

# Water Soluble Laundry Bags in Natural Colour User Instructions

## Storage

1. Store the bags sealed in the outer over wrap.
2. Once the over wrap is open, remove required bags, keeping the remaining bags safely in the outer wrap until needed.
3. Always store the bags in a dry place at normal to warm room temperature.

## Filling Up

1. Handle the laundry bag with dry hands only. Avoid any contact of the bag's membrane with liquids to preserve its integrity and strength.
2. When filling the bag, always place the dry items first at the bottom of the bag. This will provide a significant measure of protection to the bag against moisture from wet items placed inside it later.
3. Do not place overly wet or soaking items in the bag at any time. Remember that the bag is sensitive to moisture.
4. Natural water soluble laundry bags can be used for washing any items (i.e. including whites) in warm or hot water temperature and with/without addition of bleach.

## Closing Up

1. Expel all or as much as possible of the excess air prior to closing the bag. This will make the bag and its contents safer, stronger and compact for transportation.
2. Use the integral/attached coloured neck tie to tie up the securely.
3. Always use the neck tie - do not attempt to close the bag by knotting the bag membrane as this could impair the total solubility of the membrane in the wash.
4. To prevent the chances of bag damage (i.e. puncture or tear) during transportation between hospital/care home and a distant laundry, place the closed laundry bag in another outer bag (i.e. linen or polyethylene sack) for improved security.

## Laundering

1. The closed water soluble bag with its entire content should be placed in the washer.
2. During the initial cold rinse cycle the bag will open, discharging the content into the water.
3. The soluble bag membrane will dissolve completely during a wash at 65°C.
4. After lower than 65°C temperature wash remove and discard remaining parts of bag membrane
5. For the best results, avoid overloading of the washer beyond its stated capacity.
6. Chrome finish bag holders are available for easy and efficient use of laundry bags.

## Size and Costs

1. Water Soluble Laundry Bags in Natural colour with ties are available in one size - 840mm x 660mm x 25 microns thickness (32 inch x 27 inch x 25 microns)
2. 1 pack of 25 water soluble laundry bags in natural colour: £8.23 incl. VAT
3. 4 or more packs of 25 water soluble laundry bags in natural colour: £7.64 incl. VAT per pack
4. Chrome bag holder: £11.75 incl. VAT

