





HydroFlow® Filtration Systems

Eriez is a leader in comprehensive coolant and fluid management technology serving the metalworking industry. These industrial filtration and fluid recycling systems maximize coolant effectiveness and longevity improving machine tool productivity and reducing disposal costs.

Today's precision machine tools operate at higher speeds and increased feed rates demanding high pressure "clean coolant" at the tool. Eriez' HydroRow® systems can deliver filtered coolant to 1 micron at flow rates up to 10,000 GPM.

Whether it's for an individual machine tool or complete plant-wide centralized system using water-based coolant or straight oil lubricant, Eriez' offers a variety of filtration solutions including:

- Media and Media Free Vacuum Filters
- Centrifuge Filter System
- Gravity Filter Systems
- Magnetic Roll Separators
- Fluid Transfer Systems

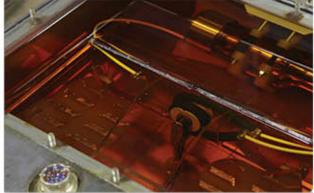
HydroFlow Filters incorporate synthetic permanent media, wedge wire, disposable roll media or cellulose precoated elements for use with low-pressure flood coolant or high-pressure directed coolant.



High speed machining requires "clean coolant"



Precision grinding using high pressure cutting fluids







Common Filtration Applications

Machining – Drilling, milling, boring and turning require significant volumes of "flood coolant" to move chips from the work area to the coolant sump.

Conventional Grinding – Centerless, ID/OD, surface and form grinding produce a difficult combination of metal and wheel breakdown.

Creep Feed Grinding – Large volumes of high-pressure coolant combined with heavy stock removal and abrasive wheel breakdown creates a very demanding filtration application.

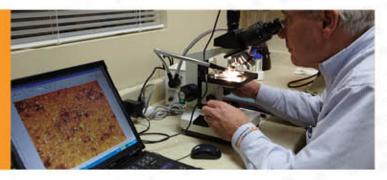
CBN Grinding / Superabrasive Machining – High-speed process of metal removal requires the use of heavy oils at pressures up to 1000 PSI resulting in aeration and cavitation challenges.

Eriez complete coolant management and recycling solutions include coolant transfer systems, temperature control, tramp oil removal and proper make-up systems.

These solutions include:

- Coolant Recycling Systems
- Solids-from-Liquid Centrifuges
- Liquid-from-Liquid Centrifuges
- Coalescers and Oil Skimmers
- Sump Cleaners
- Magnetic Chip Conveyors
- Magnetic Separators

Contents



Laboratory Services

Eriez' test laboratory will diagnose exact particulate and oil contaminants in your coolants, fluid and cutting oils and then submit a complete analysis along with a recommended course of action. Contact your sales representative or the factory for details.

Low Volume Filtration

Liquid-Solid Particle Separation

For low volume solids filtration or scalping operations, Eriez offers a variety of gravity induced filtering equipment. These range from gravity beds, magnetic rolls and conveyors, cartridge filters and centrifuges. Some of these options use disposable media to provide differing levels of filtration.

Gravity Bed Filters

Ideal for low flow rate applications requiring automatic operation and medium level of filtration. The gravity bed filters are used in general grinding and light machining applications and can be sized for either water based coolants or straight oil.

Magnetic Conveyors

Self contained motorized magnetic chip conveyors are submersed into sump for continuous chip removal.

Cartridge Filter Systems

Provide positive inline filtration, to protect high-pressure pumps, polish coolant or provide side loop filtration.

Magnetic Roll Separators

As a stand-alone unit or in conjunction with the Gravity Bed Filters, the Magnetic Roll provides media free removal of ferrous contaminants down to 15 micron.







Flow rates from 15 to 80 GPM filtration to 5 microns

Low Volume Filtration

Machine-Side

HydroFlow® Centrifuge Filters

HydroFlow centrifuges feature an open-topped rotor bowl design fitted with a long-life, removable, flexible liner, and are available in standard or high performance single and double bowl models with a variety of tank sizes and pump pressures. These systems provide affordable filtration for low flow rates and are often combined with high capacity cartridge filters to polish the fluid to an even greater level.

