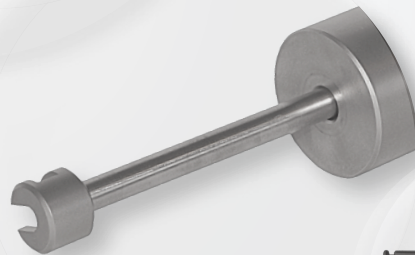


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Lumbar Curved Cage System

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Company Profile | Concentration on the Essentials

## Company Profile

We, the Ackermann Medical GmbH & Co. KG, have our head office in Schaffhausen in Switzerland. Since almost one decade we are specialized in the development and production of medical products for spinal surgery. Therefore it is our matter of course to garant our company conforms to the highest medical standards according to FDA, 93/43/EEC (CE), ISO 13485:2003. Since the beginning of 2013 we are building up a direct sales of implants and instruments for spinal surgery in Germany.

## Concentration on the Essentials

We have made it our mission to produce only products offering maximum benefit to patients, the attending physicians, and customers. Therefore we have committed ourselves offering our goods in the best possible quality at consistently low prices.

**This is not only due to our own production and development, but also to our consistent concentration on the essentials.**

- no compromises in quality
- optimization of the sales management
- responsible marketing

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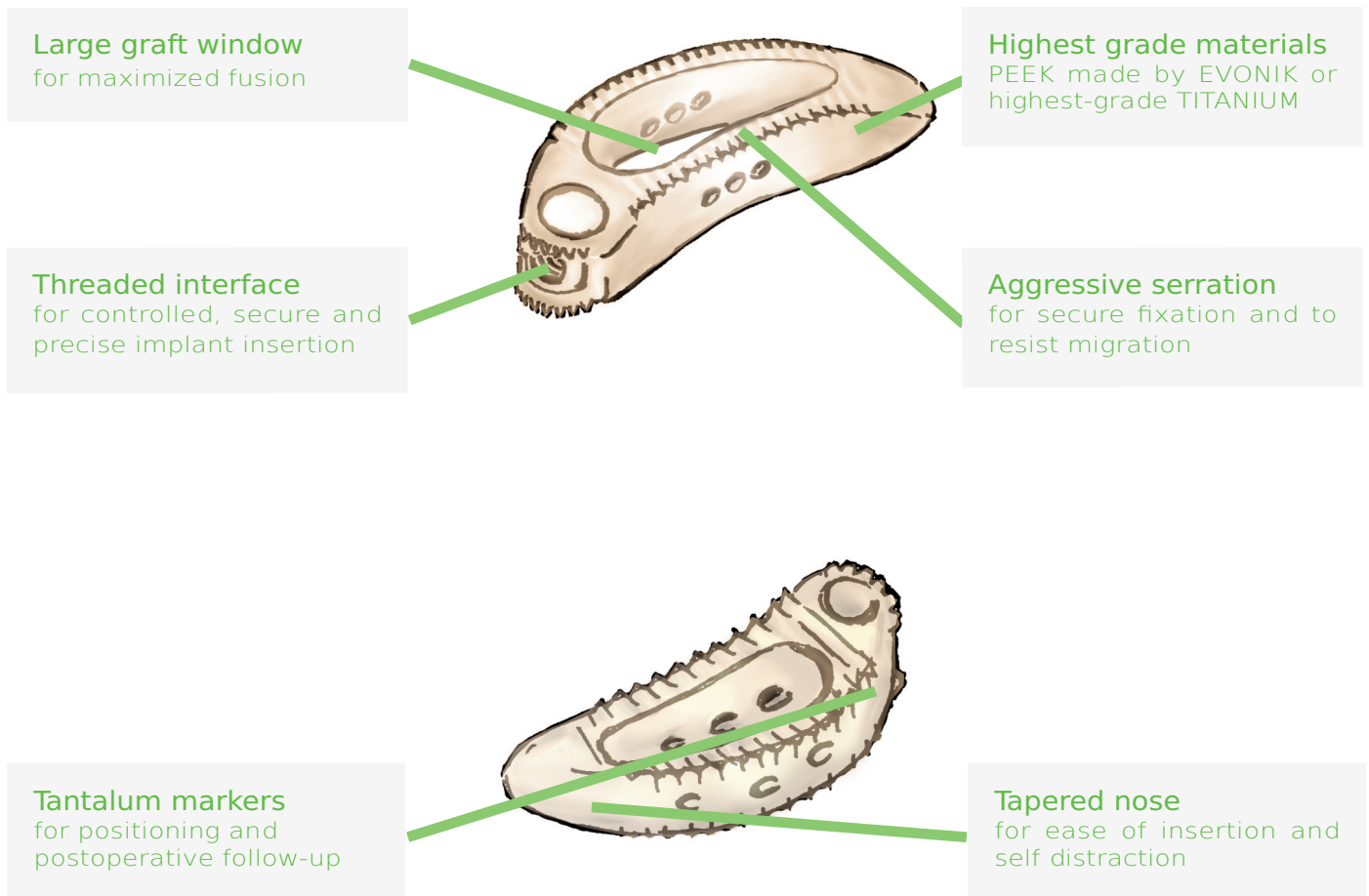
The t|spinecurve Cage System

The Ackermann t|spinecurve cage system is designed for posterior fusion of the lumbar spine. The special devised joint between cage and insertion instrument enables an optimal positioning during a minimally invasive procedure. According to the individual requirements, mono-, as well as multisegmental interbody fusions are possible. The specific use of one implant provides the highest possible stability, due to its anatomic „banana shape“. The double-sided serration of the t|spinecurve implants provides the best possible fusion and optimal fixation. Integrated tantalum markers support the positioning of the cage and provide post-operative follow-up capabilities. t|spinecurve implants consist a highest-grade Titanium alloy, or of pure, medical grade PEEK

(VESTAKEEP<sup>®</sup> by ) material, in strict adherence to highest quality guidelines. This organic, thermally stable polymer excels by proven adhesion, sterilization and biocompatibility characteristics, is x-ray-lucent and without artifacts.

