Ergonomically designed with you in mind

Snowden-Pencer[™] laparoscopic ergonomic take-apart instruments







New design. More choices. All about your comfort.

In the operating room, you focus on optimizing outcomes for your patients. You need precision instruments that are ergonomically designed with surgeon-researched enhancements to maximize your comfort.





Versatile, ergonomic design for comfort every single time

The ring handle is designed to work with both a traditional precision or palm grip, providing you with options to ensure your optimal feel. Features like the thumb actuation ridges and enlarged 360° rotation knob are designed to increase handle efficiency and ease of use.

Pressure/Surface area mapping studies

Snowden-Pencer laparoscopic ergonomic take-apart instruments feature a new ring-handle design that more evenly distributes pressure, helping reduce the potential for intraoperative hand fatigue and temporary digital nerve compression.

When compared to traditional ring-handle instruments, Snowden-Pencer ring-handle instruments resulted in:^{1,2,3,4,5,6}

- 27% average reduction in peak pressure
- 11% average increase in hand-surface contact area
- Possible reduction in intraoperative hand fatigue
- Possible reduction in temporary digital nerve compression
- Versatility for use in a variety of lap procedures



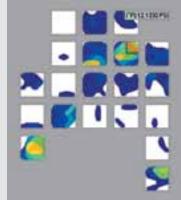






Pressure/Surface area mapping studies
Tekscan Grip sensing system





Force distribution Snowden-Pencer ring handle (large hand)



Sensor placement (small hand)

Ratchet function offers you more choices

We designed the ring handle with an integrated ratchet mechanism that allows you to adjust the ratchet easily and quickly per your preference.

The same instrument can be used with or without the ratchet function. You choose the ratchet option that works best for you.



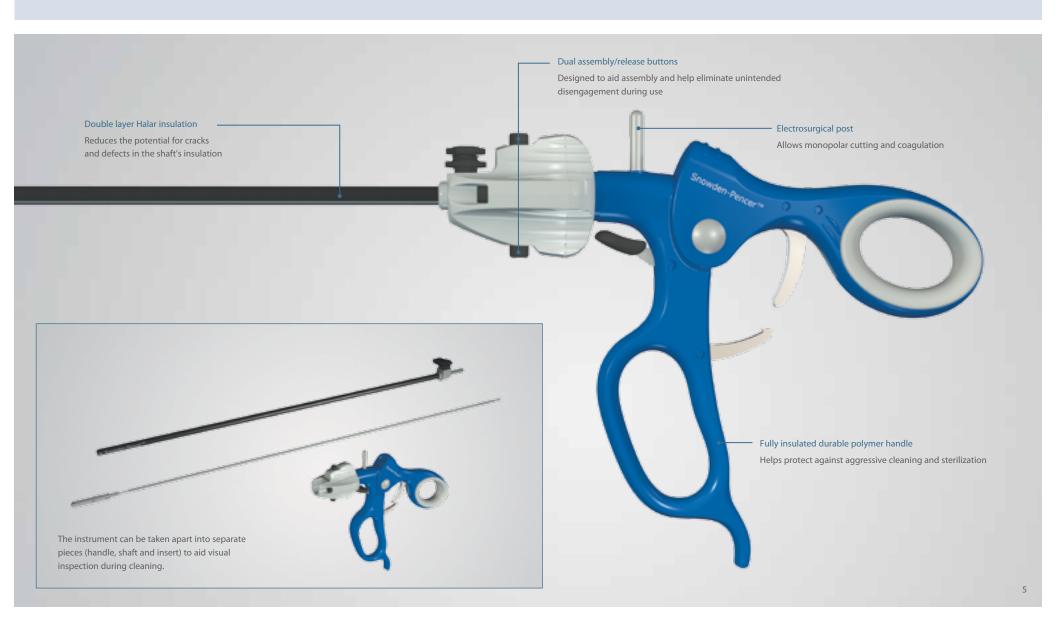




Durable for a lifetime of performance

Snowden-Pencer laparoscopic ergonomic take-apart instruments are designed for performing general laparoscopy with the ability to grasp, dissect and clamp. They feature a tungsten-carbide insert that is light yet strong to ensure durable performance. These instruments offer the same comfort and precision as our ergonomic single-piece ring-handle instruments, with the ability to be taken apart to aid visual inspection during cleaning—supporting sterility.

You can rely on the quality and durability of our instruments throughout their life. In fact, we protect all Snowden-Pencer instruments with a full-service one-year warranty and lifetime warranty against manufacturer defects.



Ordering information

To best meet your needs, Snowden-Pencer laparoscopic ergonomic take-apart instruments can be ordered as whole instruments or separate parts.

For additional information or to place an order, please contact your V. Mueller/Snowden-Pencer MIS sales representative, send an email to GMB-VM-Europe@carefusion.com or visit carefusion.com/takeapart.

