Bone Regeneration Material

PORESORB®-TCP
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- High phase purity
- Osteoconductivity
- High stability in defect

**PHYSICOCHEMICAL PARAMETERS**

**Composition:** > 99 % β - tricalciumphosphate Ca$_3$(PO$_4$)$_2$
(Synthetic material - free of antigenic activity)

**Porosity:** 30–40 %

**INDICATIONS**

Implantology, periodontology
- Filling of bone defects after extirpation of cysts
- Treatment of periodontal defects
- Remodelling of the alveolar ridge
- Treatment of bone defects around dental implants
- Sinus lift
- Filling of bone defects after surgical extractions to prevent alveolar atrophy

Orthopedics, traumatology
- Tumor-like lesions (unicameral bone cyst, aneurysmal bone cyst, bone gangliomas, fibrous dysplasia,...)
- Pathological fractures with the above-mentioned lesions
- Posttraumatic bone defects (commminated osteoporotic fractures compressive fractures of a long bone epiphysis)
- Benign bone tumors
- Arthrodesis

**ADVANTAGES**

- Resorbability
- High phase purity
- Osteoconductivity
- Highly safe material - no protein content, no risk of infection
- Interconnected pores
- Stable material in bone defects, with good workability

For guided bone tissue regeneration it is recommended to cover the defect with a membrane (e.g. collagen or teflon) - to eliminate the migration of soft tissue cells into the surface layers of PORESORB®-TCP granules. The material’s structure is similar to that of bone, possessing two main sizes of porosity: macro-pores of approx. 100-200 μm in size and micro-pores ranging from 1 to 5 μm. Macropores provide sites for cell colonization and enable the ingrowth of bone into the centre of the defect. Micro-pores enable the fast penetration of blood and body fluids into the material and provide micro-rough surfaces favourable for protein and cell attachment. The material shows potentially osseoinductive properties i.e. it stimulates the differentiation of the mesenchymal cells towards osteoblasts, thus inducing new bone formation. In later stages of bone regeneration, due to hydrolysis and active phagocytosis, the material gradually disintegrates and is replaced by newly-formed bone tissue. Micro porosity enables fast penetration of blood into the material, thus ensuring its excellent workability and stability (immobilization) in the defect.

**STRUCTURE OF THE PORESORB®-TCP**

Granules are composed of micro-particles forming a network of interconnected pores.

**PRODUCTION PROCESS - QUALITY GUARANTEED**

The material PORESORB®-TCP is manufactured under strict hygiene conditions, ensured by its periodic validation according to EU directive 91/356/EEC. Raw materials are provided by permanent and renowned suppliers tested at accredited laboratories.
SINUS LIFT PROCEDURE  
(LATERAL APPROACH)

The sinus-lift operation is an effective method which enables the use of dental implants in locations without sufficient alveolar bone volume. PORESORB®-TCP is inserted into the space of the maxillary sinus where dental implant fixation is enabled by new bone tissue formation.

BEFORE OPERATION  
WINDOW CREATED IN THE FRONT SIDE OF THE MAXILLARY SINUS

IMPLANT INSERTION  
FILLING OF DEFECT WITH PORESORB®-TCP MATERIAL

DEFECT ISOLATION BY RESORBABLE MEMBRANE  
POST-OPERATIVE SITUATION

When PORESORB®-TCP is applied to the defect its micro-porous structure is a great advantage, ensuring excellent wetting by blood and giving high immobilization of the material in the defect. (Assoc. Prof. Josef Podstata, PhD, DrSc.)

TREATMENT OF PERIODONTAL DEFECTS

Treatment of intraalveolar defects (Periodontitis). Situation before and 6 months after treatment.

Periodontal defect before treatment, post-operation and 1 year after treatment. (Assoc.Prof. Pavel Poleník, MD, PhD.)

AUGMENTATION OF ATROPHIC ALVEOLAR RIDGE BEFORE DENTAL IMPLANT INSERTION

Resorbability of the material enables problem-free introduction of dental implant into the regenerated bone tissue, (implantation 1 year after treatment with PORESORB®-TCP). Assoc.Prof. Pavel Poleník, MD, PhD.

