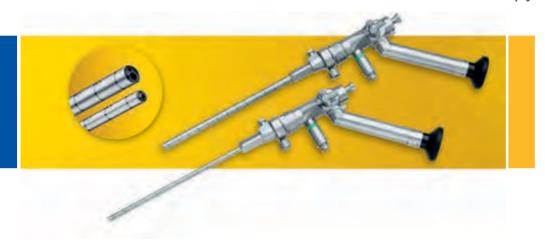
The LOTTA® System for Intracranial Neuroendoscopy





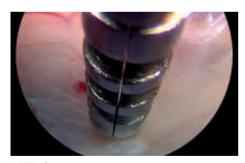


The SCHROEDER LOTTA® System for Intracranial Neuroendoscopy

The LOTTA® system has been designed to perform the full range of endoscopic intracranial interventions in adults and children. The cornerstone of the system is based on the two ventriculoscopes Little LOTTA® and LOTTA®. These enable the treatment of all forms of obstructive hydrocephalus, intraventricular tumors and cysts as well as arachnoid and intraparenchymal cysts. An all-round solution, the LOTTA® system offers a free choice between the Little LOTTA® with its smaller diameter, more convenient handling and use in a wide range of applications such as ventriculostomies, septostomies, tumor biopsies and cyst fenestrations and the LOTTA® with its larger dimensions, which is not only suitable for the therapies mentioned above but is also particularly effective for the removal of colloid cysts, tumor resections, stent implantations as well as aqueductoplasties with subsequent stenting.

The somewhat larger diameter of the LOTTA® ventriculoscope allows the surgeon to perform bimanual dissection using two instruments. These can be used simultaneously in separate channels to enable more technically sophisticated procedures. Furthermore, the resection of larger tissue samples is possible, which benefits therapies such as tumor resection or cyst removal.

All intracranial procedures can thus be carried out. However, there are situations where a 30° viewing angle proves useful. A 30° viewing angle directed on the working channel allows earlier visualization of instruments. Therefore, the use of the LOTTA® 30° in narrow structures is beneficial. In addition, neighboring structures can easily be viewed during resections of cysts or tumors, for example, during the treatment of colloid cyst of the attachment point at the tela choroidea in the roof of the 3rd ventricle.



LOTTA® 30°



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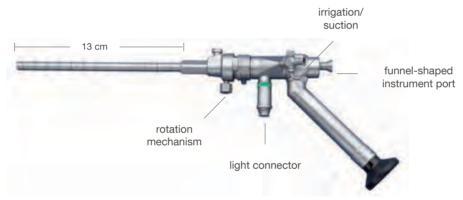
LOTTA® 6°

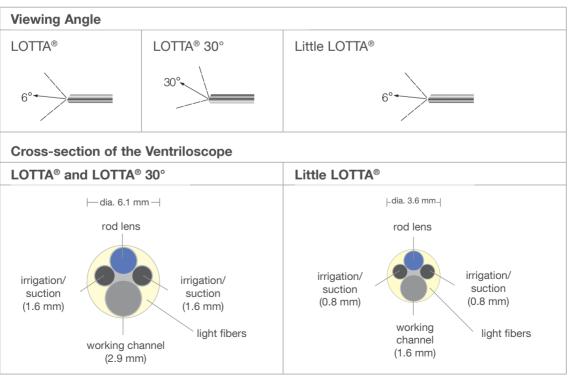


LOTTA® 6°

The LOTTA® 30° is particularly recommended for the resection of colloid cysts and intraventricular tumors. It can also be used for all other endoscopic procedures such as ventriculostomies, septostomies, tumor biopsies, cyst fenestrations and stent placements.

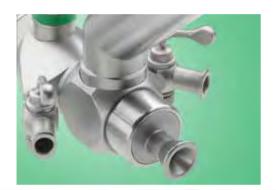
With a similar, yet more slender design, the Little LOTTA®, with the same viewing angle of 6° as the LOTTA®, proves to be particularly valuable for treating patients with a narrow foramen of Monro. In ventriculostomies in both children and adults, the prepontine cistern can be reached directly through the ventriculostomas and, if necessary, the arachnoid membranes can be transected to establish the cerebrospinal fluid (CSF) flow. Although too slender for the simultaneous use of two instruments, the Little LOTTA® offers the same range of functions as its two larger counterparts.





The ventriculoscopes are equipped with a HOPKINS® wide-angle straight forward telescope with a high light-transmitting capacity which delivers unsurpassed image quality and safe orientation, even in protein-rich or bloody CSF fluid. The central working channel is flanked on both sides with two side channels with a smaller diameter. One is used for irrigation/suction and the other for the use of a second instrument.

The irrigation function ensures that continuous cleaning is maintained in the area in front of the endoscope, even when visibility is hindered (cloudy CSF in the case of ventriculitis and/or ventricle bleeding). The drainage channel always remains open to prevent critical intracranial pressure increase caused by excessive irrigation. To facilitate insertion of the instruments into the working channel, a funnel-shaped enlargement has been integrated at the entrance to the working channel. Thanks to this stable construction, both ventriculoscopes are less susceptible to damage during cleaning, sterilization and storage.







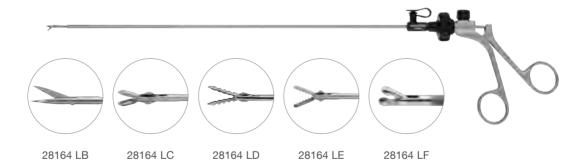
All ventriculoscopes have operating sheaths featuring rotational stability so that they can be fixed to the holding arm to prevent the telescope from sliding down and/or undesired rotational movements where the angle ratios are unfavorable.

However, the ventriculoscopes can still be rotated inside the sheath without having to alter the position on the holding arm – a considerable advantage for bimanual dissection. Furthermore, the operating sheaths can be taken apart for cleaning and sterilization. The LOTTA® system can, of course, be used "freehand".

