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The thoracoscopic curette is particularly suited for minimally invasive interventions involving chronic, malignant and non-malignant pleural effusions with thickened pleura.

Just like existing minimally invasive thoracic instruments, it features a distal deflection which ensures the familiar large reach of the instrument given the particular anatomical conditions within the thorax. The instrument's outstanding geometry is provided by the distal deflection of 30°, the instrument length and the oval shape of the actual curette.

The bottom side of the head of the curette is well ground and the upper edge is blunt in order to prevent perforation of the lung and, at the same time, guarantee optimal pleural abrasion.

Uncomplicated use of the curette is possible thanks to the flexible 10 mm trocar. The curette enables excellent dissection and abrasion of the thickened pleura from the endothoracic fascia as well as pleurovisceral decortication.

In addition, as with the open curette, the instrument is stable and well suited for strenuous decortications and pleurectomies.

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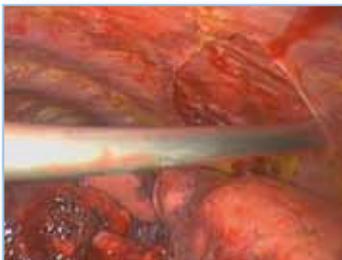
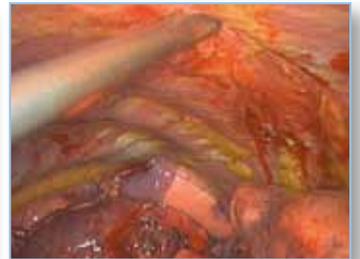
Special Features

- Outstanding freedom of movement and reach of the curette thanks to the curved sheath
- Optimal roughening of the pleura and, at the same time, avoidance of lung perforation due to the blunt upper edge and well-ground underside of the curette head
- Low weight and optimal weight distribution



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Curette for Pleural Abrasion,
distally angled sheath, spoon-shaped
length 28 cm



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