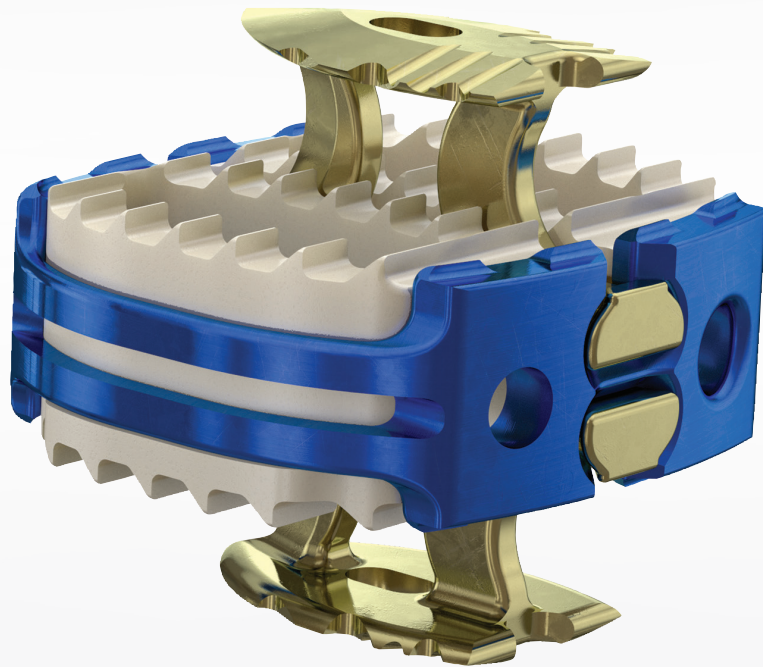


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StraightForward insertion
Remarkable compression¹



