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Total Ankle Replacement System

Primary Surgical Technique



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System Features and Benefits

CADENCE[®] Total Ankle System provides the following features and benefits:

Designed for anatomic fit through

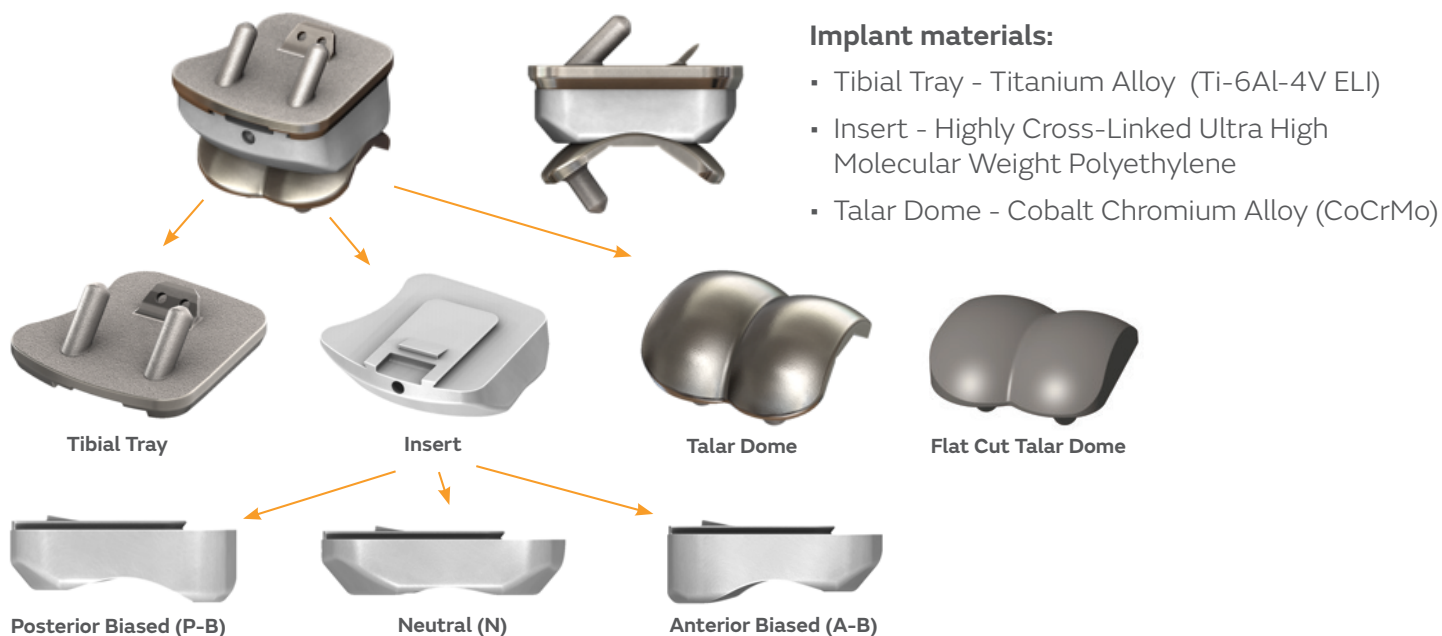
- Multiple interchangeable implant combinations to treat different patient anatomies^{2,5}
- Anatomic tibial tray with fibular sulcus^{1,3}
- Anatomic talar implant with conical axis of rotation¹⁻⁴
- Advanced anatomic design through biased poly inserts⁵

Designed for efficiency in the operating room through

- Reproducible implant alignment due to instruments with fluoroscopic cues⁵⁻⁷
- Pins that set the location of multiple guides for talar preparation
- Instrument tray layout designed to facilitate procedural flow

The CADENCE Total Ankle System had a faster mean OR time compared to reported OR times of Wright Medical (Stryker) Infinity™ and InBone™ with Prophecy™ PSI*

*Indirect comparison from published articles⁸⁻¹⁰



*When compared to standard (GUR) under bench top testing

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Positioning of the Patient

The patient is placed in the supine position with the foot near the end of the table. A bump is placed under the ipsilateral hip to achieve neutral rotation of the operative extremity.

The affected ankle is positioned with a bump under the tibia so that the heel is off of the table.

Surgical Approach

An anterior longitudinal incision is made extending across the midline of the ankle joint to the dorsal medial border of the midfoot.

The retinaculum is identified and incised.

As this dissection is taken inferiorly the ankle joint capsule is exposed, then perform a midline arthrotomy. Medial dissection is taken to the medial gutter so that the medial malleolus and the deltoid ligament can be visualized. Laterally, the dissection is taken so that the anterior inferior tibiofibular syndesmotic ligament and the tubercle of Chaput are visible. The lateral talofibular articulation and the medial aspect of the fibula should be visible by the end of this lateral exposure.

Osteophytes on the tibia are removed, particularly on the antero-lateral aspect. Osteophytes on the talar neck and anterior aspect of the medial malleolus are also removed.

Pin Placement

Tip: For all steps where a bone pin is placed through a guide, check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

This is applicable to the following steps: Step 1-Figure 11, Step 1-Figure 17, Step 3-Figure 28-29, Step 3-Figure 30, Step 3-Figure 31, Step 5-Figure 40, Step 5-Figure 41, Step 6-Figure 45, Step 6-Figure 46, Step 9-Figure 54, Step 9-Figure 58 and 59, Step 9-Figure 63, Step 12-Figure 80, Step 12-Figure 81, Step 13-Figure 85, Step 13-Figure 86, Step 19-Figure 100, Step 23-Figure 112.

Make sure to avoid soft tissue structures when pinning the Talar Cut Guide, the Talar Flat Cut Guide, and the 2mm Talar Cut Guide through the most medial and lateral pin holes.

Surgical Technique

Step 1: Tibial Alignment Guide Initial Positioning

Assembly

The Distal Tibial Alignment Block, the Tibial Rod, the Proximal Tibial Clamp, the Rod Connector, and the Proximal Translation Block are assembled on the table before positioning on the patient.

Slide the Proximal Translation Block to the center location of the Proximal Tibial Clamp. **(Figure 1)**

Assemble a hex screwdriver by attaching a Screwdriver Handle to an AO Hex Driver.

Tighten locking screw with the assembled hex screwdriver.

Slide the anterior end of the Proximal Translation Block through mating hole in the Rod Connector. Slide the proximal end of the Tibial Rod through mating hole in

the Rod Connector. **(Figure 2)**

Press buttons on both ends of the Rod Connector one at a time to allow the Tibial Rod and Proximal Translation Block to slide freely into position.

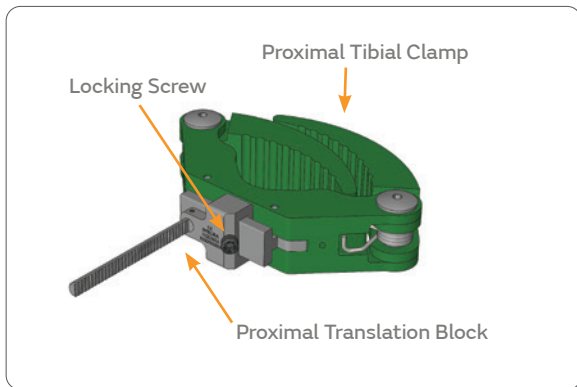


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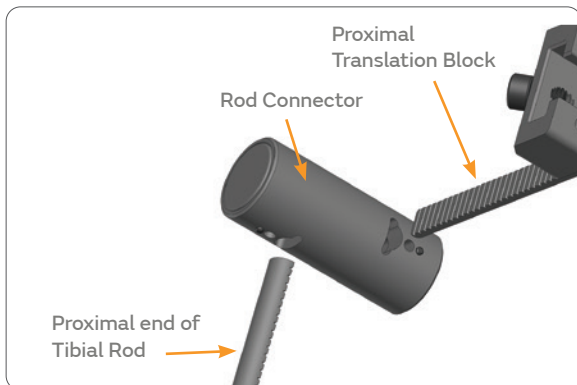


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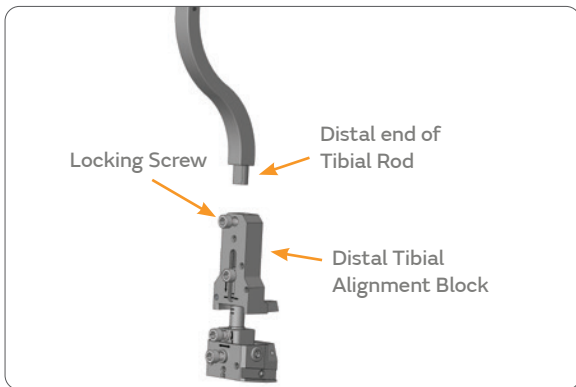


Figure 3

Place distal end of the Tibial Rod into mating hole of the Distal Tibial Alignment Block. Tighten Locking Screw with hex screwdriver. **(Figure 3)**

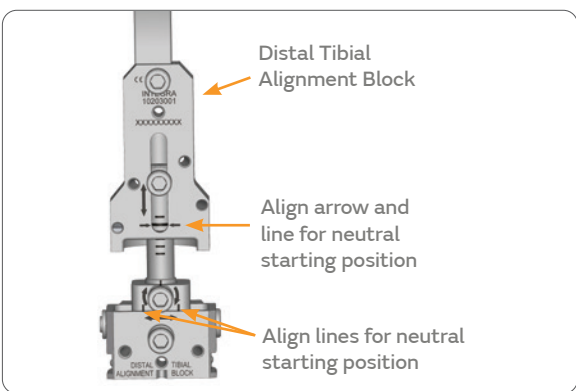


Figure 4

Ensure that the Distal Tibial Alignment Block is placed in its neutral starting positions. **(Figure 4)**

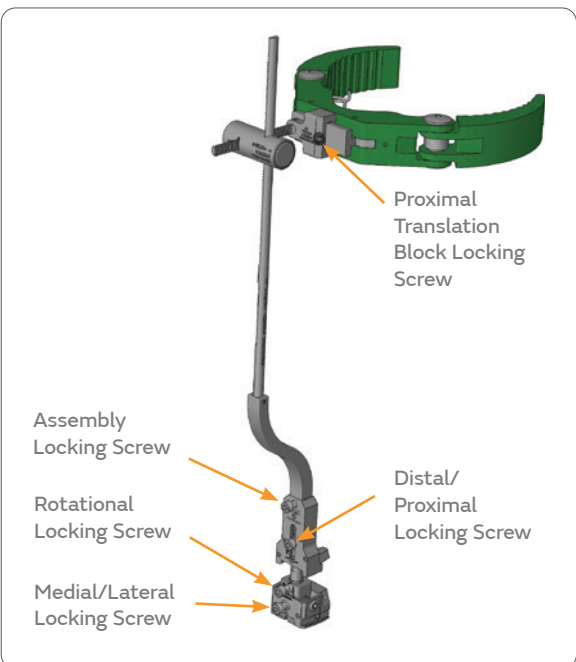


Figure 5

Ensure that the 5 tibial alignment guide Locking Screws are in position and initially locked. **(Figure 5)**

Note: Spare Locking Screws can be found in the Pins and Accessories Module

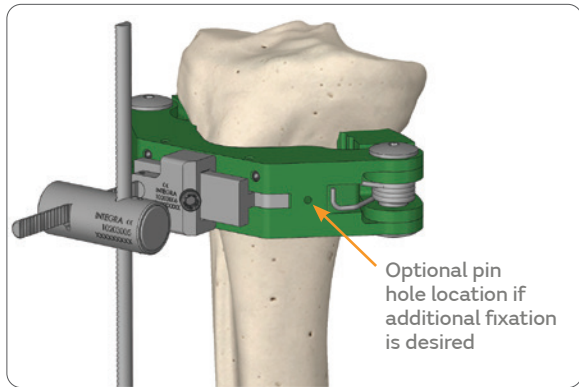


Figure 6

Initial Patient Positioning

The Proximal Tibial Clamp is adjusted to the tibial tuberosity while its arms are held open and then closed around the proximal calf. **(Figure 6)**

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Tip: If additional fixation is desired at the Proximal Tibial Clamp, a Long Shouldered Bone Pin may be placed through the medial hole on the clamp.
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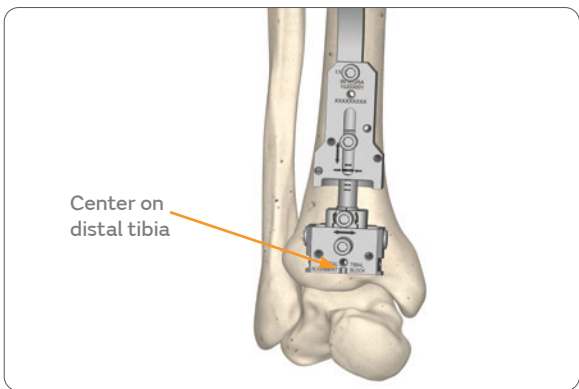


Figure 7

The Distal Tibial Alignment Block is positioned on the center of the distal tibia. The Distal Tibial Alignment Block should sit flush with the distal tibia. **(Figure 7)**

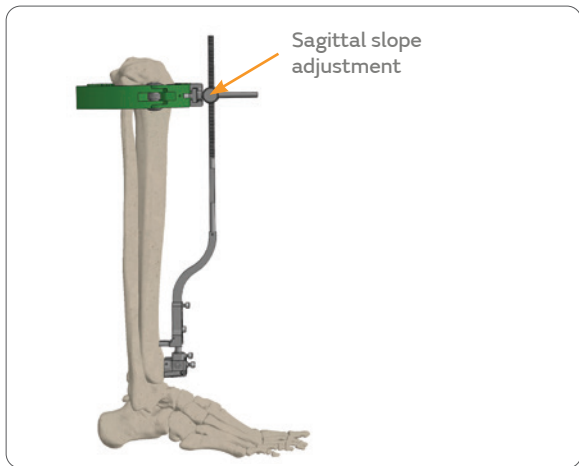


Figure 8

Adjust the Tibial Rod by depressing the Rod Connector button closest to the Proximal Translation Block. Position the rod until it is parallel to the tibia in the sagittal plane. **(Figure 8)**

Set Initial Distal/Proximal Resection Height

Align the Gap Sizer with the anterior lip of the distal tibia with “TIBIAL SIDE” oriented superiorly. **(Figure 9)**

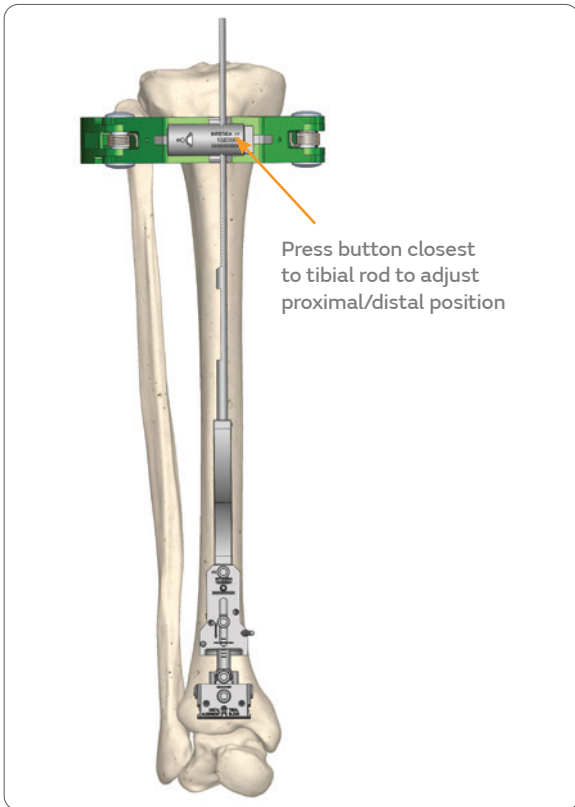


Figure 9

Adjust the initial distal/proximal location of the Distal Tibial Alignment Block by depressing the button on the Rod Connector closest to the Tibial Rod. Bring the Distal Tibial Alignment Block into contact with the proximal surface of the Gap Sizer. **(Figure 10)**

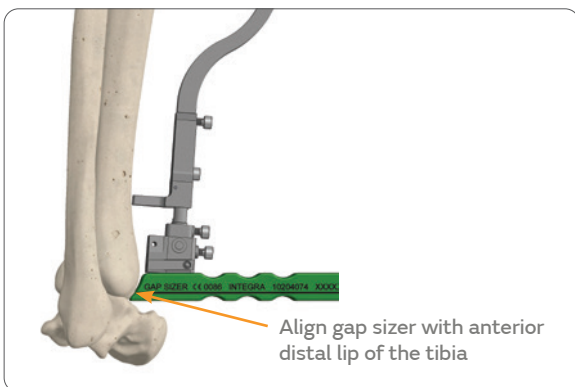


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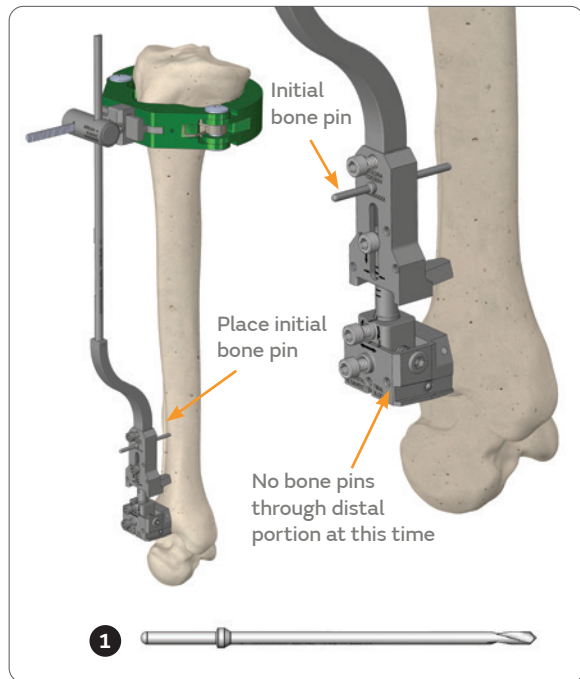


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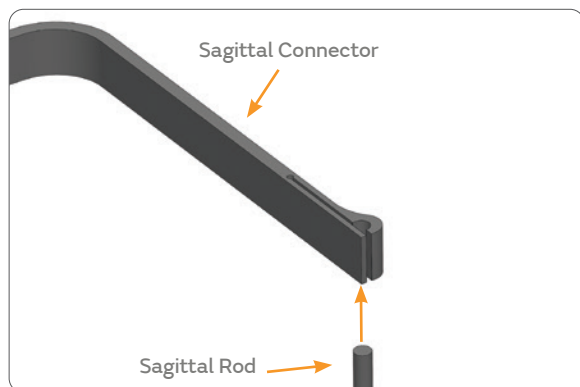


Figure 12

Secure with Bone Pin

Place a Long Shouldered Bone Pin through the proximal portion of the Distal Tibial Alignment Block to hold the position. Do not place a bone pin through the distal portion of the Distal Tibial Alignment Block at this time to allow for fine position adjustments in subsequent steps. **(Figure 11)**

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

Attach the Sagittal Rod to the Sagittal Connector. **(Figure 12)**

Snap the Sagittal Connector to the Tibial Rod.(**Figure 13**)

