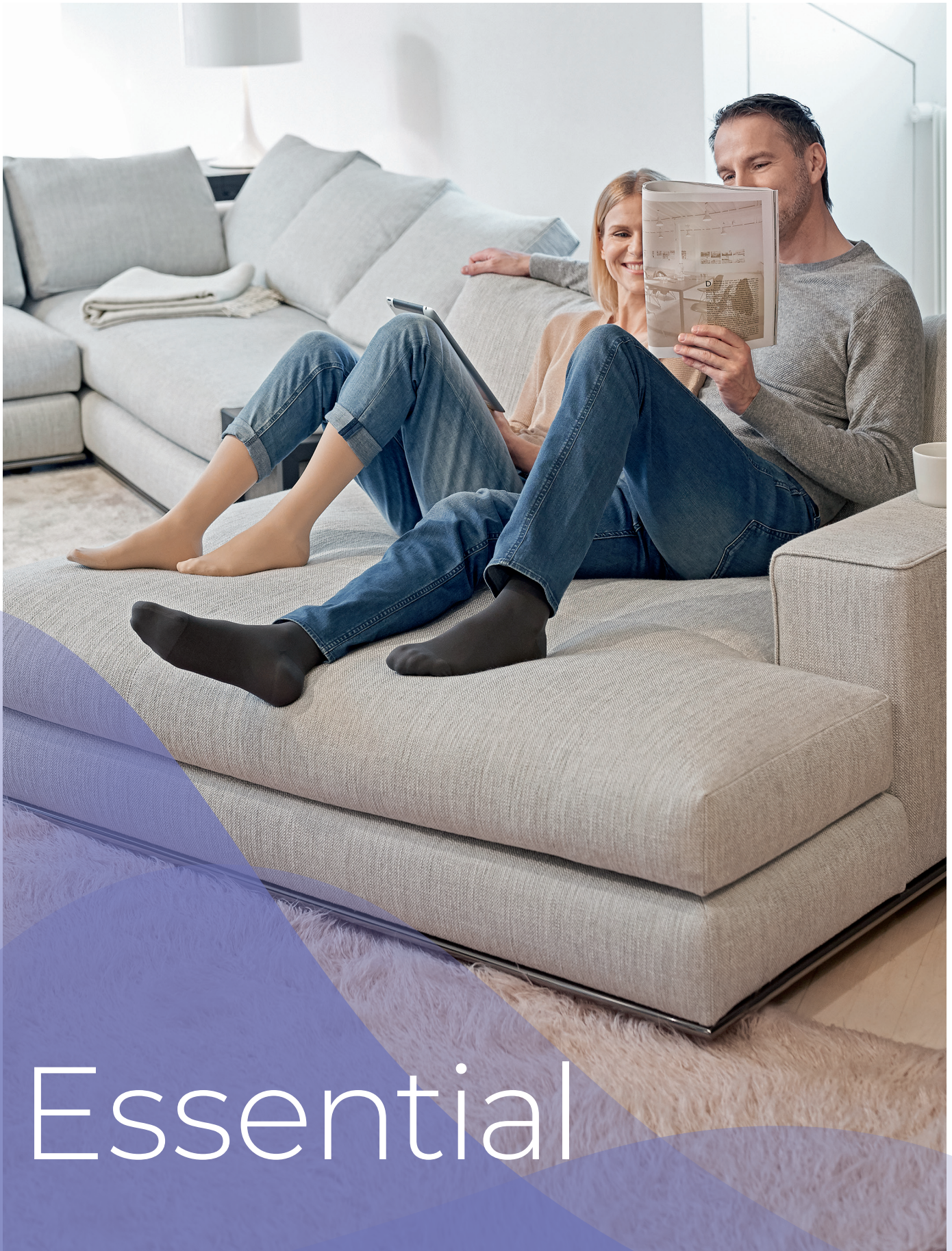



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Essential



*«I prefer reliable and comfortable
compression solutions no matter
what I do.*

That is why I choose Essential.»

(Markus H., age 50)

Live your life. Be yourself.

This motto guides us.

It is aimed at the wearers of our compression solutions. They are our focus. Individuals with diverse medical and personal needs. People who only want one thing - to lead an active life while remaining true to their style. Without compromises.