The t|spinecurve product range includes a full implant and trial set, made in Germany. One central component is the slap hammer, offering an optimal positioning using both transforaminal and transarticular access.

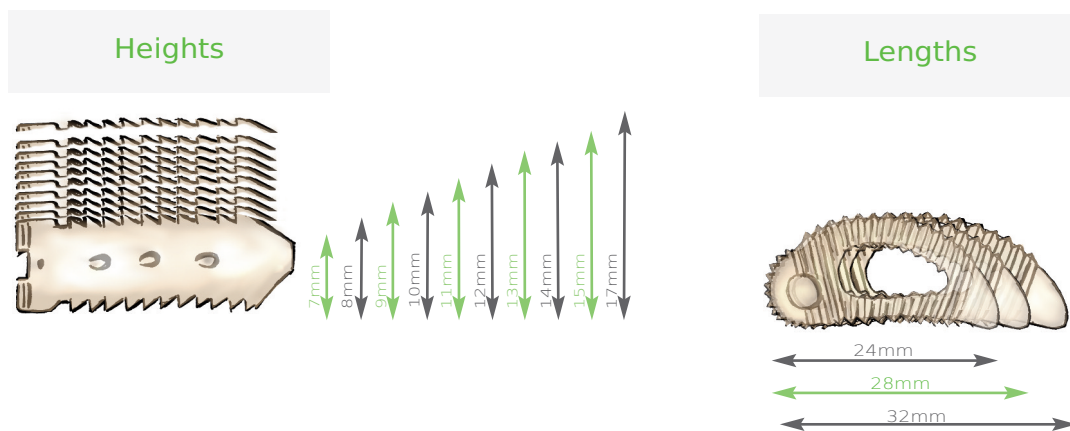
t|spinecurve is the ideal solution in interspinous implantation for both the patient and the treating surgeon.



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Intended Use | Indications | Contraindications

Ackermann provides a full range of sizes with heights from 7 mm to 17 mm and lengths of 24 mm, 28 mm and 32 mm. The t|spinecurve cage is available in 0° straight and 5° lordotic angulation.



## Intended Use

The t|spinecurve implants are used with the purpose of providing support for spondylosis and restoration of the spinal columns profile.

For additional stabilization, the t|spinecurve implant should be filled with autologous graft or bone substitutes.

## Indications

The t|spinecurve implants are intended to be used for:

- degenerative disc disease
- prolapsed intervertebral disc
- pseudarthrosis
- degenerative scoliosis
- revision surgery

## Contraindications

The t|spinecurve implants are NOT intended to be used for:

- leukocytosis
- osteoporosis
- patients with fractures or tumors in the spine area
- patients with spine associated infections
- psychiatric disorder
- pregnancy
- patients with proven material allergy or tendency to react to foreign bodies

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Surgical Technique

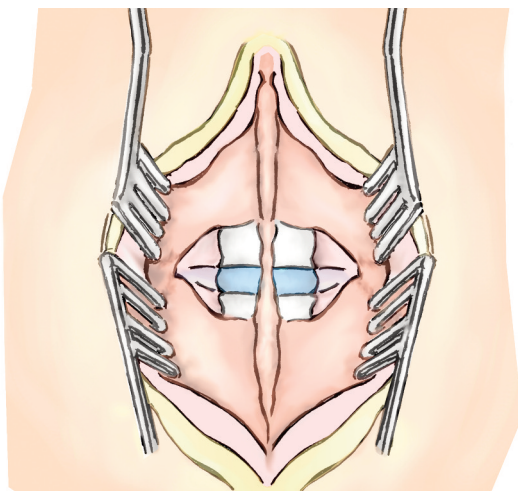
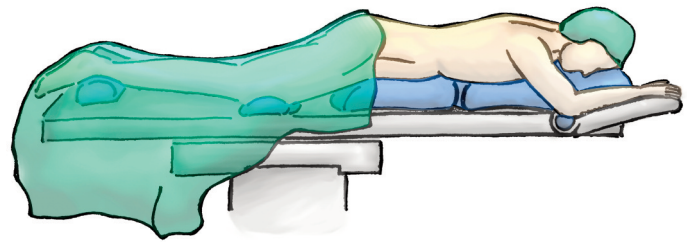
## ONE | Patient Positioning and Access

Position the patient in a prone position on an operating table. Use lumbar support to avoid intraoperative bleeding caused by abdominal compression.

Locate the correct level under x-ray radiation (an x-ray c-arm is recommended) and perform a median incision over the concerned segment. The incision should be made carefully to avoid any subcutaneous damage.

### Note

| After dissection, the musculus erector spinae may be separated laterally to obtain the required exposure of the vertebrae and their facet joints.



## TWO | Positioning of the Retractor and Annular Window

After incising and retracting the surrounding tissue, insert a retractor.

For optimal access to the concerned intervertebral disc, perform a laminectomy or laminotomy, and if needed a facetectomy.

Use a nerve root retractor to carefully retract the dura mater and upper nerve roots to the side.