Take-apart instrument product codes start with the following numbers, depending on the shaft size and ratchet option:

Handles



Shafts

| 36 cm | | 45 | cm |
|-------|-------|------|-------|
| 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm |
| SP83 | SP86 | SP84 | SP87 |
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| | Description | Full instrument | | | | Insert only | | | |
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| Clamps | Shaft length | 36 cm | | 45 cm | | 36 cm | | 45 cm | |
| | Shaft diameter | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm |
| | Bowel, 50 mm jaw | SP94-8345 | • | SP94-8445 | • | SP8345 | • | SP8445 | • |
| | Bowel, 60 mm jaw | SP94-8346 | • | SP94-8446 | • | SP8346 | • | SP8446 | • |
| - | CRILE, 30 mm, curved jaw | SP94-8348 | • | SP94-8448 | • | SP8348 | • | SP8448 | • |
| | CRILE, 30 mm, straight jaw | SP94-8347 | • | SP94-8447 | • | SP8347 | • | SP8447 | • |
| - | DEBAKEY, 25 mm jaw | SP94-8343 | • | SP94-8443 | ٠ | SP8343 | • | SP8443 | • |
| | DEBAKEY, 35 mm jaw | SP94-8344 | • | SP94-8444 | • | SP8344 | • | SP8444 | |
| | DEBAKEY, 30 mm jaw | • | SP94-8649 | • | SP94-8749 | • | SP8649 | • | SP8749 |
| | DEBAKEY, 40 mm jaw | • | SP94-8650 | • | SP94-8750 | • | SP8650 | • | SP8750 |
| 10.00 | DEBAKEY, 50 mm jaw | • | SP94-8651 | • | SP94-8751 | • | SP8651 | • | SP8751 |
| | DEBAKEY, 60 mm jaw | • | SP94-8652 | • | SP94-8752 | • | SP8652 | • | SP8752 |
| > | DEBAKEY, 60 mm curved jaw | | SP94-8653 | • | SP94-8753 | • | SP8653 | • | SP8753 |
| 5 | DEBAKEY, 60 mm acute curved jaw | | SP94-8654 | | SP94-8754 | | SP8654 | | SP8754 |
| | GLASSMAN, 30 mm jaw | • | SP94-8655 | • | SP94-8755 | • | SP8655 | • | SP8755 |
| | GLASSMAN, 40 mm jaw | • | SP94-8656 | • | SP94-8756 | • | SP8656 | • | SP8756 |
| No. of Co. | GLASSMAN, 50 mm jaw | • | SP94-8657 | • | SP94-8757 | • | SP8657 | • | SP8757 |
| | GLASSMAN, 60 mm jaw | • | SP94-8658 | • | SP94-8758 | • | SP8658 | • | SP8758 |
| > | GLASSMAN, 60 mm curved jaw | ۰ | SP94-8659 | • | SP94-8759 | • | SP8659 | • | SP8759 |
| - | GLASSMAN, 60 mm acute curved jaw | | SP94-8660 | • | SP94-8760 | • | SP8660 | • | SP8760 |

| | Description | Full instrument | | | | Insert only | | | |
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| Dissectors | Shaft length | 36 | cm | 45 | cm | 36 | cm | 45 | cm |
| | Shaft diameter | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm |
| - | 60° Angle | | SP95-8638 | • | SP95-8738 | | SP8638 | • | SP8738 |
| | Bullet Nose, Diamond-Jaw [*] tip | SP95-8320 | • | SP95-8420 | • | SP8320 | • | SP8420 | • |
| | Dolphin Nose | SP95-8367 | • | SP95-8467 | • | SP8367 | • | SP8467 | • |
| > | Duckbill | SP95-8363 | • | SP95-8463 | • | SP8363 | • | SP8463 | • |
| 35-1 | Endo-Right Angle (90°), 5 mm jaw | SP95-8331 | • | SP95-8431 | • | SP8331 | • | SP8431 | |
| Joseph | Endo-Right Angle (90°), 10 mm jaw | | SP95-8637 | • | SP95-8737 | | SP8637 | • | SP8737 |
| | Fenestrated, 10 mm jaw | SP95-8335 | • | SP95-8435 | • | SP8335 | • | SP8435 | |
| | Fenestrated, 16 mm jaw | SP95-8336 | • | SP95-8436 | • | SP8336 | • | SP8436 | |
| >- | Flat Nose, Diamond-Jaw tip | SP95-8341 | | SP95-8441 | • | SP8341 | • | SP8441 | • |
| >- | MARYLAND | SP95-8368 | • | SP95-8468 | • | SP8368 | • | SP8468 | • |
| > | Serrated Cup | SP95-8330 | | SP95-8430 | • | SP8330 | • | SP8430 | |

| | Description | Full instrument | | | | Insert only | | | |
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| Dissectors | Shaft length | 36 cm | | 45 cm | | 36 cm | | 45 | cm |
| | Shaft diameter | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm |
| > | Tapered, curved, Micro Diamond-Dust tip | SP95-8333 | • | SP95-8433 | • | SP8333 | • | SP8433 | • |
| 200 | Tapered, straight, Diamond-Jaw tip | SP95-8342 | | SP95-8442 | • | SP8342 | | SP8442 | |
| >== | Tapered, straight | SP95-8332 | | SP95-8432 | • | SP8332 | | SP8432 | |