An obturator is inserted and locked into the working sheath before introduction. With its atraumatic distal tip, the obturator is required to facilitate introduction of the sheath into the ventricle or cysts. An optical obturator can also be used for this purpose, if necessary. A very slender HOPKINS® 0° telescope is introduced through the obturator in order to position the operating sheath under visual control.



The LOTTA® system is equipped with very stable instruments that can be used through the central working channel. A further feature is the marking on the upper part of the sheath which shows when the distal tip emerges from the working channel. This minimizes the danger of unintentional and uncontrolled movements during instrument introduction. Furthermore, the jaws can be aligned by rotating the adjustment wheel, without having to rotate the entire instrument.



The instrument section of this brochure offers you a range of different sets containing all the instruments required for performing the most common endoscopic procedures such as, for example, ventriculostomies, aqueductoplasties, septostomies, foraminoplasties, tumor resections and cyst fenestrations. A full set configuration includes additional diagnostic telescopes with different angles of view that ensure better orientation in the ventricular system.

Customized sets can, of course, be arranged to suit individual requirements.

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Documentation of Findings LOTTA® Neuroendoscope



Fig. 7: Foramen of Monro



Fig. 8: Foramen of Monro with suprasellar arachnoid cyst



Fig. 9: Tumor in foramen of Monro



Fig. 10: Biopsy of a tumor in foramen of Monro



Fig. 11: Bimanual dissection by cutting into the membrane of a suprasellar arachnoid cyst with forceps and scissors

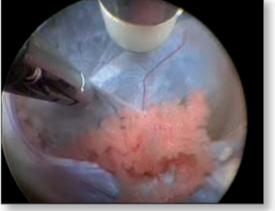


Fig. 12: Bimanual dissection using forceps and bipolar electrode



Fig. 13: Floor of the third ventricle



Fig. 14: Choroid plexus in the lateral ventricle



Fig. 15: Ventriculostomy with balloon catheter



Fig. 16: Pellucid septum



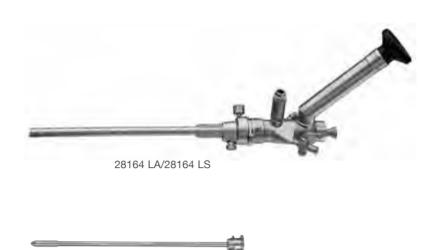
Fig. 17: Colloid cyst

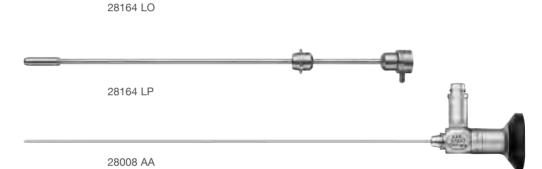


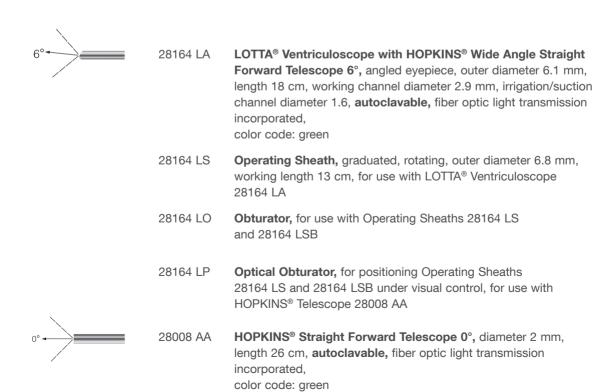
Fig. 18: Stent in the aqueduct

LOTTA® Neuroendoscope

SCHROEDER Recommended Set

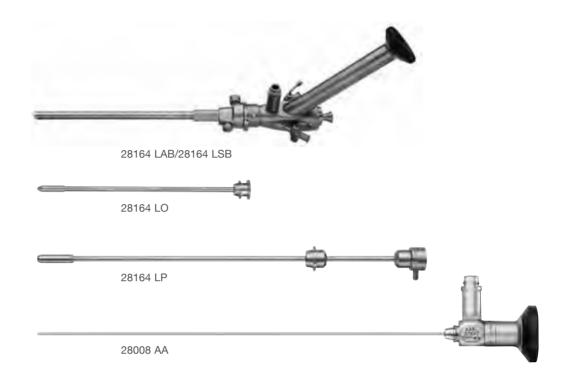


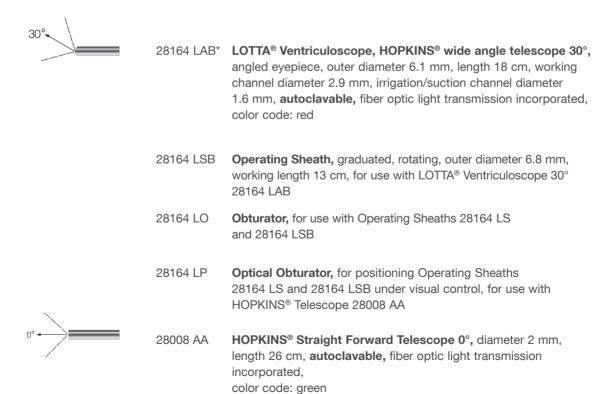




LOTTA® Neuroendoscope 30°

SCHROFDER Recommended Set





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Neuroendoscope Operating Instruments

SCHROEDER Recommended Set

For use with LOTTA® Ventriculoscope 28164 LA/28164 LAB and Operating Sheath 28164 LS/28164 LSB

CLICKLINE Instruments

28164 LB

Diameter 2.7 mm, working length 30 cm

28164 LF

CLICKLINE Biopsy Forceps, rotating,

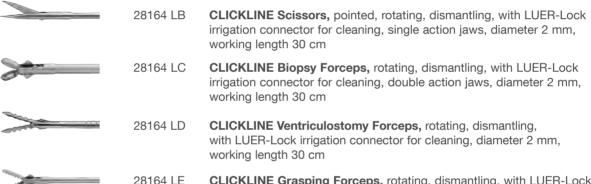
dismantling, with LUER-Lock irrigation connector for cleaning, single action jaws, diameter 2.7 mm,

working length 30 cm

including:

