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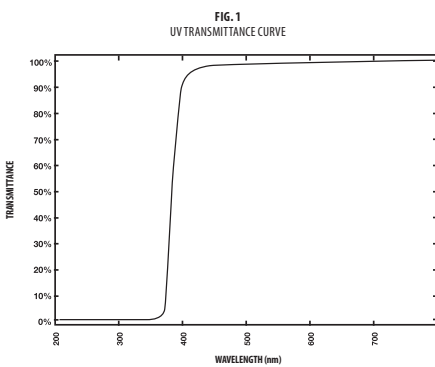
# BAUSCH + LOMB Akreos®

## Advanced Optics Aspheric Lens

**DEVICE DESCRIPTION**  
Akreos ultraviolet absorbing posterior chamber intraocular lenses manufactured by Bausch & Lomb Incorporated are the precise optical implants for the replacement of the human crystalline lens in the visual correction of aphakia.

The Akreos Advanced Optics Aspheric lens (Model AOK0) has prolate aspheric surfaces. For information on the clinical study that was conducted to assess the effects of the added aspheric surfaces see CLINICAL EXPERIENCE. The labeled dioptric power of the lens is in aquapex. The lens has an index of refraction of 1.458 (hydroxyethyl) and a transmission of visible light of 99.88% (see FIG. 1).

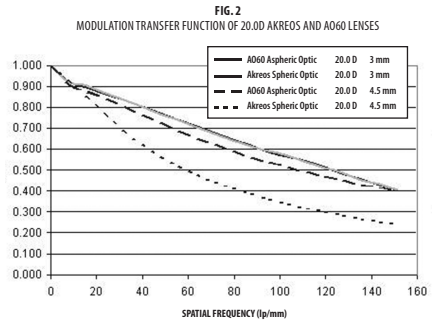
The device packaging includes the Akreos Fold delivery system. The IOL is pre-positioned on the folding device for removal from the vial and folding for implantation using forceps. The Akreos IOL lens is approved for implantation using forceps and with inserters listed under VALIDATED INSERTERS.



**PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS**  
Relative index of lens when wet at 20° C = 1.459  
Refractive index of lens when in the eye at 35° C = 1.458  
UV(342) for +20.0 diopter IOL.

**LENS POWERS AVAILABLE**  
Akreos IOL are available from +0.5D to +30.0D (D) in steps of 0.5D or 1D depending on the model and the diopter range.

The Akreos Advanced Optics Aspheric IOL has prolate aspheric surfaces and is designed to be free of spherical aberration. The image quality of the Akreos Advanced Optics Aspheric IOL (i.e. modulation transfer function) is illustrated in FIG. 2.



**NOTE:** The image quality of Akreos Advanced Optics Aspheric and Akreos lenses was characterized by measuring modulation transfer function (MTF) in a model eye described in ISO 11979-2:1999 through 3 mm and 4.5 mm on the lens apertures.

**MODE OF ACTION**  
When implanted in the posterior chamber of the eye, the Akreos intraocular lens functions as a refracting medium to replace the natural lens in the visual correction of aphakia.

**INDICATIONS**  
Akreos posterior chamber lenses are indicated for primary implantation for the visual correction of aphakia in adult patients where a cataractous lens has been removed by phacoemulsification. The lens is intended for placement in the capsular bag.

**CONTRAINDICATIONS**  
Implantation is not advisable when the IOL may aggravate an existing condition, interfere with the diagnosis or the treatment of a pathology, or present a risk to the sight of the patient. These conditions are uncontrolled glaucoma, subacute cataract, retinal detachment, vitreous prolapse, microphthalmia, developing chronic eye infections, endothelial corneal dystrophy, preoperative complications (such as vitreous loss, hemorrhage, ...), foreseeable postoperative complications.

**WARNINGS**

- Physicians considering lens implantation under any of the following circumstances should weigh the potential risk/benefit ratio:
  - Recent severe anterior or posterior segment inflammation or uveitis.
  - Patients in whom the intraocular lens may affect the ability to absorb, dissolve, or treat posterior segment diseases.
  - Surgical difficulties at the time of cataract extraction that might increase the potential for complications (e.g., persistent bleeding, significant iris damage, uncontrolled posterior pressure, or significant vitreous prolapse or loss).
  - A distorted eye due to previous trauma or developmental defect in which appropriate support of the IOL is not possible.
  - Circumstances that would result in damage to the endothelium during implantation.
  - Suspected microbial infection.
- Children under the age of three (3) years are not suitable candidates for intraocular lenses.
- Patients in whom neither the posterior capsule nor zonules are intact enough to provide support.
- Since the clinical study for the Akreos intraocular lens was conducted with the lens being implanted in the capsular bag only, there are insufficient clinical data to demonstrate its safety and efficacy for placement in the vitreous cavity.