We want to develop the best compression solutions for people. Each and every individual should feel good. Every day. We have been focusing on this for **over 150 years**.

Our Premium portfolio of medical compression stockings is made up of the following **segments** that address various needs and indications:

- **Essential**
- **Style**
- **Active**
- **Specialities**

Each segment is designed to not only let you find a suitable, but also the best compression solution. On the one hand, the focus is on the effect and medical aspects, on the other, the products should make the customer feel good and help to lead a life without restrictions.

Every person is unique and their requirements for compression solutions can change depending on their life situation. For example, a product from the Essential segment may prove to be the right one for during the day, and for an evening out, Style may be the one that fits better. Or someone may decide to use a product from the Active segment during their daily work, but chooses Essential for relaxing hours at home.

We match our products to the lifestyle of your customers.

This folder deals with the **Essential** segment in more detail. Perfect for all your customers, for whom uncomplicated and comfortable is the key priority!

All Essential products are manufactured in St. Gallen and therefore stand for **Quality made in Switzerland**. This is something we are proud of.

*«I choose Essential for my daily
work routines.*

*Simple donning and doffing and
uncomplicated handling are my
top priorities.»*

(Ruth M., age 58)



Essential

The all-round talents

Compression solutions from the Essential segment are designed for life situations where your customers are looking for something uncomplicated. Comfort and reliability are the top priorities.

They are the flexible everyday companions, uncomplicated and yet visually appealing. They fit the female leg just as well as the male leg.

Each model of the Essential segment is designed for regular, uncomplicated and reliable use in the pursuit of health.

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Essential COMFORTABLE

For her and him

Essential COMFORTABLE is the compression stocking that fits like a glove and meets the highest standards of comfort and care. It is comfortably soft, pleasant to wear and adapts perfectly to one's figure.

Essential COMFORTABLE is ideal for both women and men. With Essential COMFORTABLE you can even make demanding wearers happy, as this medical compression stocking is ideal for every situation. It is absolutely opaque and conceals venous problem areas. Essential COMFORTABLE is easy to handle and looks good anytime and anywhere.



perfect fit
Comfortable:
perfect fit
for her and him



opaque
Attractive:
non-transparent,
conceals venous problem
zones perfectly



easy to use
Convenient:
easy to put on
and take off



Product range overview Essential COMFORTABLE

Matchcode ECF		A-D Calf		A-G Thigh	
		Soft top	Grip top	Soft top	Grip top
CCL	1	●	●	●	●
	2	●	●	●	●
Toe		●	●	●	●
		●	●	●	●
Grip top	Sensinova grip top				●
	Quadrinova knobbed grip top		●		●
Colors	 black	●	●	●	●
	 savanna	●	●	●	●
	 caramel	●	●	●	●
	 skin	●			●
	 grey*	●			●

*No stock item, produced on order

Selected product features



Extra comfortable toe seam

Particularly fine and flat toe seam for best possible foot comfort.



Comfortable calf soft top

Specially supple, soft top of the calf sock.



Extra soft seam at the toe

Fine, pleasant top with open toe..



Pantyhose with soft body section

Extremely comfortable and pleasant to wear.






High quality reinforced heel

Reinforced heel - as small as possible, as large as necessary. It precisely covers the area which is subject to greater stress.

Choice of colors



	 A-T Pantyhose	 A-T Maternity	 A-T Bodyform
Waist attachment	Soft top	Soft top	Soft top
	●	●	
●	●	●	●
●	●	●	●
●	●	●	●
●	●	●	●
●	●	●	●
●	●	●	●
	●	●	
	●	●	



Sensinova grip top

The 2-component grip top without slipping or restricting. It does not leave marks on the skin without being bulky.



Quadrinova knobbed grip top

The square nubs are particularly pleasant on the skin and hardly leave any marks. With soft protective seam at the top.

Special models

Bodyform pantyhose

With this model compression extends into the body region. In normal compression pantyhoses, the compression pressure ends at the level of the cG measurement. The Bodyform pantyhose is therefore suitable for soft connective tissue and supports the silhouette of the hips. A further medical indication for compression is lipedema in the hip area.