Metal Handle, without ratchet Outer Sheath, with forceps insert

Diameter 2 mm, working length 30 cm



CLICKLINE Grasping Forceps, rotating, dismantling, with LUER-Lock irrigation connector for cleaning, double action jaws, diameter 2 mm, working length 30 cm

Diameter 1.7 mm, working length 30 cm

28160 TV



28162 EM

Scissors, pointed, lightly curved jaws, double action jaws, diameter 1.7 mm, working length 30 cm

Diameter 1.3 mm, working length 30 cm



28162 FP

Scissors, pointed, single action jaws, diameter 1.3 mm, working length 30 cm

Diameter 1 mm, working length 30 cm



28160 TV

Forceps, for ventriculostomy, flexible, double action jaws, diameter 1 mm, working length 30 cm



28160 ZJ

Biopsy Forceps, flexible, double action jaws, diameter 1 mm,

working length 30 cm

Neuroendoscope Operating Instruments

SCHROEDER Recommended Set

For use with LOTTA® Ventriculoscope 28164 LA/28164 LAB and Operating Sheath 28164 LS/28164 LSB



Outer diameter 2.4 mm, working length 30 cm





28164 BDV TAKE-APART® Bipolar Forceps,

long, flat jaws, outer diameter 2.4 mm,

including

Bipolar Ring Handle

Outer Sheath

Bipolar Insert, for single use, package of 5





28164 LG Guillotine Knife, outer diameter 2.7 mm,

working length 30 cm,

including:

Handle

Guillotine Knife Insert



533 TVA Adaptor, autoclavable, permits telescope changing

under sterile conditions

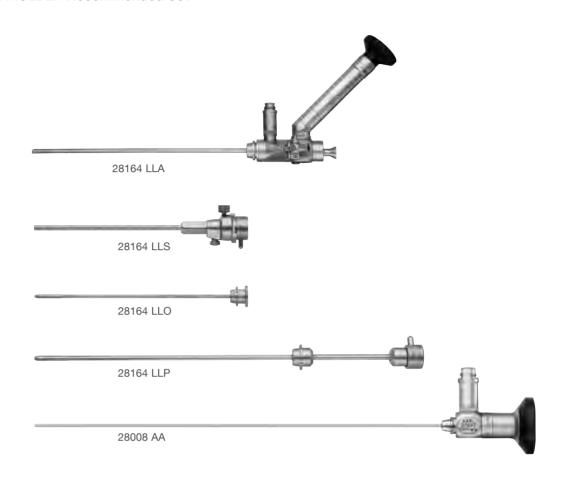


28762 KB Bipolar Coagulation Electrode,

diameter 1.7 mm, working length 30 cm

Little LOTTA® Neuroendoscope

SCHROEDER Recommended Set





Little LOTTA® Ventriculoscope, HOPKINS® Wide Angle Straight Forward Telescope 6°, small, with angled eyepiece, outer diameter 3.6 mm, length 18 cm, working channel diameter 1.6 mm, with suction and irrigation channel diameter 0.8 mm, autoclavable, with irrigation adaptor, fiber optic light transmission incorporated, color code: green

28164 LLS **Operating Sheath,** small, outer diameter 4.5 mm, working length 13.3 cm, for use with SCHROEDER Ventriculoscope 28164 LLA

28164 LLO **Obturator,** for use with operating sheath 28164 LLS

28164 LLP **Optical Obturator,** for use with operating sheath 28164 LLS and HOPKINS® Telescope 28008 AA



HOPKINS® Straight Forward Telescope 0°, diameter 2 mm, length 26 cm, autoclavable, fiber optic light transmission incorporated, color code: green

Neuroendoscope Operating Instruments

SCHROEDER Recommended Set

For use with LOTTA® Ventriculoscope 28164 LLA and Operating Sheath 28164 LLS

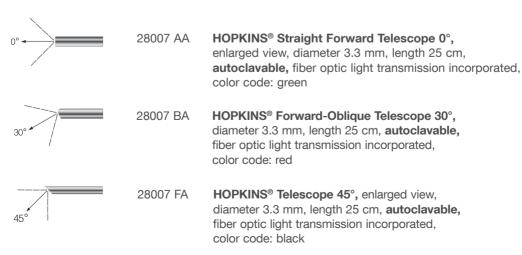
CLICKLINE Instruments

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		28161 SC
	28161 SC	Scissors, single-action jaws, diameter 1.3 mm, working length 30 cm
	28161 SB	Biopsy Forceps, double action jaws, diameter 1.3 mm, working length 30 cm
>	28161 SG	Grasping Forceps, double-action jaws, diameter 1.3 mm, working length 30 cm
	28161 SF	Bipolar Coagulation Electrode, diameter 1.3 mm, working length 30 cm
	28160 TV	Forceps, for ventriculostomy, flexible, double action jaws, diameter 1 mm, working length 30 cm

Diagnosis Telescopes







POINT SETTER - Pneumatic Holding System



28172 WKS POINT SETTER, pneumatic holding arm, set

including:

POINT SETTER Arm OR Table Adaptor

KSLOCK Adaptor, for KARL STORZ clamping jaws

KARL STORZ Clamping Jaw, large KARL STORZ Clamping Jaw, small

KARL STORZ Clamping Jaw, for fiberscopes

Pressure Regulator, 7 bar

Cover*, elasticated, 42 x 164 cm, package of 20

Note: Compressed air tubing is required to operate the POINT SETTER arm. Please select the appropriate tubing and add it to your order.

