LOCKING VOLAR PLATES FOR DISTAL RADIUS FRACTURES

VISIOFIXTM



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CONCEPT OF LOCKING VOLAR PLATES

FOR DISTAL RADIUS FRACTURES



The locking volar plates VISIOFIX™ range is designed for the treatment of extra-articular and intra-articular distal radius fractures.

The locking of the screw heads in the plate ensures stable mounting, which is essential for maintaining fracture reduction.

The VISIOFIX™ plates are offered with a single-use instrument set which guarantees that the instrumentation is always new and available, as well as optimal traceability.



CHARACTERISTICS AND DESIGN

OF **VISIOFIX™** IMPLANTS

3 types of plates

The locking volar plates VISIOFIX™ range is designed for the treatment of distal radius fractures.

It includes 3 types of plates:

- V1 plate, ambidextrous, for extra-articular fractures
- V2 plates, lateralized, for intra-articular fractures
- V3 plates, lateralized long, for intra-articular fractures

Large viewing window

for controlling the fracture reduction up to fixation.





in left or right version for

intra-articular fractures.

Oblong hole not lockable to adjust the positioning of the plate.

Distal central K-wire hole for preliminary stabilization of the fracture reduction and control of the precise positioning of the plate.

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for extra-articular

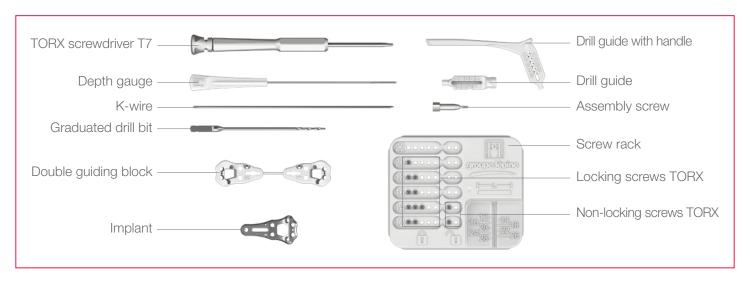
fractures.



The VISIOFIX™ kit includes the plate, screws and a single-use instrument set.

This complete and new instrumentation guarantees for each procedure:

- optimal traceability
- risk prevention



SURGICAL TECHNIQUE

for extra-articular fractures with the ambidextrous plate

Plate preparation

Positioning of the right(R) or left(L) guiding block on the plate, held by the assembly screw.



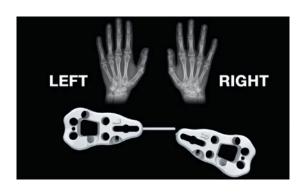




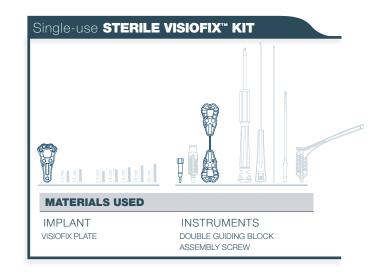




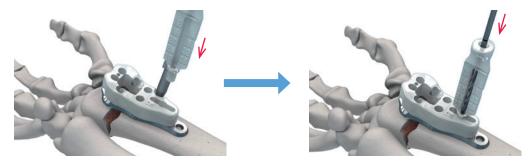
Plate positioning

Using the assembly screw as a holder, position the plate on the edge of the distal radius, centered on the longitudinal axis.





• Bicortical drilling using the drill guide.

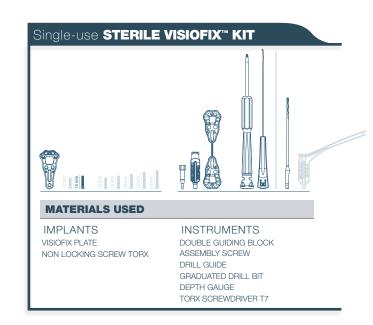


 Reading the screw length with the depth gauge in the drill guide.



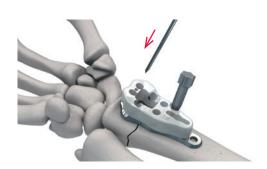
• Screwing in the cortical screw.

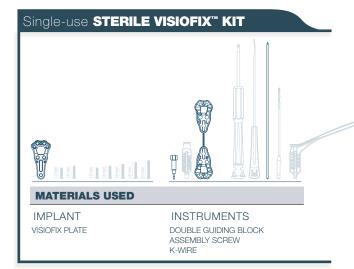




Inserting the K-wire

After reduction of the fracture by external manipulation, controlled through the viewing window of the plate, insertion of the K-wire in the distal central hole.





• Check the correct positioning of the plate.