### Note

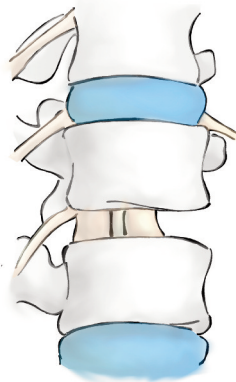
| Removed bone can be used as posterolateral graft for implant filling.

### THREE | Insertion of the Pedicle Screws

An additional fixation using pedicle screws may be indicated (e.g. Ackermann p|spine system). If so, those need to be placed prior to distracting. The rods should be attached postoperatively.

#### Note

| Inserting the pedicle screws afterwards is not recommended, as it could move the implant from its optimal resting position on the vertebrae.



### FOUR | Discectomy

For entire removal of the intervertebral space, use the instruments of the Ackermann DISCECTOMY line [catalog 70].

#### Note

| The endplate's integrity may be preserved to avoid a subsequent sinking of the cage.

### FIVE | Distraction

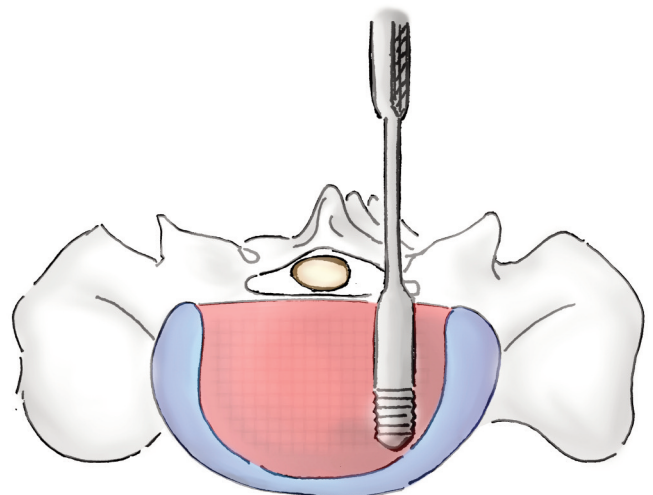
When the discectomy is completed, remove all superficial cartilaginous layers of the endplates to expose bleeding bone.

An adequate distraction is necessary for the restoration of the intervertebral disc's height and the vascular supply of the autologous cage.

#### Note

| It is necessary to remove all osteophytes to receive a decompression of the neural structures and to avoid the risk of a partial compression at the cage.

| Excessive cleaning may result in removal of bone, which underlies the cartilaginous layers, and weakens the endplates.



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## SIX | Sizing of the Implant

To determine the right implant size, use the t|spinecurve trials.

Height, width, and depth of the intervertebral space, the preparation technique, and the patient's anatomy will influence the selection of the trial implant.

Select the respective trial from the Ackermann t|spinecurve instrument tray [70-7471PE-SET]. To check the trial's position, use radiographic imaging. The trial must fit snugly in the intervertebral space without damaging the endplates. To maximize segment stability through tension in the longitudinal ligament and the annulus fibrosus, use the largest possible trial.

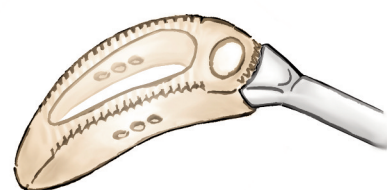
If the trial is too big, or too small, select the next according size and repeat the procedure. Careful insertion of the trial is required. A too deep insertion, can result in damaging the nerves.

### Note

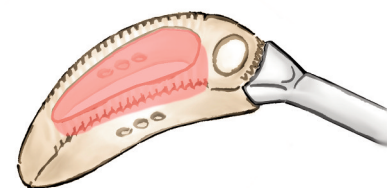
| The heights of the trials match the heights of the t|spinecurve implants including their serration.

## SEVEN | Filling of the t|spinecurve Implant

Before introducing the implant, it has to be filled with autologous graft or bone graft substitute. Please make sure to comply with the instructions of the manufacturer.



