








AN INNOVATIVE TECHNIQUE FOR:

- >> ACL single and double bundle reconstruction
- >> PCL single and "V" reconstruction
- >> Partial ACL repairs (AM or PM bundle)
- >> Paediatric reconstruction

TLS[®] IMPLANTS

The TLS[®] fixation systems include a tape and a fixation screw.

IMPLANT LIST

	TITANIUM SCREW	PRODUCT REFERENCE	
 Anodised titanium screw	TLS [®] TENDON ANCHORING SCREW Ø 10mm LG 20mm	253 569	
	TLS [®] TENDON ANCHORING SCREW Ø 10mm LG 25mm	248 853	
	TLS [®] TENDON ANCHORING SCREW Ø 12mm LG 20mm	264 274	
	SCREWDRIVER FOR TLS [®] TITANIUM	254 599	
 Peek [®] screw, radiolucent	TLS [®] TENDON ANCHORING SCREW PEEK Ø 10mm LG 20mm	263 653	
	TLS [®] TENDON ANCHORING SCREW PEEK Ø 10mm LG 25mm	263 654	
	SCREWDRIVER FOR TLS [®] PEEK	263 783	
 Bio-C screw	TLS [®] TENDON ANCHORING SCREW BIO-C Ø 10mm LG 20mm	264 648	
	TLS [®] TENDON ANCHORING SCREW BIO-C Ø 10mm LG 25mm	264 649	
	SCREWDRIVER FOR TLS [®] BIO-C	264 650	
	GUIDE PIN FOR TLS [®] BIO-C SCREW Ø 1,2	264 651	
 Polyethylene terephthalate anchoring tape	ANCHORING STRIP	PRODUCT REFERENCE	
	TLS [®] TENDON ANCHORING TAPE	256 193	

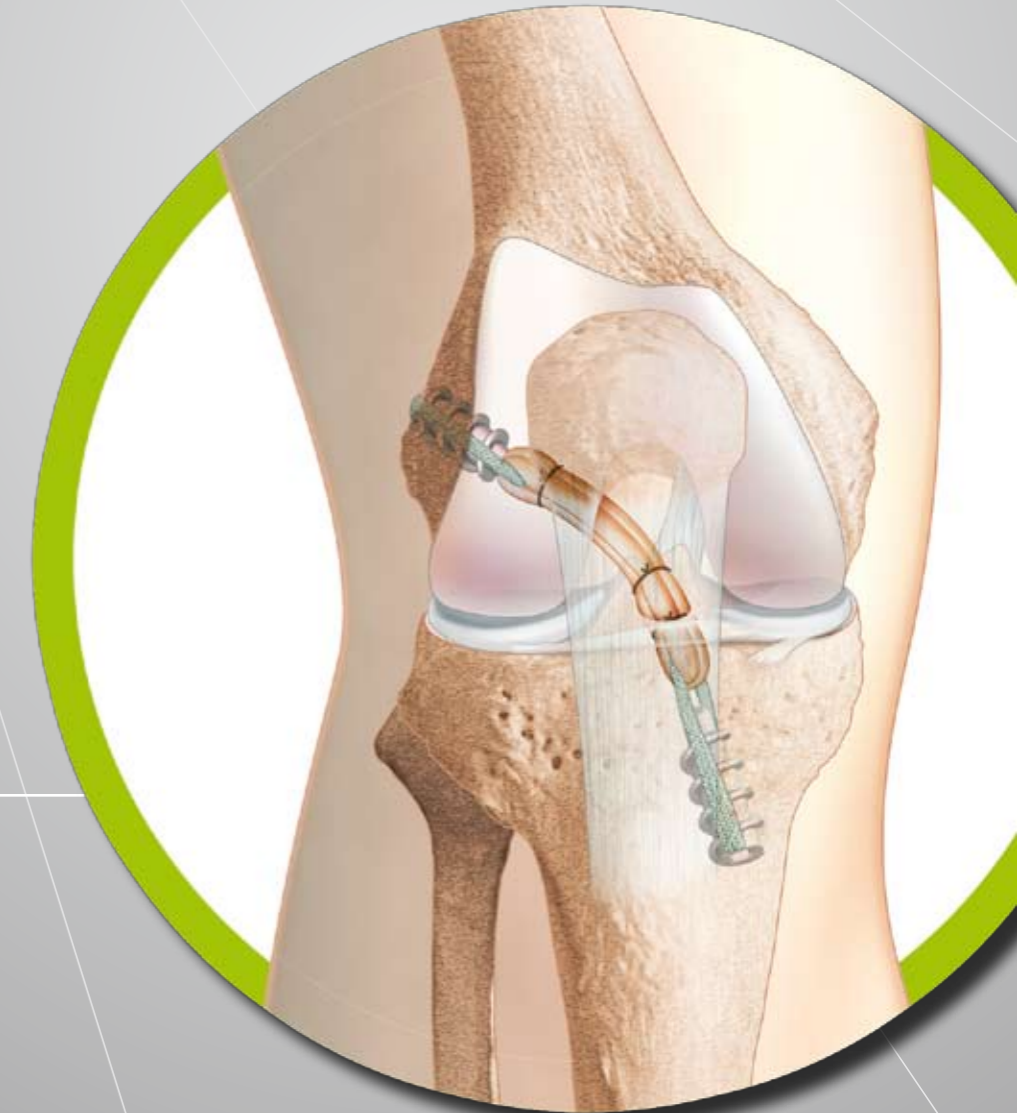
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TLS[®]

