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Model: FM-15RA

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Culligan FM-15RA is a replacement filter cartridge designed for use with the Culligan FM-15A faucet-mount filtration system. This advanced filter is engineered to improve water quality by reducing various contaminants and enhancing taste.

Culligan®

DRINKING WATER

FAUCET MOUNT Replacement Cartridge



FILTER LIFE* 2 MONTHS/200 GAL.

FM-15RA

Better Taste & Reduced Odor

Fits: FM-15A



FM-15RA IS TESTED AND CERTIFIED
BY NSF INTERNATIONAL



HELPS REDUCE
BOTTLE WATER WASTE

REPLACEMENT ELEMENT

* Filter must be maintained according to manufacturer's recommendations, including changing of cartridges.

Image 1.1: Culligan FM-15RA Replacement Filter Cartridge.

Key Features:

- Reduces atrazine, chlorine, lead, lindane, sediment, and turbidity.
- Removes bad taste and odor from water.
- Provides up to 2 months or 200 gallons of filtered water, depending on usage.
- Certified by IAPMO against ANSI Standard 42 and 53 for performance.
- Designed for easy, tool-free installation.

2. COMPATIBILITY

This FM-15RA replacement filter cartridge is specifically designed for use with the **Culligan FM-15A Faucet Mount Filter System**. Ensure your existing system is the FM-15A model for proper fit and filtration performance.

3. INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps to replace your Culligan FM-15RA filter cartridge. No special tools are required for this process.

1. **Turn off Water Supply:** Locate the cold water shut-off valve under your sink and turn it off to prevent water flow to the faucet.
2. **Remove Old Cartridge:** Twist the old filter cartridge counter-clockwise to unlock it from the faucet mount system. Gently pull it downwards to remove.
3. **Prepare New Cartridge:** Unpack the new Culligan FM-15RA replacement cartridge. Ensure the O-rings are properly seated.



Image 3.1: New Culligan FM-15RA filter cartridge ready for installation.

4. **Install New Cartridge:** Align the new cartridge with the faucet mount system. Push it upwards and twist clockwise until it locks securely into place. You should feel a click or firm resistance.
5. **Restore Water Supply:** Turn the cold water shut-off valve back on.
6. **Flush Filter:** Turn on the filtered water setting on your faucet mount system and let water run for approximately 5 minutes to flush out any carbon fines and air. This ensures optimal performance and taste.
7. **Check for Leaks:** Inspect the connection points for any signs of leaks. If leaks occur, ensure the cartridge is properly seated and tightened.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Once installed, operate your Culligan FM-15A faucet mount system as per its original instructions to dispense filtered water. The FM-15RA cartridge works automatically to filter water when the system is engaged.



Image 4.1: Enjoying clean, filtered water.

5. MAINTENANCE

Filter Replacement Schedule:

The Culligan FM-15RA filter cartridge has a life expectancy of up to **2 months or 200 gallons**, whichever comes first. Filter life may vary based on water quality and usage. It is recommended to replace the cartridge when:

- The flow rate of filtered water significantly decreases.
- You notice a return of unpleasant tastes or odors in the filtered water.
- The filter life indicator on your FM-15A system (if equipped) signals replacement.

Regular replacement ensures continuous access to high-quality filtered water and optimal performance of your filtration system.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Slow water flow from filter	Clogged filter cartridge due to sediment buildup.	Replace the filter cartridge. Ensure proper flushing after installation.
Unpleasant taste or odor in filtered water	Filter cartridge has reached the end of its life or is not properly installed.	Replace the filter cartridge. Re-check installation to ensure a secure fit.
Water leaking from faucet mount system	Cartridge not seated correctly or O-rings are damaged/misplaced.	Turn off water supply, remove and re-install the cartridge, ensuring it is twisted securely. Check O-rings for damage.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Model Number: FM-15RA

Product Dimensions: 2.5"D x 2.5"W x 4.75"H

Item Weight: 4 ounces

Filter Life: Up to 2 months or 200 gallons

Certifications: IAPMO tested and certified against ANSI Standard 42 and 53

Included Components: 1 water filter cartridge

Compatibility: Culligan FM-15A Faucet Mount Filter System

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information or technical support regarding your Culligan FM-15RA replacement filter cartridge or the FM-15A faucet mount system, please refer to the documentation included with your original faucet mount system or visit the official Culligan website. You may also contact Culligan customer service directly for assistance.

Culligan Official Website: www.culligan.com

