



Gravity Style Filtration Competitive Product Comparison

RapidPure Explorer 2in1 UltraCeram Purifier System
Two world-class purifier systems in one!
Explorer AND Trail Blazer Gravity System now together in one convenient package!



Explorer Mode (9L)



Trail Blazer Mode (9L)



Katadyn Base Camp Filter (10L)



Platypus Gravity Works™ Filter (4L)



Sawyer Complete Water Treatment Filter (4L)



LifeStraw Mission Gravity Water Purifier (5L)

	UltraCeram Purification 99.9999% / 6-log*	Ceramic Depth Filtration (0.2 Microns)	Hollow Fiber (0.2 Microns)	Hollow Fiber (0.1 Microns)	Ultrafiltration Membrane (0.02 Microns)
Pathogen Reduction Effect	Viruses 99.9999% Cyst/Protozoa 99.9998% Bacteria 99.9999%	Virus Reduction 0% Cyst/Protozoa 99.9% Bacteria 99.9999%	Virus 0% Cyst/Protozoa 99.9% Bacteria 99.9999%	Virus 0% Cyst/Protozoa 99.9% Bacteria 99.9999%	Virus 99.999% Cyst/Protozoa 99.9% Bacteria 99.9999%
Output	FAST. 4.1 L/Min	Average. 2.0 L/Min	Average. 1.75 L/Min	Low Average. 1.36 L/Min	Poor. 0.2 L/Min
Weight	18.5 oz. (Explorer Mode) / 11.0 oz. (Trail Blazer Mode)	21.87 oz.	10.55 oz.	18.0 oz.	13.0 oz.
Activated Carbon	✓	NO	NO	NO	NO
Silver Infused	✓	NO	NO	NO	NO
Industry Std. Life ¹	Irrelevant (See below)	1,500 Liters	1,500 Liters	"100,000+ gallons claimed"	18,000 liters
Real World Life ¹	250 - 2,000 gallons or 945 - 7,500 Liters	No Data Listed	No Data Listed	No Data Listed	No Data Listed
3rd Party Tested ²	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Environmental Impact	Excellent. Replace Purifier element only.	Excellent. Replace filter element only.	Fair. Replace housing as well as filter.	Fair. Replace housing as well as filter.	Poor. Disposable unit.
Freeze Resistant	✓	NO	NO	NO	NO
MSRP Retail	\$139.99	\$99.95	\$119.95	\$139.95	\$119.95
Replacement Purifier Element	INCLUDED FREE \$49.99	\$39.95	\$54.95	\$77.28	NO
Effective Against					
Viruses	✓	NO	NO	NO	✓
Bacteria	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cysts	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Algae	✓	✓	Not Specified	Not Specified	Not Specified
Spores	✓	✓	Not Specified	Not Specified	Not Specified
Particulate	✓	✓	Not Specified	Not Specified	Not Specified
Chlorine	✓	NO	NO	NO	NO
Taste and Odors	✓	NO	NO	NO	NO
Tannins	✓	NO	NO	NO	Not Specified
Humic Acid	✓	NO	NO	NO	Not Specified
Bromine (Carbon)	✓	NO	NO	NO	Not Specified
Iodine	✓	NO	NO	NO	Not Specified
DNA/RNA	✓	NO	NO	NO	Not Specified

Competitor information sourced from readily available public documents and believed accurate at time of printing.

Do you want to purify your water or merely filter it?

Comparison of Reduction of Viruses, Bacteria and Protozoan Cysts like Cryptosporidium and Giardia

RapidPure Water Purifier with UltraCeram	Standard Water Filters
99.9999% Reduction of Bacteria	MICRO-FILTRATION 99.9999% Reduction of Bacteria
99.9980% Reduction of Protozoa	99.9% Reduction of Protozoa
99.9999% Virus Reduction	0% Virus Reduction

So, what's it mean?
RapidPure Water Purifiers with UltraCeram are up to **100x BETTER AT REDUCING CONTAMINENTS!**



A COMMENT ON FILTER LIFE
Tap water is used by many in the industry to project exaggerated claims for longevity.
RapidPure Purifiers can last as long or longer than plain filters in **REAL WORLD** conditions.
RapidPure publishes conservative **REAL WORLD** numbers: 25 to 125 gallons for Pioneer/Intrepid Water Bottle/ Scout/Universal Purifier and 250 to 2,000 Gallons for the Explorer 2in1 System.
RapidPure Purifiers provide superior pathogen protection and can be used after freezing - filters can't.
RapidPure **SAFER FASTER EASIER**

RapidPure's Carbon and Silver Bonus Water Treatment
RapidPure purifiers are infused with Activated Carbon and Silver. Silver is a self-sanitizing agent that kills the retained protozoa, bacteria, viruses, and cysts. Activated Carbon reduces any unpleasant odor and improves the taste of the water.
1) Tap water is the standard utilized to rate the capacity of water filters/purifiers and can provide a misleading indication of actual usable filter life in the field. Real world conditions can vary greatly. Our testing has found that when using the same source of water supply, RapidPure will flow faster, capture more contaminants, and often will last as long or longer than the competition.
2) BCS Laboratories is RapidPure's 3rd party independent test lab: FL DOH Lab ID: E82924, EPA ID: FL01147. File: RapidPure 2.5 Filters Microbial Removal Efficacy Study Report: BCS1401004.docx