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# General wound care

Product catalogue



## Product category

Non-woven swabs, sterile and non-sterile



# 3M™ Topper™ 8 Non-Woven Swabs and 3M™ Topper™ 12 Non-Woven Swabs

## Product description/mode of action and main clinical benefits

Topper 8 Swabs and Topper 12 Swabs are composed of nonwoven viscose rayon and polyester. These cost effective, low-linting swabs with high absorbency are ideal for use in all general wiping and cleansing procedures associated with wound management.

Topper 8 Swabs absorb 45% more than 8ply cotton gauze swabs.<sup>1</sup>

Topper 8 Swabs and Topper 12 Swabs have less tendency to fray or snag, making them easier to handle when both wet or dry.<sup>1</sup>

- The viscose/polyester fabric is soft and strong with minimal allergenic potential.
- The ribbed structure provides a textured surface to facilitate debris removal.
- The non-woven fabric permits high absorbency without linting, unlike gauze swabs.
- The non-woven swabs are free from binders, which enhances their absorbency.
- They are available in a range of put ups: pre sterilized in high integrity, peel open pouches of 2 or 5 swabs and non sterilized in bags of 100-200 swabs. The non-woven swabs are non-chlorine bleached.



## Indications for use

For use in all general wiping and cleansing procedures associated with wound management to remove exudate and dried blood.<sup>1</sup>

They may also be used to remove dressing residues from the surface of intact skin around the wound.

## Packaging

Single use. Do not use if individual pack is damaged/opened. Refer to full instructions for use provided in the product packaging.

### Reference:

1. Thomas S. et al. Comparing non-woven, filmated and woven gauze swabs. Journal of wound care, 1993, Jan 2(1): 35-41

## 3M™ Topper™ 8 Non-Woven Swabs ordering information

	Product Code	Size	Swab/Pouch	Pouch/Box	Box/Case
Sterile	TS8055	5cm x 5cm	5	25	24
	TS8075	7.5cm x 7.5cm	5	25	36
	TS8072	7.5cm x 7.5cm	2	50	36
	TS8105	10cm x 10cm	5	40	16
	TS8102	10cm x 10cm	2	75	16
Non-Sterile	M50405	5cm x 5cm	N/A	100	50
	M53405N	5cm x 5cm	N/A	200	42
	M50407N	7.5cm x 7.5cm	N/A	100	56
	M53407N	7.5cm x 7.5cm	N/A	200	28
	M50410	10cm x 10cm	N/A	100	40
	M53410	10cm x 10cm	N/A	200	20
	M53420	10cm x 10cm	N/A	200	10

## 3M™ Topper™ 12 Non-Woven Swabs ordering information

	Product Code	Size	Swab/Pouch	Pouch/Box	Box/Case
Sterile	TS1052	5cm x 5cm	2	45	24
	<del>TS1055</del>	<del>5cm x 5cm</del>	<del>5</del>	<del>20</del>	<del>24</del>
	TS1075	7.5cm x 7.5cm	5	18	36
	TS1072	7.5cm x 7.5cm	2	40	36
	TS1105	10cm x 10cm	5	30	16
	TS1102	10cm x 10cm	2	70	16
Non-Sterile	M53605N	5cm x 5cm	N/A	200	33
	M50607	7.5cm x 7.5cm	N/A	100	45
	M53607N	7.5cm x 7.5cm	N/A	200	28
	M50610	10cm x 10cm	N/A	100	28
	M53610N	10cm x 10cm	N/A	200	15
	M53620N	10cm x 10cm	N/A	200	7



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