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Sucking habits

Sucking is a natural instinct, which gives the child a calm feeling and satisfaction.







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Thumb sucking is the worst possibility to satisfy the sucking urge. The probability for an "open bite" is very high.











Sucking habits

In general pacifiers are used to avoid harmful thumb sucking. But standard pacifiers can be just as harmful as the thumb when used to often.







Comparison

70% of all 4 year-olds have a teeth misalignment.

(Source: Prof. Dr. R. Hinz, Dr. H. Senkel, ZÄ M. Thouet)



Open Bite



Perfect primary dentition





Open bite

The tongue is pressed against the front teeth between 600 to 800 times a day during swallowing.

The pressure keeps the open bite permant, if the gap between the alignments is big enough to let the tongue go in between, orthodontic treatment in this case becomes necessary.

35% of all 4-year-olds have misalignments that should be treated by an orthodontists.







Development

NOVATEX has developed this new pacifier in close coorperation with dentists like **Prof. Dr. Rolf Hinz** in accordance with current scientific knowledge.



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Special features of Denstistar

The ultra thin shaft

Minimizes the pressure on teeth and gums.

Soothing comfort

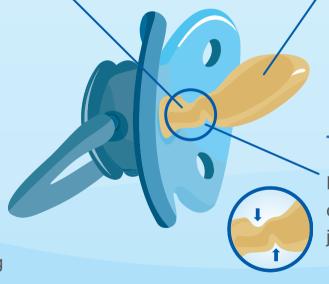
The shape of the baglet is designed to fit naturally into the oral cavaty, providing gental soothing comfort.



The baglet lies at the palate and has a specially scooped bottom to leave the necessary natural space for the tongue.

The palpable step in the shaft

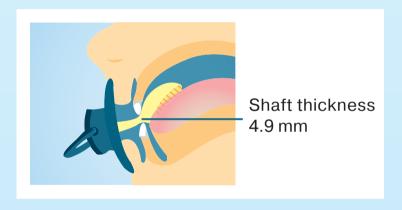
It considers the natural position of upper and lower teeth and jaws.







Comparison of shaft thicknesses



Dentistar

Distance between upper and lower incisors only **2.9 mm** due to the step in the shaft.



Standard Pacifier

Distance between upper and lower incisors **6 – 8 mm**.

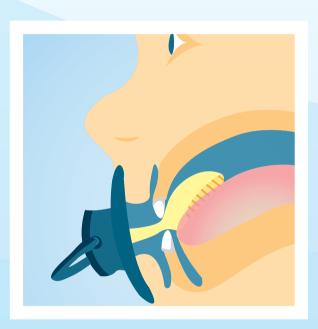




Dentistar in two versions



Dentistar Size 1
Until first tooth



Dentistar Size 2
Since first tooth





Jaw development

The hard front section of the jaw cavity is the main point where a pacifier takes effect. The size of this section remains unchanged after age of 3 month.



3 Months 4 Years 8 Years 13 Years





Conventional soother size

The soother sizes of conventional pacifiers in the jaw model of a 4 years old child.



Size 1



Size 2



Size 3



Size 4





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