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**Proximal Femur**  
surgical technique





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MUTARS® has been in successful clinical use since 1992.

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**Nota Bene:** The described surgical technique is the suggested treatment for the uncomplicated procedure.  
In the final analysis the preferred treatment is that which addresses the needs of the individual patient.

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### The Silver coating

Infections represent the most severe complications of tumour arthroplastic treatments. Although local and systemic antibiotic treatments are considered, the scientific literature reports of infection rates from 5 to 35 percent [1]. Reasons for these high rates are, for example, the long surgery time, the large incisions and the immunosuppression due to chemo therapy and radio therapy as well as the increasing resistance of the bacteria against antibiotic drugs.

Silver, in particular free silver ions, is well known for its broad-spectrum antimicrobial activity. The silver coating has been shown to reduce bacterial colonization on the device surface.

Until now only non-articulating surfaces and surfaces without direct bony contact are coated with silver. In the catalogue information of this surgical technique you can find the supplement \*S indicating which MUTARS® components are available in a silver coated version. The eight digit REF number receives an addition after the last digit (e.g. 5220-0020S).

### Important intra-operative instructions for the use of silver-coated implants

It is not permitted to flush the wound with antiseptics that contain H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>, Iodine or heavy metals (such as Betaisodona®) and acetic acid during surgery since this can lead to a subsequent loss of effectiveness of the silver coating due to their oxidative properties. Alternatively, solutions such as NaCl or Lavasept® and Prontosan® can be used. The additional use of antibiotic-containing bone cement can be an advantage particular in case of a septic revision.

### The TiN coating for allergy prophylaxis

All metallic implant components release ions to their environment over time. In some patients such ions can elicit allergic reactions. Nickel, cobalt and chromium, which are elements of the base material CoCrMo of the articulating implant components, are considered the most frequently allergy eliciting metals [2]. The TiN-coating is biocompatible and acts like a barrier; the potential release of allergy eliciting ions of the base material is reduced to a minimum [3]. Also in clinical practice there have never been any evidence of allergic reactions with implants that have been TiN-coated showing an intact surface [5]. Therefore the TiN-coating on implant components is especially suitable for patients with sensitivity to nickel, chromium or cobalt [4][5].

Since almost all components of the MUTARS® tumor system consist of titanium alloy, this only concerns those components, which are made of a cast CoCrMo alloy. The REF-numbers of the TiN-coated implants have the suffix N after the last digit (e.g. 5720-0005N). Items which are available with Silver and TiN coating have the suffix SN after the last digit (e.g. 5720-0005SN).

