

1.2.3 FIT GUIDE & LENS DESIGN OPTIONS







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PATIENT APPLICATIONS

- Keratoconus
- Post Surgical
- Pellucid Marginal Degeneration
- Dry Eye Syndrome*/Corneal Surface Disease
- Stevens-Johnson Syndrome Intolerance

- Keratoglobus
- Astigmatism
- Post-corneal Transplant
- · Sjögren's Syndrome
- Graft versus Host Disease
- Presbyopia
- Corneal GP and Soft Lens

The following materials marked with an * are indicated for the management of dry eye disease. Material indication data was obtained and it is available from the material manufacturer package insert.

LENS PARAMETERS						
Base Curve	6.50 to 9.12mm					
Diameter	14.0 to 17.5mm (in 0.5mm steps)					
Power	+20.00 to -20.00D in 0.25D steps					
Limbal Zone Vault	Up to 100 microns decrease(25μm steps) Up to 200 microns increase (25μm steps) Quadrant specific control					
Scleral Zone	1 flat to 8 flat, 1 steep to 8 steep in 25µm steps					
Toric Scleral Zone	Bi-meridian control Quadrant specific control					
Cylinder Power	-0.75D to -5.00D in 0.25D steps					
Axis	1º to 180º					
Multifocal Distance Zones	3.6, 4.0, 4.4					
Multifocal Add Power	+0.75D to +4.00D					
Materials	Optimum Extra*, Optimum Extreme*, Optimum Infinite, Boston XO*, Boston XO2*, and Paragon HDS 100					
Warranty	Unlimited exchanges and cancellation within 90 days of original invoice.					
Tangible Hydra-PEG	Available on all materials listed above.					
PlasmaEYEZ	All Atlantis lenses are plasma treated free of charge.					

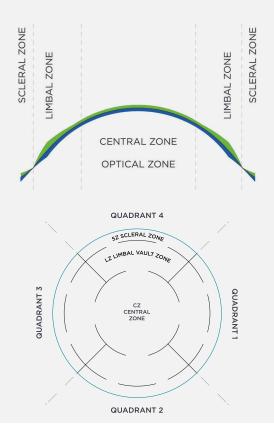
EASE OF FIT WITH THREE ZONES

The Atlantis scleral design has 3 truly independent zones.

Central Zone- This is the optic zone and increases with a diameter increase. On the 15.5 the optic zone is an 8.5. Each individual central SAG can be increased or decreased by a total of 200 microns in 50 micron steps. This will not affect the other 2 zones.

Limbal Vault Zone –This zone extends from the outside of the central zone to the inside of the scleral zone and the width of this zone is consistent with each diameter. The SAG of this zone can be increased (up to 200 **microns**) **or** decreased (down 100 microns) with no effect on the other 2 zones. The highest point of this zone can also be adjusted out towards the edge of the lens or in towards the optic zone of the lens. Changes are made in 25 micron steps.

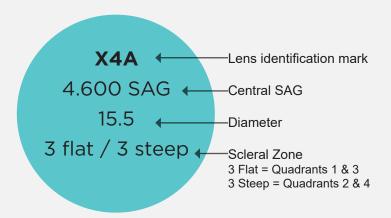
Scleral Zone – This is the edge of the lens and is roughly 1mm wide. This zone can be manipulated to increase or decrease the SAG of just this zone by 200 microns in each meridian or any quadrant. The changes are done in 25 micron steps and will not affect the central zone SAG or the limbal zone SAG.



FIT SET AND MARKINGS



Vial Cap Label



Other lens information is on the vial label.

