BIOSTATIC ENDOSCOPIC ETHMOID SURGERY

A New Approach to Functional Endoscopic Sinus Surgery for Acute Recurrent Rhinosinusitis

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Introduction

Historical Considerations

After initially pursuing a career as a virtuoso violinist, Emil Zuckerkandl (1849–1910) became an extraordinary professor of anatomy at 31 years of age, without having to present the customary postdoctoral credentials. In 1882, Zuckerkandl became a full professor in Graz, Austria, and six years later he assumed the first anatomy chair in Vienna. The poet Arthur Schnitzler studied medicine in Vienna and shared a vivid memory of Zuckerkandl in his autobiography, Youth in Vienna, describing him as “…a pale young man with a dark goatee and black eyes. In his academic robes he closely resembled one of those anatomists familiar to us from the famous Rembrandt portraits, while the legendary stories of his rakish youth, filled with drinking and fencing, seemed to hover about him.” He also had a reputation for “…going straight to work from some tavern or perhaps even from the arms of a beautiful woman and launching directly into his daily routine, teaching and studying with prodigious energy far into the night.”

This intense drive for scientific knowledge surely formed the basis for his pamphlet on Normal and Pathologic Anatomy of the Nasal Cavity and its Pneumatic Appendages, published in 1882. In this work, Zuckerkandl was the first author to give a detailed anatomical description of the ethmoid bone and all the paranasal sinuses, thus creating a scientific basis for understanding their anatomy. He also drew attention to specific structures and narrow passageways that contribute to the pathogenesis of rhinosinusitis and are still relevant today – such as the ethmoid infundibulum and variants in the pneumatization and curvature of the middle nasal turbinate.

He described in detail the cellular anatomy of the ethmoid labyrinth, noting that “…the ethmoid bulla is highly variable in its development, and its importance rests not only on its relationship to the middle turbinate. An ethmoid cell belonging to the lower portion of the labyrinth, the ethmoid bulla presents a convex medial surface to the nasal cavity and is bounded laterally by the lamina papyracea of the ethmoid bone or may be separated from it by another, intervening ethmoid cell…”

Zuckerkandl’s writings on the variability of the middle turbinate included the following: “The variations relate both to the shape and size of the [middle] turbinate. The turbinate may be so markedly curved that it occludes the olfactory groove and engages against the nasal septum. The transformation of the anterior end of the turbinate into a large bony bulla is a common occurrence and was even described in the past century by Giovanni Santorini in his ‘Observationes anatomicae’. In cases of this kind, the turbinate contains a cavity, at times even subdivided by a septum, that communicates openly with the middle meatus.”
In his groundbreaking work on “The Role of the Lateral Nasal Wall in the Pathogenesis, Diagnosis and Treatment of Recurrent and Chronic Rhinosinusitis” (1987), Walter Messerklinger (1920–2001) begins by reviewing the anatomical discoveries of Zuckerkandl, Hajek, Grünwald, Peter, Killian, and Flottes on the cellular structures of the lateral nasal wall before addressing their importance in the pathogenesis of rhinogenic sinusitis. At the International Conference on Sinus Disease, Terminology, Staging and Therapy held in Princeton, New Jersey, in 1993, Stammberger et al. (1997) presented a paper titled “Anatomical Terminology and Nomenclature of Paranasal Sinus Surgery” in which they created a uniform, consistent nomenclature for the anatomy of the ethmoid bone.

While discoveries on the anatomy of specific cellular structures in the ethmoid bone gave rise to important pathogenetic considerations, an endoscopic diagnostic concept, and a subsequent approach to functional endoscopic sinus surgery (F.E.S.S.), to date there have been no fundamental studies on the stabilizing function of the principal ethmoid cells.

Prof. Stammberger (2002) has repeatedly emphasized the importance of an atraumatic surgical technique, particularly in endoscopic surgery of the frontal sinuses, noting that “…an aggressive technique with the radical removal of mucosa from these small ethmoid passageways will quickly lead to scarring and stenosis. Not infrequently, traumatic surgical manipulations in this region will promote the development of frontal sinus symptoms that did not exist prior to surgery…”

Statement of Problem

Lack of awareness of the biostatic importance of some important cellular structures of the ethmoid bone, such as the ethmoid bulla and middle turbinate, have led to careless handling of these structures during sinus surgery. The practice of F.E.S.S. at many centers has devolved into a “monomanitical” clearing of ethmoid cells without taking into account the specific anatomical problems in the individual case and often without actually meeting the requirements of minimal invasiveness. The extent of ethmoid resection is often described in terms of an anterior or posterior ethmoidectomy, and endoscopes are not always used during the ethmoid dissection.
The results: Occasional postoperative CT scans obtained for various indications (they are not routinely necessary) have shown the following typical problems:

- Significant scarring and contraction may occur after a complete ethmoidectomy.
- These effects can obstruct surgically created drainage routes from the frontal and maxillary sinuses.
- The middle turbinate is very susceptible to postoperative lateralisation.
- Mucosal lesions are associated with a high risk of synechia formation and ethmoid atelectasis.

