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E-Drive Media: Optimized Filtration for Electric-Powered Equipment

Environmentally-friendly, electric-powered machines are becoming more viable and widespread, including in the field of hydraulics. To support this emerging green technology, Schroeder Industries has engineered the ideal filtration media which protects electric hydraulic systems while maintaining energy efficiency.

The Quest for Energy Efficient Electric Systems

Extended battery life is the the number one design challenge for all EV’s, and increasing hydraulic efficiency—and thus, energy efficiency—is critical for achieving better battery life. Filtration plays a key role in a hydraulic system’s efficiency, and E-Drive Media delivers by minimizing pressure drop across the hydraulic filter.

Cost Savings Through Pressure Drop Reduction

When the hydraulic circuit has an electric drive, reducing differential pressure takes priority. Differential Pressure describes the loss of available energy in a hydraulic system, which directly impacts battery life. A better filter housing and DP optimized element significantly reduce this loss. Even a relatively small pressure drop in a high horsepower system forces the pump/motor group to work harder to make up for the loss of energy.

This reduced efficiency leads to increased costs associated with battery usage. The graph below highlights how lowering pressure drop by even a few psi can save money:

![Electric Drive Savings through Pressure Drop Reduction](graph)

*Assuming electric driven operation at 65% efficiency. $ Savings based on energy cost of $0.15/kwh & ~6000 hours per year on an electric driven operation

Reduce Pressure Drop & Increase Energy Efficiency with E-Drive Media

E-Drive filter elements are made using an all-new specialty formulated, high efficiency, low differential pressure media. Filter elements built with all-new E-Drive media boast the lowest pressure drop at any given level of filtration, making them the best choice for battery drive hydraulic circuits. E-Drive filter elements are the ideal choice for hydraulic-drive motor-pump units, particularly in low-temperature conditions where cold start behavior occurs.

E-Drive Media Benefits At A Glance:

- Low pressure drop to maximize the energy efficiency of electric-powered systems
- Substantial cost savings due to increased energy efficiency
- May enable reduced horsepower requirements
- Superior filtration protects machine components and minimizes downtime for further cost savings

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Downstream Epoxy-Coated Wire Mesh

Downstream Scrim Layer

Specialty Low DP Filter Media

Upstream Scrim Layer

Upstream Epoxy-Coated Wire Mesh

Branded Plastic Outer Wrap

When tested against the typical synthetic microglass media currently available, our 10-micron Electric Drive Media element demonstrated a 68% lower pressure drop factor:

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- Element Collapse Rating: 145 psid (10 bar)
- Temperature Range: -32°F to 212°F (-30°C to 100°C)
- Flow Direction: Outside to Inside

E-Drive Media is currently rated for 10-micron filtration, with other micron options available in the near future.