## Activon Manuka Honey













### What is Activon Manuka Honey?

- Activon Manuka Honey is made from nectar gathered from Leptospermum plants by bees in New Zealand
- The properties of Activon Manuka Honey provide wound healing benefits not found in other types of dressings:
  - Anti-microbial
  - Debridement and de-sloughing
  - Malodour reduction
- Activon Manuka Honey also protects the wound bed, providing the moist wound healing environment that is known to promote faster healing<sup>1</sup>





# Naturally anti-microbial with no known resistance

- The unique anti-microbial modes of action of Activon Manuka Honey:
  - High levels of methylglyoxal (MGO)
  - High acidity
  - Osmotic effect
  - High sugar, low water content
  - Production of hydrogen peroxide

- Activon Manuka Honey is effective against wound invading bacteria, including:
  - Staphylococcus aureus
  - Pseudomonas aeruginosa
  - Anti-biotic resistant MRSA and VRE







### Safe and effective debridement and desloughing

Necrotic tissue and slough can harbour bacteria and impede wound healing

Removing necrotic and sloughy tissue quickly helps to restore the wound's healing trajectory

#### **Activon Manuka Honey:**

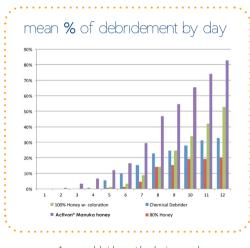
- Promotes autolytic debridement through osmosis
- Creates a hostile environment for slough production due to low pH

#### Safe:

 Only targets necrotic or sloughy tissue

#### **Effective:**

 Significantly better at debridement



Average debridement by day in wounds treated with honey and chemical debridement agent<sup>2</sup>





### Deodorising action to reduce malodour

- Wound odour can prevent some patients from socialising, which may lead to depression and have a serious impact of Quality of Life (QoL)
- When bacteria multiply, they create gases that have unpleasant smells
- Activon Manuka Honey changes the gases produced to ones that are less odorous



Activon® Manuka Honey works at the source of the odour to eliminate, not just mask, it







### Positively evaluated in over 390 patients

#### **Bilateral Venous Leg Ulcer**

Clinical signs of infection: pain, offensive odour and excessive exudate

Treated with Activon® Tulle and Activon® Tube

Reduction in pain, exudate and odour by 2nd dressing change. Almost healed within 6 months





#### **Extensive necrotic foot ulceration**

Patient with Type II Diabetes with peripheral neuropathy
Autolyctic debridement with Algivon® and Activon® Tube
Healed within 16 weeks









### Activon Manuka Honey dressing selection guide

Using the best Activon® Manuka Honey dressing according to wound healing objective will improve outcomes. Always use an appropriate secondary dressing to manage the wound's exudate levels (e.g. Advazorb® foam for low to moderate exudate or Eclypse® superabsorbers for moderate to high exudate).



\*If wound is dry and ischaemic, seek advice before rehydrating.







### Ordering information





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With Activon® Manuka Honey

Size	Stock code	Pack size		
25g	CR3830	12	ELZ069	319-3729



5x5cm	CR3761	5	EJE027	304-0631
10x10cm	CR3658	5	EJE028	304-0623

With Activon® Manuka Honey

Size	Stock code	Pack size	NHS code	PIP code
5x5cm	CR3831	5	n/a	319-3711
10x10cm	CR3659	5	n/a	319-3703







Size				
5x5cm	CR4230	5	ELS549	374-9496
10x10cm	CR4225	5	ELS550	374-9512
2.5x20cm	CR4231	5	ELS551	374-4653







Size	Stock code	Pack size	NHS code	PIP code
5x5cm	CR4281	10	EJE079	379-3759
10x10cm	CR3849	10	EJE042	335-4917
10x20cm	CR3852	10	n/a	335-4925
20x30cm	CR4366	10	EJE163	398-8078
30x30cm	CR4367	5	EJE164	398-8086
30x60cm	CR4368	5	EJE165	398-8094



