

# Surgical Manual

# Implant Selection Guide

# Introduction

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# Implant Selection Guide

## Step 1

### Select implant system



- Select system depending on whether 1stage or 2stage surgery is performed
- Select system depending on surgical site

## Step 2

### Select implant body type



- Select system depending on surgical site
- Select Body type by taking bone quality and its expected bone interference into consideration

## Step 3

### Select implant diameter



- Select diameter depending on the size of the original tooth where the implant should be placed.

## Step 4

### Select implant length



- Sufficient bone height
- Insufficient bone height

## Step 5

### Select implant surface

SA, CA, BA, SOI

# 1 Select system

## A Select system depending on whether 1stage or 2stage surgery is performed

- Select submerged type implants (TS, KS, US) in case primary closure is necessary and therefore 2stage surgery needs to be performed.
- Select non-submerged type implants (SS, MS) or place healing abutment after placing submerged type implants (TS, KS, US) in case primary closure is unnecessary and therefore 1stage surgery is possible.



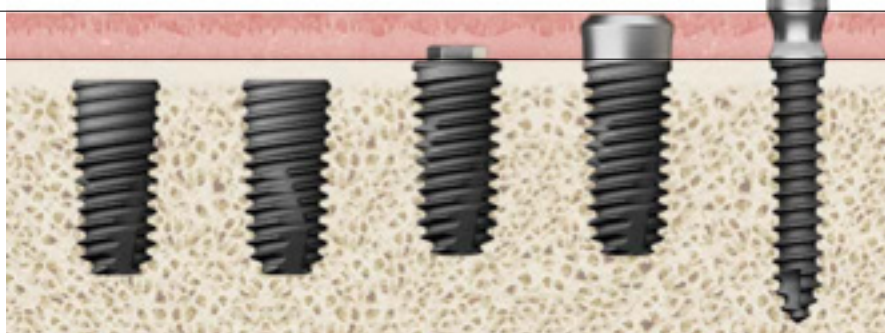
Submerged type



Non submerged type

Tissue level

Bone level



TS

Internal Hex

KS

Internal Hex

US

External

SS

Internal Octa

MS

One body



### 2-stage surgery vs. 1-stage surgery

- Implant surgery can be divided into 1stage and 2stage surgery depending on the number of gingival incisions.
- In case primary stability is sufficient, perform a 1stage surgery by placing healing abutment after implant surgery.
- In case initial stability is insufficient, perform a 2stage surgery by placing cover screw after implant surgery.

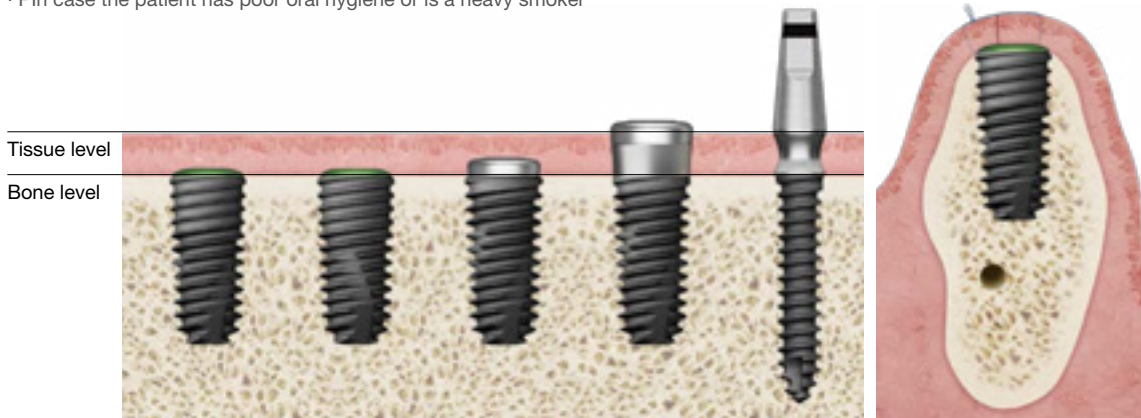
	Number of gingival incisions	Indications	Treatment period	Initial stability	Epithelial Tissue Ingrowth	Risk of infection	Loss of attached gingiva	Post operative implant prognosis	Risk of failure due to mastication
<b>2-stage surgery</b>	2-stage, additional surgery required	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Bad bone density</li> <li>· Bad initial stability</li> </ul>	3-5 months	Stable	Prevention	Relatively low	Relatively high	Difficult	Low
<b>1-stage surgery</b>	1-stage, no additional surgery required (less inconvenience for surgeon/patient)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Good bone density</li> <li>· Good initial stability</li> </ul>	2-4 months (shorter)	Unstable	Possible	Relatively high	Relatively low	Easy	High

## ① 2-stage surgery

- Select a submerged-type implant system: TS, KS, SS system

### Indications

- In case primary stability is low (<15Ncm)
- If a denture needs to be seated during the healing period
- In case primary closure is required due to wide-ranging GBR
- In case the patient has poor oral hygiene or is a heavy smoker