More information about the other special variants can be found in the assortment brochure.



Essential THERMOREGULATING

For her and him

The fine cotton layer of the Essential THERMOREGULATING lies directly on the skin and has a thermoregulating effect. The cotton absorbs excess moisture directly from the skin and stores it inside the fibers. This prevents developing a moisture film on the skin which promotes the undesirable growth of bacteria. This is beneficial for people with sensitive skin.



sensitive skin

Soft:

is also suitable for sensitive legs due to 14% cotton content and soft top



thermoregulating

Cooling:

evaporation of moisture stored in the cotton, resulting in a cooling effect

Warming:

the air in the spaces between the knitted fabric and the fibers forms an insulating layer at cold temperature




opaque

Attractive:

discreet, non-transparent ribbed structure, conceals venous problem zones perfectly



Product range overview Essential THERMOREGULATING

Matchcode ETH		A-D Calf		A-G Thigh	
		Soft top ^{1,2}	Grip top	Soft top	Grip top
CCL	1	●	●	●	●
	2	●	●	●	●
	3	●			●
Toe		●	●	●	●
		●	●	●	●
Grip top	Sensinova grip top				● CCL 1/2
	Quadrinova knobbed grip top		●		●
	Micro knobbed grip top				● CCL 1/2
Colors	 black	●	●	●	●
	 nature	●	●	●	●
	 marine ⁴	available as A-D with soft top, CCL 2, closed toe, normal and long			

¹ CCL 2 with closed toe is also available as maxifoot in black or nature, without XXS and XXS Plus

² CCL 2 with open and closed toe, is also available as short length in black or nature

³ CCL 2 and 3 with open and closed toe, is also available as short length in nature

⁴ No stock item, produced on order

Selected product features



Extra comfortable toe seam

Particularly fine and flat toe seam for best possible foot comfort.



Comfortable calf soft top

Specially supple, soft top of the calf sock.



Extra soft seam at the toe

Fine, pleasant top with open toe.



Rib structure

The discreet and opaque rib structure underlines the naturalness of Essential THERMOREGULATING.





High quality reinforced heel

Reinforced heel - as small as possible, as large as necessary. It precisely covers the area which is subject to greater stress.

Choice of colors



		 A-T Pantyhose	 A-T Maternity
	Waist attachment	Soft top ³	Soft top
	●	●	●
	●	●	●
	●	●	
	●	●	●
	●	●	●
		●	●
	●	●	●



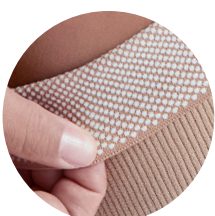
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Quadrinova knobbed grip top

The square nubs are particularly pleasant on the skin and hardly leave any marks. With soft protective seam at the top.



Micro knobbed grip top

The fine, barely perceptible micro nubs provide a reliable and comfortable grip of the stocking on the leg. The micro nubs make this grip top particularly suitable for people with sensitive skin.

Special models

Maxifoot

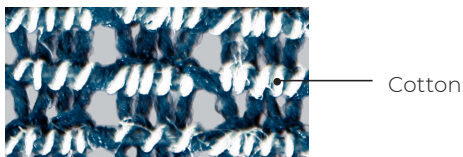
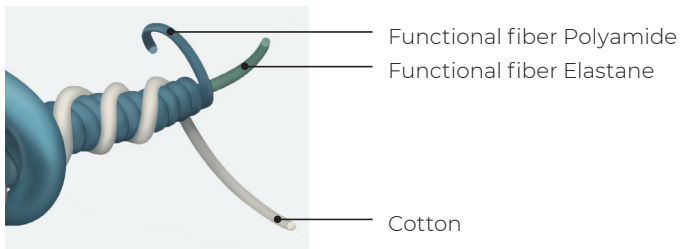
Specifically for overlength feet, the Essential THERMOREGULATING offers a medical compression stocking with an extended foot section.

Short length

This model variant is suitable for small persons or persons with a shorter lower leg or leg length.

More information about the other special variants can be found in the assortment brochure.

