

Food Contact Compliancy

Filcoflex B.V. Netherlands hereby certifies that the following products **(1)** meet the requirements, and are suitable according to the here under listed **(2)** regulations and guidelines for the repetitive use in contact with foodstuff materials:

Filcoflex Permeable Fabric Products to which this Declaration of Compliance applies **(1)**

- PNV 7506 FG AS

Rules and Regulations to which was tested **(2)**

Regulation (EC) 1935/2004

Materials and Articles intended to come in to contact with food

Filcoflex B.V. certifies that in the manufacture of our permeable fabric **(1)** our raw material supplier and fabric manufacturer use monomers & starting substances that comply with relevant requirements of Regulation (EC1935/2004)

REGULATION (EC) 10/2011

Plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food.

Filcoflex B.V. Netherlands certifies that in the manufacture of our permeable fabric **(1)** our raw materials suppliers use monomers and starting substances that comply with relevant requirements of Regulation (EC) 10/2011.

- o Commission Regulation (EU) No 1282/2011 of 28th November 2011
- o Commission Regulation (EU) No 1183/2012 of 30th November 2012
- o Commission Regulation (EU) No 202/2013 of 3rd March 2013
- o Commission Regulation (EU) No 2015/174 of 5th February 2015
- o Commission Regulation (EU) No 2016/1416 of 24th August 2016
- o Commission Regulation (EU) No 2017/752 of 28th April 2017
- o Commission Regulation (EU) No 2019/37 of 10th January 2019

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) 2023/2006

Good manufacturing practices for items intended to come into contact with food.

Filcoflex B.V. certifies that in the manufacture of our permeable fabric **(1)** our raw material supplier and fabric manufacturer comply with relevant requirements in Commission Regulation (EC) 2023/2006 on good manufacturing practice for materials and articles intended to come in contact with food.

Material composition

PNV 7506 FGAS is a multilayer composition combining ePTFE Microporous Membrane and Polyester Needlefelt fabric. Both products are tested individually and as a laminated product. The overall and specific migration levels are below the threshold limit value.

All measurements were performed according to test code EN 1186 by an independent third-party institute

Simulant	Test Time & Temperature	Migration Level	Overall Migration Limit (OML) (mg/DM ²)
B - 3% Acetic Acid	10 days @ 40°C	4,1	10
D2 - 95% Ehanol	10 days @ 40°C	7,6	10
D2 - Isooctane	10 days @ 40°C	3	10
E-Tenax	2 hours @ 150°C	0,3	10

The following substances found in the product are subject to restrictions and/or specifications:

Substance	SML - value (mg/kg)
Terephthalic acid	7.5
Ethylene Glycol	30
Animorny	0.04
Tetrafluoroethylene	0.05

Regards to the substances listed in the table below, Filcoflex hereby verifies that Filcoflex does not intentionally add these substances. Please note that Filcoflex does not perform any testing or due diligence other than making supplier inquiries relative to these substances.

Substance	
Melamine	< Detection Limit
Animal Residues (TSE)	< Detection Limit
Bisphenol A	< Detection Limit
Benzene	< Detection Limit
Chlorinated solvents and/or monomers/additives	< Detection Limit
phthalates	< Detection Limit

The filter media contains no dual use substances.

The filter media is suitable for use in dedusting filters for dry (including fat-containing) foods and food additives.

The continuous operating temperature may not exceed 150°C.

The filter media is for applications where coincidental contact is expected. The migration values were determined at a surface to volume ratio of 6dm²/kg.

The filter media has no functional barrier.

In case of further processing of the filter media, producers are responsible for the compliance of the final product and declaring compliance accordingly.



Declaration of Compliance

Important Information about this Declaration

This declaration is valid for the Products listed above (1) and delivered by Filcoflex B.V.

Filcoflex gathered the information it provides in this form using reasonable methods to ensure its accuracy and that such information is true and correct to the best of Filcoflex's knowledge and belief, as of the date of this document. In some cases, Filcoflex relied upon information provided by suppliers, and has not independently verified such information. In some cases, Filcoflex relied upon testing performed by an independent lab based on the rules set out in the regulation referenced. According to such testing, the listed product complies with the legal requirements stated subject to the user's adherence to the regulation's stated conditions for contact with food.

Many factors beyond Filcoflex's control can affect the use and performance of Filcoflex products in a particular application, including the conditions under which the product is used. Since these factors are uniquely within the user's knowledge and control, it is essential the user evaluate the Filcoflex products to ensure that these products and components are suitable for use in their specific food application, especially in case of applications where food contact conditions deviate from those stated in the applicable regulations or the manufacturer's instructions and operations manual.

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