Features:

- Inexpensive with low operating costs
- Quick and easy sludge disposal
- · Reusable sludge collection liner
- Compact size with low inlet height

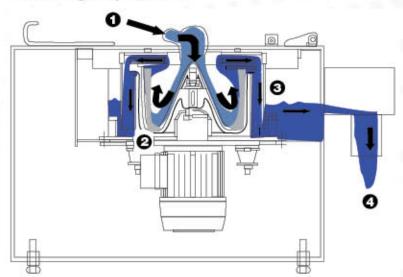
Applications include carbide, glass, ceramics, tool and cutter, and CBN grinding as well as honing, vibratory and micro-finishing, and wire drawing.

Standard Centrifuge Systems:

Model	Centrifuge Type	Tank Capacity (gallons)	Water Based Coolant Flow Rate (GPM)	100 SUS Oil Flow Rate	Nominal Clarity (microns)	
HP-20	Single Bowl	na	20	15	10	
HP-40	Double Bowl	na	40	30	10	
HP-20-60	Single Bowl	60	20	15	10	
HP-20-120	Single Bowl	120	20	15	10	
HP-40-220	Double Bowl	220	40	30	10	

Note: Custom tank capacities available to suit particular application needs

Centrifuge Operation:







- Dirty fluid is pumped to inlet & directed down the center of the bowl liner.
- 2. Solids are trapped along the circumference of the bowl liner
- Clean fluid exits the top of the bowl & flows through the centrifuge housing
- 4. The filtered fluid exits the centrifuge by gravity



Machine Tool Fluid Recycling

Inline Machine Tool Fluid Filtration and Recycling

The new, mobile **SumpDoc™** provides "inline" coolant filtration and replenishment without shutting down the machine tool. It's faster, easier and cheaper than how you maintain your cutting fluids today. No more draining tanks, lost production time, wasted labor, moving hundreds of gallons of new and old fluids around the shop, disposing of valuable/recyclable coolants, and high coolant bills. SumpDoc can process water-soluble coolants, synthetics, semi-synthetics, and soluble oils.

SumpDoc is fully automated, filtering dirty sump coolant in a three-phase process. The first phase is vacuuming out chips and sludge at a rate of 85 GPM (50 microns). The second phase filters fine solid particulate to 3-5 microns and removes tramp oils to less than 0.5% at flow rates of 90 to 120 gallons per hour. Once clean, the coolant is analyzed and the SumpDoc is set to deliver a lean, medium or rich new coolant mix back to the sump in the third and final phase. Depending on the regularity of cleaning, a 200-gallon sump could be processed in about two hours.

The unit is mounted on a battery powered pallet jack for exceptional maneuverability, and has onboard hookups and extensions to receive compressed air, plant water, and 120-volt, single phase electric.





MOBILE SUMPDOC™

Integrated Pallet Jack for Easy Mobility!

"SumpDoc is a cost-effective alternative to a central fluid recycling system or batch processing," says Barry Nehls, General Manager - Eriez HydroFlow. "The economic advantages stem from the elimination of downtime and savings from re-use of fluids."







Onboard waste and coolant concentrate tanks



Fully automated with touch screen controls



Provides "inline" fluid recycling faster, easier & cheaper than how you maintain your cutting fluids today.

Flow rates from 40 to 1,500 GPM filtration to 8-10 microns

Media Vacuum Filtration

Rolled Media Vacuum Filter

With flow rates and sizes from 40 to 1,500 GPM and higher, these filters are designed for individual machines or to serve as a central system. Eriez' HydroFlow Rolled Media Vacuum Filters are fully automatic systems capable of filtering to 8-10 microns through an innovative seal preventing solids by-pass. These filters provide continuous service with minimal operator attention and a consistent level of solids separation, maximizing coolant life and increasing productivity.

