

VITREX



## Veterinary Sutures & Bottles



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## **When experience matters**

Our veterinary sutures are manufactured in line with state of the art technology. Each individual production process is subject to strict scientific quality control.

Continuous inspection of both mechanical and microbiological characteristics is given top priority. We have more than 90 years of experience in manufacturing surgical sutures.

Our team understands the specific needs of medical professionals by providing them with access to the most complete portfolio of surgical sutures.

The result is the current modern product range of absorbable and non-absorbable sutures, which consists of more than 1500 individual surgical suture products.

Production takes place in accordance with GMP guidelines, and a comprehensive quality management system in line with ISO 13485 has been implemented.

All products have been CE marked since 1999.



## Veterinary Sutures - Absorbable threads

### CHIRASORB rapid braided

Intended for use in Skin Closure, Gynaecology, Ophthalmic and Oral surgery.



Composition	Colour	Range	Characteristics
Braided and coated suture made from 90% glycolide and 10% L-lactide	Violet and Natural	6/0 to 2 USP	Absorbable, multifilament, coated, synthetic, high tensile strength, reduced capillary effect, short-term healing

### CHIRLAC rapid braided

Intended for use in Skin Closure, Gynaecology, Ophthalmic and Oral surgery.



Composition	Colour	Range	Characteristics
Braided and coated suture made of Polyglycolic acid (PGA)	Violet and Natural	6/0 to 4 USP	Absorbable, multifilament, coated, synthetic, high tensile strength, reduced capillary effect, short-term healing

### MONOLAC monofilament

Intended for use in Skin Closure, Mucosa, Gynaecology, Urology and Gastrointestinal tract surgery.



Composition	Colour	Range	Characteristics
Monofilament suture made of Glycolide and ε-caprolactone	Violet and Natural	6/0 to 2 USP	Absorbable, monofilament, synthetic, high tensile strength, excellent handling properties, mid-term healing

### CHIRASORB braided

Intended for use in Skin Closure, Ligation, Abdominal Wall, Gynaecology, Urology and Ophthalmic surgery.



Composition	Colour	Range	Characteristics
Braided and coated suture made from 90% glycolide and 10% L-lactide	Violet and Natural	10/0 to 6 USP	Absorbable, multifilament, coated, synthetic, high tensile strength, reduced capillary effect, mid-term healing

### CHIRASORB Plus braided Antibacterial

Intended for use in Skin Closure, Ligation, Abdominal Wall, Gynaecology, Urology and Ophthalmic surgery.



Composition	Colour	Range	Characteristics
Antibacterial, braided and coated suture made from 90% glycolide, 10% L-lactide and chlorhexidine diacetate	Violet and Natural	5/0 to 4 USP	Absorbable, multifilament, anti-bacterial coating, synthetic, high tensile strength, reduced capillary effect, mid-term healing

**CHIRLAC braided**

Intended for use in Skin Closure, Ligation, Abdominal Wall, Gynaecology, Urology and Ophthalmic surgery.



Composition	Colour	Range	Characteristics
Braided and coated suture made of Polyglycolic acid (PGA)	Violet and Natural	9/0 to 6 USP	Absorbable, multifilament, coated, synthetic, high tensile strength, reduced capillary effect, mid-term healing

**POLYDOX monofilament**

Intended for use in Abdominal Wall Closure, Traumatology and Orthopaedics surgery.



Composition	Colour	Range	Characteristics
Monofilament suture made of Poly-p-dioxanone	Violet	7/0 to 4 USP	Absorbable, monofilament, synthetic, high tensile strength, excellent knotting properties, long-term healing

VITREX MEDICAL SUTURES	Strength Retention profile	Tensile Strength	Absorption time
CHIRASORB RAPID BRAIDED	SHORT-TERM HEALING 1 day 100% 5 days 50% 10 - 14 days 0%	12 days	42 days
CHIRLAC RAPID BRAIDED	SHORT-TERM HEALING 1 day 100% 5 days 60% 10 - 14 days 0%	12 days	42 days
MONOLAC MONOFILAMENT	MID-TERM HEALING 1 day 100% 7 days 60% 14 days 30% 28 days 0% (natural) (violet)	30 days	90 - 120 days
CHIRASORB BRAIDED	MID-TERM HEALING 1 day 100% 14 days 75% 21 days 50% 30 days 25% 56 - 70 days 0%	35 days	56 - 70 days
CHIRASORB PLUS BRAIDED	MID-TERM HEALING 1 day 100% 14 days 75% 21 days 50% 56 - 70 days 0%	35 days	56 - 70 days
CHIRLAC BRAIDED	MID-TERM HEALING 1 day 100% 14 days 65% - 75% 21 days 45% - 50% 80 - 90 days 0%	28 - 35 days	80 - 90 days
POLYDOX MONOFILAMENT	LONG-TERM HEALING 1 day 100% 45 days 50% 180 - 240 days 0%	90 - 98 days	180 - 240 days

## Veterinary sutures - Non-absorbable threads

### CHIRALEN monofilament

Intended for use in Skin Closure, Hernias, Tendons, Vessels and Capsular suturing.



### SILON monofilament

Intended for use in Skin Closure and Fixation of Drains / Catheters.

Composition	Colour	Range	Characteristics
Monofilament suture from Polyamide 6 and 6/6 Nylon	Blue and Black	11/0 to 3,5 USP	Non-absorbable, monofilament, synthetic, very smooth, excellent knotting properties. easy to handle, loss of tensile strength after long time implantation

### TERVALON braided

Intended for use in Skin Closure and Vascular surgery.

Composition	Colour	Range	Characteristics
Braided and coated suture made of Polyester	Green and White	6/0 to 6 USP	Non-absorbable, multifilament, synthetic, high tensile strength, no capillary effect, well tolerated by the tissue, low friction

### SILON braided

Intended for use in Skin Closure, Drain Fixation and Dental surgery.

