Askina® Carbosorb

The combination of a
super absorbent wound dressing
and **activated charcoal**

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More time to care for your patients

Excessive wound exudate can delay wound healing.[1] Most wounds have a slight odour, and malodor is the most distressing and socially isolating symptom associated with wounds.[2]

With Askina® Carbosorb, you can manage excess **exudate and malodor at the same time.**

High exudate control

Moderate
to heavy exudate
is absorbed.

Odour control

Activated charcoal
absorbs
wound malodor.

High level of retention

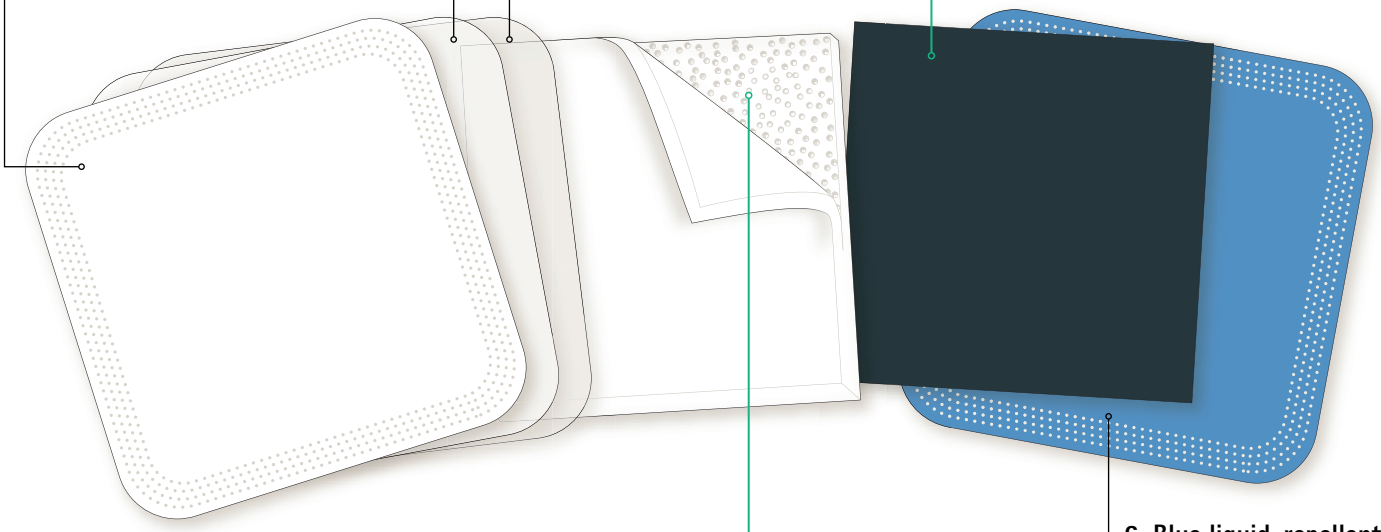
The risk of maceration
can be reduced.

Composition of the six-layer dressing

1. Hydrophilic wound contact layer
transfers fluids upwards and does not adhere to the wound site.

2.+3. Two dispersion layers
promote rapid absorption and even dispersion of exudate into the absorbent core.

5. Activated charcoal layer
absorbs wound malodor.



4. Super absorbent pad layer
highly absorbs liquid and retains them.

6. Blue liquid-repellent backing layer
reduces fluid strike-through and is vapour permeable and breathable.

Examples: How to apply and fix Askina® Carbosorb

Select the size of the dressing so that it covers the wound edges. Carefully place the dressing with the white hydrophilic side directly on the wound surface. Fix the dressing with an appropriate bandage or tape.

Ordering information

Name	Size	Quantity per box	Reference
Askina® Carbosorb	10 x 10 cm	10	WIN9025006
Askina® Carbosorb	10 x 20 cm	10	WIN9025014
Askina® Carbosorb	20 x 20 cm	10	WIN9025015

Technical Summary	Askina® Carbosorb
Uptake of Ethyl Acetate (%)	3.94
Absorbency (g / 100cm2)	118.485
Seal Strength: top / bottom/ left/ right (N / 15mm)	3.195 / 3.135 / 2.635 / 2.569

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