MD3[™] Series Modular Filter Regulator Lubricator





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Modular Filters

- 5, 20, or 40 micron filter elements
- 98% free water removal efficiency

Modular Coalescing Filters

- 0.3 or 0.01 micron filter elements
- 99.98% particulate material removal of free oils and solid contaminants 0.3 microns and larger

Modular Oil Vapor Removal (Adsorbing) Filters

• Removes all vapor that cannot be removed by a coalescent filter

Modular Clean Air Package

• Filter, coalescing filter, and oil vapor removal (adsorbing) filter combination

Modular Regulators

- Modular or in-line mounting
- Diaphragm type

Modular Integral Filter/Regulators

· Filter and regulator combined in one unit

Modular Lubricator

• Introduces atomized oil into the air line to lubricate downstream mechanisms

Modular Integral Filter/Regulator Plus Lubricator

• Filter regulator, and lubricator combination (2 units side by side)

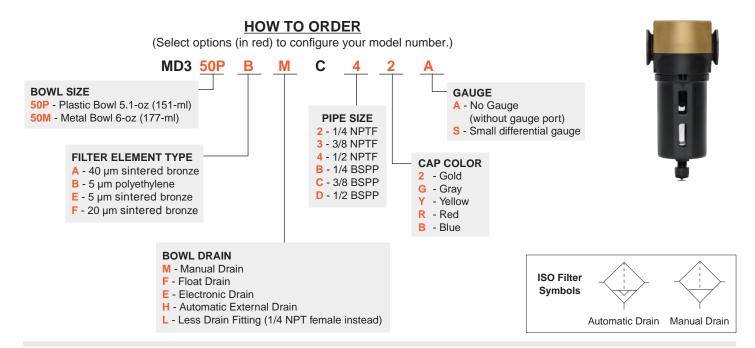
Modular Filter-Regulator-Lubricators

• Filter, regulator, and lubricator combination (3 units side by side)

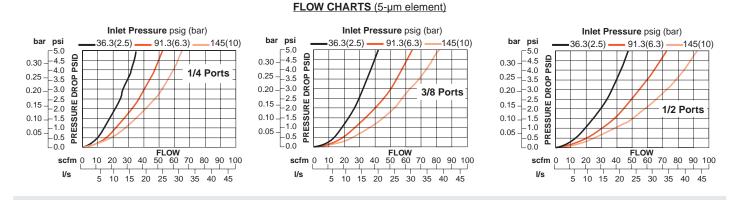


Modular Filters Port Sizes: 1/4, 3/8, 1/2 – Flow to 92 scfm

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Bowl Type	Dimensions inches (mm)			Weight	REPLACEMENT FILTER ELEMENTS*				
	Α	B*	B* C	Depth Ib (kg)	S N / N C Element Deting El		Element Material	Part Number	
		_	-				5-µm	Polyethylene	R-A60F-03PE5
Plastic	3.0 (76.2)	5.54 (140.6)	1.12 (28.3)	2.51 (63.8)	1.29 (0.59)		5-µm	Sintered Bronze	R-A60F-03E5
Metal	5.0 (127)	6.42 (163.1)	1.12 (28.3)	2.76 (70.1)	1.41 (0.64)	В	20-µm	Sintered Bronze	R-A60F-03E4
		itial gauge, ad		dimension (C .		40-µm	Sintered Bronze	R-A60F-03E3
BOMIL	emoval clea	rance: add 3.1	(79).				* For plastic and m	etal bowl types.	



Accessories not included with the product, see pages 12 -13 for accessories.

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS (for products on this page):

Construction: Sintered or fiber. Ambient/Media Temperature: *Plastic bowl*: 40° to 125°F (4° to 52°C). *Metal bowl*: 40° to 175°F (4° to 79°C). Fluid Media: Compressed air.

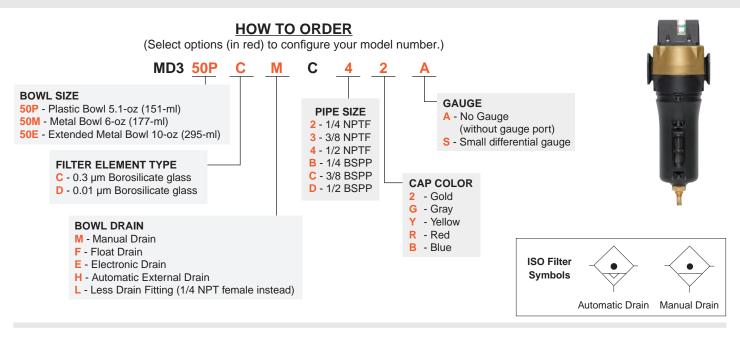
Inlet Pressure: Plastic bowl & Manual drain: 0-150 psig (0-10 bar). Plastic bowl & Float drain: 30-150 psig (2-10 bar). Metal bowl & Manual drain: 0-250 psig (0-17 bar). Metal bowl & Float drain: 30-200 psig (2-14 bar). Filter Element: 5-µm-rated polyethylene; 5-µm, 20-µm or 40-µm-rated sintered bronze.

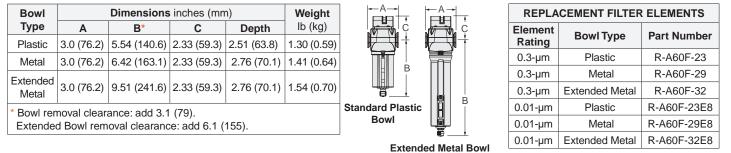
Body: Die-cast zinc.