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Same, package of 80

28172 WA	Connecting Tube, for POINT SETTER, Dräger,
	max. pressure 8 bar/115 psi, length 600 cm
28172 WB	Connecting Tube, for POINT SETTER, Dräger air motor,
	max. pressure 8 bar/115 psi, length 600 cm
28172 WC	Connecting Tube, for POINT SETTER, compressor,
	max. pressure 8 bar/115 psi, length 600 cm
28172 WN	Connecting Tube, for POINT SETTER, Schrader,
	max. pressure 8 bar/115 psi, length 600 cm
28172 WO	Connecting Tube, for POINT SETTER, with open end,
	max. pressure 8 bar/115 psi, length 600 cm
28272 CN	Clamping Cylinder, folding, for flexible mounting of 10 mm telescopes to telescope
	sheath, autoclavable. The clamping cylinder allows vertical movement and rotation
	of the telescope. For use with Clamping Jaw 28272 UGN and 28272 UGK and
	POINT SETTER universal adaptor 10-15 mm
041150-20*	Cover, elasticated, 42 x 164 cm, sterile, for single use,
	package of 20, for use with KARL STORZ holding arms



041150-80*

Mechanical Holding System



Holding System, autoclavable, with quick release coupling KSLOCK

includina:

Rotation Socket, to clamp to the OR table, for European and US standard rails, with lateral clamp for height and angle adjustment of the articulated stand

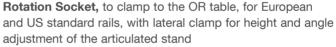
Articulated Stand, reinforced version, L-shaped, with one central clamp for all five joint functions, height 48 cm, swivel range 52 cm, with quick release coupling KSLOCK (female)

Clamping Jaw, metal, clamping range 4.8 up to 12.5 mm, with quick release coupling KSLOCK (male), for use with instrument and telescope sheaths



Holding System, autoclavable, with quick release coupling KSLOCK

including:



Articulated Stand, reinforced version, straight, with one central clamp for all five joint functions, height 30 cm, swivel range 37 cm, with quick release coupling KSLOCK (female)

Clamping Jaw, metal, clamping range 4.8 up to 12.5 mm, with quick release coupling KSLOCK (male), for use with instrument and telescope sheaths





40701701-1 UNIDRIVE® S III NEURO SCB,

motor control unit with color display, touch screen,

two motor outputs, integrated irrigation pump and integrated SCB module,

power supply 100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz

including:

Mains Cord

Irrigator Rod

Two-Pedal Footswitch

SCB Connecting Cable, length 100 cm

Single Use Tubing Set*, sterile, package of 3

High-Speed Mikro-Motor



High-Speed Micro-Motor

Perforator



252640 Perforator Handpiece, max. speed 1200 rpm, without perforator blade,

Hudson connector, for use with High-Speed Micro-Motor 20712033

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size	14/11 mm	11/7 mm			
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Craniotome



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252646 Pediatric Dura Protector,

for use with Craniotome Handpiece 252645



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Duraschutz, pädiatrisch, zur Verwendung mit Kraniotom-Handstück 252645

The medium dura protector is automatically delivered with the craniotome handpiece.



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Medium Dura Protector,

for use with Craniotome Handpiece 252645



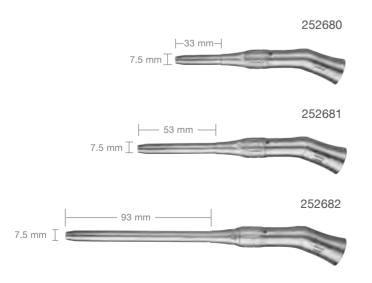
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Large Dura Protector,

for use with Craniotome Handpiece 252645

	High-Speed Craniotome Burrs, 60,000 rpm, sterile, for single use, package of 5					
pediatric	medium	long				
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High-Speed Handpieces - 100,000 rpm



High-Speed Handpiece,

short, angled, 100,000 rpm, for use with High-Speed Micro-Motor **20**712033

High-Speed Handpiece,

medium, angled, 100,000 rpm, for use with High-Speed Micro-Motor **20**712033

High-Speed Handpiece,

long, angled, 100,000 rpm, for use with High-Speed Micro-Motor **20**712033

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Burrs for High-Speed Handpieces

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7.5 mm 9.0 mm	350675 S 350690 S	350675 M 350690 M	
Barrel Burrs		E 77,	
6.0 mm 9.1 mm	350960 S 350991 S	350960 M 350991 M	
NEURO Fluted Burrs			
1.8 mm 3.0 mm	350718 S 350730 S	350718 M 350730 M	350718 L 350730 L

Accessories

280053 **Universal Spray,** 6x 500 ml bottles – HAZARDOUS GOODS – UN 1950

including:

Spray Nozzle

031131-10* **Tubing Set,** for irrigation, for single use, sterile, package of 10





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Wire Trays for Cleaning, Sterilization and Storage

For ventriculoscopes



39501 XP

Wire Tray for Cleaning, Sterilization and Storage,

including cleaning adaptor for washer-disinfector, with lid, spare parts basket 39501 XS and silicone telescope holders, external dimensions (w x d x h): $460 \times 150 \times 80$ mm, for instruments with up to 27 cm working length



Multiport Bridge

For instruments



39502 Z

Wire Tray, for cleaning, sterilization and storage of instruments, stackable, including hole plate walls and foldaway handles, external dimensions (w x d x h): $480 \times 250 \times 66 \text{ mm}$

39502 L

Lid, for use with 480 x 250 mm wire tray

39100 S

Silicone Grid Insert LARGE DIAMOND GRID,

39100 PS

blue, extra wide meshed, external dimensions (w x d): $470 \times 240 \text{ mm}$ **Fixation Pin,** iincluding screw and washer, to screw instruments into

position in wire trays, height 38 mm, package of 12, for use with

Silicone Tie-Downs 39360 AS

39360 AS

Silicone Tie-Downs, package of 12, for use with Fixation Pins

39100 PS and 39360 AP



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Endoscopic Spinal Surgery with the EasyGO! System



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Introduction

Dear colleagues,

Thank you for your interest in our new EasyGO! spine system. Resection of herniated discs, microsurgical decompression and, where indicated, stabilization have all been gold standards for the surgical treatment of degenerative spine diseases since the 1970s. Since then, all three procedures have been performed microsurgically by neurosurgeons.