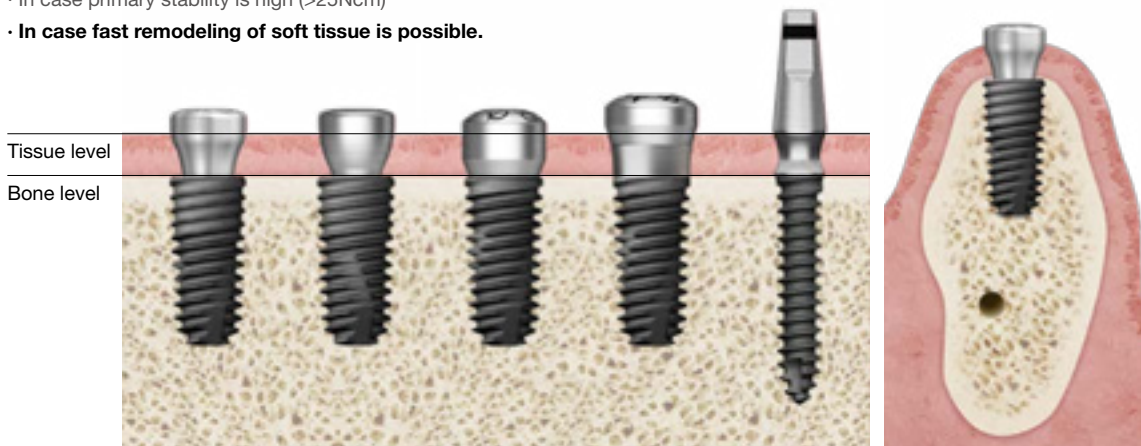
	TS	KS	US	SS	MS
Applicable Systems	○	○	○	×	×

## ② 1-stage surgery

- Select a non-submerged-type implant system: SS, MS system
- Select a submerged-type (TS, KS, US) implant system: 1-stage surgery is possible when healing abutments are seated after implantation.

### Indications

- In case primary stability is high (>25Ncm)
- **In case fast remodeling of soft tissue is possible.**



	TS	KS	US	SS	MS
Applicable Systems	○	○	○	○	○

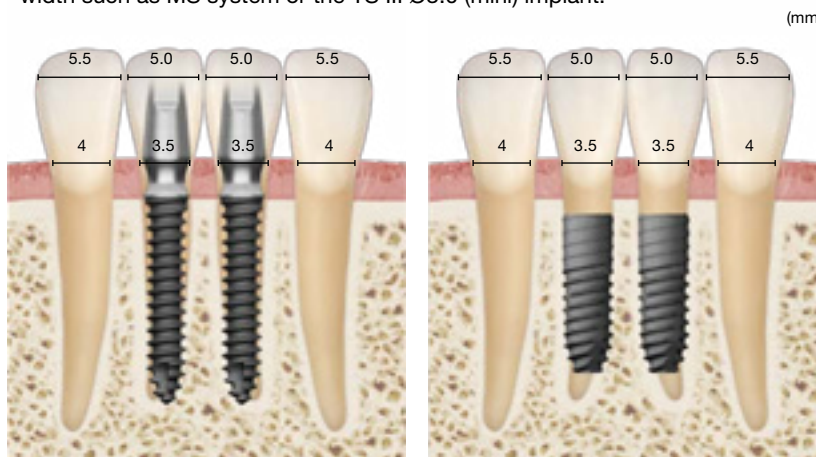
## B Select according to placement position

### ① Anterior region

· Importance lies in aesthetic function : select submerged type systems such as TS and KS system.



· Mandibular anterior region with narrow bone width : select implant systems specially designed for narrow bone width such as MS system or the TS III Ø3.0 (mini) implant.

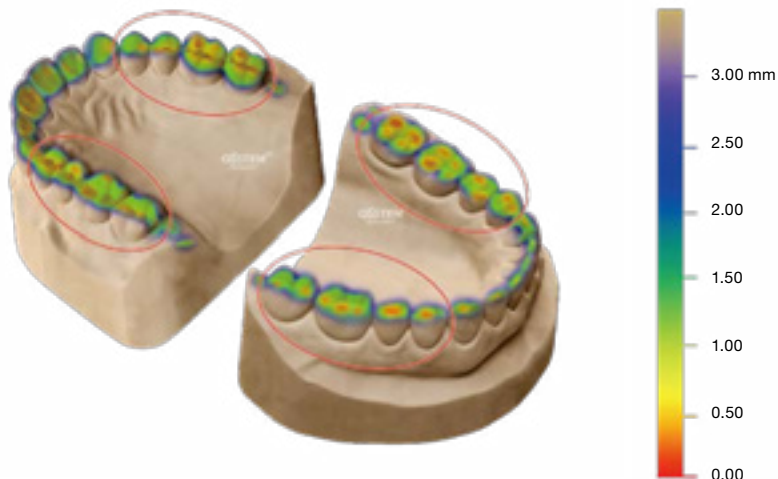


MS Narrow ridge

TS III Ø3.0 (mini)

### ② Posterior region

· Posterior region has to bear mechanically strong mastication force, and the risk of overload due to occlusal interference is high : select implant systems with strong structural stability such as TS, KS, SS and US system.