The most important postulate of F.E.S.S. in the treatment of patients with recurrent rhinosinusitis is the improvement of ventilation and drainage, which is essential for mucosal regeneration. This can be accomplished only by taking into account biostatic principles, which must be applied in order to achieve the main goal: adequate and permanent postoperative patency of the ethmoid sinuses.

Establishing drainage from the frontal sinuses will be ineffective if postoperative contraction of the ethmoid causes lateralisation of the middle turbinate and possible synechia formation, leading to stenosis of the drainage pathway.

**Biostatic principles**

- In simplified terms, the ethmoid bone has the approximate size and shape of a matchbox stood on edge. The width of the “matchbox” is variable and depends on the degree of ethmoid pneumatization and on the variable symmetry of the ethmoid cells.
- The supporting structure of the ethmoid bone, which forms cavities to maintain ventilation and drainage of the maxillary and frontal sinuses, shows varying patterns of pneumatization.
The ethmoid bone has a variable width. A complementary relationship exists between the ethmoid bulla and a possible concha bullosa in the middle turbinate. Both structures should be viewed as a functional complex whose complete removal leads to atelectasis of the ethmoid bone.

- From an architectural standpoint, the ethmoid bone can be described as a suspended lightweight construction. While the massive archworks of the inner and outer tables of the skull maintain patency of the frontal infundibulum, this function is performed in the ethmoid bone by a combination of domes and horizontal struts. The struts and pillars never terminate blindly, but maintain the space and distance between the orbits on the one hand and between the skull base, vomer, and ultimately the maxilla on the other.

The ethmoid bone is a suspended, lightweight frame structure that forms the ethmoid sinuses and gives central support to the midfacial region. It has a T-shaped configuration in which the vertical member is formed by the perpendicular plate of the ethmoid bone and the horizontal member is formed by the paired ethmoid labyrinths.
We can explain the biostatic function of the ethmoid labyrinth by looking at two clinically important structures: the ethmoid bulla and the middle turbinate.

**Ethmoid bulla**

- The ethmoid bulla arises by pneumatization from the basal lamina of the second ethmoturbinate and is usually the largest of the anterior ethmoid cells. The bulla lamella forms the posterior wall of the frontal recess when it attaches to the skull base; otherwise a suprabulbar recess is formed. When strongly pneumatized, the bulla may narrow the frontal recess to a ductlike structure that has contributed to the now-obsolete term “nasofrontal duct.”

- The middle turbinate is part of the ethmoid bone and may be pneumatized in any of its parts, such as the head and neck. When the head of the middle turbinate is pneumatized, it forms the concha bullosa. The concha bullosa is an anatomical variant and generally does not have pathogenic significance. Interlamellar cells are a special variant caused by pneumatization of the vertical lamella of the middle turbinate. The middle turbinate is an important aero-dynamic structure for ventilating the olfactory groove and paranasal sinuses. It has three points of attachment: the anterior neck of the turbinate attaches to the lateral edge of the cribriform plate, the central part attaches to the lamina papyracea, and the posterior part inserts laterally at the level of the pterygoid process. The basal lamina of the middle turbinate is of special importance for several reasons. It forms a kind of “watershed” for the drainage of secretions from the anterior and posterior ethmoid, and it is an important horizontal supporting structure that contributes to the formation of the sinus cavities. By stabilizing the head of the turbinate, the basal lamina helps to maintain the patency of the ethmoid sinuses. Destabilization of the basal lamina leads to “kinking” and lateralization of the turbinate head, deflects airflow away from the olfactory groove, and causes loss of ethmoid volume.

The ethmoid bone and voice

The fine trabecular structure of the ethmoid bone is an important factor in the production and self-perception of vocal resonance. Voice modulation also relies upon the vibrating and damped “strings” of the ethmoid sinuses. B.E.E.S. can lead to an improvement in dynamic vocal range and voice resonance.

The ethmoid bulla is perched on the medial orbital wall like an architectural dome. A complete anterior ethmoidectomy promotes medialization of the lamina papyracea and lateralization of the middle turbinate. This tendency can be counteracted by preserving the lamella or upper cap of the ethmoid bulla.
Removing the parietal mucosa from the paranasal sinuses can cause severe scarring and luminal obliteration. The *Caldwell-Luc* radical antrostomy, for example, could result in almost complete obliteration of the maxillary sinus with maxillary deformity and orbital floor depression due to typical wound healing effects in the concavities of the paranasal sinuses. *Wigand* (1977, 1981, 1989) made repeated references to these phenomena, which result from severe centripetal shrinkage and luminal narrowing due to appositional bone growth and scar formation. Essentially the same processes must take place in the ethmoid sinuses when the parietal mucosa is removed along with all internal supporting cellular structures.