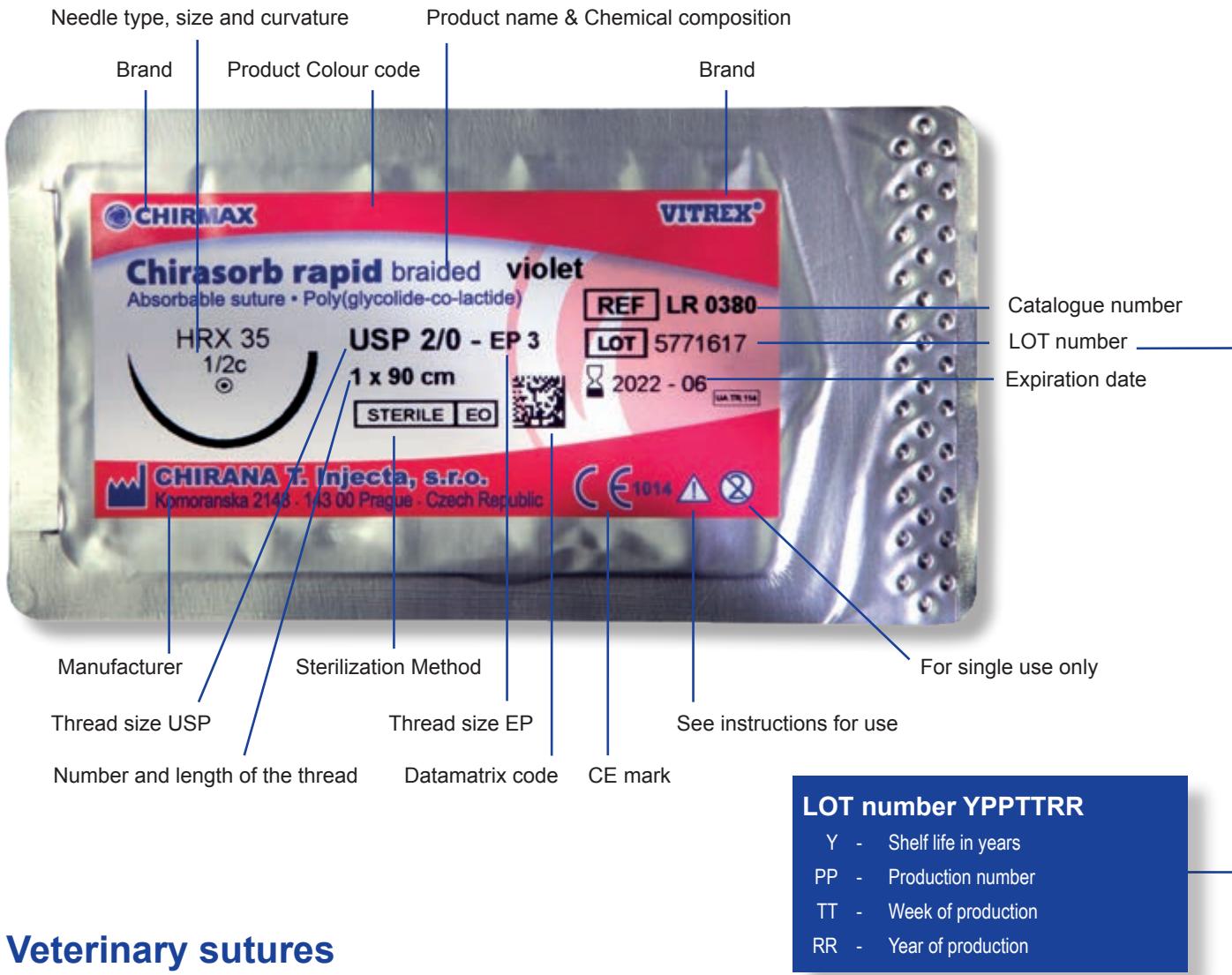
Composition	Colour	Range	Characteristics
Braided suture made of Polyamide	White and Black	5/0 to 5 USP	Non-absorbable, multifilament, synthetic, high tensile strength, excellent knotting properties, loss of tensile strength after long-term implantation

### SILK braided

Intended for use in Dental and Vascular surgery.

Composition	Colour	Range	Characteristics
Braided and coated suture made of Silk	Black	9/0 to 5 USP	Non-absorbable, multifilament, synthetic, no capillary effect, loss of tensile strength after long-term implantation

# Labeling and Packaging



# Veterinary sutures

## Delivery forms

The packaging of Vitrex's suture material is stable, friendly-use and functional. It provides optimal mechanical and bacterial safety. The sutures are ready for use in a sterile foil or aluminium pack.

Each sales unit contains 24 individual packs.

## Vitrex ligatures

Pre-cut length sutures.

## Vitrex atraumatic sutures

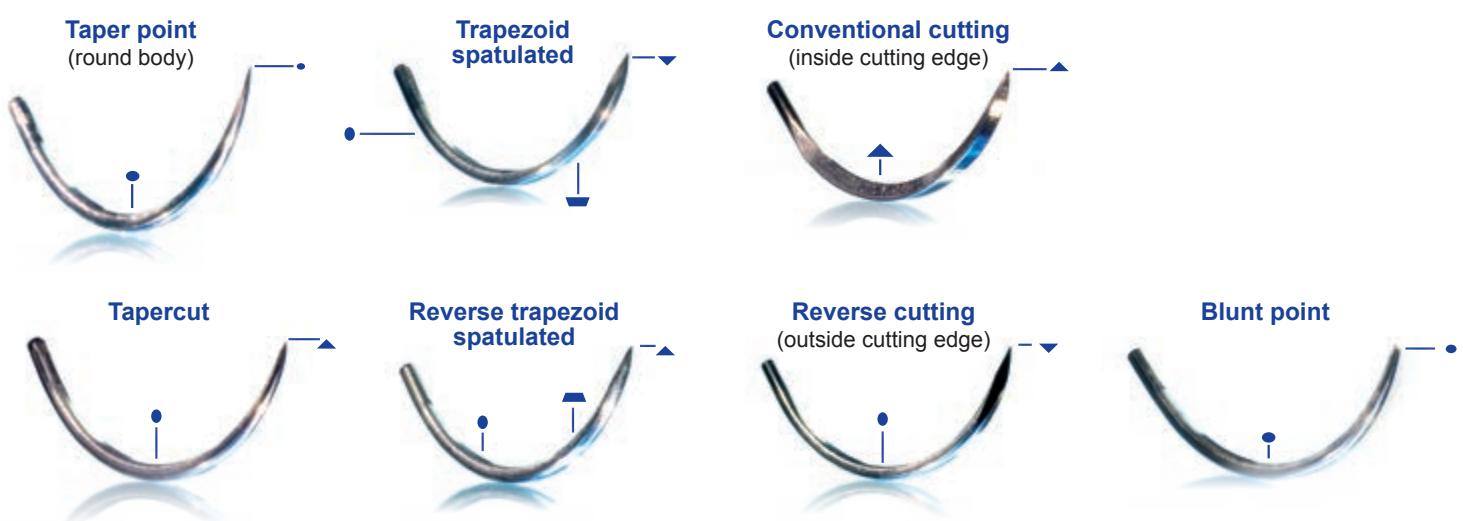
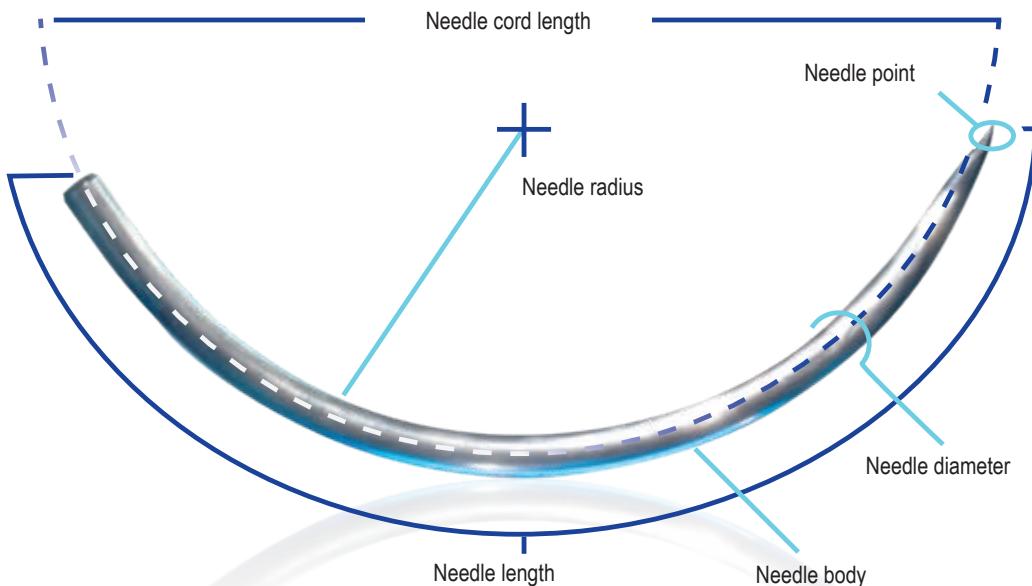
Pre-cut length sutures, armed with a drilled end needle, or a removable needle.