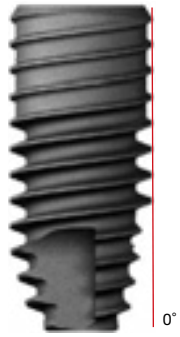
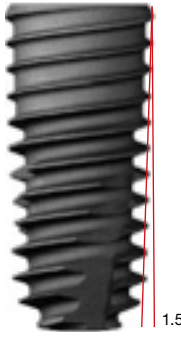
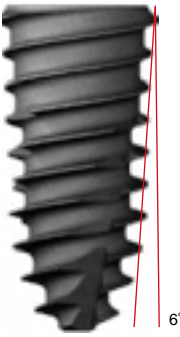


## 2 Select body type



### Implant body type




- Categorized by taper

		
<p><b>II Type</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Taper angle: 0°</li> <li>· Straight type</li> <li>· Straight body allows easy adjustment of placement depth</li> <li>· Less affected by bone quality and drill diameter</li> <li>· Suitable for hard bone, normal bone</li> </ul>	<p><b>III Type</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Taper angle: 1.5°</li> <li>· Taper type</li> <li>· 1.5° taper body is favorable for securing primary stability</li> <li>· Suitable for immediate and early loading</li> <li>· Suitable for normal bone, soft bone</li> </ul>	<p><b>IV Type</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Taper angle: 6°</li> <li>· Taper type</li> <li>· Able to obtain bone compaction even in weak bone able to obtain high primary stability</li> <li>· For Sinus surgery cases and soft bone cases</li> </ul>



### Bone quality

- Stands for the bone strength
- Classified to soft bone, normal bone, hard bone
- Healing period and loading time can be different depending on bone quality.
- Bone quality changes according to the patient's condition and cannot be controlled by the surgeon

		
<p><b>Soft Bone</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· D4: 150~350HU</li> <li>· Poor primary implant stability</li> <li>· Found in Maxillary posterior region of long term edentulous patients</li> </ul>	<p><b>Normal Bone</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· D3/D2: 850~1,250HU</li> <li>· Good primary implant stability</li> <li>· Has good bone healing ability thanks to abundant blood supply</li> <li>· Found in the mandibular posterior region and partially in Maxillary anterior region.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Hard Bone</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· D1: 1,250HU~</li> <li>· The abundant amount of cortical bone in the alveolar crest is favorable for dispersion of occlusal force, but a lot of heat is generated when placing implants.</li> <li>· Good primary stability when placing implants.</li> <li>· Found relatively more in the mandibular anterior region</li> </ul>



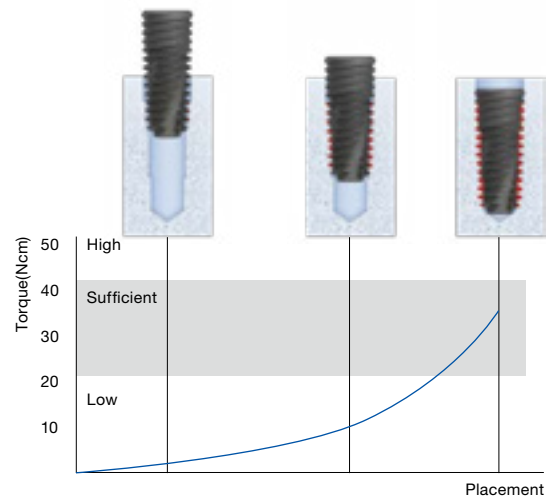
## Primary stability

### Primary stability depending on torque value

- Lower than 20Ncm : low primary stability (2-stage surgery recommended)
- 20~40Ncm : Sufficient Primary stability (1-stage surgery possible)
- 40Ncm~: High Primary stability (recommended for immediate loading)

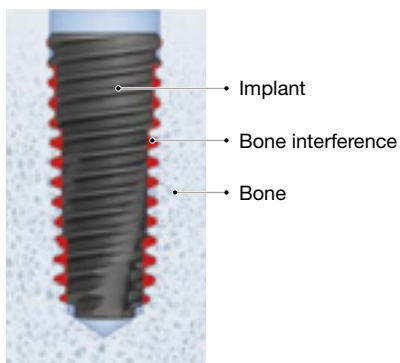
### Adjust Primary stability

- Torque value changes depending on bone quality and bone interference
- Since the bone quality at the placement site cannot be controlled, it is advised to secure primary stability by adjusting the amount of bone interference.