**\*S:** Implants are available with Silver coating!

**\*N:** Implants are available with TiN coating!

**\*SN:** Implants are available with Silver and TiN coating

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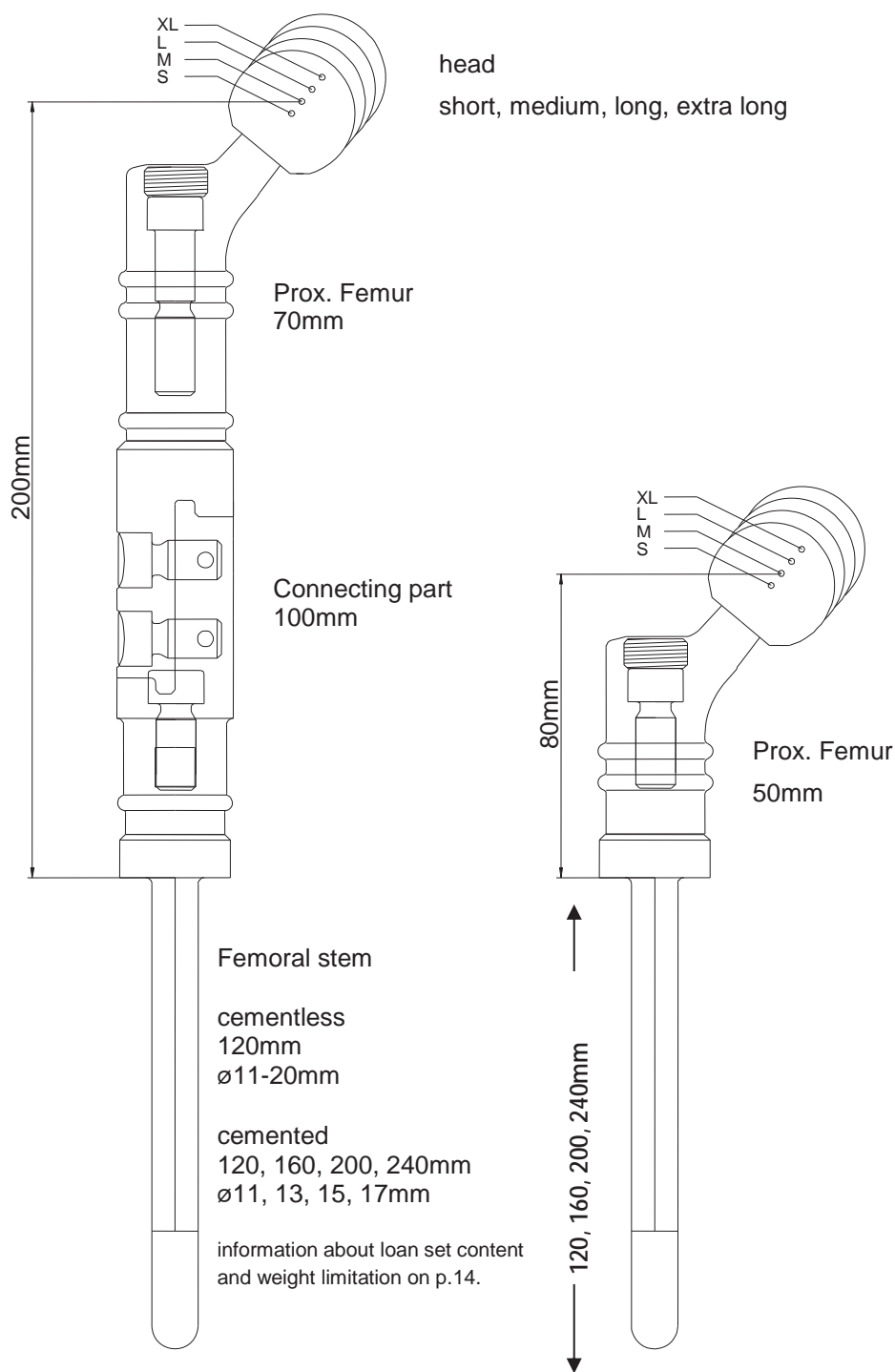
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# System Overview





# MUTARS® Proximal Femur

## proximal femur replacement assembling options

by using a head with neck length medium  
(length in mm)

reconstruction	components			
	Prox. Femur	connecting part 100 mm	extension piece	bar screw
80mm	50	-	-	25
100mm	70	-	-	45
120mm	50	-	40	65
140mm	50	-	60	85
160mm	50	-	80	105
180mm	50	100		25 + 25
200mm	70	100		25 + 45
220mm	50	100	40	65 + 25
240mm	50	100	60	85 + 25
260mm	50	100	80	105 + 25
280mm	50	100	40 + 60	125 + 25
300mm	70	100	40 + 60	145 + 25
320mm	50	100	60 + 80	165 + 25
340mm	70	100	60 + 80	185 + 25

**For resection length 180mm and longer it is recommended to  
use the MUTARS® connecting part 100mm.**

**Note:** Please notice that the amount of implants and instruments sent with an individual shipment may differ from the information in the catalogue information of this brochure. Please make sure, during the preoperatively planning, that all necessary implants and instruments are available for the surgery.



**figure 1**

## **Tumor resection**

Resect the tumour and measure the length of the explant. The minimum bone resection is 80 mm.

## **Femoral bone preparation**

Prepare the femoral medullary cavity with the MUTARS® medullary cavity reamer (fig. 1).

## **Cementless fixation**

Ream the femoral medullary cavity preferably up to a depth of 130mm with a flexible reamer 1,5mm smaller than the preoperatively chosen femoral stem (fig. 2).

## **Cemented fixation**

Ream the femoral medullary cavity preferably up to a depth of 130mm with a flexible reamer 2mm larger than the preoperatively chosen femoral stem (fig. 2).

## **Remark**

In case no flexible reamers are in the hospital's stock flexible reamers can be provided on special demand.