Wound healing and contraction effects following removal of the parietal mucosa from the ethmoid and maxillary sinuses. The effects include high-grade stenoses and lateralization of the middle turbinate and uncinate process.

**The ethmoid bone and olfaction**

The alignment of the middle turbinate is crucial for ventilation of the olfactory groove. The turbinate has the shape of an airfoil suspended between three points of attachment. For effective ventilation of the olfactory groove, a positive pressure must develop along the lateral lamella of the middle turbinate and a negative pressure along the medial lamella. The negative pressure on the “lee” side of the middle turbinate draws the inspired air up into the olfactory fossa.

The peripheral human olfactory organ.
\( fo \) – olfactory fossa, \( cg \) – crista galli, \( be \) – ethmoid bulla, \( cm \) – middle turbinate, \( o \) – orbit, \( se \) – ethmoid sinus, \( bo \) – olfactory bulb, \( fol \) – olfactory fibers, \( ro \) – olfactory groove with olfactory epithelium, \( sn \) – nasal septum.

The principles of fluid dynamics underlying nasal airflow and olfactory perception.
Hypothesis

Today, endoscopic surgery of the paranasal sinuses has assumed a broad range of indications. Based on our own experience, we feel that strict distinctions should be drawn among the subsets of indications described below in order to fully utilize the potential of differentiated microsurgery and prevent postoperative stenosis.

- **Acute recurrent rhinosinusitis** is marked by inflammatory exacerbations, typically involving the frontal and maxillary sinuses. Complete anterior ethmoidectomy should never be considered a routine procedure. If exenteration of the anterior ethmoid is required, the surgeon should make every effort to preserve the lamella or the upper cap of the ethmoid bulla in order to prevent narrowing of the anterior ethmoid and frontal recess. The parietal mucosa of the lamina papyracea, anterior skull base, and middle turbinate should be preserved. Enlarging the frontal recess in a type I to IIb drainage procedure is easily accomplished under vision with a 45° endoscope while preserving the bulla lamella. Infundibular and agger nasi cells that obstruct the frontal recess can be removed by using the “uncapping the egg” technique of Stammberger, which involves a posterior-to-anterior dissection. A maximum amount of mucosa should be preserved in the frontal recess. The basal lamina of the middle turbinate may be trephined over a circumscribed area, but it should not be fractured.

- **Chronic rhinosinusitis with nasal polyps or sinusonal polyposis** currently represents a large subset of indications for endoscopic sinus surgery. Both biomechanical and immunologic factors contribute significantly to the pathogenesis of chronic rhinosinusitis. Based on regional variations in the texture of the ethmoid sinus mucosa, such as an abundance of glands on the anterior surface of the bulla, sites of predilection exist for the development of polyps. These polyps destroy the ethmoid cells and their infrastructure. Due to pressure effects from the polyps and the absence of scar contractures with an intact parietal mucosa, sinus contraction does not occur. Typically, moreover, these patients rarely complain of headaches. Cell remnants that have already been destroyed should be removed at operation, and the parietal mucosa on the lamina papyracea, skull base and middle turbinate, for example, should be preserved.
**Legend**

a A “nasal polyp” may arise from the mucosa on the anterior wall of the ethmoid bulla.

b Nasal polyps most commonly originate in the ethmoid sinuses and descend from there into the nasal cavity. They destroy the infrastructure of the ethmoid sinus while keeping the sinus open by their mass effect.

c Polyps combined with viscous mucus are a sign of eosinophil-associated disease (usually asthma with analgesic intolerance).

d Scarred, indurated nasal polyps following numerous operations.

e Treatment with modern topical steroids can shrink nasal polyps to this approximate level.

f Ethmoid polyps protruding into the ethmoid infundibulum.

g Nasal polyp protruding from an ethmoid cell.

h Typical appearance of an inverted papilloma arising from the head of the middle turbinate.
Surgical Concept

**Ethmoid Infundibulotomy**

The standard procedure for opening the ethmoid bone is an ethmoid infundibulotomy that includes complete and atraumatic removal of the uncinate process.

The uncinate process is sharply released at its poles with endoscopic scissors. The lateral infundibular wall is removed, exposing the anterior wall of the ethmoid bulla.

**Bullotomy**

The anterior wall of the ethmoid bulla is trephined with a special instrument, the *bullotome*, or with a straight blunt suction tip or sphenoid sinus punch (small), for example. The portions of the anterior wall or bulla that are removed will depend on the mucosal pathology.
Enlarging the Frontal Recess

The frontal recess is located by following the lamella or upper cap of the ethmoid bulla. It is enlarged with the curved dissector (see instrument set in Appendix, pp. 22) or Kuhn-Bolger curette by removing infundibular or agger nasi cells.
The floor of the frontal sinus is removed with a punch.

The frontal sinus can also be opened more widely with the frontal sinus punch by removing portions of the frontal sinus floor, depending on the intended goal of the operation.