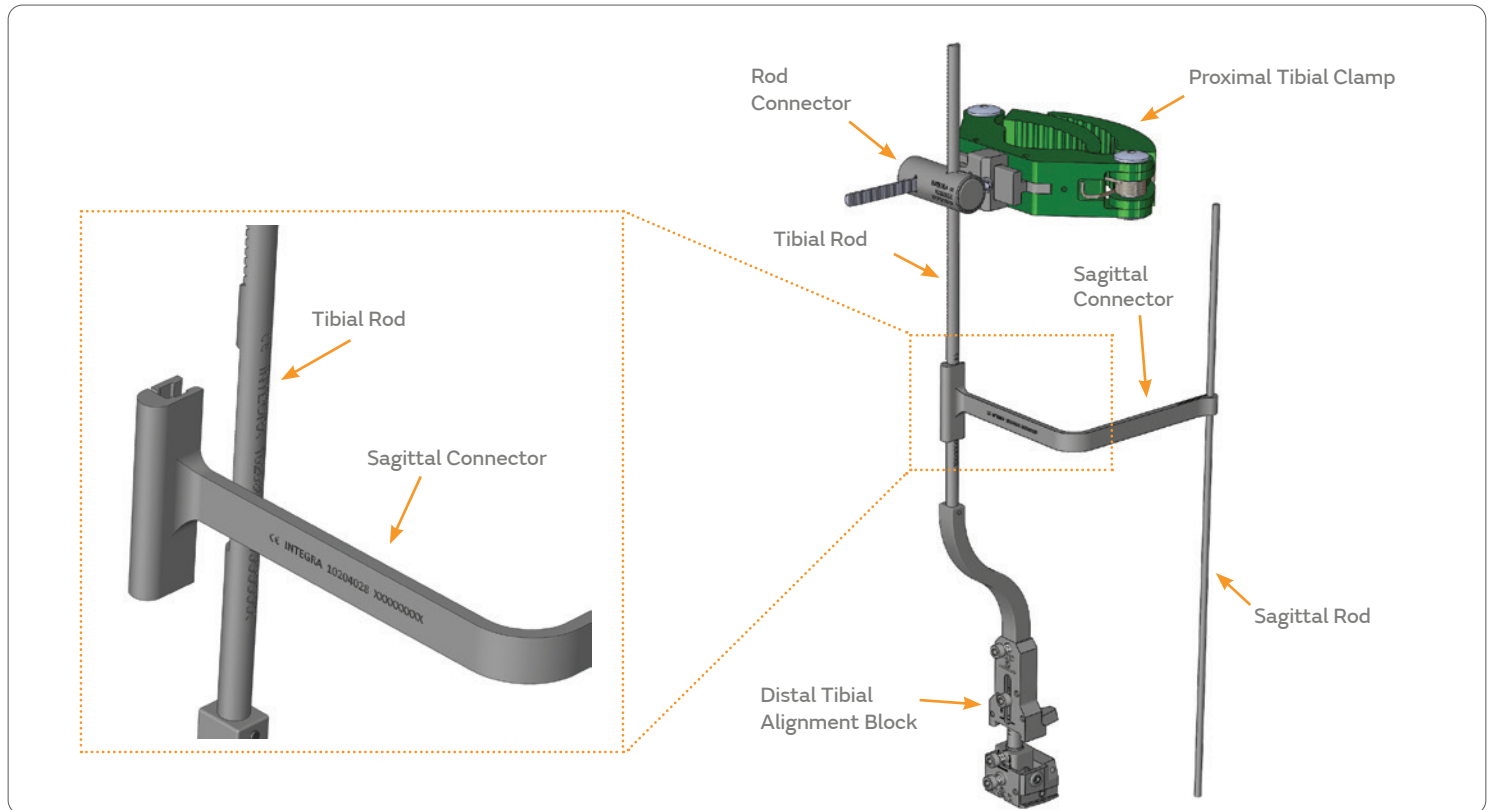


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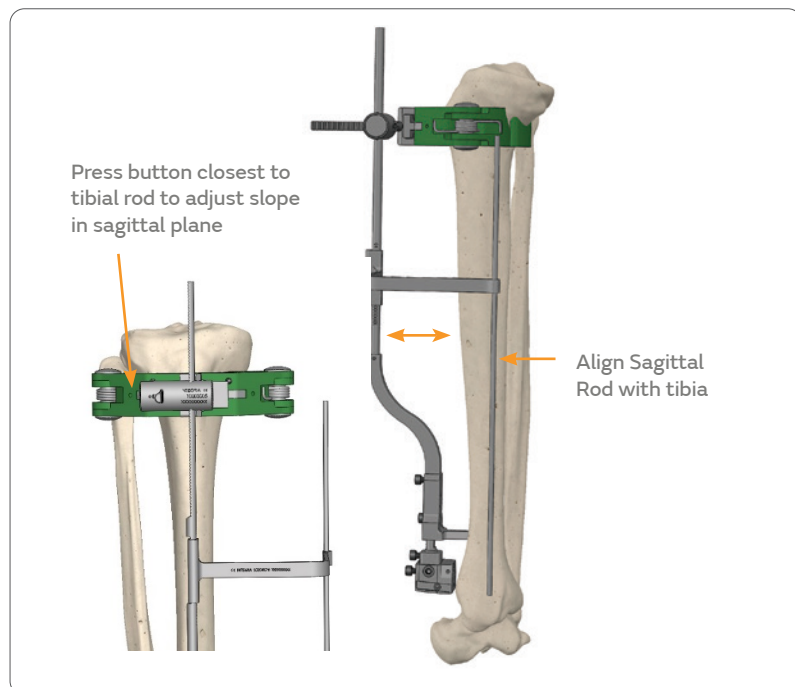


Figure 14

Establish sagittal plane orientation

If needed, adjust the anterior/posterior position of the Rod Connector, to bring the Sagittal Rod in alignment (or parallel) with the axis of the tibia in the sagittal plane. Adjustments can be made by depressing Rod Connector button closest to the Proximal Translation Block. (**Figure 14**)

Confirm using fluoroscopy.

Remove Sagittal Rod and Sagittal Connector.

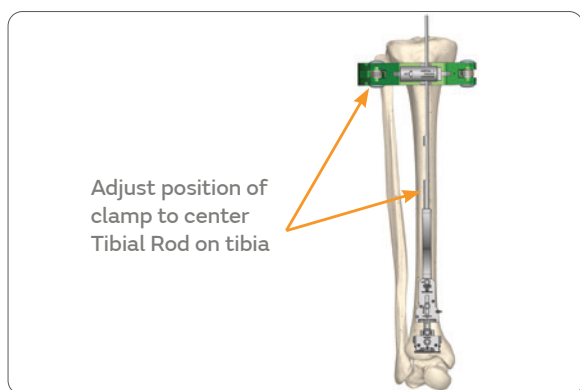


Figure 15

Varus / Valgus Adjustment

Make adjustments, if needed, to the position of the Proximal Tibial Clamp by translating the Proximal Translation Block, pivoting the alignment guide on the distal pin and changing the angle in the coronal plane. Goal is neutral coronal plane alignment for the overall Tibial Alignment Guide. **(Figure 15)**
Confirm using fluoroscopy.

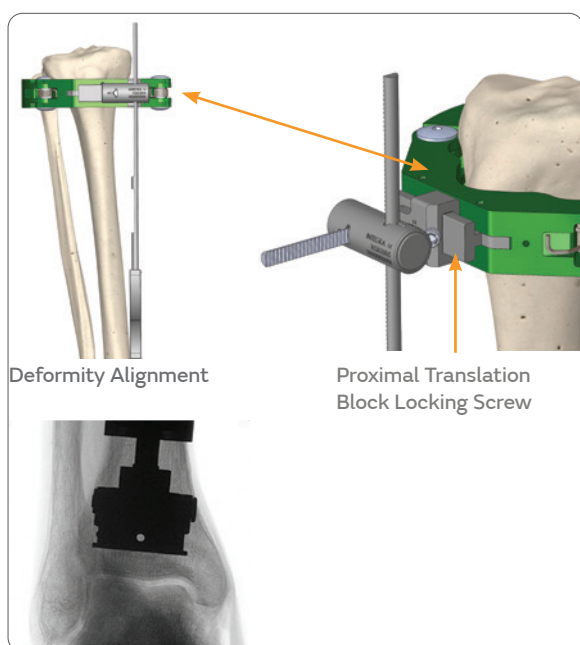


Figure 16

Adjustments can be made after loosening the locking screw on the Proximal Translation Block. Re-tighten the Locking Screw after adjustment. **(Figure 16)**

Note: Medial translation moves the tibial alignment guide into valgus, lateral translation moves the tibial alignment guide into varus.

Tip: To tighten the Proximal Translation Block Locking Screw, it may be necessary to raise the Rod Connector to access the Locking Screw. Return Rod Connector to desired position after securing the Locking Screw.

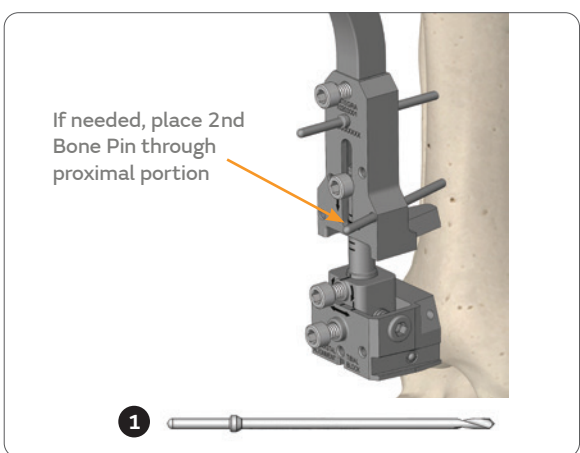


Figure 17

If needed, use a second long shoulder pin through the proximal portion of the Distal Tibial Alignment Block to hold the position. **(Figure 17)**

Tip: If a second pin is placed through the Distal Tibial Alignment Block, no more adjustments can be made in the coronal or sagittal plane for the tibial cut.

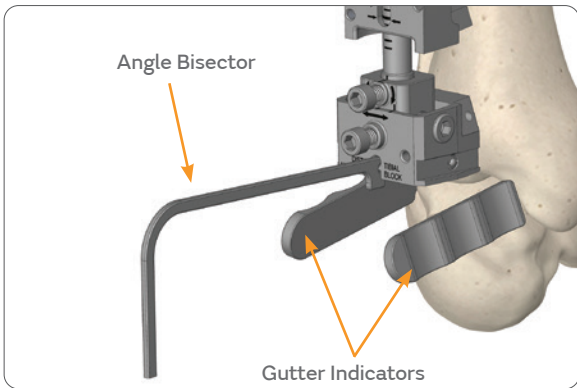


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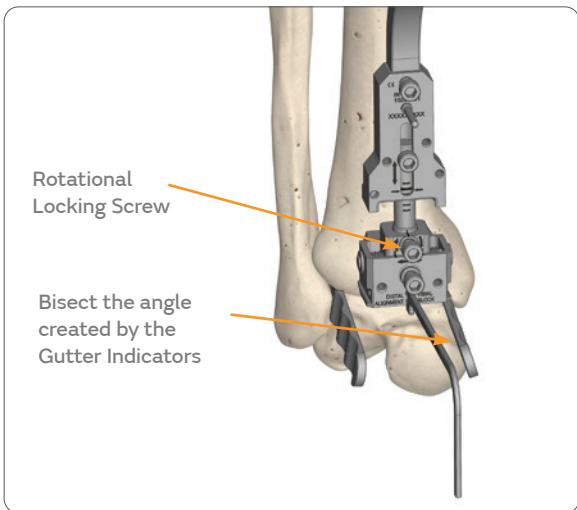


Figure 19

Step 2: Adjust Tibial Alignment Guide

Establish Rotational Alignment

Place the thin end of the Gutter Indicators into both the medial gutter and the lateral gutter. **(Figure 18)**

Place the Angle Bisector into the central hole of the distal portion of the Distal Tibial Alignment Block.

Loosen the Locking Screw that controls rotation and adjust the rotational position of the Distal Tibial Alignment Block to the desired angle and/or until the Angle Bisector bisects the angle created by the two Gutter Indicators. **(Figure 19)**

Lock the rotational Locking Screw after establishing the proper rotational alignment.

Tip: The proper rotational alignment can be double checked by assessing the alignment of the Angle Bisector with the second metatarsal.

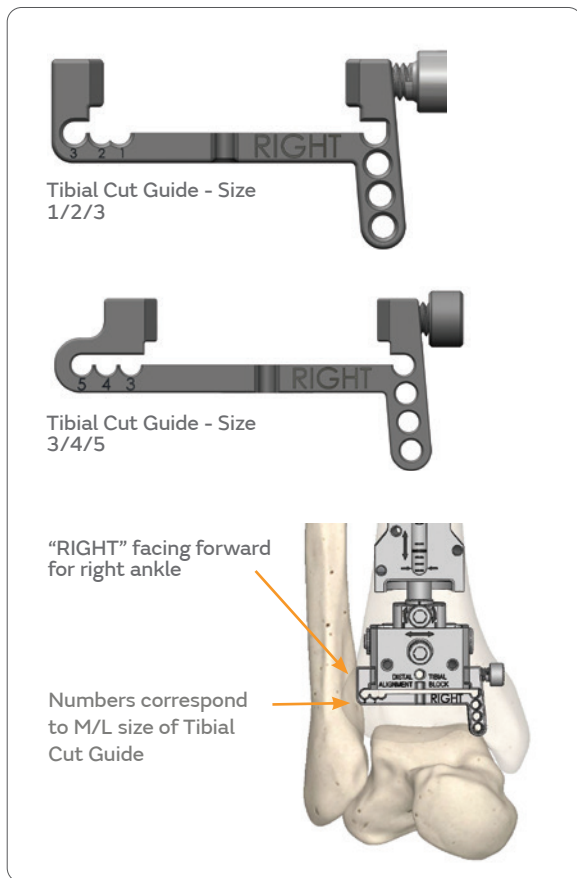


Figure 20

Establish Tibial Resection Level

Depending on the size of the tibia, select either the Size 1/2/3 Tibial Cut Guide or the Size 3/4/5 Tibial Cut Guide.

The most lateral hole on the selected Tibial Cut Guide should be able to extend to at least the medial border of the fibula while the medial holes are aligned with the proximal medial border of the talus. This serves as a gross positional check. Finer Medial/Lateral position adjustments will be made after setting desired resection height.

A fluoroscopy check may be necessary to accurately assess the lateral extent of the Tibial Cut Guide in relation to the fibula. Perfect circles should be seen through the lateral holes on the Tibial Cut Guide under fluoro.

Slide selected Tibial Cut Guide onto the Distal Tibial Alignment Block until the anterior face of the cut guide is flush with the anterior face of the Distal Tibial Alignment Block. Tighten the Locking Screw on the Tibial Cut Guide. **(Figure 20)**

Tip: The marking signifying the correct side ("LEFT" or "RIGHT") should be facing forward when in position (i.e. If a right ankle, the word "RIGHT" should be on the anterior side of the Tibial Cut Guide when placed in position).

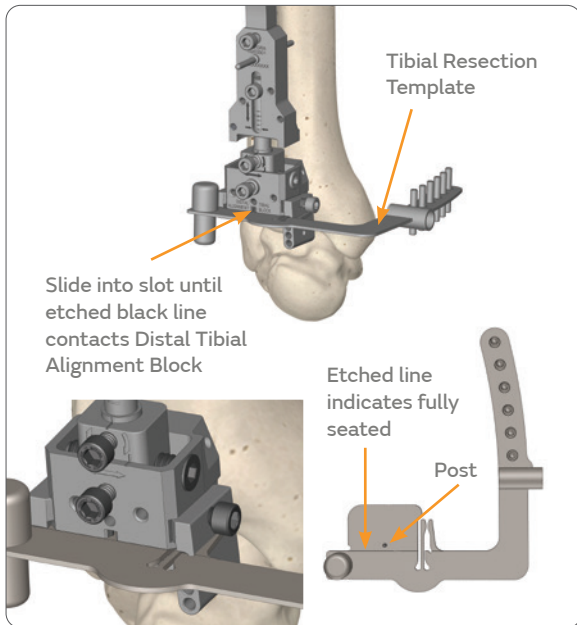


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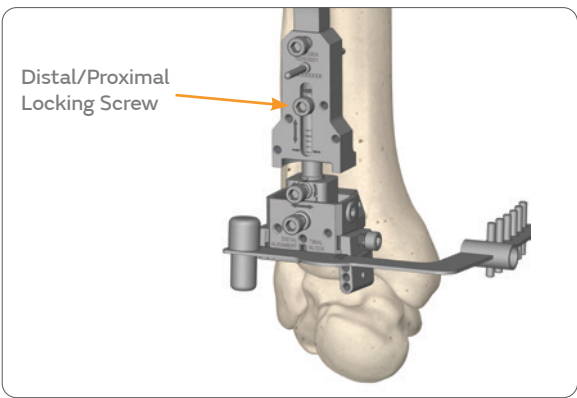


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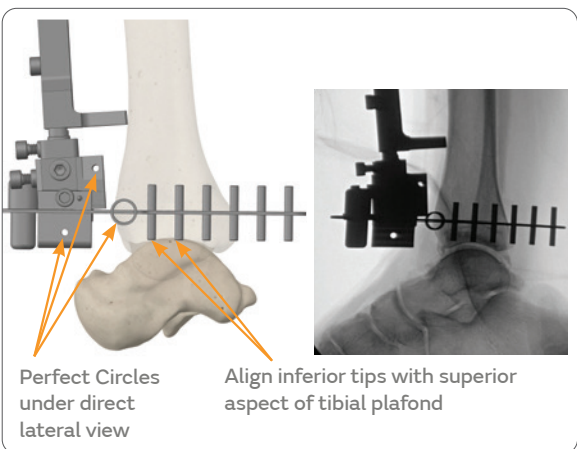


Figure 23

Place the Tibial Resection Template into the slot of the selected Tibial Cut Guide. Advance Tibial Resection Template until the etched black line contacts the Distal Tibial Alignment Block. **(Figure 21)**

Tip: The post on the Tibial Resection Template should slide into either the slot in the Distal Tibial Alignment Block or the slot in the Tibial Cut Guide to ensure that the Tibial Resection Template is securely seated.

Loosen the distal/proximal Locking Screw on the Distal Tibial Alignment Block. **(Figure 22)**

Using fluoroscopy, adjust the distal/proximal location of the Tibial Cut Guide until the inferior tips of the posts on the Tibial Resection Template are aligned with the most superior aspect of the distal tibial plafond. **(Figure 23)**

Tip: A direct lateral view during this step is critical to ensure the proper amount of tibial resection. The fluoroscopy targets on both the Tibial Cut Guide and the Tibial Resection Template will be perfect circles under a direct lateral view.

Tip: The posts on the Tibial Resection Template may be used to assess sagittal plane alignment relative to the long axis of the tibia. If needed, adjust the slope on the tibial alignment guide.

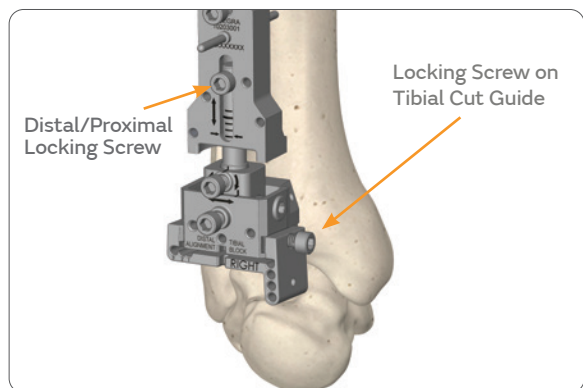


Figure 24

Once the proper distal/proximal location is achieved, lock the distal/proximal Locking Screw on the Distal Tibial Alignment Block and remove the Tibial Resection Template. **(Figure 24)**

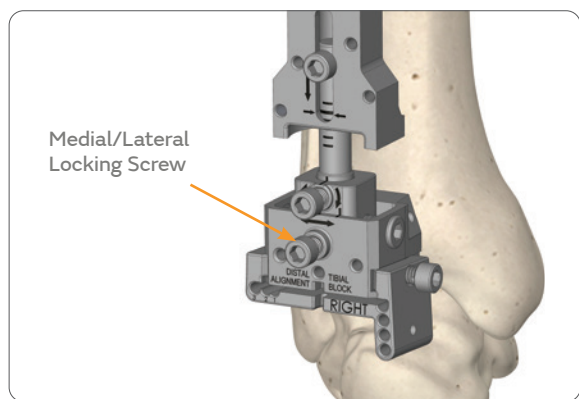


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Loosen the medial/lateral Locking Screw on the Distal Tibial Alignment Block. **(Figure 25)**

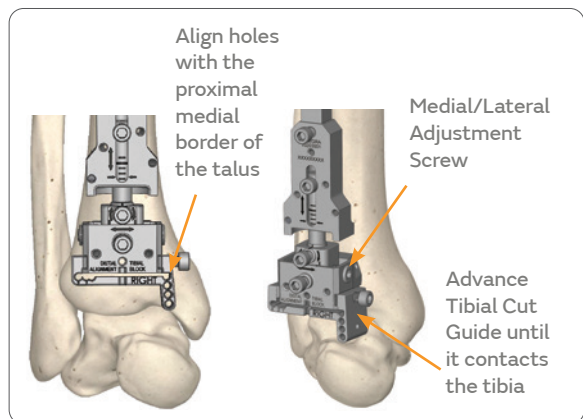


Figure 26

Figure 27

Using the medial/lateral adjustment screw on the Distal Tibial Alignment Block, align centers of the medial holes of the Tibial Cut Guide with the proximal medial border of the talus. Once proper medial/lateral location is achieved, tighten the Medial/Lateral Locking Screw on the Distal Tibial Alignment Block. Loosen the Locking Screw on the Tibial Cut Guide, then advance the cut guide until it contacts the tibia. Tighten the Locking Screw to re-secure the cut guide. **(Figure 26 and 27)**

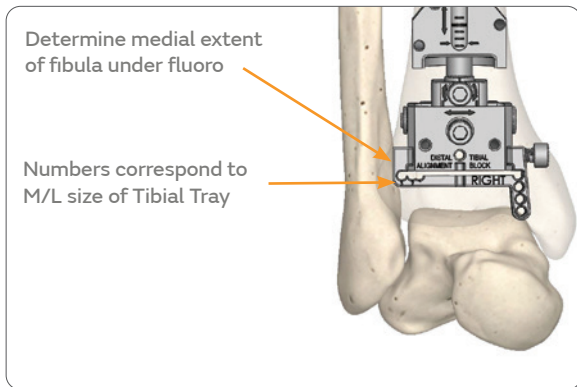


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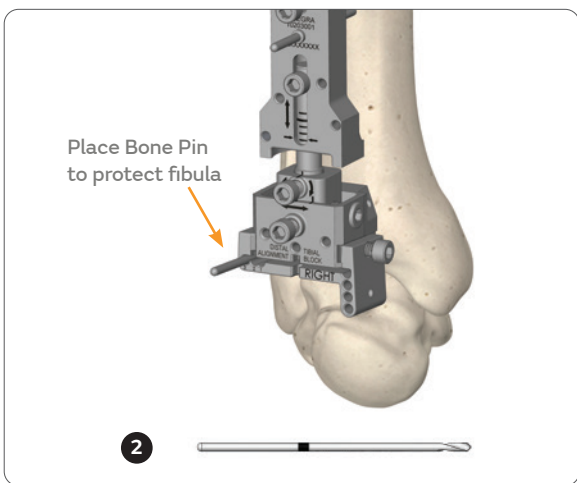
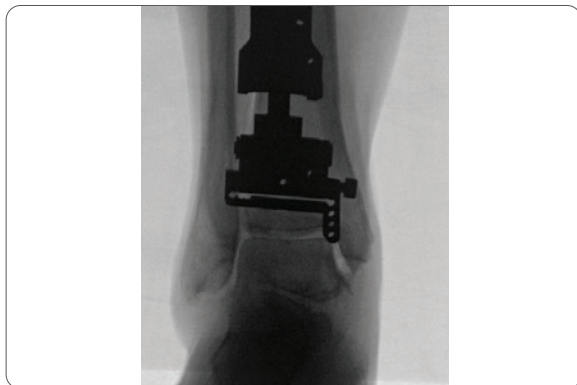


Figure 29



Step 3: Tibial Bone Resection

Using fluoroscopy, confirm the medial holes of the Tibial Cut Guide are aligned with proximal medial border of the talus. Ensure that perfect circles through the medial pin holes of the Tibial Cut Guide are seen under fluoroscopy.

