

Improving Flexion in TKA The influence of the Approach

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Basic TKA



Standard Approach

- Invasive surgery
- Longer recovery time



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Limit the surgical trauma

- Faster recovery
- Return to the ADL and physical activities

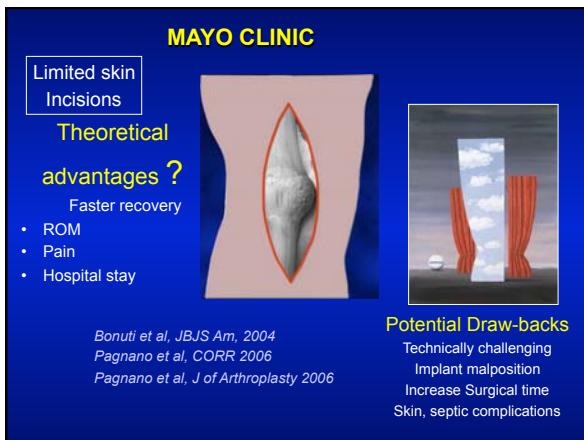
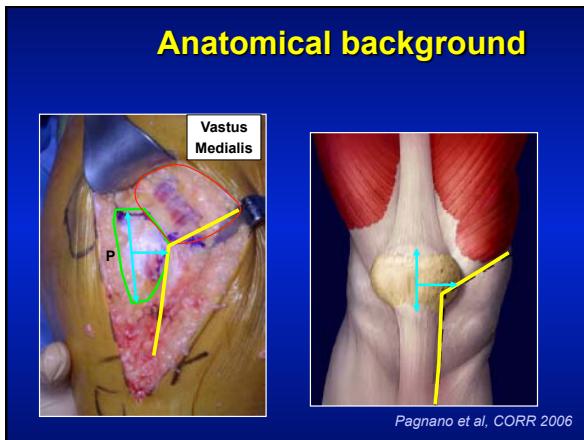
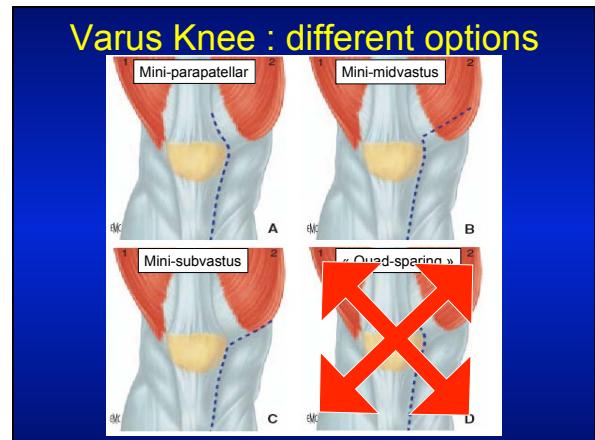
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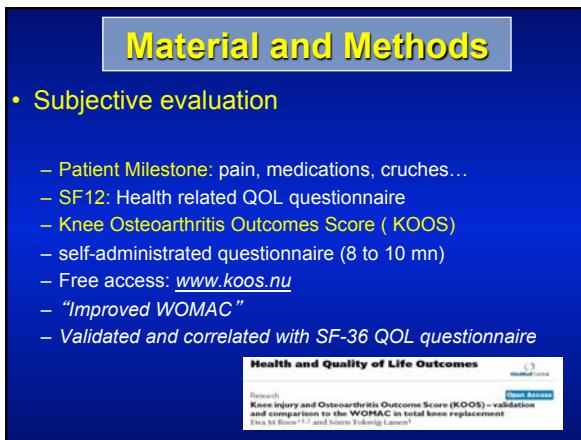
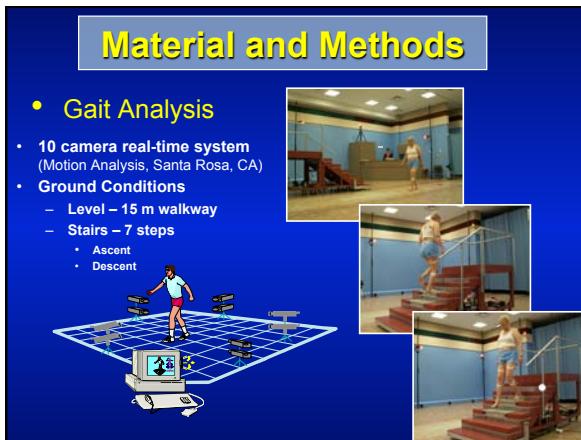
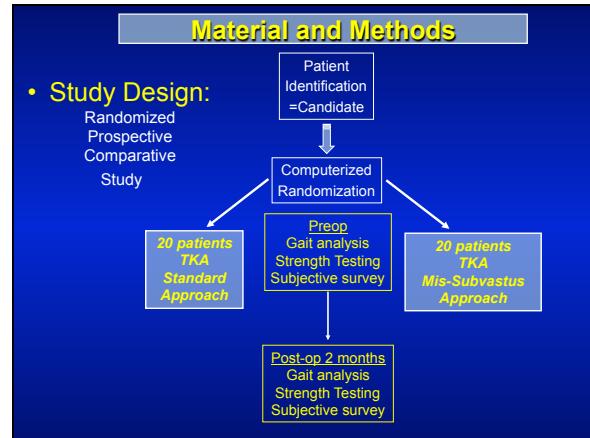


