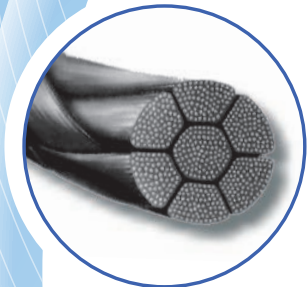


# SILK



<b>Type</b>	Braided multifilament
<b>Composition</b>	Braided fibres from the cocoon of the silkworm
<b>Coating</b>	Silicone
<b>Colour</b>	Black
<b>Tissue reaction</b>	Moderate
<b>Absorption</b>	Silk suture elicits an initial inflammatory reaction in tissues, which is followed by gradual encapsulation of the suture by fibrous connective tissues.
<b>Presentation</b>	Box with 12 sutures

*For quality  
&  
safety*

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# SILK

## **CHARACTERISTICS**






- ✓ High tensile strength, non absorbable
- ✓ Braided or twisted structure
  
- ✓ Coated multifilament
  
- ✓ Hermetically sealed packing





## **BENEFITS**


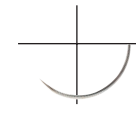



- Good and extended tissue support for up to 3 month
  
- Excellent handling properties  
High flexibility  
High tensile strength  
Excellent knot security
  
- Soft passage through the tissues with minimal sawing, tissue drag and trauma  
Good knot tie down / adjustability  
Reduced capillary action
  
- Guaranteed seal and product sterility


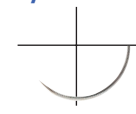

**INDICATIONS** General soft tissue closing and/or ligation  
especially in General surgery  
Skin closure  
Ophthalmic surgery  
Oral surgery  
Gastrointestinal surgery  
Gynaecology  
Obstetrics

**CONTRAINDICATIONS** Cardiovascular surgery  
Neurosurgery  
Microsurgery  
Known allergies or sensitivities to silk

 Side cutting spatula double armed	Metric	USP	Length	Order number			
	2 x DSP 6.5 mm 200 µm		0.4	8/0	45 cm	<i>black</i>	OS81B
	2 x DSP 6.5 mm 240 µm		0.5	7/0	45 cm	<i>black</i>	OS71
			0.7	6/0	45 cm	<i>black</i>	OS61
2 x DSP 8 mm 350 µm		1	5/0	30 cm	<i>black</i>	OS52	

 Side cutting spatula double armed	Metric	USP	Length	Order number			
	2 x VSP 8 mm 250 µm		0.7	6/0	45 cm	<i>black</i>	OS62
	2 x VSP 10 mm 350 µm		1	5/0	45 cm	<i>black</i>	OS51

 Reverse cutting	Metric	USP	Length	Order number			
	DS 12 mm		0.7	6/0	45 cm	<i>black</i>	8071512
			1	5/0	45 cm	<i>black</i>	8101512
			1.5	4/0	75 cm	<i>black</i>	8151512
	DS 16 mm		1.5	4/0	75 cm	<i>black</i>	8151516
	DS 19 mm		1.5	4/0	75 cm	<i>black</i>	8151519

 Reverse cutting double armed	Metric	USP	Length	Order number			
	2 x DS 12 mm		0.5	7/0	45 cm	<i>black</i>	8051512-2
			0.7	6/0	45 cm	<i>black</i>	8071512-2