Tape Locking Screw

THE PROVEN SOLUTION FOR THE SHORT GRAFTS



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PRINCIPLES OF THE TLS[®] SYSTEM

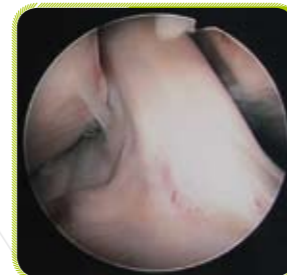
- >> Single HS (semitendinosus) tendon harvested
- >> Graft quadrupled = strongest construct
- >> No wasted tendon in bone tunnels
- >> Graft suspended by non-elastic tapes
- >> Tapes secured in bone by screws
- >> Graft pretensioned to reduce post implantation tension loss

BENEFITS OF THE TLS[®] SYSTEM

- >> Outside-in femoral targeting (tibial tunnel independent) for improved coronal plane positioning
- >> Short bone sockets, atraumatically retroreamed
- >> Graft passed through medial portal and press-fit into sockets with 360° contact with bone
- >> Aperature fixation by press-fit
- >> No screw, or fixation device directly contacts tendon or is placed in tunnel with graft



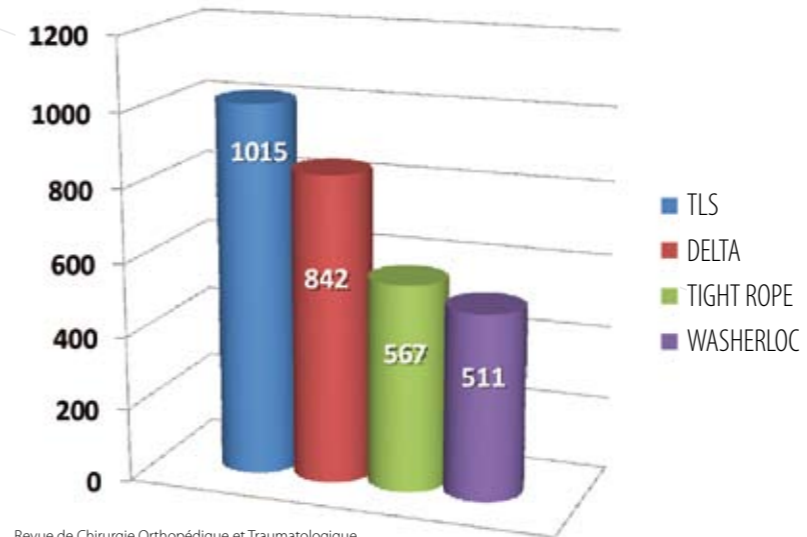
TLS[®] at 3 years



Arthroscopic view of a graft at 6 months

PROVEN RESULTS

Elastic limits (N) - tibial fixation



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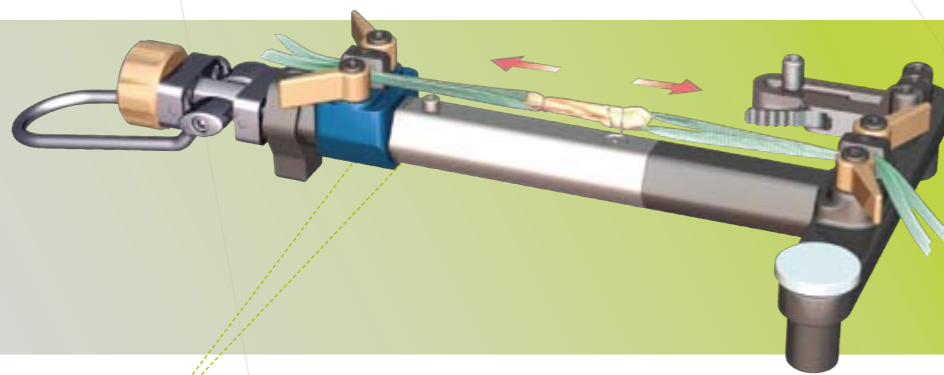


Comparative studies have shown the superior resistance strength of the TLS[®] fixation, which is almost equal to the native ACL resistance strength.

Harvesting only the semitendinosus tendon and pretensioning the graft up to 500 Newtons, the TLS[®] is designed to minimize post-implantation laxity,

eliminate tissue waste, and allow the patient to begin to restore mobility and range of motion, with no splint or brace, within 24 hours.

REPRODUCIBLE TECHNIQUE



>> Graft pre-tension at 500 N



>> Outside-in femoral aiming



>> Creation of short femoral and tibial recesses to preserve bone stock



>> Graft positioned using "all inside" technique



>> Inserting screws