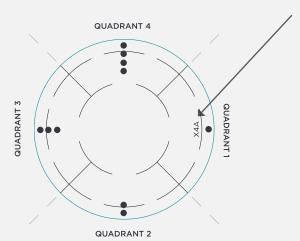
FIT SET AND MARKINGS

						LENS 1	LENS 2
	Diameter	SAG	Total Toricity of Scleral Zone	Power	СТ	Scleral Zone	Scleral Zone
*		4.000	0.150	-3.00	0.300	3 flat / 3 steep X1A	5 flat / 1 steep X1B
*		4.200	0.150	-3.00	0.300	3 flat / 3 steep X2A	5 flat / 1 steep X2B
*		4.400	0.150	-3.00	0.300	3 flat / 3 steep X3A	5 flat / 1 steep X3B
*		4.600	0.150	-3.00	0.300	3 flat / 3 steep X4A	5 flat / 1 steep X4B
*		4.800	0.150	-3.00	0.300	3 flat / 3 steep X5A	5 flat / 1 steep X5B
*		5.000	0.150	-3.00	0.300	3 flat / 3 steep X6A	5 flat / 1 steep X6B
	14.5	3.600	0.050	-3.00	0.300	1 flat / 1 steep C1A	2 flat / O steep C1B
	14.5	3.800	0.050	-3.00	0.300	1 flat / 1 steep C2A	2 flat / 0 steep C2B
	14.5	4.000	0.050	-3.00	0.300	1 flat / 1 steep C3A	2 flat / 0 steep C3B
	16.5	5.000	0.250	-3.00	0.300	5 flat / 5 steep L1A	7 flat / 3 steep L1B
	16.5	5.300	0.250	-3.00	0.300	5 flat / 5 steep L2A	7 flat / 3 steep L2B
	16.5	5.600	0.250	-3.00	0.300	5 flat / 5 steep L3A	7 flat / 3 steep L3B

^{*}This group of lenses make up the 12-lens fitting set.

Fitting Set Markings

Lens identification marking



RECOMMENDED STARTING POINT

The Atlantis design provides customizable zone options to provide a simple, streamlined fitting process that reduces chair time. A single fitting set will provide the necessary coverage to fit any corneal SAG or scleral shape.

When using the diagnostic kit to fit the Atlantis scleral lens, we recommend (regardless of K readings or condition) starting with the "X4A" lens.

15.5 X Starting

point

This is the lens that will be most appropriate for most applications where scleral lenses are used.

Lenses in the 15.5 size provide a wide range of clearance and edge fitting options to handle the majority of cases.

Oblate corneas | Irregular corneas | Normal corneas with larger HVID > 11.5 needing more limbal clearance

14.5 C The ideal lens for patients with who would benefit from a slightly smaller lens design.

Normal corneas | Presbyopic patients | Smaller than average corneas with HVID < 11.5 | Tight lids or small fissures

16.5 L A great lens size to move to when the 15.5 Dia. lens is not adequate to fit pronounced corneas.

More SAG than the 15.5 will provide | Extra-large HVID needing limbal clearance

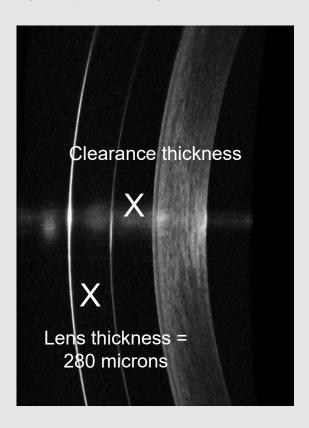
FITTING & CENTRAL ZONE EVALUATION

- a. Apply the diagnostic lens with non-preserved saline and fluorescein.
- b. Using the CLS evaluation process (Central - 1, Limbal - 2, Scleral - 3)



The ideal fitting relationships are:

CZ - completely vault the cornea, approximately 200 to 400 microns of clearance over the most elevated portion of the cornea. A decrease in clearance will occur with wearing time (loss can range from 50 - 150 microns).



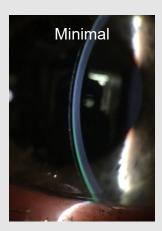
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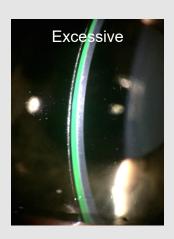
To evaluate approximate clearance, compare the clearance to either the corneal thickness or the lens thickness (lens thickness is represented on the lens vial). Example: .28 thickness = 280 microns.