*before filling of the implant*



*after filling of the implant*



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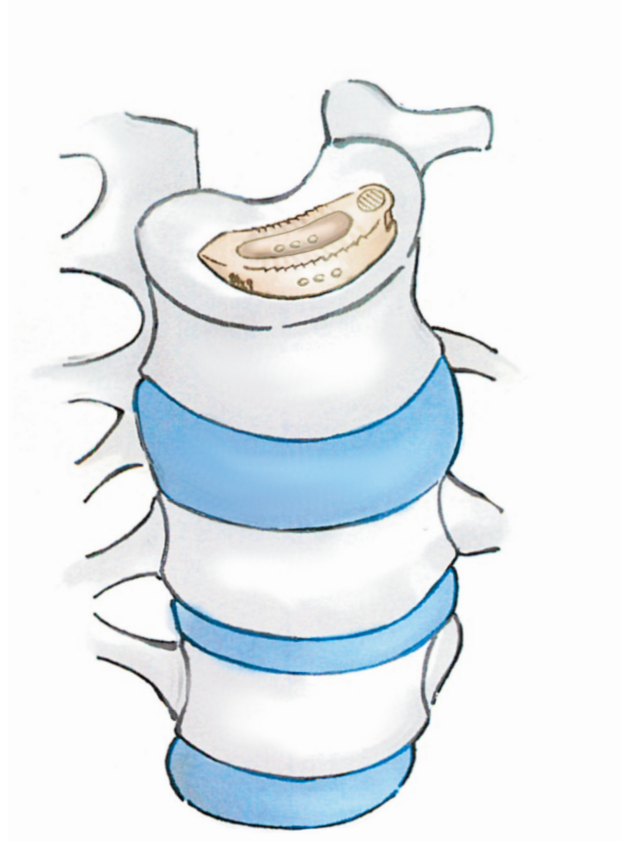
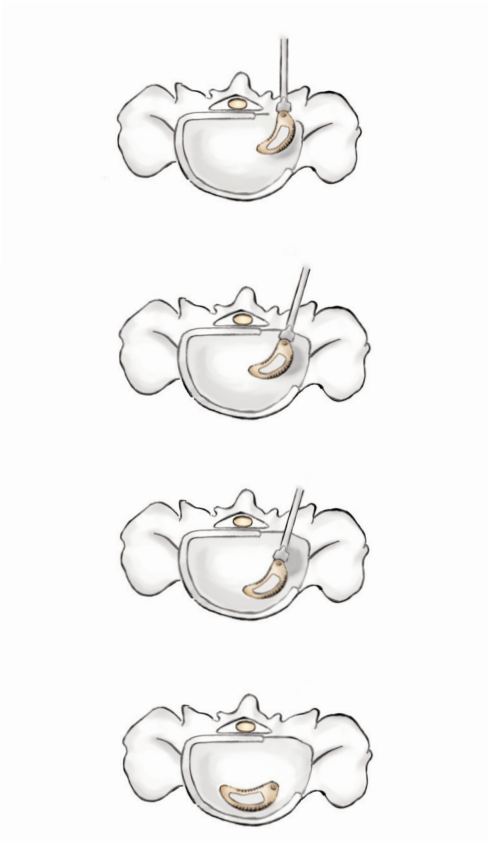
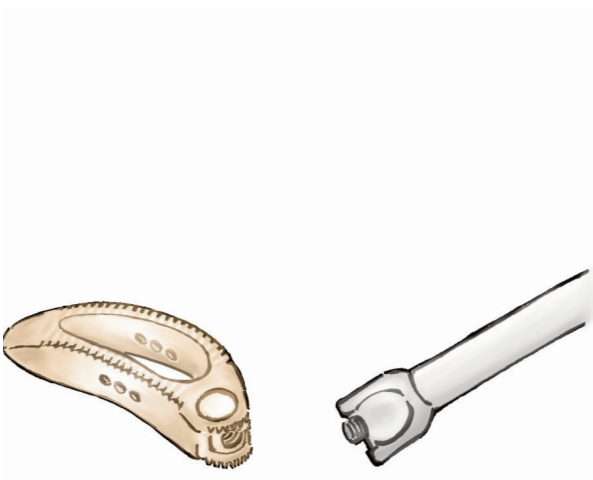
## EIGHT | Final Implant Positioning

Draw the t|spinecurve cage up to the t|spinecurve applicator [70-7670PE] by screwing the knob on the applicator's handle. Make sure that the connection is tightly secured.

Insert the t|spinecurve cage into the intervertebral space, using the transforaminal access.

Once the cage fits in the intervertebral space loosen the implant slightly (1-2 turns of the applicator's knob). The rigid joint between implant and applicator becomes mobile. Make sure not to fully detach the cage from the applicator. Now you may adjust the final position of the implant by pushing the cage further into the intervertebral space. Check the t|spinecurve implant's position under x-ray. It should fit firmly and securely in the medial, anterior intervertebral space.

Once the cage is in its final position release the implant from the applicator by unscrewing the knob completely. Carefully remove the applicator.

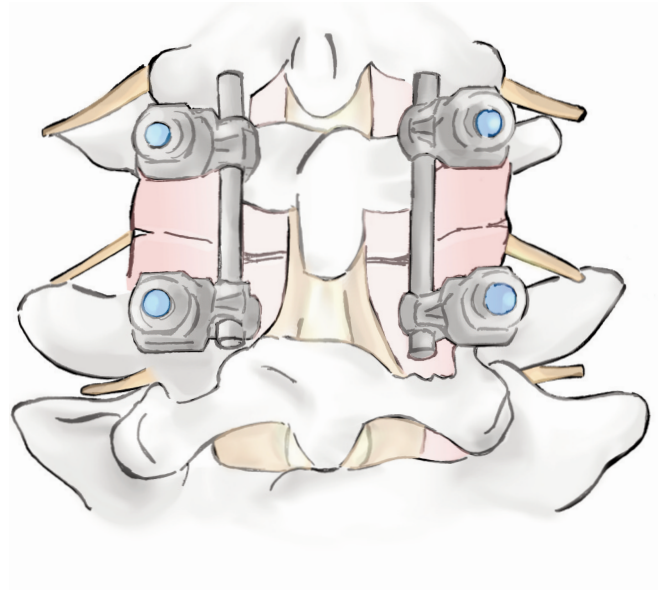


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## NINE | Supplemental Fixation

After insertion of the t|spinecurve implant, the posterior intervertebral space can be filled with autologous graft, or bone graft substitute. Once the space is filled, attach and fix the pedicle screw rods, strengthening the lumbar spine.

