

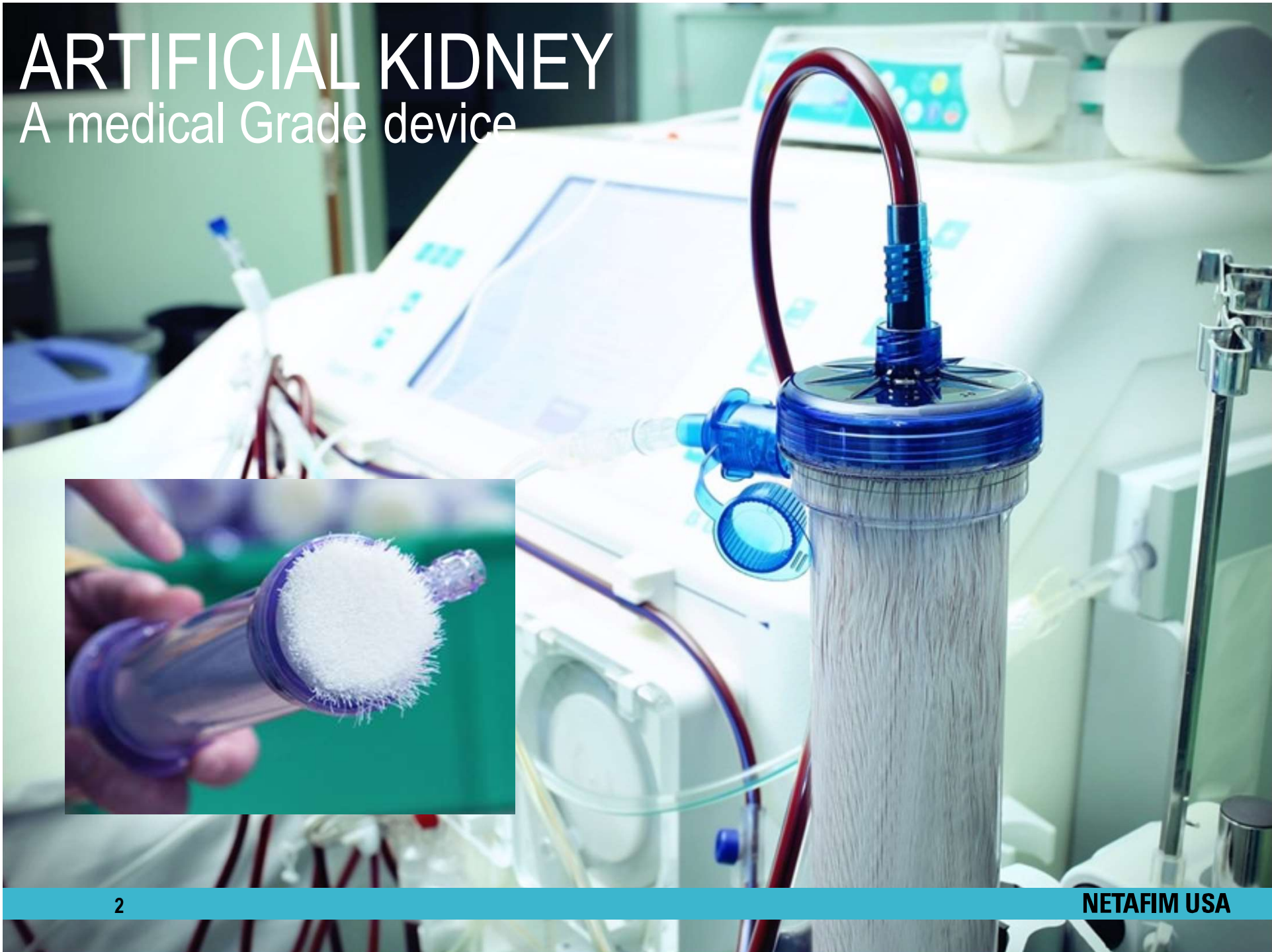
Netafim Ultra Filtration

Nutrient Recapture and Recycling

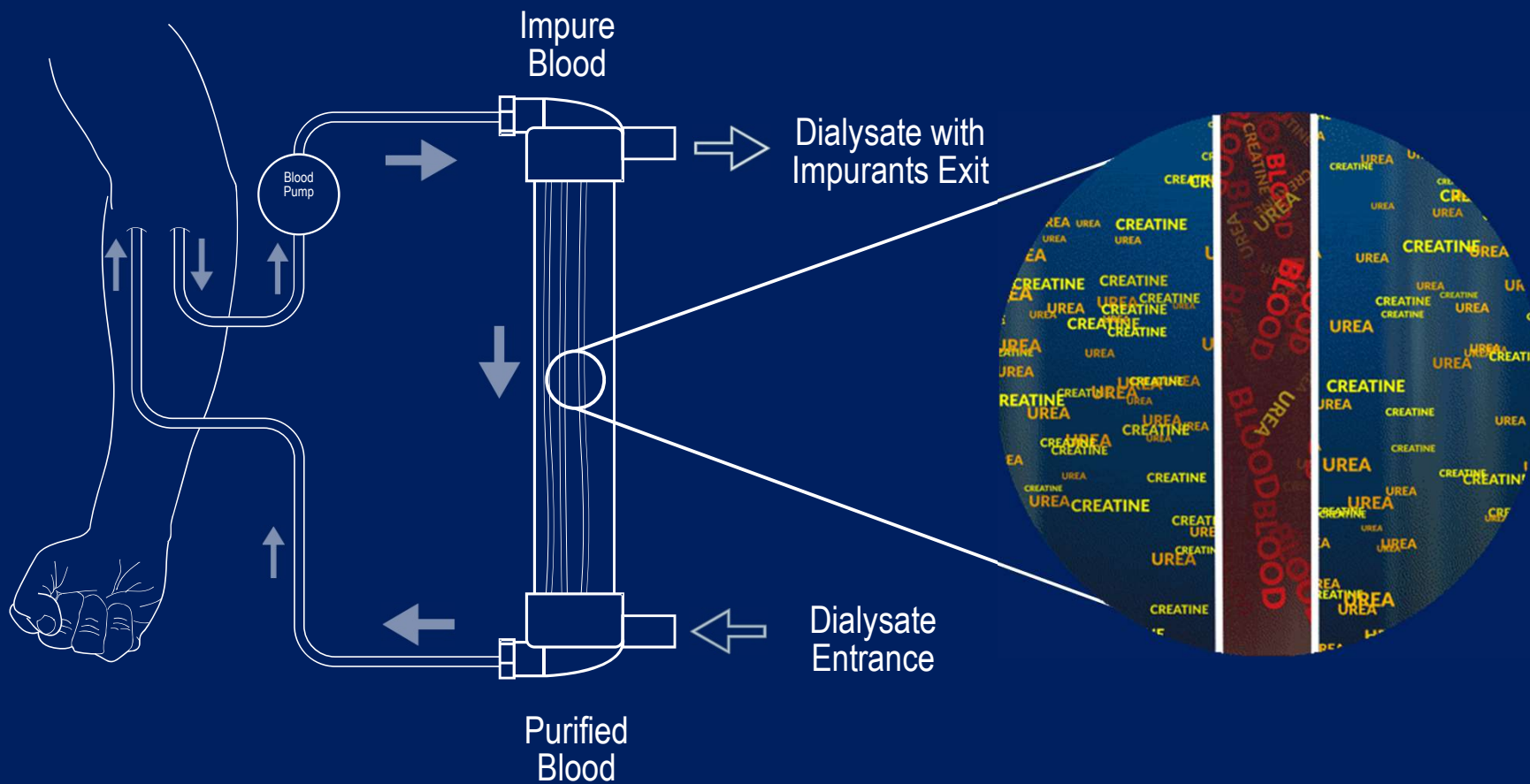


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A medical Grade device



From a MEDICAL DEVICE USED FOR HEMODIALYSIS



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Class

(54) **DEVICE AND METHOD FOR WATER FILTRATION USING RECYCLED MEDICAL FILTERS**

