



# Silkus®

## Black Braided Silk

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### Product Details:

Composition	Silk
Construction	Braided
Coating	Coated with Silicon to give 'hand' to the suture
In vitro retention of strength	Although Silkus is classified as a non-absorbable suture, it loses most of its tensile strength in one year.
Tissue Reaction	Silk being a natural fibre elicits an inflammatory reaction, which is followed by gradual encapsulation of the suture by fibrous connective tissue.
Absorption Time	Although Silkus is classified as a non-absorbable suture, it gets completely absorbed in 2 years. Hence, it can be considered as a very slow absorbing suture.
Sterilization	100% Ethylene Oxide
Available in Sizes	8-0, 7-0, 6-0, 5-0, 4-0, 3-0, 2-0, 0, 1
Colour	Black
Shelf Life	5 years
Packaging	Box of 12 sutures

### Distinctive Features:









- ◆ Coated with silicon to allow easy passage through tissue, limit absorption and increase ductility.
- ◆ Knot pull strength and needle swage strength greater than USP limits.
- ◆ Packed using Tyvek paper for extra security.
- ◆ Dyed black for better visibility.






SILKUS® - Non-Absorbable Sutures  
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REVERSE CUTTING

Needle Length	Needle Profile	Suture Length	Suture Size							
			6-0	5-0	4-0	3-0	2-0	0	1	
8 mm 	3/8 Circle Micro Point	38 cm	LNW 5043							
10 mm 	3/8 Circle Micro Point	38 cm	LNW 5012							
12 mm 	3/8 Circle	76 cm		LNW 5080						
		90 cm		LNW 5079						
26 mm 	3/8 Circle	76 cm				LNW 5028				
45 mm 	3/8 Circle	76 cm					LNW 5036	LNW 5037		
		90 cm					LNW 5036 L	LNW 5037 L		
45 mm 	1/2 Circle	76 cm						LNW 5038		
50 mm 	3/8 Circle	76 cm								LNW 5063
50 mm 	1/2 Circle	76 cm					LNW 5052			

SPATULATED

Needle Length	Needle Profile	Suture Length	Suture Size							
			6-0	5-0	4-0	3-0	2-0	0	1	
8 mm 	1/4 Circle Micro Point	38 cm	LNW 5088							

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PRE-CUT SUTURES

Suture Length	Suture Size							
	4-0	3-0	2-0	0	1	2	3	4
2 x 75 cm	WN 211	WN 212	WN 213	WN 214	WN 215	WN 216	WN 217	WN 218
2 x 35 cm		WN 222	WN 223	WN 224				

Packaging : Box of 12

SILKUS® REELS - Non-Absorbable Sutures  
 Black Braided Silk Reels  
 Non-Sterile

Suture Length per Reel	Suture Size							
	5-0	4-0	3-0	2-0	0	1	2	3
25 meters	LR 820	LR 821	LR 822	LR 823	LR 824	LR 825	LR 826	LR 828

Packaging : Box of 6 reels