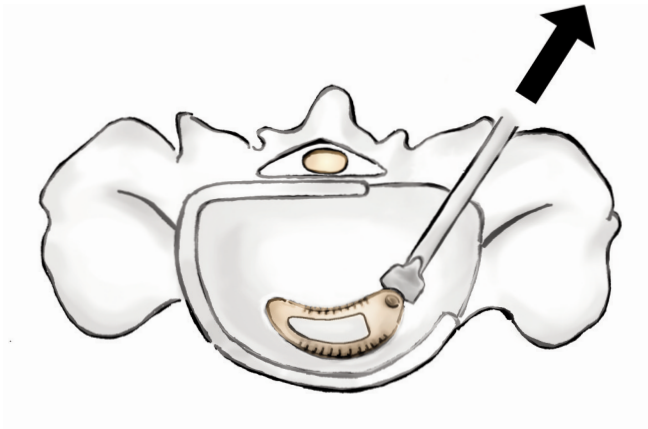


## TEN | Wound Closure

After the application of the implant and the pedicle screws, carefully remove the retractor. The incision of the skin can be closed by stitches or surgical skin staplers. Anti-inflammatory medication may be indicated.

## ELEVEN | Postoperative Care

Before the patient is discharged, a radiographic control has to be performed, which should be repeated after four to six months. After hospitalization, stabilizing physical therapy is recommended. Sport activities should be discontinued for at least three months.



### TWELVE | Removal of the Implant

If the t|spinecurve cage has to be removed, the entire surface of the implant should be exposed (see: ONE | Patient Positioning and Access). In the case of advanced bone fusion, it is recommended to use an osteotome. Securely attach the t|spinecurve applier [70-7670PE] to the cage (see: EIGHT | Final Implant Positioning). Remove the implant from the intervertebral space. Make sure to avoid any kind of implant, or bone graft dislocation into the spinal canal.

t|spinecurve  
Implants made of EVONIK PEEK



| L 24 mm x W 12 mm |              |             |
|-------------------|--------------|-------------|
| 0° Parallel       | 5° Lordotic  | Height [mm] |
| 70-7647C-24       | 70-7647C-24L | 7           |
| 70-7650C-24       | 70-7650C-24L | 8           |
| 70-7651C-24       | 70-7651C-24L | 9           |
| 70-7652C-24       | 70-7652C-24L | 10          |
| 70-7646C-24       | 70-7646C-24L | 11          |
| 70-7654C-24       | 70-7654C-24L | 12          |
| 70-7655C-24       | 70-7655C-24L | 13          |
| 70-7656C-24       | 70-7656C-24L | 14          |
| 70-7645C-24       | 70-7645C-24L | 15          |
| 70-7644C-24       | 70-7644C-24L | 17          |
| L 28 mm x W 11 mm |              |             |
| 0° Parallel       | 5° Lordotic  | Height [mm] |
| 70-7647C          | 70-7647CL    | 7           |
| 70-7650C          | 70-7650CL    | 8           |
| 70-7651C          | 70-7651CL    | 9           |
| 70-7652C          | 70-7652CL    | 10          |
| 70-7646C          | 70-7646CL    | 11          |
| 70-7654C          | 70-7654CL    | 12          |
| 70-7655C          | 70-7655CL    | 13          |
| 70-7656C          | 70-7656CL    | 14          |
| 70-7645C          | 70-7645CL    | 15          |
| 70-7644C          | 70-7644CL    | 17          |

t|spinecurve  
Implants made of EVONIK PEEK



| L 32 mm x W 11 mm |              |             |
|-------------------|--------------|-------------|
| 0° Parallel       | 5° Lordotic  | Height [mm] |
| 70-7647C-32       | 70-7647C-32L | 7           |
| 70-7650C-32       | 70-7650C-32L | 8           |
| 70-7651C-32       | 70-7651C-32L | 9           |
| 70-7652C-32       | 70-7652C-32L | 10          |
| 70-7646C-32       | 70-7646C-32L | 11          |
| 70-7654C-32       | 70-7654C-32L | 12          |
| 70-7655C-32       | 70-7655C-32L | 13          |
| 70-7656C-32       | 70-7656C-32L | 14          |
| 70-7645C-32       | 70-7645C-32L | 15          |
| 70-7644C-32       | 70-7644C-32L | 17          |

t|spinecurve  
Implants made of TITANIUM



L 28 mm x W 11 mm

| 0° Parallel | Height [mm] |
|-------------|-------------|
| 70-7649TI   | 6           |
| 70-7650TI   | 8           |
| 70-7651TI   | 9           |
| 70-7652TI   | 10          |
| 70-7654TI   | 12          |
| 70-7653TI   | 14          |

L 32 mm x W 11 mm

| 0° Parallel  | Height [mm] |
|--------------|-------------|
| 70-7649-32TI | 6           |
| 70-7650-32TI | 8           |
| 70-7651-32TI | 9           |
| 70-7652-32TI | 10          |
| 70-7654-32TI | 12          |
| 70-7653-32TI | 14          |

L 36 mm x W 11 mm

| 0° Parallel  | Height [mm] |
|--------------|-------------|
| 70-7650-32TI | 8           |
| 70-7652-32TI | 10          |
| 70-7654-32TI | 12          |



| Trials                      | L 32 mm x W 26 mm |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|
|                             | Height [mm]       |
| 70-7678-30 ▶ SET PART TI    | 6                 |
| 70-7676-30 ▶ SET PART PE    | 7                 |
| 70-7677-30 ▶ SET PART PE+TI | 8                 |
| 70-7780-30 ▶ SET PART PE+TI | 9                 |
| 70-7679-30 ▶ SET PART PE+TI | 10                |
| 70-7689-30                  | 11                |
| 70-7681-30 ▶ SET PART PE+TI | 12                |
| 70-7682-30                  | 13                |
| 70-7683-30 ▶ SET PART PE+TI | 14                |
| 70-7690-30                  | 15                |
| 70-7691-30                  | 17                |

# t|spinecurve Instrumentation

Ackermann offers diverse instruments for the safe and successful use of the t|spinecurve implants which are available separately or as full instrumentation sets.