Central clearance

Lens thickness





For issues see Troubleshooting in the appendix.

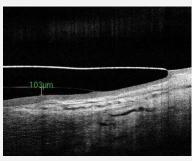
FITTING & LIMBAL ZONE EVALUATION

2. Limbal Vault Zone - completely vault the limbus. Avoid limbal touch while keeping clearance at a minimum (approx 100 mm of clearance)

Small, stagnate bubbles may be acceptable in the Limbal Vault Zone and may resolve over time.



Limbal Vault



OCT Limbal Vault

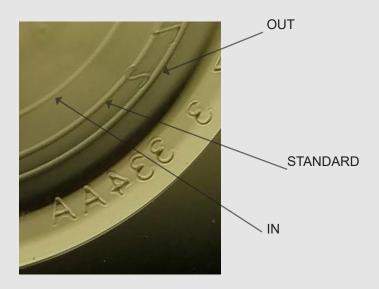


Insufficient Limbal Vault

LIMBAL VAULT OPTIONS

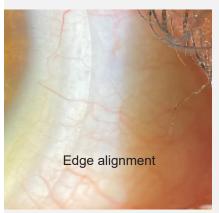
This revolutionary enhancement allows the limbal sag apex to be adjusted in/out or up/down, optimizing mid-peripheral clearance.

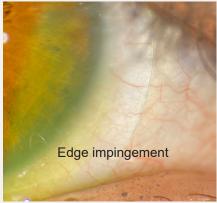
This design feature allows custom enhancements for multiple corneal conditions, such as; oblate (post myopic lasik, RK, etc...) and prolate (ectasias, trauma, etc...). This design feature can be fit utilizing the standard Atlantis fit set.

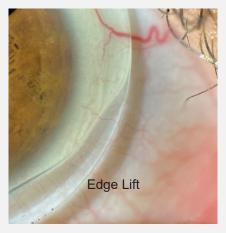


FITTING & SCLERAL ZONE EVALUATION

Scleral Zone - uniform alignment 360°
 Look for disruption of vessels at the edge, blanching, impingement, and/or edge lift.







ASYMMETRIC SCLERAL ZONES

Studies have shown that as you move further away from the limbal area, the sclera often has more toricity and in some cases quadrant asymmetry.

With the Atlantis design, you have the ability to adjust the scleral zone by quadrant to better align with the sclera. Whether the scleral shape is with the rule, against the rule or oblique, the laser marks will align with the steeper of the two meridians.



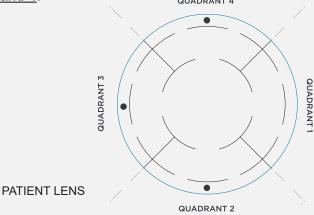


Inferior edge standoff

Nasal blanching

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For toric or quadrant specific scleral zones, <u>patient lenses will</u> <u>be marked with three dots always representing quadrants 2, 3, and 4.</u>



FLEXURE & RESIDUAL ASTIGMATISM

It is best to determine if the residual astigmatism is due to any lens flexure prior to ordering front toric optics.

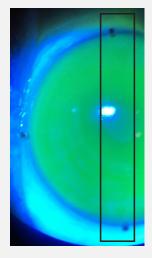
Determine if lens flexure is present. With the scleral lens on the eye, simply perform keratometry or topography. If keratometric readings (or Sim K) are NOT spherical, increase the center thickness by .10 and stay with spherical optics.

