Mepitel® Ag

Antimicrobial wound contact layer (double-sided)

Open mesh structure

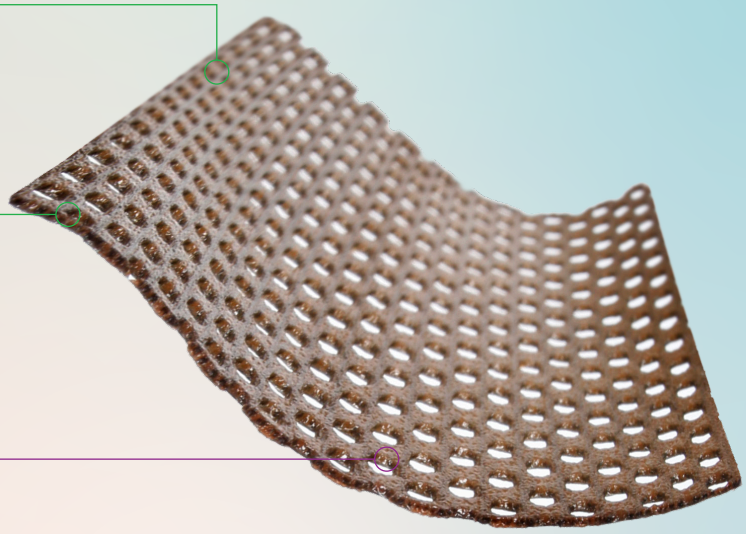
- Allows for transfer of exudate and application of topical treatment
- Highly conformable

Antimicrobial effect

- Effective release of silver provides rapid antimicrobial effect within 30 minutes[1] *(in vitro)*
- Inactivates a broad range of wound-related pathogens for up to 8 days[2]

Safetac® technology layer

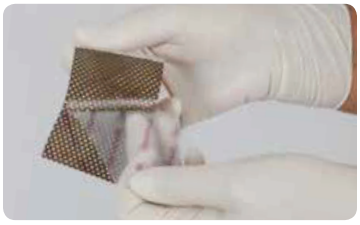
- Reduces pain and trauma during dressing change[3]
- Does not adhere to the moist wound bed but to dry skin only
- Seals the wound margins and reduces the risk of maceration[4]



How to use Mepitel® Ag



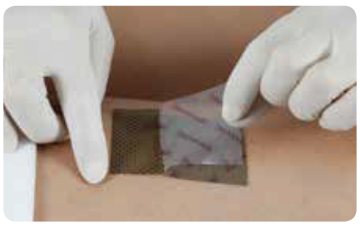
Cleanse the wound following normal procedures and dry the surrounding skin thoroughly. Choose a size of **Mepitel® Ag** that covers the wound and the surrounding skin by at least 2 cm, and cut it to fit if needed.



While holding the larger protective film, remove the smaller one. Moisten gloves to avoid adherence to **Mepitel® Ag**.



Apply **Mepitel® Ag** over the wound.



Remove the remaining protective film. Smooth out **Mepitel® Ag**. If more than a piece of **Mepitel® Ag** is needed, the dressings need to be overlapped in such a manner that the open structures are not blocked.



Apply an appropriate secondary layer over **Mepitel® Ag**. In contoured areas, ensure there is sufficient padding to keep **Mepitel® Ag** flat against the wound.



Keep the dressings in place by using suitable fixation such as **Tubifast®** or **Tubigrip®**.

Benefits of Mepitel® Ag

- Reduces pain and trauma at dressing changes[3]
- Can be left in place, while a secondary layer is changed as frequently as necessary
- Antimicrobial effect inactivates a broad range of wound-related pathogens for up to 8 days *(in vitro)*

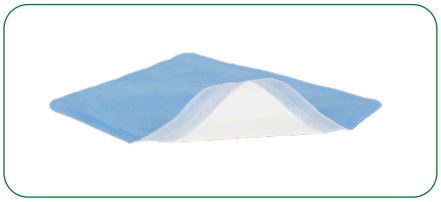
Areas of use

Mepitel® Ag is intended for a wide range of exuding wounds such as skin tears and abrasions, sutured/surgical wounds, partial thickness burns, partial and full thickness grafts, lacerations, diabetic ulcers, venous and arterial ulcers.

Wear time

Mepitel® Ag may be left in place for up to 8 days depending on the patient, condition of the wound and surrounding skin or as indicated by accepted clinical practice. Duration of treatment is determined by the physician and depends on the wound type and healing conditions.

Mepitel® Ag may be used with these Mölnlycke Wound Management products



Mextra® Superabsorbent
(Secondary dressing)



Tubifast® 2-Way Stretch Retention Dressing
(On top of the secondary dressing)



Tubigrip® Tubular Support Bandage
(On top of the secondary dressing)



Mepitel® Ag ordering information

Product Code	Product Description	Units per Box	Units per Case	HCPCS
390590-00	2" x 3" (5 x 7.5 cm)	10	50	A6206
390790-00	3" x 4" (7.5 x 10 cm)	10	40	A6206
390090-00	4" x 5" (10 x 12 cm)	10	60	A6207
391090-00	4" x 7" (10 x 18 cm)	10	70	A6207
392090-00	8" x 12" (20 x 30 cm)	5	30	A6208
392059-00	8" x 20" (20 x 50 cm)	2	12	A6208

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