Sterilization is electronically-controlled, and recorded, using internal indicators, and the sterility confirmed by testing at accredited laboratories. The product PORESORB®-TCP is in line with International Standard ASTM F1088 (Standard Specification for Beta-Tricalcium Phosphate for Surgical Implantation), which requires a maximum content of trace elements of no more than 50 ppm and a phase purity greater than 95%. The PORESORB®-TCP has a phase purity up to 99.6%. Phase and chemical purity of each production batch is checked using X-ray diffraction and by chemical analysis.
Regeneration of bone tissues at the place of periodontal defects depends on the presence and phenotypic expression of undifferentiated mesenchymal cells. Factors which stimulate these cells to regenerative activity can be obtained from the platelet concentrate (PRP) of the patient’s blood. The combination of PORESORB®-TCP material with platelet concentrate results in a greater yield of bone tissue. No less important is its influence on the post-operative healing of adjacent tissues. Operation scars heal much faster which remarkably reduces the risk of post-operative infection. The use of PRP in combination with PORESORB®-TCP as a suitable micro-porous carrier represents an accessible method for the intensification and speeding-up of processes of tissue regeneration.

HISTOLOGICAL UNDECALCIFIED section of the PORESORB®-TCP material in a bone defect (dog tibia, 6 months and 5 weeks after treatment). Resorption of the PORESORB®-TCP material takes place concurrently with the new bone formation until the material is completely replaced by bone.

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**THE USE OF PORESORB®-TCP IN COMBINATION WITH THE PLATELET CONCENTRATE (PRP) FOR THE REGENERATION OF PERIODONTAL AND BONE TISSUES**

Extensive and advanced periodontal defect

Situation 3 months after operation.

(Assoc. Prof. Pavel Poleník, MD, PhD.)

Depth of periodontal pockets

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CLINICAL APPLICATION OF PORESORB®-TCP / SINUS LIFT PROCEDURE (INTERNAL)

Thanks to the high X-Ray contrast of the PORESORB®-TCP material, the process of resorption and bone tissue regeneration can be effectively monitored. The X-ray contrast becomes weaker as a result of the material’s resorption and its replacement by bone tissue. The irregular polygonal shape of the granules ensures larger pore spaces and their lower immobility (high stability) in the defect.

POST-TREATMENT

SITUATION TWO YEARS AFTER LOADING OF IMPLANTS

(MUDr. Z. Nathanský, CSc., Department of Stomatology, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic)

Histological examination of tissue removed during implantation into sinus-lift. Remaining particles of PORESORB®-TCP enclosed within the newly-regenerated bone are visible (Giemsa staining).

PORESORB®-TCP material surrounded by newly-regenerated bone tissue (mineralized tissue - blue; osteoid - red; Ladewig staining).
ORTHOPAEDICS AND TRAUMATOLOGY

PORESORB®-TCP may be applied either separately or in combination with autologous cancellous bone or autologous bone marrow.

CLINICAL CASES DOCUMENTED BY X-RAY

Preoperative X-ray image showing a large delineated defect in the proximal tibial metaphysis, reaching up to the diaphysis. The cause of the defect was fibrous dysplasia. The anterior part of the cortical bone is narrowed, while the other is adequately wide, and the defect is well delineated.

Operative approach from the anteromedial side; 6 x 1.5 cm trepanation window was distally extended during the surgery.

Mixing of PORESORB®-TCP with autologous bone marrow immediately before the application.

X-rays one month after surgery. The AP projection shows 24 x 15 mm residual defect, while the remainder is well filled. No reaction is seen around the metallic part or in the PORESORB®-TCP. No signs of resorption have been present so far.

A defect filled with PORESORB®-TCP mixed with autologous bone marrow.
A large cyst at the boundary of metaphysis and diaphysis of the humerus with a pathological fracture.

The fracture was repositioned, while the defect was filled with PORESORB®-TCP and bridged with a thin AO plate fixed by screws.

The fracture is healed after one year, PORESORB®-TCP keeps reabsorbing, and a brightening is seen very well in the filling, especially at the medial side.

Osteolytic defect, affecting the head and diaphysis of the third left metacarpal, was caused by benign enchondroma.

Following excocleation, the defect was filled with PORESORB®-TCP up to the diaphysis. Brightening, which is seen on the ulnar side, is caused by the presence of the returned bony window from the trepanation.

After 2 years postoperative, residuem of PORESORB®-TRC are seen as well as a well healed bone defect without any signs of recurrence.
PORESORB®-TCP – SPECIFICATION

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The manufacturing of PORESORB®-TCP material is subject to a quality management system which is in accordance with EN ISO 13485. All LASAK products comply with the requirements of the EU Directive 93/42 EEC and on the basis of the certificate of Notified Body No. 1014 of the European Union thus bear the CE marking.

LITERATURE