## Vitrex bottles

Vitrex Veterinary Sutures offers a comprehensive selection of bottles specially designed for veterinary usage. The bottles are available in lengths between 15 meter and 300 meter.

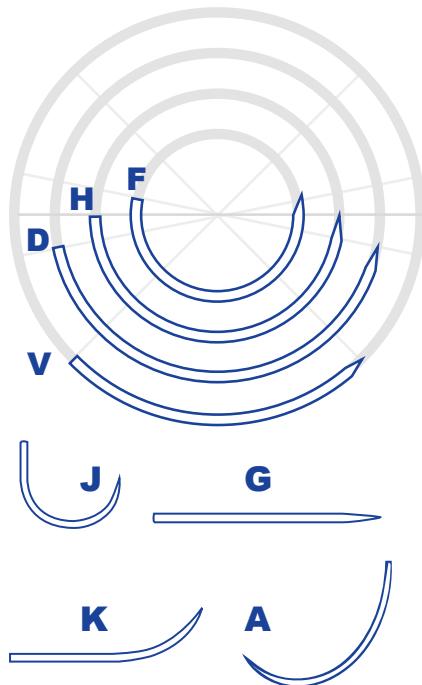


# Veterinary Sutures - Needle geometry



Needle Curvature	Needle Body	Needle Point	Speciality
<b>V</b> - 1/4	<b>R</b> - Round body	<b>T</b> - Tapercut	<b>S</b> - Slim, rectangular body
<b>H</b> - 1/2	<b>S</b> - Reverse cutting	<b>N</b> - Blunt	<b>A</b> - Take-off needle
<b>D</b> - 3/8	<b>SC</b> - Conventional cutting	<b>M</b> - Micropoint	<b>X</b> - Extra strong needle
<b>F</b> - 5/8	<b>LZ</b> - Spatula		<b>Black</b> - Black needle
<b>J</b> - Hook	<b>RF</b> - Round, flattened body		
<b>A</b> - Asymmetric			
<b>K</b> - Ski			
<b>G</b> - Straight			

## Veterinary Sutures - Needle geometry



### Needle curvature

<b>F</b>	5/8 circle	Anal region, Nasal cavity, Urogenital tract, Pelvic region or other confined spaces.
<b>H</b>	1/2 circle	Gastrointestinal tract, Respiratory tract, Urogenital tract, Cardiovascular, Fascia, Muscle, Nasal cavity, Oral cavity, Eye, Pelvis, Skin, Tendons, Subcutaneous fat.
<b>D</b>	3/8 circle	Cardiovascular, Aponeurosis, Nerves, Dura-mater, Fascia, Periostium, Pleura, Urogenital tract, Miocardium, Skin, Eye, Muscles.
<b>V</b>	1/4 circle	Ophthalmology
<b>J</b>	Hook	Urology, laparoscopy
<b>G</b>	Straight	Nasal cavity, Gastrointestinal tract, Oral cavity, Skin, Tendons, Larynx, Vessels.
<b>K</b>	Ski	Laparoscopy, Skin. Allows easy removal of fragments and easy needle holder manipulation.
<b>A</b>	Asymmetric	Plastic, Aesthetics, Robotics, Endoscopy.

### European Pharmacopoeia

The publication of the European Pharmacopoeia (Ph. Eur.) resulted in a standardization of the classification of threads and gauges of surgical suture material. The Ph. Eur. specifies a decimal classification and metric coding for the gauges. It quotes a thread diameter of 1/10 mm, so that the thread gauge of 3.5 has a diameter of 0,35 mm. The following table of the gauges gives a comparison of the metric and the USP gauge coding.

EP / Metric	USP	Ø (mm)	Ø (mm) Absorbable monofilaments
0.2	<b>10-0</b>	0,020-0,029	
0.3	<b>9-0</b>	0,030-0,039	
0.4	<b>8-0</b>	0,040-0,049	
0.5	<b>7-0</b>	0,050-0,069	0,050-0,094
0.7	<b>6-0</b>	0,070-0,099	0,095-0,149
1	<b>5-0</b>	0,100-0,149	0,150-0,199
1.5	<b>4-0</b>	0,150-0,199	0,200-0,249
2	<b>3-0</b>	0,200-0,249	0,250-0,339
3	<b>2-0</b>	0,300-0,349	0,340-0,399
3.5	<b>0</b>	0,350-0,399	0,400-0,499
4	<b>1</b>	0,400-0,499	0,500-0,570
5	<b>2</b>	0,500-0,599	0,571-0,610
6	<b>3+4</b>	0,600-0,699	
7	<b>5</b>	0,700-0,799	
8	<b>6</b>	0,800-0,899	





## CHIRASORB rapid braided

CHIRASORB rapid braided is a short-term absorbable, coated, synthetic, multifilament suture made of 90% glycolide and 10% L-lactide. The substances contained in the coating and suture are nonantigenic and noncollagenous. Sterile Chirasorb rapid braided is available in violet and natural.

Absorption begins as a loss of tensile strength without appreciable loss of mass. The product elicits a minimal acute inflammatory reaction in tissues.

Progressive loss of tensile strength and absorption of Chirasorb rapid braided occurs by hydrolysis, when the polymer is degraded to glycolic and lactic acids, which are subsequently absorbed and metabolised by the body.



**Sizes:** 6/0 to 2 USP

**Structure:** Multifilament

**Absorption method:** Hydrolysis

**Strength Retention Profile:** SHORT-TERM HEALING (12 days)

1 Day	100%
5 Days	50%
10-14 Days	0%

**Mass Absorption profile:** 42 days

## CHIRASORB rapid braided

Needle	EP	USP	Length	Colour	Cat. No	Other information
<b>HR: 1/2 circle, round body needle</b>						
HR 18 	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	LR 0257	
<b>DS: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle</b>						
DS 15 	1.5	4/0	1 x 45 cm	Violet	LR 0206	
DS 19 	1 1.5 2	5/0 4/0 3/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet	LR 0210 LR 0211 LR 0212	
DS 19 	1.5	4/0	1 x 75 cm	Natural	LQ 1226	
<b>DSM: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle - micropoint</b>						
DSM 12 	1	5/0	1 x 75 cm	Natural	LQ 0198	Advanced cutting needle





## CHIRLAC rapid braided

CHIRLAC rapid braided is a short-term absorbable, coated, synthetic, multifilament suture made of low molecular weight polyglycolic acid. The substances contained in the coating and suture are nonantigenic and noncollagenous. Chirlac rapid braided is available in violet and natural.

Progressive loss of tensile strength and absorption of Chirlac rapid braided occurs by hydrolysis, where the polymer degrades to glycolic acid, which is subsequently absorbed and metabolised by the body.

Absorption begins as a loss of tensile strength without appreciable loss of mass. The product elicits a minimal acute inflammatory reaction in tissues.



