Aesculap®

Monopolar Reposable instruments

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Monopolar single-use shafts

Symbols on product and packages

STERILE R	Sterilization using irradiation
2	Not for reuse in intended applications as defined by the manufacturer
	Use by
\triangle	Caution, general warning symbol Caution, see documentation supplied with the product
\sim	Date of manufacture

Intended use

Indicated for use in adult and pediatric (3.5mm instruments only) diagnostic and therapeutic general endoscopy and laparoscopy surgery.

Safe handling and preparation

CAUTION

Federal law restricts this device to sale by, or on order of a physician!



Infection hazard for patients and/or users and impairment of product functionality due to reuse. Risk of injury, illness or death due to contamination and/or impaired functionality of the product!

► Do not reprocess the product.

The product is gamma-sterilized and supplied in sterile packaging.

The product must not be reused.

- Ensure that the product and its accessories are operated and used only by persons with the requisite training, knowledge, or experience.
- Read, follow, and keep the instructions for use.
- ► Use the product only in accordance with its intended use, see Intended use.
- $\blacktriangleright\:$ Do not use products from open or damaged sterile packaging.
- ▶ Prior to each use, inspect the product for loose, bent, broken, cracked or fractured components.
- ▶ Do not use the product if it is damaged or defective. Set aside the product if it is damaged.
- ► Do not use the product after its use-by date.



Risk of injury from ignition or explosion of flammable gases!

Sparks may occur when using the HF device as directed.

 $\blacktriangleright\,$ Observe the safety guidelines in the instructions for use of the HF device.



Thermal injuries to patients/users due to insufficient insulation of leads in active accessories!

- ► Adjust the HF device to an appropriate setting to ensure that the peak output voltage does match or not exceed the accessory voltage rating specified for the product
- Adjust the HF power output according to the intended surgical intervention. Take into account clinical experience.
- Select the lowest possible HF power output.
- Keep the product's contact surfaces clean during surgery. Remove encrusted tissue residues or body fluids with a moistened swab.

Refer to our brochures to find a compatible cable.

The accessory voltage rating of the product is 1 000 Vp.

The accessory voltage rating must exceed or match the peak output voltage with which the product is operated in combination with a suitable HF device at an appropriate operating mode/setting (see IEC/DIN EN 60601-2-2). To avoid HF burns:

- ► Always keep the working end of the product in the user's field of vision whenever the HF power is activated.
- Prior to activating the HF device, check that the working end of the product is not touching any electrically conductive accessories.
- ▶ Prior to each use, visually inspect the product for: damage or surface changes to the insulation.
- Never place the product on or next to the patient.
- ► When using accessories for endoscopy or laparoscopy, deactivate the automatic switch-on mode of the HF device.
- ► Follow the instructions for use of the HF device.

Assembling

- ► Open the sterile packaging and pick up the instrument.
- ► Push in and lock the shaft in the handle (P0958R, P0959R)
- ► Test the instrument for proper functioning by opening and closing the jaws.

Disassembling

- Pull back the star wheel of the handle.
- The instrument shaft in the handle is unlocked.
- Extract the instrument shaft from the handle. At this stage, do not hold the movable part of the handle.

Storage

► Store sterile packed single-use products dust-protected in a dry, dark and temperature-controlled room.

Technical Service

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Other service addresses can be obtained from the address indicated above.

Accessories/Spare parts

For accessories and spare parts, see brochure C304, C415 and C766 or visit http://www.endoscopy-catalog.com

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▶ Adhere to national regulations when disposing of or recycling the product, its components and its packaging!

Distributor in the US/Contact in Canada for product information and complaints

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