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Triathlon[®] AS-1

Triathlon AS-1 is a CT-based, patient-specific system that is designed to simplify the total knee arthroplasty (TKA) procedure¹ for a comprehensive ambulatory surgery solution.

Combined with our Triathlon Knee implants, Triathlon AS-1 is designed to streamline TKA before, during and after surgery,¹ allowing surgeons the ability to take greater control at their site of care.

CT-based planning

Triathlon AS-1 patient-specific guides are designed utilizing our CT-based planning expertise with Triathlon. Your patient's CT scan is processed through a proprietary planning algorithm which, paired with your surgical sizing preferences, produces an individualized preoperative plan and 3D-printed cutting guides specific to your patient's anatomy.

With our planning algorithm, we can determine implant sizing and accurate positioning.¹ As demonstrated in a cadaveric model, implant positional accuracy to plan with Triathlon AS-1 was within 1.7° for overall limb alignment.¹

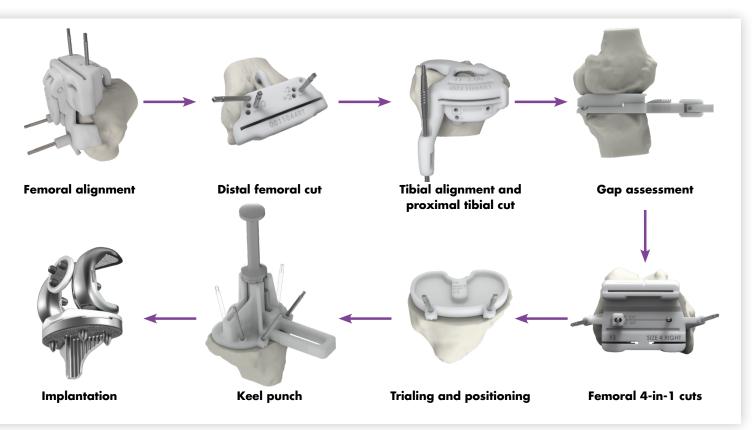




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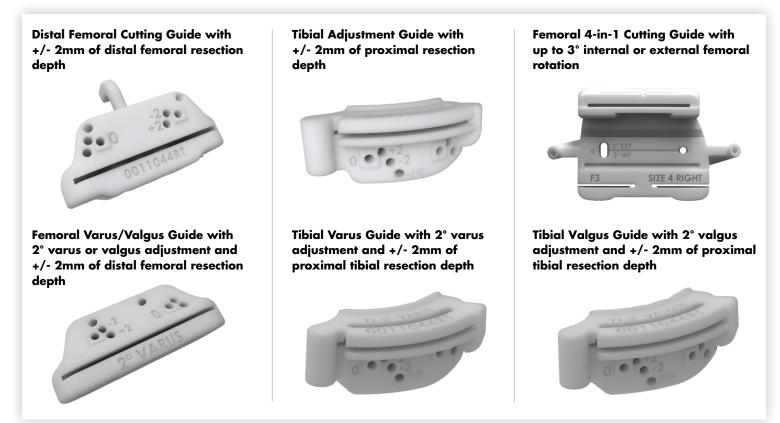
Streamlined procedure

Triathlon AS-1 delivers an easy-to-follow workflow through the use of step-by-step 3D-printed cutting guides and trials.



Intraoperative adjustability

The adjustability options available with Triathlon AS-1 allow you to fine-tune your cuts based on the intraoperative assessment of your patient's soft tissues:



One reusable instrument case

Triathlon AS-1 offers a streamlined set of single-use cutting guides and size-specific trials, so you can get down to one rigid container-compatible reusable instrument case. Compared to manual TKA, this reduction in instrumentation may offer you the following benefits:



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 - Triathlon AS-1 requires 16 fewer surgical steps than traditional manual TKA, a 33% reduction¹ that may save time in the OR.
 - Studies using patient-specific guides have been shown to save up to 13 minutes of operative time and 90 minutes of sterile processing time.²⁻⁴
 - The total number of reusable instrumentation cases may be reduced by as much as 88% with Triathlon AS-1,¹ which can help reduce cleaning and sterilization needs.
 - In most cases,⁵ Triathlon AS-1 instruments and implants require 75% less storage space than traditional manual surgery,¹ a key benefit for sites with limited available space.
 - Triathlon AS-1 reduces TKA instrument weight by up to 85%¹ compared to conventional manual trays, which may lead to less physical strain on staff.

Demonstrated implant performance



With over 15 years of use and more than 3 million implantations worldwide,⁵ Triathlon has a long clinical history. Studies and joint registries have shown that Triathlon offers stability,⁶⁻⁹ satisfaction¹⁰ and survivorship.¹¹⁻¹⁴

Triathlon's single radius is designed to restore the knee's single center of rotation during active flexion, where most motion occurs.¹⁵⁻¹⁶ This allows for constant ligament tension and stability in flexion.⁶⁻⁹

With Triathlon AS-1, you have access to our cementless Triathlon Tritanium technology, the latest evolution in the Triathlon knee portfolio. Triathlon Tritanium combines the kinematics of Triathlon with the latest in highly porous biologic fixation technology. Triathlon Tritanium has demonstrated:

- Excellent clinical outcomes at five years postoperative¹⁷⁻¹⁸
- Shorter OR time and no differences in blood loss, pain and early patient-reported outcome measures versus cemented Triathlon¹⁹



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