## Millipore®

Filtration, Separation & Preparation



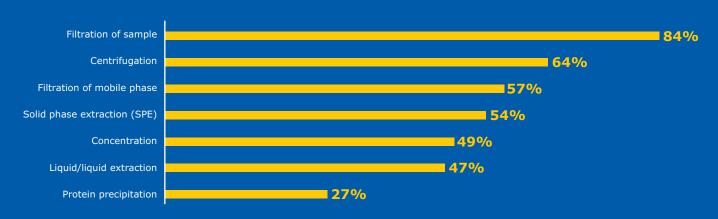




# HPLC sample filtration is here to stay.

According to a 2015 survey by LC/GC magazine, sample filtration was performed by a larger percentage of separation scientists than extraction, centrifugation, precipitation, or concentration\*.

With downstream detection methods becoming more and more sensitive to particulate contamination, filtration is as crucial as ever.



\*Based on survey of 413 respondents. Each respondent was asked to choose multiple methods that they were currently using.



#### Love Millex® filters, but have tired thumbs?

For chromatographers who filter dozens of samples a day through Millex® syringe filters, especially for hard-to-filter, viscous or particulate-laden samples, traditional filtration can lead to manual fatigue, and even repetitive stress injury. Nevertheless, they stick with Millex® filters, which are specified in numerous analytical methods and standard operating procedures.

## Introducing the Samplicity® G2 Filtration System for Millex® Filters.

By adding a simple adapter funnel to standard Millex $^{\$}$  33 mm filters, we've enabled easy, vacuum-driven filtration of up to 8 samples at once, directly into HPLC vials, in seconds.

Look up the Millex $^{\$}$  33 mm filters you use for manual syringe filtration in the table below to find the corresponding Samplicity $^{\$}$  G2 filter catalog numbers.



| Millex® Filter Description   | Catalog No.*<br>(Manual) | Catalog No.<br>(Samplicity® G2 system) |
|--|--------------------------|--|
| Millex® Filters for the Samplicity® G2 System, 0.22 μm Durapore® PVDF              | SLGV033N-                | SAMP2GVNB                              |
| Millex® Filters for the Samplicity® G2 System, 0.45 μm Durapore® PVDF              | SLHV033N-                | SAMP2HVNB                              |
| Millex® Filters for the Samplicity® G2 System, 0.22 μm Millipore Express® PLUS PES | SLGP033N-                | SAMP2GPNB                              |
| Millex® Filters for the Samplicity® G2 System, 0.45 μm Millipore Express® PLUS PES | SLHP033N-                | SAMP2HPNB                              |
| Millex® Filters for the Samplicity® G2 System, 0.20 μm Nylon                       | SLGN033N-                | SAMP2GNNB                              |
| Millex® Filters for the Samplicity® G2 System, 0.45 μm Nylon                       | SLHN033N-                | SAMP2HNNB                              |

<sup>\*</sup>The last character of the Millex $^{\rm B}$  part number represented by the "-" may be an S, K, or B.

80%

of chromatographers report using Merck filters for sample filtration

#### **Enjoy the Quality of Millex® Filters.**

You trust Millex® filters for HPLC sample prep because of our highest quality design, manufacturing, materials and QC standards.

#### Millex® filters are known for their:

- Minimal hold-up volume
- Filter and seal integrity
- · Low extractables, low binding

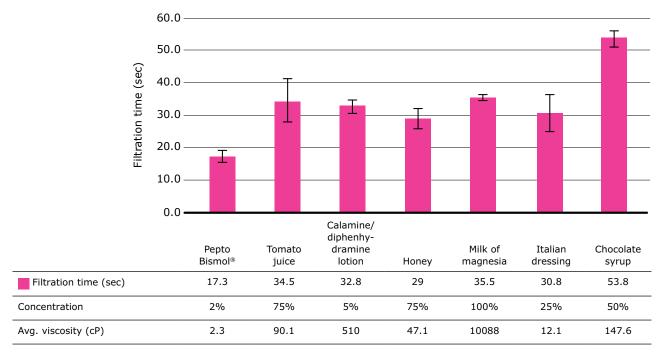
Millex® filters are available in a variety of membranes and polypropylene housings to ensure chemical compatibility with a range of samples and solvents.

The adapter funnels provided for the Samplicity® G2 system are made of the same polypropylene as our Millex® filter housings. Together, the filter plus adapter are HPLC-certified to be low in extractable impurities. That means you'll continue to enjoy clear chromatography results, without the pain of syringe filtration.

