

The Rationale and Registry Data for Cemented TKA



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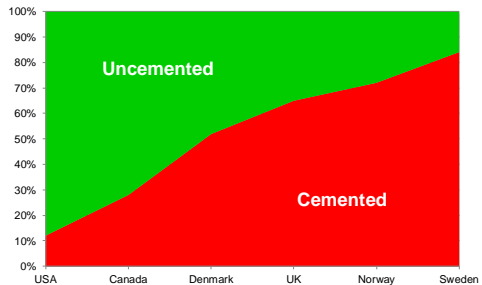
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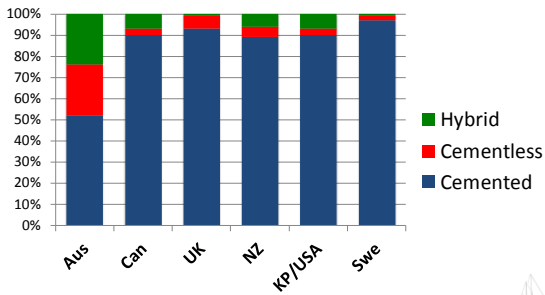
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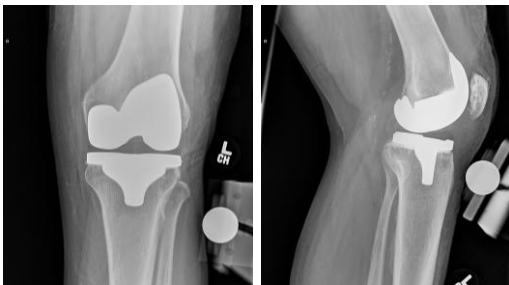
Femoral Fixation (Hip) by Country 2010



TKA Fixation by Country



The Planar Surface of the Tibial Cut is the Weak Link



Rationale for Cemented TKA

1. Improved initial fixation
2. Accommodate for small bone defects and imprecise cuts
3. Lower Costs



Rationale for Cemented TKA

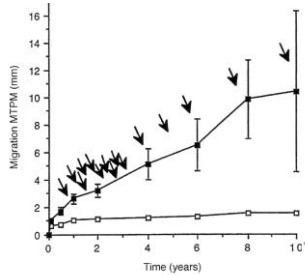
1. Improved initial fixation



ROENTGEN STEREOPHOTOGAMMETRIC ANALYSIS AS A PREDICTOR OF MECHANICAL LOOSENING OF KNEE PROSTHESES

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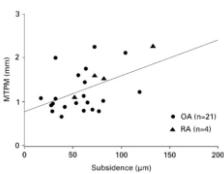
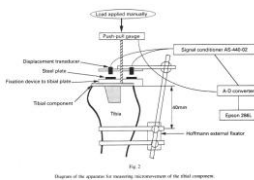
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Estimation of the migration of tibial components in total knee arthroplasty

A ROENTGEN STEREOPHOTOGAMMETRIC ANALYSIS

S. Fukuoka, K. Yoshida, Y. Yamano
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RSA Linked to Registry Data

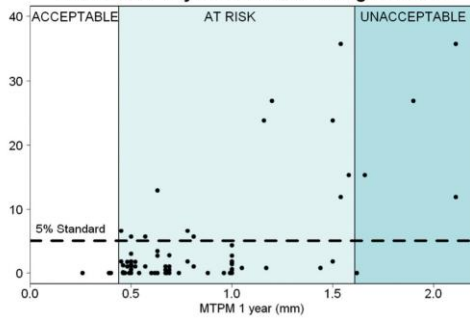
Early migration of tibial components is associated with late revision

A systematic review and meta-analysis of 21,000 knee arthroplasties

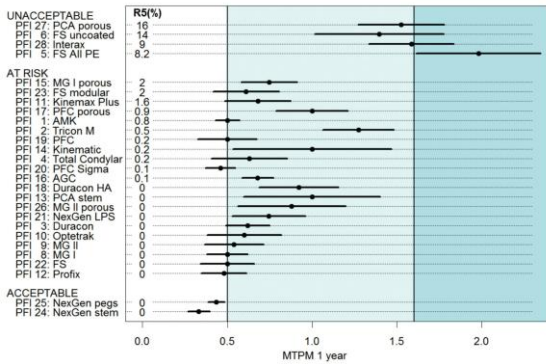
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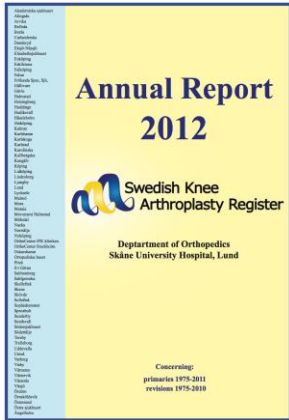


Revision at 10 years in % according to MTPM

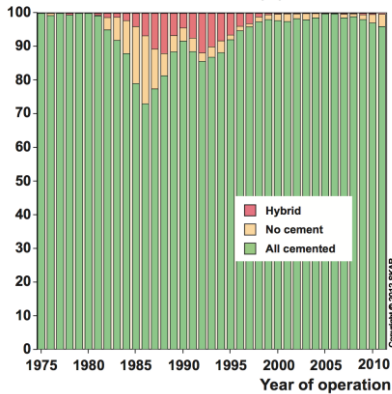


Pooled MTPM sorted by revision rate





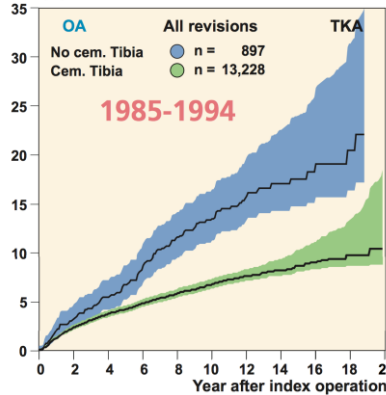
Distribution of fixation methods (%)



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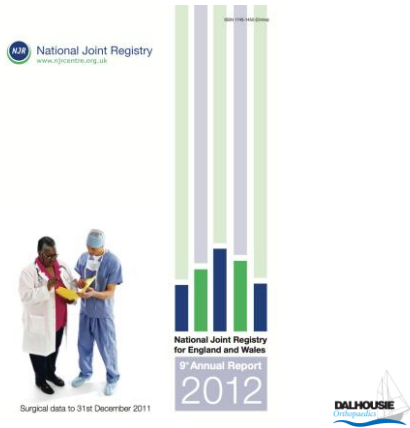


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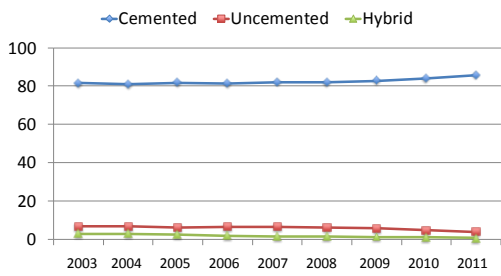


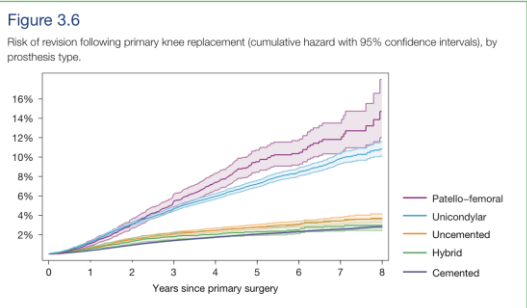
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TKA Fixation Rates in UK by Year





However - Future Risk?