Featuring
Aerofoil™ Compression Technology

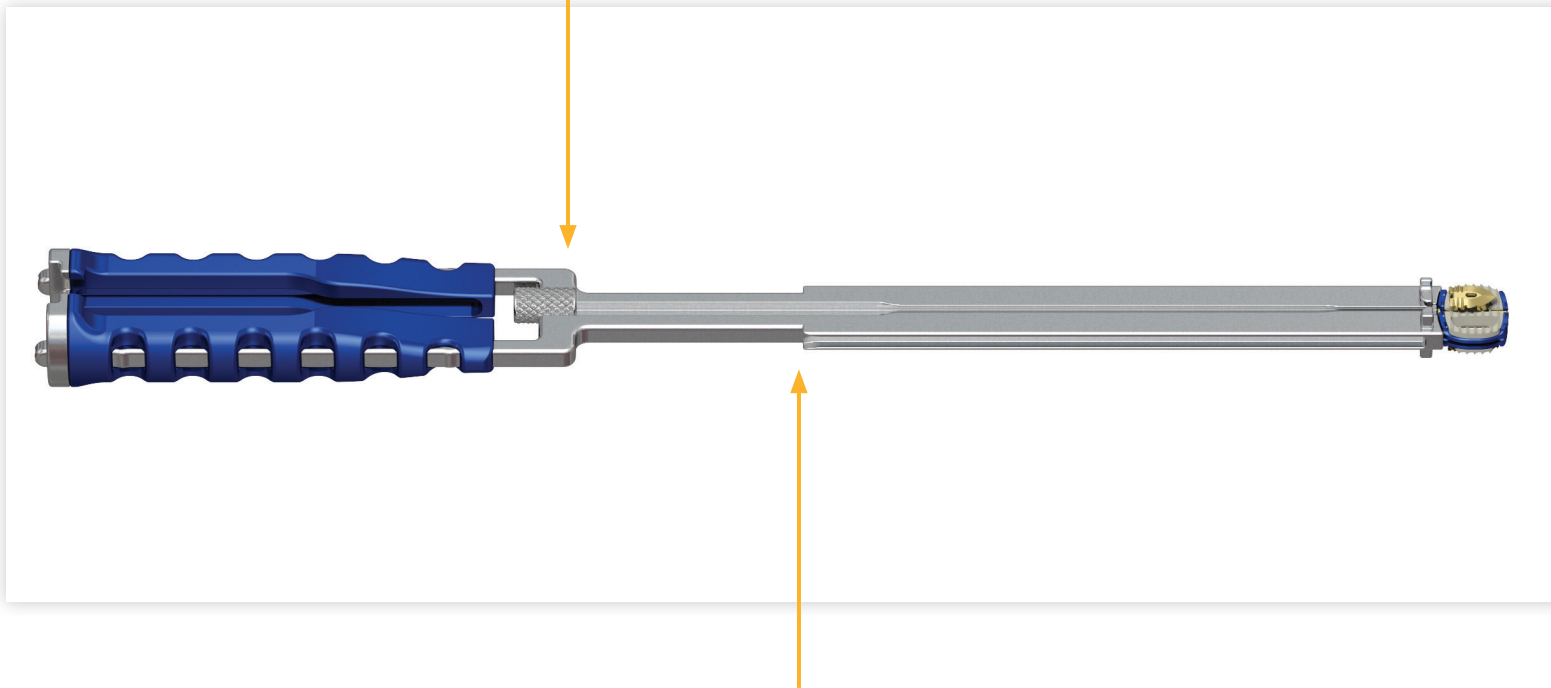
StraightForward

insertion

Introducing StraightForward instruments

Make insertion StraightForward with Aero-C's precision-guided instruments, which deliver anchors within a constrained system

- Rail-based instrumentation for accurate implant and anchor placement
