The Choice
of surgeons for half a century

VERSATILITY

STRENGTH

FLEXIBILITY

ETHICON™ | Biosurgery
STOP BLEEDING FAST WITH THREE PROVEN PERFORMERS

SURGICEL® Absorbable Hemostats have been trusted for half a century to stop surgical bleeding.¹,²

PROVEN SAFETY
• Proprietary oxidized regenerated cellulose (ORC) technology¹ designed to ensure purity and consistency
• Plant-based product with minimal tissue reaction³
• Fully absorbable within 7–14 days³

PROVEN EFFICACY
• Fast hemostasis¹
• Used in more hospitals than any other absorbable hemostat product¹

CHOICE & CONVENIENCE
• Available in 3 unique forms—ideal for a broad range of specialties and procedures³
• Long shelf life—at room temperature*³
• Ready to use out of the package
• Flexible and malleable, can be cut to size

*SURGICEL® Original Absorbable Hemostat and SURGICEL® NU-KNIT® Absorbable Hemostat have a 5-year shelf life; SURGICEL® FIBRILLAR™ Absorbable Hemostat has a 3-year shelf life.
PROVEN BACTERICIDAL PROPERTIES

SURGICEL® Absorbable Hemostat is the first and only absorbable hemostat that is proven bactericidal against a broad range of gram-positive and gram-negative organisms including various antibiotic-resistant bacteria (MRSA, VRE, PRSP and MRSE).\(^1,4,5\)

In vivo animal studies have proven SURGICEL® Absorbable Hemostat, in contrast to other hemostatic agents studied, does not enhance infection.\(^6-9\)

The experimental model: 140 guinea pigs were utilized to simulate the development of intra-abdominal abscess and/or peritonitis, which can occur in humans when a large blood clot becomes contaminated.

Clinical significance of these animal or in vitro data has yet to be determined.

Closing SURGICEL® Absorbable Hemostat into a contaminated wound without drainage may lead to complications and should be avoided.

\(^1\)Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA), vancomycin-resistant Enterococcus (VRE), penicillin-resistant Staphylococcus pneumoniae (PRSP), methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus epidermidis (MRSE).

\(^4\)CFU=Colony Forming Units
VERSATILITY

• Thin layers enhance your ability to visualize and work on bleeding site
• Fibril material provides broad surface area coverage

OPTIMAL ADHERENCE

• Soft, layered material conforms and “melts in” to bleeding tissue—until you remove it
• Larger surface area advances hemostasis action

IDEAL CONFORMABILITY

• Lightweight layers and tufts—peel off as much or as little as desired
• Use it in any size, shape, or thickness—as needed for your specific application
• Well suited for use in craniotomy, laminectomy and coronary artery bypass graft procedures to control bleeding on the anastomosis site
STRONGER MATERIAL
- Dense knit material provides high tensile strength in the presence of heavy bleeding.
- Thick weave designed to stay together during surgery; permits suturing.

GREATER COVERAGE AREA
- Large surface area provides maximal coverage.
- Soft, pliable weave designed to hold a suture and for placement on delicate tissue.

VERSATILE
- Wrap it, suture it in place, even insert it through a trocar, for unsurpassed application control.
- Ideal for use in trauma, laparoscopic surgery, and various procedures, including sternotomies and solid organ.
EXCELLENT HEMOSTASIS WITH OPTIMAL HANDLING

• Proven record of safety and efficacy for a broad range of bleeding situations\(^1,3\)
• Sheer weave allows visibility of the bleeding site
• Flexible texture conforms to irregular surfaces—provides optimal conformability in a fabric\(^1\)

SURGICAL CONFORMABILITY

• Compatible with electrocautery\(^3\)
• Easily removed after hemostasis is achieved\(^3\)
• Easily cut or folded for use in endoscopic procedures\(^1\)
The SURGICEL® Hemostat that’s right for your procedure.

Three proven & trusted performers—SURGICEL® Absorbable Hemostats provide a unique combination of hemostatic effectiveness, absorbability, and bactericidal properties.\textsuperscript{4,5}

For use in a broad range of procedures\textsuperscript{3}

- Neurosurgery
- Ortho-spine
- Cardiovascular
- Peripheral Vascular
- General Surgery
- Trauma
- Minimally Invasive Surgery
- Urology
- ENT Procedures

The Choice of surgeons for half a century
Trusted by surgeons for half a century to stop bleeding fast.

- Proprietary ORC technology
- Safe—plant-based product
- Bactericidal advantage

References:
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