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### Statement on Double Pouching STERIKING® Heat Seal and Self Seal Pouches in Combination

All STERIKING® paper/laminate pouches have been validated for double pouching when sterilizing with steam or ethylene oxide. Independent testing laboratories have completed validation studies, and Wipak has conducted additional testing for the same purpose.

Wipak uses the same paper and laminate combination for both STERIKING® heat seal and self seal pouches. Therefore, it is possible to use a heat seal pouch and a self-seal pouch in combination. These materials allow efficient sterilant penetration and provide a sterile barrier.

When double pouching heat seal and self seal pouches, the post-sterilization shelf life needs to follow the self seal pouch, which is 36 months.



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