**Sizes:** 6/0 to 4 USP

**Structure:** Multifilament

**Absorption method:** Hydrolysis

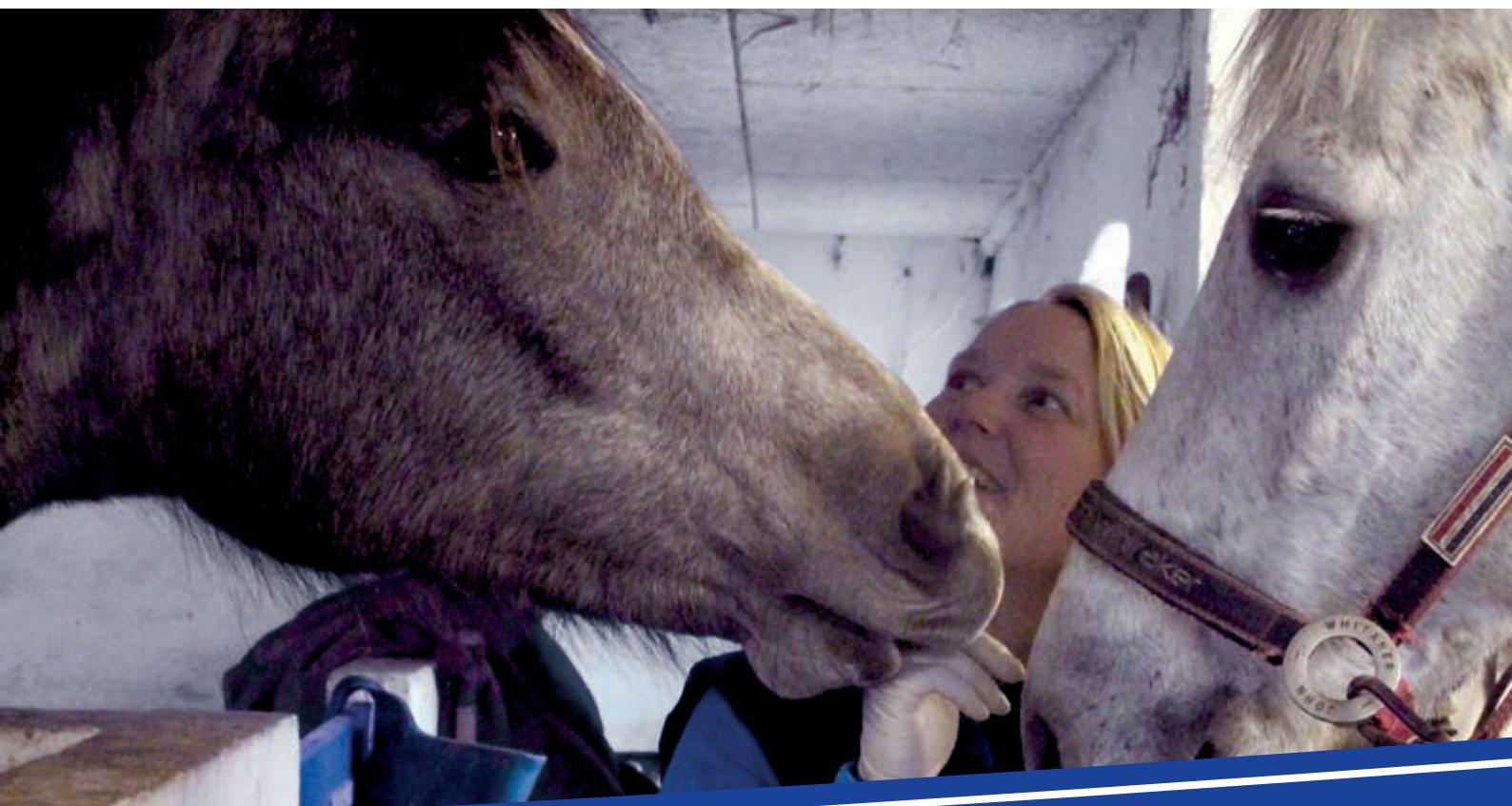
**Strength Retention Profile:** SHORT-TERM HEALING (12 days)

1 Day	100%
5 Days	60%
10-14 Days	0%

**Mass Absorption profile:** 42 days

## CHIRLAC rapid braided

Needle	EP	USP	Length	Colour	Cat. No	Other information
<b>HR: 1/2 circle, round body needle</b>						
HR 27 	1.5	4/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	PR 0265	
<b>DS: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle</b>						
DS 12 	1	5/0	1 x 45 cm	Violet	PR 0202	
DS 15 	1.5 2	4/0 3/0	1 x 45 cm 1 x 45 cm	Violet Violet	PR 0206 PR 0207	
DS 19 	1 1.5 2	5/0 4/0 3/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet	PR 0210 PR 0211 PR 0212	
DS 19 	1.5	4/0	1 x 75 cm	Natural	PQ 1226	
<b>DSM: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle - micropoint</b>						
DSM 12 	1	5/0	1 x 75 cm	Natural	PQ 0198	Advanced cutting needle





## MONOLAC monofilament

MONOLAC monofilament is a mid-term absorbable, synthetic suture made of glycolide and  $\epsilon$ -Caprolactone, available in natural colour for the closure of superficial wounds and in violet for all other indications, when a mid-term monofilament is needed.

During absorption the material elicited only a very slight inflammation.

The material is degraded into adipic acid, which is completely metabolised in the body. The process begins with a loss of tensile strength, followed by a loss of mass at a later stage.



**Sizes:** 6/0 to 2 USP

**Structure:** Monofilament

**Absorption method:** Hydrolysis

**Strength Retention Profile:** MID-TERM HEALING (30 days)

1 Day	100%
7 Days	60% violet/50% natural
14 Days	30% violet/20% natural

**Mass Absorption profile:** 90 - 120 days

## MONOLAC monofilament

Needle	EP	USP	Length	Colour	Cat. No	Other information
<b>HR: 1/2 circle, round body needle</b>						
HR 13 	1	5/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	MV 0252	
HR 18 	1.5 2	5/0 4/0 3/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet	MV 0256 MV 0257 MV 0258	
HR 22 	1.5 2	4/0 3/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	MV 0261 MV 0262	
HR 26 	3	2/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	MV 0167	
HR 27 	1.5 2 3	4/0 3/0 2/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet	MV 0265 MV 0266 MV 0267	
HR 30 	2 3 3.5	3/0 2/0 0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Natural Violet Violet	MN 0272 MV 0273 MV 0274	
<b>DS: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle</b>						
DS 12 	1	5/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	MV 0203	
DS 15 	1.5 1.5	4/0 4/0	1 x 45 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Natural	MV 0206 MN 0209	
DS 19 	1 1.5	5/0 4/0	1 x 45 cm 1 x 45 cm	Violet Violet	MV 0214 MV 0215	
	1.5 1.5 2 2	4/0 4/0 3/0 3/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Natural Violet Natural	MV 0211 MN 0211 MV 0212 MN 0212	
DS 25 	2 2 3 3	3/0 3/0 2/0 2/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Natural Violet Natural	MV 0223 MN 0223 MV 0224 MN 0224	
DS 30 	2 3.5	3/0 0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	MV 0227 MV 0229	



## MONOLAC monofilament

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Veterinary Absorbable Sutures - Monolac monofilament

Needle	EP	USP	Length	Colour	Cat. No	Other information
<b>DSM: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle - micropoint</b>						
DSM 12 	1	5/0	1 x 45 cm	Violet	MV 0231	Advanced cutting needle
DSM 15 	1.5	4/0	1 x 45 cm	Violet	MV 0235	Advanced cutting needle

## CHIRASORB braided

CHIRASORB braided is a mid-term absorbable, coated, synthetic, multifilament suture made of 90% glycolide and 10% L-lactide. The substances contained in the coating and suture are nonantigenic and noncollagenous.

Sterile Chirasorb braided is available in violet or natural. The product elicits a minimal acute inflammatory reaction in tissues.

Progressive loss of tensile strength and absorption of Chirasorb braided occurs by hydrolysis, when the polymer is degraded to glycolic and lactic acids, which are subsequently absorbed and metabolised by the body.



