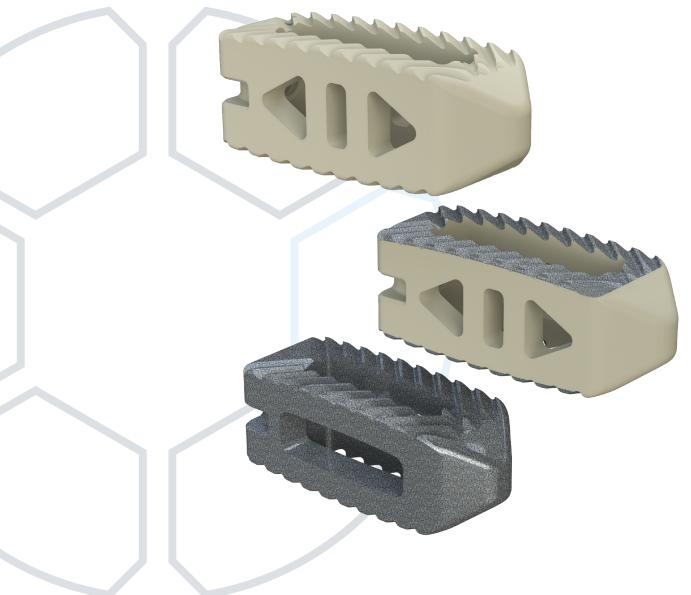
**SAVANT** POSTERIOR LUMBAR INTERBODY FUSION SYSTEM



# Surgical Technique Guide



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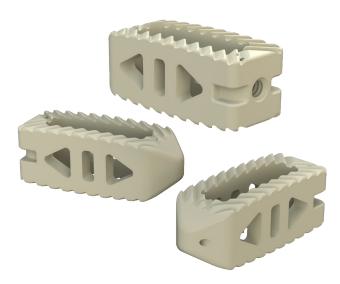
### **Disclaimer**

The surgical technique shown is for illustrative purposes only. Proper surgical procedure is the responsibility of the medical professional. Please reference the package insert for additional information and system instructions.

### **Features and Benefits**

# SAVANT™ PEEK Posterior Lumbar Interbody Fusion System

The Savant PEEK Posterior Lumbar Interbody Fusion System (PLIF) self-distracting, bulleted tip is offered in a variety of lengths, heights and lordotic angles providing an ideal fit for every patient. The superior and inferior surfaces of the construct have a pattern of teeth designed to provide increased stability and to help prevent movement of the device. The Savant Interbody Fusion System features instruments that are simple and intuitive to use.



### **PEEK Interbody**

Part Number: C304-XXXXYY-Z

XXXX - Interbody Footprint, YY - Interbody Height, Z - Lordosis

- PEEK construction
- Footprints (mm): 22L x 10W, 26L x 10W and 30L x 10W
- ▶ Heights: 6 16mm, offered in 1mm increments
- Lordosis: 0° and 8°



### **Savant Features**

- Contoured, distracting nose to facilitate placement
- Central and lateral graft windows for biologic seeding
- Multi-directional teeth resist migration
- Strategically positioned tantalum markers for great visualization and placement
- Comprehensive discetomy instruments
- Full range of Trials for proper sizing of implant height
- Convex design offers a more accurate fit to the patient's anatomy
- Robust Inserter engagement features to facilitate implant insertion

# **Implant Guide**

**PEEK PLIF Interbodies** 

# **SAVANT** PEEK Posterior Lumbar Interbody Fusion System

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### Radiographic Markers

- ▶ 3 Pins per interbody 2 posterior & 1 anterior
- Pin length: 2.5mm; 1mm diameter
- Posterior pins offset .64mm (tooth depth) from endplate (identified in red below)
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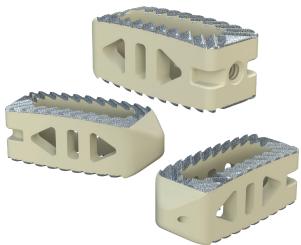
### **Lateral Windows**

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- ▶ 7 11mm Standard Windows
- ▶ 12 16mm Split Windows

### **Features and Benefits**

# SAVANT<sup>™</sup> PEEK Posterior Lumbar Interbody Fusion System Featuring Titanium Plasma Coating

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### **PEEK Interbody with Coating**