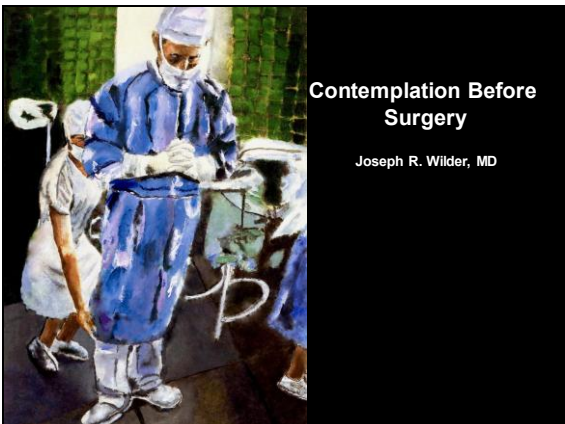
- the risk of future aseptic loosening with uncemented fixation was approximately **half** that of cemented fixation according to the arthroplasty instability classification
 - RR 0.47, 95% CI 0.24-0.92
 - 16% absolute risk between groups



Future Risk for Revision (OA)

- **Uncemented Fixation**
 - Thirteen people out of 100 had a future prediction of arthroplasty instability.
- **Cemented Fixation**
 - Twenty-nine people out of 100 had a future prediction of arthroplasty instability with cemented fixation.





Cementing the Perfect TKA: *Assuring Longevity*

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• Evidence for superiority of
cemented fixation in TKR
over non-cemented fixation



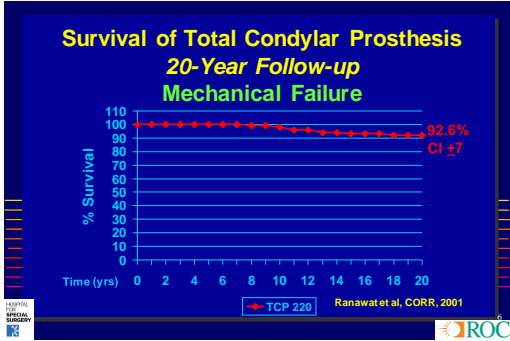
Level of evidence to support cemented fixation in TKR

- Level I: Registry Data and Prospective Randomized Study
- Level II: Meta Analysis
- Level III: Prospective Case Control
- Level IV: Case Series
- Level V: Opinion of Individual Surgeon



Survivorship for mechanical fixation failure





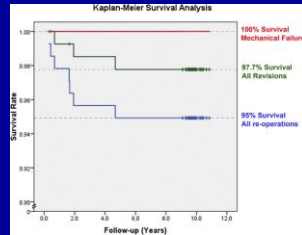
Survivorship for Mechanical Failure: Literature Review

89 - 98% at 15 - 20 years

- Lachiewicz et al, *JBJS* 2009
- Abdeen et al, *JOA* 2009
- Callaghan et al, *JBJS* 2005
- Dixon et al, *JBJS* 2005
- Buechel et al, *J Knee Surg* 2002
- Ranawat et al, *CORR* 2001
- Font-Rodriguez et al, *CORR* 1997
- Ritter et al, *CORR* 1995
- Ranawat et al, *CORR* 1993



10 year Survivorship- RP-PS



Ranawat CS, *JBJS*, 2012



Level I Evidence: Registry Failure Rate

Registry	Failure Rate (%)
NJR-England	C: 3.81
	NC: 4.75
Australian	C: 5.6
	NC: 6.2
Swedish (up to 1994)	C: 9
	NC: 23
New Zealand	C: 4.28
	NC: 6.93



Level I Evidence: Registry Data on Usage

Registry	Usage (%)	
NJR-England	C	85
	NC	5
Australian	C	55
	NC	29
Swedish (up to 1994)	C	95
	NC	3
New Zealand	C	89
	NC	4



Level I Evidence: Prospective Randomized Study

Author/Journal/year	Follow-UP (Years)	Conclusion
Park et al, JBJS-Br, 2011	14	For Cemented
Baker et al, JBJS 2007	15	For Cemented



Level II Evidence: Meta Analysis

Gandhi et al. JBJS 2009

Improved survivorship of cemented Knee



Discussion

- Although results for non-cemented fixation in TKR are improving, level I, II and III evidences are still in favor of cemented fixation



Technique

1. Proper exposure with adequate length of incision
2. Avoid cutting the quadriceps tendon in oblique direction (medial-lateral plain)
3. Reduced Tissue Trauma Surgery (RTTS), no tourniquet except for cementing
4. Deliver the tibia in front of the femur (Ran-Sal maneuver)
5. Preserve supra-patellar pouch, coagulate lateral genicular artery
6. 8 to 10 mm tibial cut from the uninvolved side, identify the cortex off the tibial cut
7. Adequate rotation, alignment, lateralization and restoration of the posterior offset of the femoral component



Technique

8. Pulsatile lavage the cut surfaces to clean the cancellous bone
9. Drill holes in the sclerotic bone surface
10. Heated Simplex cement at doughy state
11. Apply cement on the bone surfaces including posterior femoral condyles and pressurize, apply cement on the components as well
12. Apply manual constant pressure
13. Remove excess cement from posterior femoral condyles, tibia and patella (if resurfaced)
14. Further pressurization in extension with trial insert
15. Release the tourniquet and thorough irrigation
16. Closure in flexion without tourniquet and with good approximation of dermal layer





Conclusion

Cemented fixation remains the
“Gold Standard” in TKR at
present

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**“All good things
ultimately prevail”**


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Thank you!