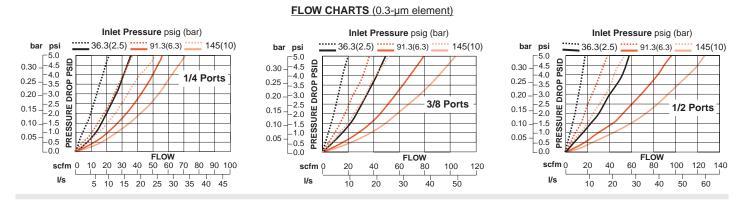
Bowl: 5.1-ounce (151-ml) capacity polycarbonate plastic with nylon shatterguard; 6.0 ounce (177-ml) aluminum bowl with clear nylon sight glass. **Seals:** Nitrile



Modular Coalescing Filters Port Sizes: 1/4, 3/8, 1/2 – Flow to 125 scfm







Accessories not included with the product, see pages 12-13 for accessories.

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS (for products on this page):

Ambient/Media Temperature: Plastic bowl: 40° to 125°F (4° to 52°C). Metal bowl: 40° to 175°F (4° to 79°C).

Fluid Media: Compressed air. Inlet Pressure: Plastic bowl & Manual drain: 0-150 psig (0-10 bar). Plastic bowl & Float drain: 30-150 psig (2-10 bar). Metal bowl & Manual drain: 0-250 psig (0-17 bar). Metal bowl & Float drain: 30-200 psig (2-14 bar). Filter Element: 0.3-µm, or 0.01-µm (reduces flow by 20%) borosilicate-glass-fiber.
Body: Die-cast zinc.
Bowl: 5.1-ounce (151-ml) capacity polycarbonate plastic with nylon shatterguard; 6.0 ounce (177-ml) aluminum bowl with clear nylon sight glass; 10-ounce (295-ml) extended aluminum bowl with clear nylon sight

glass and higher flow filter element.

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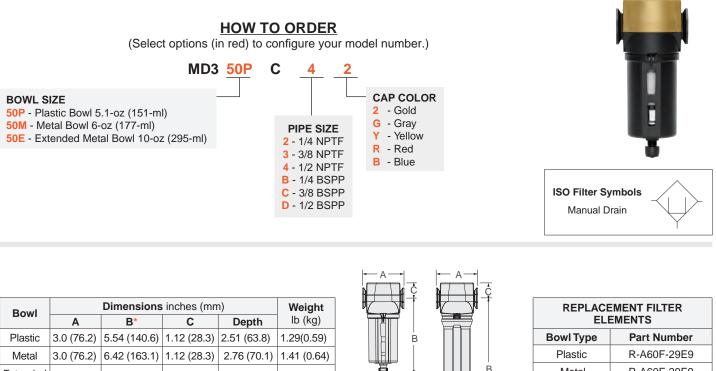


Seals: Nitrile.

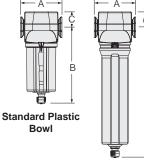
Modular Oil Vapor Removal (Adsorbing) Filters

Port Sizes: 1/4, 3/8, 1/2 - Flow to 125 scfm

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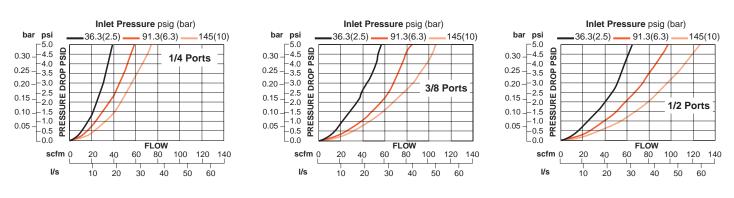


Bowl		Weight			
BOWI	Α	B*	С	Depth	lb (kg)
Plastic	3.0 (76.2)	5.54 (140.6)	1.12 (28.3)	2.51 (63.8)	1.29(0.59)
Metal	3.0 (76.2)	6.42 (163.1)	1.12 (28.3)	2.76 (70.1)	1.41 (0.64)
Extended Metal	3.0 (76.2)	9.51 (241.6)	1.12 (28.3)	2.76 (70.1)	1.54 (0.70)
	* Bowl removal clearance: add 3.1 (79). Extended Bowl removal clearance: add 6.1 (155).				



Extended Metal Bowl

REPLACEMENT FILTER ELEMENTS			
Bowl Type	Part Number		
Plastic	R-A60F-29E9		
Metal	R-A60F-29E9		
Extended Metal	R-A60F-32E9		



FLOW CHARTS

Accessories not included with the product, see pages 12-13 for accessories.

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS (for products on this page):

Ambient/Media Temperature: Plastic bowl: 40° to 125°F (4° to 52°C). Metal bowl: 40° to 175°F (4° to 79°C). Fluid Media: Compressed air.

Inlet Pressure: Plastic bowl & Manual drain: 0-150 psig (0-10 bar). Plastic bowl & Float drain: 30-150 psig (2-10 bar). Metal bowl & Manual drain: 0-250 psig (0-17 bar). Metal bowl & Float drain: 30-200 psig (2-14 bar).

Filter Element: Activated carbon with urethane seals. Bowl Drain: Manual drain.

Body: Die-cast zinc.

