## Supplementary data

Table 1. RSA measurement repeatability of the tibial component (MB UKA and FB UKA combined) $(\mathrm{n}=55)$

|  | Translations $(\mathrm{mm})$ |  |  | Rotations $\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Factor | x | y | z | x | y | z |
| Mean difference | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.03 | 0.03 |
| SD of difference | 0.05 | 0.03 | 0.09 | 0.18 | 0.16 | 0.14 |
| PI (1.96 x SD) | 0.1 | 0.07 | 0.18 | 0.36 | 0.32 | 0.27 |
| Minimum difference | -0.19 | -0.14 | -0.21 | -0.38 | -0.72 | -0.42 |
| Maximum difference | 0.22 | 0.05 | 0.37 | 0.71 | 0.31 | 0.44 |

Table 4. Translations along and rotations about the $x-, y$-, and $z$-axis for the tibial component (mean and Cl )

|  | MB UKA | FB UKA |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tx (mm) |  |  |
| 4 months | $0.06(0.02$ to 0.11$)$ | $0.03(-0.01$ to 0.08$)$ |
| 12 months | $0.09(0.03$ to 0.15$)$ | $0.04(-0.02$ to 0.10$)$ |
| 24 months | $0.08(0.03$ to 0.13$)$ | $0.05(-0.00$ to 0.10$)$ |
| Ty (mm) | $0.01(-0.02$ to 0.04$)$ | $0.00(-0.03$ to 0.03$)$ |
| 4 months | $0.03(-0.01$ to 0.06$)$ | $0.04(-0.00$ to 0.08$)$ |
| 12 months | $0.03(-0.00$ to 0.08$)$ |  |
| 24 months | $0.06(0.02$ to 0.10$)$ | $0.04\left(\begin{array}{l}(-0.16 \text { to }-0.01) \\ \text { Tz (mm) }\end{array}\right.$ |
| 4 months | $-0.08(-0.00(-0.07$ to 0.08$)$ |  |
| 12 months | $-0.11(-0.20$ to -0.01$)$ | $0.03(-0.07$ to 0.12$)$ |
| 24 months | $-0.08(-0.16$ to -0.01$)$ | $0.03(-0.04$ to 0.11$)$ |
| Rx ( $\left.{ }^{\circ}\right)$ |  |  |
| 4 months | $-0.19(-0.36$ to -0.01$)$ | $0.02(-0.15$ to 0.20$)$ |
| 12 months | $-0.37(-0.59$ to -0.16$)$ | $-0.19(-0.40$ to 0.03$)$ |
| 24 months | $-0.49(-0.67$ to -0.31$)$ | $-0.28(-0.46$ to -0.11$)$ |
| Ry ( $\left.{ }^{\circ}\right)$ |  |  |
| 4 months | $0.04(-0.17$ to 0.24$)$ | $-0.17(-0.38$ to 0.04$)$ |
| 12 months | $0.02(-0.19$ to 0.24$)$ | $-0.28(-0.50$ to -0.07$)$ |
| 24 months | $0.02(-0.20$ to 0.24$)$ | $-0.25(-0.47$ to -0.03$)$ |
| Rz ( $\left.{ }^{\circ}\right)$ |  |  |
| 4 months | $-0.10(-0.22$ to 0.02$)$ | $-0.03(-015$ to 0.09$)$ |
| 12 months | $-0.18(-0.36$ to -0.00$)$ | $0.06(-0.12$ to 0.25$)$ |
| 24 months | $-0.18(-0.38$ to 0.01$)$ | $0.01(-0.18$ to 0.21$)$ |
|  |  |  |

Table 2. RSA measurement repeatability of the femoral component (MB UKA and FB UKA combined) ( $\mathrm{n}=37$ )

|  | Translations $(\mathrm{mm})$ |  |  | Rotations $\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Factor | x | y | z | x | y | z |
| Mean difference | 0.03 | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.05 | 0.12 |
| SD of difference | 0.11 | 0.05 | 0.19 | 0.29 | 0.28 | 0.39 |
| PI (1.96 x SD) | 0.21 | 0.09 | 0.37 | 0.57 | 0.54 | 0.77 |
| Minimum difference | -0.25 | -0.07 | -0.78 | -0.61 | -0.51 | -1.03 |
| Maximum difference | 0.30 | 0.18 | 0.27 | 0.91 | 0.89 | 0.80 |

