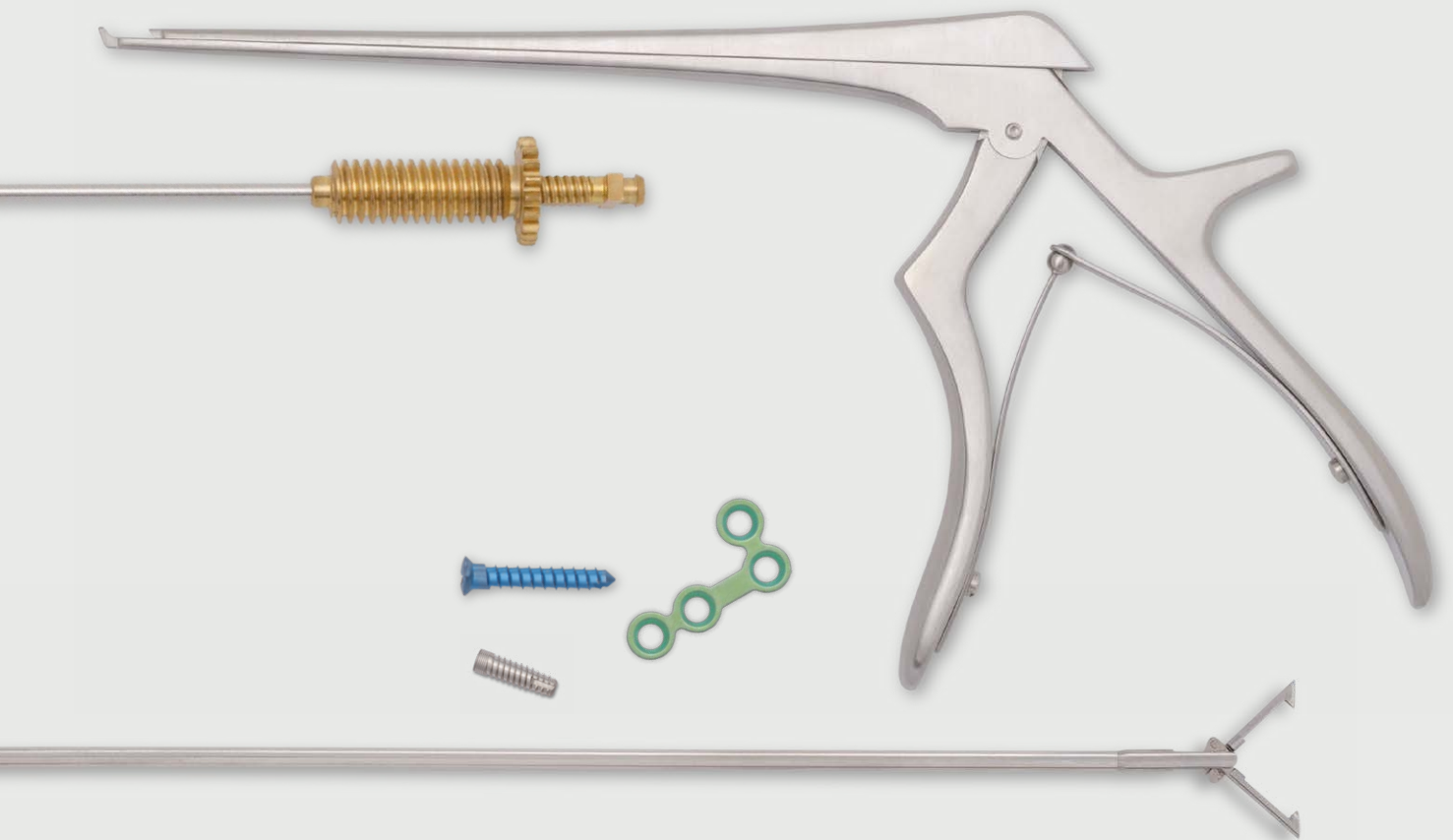




Highest cleanliness requirements.  
Validated processes.

# Ultrasonic cleaning in medical technology



## Cleaning with ultrasound

Elma ultrasonic cleaning systems are equipped with modern systems technology for demanding cleaning tasks, highest cleanliness requirements and are therefore also ready for integration into validated processes.

Since process requirements vary greatly, a tailor-cut cleaning process with process guarantee can be developed in the Elma process laboratory. This process is then transferred in system technology including suitable product carriers and complementary Elma MedTech Clean cleaning and passivation agents. Elma's certification to DIN EN ISO 13485 reflects our high quality standards in process development and system manufacture.

Project-accompanying documentation - from detailed specifications to IQ and OQ documents - completes our range of services.

