

# Recommendations for Filter/Dryers in Pharmaceutical Applications

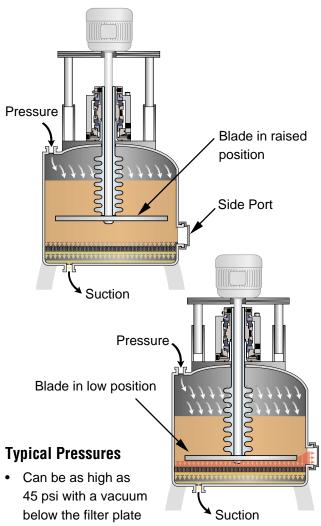
### Filter - Filter solids out of slurry

### Typical Filter

- · Filter is charged with slurry
- Pressure is added on top, and vacuum to bottom discharge, driving liquid through filter plate
- · Filtrate is removed through bottom flange port
- Blade can be dropped to its low position when different liquid is added to mix with remaining solids, or when mixing of slurries is required
- Slurry can be filtered again
- Blade can be lowered to smooth the remaining solids, or to pack the solids
- The blade can be plunged into the solids to push them out the side port



Filter/Dryer with bottom discharge manufactured by 3V COGEIM S.P.A.



# **Typical Temperatures**

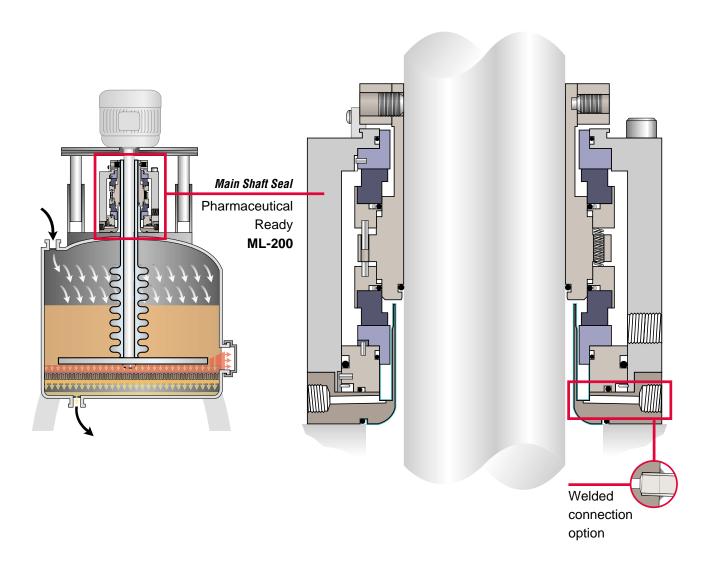
• Can be as high as 250° F

## **Typical Operating Cycle**

- Charge Slurry
- Pressurize and heat
- Drop blade into slurry, mix
- Vacuum on bottom discharge to collect filtrate
- Remix solids with another liquid
- · Filter again
- Remove solids out side discharge

### **Flowserve Seals**

Double dry running mechanical Slurry seals such as MD-200, or ML-200 have become the standard for this equipment.



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