Early results

- Faster recovery of the flexion in the first three months
- Comparable at one year
- 2 cm more proximal in the quad: NO difference
- Positioning comparable







Results

Gait Pattern: NO difference

	31.58	±	5.72	35.68	±	5.61	<0.0001
Cadence (step/min)	0.99	±	0.14	1.09	±	0.13	<0.0001
Kinematics / Kinetics							
Level walking							
Knee varus angle (°)	8.02	±	3.52	3.88	±	4.21	0.005
Knee valgus angle (°)	1.58	±	3.06	5.66	±	3.10	<0.0001
Knee varus moment (Nm/kg)	0.41	±	0.18	0.32	±	0.08	0.005
Ankle plantarflexion moment (Nm/kg)	1.08	±	0.18	1.18	±	0.14	0.030
Knee power generation (W/kg)	0.25	±	0.14	0.52	±	0.18	<0.0001
Ankle power generation (W/kg)	1.45	±	0.55	1.69	±	0.51	0.014
Upstairs							
Knee flexion angle (°)	80.45	±	5.17	89.23	±	2.72	0.009
Downstairs							
Knee extension moment (Nm/kg)	0.20	±	0.06	0.31	±	0.02	0.007
Knee power absorption (W/kg)	1.37	±	0.44	1.55	±	0.46	0.038

Table 4

Results

Patient rated outcomes : NO difference

ADL (/100)	30	\pm	9	52	\pm	8	<0.0001	29	\pm	7	52	\pm	12	<0.0001
Sports (/100)	13	\pm	5	21	\pm	4	0.003	17	\pm	5	20	\pm	4	0.98
QOL (/100)	9	\pm	2	16	\pm	3	<0.0001	11	\pm	3	18	\pm	3	<0.0001
<u>SF-12</u>														
Physical subscale (/100)	30	\pm	8	41	\pm	8	0.002	32	\pm	6	44	\pm	7	<0.0001
Mental subscale (/100)	54	\pm	9	56	\pm	7	0.600	54	\pm	8	56	\pm	6	0.60
<u>UCLA activity scale</u>														
	4	\pm	1	7	\pm	1	<0.0001	4	\pm	1	6	\pm	1	<0.0001

Table 2

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Strength: NO difference

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Delay to Return to ADL=> NO difference

without walker/ cane							
To walk a 6-block distance	27.06	\pm	11.62	31.64	\pm	15.46	
To take care for normal daily activity	11.83	\pm	11.63	12.56	\pm	10.00	

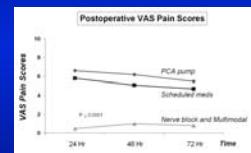
* which included: Oxycontin, Oxycodone, Percocet, Tylenol #2 or #3, or Demerol.