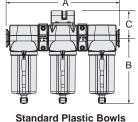
Bowl: 5.1-ounce (151-ml) capacity polycarbonate plastic with nylon shatterguard; 6.0 ounce (177-ml) aluminum bowl with clear nylon sight glass; 10-ounce (295-ml) extended aluminum bowl with clear nylon sight glass and extended flow filter element. Seals: Nitrile.

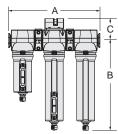
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Modular Clean Air Package Port Sizes: 1/4, 3/8, 1/2 – Flow to 125 scfm

HOW TO ORDER (Select options (in red) to configure your model number.) MD3 CAP С ADD on L-O-X[®] - Optional **BOWL SIZE** 1 - L-O-X[®] on outlet side 1 - Plastic Bowl 5.1-oz (151-ml) 2 - L-O-X® on the inlet side 2 - Metal Bowl 6-oz (177-ml) 3 - Extended Metal Bowl 10-oz (295-ml) 3 - EEZ-ON® on outlet side 4 - EEZ-ON® on inlet side Blank - No L-O-X® **COALESCING FILTER** ELEMENT TYPE A - 0.3 µm Borosilicate glass GAUGE B - 0.01 µm Borosilicate glass A - No Gauge (without gauge port) **BOWL DRAIN** S - Small differential gauge 1 - Manual Drain PIPE SIZE F - Float Drain (plastic with plastic bowl 2 - 1/4 NPTF and brass with metal bowl) CAP COLOR 3 - 3/8 NPTF 2 - Gold 4 - 1/2 NPTF ISO Symbol G - Gray B - 1/4 BSPP - Yellow Clean Air Package Υ C - 3/8 BSPP R - Red with Lockout D - 1/2 BSPP B - Blue

Bowl Type		Weight			
Downype	Α	B*	С	Depth	lb (kg)
Plastic	9.58 (243.3)	5.54 (140.6)	2.38 (59.3)	2.51 (63.8)	4.3 (2.0)
Metal	9.58 (243.3)	6.42 (163.1)	2.38 (59.3)	2.76 (70.1)	4.6 (2.1)
Extended Metal	9.58 (243.3)	9.51 (241.6)	2.38 (59.3)	2.76 (70.1)	4.9 (2.2)
* Lockout: With the lockout valve, add 2.3 (58) to dimension A.					





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Extended Metal Bowls

REPLACEMENT FILTER ELEMENTS				
Element Rating	Element Material	Part Number		
5-µm	Polyethylene	R-A60F-03PE5		

Bowl removal clearance: add 3.1 (79).

Extended Bowl removal clearance: add 6.1 (155).

REPLACEMENT COALESCING ELEMENTS					
Element Rating	Bowl Type	Part Number			
0.3-µm	Plastic	R-A60F-23			
0.3-µm	Metal	R-A60F-29			
0.3-µm	Extended Metal	R-A60F-32			
0.01-µm	Plastic	R-A60F-23E8			
0.01-µm	Metal	R-A60F-29E8			
0.01-µm	Extended Metal	R-A60F-32E8			

REPLACEMENT ADSORBING ELEMENTS			
Bowl Type	Part Number		
Plastic	R-A60F-29E9		
Metal	R-A60F-29E9		
Extended Metal	R-A60F-29		

AIR FLOW and CONSTRUCTION DATA

See Flow Charts and Specifications for individual assembly components pages.

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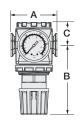
Filter Element: 5-µm-rated polyethylene. Construction: Regulator-diaphragm; Lubricator- sight-feed; Coalescing Filter Element: 0.3-µm, or 0.01-µm (reduces flow by 20%) borosilicate-glass-fiber. Lockout-spool. Ambient/Media Temperature: Adsorbing Filter Element: Activated carbon with urethane seals. Plastic bowls: 40° to 125°F (4° to 52°C). **Bowl Drain:** Metal bowls: 40° to 175°F (4° to 79°C). Filter and Coalescing Filter: Internal float drain; manual drain. Metal bowl & Float drain: 40° to 175°F (4° to 79°C). Adsorber Filter: Manual drain only. Fluid Media: Compressed air. Body: Die-cast zinc. Inlet Pressure: Plastic bowl & Manual drain: 0-150 psig (0-10 bar). Bowl: 5.1-ounce (151-mlcapacity polycarbonate plastic with nylon Plastic bowl & Float drain: 30-150 psig (2-10 bar). shatterguard; 6.0 ounce (177-ml) aluminum bowl with clear nylon sight Metal bowl & Manual drain: 0-250 psig (0-17 bar). glass; 10-ounce (295-ml) extended aluminum bowl with clear nylon sight Metal bowl & Float drain: 30-200 psig (2-14 bar). glass and higher flow filter element (for coalescing and adsorber filter only). Seals: Nitrile

