Technical Data Sheet

Achimed

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1 Product description

Intended purpose: Achimed® is a bandage for compression of the achilles tendon.

Indications:

All indications in which soft tissue compression with local pressure pad(s) on the Achilles tendon is necessary, such as:
• Acute and chronic inflammation of the Achilles tendon
• Achillodynia
• Achillobursitis

Contraindications: None known at present.

Risks / Side effects:

If the aids are too tight, this can cause local pressure sores or constriction of blood vessels or nerves. Therefore you should consult the doctor treating you before you use it if the following circumstances apply to you:

• Condition or injury of the skin in the area of application, particularly with infectious indications (excessive heat, swelling or reddening

• Paraesthesia and circulatory disorders (e.g. as seen in diabetes, varicose veins)

• Lymph drainage disorders – equally, swelling of soft tissue adjacent to the area of application which is not related to a condition

When wearing snug-fitting aids, this can result in localised skin inflammation or irritation that is due to mechanical irritation of the skin (particularly in conjunction with sweating) or due to the composition of the material.

Soap residues, lotions and ointments can cause skin irritation and material wear.

1.1 Material composition

Polyamide, Polyester, Elastane, Viscose

1.2 Presentations

size	circumference** cm	article number
I	17 – 20	K020211
II	20 - 22	K020212
III	22 - 24	K020213
IV	24 - 26	K020214
V	26 - 28	K020215
VI	28 – 30	K020216

**Circumference of ankle at the narrowest point above ankle bone.

1.3 Measurements

size	**A length front**	**B length along heel**	**C width upper edge**	**D width lower edge**	**E Length heel-instep**	**weight**
I	18 cm	30 cm	8,5 cm	8,5 cm	11,0 cm	50 g
II	18 cm	30 cm	9,0 cm	9,0 cm	11,5 cm	50 g
III	18 cm	30 cm	10,0 cm	10,0 cm	12,5 cm	50 g
IV	18 cm	30 cm	10,5 cm	10,5 cm	13,0 cm	65 g
V	18 cm	30 cm	11,0 cm	11,0 cm	13,5 cm	65 g
VI	18 cm	30 cm	11,5 cm	11,5 cm	14,0 cm	65 g



1.4 Features

Innovative comfort knitted fabric which adapts its fit to the body, soft instep area and supple borders
Special active breathable zone on the sole
Easy to put on using included donning aid
Wedges to raise the heels are included
medi Comfort Zone: soft, fine and elastic to ensure a significant increase in comfort, even in the sensitive joint areas
No cutting-in of the ends of the bandage thanks to the unique knitting technique (medi Soft Edge).
3D silicone pad
Eucalyptus natural fibre supports moisture management and is soft on the skin

2 Safety instructions

Important notes

This medical device MD is made for single patient use only 1. If it is used for treating more than one patient, the manufacturer's product liability will become invalid. If undue pain or an unpleasant sensation develops while you are wearing the product, please consult your doctor or orthotist immediately. Do not wear the product over open wounds and use it only as instructed by your doctor or orthotist.

Note on wearing

Supports are particularly beneficial during physical exercise. The supports is designed to fit comfortably and may be worn all day. It should be removed during prolonged periods of inactivity (e.g. sitting for a long time or a long car drive, sleeping).

3 Storing conditions

Keep the product in a dry place and do not expose to direct sunlight. 

4 Chemical substances

Contact with chemicals (e. g. benzole, methanol, salicylic acid in high concentrations) may have adverse actions on the effect of the product. Do not apply ointments or oils before putting on the product.

5 Care instructions

We recommend using a laundry bag. Fabric softeners, fats, oils, lotions, ointments and soap residues can affect the material, hinder the climate comfort effect and cause skin irritations.
• Wash the product by hand, preferably using a medi clean detergent, or in delicate cycle at 30°C using a mild detergent without fabric conditioners.
• Do not bleach.
• Leave to dry naturally.
• Do not iron.
• Do not dry clean.



6 Packaging/Labeling

Product is sent out in folded box with CE mark and manufacturer address
Product and box labeled for clear identification and traceability.
Fitting instruction included.

7 Shelf Life

Expiration date for storage: 42 months

8 Disposal



The product can be disposed of in the domestic waste.
Please ensure a proper and suitable disposal of the used products to prevent any risk to human beings and the environment.