Part Number: Part Number: C324-XXXXYY-ZCT

XXXX - Interbody Footprint, YY - Interbody Height, Z - Lordosis

- PEEK construction with Titanium Plasma Coating
- Footprints (mm): 22L x 10W, 26L x 10W and 30L x 10W
- Heights: 6 16mm, offered in 1mm increments
- Lordosis: 0° or 8°



### **Savant Features**

- Surface topography produces superior implant contact and construct stability
- Modulus of elasticity between cortical and cancellous bone for optimal load sharing
- Contoured, distracting nose to facilitate placement
- Designed to ensure a high degree of compressive strength and dimensional stability
- Central and lateral graft windows for biologic seeding
- Multi-directional teeth resist migration
- Tantalum radiopague markers to optimize visibility and placement
- Comprehensive discectomy instruments
- Optimal Radiolucency

# **Implant Guide**

# SAVANT™ PEEK Posterior Lumbar Interbody Fusion System Featuring Titanium Plasma Coating

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### **Features and Benefits**

# **SAVANT** Titanium Posterior Lumbar Interbody Fusion System Featuring TRU-LOK® Technology

The Savant Titanium Posterior Lumbar Interbody Fusion System (PLIF) features TRU-LOK®. The TRU-LOK® surface technology results in a proprietary micro-textured surface intended to provide an improved osteogenic environment. The micro-scale roughness of the TRU-LOK® surface technology is intended to reduce the potential for implant migration and to encourage enhanced osseointegration. The interbody is offered in a variety of lengths, heights and lordotic angles offering an ideal fit for every patient.



# Titanium Interbody with TRU-LOK®

Part Number: Part Number: C314-XXXXYY-Z

XXXX - Interbody Footprint, YY - Interbody Height, Z - Lordosis

- Titanium construction with surface texturing
- Footprints (mm): 22L x 10W, 26L x 10W and 30L x 10W
- 6 16mm, offered in 1mm increments
- Lordosis: 0° and 8°



### **Savant Features**

- Contoured, distracting nose to facilitate placement
- Oversized central and lateral graft windows for biologic seeding
- Micro-roughness surface texturing produces superior implant contact and construct stability
- Multi-directional teeth resist migration
- Designed to ensure a high degree of compressive strength and dimensional stability
- Open Architecture
- Comprehensive discectomy instruments
- Full range of Trials for proper sizing of implant height

# **Implant Guide**

# **SAVANT**™ Titanium Posterior Lumbar Interbody Fusion System Featuring TRU-LOK® Technology

### Titanium PLIF Interbodies with TRU-LOK Technology

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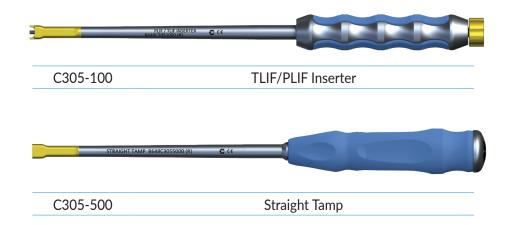
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### **Lateral Windows**

- ▶ 6 7mm x 0° No Window
- 7 8mm x 8° No Window
- ▶ 8 16mm x 0° Single Window
- ▶ 9 16mm x 8° Single Window