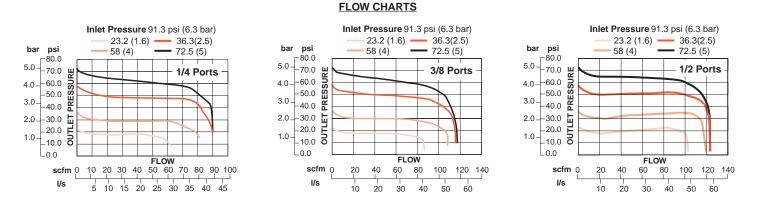


Modular Regulators Port Sizes: 1/4, 3/8, 1/2 – Flow to 120 scfm

HOW TO ORDER (Select options (in red) to configure your model number.) MD3 **52K** R С 2 ADJUSTMENT TYPE 52K - Knob PIPE SIZE 52T - Tee Handle 2 - 1/4 NPTF GAUGE 52L - Locking Knob A - No Gauge 3 - 3/8 NPTF B - With Gauge 0-200 psig (0-13.8 bar) 4 - 1/2 NPTF C - With Gauge 0-60 psig (0-4.1 bar) B - 1/4 BSPP ADJUSTMENT RANGE D - No Gauge, With Panel Mount Nut C - 3/8 BSPP E - With Panel Mount Nut & Gauge 0-200 psig (0-13.8 bar) A - 0-200 psig (0-13.8 bar) D - 1/2 BSPP F - With Panel Mount Nut & Gauge 0-60 psig (0-4.1 bar) **B** - 0-150 psig (0-10.3 bar) **C** - 0-100 psig (0-6.9 bar) D - 0-50 psig (0-3.4 bar) FLOW OPTIONS R - Reverse Flow S - Standard Flow **ISO Regulator** Symbols Self-Relieving Non-Relieving

	Weight					
Α	B*	С	Depth	lb (kg)		
3.0 (76.2)	4.52 (114.9)	1.46 (37)	2.51 (63.8)	1.9 (0.86)		
Dome removal clearance: add 0.575 (14.6). Cap removal clearance: add 0.750 (19.1). Dimensions above reflect less gauge.						





Accessories not included with the product, see pages 12-13 for accessories.

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS (for products on this page):

Construction: Diaphragm. Ambient/Media Temperature: 40° to 175°F (4° to 79°C). Fluid Media: Compressed Air. Inlet Pressure: 300 psig (21 bar) maximum. Outlet Pressure: Adjustable up to 200 psig (13.8 bar); optional adjusting springs.

Optional Pressure Adjustment Locking Key: Removable. **Pressure Gauge:** 0-200 psig (0-13.8 bar) or 0-60 psig (0-4.1 bar); 1/4-NPT gauge ports front and rear. Panel Mounting: 2-1/16 inch (52 mm) hole required. Self-relieving: Non-relieving optional. Body: Zinc. Dome: Nylon. Knob: Acetal. Seals: Nitrile. Valve: Brass. Valve Cap: Nylon.

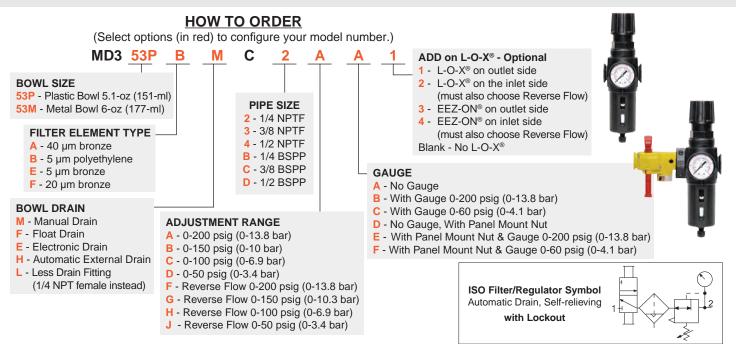


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Modular Integral Filter/Regulators

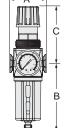
Port Sizes: 1/4, 3/8, 1/2 - Flow to 110 scfm

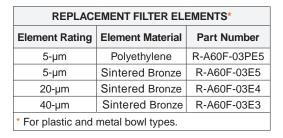


Bowl		Weight			
Туре	Α	B*	С	Depth	lb (kg)
Plastic	3.0 (76.2)	5.54 (140.6)	4.68 (119)	2.51 (63.8)	1.98 (0.90)
Metal	3.0 (76.2)	6.42 (163.1)	4.68 (119)	2.76 (70.1)	2.17 (0.99)
Metal 3.0 (76.2) 6.42 (163.1) 4.68 (119) 2.76 (70.1) 2.17 (0.99) Lockout: With the lockout valve, add 2.3 (58) to dimension A. * * Bowl (standard) removal clearance: add 3.1 (79)					

Bowl (extended) removal clearance: add 6.1 (155)

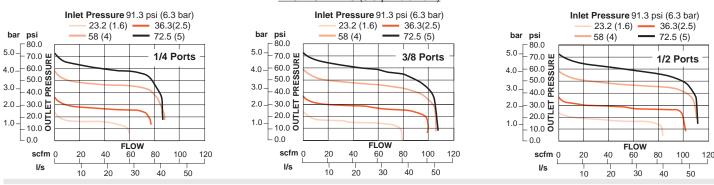






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FLOW CHARTS (0.5-µm element)



Accessories not included with the product, see pages 12-13 for accessories.

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS (for products on this page):

Construction: Regulator-diaphragm; Lockout-spool. Ambient/Media Temperature: Plastic bowl: 40° to 125°F (4° to 52°C).

Metal bowl: 40° to 175°F (4° to 79°C). Fluid Media: Compressed air.

Inlet Pressure: Plastic bowl & Manual drain: 0-150 psig (0-10 bar). Plastic bowl & Float drain: 30-150 psig (2-10 bar). Metal bowl & Manual drain: 0-250 psig (0-17 bar). Metal bowl & Float drain: 30-200 psig (2-14 bar).

Outlet Pressure: Adjustable up to 200 psig (13.8 bar); optional adjusting springs.

