cover O-Ring (6), replace in case of damage or wear. For filters with bypass insert the bypass valve (8) into the element (4). Screw the top cover (2) and tighten to the specified torque (page 4). Operate filter as described above.

#### **Pressure Directives**

Return Line Filters for hydraulic application are pressure holding equipment according to Article 2 Section 5 of the Pressure Equipment Directive 2014/68/EU. However, on the basis of the exception in Article 1, Section 2(f) of the PED the pressure line filters are exempt from the PED if they are not classified higher than category I (Guideline A-19) & do not receive any CE mark.

### **Disposal / Environmental Protection**

Careless disposal of the filter, filter element and the residual fluid contained therein can cause environmental pollution.

Dispose the filter / filter element in accordance with provisions applicable in the country of use.

Fluid residues are to be disposed according to the respective safety data sheets valid for the specific hydraulic fluids.

### Performance Curves (Flow rate Vs Pressure Drop) - for complete filters

Oil Viscosity: 30 mm2/s [143 SUS] Specific gravity < 0.9 kg/dm3

Recommended initial Pressure Drop ( $\Delta P$ ) for assembly = 0.8 bar [11.6 psid]