**Summary**

For endoscopic sinus surgery to be effective, the surgeon must first formulate an operative plan that is based on the individual history and a CT analysis of internal ethmoid anatomy and which takes into account the stabilizing function of the principal ethmoid structures. Surgery that is oriented entirely toward sinus exenteration cannot address the problems of chronic recurrent rhinosinusitis and may even cause further airflow compromise. Biometric data are available on this issue; they are currently undergoing mathematical analysis and will be published in the near future.
The individual biostatics of the ethmoid bone should be analyzed by the physician, as they form the starting point for planning the operation. The coronal CT scans shown here illustrate various therapeutic options that are consistent with the biostatic philosophy of ethmoid surgery:

a) Acute recurrent rhinosinusitis with inflammatory exacerbations involving the frontal and maxillary sinuses on both sides. The patient does not have nasal airway obstruction.

b) Bilateral infundibulotomy.

c) Bilateral infundibulotomy and partial turbinectomy.

d) Bilateral infundibulotomy and anterior ethmoidectomy.

e) Bilateral infundibulotomy, anterior ethmoidectomy, and partial turbinectomy.

This variant predisposes to the situation in f.

f) Shrinkage of the exenterated ethmoid has led to medialization of the orbit and lateralization of the middle turbinate on the right side with synechia formation and ethmoid atelectasis on the left side.
Clinical Cases

- Woman 20 years of age with nasal airway obstruction and acute recurrent bilateral rhinosinusitis predominantly affecting the maxillary sinuses.

  Preoperative CT (Fig. 1a) shows a deviated septum with spurring toward the left side and large conchae bullosae on both sides. Slight mucosal swelling is noted in the anterior ethmoid.

  *Operation:* Surgery consists of partial bilateral middle turbinectomy, preserving portions of the upper lateral curve and upper lamina. It includes a bilateral infundibulotomy, bullotomy, supraturbinate antrostomy, and submucous septoplasty.

  *Postoperative CT,* one year later (Fig. 1b) shows the lateral partial bilateral turbinectomy preserving the turbinate trim, position, and sites of attachment (see p. 16, removal of the frontal sinus floor with a punch).

- Woman 53 years of age with nasal airway obstruction and recurrent bouts of acute bilateral maxillary and frontal sinusitis.

  Preoperative CT (Fig. 2a) shows a septal spur on the left side, bilateral hyperplasia of the inferior turbinates, and minimal mucosal swelling in the anterior ethmoid.

  *Operation:* Surgery consists of an infundibulotomy, bullotomy, and supraturbinate antrostomy on both sides. The frontal recess is enlarged anteriorly to the bulla lamella, which is preserved. The procedure also includes a septoplasty and bilateral strip turbinectomy.

  *Postoperative CT,* one year later (Fig. 2b) documents broad, bilateral supraturbinate antrostomies with medialization of the nasal septum. The upper portion of the turbinate-bulla complex has been preserved, and the middle turbinate has been stabilized in an optimum position.

- Principle of stabilizing the turbinate position

  *Postoperative CT scan* (b) illustrates the principle of stabilizing the turbinate position by preserving the lamella or upper cap of the ethmoid bulla as an essential maneuver for “trimming the turbinate.”
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Hybrid Operations

Hybrid operations are procedures in which endoscopic microsurgery of the paranasal sinuses is combined with balloon dilatation in one sitting. We have had good results with a combination of biostatic ethmoid surgery (B.E.E.S.) and balloon dilatation for the following indications.

Indications for hybrid operations

- Acute recurrent inflammations
- Barosinusitis
- Empyema
- Coagulation disorders and other systemic diseases that would contraindicate other types of surgery
- Restenosis
- Situations that warrant a combination of B.E.E.S. and balloon dilatation
References:

Recommended Instrument Set for Biostatic Endoscopic Ethmoid Surgery
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Dissector for Dissection in the Area of Paranasal Sinuses, Skullbase and Temporal Bone
BEHRBOHM Bullotome

223530 BEHRBOHM Dissector, for dissection in the area of paranasal sinuses, skullbase and temporal bone, sharp, flat long spatula, tip angled 15°, with round handle, size 2 mm, length 17 cm

223535 Same, slightly curved spatula, with round handle, size 3 mm

223540 Same, round spatula, tip angled 45°, with round handle, size 3 mm

223532 Dissector, for dissection in the area of paranasal sinuses, skullbase and temporal bone, curved, sharp, flat long spatula, tip angled 15°, with round handle, size 2 mm, length 17 cm

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223542 Same, round spatula, tip angled 45°, with round handle, size 3 mm

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  - fiber optic light transmission incorporated,
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7230 BA

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  - autoclavable,
  - fiber optic light transmission incorporated,
  - color code: red

7230 FA

- Forward-Oblique Telescope 45°,
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  - fiber optic light transmission incorporated,
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7230 CA

- Lateral Telescope 70°,
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  - fiber optic light transmission incorporated,
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7219 AA