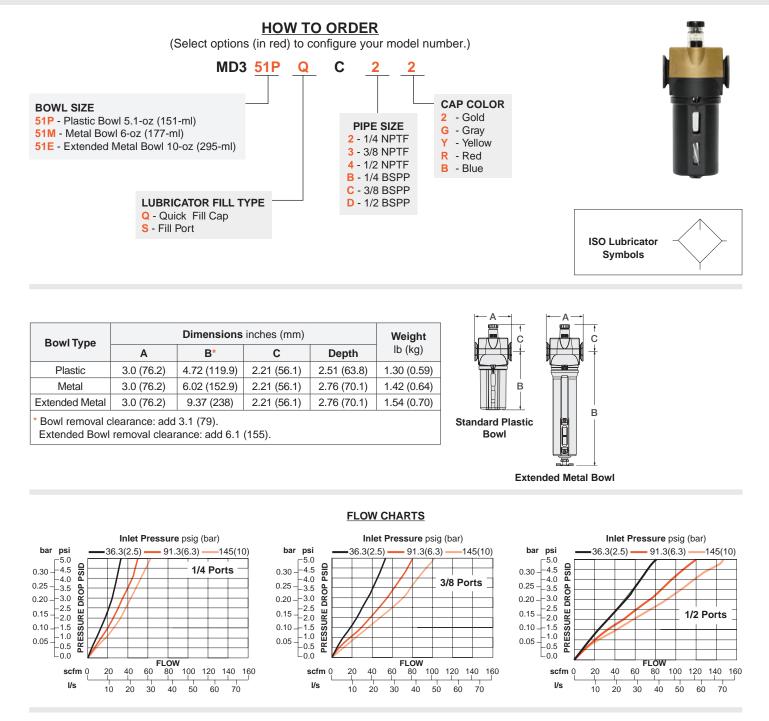
Optional Pressure Adjustment Locking Key: Removable.

Pressure Gauge: 0-200 psig (0-13.8 bar) or 0-60 psig (0-4.1 bar); 1/4-NPT gauge ports front and rear. Panel Mounting: 2-1/16-inch (52-mm) hole required. Filter Element: 5-µm-rated polyethylene; 5-µm, 20-µm or 40-µmrated sintered bronze. Body: Zinc. Dome: Nylon. Bowl: 5.1-Ounce (151-ml) polycarbonate plastic with nylon shatterguard; 6.0-Ounce (177-ml) aluminum bowl with clear nylon sight glass. Seals: Nitrile. Valve: Brass.



Modular Lubricators Port Sizes: 1/4, 3/8, 1/2 – Flow to 150 scfm





Accessories not included with the product, see pages 12-13 for accessories.

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS (for products on this page):

Construction: Sight-Feed. Ambient/Media Temperature: Plastic bowl: 40° to 125°F (4° to 52°C). Metal bowl: 40° to 175°F (4° to 79°C). Fluid Media: Compressed air. Inlet Pressure: Plastic bowl: 150 psig (10 bar) maximum. Metal bowl: 250 psig (17 bar) maximum. Oil Adjustment: External; tamper resistant. Body: Zinc. Bowl: 5.1-ounce (151-ml) capacity polycarbonate plastic with nylon shatterguard; 6.0 ounce (177-ml) aluminum bowl with clear nylon sight glass. Seals: Nitrile.

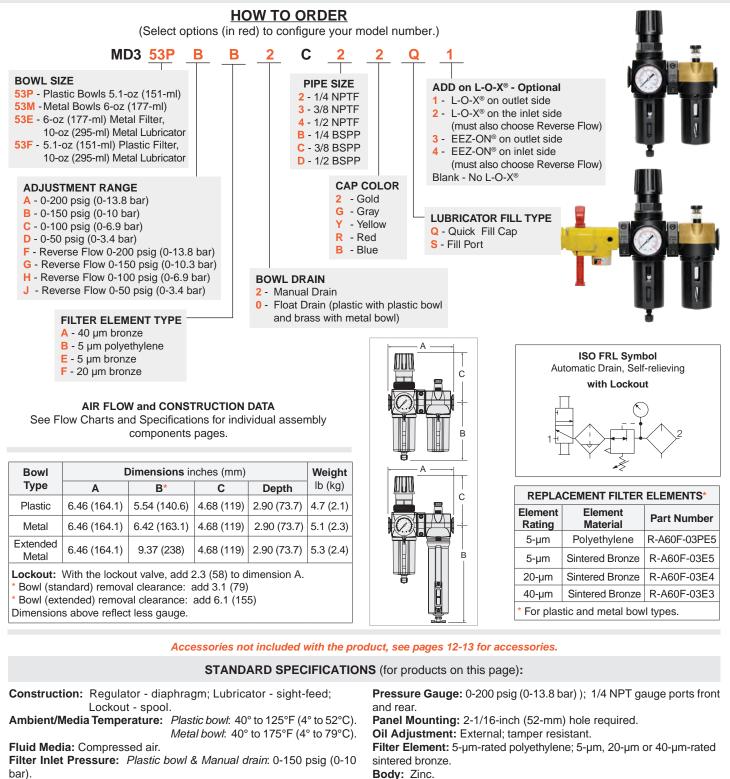
Sight-Feed Dome: Nylon.



Modular Integral Filter/Regulator Plus Lubricator

Port Sizes: 1/4, 3/8, 1/2 - Flow to 110 scfm

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Plastic bowl & Float drain: 30-150 psig (2-10 bar).