## Implant Holder

|                         |   |
|-------------------------|---|
| 70-7670PE ▶ SET PART PE | t spinecurve PEEK implant holder, 280 mm X 4 mm     |
| 70-7670TI-SP ▶ SET TI   | t spinecurve Titanium implant holder, 250 mm X 4 mm |
| 70-7670TI ▶ SET TI      | t spinecurve Titanium implant holder, 280 mm X 4 mm |

The implant holder is used to insert, or if necessary remove the t|spinecurve implant.



## Chisel

|         |                     |
|---------|---------------------|
| 70-7671 | t spinecurve chisel |
|---------|---------------------|

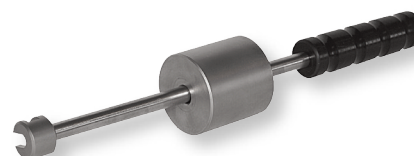
The chisel is used to spread the vertebrae postoperatively.



## Slap Hammer

|                          |                          |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 70-7674 ▶ SET PART PE+TI | t spinecurve slap hammer |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|

The slap hammer provides the insertion of the implant into the intervertebral space.



## Instrumentation Sets

|          | 70-7471PE-SET ▶ PEEK                           | 70-7471SET ▶ TITANIUM                          |
|----------|--|--|
|          | t spinecurve set for PEEK implants             | t spinecurve set for TITANIUM implants         |
| Assembly | 1 x container                                  | 1 x container                                  |
|          | 1 x Insert for instruments                     | 1 x Insert for instruments                     |
|          | 6 x trials <b>by default</b> (opt. adjustable) | 6 x trials <b>by default</b> (opt. adjustable) |
|          | 1 x slap hammer                                | 1 x slap hammer                                |
|          | 1 x implant holder                             | 2 x implant holder                             |



All components of the kit are autoclavable and reusable. If necessary every component is separately available, too



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## Handling and Reprocessing Instructions of reusable Instrumentation

### Place of Use (immediately after use)

**IMMEDIATELY** after each use (within no more than 10 min. or before drying of contaminants) the instruments need to be cleaned and impurities removed under running water, using a soft brush or cloth used solely for this purpose. NEVER use a metal brush, steel wool or other cleaning devices containing metal in order to avoid the imminent risk of corrosion. Rinse under cold, running water until all visible impurities and contaminants have been successfully removed.

### Storage and Transport

Place instruments in a container. Keep the inside of the container moist/wet (no contaminants shall dry). Reprocess all instruments soonest possible.

### Preparation for Cleaning

Soak instruments in cold water for at least 5 min. and clean them, using a soft brush or cloth which are being used solely for this purpose. NEVER use a metal brush, steel wool or other cleaning devices containing metal in order to avoid the imminent risk of corrosion. Afterwards, wash down the entire surface of the instrument for 10s. by use of a cleaning gun (min. continuous pressure of 4 bar); articulate moveable parts constantly during the preliminary cleaning. Instruments featuring lumina and/or LuerLock flush channels are to be rinsed for an additional 10s. after visibly clear water has flown from the ports. Place the instruments in an ultrasonic bath for 10min. (35-40kHz for min. 5min. or longer acc. to specifications). Prior to switching on the ultrasonics make sure that all lumina, sheaths, etc. are filled with cleaning fluid!

Note that the preliminary cleaning – even the use of a disinfectant – is only intended as a preparatory step and **DOES NOT** replace the actual disinfection!

### Mechanical Cleaning

Make sure that multiple instruments do not come in contact with each other; especially different materials such as titanium, brass, aluminum, stainless steel, etc. need to be cleaned separately in order to avoid formation of a rust film. Composite instruments (particularly stainless steel combined with ceramics) shall be placed with sufficient distance away from other products to prevent damage arising from the pressure of different thermal expansions.

Instruments have been tested with the following devices:

#### Washer-Disinfector G 7735 CD (Miele)

1. washing cycle: alkaline program (No 105)
2. washing cycle: enzymology program (No 105)

#### Washer-Disinfector G 7836 CD (Miele)

1. two component alkaline/enzymatic program
2. OxiVario

#### Washer-Disinfector Niagara SI PCF (Medisafe) (RECOMMENDED)

1. Cleaning process with pulsed ultrasonic irrigation
2. Cleaning process without pulsed ultrasonic irrigation

The water which is to be used needs to be sterile or nearly sterile (<10 microbes/ml) and low in endotoxins (< 0.25 units/ml). The air which is being used for drying needs to be cleaned by means of micro filters which are regularly checked and maintained. A maintenance schedule has to be documented.

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## Handling and Reprocessing Instructions of reusable Instrumentation

### Manual Cleaning

Mechanical cleaning is mandatory with these products as they are classified as class „critical B“ according to the RKI/BfArM-recommendations.

### Disinfection

Take the instruments and place them into the disinfecting bath (Caution: products need to be fully immersed; at least 1cm below the liquid surface).

Multiple instruments shall not come in contact with each other; especially different materials such as titanium, brass, aluminum, stainless steel, etc. need to be disinfected separately in order to avoid formation of a rust film. Composite instruments (particularly stainless steel combined with plastic) need to be disinfected separately in order to prevent damage arising from the pressure of different thermal expansions. Rinse all the lumina of the instrument at least five times using a sterile syringe (min 50ml) and disinfectant.

### After disinfection

Remove products and rinse for at least 5 min. under running water until all disinfectant is removed from the instruments (the water which is to be used needs to be sterile or nearly sterile with <10 microbes/ml and low in endotoxins with < 0.25 units/ml).