3. YAG laser posterior capsulotomy should be delayed until at least 12 weeks after the implant surgery. The posterior capsulotomy opening should be kept as small as possible. There is an increased risk of lens dislocation and/or secondary surgical intervention with early or large capsulotomies.

4. Improper handling or folding techniques may cause damage to the haptic or optic portions of Akreos folding lenses. If lenses are not folded according to directions, optic tears may result. **DIRECTIONS FOR USE:** Physicians should not attempt to implant lenses that have radial optic tears or other defects at the optic/haptic interface.

5. Use of folding instruments other than those validated and recommended in the labeling might result in IOL damage (optic lens, haptic damage) that might require IOL explantation.

6. To avoid the creation of permanent force marks in the central optic zone, exercise care during handling and insertion of the lens. Read and follow the folding and insertion instructions carefully.

**PRECAUTIONS**

- Do not attempt to recenter these lenses as this can produce undesirable side effects.
- Do not store the IOL package in direct sunlight or at temperatures below freezing (-10°C). Store at room temperature. Avoid high temperatures (>40°C).
- Do not implant the IOL if the outer pouch or vial is opened or damaged.
- Do not re-use the IOL. It is intended for permanent implantation. If explanted, sterility and proper function cannot be assured.
- Do not soak or rinse lenses in solutions other than balanced salt solution or equivalent.
- A high level of surgical skill is required for intraocular lens implantation. A surgeon should have observed and/or assisted in numerous surgical implantations and should have completed one or more courses on intraocular lens implantation before attempting to implant intraocular lenses.
- As with any surgical procedure, there is a risk involved. Potential adverse events and complications accompanying cataract or implant surgery may include, but are not limited to the following: corneal endothelial damage, infection (endophthalmitis), retinal detachment, vitreitis, cystoid macular edema, corneal edema, pupillary block, cyclitic membranes, iris prolapse, hyphema, transient or persistent glaucoma and secondary surgical interventions. Secondary surgical interventions include, but are not limited to, lens repositioning, lens replacement, vitreous aspirations or iridectomy for pupillary block, wound leak repair, and retinal detachment repair. Amongst those directly related to the IOL are decentering and subsidence, precipitates on the surface of the IOL, silicone oil, particularly when used in the surgical treatment of detached retina, may stick to the IOL if the posterior capsule of the crystalline lens is not intact.
- The IOL should be used in the shortest possible time after opening the vial.
- Do not replace the IOL if the lens are completely immersed in solution under any vial orientation.
- Akreos IOLs can absorb substances that they contact (disinfectant, drug, ...). Do not place the lens in contact with surfaces where such contamination can occur.
- If a YAG laser posterior capsulotomy is performed, assure that the laser beam is focused slightly behind the posterior capsule.

**SUGGESTED A-CONSTANT**  
The suggested A-constant listed on the outer label is presented as a guideline and is a starting point for implant power calculations. It is recommended that you develop your own constant appropriate for you based on clinical experience with the particular lens models, surgical techniques, measuring equipment, and postoperative results.

**IN THE UNITED STATES, IF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON LENS POWER IS NEEDED, PLEASE CONTACT BAUSCH & LOMB INCORPORATED AT 1-800-338-2020, OUTSIDE OF THE UNITED STATES, CONTACT LOCAL BAUSCH & LOMB OFFICES OR DISTRIBUTORS.**

**OPENING INSTRUCTIONS**  
Open the carrier and remove the sterilized pouch containing the lens. Gently peel the pouch apart to release the lens vial into the sterile field. Before opening the lens vial, make a final check of the IOL and its power. (Please refer to the enclosed figure(s)).

**FIG. 3:** Hold the vial in one hand with the pull-tab of the foil pointing towards you. Your thumb should be pressed against the flattened side of the vial's profile. Grasp the pull-tab of the foil lid and peel the foil lid away from you to expose the holder inside the vial.

**FIG. 4:** Carefully lift the holder out of the vial.

**FIG. 5:** Position the holder so that the circular hole on top of the protective cover is facing up. Remove the protective cover by grasping the exposed tab, bending it upward, away from the holder and pulling it off.

Remove the lens from the holder by gently grasping the optic along the 6-12 o'clock axis with forceps and pulling upwards. The IOL will be anterior side up in the forceps. Examine the lens closely and rinse with sterile balanced salt solution. Only insertion instruments that have been validated and approved for use with this lens should be used. **NOTE:** Please refer to the Directions for Use with the insertion instrument for additional information.

