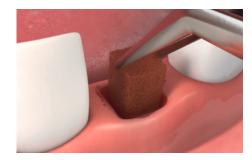
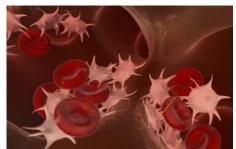
MODE OF ACTION

Sponge absorbs the blood in the wound with 55-75-times its own weight without expanding. No unpleasant feeling of pressure in the wound.



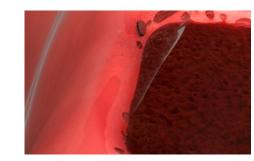
Thrombocyte aggre-

The sponge structure enhances the aggregation of blood platelets and promotes haemostasis.



3. Stabilisation of coagulum

Contraction of the coagulum is prevented, and thus the occurrence of secondary cavities or gaps. Prevents disturbances to wound healing.



Broad antimicrobial depot effect

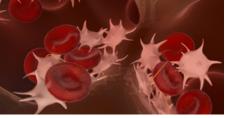
Silver ions are released throughout the entire absorption period. Silver is effective against a broad spectrum of bacteria.



Full resorption







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Dr. Friederike Listander, dentist, Germany

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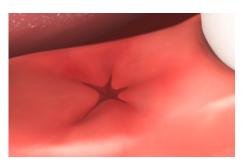
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Gelatamp

- For the prophylaxis of wound infections and secondary haemorrhaging
- The only gelatine sponge with colloidal silver
- Haemostatic and antibacterial

SILVER WINS

Gelatamp is a gelatine sponge for the prophylaxis of wound infections and secondary haemorrhage following extractions. It contains colloidal silver and is thus clearly distinguished from mere gelatine sponges. Owing to the silver, Gelatamp exerts a broad antibacterial effect over the entire resorption period. The silver also gives Gelatamp its specific brown colour. This immediately signals that this sponge is worth its weight in gold.



- Fast initial haemostasis
- Stabilisation of the coagulum
- Broad antibacterial effect due to colloidal silver
- Complete absorption

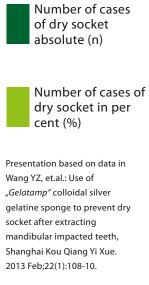
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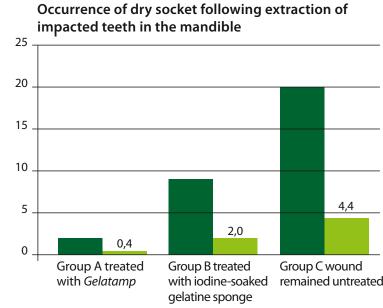
Gelatamp gelatine sponges are used to treat wound cavities and sockets following extraction.

CLINICAL ADVANTAGES

Rapid initial haemostasis following extractions is an important step in initiating wound healing. The haemostatic process forms a coagulum which is the decisive link to the resulting granulation tissue which finally replaces the coagulum.

Disturbances in wound healing often occur if the coagulum is not formed, a formed coagulum is destroyed or if it is lost due to inappropriate post-operative patient behaviour. The use of *Gelatamp* counteracts these influencing factors in various ways and has been proven to reduce disturbances in wound healing.







MODE OF ACTION

Gelatamp supports rapid haemostasis. The sponge absorbs a multiple of its own weight in blood, fills the wound cavity and stabilises the blood coagulum. The sponge structure enhances the aggregation of thrombocytes and thus haemostasis. Gelatamp fits tightly to its surroundings and prevents the formation of gaps and secondary cavities which could occur through contraction of the blood coagulum without Gelatamp. The ingress of burdened saliva is reduced, and thus the risk of wound infections. In addition, the silver ions of the colloidal silver in the sponge are activated. Ag⁺ ions are highly reactive in a moist environment and counteract the survival or multiplication of bacteria in numerous ways. As silver is bound in the gelatine, it is not washed out, but released successively when the sponge is resorbed. The difference is the depot effect of *Gelatamp* – the antibacterial effect of the gelatine sponge acts over the entire resorption

period and thus effectively prevents wound infections. The silver in *Gelatamp* acts locally and not systemically, resulting in good tolerability.

APPLICATION

Gelatamp is applied immediately after the wound cavity has filled with blood. To maintain its full absorbing capacity, the sponge is to be applied dry into the wound and should not be compressed. The sponge will fill completely with blood and immediately promotes the haemostatic process.

Treatment of the alveolus is provided by placing the sponge, there is no need for further irrigation and, if required, it can be sutured.

The antibacterial effect of the silver in *Gelatamp* has been confirmed in a microbiological burden test.

Reduction in pathogens with *Gelatamp* ▶

— E. coli
— Ps. aeruginosa
— Staph. aureus
— Candida albicans
— Aspergillus niger

Microbiological burden test conducted by Labor L+S Gmb Bad Bocklet, 1992

