

	No graft	Bone Substitute	Autograft	Real Bone Allograft
Easy to Use	✓	✓	✓	✓
Osteoconductive		✓	✓	✓
Osteoinductive			✓	✓
Osteogenic			✓	
Pre-demineralized for immediate access to growth factors				✓
No harvesting necessary	✓	✓		✓

- ✓ While autograft has the advantage of being osteogenic, allograft is demineralized before it is placed into the surgery site allowing for immediate access to native growth factors. This offsets the advantage of osteogenicity and helps to make allograft as effective as autograft.¹⁻³
- ✓ Not having to procure autograft reduces your surgery time and cost and you avoid the potential morbidity associated with autograft procurement.^{4,5} Because allograft is as effective as autograft and makes graft harvest unnecessary, allograft is the grafting option of choice.¹⁻³