Filter Inlet Pressure: Metal bowl & Manual drain: 0-250 psig (0-17 bar). Metal bowl & Float drain: 30-200 psig (2-14 bar).

Lubricator Inlet Pressure: *Plastic bowl*: 150 psig (10 bar) maximum. *Metal bowl*: 250 psig (17 bar) maximum.

Outlet Pressure: Adjustable up to 200 psig (13.8 bar); optional adjusting springs. Optional Pressure Adjustment Locking Key: Removable.

ng Seals: Nitrile. Valve: Brass.

Bowl: 5.1-Ounce (151-ml) polycarbonate plastic with nylon shatterguard;

6.0-Ounce (177-ml) aluminum bowl with clear nylon sight glass. Lubricator

bowl only; 10-ounce (295-ml) extended aluminum bowl with clear nylon

Dome: Nylon.

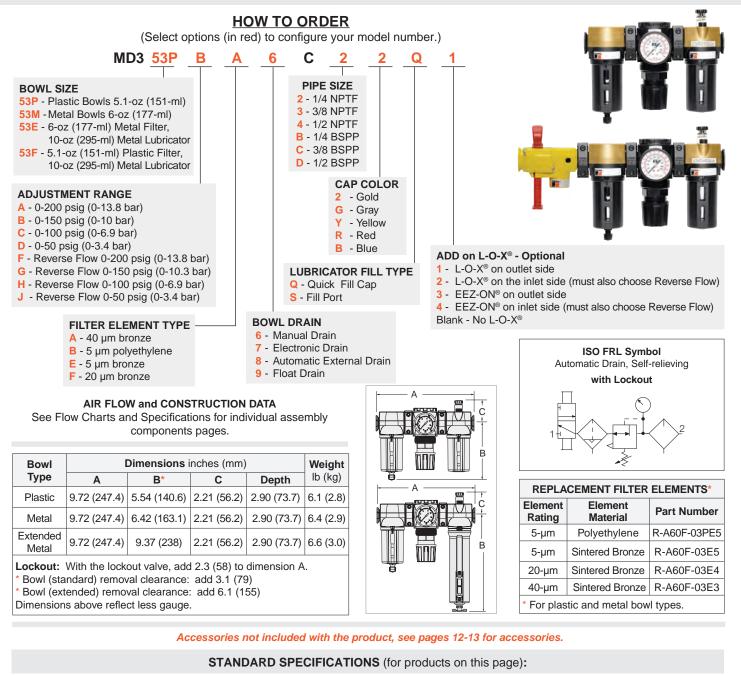
sight glass.

Sight-Feed Dome: Nylon.



Modular Filter-Regulator-Lubricators

Port Sizes: 1/4, 3/8, 1/2 - Flow to 110 scfm



Construction: Regulator - diaphragm; Lubricator - si Lockout - spool.	ight-feed; Panel Mounting: 2-1/16 inch (52 mm) hole required. Self-relieving: Non-relieving optional.
Ambient/Media Temperature: Plastic bowl: 40° to 125	°F (4° to 52°C). Oil Adjustment: External; tamper resistant.
Metal bowl: 40° to 175°	² F (4° to 79°C). Filter Element: 5-μm-rated polyethylene; 5-μm, 20-μm or 40-μm-rated
Differential Pressure Gauge: Optional.	sintered bronze.
Fluid Media: Compressed air.	Body: Zinc. Dome: Nylon
Filter Inlet Pressure: Plastic bowl & Manual drain: 0-	150 psig (0-10 Regulator Dome: Nylon.
bar).	Knob: Acetal.
Plastic bowl & Float drain: 30-150	psig (2-10 bar). Bowl: 5.1-Ounce (151-ml) polycarbonate plastic with nylon shatterguard;
Metal bowl & Manual drain: 0-250	psig (0-17 bar). 6.0-Ounce (177-ml) aluminum bowl with clear nylon sight glass. Lubricator
Metal bowl & Float drain: 30-200 p	osig (2-14 bar). bowl only; 10-ounce (295-ml) extended aluminum bowl with clear nylon
Outlet Pressure: Adjustable up to 200 psig (13.8	bar); optional sight glass.
adjusting springs.	Seals: Nitrile.
Optional Pressure Adjustment Locking Key: Remov	vable. Valve: Brass. Valve Cap: Nylon.
Pressure Gauge: 0 to 200 psig (14 bar); 1/4-NPT gau and rear.	uge ports front Sight-Feed Dome: Nylon

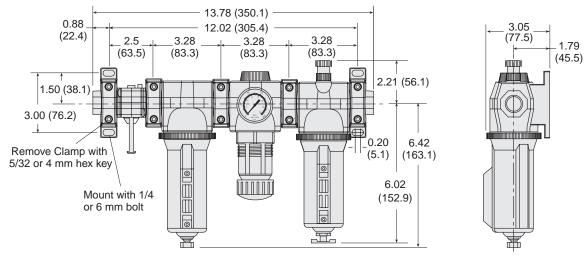
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Accessories Clamp, Brackets, End Ports and Port Blocks

Dimensions: inches (mm)



Clamp for Module Connections

Specially designed clamps provide a quick and easy assembly or disassembly of MD3[™] modules. Two allen-head bolts quickly tighten or loosen the clamp using a 5/32 or 4mm hex key. The clamp contains a plate carrying two O-rings to provide positive sealing between modules.