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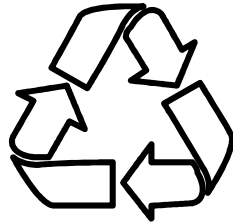
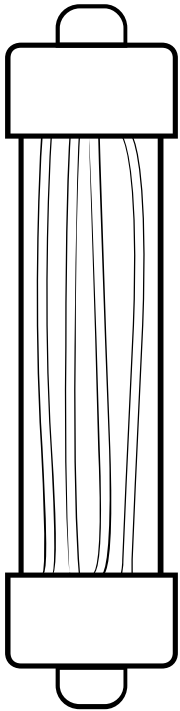
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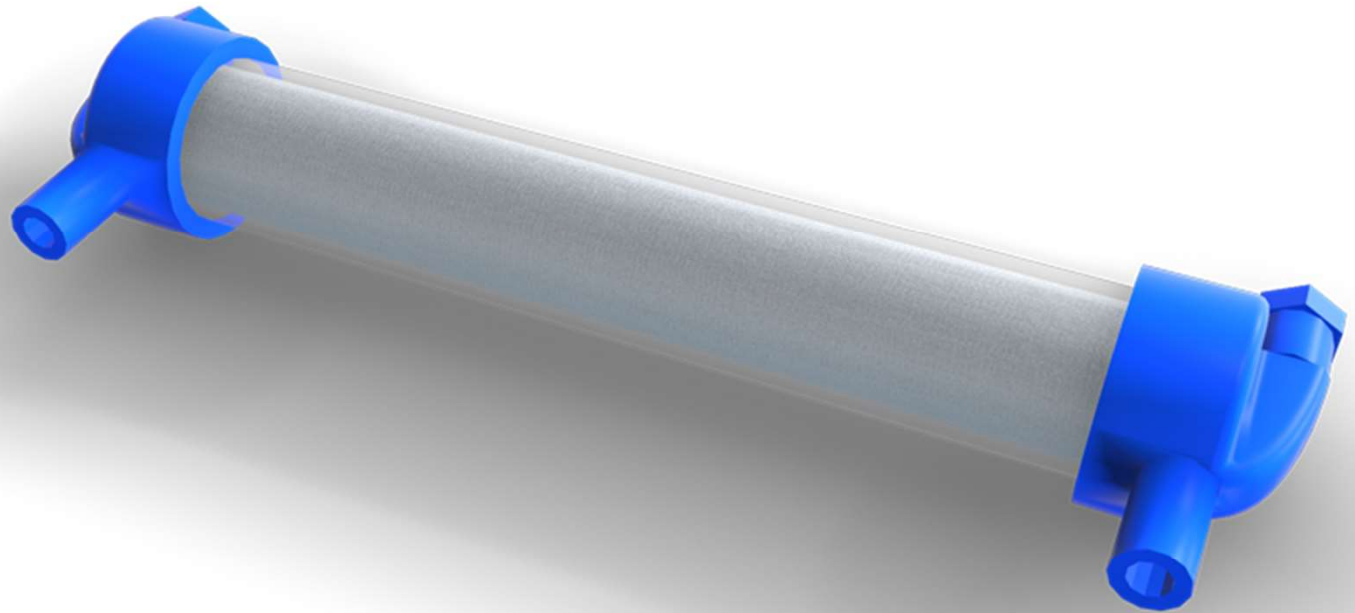
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Reprocessing by
sterilization as
per ANSI / AAMI
standard