Determine the medial extent of the fibula and place a Short Straight Bone Pin into the most lateral bone pin position possible in the Tibial Cut Guide without hitting or damaging the fibula. Ensure that perfect circles through the lateral pin holes of the Tibial Cut Guide are seen under fluoroscopy.

(Figure 28 and Figure 29)

Tip: The fibula is posterior and medial to the tubercle of Chaput. Cutting straight posterior from this point would transect the fibula.

Tip: The numbers marking the lateral bone pin positions on the Tibial Cut Guide correspond to the medial/lateral widths of the tibial implants. The bone pin position selected during this step can be used to provide an initial assessment of the correct tibial implant size to be used.

Warning: Do not use the Straight Bone Pin - Drill Tip on any holes in line with the saw slot of the Tibial Cut Guide; use of this pin may result in damage to pins and instrumentation.

Tip: A Long Shouldered Bone Pin may be inserted through the distal portion of the Distal Tibial Alignment Block for added stability during the tibial cut.

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

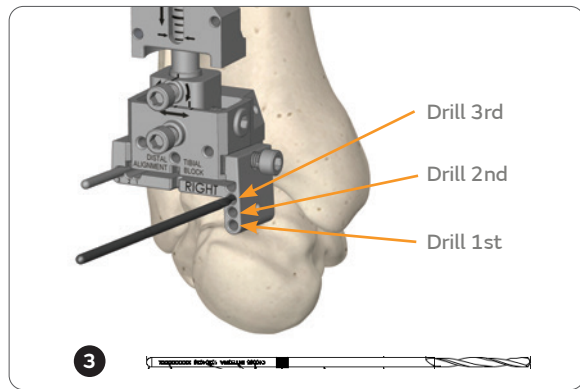


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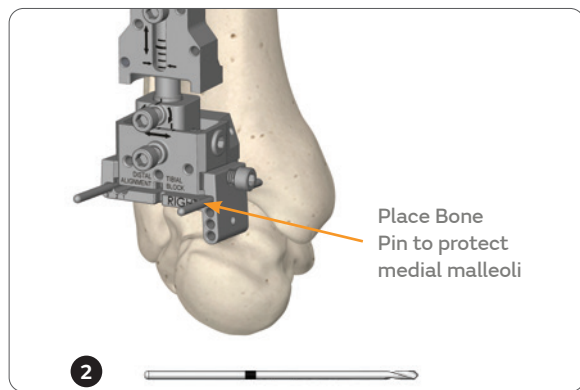


Figure 31

Marking the Resection and Protecting the Malleoli

Using a Straight Bone Pin – Drill Tip, mark the medial resection line of the distal tibia by drilling bicortically through each of the three medial distal holes on the Tibial Cut Guide. **(Figure 30)**

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Tip: Drill distal holes first, proximal hole last
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Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.
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Place a Short Straight Bone Pin in the hole adjacent to the saw slot to protect the medial malleoli during resection. **(Figure 31)**

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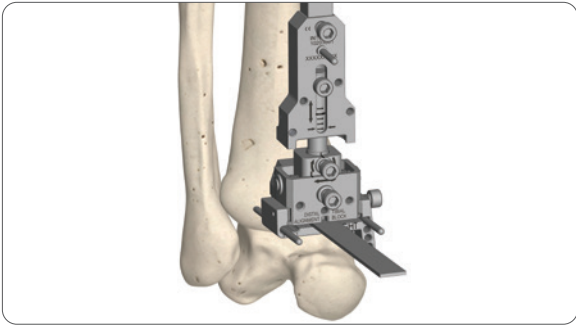


Figure 32

Cutting Bone

A 1.27mm thick oscillating saw blade is recommended to carefully cut through the posterior cortex of the tibia. **(Figure 32)**

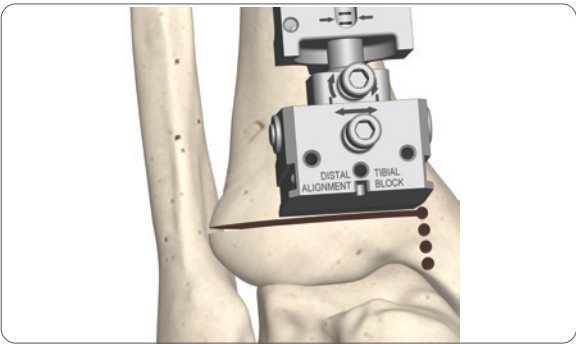


Figure 33

After completing the saw cut, remove the Tibial Cut Guide and the Short Straight Bone Pins to gain access to the resected tibial bone. Using general instruments, ensure that the saw cut is extended laterally through the Tubercle of Chaput. Ensure that the depth of resection reaches but does not violate the fibula. **(Figure 33)**

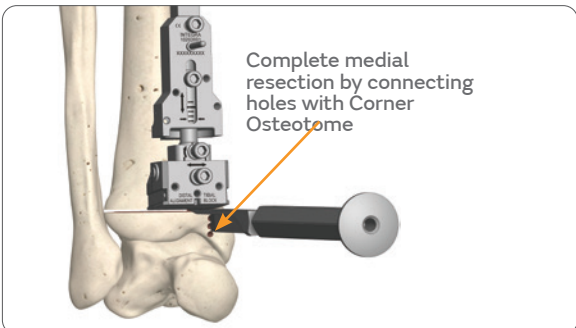


Figure 34

Complete the medial resection of the tibia by cutting the bone remaining between the previously drilled holes with the Corner Osteotome. **(Figure 34)**

Tip: A reciprocating saw may also be used to complete the medial resection of the tibia.

Warning: Do not lever medial-lateral with the corner osteotome; levering medial-lateral increases risk of fracturing medial malleolus.

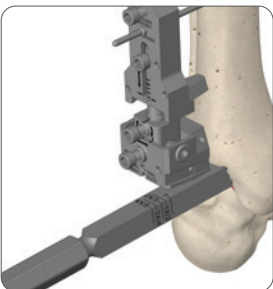


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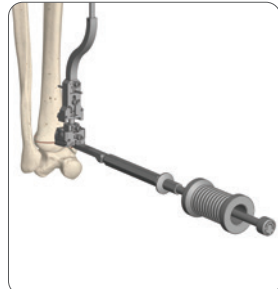


Figure 36

Tip: Check etchings on the Corner Osteotome, which correspond to AP depth of implants, to ensure sufficient bone is resected and avoid over-insertion.

The Slap Hammer may be used to assist in extracting the Corner Osteotome from bone. **(Figure 35 and 36)**

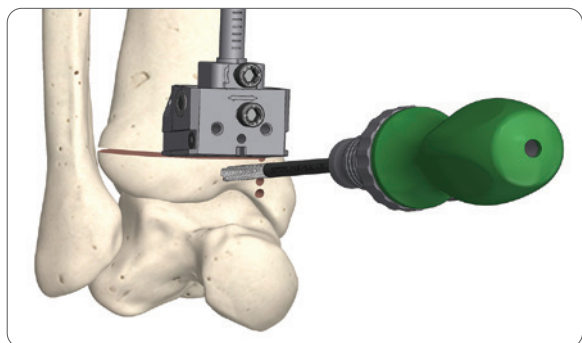


Figure 37

Remove Resected Bone

Using osteotomes, rongeurs, or other surgical instruments remove the resected tibial bone.

Alternatively, the 5.0mm Diameter Bone Pin can be used in conjunction with the Screwdriver Handle to obtain leverage on the resected tibial bone and aid in removal. The 5.0mm Diameter Bone Pin should be driven bicortically. **(Figure 37)**

Warning: The 5.0mm Diameter Bone Pin should be inserted parallel to the tibial resection to avoid gouging the distal tibia by protruding through the proximal surface of the tibial resection during placement.

Warning: Be careful not to apply medially or laterally directed force to remove the resected bone. Internal and external rotation levering can put the malleoli at risk for fracture.

Tip: It is often easier to remove the posterior aspect of the tibial resection after the initial superior cut or the flat cut has been made on the talus. Removal of enough of the anterior aspect of the tibial resection to allow full placement of the selected Talar Cut Guide is required at this time. As a check, the flat section of the selected Talar Cut Guide should sit on top of the talus.

Follow Step 4-10 to prepare the talus for a Chamfer Cut Talar Dome. If a Flat Cut Talar Dome is desired, skip to Step 11.

Step 4: Talar Tensioning Chamfer Cut

Depending on the size of the talus, select either the Small Talar Cut Guide or the Large Talar Cut Guide.

Tip: Trial the Small Talar Cut Guide first; if the lateral most hole of the cut guide does not overlap the lateral gutter, use the larger cut guide.

Note: If any bone pins were placed through the distal-most portion of the Distal Tibial Alignment Block they must be removed at this time.

Place selected talar cut guide into position on the Distal Tibial Alignment Block. Loosen the Distal / Proximal Locking Screw. Advance the cut guide until it contacts the talus. The Talar Cut Guide should sit flush with the talar neck just anterior to the talar body.

Secure the Locking Screw on the Talar Cut Guide. **(Figure 38)**

Using the two Lamina Spreaders, extend the Talar Cut Guide as far distally as possible until the collateral ligaments are tensioned and the Talar Cut Guide is compressed against the underlying talus. **(Figure 39)**

Note: It may be necessary to remove any osteophytes from the talar neck at this time to ensure that the talar cut guide can travel as far distally as needed.

Lock the distal/proximal Locking Screw on the Distal Tibial Alignment Block. Remove Lamina Spreaders.

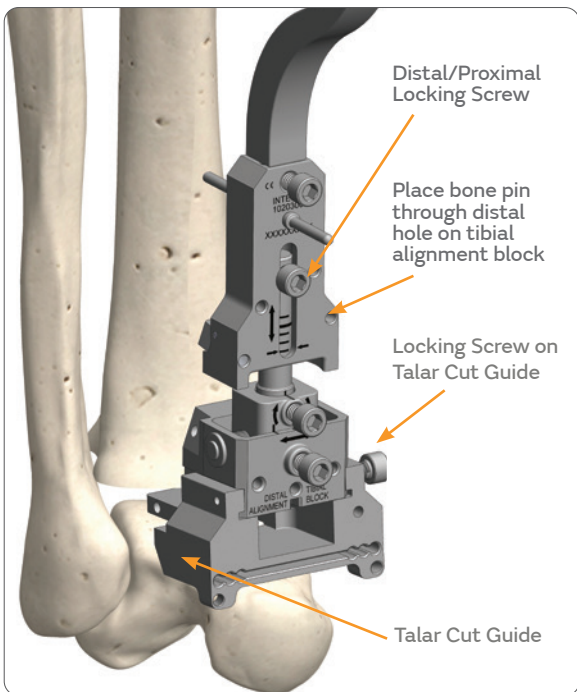
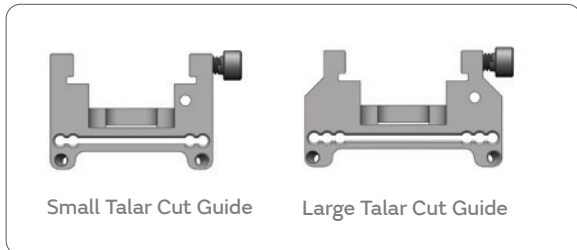


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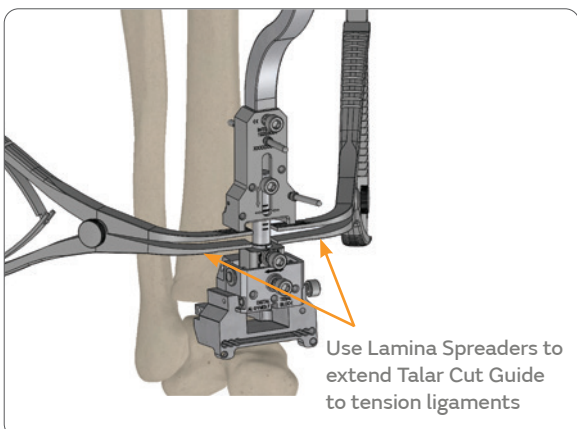


Figure 39

Step 5: Initial Talar Bone Resection Chamfer Cut

Note: Alignment of the hindfoot in the sagittal plane is checked visually. Neutral dorsiflexion of the hindfoot is the desired position. A lateral fluoroscopy view should be obtained to confirm talar position in the sagittal plane.

Marking the Resection and Protecting the Malleoli

While the foot is held in neutral plantigrade position, insert a Long Shouldered Bone Pin through the Talar Cut Guide and into the talus. **(Figure 40)**

Tip: A second Long Shouldered Pin may be inserted for additional fixation.

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

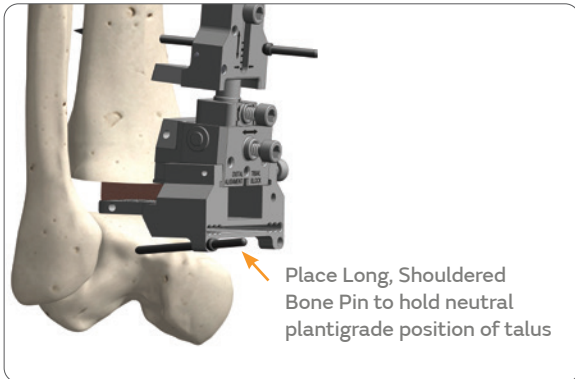
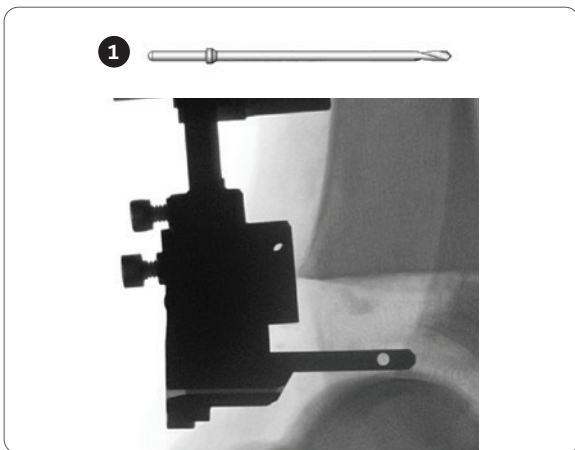


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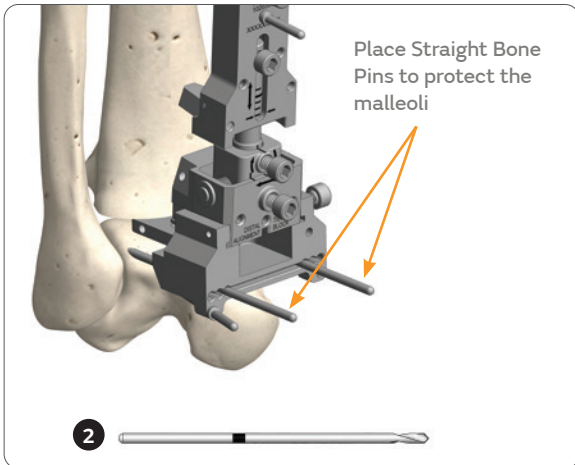


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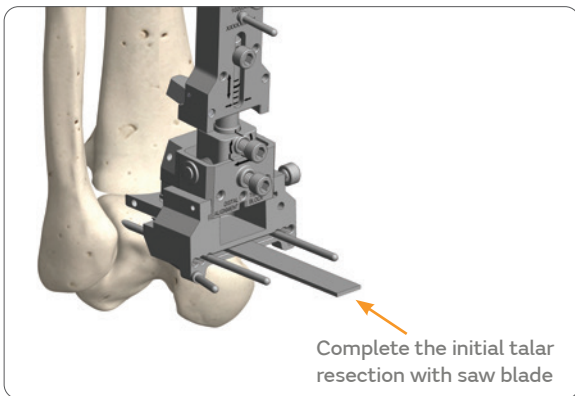


Figure 42



Figure 43

Insert a Short Straight Bone Pin on both the medial side and the lateral side of the saw slot of the Talar Cut Guide. This is to protect the malleoli while performing the initial talar resection; Bone Pins should be placed in positions that allow the entire proximal surface of the talus to be resected while still preventing damage to the malleoli. **(Figure 41)**

Warning: Do not use the Straight Bone Pin - Drill Tip on any holes in line with the saw slot of the Tibial Cut Guide; use of this pin may result in damage to pins and instrumentation

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

Cutting Bone

A 1.27mm thick oscillating saw blade is recommended to carefully cut through the posterior cortex of the talus. **(Figure 42)**

Remove all bone pins, Talar Cut Guide, and the entire Tibial Alignment Guide.

Remove Resected Bone

Using osteotomes, rongeurs, or other surgical instruments, remove all resected talar bone and any remaining resected tibial bone. Take care to protect both the medial and lateral malleoli from inadvertent fracture during this process. **(Figure 43)**

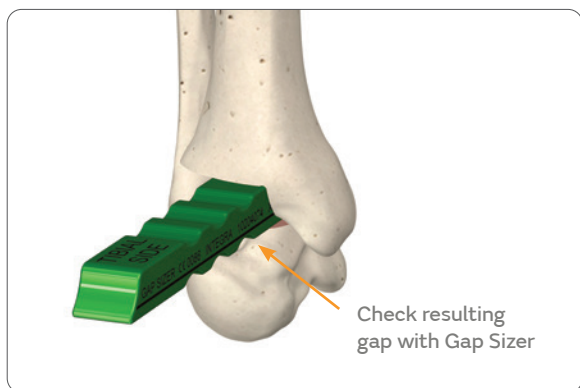


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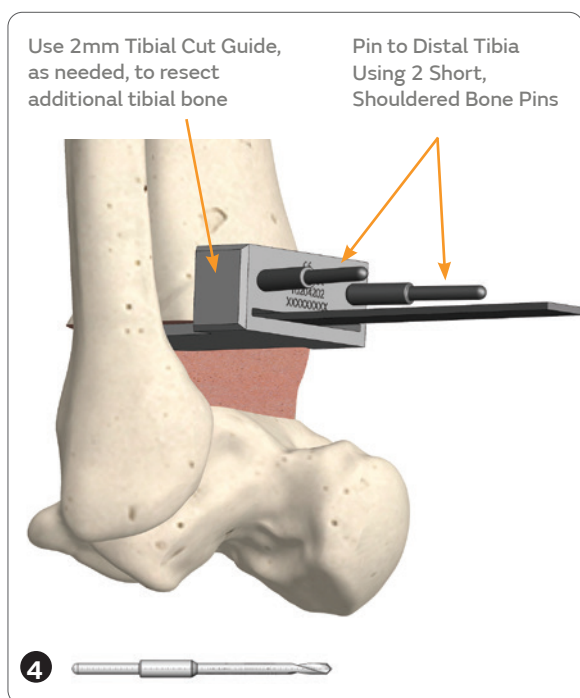


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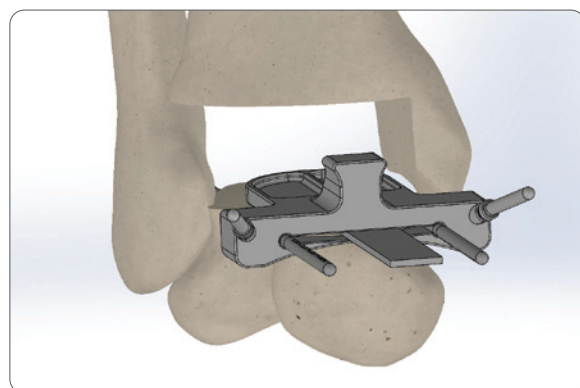


Figure 46

Step 6: Verify Required Implant Gap Chamfer Cut

Marking the Resection and Protecting the Malleoli

Use the Gap Sizer to ensure that sufficient tibial and talar bone has been resected. The Gap Sizer represents the minimum amount of space required for implantation. **(Figure 44)**

If additional bone resection is needed, attach either the 2mm Tibial or 2mm Talar Cut Guide.