Table 6. Translations along and rotations about the $x-, y-$, and $z$-axis for the femoral component (mean and Cl )

|  | MB UKA | FB UKA |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tx (mm) |  |  |
| 4 months | $0.02(-0.07$ to 0.12$)$ | $-0.05(-0.12$ to 0.02$)$ |
| 12 months | $0.05(-0.06$ to 0.15$)$ | $-0.05(-0.13$ to 0.02$)$ |
| 24 months | $-0.02(-0.12$ to 0.07$)$ | $-0.06(-0.13$ to 0.00$)$ |
| Ty (mm) |  |  |
| 4 months | $0.03(-0.04$ to 0.09$)$ | $0.07(0.02$ to 0.11$)$ |
| 12 months | $0.02(-0.04$ to 0.09$)$ | $0.06(0.01$ to 0.11$)$ |
| 24 months | $0.01(-0.07$ to 0.09$)$ | $0.07(0.02$ to 0.13$)$ |
| Tz (mm) |  |  |
| 4 months | $0.12(-0.00$ to 0.25$)$ | $0.05(-0.04$ to 0.14$)$ |
| 12 months | $0.15(0.02$ to 0.27$)$ | $0.02(-0.07$ to 0.11$)$ |
| 24 months | $0.15(0.02$ to 0.27$)$ | $0.01(-0.08$ to 0.11$)$ |
| Rx ( $\left.{ }^{\circ}\right)$ |  |  |
| 4 months | $-0.04(-0.37$ to 0.28$)$ | $0.21(-0.02$ to 0.45$)$ |
| 12 months | $0.08(-0.23$ to 0.40$)$ | $0.27(0.04$ to 0.50$)$ |
| 24 months | $0.17(-0.13$ to 0.47$)$ | $0.40(0.18$ to 0.62$)$ |
| Ry ( $\left.{ }^{\circ}\right)$ | $0.19(-0.12$ to 0.49$)$ | $0.38(0.16$ to 0.60$)$ |
| 4 months | $0.19(-0.03$ to 0.59$)$ | $0.42(0.19$ to 0.64$)$ |
| 12 months | $0.28(0.69)$ | $0.53(0.30$ to 0.75$)$ |
| 24 months | $0.38(0.07$ to 0.6$)$ | $0.26(-0.49$ to -0.03$)$ |
| Rz ( $\left.{ }^{\circ}\right)$ | months | $-0.11(-0.43$ to 0.21$)$ |
| 12 months | $-0.06(-0.41$ to 0.29$)$ | $-0.10(-0.36$ to 0.16$)$ |
| 24 months | $-0.22(-0.56$ to 0.12$)$ | $-0.14(-0.39$ to 0.11$)$ |

Table 5. TT, TR and MTPM for the tibial component, expressed as median (CI) and mean (CI)

|  | Median (CI) |  | Mean (CI) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | MB UKA | FB UKA | MB UKA | FB UKA |
| TT (mm) |  |  |  |  |
| 4 months | $0.16(0.12-0.20)$ | $0.18(0.13-0.22)$ | $0.21(0.15-0.26)$ | $0.22(0.16-0.28)$ |
| 12 months | $0.20(0.14-0.25)$ | $0.18(0.13-0.23)$ | $0.26(0.17-0.35)$ | $0.25(0.17-0.34)$ |
| 24 months | $0.20(0.15-0.24)$ | $0.19(0.14-0.23)$ | $0.25(0.18-0.31)$ | $0.23(0.17-0.29)$ |
| TR ( $)$ |  |  |  |  |
| 4 months | $0.51(0.3-0.64)$ | $0.48(0.35-0.60)$ | $0.61(0.41-0.81)$ | $0.66(0.46-0.86)$ |
| 12 months | $0.59(0.4-0.55)$ | $0.60(0.43-0.76)$ | $0.76(0.52-1.01)$ | $0.80(0.55-1.05)$ |
| 24 months | $0.69(0.54-0.85)$ | $0.65(0.51-0.79)$ | $0.81(0.58-1.04)$ | $0.83(0.60-1.06)$ |
| MTPM (mm) |  |  |  |  |
| 4 months | $0.35(0.27-0.43)$ | $0.36(0.28-0.44)$ | $0.42(0.31-0.53)$ | $0.44(0.33-0.55)$ |
| 12 months | $0.44(0.34-0.55)$ | $0.40(0.31-0.50)$ | $0.54(0.40-0.69)$ | $0.51(0.37-0.66)$ |
| 24 months | $0.47(0.37-0.56)$ | $0.43(0.34-0.51)$ | $0.55(0.43-0.67)$ | $0.50(0.38-0.62)$ |