**figure 2**



### Rasping of the femoral cavity

Assemble the femur rasp of the appropriate size (see tables below), the sleeve and the slide hammer. Lock the rasp on the slide hammer by using the engineers' wrench.

#### Remark

The use of a femoral rasp for a **cemented stem** is optional. Generally you can proceed with the trial reduction (see page 6).

#### Use of cementless stems

Use the femur rasp (fig. 3), of the same size as the preoperatively chosen femoral stem (table 1).

Stem size	Rasp size
12mm	12mm
13mm	13mm
14mm	14mm
15mm	15mm
16mm	16mm
17mm	17mm
18mm	18mm

table 1

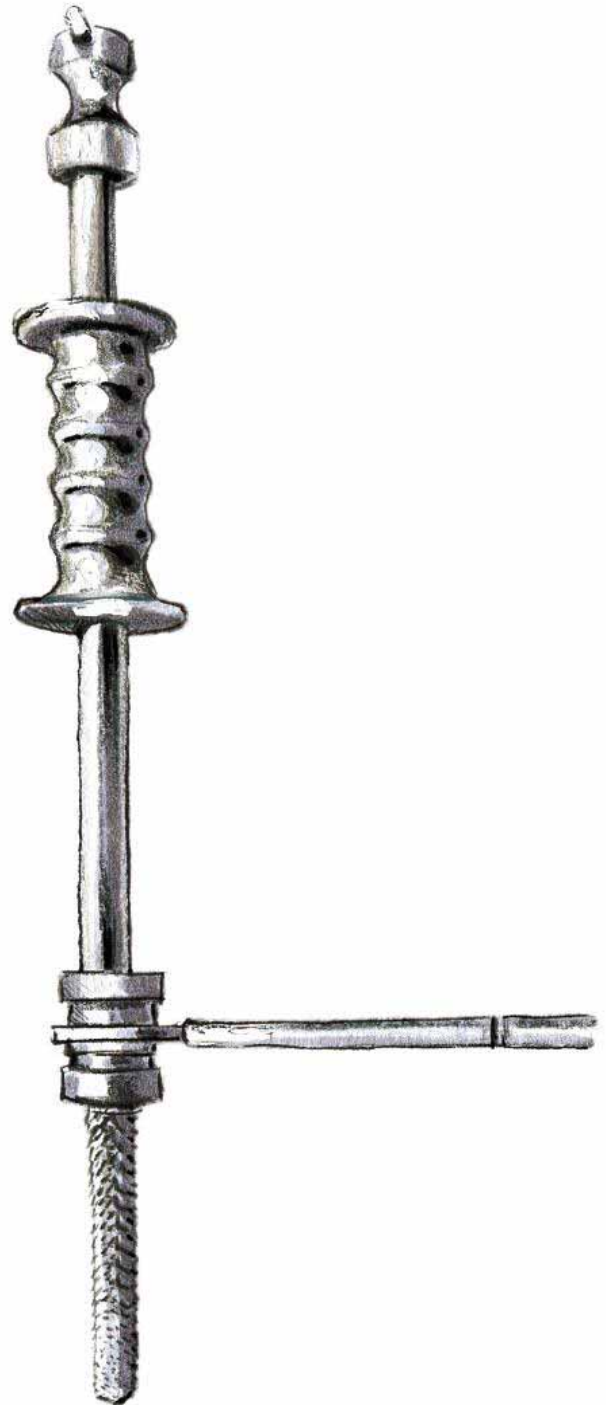


figure 3



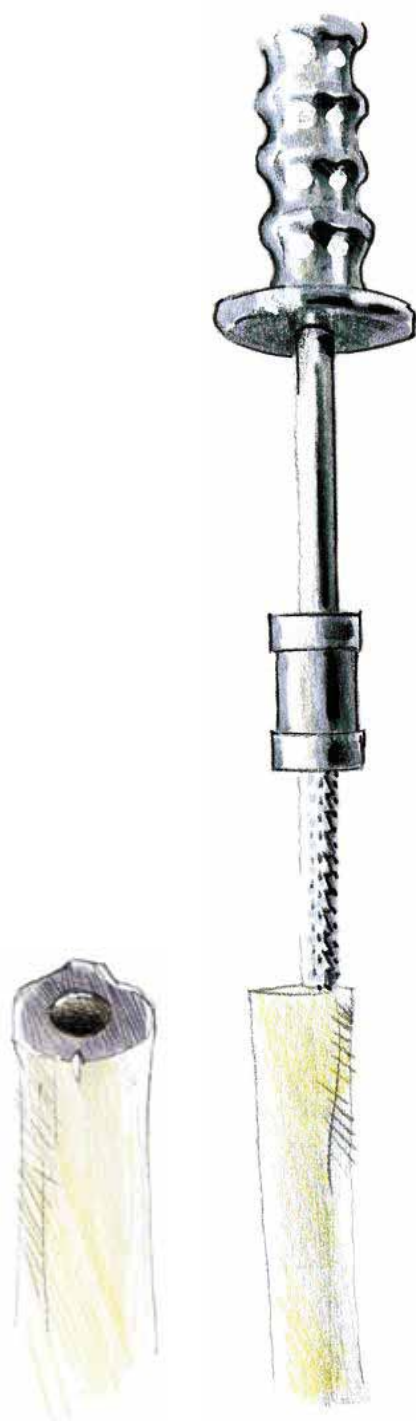


figure 4a and 4b

Mark the anterior aspect of the femoral bone to meet the correct antecurvature of the femur (fig. 4a).

Rasp the medullary cavity with the chosen femoral rasp (fig. 4b). A carefully use of the slide hammer is recommended.

## Remark

It is recommended to clean the rasp of bone chips during the rasping.

Leave the femoral rasp in the bone for the trialing.

