



Ceramic Drinking Water Filter Candle

Preparing the Filter for use

Extreme cleanliness is important. Wear rubber gloves or wash your hands thoroughly before and after servicing the ceramic filter candle and take care to ensure that no contamination of the components occurs during assembly

Installation

- Place the sealing washer over the threaded mount
- Place the filter candle mount stem through the hole in the upper section of the housing and secure with a wing nut, ensuring a seal is made. Do not over tighten. Repeat for additional filters

Conditioning the Filter

When installing a new filter candle it is important to condition the filter with the incoming water using the following procedure:

- Ensure that the outlet tap is in the off position
- Fill the upper chamber with cold water and allow this to filter through to the lower section. It is recommended that this first supply of filtered water is thrown away, as it may contain material washed from the filter candles
- Fill the upper chamber again, open the outlet tap and, over the course of the next few hours, allow the water to run to waste until it is running clear.

The filter is now ready for use

PLEASE NOTE

- Super Sterasy® candles contain carbon granules and black particles may be seen in the water that first runs to waste. This is normal and will clear as the water runs
- If the filter is left to stand for more than 3 days without use, it is recommended that one litre of water be allowed to run to waste before using

Cleaning & Maintenance

Due to filtration of particulate contaminants from the water during use, the flow of water from the filter may reduce over a period of time

To restore the water flow to its normal level, remove the filter and rub the surface evenly with a clean abrasive kitchen pad under running water or in a bowl of water, ensuring that the open ended plastic mount is clear of the water, to avoid contamination. Never use soap or detergents

Replace the filter in the upper chamber, following the installation instructions above

