

**ORTHODONTIC POSITIONING SYSTEM (OPS)  
WITH CARRIERE SLB AND CARRIERE DISTALIZER.**  
Treatment Protocols and Archwire Sequencing

(A Strategy for Orthodontic Space  
Management)

## **CARRIERE SLB, WIRES LIST**

### **Leveling Round Wires:**

.012 SE Thermal  
.014 SE Thermal  
.016 SE Thermal  
.016 SE Thermal U Reverse  
.016 SE Thermal L Reverse

### **Leveling Edgewise Wires :**

.014x.025 SE Thermal  
.016x.025 SE Thermal  
.016x.025 SE Thermal U 20° Ant Torque Reverse

### **Posterior Retraction Edgewise Wires :**

.017x.025 SE Thermal  
.017x.025 SE Thermal U 20° Ant Torque Reverse  
.019x.025 SE Thermal  
.019x.025 SE Thermal U 20° Ant Torque Reverse

### **Anterior Retraction Edgewise Wires :**

.017x.025 SS Posted  
.017x.025 SS U 20° Ant Torque Reverse  
.019x.025 SS Posted


### **Finishing Edgewise Wire:**

.017x.025 TMA  
.019x.025 TMA

### **Settling Round Wire:**

.016 SS

## OPS ARCHWIRES SEQUENCING

TYPE	SIZE	ACTION
LEVELING	Round :    .012 Therm SE .014 Therm SE .016 Therm SE .016 Therm SE U Rev. .016 Therm SE L Rev.	Initiate dental movement with minimum parodontal reaction. For rotations, cross bites vertical and vestibulo lingual corrections (bracket alignment)
	Edgewise .014 x .025 Therm SE .016 x .025 Therm SE .016 x .025 Therm SE U 20° Ant T Rev.	
<p>Once the case is leveled it starts the 3D Monitored Movements</p>  <p>in order to follow the OPS of space management</p>		
POSTERIOR RETRACTION	Edgewise .017X.025 Therm SE .017X.025 Therm SE U 20° Ant T Rev. .019X.025 Therm SE .019X.025 Therm SE U 20° Ant T Rev.	To perform movements of intrusion translation and torque
ANTERIOR RETRACTION	Anterior Retraction .017X.025 SS Posted .017X.025 SS U Posted 20° Ant T Rev Edgewise .019X.025 SS Posted	
FINISHING	.017X.025 TMA .019X.025 TMA	Finishing and detailing
SETTLING	.016 SS	Final adjustments for settling to a matching occlusion