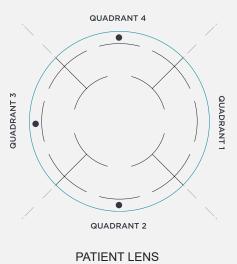
If trial lens on eye shows residual cylinder of 0.75D or greater and does not have a toric scleral zone, order spherical equivalent lens with the following amount of scleral toricity:

- 14.5 start with 50 microns of toricity
- 15.0 start with 100 microns of toricity
- 15.5 start with 150 microns of toricity
- 16.0 start with 200 microns of toricity
- 16.5 start with 250 microns of toricity

If trial lens or patient lens has a toric scleral zone and residual cylinder is still greater than 0.75D:

- o Use slit lamp reticule to determine steep meridian axis
- o Quadrants 2 and 4 marks steep meridian





FRONT TORIC CALCULATION

- 1. Call Consultant with steep meridian axis, over refraction, and trial or patient lens information for final lens parameters.
- 2. Use the following examples to determine final lens power.

Algorithm for calculating cylinder axis on lenses:

A = Over refraction axis (x130 in example below)

B = Steep axis of scleral (x20 in example below)

Example 1 - If A - B is positive, then lens cylinder axis = A - B (130 - 20)

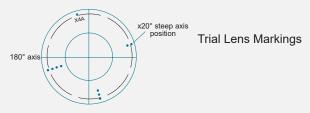
Example 2 - A - B is negative, then lens cylinder axis = 180 + A - B (130 - 150)

Example 1:

Over refraction: -3.00 -1.50 x130

Steep axis $x20 = -3.00 - 1.50 \times 130 - x20$

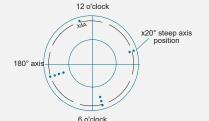
Final lens power and axis = $-3.00 - 1.50 \times 110$



LARS: Left Add, Right Subtract

Evaluating from the 0/180 meridian, determine steep meridian (Quadrants 2 and 4) using slit lamp reticule.

Using LARS method, each clock hour represents 30 degrees.



Lens rotated 20° to the right. OR -3.00 -1.50 x130

Right subtract 130 - 20 = 110

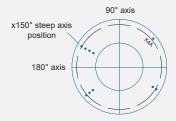
FRONT TORIC CALCULATION

Example 2:

If OR axis is less than steep axis OR -3.00 -1.50 x130

Steep axis after settling from reticule measurement x150 -3.00 -1.50 x (180 + (130 - 150))

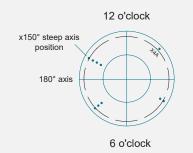
Final lens power and axis = $-3.00 - 1.50 \times 160$



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Lens rotated 30° to the left.
OR -3.00 -1.50 x130

Left Add 130 + 30 = 160

The steep axis marks on the lens should be in the exact same position as those of the first diagnostic lens. LARS is used to eliminate the axis misalignment resulting from lens rotation and NOT TO ELIMINATE THE ROTATION.

ATLANTIS MULTIFOCAL

The Atlantis also offers a center distance scleral lens **multifocal** option. No additional diagnostic kit is needed. The only additional parameters to determine is the distance zone diameter and add power. The bi-aspheric multifocal design does not alter the fit of the lens as the sagittal depth is unchanged compared to the single vision Atlantis lens.

Three different distance zone diameters are available: 4.4 mm, 4.0 mm, 3.6 mm

Fitting the Atlantis Scleral Multifocal

- 1. Determine the dominant eye.
- 2. Determine pupil diameter under normal lighting conditions.
- 3. Standard distance zone is 4.0 mm. For larger pupil diameters order the 4.4mm and smaller diameters 3.6mm.
- 4. Order add power determined by refraction.

Pointers for achieving best vision in the Atlantis Multifocal:

- 1. Desires better distance vision.
 - change distance zone of dominant eye only to 4.4mm
- 2. Desires better near vision.
 - change distance zone of non-dominant eye only to 3.6mm
- Desires BEST distance vision
 - use 4.4 mm OU
- Desires BEST near vision
 - use 3.6 mm OU

CONJUNCTIVAL ELEVATIONS

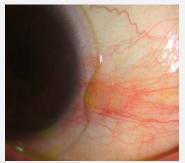
For those patients with a scleral elevation such as a conjunctival bleb, pinguecula, or pterygium, a final fit lens can be "notched" around the conjunctival irregularity.