## Bone interference

- Part where the implant and bone overlap once the implant is placed
  - The larger the interference, the higher the primary stability
- Bone interference can be



### Ex. In case of placing TSIII Ø4.5 (based on placement in normal bone)

<p>One size smaller drill than the nominal drill (F4.0)</p>	<p>Nominal drill (F4.5)</p>	<p>One size smaller drill than the nominal drill (F5.0)</p>	<p>Initial stability: <b>High</b></p>
<p>High bone interference</p>	<p>Medium bone interference</p>	<p>Low bone</p>	<p>Initial stability: <b>Medium</b></p>
<p>Initial stability: <b>Low</b></p>			

## A Select system depending on surgical site

### ① Maxillary posterior region

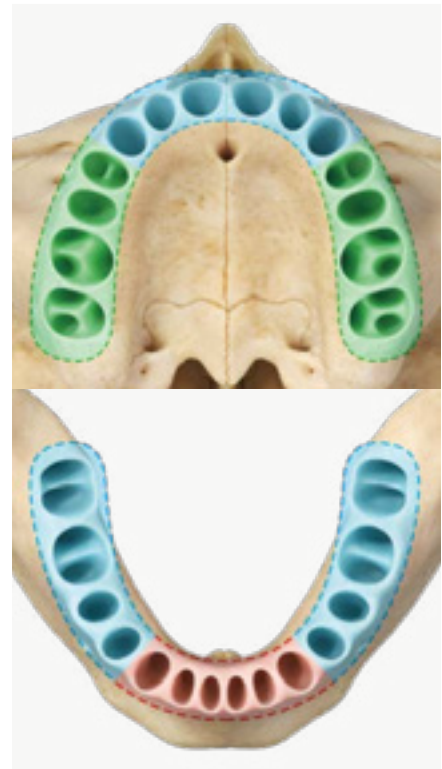
- Mainly soft bone
- Low density bone : Body type III, IV implants are recommended

### ② Maxillary anterior region, mandibular posterior

- Mainly normal bone
- Good primary stability can be obtained : Body type II, III, IV implants are recommended

### ③ Mandibular anterior

- Mainly hard bone
- Favorable for obtaining implant stability thanks to bone's hardness : Body type II, III implants are recommended

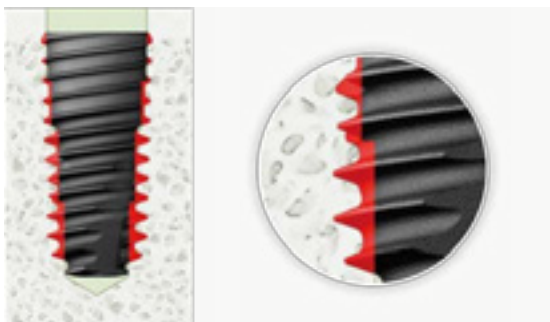
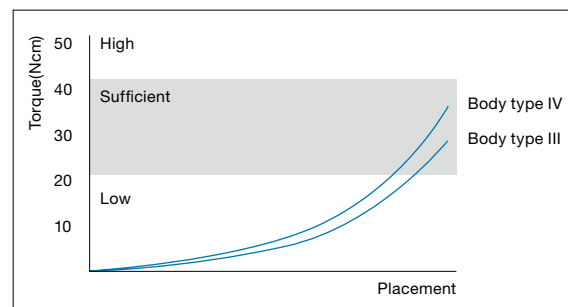


■ Soft bone ■ Normal bone ■ Hard bone

## B Select Body type by taking bone quality and its expected bone interference into consideration

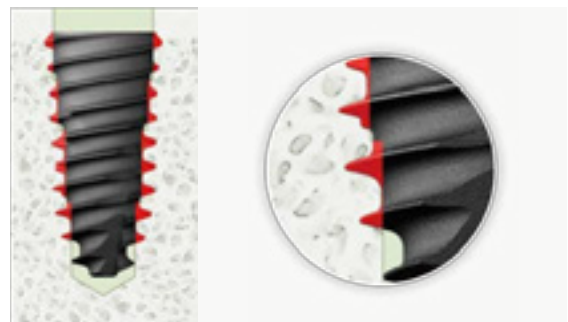
### ① Soft bone

- Very thin or nearly absent compact bone layer and low bone density
- Poor primary implant stability : it is recommended to select body type III or IV implants and to use one size smaller drill than the nominal final drill in order to secure primary stability by means of bone compaction.



**Body type III**

One size smaller drill than the nominal final drill

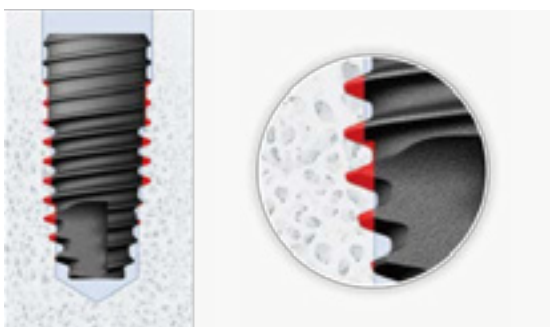
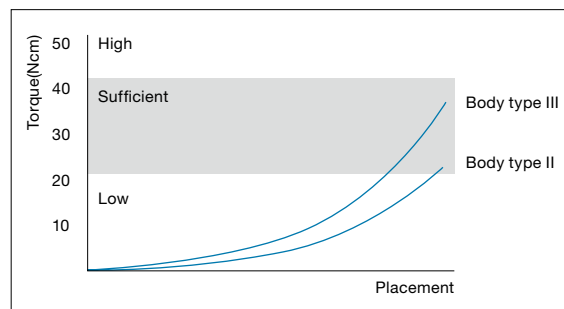


**Body type IV**

One size smaller drill than the nominal final drill

## ② Normal bone

- Normal bone is made of compact bone and cancellous bone
- Good primary implant stability of the implant: it is recommended to select body type II or III implants and to use nominal final drill in order to secure appropriate primary stability.



