

**Planmeca Emerald™ intraoral scanner now accepted by Ortoplus Group**

*Planmeca is pleased to announce that the **Planmeca Emerald™** intraoral scanner can now be used to produce **OrthoApnea** mandibular advancement devices and **Alineadent** clear aligners, both designed and manufactured by Ortoplus Group.*

**Ortoplus** is one of the largest orthodontic and digital laboratories in Europe. The company has manufactured more than 350 000 orthodontic appliances in its 25 years of existence and is present in over 45 countries.

The **Planmeca Emerald™** intraoral scanner has now been accepted by Ortoplus, which means that after scanning the upper and lower arches as well as the bite of the patient, Planmeca Emerald users can instantly export the scans to Ortoplus for the designing and manufacturing of the desired orthodontic appliances.

“We are very happy about this new partnership that will bring Ortoplus’s wide range of orthodontic solutions within the reach of Planmeca Emerald users. It’s all about making the orthodontic workflow as smooth as possible. By using our digital intraoral scanner and simply sending the open STL files to the Ortoplus headquarters, a lot of valuable time can be saved, not to mention that patients will enjoy the speed and comfort of digital scanning”, says **Ville Salonen**, Manager for Planmeca’s Orthodontic Product Line and Business Development.

“We tested and evaluated the Planmeca Emerald intraoral scanner by taking impressions. I have to say that we were impressed by the ease of use, high resolution and quick results, and especially by its precision. This solution allows for a 100% digital manufacturing process. This in turn means more efficient and more accurate treatments, as well as shorter delivery times. It is for sure one of the best intraoral scanners on the market!” says **Ana Fernández**, R&D Director of Ortoplus Group.

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**Planmeca Oy and Planmeca Group**

Planmeca Oy is one of the world's leading dental equipment manufacturers with a product range covering digital dental units, CAD/CAM solutions, world-class 2D and 3D imaging devices and comprehensive software solutions. Headquartered in Helsinki, Finland, Planmeca’s products are distributed in over 120 countries worldwide. With a strong commitment to pioneering innovations and design, it is the largest privately held company in its field. Planmeca Oy is part of the Finnish Planmeca Group, which operates in the field of health care technology.  
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**Ortoplus Group**

With a catalogue of over 800 products, **Ortoplus Group** is the largest orthodontic laboratory in Spain. Its more than 25 years of experience in the field make it one of the strongest laboratories in the dental sector both at a national and international level. The company manufactures **Orthoapnea** mandibular advancement devices and **Alineadent** clear aligners.  
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