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Best Available Evidence for Cementless TKA

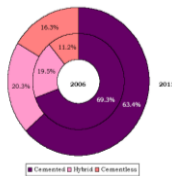
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Fixation in Total Knee Replacement

- Cement Fixation: “The Gold Standard”
 - Reliable long-term results
- Uncemented Fixation Increasing
- Cementless Fixation is more biologic
 - Eventually **“The Gold Standard”**



Cemented TKR: "The Gold Standard"



- 85% Survivorship at 21 years¹
 - Cemented Total Condylar
 - Mean Age = 65 years
 - **95% survivorship at 15 years !**
- 98% Survivorship at 20 years²
 - Cemented AGC
 - **Mean Age = 70.4 years**

1. Ranawat CS, et al. *CORR*, 1993;286: 94-102.
2. Ritter MA, et al. *CORR*, 2001;388: 51-7.

Cemented TKR: Young Patients



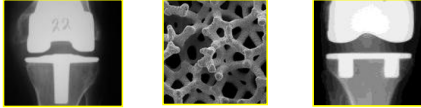
- Younger age at TKR = lower survival rate
 - Giee et al *CORR* 2004
- Cemented TKR patients under 55
 - Survival rates from 85-95% at 10-18 years
 - Better for RA versus OA
 - Concern regarding survivorship past 15 years
- **TKR in younger patients increasing !!**
 - Greatest increase in <65 and <45 year-old groups
 - Kurtz et al. *JBJS-Am* July 2005

Cement in TKR



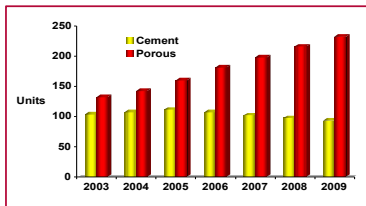
- Additional interface to fail
- 3rd body wear-failure mode
- Most durable long-term fixation is osseointegration
- Increasingly, surgeons are eager to embrace

Why Cementless TKR ?



- Patients younger & more active
 - Demand for OR efficiency
- Established long-term success via biologic fixation
 - Past problems identified and correctable
 - Improved biomaterials for fixation and wear

Cementless Fixation: Hip Replacement



- *Cementless surpassed Cement Fixation in 2000*

Minimizing Surgical Time



- Need for increased OR efficiency
- Idle time in OR for curing cement
 - Inefficient and wasteful
 - Less surgical time decreases infection
- Decrease in TKR reimbursement



Past Failures of Cementless TKR



- Patch porous coating
 - Screw osteolysis
- Poor polyethylene / locking mechanism
 - Fatigue failure of femoral components
- Failure of metal-backed patellar components

• **All are CORRECTABLE !**

Long-Term Cementless TKR



- Hardeman (2007) 10 yr – 97.1% ProFix
- Epinette (2007) 10 yr – 98.1% HA Omnifit
- Khaw (2002) 10 yr – 95.6% PFC
- Hofmann (2002) 10 yr - 99.0% Natural
- Schroder (2001) 10 yr - 97.1% AGC-2000
- Watanabe (2004) 13 yr - 96.7% Osteonics

Long-Term Cementless TKR



- Tai (2006) 12 yr – 97.5% HA
- Watanabe (2004) 13 yr - 96.7% Osteonics
- Goldberg (2004) 14 yr - 99.0 % MG-I
- Tarkin (2005) 17 yr - 97.9 % LCS-RP
- Whiteside (2002) 18 yr - 98.6% Ortholoc-I
- Buechel (2002) 20 yr - 97.7% LCS-RP

Cementless AGC at 20-Years

Ritter & Meneghini, *J Arthroplasty* 2010



- 1983 - 1986
- 73 Cementless AGC TKR
- No adjuvant screw-fixation
- Females: 58%
- Mean Age: 59 years (range, 18-79)
- All minimum 10-Year Follow-up
- None Lost to Follow-up
- Minimum 20 Year Follow-up: 24



Cementless AGC at 20-Years

Ritter & Meneghini, *J Arthroplasty* 2010



- Two tibial aseptic failures
– 1.1 and 2.2 years
- 12 failed metal-backed patellae
- 97% Survivorship at 20 years
- Equal Survivorship as Cemented AGC
■ **Younger patients by mean 11 years !**



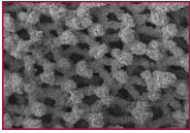
Cementless vs Cementless TKA

Nakama GY et al. *Cochrane Database Review* 2012



- 5 RCTs, 297 patients
- Meta-Analyses of RSA data
- Greater displacement of uncemented TKA compared to cemented
 - Up to 2 years
 - Mean 0.5mm max total point motion
- Cementless risk of future loosening one-half that of cemented TKA
 - Based on RSA inferred classification

Improved Biomaterials



- Hydroxyapatite / Periapitite
 - Porous Tantalum
 - Highly porous Titanium
- Highly Cross-Linked Polyethylene

Cementless vs Cementless TKA

Bercovy M et al. JBJS-Br 2012



- 157 cementless versus 146 cemented TKA
 - Rotating Platform Bearing, HA-coated
- Mean follow-up 7.6 years (range, 5-11)
- After 3-months, no radiolucent lines in cementless group
 - $p < 0.01$
- Identical survivorship of 99% both groups
- Less operative time cementless TKA
 - $p < 0.006$

Posterior-Stabilized Cementless TKA

Harwin et al, J Arthroplasty 2013



- Peri-apetite Coated
- Adjuvant Tibial Screw Fixation
- PS-Design
- 114 TKRs, Mean age 62 years
- Mean 36-month follow-up
- No failures or aseptic loosening



Cementless Fixation in Tantalum TKA

Dunbar et al, JBJS-Am 2009



- 70 pts randomized
 - Uncemented tantalum tibia
 - Cemented Tibia
- RSA data at 6, 12 and 24 months
- 9 of 28 TM patients migrated extensively at 1 year, but stabilized and 0% at risk for failure
- 4/21 cemented tibias “at risk”
- 5-yr follow up: no further TM migration
 - Acta Orthop 2012



Posterior-Stabilized Cementless TKA

Kamath et al, J Arthroplasty 2011



- 100 cementless TKRs **under age 55**
- PS monoblock porous tantalum tibia
- Cementless CoCr femoral component
- Compared to 312 cemented controls
- No failures due to loss of fixation at minimum 5 years in cementless group



Mid-Term Registry Results

Cementless Porous Tantalum Tibia*



- Finnish Arthroplasty Registry
- 2003-2010
- 1143 Tantalum TKAs
- 100% tibial survivorship for loosening at 7 years

* Niemelainen, et al. J Arthroplasty, 2012

Summary: Cementless TKA



- There is sufficient evidence to support cementless fixation
- Cementless TKA is increasing
- Cementless fixation is more biologic
- Caution!!
 - Further study / development
 - Patient selection likely critical
- Will eventually be **“Gold-Standard”**

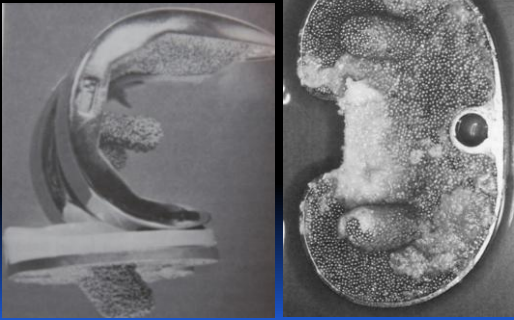
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Osteointegration
in TKA
Design
Porous Technology
Instruments
Technique

Early reports were
NOT favorable due to
inadequate design and
engineering

Inadequate
Fixation



Metal-Backed Patellar Component



Gamma-Irradiated Poly



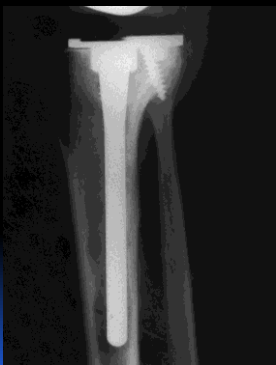
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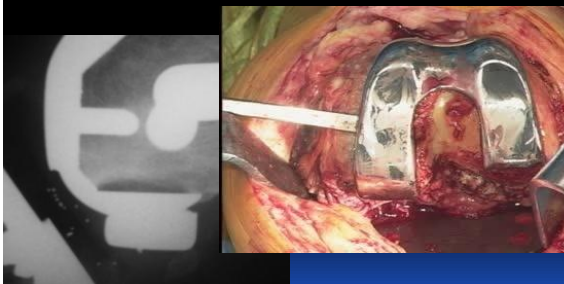
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Porous Coating Configuration



Effect of Porous Coating on Strength



But reliable technology has been available since since 1980.

