Chemlock® PFA Housings

Installation and use manual
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INTRODUCTION

Entegris’ Chemlock® PFA housing offers a space-saving solution like no other cartridge filter housing available today. This revolutionary housing locks the cartridge into the bowl, allowing the bowl and cartridge to be removed as a single unit.

SAFETY

Special considerations and precautions are included in the manual, as described below. Contact Entegris with any questions regarding the safe and proper use of your equipment.

⚠️ DANGER! Indicates a hazardous situation that, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.

⚠️ WARNING: Indicates a potential hazardous situation that, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury as well as irreparable damage to the equipment.

⚠️ CAUTION: Indicates a potential hazardous situation that, if not avoided, could result in minor to moderate injury as well as minor to moderate damage to the equipment.

⚠️ WARNING: Only technically qualified personnel should install the housing.

⚠️ WARNING: CHEMICAL HAZARDS. DOUBLE-CONTAINMENT is required when used with toxic and hazardous chemicals. All filter housings, filters and other pressurized vessels must be double-contained to prevent serious personal injury.

SAFETY CLOTHING, eye protection and safety apparatus appropriate for the liquids in use must be worn during component changeout and startup. Perform all operations with standard liquid handling procedures in accordance with all local codes for safety and ventilation.

FACILITY REQUIREMENTS

Housing should be plumbed with ability to isolate both upstream and downstream flows as required for filter changeout.
## Dimensions

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MINIMUM SPACE REQUIREMENTS

A minimum installation clearance of dimension “A” plus an additional 50.8 mm (2.0”) is required for removal and installation of Chemlock cartridges.

CARTRIDGE INSTALLATION

MOUNTING PROCEDURE

Components are double-wrapped for cleanroom use. Handle components according to your cleanroom procedures.

Suggested Mounting Method #1:
Customer-supplied Mounting Plate

1. Use supplied screws and nuts to secure the housing head to your equipment or facility mounting bracket (Figure 1).
2. The Chemlock housing can be installed either bowl UP or bowl DOWN.

Mounting Bracket Template

Use Figure 2 as a guide for drilling holes into a customer-supplied mounting plate, when mounting the Chemlock head.
Suggested Mounting Method #2: L-Bracket Mounting

1. Use supplied screws and nuts to secure the housing head to the L-Bracket #YY46 10 190, available from Entegris. The Chemlock housing can be installed either bowl UP or bowl DOWN.

![Diagram of L-bracket mounting](image)

INSTALL THE O-RING

⚠️ CAUTION: Replace the o-ring every time the housing is opened.

1. Verify that the o-ring is installed in the housing. If not, properly seat an o-ring into the housing bowl, as described below.

2. Prewet the housing o-ring with a fluid compatible with your process chemical (such as DI water, IPA, etc.) to aid in installation and ensure a proper seal.

3. For best results, heat the o-ring to 60°C prior to installation. Heat the o-ring by immersing in hot water for 2 minutes, or by placing the o-ring 25 mm (1") below a 250-watt heat lamp for 1 minute. Install the o-ring while it is still warm.

4. For all housings, handle the o-ring with care. Insert the o-ring into the groove and push the o-ring securely and evenly in place. DO NOT roll or twist the o-ring.

Install the o-ring onto the Chemlock housing using clean gloves to minimize the possibility of contamination.
5. To remove the old o-ring, slide the hook end of the housing wrench tool under the o-ring, then slide the tool around the bowl.

![O-ring removal from Chemlock housing using the hook on the housing wrench.](image)

**CAUTION:** Use caution when removing the o-ring. Contacting the o-ring seal areas with the removal tool can damage the sealing surface.

To view a video showing correct procedures for o-ring replacement and housing installation, go to https://youtu.be/S-44aPfOWpQ.

**INSTALL THE FILTER**

Install a filter in the housing bowl and tighten the bowl to the housing head:

1. Cut open the bottom of the bag only.

2. To ensure cleanliness, hold the cartridge by the bag, and insert it into the housing bowl.

3. Using the end of the bag, the two finger tabs on the key can be used to turn the cartridge ¼ turn; then lock the cartridge in place.

**NOTE:** Lock the cartridge in place by turning it clockwise.

![Installing the filter in the housing bowl.](image)

4. Attach and tighten the bowl to the housing head. The housing can be mounted in either a bowl UP or bowl DOWN position.
5. Adjust the torque setting to 45 N•m if using an E-FKM o-ring. For other o-ring types, 28.5 N•m.

Once set, twist the lever at the end of the wrench clockwise to LOCK the setting in place.

6. Tighten the housing ring until the torque wrench clicks. Stop and retighten until another click is heard.

7. Wait 5 minutes before continuing. After waiting 5 minutes, retighten the locking ring according to the previous step (#6.) You may see the locking ring move again. This is normal.

8. Reset the torque setting to 10 N•m for storage.

HOUSING INTEGRITY TESTING

Prior to usage, the piping system should be tested to check for leaks. Follow your facility leak checking protocols.

WARNING: IF SYSTEM IS SHUT DOWN, IT IS NECESSARY TO RETIGHTEN THE HOUSING (see previous steps) IN ORDER TO PREVENT LEAKS.

CAUTION: DO NOT tighten or adjust the plumbing at elevated temperatures (>100°C) as you may overtighten the fittings and create excessive stress and leakage either at elevated temperatures or during changes in system temperature.

NOTE: Yearly wrench calibration is recommended.

Include periodic seal integrity testing in your system’s preventive maintenance schedule.
CARTRIDGE REMOVAL

⚠️ WARNING: Wear chemically resistant garments and eye protection during cartridge changeout and startup.

1. Isolate and drain the housing. If necessary, allow the housing to cool to a workable temperature.
2. Use the housing wrench to loosen the housing ring.
3. Remove the bowl from the head.
4. Turn the cartridge key to unlock the cartridge from the bowl.
5. Lift the cartridge out of the bowl or tip the bowl to gently slide the cartridge out of the bowl.

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ORDERING INFORMATION

Chemlock cartridges are compatible with the Chemlock PFA and Chemlock PP housings. Cartridges can be ordered by adding either a “K” or a “Y” to the end of a standard cartridge catalog number, depending on the product family. Standard cartridges (without the key) are still available under their usual catalog number.

Any standard 10” Code 0 cartridge can be used with the universal Chemlock housing. Only Entegris’ Chemlock cartridges can utilize the cartridge locking mechanism. Use of a Chemlock key or any other key with a third party cartridge shall void the warranty of the housing and may infringe one or more of Entegris’ pending or issued U.S. and foreign patents. Such patents and warranty do not apply to use of third party cartridge without any key.

Refer to entegris.com for ordering information.

Chemlock bowls are easily retrofitted to Chemgard® housings.

PFA Chemlock bowls are designed to fit with Entegris T-line PFA Chemgard heads. An installed Chemgard housing may be retrofitted with a Chemlock bowl and cartridge.
LIMITED WARRANTY

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