

# Introduction

The Connector System is a comprehensive system designed to reduce the complexity of revising and extending existing spinal constructs. The system includes a variety of Rod-to-Rod Connectors, Bypass Connectors, Axial In-Line Connectors and Z Rods as well as unique instrumentation intended to facilitate the removal of bony anatomy. The Connector System eliminates the need to remove existing hardware while providing stability at adjacent levels.



# System Overview

#### **Rod-to-Rod Connectors**

Rod-to-Rod connectors encompass a variety of options for simple to complex revision procedures. The connectors are compatible with rod diameters ranging from 3.0mm to 6.35mm and accommodate various posterior surgical approaches.



Side Interface: Ø4.75 - 6.35mm Top Interface: Ø5.5 - 6.0mm Side/Side

Side Interface(s): Ø4.75 - 6.35mm

Side/Front

Side/Front Interface: Ø4.75 - 6.35mm

Front/Front

Front Interface(s): Ø4.75 - 6.35mm

Small Side/Front

Side Interface: Ø4.75 - 6.35mm Front Interface: Ø3.0 - 3.5mm

### **Bypass Connectors**

Bypass Connectors are low-profile implants that navigate around one or two existing screw bodies. The connectors can attach to rod diameters ranging from 4.75mm to 6.35mm. U-Style Connectors utilize two sets and incorporate a 5.5mm x 200mm offset rod extension. 16mm and 34mm Bypass Connectors utilize a single set screw and incorporate a 5.5mm x 200mm in-line rod extension.







#### **Axial In-Line Rod Connectors**

Axial In-Line Rod Connectors attach to 4.75mm to 6.35mm rod diameters. The connectors feature a rod pocket and visualization hole to accept rod overhang and provide visual confirmation of rod engagement.



#### **Z** Rods

5.5mm x 150mm x 150mm and 5.5mm x 150mm x 300mm rod lengths are available to accommodate various length revision constructs. All rods are lined to assist with rod contouring and positioning.

Z Rod

#### **Set Screws**

Large and small set screws are used to secure the connectors to existing constructs. Both sets screws feature a 3.7mm hex interface and a 60 in. lbs. torque value. The large set screw incorporates a buttress thread design to minimize cross threading.





# **Set Configuration** (79-9091)

Implants									
Part #	Description	Qty	Part#	Description	Qty				
79-2002	Large Set Screw	10	79-2130	34mm Bypass Connector, Left	Optional				
79-2003	Small Set Screw	20	79-2135	34mm Bypass Connector, Right	Optional				
79-2100	Side/Top Loading Connector	4	79-2140	Axial In-Line Connector with Rod	4				
79-2105	Side/Front Loading Connector	4	79-2150	Z Rod, 150mm x 150mm	4				
79-2110	Small Side/Front Loading Connector	4	79-2155	Front/Front Loading Connector	4				
79-2115	Side/Side Loading Connector	4	79-2160	U-Style, 16mm Bypass Connector, Left	2				
79-2120	16mm Bypass Connector, Left	2	79-2165	U-Style, 16mm Bypass Connector, Right	2				
79-2125	16mm Bypass Connector, Right	2	79-2300	Z Rod, 150mm x 300mm	Optional				

Instruments								
Part #	Description	Qty	Part #	Description	Qty			
52-1041	Trial Rod, 200mm	1	79-1006	Set Screw Driver	2			
79-1001	Straight Implant Inserter	1	79-1007	Connector Counter Torque Wrench	1			
79-1002	Threaded Implant Inserter	1	79-1008	Rod Pliers/Holder	Optional			
79-1003	Curved Rasp	1	79-1010	Connector Torque Limiting Handle	1			
79-1004	Underbite Rongeur	1	79-1012	Bone Chisel	1			
79-1005	Set Screw Inserter	2	79-1014	Tamp	1			

	Cases & Trays					
Part #	Description	Qty	Part#	Description		
79-1090	Case	1	79-8305	Large Set Screw Caddy		
79-1090B	Case, Base	Optional	79-8306	Top Tray-Level		
79-8301	Side Loading Connector Caddy	Optional	79-8307	Middle Tray-Level		
79-8302	Side/Front Loading Connector Caddy	Optional	79-8309	Ancillary Implant Caddy		
79-8303	Front Loading Connector Caddy	Optional	20115080	Lid		
79-8304	Small Set Screw Caddy	Optional				







Qty
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Middle Tray





Bottom Tray



## **Features and Benefits**

### **All-Inclusive System**

Comprehensive offering eliminates the need to remove existing hardware for revision procedures

## **Improved Intra-Operative Efficiency**

May decrease operative time and potential complications as existing hardware doesn't have to be removed

## **Bone-Preparation Instruments**

Facilitates fusion mass removal commonly associated with revision procedures

# Compatible with Multiple Orthofix Spinal Fixation Systems

Accommodates multiple posterior surgical approaches and rod diameters

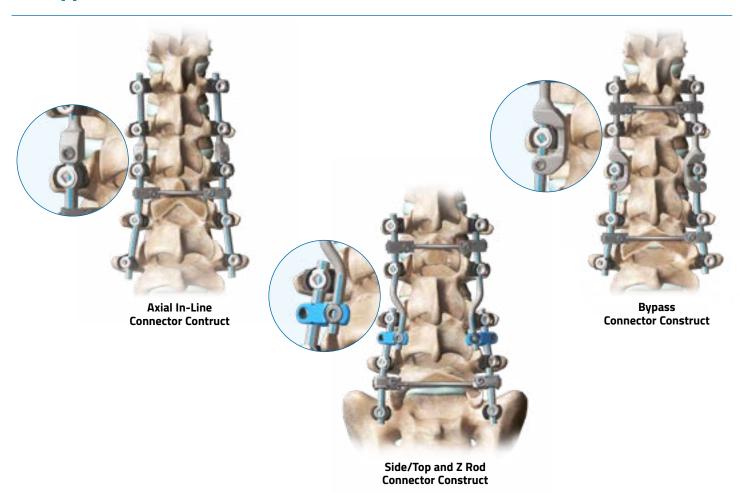
### **Rigid Fusion Constructs**

Revision implants provide mechanical stability at target and adjacent levels

### **Low-Profile Implants**

Implants are designed to minimize interference with bony anatomy

# **Typical Constructs**







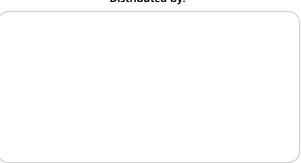
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