**Sizes:** 10/0 to 6 USP

**Structure:** Multifilament

**Absorption method:** Hydrolysis

**Strength Retention Profile:** MID-TERM HEALING (35 days)

1 Day	100%
14 Days	75%
21 Days	50%

**Mass Absorption profile:** 56 - 70 days



## CHIRASORB braided

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Veterinary Absorbable Sutures - Chirasorb braided

Needle	EP	USP	Length	Colour	Cat. No	Other information
<b>HR: ½ circle, round body needle</b>						
HR 22 	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	LV 0262	
HR 26 	2 3 3.5 4	3/0 2/0 0 1	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet Violet	LV 0535 LV 0536 LV 0540 LV 0541	
HR 27 	1.5 3	4/0 2/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	LV 0265 LV 0267	
HR 30 	2 3 3.5 4 3 3.5	3/0 2/0 0 1 2/0 0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 90 cm 1 x 90 cm	Violet Violet Violet Violet Violet Violet	LV 0269 LV 0273 LV 0274 LV 1275 LV 0364 LV 0371	
HR 35 	5	2	1 x 75 cm	Violet	LV 1272	
<b>HS: ½ circle, reverse cutting needle</b>						
HS 25 	2 3	3/0 2/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	LV 0441 LV 0442	

## CHIRASORB braided

Needle	EP	USP	Length	Colour	Cat. No	Other information
<b>DS: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle</b>						
DS 19	2 1.5 2 3	3/0 4/0 3/0 2/0	1 x 45 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet Violet	LV 0216 LV 0211 LV 0212 LV 0213	
DS 24	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	LV 1225	
DS 25	1.5 2 3 3.5 2 3	4/0 3/0 2/0 0 3/0 2/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 90 cm 1 x 90 cm	Violet Violet Violet Violet Violet Violet	LV 0222 LV 0223 LV 0224 LV 0225 LV 2223 LV 2224	
DS 30	2 3 3.5 3 3.5 4	3/0 2/0 0 2/0 0 1	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 90 cm 1 x 90 cm 1 x 90 cm	Violet Violet Violet Violet Violet Violet	LV 0233 LV 0234 LV 0235 LV 1239 LV 1235 LV 1236	
DS 38	3 4	2/0 1	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	LV 0244 LV 1246	

## CHIRASORB Plus braided

### Antibacterial

CHIRASORB Plus braided is a mid-term absorbable, antibacterial coated, synthetic, multifilament suture made of 90% glycolide and 10% L-lactide. The braided suture is covered with antibacterial coating, which consists of copolymer glycolide and lactide, calcium stearate and chlorhexidine diacetate.

Chlorhexidine is a cationic antiseptic with a wide range of antimicrobial effects. It is effective on both Gram-positive and Gram-negative bacteria; the mechanism of action is cytoplasmic membrane disruption.

Sterile Chirasorb Plus braided is available in violet or natural. The product elicits a minimal acute inflammatory reaction in tissues.

Progressive loss of tensile strength and absorption of Chirasorb Plus braided occurs by hydrolysis, when the polymer is degraded to glycolic and lactic acids, which are subsequently absorbed and metabolised by the body.



**Sizes:** 5/0 to 4 USP

**Structure:** Multifilament

**Absorption method:** Hydrolysis

**Strength Retention Profile:** MID-TERM HEALING (35 days)

1 Day	100%
14 Days	75%
21 Days	50%

**Mass Absorption profile:** 56 - 70 days



Needle	EP	USP	Length	Colour	Cat. No	Other information
<b>HR: ½ circle, round body needle</b>						
HR 30	2 3	3/0 2/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	CV 0269 CV 0273	
<b>HRX: ½ circle, round body needle - extra strong</b>						
HRX 50	4	1	1 x 75 cm	Violet	CV 0295	
<b>HRT: ½ circle, round body needle - tapercut</b>						
HRT 25	3.5	0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	CV 0583	
<b>HRF: ½ circle, flattened body needle, taper point</b>						
HRF 17	1	5/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	CV 9242	
<b>HS: ½ circle, reverse cutting needle</b>						
HS 25	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	CV 0441	
<b>DS: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle</b>						
DS 15	1	5/0	1 x 45 cm	Violet	CV 0205	
DS 19	1.5	4/0	1 x 45 cm	Violet	CV 0215	
DS 25	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	CV 0212	
DS 25	2 3	3/0 2/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	CV 0223 CV 0224	
DS 30	3 3.5	2/0 0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	CV 0234 CV 0235	

## CHIRLAC braided

CHIRLAC braided is a mid-term absorbable, synthetic, multifilament suture material of extremely high tensile strength made of the homopolymer of hydroacetic acid (glycolic acid).

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Veterinary Absorbable Sutures- Chirlac braided

The thread has a homogeneous structure and surface, which gives it low frictional properties and holds firmly without slipping when knotted.

Chirlac braided is coated with an absorbable substance, which reduces the capillary effect, provides excellent holding properties and diminishes the tendency to cut into the flesh, while ensuring that the knots hold firmly.

Chirlac braided is degraded in the body by a simple hydrolytic process. The degraded products are metabolised completely in the body. Absorption begins as a loss of tensile strength without appreciable loss of mass.



**Sizes:** 9/0 to 6 USP

**Structure:** Multifilament

**Absorption method:** Hydrolysis

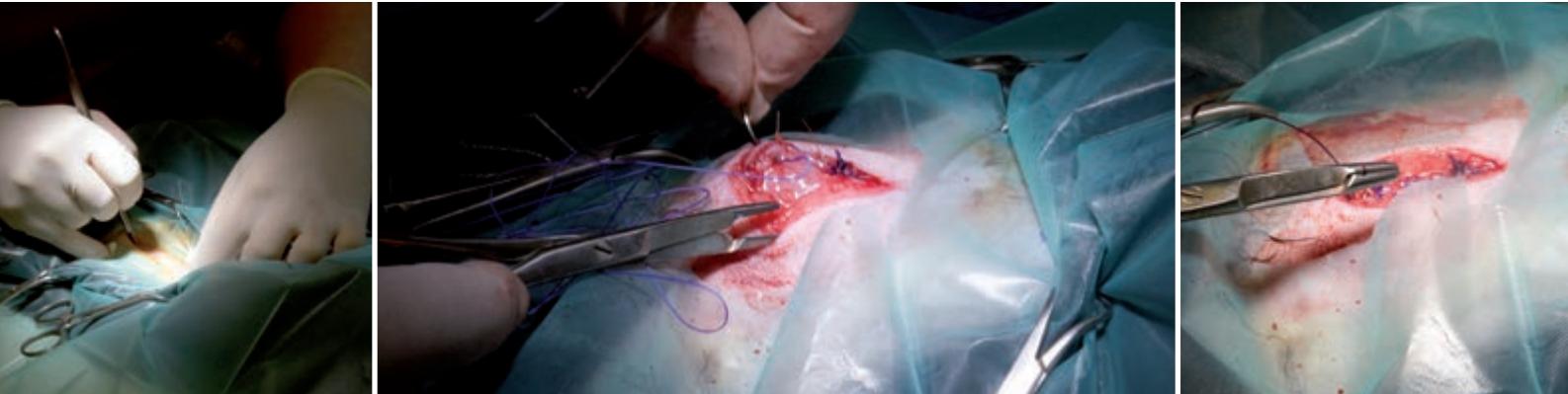
**Strength Retention**

**Profile:** MID-TERM HEALING (28 - 35 days)

1 Day	100%
14 Days	65% - 75%
21 Days	45% - 50%

**Mass Absorption**

**profile:** 80 - 90 days



## CHIRLAC braided

Needle	EP	USP	Length	Colour	Cat. No	Other information
<b>HR: ½ circle, round body needle</b>						
HR 22 	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	PG 0262	
HR 27 	2 3	3/0 2/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	PG 0266 PG 0267	
HR 30 	3 3.5	2/0 0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	PG 0273 PG 0274	
HR 35 	3 5	2/0 2	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	PG 0271 PG 1272	
	4	1	1 x 90 cm	Violet	PG 0376	
<b>HRT: ½ circle, round body needle - tapercut</b>						
HRT 25 	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	PG 0581	
<b>DS: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle</b>						
DS 15 	2	3/0	1 x 45 cm	Violet	PG 0207	
DS 19 	1.5 2	4/0 3/0	1 x 45 cm 1 x 45 cm	Violet Violet	PG 0215 PG 0216	
	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	PG 0212	
DS 25 	1.5 2 3	4/0 3/0 2/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet	PG 0222 PG 0223 PG 0224	
DS 26 	3	2/0	1 x 90 cm	Violet	PG 2224	
	2	3/0	1 x 45 cm	Violet	PG 1221	
DS 30 	3 3.5 4	2/0 0 1	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet	PG 0234 PG 0235 PG 0229	
DS 37 	5	2	1 x 75 cm	Violet	PG 1237	