## Experience the efficient way to use Millex® filters: vacuum filtration.

Any process that uses Millex $^{\circ}$  33 mm filters can now be performed using the vacuum-driven, time-saving, Samplicity $^{\circ}$  G2 filtration system – even for small-volume (as little as 300 µL) or hard-to-filter samples.

If manual filtration is used, hard-to-filter samples can require excessive manual force, greater time per sample, and can yield lower recovery — all of which may reduce laboratory efficiency. In contrast, the Samplicity $^{\otimes}$  G2 filtration system filters even highly viscous samples in seconds, with minimal manual effort.



Hard to filter? No More! Efficient filtration of viscous samples using the Samplicity® filtration system with 0.45  $\mu$ m PVDF Millex Samplicity® Filters. Filtration times for 1 mL of indicated samples are shown. Results represent the average of four filtrations, and error bars represent standard deviation.



## Save your thumbs.

According to a Baseline Risk Identification of Ergonomic Factors (BRIEF $^{\text{\tiny TM}}$ ) survey, the Samplicity $^{\text{\tiny ®}}$  G2 system reduced the ergonomic impact of filtration compared to manual syringe filtration, as shown in the chart below.

# Samplicity® G2 System has lower ergonomic impact than manual syringe filtration

|  | Job Hazard Score |                |              |  |
|--|------------------|----------------|--------------|--|
| Sample Type  | Low (0-9)        | Medium (10-29) | High (30-49) |  |
| Syringe Filtration of Non-viscous Sample (water)                 |                  | 12.8           |              |  |
| Syringe Filtration of Viscous Sample (16% ketchup)               |                  | 16.0           |              |  |
| Samplicity® G2 System Filtration of Viscous Sample (16% ketchup) | 8.0              |                |              |  |

<sup>\*</sup>For reference, a task involving manipulating a heavy (13 kg) tool was found to have a medium/high job hazard score of 27. Note that the job hazard score for Samplicity® G2 remains at 8 regardless of the viscosity of the sample.





#### See it in action: Samplicity® G2 Videos

Watch a quick video how-to, plus a side-byside comparison with syringe filtration.

Just visit:

www.merckmillipore.com/samplicity

#### Ordering information for the Samplicity® G2 System

| Millex® Filter Description   | Quantity | Catalog No.<br>(Samplicity® G2 system) |
|--|----------|--|
| Millex® Filters for the Samplicity® G2 System, 0.22 µm Durapore® PVDF              | 250      | SAMP2GVNB                              |
| Millex® Filters for the Samplicity® G2 System, 0.45 µm Durapore® PVDF              | 250      | SAMP2HVNB                              |
| Millex® Filters for the Samplicity® G2 System, 0.22 µm Millipore Express® PLUS PES | 250      | SAMP2GPNB                              |
| Millex® Filters for the Samplicity® G2 System, 0.45 µm Millipore Express® PLUS PES | 250      | SAMP2HPNB                              |
| Millex® Filters for the Samplicity® G2 System, 0.20 µm Nylon                       | 250      | SAMP2GNNB                              |
| Millex® Filters for the Samplicity® G2 System, 0.45 µm Nylon                       | 250      | SAMP2HNNB                              |
| Samplicity® G2 Filtration System, Bold Blue  | 1        | SAMP2SYSB                              |
| Samplicity® G2 Filtration System, Glossy Green                                     | 1        | SAMP2SYSG                              |
| Millex Samplicity® Filters, 0.45 μm hydrophilic PTFE                               | 96       | SAMPLCR01                              |
| Millex Samplicity® Filters, 0.45 μm hydrophilic PTFE                               | 384      | SAMPLCR04                              |
| Millex Samplicity® Filters, 0.20 μm hydrophilic PTFE                               | 96       | SAMPLG001                              |
| Millex Samplicity® Filters, 0.20 μm hydrophilic PTFE                               | 384      | SAMPLG004                              |
| Millex Samplicity® Filters, 0.45 μm hydrophilic PVDF                               | 96       | SAMPHV001                              |
| Millex Samplicity® Filters, 0.45 μm hydrophilic PVDF                               | 384      | SAMPHV004                              |
| Samplicity® G2 Lid   | 1 pk     | SAMP2LID                               |
| Chemical Duty Pump, 115V/60Hz  | 1        | WP6111560                              |
| Chemical Duty Pump, 220V/50Hz  | 1        | WP6122050                              |
| Chemical Duty Pump, 100V/50-60Hz   | 1        | WP6110060                              |

<sup>\*</sup>Note: Millex® filters are available in packs of 1000. Please visit: www.merckmillipore.com

# Upgrade your current Samplicity® filtration system to the Samplicity® G2 model!

## Get all the support you need for the HPLC workflow.

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- Columns
- Mobile phases
- Technical information

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