Lens design options:

- *Smaller diameter that lands before the elevation
- *Larger diameter to completely vault the elevation
- *Lens Notching



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Dr. Mauricio Pulido

Determining the size of a lens notch is optimized by sending a picture to our consultation team. Physically marking the lens with a sharpie marker or estimating the depth and width in millimeters can also be utilized.

DISPENSING VISIT AND FOLLOW-UP EVALUATION

Dispensing Visit

Patient should wear lenses for a minimum of 45 - 60 minutes prior to evaluation. Instruct application and removal, provide appropriate care system, care instructions and discuss increasing wearing time.

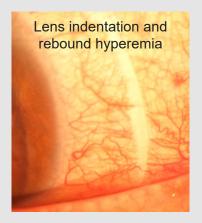
At the dispensing visit be sure to discuss warnings and precautions while referring the patient to the package insert and patient instructions for use.

Lens movement will be minimal (similar or less than a soft lens) and there will be very little tear exchange behind the lens.

- 1. Have patient arrive for follow-up preferably mid-morning to mid-afternoon after applying lenses in the morning.
- 2. Questions to patient:
 - a. How many hours a day are you wearing the lenses?
 - b. How is the comfort throughout the day?
 - c. How is your vision throughout the day?
 - d. Upon removal is there any discomfort or redness?
- 3. Determine if adequate central and limbal clearance is present with high magnification and optic section illumination and white light (or OCT).

DISPENSING VISIT AND FOLLOW-UP EVALUATION

- For scleral zone evaluation determine if blanching is present. Evaluate edge clearance (none/adequate/ excessive) in all meridians.
- 5. Remove the lens and evaluate the ocular surface for ocular insult.



Recommended Follow-up Visit Schedule

- · 2 weeks
- · 1 month
- · 3 months
- · 6 months
- · **1 year

^{**}It is recommended that scleral lenses be replaced on an annual basis.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Observation	Plan
Impingement Blanching	- Determine Quadrant and flatten SZ 1 step (25μm) accordingly
(at the edge)	- Circular – Flatten all quadrants by 1 step (25μm)
Compression Blanching	- Determine quadrant and steepen SZ 1 step accordingly (25µm)
(inside the edge)	-Larger lens diameter
Edua 1:6	- Determine quadrant and steepen SZ 1 (25μm) step accordingly
Edge Lift	- Circular – Steepen all quadrants 1 step (25μm)
Excessive lens movement	- Steepen entire SZ by 1 step (25µm)
Excessive lens movement	- Increase diameter
Inferior Decentration (common and acceptable if	- Increase SZ toricity by 1 step (25μm) in each meridian
mild)	- Increase lens diameter by .5mm
	- To the edge -steepen LZ by 2 steps (50μm) and OUT position
Limbal bearing	- All other areas steepen the LZ by 2 steps (50μm)
	*Quadrant specific changes available through consultation
	- Outside OZ - Steepen LZ by 2 steps (50μm) and the IN position
Paracentral bearing	- All other areas steepen LZ by 2 steps (50μm)
	*Quadrant specific changes available through consultation
Residual astigmatism	- Refer to front toric section of fitting guide

TROUBLESHOOTING

Observation	Plan
	- Reduce CZ clearance if excessive (50µm per step)
Debris/Cloudy in tear/saline	- Increase SZ toricity by meridian or quadrant
layer	- Decrease LZ if clearance is excessive
	- Address solution use and cleaning process with patient
	- Check for SZ lift and steepen by 1 step (25µm) in each quadrant
Lens discomfort	- Check for limbal area clearance and steepen LZ accordingly
	- Possible limbal obstruction-refer to lens notching section
	- Add Tangible Hydra-PEG
	- Check surface quality
Blurry vision (under achieving BCVA)	- If lens build-up order with Tangible Hydra-PEG
, ,	- Check for lens flexure with Over Ks or Topography
	- Check for proper application process
Bubbles under lens	- Flatten CZ vault (50µm steps)
	- Check for edge lift by quadrant and steepen by 1 step accordingly
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