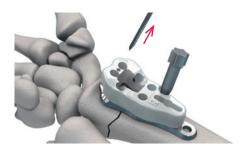
If the K-wire is implanted in the joint, the plate must be repositioned.



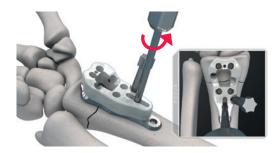
If the K-wire does not protrude into the joint, proceed to the step "Drilling the ulnar epiphyseal hole"

Repositioning of the plate

• Removal of the K-wire.

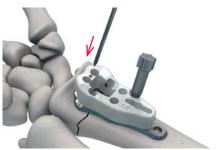


• Loosening the screw from the oblong hole.



• Tightening the screw and inserting the K-wire.

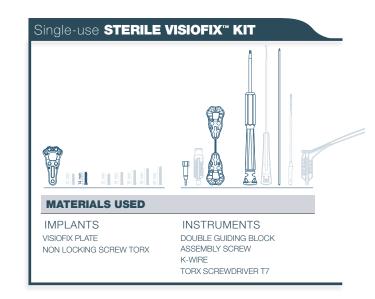




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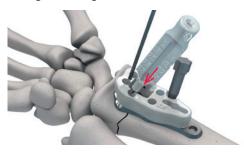
• Proximal translation of the plate.



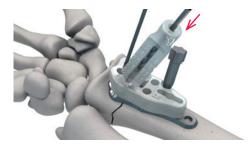


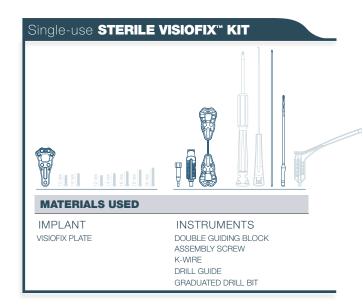
Drilling of the ulnar epiphyseal hole

• Positioning the drill guide.



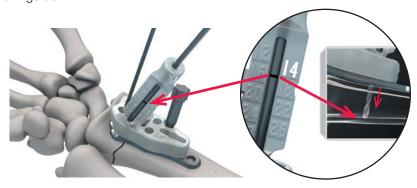
• Drilling pre-oriented epiphyseal route.



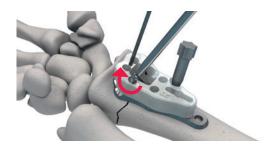


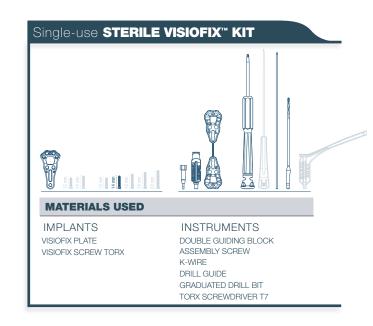
Determining the optimal screw length and inserting the screw

- Drill and stop on the 2nd cortical.
- Read the indicated value by the graduated drill bit on the drill guide.



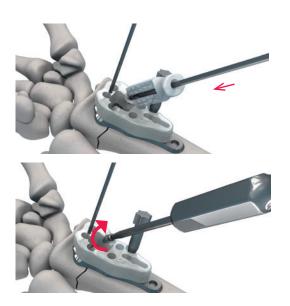
 Insert the selected screw by tightening until the screw head is locked in the plate.

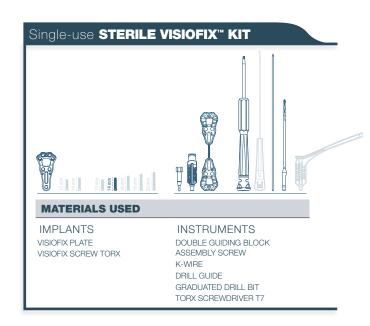




Insertion of the radial epiphyseal screw

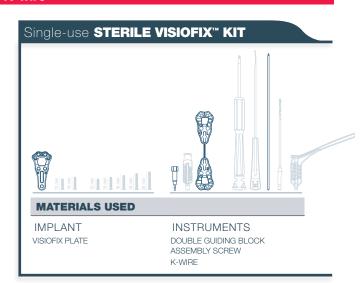
 Proceed in the same steps as for the ulnar epiphyseal screw.





