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## **Amazon Filters Products and Food Safety Standards**

Amazon Filters supplies a range of products to the food manufacturing industries, but these are process aids not food ingredients or an integral part of the food product. Therefore typical Food Safety Standards are not directly applicable to a filter manufacturer such as Amazon Filters, but specific parts of Amazon Filters Quality System can help a food manufacturer comply with such standards.

## **Amazon Filters Manufacturing and Traceability Systems**

Amazon Filters products are manufactured in a facility and using processes that have been regularly audited and have been shown to be in compliance with current GMP requirements for suppliers of disposable product contact items to the pharmaceutical and food industries as laid down by the US Food and Drugs Administration (FDA) (specifically with the relevant parts within 21CFR), the European Medicines Agency (EMA) and the Food Regulations relating to the European Community.

Manufacturing Lots are well defined and manufactured by following detailed Work Instructions and Quality Plans, thus ensuring that the highest quality and traceability standards are consistently maintained.

As part of Amazon Filters' Quality Assurance System, accredited to BS EN ISO 9001:2015, full product traceability is assured, from raw materials to receiving users.

In addition, Amazon Filters purchases its raw materials from approved suppliers. Amazon issues a detailed Purchase Specification to its suppliers to ensure that the form, fit or function cannot be altered without notification to Amazon Filters.



This Purchasing Specification contains requirements for: -

- Materials of manufacture
- Product dimensions
- Operating specifications
- Regulatory compliance data
- Packaging and labelling requirements
- Product cleanliness specification
- Certificate of Compliance requirements

Amazon's Incoming Raw Material Quality Control System ensures that each delivery is accompanied by a Certificate of Conformance ensuring product consistency and reproducibility. If this certificate is not available, the materials will be quarantined. This ensures that we do not receive fraudulent raw materials and consequently non-conforming products do not reach Amazon's customers.

Amazon Filters Change Control Policy requires that changes to form, fit or function are communicated to its customers therefore we would notify filters users as soon as we intended or were aware of any supplier intending to change the product in this way.

We trust you find this information of use, and please do not hesitate to contact us if we can be of further assistance.

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