These general-purpose filters are ideal for:

- Grinding and Machining
- · Creep Feed and CBN grinding
- All types of alloys
- Filtering light oils or water-soluble coolants

Features:

- · Restrictive solids by-pass vacuum design
- Smooth proprietary conveyor system
- Automated coolant make-up system
- Rugged construction
- Coolant delivery systems

Specifications:

Model	Media Width	Filter Area (sq. ft.)	Total Capacity (gallons)	Flow Rate Range (GPM)*
Low Volum	ne			
HVF-8A		8	500	40 - 120
HVF-12A		12	600	60 - 180
HVF-16A	39"	16	850	80 - 240
HVF-20A		20	950	100 - 300
HVF-24A		24	1050	120 - 360
Medium Vo	olume			
HVF-24B		24	1,600	120 - 360
HVF-30B		30	1,900	150 - 450
HVF-36B	E4.W	36	2,200	180 - 540
HVF-42B	51"	42	2,500	210 - 630
HVF-48B		48	2,800	240 - 720
HVF-60B		60	3,400	300 - 900
High Volur	ne			
HVF-72C		72	5,400	360 - 1,080
HVF-84C	72"	84	6,100	420 - 1,260
HVF-96C		96	6,800	480 - 1,440

^{*}Based on standard flux rates of 5 to 15 GPW/sq.ft. Lower or higher flux rates can be used for special applications.









HydroFlow Advantage

The HydroFlow Vacuum Filter provides significant advantages over conventional flat bed pressure filters, cyclonic and precoat pressure filters.

Low Cost, Ease of Operation

Vacuum Filtration eliminates costly, complex hydraulic or air closure systems used to seal flat bed pressure filters.

Reduced Wear

Vacuum filters pump "clean" coolant only eliminating the wear of pumping dirty coolant.

Packaged System

The Vacuum Filter is a packaged system combining a conveyorized dirty tank and filter section into one assembly, eliminating the settling, backflow and balance problems associated with pressure filters.

Automatic Regeneration

A small clean tank provides uninterrupted flow of clean fluid. By introducing only a small section of new media into the filter section, the Vacuum Filter eliminates the filtration spikes of pressure filters that index the entire filter bed.

Conveyorized Dirty Tank

Continuous removal of solids and settled solids from the dirty tank.

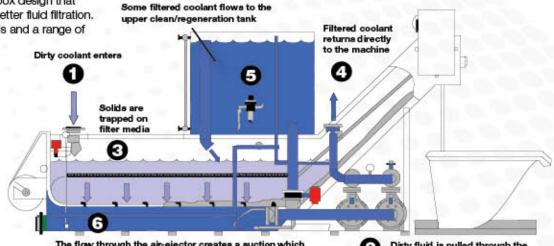
No Backwash

No air is used for backwash or to dry the solids discharge, eliminating the need for additional air compressors, accumulators or mist collectors.

Principles of Operation:

Eriez' HydroFlow Rolled Media Vacuum Filters feature a proprietary vacuum box design that provides a superior seal and better fluid filtration. Eriez offers three RMVF models and a range of

media options to provide the right combination of capacity, throughput and filtration. The diagram to the right provides the principles of operation.



The flow through the air-ejector creates a suction which is used to prevent build up of air in the vacuum box Dirty fluid is pulled through the media via a filter pump

Media Vacuum Filtration

"A" Series Low Volume Rolled Media Vacuum Filter

Eriez' HydroFlow "A" Series is an entry level rolled media vacuum filter providing economical fluid filtration for a single machine or small cells. This filter handles flow rates from 40 to 360 gallons per minute while delivering filtration from 8-10 microns. Each model features fully automated controls to minimize operator involvement and ensure continuous flow of clean fluids to the machine. Eriez offers a wide assortment of accessories to meet your specific fluid handling needs.

