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Re: K222462

Trade/Device Name: Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 18/20); Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 18.15); Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 18/10);Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 16/20);Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 16/15);Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 16/10);Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 14/20);Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 14/15);Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 14/10)

Regulation Number: 21 CFR 876.1075

Regulation Name: Gastroenterology-Urology Biopsy Instrument

Regulatory Class: Class II

Product Code: KNW

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Dear Dominik Fraemke:

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. Although this letter refers to your product as a device, please be aware that some cleared products may instead be combination products. The 510(k) Premarket Notification Database located at <https://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cdrh/cfdocs/cfpmn/pmn.cfm> identifies combination product submissions. 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) for devices or postmarketing safety reporting (21 CFR 4, Subpart B) for combination products (see <https://www.fda.gov/combination-products/guidance-regulatory-information/postmarketing-safety-reporting-combination-products>); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820) for devices or current good manufacturing practices (21 CFR 4, Subpart A) for combination products; and, if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

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For comprehensive regulatory information about medical devices and radiation-emitting products, including information about labeling regulations, please see Device Advice (<https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/device-advice-comprehensive-regulatory-assistance>) and CDRH Learn (<https://www.fda.gov/training-and-continuing-education/cdrh-learn>). Additionally, you may contact the Division of Industry and Consumer Education (DICE) to ask a question about a specific regulatory topic. See the DICE website (<https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/device-advice-comprehensive-regulatory-assistance/contact-us-division-industry-and-consumer-education-dice>) for more information or contact DICE by email ([DICE@fda.hhs.gov](mailto:DICE@fda.hhs.gov)) or phone (1-800-638-2041 or 301-796-7100).

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See PRA Statement below.

## Indications for Use

Submission Number (if known)

Device Name

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Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 14/20);  
Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 14/15);  
Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 14/10)

Indications for Use (Describe)

The biopsy-needle is intended for soft-tissue biopsy (such as breast, kidney, liver, prostate).

Type of Use (Select one or both, as applicable)

 Prescription Use (Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

 Over-The-Counter Use (21 CFR 801 Subpart C)

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## 510(k) Summary

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[21 CFR 807.92\(a\)\(1\)](#)

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## Device Name

[21 CFR 807.92\(a\)\(2\)](#)

Device Trade Name	Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 18/20); Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 18/15); Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 18/10); Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 16/20); Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 16/15); Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 16/10); Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 14/20); Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 14/15); Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle (BIM 14/10)
Common Name	Gastroenterology-urology biopsy instrument
Classification Name	Instrument, Biopsy
Regulation Number	876.1075
Product Code	KNW

## Legally Marketed Predicate Devices

[21 CFR 807.92\(a\)\(3\)](#)

Predicate #	Predicate Trade Name (Primary Predicate is listed first)	Product Code
K130616	Semi-Automatic Biopsy Needle	KNW

## Device Description Summary

[21 CFR 807.92\(a\)\(4\)](#)

The semiautomatic Biopsy needle – BIM is a sterile, spring loaded, disposable percutaneous soft tissue biopsy system. It consists of the following major components: handle, spring, cannula, stylet, trigger and spring guide. It is used to obtain multiple core biopsy samples.

containing major components namely spring, cannula, stylet, trigger and spring guides is used to obtain multiple core biopsy samples from soft tissues such as the kidney, prostate, liver, lymph nodes, breast etc. The needle has to be inserted by a qualified physician under MR image guidance.

## Intended Use/Indications for Use

[21 CFR 807.92\(a\)\(5\)](#)

The biopsy-needle is intended for soft-tissue biopsy (such as breast, kidney, liver, prostate).

## Indications for Use Comparison

[21 CFR 807.92\(a\)\(5\)](#)

The proposed devices are working equivalently to the predicate device. They are all intended to obtain diagnostic samples of soft tissue for histological examination during a percutaneous biopsy procedure. They differ only in optical design aspects. In addition the proposed device is MR-compatible.

## Technological Comparison

[21 CFR 807.92\(a\)\(6\)](#)

The BIM is identical or similar in technology, design and material to the predicate device. Both devices are sterile and for single-use. The only difference between the two devices are the materials of the needles as well as optical design aspects. Based on the same intended use and the similarities in technology, design and materials the proposed devices are substantially equivalent to their predicate/reference devices. Biocompatibility, MR-testing, sterility and packaging demonstrate the safety and effectiveness of the proposed device.

