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Distal Humerus Plate

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# Increased proximal plate thickness Designed to provide robust humerus shaft fixation

#### 2.0mm proximal K-wire hole

Designed to provide temporary fixation

#### Rounded and tapered end

Designed to allow for smooth insertion under the soft tissue

#### Waisted scalloped shape



#### **Hybrid LC Holes**

Allows up to 2mm of compression per hole or can be used for a variable angle locking screw

A: Universal: For locking or non-locking screws

B: Compression: For non-locking screws only



#### Variable-angle screw holes

Circular holes that accommodate screws are universal; accepting non-locking screws and locking screws within a 30° cone

#### Distal 2.0mm K-wire hole

Points into the center of the capitellum to ensure correct plate placement and reduce the potential for impingement

#### **Plate placement**



- The distal portion of the plate should be placed lateral to the trochlea and the olecranon fossa on the posterior aspect of the distal humerus
- Fixed angle drill sleeve may be used as a handle for control of plate placement and positioning<sup>1</sup>

#### Pangea Distal Humerus Plate X-rays\*

3.5mm screws





\*Pangea Distal Humerus Operative Technique

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#### Fit

- Plate was designed using SOMA analytics to improve anatomic fit and reduce the potential for impingement with the radial head in full extension<sup>2</sup>
- Plate extends further distally than competitive systems such as Synthes and Skeletal Dynamics, further increasing the distal fixation by increasing the working length of the plate<sup>2</sup>

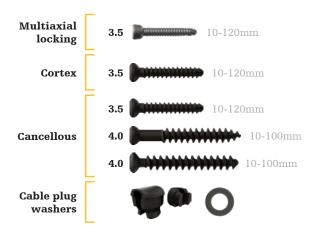


#### **Technical specifications**

- Plate Lengths: 4-14 holes (130-300mm)
- Thickness: 4.2mm proximally, 2.0mm distally
- · Left and right anatomic plate options
- Drill bits:

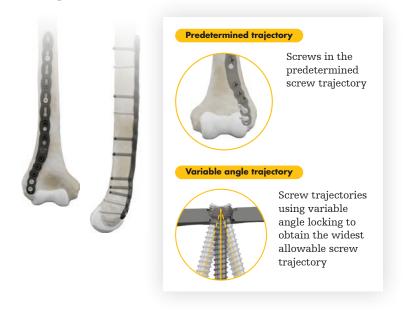
Ø2.5mm x 135mm (542020) Ø2.5mm x 215mm (542021)

#### **Screw platform**



#### **Clinical corner**

A maximum of 2mm of compression per hole, provides surgeons the ability to achieve more compression with fewer screws.



#### References:

- 1. Pangea Distal Humerus Operative Technique, PGA-ST-2, 03-2023
- 2. Internal Report № D0000262573, Rev AA, Selzach, Switzerland

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