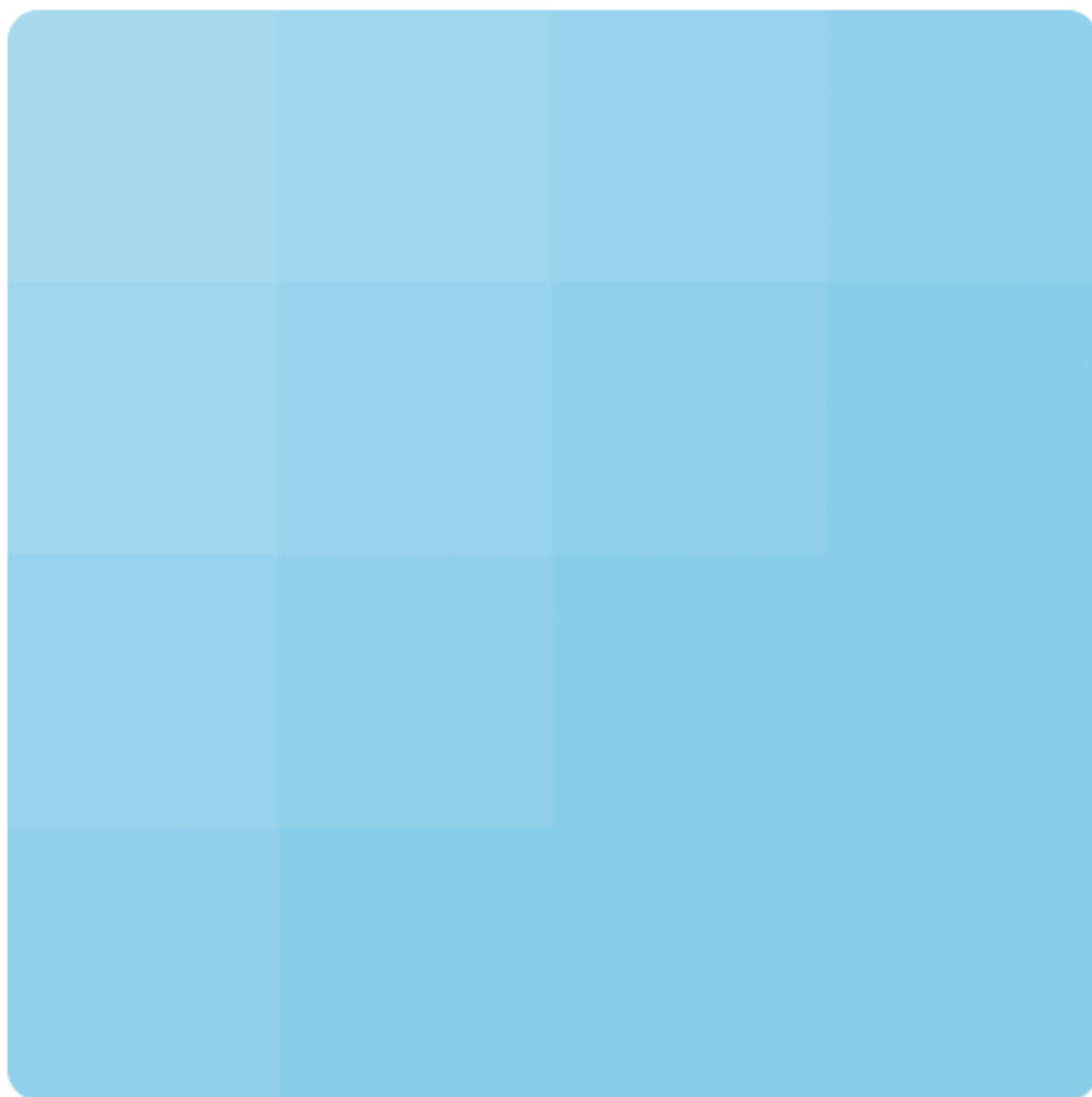


**ETHICON**

**MERSILK\***

**Braided Silk Suture**



# MERSILK\*

## Braided Silk Suture

### Braided

For easy handling and secure knot tying.

### Coated

With wax to give "hand" to the suture.  
Does not become limp or brittle.

### Natural

Produced from cocoons of the silk worm  
*Bombyx Mori*.

### Non-Absorbable

Provides prolonged tensile strength retention  
in tissue for up to 3 months.

### Colour

Black or ivory.

### Range

Braided 7-0 to 4 (U.S.P.)  
Supplied as needled sutures and ligatures.

### Sterilisation

By Irradiation.

### VIRGIN SILK

### Twisted

Made from filaments of silk fibre which are  
held together by natural gum secreted by the  
silk worm.

### Colour

Blue or black.

### Range





10-0 to 8-0 (U.S.P.)  
Supplied as needled sutures.




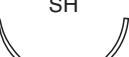




### Sterilisation

By Irradiation.




These sutures comply with the requirements  
of U.S. Pharmacopoeia (U.S.P.) and The  
European Pharmacopoeia (PhEUR).