- Straight Forward Telescope 0°,
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  - fiber optic light transmission incorporated,
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STAMMBERGER RHINOFORCE® II Antrum Punch, upside backward cutting, working length 10 cm

459011
Same, right side backward cutting

459012
Same, left side backward cutting

459016
STAMMBERGER RHINOFORCE® Antrum Punch, backward cutting, sheath 360° rotatable, with fixing screw, take apart, working length 10 cm, for use with cleaning adaptor 459015 LL

459015 LL
Cleaning Adaptor
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small pediatric size, slender, upside backward cutting,
working length 10 cm

459031 Same, right side backward cutting

459032 Same, left side backward cutting

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small pediatric size, slender, backward cutting,
sheath 360° rotatable, with fixing screw, take apart,
working length 10 cm,
for use with cleaning adaptor 459015 LL

459015 LL Cleaning Adaptor
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for Endoscopic Diagnosis, Surgery and Postoperative Treatment of Paranasal Sinuses and Anterior Skull Base
FESS Instruments
for Endoscopic Diagnosis, Surgery and Postoperative Treatment of Paranasal Sinuses and Anterior Skull Base

629826 KUHN Frontal Sinus Seeker, double-ended, No. 2, both sides curved 90°, one tip straight, one tip reverse angle, length 22 cm

629830 Same, No. 6, both sides curved 77°

628702 Antrum Curette, oblong, small size, length 19 cm

628712 KUHN-BOLGER Frontal Sinus Curette, small, oblong, 55° curved, forward cutting, length 19 cm

628714 Same, 90° curved

641430 BEHRBOHM Frontal Sinus Bougie, S-shaped, size 2, outer diameter 3 mm, length 16.5 cm

641450 Same, size 4, outer diameter 5 mm
FESS Instruments
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586325 v. EICKEN Antrum Cannula, Luer-Lock, long curved, outer diameter 2.5 mm, working length 11 cm, length 15 cm
586330 Same, outer diameter 3 mm
586340 Same, outer diameter 4 mm

529305 FRAZIER Suction Tube, with mandrin and cut-off hole, with distance markings at 5 – 9 cm, 5 Fr., working length 10 cm
529307 Same, 7 Fr.
529309 Same, 9 Fr.
UNIDRIVE® ENT and UNIDRIVE® ECO

One unit – six functions

- Shaver system for surgery of the paranasal sinuses and anterior skull base
- Sinus Burr
- Drill
- STAMMBERGER-SACHSE Intranasal Drill
- Micro Saw
- Dermatome

UNIDRIVE® ENT
The high-end solution for excellent handling and convenience in the OR

Special features:

With touch screen
- Color display
- Choice between several display languages
- Functions displayed in words
- Clearly defined operating elements
- Set values of the last session are stored
- Automatic error message via text display

UNIDRIVE® ECO
The functional and cost-effective alternative meeting the same high quality standards

Special features:

With push-button control panel
- Straightforward function selection via limited menu options
- Encoded function display (numerical code)
- Clearly defined operating elements
- Easy to use due to push-button controls
- Set values of the last session are stored
- Automatic error message via numerical code
UNIDRIVE® ENT and UNIDRIVE® ECO

**Constant motor speed**
- Microprocessor-controlled motor speed
- Preselected parameters are maintained during drilling
- Continuously adjustable speed of rotation
- Maximum speed of rotation can be preset

**Integrated irrigation pump**
- Microprocessor-controlled flow rate
- Quick and easy connection of the tubing set
- Flow rate can be controlled from the sterile area via footswitch
- Flow rate adjustable from 6–125 ml/min

**2 motor outputs**
- Simultaneous connection of 2 motors
- Active output can be selected from the sterile area via footswitch

**Arguments in favor of both motor systems**

**Saves time**
- 2 motors can be connected simultaneously
  - no plugging or unplugging during the operation
- Automatic display of error messages
  - no time-consuming error tracing in the operating room
- Exact reading and adjustment of motor speed
- Preselected parameters can be stored
  - set-point values for motor speed and flow rate do not need to be readjusted with each new procedure
- Quick and easy connection of the tubing set to the pump

**Relieves OR personnel**
- The time for preparation prior to surgery is considerably reduced by standardization
- Irrigation flow rate and motor speed adjustable via footswitch
- Easy to use due to clearly structured design and optimized function selection
- Personnel can use the time saved for other tasks
- User can control multiple functions from the sterile area via footswitch

**Saves money**
- Only one unit required to perform six functions
- Most of the available shaver blades, burrs and drills are reusable
  - enables perfect hygienic reprocessing
- EC micro motor is compatible with various INTRA drill handpieces
## UNIDRIVE® ENT and UNIDRIVE® ECO

### Common technical specifications of both systems:

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* Approx. 3000 rpm is recommended as this is the most efficient suction/performance ratio.

