

Axlabs BLADES



Axlabs Blades Universal35
#1993-01



Axlabs Blades Solid35
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Axlabs Blades Versatile35
#1993-03



INSTRUCTION FOR USE

The Axlabs Blades are an accessory for the Microtome in vitro device. The Axlabs Blades are disposable laboratory microtome blades intended for sectioning formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded (FFPE) or frozen tissue blocks. The plasma coating reinforces their sharpness and durability. The Axlabs Blades is a single-use device and should not be re-used.

INTENDED PURPOSE

The Axlabs Blades are laboratory microtome blades intended for sectioning formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded or frozen tissue for subsequent microscopic examinations.

USING THE BLADES

- 1) Eject a single (1) Axlabs Blade from the dispenser manually or use the secure blade eject holder on the microtome. If the microtome does not have an eject holder, please handle the blade with utmost care.
- 2) Ensure that the Axlabs Blades is correctly installed to guarantee the safe and proper operation of the microtome.

Note: Please use the sharp edge to cut the tissue block – Use the arrow on the blade to secure orientation. The triangle points to the sharp edge.



- 3) Replace the Axlabs Blades when it shows signs of wear.
- 4) Use tweezers to remove the blade if you cannot support the blade removal with the blade dispenser.

USE ENVIRONMENT

The Axlab Blades function as an accessory to an in vitro diagnostic medical device intended to be used in laboratory environments.

INTENDED USERS

The Axlab Blades are intended for laboratory use and should only be handled by trained personnel.

CONTENT

The Axlab Blades are delivered in a box with 10 product boxes. Each product box contains a plastic dispenser containing 50 blades. Upon receiving the Axlab Blades, please ensure that the delivery is complete and there is no damage to the contents. The spring, blade pusher, and blade eject holder to the microtome must be intact.

STORAGE



Axlab Blades should be protected from rough handling or mechanical shock and stored in a dry, well-ventilated area away from direct sunlight. The recommended storage temperature is between -10°C and +50°C.

EXPIRY DATE

The shelf life for the Axlab Blades are two (2) years from date of manufacturing.

WARNINGS



The Axlab Blades are extremely sharp. Use care when handling. When you remove the blade from the dispenser, please pay close attention to its edge and be careful not to touch it.

DISPOSAL

After using it, insert the used blade in the dispenser's compartment. Alternatively, dispose of the blade in a particular bin for sharp objects. Disposal should follow the applicable norms, rules, and regulations of the country where the blades are used. The Axlab Blades must be disposed of as medical waste to prevent contamination.

INCIDENTS

Should a serious incident occur, please report directly to the manufacturer of this medical device and the National Competent Authority. Report incidents to Axlab at axlab.dk.