Whiteside and Summers Orthopaedic Transactions 1982

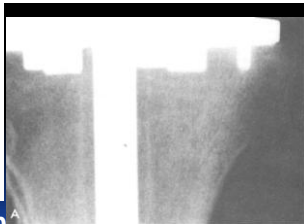
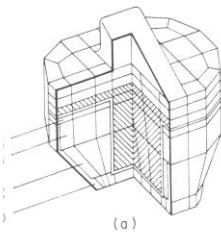


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Cementless Total Knee Replacement *Nine- to 11-Year Results and 10-Year Survivorship Analysis*

Leo A. Whiteside, MD

Medium-Term Followup Ortholoc TKA.....CORR 1994

256 Knees
Mean Age
77 (18-93)
95% OA
5% Inflamm



MEDIUM-TERM ORTHOLOC TKA Complications

- 1 Loosening**
- 1 Acute Infection**
- 4 Late-Onset Infection**
- 3 Unexplained Pain**
- 2 Fatpad Impingement**
- 5 Osteolysis and Wear**
- 1 Patellar Tendon Avulsion**

Long-Term Followup Ortholoc TKA CORR 2001

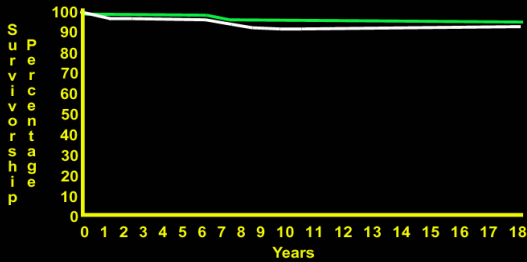
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Long-Term Followup of the Bone- Ingrowth Ortholoc Knee System Without a Metal-Backed Patella

Leo A. Whiteside, MD

Clinical and Radiographic Loosening Survivorship >99%



Bone Ingrowth Ortholoc TKA

Pain Results

Pre-op 10.8
2 yr 48.3
5 yr 45.4
10 yr 46.3
20 yr 47.3

Osteointegration: How to do it right

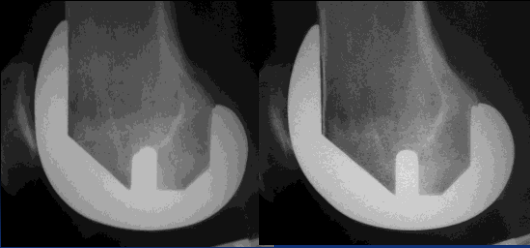
Instruments and Implant Design

Porous Coating Femoral Component



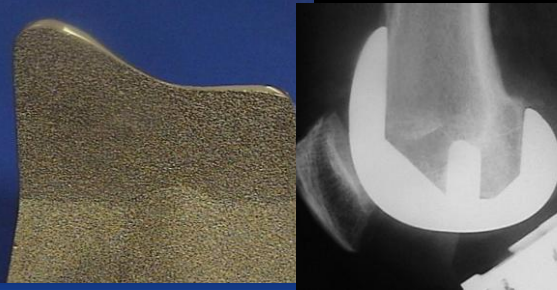
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Porous Coating
Femoral Component



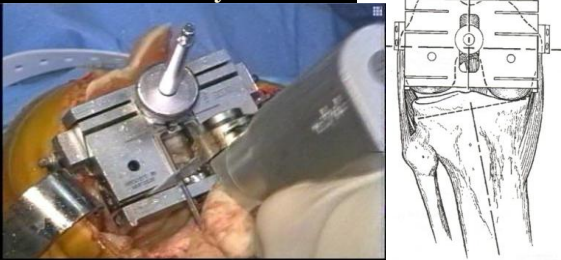
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Second Generation



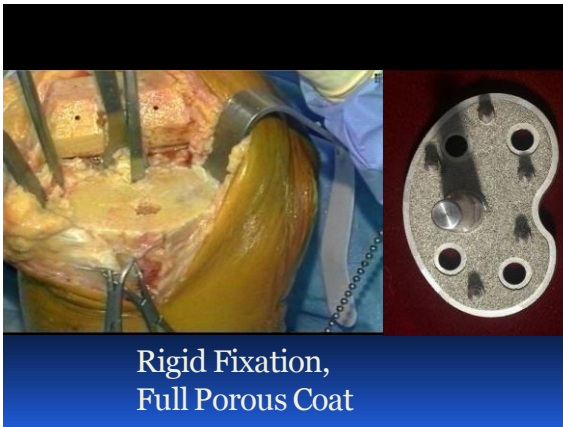
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Surface Preparation
Accuracy
Viability

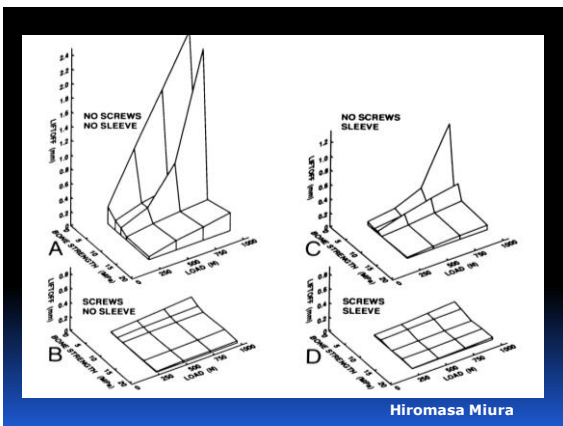


Re-cut if needed
Careful Irrigation





Rigid Fixation,
Full Porous Coat







**Bone Ingrowth Profix TKA
Survivorship 1,567 Knees**

2 yr: (1567) 100%
5 yr: (954) 99.7%
10 yr: (443) 99.3%
12 yr: (257) 98.8%

None Revised for Loosening

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Young and Heavy Patients with a Cementless TKA Do As Well As Older and Lightweight Patients

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10 years: No Loosening

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**Challenging Cases:
CORR 2002**

Cementless Total Knee Arthroplasty in Patients 50 Years or Younger

*Aaron A. Hofmann, MD; Scott M. Heithoff, DO;
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Current Literature