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UNIDRIVE® ENT

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UNIDRIVE® ENT consisting of:

- 20 7116 20-1 UNIDRIVE® ENT with KARL STORZ Communication Bus System®
  power supply: 100 – 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz
- 400 A Mains Cord
- 20 0126 30 Two-Pedal Footswitch, two-stage, with proportional function
- 20 7116 40 Silicone Tubing Set, for irrigation, sterilizable
- 20 7116 21 Clip-Set, for use with tubing set 20 7116 40
- 20 0901 70 SCB Connecting Cable, length 100 cm
- 031131-01* Disposable tubing set, sterile

UNIDRIVE® ECO

40 7114 01

UNIDRIVE® ECO consisting of:

- 20 7114 20 UNIDRIVE® ECO,
  power supply: 100 – 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz
- 400 A Mains Cord
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UNIDRIVE® ENT
UNIDRIVE® ECO
System Components

Two-Pedal Footswitch
Silicone Tubing Set

EC Motor
with Connecting Cable

STAMMBERGER-CASTELNUOVO
DrillCut-X Shaver Handpiece
with integrated suction / irrigation channel and longer shaver blade, with connecting cable

UNIDRIVE® ENT
UNIDRIVE® ECO

INTRA Drill Handle

STAMMBERGER, Paranosal Sinus Shaver Handpiece
90° angle, with connecting cable

Micro Shaver Handpiece
straight, with integrated EC-Micro Motor and Connecting Cable

INTRA Drill

Shaver Blade, straight

Shaver Blade, curved

STAMMBERGER, Paranasal Sinus Shaver Handpiece
90° angle, with connecting cable

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Micro Shaver Handpiece
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INTRA Drill Handle

Shaver Blade, straight
Shaver Handpieces

Special Features:
- Strong and reliable suction
- Smooth operation
- Cuts the tissue without ripping; therefore less bleeding
- 360° rotating shaver blade
- Graduated outer sheath
- All handpieces are fully autoclavable
- For use with both straight or curved paranasal shaver blades and sinus burrs

STAMMBERGER-CASTELNUOVO DrillCut-X Shaver Handpiece

DrillCut-X Handpiece 40 7110 40
- Ergonomically formed, angled handpiece, optimally fits the hand
- Oscillating operation mode for shaver blades, max. 7,000 rpm
- Rotating mode for sinus shavers, max. 12,000 rpm
  Drilling speed of 3,000 rpm is recommended as this provides the most efficient suction.
- Central straight suction channel and integrated irrigation prevents ablated material from getting trapped
- Very powerful motor, also suitable for removing harder material
- Very quiet operation, low vibration
- Special lubrication holes for easy maintenance
- With LOCK for save connection of shaver blades and sinus burrs
- Fully immersible and machine-washable

40 7110 40  STAMMBERGER-CASTELNUOVO DrillCut-X Shaver Handpiece, for use with UNIDRIVE® ENT
Shaver Blades, straight
for Nasal Sinuses and Skull Base Surgery
For use with DrillCut-X™ Shaver Handpiece

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For use with DrillCut-X™ Shaver Handpiece

Shaver Blades, 35°/40° curve, sterilizable

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Shaver Blades, straight, sterile, for single use, package of 5

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Shaver Blades, 35°/40° curve, sterile, for single use, package of 5

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*For use with DrillCut-X™ Shaver Handpiece*

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**IMAGE1™ HD hub**

**NEW**

HD hub Camera Control Unit

- Genuine FULL HD (High Definition) is guaranteed by a maximum resolution and the consistent use of the native 16:9 aspect ratio throughout the entire image chain, from image capture, signal transmission to display
- HD-compatible endoscopic video camera systems must be equipped with a CCD chip supporting the 16:9 input format and require that image capture is performed at a resolution of 1920 x 1080 pixels

The benefits of FULL HD (High Definition) for medical applications are:
- 5 times higher input resolution of the camera delivers more detail and depth of focus
- Using 16:9 format during image acquisition enlarges the field of view
- The 16:9/16:10 format of the widescreen monitor supports ergonomic viewing
- Enhanced color brilliance for optimal diagnosis
- Progressive scan technology provides a steady, flicker-free display and helps eliminate eyestrain and fatigue

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**IMAGE1™ HD hub Camera Control Unit (CCU)**

for use with IMAGE1™ HD and standard one- and three-chip camera heads, max. resolution 1920 x 1080 pixels, with integrated KARL STORZ-SCB® and integrated Image Processing Module, color system PAL/NTSC, power supply 100 – 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz

**consisting of:**

22 2010 11U102 IMAGE1™ HD hub Camera Control Unit

- 305 x 89 x 335
- Weight (kg): 2.95
- Power supply: 100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz

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<th>Signal-to-noise ratio</th>
<th>AGC</th>
<th>Video output</th>
<th>Input</th>
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<td>IMAGE1™ Three-chip camera systems ≥ 60 dB</td>
<td>Microprocessor-controlled</td>
<td>- Composite signal to BNC socket</td>
<td>Keyboard for title generator, 5-pin DIN socket</td>
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**Specifications:**