Despite a high success rate (85-90%), there is an increasing demand for minimally invasive, less traumatic techniques. Endoscopic techniques permit smaller incisions, less muscle damage and less irritation to the nerve root. The resulting loss in muscle strength is also considerably less with endoscopic techniques. This is an important factor as the strength of the extending lumbar and cervical muscles is the main contributor to a natural stabilization in the patient and thus crucial to the prevention of future degeneration. When compared with microsurgery, the main disadvantages of conventional endoscopic techniques are the intensity of the corresponding learning curves, which is such that the techniques can only be applied in selected cases, and that significantly longer surgical times are required.



Fig. 1: Endoscopic operation with the smallest EasyGO! trocar (color code orange, O.D. 15 mm)

As a solution to this conflict, we have developed a new universal system for minimally invasive lumbar and dorsal cervical disc and spinal surgery. The EasyGO! system aims to combine the microsurgery with the advantages of spinal endoscopy. With the EasyGO!, microsurgical skills can be applied and enhanced under endoscopic guidance. Since microsurgical techniques are already well established in neurosurgical spinal surgery, most neurosurgical spinal surgeons require only brief training to be able to perform endoscopic lumbar disc surgery with EasyGO! The use of a dilator system in conjunction with a selected range of working tubes (15 mm, 19 mm, 23 mm) affords the main advantages of minimal incision lengths and will reduce muscle trauma. Lumbar disc procedures with EasyGO! can be performed with a skin incision of 1.0 cm using small tubes. When larger tubes are employed, all decompression techniques can be applied - even drill procedures can be performed with only minor trauma to the dorsal structures. The 30° large field Happins telescope with adjustable depth and viewing angle (360°) provides excellent optical quality and maneuverability, which allows inspection and manipulation even far lateral and to the opposite side of the spine, e.g., for resection of the lateral recess, in the foramina along the nerve roots, and a bilateral bony decompression of the spinal canal via a unilateral approach. The application of pedicle screws is also possible.

We hope that you will find the EasyGO! system helpful in creating minimally invasive but adequate and effective approaches to the lumbar and dorsal cervical spine.

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Indications

- All types of lumbar disc herniations from medial to far lateral
- Spinal and foraminal stenosis the EasyGO! allows a bilateral decompression using a unilateral approach. Also multilevel decompression is possible
- Cervical disc herniations and stenosis

The operation under endoscopic view with the EasyGO!

Step 1: Skin incision



Fig. 2: Skin incision – between 0.8 cm and 1.5 cm, depending on the size of the trocar

Step 2: Minimally invasive approach through progressive dilation



Fig. 3: Sequential dilation of soft tissue. In this case, dilation is used to prepare for the "orange" trocar which is the smallest in the range with an outer diameter of 15 mm. Additional dilation for the bigger trocars (19 mm or 23 mm) is possible at any time.

The approach with the dilation system and the introduction of the (initial) working tube before optical visualization of the structures must be controlled by fluoroscopy, especially in the lateral view (neuronavigation might also be considered, but must be precise – its disadvantage is the dependence on proper system referencing). Please note that the dilation system, if not properly and cautiously inserted, might perforate the intervertebral space through the ligamentum flavum and possibly through to the dura, especially in the case of a lumbar spine where bony stenosis is not present or in large intervertebral spaces/ lig. flava. If the dilation system is not properly inserted and this is not immediately recognized, the ligamentum flavum or a perforated dura might be dilated by dilation tubes, with the subsequent risk of damage to the intradural structures (nerve roots, cauda). Therefore, the initial puncture with the puncture needle must only penetrate to the surface of the upper vertebral arch (above the intervertebral space, not below the lower end of the limiting bony rim of the arch). Instead of using the puncture needle initally, surgery may also be initiated with the smallest dilation tube (outer diameter 5.2 mm, white label, no. 28163 CNS). Likewise, the initial puncture must strictly go to the surface of the upper arch (lower end – be cautious not to slip below).

If too much exertion is applied with the small-white label first dilator, it could also perforate the ligamentum flavum. The hard bony surface of the upper arch must also be felt with each subsequent dilation tube. The lower end of all tubes must visible with fluoroscopy above the spinal canal approx. 1/3 of the diameter securely positioned over the upper arch. Standard practice normally involves an initial, definite, visual identification with the endoscope of the lower margin of the upper arch and parts of the joint surface following insertion of the working tube. From this point on, surgery is guided by continuous endoscopic vision, as with microsurgery, using identical techniques and similar instruments, which, however, have been adapted to the 'tube-guided' approach. Then under visual control, the direction of the working tube might be varied according to the approach required for dissection. In case of orientation problems, the tube position should be rechecked using fluoroscopy.

The operation under endoscopic control with the EasyGO!

Step 3: Introduction of the trocar



Fig. 4: Final dilation with 'orange' dilator and insertion of final 'orange' working tube. The orange trocar is the smallest tube with an outer diameter of 15 mm, allowing a 'single-stitch' approach

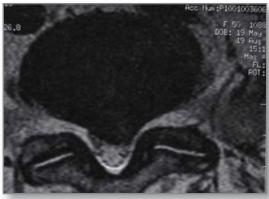


Fig. 5: Axial T1 weighted MRI showing a large left mediolateral sequestered disc prolaps at the level of L5/S1

Step 4: Attachment of the holding arm and insertion of the scope



Fig. 6a: Inserted working tube connected to the holder



Fig. 6b: Then the working insert is attached and the endoscope inserted into the trocar

Step 5: Connection of the camera head and the light cable



Fig. 7: The endoscope is then connected to the camera head and to the light source via the light cable

Step 6: Endoscopic operation



Fig. 8: Fully installed system in working environment



Fig. 9: Lateral fluoroscopy to check for the appropriate approach parallel to the disc space. Note the position above the spinal canal, about 1/3 (upper end of tube) over the upper arch!



Fig. 10: After insertion of the endoscope, bony resistance of the lamina is felt



Fig. 11: Remnant muscle tissue is removed with forceps ...



