The superabsorbent dressing designed for advanced wound care
DryMax Extra is a superabsorbent dressing intended for advanced wound care. The unique ABSORBEST core locks up impressive amounts of wound exudate. DryMax Extra is designed and developed to promote wound healing.

Indications
DryMax Extra is intended for use on moderately to heavily exuding wounds, such as:
- leg ulcers
- pressure ulcers
- diabetic foot ulcers
- acute and chronic wounds
- lymph edema

Confidence in care
An ultra-thin dressing which is very comfortable to wear. Its effective absorption and retention capacities stop fluids from leaking back out. A reduction in pain and odor when wearing DryMax Extra improves quality of life.

How to handle the challenge of highly exuding wounds
Heavily exuding wounds require a lot of commitment from caregivers. These wounds cause patient discomfort and are both time consuming and costly to heal.

A wound dressing for exuding wounds
- Powerful absorption
- Excellent retention
- Cost effective
- Two-sided
- Prevents maceration
- Binds exudate
- Absorbs bacteria
- Works well under compression
Promoting wound healing

Evidence is the back-bone of all our product development. Total control at every step, from raw material to finished product. Advanced, contemporary technology is the basis for optimal and cost-effective patient treatment.

Patient satisfaction

- Patient experienced reduced pain \(^1,3,5,7\)
- Patient experienced reduced inconvenience \(^2,3,5\)
- Patient experienced better fluid handling \(^3\)
- Patient experienced extended wear time \(^2,3\)

Healing process

- Reduced healing time \(^5,7\)
- Clear and visible wound improvement \(^2,3,5\)
- Less maceration \(^2,3,5,6,7\)
- Reduced malodor \(^3,5\)

Dressing performance

- Very high absorption \(^1,2,4\)
- Binds exudate \(^1,2,3,4\)
- Intervals between dressing changes become longer \(^1,2,3,4,5\)
- Prevents wound edge maceration \(^2,3,4,6,7\)
- Promotes wound healing \(^1\)
- Easy handling \(^2\)
- Absorbs bacteria \(^9,10\)

Cost saving

Ease of use and extended wear time equals less material required and improved healthcare efficiency \(^2,3,5\)

DryMax Extra is a sterile, soft dressing delivering optimal absorption

The dressing remains dry and comfortable for the patient and simultaneously contributes to a moist wound environment. The hydrophilic wound contact layer transports fluid effectively away from the wound bed and distributes it evenly into the ABSORBEST core. The exudate is effectively sequestered in the dressing, preventing maceration and supporting wound healing.

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Evidence in clinical use

49% FEWER DRESSING CHANGES

33% LOWER LABOUR COSTS

20.5 h NURSING TIME SAVED PER AVERAGE WEEK

55% AVERAGE MATERIAL COSTS SAVED WEEKLY

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**ABSORBEST core was developed on chemical bonding principles**

Absorbs and retains high quantities of wound exudate

The superabsorbent polymer effectively captures and sequesters wound fluid containing bacteria and other substances detrimental to the wound healing process and so facilitates wound healing. The combination of modified cellulose fibers and superabsorbent polymer also provides a moist wound environment.

**DryMax Extra is designed to make the most of the ABSORBEST core’s benefits**

The seamless cover simplifies the positioning of the dressing over the wound. The design allows the dressing to be applied with either side facing the wound. This feature also makes it possible to stack several dressings on top of each other if extra absorptive capacity is required.
DryMax Extra gave me a completely new life. It means I can take my dog for a walk and go out in the countryside. I feel like a human being again, not just a problem.