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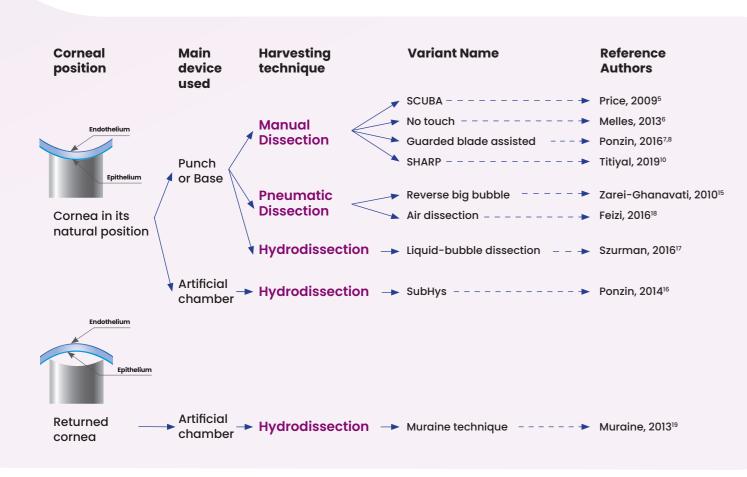
# **PREPARATION: A MYRIAD OF TECHNIQUES**

DMEK (Descemet Membrane Endothelial Keratoplasty) is a posterior lamellar keratoplasty technique that involves replacing the patient's damaged endothelium. As a minimally invasive technique, DMEK offers clinical benefits including rapid visual recovery<sup>1-3</sup> and low occurrence of rejection<sup>4</sup>. It has therefore become a reference technique in endothelial keratoplasty.

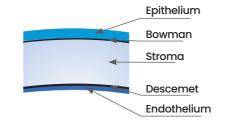
However, success relies on very delicate handling of the graft to preserve as much as possible the endothelium and guarantee its viability. Objective is to isolate the Descemet membrane with the endothelium to obtain a (purely) endothelial graft (without any posterior stroma). The difficulty of this technique led operators, eye banks and surgeons to innovate and standardize this procedure. That's why DMEK graft preparation technique has undergone several evolutions.

Reproducible DMEK grafts can now be obtained by choosing the most suitable harvesting technique for each specific user and setting among these 3:

- manual dissection technique
- pneumatic dissection technique
- hydrodissection technique



At Moria, we understand that every user has his preferred technique, so we have developed a wide range of reusable and single-use instruments and devices to enable DMEK grafts to be performed using any technique or, indeed, variation of a technique. In addition to being comprehensive, Moria range is also notable for its extremely high quality. Our reusable instruments in particular are renowned worldwide for their durability and resistance.



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# Common instruments whatever the harvesting technique

Holding forceps are used to handle a DMEK graft. Moria developed a range of fine toothed forceps dedicated to such a delicate step.















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	7835	<b>Bonn forceps</b> 0.1-mm Micro-teeth 4-mm Platforms Reusable
	7850A	<b>Bonn-Moria forceps</b> 0.1-mm Micro-teeth 5-mm Platforms Reusable
131612	13161	<b>Bonn-Moria forceps</b> 0.1-mm Micro-teeth 3-mm Platforms Reusable
13160 2	13160	<b>Bonn forceps</b> 0.1-mm Micro-teeth 4-mm Platforms Reusable
3	17504X10	Bonn forceps 0.12-mm Micro-teeth 5-mm Platforms Single-use ®
	17221X10	Bonn forceps 0.12-mm Micro-teeth 5-mm Platforms Single-use ®
1809	M1809	<b>Bonn forceps</b> 0.12-mm Micro-teeth Reusable

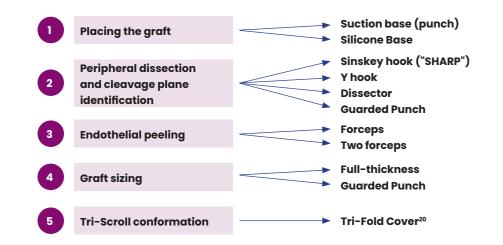
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# I) Manual dissection

