

What is PFAS?

Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances, also known as PFAS or “forever chemicals”, are chemicals that have been utilized by industries worldwide since the 1940’s. Scientific studies have confirmed that PFAS present in the environment can be harmful to humans and animals.

There are thousands of PFAS; some have been more widely used and studied than others. PFAS can be present in drinking water, food, food packaging, consumer products, biosolids, waste sites, fire extinguisher foam, and facilities.

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has been leading the effort in the United States to study, identify, and regulate PFAS to protect our environment and people.

Aeroflex USA recently submitted our products to a third party test lab to analyze PFAS per ASTM standards. We are pleased to report that AEROFLEX EPDM™ closed-cell elastomeric insulation is free of PFAS chemicals.

To view our EPA certification, click [here](#).

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