Features:

. Flow rates from 40 to 360 GPM

Filtration to 8-10 microns

Inexpensive with low operating costs

· Quick and easy sludge disposal

. Compact size with low inlet height

Specifications:

Model Media Width		Filter Total Area Capacity (sq. ft.) (gallons)		Flow Rate Range (GPM)*	
Low Volum	ne		Ver. 101	v	
HVF-8A		8	500	40 - 120	
HVF-12A		12	600	60 - 180	
HVF-16A	39"	16	850	80 - 240	
HVF-20A		20	950	100 - 300	
HVF-24A		24	1050	120 - 360	

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Media - Rolled media and cartridge filters in stock and ready for immediate delivery.





Media Vacuum Filtration

"B" Series Medium Volume Vacuum Filters

Eriez' "B" Series HydroFlow Vacuum Filters typically serve a single machine or a medium cell. Models range from 120 - 900 gallons per minute and can be outfitted with gravity or high-pressure coolant delivery systems. These mid-range filters feature automated coolant make-up systems, the restrictive by-pass vacuum box design and the rugged proprietary conveyor system for smooth continuous operation.

Features:

- · Restrictive solids by-pass vacuum design
- Smooth proprietary conveyor system
- · Automated coolant make-up system
- · Rugged construction
- · Coolant delivery systems

Specifications:

Model	Media Width	Filter Area (sq. ft.)	Total Capacity (gallons)	Flow Rate Range (GPM)*
Medium Vo	olume			
HVF-24B		24	1,600	120 - 360
HVF-30B		30	1,900	150 - 450
HVF-36B	51"	36	2,200	180 - 540
HVF-42B		42	2,500	210 - 630
HVF-48B		48	2,800	240 - 720
HVF-60B		60	3,400	300 - 900

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Engineering Coordinator - Machining • ASAMA Coldwater Manufacturing

'Our HydroFlow Vacuum Filters with the optional magnetic scalping roll has dramatically cut down on our disposable media costs and improved filtration and longevity of our coolants. We liked our first HydroFlow Filter so much, we installed two more units."





Media Vacuum Filtration "C" Series High Volume Rolled Media Vacuum Filter

The Eriez HydroFlow "C" Series rolled media vacuum filters are larger, robust filters designed to support multiple machine tools. These large central system filters are constructed with heavy duty chain and flight conveyors to handle heavy loads of chips and swarf. Vacuum chambers are constructed to maintain high transport velocities. Multiple pumps provide filtered coolant flow to cleanliness and pressure requirements for meeting the demands of precision metalworking processes.

Features:

- · Special highloft media increases cycle time in blinding applications
- · Sized for individual machines or small cells in either gravity or pumped entry designs
- · Optional top-mounted refrigeration unit conserves floor space

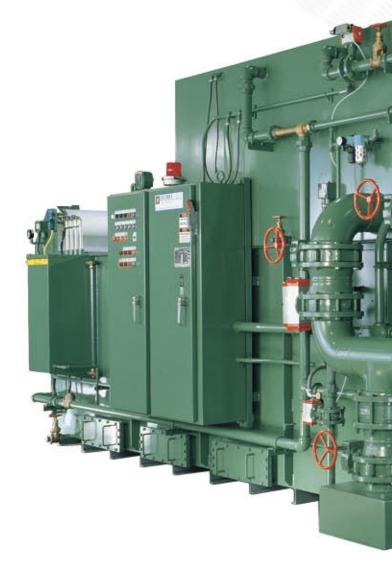
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Sifter Feeder provides additional cellulose fiber to improve filtration performance.







Touch screen control of all critical filter operations.

Media Free Vacuum Filtration

The Patented Star Filter®

Unmatched Filter Performance for the Machine Tool Industry

Eriez' innovative HydroFlow **Star Filter®** is a patented, automatic system using a centrifugal pump to draw liquid through a permanent media element with an optional feed of cellulose filter-aid for extra fine filtration.