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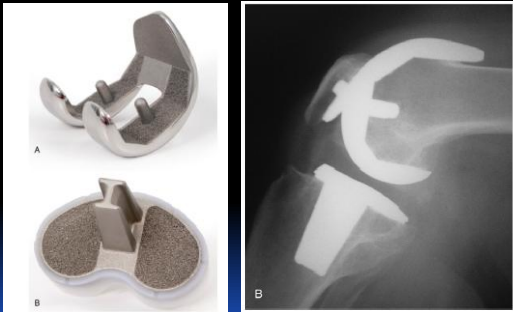
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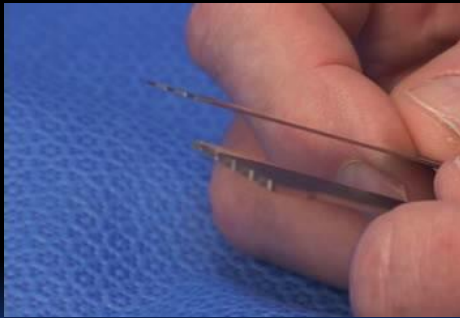
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Current Literature



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Viable Bone Surfaces



Accurate Bone Cuts
Viable Bone Surfaces

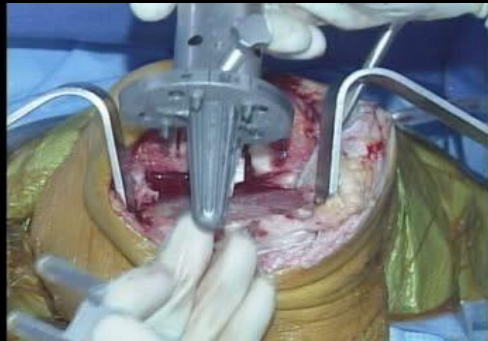
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Re-cut tibia if necessary



Rigid Fixation



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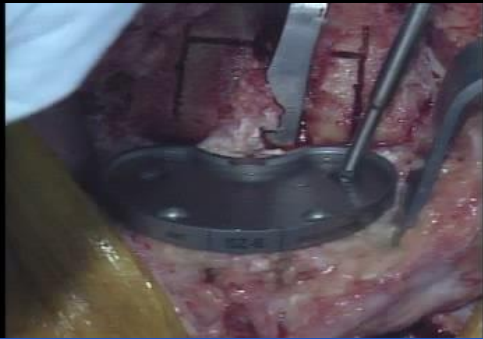
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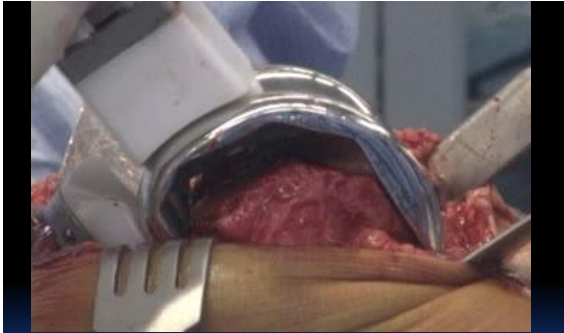


Rigid Fixation



Secure
Locking and
Sealing





Rigid Fixation:
Strong Implant







Advanced Porous Surface
Strong Implant
Fail-safe Surface Fixation



Fixation and Strength

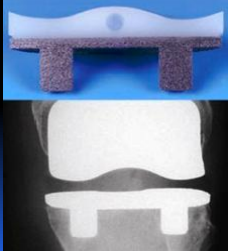
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Current Practice

Midterm Results of a Porous Tantalum Monoblock Tibia Component

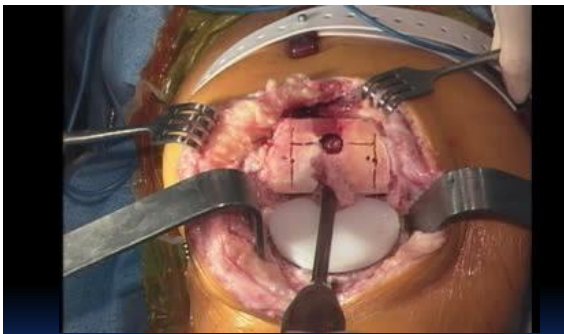
Clinical and Radiographic Results of 108 Knees

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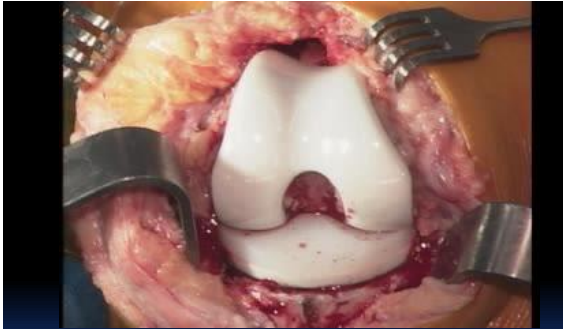




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Porous-Coated Ceramics



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Osteointegration
in TKA
Design
Porous Technology
Instruments
Technique

New Developments
are all in
Osteointegration

Current Literature:
Pertinent Studies

- 122 Studies
- 10 Negative
- 101 Neutral
- 11 Positive

Current Literature:
Comparative Studies

- 46 studies
- 5 negative
- 31 neutral
- 10 positive

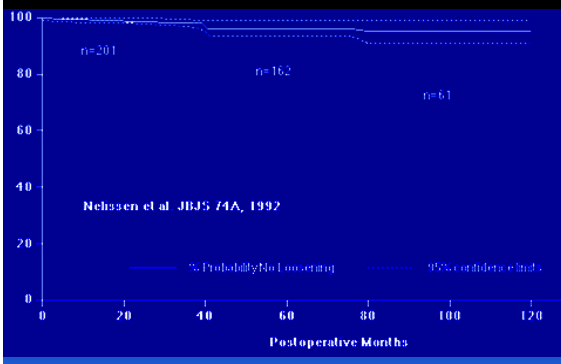
Controlled Studies

- 5 studies
- 2 negative
- 3 positive

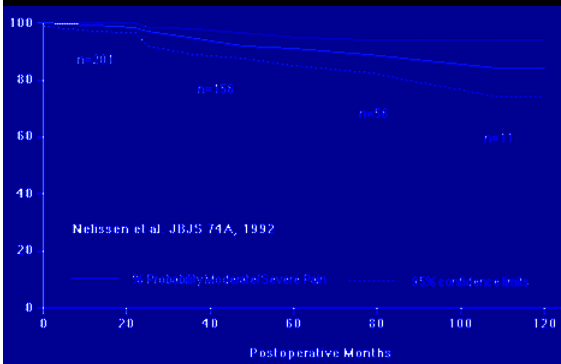
Hybrid

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- 11 Positive

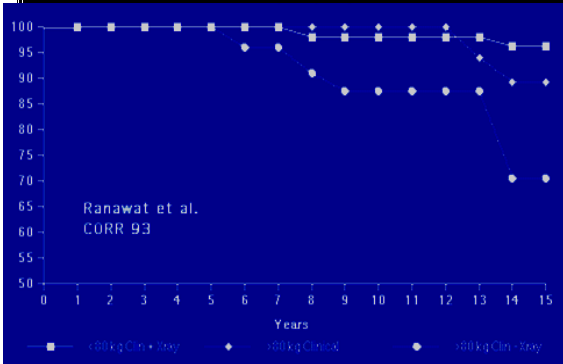
Cemented TKA: Loosening



Cemented TKA: Pain



Cemented TKA: Body Wt



Cemented TKA: CORR 2000

**Total Knee Arthroplasty in Patients
40 Years of Age and Younger
With Osteoarthritis**

Jess H. Lonner, MD; Stuart Hershman, BA*;
Michael Mont, MD**; and Paul A. Lotke, MD**