**LENS ORIENTATION**  
For the Akreos IOL lens model, the lens is to be implanted with the anterior side of the lens facing up towards the anterior side of the eye. The orientation of the IOL can be verified by visual inspection of the haptics. As illustrated in FIG. 6, when the haptic features are top right (A) and bottom left (B), you are facing the anterior side of the eye.

LENS	INSERTER	VISCOELASTIC
AOK0	AI-28 NU100 VS100	OcuCoat® Amebic Amebic Plus

**PATIENT REGISTRATION AND REPORTING**  
**Registration (USA)**  
Each patient who receives an Akreos intraocular lens must be registered with Bausch & Lomb Incorporated at the time of lens implantation (USA). Registration is accomplished by completing the Lens Accountability Form that is enclosed in the lens box and mailing it to Bausch & Lomb Incorporated. Patient registration is essential for the Bausch & Lomb Incorporated long term patient follow-up program and will assist Bausch & Lomb Incorporated in responding to Akreos Event Reports and/or potentially sight-threatening complications.

**Reporting**  
Adverse events and/or potentially sight threatening complications that may be regarded as lens related and that were not previously reported in nature, severity or degree of incidence should be reported within 30 days to Bausch & Lomb Incorporated. This information is being requested from all surgeons in order to document potential long-term effects of intraocular lens implantation.

- Physicians are encouraged to report these events in order to aid in identifying emerging or potential problems with intraocular lenses. These problems may be related to a specific lot of lenses or may be indicative of long-term effects associated with these lenses or with IOL in general.
- If the patient has a lens = 1 mmb intraocular lens and you wish to report, please call Bausch & Lomb Incorporated at 1-800-338-2020.

**CALCULATION OF LENS POWER**  
The physician should determine preoperatively the power of the intraocular lens to be implanted. Lens power calculation methods are described in the following references:  
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Physicians requiring additional information on lens power calculation may contact Bausch & Lomb Incorporated.

**CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**  
The Case clinical trial of the UV-absorbing, Akreos posterior chamber intraocular lens, Model AOK0, began on November 23, 2004. Patients in the Case clinical trial were implanted exclusively following a circular tear capsule capsulotomy procedure. No Modified Core Procedures were evolved. One year follow-up results from the Case patients indicate that the Akreos Intraocular Lens is a safe and effective device for the visual correction of aphakia when used in accordance with the indications previously listed in the labeling.

**PATIENT POPULATION**  
The population in the clinical trial of the UV-absorbing, Akreos posterior chamber intraocular lens consisted of 329 patients who were enrolled between November 2004 and April 2005. The Case Study Group consisted of 215 females and 114 males; 23 were Caucasian, 13 were Black, 2 were Asian, and 12 were "Other". The mean age for the total population was 71 years. The Case Group was further stratified to identify a "Caucasian" group of 329 patients who completed a year follow-up.

**TABLE 1**  
PATIENT POPULATION  
MODEL AOK0S  
N = 356

PATIENT POPULATION	DATA
Average Age, Year	70.9
Patients with Pre-existing Macular Degeneration (%)	2.25
Additional Patients with Other Pre-existing Conditions (%)	12.36
Gender (%)	
Male	39.61
Female	60.39
Race (%)	
Caucasian	92.42
Black	3.65
Asian	0.56
Other	3.37

**VISUAL ACUITY**  
The following is a summary of final visual acuity postoperatively achieved by Akreos patients (at 12-14 months) who did not have a preoperative ocular pathology or postoperative macular degeneration (Best Case Cohort).

**TABLE 2\***  
BEST CORRECTED VISUAL ACUITY AT ONE YEAR  
BEST CASE PATIENTS  
MODEL AOK0S  
N=279

AGE GROUP	VISUAL ACUITY																			
	20/20 letter better	20/25	20/30	20/40	20/50 letter worse	20/60	20/70	20/80	20/90	20/100 or worse										
<40	25	15	6(2)	5	2(2)	1	4	1	4	2	5(2)	1	4	2	3	10	10	0	1	0
40-49	109	54	5(2)	11	3(3)	5	19	3	2	20	38	39	1	16	1	10	1	0	0	0
50-59	117	33	4(5)	19	2(2)	17	26	1	3	1	1	1	2	3	1	1	0	0	0	0
60-69	39	17	3(3)	11	3(3)	8	28	3	7	7	8	10	3	1	2	2	0	0	0	0
Total	289	129	4(2)	49	2(2)	37	73	13	13	22	64	11	20	5	14	14	0	0	0	0