The STAR Filter system eliminates problems common with rotating vacuum drum filters. Typically, STAR Filters are installed as central systems with flow rates above 250 GPM and filtration to 1 micron. Applications requiring this level of filtration include grinding, machining, superfinishing and rolling mills working steel, carbide, glass, ceramic, aircraft alloys, cast-iron and aluminum. Filter operation is simple and is very easy to service making it ideal for blinding applications where roll media filters are challenged.

Features:

- Interchangeable Elements
- Positive Seal Connection
- Permanent Filter Septum
- Easily Remove Individual Elements
- Automatic Precoat Cycle
- Backflow Cake Removal
- Fully Automatic Operation
- Solids Removal

Specifications:

Star Filter Area (sq. ft.)	Water Based Coolant Flow Rate (GPM)	100 SUS Oil Flow Rate (GPM)	Nominal Clarity (microns)*		
40	125-600	80-200	2-40		
64	160-900	120-250	2-40		
96	250-500	200-375	2-40		
112	300-1600	250-425	2-40		
128	400-1900	300-500	2-40		
144	450-2100	350-550	2-40		
160	500-2400	400-625	2-40		

^{*} Clarity is a function of the grade of Hydrofiber cellulose filter media used. Larger systems are available, unlimited flow rates can be obtained using multiple elements and larger tanks.







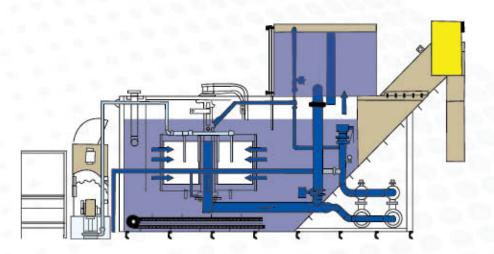




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Advantages:

- · Large filter area
- · 2-stages of filtration
- · Depth filtration using cellulose
- Pressurized wet seal-virtually eliminates solids by-pass
- Regeneration of entire surface maintains low velocity
- · Element backwash, no moving belt
- No vacuum box



High Volume Filtration

The Patented Star Filter® - Principles of Operation

Filtration Cycle

- Cellulose precoat is used to provide a true depth cake and achieve filtration down to 1 micron
- The powdered cellulose is stored in a hopper that is equipped with an automatic feeder
- The cellulose is mixed with clean coolant and the slurry is pumped to the distribution ring on the STAR element
- The cellulose is quickly drawn to the filtering surface creating a filter cake for trapping solids

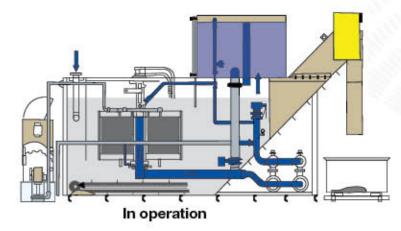
Filtration Cycle - Operations

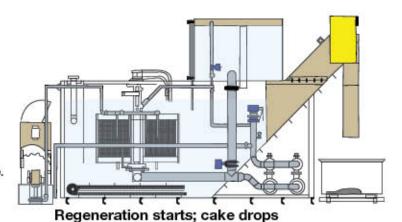
- Dirty coolant enters the filter and heavy solids settle to the drag conveyor
- The fines in the coolant are drawn by the pump to the STAR element and trapped in the cellulose depth cake
- . The filtered coolant is returned directly to the machine tools
- Full recirculation design is available to provide 100% filtration at all times.

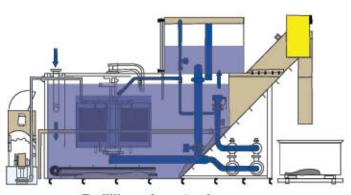
Regeneration Cycle

Solids trapped in the cellulose cake become compressed and dense. As the cake builds, it restricts the flow and creates a negative pressure in the suction pipe. The system senses the increase in vacuum and initiates the automatic regeneration cycle.

