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Functional outcome analyses of navigated minimally invasive total hip endoprosthesis using musculoskeletal modeling

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Outline

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Prospective Study	Retrospective Study						
Clinical gait analysis combined with musculoskeletal modeling in clinical practise	Evaluation of medical imaging using musculoskeletal modeling						
Researching into the biomechanical and clinical outcome for patients after computer-assisted minimally invasive THA using clinical outcome scores combined with gait analysis and musculoskeletal modeling	Focus on the influence of image accuracy (Ct vs. XRay) on the hip biomechanics in order to validate if X-Ray images can be used for proper operational planning or not						
Materials and Methods Results	Materials and Methods Results						
Discussion	Discussion						

Materials prospective study





N = 16 (11 female, 5 male)Mean Age= 62.9 years +/- 8.9 yearsMean BMI= 27.56 +/- 2.6Mean post-op= 21.4 +/- 8.7

Methods prospective study

- Range of motion (ROM)
 Flexion
 - Abduction
 - External rotation



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Methods prospective study

Hip scores

- Validated and used in clinical practice:
- Merlde d'Aubigne hip score¹
- Harris hip score²
- Western Ontario and McMaster Osteoarthritis Index (WOMAC)³
- Hip Disability and Osteoarthritis Outcome Score (HOOS)³

d'Aubigne, M., Postel, M., 1954. Functional results of arthroplasty with acrylic prothesis. J Bone Jt Surg 36-A, 451-4755
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Gait analysis

Gait analysis according to Perry et al.
 – Outcome: marker trajectories, ground reaction forces(GRF), EMG-measurements



Perry, J., 6 1992. Gait Analysis: Normal and Pathological Function. Slack Inc.

Musculoskeletal modeling

- Musculoskeletal modeling using the AnyBody modeling system (AMS)
- AMMRV1.2 GaitLowerExtremity
 - Input: marker trajectories, GRF
 - Outcome: hip reaction forces, hip variation angles, muscle activity



Determination of symmetry

- Up to now geometric parameters have been observed¹
- Symmetric gait pattern assumed as golden standard
- Calculated due to $R_i = \frac{X_{treated}}{X_{not-treated}}$
- Can describe forces and angles

Results (ROM)







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Discussion (ROM)

- Flexion:
 - Increases on both sides (operated, notoperated)
- Abduction
 - Increases on both sides
- Rotation
 - Decreases on operated side
- Strong scattering (Age, BMI)
- Too little participants
- Feasibility study!!

Results (hip scores)



Subscores of biomechanical interest:

- Stiffness
- Function and daily living

Results (modeling)

- Hip reaction forces (HRF)
 - Minimum: 0.9 * BodyWeight (BW)
 - medio-lateral / subject 6 / not operated side
 - Maximum: 6 * BW
 - poximo-distal / subject 12 / operated leg
- Hip variation angles (HVA)
 - Minimum: 2°
 - Flexion axes / subject 11 / operated leg
 - Maximum: 50°
 - Rotation axes / subject 12 / operated leg

Results (modeling)





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Results (ratios)

- Ratio R_{HipReactionForces}
 - Minimum: 0.4 (medio-lateral)
 - Maximum: 2.1 (proximo-distal)
 - Widest range: 1.1 2.1 (subject 9)
 - Smallest range: 0.4 0.5 (subject 16)
- Ratio R_{HipVariationAngles}
 - Minimum: 0.25 (abduction)
 - Maximum: 1.75 (abduction)
 - Widest range: 0.5 1.75 (subject 8)
 - Smallest range: 0.5 0.9 (subject 4)

Results (ratios and scores)

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Discussion (ratios and scores)

- Stiffness vs. Ratio_{HipReactionForces}
 High subscore → R_{HRF} > 1
- Function and daily living vs. Ratio_{HipVariationAngles}
 – High of subscore → R_{HVA} < 1



Subjective flexibility increases while the objective measurements stand opposed to that

Results (subject 4)





t in sec

Not operated Leg

- 5 months post-op
- 55 years old
- BMI 23.15
- Lowest WOMAC and HOOS Score



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Vaughan, C. L., 2 1992. Dynamics of Human Gait. Human Kinetics.