Constantly articulate moveable parts.

Rinse all the lumina of the instrument with water at least five times using a sterile syringe (min 50ml).

### Disinfectants that have been successfully tested are

1. Alkaline, Neodisher FA, pH 12.2, Dr. Weigert
2. Enzymatic, deconex 23 Neutrazym, pH 9.7, Borer
3. 2-Component Alkaline/Enzymatic, deconex TWIN PH, pH 10.9, deconex TWINZYME, pH 7, Borer
4. 2-Component Alkaline, Sekumatic FR, pH 12.1; Sekumatic OxiVario. PH 7.8; Neutralizer: Sekumatic FNZ, pH 2.2, Ecolab
5. Enzymatic; M20029 3E-Zyme Scope Plus, pH 6.1, Medisafe
6. Enzymatic + Ultrasound, M20029 3E-Zyme Scope Plus, pH 6.1, Medisafe

### Drying

After cleaning and disinfection place the instruments into suitable containers. Make sure that there is NO residue of the disinfectant.

When drying as part of the cleaning/disinfection cycle is completed make sure that a temperature of 150°C/300°F is not exceeded.

All operations need to take place in a clean, monitored environment!

### Maintenance

Apply a small amount of high-grade surgical lubricant on all joints or other moveable parts which are supposed to move smoothly. Sort out all blunt or damaged instruments.

Clearly damaged instruments (cracks on the insulation, breakage, strongly bleached polymer handles or coatings) are NOT to be reused but repaired or disposed of.

### Testing and Inspection

Jointed instruments are to be tested for ease of movement (avoid too much backlash). The functionality of ratchet mechanisms needs to be checked. All instruments: visually check for damage and wear. Blades should be even and without notches. Long and narrow instruments (especially jointed instruments) should be particularly checked for damages. If instruments are part of a larger set they are to be checked together with all associated components.

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## Handling and Reprocessing Instructions of reusable Instrumentation

**Packaging**

Individually: a standardized packaging material may be used. The size of each bag needs to match the individual instrument so that there is no tension applied on the sealing.

Sets: sort instruments into designated trays or place on multi-purpose sterilization trays. Blades need to be protected; the weight of each tray may not exceed 8kg (18lbs). For the trays an adequate packaging procedure is to be used.

**Sterilization**

All products have been precleaned to an extent which allows for processing and sterilization by use of the equipment stated here. This only applies to a processing method according to these instructions within a system that has been configured and validated in compliance with ISO 17665 and in which all cleaning/disinfecting devices comply with ISO 15883. With the result of the sterilization process greatly depending on the equipment that is being used a sterilization validation acc. to ISO 17665 **MUST** be performed at the place of use prior to the first application. All products **MAY** be used only if the result of this validation is positive.

For the sterilization of medical devices various methods can be applied. Regarding products manufactured by Ackermann, gravity steam sterilization with a fractionated process is recommended.

|                    |                               |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>Temperature</b> | 134°C – 137°C (273°F – 279°F) |
| <b>Pressure</b>    | 3 bar                         |
| <b>Duration</b>    | 5 min                         |

Please comply with all recommendations issued by the manufacturer of your sterilization device with regard to handling and loading. Instruments that are to be sterilized need to be thoroughly exposed to the steam, including inner surfaces. Before using the instruments they need to be cooled down to room temperature.

Other durations and/or temperatures may also be applied. However, when doing so deviations of parameters should be validated (Caution: contact the manufacturer of your autoclave to confirm temperatures and/or sterilization durations). Temperature inside the autoclave should not exceed 139°C/182°F. This could cause possible damage to handles, insulation or other non-metallic components. Do not sterilize using hot air or Processing and Sterilization Instructions of Medical Devices (acc. to ISO 17664) flash autoclave methods.

In case only pre-vacuum sterilization can be performed, please adhere to the following parameters:

**for Europe ( except Switzerland and France )**

|                                 |                      |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Sterilizer type</b>          | pre-vacuum           |
| <b>Preconditioning pulses</b>   | 3                    |
| <b>Preconditioning pressure</b> | 30 psia              |
| <b>Minimum temperature</b>      | 134°C                |
| <b>Cycle time</b>               | 5 min.               |
| <b>Sample configuration</b>     | individually wrapped |

**for Switzerland and France**

|                                 |                      |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Sterilizer type</b>          | pre-vacuum           |
| <b>Preconditioning pulses</b>   | 3                    |
| <b>Preconditioning pressure</b> | 30 psia              |
| <b>Minimum temperature</b>      | 134°C                |
| <b>Cycle time</b>               | 18 min.              |
| <b>Sample configuration</b>     | individually wrapped |

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## Handling and Reprocessing Instructions of reusable Instrumentation

## others

|                          |                      |
|--------------------------|----------------------|
| Sterilizer type          | pre-vacuum           |
| Preconditioning pulses   | 3                    |
| Preconditioning pressure | 30 psia              |
| Minimum temperature      | 132°C / 270 °F       |
| Cycle time               | 4 min.               |
| Sample configuration     | individually wrapped |

**Storage**

Store instruments secured against mechanical damage. Use additional wrapping to protect against dust. Do not stack instruments which are packed sterile; especially do not place heavy items on top in order to avoid damage to the sterile packaging of other instruments.

Products need to be stored in a clean and dust-free environment at moderate temperatures of 19° - 25°C (66° - 77°F) and humidity of 40 - 60% (to avoid the risk of embrittlement of the sterile packaging AND of plastic components, especially handles).

