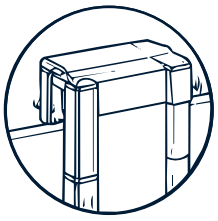
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IS YOUR HANG-ON FILTER NOISY OR RATTLING?

Troubleshoot your hang-on filter with these 5 quick checks.

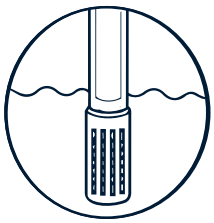
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CHECK THE POSITION

Make sure the filter is securely hanging on the tank and isn't loose or vibrating against the glass.

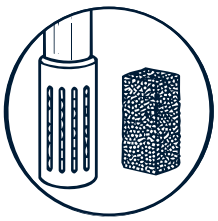
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CHECK THE WATER LEVEL

Ensure the water level is high enough so the intake is fully submerged. A low water level can cause noisy operation.

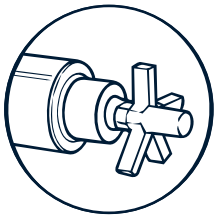
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CHECK THE INTAKE

Remove and clean the intake and sponge. Debris or blockages can restrict flow and cause rattling or excessive noise.

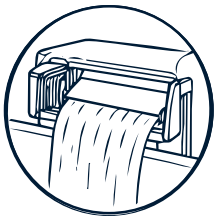
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CHECK THE IMPELLER

Unplug the filter, remove the impeller and clean away any debris. Check it spins freely and isn't worn or damaged.

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CHECK THE OUTLET

Make sure the outlet and spillway aren't blocked and water can flow freely back into the tank. Adjust the flow if needed.