## Optional technique for the use of cemented stems

If you want to prepare for a cemented stem with the femoral rasp, please use the rasp which is 2mm larger than the preoperatively chosen cemented femoral stem.

This will provide a cement mantle of 1mm thickness (table 2). Use the 18mm rasp to prepare for the 17mm stem.

Stem size	Rasp size
11mm	13mm
13mm	15mm
15mm	17mm
17mm	18mm

table 2

## Trial reduction

Mount the Proximal trial femur and the possibly needed trial extension pieces (possible enlargement from 20 to 260mm; see table page 2) onto the top of the rasp (fig. 5a).

### Remark

For the **cemented procedure** bone rasps are usually not available. Please insert the cemented stem (without cement) for trialing purposes (fig. 5b).

Insert a trial screw of the correct length (see table on page 2) (fig. 5a and 5b).

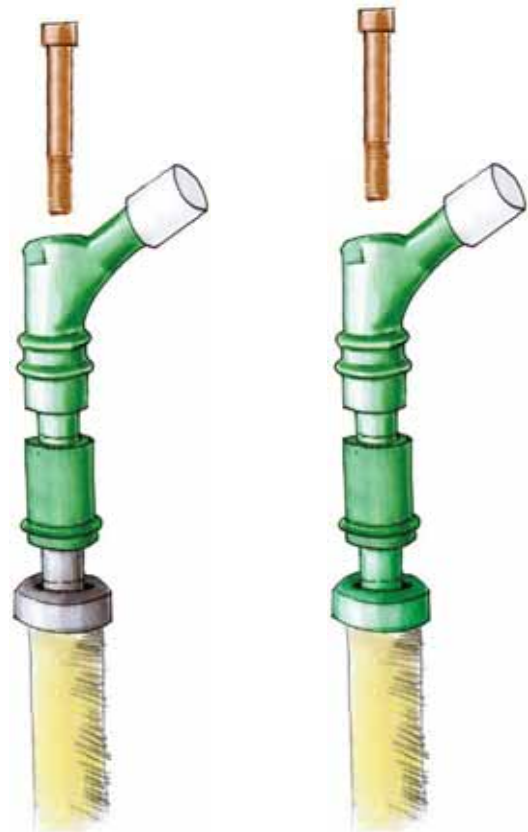


figure 5a

figure 5b

Place the medium trial head on the neck (fig. 6)

Do a trial reduction and check the muscle tension, the joint stability and the leg length.

Please check the rotational alignment. If necessary, adjust the rotation in steps of 5°.