2mm Tibial Cut Guide:

Using a Lamina Spreader in the posterior aspect of the ankle joint, ensure that the 2mm Tibial Cut Guide is opposed to the overlying tibia throughout the length of the cut tibial surface. **(Figure 45)**

Pin the 2mm Tibial Cut Guide to the distal tibia using two Short Shouldered Bone Pins. Perform the additional tibial resection, extending carefully to the back, through the posterior cortex. A 1.27mm thick saw blade is recommended for this step. Repeat this process as needed until the minimum amount of bone has been resected.

Remove 2mm Tibial Cut Guide and Bone Pins after desired bone is resected. Recheck resulting gap with Gap Sizer.

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

2mm Talar Cut Guide:

Place the 2mm Talar Cut Guide in the joint space. Ensure the guide is flat on the talus. This may be checked visually using a lateral fluoroscopic view. Laminar spreaders may be used for this purpose. Pin the guide to the talus using the outermost pin holes with Medium Shouldered Bone Pins. If desired, Short Straight Bone Pins may be placed in the saw slot to protect medial and lateral malleoli from the oscillating sweep of the saw blade. Perform the resection through the saw slot. A 1.27mm thick saw blade is recommended for this step. Remove the pins from the guide and remove guide from the joint space. **(Figure 46)**

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

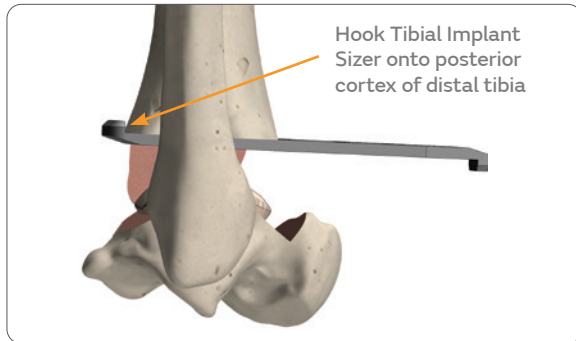


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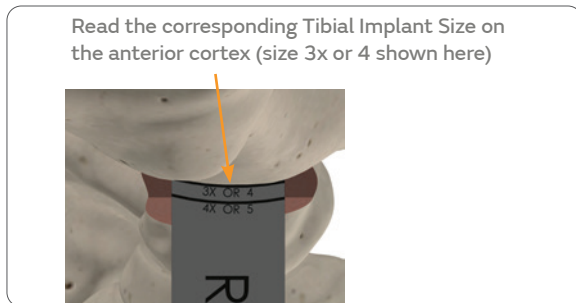


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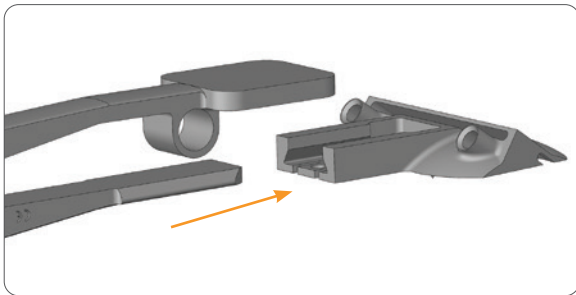


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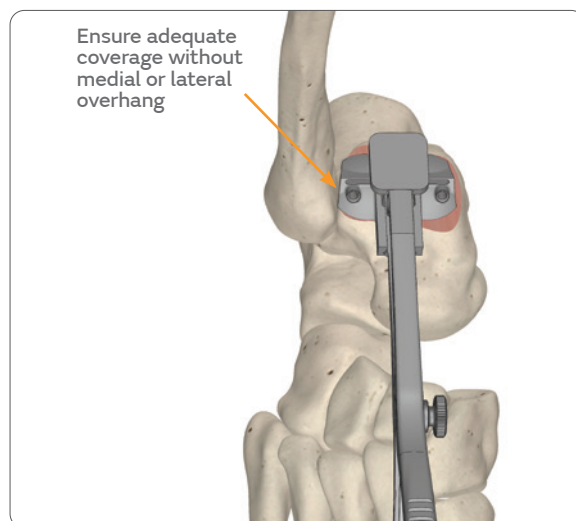


Figure 50

Step 7: Tibial Component Sizing

Use the Tibial Implant Sizer to measure the anterior/posterior length of the distal tibia.

With the Tibial Implant Sizer hooked onto the posterior cortex of the distal tibia, determine the line on the Tibial Implant Sizer that most closely approximates the anterior cortex of the distal tibia and read the corresponding tibial implant size. **(Figure 47 and 48)**

Tip: Confirm sizing at multiple sections along the resected tibia. The smallest size of the readings should be chosen to avoid extending the baseplate into the soft tissue.

Step 8: Select Talar Dome Size Chamfer Cut

Select a Talar Sizer and insert into the Talar Sizer Holder. Slide tip of Talar Sizer Holder into the selected Talar Sizer until it “clicks”. **(Figure 49)**

Place the selected Talar Sizer onto the cut surface of the talus. The outline of the Talar Sizer corresponds to the outline of the talar implant component. **(Figure 50)**

Tip: For optimal sizing, the outer surfaces of the Talar Sizer should match the outer edge of the talar bone in both the medial/lateral and anterior/posterior directions.

Note: If patient anatomy is in between two sizes, select the smaller size.

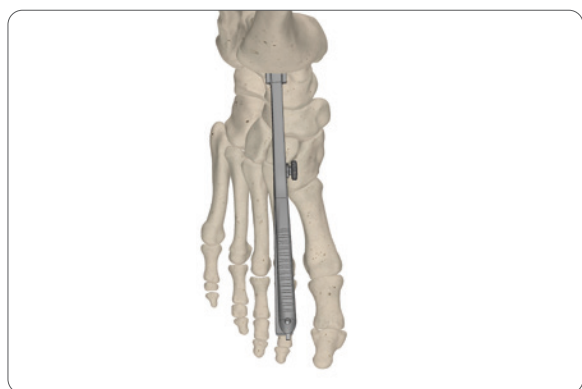


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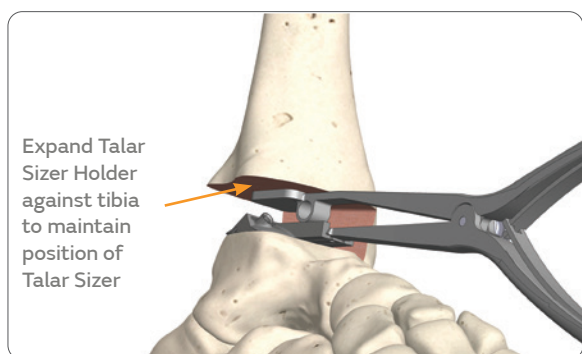


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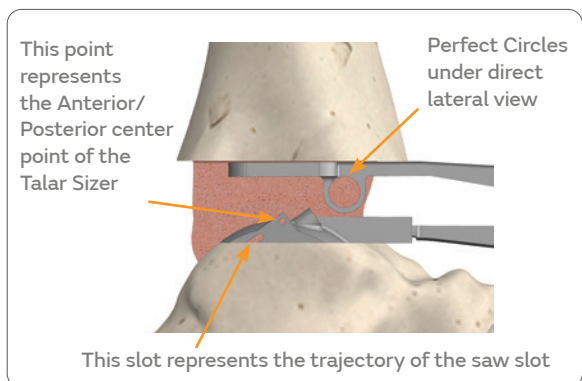


Figure 53



Step 9: Final Talar Bone Preparation Chamfer Cut

Align sizers

After choosing the proper size, establish the proper rotational alignment of the selected Talar Sizer by aligning the handle of the Talar Sizer Holder with the desired rotational position set in Step 2. **(Figure 51)**

With the foot in neutral, expand the Talar Sizer Holder against the distal tibia to maintain the proper medial/lateral, anterior/posterior, and rotational alignment of the Talar Sizer. **(Figure 52)**

Using fluoroscopy, check the anterior/posterior alignment of the Talar Sizer. Ideally, the radius of curvature of the simulated articular surface of the Talar Sizer should blend smoothly with the posterior radius of curvature of the natural talus. **(Figure 53)**

Tip: The point at the top of the triangle containing the saw slot on the Talar Sizer represents the anterior/posterior center. This point can be used as a visual reference for aligning the Talar Sizer with the anterior/posterior center of the distal tibia.

Tip: The small slot toward the posterior aspect of the Talar Sizer that can be seen in the lateral view represents the trajectory of the saw slot. This slot can be used to perform a visual assessment of how much of the posterior talus will be removed with the current positioning of the Talar Sizer.

Note: Obtaining a direct lateral view during this step is critical. The fluoroscopy targets on both the Talar Sizer and Talar Sizer Holder will be perfect circles and a defined saw slot under lateral view.

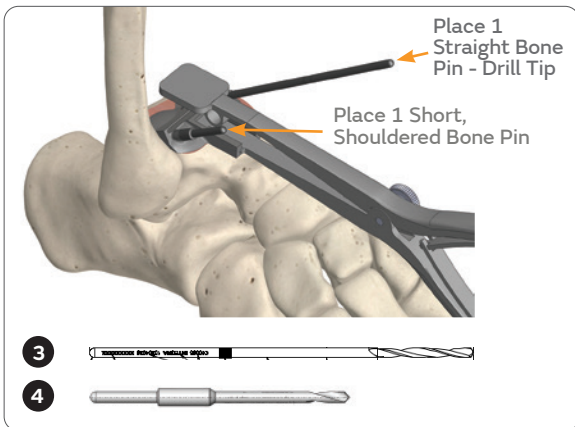


Figure 54

Cut Posterior Chamfer

Place a Short Shouldered Bone Pin and a Straight Bone Pin – Drill Tip into the bone pin holes to hold the location. **(Figure 54)**

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

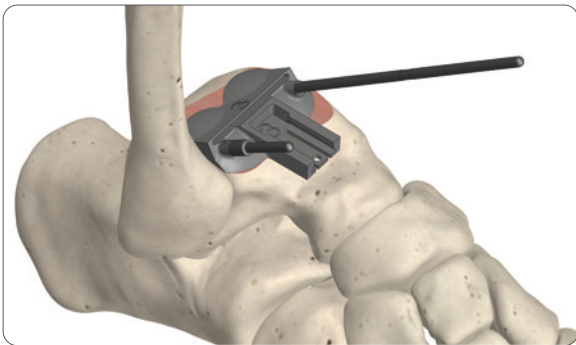


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Remove the Talar Sizer Holder from the Talar Sizer. **(Figure 55)**

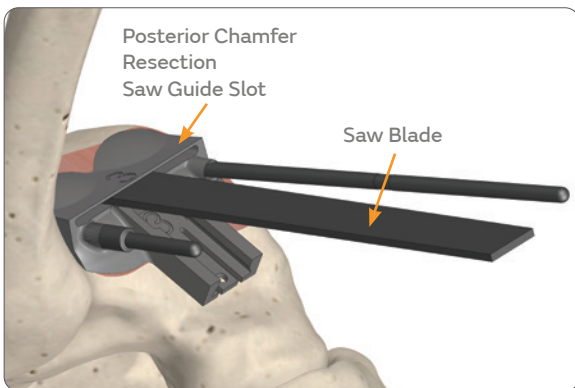


Figure 56

Place a narrow width saw blade in the saw slot of the Talar Sizer and perform the posterior chamfer resection. A 1.27mm thick saw blade is recommended for this step. **(Figure 56)**

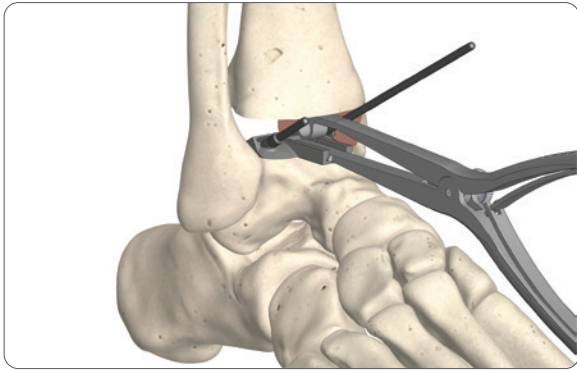


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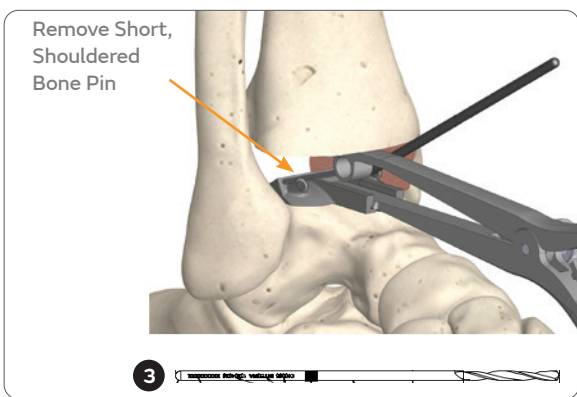


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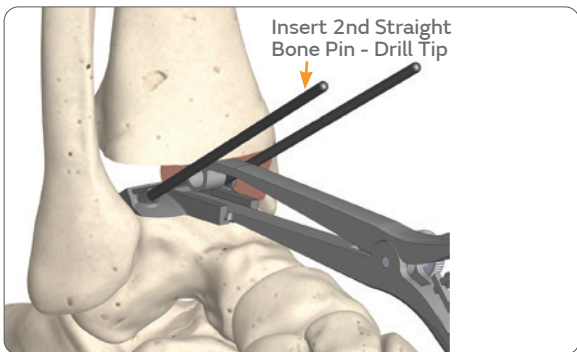


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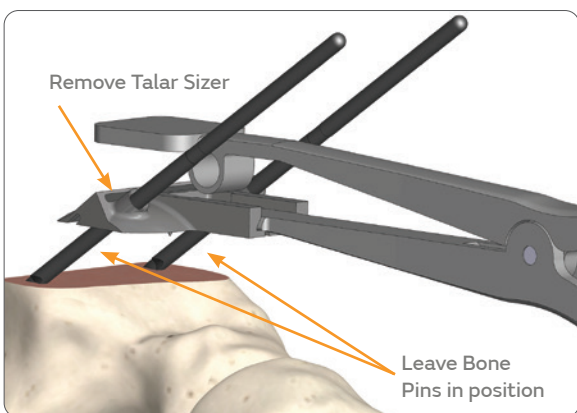


Figure 60

After completing the posterior chamfer resection, re-engage the Talar Sizer Holder with the Talar Sizer and expand again against the distal tibia to maintain the current location of the Talar Sizer. **(Figure 57)**

Remove the Short Shouldered Bone Pin and replace with another Straight Bone Pin – Drill Tip. **(Figure 58 and 59)**

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Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.
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Slide the Talar Sizer off over the two Straight Bone Pins -Drill Tip, leaving the bone pins in their current location in the talus. **(Figure 60)**

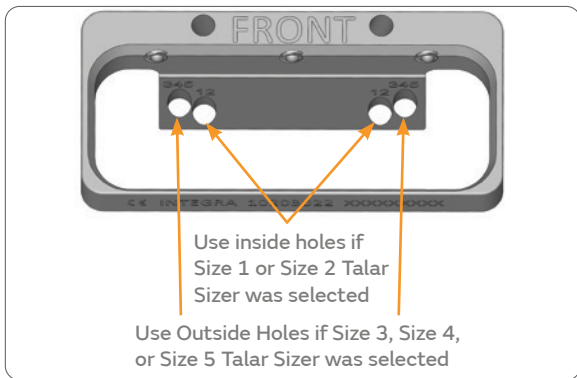


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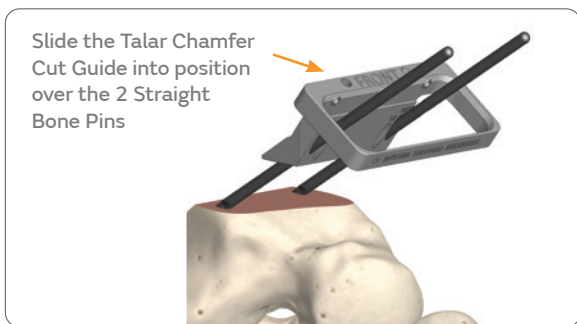


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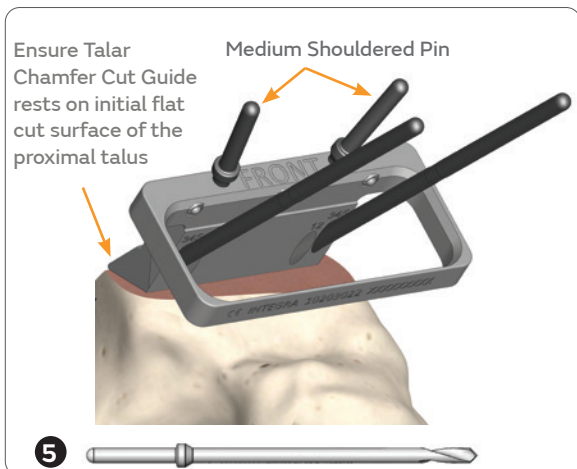


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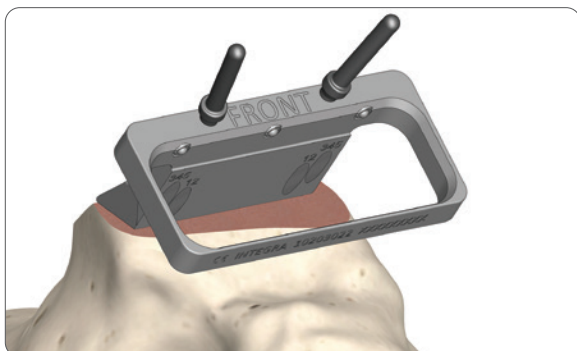


Figure 64

Align the holes of the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide with the two Straight Bone Pins - Drill Tip. Applying pressure to the proximal portion of the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide, slide into position until the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide comes to rest on the initial flat cut surface of the proximal talus. Check with lateral fluoroscopic view that the distal surface of the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide is flush with the surface of the resected talus. **(Figure 61 and 62)**

Tip: If a Size 1 or Size 2 Talar Sizer was chosen the two Straight Bone Pins will align with the two inside holes of the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide. If a Size 3, Size 4, or Size 5 Talar Sizer was chosen the two Straight Bone Pins will align with the two outside holes of the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide.

Ream anterior chamfer

Place a Medium Shoulder Bone Pin through each of the top holes of the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide. Confirm Talar Chamfer Cut Guide is secured to bone. If additional fixation is needed, the Medium Shoulder Bone Pins may be replaced with Long Shoulder Bone Pins. **(Figure 63)**

Tip: If it is desired to avoid breaching the subtalar joint, advance each pin into the talus under fluoroscopy until desired depth is obtained.

Warning: When a Long Shouldered Bone Pin is fully seated through a top Talar Chamfer Cut Guide hole, the pin will breach the posterior facet of the subtalar joint. Breaching the subtalar joint may cause degradation of the joint.

Warning: If pins are placed through the subtalar joint, do not forcefully manipulate the joint; forcefully manipulating the subtalar joint while pins are in place may cause injury of the subtalar joint articular cartilage.

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

Remove the two Straight Bone Pins – Drill Tip from the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide. **(Figure 64)**

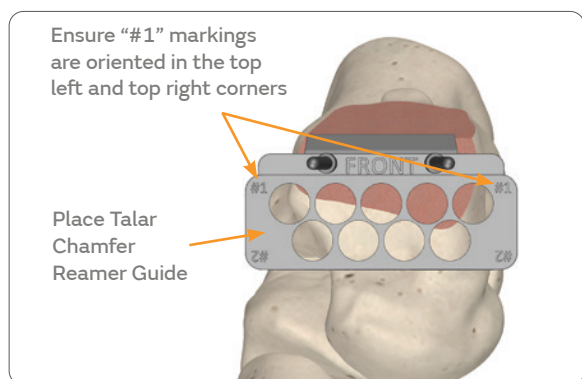


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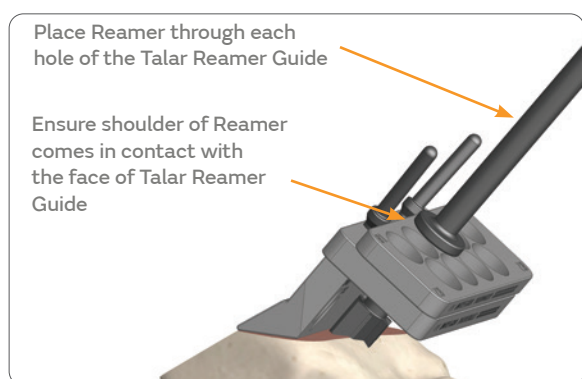


Figure 66



Figure 67



Figure 68

Place the Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide into the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide. Initially, ensure that the “# 1” markings are in the top left and top right hand corners of the Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide. **(Figure 65)**

Place the Talar Reamer down through one of the holes in the Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide and ream the anterior surface of the talus. Ream to a positive stop through all 9 holes in the Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide. **(Figure 66 and 67)**

The Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide may be manually held in place using the Tibial Impactor Adaptor. With the Tibial Impactor Adaptor attached to the Talar Impactor Handle, gently apply pressure to one of the reamer guide holes while reaming.

