

## Absorbable PDO THREADS





#### Why NOVATHREADS?

## Narrowing down the overwhelming choice

Novathreads takes PDO threads to a new level. Rather than just overwhelm our customers with an excessively broad selection of threads, many of which are redundant, we focus on what really works. We reworked some of the designs to maximize their potential and greatly reduce the chance of complications.



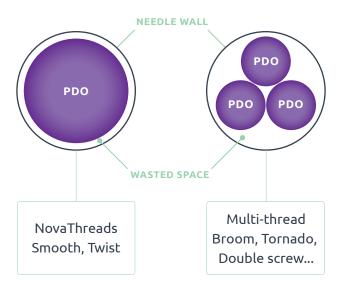


#### **Smooth and Twist**

Our extensive experience in the PDO market led to our decision to limit our offer exclusively to smooth and twist designs.

Any other design does not make optimal use of the space inside the needle/cannula, demonstrated by this cross-section of a smooth/twist compared to a multi-thread.

(i.e. broom/tornado/double screw etc...)



This means we can fit a thicker thread, which takes longer to absorb, resulting in a longer lasting effect.





#### **MADE IN USA**

NOVATHREADS are pre-loaded PDO threads made in the USA, with the highest quality standards for manufacture and sterilization.



#### **3-YEAR EXPIRATION**

We're the only pre-loaded threads with a 36-month expiration date.

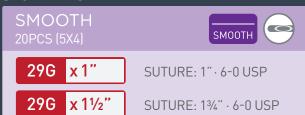


#### BEVEL UP INDICATOR

The bevel up indicator allows precise placement of the thread while inserted in the skin by providing a guide to the opening on the needle.

#### **Smooth Threads**

#### **BLUNT TIPS**

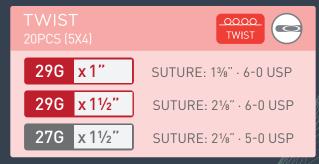


#### **SHARP TIPS**



#### Twist Threads

#### **BLUNT TIPS**



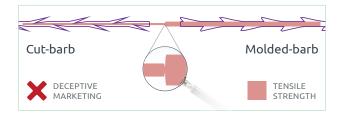
#### **SHARP TIPS**

TWIST 20PCS (5X4)	_oooo_ TWIST
29G x1"	SUTURE: 1%"· 6-0 USP
29G x 1½"	SUTURE: 21/8" · 6-0 USP

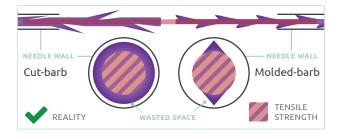
# Molded VS Cut: Tensile strength and deceptive marketing

Are molded-barb threads stronger than cut-barb threads?

<u>In theory</u>, a molded-barb thread should be stronger than a cut-barb thread if molded onto a thread of the same diameter (same USP).



But in reality when inside the cannula, the molds have nowhere to go; The cut-barbs, however, will fit snuggly back into their original shape. We can therefore fit a much thicker cut-barb thread into the same gauge needle/cannula, which results in a very similar, if not stronger tensile strength and, just like our smooth & twist, more PDO for a longer absorption and longer lasting effect.



#### Cut-Barb Thread: Barb4

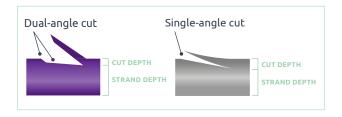




# The Barb5: An innovative way of cutting

Barb5 comes equipped with a new, blunter cannula and an innovative barb design!

The Barb5's innovative cutting method, the "Dual-Angle Cut," surprisingly makes the barbs both stronger and narrower, resulting in a thicker thread with increased tensile strength.



#### **DUAL-ANGLE CUT**

The cut design of Barb5 is created to be slightly more shallow resulting in a thicker thread and increased tensile strength.

#### SINGLE-ANGLE CUT

The single, high-angle cut design creates a deeper cut-depth which produces thinner barbs and compromises the strand's strength.



## **Dual-Angle Cut Thread:**Barb5



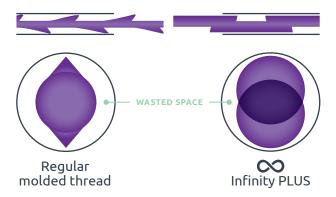


#### **Infinity PLUS**

#### Faster, safer, and easier!

This thread features increased precision with its user-friendly pre-loaded design. To enhance flexibility and safety, the thread is kept inside the bevel and is held in place with a stabilizer cap at the base of the cannula until deployment is desired. This advanced design increases safety, flexibility, and precision before suture engagement.