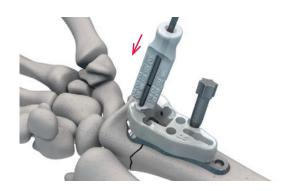
Removal of the K-wire

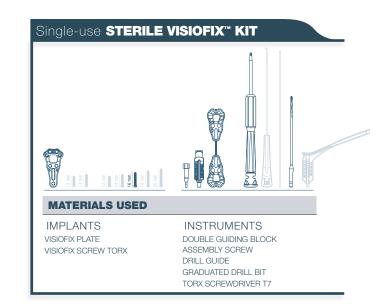




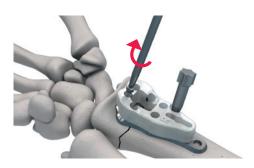
Inserting the 2 central epiphyseal screws

• Using the drill guide, drill and read the corresponding screw length.



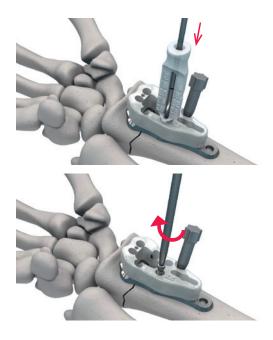


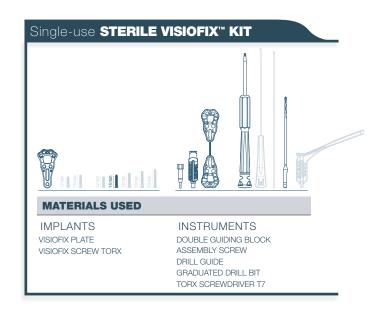
• Insert the screw by tightening until the screw head is locked in the plate.



Insertion of 1 or 2 metaphyseal screws

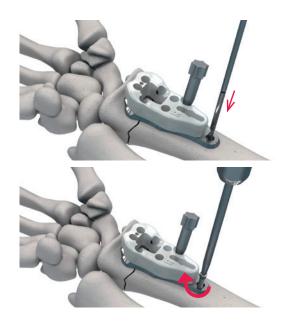
 Depending of the type of fracture and need, insert 1 or 2 metaphyseal screws in the same way as for epiphyseal screws.

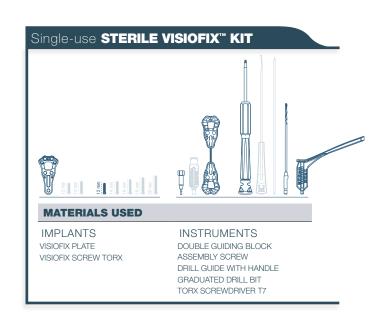




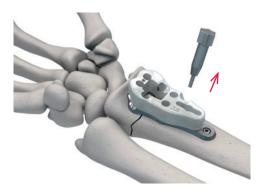
Insertion of the diaphyseal screw with bicortical drill bit

• Outside the guiding block, measure the screw length using the drill guide with handle.





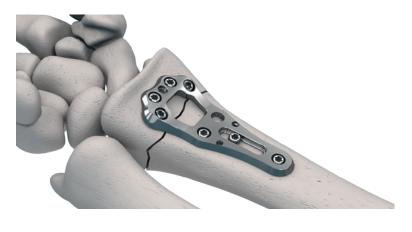
• Unscrewing the assembly screw.

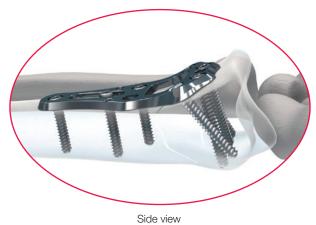


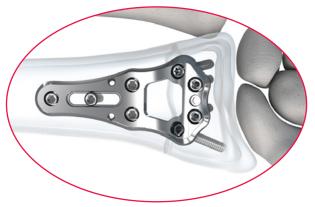
• Removal of the guiding block.



• Checking the quality of the assembly and the reduction of the fracture.







Front view

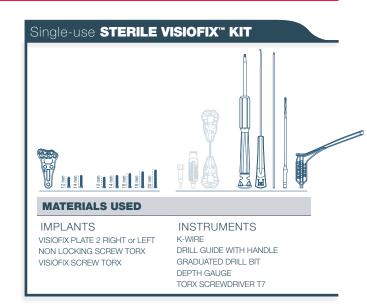
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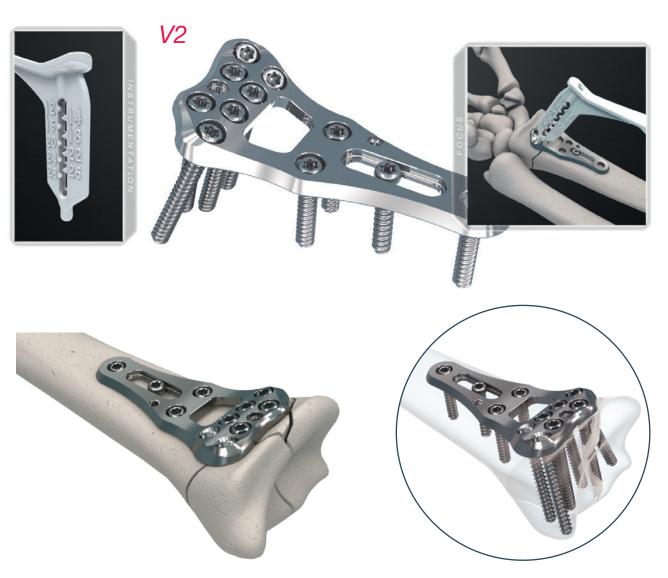
For intra-articular fractures with lateralized plates