Fig. 12: ... and punches

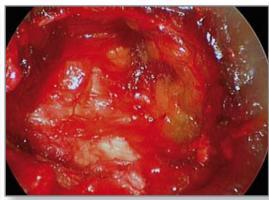


Fig. 13: The ligamentum flavum is exposed

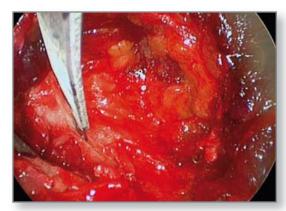


Fig. 14: The ligament is incised with a scalpel

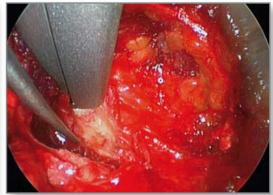


Fig. 15: After incision, the ligament is partially removed with a punch



Fig. 16: The dura is visible

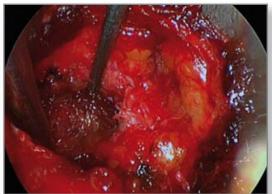


Fig. 17: The prolapse is localized using a dissector

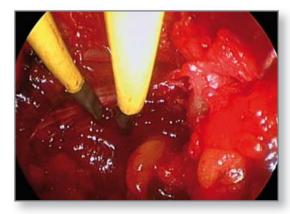


Fig. 18: Epidural vessels are coagulated



Fig. 19: A nerve retractor is inserted and the prolapse is exposed



Fig. 20: The prolapse is mobilized with a hook ...



Fig. 21: ... and subsequently removed with grasping forceps

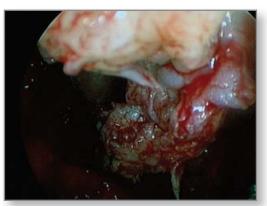


Fig. 22: Removing the prolapse

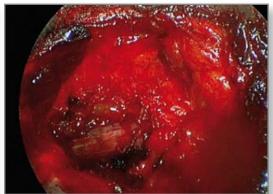


Fig. 23: At the end of the procedure, the decompressed dural sac and nerve root are visible



Fig. 24: Disc sequesters as large as almost 4 cm can be removed with this technique



Fig. 25: The skin incision is about 1.8 cm – the skin incision obviously depends on the size of the trocar used.

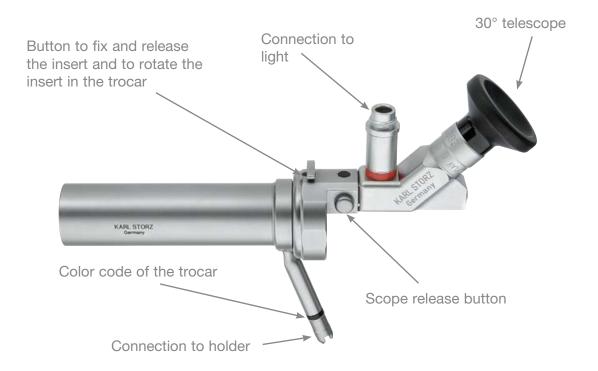
For surgeons

- Easy and safe procedure with a standard bimanual microsurgical technique
- Short learning curve as operating technique is very similar to microsurgery
- Improved visualization thanks to HOPKING® telescopes, especially in combination with HD video technology
- Improved differentiation of anatomic structures resulting in a gentler manipulation of the neural structures
- EasyGO! is basically applicable for any degenerative lumbar and cervical spine indication. The size of the trocar can be chosen depending on the indication:
 orange trocar with OD 15 mm = single stitch technique
 - green trocar with OD 19 mm
 black trocar with OD 23 mm
- Use of a high-speed drill possible
- Dilation system reduces muscle trauma
- Decompression at two levels with one approach possible
- Bilateral decompression via unilateral approach
- Low complication rate if properly done (approach primarily directed to the upper bony verterbral arch, not into the intervertebral space; then 'only dissect what you can see' / anatomically defined!)

For patients

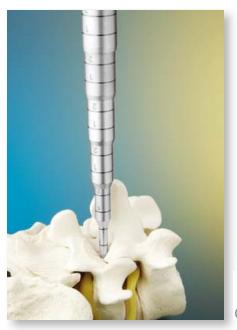
- Less invasive
- Good postoperative results as with microsurgery
- Smaller incisions and less tissue trauma, especially when using the small orange trocar (OD 15 mm) which allows a single-stich technique
- Less postoperative pain
- Earlier return to work
- High patient satisfaction

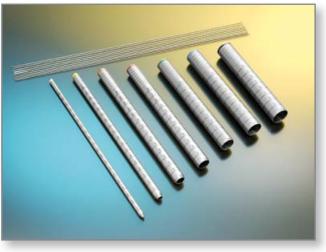
Assembled system



Dilators

A color-coded dilator set is used for the minimally invasive approach. Due to the muscle-sparing access, patients report about less post-operative pain. The color coding of the dilators guide the surgeon as the trocars have the same color codes. Additional dilation is possible at any time.





Color-coded dilation set for easy use.

Trocars and Inserts

There are three different trocars with outer diameters of 15 mm (color code orange, art. no. 28163 GTM), 19 mm (color code green, art. no. 28163 GTK) and 23 mm (color code black, art. no. 28163 GTG). There are two different inserts for each of these trocars.



Here you see a picture of the medium trocar (19 mm) from below. Note the spacious working channel!

One insert is fixed in the trocar with a corresponding scope. The other insert comes with an optic sheath, which can be moved up and down in the trocar.

The non-movable insert is useful for simple, standard disc herniations, whereas the movable insert provides the opportunity to move the scope inside the spinal canal (below the edge of the trocar). Both inserts and therefore the scope can be rotated by 360° allowing a panoramic vision of the operative field.

Color code	Orange = small	Green = medium	Black = large
Trocar	28163 GTM	28163 GTK	28163 GTG
Non-movable insert Corresponding telescope	28163 GAM 28095 BAK		28163 GAG 28095 BAK



Range of EasyGO! trocars with inserted scopes: orange trocar with OD 15mm, green trocar with OD 19mm, black trocar with 23mm - this allows miniaturized approaches and more maximized ones to cover all possible indications.

