

Whatman Nuclepore Track-Etched Membranes

Nuclepore Polycarbonate

Nuclepore Polyester

Product Information sheet

Introduction

Important

Read these instructions carefully before using the products.

Intended use

The products are intended for research use only, and shall not be used in any clinical or *in vitro* procedures for diagnostic purposes.

Membrane Information Guide

	Nuclepore™ (PC) Polycarbonate	Nuclepore (PE) Polyester
Orientation for Use	Use shiny side up ¹ Packaged shiny side down.	Use as packaged. Both sides are the same.
Hydrophilic	Yes	Yes
Wetting Agent	PVP (Polyvinylpyrrolidone) or PVP free	PVP (Polyvinylpyrrolidone) or PVP free
Autoclaving	Autoclavable 121°C	Autoclavable 121°C
Retractive Index	1.584, 1.625	1.55-1.66
Solvents for Dissolving Membranes	N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone Methylene chloride Chloroform	Hexafluoroisopropanol M-Cresol O-Chlorophenol Phenol tetrachloroethane (1:1)
Chemical Compatibility	See catalog Chemical Compatibility Chart	See catalog Chemical Compatibility Chart

¹ For microscopy.

Handling Tips:

1. To avoid contamination, use forceps when handling the membrane.
2. Do not touch the membrane with your fingers.
3. Remove the separator paper before before using the membrane.

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