Cotton distinguishes the stocking



14% cotton content lies directly on the skin

Essential THERMOREGULATING is made from valuable extra long staple cotton - a particularly fine and smooth yarn. The cotton used in the stocking is processed exclusively as a wrapping of the core thread on the inside of the stocking. This way, the cotton lies where it is supposed to be: on the skin of the person wearing the stocking.

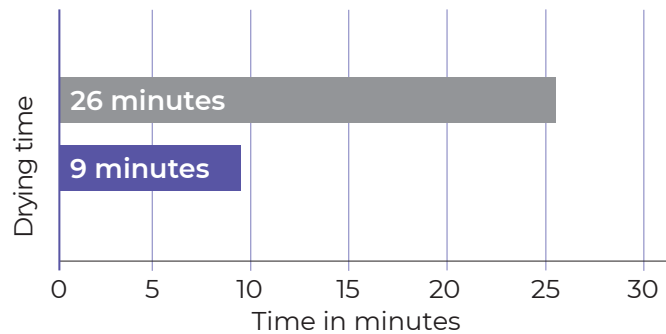
Inner side of the Essential THERMOREGULATING stocking:

The cotton in the photo on the left was not dyed and is therefore clearly visible in white color.

Quick drying due to optimal cotton ratio

Essential THERMOREGULATING has an optimum cotton content of 14%, which lies directly on the skin and thus absorbs the skin's moisture. The remaining 86% of water-repellent functional fibers enable quick evaporation of fluid from the knitted fabric, ensuring a comfortable skin climate.

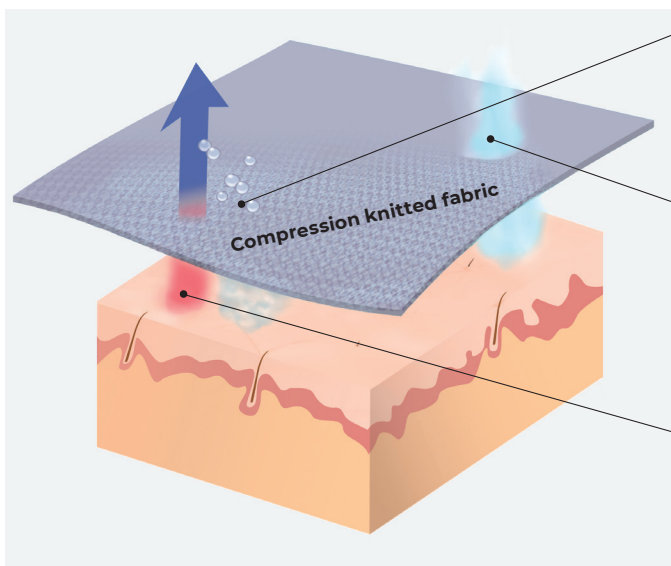
Using a test designed to measure body transpiration, a Swiss Public Testing Institute has proven that the drying characteristics of this stocking are optimized by this special combination of fibers. Due to its special fiber mix, Essential THERMOREGULATING dries many times faster than a competitor's standard compression stocking.



■ conventional compression stocking
■ Essential THERMOREGULATING 14% cotton

Empa Test Report No. 5214020933, Sweat Body Test, Sample Essential THERMOREGULATING (COTTON), April 18, 2019

Special properties of the Essential THERMOREGULATING compression knit



1. Moisture absorption

Moisture is absorbed by the cotton:

- Reduced bacterial growth, compared to synthetic fibers
- No damp feeling

2. Cooling effect (Evaporative cooling)

Evaporation of moisture stored in the cotton:

- Cooling effect
- Extremely comfortable in warm and humid weather

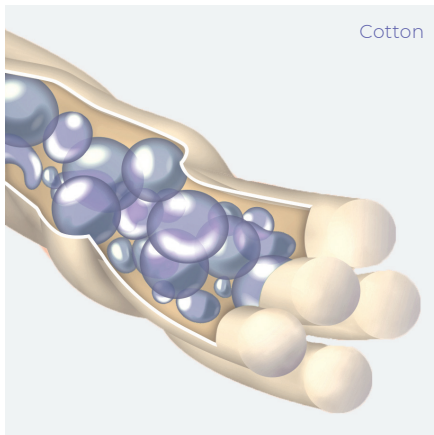
3. Thermal isolation

The air in the gaps between the knitted fabric and in the fibers insulates against the cold.