Order clamp by part number R-A118-105.

Combined clamp and bracket (below) can be ordered by part number R-A118-105M.

Mounting Brackets

Two brackets are normally used to mount an FRL to a vertical surface. The mounting bracket attaches to the module connecting clamp (see above) with a single screw. Each bracket then employs two bolts (1/4" or 6mm) to connect the assembly to the mounting surface.

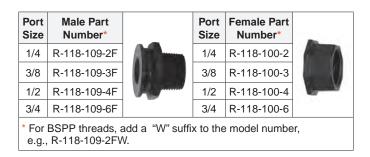
Order bracket and screw by part number R-A118-103.

Combined bracket and clamp (above) can be ordered by part number **R-A118-105M**.



Male and Female End Ports

Either male or female end ports can be attached to threaded inlet and outlet lines. This allows all modules of an FRL assembly to be removed easily and quickly without having to unthread the end modules. The end ports are attached to the modules with clamps (see at left). End ports can be included in an assembled FRL or ordered separately by the following part numbers:



Extra Port Blocks

An extra port block can be placed between modules to provide two auxiliary 1/4 NPTF ports. Its mounting position can be rotated to obtain the most convenient operating orientation. If only one auxiliary port is to be used, the unused port must be closed with a pipe plug. (The inlet and outlet are not threaded.)

* For BSPP threads, add a "W" suffix to the model number, e.g., R-118-106-2W.



Accessories **MUFFL-AIR® Silencers, Pressure Gauges**

Ports: 1/4 to 1/2 C_.: 2.7 to 5.9

Male Pipe Threads

Noise Control Solutions for Air Exhaust

ROSS MUFFL-AIR® silencers substantially reduce exhaust noise levels in the workplace, yet produce little back pressure.

Typical impact noise reduction is in the 20-25 decibel range.



Port Size	Part Number*	Avg. C _v	Dimensions inches (mm)		Weight	
			Length	Width	lb (kg)	
1/4	5500A2003	2.7	0.8 (21)	2.2 (56)	0.1 (0.1)	
3/8	5500A3013	3.2	0.8 (21)	2.2 (56)	0.1 (0.1)	
3/8	5500A3003	4.9	1.3 (33)	3.8 (96)	0.2 (0.1)	
1/2	5500A4003	5.9	1.3 (33)	3.9 (99)	0.2 (0.1)	
* NPT D5500/		BSPP thr	eads add a "D	" prefix to the	model nur	nber, e.g.,

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS (for products above):

Pressure Range: Up to 150 psig (10.3 bar). Temperature: Up to 160°F (71°C).

Flow Media: Filtered air; 5 micron recommended. Port Threads: Male, NPT, BSPP.

Pressure Gauges

Gauges: Center back mounting; male pipe threads.



Port Size	Part Number	Pressure Range psig(bar)	Case Diameter inches (mm)	
1/4	5400A2010	0-60 (0-4.13)	2.0 (51)	\bigcirc
1/4	5400A2011	0-200 (0-14)	2.0 (51)	
1/4	5400A2012	0-300 (0-20)	2.0 (51)	$ $ \vee
1/4	5400A2014*	0-160 (0-11)	2.5 (64)	
1/4	5400A2015**	0-160 (0-11)	2.0 (51)	

5400A2015 - Green shade between 40-70 psi (2.7-4.8 bar).



Compatible Lubricants

Although air line lubrication is not required for most ROSS valves, other mechanisms in the system may need such lubrication. When a lubricator is used, it should be supplied only with oils which are compatible with the materials used in the valves for seals and poppets. Generally speaking, these are petroleum base oils with oxidation inhibitors, and aniline point between 180°F (82°C) and 220°F (104°C) and an ISO 32, or lighter, viscosity. Oils with phosphate type additives, such as zinc dithiophosphate, must be avoided because they can harm polyurethane valve components.

The best oils to use in pneumatic systems are those specifically compounded for air line lubricator service.

Cautions on the Use of Polycarbonate Plastic Bowls

Use Only with Compressed Air. Filters and lubricators with polycarbonate plastic bowls are specifically designed for compressed air service, and their use with any other fluid (liquid or gas) is a misapplication. The use with or injection of certain hazardous fluids in the system (e.g., alcohol or liquefied petroleum gas) could be harmful to the plastic bowl or result in a combustible condition or hazardous leakage. Before using with a fluid other than air, or for nonindustrial applications, or for life support systems, consult ROSS.

Use Metal Bowl Guard When Supplied. A metal bowl guard is supplied with all but the smallest bowls, and must always be used to minimize danger from fragmentation in the event of failure of a plastic bowl.

Avoid Harmful Substances. Some compressor oils, chemical cleaners, solvents, paints, and fumes will attack plastic bowls and can cause bowl failure. Do not use with or near these materials. When a bowl becomes dirty, replace the bowl or wipe it with a clean dry cloth. Immediately replace any plastic bowl which is crazed, cracked, or deteriorated.