From a medical grade device

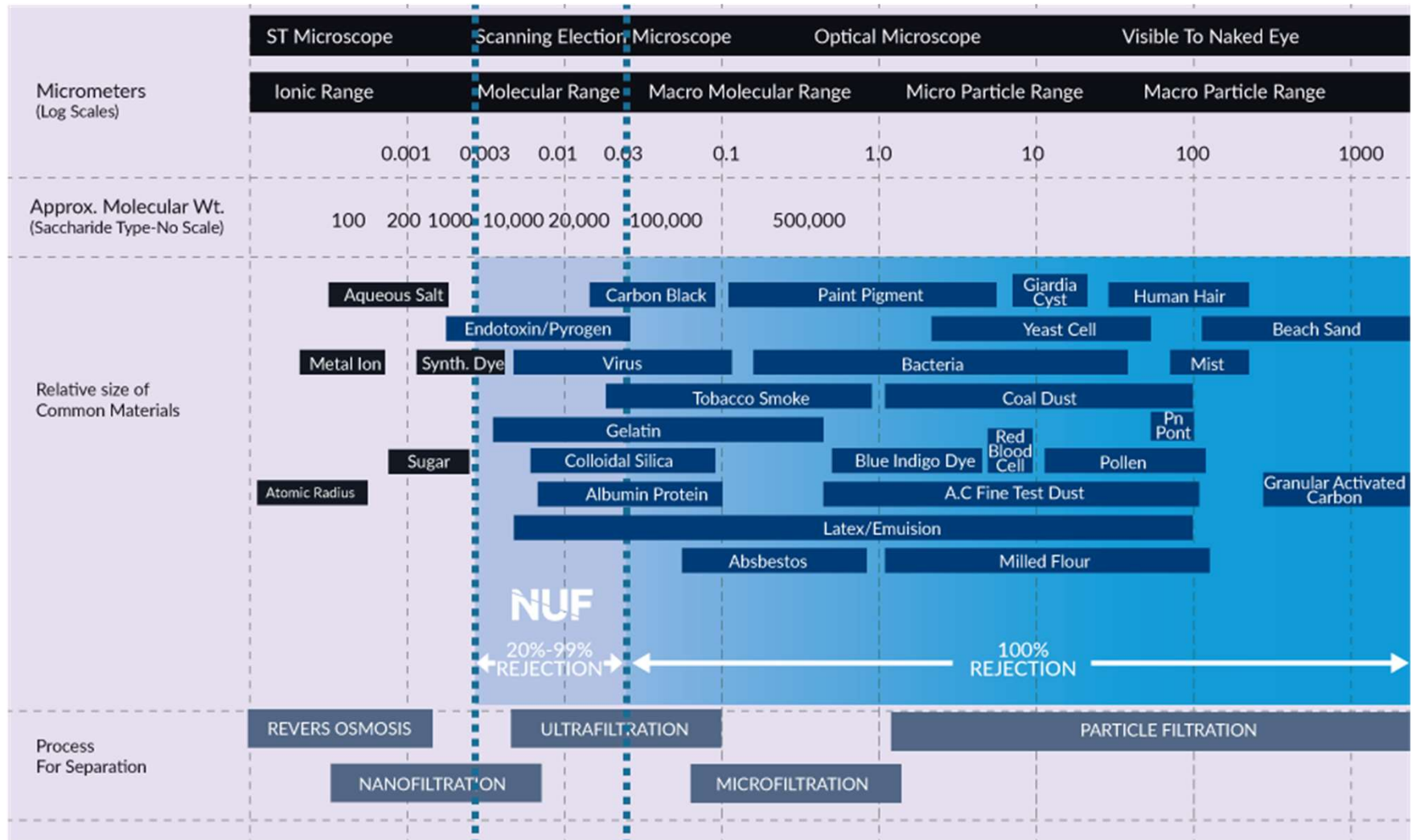


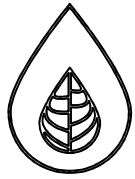
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MEMBRANE CHARACTERISTICS

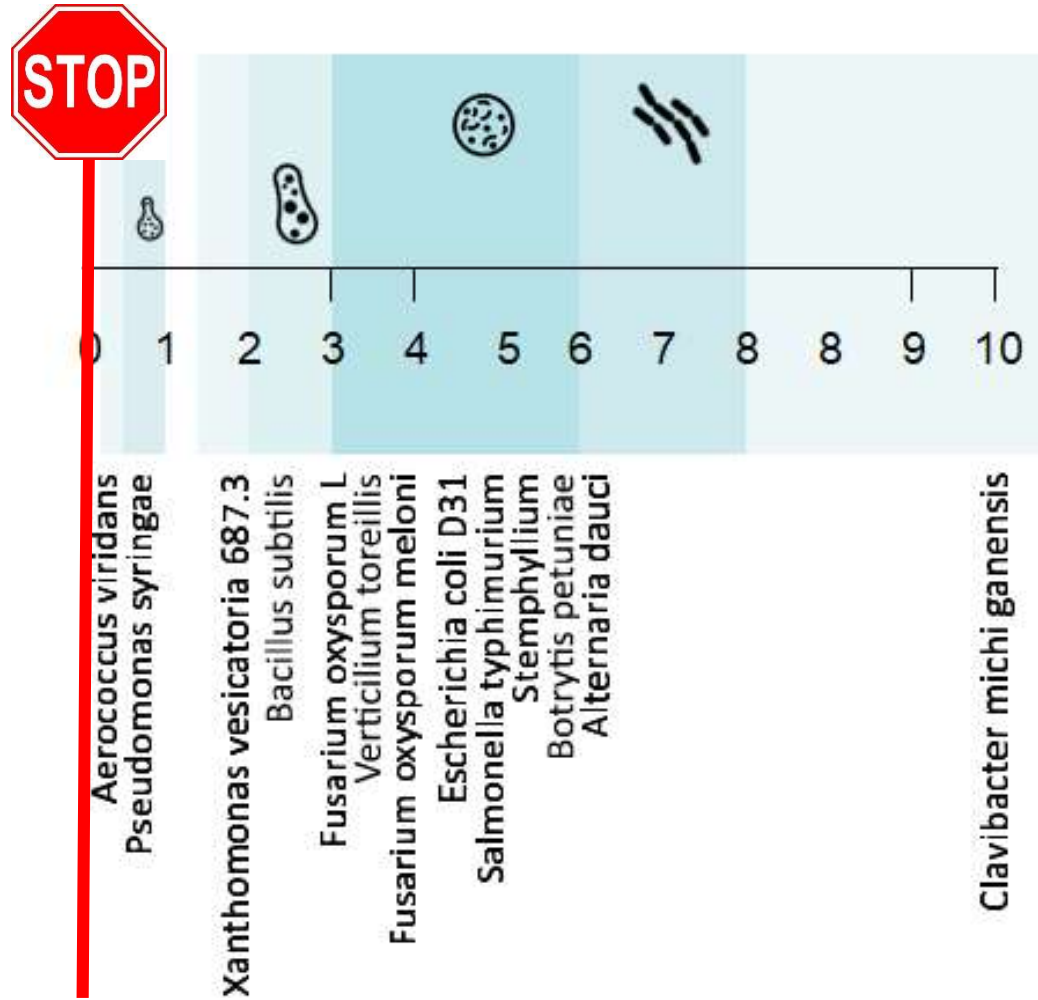
- ABSOLUTE filtration rate of 30 nm => 0.03 MICRONS
- Smooth membrane surface => low fouling and extremely easy to clean
- Robust: more than 3 years of continuous operation (and going on)
- Easy scalability : 8.33GPM, 20GPM, 40GPM