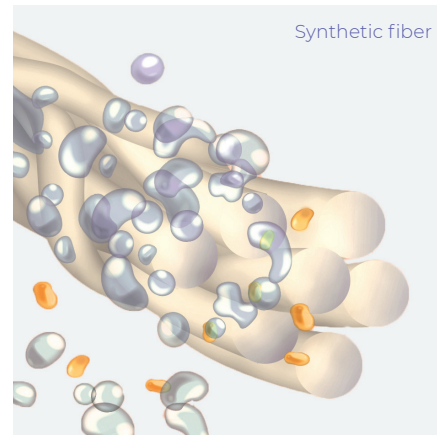
1. Moisture absorption

The cotton absorbs excess moisture and sweat directly from the skin and stores it inside the fibers. This prevents developing a moisture film on the skin which promotes the undesirable growth of bacteria. This is beneficial for patients with sensitive skin.

Cotton as compared to synthetic fibers (schematic diagrams):



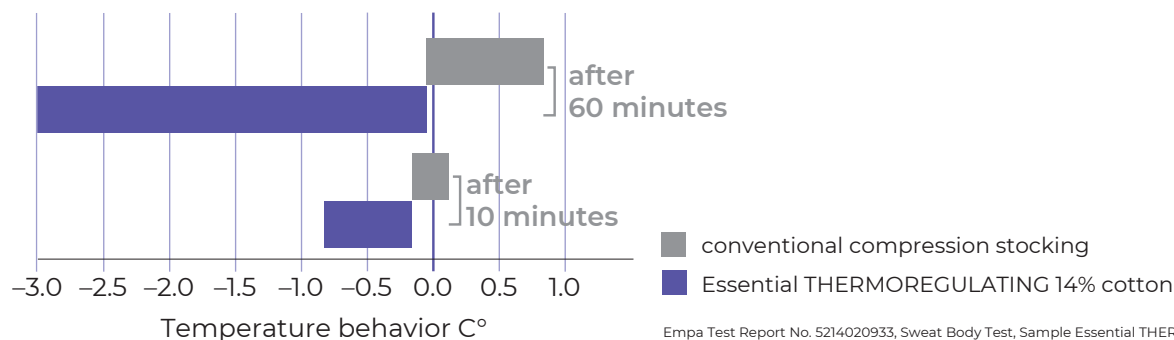
Fluid is trapped in the natural fibers and the skin remains dry.



A film of moisture remains on the skin, which promotes unwanted bacterial growth.

2. Cooling effect

The special composition of Essential THERMOREGULATING with 14% cotton leads to convective heat exchange. The rapid evaporation of the moisture stored in the cotton creates a faster evaporation effect and thus a cooling feeling on the leg. In contrast to comparable compression stockings from competitors which do not incorporate cotton, this continuously dissipates heat which leads to a consistent feeling of well-being, even at warm temperatures.



3. Thermal isolation

The air in the spaces between the knitted fabric and the fibers forms an insulating layer at cold temperatures. This makes Essential THERMOREGULATING an ideal companion, even at cold temperatures.



Essential CLASSICAL

For her and him

With its non-transparent appearance, the Essential CLASSICAL is the discreet companion for everyday situations.

The integrated microfiber ensures pleasant wearing comfort and a discreet appearance.



easy to use
Convenient:
easy to put on and
take off



opaque
Attractive:
non-transparent,
conceals venous problem
zones perfectly



pleasant wearing comfort
Comfortable:
high wearing comfort



Product range overview Essential CLASSICAL

Matchcode ECL		A-D Calf		A-F Half-thigh	
		Soft top	Grip top	Grip top	Grip top
CCL	1	●	●		●
	2	●	●	●	●
Toe		●	●	●	●
		●	●	●	●
Grip top	Sensinova grip top			●	●
	Quadrinova knobbed grip top		●	●	●
Colors	● black	●	●	●	●
	● savanna	●	●	●	●
	● caramel	●	●	●	●
	● criska	●	●	●	●

Selected product features



Extra comfortable toe seam

Particularly fine and flat toe seam for best possible foot comfort.



