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### **REMOVING & IMPROVING**

#### The powerful disposable system at a glance

1.300

high flow rate (up to 1,300 ml/min) and pressure (up to 15 psi)



simple design and use

required

lower risk of cross-contamination (compared to reusable systems)

less effort, no sterilisation



#### Pulse lavage as part of the modern cementing technique

Modern cementing technique is critical for the long-term success of a cemented endoprosthesis. Cleaning the bone bed using a pulse lavage system is an essential element and the first step in the modern cementing technique, where all cement-receiving bone surfaces are thoroughly cleaned to remove any fat residue, bone debris, marrow, and blood.<sup>1,2</sup>

Why is pulse lavage important?

- better cement interlocking with the cancellous bone<sup>3</sup>
- fewer thromboembolic complications<sup>4</sup>
- significantly lower risk of revision<sup>5</sup>
- lower postoperative infection rate in hemiarthroplasty<sup>6</sup>

Product	Description	Content	REF
palaJet®	Pulse lavage system for single use, with knee and hip nozzles	10	5156831

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