

akapad

Dry Cleaning

Sponges

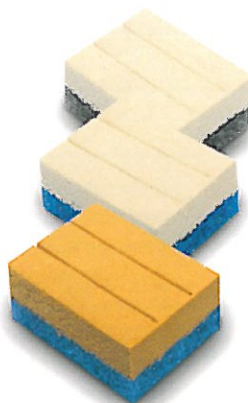
The Classic – new varieties, self-cleaning, versatile

productdescription

The main components of the **akapads** are synthetic latex and factice (cross-linked natural castor oil and/or canola oil), gently vulcanized under defined conditions.

The dry cleaning pad consists of a blue grip and a yellow active layer (or lighter colored for **akapad white**) which is attached as a foam. The cleaning process is effective and gentle, since the active agent is always visible and thus can always be checked. This prevents the surface from being damaged.

- Continuously “cleans itself” through gradual disintegration/crumbling
- Enables a cleaning process free of stripes, streaks and clouding
- Cleaning effect is visible due to coloration of the active layer
- Highly malleable design allows for “flexible” performance



areas of application

akapad enables the safe and efficient dry cleaning of surfaces such as:

- Walls, ceilings, and coatings
- Paintings, frescos, and murals
- Wallpaper
- Paper
- Plastics and metals
- Wood
- Textiles

Note: It is critical that the surface is completely dry when cleaning and does not exhibit any bleeding or chalking effects.

recommended application

Hold the **akapad** by the blue grip and rub the side with the active substance over the surface that is to be cleaned until dirt-saturated particles form. For smooth surfaces, spread out the sponge in order to increase the formation of these particles. The blue part is solely intended to serve as a grip and should not be used for cleaning. The **akapad white flexible** may also be cut into strips if necessary and can be shaped into a spherical form for better handling.



technical data

Materials:

The **akapads** are mechanically molded in a special process using pressurized air. In addition to synthetic latex, cross-linked canola oil and/or castor oil also serve as a raw material otherwise known as factice. A special chlorine-free and sulfur-free factice is utilized for the production of white akapads.

Dimensions:

90 x 67 x 42 mm (L x W x H)

pH-Value:

neutral

Shelf life:

2 years sealed in original packaging

Precautionary Measures for the Product:

none required

Precautionary Measures for Application:

Varying depending on the degree of soiling and the condition of the surface to be cleaned.

Disposal:

No special procedure is required for disposing the product remains. For the substances absorbed during usage, the relevant legal requirements must be adhered to.

productrange

The non-abrasive **akapad product line “classic”** is available in four degrees of hardness. Together with the special products in the **akapad product line “sensitive”** – **akapad white** (available in two degrees of hardness) and **akapad flexible** – these dry cleaning sponges provide optimal results for every kind of surface.



akapad soft
akapad hard
akapad extra hard
NEW akapad ultra hard



akapad white hard
NEW akapad white soft



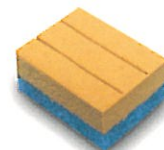
NEW akapad white flexible
with a highly flexible black grip

CLASSIC



Article No. 4101
Packaging unit:
30 pads/carton

akapad soft is specially designed for sensitive and structured surfaces, such as **paintings, frescoes, murals, paper, wallpaper, textiles, and plastics**.



Article No. 4121
Packaging unit:
30 pads/carton

akapad hard is suitable for all hard surfaces, such as **marble, granite, sandstone, metal, leather and plastics**. An additional application is as a primer for surfaces before repainting historic buildings.



Article No. 4141
Packaging unit:
30 pads/carton

akapad extra hard is particularly suitable for solid, rough surfaces, such as **wood, marble, granite, leather, and metal**.



Article No. 4143
Packaging unit:
30 pads/carton

akapad ultra hard was developed in order to remove **strongly adhesive soiling or light oxidation**. However, the sponge is significantly more compact and has a lower tendency to crumble. When using the akapad ultra hard on **very rough surfaces**, a significantly longer lifespan can be achieved.



SENSITIVE



IMPORTANT NOTE:

Name change, product before
"akapad white"

Article No. 4151
Packaging unit:
30 pads/carton

akapad white hard was designed for gentle cleaning of **historical papers, technical drawings, and valuable documents**, as well as other especially sensitive surfaces. akapad white hard leads to particularly positive results regarding the aging resistance of the paper it is used to clean (see the test report on page 18).



Article No. 4153
Packaging unit:
30 pads/carton

akapad white soft was developed to ensure that the cleaning process is even gentler and can be used on sensitive surfaces such as **frescoes, stucco and lime plaster, books, paper, wallpaper, or paintings**.



Article No. 4152
Packaging unit:
30 pads/carton

akapad white flexible was developed for very sensitive surfaces and consists of a very soft, white active layer and with an extremely flexible grip. Like all other akapads, the akapad white flexible can be easily cut into smaller strips. These flexible strips can easily be bent together in order to create a spherical form, which is preferred by many restorers when treating