# **Instrument Guide**







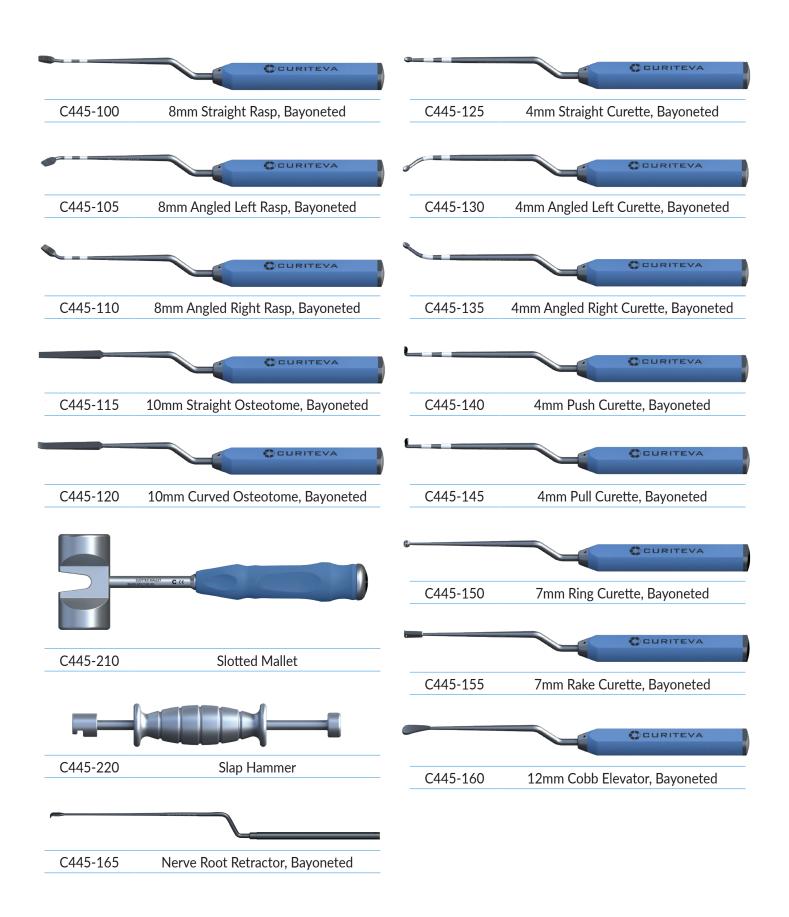


C305-1000 T-Handle, 1/4", Non-Ratcheting

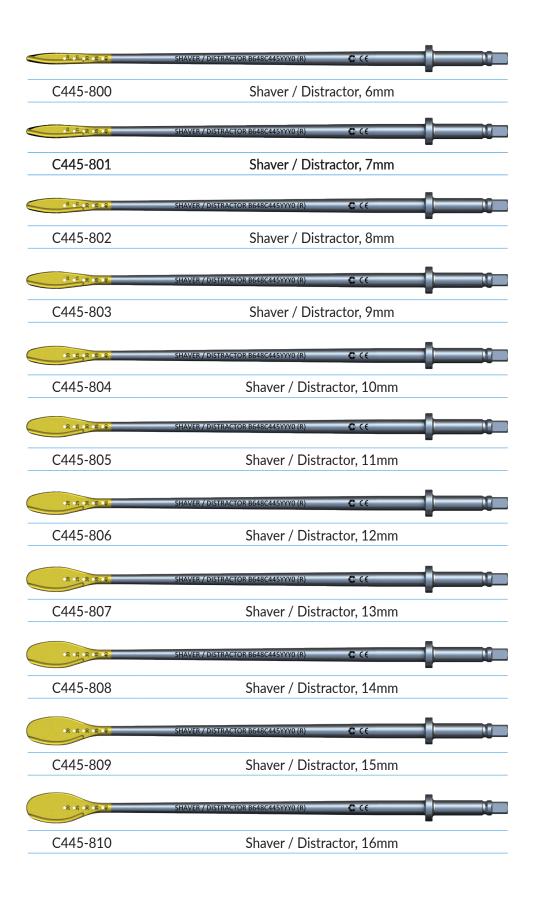
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C305-357	14mm x 10mm PLIF Lordotic Trial
C305-358	15mm x 10mm PLIF Lordotic Trial
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# Posterior Lumbar Disc Prep Instrument Guide



# Posterior Lumbar Disc Prep Instrument Guide





### **Disclaimer**

Each surgical step applies to all material types but the illustrations only show PEEK.

# **Step 1: Patient Positioning**



### **Step 2: Surgical Approach to the Disc**

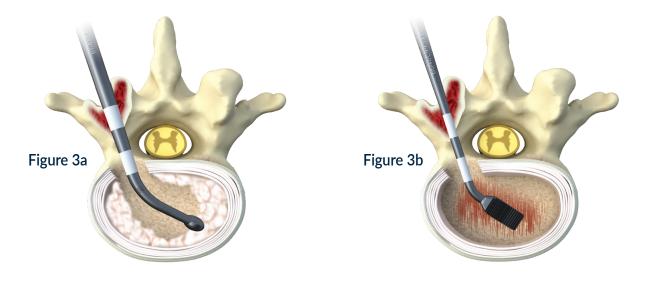
A midline incision provides exposure of the interlaminar space and facet joints at the indicated level. Pedicle screws of the surgeon's preference are inserted into the pedicles of the vertebrae adjacent to the disc space to be fused. Using a combination of surgical instruments appropriately selected by the surgeon, a laminotomy, laminectomy and/or facetectomy, is performed, along with the removal of the ligamentum flavum, to gain access to the disc space and identify neural and bony anatomy. **(Figure 2)** 