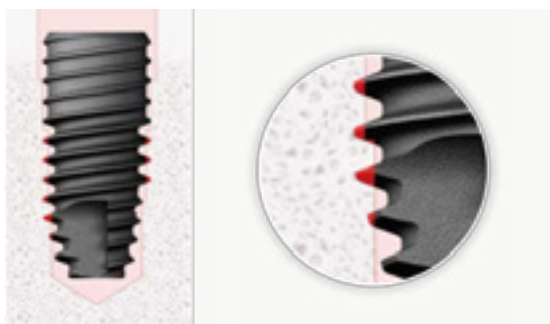
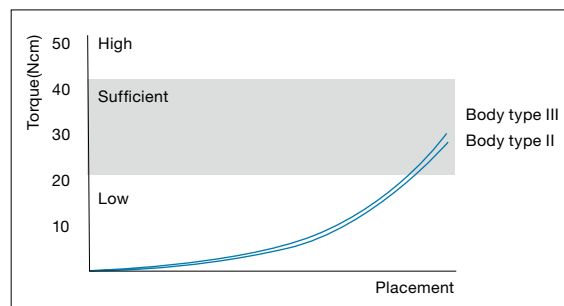
**Body type II**  
Nominal drill



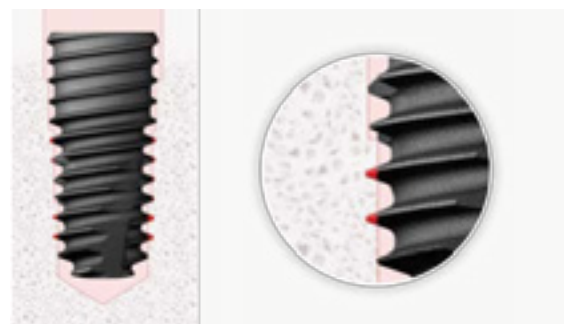
**Body type III**  
Nominal drill

## ③ Hard bone

- Little cancellous bone. Likely to create heat during the implant placement.
- Good primary implant stability when placing implant: it is recommended to select body type II or III implants and to use one size larger drill than the nominal final drill in order to obtain appropriate primary stability by cutting out more cortical bone.



**Body type II**  
One size larger drill than the nominal final drill



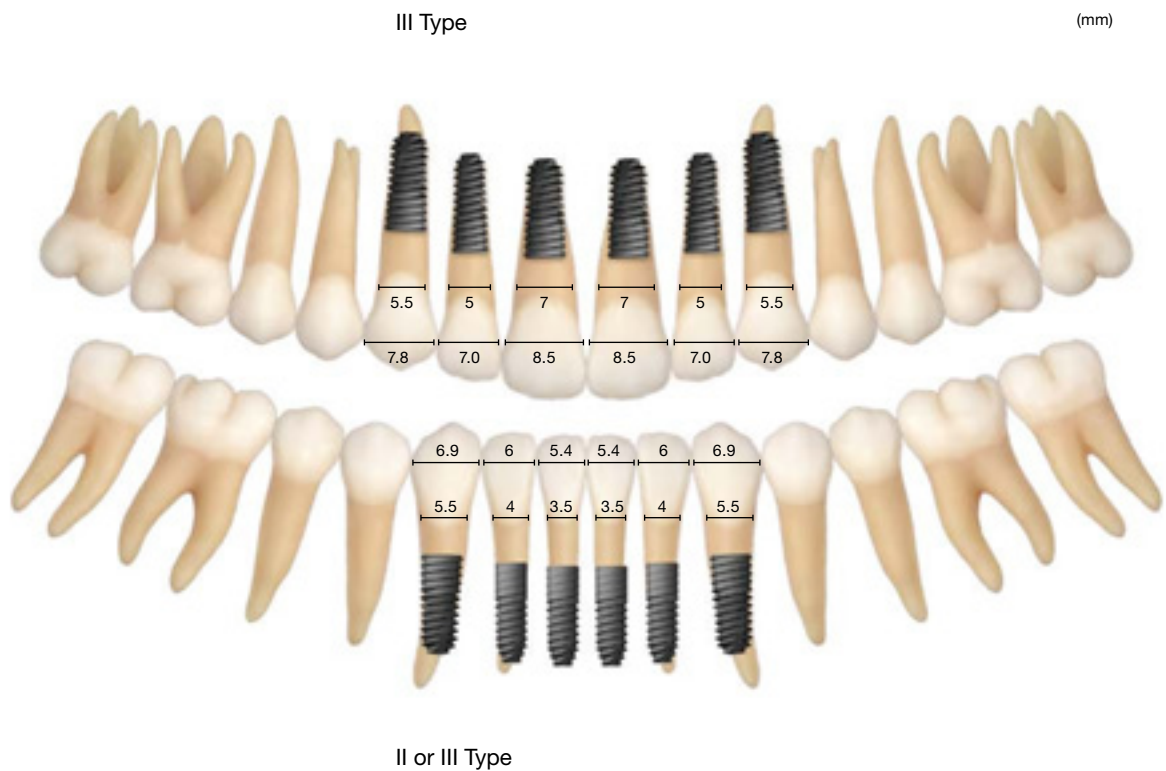
**Body type III**  
One size larger drill than the nominal final drill