The manual dissection technique for preparing DMEK grafts was introduced by Dr. Melles and his team in 2006<sup>1</sup> and has since evolved considerably. This technique consists in making a peripheral dissection at the trabecular meshwork, separating the Descemet membrane from the stroma, then peeling the membrane in balanced saline solution. Developments include the "Submerged Cornea Using Backgrounds Away" (SCUBA) technique<sup>5</sup>, the "no-touch" technique<sup>6</sup>, with use of a guarded punch<sup>7,8</sup>, and the **SHARP** technique.<sup>9,10</sup>

Moria offers a range of instruments and devices that will enable you to perform these various manual dissection techniques.



#### **Endothelial peeling forceps**

> Peeling the endothelium requires one or two forceps<sup>2</sup> with flat, non-serrated jaws<sup>12</sup>.







#### Instruments for peripheral dissection and cleavage plane identification

▶ Peripheral dissection can be carried out using an angled hook, as is the case with the SHARP technique<sup>9,10</sup>, with a Y hook and micro-dissector as Dr. Price does<sup>11</sup>, or using other types of dissectors.



#### **Endothelial marker**

the Descemet membrane<sup>13,14</sup>. This establishes a reference point to ensure the graft is correctly oriented when it is inserted into the patient's eye.





20038	20038	<b>Curved DMEK forceps</b> 7° curvature, 10-mm platforms, 12-cm long Reusable
20039	20039	<b>Straight DMEK forceps</b> 10-mm platforms, 12-cm long Reusable
Moria	17521X10	<b>Graft preparation forceps</b> 1.2-mm oval-shaped tip Curved, 15-mm long Sold in box of 5 or 10 units <b>Single-use</b> (2)

> Dr. Terry and his team have developed a technique in which a "S" is stamped on the stromal side of

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Angled "S" marker Reusable

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#### **Punches and trephines**

#### Punch-assisted peripheral dissection for a clear-cut cleavage plan

As Dr. Ponzin and his team have described<sup>7,8</sup>, guarded blade technology can be used to facilitate peripheral dissection and identification of the cleavage plane. Moria has developed two types of punches with a guarded blade to simplify this step: the guarded punch and the Deep Well guarded punch.

#### Punch-assisted final trephination for diameter

The final trephination may or may not be penetrating. In the "no-touch" technique described by Dr. Melles and his team<sup>6</sup>, the endothelium is drawn onto a support and then undergoes penetrating trephination. The Busin Punch, trephine blade or Hanna trephine by Moria can all be used under those conditions. Other authors have shown interest in using a guarded punch to facilitate the final peeling of the graft<sup>12</sup>. Two guarded punches by Moria can be used for these purposes.



	Reference	17212DXXX	17213DXXX	17215RXXX	17207DXXX	17200DXXX	17150DXXX	17169
	Name	Deep Well Punch	Deep Well blade-holder	Deep Well Tri-Fold Cover	Guarded Punch	Busin Punch	Trephine Blade	Hanna Punch & Blade
Blade design	Double-bevel blade for a clean cut	$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$		$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$		$\bigotimes$
	360° Blade for uniform cutting	$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$		$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$
	Guarded blade with length adapted to the depth of the well allowing cutting under the Descemet to be performed	$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$			
Blade	Penetrating blade					$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$
	Blade / Blade-holder sold separately		$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$				$\bigotimes$
	Available sizes (mm)	7.5, 7.75, 8, 8.25, 8.5, 9.5, 10	7.5, 7.75, 8, 9.5, 10	7.5, 7.75, 8	7.5, 7.75, 8, 8.5, 9.5, 10	6, 6.5, 6.75, 7, 7.25, 7.5, 7.75, 8, 8.25, 8.5, 8.75, 9, 9.5, 10	6.5, 7, 7.25, 7.5, 7.75, 8, 8.25, 8.5, 8.75, 9	7, 7.25, 7.50, 7.75, 8, 8.25, 8.50, 8.75, 9, 9.5, 10, 10.5
Well design	Deep and enveloping well, covering cornea	$\bigotimes$						
	Lowered base for optimized working comfort	$\bigotimes$						
	Wide and stable base with imprint	$\bigotimes$						
	Suction system	Double suction			21 suction holes	21 suction holes		$\bigotimes$
	4 non-aspirating holes to facilitate the « S » marking	$\bigotimes$			$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$		
	Graft centering system	8.5mm centering groove			4 cardinal holes	4 cardinal holes		