Tip: When reaming, secure the Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide by pressing the Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide against the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide.

Warning: When reaming, the trajectory of the Talar Reamer should be perpendicular to the Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide. Reaming off-axis may result in damage to instrumentation and/or incorrect bone resection.

Warning: Use care when reaming the top medial hole and top lateral hole of the Talar Reamer Guide; do not ream through a hole if the medial malleolus and/or fibula is in the path of the Talar Reamer.

Remove the Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide and rotate 180 degrees, then replace into the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide. The “# 2” markings should be in the top left and top right hand corners of the Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide. **(Figure 68)**

Repeat reaming for all 9 holes in the Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide.

Remove the Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide from the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide.

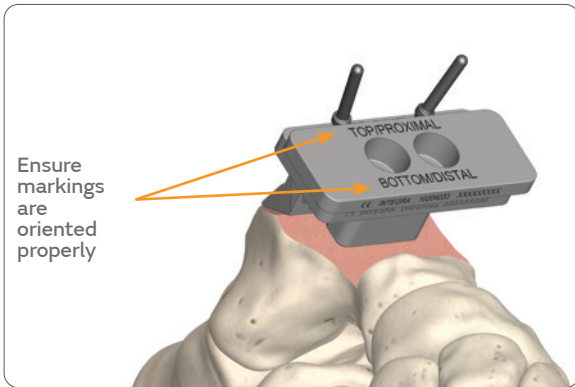


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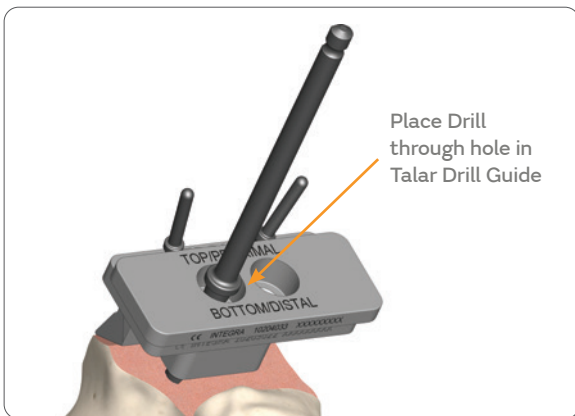


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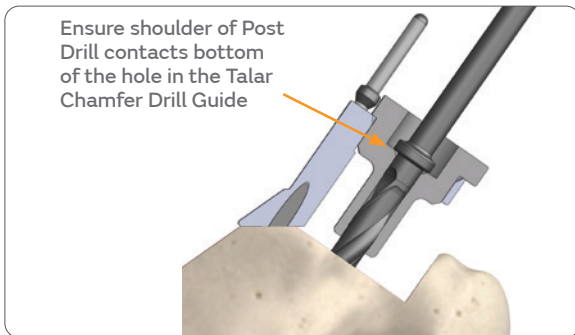


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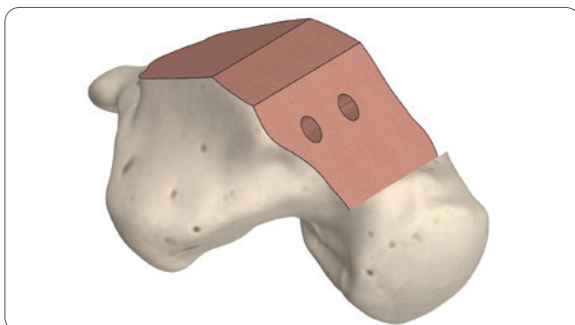


Figure 72

Drill Talar Post Holes

Place the Talar Chamfer Drill Guide into the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide. Ensure that the “TOP/PROXIMAL” and “BOTTOM/DISTAL” markings are oriented properly. **(Figure 69)**

Place the Post Drill down through one of the holes in the Talar Chamfer Drill Guide and drill a talar implant post hole into the talus. **(Figure 70)**

To ensure correct depth, advance the Post Drill until the shoulder of the drill contacts the bottom of the hole in the Talar Chamfer Drill Guide. **(Figure 71)**

Repeat this step for the second hole in the Talar Chamfer Drill Guide.

Remove the Talar Chamfer Cut Guide, the Talar Chamfer Drill Guide and both bone pins from the talus. **(Figure 72)**

Using osteotomes, rongeurs, or other surgical instruments, remove all resected bone.

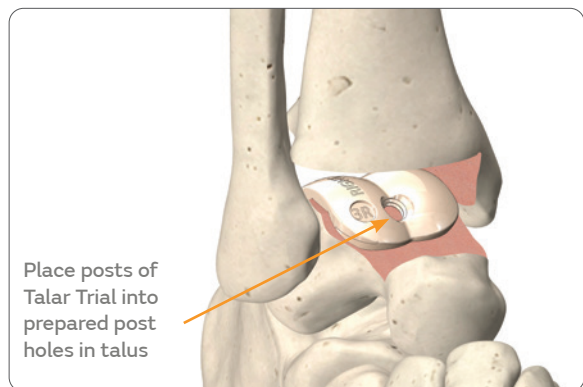


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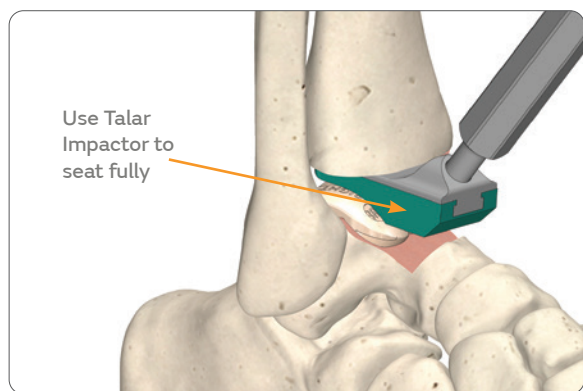


Figure 74



Step 10: Place Talar Trial Chamfer Cut

Select the Talar Trial corresponding to the Talar Sizer chosen in Step 8.

Place the posts of the Talar Trial into the prepared post holes in the talus. **(Figure 73)**

Use the Talar Impactor to fully seat the Talar Trial. **(Figure 74)**

Note: If a Talar Trial is desired to be selected that is different than the Talar Sizer used in Step 7, please refer to the chart below to confirm compatibility.

Talar Sizer used for talar bone resection	Talar Trial selected	Interchangeability after Talar Bone Resection
Size 1 or 2	Size 1 or 2	Yes
Size 3, 4, or 5	Size 3, 4, or 5	Yes
Size 1 or 2	Size 3, 4, or 5	No
Size 3, 4, or 5	Size 1 or 2	No

Tip: Fluoroscopy may be used to confirm talar chamfers are properly prepared and talar trial is fully seated

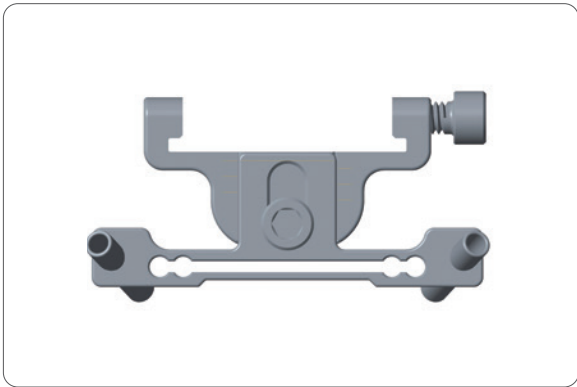


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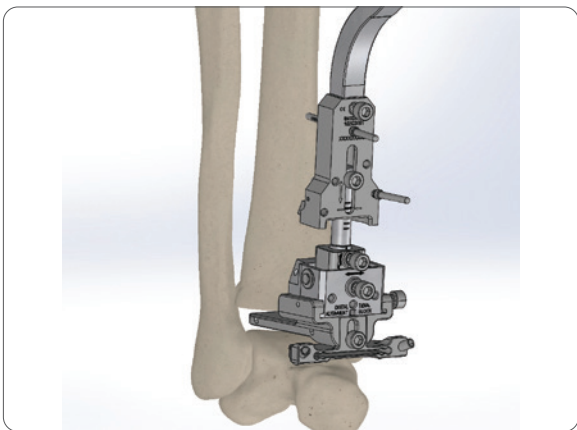


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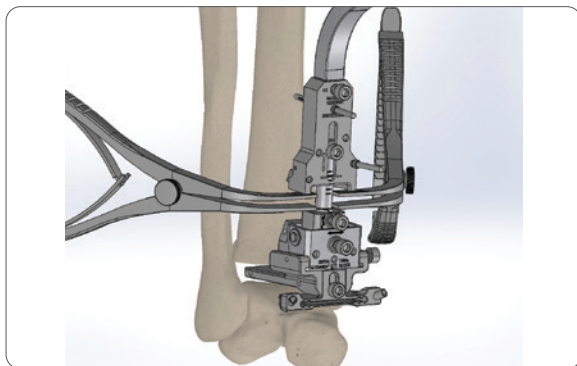


Figure 77

Follow Steps 11-16 to prepare the talus for a Flat Cut Talar Dome. If preparing for a Chamfer Cut Talar Dome, skip to Step 17.

Step 11: Preparing for Flat Cut Talar Resection

Note: If any bone pins were placed through the distal most portion of the Distal Tibial Alignment Block they must be removed at this time.

Loosen the Distal/Proximal Locking Screw on the Distal Tibial Alignment Block. Place talar flat cut guide into position on the Distal Tibial Alignment Block. Advance the cut guide on the Distal Tibial Alignment Block until it contacts bone. **(Figure 75)**

Note: If there is uneven wear on the talar dome, remove the cartilage from the unworn condyle of the talus prior to placing the Talar Flat Cut Guide.

Secure the Locking Screw on the Talar Flat Cut Guide. **(Figure 76)**

Using the two Lamina Spreaders, extend the Talar Flat Cut Guide as far distally as possible until the collateral ligaments are tensioned and the guide is compressed against the underlying talus. **(Figure 77)**

Note: It may be necessary to remove any osteophytes from the talar neck at this time to ensure that the Talar Flat Cut Guide can travel as far distally as needed.

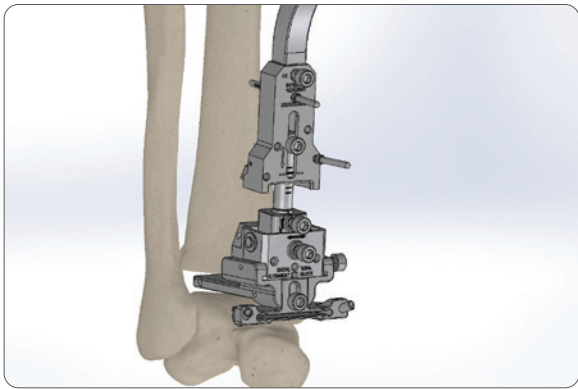


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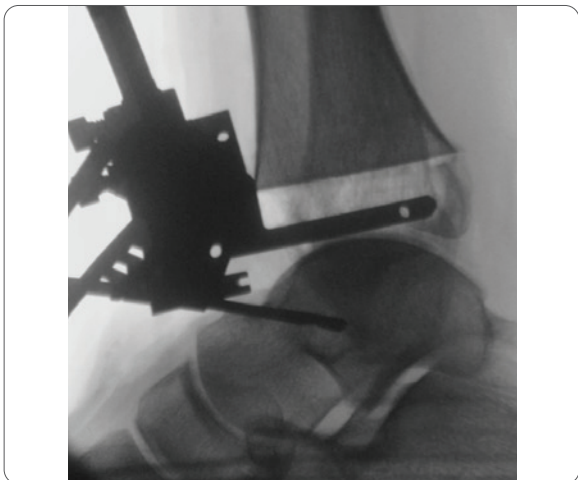
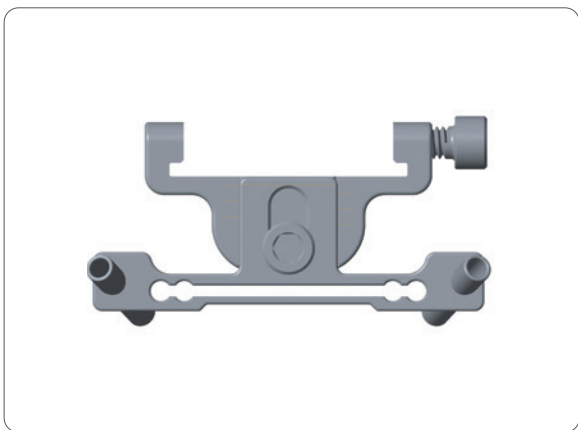


Figure 79

Lock the distal/proximal Locking Screw on the Distal Tibial Alignment Block. Remove Lamina Spreaders. **(Figure 78)**

The level of talar resection may be evaluated under lateral fluoroscopy by either placing a free saw blade through the Talar Flat Cut Guide saw slot or a bone pin through a hole in line with the saw slot. Resection level may be adjusted by loosening the Locking Screw on the front of the Talar Flat Cut Guide until desired resection height is achieved.

Alignment of the hindfoot in the sagittal plane is checked visually. Neutral dorsiflexion of the hindfoot is the desired position. A lateral fluoroscopy view should be obtained to confirm talar position in the sagittal plane. A perfect circle should be seen through both the paddle of the cut guide and the Distal Tibial Alignment Block to ensure true lateral view. The slope of the paddle represents slope of talar cut, which should be parallel to prior tibial resection. **(Figure 79)**

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Note: The markings on the front of the guide are offset from each other and represent 1mm increments of talar resection.
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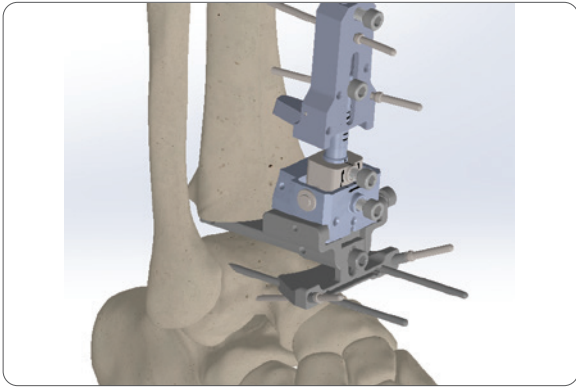


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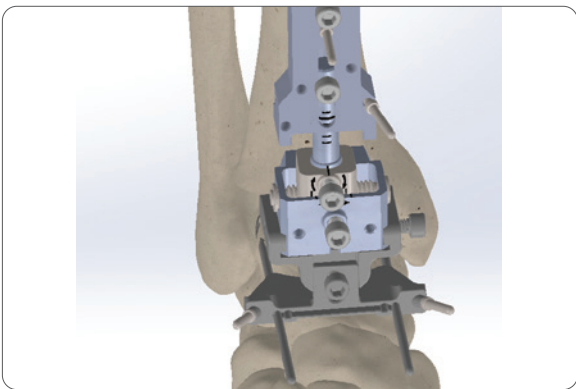


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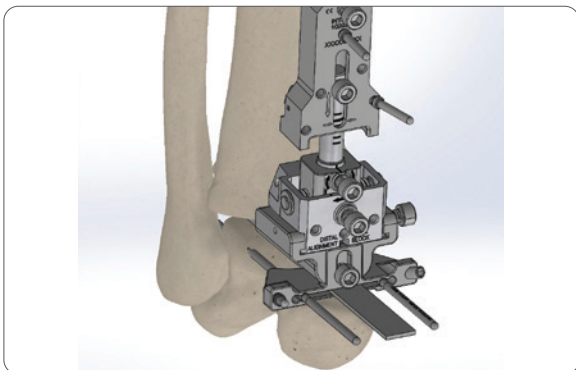


Figure 82



Figure 83

Step 12: Talar Bone Resection: Flat Cut

Marking the Resection and Protecting the Malleoli

While the foot is held in neutral plantigrade position, insert two Medium or Long Shouldered Bone Pins through the Talar Flat Cut Guide and into the talus using the outermost holes. **(Figure 80)**

Tip: If Long Shouldered Bone Pins are used it may be necessary to advance the pins under fluoroscopic view to ensure they do not breach the subtalar joint.

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

Insert a Short Straight Bone Pin on both the medial side and the lateral side of the saw slot of the Talar Flat Cut Guide. This is to protect the malleoli while performing the talar resection; Bone Pins should be placed in positions that allow the entire proximal surface of the talus to be resected while still preventing damage to the malleoli. **(Figure 81)**

Warning: Do not use the Straight Bone Pin - Drill Tip on any holes in line with the saw slot of the Tibial Cut Guide; use of this pin may result in damage to pins and instrumentation.

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

Cutting Bone

A narrow width 1.27mm thick oscillating saw blade is recommended to carefully cut through the posterior cortex. **(Figure 82)**

Remove all bone pins, Talar Flat Cut Guide, and the entire Tibial Alignment Guide.

Remove Resected Bone

Using osteotomes, rongeurs, or other surgical instruments, remove all resected talar bone and any remaining resected tibial bone. Take care to protect both the medial and lateral malleoli from inadvertent fracture during this process. **(Figure 83)**

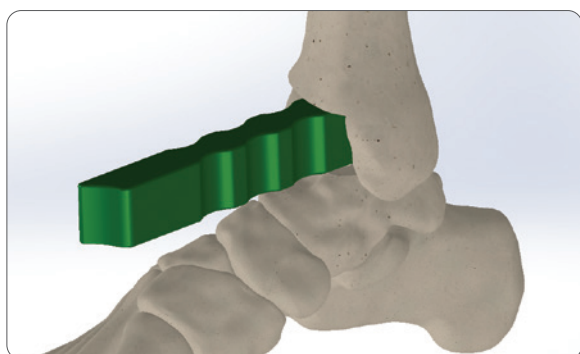


Figure 84

Step 13: Verify Required Implant: Gap Flat Cut

Use the Gap Sizer to ensure that sufficient tibial and talar bone has been resected. Position the Gap Sizer so that the finger grooves are oriented vertically and are facing in the medial and lateral directions. **(Figure 84)**

Note: The height of the Gap Sizer represents minimum resection for a Size 2 Flat Cut Talar Dome with 6mm Poly. The Flat Cut Talar Domes increase by 0.5mm in height with each size increase.

If additional bone resection is needed, attach either the 2mm Tibial or 2mm Talar Cut Guide.

2mm Tibial Cut Guide:

Using a Lamina Spreader in the posterior aspect of the ankle joint, ensure that the 2mm Tibial Cut Guide is opposed to the overlying tibia throughout the length of the cut tibial surface.

Pin the 2mm Tibial Cut Guide to the distal tibia using two Short Shouldered Bone Pins. Perform the additional tibial resection, extending carefully to the back, through the posterior cortex. A 1.27mm thick saw blade is recommended for this step. Repeat this process as needed until the minimum amount of bone has been resected. **(Figure 85)**

Remove 2mm Tibial Cut Guide and Bone Pins after desired bone is resected. Recheck resulting gap with Gap Sizer.