Instrument details

Telescopes

Two 30° telescopes belong to the set. The shorter one is for the non-movable insert. The longer one can be adjusted in depth and is especially recommended for decompression/dissection 'under the margins', in the foramina and on the controlateral side for bilateral decompression through a unilateral approach.



Scopes with 30° angle of view and two different length to optimize the operative field viewing

Holder

The attached metal rod on the side of the trocar is the connection to the holder. Here you can see a picture of the assembled EasyGO! system.

The holder has a newly-developed, fast-locking clamp, called the 'KS lock', art. no. 28272 HB with socket 28172 HR. This 'friction type' holder allows various positions – from 'completely' loose to 'fixed, but still movable' or 'firmly fixed in position'.



Low-Profile, easy "snap-on" holder to quickly and accurately position the trocar



1	28163 PL	Puncture Needle, diameter 1.7 mm, working length 18 cm, with 1.4 mm opening for guide wire
2	28163 KD	Guide wire, not sterile, diameter 1.2 mm, length 31 cm, pack of 10
3	28163 CNS	Dilation Sleeve , OD 5.2 mm, ID 1.5 mm, graduated, length 23 cm, color code white
4	28163 COS	Dilation Sleeve , OD 8.9 mm, ID 5.3 mm, graduated, length 21 cm, for use with trocar 28163 CO, color code yellow
5	28163 CPS	Dilation Sleeve , OD 12.7 mm, ID 9.7 mm, graduated, length 19 cm, for use with trocar 28163 CP, color code orange
6	28163 CQS	Dilation Sleeve , OD 14.9 mm, ID 12.9 mm, graduated, length 17 cm, color code red
7		Dilation Sleeve , OD 16.9 mm, ID 15.1 mm, graduated, length 15 cm, for use with trocar 28163 CR, color code green
8	28163 CSS	Dilation Sleeve , OD 18.9 mm, ID 17.1 mm, graduated, length 14 cm, colour code blue
9		Dilation Sleeve , OD 20.9 mm, ID 19 mm, graduated, length 13 cm, for use with trocar 28163 CT, color code black
		EasyGO! Trocar, diameter 15 mm, working length 70 mm, for use with EasyGO! inserts and according telescope (not pictured)
		EasyGO! Insert, diameter 15 mm, for use with EasyGO! Trocar 28163 GTM and telescope 28095 BAK (not pictured)
		EasyGO! Insert, diameter 15 mm, for use with EasyGO! Trocar 28163 GTM and telescope 28095 BAL, movable inside the trocar (not pictured)
10	28163 GTK	EasyGO! Trocar, diameter 19 mm, working length 74 mm, for use with EasyGO! inserts and according telescope
		EasyGO! Insert, diameter 19 mm, for use with EasyGO! Trocar 28163 GTK and telescope 28095 BAK
		EasyGO! Insert , diameter 19 mm, for use with EasyGO! Trocar 28163 GTK and telescope 28095 BAL, movable inside the trocar
11)		EasyGO! Trocar, diameter 23 mm, working length 76 mm, for use with EasyGO! inserts and according telescope
12	28095 BAK	### Straight Forward Telescope 30°, eyepiece 45° angled, diameter 4 mm, length 9.5 cm, for use with EasyGO! system, autoclavable, fiberoptic light transmission incorporated, color code: red
	28095 BAL	H미무너지도® Straight Forward Telescope 30°, eyepiece 45° angled, diameter 4 mm, length 12 cm, for use with EasyGO! system, autoclavable, fiberoptic light transmission incorporated, color code: red
	28163 GAG	EasyGO! Insert, diameter 23 mm, for use with EasyGO! Trocar 28163 GTG and telescope 28095 BAK
	28163 GGL	EasyGO! Insert , diameter 23 mm, for use with EasyGO! Trocar 28163 GTG and telescope 28095 BAL, movable inside the trocar
	28163 GLS	EasyGO! Telescope Sheath, for use with 28095 BAL
13)	495 NL	Fiberoptic Light Cable, size 3.5 mm, length 180 cm
14)	28163 CLS	24 cm
15)		KERRISON Bone Punch 90° , upbiting forward, size 4 mm, working length 24 cm
16)		KERRISON Bone Punch 40° , upbiting forward, size 2 mm, working length 24 cm
17)		KERRISON Bone Punch 40° , upbiting forward, size 4 mm, working length 24 cm
18)	28163 BKD	KERRISON Punch , bayonet-shaped, downbiting 40° forward, size 2 mm, working length 17 cm