### Used for

Pre-, intermediate and final cleaning •  
Passivation • Final cleaning with connection  
to clean rooms before sterile packaging

### Cleans

Implants and instruments - conventionally  
manufactured or 3-D-printed, made of metal,  
plastic or ceramic • Endoscopes •  
mechanical and optical components •  
contact lenses • Components for medical  
devices such as computer tomographs



### Equipped with

Reproducible and energy-efficient processes •  
Complementary, application-specific cleaning  
and passivation agents • Modular product  
carrier systems for gentle product transport •  
Modern cleaning bath monitoring and care  
systems





## Validation and service support



Creation of project accompanying documents like

- functional, hardware and software design specifications,
  - installation qualification IQ,
  - operational qualification OQ, etc.
- in addition to technical documentation and calibration and welding certificates



Support in validation and revalidation of the cleaning process



User-friendly system visualisation and quality assurance through

- data logger
- error prevention with barcode and RFID systems
- connection to ERP and MES systems
- user administration and audit trail according to FDA CFR 21, Part 11



Ensuring the system function by

- short reaction times
  - regular maintenance
  - customised part part packages
- as well as by
- cavitation measurements acc. to IEC TS 63001:2019

## Acceptance criteria

Over 20 years of experience in process-safe compliance with specific cleanliness requirements, such as



In-vitro cytotoxicity test  
acc. to DIN EN ISO 10993-5



Bioburden determination  
acc. to DIN EN ISO 11737-1



Endotoxins  
acc. to LAL test USP 85



Compliance with the limit values for filmic contamination - organic and inorganic

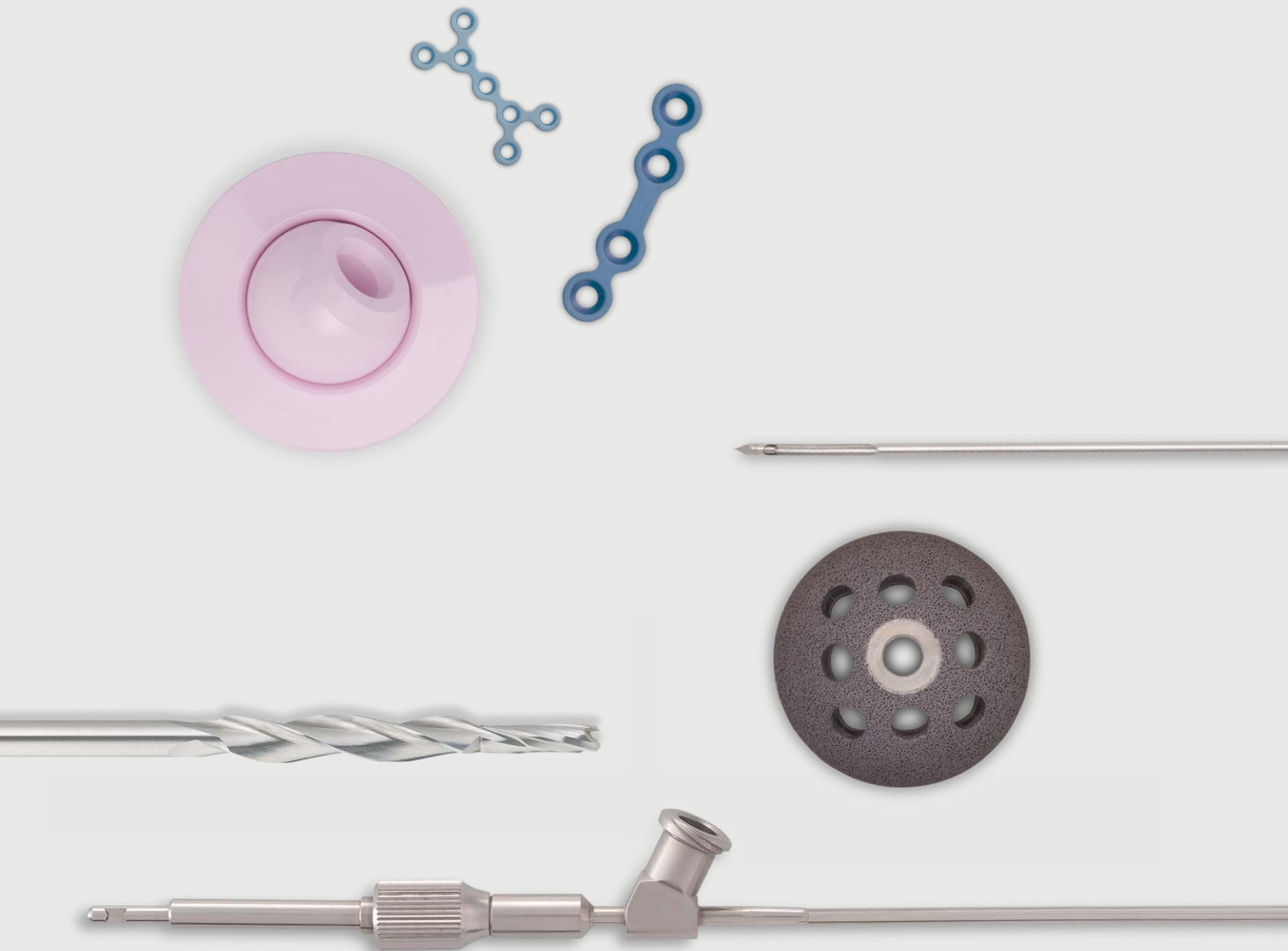
- e. g. of Total Organic Carbon - TOC  
acc. to DIN EN 1484
- or Total Hydrocarbon - THC  
acc. to DIN EN 14039



Achievement fo particulate cleanliness  
e. g. acc. to DIN ISO SCP Klassen ISO 14644-9  
or VDI guideline 2083 sheet 21



Implementation and testing of the passivity of stainless steel surfaces  
e. g. acc. to ASTM A0967



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