**TABLE 3\*\***  
BEST CORRECTED VISUAL ACUITY AT ONE YEAR  
ALL ENROLLED PATIENTS  
MODEL AOK0S  
N=329

AGE GROUP	VISUAL ACUITY																			
	20/20 letter better	20/25	20/30	20/40	20/50 letter worse	20/60	20/70	20/80	20/90	20/100 or worse										
<40	25	15	6(2)	4	2(2)	1	4	1	4	2	5(2)	1	4	2	3	10	10	0	1	0
40-49	119	54	4(5)	16	3(2)	19	11	7	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
50-59	162	40	4(5)	19	2(2)	17	26	1	7	7	7	1	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
60-69	32	16	3(3)	11	3(3)	8	25	3	9	9	10	3	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	0
Total	338	146	6(4)	56	2(2)	35	55	24	23	22	14	3	5	4	5	14	11	0	1	0

\*Manifest refractions were performed at 14 feet rather than 20 feet for all patients at our study site (32 patients). After Form 5 (30-40 days post-op), a correction of -0.25D was added to the manifest refraction to ensure that measured BCVA was not impacted by this procedural deviation. BCVA at visits through Form 3 may be lower than actual BCVA achieved.

\*\*23 patients had YAG capsulotomy, 5 occurring before Form 4 (1200-1800 days post-op). YAG capsulotomy is expected to produce an improvement in visual outcome compared to the pre-YAG visual acuity.

**ADVERSE EVENTS**  
Cumulative adverse events include the total number of adverse events that have occurred at any time during the first postoperative year. The cumulative adverse events experienced during the clinical trial of the Akreos intraocular lens, Model Akreos, are listed in TABLE 4.

**TABLE 4**

CUMULATIVE ADVERSE EVENT	AKREOS INCIDENCE (%) N=353	FDA GRID (%)
Hyphema	0.0	2.2
Macular Edema	1.4	3.0
Retinal Detachments	0.0	0.3
Pupillary Block	0.0	0.1
Lens Dislocation	0.0	0.1
Endophthalmitis	0.0	0.1
Hyphema	0.0	0.3
Surgical Reintervention	0.0	0.8

**TABLE 5**  
As of April 2006, there were 356 Akreos study implants and the overall incidence of adverse events is 3.5%.

PERSISTENT ADVERSE EVENT	AKREOS INCIDENCE (%) N=329	FDA GRID (%)
Macular Edema	0.3 (6%)	0.5
Corneal Edema	0.3 (1)	0.3
Iris	0.3 (1)	0.3
Revised RP Requiring Treatment	0.6 (2)	0.4

\*One patient was counted for both cumulative and persistent Macular Edema.

**CLINICAL TRIAL ON AKREOS ASPHERIC MODEL AOK0**  
The Akreos Advanced Optics Aspheric lens (Model AOK0) has prolate aspheric surfaces and a clinical study was conducted to assess the effects of the added aspheric surfaces. The primary endpoints were a comparison between the original spherical Akreos and aspheric Model AOK0 for low contrast best corrected visual acuity (BCVA) and mean mesopic and photopic contrast sensitivity (4 months postoperatively). An additional primary endpoint was a comparison between lenses for posterior corneal opacification (PCO) at one and two years postoperatively. Secondary endpoints examined included a comparison between lenses for spherical aberration and total higher order aberrations at 1 and 3 months postoperatively and high contrast UCVA and BCVA at 24 months.

**The following outcomes were observed for the primary endpoints:**

- Mean low contrast logMAR BCVA for the aspheric IOL population was 0.22 ± 0.10 and for the spherical IOL population was 0.24 ± 0.13 at 3-months postoperatively. There was no statistically significant difference between groups.
- Photopic and mesopic contrast sensitivity at 3-months postoperatively were not clinically or statistically significantly different between the aspheric and the spherical IOL populations.
- PCO results were inconclusive due to missing data.

**The following outcomes were observed for secondary endpoints:**

- The outcomes related to spherical aberration and total higher-order aberrations were not interpretable due to large amounts of missing data.
- Mean high contrast logMAR UCVA for the aspheric population was 0.64 ± 0.26 and for the spherical IOL population was 0.64 ± 0.25 before contact surgery and improved to 0.22 ± 0.18 and 0.27 ± 0.23 respectively at 24-months postoperatively. Mean high contrast logMAR BCVA for the aspheric population was 0.37 ± 0.20 and for the spherical IOL population was 0.39 ± 0.21 before contact surgery and improved to 0.11 ± 0.14 and 0.15 ± 0.19 respectively at 24-months postoperatively.