- Fully guided system helps achieve reproducibility



Less invasive

Streamline your approach with in-line insertion

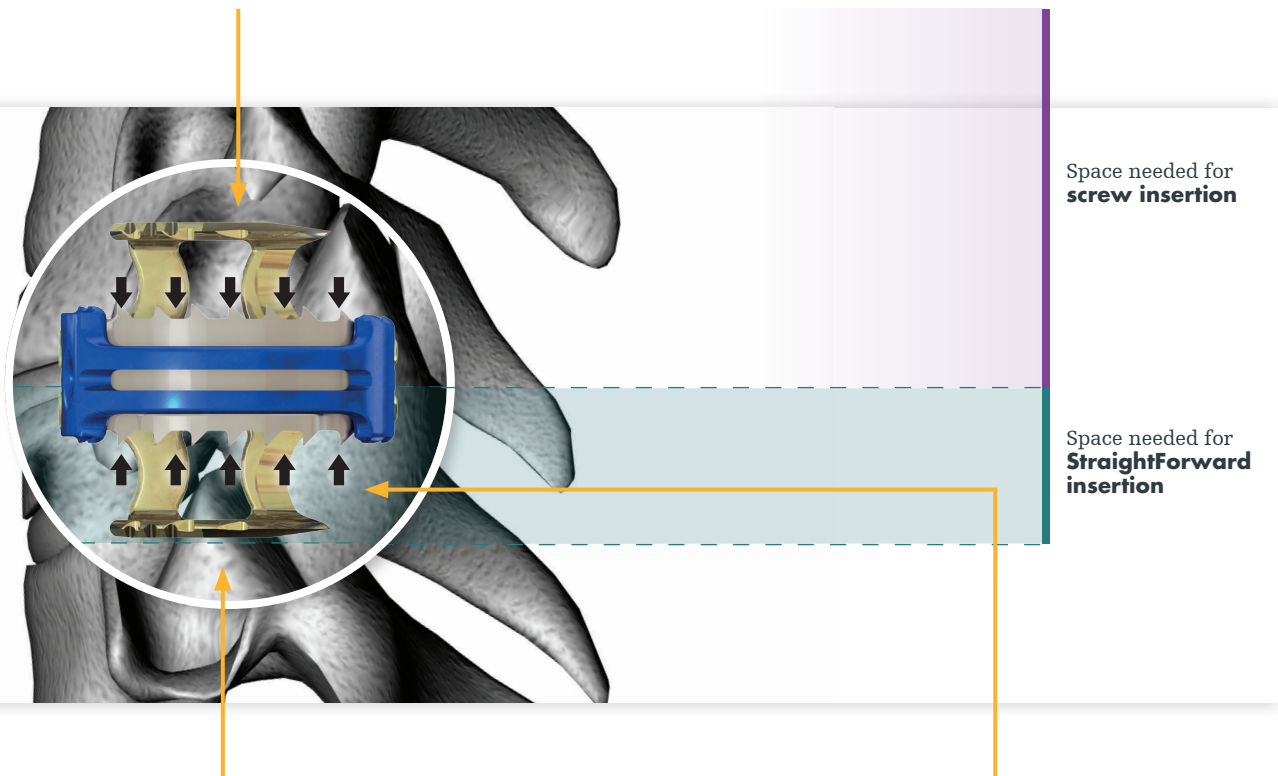
- Minimize tissue disruption with a less invasive approach
- In-line insertion reduces the potential for instrument impingement on the patient's chin or chest