### 3 Select diameter

Select implant diameter depending on the natural tooth size of the implant site.

#### Maxillary anterior region

system \ D	Ø2.5	Ø3.0	Ø3.5	Ø4.0	Ø4.5
TS		○	○	○	○
KS		○	○	○	○
SS			○	○	○
US			○	○	○
MS	○	○			



#### Mandibular anterior

system \ D	Ø2.5	Ø3.0	Ø3.5	Ø4.0	Ø4.5
TS			○	○	○
KS			○	○	○
SS				○	○
US				○	○
MS	○	○	○		

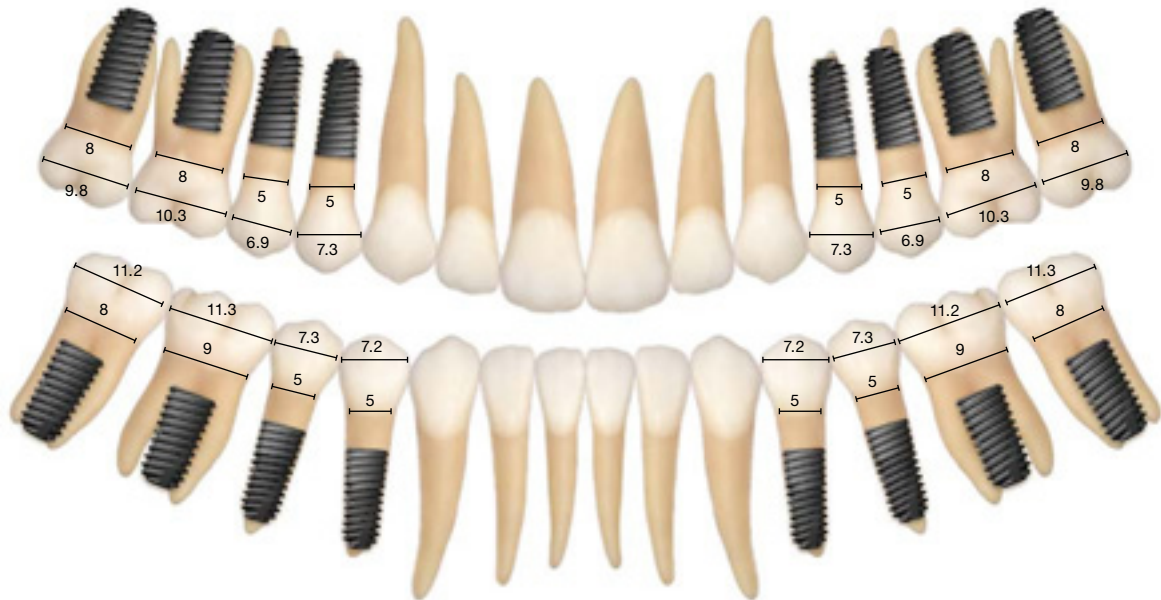
## Maxillary posterior region

system \ D	Ø4.0	Ø4.5	Ø5.0	Ø5.5	Ø6.0	Ø7.0
TS	○	○	○	○	○	○
KS	○	○	○	○	○	○
SS	○	○	○		○	○
US	○	○	○		○	○
MS						

III or IV Type

III or IV Type

(mm)