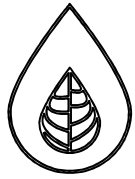
ON THE FILTRATION SPECTRUM





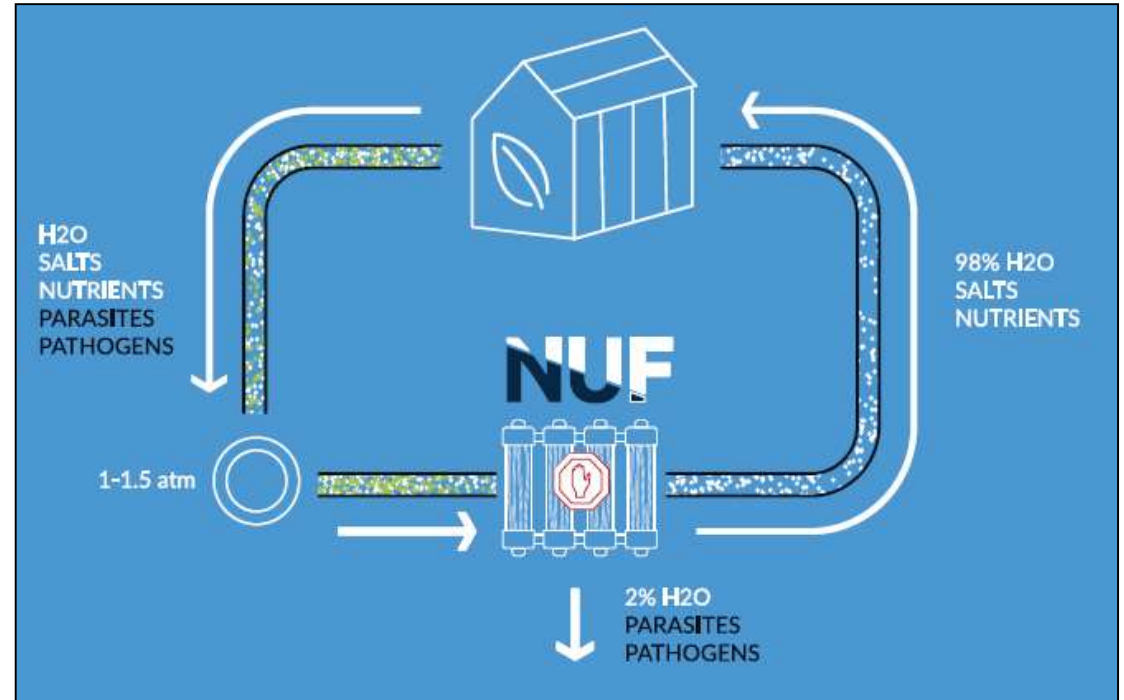
REMOVAL OF PLANT PATHOGENS

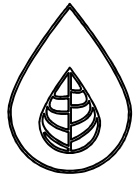




Nutrient water re-use

- ✓ Re-use 98% of nutrient water
- ✓ Remove pathogens
- ✓ Keep fertilizers and micro elements in-tact
- ✓ Without using chemical, thermal, or biological treatment
- ✓ Minimal, almost no-cost, energy requirements





COMPARE TO OTHER METHODS



UV

Statistical pathogen removal.
Performance deteriorates with turbidity.
Change structure of water contents.
Electric consumption.

