

Arthroscopic description of articular lesions in hip dysplasia prior to periacetabular osteotomy

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Introduction

- Hip dysplasia
 - Instability → load distribution → early joint damage



Management of intra-articular pathology?

Introduction

- intra-articular lesions:
 - Labral
 - Chondral
 - Proximal femoral deformity (cam)



Arthroscopy:

- Description of lesions
- Improve clinical results
- Reduce osteoarthritis risk



Objective

- Determine and Characterize:

Intra-articular lesions in arthroscopy of dysplastic patients prior
to PAO

Materiales y Métodos

- Prospective, Multicentric, Same surgeon
- 2016-2022
- Inclusion: **Scope Pre PAO**
 - LCEA $< 25^\circ$ &/or Tönnis $> 10^\circ$
 - Preop MRI
- Exclusion:
 - triradiate cartilage
 - previous hip surgery
 - OA Tönnis > 1



Results

- 88 hips (71 patients)
- 64% female
- 27 (15-49) years

**100% Intra-articular
lesions**



- Hypertrophic labrum 86%



- Chondrolabral lesion 67%

- 48% Konan 1A

- 7% Konan 1B

- 8% Konan 2

- 0% Konan 3A

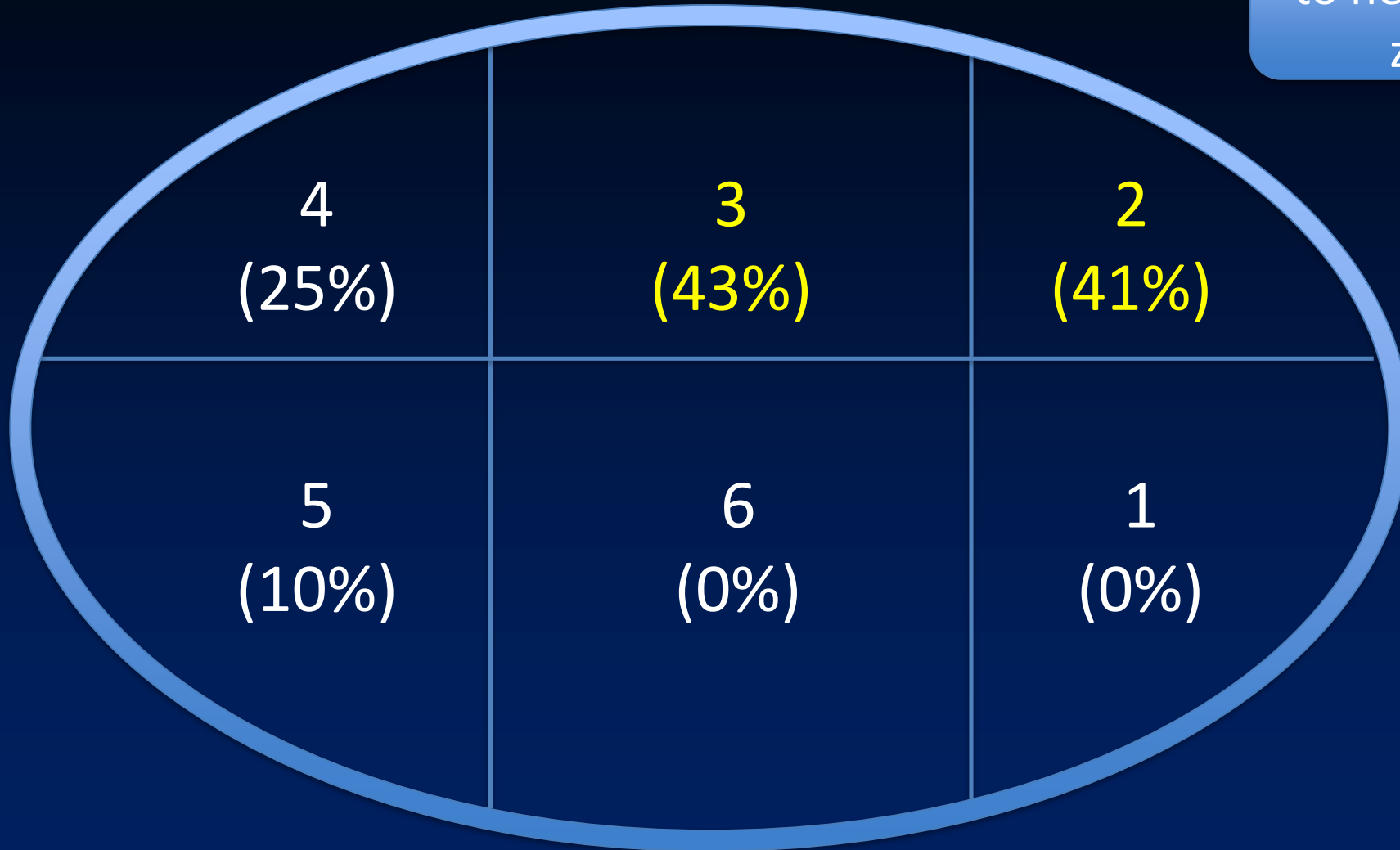
- 4% 3B

- 1% 4A

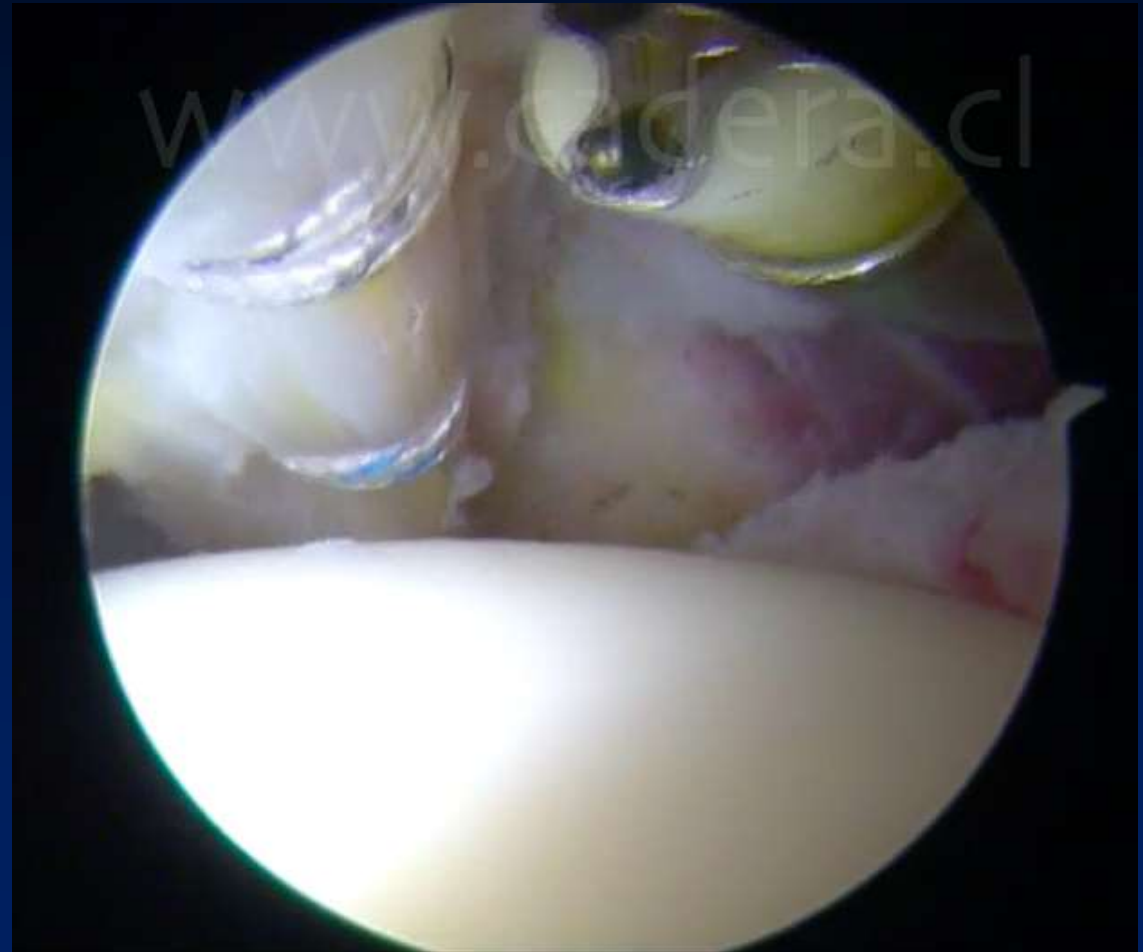


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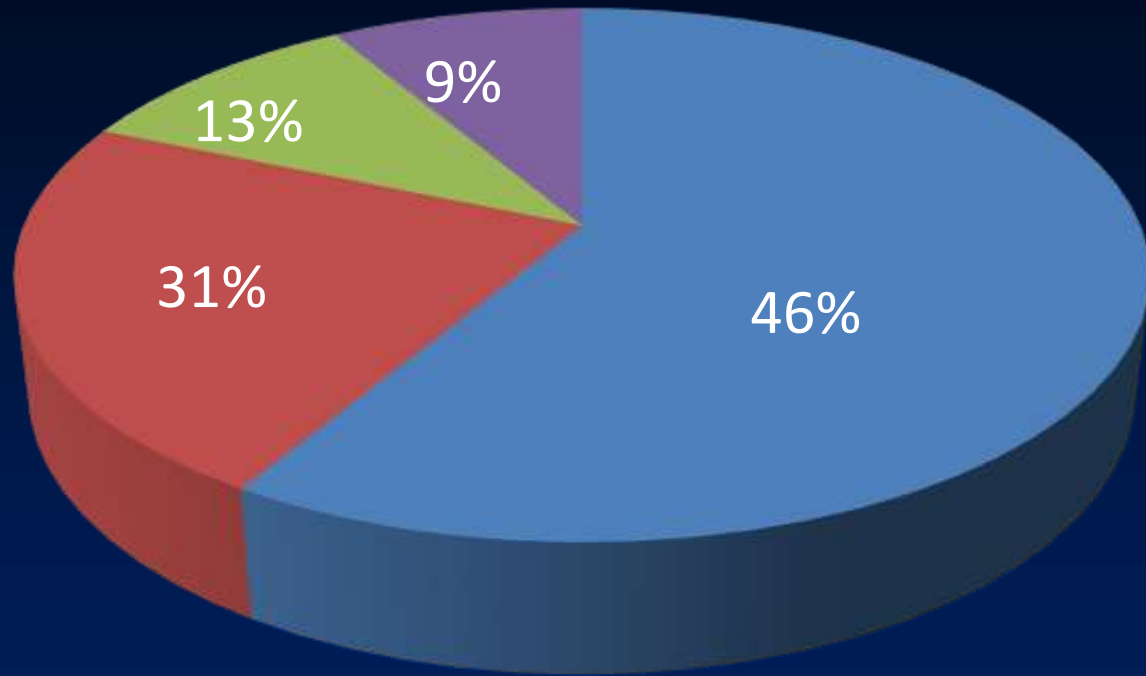
40% extension
to neighboring
zones



- ICRS 0 femoral head 90%



- Labral detachment 100%



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|-----------------------|------------------------|
| ■ Chondral detachment | ■ Chondral tear |
| ■ Chondral defect | ■ Subchondral exposure |

Procedures performed

- Labral reinsertion 97%
- Femoroplasty 57%
- Retrograde drilling 12%
- Microfractures 7%



Discussion



- Giordano et al. Arthroscopy 2018
 - 9 studies description → > Chondrolabral lesion
 - 4 studies scope post painful PAO → clinical improvement
 - 3 studies PAO post scope → arthroscopy may be insufficient
 - 5 estudios Scope + PAO → repairable intra-articular lesion

Arthroscopy: gives information and we can repair intra-articular lesions

Discussion

- Maldonado et al. 2019 Arthroscopy: 16 hips Scope → PAO
 - 93% labral lesions → 56% chondrolabral, 18% intrasubstance
 - 100% acetabular chondral lesion → 31% softening, 50% delamination, 18% subcondral exp.
 - 87.5% without femoral head injury
 - 62.5% femoroplasty
- Edelstein et al. 2021 CORR: 70 hips Scope + PAO
 - 84% labral lesion → 60% disinsertion, 23% degenerative, 1% full thickness
 - 83% acetabular chondral lesion → 31% delamination, 17% cleavage, 13% subcondral exp.
 - 89% without femoral head injury
 - 88% femoroplasty

Our findings

Detachment of the labrum with cartilage

NO

Tear at the labral junction with cartilage

Conclusion



- Intra-articular lesions in hip dysplasia:
 - In almost all of the labrum
 - Labral detachment and chondral detachment with continuous chondrolabral junction:
 - Frequent pattern
 - Would be an indicator of instability

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