Table 7. TT, TR and MTPM for the femoral component, expressed as median (CI) and mean (CI)

|  | Median (CI) |  | Mean (CI) |  |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | MB UKA | FB UKA | MB UKA | FB UKA |
| TT (mm) |  |  |  |  |
| 4 months | $0.21(0.14-0.29)$ | $0.25(0.18-0.29)$ | $0.21(0.15-0.26)$ | $0.22(0.16-0.28)$ |
| 12 months | $0.23(0.14-0.31)$ | $0.24(0.17-0.31)$ | $0.26(0.18-0.35)$ | $0.25(0.17-0.35)$ |
| 24 months | $0.22(0.14-0.29)$ | $0.27(0.20-0.33)$ | $0.25(0.18-0.31)$ | $0.23(0.17-0.29)$ |
| TR ( ${ }^{\circ}$ ) |  |  |  |  |
| 4 months | $0.50(0.33-0.67)$ | $0.96(0.73-1.20)$ | $0.61(0.41-0.81)$ | $0.66(0.46-0.86)$ |
| 12 months | $0.65(0.41-0.89)$ | $0.90(0.65-1.14)$ | $0.76(0.52-1.01)$ | $0.80(0.55-1.05)$ |
| 24 months | $0.58(0.36-0.81)$ | $0.94(0.67-1.20)$ | $0.81(0.58-1.04)$ | $0.83(0.60-1.06)$ |
| MTPM (mm): |  |  |  |  |
| 4 months | $0.38(0.28-0.49)$ | $0.58(0.47-0.68)$ | $0.42(0.31-0.53)$ | $0.44(0.33-0.55)$ |
| 12 months | $0.45(0.32-0.59)$ | $0.55(0.43-0.67)$ | $0.54(0.40-0.69)$ | $0.51(0.37-0.66)$ |
| 24 months | $0.42(0.30-0.53)$ | $0.61(0.49-0.74)$ | $0.55(0.43-0.67)$ | $0.50(0.38-0.62)$ |

Table 9. RAND-36 summary scores (mean (SD)) over time

|  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Physical function | FB UKA |  |
| Preoperative | $50(17)$ | $53(19)$ |
| 4 months | $74(17)$ | $75(14)$ |
| 12 months | $78(16)$ | $82(11)$ |
| 24 months | $78(19)$ | $81(14)$ |
| Limitations/physical health |  |  |
| Preoperative | $37(39)$ | $43(36)$ |
| 4 months | $57(43)$ | $67(40)$ |
| 12 months | $74(39)$ | $74(40)$ |
| 24 months | $74(40)$ | $84(29)$ |
| Pain | $65(44)$ | $72(38)$ |
| Preoperative | $77(38)$ | $87(32)$ |
| 4 months | $85(36)$ | $81(34)$ |
| 12 months | $87(32)$ | $91(23)$ |
| 24 months | $74(18)$ | $75(14)$ |
| General health | $78(17)$ | $80(14)$ |
| Preoperative | $73(18)$ | $81(18)$ |
| 4 months | $76(18)$ | $81(19)$ |
| 12 months |  |  |
| 24 months |  |  |

Table 10. Leg extension power (mean and Cl ) for the operated leg and the contralateral leg

|  | MB UKA | FB UKA |
| :--- | :---: | :--- |
| Operated leg (W/kg)   <br> Preoperative $1.5(1.3-1.7)$ $1.7(1.5-1.8)$ <br> 4 months $1.4(1.2-1.6)$ $1.5(1.3-1.7)$ <br> 12 months $2.0(1.8-2.2)$ $1.9(1.6-2.1)$ <br> 24 months $1.8(1.6-2.0)$ $1.9(1.7-2.1)$ <br> Non-operated leg (W/kg) $1.9(1.7-2.2)$ $2.1(1.8-2.4)$ <br> Preoperative $1.8(1.6-2.0)$ $1.9(1.6-2.1)$ <br> 24 months   |  |  |



Figure 3. (a) total rotation (TR), (b) total translation (TT), and (c) maximal total point motion (MTPM) for the femoral component (median and CI).