Discussion=> Real revolution

Not the approach of the knee but the approach of the patient

=>Peri-operative management

- Patient conditionning
- Pain management
 - multi-modal
 - Preemptive
- Faster rehabilitation programm



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TKA today: High level



- Patients are different
- Patients expectations are different

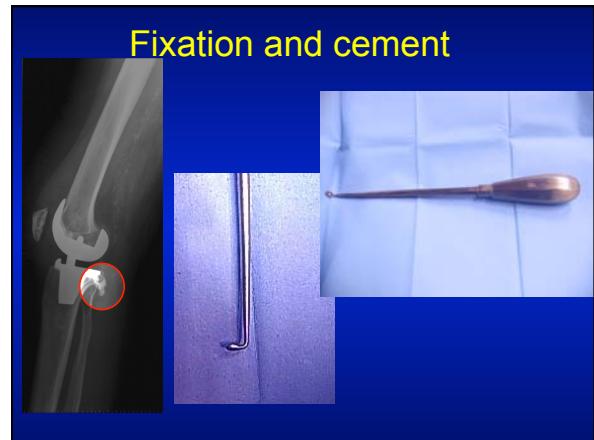
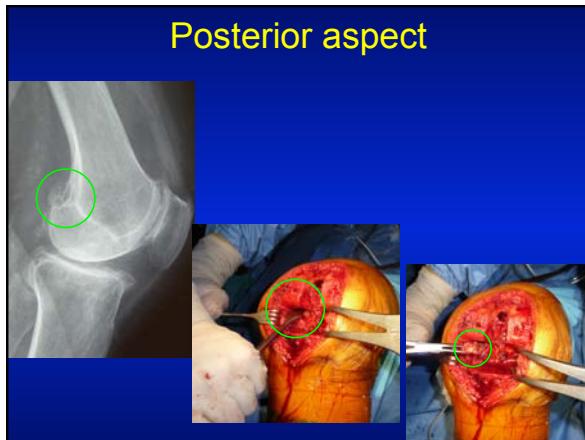
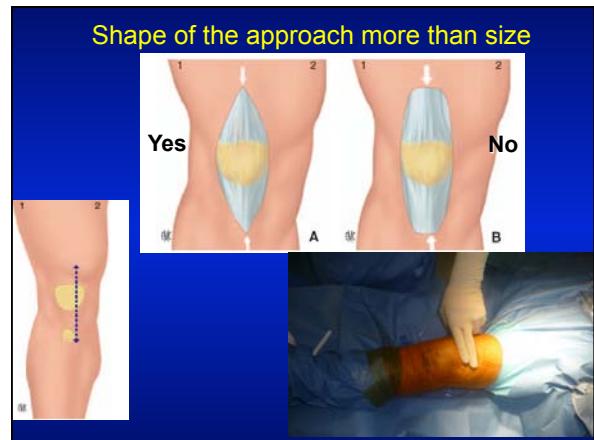
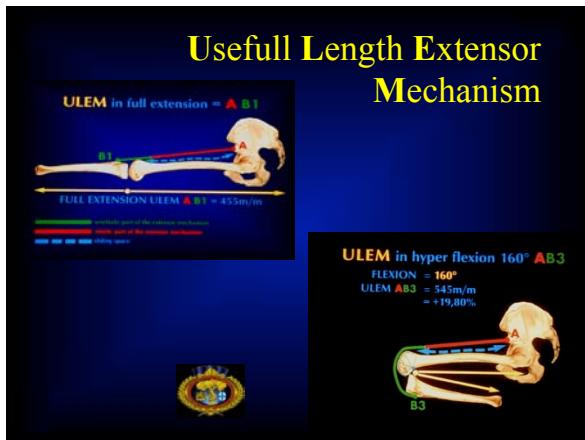
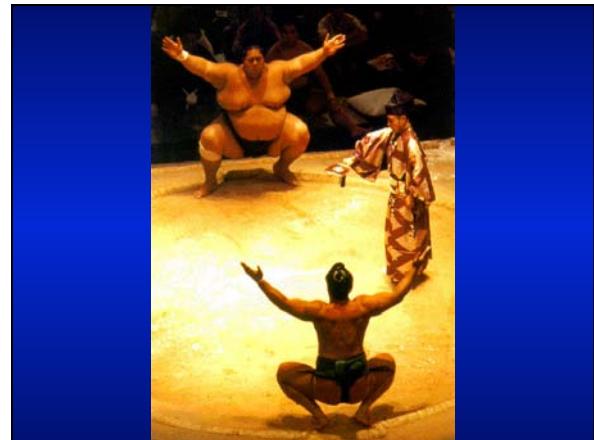
