HALYARD

ALGINATE
WOUND DRESSING

Product Description
HALYARD* Alginate Wound Dressing is a sterile, non-woven calcium-sodium alginate dressing consisting of high strength gel alginate. This dressing is highly absorbent, conformable, and maintains structural integrity when wet. It assists in maintaining a moist wound healing environment and is meant for moderate to highly exuding wounds.

Indications for Use
HALYARD* Alginate Wound Dressing is indicated for the management of moderate to heavily exuding partial and full thickness chronic and acute wounds, such as:

- Pressure ulcers
- Leg ulcers
- Venous and arterial ulcers
- Diabetic ulcers
- Lacerations
- Abrasions
- Graft wounds and donor sites

Other indications include post-operative surgical wounds, trauma wounds, cavity wounds, superficial burns and partial thickness burns. The dressing can be used under compression bandages.

Contra-indications
HALYARD* Alginate Wound Dressing is not indicated for use on the following:

- Surgical implantation
- Dry wounds
- To control heavy bleeding
- Individuals who are sensitive to or who have had an allergic reaction to the dressing or its components.

Directions for Use
Site Preparation
- Debride when necessary and cleanse the wound site in accordance with standard protocols
- Remove excess solution from surrounding skin
- Use skin barrier as needed.

Dressing Application
Select a size of Alginate Wound Dressing that is slightly larger than the wound, overlapping at least 1cm onto the skin surrounding the wound.

1. Cut (using clean scissors) or fold the dressing to fit the wound. Loosely fill deep wounds.
2. For heavily exuding wounds, apply to wound bed directly.
3. Cover and secure with an appropriate secondary dressing.

Precautions
Consult a healthcare professional if irritation (reddening, inflammation), maceration (whitening of skin), hyper-granulation (excess tissue formation) is observed.

The dressing may adhere if used on dry or very lightly exuding wounds. If the dressing becomes adhered to the wound bed or skin, moisten it with saline solution prior to removal.

The dressing is not intended for use as a surgical sponge and is not intended to control heavy bleeding. Alternative measures must be considered in those emergency situations with exceptional blood loss.

Do not use on patients with a known sensitivity to Alginate.

For external use only.

Please use under the guidance of a healthcare professional

Dressing Change and Removal
1. HALYARD* Alginate Wound Dressing can remain in place up to 7 days, depending on wound condition and the level of exudate. Initially it may be necessary to change the dressing every 24 hours or whenever wound care protocol dictates that the dressing should be changed.
2. Reapply HALYARD* Alginate Wound Dressing when the secondary dressing has reached its absorbent capacity or whenever wound care protocol dictates that the dressing should be changed.
3. To change the dressing, gently remove the secondary cover dressing. If the alginate dressing or the wound appear dry, the alginate dressing can be moistened to aid in removal.
4. Gently remove the dressing from the wound bed and discard in accordance with local guidelines.
5. Irrigate or cleanse the wound site with a suitable wound cleanser prior to application of a new dressing.

Storage
Store in a cool, dry place.
Do not reuse.
Do not re-sterilise
Do not use if individual pouch is damaged/opened.
The use by date of this product is printed on the packaging.

SKU code	Product Description	Case Qty
50096	Alginate, 2"x2" (5cm x 5cm)	100
50097	Alginate, 4"x4" (10cm x 10cm)	100
50100	Alginate, 4.25" x4.25" (10.8cm x 10.8cm)	100
50098	Alginate, 4"x 8" (10cm x 20cm)	50
50099	Alginate, 1"x12" (2.5cm x30cm)	50

Symbols Used On Labelling

	Single Use Only
STERILE R	Sterilized using irradiation
	Do not resterilize
LATEX	Not made with natural rubber latex
	Follow instructions for use
	Keep away from sunlight
	Keep dry
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