Remove all trial components and the femoral rasp.



figure 6

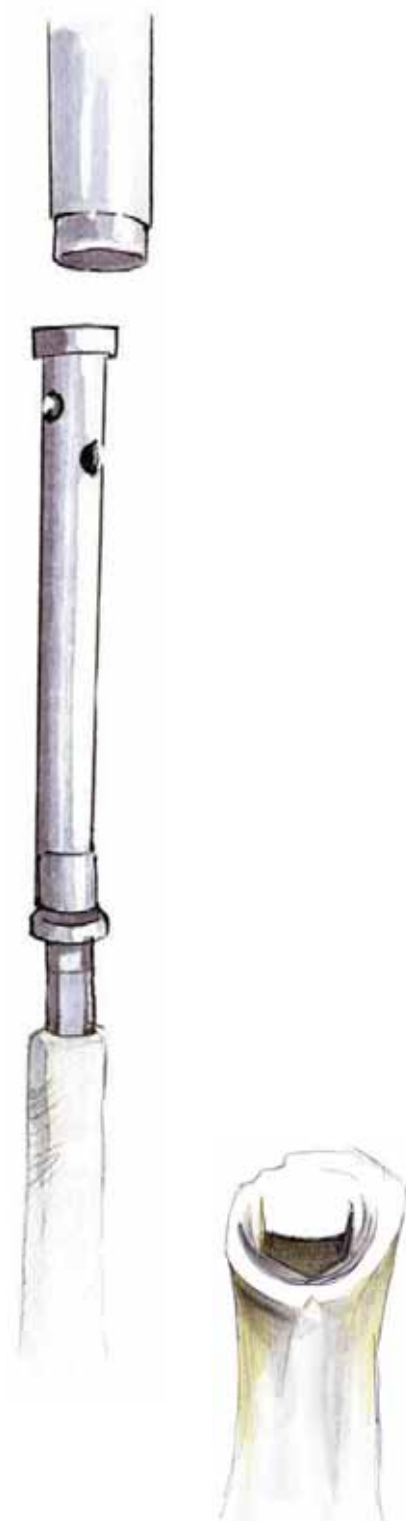


figure 7

## Implantation of the femoral stem

Impact the femoral stem (fig. 7).

Insert the stem of the same size as the rasp if a **cementless stem** is used.

To prevent fractures of the cortical bone it is helpful to fix a bone forceps around the femoral bone during impaction.

If a cemented implantation is planned, insert the intramedullary plug, the cement and insert a **cemented stem** which is 2mm smaller than the previously used reamer or rasp.

Remove all instruments during the cement hardening to prevent bending moments.



### Implantation of the proximal components

Combine the proximal implant components on the femoral stem. Insert the bar screw of the correct length (see table on page 2).

Tighten the bar screw with the socket wrench (fig. 8).

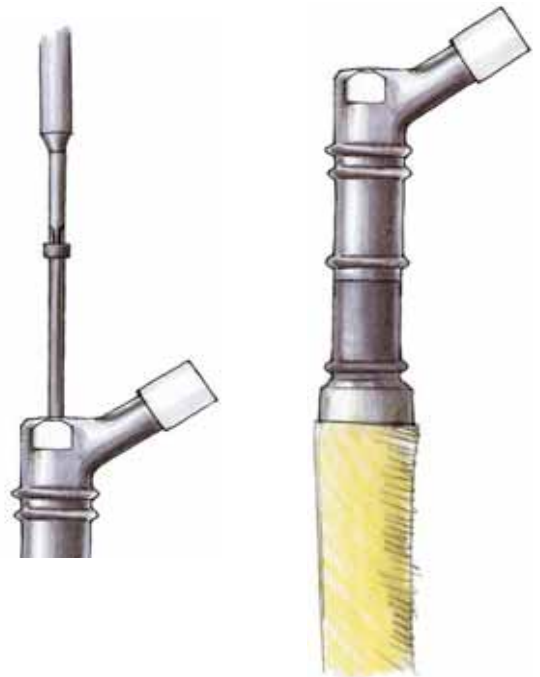


figure 8

### Final trialing

Once more, use the trial head to control the muscle tension (fig. 9).

Please check the rotational alignment. If necessary adjust the rotation in steps of 5°.

Remove the trial head when sufficient tension is achieved.