OZONE



Decrease of pH to 4
Concentration of ozone
Algae formation
Not possible to process automatically

Heating



Decrease of pH to 4
High costs of energy and maintenance

Bio sand filter



Limited application (selective disinfection)
Small volumes
Maintenance intensive (tanks)

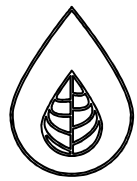


ECA

At increase of disease pressure - no automatic adjustment possible



- Absolute Pathogen removal
Regardless of water turbidity
- Does not change the water composition and does not harm the nutrients in the water
- Chemical free
- More efficient and cost-effective than any other solution
- Simple, safe for usage and long lasting



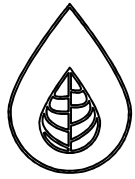
CASE STUDIES

Greenhouse water re-use – Israel

For over 20 years SHEFER NURSERY were re-using water in their 10 Ha nursery, first using UV treatment for a decade, then switching to Thermal treatment in order to reduce running & operational costs.

SHEFER NURSERY is now using NUF™ membranes for 2 years, cutting the running-costs by more than 80%, without compromising on results.



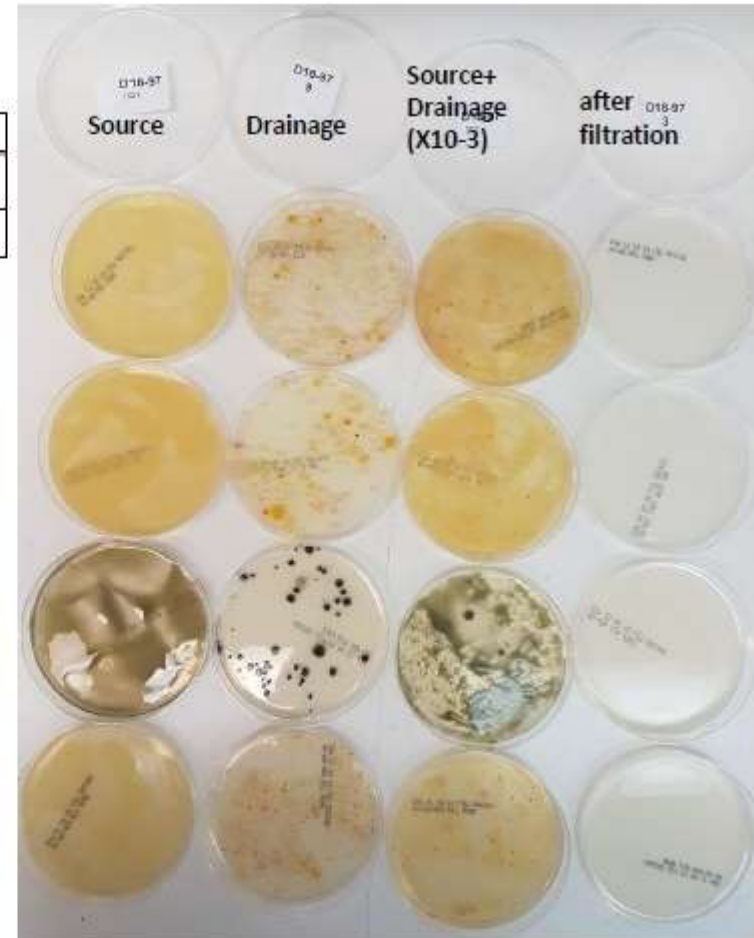


Tests (by a top 10 seed-company)

CMM

Clavibacter michiganensis sp. *michiganensis*

Treatment	Cmm	
Source	+++	
after filtration	-	clear



Local Grower: Drain Pickup



Local Grower: Holding Area



Local Grower: Nutrient Room



Local Grower: Ultra Filtration



THANK YOU

