

## **Filter Media Selection Guide**

Media	Ship Wt.	Description	Handles	Used in
SmartBlend ™ SB75 SB10	45 61	Granular / White-Black / Blend of Filter Ag Plus and Katalox Light / Max life expectancy about 8-10 years but is dependent upon water chemistry and usage	Sediment, Adjusts pH, Iron (clear & red) Manganese (clear & red) Sulfur Particles	Nitro Reactr and Sidekick
Neutralizer NE50 NE75 NE10	50 64 85	Granular / White / Sacrificial to water with pH, 7.0 / Max pH correction to 7.2 / Lowest pH application 5.8 / Must be replenished about every 6 months to 1 year	Sediment (downflow) pH correction	WF Filter Upflow and Optimizr
Neu-Cor™ NC75 NC10	62 82	Granular / Semi-round / White & Off-white / 70%-30% Blend of Neutralizer & Corosex® must be replenished on a regular basis since both components are sacrificial to low pH / Use on pH levels as low as 5.0	Sediment (downflow) pH Correction	WF Filter Upflow and Optimizr
Corosex® CX75 CX10	79 103	Semi-round / Off-White / Magnesium Oxide / Extremely reactive to pH dissolving rapidly adding alkalinity / NEVER use 100% Corosex® in a filter as it will "cement"	Sediment (downflow) pH Correction	WF Filter Upflow and Optimizr
Coconut Shell Carbon CN75 CN10	22 30	Black / High carbon-low ash content. Practical for ordinary taste, odor and chrlorine loads. Will impart a high "polish" to the filtered water.	Taste/Odor/Chlorine	WF Filter Upflow and Optimizr
Activated Carbon AC75 AC10	21 28	Granular / Black / Wide application for removal of organics and some inorganics / Must be replaced on a regular basis / Life expectancy varies based on use	Sediment Taste/Odor/Color Chlorine/Iodine	WF Filter Upflow and Optimizr
Catalytic Carbon CC75 CC10	26 34	Granular/Black / enhanced activated carbon that has a higher catalytic power which produces an increased electron transfer for better absorption.	Sulfur Removal Chloramines	WF Filter Nitro and Sidekick City Softener
Filter Ag® FA75 FA10	21 28	Granular / Off-White / Wide application for removal of sediment / Life expectancy is unlimited	Sediment	WF Filter
Filter Ag Plus FP75 FP10	37 50	Light tan to white, 5 micron filtration	Sediment	WF Filter
Katalox Light KL75 KL10	49 66	Granular / Dark Gray / Max iron and Manganese level 10 ppm and H2S 1ppm / Estimated life 8 - 10 years Requires backwashing but not regeneration	Sediment (downflow) Iron (Clear & Red) Manganese (Clear & Red) Sulfur Removal pH Correction	WF Filter Nitro Sidekick Reactr Optimizr
Birm® BM75 BM10	37 49	Granular / Gray / Must not be used on waters with a pH < 6.8 / Must have dissolved oxygen present at a level of at least 15% of iron & manganese ppm / Max iron & manganese level 10 ppm / Estimated life about 8-10 years	Sediment Iron (clear & red) Manganese (clear & red)	WF Filter
GT10	42	Arsenic Media	Arsenic III and V	WFA Filter
"B" Gravel BG20 BG50	20 50	Semi-Round / Brown / #20 Flint / Used as underbed for all media in all filters providing for excellent flow distribution in both service and backwash modes / Permanent unless fouled but can be cleaned and re-used.	Underbed	All Non-Vortech Filter Tanks

Filter Media and Gravel are shipped in convenient reusable buckets.