## POLYDOX monofilament

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Veterinary Absorbable Sutures - Polydox monofilament

POLYDOX monofilament is a long-term absorbable, synthetic suture made of polydioxanone. The suture offers good handling combined with great strength due to its slow degradation profile.

Polydox monofilament is ideal for all indications, where an extended wound support of more than 4 weeks is desirable. The threads are available in violet.

The suture is very flexible, pliable and easy to knot. In tissue, the thread can cause a slight initial inflammatory reaction.



**Sizes:** 7/0 to 4 USP

**Structure:** Monofilament

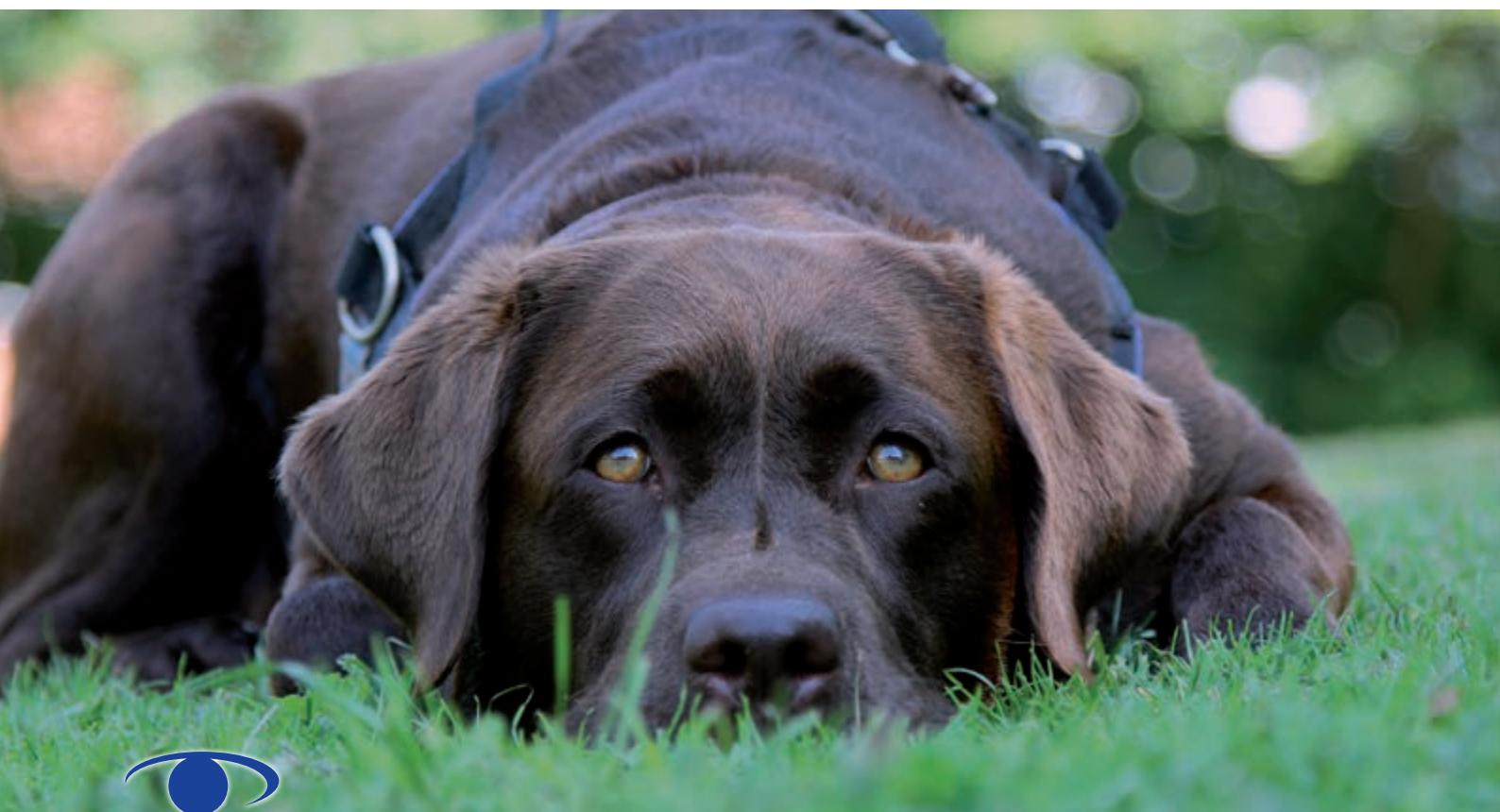
**Absorption method:** Hydrolysis

**Strength Retention Profile:** LONG-TERM HEALING (90 - 98 days)

1 Day 100%

45 Days 50%

**Mass Absorption profile:** 180 - 240 days



## POLYDOX monofilament

Needle	EP	USP	Length	Colour	Cat. No	Other information
<b>HR: ½ circle, round body needle</b>						
HR 18 	1 2	5/0 3/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	DX 0257 DX 0259	
HR 22 	1.5	4/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	DX 0261	
HR 26 	2 3	3/0 2/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	DX 0366 DX 0365	
HR 27 	1.5 2 3 3.5	4/0 3/0 2/0 0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet Violet	DX 0265 DX 0266 DX 0267 DX 0268	
HR 30 	2 3 3.5	3/0 2/0 0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet	DX 0270 DX 0271 DX 0272	
HR 40 	4	1	1 x 75 cm	Violet	DX 0277	
	3	2/0	1 x 90 cm	Violet	DX 0375	

<b>HRT: ½ circle, round body needle - tapercut</b>						
HRT 25 	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	DX 0581	
HRT 26 	3	2/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	DX 0572	

<b>HS: ½ circle, reverse cutting needle</b>						
HS 18 	1.5	4/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	DX 0155	
HS 21 	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Violet	DX 0166	
HS 37 	3 3.5 4	2/0 0 1	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet	DX 0177 DX 0178 DX 0179	

## POLYDOX monofilament

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Veterinary Absorbable Sutures - Polydox monofilament

Needle	EP	USP	Length	Colour	Cat. No	Other information
DS: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle						
DS 19	1.5 2	4/0 3/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet	DX 0215 DX 0216	
DS 25	1.5 2 3 3.5	4/0 3/0 2/0 0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet Violet	DX 0226 DX 0227 DX 0228 DX 0229	
DS 30	3 3.5 4	2/0 0 1	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Violet Violet Violet	DX 0232 DX 0234 DX 0235	

## Non-absorbable Sutures



## CHIRALEN monofilament

CHIRALEN monofilament is a non-absorbable suture made of polypropylene.