Substances HARMFUL to Polycarbonate Plastic Bowls

Acetaldehvde Acetic acid Acetone Acrylonitrile Ammonia Ammonium fluoride Ammonium hydroxide Ammonium sulfide Anaerobic adhesives & sealants Antifreeze Benzene Benzoic acid Benzyl alcohol Brake fluids Bromobenzene Butyric acid Carbolic acid

Carbon disulfide Carbon tetrachloride Caustic potash solution Caustic soda solution Chlorobenzene Chloroform Cresol Cvclohexanol Cyclohexanone Cyclohexene Dimethyl formamide Dioxane Ethane tetrachloride Ethyl acetate Ethyl ether Ethylamine Ethylene chlorohydrin

Ethylene dichloride Ethylene glycol Formic acid Freon (refrigerant & propellant) Gasoline (high aromatic) Hvdrazine Hydrochloric acid Lacquer thinner Methyl alcohol Methylene chloride Methylene salicylate Milk of lime (CaOH) Nitric acid Nitrobenzene Nitrocellulose lacquer Phenol Phosphorous hydroxyl chloride Phosphorous trichloride Propionic acid Pyridine Sodium hydroxide Sodium sulfide Styrene Sulfuric acid Sulfural chloride Tetrahydronaphthalene Thiophene Toluene Turpentine Xylene Perchlorethylene

Trade Names of Substances HARMFUL to Polycarbonate Plastic Bowls

- Atlas Perma-Guard Buna N Cellulube #150 & #220 Crylex #5 cement Eastman 910 Garlock 98403 (polyurethane)
- Haskel 568-023 Hilgard Company's hil phene Houghton & Co. oil 1120, 1130, 1055 Houtosafe 1000 Kano Kroil
- Keystone penetrating oil #2 Loctite 271, 290, 601 Loctite Teflon sealant Marvel Mystery Oil Minn. Rubber 366Y
- National Compound N11 Nylock VC-3 Parco 1306 Neoprene Permabond 910 Petron PD287 Prestone Pydraul AC
- Sears Regular Motor Oil Sinclair oil "Lily White" Stauffer Chemical FYRQUEL 150 Stillman SR 269-75 (polyurethane)
- Stillman SR 513-70 (neoprene) Tannergas Telar Tenneco anderol 495 & 500 oils Titon Vibra-tite Zerex



PRE-INSTALLATION or SERVICE

1. Before servicing a valve or other pneumatic component, be sure that all sources of energy are turned off, the entire pneumatic system is shut off and exhausted, and all power sources are locked out (ref: OSHA 1910.147, EN 1037).

2. All ROSS products, including service kits and parts, should be installed and/or serviced only by persons having training and experience with pneumatic equipment. Because any installation can be tampered with or need servicing after installation, persons responsible for the safety of others or the care of equipment must check every installation on a regular basis and perform all necessary maintenance.

3. All applicable instructions should be read and complied with before using any fluid power system in order to prevent harm to persons or equipment. In addition, overhauled or serviced valves must be functionally tested prior to installation and use.

4. Each ROSS product should be used within its specification limits. In addition, use only ROSS parts to repair ROSS products.

WARNING: Failure to follow these directions can adversely affect the performance of the product or result in the potential for human injury or damage to property.

FILTRATION and LUBRICATION

5. Dirt, scale, moisture, etc. are present in virtually every air system. Although some valves are more tolerant of these contaminants than others, best performance will be realized if a filter is installed to clean the air supply, thus preventing contaminants from interfering with the proper performance of the equipment. ROSS recommends a filter with a 5-micron rating for normal applications.

6. All standard ROSS filters and lubricators with polycarbonate plastic bowls are designed for compressed air applications only. Do *not* fail to use the metal bowl guard, where provided, to minimize danger from high pressure fragmentation in the event of bowl failure. Do not expose these products to certain fluids, such as alcohol or liquefied petroleum gas, as they can cause bowls to rupture, creating a combustible condition, hazardous leakage, and the potential for human injury or damage to property. Immediately replace a crazed, cracked, or deteriorated bowl. When bowl gets dirty, replace it or wipe it with a clean dry cloth.

7. Only use lubricants which are compatible with materials used in the valves and other components in the system. Normally, compatible lubricants are petroleum based oils with oxidation inhibitors, an aniline point between 180°F (82°C) and 220°F (104°C), and an ISO 32, or lighter, viscosity. Avoid oils with phosphate type additives which can harm polyurethane components, potentially leading to valve failure which risks human injury, and/or damage to property.

AVOID INTAKE/EXHAUST RESTRICTION

8. Do not restrict the air flow in the supply line. To do so could reduce the pressure of the supply air below the minimum requirements for the valve and thereby cause erratic action.

9. Do not restrict a valve's exhaust port as this can adversely affect its operation. Exhaust silencers must be resistant to clogging and must have flow capacities at least as great as the exhaust capacities of the valves. Contamination of the silencer can result in reduced flow and increased back pressure.

WARNING: ROSS expressly disclaims all warranties and responsibility for any unsatisfactory performance or injuries caused by the use of the wrong type, wrong size, or an inadequately maintained silencer installed with a ROSS product.

POWER PRESSES

10. Mechanical power presses and other potentially hazardous machinery using a pneumatically controlled clutch and brake mechanism must use a press control double valve with a monitoring device. A double valve without a self-contained monitoring device should be used only in conjunction with a control system which assures monitoring of the valve. All double valve installations involving hazardous applications should incorporate a monitoring system which inhibits further operation of the valve and machine in the event of a failure within the valve mechanism.

ENERGY ISOLATION/EMERGENCY STOP

11. Per specifications and regulations, ROSS **L-O-X**[®] and **L-O-X**[®] with **EEZ-ON**[®] operation products are defined as energy isolation devices, NOT AS EMERGENCY STOP DEVICES.

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