Comfortable calf soft top

Specially supple, soft top of the calf sock.



Extra soft seam at the toe

Fine, pleasant top with open toe.






Soft knit

The processed microfiber provides pleasant wearing comfort and feels pleasantly soft on the skin.



High quality reinforced heel

Reinforced heel - as small as possible, as large as necessary. It precisely covers the area which is subject to greater stress.

	 A-G Thigh	 A-T Pantyhose	 A-T Maternity
	Waist attachment	Soft top	Soft top
	●	●	
	●	●	●
	●	●	●
	●	●	●
	●	●	●
	●	●	●
	●	●	●
	●	●	●

Choice of colors



Sensinova grip top

The 2-component grip top without slipping or restricting. It does not leave marks on the skin without being bulky.



Quadrinova knobbed grip top

The square nubs are particularly pleasant on the skin and hardly leave any marks. With soft protective seam at the top.

Special models

Half-thigh stocking

This thigh variant is ideal for customers for whom varicose veins in the back of the knee make a calf sock unsuitable and who do not wish to wear a pantyhose or a conventional thigh stocking.

More information about the other special variants can be found in the assortment brochure.



Good to know

Care

The stockings should be washed by hand after wearing or at max. 40 °C with the gentle wash cycle in the washing machine in a laundry net. It is important to use a mild detergent without fabric softener. The Sigvaris Washing Solution is suitable for washing by hand.

To preserve maximum durability of the product, please inform your customers that we do not recommend using a dryer/heater. The stockings must not be ironed or dry cleaned. The stockings should be stored dry at room temperature away from direct sunlight.



These labels commit us to the highest quality

We fulfil all quality and test regulations of the RAL Deutsches Institut für Gütesicherung und Kennzeichnung e.V. [German Institute for Quality Assurance and Labeling] for medical compression stockings. Our medical compression stockings have been tested for human ecology and comply with the internationally binding Eco-Tex standard 100. Our medical compression stockings meet the basic safety and performance requirements of the relevant EU regulations.



Donning and doffing

Donning and doffing of compression stockings presents a challenge for some wearers.

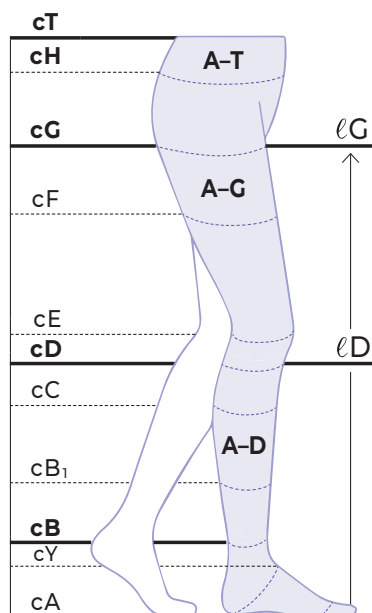
Recommend the practical **donning and doffing videos** on our website to your customers.



Sizing systems

Circumference and length size system for **Essential COMFORTABLE** and **Essential THERMOREGULATING**

		Circumference cm											
		XXS	XXS Plus	XS	XS Plus	S	S Plus	M	M Plus	L	L Plus	XL	XL Plus
cT		60-75	65-80	65-80	75-90	75-90	85-100	85-100	95-110	95-110	105-120	105-120	115-130
cH		75-90	80-95	80-95	85-100	85-100	95-110	95-110	105-120	105-120	115-130	115-130	125-140
cG	without grip top	42-54	47-59	47-59	52-64	52-64	56-68	56-68	61-74	61-74	66-79	66-79	73-85
	with grip top	42-52	47-56	47-56	52-61	52-61	56-65	56-65	61-71	61-71	66-76	66-76	73-85
cF		38-49	41-52	41-52	44-55	44-55	49-60	49-60	53-64	53-64	59-70	59-70	63-78
cE		29-36	33-40	33-40	37-44	37-44	39-46	39-46	41-48	41-48	45-52	45-52	46-53
cD		23-30	27-34	27-34	31-38	31-38	34-41	34-41	37-44	37-44	41-48	41-48	42-50
cC		25-32	29-36	29-36	33-40	33-40	35-42	35-42	38-45	38-45	42-49	42-49	43-51
cB₁		22-26	22-26	24-29	24-29	26-32	26-32	29-35	29-35	31-37	31-37	33-39	33-39
cB		18-20	18-20	20-22	20-22	22-24	22-24	24-26	24-26	26-29	26-29	29-32	29-32
cY		27-31	27-31	28-33	28-33	29-35	29-35	31-37	31-37	32-38	32-38	33-39	33-39
cA		18-20	18-20	20-22	20-22	22-24	22-24	24-26	24-26	26-29	26-29	29-32	29-32