The thread is hydrophobic and is not subject to degradation by tissue enzymes.

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Veterinary Non-absorbable Sutures - Chiralen monofilament

Chiralen monofilament has a smooth, non-porous surface, that guarantees a clean and smooth passage through the tissue, optimal elasticity, good elongation properties and high visibility. In tissues, it can cause a minimal acute inflammatory reaction.



**Chemical Composition:** Polypropylene

**Sizes:** 10/0 to 2 USP

**Structure:** Monofilament

**Absorption method:** Non-absorbable

**Colour:** Blue and Black



## CHIRALEN monofilament

Needle	EP	USP	Length	Colour	Cat. No	Other information
<b>HR: 1/2 circle, round body needle</b>						
HR 27 	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Blue	PP 5163	
<b>DS: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle</b>						
DS 19 	1.5 2	4/0 3/0	1 x 45 cm 1 x 45 cm	Blue Blue	PP 5510 PP 5511	
	1 1.5 2	5/0 4/0 3/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Blue Blue Blue	PP 5109 PP 5110 PP 5111	
DS 25 	2	3/0	1 x 45 cm	Blue	PP 5516	
	1.5 2 3	4/0 3/0 2/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Blue Blue Blue	PP 5115 PP 5116 PP 5117	
DS 30 	3 3.5	2/0 0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Blue Blue	PP 5121 PP 5122	
<b>GS: Straight, reverse cutting needle</b>						
GS 60 	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Blue	PP 5140	

## SILON monofilament

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Veterinary Non-absorbable Sutures - Silon monofilament

SILON monofilament is a non-absorbable, synthetic suture made of polyamide, which has a smooth non-porous surface.

The thread is extremely useful for skin sutures and has a high tensile strength in knots, and knots tie down easily. The thread is available in blue and black.

Silon monofilament can cause a slight initial inflammatory tissue reaction.



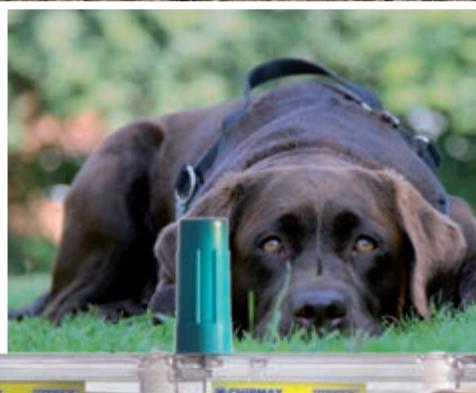
<b>Chemical Composition:</b>	Polyamide 6
<b>Sizes:</b>	10/0 to 2 USP
<b>Structure:</b>	Monofilament
<b>Absorption method:</b>	Non-absorbable
<b>Colour:</b>	Blue and Black



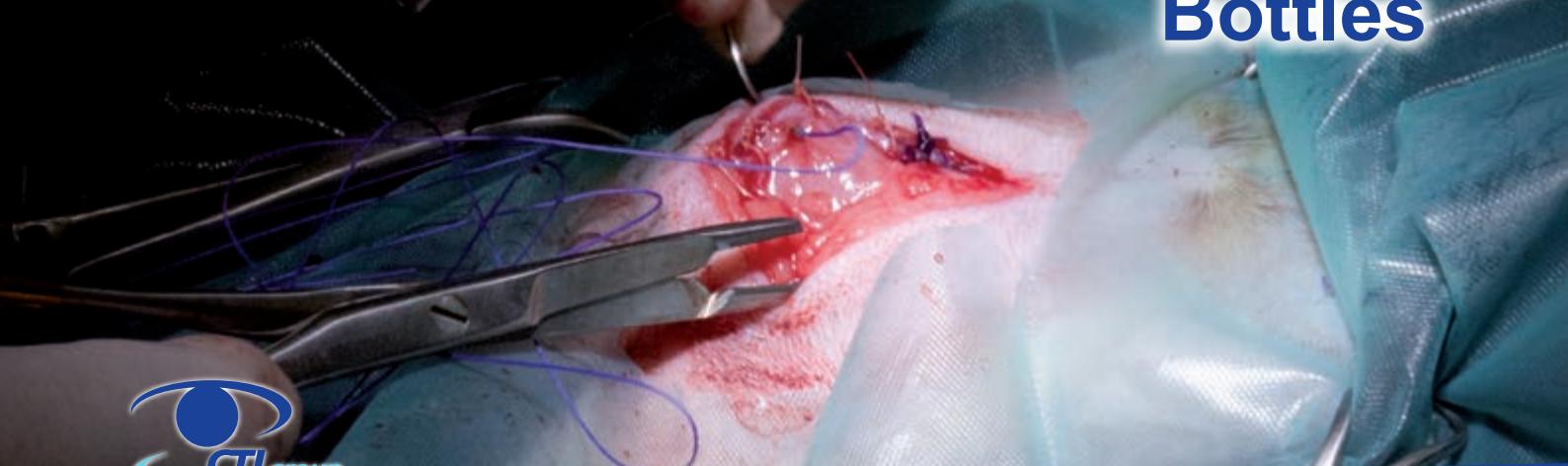
Needle	EP	USP	Length	Colour	Cat. No	Other information
<b>DS: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle</b>						
DS 19	1.5 2	4/0 3/0	1 x 45 cm 1 x 45 cm	Blue Blue	SM 2367 SM 2368	
	1.5 2	4/0 3/0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Blue Blue	SM 2267 SM 2268	
DS 24	2	3/0	1 x 75 cm	Blue	SM 3276	
DS 25	2 3	3/0 2/0	1 x 45 cm 1 x 45 cm	Blue Blue	SM 2373 SM 2374	
	2 3 3.5 4	3/0 2/0 0 1	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Blue Blue Blue Blue	SM 2270 SM 2271 SM 2272 SM 2274	
DS 30	2 3 3.5	3/0 2/0 0	1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm 1 x 75 cm	Blue Blue Blue	4325 SM 2284 SM 2285	
DS 38	4	1	1 x 90 cm	Blue	SM 4327	
	4	1	1 x 75 cm	Blue	SM 2293	
DS 50	3	2/0	1 x 90 cm	Blue	SM 3291	
	4	1	1 x 100 cm	Blue	SM 2693	



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Bottles





### CHIRASORB braided violet

Bottles

EP	USP	Length	Cat. No
2	3/0	50 m	LV 1013
3	2/0	50 m	LV 1014
3.5	0	50 m	LV 1015
4	1	50 m	LV 1016
5	2	50 m	LV 1017
6	3 + 4	50 m	LV 1018
2	3/0	<b>25 m</b>	LV 1043
3	2/0	25 m	LV 1044
3.5	0	25 m	LV 1045
2	3/0	<b>15 m</b>	LV 1023
3	2/0	15 m	LV 1024
3.5	0	15 m	LV 1025
4	1	15 m	LV 1026
5	2	15 m	LV 1027
6	3 + 4	15 m	LV 1028

### CHIRLAC braided violet

Bottles

EP	USP	Length	Cat. No
2	3/0	50 m	PG 1013
3	2/0	50 m	PG 1014
3.5	0	50 m	PG 1015
4	1	50 m	PG 1016
5	2	50 m	PG 1017
6	3 + 4	50 m	PG 1018
2	3/0	<b>25 m</b>	PG 1043
3	2/0	25 m	PG 1044
3.5	0	25 m	PG 1045
4	1	25 m	PG 1046
5	2	25 m	PG 1047
2	3/0	<b>15 m</b>	PG 1023
3	2/0	15 m	PG 1024
3.5	0	15 m	PG 1025
4	1	15 m	PG 1026
5	2	15 m	PG 1027
6	3 + 4	15 m	PG 1028