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| Graspers | Shaft length | 36 cm | | 45 cm | | 36 cm | | 45 cm | | |
| | Shaft diameter | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | |
| 0 | BABCOCK, Fine, Diamond-Jaw tip | • | SP94-8622 | • | SP94-8722 | • | SP8622 | • | SP8722 | |
| 5 | BABCOCK, Standard, Diamond-Jaw tip | • | SP94-8621 | • | SP94-8721 | • | SP8621 | • | SP8721 | |
| | BABCOCK | SP94-8318 | • | SP94-8418 | • | SP8318 | • | SP8418 | • | |
| > | Teardrop BABCOCK | SP94-8373 | • | SP94-8473 | • | SP8373 | • | SP8473 | • | |
| | Bullet Nose, Diamond-Jaw tip | SP94-8320 | • | SP94-8420 | • | SP8320 | • | SP8420 | • | |
| Magazin | Crocodile, Single-action | SP94-8364 | • | SP94-8464 | • | SP8364 | • | SP8464 | • | |
| | Crocodile, Double-action | SP94-8366 | | SP94-8466 | | SP8366 | | SP8466 | | |

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| Graspers | Shaft length | 36 | cm | 45 | cm | 36 | cm | 45 | cm | |
| | Shaft diameter | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | |
| Service . | DEBAKEY-ALLIS | | SP94-8628 | | SP94-8728 | | SP8628 | | SP8728 | |
| > | Diamond-Jaw, Diamond-Jaw tip | SP94-8316 | • | SP94-8416 | | SP8316 | • | SP8416 | | |
| >= | Dolphin Nose | SP94-8367 | • | SP94-8467 | | SP8367 | • | SP8467 | | |
| | DORSEY Fenestrated, Single-action | SP94-8379 | • | SP94-8479 | • | SP8379 | • | SP8479 | | |
| >- | DORSEY Fenestrated, Double-action | SP94-8378 | • | SP94-8478 | • | SP8378 | • | SP8478 | | |
| - | DUVAL, Diamond-Jaw tip | | SP94-8623 | | SP94-8723 | | SP8623 | | SP8723 | |
| - | Fenestrated | | SP94-8626 | | SP94-8726 | | SP8626 | | SP8726 | |
| | Fenestrated, 10 mm jaw | SP94-8335 | • | SP94-8435 | • | SP8335 | • | SP8435 | • | |
| | Fenestrated, 16 mm jaw | SP94-8336 | • | SP94-8436 | • | SP8336 | • | SP8436 | • | |
| >- | Flat Nose, Diamond-Jaw tip | SP94-8341 | | SP94-8441 | | SP8341 | | SP8441 | | |

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| Graspers | Shaft length | 36 | cm | 45 cm | | 36 cm | | 45 cm | | |
| | Shaft diameter | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | 5 mm | 10 mm | |
| >- | Gator-Toothed | SP94-8329 | • | SP94-8429 | • | SP8329 | • | SP8429 | • | |
| 1 | McKERNAN™ ADSON, Diamond-Jaw tip | SP94-8362 | • | SP94-8462 | • | SP8362 | • | SP8462 | • | |
| | McKERNAN ALLIS | SP94-8314 | • | SP94-8414 | • | SP8314 | • | SP8414 | • | |
| - | McKERNAN Fundus | SP94-8312 | • | SP94-8412 | • | SP8312 | • | SP8412 | • | |
| 200 | McKERNAN GI | • | SP94-8624 | | SP94-8724 | • | SP8624 | • | SP8724 | |
| The same | Paddle BABCOCK, Diamond-Jaw tip | • | SP94-8661 | | SP94-8761 | • | SP8661 | • | SP8761 | |
| | PENNINGTON | • | SP94-8625 | | SP94-8725 | • | SP8625 | • | SP8725 | |
| The same of the sa | Raptor | SP94-8365 | • | SP94-8465 | • | SP8365 | • | SP8465 | • | |
| >- | Serrated Cup | SP94-8330 | • | SP94-8430 | • | SP8330 | • | SP8430 | • | |

| Miscellaneous | Description | | Description | |
|---------------|-----------------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 9 | Flush port plug | 88-9861 | Cushioned thumb insert replacements | SP90-1111 4/pack |

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