- The regeneration valve opens
- Clean coolant flows from a raised tank supplying coolant to the process
- · Additional coolant flows back towards the Star Element
- The backflow of coolant gently releases the element's compressed filter cake
- The dense solids mass quickly settles on the conveyor for removal
- A pneumatic cylinder then lifts the element and "bumps it" in the wet seal to further clean the surface
- The regeneration valve closes, tanks return to normal operating levels and the precoat cycle begins
- A conveyor moves the solids out allowing them to dry on the incline before being dumped







Refilling clean tank



The STAR Filter® Element

The **STAR FILTER** Element's unique design provides the maximum filtration area in the most economical use of space. Based on your application, selecting either the synthetic double-layer weave media, stainless steel wedgewire or patented fuse-bonded stainless steel microscreen filter panels will provide reliable, maintenance-free, effective filtration down to one micron.

The element's star shape and the filter panel's compact, rectangular design maintains structural integrity after removal from the filter. With the end caps removed, cleaning on both sides of the filter panels is simple, unlike the circular construction used in drum filters. The STAR Element is designed with an internal support structure that allows continuous, efficient removal of entrained air.

Each STAR Element is precision built and interchangeable. Individual panels are positioned to provide a vertical drop to dislodge filter cake allowing a gentle yet thorough settling of the vacuum compressed filter cake. Each STAR Element can be removed for inspection and reinstalled into the STAR SEAL without concern for misalignment or proper sealing and can be accomplished without stopping the system when multiple elements are installed.

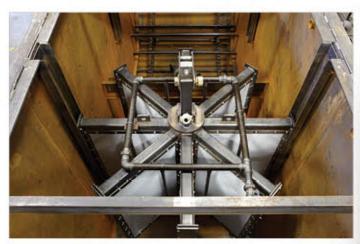


Hydrofiber cellulose filter media

Hydrofiber™ Comparison Chart:

HydroFlow Part #	HydroFlow Standard Grade	Typical Degree of Filtration	Bulk Density (#/cu.ft.)	Weight Per Bag	# Bags Per Skid	Purifiber® LLC Cellulose	J.M. Celite D.E. Grade	Eagle-Picher D.E. Grade	Dicalite ^e Perlite
H.77.70564	Hydrofiber™ "C"	15μ - 20μ	1.9 - 2.8	20 lbs.	35	Purifiber® 20	n/a	n/a	n/a
H.77.70562	Hydrofiber™ "M"	10μ -15μ	3.5 - 4.9	30 lbs.	21	Purifiber® 40	n/a	n/a	n/a
H.77.70561	Hydrofiber™ "F"	5μ -10μ	4.4 - 5.9	35 lbs.	21	Purifiber® 70	n/a	n/a	n/a
H.77.70563	Hydrofiber™ "XF"	2μ - 5μ	6.9 - 9.0	50 lbs.	21	Purifiber® 90	560 545	FW-80 FW-60	5000 4200

Various grades available to achieve filtration levels of 2-microns or better.



The STAR element glides into tracks in the tank for a positive seal.



Central Filtration System Designs

Our engineering and sales professionals are involved in the early stages of plant design and layout in order to plan the most efficient and cost effective filtration plan. Our team will design the systems to your process with recommendations and complete specifications. Contact Eriez' HydroFlow group for more details.

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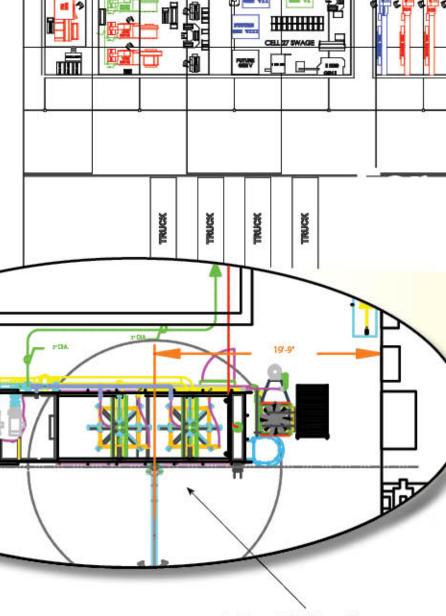
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Dual Element Star Filter providing continuous filtration to 26 machine tools

r CELL 65 r



CELL 30 HP. Central filtration systems ensure optimum tool performance and repeatable results in critical grinding and machining operations.

