

DEVICE SPECS

Ethicon Traditional Sutures



ETHIBOND EXCEL™
Polyester Sutures



MERSILENE™
Polyester Fiber Sutures



PRONOVA™
Poly (hexafluoropropylene-VDF) Suture



PERMA-HAND™
Silk Suture

Codes	See catalog	See catalog	See catalog	See catalog
Color	Green or White	Green or White	Blue	Black
Antibacterial Coating	No	No	No	No
Material/Composition	Coated Polyester	Polyester	Poly Hexafluoropropylene-VDF	Silk
Suture Structure	Braided	Braided	Monofilament	Braided
Absorbable	No	No	No	No
Absorption Rate	--	--	--	--
Directionality	Unidirectional	Unidirectional	Unidirectional	Unidirectional
Available Needle Options	Taperpoint, Taperpoint Cardio, Tapercut, Cutting Edge Reverse/Conventional, Cutting Edge Prime Reverse, Blunt Point Ethiguard, Trocar	Taperpoint, Tapercut, Cutting Edge Reverse, Cutting Edge Prime Reverse, Cutting Edge Spatula Reverse/Conventional, Cutting Edge Ultima Reverse, Cutting Edge Spatulated Center Point, Blunt Point	Taperpoint, Tapercut, Tapercut Cardio, Cutting Edge Prime Reverse	Taperpoint, Tapercut, Cutting Edge Reverse, Cutting Edge Spatula Reverse, Cutting Edge Prime Reverse/Conventional
Special Options	VISI-BLACK™, MultiPass™, CONTROL RELEASE™	MultiPass™, CONTROL RELEASE™	VISI-BLACK™, MultiPass™	MultiPass™, CONTROL RELEASE™
Pledget Options	Yes	No	No	No
Strands per Pack	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 or 12	1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, or 10	1, 2, or 4	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 12, or 17
Quantity per Box	6, 12, 24, or 36	6, 12, 24, or 36	12 or 36	12, 24, or 36