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

2mm Talar Cut Guide:

Place the 2mm Talar Cut Guide in the joint space. Ensure the guide is flat on the talus. This may be checked visually using a lateral fluoroscopic view. Lamina spreaders may be used for this purpose. Pin the guide to the talus using the outermost pin holes with Medium Shouldered Bone Pins. If desired, Short Straight Bone Pins may be placed in the saw slot to protect medial and lateral malleoli from the oscillating sweep of the saw blade. Perform the resection through the saw slot. Remove the pins from the guide and remove guide from the joint space. **(Figure 86)**

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

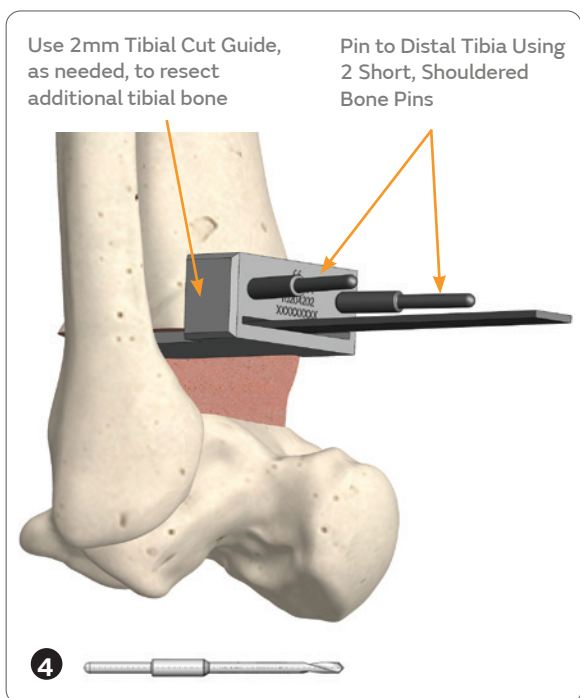


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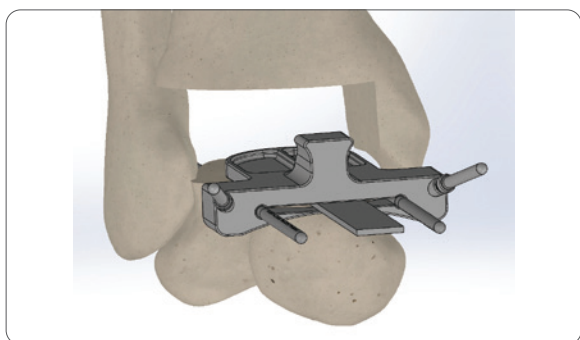


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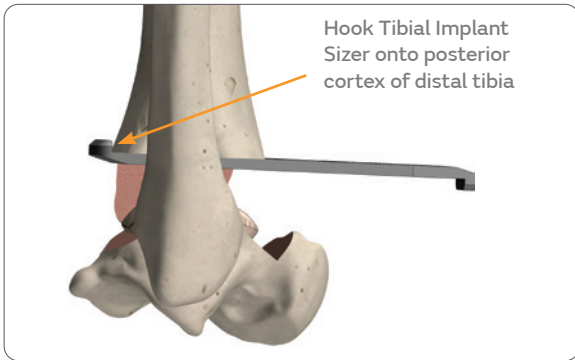


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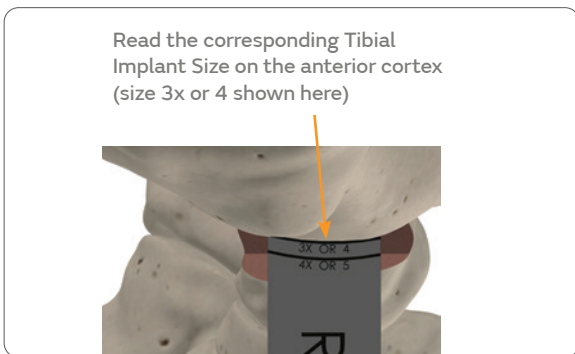


Figure 88

Step 14: Tibial Component Sizing

Use the Tibial Implant Sizer to measure the anterior/posterior length of the distal tibia. Ensure that the correct side, “RIGHT” or “LEFT” is facing up on the Tibial Implant Sizer.

With the Tibial Implant Sizer hooked onto the posterior cortex of the distal tibia, determine the line on the Tibial Implant Sizer that most closely approximates the anterior cortex of the distal tibia and read the corresponding tibial implant size. **(Figure 87 and 88)**

Tip: Confirm sizing at multiple sections along the resected tibia. The smallest size of the readings should be chosen to avoid extending the baseplate into the soft tissue.

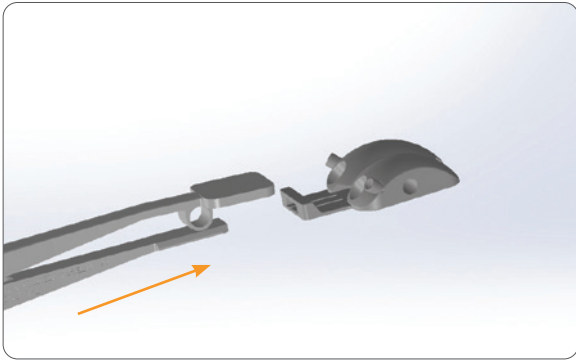


Figure 89

Step 15: Select Talar Dome Size: Flat Cut

Select a Flat Cut Talar Trial and insert into the Talar Sizer Holder. Slide tip of Talar Sizer Holder into the selected Talar Trial until it “clicks.” (Figure 89)



Figure 90

Place the selected Flat Cut Talar Trial onto the cut surface of the talus. The size and shape of the Talar Trial corresponds to the size and shape of the talar implant component. (Figure 90)

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Tip: For optimal sizing, the outer surfaces of the Talar Trial should match the outer edge of the talar bone in both the medial/lateral and anterior/posterior directions.
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Note: If patient anatomy is in between two sizes, select the smaller size.
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Step 16: Flat Cut Talar Trial Placement

Align sizers

After choosing the proper size, establish the proper rotational alignment of the selected Talar Trial by aligning the handle of the Talar Sizer Holder with the desired rotational position set in Step 2 - Figure 19. **(Figure 91)**

With the foot in neutral, expand the Talar Sizer Holder against the distal tibia to maintain the proper medial/lateral, anterior/posterior, and rotational alignment of the Talar Trial. **(Figure 92)**

Using fluoroscopy, check both the anterior/posterior and medial/lateral alignment of the Talar Trial. Ideally, the radius of curvature of the simulated articular surface of the Talar Trial should blend smoothly with the posterior radius of curvature of the natural talus. The medial and lateral borders of the talar trial should align with the medial and lateral cortical borders of the talus. **(Figure 93)**

Note: The perfect circle in the Talar Trial represents the AP center point of the trial.

Pin the trial to the talus using Short Shouldered Bone Pins. Disengage and remove the Talar Sizer Holder. **(Figure 94)**

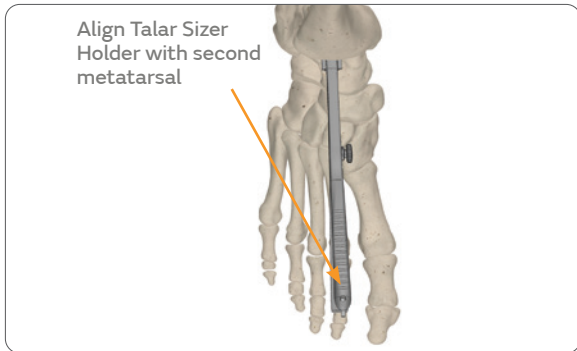


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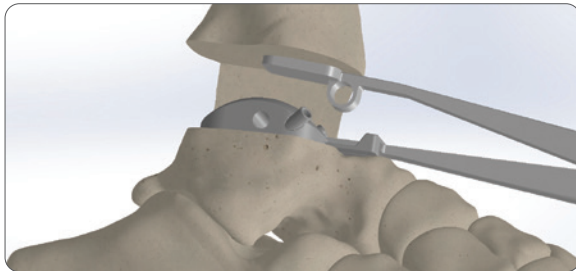


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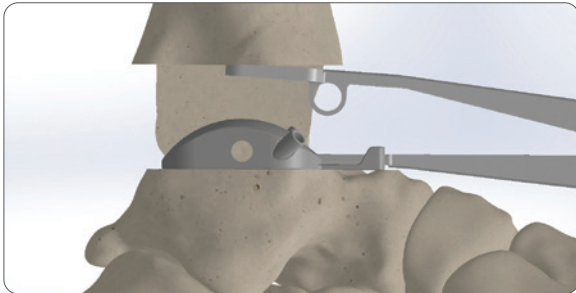


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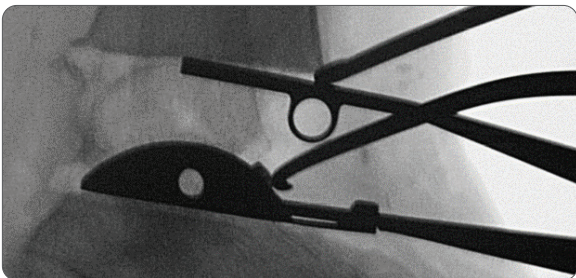


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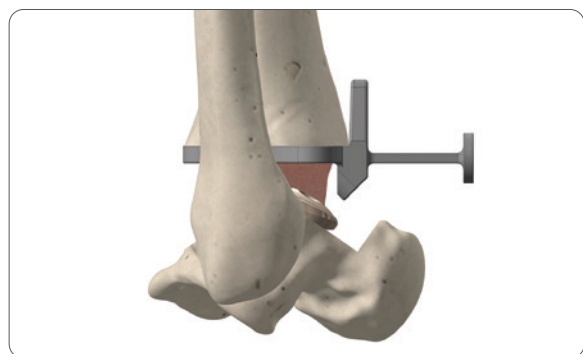


Figure 95

Step 17: Select Tibial Tray Size

Select the Tibial Trial corresponding to the lateral pin placed through the Tibial Cut Guide during the tibial resection (Step 3-Figure 29) and the A/P length determined from the Tibial Implant Sizer (Step 7-Figure 47 and 48 or Step 14-Figure 87 and 88).

Place the selected Tibial Trial into the joint space and confirm appropriate medial-lateral coverage. Use the chart below to aid in Tibial Implant sizing. **(Figure 95)**

Warning: Avoid oversizing; if the Tibial Trial fits snug into the joint space with little to no space to move, consider downsizing one size.

Selected Talar implant size					M/L Width Determined by Tibial Tray Trial	A/P Length Determined from Tibial Implant Sizer	Recommended Tibial Tray Implant size
1					1	1	1
					1	1x or 2	1x
2					2	1x or 2	2
					2	2x or 3	2x
3					3	2x or 3	3
					3	3x or 4	3x
4					4	3x or 4	4
					4	4x or 5	4x
				5	5	4x or 5	5*

*Size 5 is available by special order.

Note: “X” sizes have the same ML width as the corresponding standard size but have the same AP length as the next standard size up. Example, Size 1X has the same ML width as Size 1 but the AP length of Size 2.

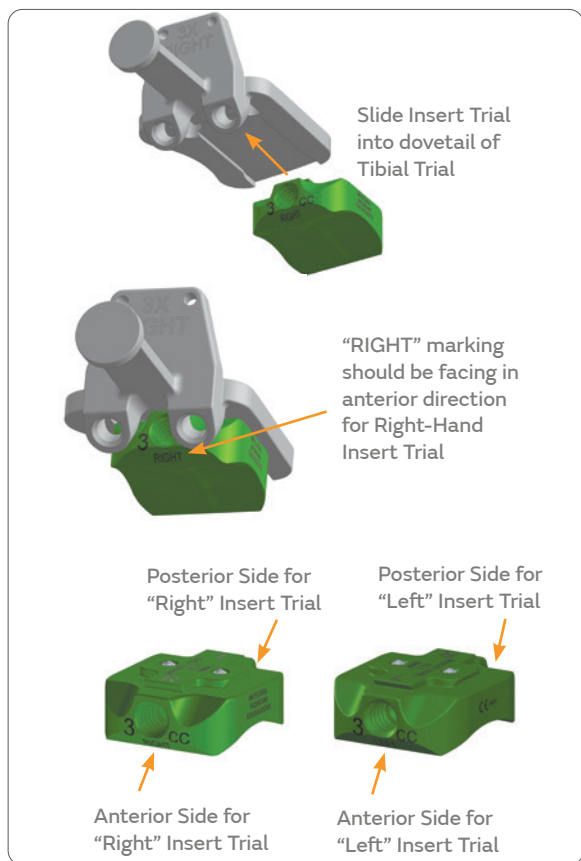


Figure 96

Step 18 : Place Tibial Tray Trial w/ Insert Trials

Select the Tibial Trial corresponding to chosen tibial implant size (**Step 17**).

Select the Insert Trial corresponding in size to the Talar Trial placed on the talus (Step 10 or Step 16). For example, if a Size 4 Talar Trial was placed on the talus, choose a Size 4 Insert Trial. Initially, choose the 6mm thickness of the Insert Trial for evaluation of joint spacing and kinematics.

Slide the Insert Trial into the dovetail of the Tibial Trial. (**Figure 96**)

Tip: The Insert Trials are reversible and can be used as either a right-hand or left-hand Insert Trial. When selecting a right-hand Insert Trial, the "RIGHT" and "R" markings should be facing in the anterior direction. When selecting a left-hand Insert Trial, the "LEFT" and "L" markings should be facing in the anterior direction.

Tip: Use of the Joint Distractor may be necessary to place Insert Trials. Place one tip of the Joint Distractor on the tibia and one on the talus. Place one Long, Shouldered Bone Pin through each of the tips and into the bone. Then, expand the Joint Distractor to open the joint space.

Biased Inserts

Tip: CADENCE™ Total Ankle System also features Anterior Biased Insert and Posterior Biased Insert implants to provide additional joint constraint/support on patients with either an anterior or posterior subluxed talus.

If it is determined through a lateral, fluoroscopic evaluation of the implant trials that the patient may benefit from the use of an Anterior or Posterior Biased Insert implant, the Biased Insert Trial Extensions can be used to evaluate their benefit and make a final determination if biased insert implants should be used.

Choose the Biased Insert Trial Extension corresponding in size to the chosen Insert Trial.

Tip: The Biased Insert Trial Extension will be the same color as the insert trial.

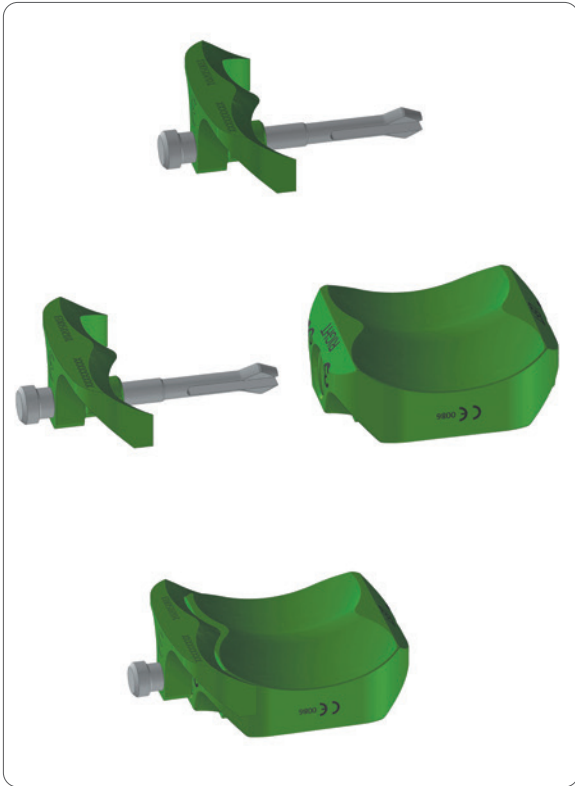


Figure 97

Push the post of the Biased Insert Trial Extension into the threaded hole in the center of the Insert Trial until the mating surfaces of the two components are flush. **(Figure 97)**

The Biased Insert Trial Extension should be placed on the anterior surface of the Insert Trial for simulation of an Anterior Biased Insert implant. Conversely, the Biased Insert Trial Extension should be placed on the posterior surface of the Insert Trial for simulation of a Posterior Biased Insert implant.

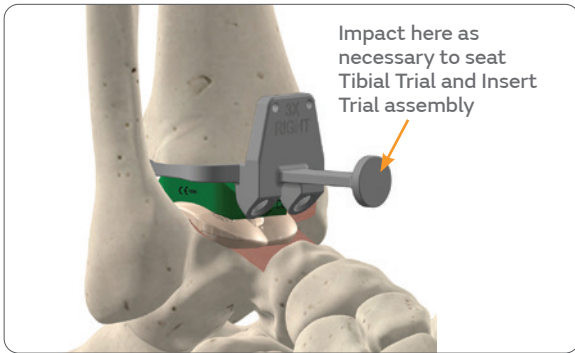


Figure 98

Place the Tibial Trial and Insert Trial assembly into position on the distal tibia. Mate the articular surface of the Insert Trial with the articular surface of the Talar Trial. Plantar flexion of the foot may be necessary to increase access to the joint space when placing trials. **(Figure 98)**

A mallet may be necessary to seat the Tibial Trial and Insert Trial assembly.

The Tibial Trial will find its optimal position in the frontal, sagittal, and rotational planes. If the joint is found to be too loose, poly trial size may be increased.

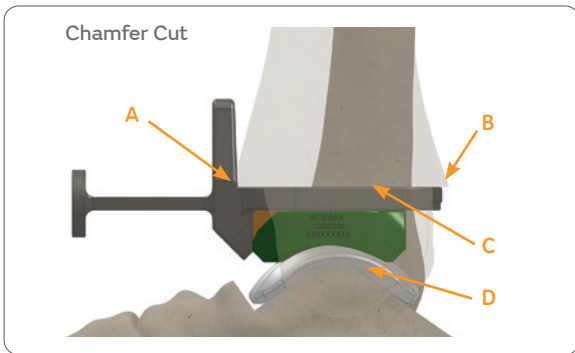
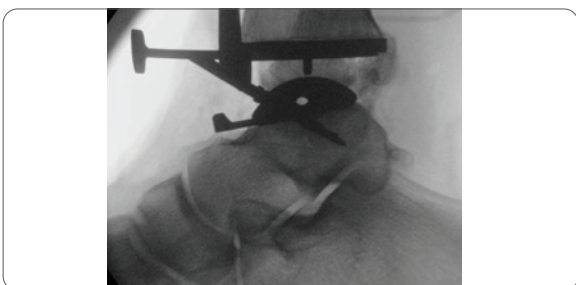
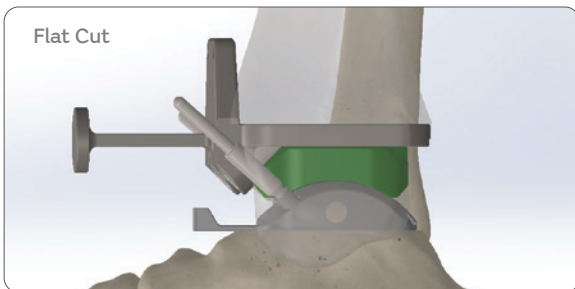
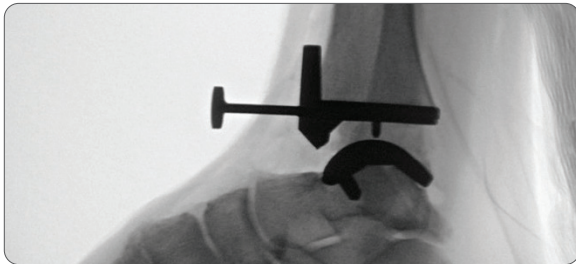


Figure 99

Verify that the Tibial Trial is placed properly on the resected tibia and that the Talar Trial is placed properly on the resected talus. **(Figure 99)**

Verify the following visually or under fluoroscopy:

- A. The anterior aspect of the Tibial Trial is flush against the anterior cortex of the distal tibia.
- B. Posterior aspect of the Tibial Trial extends to but not past the posterior cortex of the distal tibia.
- C. Proximal surface of the Tibial Trial is sitting flush across the entire distal surface of the tibia.
- D. The surfaces of the Talar Trial are sitting flush with the resected surfaces of the proximal talus.



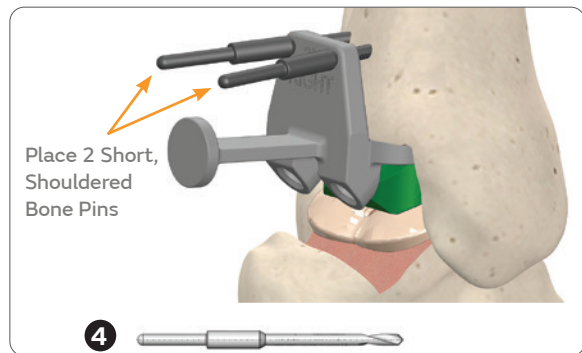


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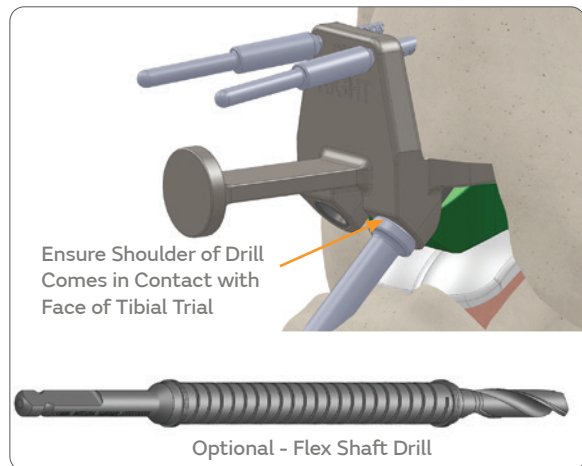


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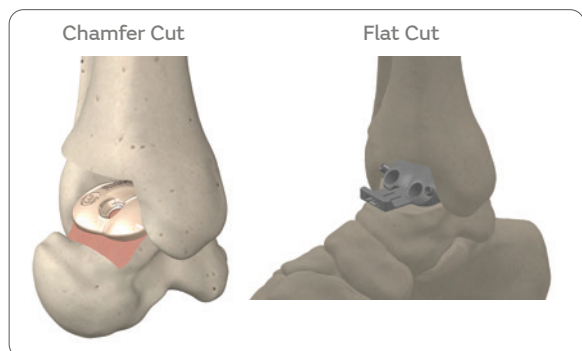


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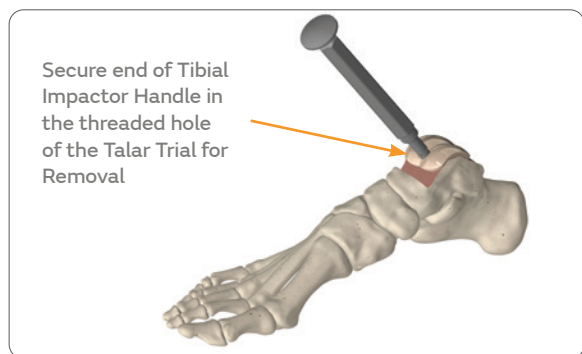


Figure 103

Step 19: Final Tibial Bone Preparation

After confirming proper placement of the Tibial Trial, place two Short Shouldered Bone Pins through the two bone pin holes in the anterior face of the Tibial Trial to maintain its position. **(Figure 100)**

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

Place either the Post Drill or the Flex Shaft Drill up through one of the holes in the tibial trial. Drill a tibial implant post hole into the tibia. Ensure that the shoulder of the implant Post Drill or Flex Shaft Drill comes into contact with the face of the Tibial Trial to ensure that the post hole is drilled to the correct depth. Repeat for the second hole in the Tibial Trial. **(Figure 101)**

Remove the two Short Shouldered Bone Pins from the Tibial Trial, the Tibial Trial and the Insert Trial. **(Figure 102)**

If preparing the talus for a Flat Cut Talar Dome, do not follow Step 19-Figure 103. Continue to Step 20.

