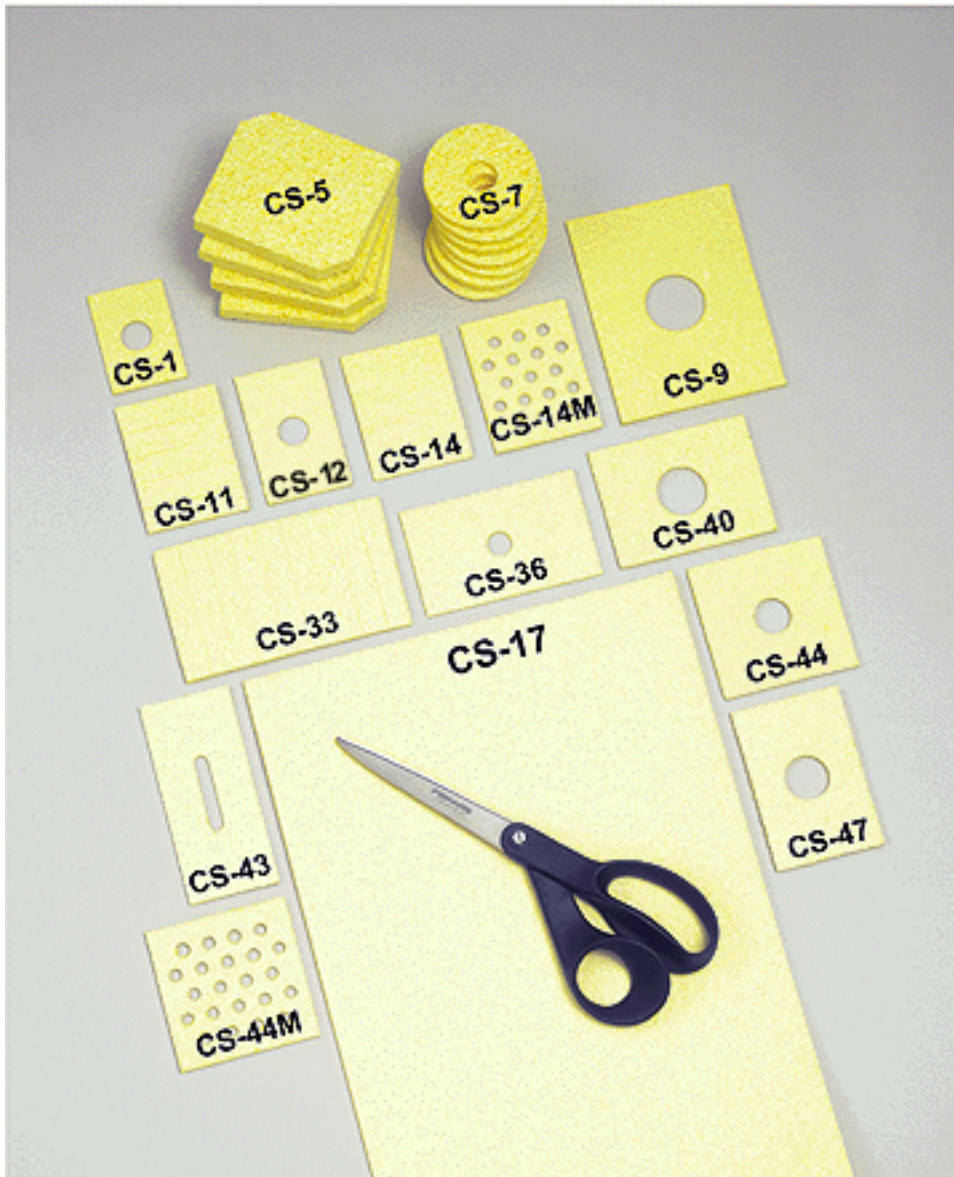# Plato® Tip Cleaning Sponges

Tip wiping sponges serve two main functions: to remove surface oxides which form on the tip, and to wipe the excess solder from the tip, exposing the tip point definition and offering the operator a well defined tip with which to solder.

