Premilene®

Product Features

Structure	Monofilament
Chemical Composition	Polypropylene
Colour	Blue
Size	USP 1 (metric 4) to USP 10/0 (metric 0.2)
Mass absorption	Non-absorbable
Indications	Vascular and Cardiovascular surgery, Plastic and
	reconstructive surgery, Skin closure, Neurosurgery,
	Ophthalmology
Sterilization	Ethylene oxide



Needle	Thread	USP metric									
length	length	6/0	5/0	4/0	3/0	2/0	0	1	2		
mm	cm	0.7	1	1.5	2	3	3.5	4	5		
3/8 circle reverse cutting needle											
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DS 16	45 75 blue	C2090211	C2090212 C2090512		C2090514						
DS 19	30 45 75 blue		C2090219 C2090519	C2090220 C2090520	C2090421 C2090221 C2090521						
DS 24 V	45 75 blue			C2090434 C2090234	C2090435 C2090235		C2090237				
DS 30	45 75 blue				C2090446 C2090246	C2090447 C2090247	C2090248	C2095200			
DS 35	75 blue				C2090230						
DS 39	75 blue				C2090254	C2090255	C2090256	C2090257			
2xDS 60	75 blue					B0090751					
DS 76	3 x 50 blue								B0090288		

Premilene®

The success of a strong, smooth and flexible monofilament.

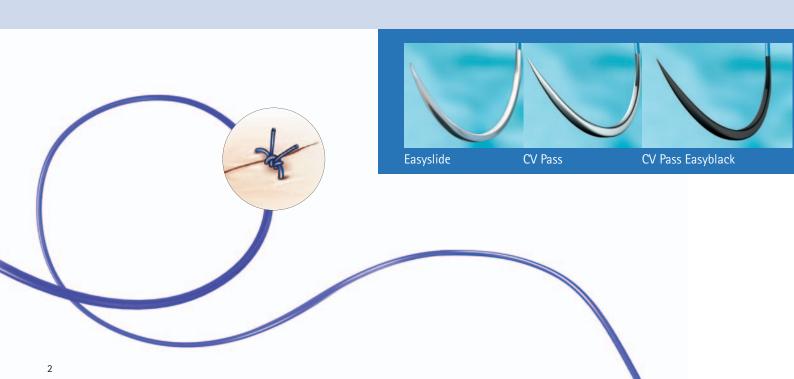
Premilene® thread

Premilene® is composed of an isotactic polypropylene, which presents an absolutely regular and longitudinal molecular structure. This composition together with our special extrusion process provides Premilene® with:

- Prolonged tensile strength retention.
- Smoothness thanks to its monofilament structure, ensuring minimal drag through the tissue.
- Adequate elasticity and elongation values, which guarantee a stable and secure knot.
- Pliability for easy knot tying and comfortable continuous suturing.

Premilene® needles

- Made of 300 series stainless steel to provide superior breaking resistance and ductility.
- Improved needle penetration thanks to its geometry and surface treatment.
- Special needle range for cardiovascular, plastic and ophthalmic surgery (DSMP, HRC, CV Pass needles).



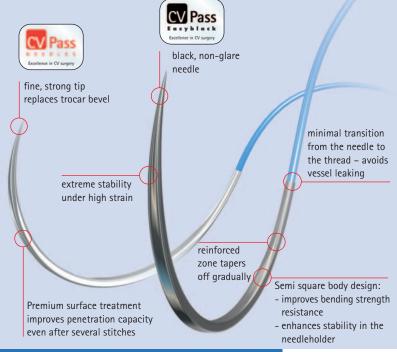
Indications

Premilene® is indicated for general soft tissue approximation and/or ligation, where the use of non-absorbable sutures is required.

- Cardiovascular surgery
 - Premilene® is specially indicated for anastomoses in cardiothoracic surgery
- Vascular surgery
 - Ideal for peripheral arterial and venous suturing
- Plastic surgery procedures
- Skin closure (specially intracutaneous)
- General surgery
- Ophthalmology
- Microsurgery (nerve and vessel reconstruction)

Available with CV Pass and CV Pass Easyblack

- The ideal alternative for vascular and cardiovascular microsurgery
- The new generation of needles with maximum bending strength and tissue protection





Premilene®

A complete offer for demanding surgeons.

A unique and innovative suture packaging system by B. Braun

B. Braun has a long history of suture expertise and the use of state of the art technology. Using this expertise and our commitment to constant improvement in sutures, packaging and needles.

RacePack® has been developed together with the OR staff to provide a functional packaging system which meets the requirements of the surgical team.

New RacePack® reduces up to 40% the memory effect compared to similar packaging in the market



Complementary B. Braun products

We strongly recommend using the B. Braun graft together with Premilene®, some of the most outstanding being Uni-Graft® K DV and Silver Graft.

The successful Optilene® Mesh as well as the Aesculap instruments are also great products to be used together with Premilene®.

Contact your local sales representative for further information on these products.