The surgical technique is similar to that of the ambidextrous plate using the drill guide with handle instead of the combination of guiding block and graduated drill guide.

graduated drill guide.
The additional epiphyseal screws are inserted in the following steps:

- Drilling the styloid hole.
 Using the drill guide with handle to drill the screw route in the desired orientation.
- Inserting the screw in the same way as for epiphyseal screw.
- Inserting epiphyseal screws in the additional central holes using the same technique as for the styloid screw.





Removal of the plate

To remove the device, use the TORX screwdriver T7 (Ref. OVAST010).

First remove the screws with the TORX screwdriver T7. If necessary, remove the plate from the radius using an osteotome (standard instrumentation in the operating room).

VISIOFIX™ STERILE KITS

COMPOSITION

V1 ambidextrus plate

VISIOFIX™ KIT 1 : OVIKC001		
DESIGNATION	QUANTITY	
IMPLANTS VISIOFIX PLATE NON LOCKING SCREW L12 TORX NON LOCKING SCREW L14 TORX VISIOFIX SCREW L12 TORX VISIOFIX SCREW L14 TORX VISIOFIX SCREW L14 TORX VISIOFIX SCREW L16 TORX VISIOFIX SCREW L18 TORX VISIOFIX SCREW L18 TORX VISIOFIX SCREW L20 TORX	1 1 1 2 3 2 2 2	
INSTRUMENTATION DOUBLE GUIDING BLOCK ASSEMBLY SCREW DRILL GUIDE DRILL GUIDE WITH HANDLE GRADUATED DRILL BIT DEPTH GAUGE TORX SCREWDRIVER T7 KIRSCHNER 1TROCAR Ø1.5 L150	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	



V2 lateralized plates

VISIOFIX™ KIT 2 right or left: OVIKD002 or OVIKG002		
DESIGNATION	QUANTITY	
IMPLANTS		
VISIOFIX KIT 2 RIGHT	1	
or VISIOFIX KIT 2 LEFT	1	
NON LOCKING SCREW L12 TORX	1	
NON LOCKING SCREW L14 TORX	1	
VISIOFIX SCREW L12 TORX	2	
VISIOFIX SCREW L14 TORX	3	
VISIOFIX SCREW L16 TORX	2	
VISIOFIX SCREW L18 TORX	3	
VISIOFIX SCREW L20 TORX	2	
VISIOFIX SCREW L22 TORX	1	
INSTRUMENTATION		
DRILL GUIDE WITH HANDLE	1	
GRADUATED DRILL BIT	1	

V3 lateralized long plates

DEPTH GAUGE TORX SCREWDRIVER T7 KIRSCHNER 1TROCAR Ø1.5 L150

VISIOFIX™ KIT 3 right or left: OVIKD003 or OVIKG003			
DESIGNATION	QUANTITY		
IMPLANTS			
VISIOFIX KIT 3 RIGHT	1		
or VISIOFIX KIT 3 LEFT	1		
NON LOCKING SCREW L12 TORX	1		
NON LOCKING SCREW L14 TORX	1		
VISIOFIX SCREW L12 TORX	4		
/ISIOFIX SCREW L14 TORX	5		
/ISIOFIX SCREW L16 TORX	2		
/ISIOFIX SCREW L18 TORX	3		
/ISIOFIX SCREW L20 TORX	2		
VISIOFIX SCREW L22 TORX	1		
INSTRUMENTATION			
DRILL GUIDE WITH HANDLE	1		
GRADUATED DRILL BIT	1		
DEPTH GAUGE	1		
TORX SCREWDRIVER T7	1		
KIRSCHNER 1TROCAR Ø1.5 L150	1		

VISIOFIX™ removal kit		
DESIGNATION	REF	
TORX SCREWDRIVER T7	OVAST010	

On	demand

Additional screws are available, packaged individually and delivered sterile .

DESIGNATION	REF
NON LOCKING SCREW TORX, L12 to L28 (from 2 to 2)	OVINT2xx
VISIOFIX SCREW TORX, L12 to L28 (from 2 to 2)	OVIVT2xx



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