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<th>Control output/input</th>
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<tr>
<td>- KARL STORZ-SCB® at 6-pin Mini DIN socket (2x)</td>
<td>305 x 89 x 335</td>
<td>2.95</td>
<td>100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz</td>
<td>IEC 601-1, 601-2-18, CSA 22.2 No. 601, UL 2601-1 and CE acc. to MDD, protection class 1/CF</td>
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<td>- 3.5 mm stereo jack plug (ACC 1, ACC 2), - Serial port at RJ-11</td>
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**IMAGE1™ HD hub (with SDI) Camera Control Unit**

**Mains Cord**

400 A

- Mains Cord, US-version

400 B

- 3 x 536 MK BNC/BNC Video Cable, length 180 cm

547 S

- S-Video (Y/C) Connecting Cable, length 180 cm

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 2002 31U

- Keyboard, with English character set
**HD Camera Head**

**22220050-3  50 Hz**  IMAGE1™ H3, Three-Chip HD Camera Head

- Max. resolution 1920 x 1080 pixel, Progressive Scan, 50 Hz, with 2 freely programmable Camera Head buttons, with integrated Parfocal-Zoom focal length \( f = 14 - 30 \) mm (2x), for use with color system **PAL**

**22220150-3  60 Hz**  IMAGE1™ H3, Three-Chip HD Camera Head

- Max. resolution 1920 x 1080 pixel, Progressive Scan, 60 Hz, with 2 freely programmable Camera Head buttons, with integrated Parfocal-Zoom focal length \( f = 14 - 30 \) mm (2x), for use with color system **NTSC**

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<td>Image sensor</td>
<td>3x ¼” CCD chip</td>
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<td>Pixels output signal (H x V)</td>
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<td>Resolution (pixels)</td>
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<td>Dimensions</td>
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<td>Weight</td>
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<td>Min. sensitivity</td>
<td>F1.4/1.9 lux</td>
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<td>Lens</td>
<td>Integrated Parfocal Zoom Lens, ( f = 14-28 ) mm</td>
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Standard IMAGE1™ camera heads may also be connected to IMAGE1™ HD hub camera control unit (CCU).

**KARL STORZ HD Flat Screens**

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<th>Color systems</th>
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<th>Max. screen resolution</th>
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<td>PAL/NTSC</td>
<td>Wall mounted with VESA 100-adaption</td>
<td>9523 NB</td>
<td>58.5 cm (23&quot;)</td>
<td>1920 x 1200</td>
<td>Composite signal to BNC socket, S-Video to 4-pin Mini DIN socket, RGB signal to 5 x BNC sockets, SDI signal to BNC socket, HD-SDI signal to BNC socket, DVI to DVI-D socket</td>
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<td>Desktop with pedestal</td>
<td>9523 N</td>
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9523 NB **23" KARL STORZ HD Flat Screen**

*image format 16:10, wall-mounted with VESA 100-adaption, color systems PAL/NTSC, max. screen resolution 1920 x 1200, video inputs: composite, S-Video, RGB, VGA, SDI, and DVI, brightness 500 cd/m², contrast ratio 700:1, power supply 100 – 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz consisting of: 9523 NG 23" HD Flat Screen 9523 PS External 24 VDC Power Supply 400 A Mains Cord*

9523 N **23" KARL STORZ HD Flat Screen**

*image format 16:10, desktop with pedestal, color systems PAL/NTSC, max. screen resolution 1920 x 1200, video inputs: composite, S-Video, RGB, VGA, SDI, and DVI, brightness 500 cd/m², contrast ratio 700:1, power supply 100 – 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz consisting of: 9523 NG 23" HD Flat Screen 9523 PS External 24 VDC Power Supply 400 A Mains Cord 9419 NSF Pedestal*

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<td>500 cd/m²</td>
<td>178° vertical</td>
<td>- Composite signal to BNC socket - S-Video signal to 4-pin Mini DIN socket - RGB signal to 5 x BNC sockets - SDI signal to BNC socket - HD-SDI signal to BNC socket - DVI signal to DVI-D socket</td>
<td>0.258 mm</td>
<td>700:1</td>
<td>0.7 Vpp</td>
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<th>Rated power</th>
<th>Operating conditions</th>
<th>Storage</th>
<th>Relative humidity</th>
<th>Dimensions in w x h x d (mm)</th>
<th>Power supply</th>
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<td>80 Watt</td>
<td>0-40 °C</td>
<td>-20-60 °C</td>
<td>5-85 %, non-condensing</td>
<td>546 x 366 x 98</td>
<td>100-240 VAC</td>
<td>EN 60601-1, protection class IPX 1</td>
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## Cold Light Fountains and Accessories