### **Step 3: Discectomy and Endplate Preparation**

Perform a standard discectomy using Paddle Shavers, Osteotomes, Curettes or Rasps to prepare the implant bed. (Figure 3a, 3b)

**Note:** Adequate preparation of the endplates is important to facilitate vascularization of the bone graft.



# **Step 4: Distraction**

Proper distraction is essential to restore desired disc height. Assemble the desired size of the Paddle Shaver/Distractor onto the T-Handle and insert into the disc space. (Figure 4a) Rotating the Paddle Shaver/Distractor clockwise will shave the endplates (Figure 4b) and rotating the Paddle Shaver/Distractor counterclockwise 90° will provide blunt distraction. (Figure 4a)

**Note:** The Distractors are depth marked from 20 – 40mm to aid visualization.

**Note:** There are length indicators visible under fluoroscopy



Figure 4b

### **Step 5: Implant Selection**

Assemble the desired Trial onto the T-Handle. Trials are 10mm wide and 30mm long with length indicators that are visible with fluoroscopy. Heights start at 6mm and increase sequentially by 1mm increments. If necessary, impact the Trial assembly to confirm the position and fit of the Trial. Use A/P and lateral fluoroscopy to confirm proper placement and trajectory. Once the proper size is determined, remove the Trial from the intervertebral space.

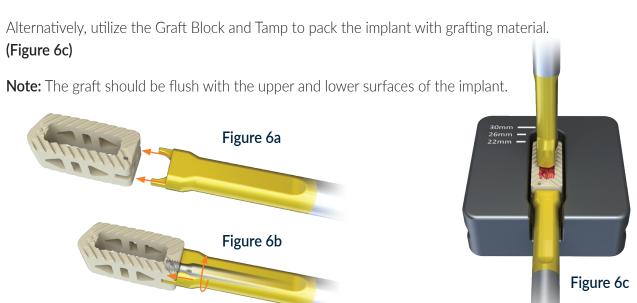
A Slap Hammer is available in the Disc Preparation Set for assisting in removing the Trial assembly from the Disc Space. **(Figure 5a, 5b)** 



### **Step 6: Implant Preparation**

Select the appropriate implant size and attach to the Inserter. Load implant onto the inserter by aligning anti-rotation features and threading central stylus into implant. Once the implant is fully engaged on the Inserter, fill the implant with autologous bone, allograft or other bone grafting material.

Repeat this step for the second implant. (Figure 6a, 6b)

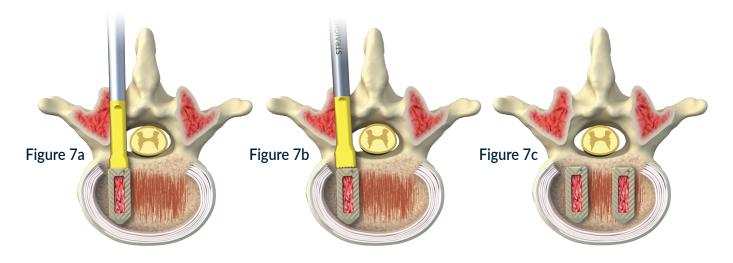


# **Step 7: Implant Insertion**

Prior to implant insertion, bone graft material may be placed anteriorly or contralaterally. Under fluoroscopy, insert the implant mounted on the Inserter into the disc space. Once in position, remove all instruments and fill the remaining disc space with bone graft.

Note: A Tamp is available for tamping the implant into final position. (Figure 7b)

To disengage the implant from the Inserter, unthread the knob on the end of the Inserter. (Figure 7a, 7b, 7c)



Repeat steps 3-7 for contralateral implants.