Disscussion (subject 4)

- Lowest hip scores (< 60%)
- Maximum proximo-distal HRF: 5 * BW (not operated side)
- R_{ProxDist} = 0.61
- Why? → subject 4 is in pain (subscores)
- → biomechanical reasons!!

Remarkable loss of confidence in the operated leg \rightarrow subscores: quality of life, personal statisfaction

Takes an overcharge of the not-operated leg into account to aid the recovery of the operated leg

Results (subject 15) BodyWeight = 80kg **Operated Leg** Not operated Leg Ground Reaction Forces in %BW Ground Reaction Forces in %BW 15 BodyWeight = 80kg 0.5 b) 0 4.5 5 5.5

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t in sec

Hip Reaction Forces in %BW

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11 months post-op

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- 68 years old
- BMI 30.5
- Low hip scores

Discussion (subject 15)

- Similar hip score results as subject 4
- Maximum HRF:
 - proximo-distal force: 2 * BW
- Subscores show: patient is in pain!
- Objective analysis show: not due to biomechanical reasons



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% Gait Cycle

% Gait Cycle

Widest Range of R_{HRF}

Discussion (subject 9)

- Maximum HRF: 5.66 * BW
- Widest range of R_{HipReactionForces}
 - Biggest difference between operated and not-operated side
- Indicator for disturbed gait pattern (Perry et al.):
 - Reduced flexion in the operated leg
 - Loss of muscle control
 - Increased abduction would indicate muscle weakness
- Indicator for natural gait pattern
 - comparison of muscle activity

Patient is able to provide full muscle force but is not able to control it \rightarrow Overcharge of the hip joint \rightarrow lower durability of the implant

Conclusion

A certain pattern can be found when combining subjective outome scores with objective measurements!

 Qualitative analysis of objective measurements combined with subjective questionaiers gives deep insight into functional outcome of THR and leads to a better understanding

 Quantitative analysis challenging due to high scattering of patient collective and little number of participants (feasibility study)

II) Retrospective Study

Evaluation of medical imaging using musculoskeletal modeling

Focus on the influence of image accuracy (Ct vs. XRay) on the hip biomechanics in order to validate if X-Ray images can be used for proper operational planning or not

- Imaging
 Analog X-Ray imaging, digitized and optimized in terms of sharpness and color depth
- Transversal Ct-scans segmented to retrieve 3D-Models according to Yushkevich et al.¹ using itksnap 2.0



Yushkevich, P. A., Piven, J., Hazlett, H. C., Smith, R. G., Ho, S., Gee, J. C., Gerig, G., Jul 2006. User-guided 3d active contour segmentation of anatomical structures: signicantly improved eciency and reliability. Neuroimage 31 (3), 1116-1128.

Parameters of interest

- Pelvis width (distance between hip joints)
- CCD-angle operated / not-operated side
- Local offset operated / not-operated side



Modeling

• Knee bend (t = 10sec)

t in sec

0.4

0.35

0.3

₹0.25

0.2

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0.05

- Input: measured parameters of interest
- Outcome: hip reaction forces, muscle activity

Results (Hip reaction forces)







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Conclusion

- Inaccuracy of geometric measures for operational planning highly influences the biomechanics of the hip (up to 0.9 * BW)
- Operational planning using radiographs is challenging (Blumentritt et al.^{1,2})

!! BUT !!

- Little patient collective (feasibility study!!)
 Only one examiner
- Accuracy can be improved using digitized XRay - imaging

Blumentritt, S., 1988. [Biomechanical construction principles of the human hip joint in frontal plane]. Gegenbaurs Morphol Jahrb 134 (2), 221-240.

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Question and Answer

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