

**K973775 HARPOON SUTURE ANCHORS**Apr 16, 1998  
195 days to decisionK973775 · Product code: **MBI** · Orthopedic  
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Decision	Substantially Equivalent (Cleared)
Submission type	Traditional
Device classification	Fastener, Fixation, Nondegradable, Soft Tissue (MBI)
Date received	Oct 3, 1997
Decision date	Apr 16, 1998
Days to decision	195 days
Third-party review	No
Summary / Statement	Summary

**APPLICANT**

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Company	<b>Biomet, Inc.</b>
Location	McHenry, IL, US
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Website	<a href="http://www.biomet.com/">http://www.biomet.com/</a>
510(k) history	440 submissions · 418 cleared · 1978-2024

Biomet, Inc. is an orthopedic medical device manufacturer based in McHenry, US. The company specializes in surgical implants, fixation systems, and trauma solutions. Biomet has maintained a strong FDA 510(k) regulatory record since its first clearance in 1978. The company has received FDA 510(k) clearances from total submissions. Orthopedic devices represent 88% of its submission portfolio, reflecting the company's core focus on joint reconstruction, trauma fixation, and surgical instrumentation. The latest clearance in 2024 demonstrates continued regulatory activity and ...