The molded Infinity was born to take advantage of the slippage threshold but still optimize the space in the cannula.



More slippage threshold means it is harder to remove in case of a complication. We would recommend molded threads solely to the most advanced users.



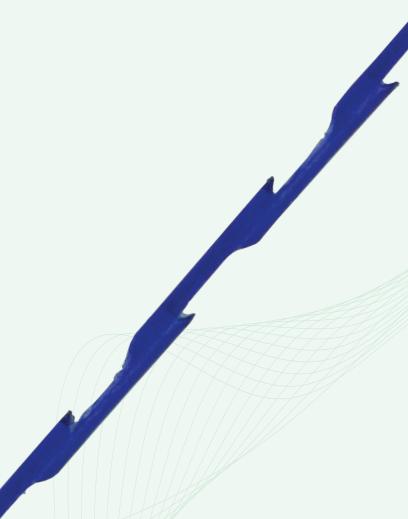
#### Our strongest Thread: Infinity PLUS





18G x 4"

SUTURE: 5%" · 0 USP



#### NEW

## Introducing NovaThreads BEYOND

The **newest addition** to our molded thread collection.

**BEYOND** is a robust thread with molded barbs conveniently extending beyond the hub of the cannula, ideal for **advanced rethreading techniques.** 

#### **BARBS THROUGHOUT THE THREAD**



Our state-of-the-art PDO thread, proudly manufactured in the US, showcases a one-of-a-kind bi-directional design that delivers unmatched **grip** and flexibility.

#### **BI-DIRECTIONAL DESIGN**

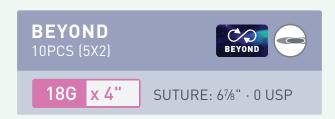


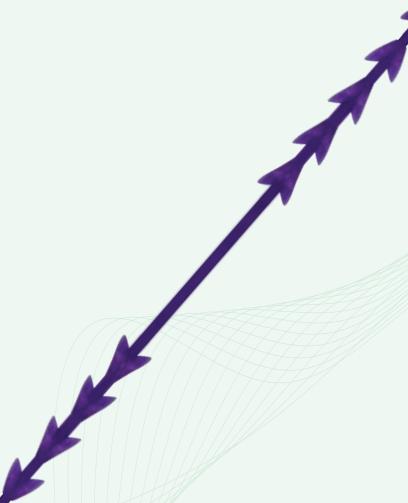
**BEYOND** offers both **ease of use and effectiveness**, thanks to its natural anchor on one side and its strong traction motion on the other.

**BEYOND** is a multi-purpose PDO thread that offers impressive results on its own and enhances them even further when paired with **Infinity Plus** and **Barb5**, making it the perfect addition to your toolkit.



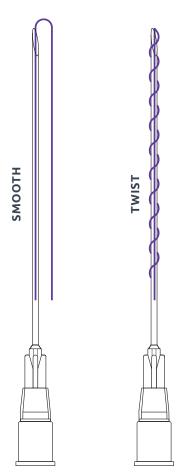
## **Bi-directional Thread:** BEYOND





### Smooth & Twist

Threads



#### SMOOTH/TWIST

**BLUNT TIPS** 

29G x1"

29G x 1½"

27G x 1½"

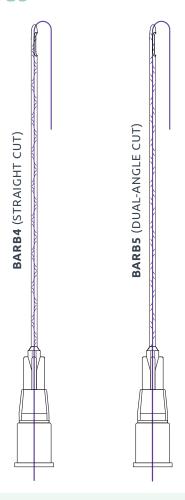
SHARP TIPS

29G x1"
29G x1½"

Z7 Z X 172

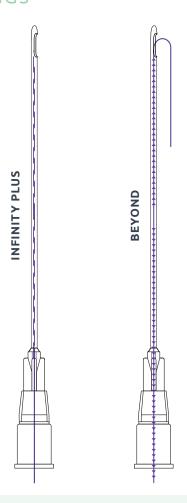
27G x 2½"

## **Barbed** Threads



# BARBED BLUNT TIPS 21G x 2½" 21G x 3½" 19G x 2½" 19G x 3½" 18G x 4"

## **Molded** Threads



MOLDED BLUNT TIPS

18G x

x 4"





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