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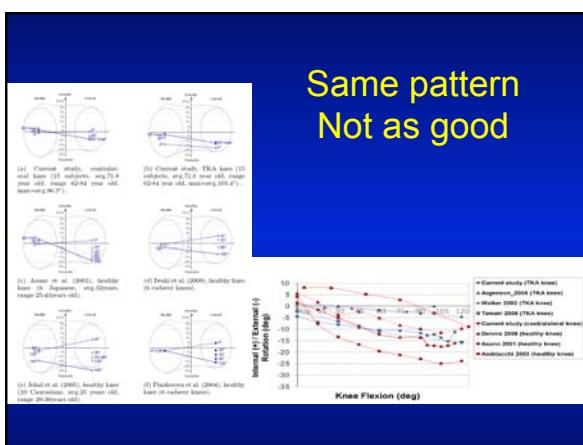
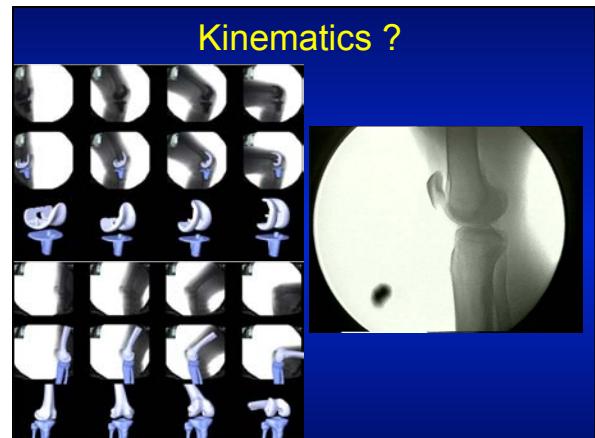
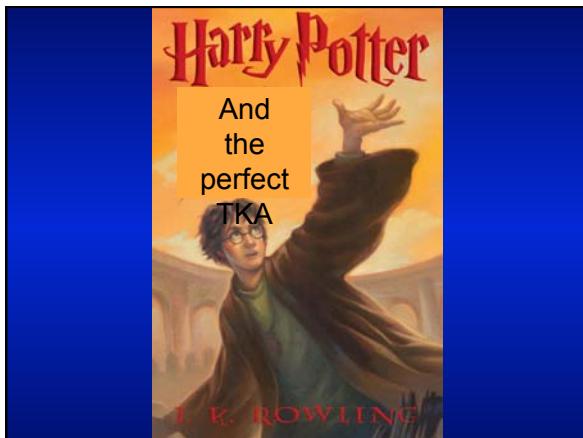
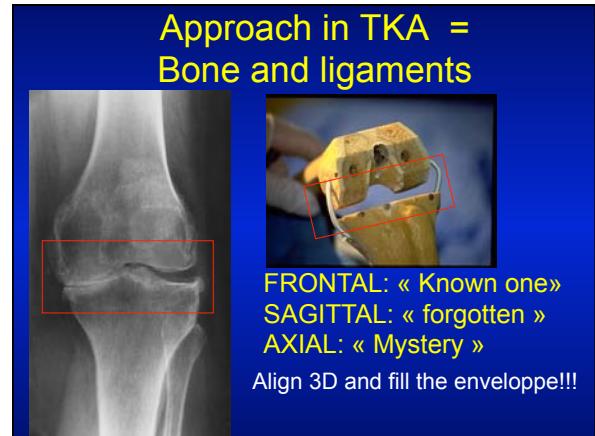
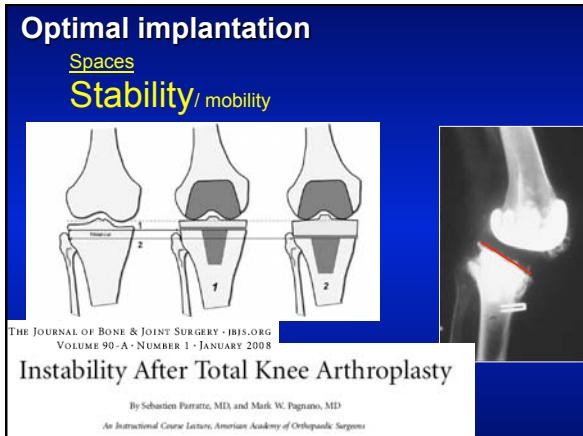


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Japanese table







Conclusion

- Not only the approach of the knee but the approach of the patient
- Knee prosthesis basic principals: spaces
- Is it possible to really obtain good kinematics without preserving the four bar mechanism?
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