Plato sponges are manufactured with all natural materials to exacting specifications. Pure cellulose (a wood derivative) is used. Cellulose is selected for its ability to hold many times its weight in water and for its resistance to abrasion and tearing forces which occur during the tip wiping process.

Plato sponges are designed to a thickness which will hold water for long periods of time and meet ANSI (J-STD-001B) for low sulphur content and fine porosity.

CAUTION: Many "economy sponges" are manufactured with man-made fibers and materials typically found in non-industrial (household) type sponges. These sponges contain colorings, sizings, plasticizers, stiffeners, and other contaminants which

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    Plato "Price Saver" sponges expand to 5/8" and offer the same quality as our "Premium" sponges at a fraction of the cost.

Plato Premium Sponge No. (Expands to 1" (26mm)	Plato Price Saver Sponge No. (Expands to 5/8" (16mm)	Original Manufacturer's No.	Also Used With	Dimensions Inches	( ) = mm
CS-1	CS-1/625	Weller® SP-60, Pace® 4021-0005, Ungar® 9901		1.5" x 2.12"	(38.1 x 53.8)
CS-5		American Beauty® 480S, Desco® 4101, Lerloy 65N. (Shipped full size, 4/pack.)	Lerloy #50 American Beauty #480	2.63" x 3.2"	(66.8 x 81.3)
CS-7		(Shipped full size, 7/pack.)	Plato® TW-555 or TWH-444	2.25" dia.	(57.2 dia.)
CS-9	CS-9/625	Hexacon® 8101, 8101C, 8121 or 8121C.	890, 890-30, 892, 892-30	3.5" x 4.5"	(89 x 114.3)
CS-11	CS-11/625	Plato® Vac-Kits and Hot Grips		2" x 2.63"	(50.8 x 66.8)
CS-12	CS-12/625	Metcal® STSS-YS1	WSI Workstand	1.7" x 2.7"	(43.2 x 68.7)
CS-14	CS-14/625	Weller® 52241999 WTCP, EC-2002	Weller® WECP Iron	2.15" x 2.75"	(54.6 x 70)
CS-14m	CS-14m/625	Same as CS-14 but with multiple holes.		2.15" x 2.75"	(54.6 x 70)
CS-17	CS-17/625	Plato® Sponge Sheet (1/pack, you cut to size)		8.5" x 17"	(216 x 432)
CS-33	CS-33/625	Weller® EC-205	MF20/21, 896MS, 892MS	2.7" x 4.5"	(69.85 x 114.3)
CS-36	CS-36/625	Hexacon ® 8141, 8141C,	Hexacon® 893A Holder, MV15/16	2.25" x 3.5"	(57.2 x 89)
CS-40	CS-40/625	Edsyn Loner® RS-199	Holder SH-230	2.5" x 3.25"	(63.5 x 82.6)
CS-43	CS-43/625	Hakko® 926-029B	Holder 926, 700	1.75" x 4.25"	(44.5 x 101.6)

CS-44	CS-44/625	Hakko® 609-029, A-1024, Weller® TC-205, Ungar® 9904. 609, C-100	Hakko® Holder 631, 632, 607,	2.7" x 2.7"	(68.6 x 68.6)
CS-44m	CS-44m/625	Same as CS-44 but with multiple holes.		2.7" x 2.7"	(68.6 x 68.6
CS-47	CS-47/625	Metcal® STSS-YS3, STSS-WS5, Ungar® 455, UTC234	Metcal® SSTSS-WS4, STDS-WS3,	2.1" x 3.2"	(53.3 x 81.3)

Other sponge sizes and thicknesses are available to meet your requirements. Call for quote.

All sponges are shipped compressed in packs of 10 unless otherwise noted. All dimensions are measured in the dry, compressed state and are subject to manufacturing tolerances and sponge expansion tolerances.

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