Components of a Central System

Controls & Automated Functions

HMI Touch screen controls incorporate equipment graphics and simple "pop up" controls of pumps, conveyors, and system components. Operator interface provides alarm enunciation, timer and critical equipment settings, as well as historical equipment operation data.



Complete system control.



Pump systems delivering coolant to machine tools.



Clean coolant delivery and dirty return piping.

Other Filtration Equipment

Eriez recommends and supplies a wide range of optional equipment to facilitate the most comprehensive fluid management program available. Below are a few of these options.

Chillers - Temperature Control

If a plant has a chilled water source, Eriez can provide a simple plate and frame or shell and tube heat exchange package with modulating valve.

High Pressure Coolant Supply

Units are designed for pressures up to 1500 psi.

Constant Pressure Control - VFD

Customer can program VFD From enclosure door – set min. and max. speed (frequency) as well as pressures.

Coolant Header Designs - Clean Supply and Dirty Return.

Solids Processing - Vacuum Sludge Receiver, Sludge Presses.

Scalping Conveyors -To remove bulky and heavy chips loads

Dirty Coolant Transfer Sumps – Returning the coolant and contaminates to the filter.

Coolant Make-up Stations

Rolled Media Re-winders

Sludge Hoppers

Cellulose Feeders - Auger style feeder, sifter feeder

Chip Processing and Recovery

Mist Collection



Coolant return flush valve.



Sifter feeder



Automatic media rewind





Pump Back Sump Systems

HydroFlow filter systems are available with a variety of pump back sump stations. Pump backs can include virtually any size sump tanks or can be provided in a "zero tank" configuration along with pumps able to deliver most water or oil based fluids to the central filtration system. HydroFlow's satellite stations have both clean and dirty reservoir and deliver high-pressure clean fluid direct to the machine tool or spindle. Various designs include:

- Wedge sump tanks and pumps with flow rates from 20 to 200 GPM
- For aerated grinding oils, a large sump with a drop-in vertical centrifugal pump
- For pumping chips from aluminum machining operations, a swirl-type sump with a vertical vortex or vertical "chopper" pump
- A "zero tank" return pump is used with existing customer tanks or when coolant discharge is low profile
- Return sumps built directly into the machine tool or grinding machine
- In-floor sumps return dirty fluid through a flume or trough in the floor into a large, round conical bottom sump with lift pumps
- For machine tools requiring high pressure, a satellite tank provides a high-pressure coolant supply to the spindle as well as a dirty coolant return sump







"Zero tank" return pump



Large scale pump backs.

HydroFlow® Filters are in service at hundreds of companies throughout the world, including:

Aerospace: General Electric, Pratt & Whitney, Sikorsky, Honeywell Chromalloy, Howmet, Hi-Tek, Solar Turbine, Boeing, Goodrich, Rolls Royce, Curtis Wright, Pac Sky

Power Generation: General Electric, Siemens, Mitsubishi, Westinghouse, Turbo Care

Automotive: Ford, General Motors, Chrysler, Honda, Robert Bosch, Freightliner, GKN Automotive, Chery Auto, Nissan Motors, Hitachi Automotive, TRW, Eaton, Borg Warner

Bearing: Timken, New Hampshire Ball Bearing, RBC, Rockwell, Torrington, SKF, Venture Bearing, INA Bearing

Commercial Mfg: Carrier, Zapp Industries, Goodyear Tire, Caterpillar, J..l. Case, Hitchiner Mfg., Hypertherm, Schott Fiber Optics, Callaway Golf, Blount Manufacturing

Carbide: Sandvik, Vermont American, American Saw, Sumitomo Electric, Teledyne

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