Recommended set acc. to Prof. GAAB and Prof. OERTEL

19	28163 BKU	KERRISON Punch , bayonet-shaped, upbiting 40° forward, size 2 mm, working length 17 cm
20	28163 EHK 28163 FB	Hook Scissors , single action jaws, size 2.7 mm, working length 25 cm BLAKESLEY Nucleus Cutting Forceps , single action jaws, movable jaw opening upwards, diameter 3.5 mm, working length 20 cm (not pictured)
21)	28163 CC	Spoon Forceps , heavy, oval, spoon size 3 × 10 mm, single action jaws, working length 20 cm
22	28164 MDB	MORTINI Dissector , dead hand, bayonet shaped, 3 mm, curved upward, with round handle, sharp, working length 16 cm
	28163 AH	Palpation Hook, hook distally angled 90° , blunt, working length 20 cm (not pictured)
23)	28163 DSB	Dissector, distal tapered, bajonet-shaped, working length 15 cm
24)	28163 NSB	Nerve Hook, distal length 3 mm, bajonet-shaped, working length 15 cm
25)	28163 NBB	Nerve Hook, distall length 5 mm, bajonet-shaped, working length 15 cm
		Knife , bajonett shaped with surgical handle (not shown), working length 15 cm, for blades 208010 - 15, 208210 - 15
26)	28163 RAS	Raspatory, rasp 6 × 2 mm, working length 20 cm
		Surgical handle, bayonet-shaped with working length 15 cm for blades 208010-15, 208210-15
27)	28163 RN	Nerve Retractor, hook 4 mm, angled sheath, working length 20 cm
	649182	FERGUSON Suction Tube, with cut-off hole and stylet, LUER, working length 15 cm, 8 Fr. (not pictured)
28	844523	Bipolar Coagulating Forceps , insulated, bayonet-shaped, tip 0.3 mm, length 23 cm, for use with bipolar high frequency cord 847000 E or 847000 A/M/T/V
29	844623	Bipolar Coagulating Forceps , insulated, bayonet, blunt, tip 1.2 mm wide, length 23 cm, for use with bipolar high frequency cords 847000 E or 847000A/F/M/N/S/T/V
	28164 BDG	Take-apart TAN BipolarGrasping Forceps , size 3,4 mm, length 20 cm, for use with trocar size 3.9 mm,
		consisting of:
		26284 HM Ring Handle
		26284 AS Outer Tube
		26284 BS Inner Tube
		28164 FDG Forceps Insert
30	426620	GRUENWALD Nasal Dressing Forceps , bayonet, 20 cm
(31)	28272 HB	Articulated Stand, reinforced version, only, L-shaped, with one mechanical
	20272115	central clamp for all five joint functions, height 48 cm, operating range 52 cm, with fastener: 'KS lock' (female)
	28172 HR	Rotation Socket to clamp on the operating table with one already mounted butterfly nut 28172 HRS, for use with European and United States standard rails, with lateral clamping element for height and angle adjustment of the articulated stand
		Bipolar Cable (not pictured)
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Recommended Sterilization Containers:

Telescopes: 39301 A
Instruments: 39360 AK (2×)



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for use with IMAGE 1TM HD and standard one- and three-chip camera heads, max. resolution 1920 x 1080 Pixel, with integrated KARL STORZ SCB[®] and integrated digital Image Processing Module, color systems PAL/NTSC, power supply 100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz

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400 A	Mains Cord
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20 2032 70	Special RGB Connecting Cable
2x 20 2210 70	Connecting Cable, for controlling peripheral units,
	length 180 cm
20 0400 86	DVI Connecting Cable, length 180 cm
20 0901 70	SCB Connecting Cable, length 100 cm
20 2001 30U	Keyboard, with English character set

Specifications:

Signal-to-noise ratio	AGC	Video output	Input
IMAGE 1 HUB™ HD Three-chip camera systems ≥ 60 dB	Micro- processor- controlled	- Composite signal to BNC socket - S-Video signal to 4-pin Mini DIN socket (2x) - RGBS signal to D-Sub socket - SDI signal to BNC socket (only IMAGE 1 HUB™ HD with SDI module)(2x) - HDTV signal to DVI-D socket (2x)	Keyboard for title generator, 5-pin DIN socket

Control output /input	Dimensions w x h x d (mm)	Weight (kg)	Power supply	Certified to:
- KARL STORZ-SCB® at 6-pin Mini DIN socket (2x) - 3.5 mm stereo jack plug (ACC 1, ACC 2), - Serial port at RJ-11 - USB port (only IMAGE 1 HUB™ HD with ICM) (2x)	305 x 89 x 335	2.95	100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz	IEC 601-1, 601-2-18, CSA 22.2 No. 601, UL 2601-1 and CE acc. to MDD, protection class 1/CF

SDI – Serial Digital Interface: optimized to display medical images on Flat Screens, Routing with OR1[™] and digital recording with AIDA-DVD-M

ICM: USB-connector for recording video streams and stills on USB storage media or for connection of USB printers for direct printing of the recorded stills



max. resolution 1920 x 1080 pixels, progressive scan, soakable, gas and plasmasterilizable, with integrated Parfocal Zoom Lens, focal length $f=15-31\ mm$ (2x), 2 freely programmable camera head buttons, for use with color system PAL/NTSC

Image sensor 3x 1/s" CCD-Chip
Pixel output signall H x V 1920 x 1080

Dimensions Diameter 32-44 mm, length 114 mm

 Weight
 246 g

 Min. sensitivity
 F 1,4/1,17 Lux

Lens Integrated Parfocal Zoom Lens,

f = 15-31 mm

Grip mechanism
Standard eyepiece detector,
Cable
non-detachable

Cable length 300 cm

KARL STORZ HD Flat Screens Color systems PAL/NTSC	Version	Order No.	Screen diagonal	Max. screen resolution	Composite signar	S-Video to 4-pin			SDI to BNC SOCKET		DVI to DVI-D Sock	-cret
	Wall mounted with VESA	9524 NB	24"		10°2	S-V Mir	RG 5x	VG.	SD	HD	NO	
	100-adaption	9526 NB	26"									
	Desktop with	9524 N	24"									
	pedestal	9526 N	26"									

The following accessories are included:

400 A Mains Cord

9523 PS External 24VDC Power Supply

9419 NSF Pedestal

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Compact storage unit with integrated DVD/CD writer and integrated SmartscreenTM, color systems **PAL/NTSC**, power supply 100 - 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz

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400 B Mains Cord, US-version

536 MK BNC/BNC Video Cable, length 180 cm 547 S S-Video (Y/C) Connecting Cable,

length 180 cm

2x **20** 0400 83 Adaptor BNC Cinch

20 0400 84 Serial Connecting Cable, length 20 cm
 20 0400 85 DVI Connecting Cable, length 20 cm
 20 0400 88 USB Extension Cable, length 7.5 cm



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20 0400 88 **USB Extension Cable,** length 7.5 cm

Specifications:

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- PAL - NTSC	- SDI - S-Video (Y/C) - Composite	- JPG - BMP - TIFF	MPEG2	WAV	- DVD+R - DVD-R - CD-R - USB stick



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incl. power supply and power cable
USB Connecting Cable, length 180 cm
SDI Connecting Cable, length 180 cm
2x DVI-D Connecting Cable, length 180 cm

202000 74 **USB Hub**

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Note:

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