

Instructions for Use: Block Style Brushes

Brand Name of Product	Block Style Brushes		
Generic Name of Product	Brushes		
Product Code Number(s)	869903N, 3090, 4007, GDS1-1, GDS1-10, 40W185L		
Purpose of Product	To assist in cleaning of items with a suitable cleaning solution.		
Range of Applications for Product	Any items for which brushing of surfaces is a recommended step in the cleaning process.		
Key Specifications of Product	Latex free		
	Non-sterile		
	Reusable		
	Nylon, brass, or stainless-steel bristles		
	Variety of styles		

Shipping & Storage		
Shipping Conditions &	N/A	
Requirements		
Storage Conditions	• Temperature: -20 °C − 100 °C (-4 °F- 212 °F)	
	Store in a cool place, away from direct sunlight	
Packaging Contents	N/A	
Shelf Life	N/A	

Instructions for Using Product		
Description of Use(s)	N/A	
Preparation for Use	 Choose the correct type of cleaning brush for the cleaning process. Ensure the material composition of the brush bristles is suitable for the item to be cleaned. This should comply with the item manufacturer's IFU. 	
Diagrams (drawings, pictures)	N/A	
Steps for Use of Product	 Consult the manufacturer's IFU for the item you are cleaning and follow those instructions closely. Pay close attention to recommendations on the material composition of the brush trim (e.g., nylon, brass, stainless steel). Visually inspect box lock area and serration for any debris. Utilize brush to remove visible debris. 	
Interpretation of Results	N/A	
Contraindications of Test Results	N/A	
Documentation	N/A	
Special Warnings and Cautions	 Block style brushes are intended for use as cleaning tools only. They are not for use in patient care or aseptic techniques. Clean brushes during and between uses. Brushes should be disinfected at least daily (preferably between each use to limit the chance for cross contamination). See instructions for reprocessing below. (NOTE: Block Style Brush product codes 3090 and 4007, are not compatible with steam sterilization or automated cleaning.) 	
Disposal	It is recommended to dispose of them in the biohazard.	

Reprocessing Instructions			
Point of Use	N/A		
Preparation for Decontamination	1.	Rinse gross contaminates from the brush in a deep sink with a spray apparatus.	
	2.	Use the facility's cold-water supply for this rinsing.	
Disassembly Instructions	N/A		
Cleaning – Manual		Brushes may be cleaned manually with a high-alkaline instrument detergent or a	
		neutral enzymatic detergent with suitable enzymes for cleaning types of soil the	
		brush may come in contact with during use.	
	2.	Follow the cleaning agent's IFU closely to ensure brush(es) receive the allotted	
		exposure time to sufficiently work.	

	It is recommended that agitation accompany the cleaning process to improve results.
	4. Thoroughly rinse cleaning solution from all surfaces of the brush.
Cleaning – Automated	1. Machine cleaning is recommended in a washer disinfector in compliance with the ISO 15883 series of standards.
	2. Select the "instrument cleaning" cycle of the washer disinfector.
	(NOTE: Block Style Brush product codes 3090 and 4007 are not compatible with automated cleaning.)
Disinfection	Thermal disinfection stage of a washer-disinfector.
	Brushes may be disinfected with liquid chemical agents in accordance with the disinfection manufacturer's IFU. Check material compatibility information from the disinfectant manufacturer.
Drying	N/A
Maintenance, Inspection, and Testing	 Inspect brushes for wear, fraying, or damaged bristles. If observed, discard in compliance with the disposal instructions described above.
	• Inspect brushes during and between uses for any residual soil. If there is visible soil, process the brush as described above.
Reassembly Instructions	N/A
Packaging	N/A
Sterilization	Sterilization of brushes is not normally necessary. However, these brushes are compatible with steam sterilization.
	• 132 °C (270 °F) for four (4) minutes
	• 135 °C (275 °F) for three (3) minutes.
	(NOTE: Block Style Brush product codes 3090 and 4007 are not compatible with steam
	sterilization.)
Storage	N/A
Additional Information	N/A

Related Healthmark Products	Brush Cleaning Tools	
Other Product Support Documents	ProSys TM Brochure, ProSys TM Price List	
Reference Documents	N/A	
Customer Service Contact	Healthmark, A Getinge company	
	18600 Malyn Blvd.	
	Fraser, MI 48026	
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