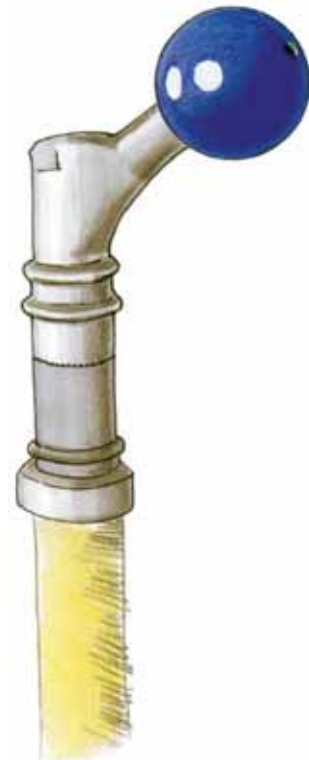


figure 9



**figure 10**



**figure 11**

## **Final implant assembling**

Lock the bar screw with the MUTARS® swing wrench (fig. 10).  
Secure the assembly with the engineers' wrench (fig. 11).

Lock the safety screw in the same way.

## The use of the attachment tube

For soft tissue refixation to the implant, suitable mesh products available on the market can be used.

When a tube-formed mesh is used, cut a small portion of the mesh proximally, in order to allow visual contact to the acetabulum, once the mesh is fixed to the hip joint capsule. This facilitates joint reduction through the mesh.

Fix the mesh to the limbus / rest of the hip joint capsule first dorsally and then medially and laterally. The mesh needs to be folded outwards, towards the limbus / rest of the hip joint capsule (fig. 12). Use non-resorbable suture material.

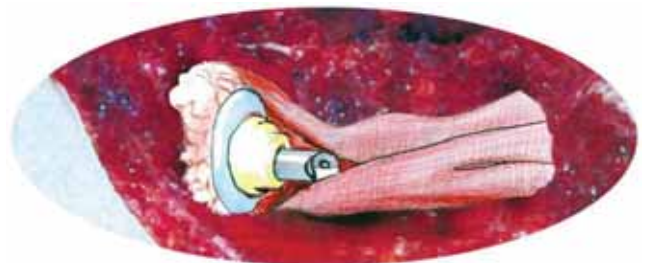
Put the femoral head onto the proximal femur and reduce the joint (fig. 13). Fix the mesh to the rest of the capsule wall with sutures

When a flat mesh is used (not a tube), wrap it around the implant and suture the ends of the mesh to form a tube over the implant. Subsequently, tighten and fix the tube or the mesh above and below the retention rings of the MUTARS® components (fig. 14) to the implant. The mesh should be folded and turned up inward on the distal end of the implant.

Suture the muscles and tendon tissues to the mesh. (fig. 15)