## Non-Clinical and/or Clinical Tests Summary & Conclusions

[21 CFR 807.92\(b\)](#)

The purpose of the tests is to evaluate:

- 1) the penetration of the needle
- 2) The shot of the needle
- 3) The quantity of the sample taken
- 4) The quality/integrity of the sample taken
- 5) MR tests for artifact
- 6) Heating and induction test
- 7) Biocompatibility

For the present report different Semiautomatic Biopsy Needles BIM has been used. The 5 samples have been manufactured in 5 different lots. 14G, 16G and 18G biopsy needles were used. The lengths ranged from 100 mm, 150 mm and 200 mm. The testing was conducted after the validated EO sterilization of all devices. Therefore the tests were conducted on final devices

Description of the tests

- 1) For the stylet perforation capacity, a biopsy needle is inserted in three different tissues (animal tissue and apples) according to the IFU. It is then visually tested to ensure that the stylet tip could easily and effortlessly penetrate the tissue without causing tears or lacerations to create a good entry path for the cannula. The needle is inserted in different tissues to assess the penetration capacity of the stylet tip.
- 2) To test the shot of the needle the release mechanism of the biopsy device were triggered in the air as well as in the animal tissue. If the device works well, the cannula would cover the tip of the stylet that contains the notch completely. With this you can test if the spring has enough power to push the cannula over the notch to cut tissue. This was conducted for the 10 mm and 20 mm notch.
- 3) Different tissue samples were taken with biopsy devices for the 10 mm and 20 mm notch. After that the length of the collected samples was measured with a ruler. The length was written down and the results were analyzed.
- 4) The taken tissue samples in test 3 are observed under video microscope.

The samples were carefully observed to see if they are cylindrical, intact and abundant. This was also done for 10 mm and 20 mm notch samples.

5&6) Furthermore MR-compatibility tests were conducted.

For the tests we used similar needles that use the same materials as the biopsy devices and tested them under a 3T and 1.5T MRI-System. The needle is clearly visible under MR-guidance without any major artifacts. Furthermore no heating or induction occurred in any unit.

7) Biocompatibility tests for Cytotoxicity, Sensitization, Irritation, Acute Systemic Toxicity and Pyrogenicity were conducted.

### 1. Needle penetration capacity

For all tested biopsy devices the insertion was optimal and conducted effortlessly with no difficulties at all. The acceptance criteria were met. This demonstrates that the devices work for penetration and is safe.

### 2. Shot of the needle.

For all tested biopsy device the cannula covers the notch completely. This is the case for both notch sizes (10 mm and 20 mm). From this

For an tested biopsy device the cannula covers the notch completely. This is the case for both notch sizes (10 mm and 20 mm), from this it can be concluded that the spring is strong enough. The acceptance criteria were met and the device works and is safe.

### 3.Quantity of the collected samples

Each sample for the liver and apple equals the notch size. For muscle tissue taken with the 10 mm notch the average length is 6.72 mm and for 20 mm notch 11.77 mm. Every sample was larger than the acceptance criteria of 5 mm and 10 mm. Therefore the criteria is met. The average sample size over all tissues is 8.82 mm for the 10 mm notch and 17.22 for the 20 mm notch. The device is therefore effective to take proper samples.

### 4.Quality/integrity of the collected samples

All samples are cylindrical, intact and abundant. The acceptance criteria were met. Because of this the device is effective and safe.

Based on the performed tests the proposed device is as safe and as effective as the predicate device. Furthermore the average sample size of the collected tissue is larger for the proposed device.

Proposed device: 10 mm notch: 8.82 mm samples, 20 mm notch: 17.22 mm samples

Predicate device: 10 mm notch 7 cm samples, 20 mm notch: 13 mm samples

5&6.

Based on the MR-tests the device is MR-compatible. The needle didn't show any major artifacts and is clearly visible especially compared to the needle with stainless steel. In addition no heating or induction occurred during these tests.

7. Biocompatibility were proven with the conducted tests.

### Conclusion:

The Semi-automatic Biopsy-Needle functions as intended. The results drawn from the non-clinical tests as well as the literature presented in this 510(k) submission demonstrate the proposed device is as safe, effective and performs as well as the legally marketed predicate device. The proposed device has a similar intended use and similar key technological and design characteristics. The MR-compatibility were proven with MR-tests and the different needle material is also biocompatibility. Therefore the proposed device is substantially equivalent to the predicate device.