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# 2 Hydrodissection and pneumatic dissection

- ▶ Pneumatic dissection, also called "reverse big bubble technique" by Dr. Zarei Ghanavati et al.<sup>15</sup>, and hydrodissection are among the core techniques developed to prepare DMEK grafts. Principle of these techniques involves using a cannula to lift off the Descemet membrane by air (pneumatic dissection) or liquid (hydrodissection). The cannula can be inserted at different locations depending on whether the operator is performing hydrodissection<sup>16, 17</sup> or pneumatic dissection<sup>15, 18.</sup>
- As with manual dissection, there are variations on those two techniques. For example, Dr. Ponzin et al.<sup>16</sup> has developed a hydrodissection technique called "SubHys", which requires use of an artificial chamber and a trephine.



**Rycroft cannula** 35G orifice, external diameter of 30G For injection of air or liquid Reusable

Hydrodissection cannula 31G orifice, external diameter of 25G, Flat, blunt tip Reusable

Artificial chamber - Base To maintain the donor's cornea Reusable

Artificial chamber - Cover Compatible with base of articifial chamber (19161) Reusable

**Artificial chamber** To maintain the donor's cornea Single-use 🛞

Artificial chamber for single-use trephines To maintain the donor's cornea Compatible with 17201DXX and 17202DXX trephines Single-use 🛞

Simple trephine Available from 7mm to 9mm (0.25-mm increments) and 9.5mm Compatible with artificial chamber (17204) Single-use (8)

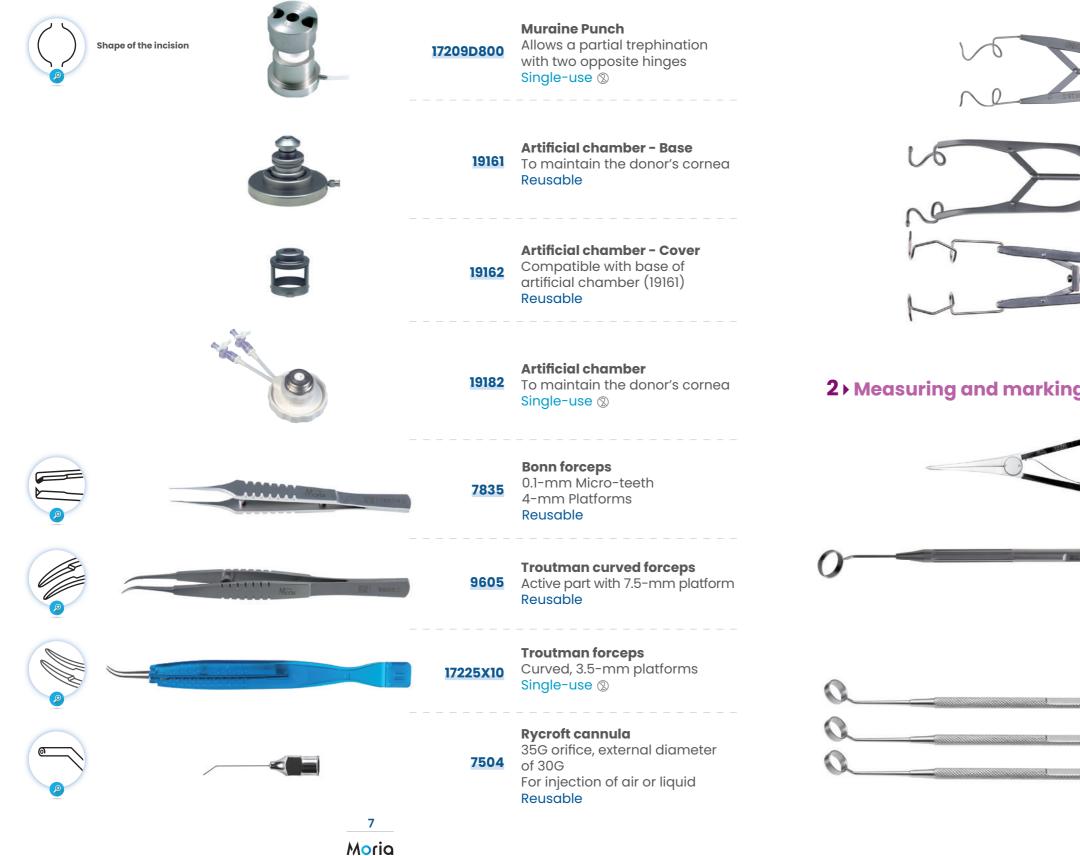
Adjustable trephine Pre-setting of the desired depth Available in 6mm, 6.5mm to 9mm (0.25-mm increments), 9.5mm, 10mm Compatible with artificial chamber (17204) Single-use (8)