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Needle length and description	Length	Colour	Gauge							
			6-0 0.7	5-0 1	4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3	0 3.5	1 4	
<b>⊙ 3/8 circle Taper Point</b>										
 BV-1 9.3mm	45cm	black	<b>W593</b>							
 BV 11mm	75cm	black		<b>W595</b>						
 BB 17mm	75cm	black		<b>W581</b>	<b>W582</b>					
 BB-2 20mm	75cm	black				<b>W598H</b>				





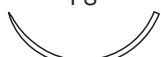


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			6-0 0.7	5-0 1	4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3	0 3.5	1 4	
<b>⊙ 1/2 circle Taper Point</b>										
 RB-1 17mm	75cm	black			<b>W549H</b>	<b>W546H</b>				
 SH-2 20mm	75cm	black			<b>W586H</b>	<b>W587H</b>				
 SH 26mm	6x35cm	black					<b>W6327</b>			
 SH 26mm	8x45cm CR	black				<b>C013G</b>				
 SH 26mm	75cm	black				<b>W570H</b>	<b>W327H</b>			
 MH-1 31mm	75cm	black				<b>W571H</b>	<b>W333H</b>	<b>W334H</b>		
 MH 36mm	75cm	black				<b>W583</b>			<b>W338H</b>	
 LH 40mm	75cm	black					<b>W584</b>			



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Needle length and description	Length	Colour	Gauge						
<b>⊙ 1/2 circle Taper Point (heavier wire diameters)</b>			2-0 3	0 3.5	1 4	2 5	4 6	5 7	7 9
 <p style="text-align: center;">MO-5</p>	31mm	75cm	black			W723H			
 <p style="text-align: center;">MO-2</p>	40mm	75cm	black			W936			
<b>▲ 1/2 circle Conventional Cutting</b>			2-0 3	0 3.5	1 4	2 5	4 6	5 7	7 9
 <p style="text-align: center;">CPX CONV</p>	48mm	75cm	black		W552				

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Needle length and description	Length	Colour	Gauge							
<b>▼ 3/8 circle Reverse Cutting PRIME* Needle</b>			5-0 1	4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3	0 3.5	1 4	2 5	
 PS-2	19mm	45cm	black	W2504T	W2505T	W2506T				
 PS	26mm	45cm	black		W2510T	W2511T	W2512T			
 PSLX	36mm	75cm	black			W2523T	W2524T			



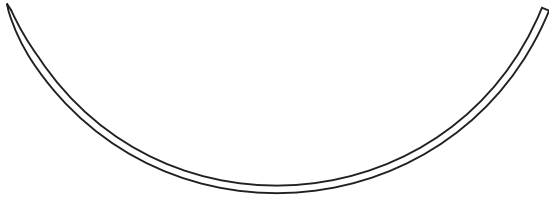
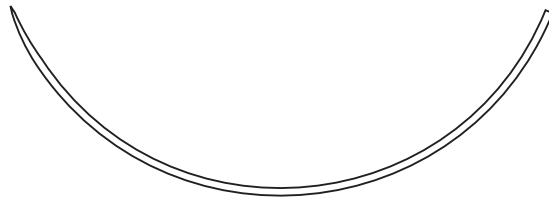
<b>▼ 3/8 circle Reverse Cutting</b>			5-0 1	4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3	0 3.5	1 4	2 5	
 C-2	12mm	75cm	black	W580						
 C-3	13mm	45cm	black		W811					
 C-3	13mm	45cm	ivory		W816					
 FS-2	19mm	45cm	black		W329H					
 FS	26mm	45cm	black			W328H	W321H			
 FSLX	36mm	75cm	black			W666H	W667H			
 LS-1	45mm	75cm	black					W782H		

<b>▲ 3/8 circle Conventional Cutting PRIME* Needle</b>			5-0 1	4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3	0 3.5	1 4	2 5	
 PC-3	16mm	45cm	black	W2500T	W2501T	W2502T				
 PC-25	26mm	45cm	black	W535	W536H	W537H				


<b>▲ 3/8 circle Conventional Cutting</b>			5-0 1	4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3	0 3.5	1 4	2 5	
 G-1 CONV	11mm	45cm	ivory	W635						
 C-2 CONV	13mm	75cm	black	W468H						
 FS-3 CONV	16mm	38cm	black	W640	W641					

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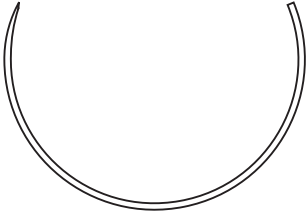
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<b>▲ 3/8 circle Conventional Cutting</b>				6-0 0.7	5-0 1	4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3
FS-3 CONV 	16mm	75cm 75cm	ivory black		W500H	W508 W501H	W509 W502H	W503H
SB-15 	16mm	45cm	black	W529H	W528H	W604		
CEC135-40 	40mm	100cm	black					W959