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<th>Code</th>
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<tr>
<td>495 NT</td>
<td>Fiber Optic Light Cable, diameter 2.5 mm, length 180 cm</td>
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<td>495 NTW</td>
<td>Fiber Optic Light Cable, diameter 2.5 mm, length 180 cm, with 90° deflection to the light source</td>
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<td>495 NTX</td>
<td>Same, length 230 cm</td>
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### Cold Light Fountain HALOGEN 150

![HALOGEN 150](image)

- **20 1123 01** Cold Light Fountain HALOGEN 150, power supply: 100/120/230/240 VAC, 50/60 Hz, including:
  - 400 A Mains Cord
- **103** HALOGEN Spare Lamp, 150 watt, 15 volt

### Cold Light Fountain XENON NOVA® 175

![XENON NOVA 175](image)

- **20 131501** Cold Light Fountain XENON NOVA® 175, power supply: 100–125 VAC/220–240 VAC, 50/60 Hz, including:
  - 400 A Mains Cord
- **20 132026** XENON Spare Lamp, only, 175 watt, 15 volt

### Cold Light Fountain XENON 300®

![XENON 300](image)

- **20 133101-1** Cold Light Fountain XENON 300®, with built-in antifog air-pump, and integrated KARL STORZ Communication Bus System®, power supply: 100–125 VAC/220–240 VAC, 50/60 Hz, including:
  - 400 A Mains Cord
  - 610 AFT Silicone Tubing Set, autoclavable, length 250 cm
- **20 0901 70** Connecting Cord, length 100 cm
- **20 133027** Spare Lamp Module XENON with heat sink, 300 watt, 15 volt
- **20 133028** XENON Spare Lamp, only, 300 watt, 15 volt
KARL STORZ AIDA® DVD-M
Independent “all-in-one” System

Special features:
- Digital storage of still images, video and audio files (with HD Option storage of still images in FULL HD quality 1920 x 1080)
- Digital alternative to video printers, video recorders and dictaphone
- Compact design
- Simple and intuitive operation
- Allows storage on DVD, CD-ROM, USB Stick or Network, multisession and multipatient
- HD-DVI (associated with the HD Option), SDI, S-Video (Y/C) and composite input
- All video signals are through-patchable to the video monitor
- Printing of still images with ink jet printers possible
- External touch screen (accessory) confirms to EN 60601-1
- Compatible to the KARL STORZ Communication Bus (SCB) and to the OR1™ connect series

KARL STORZ AIDA® DVD-M with Smartscreen™,
color system PAL/NTSC, power supply 100 – 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz,
consisting of:

20 204020-140 AIDA DVD-M with integrated DVD/CD recorder and integrated touch screen
400 A Mains Cord
400 B Mains Cord, US version
536 MK BNC Connecting Cables, length 180 cm
547 S S-VHS (Y/C) Connecting Cable, length 180 cm
2x 20 0400 83 Adaptor, BNC-Cinch
20 0400 84 Serial Interface Cable, length 20 cm
20 0400 85 DVI Connecting Cable, length 20 cm
20 0400 88 USB Extension Cable, length 7.5 m

KARL STORZ AIDA® DVD-M without Smartscreen™,
color system PAL/NTSC, power supply 100 – 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz,
consisting of:

20 204020-140 AIDA DVD-M with integrated DVD/CD recorder
400 A Mains Cord
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KARL STORZ AIDA® DVD-M HD Kit Option,
power supply 100 – 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz,
consisting of:

20 2000 72 AIDA DVD-M HD Box,
incl. power supply unit and mains cord
20 2000 73 USB Connecting Cable, length 180 cm
536 MK BNC Connecting Cable, length 180 cm
20 0400 86 DVI-D Connecting Cable, length 180 cm
20 2000 74 USB Hub
20 204077-01 AIDA DVD-M Software Upgrade for HD compatibility
2x 28003 TE Power Cord Adapter
Basic Equipment Cart

29005 LAP

**Basic Equipment Cart**

- rides on 4 antistatic dual wheels,
- 2 equipped with locking brakes,
- 3 fixed shelves, one with handles,
- main switch at vertical beam,
- integrated cable conduits in vertical beams,
- drawer unit with lock,
- 3 horizontal cable conduits,
  - one with cable winding,
  - two with 4-times electrical sub-distributor,
- 1 set of non-sliding stands for units,
- 1 TFT-Monitor arm (VESA 75/100),
- 1 camera holder,
- 8 power cords (50 cm),
- 2 equipment rails,
- 1 CO₂-bottle holder, max. diameter 155 mm,
- Isolation transformer 230 VAC (50/60 Hz) with 8 sockets and earth potential and earth leakage monitor (2000 VA),

**Dimensions:**
- Videocart 730 x 1470 x 716 mm (w x h x d),
- shelf: 630 x 480 mm (w x d),
- caster diameter: 150 mm
Notes:
Excellent Technique is the Key to Long-Term Success

My Recommendation:
Biostatic Endoscopic Ethmoid Surgery (BEES)

Claudia Pechstein, Germany. Speed Skater and Winner of Five Olympic Gold Medals.