Remarkable compression¹

Introducing Aerofoil™ Compression Technology

Secure Aero-C to the vertebral bodies with Aerofoil™
Compression Technology

- Shaped like inverted plane wings, Aero-C's unique anchors are designed to pull the vertebral bodies towards the implant as it is inserted, creating compressive forces at the implant-to-endplate interface
- In accordance with Wolff's law, compression creates a healing environment known to stimulate bone growth²
- Integrated one-step locking mechanism is designed to lock anchors to the implant



Compression stabilization

Generate over 200 N of force¹ with
Aerofoil™ Compression Technology

- Only in-line ACDF (anterior cervical disectomy and fusion) device to offer compression across the disc space
- Compressive force helps maximize segmental stability

Uniform loading

Designed to distribute compression
uniformly across the full implant-to-
endplate interface

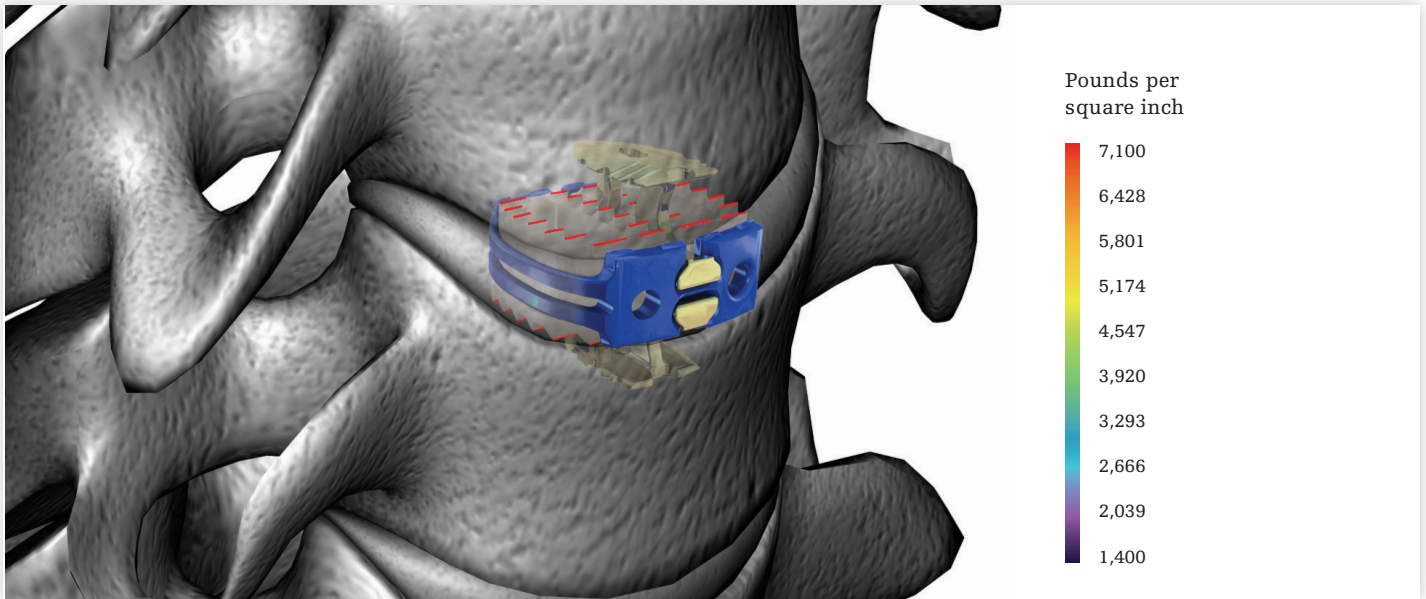
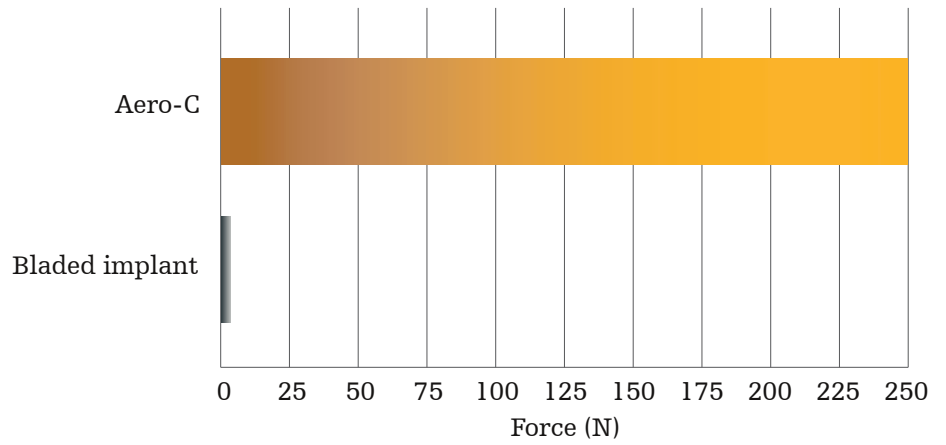
- Large anchors designed to engage the anterior and posterior aspects of the implant

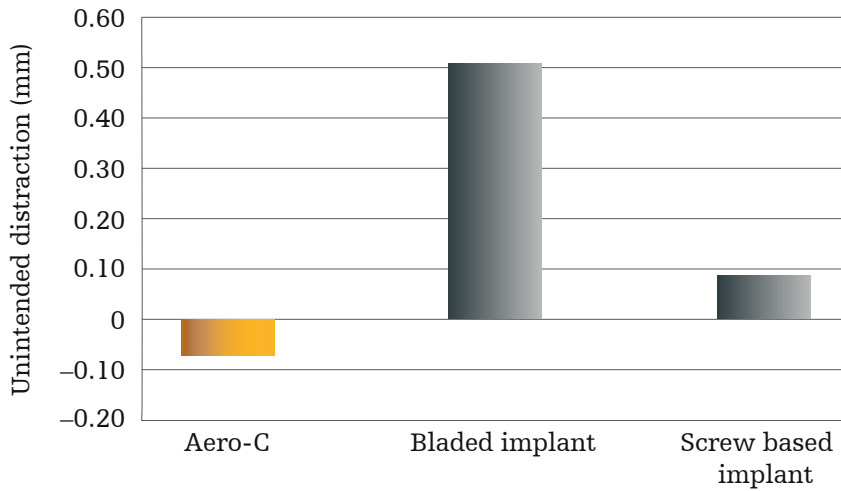
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technical data