**Additional Information**

Do not exceed maximum loading capacity of the sterilizer when processing multiple instruments in one sterilization cycle.

**Warnings****ALL INSTRUMENTS MUST BE CLEANED, DESINFECTED AND STERILIZED PRIOR TO EACH USE.**

All reusable Ackermann products are shipped in non-sterile condition. Before the first use transport packaging, coarse dust/pieces of paper/packaging remains need to be removed and each product processed and sterilized according to these instructions. All products have been precleaned to an extent which allows for processing and sterilization by use of the equipment stated here. This only applies to a processing method according to these instructions within a system that has been configured and validated in compliance with ISO 17665 and in which all cleaning/disinfecting devices comply with ISO 15883.

**THOROUGH CLEANING AND DISINFECTION IS CRUCIAL FOR AN EFFECTIVE STERILIZATION!**

Especially in Germany, the adherence to and knowledge of the RKI/BfArM-recommendations is the prerequisite for these instructions. In accordance with EU Directive 93/42 processing is NOT permitted in Germany without comprehensive awareness of these guidelines!

Processing must only be carried out by personnel explicitly designated by §4 Abs. 3 MPBetreibV after verifying their qualification! Strong cleaning agents may cause fading of markings.

**Limitations on Reprocessing**

Instruments have been validated for 50 cycles, based on an average treatment.

Products that have been marked as single-use (acc. to DIN EN 980 2008-11/figure 5.2) MUST NOT be reprocessed! With such products materials are being used that are NOT reprocessable under normal conditions or do not withstand more than one sterilization process and, therefore, may break during surgery if reprocessed! (this applies to practically all single-use products featuring plastic components)

Complementary to our t|spinecurve implants Ackermann offers a wide range of discectomy and neurosopic instruments.

### Vertibroscope and rotative holding disk

|         |  |
|---------|--|
| 70-7040 | Rotative holding disk holds the endoscope and allows 360° rotation with 30° view             |
| 70-7180 | Vertibroscope for discectomy, 30° rotatable, with light-transmission, lenses made of saphire |

### Kerrison rongeur

|         |                                       |
|---------|---------------------------------------|
| 70-7060 | 30°, 2 mm jaw, 250 mm WL              |
| 70-7065 | 40°, 2 mm jaw, 250 mm WL              |
| 70-7070 | 90°, 2 mm jaw, 250 mm WL              |
| 70-7075 | 90°, 3.5 mm jaw, 330 mm WL, rotatable |
| 70-7076 | 40°, 3.5 mm jaw, 330 mm WL, rotatable |

### Micro conchotome, 250 mm WL

|         |                              |
|---------|------------------------------|
| 70-7080 | 5 mm jaw, 45° upwards arched |
| 70-7085 | 3 mm jaw, 45° upwards arched |
| 70-7090 | 5 mm jaw, 45° straight       |
| 70-7095 | 3 mm jaw, 45° straight       |

### Micro forceps, 2 mm jaw, 200 mm WL

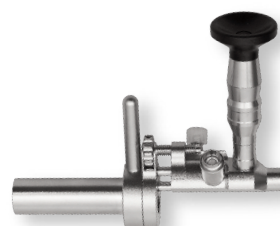
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|---------|----------------------------|
| 70-7086 | 45° angled upwards         |
| 70-7091 | straight                   |
| 70-7092 | straight, spoon with teeth |

### Micro scissors, 2 mm jaw, 200 mm WL

|         |   |
|---------|---|
| 70-7097 | single action, cutting 90° towards the handle |
|---------|---|

### Curette, 272 mm overall length

|         |                      |
|---------|----------------------|
| 70-7100 | 3 mm jaw, 45° angled |
| 70-7105 | 5 mm jaw, 45° angled |
| 70-7106 | 5 mm jaw, 90° angled |



Suction tube, 272 mm overall length

70-7110 without spatula tip

70-7111 with spatula tip

Bipolar forceps, 1.2 mm jaw, bayonet, 280 mm overall length

70-7115 straight

70-7120 angled

Bipolar cable

70-7130

Nerve manipulator, 90° angled - knurled handle

70-7135 1 mm tip, 272 overall length

70-7142 3 mm tip, 30 mm spatula length, curved upwards

70-7146 1.5 mm ball tip, 5 mm angled, 200 mm WL

70-7147 1.5 mm ball tip, 9 mm angled, 200 mm WL

Spatula, 90° angled, 200 mm WL - knurled handle

70-7139 spatula size 7 mm x 4 mm, knurled handle

Nerve retractor, knurled handle

70-7140 wide tip, 272 mm overall length

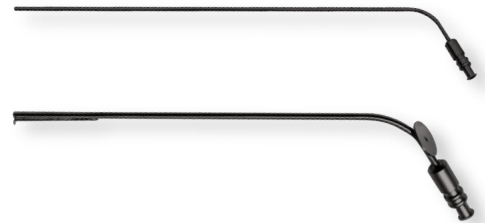
70-7143 3 mm tip, 30 mm spatula length, 200 mm WL

Nerve manipulator, 272 mm overall length

70-7136 1.5 mm tip, 90° angled

70-7137 1 mm tip, 90° angled

70-7141 3 mm jaw, spatula form



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Supplementary Equipment

Ball tip dissector, 272 mm overall length

70-7145                      90°, 1.5 mm tip

Bayonet knife, 272 mm overall length

70-7150                      2 mm tip

70-7155                      1 mm tip

Neurosurgical retraction arm

70-7190                      to hold the rotative disk and the  
vertebroscope



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