12.5% Loosening at 8 yrs

Missouri Bone & Joint

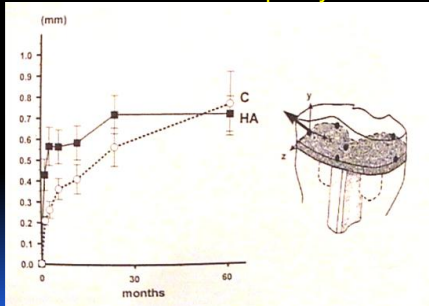
Cemented TKA

McKaskie et al JBJS '99

**Randomized Study PFC
Cemented vs Non-Cemented**

**Significantly Higher RLL's
with Cement**

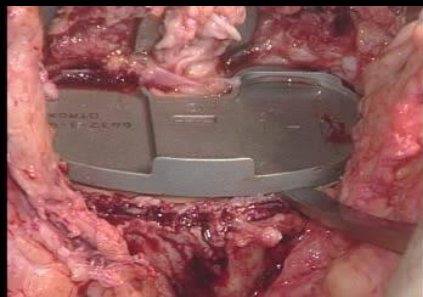
Bone Ingrowth vs Cemented TKA Nielsen J. Arthroplasty '96



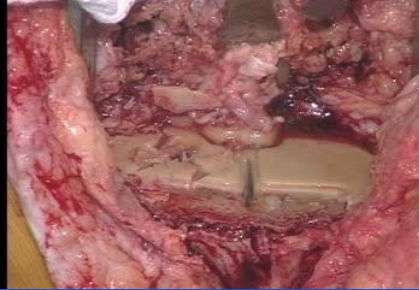
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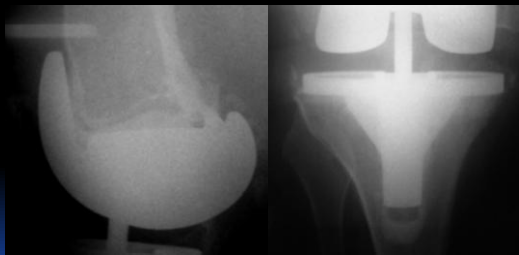
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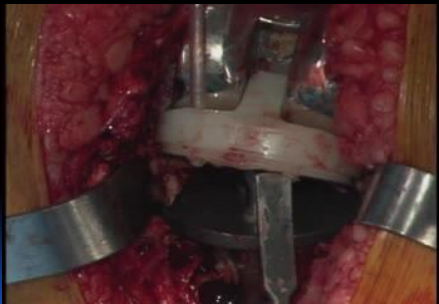
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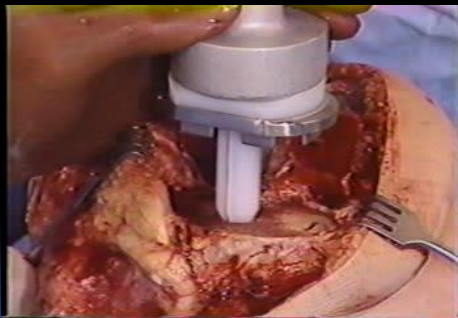


Long-Term Followup Ortholoc TKA.... CORR July 2001

256 Knees
Mean Age
77 (18-93)
95% OA
5% Inflamm
16-18 Yr
Followup

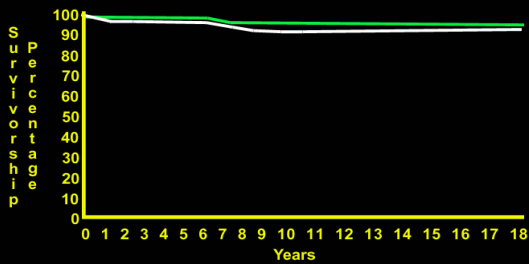


Ortholoc Knee: 1980



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Clinical and Radiographic Loosening Survivorship >99%



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Bone Ingrowth Ortholoc TKA

Pain Results

Pre-op	10.8
2 yr	48.3
5 yr	45.4
10 yr	46.3
20 yr	47.3

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Accurate Surface Preparation



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Final Components



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Bone Ingrowth Profix TKA Survivorship 1,556 Knees

2 yr: (1556) 99.8%
5 yr: (954) 99.7%
10 yr: (443) 99.3%
12 yr: (257) 98.8%

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Bone Ingrowth TKA: CORR 2002

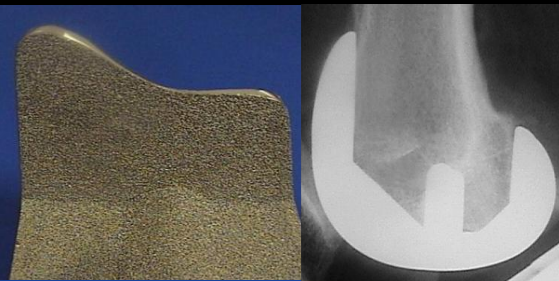
Cementless Total Knee Arthroplasty in Patients 50 Years or Younger

*Aaron A. Hofmann, MD; Scott M. Heithoff, DO;
and Marcelo Camargo, MD*

0 Loosening at 10 yrs

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Stable Interface



Stable Interface



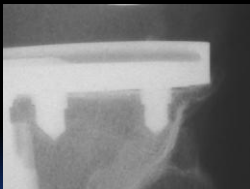
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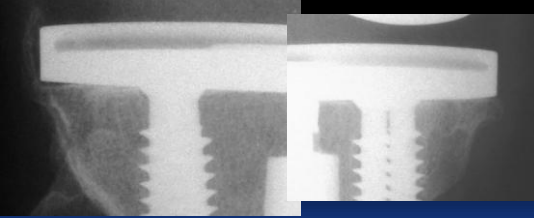


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Stable Interface



Stable Interface



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Durable Osteointegrated Bond



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New Developments:
All are in Osteointegration

- Hydroxy-Apatite on Porous
- Porous Surface on Ceramic Components
- Porous Metals

