

Osseointegration with New Bone in Sinus-lift and Simultaneous Implant

Placement (SLSI) during Remodeling Phase - A Long-Term Experiment using Canine Frontal Sinus -

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Background:

Sinus-lift with simultaneous implant placement (SLSI)



space under the lifted membrane (SULM)

Apex and middle of the implant is located in the SULM. How does osseointegration occur between implant and new bone developed from the peripheral sinus wall?

floor bone/ alveolar bone

Our series of animal experiment of (SLSI) using dog frontal sinus

Histological Findings of New Bone in the SULM

Developing phase: After surgery, new bone developed from the sinus wall and its volume peaked at around 3 months (M). Decreasing phase: New bone gradually decreased. Remodeling phase: A small amount of new bone remained after 6M (Shimizu, 2003).

However, osseointegration of machined surface implants with new bone in the SULM was not observed









Machined surface titanium implant Sinus lift / simultaneous implant placement (SLSI) Toluidine blue stain 6months

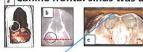
Objective:

Light-microscopically to observe osseointegration of new bone with hydroxyapatite (HA)coated implant and rough surface (RS) titanium implants in the SULM in a long-term experiment of (SLSI) without bone substitute.

Materials and Methods:

[outline of the experiment]

Canine frontal sinus was used.



About 15 mm in height and width 20 mm in length (Slightly smaller than human

Histology: Ciliated columnar epithelium (similar to human illated columnar maxillary sinus membrane)

Seven beagle canines

Female Post-menopause 14 frontal sinuses 28 total implants: Size: 3.7 - 4.5 x 8.0 - 8.5(mm)

HA group: 20 HA coated implants (8 Calcitek - USA, 12 Kyocera - Japan) RS group: 8 rough surface implants (8 ASTRA- Sweden)

Duration: 3M, 6M, and 2 years (Y) (long term findings during remodeling phase)

Bone substitutes: None (findings without influence of substitutes)

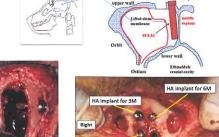
Mechanical loading: None

(findings without influence of mechanical loading)

[surgical procedures / histological observations] Implants were placed along the middle septum in the

SULM at the right or left frontal sinuses. No bone substitutes were used.









The apex of the placed implant and blood clots can be seen.

RS Implant for 3M

RS implant for 6M

Hematoxylin and eosin stained undecalcification sections were prepared. Then, histological observation and histomorphometric measurements were performed using light-microscopy.

Results:

Remaining new bone matured trabecular bone

TSB: Tent-shaped new bone remaining around the base of the implant

NBW: New bone wall remaining at the site far from the implant.

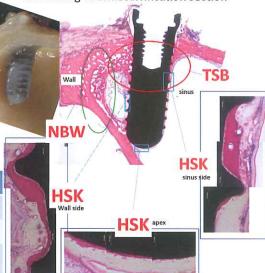
HSK: Thin layer of osseointegrated new bone remaining on the implant surface.

Histological findings

Group	TSB	NBW	HSK		
Duration	3M/6M/ 2Y	3M/6M/2Y	3M/6M/2Y		
HA	Yes	Yes	Yes		
RS	RS Yes		No (2Y NA)		

HA group: SLSI-WoB

Duration: 2 Years after surgery HE staining in undecalcification section



TSB and NBW were seen in the HA and RS group. HSK was only seen in the HA group.

Histometric measurements

	new bone covering rate		new bone height		remaining new bone *BIC		osseointegrated hard tissue length				
3M	6M	2Y	3M	6M	2Y	3M	6M	2Y	3M	6M	2Y
64.3%	78.5%	56.7%	9.1mm	9.7mm	5.5 mm	79.9%	79.9%	92.1%	1mm	1mm	1.4mm
49.0%	40.7%	NA	7.4mm	6.4mm	NA	3.8%	No contact	NA	0.1mm	NA	NA
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Discussion and conclusion:

Histometric measurement showed sufficient osseointegration with new bone at 3M, 6M, and 2Y only in HA group. However, in RS group, osseointegration did not occur.

It was concluded that

- 1. the implant surface property is an important factor to obtain sufficient osseointegration with new bone in one staged sinus-lift and
- 2. sufficient osseointegration of coating HA with new bone can be obtained and maintained for a long time during the remodeling phase.