







# ABSORBABLE SURGICAL SUTURE CATGUT PLAIN

<b>TYPE</b>	Twisted multifilament with a monofilament appearance	
<b>COMPOSITION</b>	Strands of purified collagen taken from the serosal layer of selected bovines. Origin from BSE-free classified countries.	
<b>COATING</b>	None	
<b>TISSUE REACTION</b>	Moderate	
<b>ABSORPTION</b>	By phagocytosis. Complete mass absorption in approximately 63 days. Approximately 50% of tensile strength remain after 7 days. When used in infected tissues or in tissues with increased levels of proteolytic enzymes (stomach, cervix, vagina) it is more quickly absorbed.	
<b>TENSILE STRENGTH</b>	<b>Post implantation</b> 7 days 14 days	<b>Approximate % original strength remaining</b> 50 % 20 %
<b>SUTURE COLOUR</b>	Ivory	
<b>RANGE</b>	USP 5/0 - 2/0	
<b>INDICATIONS</b>	Catgut plain sutures are intended for use in general soft tissue closing and/or ligation; especially in general surgery, gastrointestinal surgery, gynaecology, obstetrics, urology, ophthalmic surgery	



 <b>Round bodied needle – taper point – 1/2 circle</b>							
NEEDLE	EP	USP	LENGTH	SUTURE COLOUR	OTHER INFORMATION	ORDER NUMBER	
HR37 37 mm 	3.5	2/0	75 cm	ivory		CP20HR37	

 <b>Reverse cutting needle – 3/8 circle</b>							
NEEDLE	EP	USP	LENGTH	SUTURE COLOUR	OTHER INFORMATION	ORDER NUMBER	
DS16 16 mm 	1.5	5/0	75 cm	ivory		CP50DS16	
	2	4/0	75 cm	ivory		CP40DS16	
DS19 19 mm 	3	3/0	75 cm	ivory		CP30DS19	
DS24 24 mm 	3.5	2/0	75 cm	ivory		CP20DS24	