First and only pre-packed columns for 1000L - 2000L bioreactor harvests

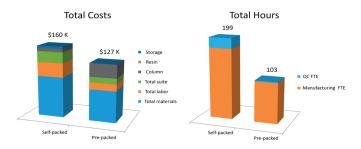


OPUS[®] 45cm and 60cm columns purify feed streams from production-scale bioreactors.

Specifically engineered to meet the requirements of large-scale bioreactors, OPUS[®] 45cm and 60cm columns match the performance of traditional self-packed columns while delivering the cost and labor savings expected from ready-to-use pre-packed columns.

Cost and labor savings

Over 19% cost savings and up to 50% labor savings were achieved when using OPUS® columns compared to traditional self-packed columns.

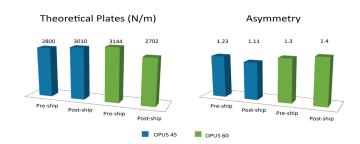


Assumptions: Glass column amortized over 20 campaigns, OPUS® 60 cm columns over 3 campaigns; 3 batches/campaign; 2 cycles/batch; 0 column repacks.

Physical Attributes					
	OPUS® 45	OPUS® 60			
Internal diameter	45.7 cm 59.9 cm				
Column body pressure ating	3 bar	3 bar			
Bed height range	5-30 cm	5-30 cm			
Column volume: 20 cm bed height	33 L	56 L			
Assembled column height	~ 90 cm	~ 92 cm			
Outer diameter (including caps)	54 cm	61 cm			
Inlet/Outlet flow path internal diameter	12.7mm (0.5 inches)	19.05 mm (0.75 inches)			
Inlet/ Outlet port connectors Per ASME BPE Standards, current ed.	Fractional tri-Clamp	1 inch tri-Clamp			
Estimated weight @ 20 cm BH	68 kg (150 lbs)	160 kg (350 lbs)			

Performance maintained after shipping

OPUS® columns are tested rigorously and shipped in crates that pass the International Safe Transit Authority's (ISTA) Procedure 2B.



Shipping tests include high temperature (38° C) and high humidity for 36 hours, low temperature (4° C) and low humidity for 36 hours, compression testing (381 kgs on top of crate), 2 hours of random vibrational testing, multiple drop tests.

Product Contact Materials and Certifications					
Component	Material	USP <88> Class	CFR 21 1 <i>77</i>	Animal Origin	
Column tube	70% w/w E-Glass/ PP engineered composite structure	Class VI	177.1520	Animal-free	
Flow distributors	Polypropylene	Class VI	177.1520	Animal-free	
Inlet & Outlet	Polypropylene	Class VI	177.1520	Animal-free	
Big support screens	Polypropylene	Class VI	177.1520	EMEA 410/01	
O-rings	Platinum-cured Silicone	Class VI	77.2600	Animal-free	
Return line	Platinum-cured Silicone	Class VI	77.2600	Animal-free	



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