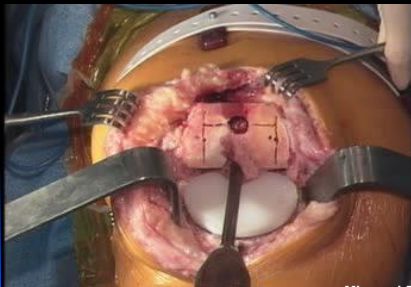
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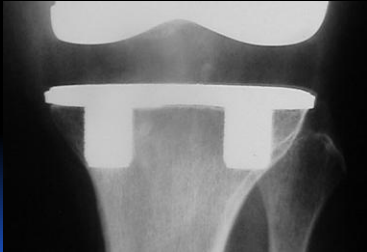
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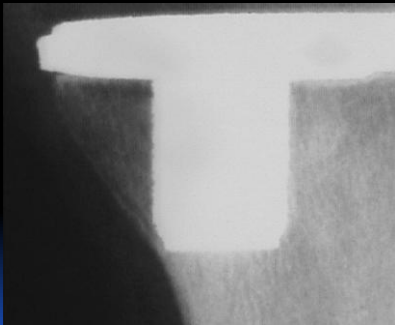
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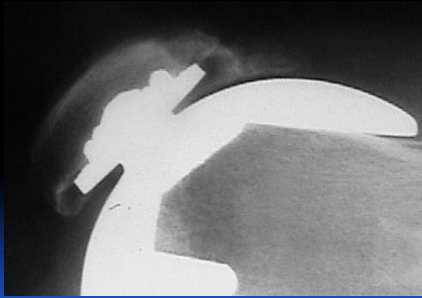
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Metal-Backed Patellar Component



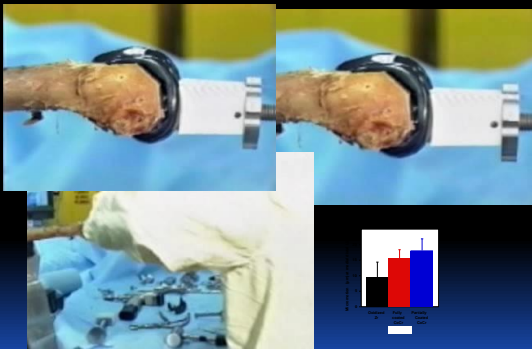
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Macro-Textured Surface



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17 out of 18 Loosened

Current Implants and Surgical Technique

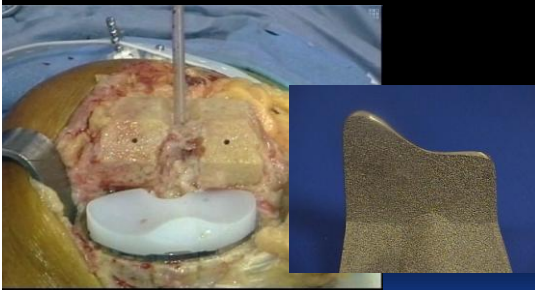
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Peripheral Capture



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Press-Fit Femoral



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Results Bone Ingrowth TKA >90 Kg: <55 y/o

- 167 Knees (125 pts)
- 90% OA, 68% Male
- 7-10 yr Followup
- No Revisions for Loosening

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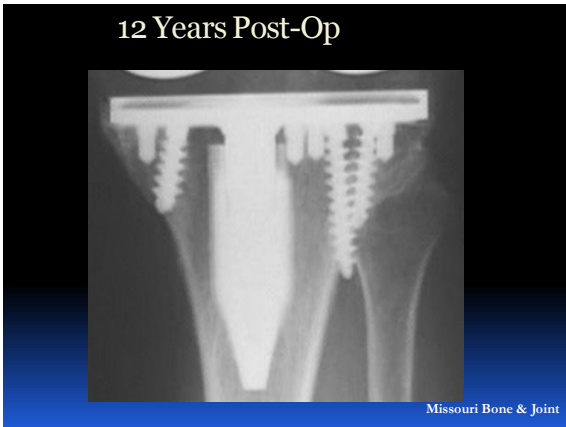


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Young and Heavy Patients with a Cementless TKA Do As Well As Older and Lightweight Patients

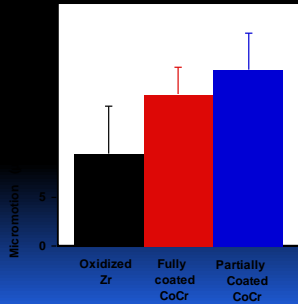
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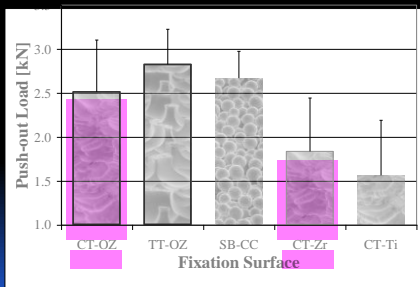


The Study

- Model:
 - Skeletally mature sheep
 - 6-week implantation in distal femur
 - 5 implant sample groups
 - 12 implants per sample group

Mechanical Testing Results

- Oxidized vs. Non-oxidized Textured Zr-2.5Nb (p = 0.04)

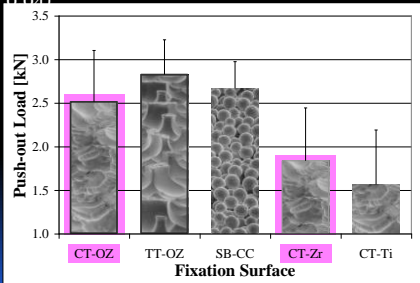


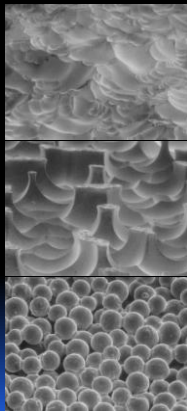
Reason?

- Oxide structurally reinforce the texture asperities
 - more resistant to shear
- Hardened textured surface abrades bone rather than becoming abraded with press-fit insertion
 - self-grafting effect

Mechanical Testing Results

- Oxidized vs. Non-oxidized Textured Zr-2.5Nb ($p = 0.04$)

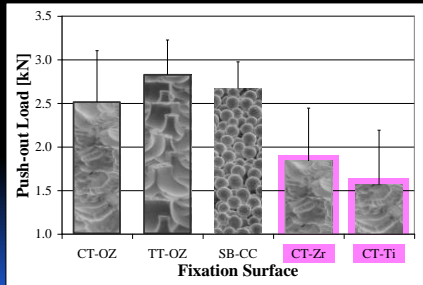




- ChemTex
 - CT-Ti, CT-Zr, CT-OZ
- TecoTex
 - TT-OZ
- Porous Sintered Beads
 - SB-CC

Mechanical Testing Results

- Textured Ti-6Al-4V vs. Textured Zr-2.5Nb (p = 0.39)



Conclusions

- Chemically textured surfaces do not inhibit bone growth
- Chemically textured and oxidized Zr-2.5Nb is equivalent to or better than other clinically available biological fixation surfaces

POROUS COATING CONFIGURATION



POLY REVISION IN TKA

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Polyethylene Insert Micromotion and Backside Wear