**Trephine blade** For penetrating trepanation Available in 6.5mm, 7mm - 9mm (0.25-mm increments) Reusable

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# 3 Muraine technique

> Prof. Muraine's technique consists in trephining the endothelium incompletely with two opposite hinges using a dedicated device: the Muraine punch by Moria. Donor tissue is then mounted on an artificial chamber, the endothelium upward. A Rycroft cannula is then used to hydrodissect the Descemet membrane<sup>18</sup>. This technique is described step by step in our brochure #65057 available on our website (www.moria-surgical.com).



# **PREPARING THE RECIPIENT EYE**

# **1** Keeping the patient's eye open







### 2 Measuring and marking diameter



19078	<b>Colibri Speculum</b> Lid-blades, 16mm Reusable
20035	<b>Adjustable speculum</b> Rounded lid-blades, 14mm Reusable
18195	<b>Schapira Speculum</b> 15-mm open lid blades Reusable
<u>17508X10</u>	Adjustable speculum 15-mm lid blades Sold in box of 10 units Single-use 🕲
12994	<b>Sourdille caliper</b> 16-mm opening Graduation every 1mm Reusable
19095/800 19095/850 19095	Corneal markers Reusable • Available in: Diameter: 8 mm Diameter: 8.5 mm Diameter: 9 mm
	<b>Corneal markers</b> Available in boxes of 10 units Single-use (2)
	> Available in:
17518X10	Diameter: 8 mm
17519X10	Diameter: 8.5 mm
17520X10	Diameter: 9 mm

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## 3 Maintaining the patient's anterior chamber



**Chamber Maintainer 20G** Length: 170 mm External diameter: 1.65 mm 5-mm active part with 0.90-mm internal diameter Reusable

#### 4 Descemetorhexis and removal of endothelium













19097	<b>Gorovoy forceps</b> Descemetorhexis forceps Length: 11.7 cm Blunt tip Reusable
19091 20047	Descemetorhexis hooks Inverted Sinskey shapes Price hook Hoffart hook: bi-angulation to avoid fluid leakage at corneal incision Reusable
19077/A 19077/B	<b>Spatulas</b> For peeling the Descemet membrane A: 45° angled tip B: 90° angled tip Reusable
19083/A 19083/B	Irrigating spatulas For peeling the Descemet membrane A: 45° angled tip B: 90° angled tip Single-use (2)
<u>17302X5</u>	Price hook Descemetorhexis hook Inverted Sinskey shape Sold in box of 5 units Single-use (8)

# 17303X5 17303X10

90° Spatula For peeling the Descemet membrane 90° angled tip Sold in box of 5 or 10 units Single-use (2)

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17200DXXX, 17204, 17207DXXX, 17209D800, 17212DXXX, 17213DXXX, 17221, 17225x10, 17504x10, 17508x10, 17518x10, 17519x10, 17520x10, 17521x10, 19182	Moria S.A.	ls	FDA: approved CE marked: CE 0459
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