Pressure film testing¹

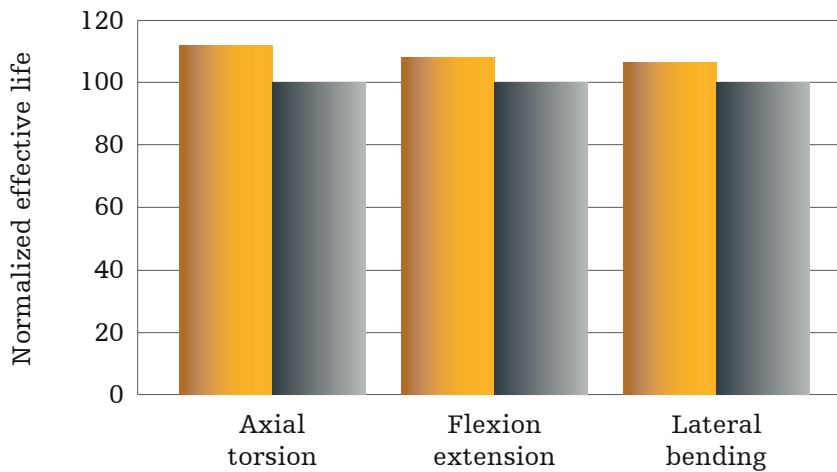
Aero-C is the only in-line ACDF device to offer compression across the interbody.¹





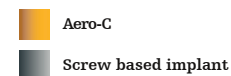
Unintended distraction testing³

Aero-C's anchors are designed to draw the vertebral bodies towards the implant to create compression.³

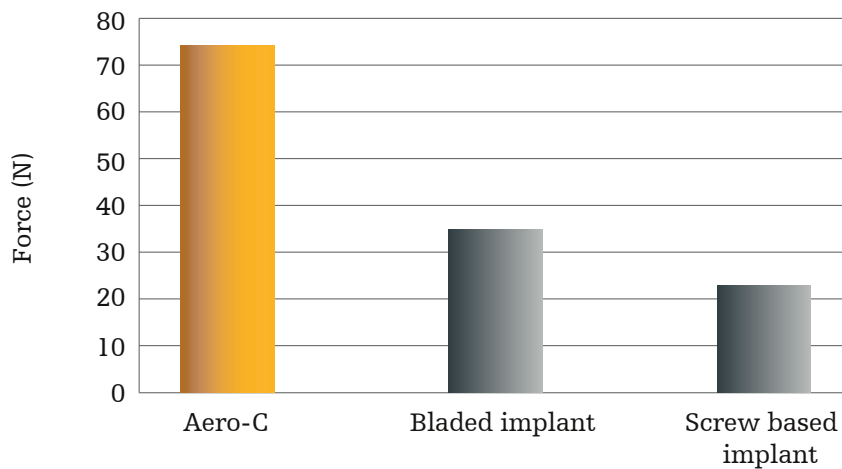


Effective life testing⁴

The unique anchor design of Aero-C demonstrated better resistance to physiological motion than a commercially available screw based implant.⁴



Effective life is defined as the number of cycles at which a 10% average increase over the baseline ROM was observed.



Load dispersion testing⁵

Aero-C was shown to be more than twice as strong as a commercially available screw based and bladed implant when testing mechanical pull-out strength in a simulated vertebral body.⁵

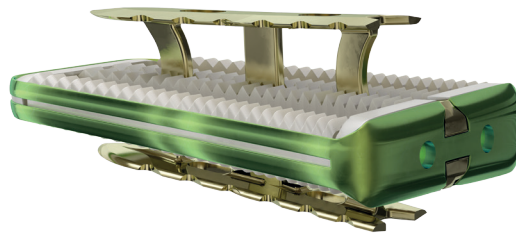
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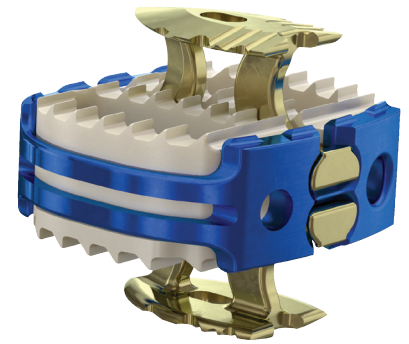
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