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Trade Name	Arthrex <i>SpeedCinch</i>
Common Name	Fastener, fixation, nondegradable soft tissue
Product Code -Classification Name	MBI - Fastener, Fixation, Nondegradable, Soft Tissue GAT - Suture, Nonabsorbable, Synthetic, Polyethylene
CFR	21 CFR 878.5000: Nonabsorbable poly(ethylene terephthalate) surgical suture 21 CFR 888.3040: Smooth or threaded metallic bone fixation fastener
Predicate Device	K073149: Arthrex <i>Meniscal Cinch</i>
Purpose of Submission	This special 510(k) premarket notification is submitted to obtain clearance for the Arthrex <i>SpeedCinch</i> .
Device Description	The Arthrex <i>SpeedCinch</i> is an implantable suture retention device which consists of implants and an implant delivery mechanism. The implants are composed of PEEK Optima® (polyetheretherketone) anchors and FiberWire (Polyethylene/Polyester) suture offered in #2-0 size. The implant delivery mechanism is a handheld manual surgical instrument with trigger for implant delivery.

<i>Intended Use</i>	The Arthrex <i>SpeedCinch</i> is an implantable suture retention device which facilitates percutaneous or endoscopic soft tissue repairs, including the repair of meniscal tears.
<i>Substantial Equivalence Summary</i>	<p>Based on the intended use, technological characteristics and comparison to the predicate device, Arthrex, Inc. has determined that the proposed Arthrex <i>SpeedCinch</i> is substantially equivalent to the currently marketed predicate device, Arthrex <i>Meniscal Cinch</i> (K073149).</p> <p>The Arthrex <i>SpeedCinch</i> is an implantable suture retention device which consists of implants and an implant delivery mechanism. The proposed device implant has a smaller diameter than the predicate device for lower profile anchoring. Mechanical testing data demonstrates that the tensile strength (pull out strength) and cyclic displacement of the proposed Arthrex <i>SpeedCinch</i> device are substantially equivalent to or better than the tensile strength and cyclic displacement of the predicate device. The implant materials and general function of the implant are the same as the predicate device.</p> <p>The implant delivery mechanism of the proposed device has been modified for ascetics and to move the implant delivery trigger from being a thumb trigger to being a forefinger trigger for ergonomic ease of use. A nose cover depth stop was added. A downward slant nose option was added to accommodate physician preference.</p> <p>Any differences between the Arthrex <i>SpeedCinch</i> and the predicate are considered minor and do not raise questions concerning safety and effectiveness.</p>



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Re: K132043

Trade/Device Name: Arthrex *SpeedCinch*
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 878.5000
Regulation Name: Nonabsorbable poly (ethylene terephthalate) surgical suture
Regulatory Class: Class II
Product Code: GAT, MBI
Dated: July 9, 2013
Received: July 17, 2013

Dear Mr. Brown:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration. Please note: CDRH does not evaluate information related to contract liability warranties. We remind you; however, that device labeling must be truthful and not misleading.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); medical device reporting (reporting of medical device-related adverse events) (21 CFR 803); good manufacturing practice requirements as set

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forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820); and if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 796-7100 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ResourcesforYou/Industry/default.htm>. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR Part 807.97). For questions regarding the reporting of adverse events under the MDR regulation (21 CFR Part 803), please go to <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/Safety/ReportaProblem/default.htm> for the CDRH's Office of Surveillance and Biometrics/Division of Postmarket Surveillance.

You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 796-7100 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ResourcesforYou/Industry/default.htm>.

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure

2.5 INDICATIONS FOR USE

Indications for Use

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Arthrex SpeedCinch

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Prescription Use AND/OR Over-The-Counter Use

(Per 21 CFR 801 Subpart D) (21 CFR 801 Subpart C)

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