Length cm					
short*	31 - 34	short	56 - 64	short**	56 - 64
normal	35 - 40	normal	65 - 74	normal	65 - 74
long	41 - 45	long	75 - 84	long	75 - 84



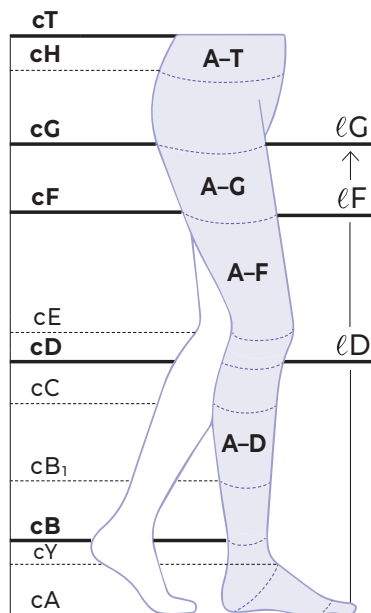
* short length only available in Essential THERMOREGULATING A-D with soft top in CCL 2, colors black and nature; not available as maxifoot

** short length only available in Essential THERMOREGULATING A-T with soft top in CCL 2 and 3, color nature

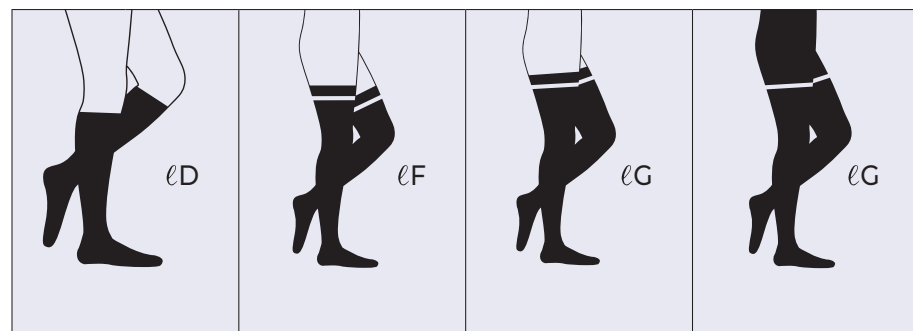
A-D = Calf; **A-G** = Thigh; **A-T** = Pantyhose; **A-T Maternity** = for pregnant and oversized women: circumferential measurements cH and cT are replaced by a special adapting trouser component

Circumference and length size system for **Essential CLASSICAL**

	Circumference cm					
	S	S Plus	M	M Plus	L	L Plus
cT	up to 80	up to 80	up to 90	up to 90	up to 100	up to 100
cH	up to 110	up to 110	up to 120	up to 120	up to 130	up to 130
cG	42-52	50-60	50-60	58-68	58-68	66-76
cF	41-50	45-54	48-57	53-62	55-64	61-70
cE	32-37	36-41	35-40	40-45	38-43	44-49
cD	28-34	32-38	31-37	36-42	34-40	40-46
cC	31-36	35-40	34-39	39-44	37-42	43-48
cB₁	24-29	24-29	29-32	29-32	32-36	32-36
cB	19-23	19-23	23-26	23-26	26-29	26-29
cY	28-32	28-32	32-35	32-35	35-38	35-38
cA	19-23	19-23	23-26	23-26	26-29	26-29



Length cm							
short	33 - 37	short	56 - 60	short	61 - 70	short	61 - 70
long	38 - 44	long	61 - 70	long	71 - 80	long	71 - 80



Should you not find what you are looking for in our extensive Essential standard range, we would be pleased to supply you with our custom-made Essential products.

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