**figure 12**



**figure 13**



**figure 14**



**figure 15**

# MUTARS® Proximal Femur



## IMPLANTS

**\*S:** For anti-infective treatment, silver coated implants are available.

**\*N:** For anti-allergic treatment, TiN coated implants are available.

**\*SN:** Implants with Silver and TiN coating!

## MUTARS® Proximal Femur incl. safety screw \*S

mat.: *implatan®*; *TiAl<sub>6</sub>V<sub>4</sub>* acc. to  
ISO 5832-3

5710-0205 50mm

5710-0207 70mm



## MUTARS® extension piece \*S

mat.: *implatan®*; *TiAl<sub>6</sub>V<sub>4</sub>* acc. to  
ISO 5832-3

5772-2504 40mm

5772-2506 60mm

5772-2508 80mm

5772-2510 100mm



## MUTARS® connecting part \*S

mat.: *implatan®*; *TiAl<sub>6</sub>V<sub>4</sub>* acc. to  
ISO 5832-3

5730-0100 100mm



## MUTARS® screw

mat.: *implatan®*; *TiAl<sub>6</sub>V<sub>4</sub>* acc. to  
ISO 5832-3

5792-1002 M10x 25mm

5792-1004 M10x 45mm

5792-1006 M10x 65mm

5792-1008 M10x 85mm

5792-1010 M10x105mm

5792-1012 M10x125mm

5792-1014 M10x145mm

5792-1016 M10x165mm

5792-1018 M10x185mm

5792-1020 M10x205mm

5792-1022 M10x225mm

5792-1024 M10x245mm





### IMPLANTS

#### MUTARS® femoral stem cemented \*N

mat.: *implavit®*; CoCrMo-casting alloy

acc. to ISO 5832-4

5760-0011	11 x 120mm	(max. 75 kg)
5760-0013	13 x 120mm	
5760-0015	15 x 120mm	
5760-0017	17 x 120mm	
5760-1116*	11 x 160mm**	(max. 75 kg)
5760-1316*	13 x 160mm**	
5760-1516*	15 x 160mm**	
5760-1716*	17 x 160mm**	
5760-1120*	11 x 200mm**	(max. 75 kg)
5760-1320*	13 x 200mm**	
5760-1520*	15 x 200mm**	
5760-1720*	17 x 200mm**	
5760-1124*	11 x 240mm**	(max. 75 kg)
5760-1324*	13 x 240mm**	
5760-1524*	15 x 240mm**	
5760-1724*	17 x 240mm**	

\*with locking holes for Ø 4,5mm screws

\*\*stems with this size are not included in loan set and have to be ordered separately.



#### MUTARS® femoral stem cementless

mat.: *implatan®*; TiAl<sub>6</sub>V<sub>4</sub> acc. to ISO 5832-3 and HA-coating acc. to ISO 13779-2

5760-0111	11mm*	(max. 60 kg)
5760-0012	12mm	
5760-0113	13mm	
5760-0014	14mm	
5760-0115	15mm	
5760-0016	16mm	
5760-0117	17mm	
5760-0018	18mm	
5760-0019	19mm	
5760-0020	20mm	

\*stems with this size are not included in loan set and have to be ordered separately.

Available without HA coating on request.



#### MUTARS® attachment tube

mat.: *polyethylenterephthalat*

5900-0300	35mm
5900-0310	55mm





## IMPLANTS

### ic-head CoCrMo

*mat.: implavit®; CoCrMo acc. to ISO 5832-12*



2387-2800	28mm, S
2387-2805	28mm, M
2387-2810	28mm, L
2387-2815	28mm, XL
2387-3200	32mm, S
2387-3205	32mm, M
2387-3210	32mm, L
2387-3215	32mm, XL
2387-3600	36mm, S
2387-3605	36mm, M
2387-3610	36mm, L
2387-3615	36mm, XL

### ic-head Titanium

*mat.: implatan®; TiAl<sub>6</sub>V<sub>4</sub> acc. to ISO 5832-3 with TiN-coating*



2787-2800	28mm, S
2787-2805	28mm, M
2787-2810	28mm, L
2787-2815	28mm, XL
2787-3200	32mm, S
2787-3205	32mm, M
2787-3210	32mm, L
2787-3215	32mm, XL
2787-3600	36mm, S
2787-3605	36mm, M
2787-3610	36mm, L
2787-3615	36mm, XL

The ic-heads Titan and CoCrMo with neck lengths of XXL and XXXL are available on special demand.

### ic-head Biolox® delta

*mat.: Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> and ZrO<sub>2</sub> acc. to ISO 6474-2*



2586-2800	28mm, S
2586-2805	28mm, M
2586-2810	28mm, L
2586-3200	32mm, S
2586-3205	32mm, M
2586-3210	32mm, L
2586-3215	32mm, XL
2586-3600	36mm, S
2586-3605	36mm, M
2586-3610	36mm, L
2586-3615	36mm, XL



### IMPLANTS

#### ic- bipolar head CoCrMo

*mat.: implavit®; CoCrMo acc. to ISO 5832-4 and UHMW-PE (ISO 5834-2)*

2151-0044	28/44mm
2151-0046	28/46mm
2151-0048	28/48mm
2151-0050	28/50mm
2151-0052	28/52mm
2151-0054	28/54mm
2151-0056	28/56mm
2151-0058	28/58mm
2151-0060	28/60mm



#### PE-cup Müller type II

*mat.: UHMW-PE acc. to ISO 5834-2*

1021-2844	28/44mm
1021-2846	28/46mm
1021-2848	28/48mm
1021-2850	28/50mm
1021-2852	28/52mm
1021-2854	28/54mm
1021-2856	28/56mm
1021-2858	28/58mm
1021-3244	32/44mm
1021-3246	32/46mm
1021-3248	32/48mm
1021-3250	32/50mm
1021-3252	32/52mm
1021-3254	32/54mm
1021-3256	32/56mm
1021-3258	32/58mm