III or IV Type

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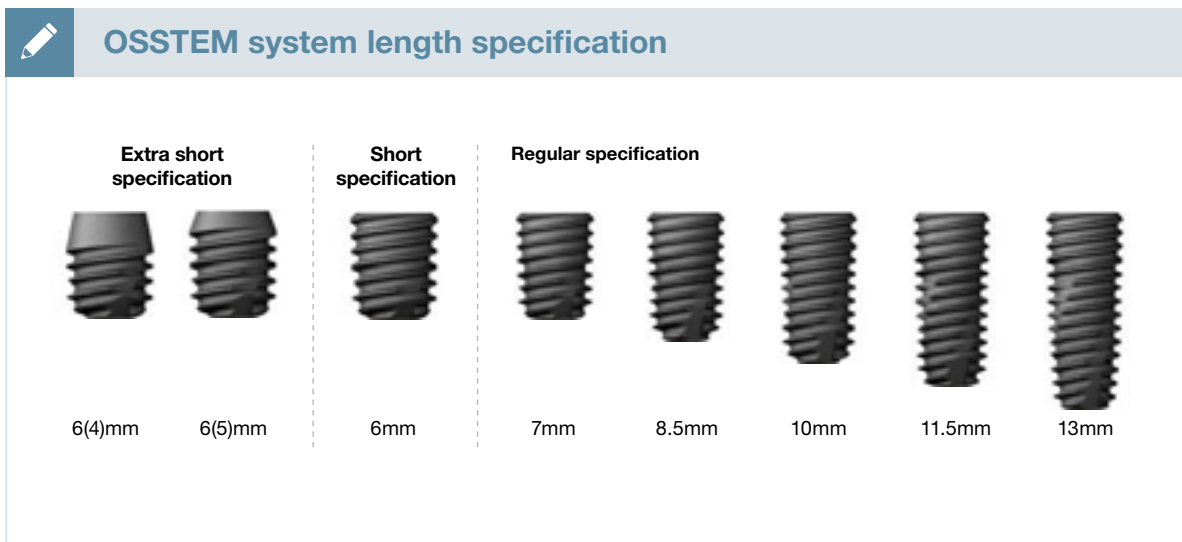
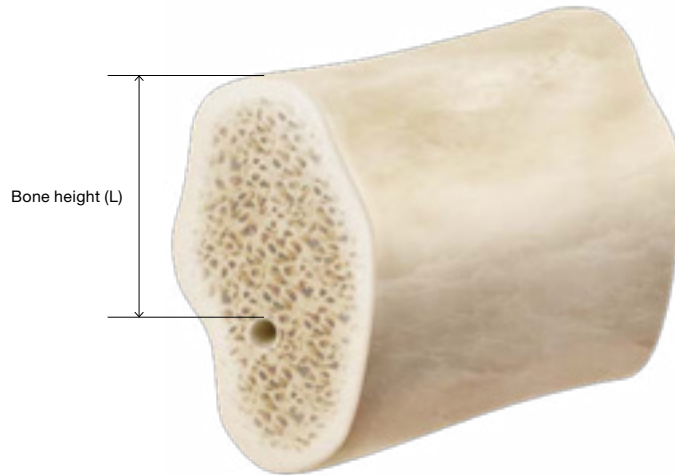
## Mandibular posterior

system \ D	Ø4.0	Ø4.5	Ø5.0	Ø5.5	Ø6.0	Ø7.0
TS	○	○	○	○	○	○
KS	○	○	○	○	○	○
SS	○	○	○		○	○
US	○	○	○		○	○
MS						

## 4 Select length

### A In case bone height is sufficient

- Choose appropriate implant by taking the bone height and width into consideration
- Generally 10mm implants are placed
- In case obtaining primary stability is difficult, choose 11.5mm or 13mm implants.

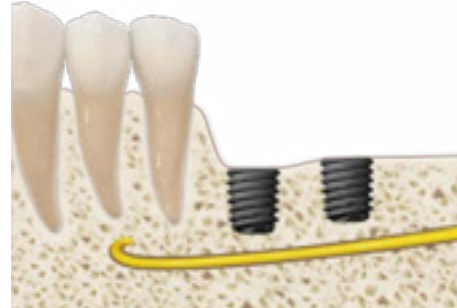


## B In case bone height is insufficient




- Place short implants : placing short implants is recommended when implants are too close to crucial anatomical structures.



Close to maxillary sinus

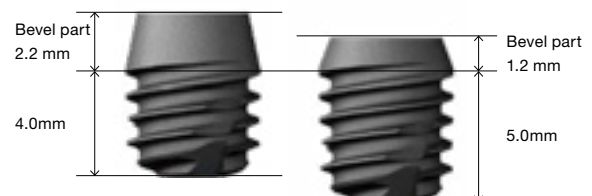
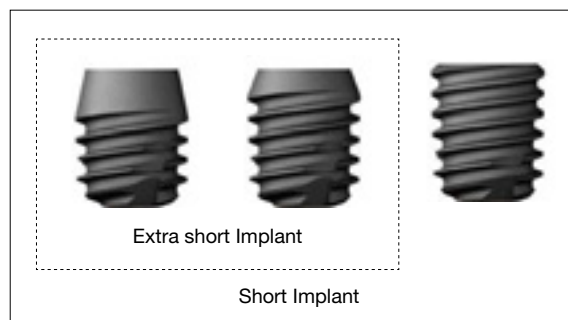


Close to inferior alveolar nerve

System	D \ L		Extra Short (Excluding bevel)		Short
	D	L			
	Ø4.0			7(6)mm	
	Ø4.5			7(6)mm	
	Ø5.0		6(4)mm	6(5)mm	6mm
	Ø5.5				6mm
	Ø4.0			7(6)mm	
	Ø4.5			7(6)mm	
	Ø5.0		6(4)mm (Wide specification)	6(5)mm (Wide specification)	6mm
	Ø4.0				
	Ø4.5				
	Ø5.0				6mm

\* Ø6.0, Ø7.0: Same as the Ø5.0 specification of each system

- Short implant : implants that have threads up to 6mm
- Extra short implant : short implants with large bevels
- The placement depth of the bevel section can be adjusted by the surgeon depending on the purpose of the surgery.