Harman, Banks, Campbell, Hodge
AAOS 2003

Minimal or no Backside Wear

Minimal Upside Wear

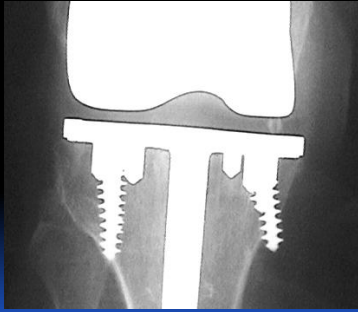
Tighter as Time Passed

No Complications Related to Modular Poly

Revision for Wear

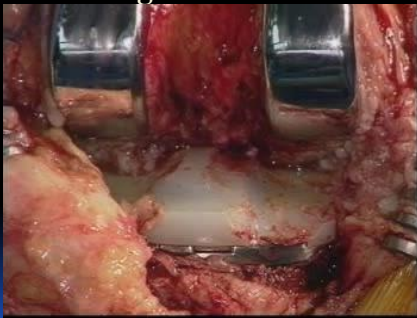
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Revision for Wear



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Worn Poly, Minimal Osteolysis, Good Locking Mechanism



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Minimal Backside Wear



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Minimal Osteolysis



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Best Solution: Revision Poly

Tension Ligaments



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Final Poly



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Correctly Designed and Carefully
Manufactured
No Known Problems with Modularity



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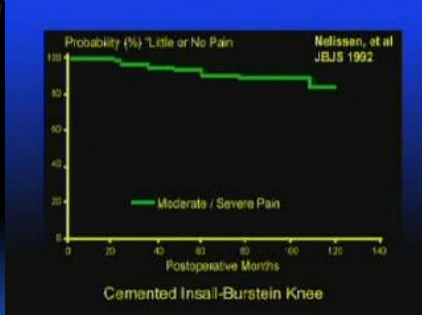


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New Osteointegration Technology

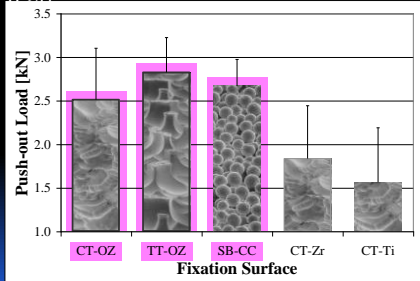
**Biological
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CEMENTLESS TKA

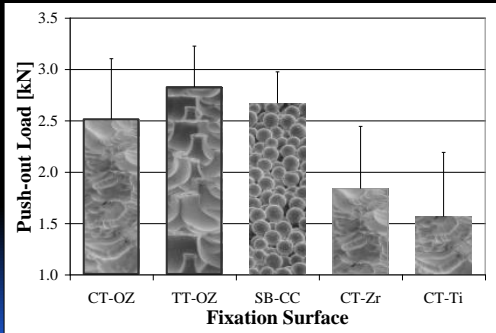


Mechanical Testing Results

- Co-Cr Beads vs. Textured & Oxidized Zr-2.5Nb ($p > 0.24$)

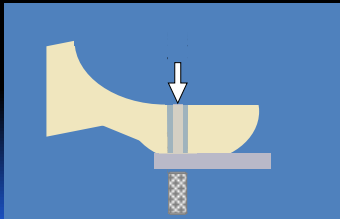


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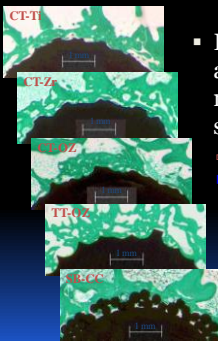


Pin Push-out Testing

- Bone sectioned away from each end of pin
- Steel plunger and restricter plate used to axially push the pin out of the bone



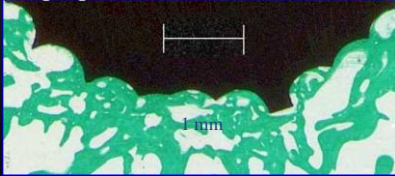
Histological Assessment



- Bone formed in direct apposition to the deepest recesses of each test surface
 - mechanical interdigitation
 - Bone labels indicated that bone formation had:
 - started within 2 weeks
 - continued out to 5 weeks

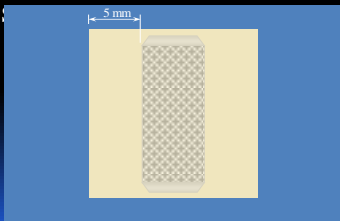
Histological Analysis

- Sections were ground and stained with light green



Histological Analysis

- Bone sectioned at least 5 mm from test surfaces
- Cleared



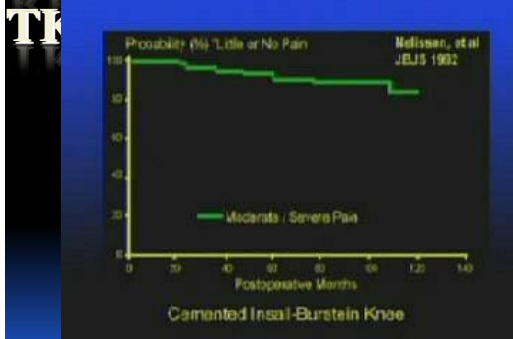
Bone Labels

- Bone labeling solutions given to 4 sheep in each group
 - calcein injection @ 2 weeks
 - oxytetracycline injection @ 5 weeks
- Sheep euthanized and femora harvested @ 6 weeks

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I.M. Alignment

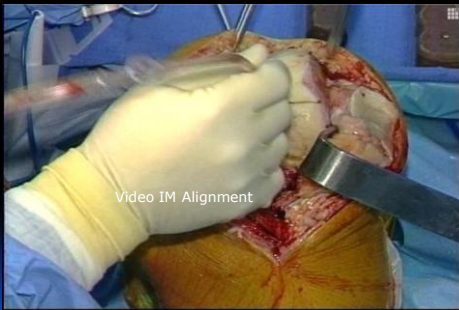


Trial Implants



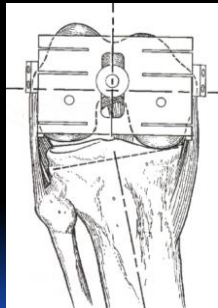
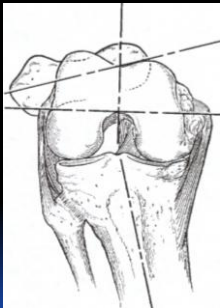
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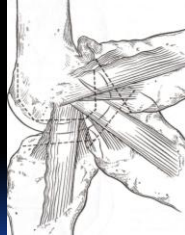
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A-P Axis



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Measured Resection



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Tibial IM Alignment



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Femoral Resection

- Diverging
- Irrigation

Tibial Resection

- Rough Cut
- Irrigation

Tibial Resection

- Finish Cut
- Irrigation

Trial Components

Tibial Component

- Porous Undersurface
- Grit Blasted Stem
- Screws

Femoral Component

- Porous Undersurface
- Femoral Pegs

Accurate Reference Landmarks

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Osteointegration in TKA

- Hydroxyapatite on Porous
- New Porous Metals
- Porous Coating on Ceramic Implants
- Bone Growth Factors

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