Remove the Talar Trial from the talus. **(Figure 103)**

Tip: The Tibial Impactor Handle can be used for this step. Simply screw the threaded end of the Tibial Impactor Handle into the threaded hole on the anterior aspect of the talar trial until the talar trial is lifted off of the talus.

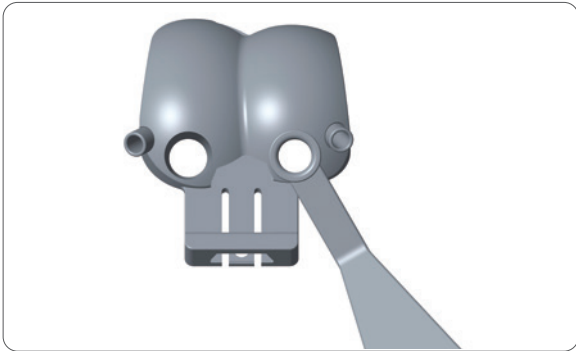


Figure 104

If preparing the talus for a Chamfer Cut Talar Dome, do not follow Step 20. Continue to Step 21.

Step 20: Preparation for Talar Implant: Flat Cut

Fully seat the Drill Guide in to the Flat Cut Talar Trial until a firm end feel is achieved. Drill the peg holes using the Post Drill to its hard stop. Remove the Drill Guide from the Talar Trial. Remove pins from Talar Trial and remove the trial from the joint space. **(Figure 104)**

Step 21: Secure Tibial Tray

Select and open the Tibial Tray implant corresponding in size to the Tibial Trial (Step 17).

Apply bone cement to the flat, titanium plasma sprayed surface of the Tibial Tray. Do not apply bone cement to the posts or the posterior wedge.

Thread the Tibial Impactor Handle into the black-tipped 45° Tibial Impactor Tip. Slide the dovetail feature of the black-tipped 45° Tibial Impactor Tip into the dovetail of the Tibial Tray until it “clicks” to fully engage the Tibial Tray. **(Figure 105)**



Figure 105

Recommended Method for Tibial Implant Impaction



1. Gently engage the anterior peg tips of the Tibial Tray into the prepared peg holes. **(Figure 105A)**
2. Ensure implant is parallel to the tibial cut, confirm with fluoroscopy. Gently tap the Tibial Impactor Handle, while keeping the Tibial Tray parallel to tibial cut, until the posterior wedge of the Tibial Tray engages into the bone. **(Figure 105A)**
3. Continue impacting, under observation of fluoroscopy, until the implant is fully seated. **(Figure 105A)**

If needed, the Gap Sizer may be used to complete insertion. Insert the Gap Sizer at an angle and press or gently impact on the posterior end of the Tibial Tray until fully seated. Confirm with fluoroscopy.



Warning: Do not impact the Tibial Impactor Handle unless the Tibial Tray is parallel to the resected tibia.

Impaction of Tibial Tray while in angular alignment relative to the resected tibia may result in posterior tibial fractures and/or reduced fixation.

Warning: Avoid excessive impaction of the Tibial Tray to minimize risk of over insertion.

Impact only until the anterior portion of the tibial tray is aligned with the anterior tibia.

Tip: Plantar flex the foot as necessary to achieve proper positioning of the Tibial Tray, prior to impaction. If proper positioning cannot be achieved with the black-tipped 45° Tibial Impactor Tip, the green-tipped Tibial Impactor Tip can also be used; perform step 21 using the green-tipped Tibial Impactor Tip in place of the black-tipped 45° Tibial Impactor Tip.

After fully seating the Tibial Tray, depress the thumb lever on the Tibial Impactor Tip, then slide anteriorly to disengage the Tibial Tray.

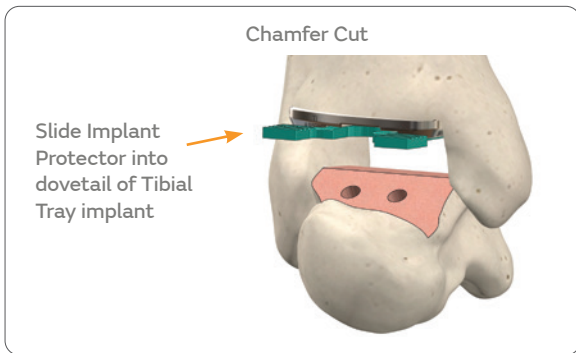


Figure 106



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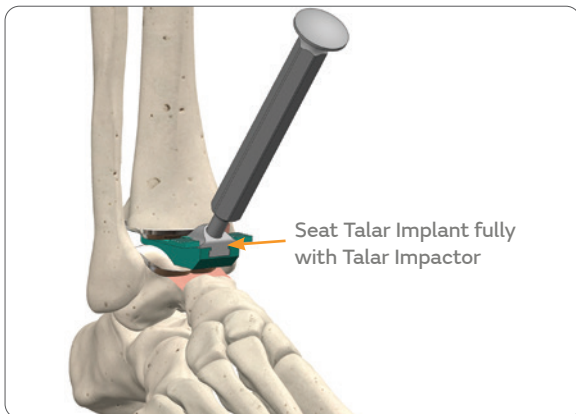


Figure 108

Step 22: Secure Talar Dome

Insert the dovetail feature of the Implant Protector fully into the dovetail of the Tibial Tray such that the Implant Protector covers the entire distal face of the Tibial Tray implant. This will serve to protect both the Tibial Tray and Talar Dome implants from damage while placing the Talar Dome. **(Figure 106 and 107)**

Select and open the Talar Dome implant corresponding in size to the Talar Trial from Step 10 (Chamfer Cut Talar Dome) or Step 16 (Flat Cut Talar Dome).

Apply bone cement to the flat, titanium plasma sprayed surfaces of the Talar Dome. Do not apply bone cement to the posts.

Place the posts of the Talar Dome implant into the post holes prepared.

Use the Talar Impactor to fully seat the Talar Dome implant. **(Figure 108)**

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Tip: Rotate the Talar Impactor to selectively apply posterior impaction and anterior impaction to ensure full seating of the Talar Dome implant.

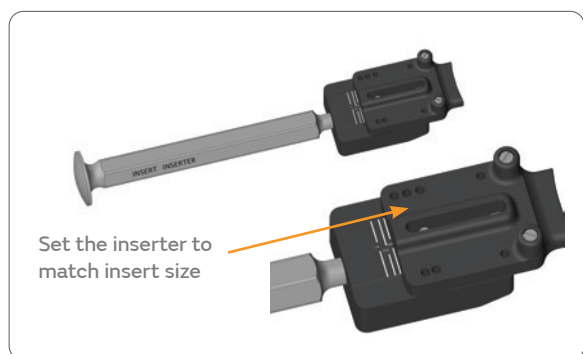


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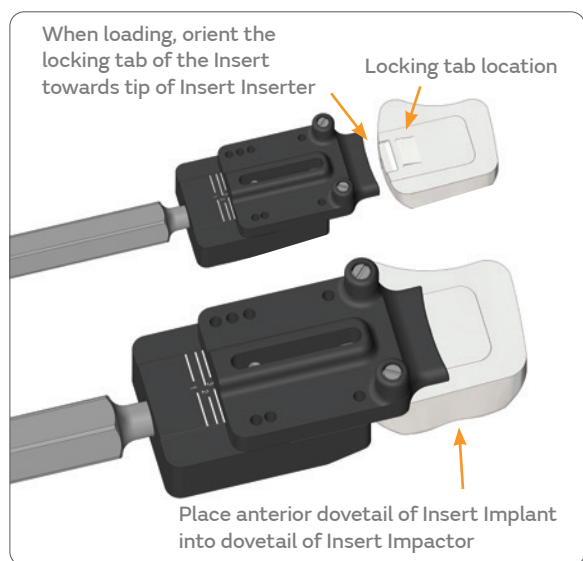


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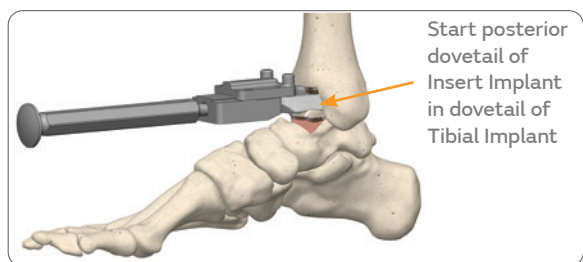


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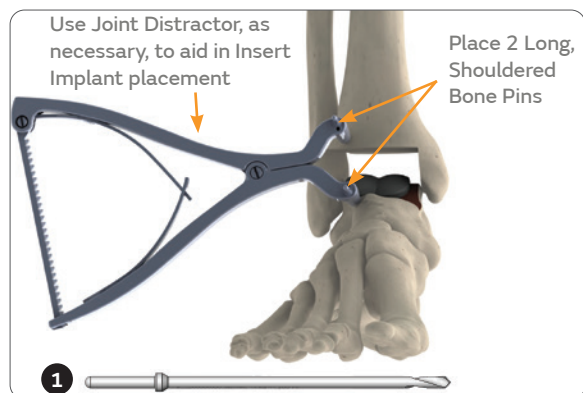


Figure 112 Surgical Technique

Step 23: Secure Insert

Remove the Implant Protector from the Tibial Tray implant. Prepare the Insert Inserter by sliding the top portion of the instrument forward until it is flush with the etched line corresponding to the selected Insert Trial size. **(Figure 109)**

Select and open the Insert implant corresponding in size and thickness to the Insert Trial chosen in previous steps. **(Figure 110)**

Slide the anterior portion of the dovetail feature of the Insert implant into the dovetail of the Insert Inserter.

Tip: The locking tab feature of the Insert implant faces anterior; the locking tab feature of the Insert implant is loaded into the Insert Inserter.

After the Insert implant is placed on the Insert Inserter, recheck etching corresponds to selected size.

Place the exposed posterior portion of the dovetail feature of the Insert implant into the dovetail of the Tibial Tray implant. The tip of the Insert Inserter should contact the anterior face of the Tibial Tray implant. **(Figure 111)**

Push the Insert implant into the Tibial Tray implant as far as possible manually.

Tip: Use of the Joint Distractor may be necessary to place a posterior biased insert implant. **(Figure 112)**

Place one tip of the Joint Distractor on the tibia and one on the talus. Place one Long, Shouldered Bone Pin through each of the tips and into the bone. Then, expand the Joint Distractor to open the joint spacing.

Tip: Check the guide hole trajectory by setting the pin in the guide hole prior to drilling.

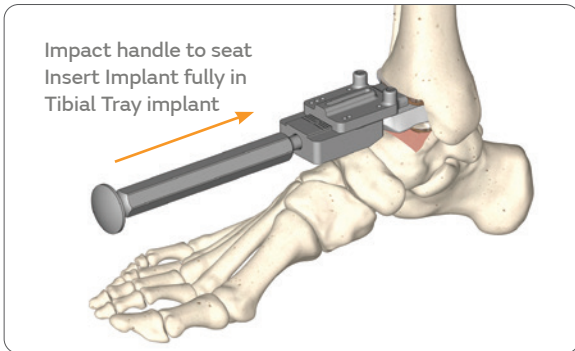


Figure 113

Using a mallet, gently impact the handle of the Insert Inserter until the Insert implant is seated fully in the Tibial Tray implant. An audible click can be heard when the Insert implant is fully seated. (Figure 113)

Warning: Prior to impaction, ensure that the exposed posterior portion of the dovetail feature of the Insert implant is engaged into the Tibial Tray implant. If the posterior portion of the dovetail feature is not engaged, impaction may prevent proper securing of the insert.

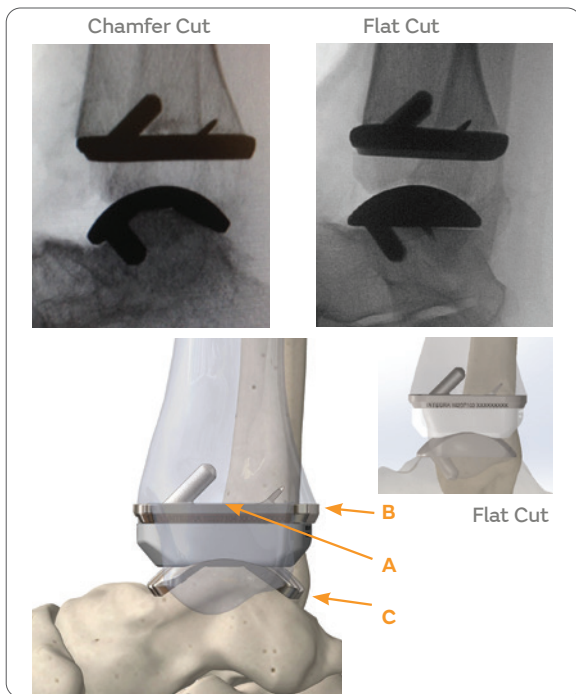


Figure 114

Step 24: Verify Final Implant

Under a lateral fluoroscopic view, verify the following: (Figure 114)

- Proximal surface of the tibial implant is sitting flush across the entire distal surface of the tibia.
- Posterior aspect of the tibial implant extends to but not past the posterior cortex of the tibia.
- Surfaces of the talar implant are sitting flush with the resected surfaces of the talus.

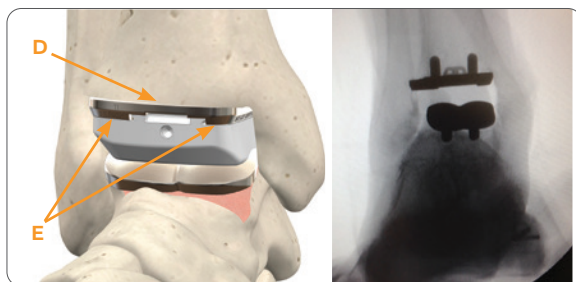


Figure 115

Visually verify the tibial, talar, and insert implants are seated properly: (Figure 115)

- Anterior aspect of the tibial implant is flush against the anterior cortex of the tibia.
- Insert implant is seated fully in the tibial implant and there is no gap between the anterior surfaces of the two implants.

Perform a dynamic flexion/extension test on the foot to check the joint's kinematics and to evaluate joint tension.

Implant Removal

The following techniques may be used to remove specific implant components (Insert, Talar Dome, or Tibial Tray) of the CADENCE[®] Total Ankle System.

Use any power (i.e. sagittal saw, reciprocating saw) and general instruments (i.e. osteotomes, rongeurs) necessary around implanted components to loosen bone-cement interface and/or facilitate removal.

Insert Removal

The insert may be removed through one of two ways:

Place an osteotome into the anterior slot on the Insert and twist to separate the insert from the tray.

(Figure 116)

Thread the 5.0mm DIA Bone Pin into the anterior hole of the Insert. Attach the Screwdriver Handle to the 5.0mm DIA Bone Pin, then pull straight back to remove the Insert.

(Figure 116)

Warning: When the 5.0mm DIA Bone Pin is threaded into the Insert, do not lever the Bone Pin in a cranial-caudal direction during Insert removal. Levering the Bone Pin during this step may cause damage or breakage to the instrument.

Tibial Tray Removal

Thread the Tibial Impactor Handle into the green-tipped Tibial Impactor Tip. Slide the dovetail feature of the green-tipped Tibial Impactor Tip into the dovetail of the Tibial Tray implant until it “clicks” and engages the Tibial Tray. **(Figure 117)**

Pull the Tibial Impactor Handle to remove the implant. **(Figure 118)**

Tip: A U-joint may be attached to the Tibial Impactor Handle for improved access during extraction

Warning: Do not use the Slap Hammer for extraction of the tibial tray; using the Slap Hammer may result in damaged instrumentation and delayed removal of components.

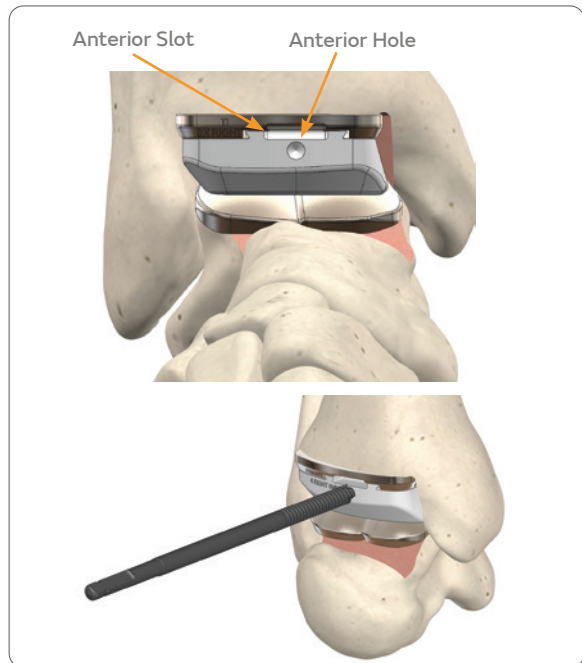


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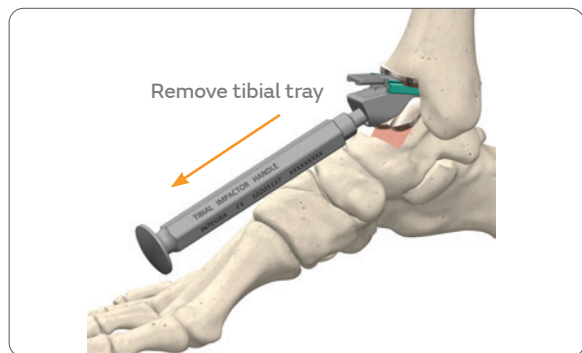


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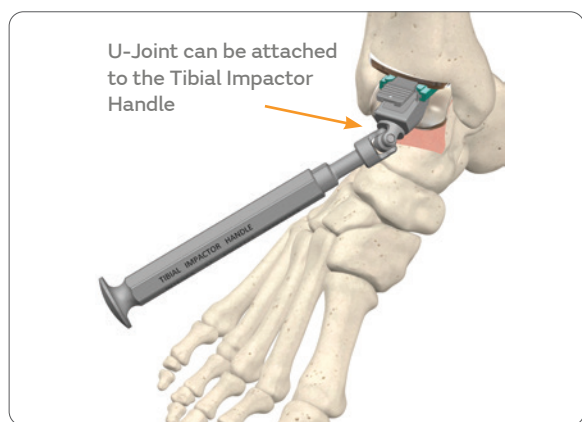


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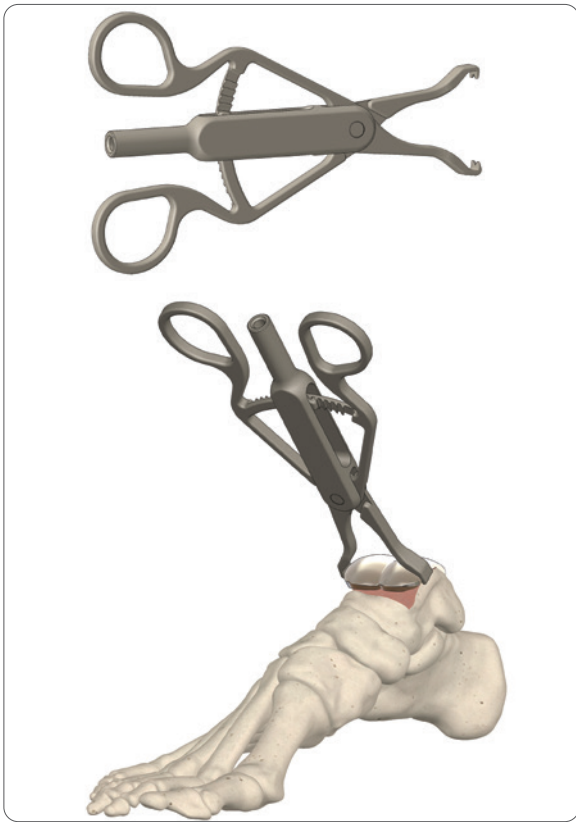


Figure 119

Talar Dome Removal: Chamfer Cut Talus

Using the Talar Implant Extractor, grasp the Talar Dome Implant along the medial-lateral edges. Once the Talar Dome implant is engaged on to the Talar Implant Extractor, pull on the Talar Implant Extractor away from the implant site. **(Figure 119)**

Tip: The Slap Hammer may also be used during removal of the Talar Dome.