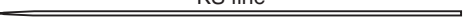
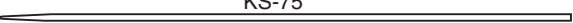
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<b>▲ 3/8 circle Conventional Cutting (Hand Held)</b>								
LR-60 CONV 	60mm	75cm	black				W562H	
CP-80 	80mm	75cm	black	W260	W261			
KP-3 CONV  with 40mm retention tubing	90mm	2x50cm	black				W2793	
KP-3 CONV 	90mm	100cm	black		W791	W792	W793	W794

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Needle length and description	Length	Colour	Gauge				
<b>▲ 1/2 circle Conventional Cutting PRIME* Needle</b>			5-0 1	4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3	0 3.5
 PC-22 22mm	45cm	black			<b>W2508T</b>		

Needle length and description	Length	Colour	Gauge				
<b>▲ 1/2 circle Conventional Cutting</b>			5-0 1	4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3	0 3.5
 SBD-15 16mm	45cm	black		<b>W524</b>			
 J-1 CONV 17mm	75cm	black	<b>W545H</b>				
 X-1 CONV 22mm	45cm	black			<b>W577H</b>	<b>W578H</b>	

Needle length and description	Length	Colour	Gauge				
<b>▲ 5/8 circle Conventional Cutting</b>			5-0 1	4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3	0 3.5
 UX-25 26mm	75cm	black			<b>W576</b>		
 USB-75 75mm	75cm	black				<b>W265</b>	



Needle length and description	Length	Colour	Gauge				
<b>▼ Straight Cutting</b>			5-0 1	4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3	0 3.5
 KS-55 55mm	100cm	black				<b>W775H</b>	
 KS 60mm	75cm	black				<b>W790H</b>	<b>W789H</b>
 KS fine 60mm	75cm	black			<b>W622H</b>		
 KS-75 75mm	100cm	black			<b>W765</b>	<b>W766</b>	<b>W767</b>


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Needle length and description	Length	Colour	Gauge					
 <b>3/8 circle CS ULTIMA* spatula</b>			8-0 0.4	7-0 0.5	6-0 0.7	5-0 1	4-0 1.5	3-0 2
CS140-6 	6.5mm	45cm	virgin twisted blue	<b>U7058</b>				
 <b>3/8 circle Advanced MICRO-POINT spatula</b>				8-0 0.4	7-0 0.5	6-0 0.7	5-0 1	4-0 1.5
TG140-6 	6.5mm	30cm	virgin twisted blue	<b>W1784</b>				
TG140-6 	6.5mm	30cm	virgin twisted blue	<b>W1782</b>				
 <b>3/8 circle MICRO-POINT spatula</b>				8-0 0.4	7-0 0.5	6-0 0.7	5-0 1	4-0 1.5
TG140-8 	6.5mm	30cm	black		<b>W1814</b>			
TG140-8 	6.5mm	45cm	virgin twisted blue	<b>W1819</b>				
 <b>1/2 circle MICRO-POINT spatula</b>				8-0 0.4	7-0 0.5	6-0 0.7	5-0 1	4-0 1.5
TG175-8 	7mm	30cm	virgin twisted blue	<b>W819</b>				
 <b>3/8 circle MICRO-POINT Reverse Cutting</b>				8-0 0.4	7-0 0.5	6-0 0.7	5-0 1	4-0 1.5
G-6 	8mm	45cm	black		<b>W817</b>			
G-1 	11mm	45cm	black			<b>W812</b>		
G-1 	11mm	45cm	black			<b>W815</b>		
 <b>1/2 circle MICRO-POINT Reverse Cutting</b>				8-0 0.4	7-0 0.5	6-0 0.7	5-0 1	4-0 1.5
G-7 	8mm	45cm	virgin twisted blue	<b>W870</b>				
G-7 	8mm	45cm	virgin twisted blue	<b>W818</b>				
 <b>1/4 circle SPATULATED</b>				8-0 0.4	7-0 0.5	6-0 0.7	5-0 1	4-0 1.5
S-14 	8mm	45cm	black			<b>W888</b>		



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Needle length and description		Length	Colour	Gauge						
<b>▲ 3/8 circle Conventional Cutting</b>				4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3	0 3.5	1 4	2 5	4 6
FS-3 CONV 	16mm	4x45cm	3 black 1 ivory	<b>W505</b>						
PC-3 	16mm	4x45cm	3 black 1 ivory	<b>W606</b>						

Needle length and description		Length	Colour	Gauge						
<b>◎ Ski Needle Taper Point</b>				4-0 1.5	3-0 2	2-0 3	0 3.5	1 4	2 5	4 6
SKI-22 VISI-BLACK* 	22mm	20cm	black			<b>E4103S</b>				

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## Ligatures and Non-needled Sutures

### 1.8m lengths

Gauge		black 1.8m lengths 12 sachets per box
3-0	2	W192
2-0	3	W193
0	3.5	W194
1	4	W195
2	5	W196
4	6	W199

## SUTUPAK\* Pre-cut Sutures

Gauge		black 17 x 45cm lengths 12 sachets per box	black 13 x 60cm lengths 12 sachets per box	black 10 x 75cm lengths 12 sachets per box
4-0	1.5		W211	
3-0	2	W202	W212	W222
2-0	3	W203	W213	W223
0	3.5	W204	W214	W224
1	4	W205	W215	W225