*The PE cups are also available with snap mechanism to lower the risk of subluxations.*

#### Intramedullary plug

*mat.: UHMW-PE according to ISO 5834-2*

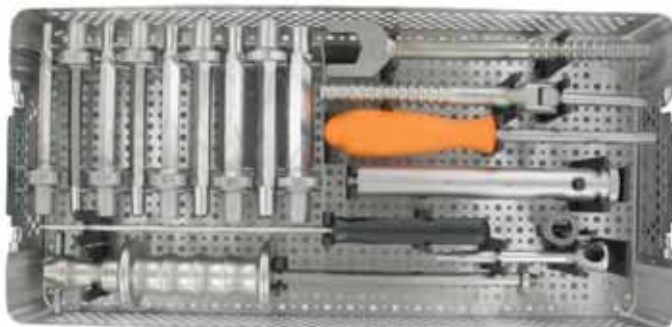
0299-4000	small
0299-4010	large



## MUTARS® Proximal Femur

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### INSTRUMENTS



**MUTARS® basic  
container**  
7999-5712



**MUTARS® trial  
container**  
7999-7701



**ic- bipolar  
container**  
7960-9999



### INSTRUMENTS

#### **Content MUTARS® basic container** 7999-5712

**MUTARS® universal impactor**  
7210-0000

**MUTARS® impact and extract sleeve**  
7230-0000

**MUTARS® socket wrench**  
7420-0000

**alternatively**  
**MUTARS® socket wrench**  
7421-0000

**MUTARS® swing wrench**  
7411-0000

**MUTARS® engineers' wrench SW 24**  
7490-0000

**MUTARS® slide hammer**  
7220-0001

**MUTARS® rasp for femoral stem**  
7760-0112            12mm  
7760-0113            13mm  
7760-0114            14mm  
7760-0115            15mm  
7760-0116            16mm  
7760-0117            17mm  
7760-0118            18mm  
7760-0119            19mm  
7760-0120            20mm

**handle for intramedullary plug**  
7512-4001

**MUTARS® medullary cavity reamer**  
**cross-hole**  
4220-0000



## INSTRUMENTS

### Content MUTARS® trial component tray

7999-7701

### MUTARS® Trial Prox. Femur

7710-0205 50mm

7710-0207 70mm

### MUTARS® trial reducer

7730-0220 20mm

7730-0230 30mm

### MUTARS® trial connecting part

7730-0100 100mm

### MUTARS® trial extension piece for mod. prox. tibia

7750-0105 105mm

7750-0125 125mm

### MUTARS® trial extension piece

7772-2504 40mm

7772-2506 60mm

7772-2508 80mm

7772-2510 100mm

### MUTARS® Trial femoral stem

7760-0011 11mm

7760-0013 13mm

7760-0015 15mm

7760-0017 17mm

### MUTARS® Trial bar screw

7792-1002 M10x 25mm

7792-1004 M10x 45mm

7792-1006 M10x 65mm

7792-1008 M10x 85mm

7792-1010 M10x105mm

7792-1012 M10x125mm

7792-1014 M10x145mm

7792-1016 M10x165mm

7792-1018 M10x185mm

7792-1020 M10x205mm





## INSTRUMENTS

### Content ic bipolar head container

7960-9999

#### handle for bipolar sizing shell

7960-6000



#### head impactor

7512-4444



#### trial head snap taper 12/14mm

7962-2800	28mm short
7962-2805	28mm medium
7962-2810	28mm long
7962-2815	28mm extra long



#### alternatively

7965-2800	Ø28mm, K/S
7965-2805	Ø28mm, M
7965-2810	Ø28mm, L
7965-2815	Ø28mm, XL

#### bipolar head sizing shell

7960-0044	28/44mm
7960-0046	28/46mm
7960-0048	28/48mm
7960-0050	28/50mm
7960-0052	28/52mm
7960-0054	28/54mm
7960-0056	28/56mm
7960-0058	28/58mm
7960-0060	28/60mm



#### ic-forceps for bipolar head

7960-6020







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