



General Filters
Incorporated

Minimum Efficiency Reporting Values - MERV ratings

MERV Value	The filter will trap Average Particle Size Efficiency 0.3 - 1.0 Microns	The filter will trap Average Particle Size Efficiency 1.0 - 3.0 Microns	The filter will trap Average Particle Size Efficiency 3 - 10 Microns	Types of things these filters will trap
MERV 1	-	-	Less than 20%	Pollen, Dust mites, Standing Dust, Spray Paint Dust, Carpet Fibers
MERV 2	-	-	Less than 20%	
MERV 3	-	-	Less than 20%	
MERV 4	-	-	Less than 20%	
MERV 5	-	-	20% - 34%	Mold Spores, Hair Spray, Fabric Protector, Cement dust
MERV 6	-	-	35% - 49%	
MERV 7	-	-	50% - 69%	
MERV 8	-	-	70% - 85%	
MERV 9	-	Less than 50%	85% or better	Humidifier Dust, Lead Dust, Auto Emissions, Milled Flour
MERV 10	-	50% - 64%	85% or better	
MERV 11	-	65% - 79%	85% or better	
MERV 12	-	80% - 89%	90% or better	
MERV 13	Less than 75%	90% or better	90% or better	Bacteria, Most Tobacco Smoke, Proplet Nuceli (sneeze)
MERV 14	75% - 84%	90% or better	90% or better	
MERV 15	85% - 94%	90% or better	90% or better	
MERV 16	95% or better	90% or better	90% or better	

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