### **Step 8: Implant Removal (optional)**

Attach inserter into implant posteriorly and thread inserter into threads of implant until tightened. Gently remove implant from disc space. If the implant cannot be easily removed, a Cobb elevator, Slap Hammer or Osteotome should be used to loosen the bone to implant interface. (Figure 8)



Figure 8

### **Product Information**

### Indications for Use:

The Savant Lumbar Interbody Fusion System is indicated for use in skeletally mature patients with degenerative disc disease (DDD) at one or two contiguous levels from L2 – S1. DDD is defined as back pain of discogenic origin with degeneration of the disc confirmed by patient history and radiographic studies. These DDD patients may also have up to Grade I spondylolisthesis or retrolisthesis at the involved level(s). Implants are intended to be used with autograft and/or allograft bone (comprised of cancellous and/or corticocancellous bone graft) and supplemental spinal fixation systems that have been cleared for use in the lumbar spine. Patients should receive at least six (6) months of non-operative treatment prior to treatment with the device.

### **Contraindications:**

Contraindications for the Savant Lumbar Interbody Fusion System are comparable to those of other systems of similar design, and include. but are not limited to:

- Patients with probable intolerance to the materials used in the manufacture of this device.
- Patients with infection, inflammation, fever, tumors, elevated white blood count, obesity, pregnancy, mental illness and other medical conditions which would prohibit beneficial surgical outcome.
- Patients unwilling or unable to follow post- operative restrictions on movement, especially in athletic and occupational activities.
- Use with components from other systems, or in any case requiring the mixing of metals from different components.
- Grossly distorted anatomy caused by congenital abnormalities.
- Any other medical or surgical condition which would preclude the potential benefit of spinal implant surgery.
- Rapid joint disease, bone absorption, osteopenia. Osteoporosis
  is a relative contraindication since this condition may limit the
  degree of obtainable correction, stabilization, the amount of
  mechanical fixation, and/or the quality of the bone graft.
- Any case where the implant components selected for use would be too large or too small to achieve a successful result.
- Any patient having inadequate tissue coverage over the operative site or inadequate bone stock or quality.
- Any patient in which implant utilization would interfere with anatomical structures or expected physiological performance.
- Any case not described in the indications for use.
- Reuse or multiple uses.

# Cautions, Precautions and Warnings: Cautions:

Mixing of dissimilar metals can accelerate the corrosion process. Stainless steel and titanium components must NOT be used together.

Do not use components of the Savant Lumbar Interbody Fusion System with components from any other manufacturer.

Care must be taken to protect the components from being marred, nicked or notched as a result of contact with other objects. Alterations will produce defects in surface finish and internal stresses which may become the focal point for eventual breakage of the implant.

As with all orthopedic implants, none of the Savant Lumbar Interbody Fusion System components should ever be reused under any circumstances.

### **Precautions:**

The implantation of properly selected and placed system implants and components should be performed only by experienced spinal surgeons with specific training in the use of this spinal system because this is a technically demanding procedure presenting a risk of serious injury to the patient.

Patients who smoke have been shown to have an increased incidence of non-union. These patients should be advised of this fact and warned of the consequences. Other poor candidates for spine fusion include obese, malnourished, those with poor muscle and bone quality, and nerve paralysis patients.

Due to the presence of implants, interference with roentgenographic, CT and/or MR imaging may result. The Savant Lumbar Interbody Fusion System has not been evaluated for safety and compatibility in the MR environment. It has not been tested for heating, migration, or image artifact in the MR environment. The safety of the Savant Lumbar Interbody Fusion System in the MR environment is unknown. Scanning a patient who has this device may result in patient injury.

### Warnings:

This device system is not intended to be the sole means of spinal support. Its use without a bone graft or in cases that develop into a nonunion will not be successful. No spinal implant can withstand the loads of the body without maturation of a solid fusion mass, and in this case, bending, loosening or fracture of the implant will eventually occur. The proper selection and compliance of the patient will greatly affect the results.

The implantation of spinal systems should be performed only by spinal surgeons fully experienced in the surgical techniques required for the use of such implants. Even with the use of spinal implants, a successful result in terms of pain, function, or fusion is not always achieved in every surgical case.

The physician is the learned intermediary between the company and the patient. The indications, contraindications, warnings, and precautions given in this document must be conveyed to the patient. If requested, additional information, including surgical technique manuals, may be obtained through Curiteva customer support representatives.

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