Steel Perforated Filter Return Grille (RSFA Filter)

**Application**
Perforated return filter grilles are used as return units that match the appearance of the supply outlets. They are well suited for locations where the occupant can see into the duct, and can be mounted on the wall or in the ceiling.

**Standard Features**
- Steel construction.
- Perforated face material is approximately 51% free area.
- Minimum grille size is 4” x 4”.
- Choice of 1” or 2” deep filter.
- Grille is attached to frame via full-length piano hinge.
- Grille is closed with knurled nut. (1/4 turn fastener available upon request.)
- Standard finish is electrocoat acrylic baked enamel.
- Standard color is #11 bright white.
- Choice of hinging along long or short side.
- Gasket around the edge of the mounting frame.

**Optional Features**
- Also available without filter clips (Opt. H or J).

**Sizing and Performance Notes**
- All grilles take the same filter size as grille nominal size, except as follows:

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**Model Numbering System**
- R - Register or Grille
- S - Steel Grille
- F - Perforated Return
- D - Piano Hinge (Knurled Nut Holds grille closed)
- Nom. Size +2-3/4”
- 1-5/8”
- 1-3/8”
- 1”
- 2-1/16”
- 1/4”
- 3/16”
- 1/8”
- 1/4”
- 3/16”
- Nom. Size +1/8”
- Nom. Size -1/8”
- Nom. Size +2-3/4”

**Design Series**
- 004 - 4” Minimum

**Fractional Size**
- 0 - 0” 1 - 1/8”
- 1 - 1/4” 3 - 3/8”
- 4 - 1/2” 5 - 5/8”
- 6 - 3/4” 7 - 7/8”

**Finish**
- 11 - Bright White (Default)
- 01 - Off-White
- 04 - Gray
## Multi-Panel Construction for the following Registers & Grilles

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### In-line Construction

- **W**: Over 72”
- **H**: Up to 36”
- Height: Up to 36”
- Width: Over 72”
- Three or more sections
- Any blade alignment

### Ganged Construction

- **W**: Over 72”
- **H**: Over 72”
- Height: Over 72”
- Width: Up to 36”
- Three or More Sections
- Any blade alignment

### Notes:
1. Maximum single panel width and height is 36” listed size regardless of blade alignment.
2. Panels are made in even inch increments unless specified otherwise.
3. Front blade alignment is as pictured.
4. Grille height & width dimensions shown are listed size dimensions.
5. Panel flanges are sheared and aligned with joining strips.

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### Joining Strips

- **1/2” (13)**
- **1/4” (6)**

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### Cross-Sectional View of Center Support with Grilles Attached

- **W**: 38” - 72”
- **H**: 38’ - 74”
- **W**: Up to 36”
- **H**: Over 72”

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- **Center Support installs flush with wall**
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In-Line Construction

- Height: Up to 36" - Width: Over 96" - Horizontal Blade Alignment - Three or More Sections
- Height: Up to 48" - Width: Over 72" - Vertical Blade Alignment - Three or More Sections
- Height: Over 72" - Width: Up to 48" - Horizontal Blade Alignment - Three or More Sections
- Height: Over 72" - Width: Over 96" - Vertical Blade Alignment - Three or More Sections

Notes:
1. Panels will be made in even inch increments unless specified otherwise.
2. Dimensions shown are listed size dimensions.
3. Maximum blade length on louvered face models is nominal 48".
4. Panels are sheared and aligned with joining strips.

Ganged Construction

Notes:
1. Either the vertical or horizontal joint can be sheared down, but not both.
2. Maximum single panel width is 48" listed size.
3. Maximum single panel height is 36" listed size.
4. Panels are made in even inch increments unless specified otherwise.
5. Blade alignment is always parallel to center support.
6. The center support can be aligned vertically or horizontally, depending on the blade alignment desired. It is shown here mounted horizontally.
7. Grille dimensions shown are listed size dimensions.
8. Joining strips are always sheared and aligned with joining strips.

Center Support Attachment to Wall Opening

Center Support install flush with wall

Cross-Sectional View of Center Support with Grilles Attached

Joining Strips

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Multi-Panel In-Line Construction

Notes:
1. Maximum single panel width and height is 48" nominal size, regardless of blade alignment.
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4. Grille dimensions shown are nominal dimensions.
5. Panel flanges are sheared and aligned with joining strips.

Multi-Panel Ganged Construction

Notes:
1. Maximum single panel width and height is 48" nominal size, regardless of blade alignment.
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3. Front blade alignment is always parallel to center support.
4. Either the vertical or horizontal joint can be sheared down, but not both.
5. The center support can be aligned vertically or horizontally, depending on blade alignment desired.
6. Grille dimensions shown are nominal dimensions.
All Sections of Butted Grilles or Registers will be made in Listed Sizes as Standard.

STANDARD REGISTERS AND GRILLES
Applies to all models except louvered return air registers and grilles and door partition grilles.
Registers and grilles over 36” x 36” butting two or more grilles together.

GRILLES AND REGISTERS HAVING FOUR SECTIONS AND OVER

NOTES:
Extruded aluminum supporting members with mounting angles, are furnished where required.
Center support may run vertically or horizontally, depending upon combination of grilles used.
Combination of panels will be furnished to fit duct opening with satisfactory clearance.
### Screw Hole Locations for the following Registers & Grilles

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**Notes:**
- Screw holes on the face are standard on Registers and Grilles.
- Steel R&G can be ordered without screw holes, for use with concealed hangers (Opt. N).
- The screw holes is 5/32" in diameter.
- Each Register or Grille is provided with the appropriate number of screws as standard.
- The standard screw is #8 x 1-1/4" pan head screw, with a flat blade head.
- Tamper-proof screws are available as an option (Opt. B).

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#### Nominal Size Plus 2"

![Diagram for One Screw hole per Side](image)

**One Screw hole per Side**

Nominal Size Range 4" through 18".

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#### Two Screw holes per Side

![Diagram for Two Screw holes per Side](image)

**Two Screw holes per Side**

Nominal Size Range 19" through 31".

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#### Three Screw holes per Side

![Diagram for Three Screw holes per Side](image)

**Three Screw holes per Side**

Nominal Size Range 32" through 48".