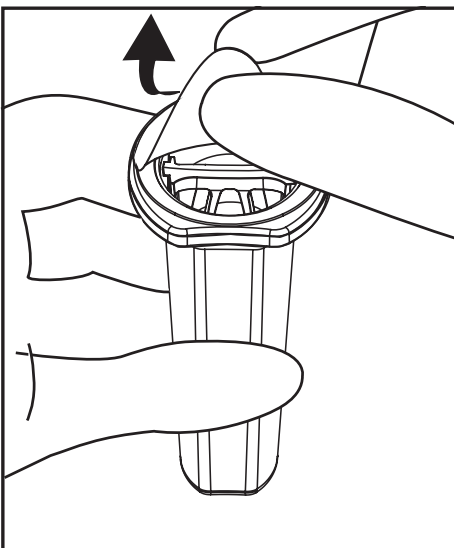


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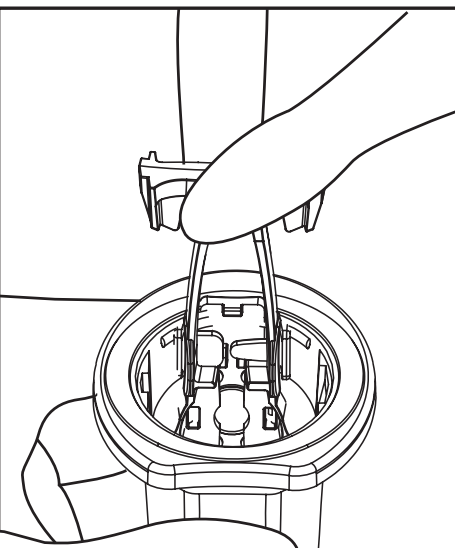


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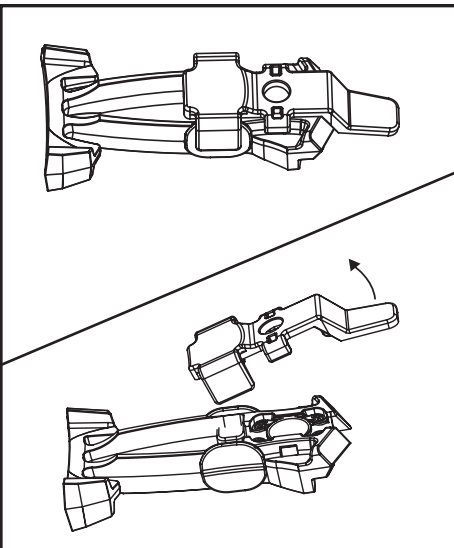


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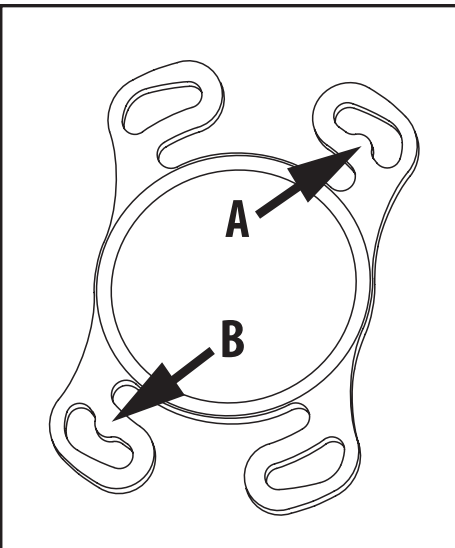


FIG. 6

**HOW SUPPLIED**  
Akreos intraocular lenses are supplied sterile and are individually packaged in a vial and a pouch. The pouch and vial are steam sterilized and should be opened only under sterile conditions. Akreos IOLs are presented in a future that holds the implant. A patient card and self-adhesive labels identifying the implant ensure the medical follow-up of the patient and provide traceability of the IOL. These are supplied in the carton containing instructions for use (diagram and characteristics of the IOL, serial number, expiration date, ...). Akreos IOLs are steam sterilized. The IOL model, its power and expiration date should be verified before opening the protective packaging and before opening the individual sterile pouch. Sterility of the IOL is guaranteed only if the individual sterile pouch has not been opened or damaged. Do not use the IOL if the carton or carton seal are opened or damaged.

**EXPIRATION DATE**  
The expiration date on the lens package is the sterility expiration date. This lens should not be implanted after the indicated sterility expiration date. Any lens held after this date should be returned to Bausch & Lomb Incorporated.

**WARRANTY**  
Bausch & Lomb Incorporated warrants that the intraocular lens, when delivered, will conform to all applicable laws and the manufacturer's then current version of the published specifications for such intraocular lens in all material respects and will be free from defects in material and workmanship.

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