### POLYDOX monofilament violet

Bottles

EP	USP	Length	Cat. No
2	3/0	50 m	DX 1013
4	1	50 m	DX 1016
2	3/0	<b>25 m</b>	DX 1043
3	2/0	25 m	DX 1044
3.5	0	25 m	DX 1045



### CATGUT plain

Bottles

EP	USP	Length	Cat. No
2	4/0	100 m	103 VP
3	3/0	100 m	104 VP
3.5	2/0	100 m	105 VP
4	0	<b>50 m</b>	106 VP
5	1	50 m	107 VP
6	2	50 m	108 VP
7	3	<b>25 m</b>	109 VP
8	4	25 m	110 VP

### CATGUT chrom

Bottles

EP	USP	Length	Cat. No
2	4/0	100 m	103 VC
3	3/0	100 m	104 VC
3.5	2/0	100 m	105 VC
4	0	<b>50 m</b>	106 VC
5	1	50 m	107 VC
6	2	50 m	108 VC
7	3	<b>25 m</b>	109 VC
8	4	25 m	110 VC





**SILON monofilament blue**  
Bottles

EP	USP	Length	Cat. No
1	5/0	50 m	SM 0702
1.5	4/0	50 m	SM 0703
2	3/0	50 m	SM 0704
3	2/0	50 m	SM 0705
3.5	0	50 m	SM 0706
4	1	50 m	SM 0707
5	2	50 m	SM 0708
3	2/0	<b>100 m</b>	SM 0725



**TERVALON green**  
Bottles

EP	USP	Length	Cat. No
1.5	4/0	100 m	TG 0503
2	3/0	100 m	TG 0504
3	2/0	100 m	TG 0505
3.5	0	100 m	TG 0506
4	1	<b>50 m</b>	TG 0507
5	2	50 m	TG 0508
6	3 + 4	50 m	TG 0509
7	5	<b>25 m</b>	TG 0510
8	6	25 m	TG 0511



**SILON braided white**  
Bottles

EP	USP	Length	Cat. No
1	5/0	100 m	501 N
1.5	4/0	100 m	502 N
2	3/0	100 m	503 N
2.5	-	100 m	504 N
3	2/0	100 m	505 N
3.5	0	100 m	506 N
4	1	<b>50 m</b>	507 N
5	2	50 m	508 N
6	3 + 4	50 m	509 N
7	5	50 m	510 N



**SILK black**  
Bottles

EP	USP	Length	Cat. No
1	5/0	100 m	302 N
1.5	4/0	100 m	303 N
2	3/0	100 m	304 N
3	2/0	100 m	306 N
4	1	<b>50 m</b>	308 N
5	2	50 m	309 N
7	5	<b>25 m</b>	311 N

# Eye needles

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Veterinary Sutures - Eye needles

Veterinary Eye needles are made of high-quality stainless steel. Different types of needles are available to meet a full range of requirements. The needles are always packed in foil pouches with 12 pieces.

The Eye needle range consists of Eye needles with a double spring eye and with a regular eye.

Eye needles  
Double spring



Eye needles  
Regular



## Eye needles

Double spring



Needle	Needle no.	Wire diameter (mm)	Cat. No
<b>PB HR: ½ circle, round body needle</b>			
HR 61	0	0.65	EY 8002
HR 52	1	0.65	EY 8003
HR 42	2	0.65	EY 8004
HR 36	3	0.55	EY 8005
HR 30	4	0.55	EY 8006

**Eye needles**

Double spring



Needle	Needle no.	Wire diameter (mm)	Cat. No
<b>PB HR: ½ circle, round body needle</b>			



5

0.55

EY 8007



7

0.55

EY 8009



9

0.45

EY 8011

**E HRX: ½ circle, round body needle - extra strong**

HRX 100



0000

1.20

EY 8700

HRX 72



000

1.10

EY 8701

HRX 63



00

1.10

EY 8703

HRX 54



0

1.00

EY 8705

## Eye needles

Double spring



### Needle

### Needle no.

### Wire diameter (mm)

### Cat. No

#### E HRX: ½ circle, round body needle - extra strong

HRX 46



1

1.00

EY 8707

HRX 38



2

0.85

EY 8709

HRX 30



3

0.75

EY 8711

HRX 24



4

0.65

EY 8713

HRX 22



5

0.55

EY 8715

HRX 17.5



6

0.55

EY 8717

#### PC GR: Straight, round body needle

GR 70



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0.65

EY 8801

GR 52



1

0.65

EY 8803

GR 36



3

0.55

EY 8804

GR 24



5

0.55

EY 8805

**Eye needles**

Double spring



Needle	Needle no.	Wire diameter (mm)	Cat. No
<b>GA HS: ½ circle, reverse cutting needle</b>			
HS 72	0	1.80	EY 8623
HS 60	2	1.60	EY 8625
HS 54	3	1.40	EY 8626
HS 46	4	1.40	EY 8627
HS 38	5	1.30	EY 8628
HS 32	6	1.10	EY 8629
HS 23	8	1.00	EY 8631

## Eye needles

Double spring



Needle	Needle no.	Wire diameter (mm)	Cat. No
<b>GE HS: ½ circle, reverse cutting needle</b>			
HS 80	1	1.30	EY 8601
HS 68	3	1.10	EY 8603
HS 58	5	1.10	EY 8605
HS 50	8	1.00	EY 8608
HS 42	11	0.85	EY 8611
HS 34	14	0.75	EY 8614
HS 28	17	0.65	EY 8617
HS 24.5	19	0.65	EY 8619

**Eye needles**

Double spring



Needle	Needle no.	Wire diameter (mm)	Cat. No
<b>GE HS: ½ circle, reverse cutting needle</b>			
HS 20	21	0.55	EY 8621
HS 17.5	22	0.55	EY 8622
<b>BE DS: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle</b>			
DS 58	5	1.10	EY 8405
DS 50	8	1.00	EY 8408
DS 44	10	0.85	EY 8410
DS 36	13	0.75	EY 8413
DS 32	15	0.75	EY 8415
DS 28	17	0.65	EY 8417
DS 24.5	19	0.65	EY 8419
DS 20	21	0.55	EY 8421

## Eye needles

Double spring



Needle	Needle no.	Wire diameter (mm)	Cat. No
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### BE DS: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle

DS 17.5



22

0.55

EY 8422

DS 12



24

0.55

EY 8424

## Eye needles

Regular



Needle	Needle no.	Wire diameter (mm)	Cat. No
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### PB HR: 1/2 circle, round body needle

HR 24



5

0.55

EY 9007

### E HRX: 1/2 circle, round body needle - extra strong

HRX 72



000

1.10

EY 9701

HRX 38



2

0.85

EY 9709

### GA HS: 1/2 circle, reverse cutting needle

HS 32



6

1.10

EY 9629

**Eye needles**

Regular



Needle	Needle no.	Wire diameter (mm)	Cat. No
<b>GE HS: ½ circle, reverse cutting needle</b>			
HS 42	11	0.85	EY 9611
HS 34	14	0.75	EY 9614
HS 24.5	19	0.65	EY 9619
HS 20	21	0.55	EY 9621
<b>BE DS: 3/8 circle, reverse cutting needle</b>			
DS 58	5	1.10	EY 9405
DS 44	10	0.85	EY 9410
DS 32	15	0.75	EY 9415
DS 28	17	0.65	EY 9417
DS 24.5	19	0.65	EY 9419
DS 20	21	0.55	EY 9421

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