## 5 Surface type

### A SA surface

- Optimal surface shape is realized with acid etching process.
- Ra 2~3 $\mu\text{m}$  surface roughness (However, 0.5mm of the upper part has roughness of 0.5~0.6 $\mu\text{m}$ ).
- Uniform micro-pits in size of 1~3 $\mu\text{m}$ .
- 46% increase in surface roughness compared to RBM surface.

#### Bone response performance (in-vitro and in-vivo)

- 20% improvement in osteoblast differentiation and ossification capacity compared to RBM
- 48% improvement in primary stability (RT measured, 4 weeks) compared to RBM surface 20% improvement of new bone formation ability (BIC measured, 4 weeks) improved by 20% compared to the RBM surface

#### Treatment period (prosthesis seating)

- Prosthesis loading is possible in 6~8 weeks from surgery (Treatment time may vary depending on bone mass and periodontal condition)



10 minutes after immersing in blood

### B CA surface

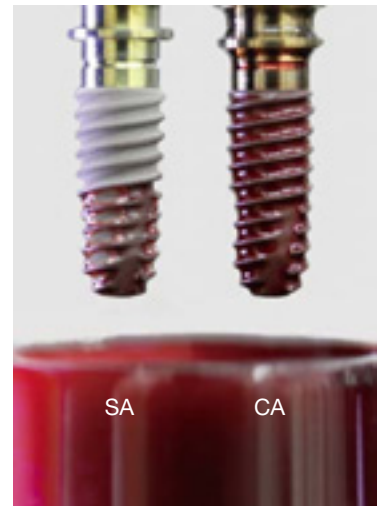
- Activation of surface is maximized (super hydrophilicity) by immersing the implant in calcium ( $\text{CaCl}_2$ ) solution
- Same optimal surface shape as SA is preserved.
- Increased area for new bone formation thanks to excellent blood wettability
- Improved early bone response performance compared to SA surface

#### Bone response performance (in-vitro and in-vivo)

- 3 times increase in protein and cell adhesion ability compared to SA
- 19% improvement in early cell differentiation ability (7 days) compared to SA surface
- 34% increase in primary stability (RT measured, 4 weeks) compared to SA surface
- 26% increase in new bone formation ability (BIC, 4 weeks) compared to SA surface

#### Treatment period (prosthesis seating)

- Prosthesis loading is possible in 4~6 weeks from surgery (Treatment time may vary depending on bone mass and periodontal condition)



Immediately upon immersing in blood

## C BA surface

- Low crystalline nano-HA coated surface on SA surface
- World's first dry hydrophilic surface
- Ultra-thin hydroxyapatite coating under 10nm (Ra 2~3 $\mu$ m)
- The dual function of Titanium and hydroxyapatite :  
Hydroxyapatite is naturally removed during new bone formation

### Bone response performance (in-vitro and in-vivo)

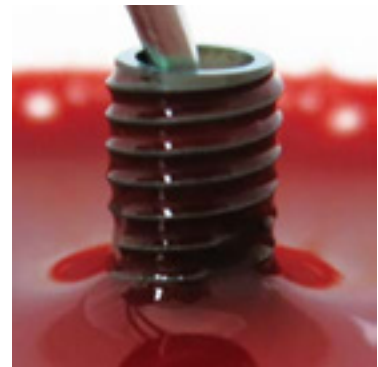
- Merging the advantages of SA surface and existing HA surface SA  
(SA advantages: Optimal surface shape / HA advantages: Excellent initial bone formation ability in weak bone quality)
- New bone formation (BIC) improved by 40% compared to the SA surface
- Can be used in any bone matrix compared to HA surface

### Treatment period (prosthesis seating)

- Prosthesis loading possible from 4~5 weeks (Treatment time may vary depending on bone mass and periodontal condition)



SA



BA

## D SOI surface

- Next-generation surface coated with special material (K material)
- Activates blood clot formation
- Prevents carbon adsorption from the air
- Coating of K material on the surface of SA (Ra 2~3 $\mu$ m)
- Super-hydrophilic surface for excellent blood wetting

### Bone response performance (in-vitro and in-vivo)

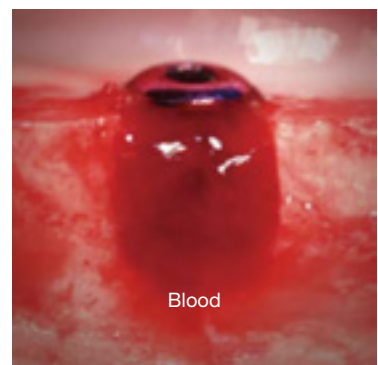
- 130 times increase in protein and cell adhesion compared to SA
- 57% improvement in initial fixation force (RT, 4 weeks) compared to SA surface
- Surface with the shortest treatment period

### Treatment period (prosthesis seating)

- Prosthesis loading possible from 4~5 weeks (Treatment time may vary depending on bone mass and periodontal condition)



Immediately upon immersing in blood



20 minutes after immersing in blood

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