Thread the rod end of the Slap Hammer into the Talar Implant Extractor. Impact the Slap Hammer until the Talar implant becomes dislodged.

Talar Dome Removal: Flat Cut Talus

The Talar Dome may be separated from the talus using an osteotome or other general surgical instruments.

Implants

Tibial Tray, Talar Dome and Neutral (N) Insert Implants

Reference	Description
Tibial Trays	
10207101	Tibial Tray, Size 1, Right
10207111	Tibial Tray, Size 1X, Right
10207102	Tibial Tray, Size 2, Right
10207112	Tibial Tray, Size 2X, Right
10207103	Tibial Tray, Size 3, Right
10207113	Tibial Tray, Size 3X, Right
10207104	Tibial Tray, Size 4, Right
10207114	Tibial Tray, Size 4X, Right
10207105*	Tibial Tray, Size 5, Right
Talar Domes	
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10208102	Talar Dome, Size 2, Right
10208103	Talar Dome, Size 3, Right
10208104	Talar Dome, Size 4, Right
10208105*	Talar Dome, Size 5, Right
10208111	Flat Cut Talar Dome, Size 1, Right
10208112	Flat Cut Talar Dome, Size 2, Right
10208113	Flat Cut Talar Dome, Size 3, Right
10208114	Flat Cut Talar Dome, Size 4, Right

Reference	Description
Neutral Inserts	
10209106	Insert, Size 1, Right, 6mm, Neutral
10209107	Insert, Size 1, Right, 7mm, Neutral
10209108	Insert, Size 1, Right, 8mm, Neutral
10209109	Insert, Size 1, Right, 9mm, Neutral
10209110	Insert, Size 1, Right, 10mm, Neutral
10209111	Insert, Size 1, Right, 11mm, Neutral
10209112	Insert, Size 1, Right, 12mm, Neutral
10209206	Insert, Size 2, Right, 6mm, Neutral
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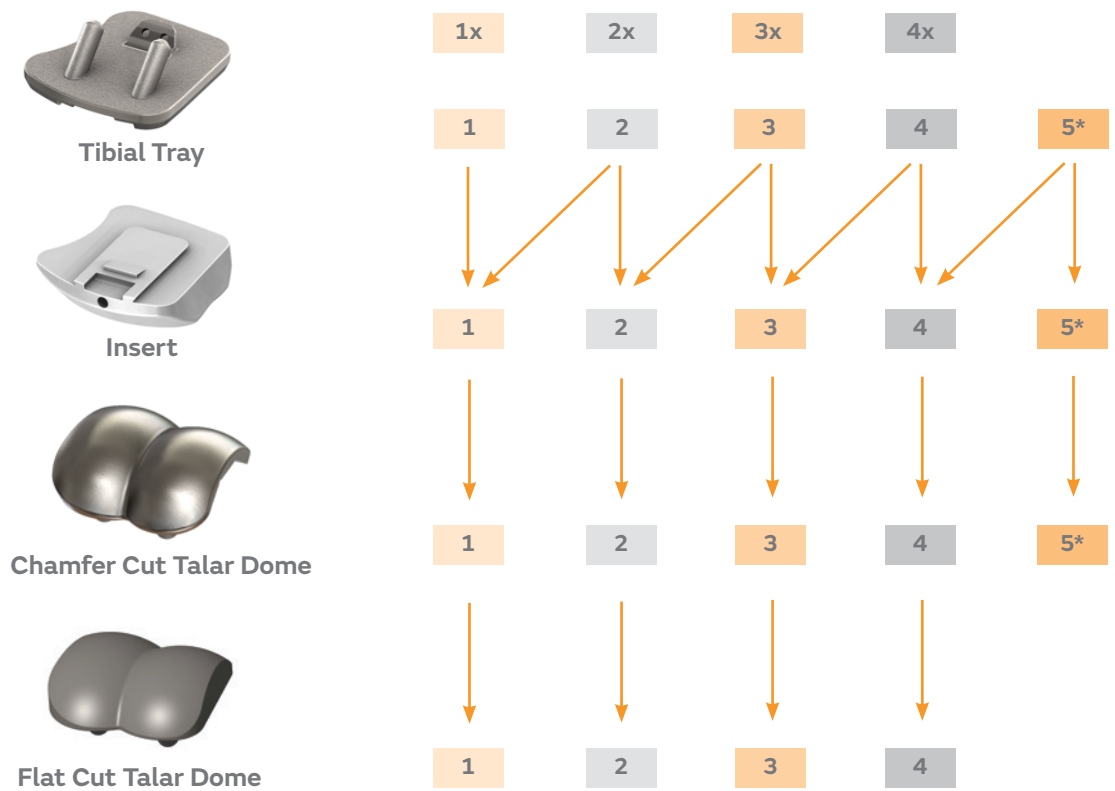
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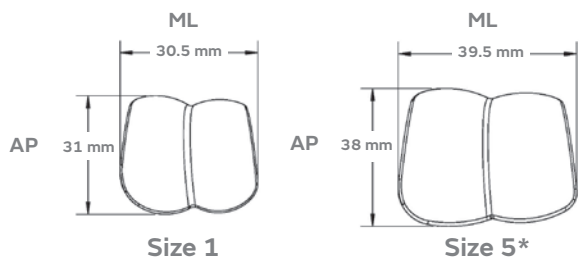
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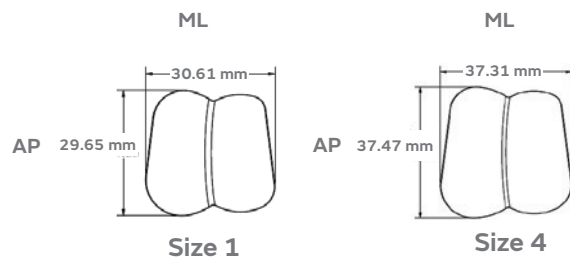


Chamfer Cut Talar Dome Dimensions



	AP (mm)	ML (mm)
Size 1	31.0	30.5
Size 2	32.5	31.0
Size 3	34.0	34.0
Size 4	36.0	37.0
Size 5*	38.0	39.5

Flat Cut Talar Dome Dimensions

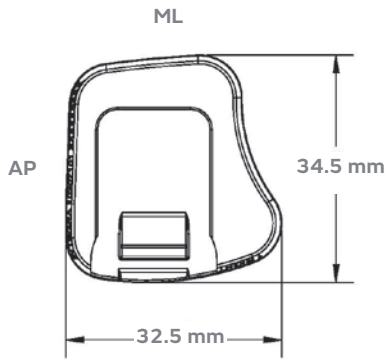


	AP (mm)	ML (mm)
Size 1	29.7	30.6
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Size 3	33.6	34.2
Size 4	37.5	37.3

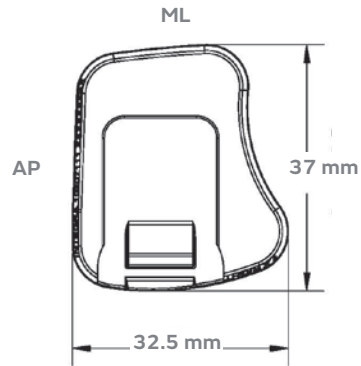
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Tibial Tray Dimensions

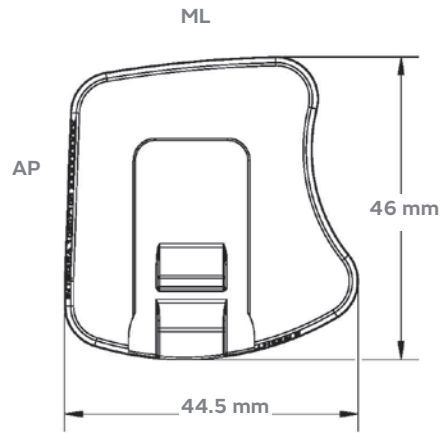
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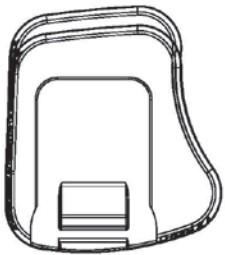
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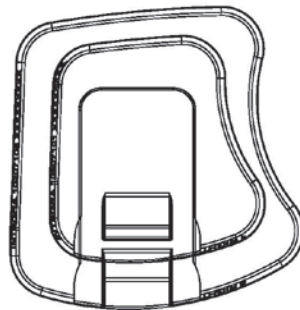
Size 5*



Size 1 and 1X



Size 1 and 5*

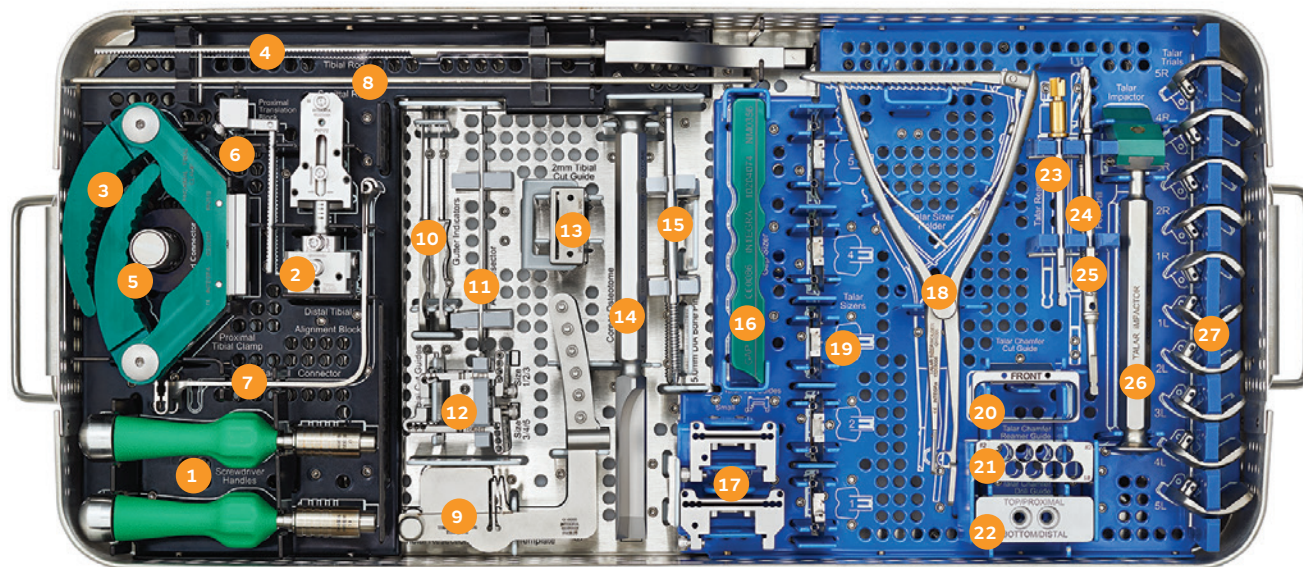


	AP (mm)	ML (mm)
Size 1	34.5	32.5
Size 1x	37.0	32.5
Size 2	37.0	34.0
Size 2x	40.0	34.0
Size 3	40.0	37.0
Size 3x	43.0	37.0
Size 4	43.0	40.0
Size 4x	46.0	40.0
Size 5*	46.0	44.5

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Instruments Cases and Instruments

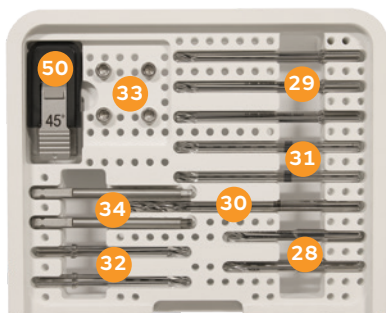
Instrument Case, Bone Resection Instruments



Item.	Instrument	Reference	Qty
1	Screwdriver Handle	10204145	2
2	Distal Tibial Alignment Block	10203001	1
3	Proximal Tibial Clamp	10203003	1
4	Tibial Rod	10203004	1
5	Rod Connector	10203005	1
6	Proximal Translation Block	10203006	1
7	Sagittal Connector	10204028	1
8	Sagittal Rod	10204029	1
9	Tibial Resection Template	10203012	1
10	Gutter Indicator	10204150	2
11	Bisector	10204148	1
12	Tibial Cut Guide - Size 1/2/3	10203023	1
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13	2mm Tibial Cut Guide	10204202	1
14	Corner Osteotome	10204079	1

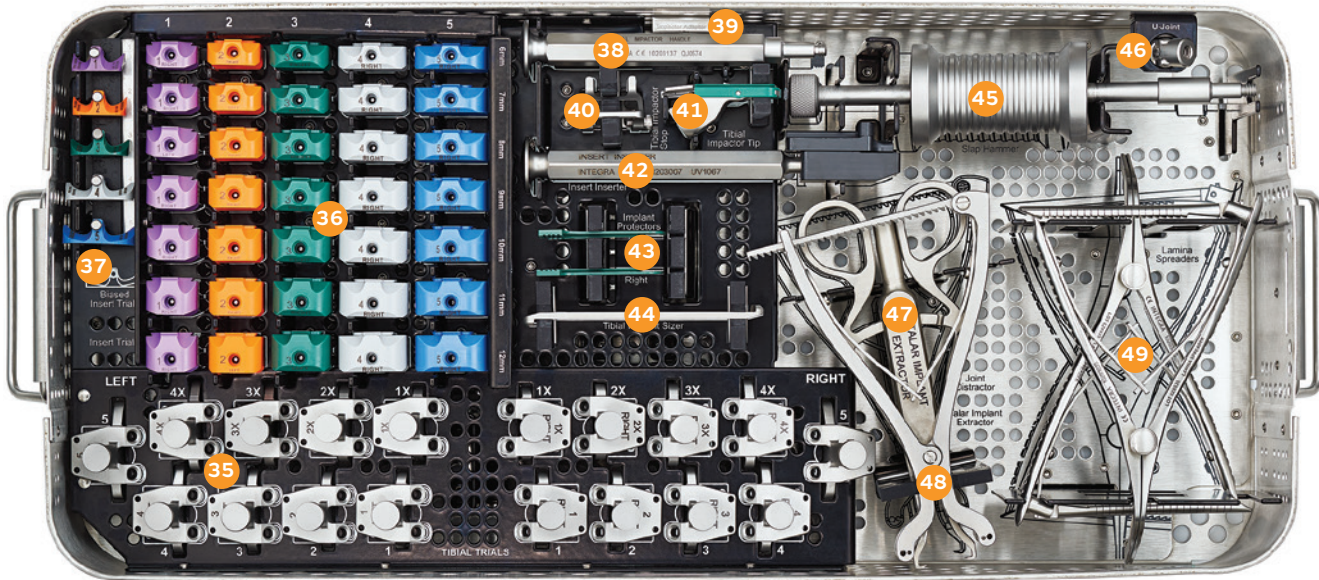
Item.	Instrument	Reference	Qty
15	5.0mm DIA Bone Pin	10204191	1
16	Gap Sizer	10204074	1
17	Talar Cut Guide - Small	10203031	1
	Talar Cut Guide - Large	10203032	1
18	Talar Sizer Holder	10203008	1
19	Talar Sizers	10204085-10204089	1 each
20	Talar Chamfer Cut Guide	10203030	1
21	Talar Chamfer Reamer Guide	10204031	1
22	Talar Chamfer Drill Guide	10204033	1
23	Talar Reamer	10204057	1
24	Post Drill	10204058	1
25	Flex Shaft Drill	10203020	1
26	Talar Impactor	10203098	1
27	Talar Trials	10205101-10205105 10205201-10205205	1 each

Pins and Accessories Module



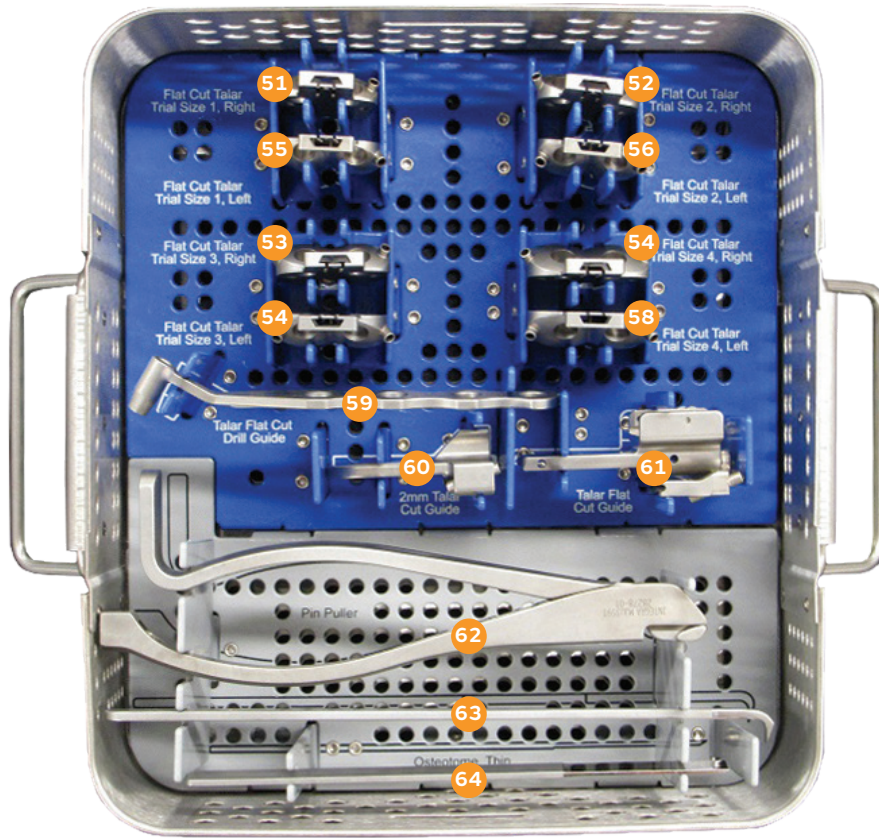
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29 = 1	Shouldered Bone Pin - Long	10204023	6
31 = 2	Short Straight Bone Pin	10204026	4
30 = 3	Straight Bone Pin - Drill Tip	10204025	2
28 = 4	Shouldered Bone Pin - Short	10204022	4
32 = 5	Shouldered Bone Pin - Medium	10204027	4
33	Locking Screw	10204217	4
34	AO Hex Driver	10204146	2
50	45° Tibial Impactor Tip	10203102	1

Instrument Case – Trials, Insertion, and Removal Instruments



Item.	Instrument	Reference	Qty
35	Tibial Trials	10204270-10204288	1 each
36	Insert Trials	10206106-10206512	1 each
37	Biased Insert Trial Extensions	10205001-10205005	1 each
38	Tibial Impactor Handle	10203137	1
39	Tibial Impactor Adaptor	10204106	1
40	Tibial Impactor Stop	10203108	1
41	Tibial Impactor Tip	10203101	1
42	Insert Inserter	10203007	1
43	Implant Protectors	10204305-10204306	1 each
44	Tibial implant sizer	10204076	1
45	Slap Hammer	10203194	1
46	U-Joint	10203196	1
47	Talar Implant Extractor	10203028	1
48	Joint Distractor	119.653ND	1
49	Lamina Spreader	10203035	2

Instrument Case, CADENCE[®] Flat Cut Instruments



Item.	Instrument	Reference	Qty
51	Flat Cut Talar Trial, Size 1, Right	10200111	1
52	Flat Cut Talar Trial, Size 2, Right	10200112	1
53	Flat Cut Talar Trial, Size 3, Right	10200113	1
54	Flat Cut Talar Trial, Size 4, Right	10200114	1
55	Flat Cut Talar Trial, Size 1, Left	10200211	1
56	Flat Cut Talar Trial, Size 2, Left	10200212	1
57	Flat Cut Talar Trial, Size 3, Left	10200213	1
58	Flat Cut Talar Trial, Size 4, Left	10200214	1
59	Talar Flat Cut Drill Guide	10200101	1
60	2mm Talar Cut Guide	10200102	1
61	Talar Flat Cut Guide	10200104	1
62	Pin Puller	MJU359T	1
63	Curette	MJU085T	1
64	Thin Osteotome	MJU357T	1

Saw Blades

Item Number	SAW6944T	SAW6945T	SAW6946T	SAW6947T	SAW6948T	SAW6949T	SAW6950T
Depth	70.0 mm	85.0 mm	80.0 mm	90.0 mm	75.0 mm	90.0 mm	70.0 mm
Width	13.0 mm	21.0 mm	13.0 mm	21.0 mm	13.0 mm	21.0 mm	12.5 mm
Cut Thk	1.27 mm	1.27 mm	1.27 mm	1.27 mm	1.27 mm	1.27 mm	0.94 mm
Hub	Stryker System 7	Stryker System 7	Hall Versipower	Hall Versipower	Hall Power Pro	Hall Power Pro	Brasseler
							

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