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# Pivot **Guardian** Distraction System

**Freedom to operate**



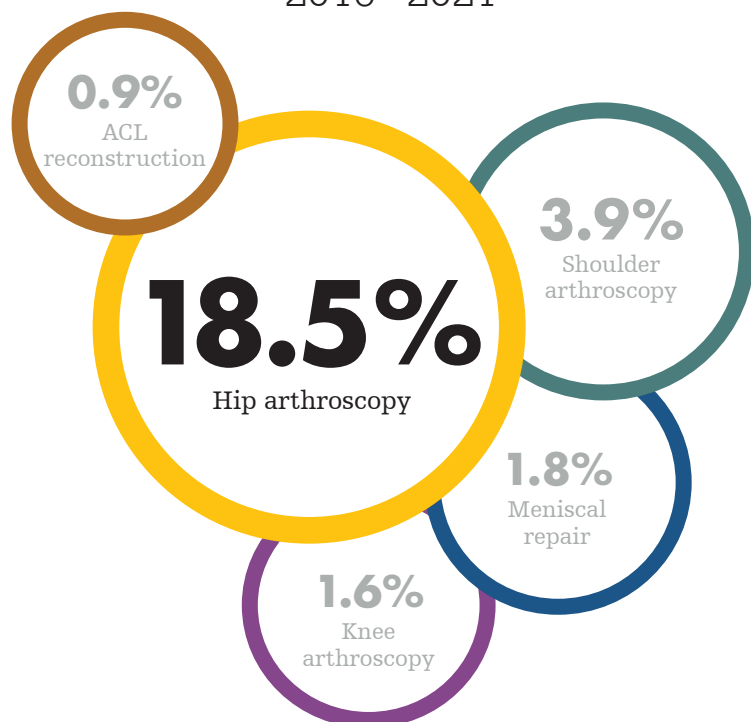
## Mission

Together with our customers,  
we are driven  
to make healthcare better.

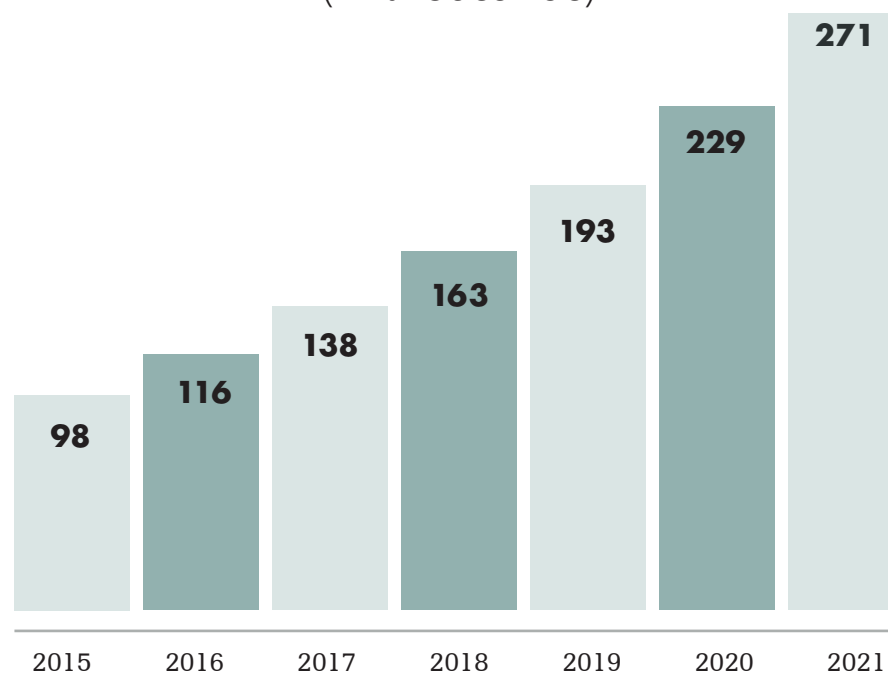


# Demand for hip arthroscopy is **growing**

US compounded annual growth rate<sup>1</sup>  
2016 - 2021



Number of procedures<sup>1</sup>  
(In thousands)



# The hip arthroscopy **opportunity**

Innovation in hip arthroscopy can improve operating room efficiency and the standard of care for patients.

## OR Efficiency



**\$60-100**

The approximate cost of each wasted minute of OR time in the US.<sup>7</sup>



**1 hour**

Adding a 1 hour case in an OR every day can increase annual profit by as much as \$500,000.<sup>8</sup>



**32% of patients\***

Reported problems in the groin area.

The problems were temporary and disappeared typically within 2-4 weeks. Some patients reported numbness after 2 months.<sup>9</sup>

## Pudendal nerve dysfunction

Symptoms of neuropraxia of the pudendal nerve include perineal pain and hypoesthesia or anesthesia of the glans penis and scrotum in men and perineum and labia in women. This may be associated with sexual disorders including erectile and ejaculatory disturbances and hypo-orgasmia.<sup>2</sup>

**46%**

Hip arthroscopy patients reported nerve dysfunction symptoms

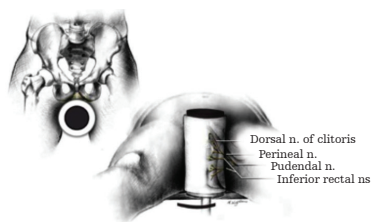
**22%**

After 26 weeks

**18%**

After one year

## Traction force & time



Traction time **greater than 2 hours** may **increase the risk of skin lesions or nerve injury**.<sup>4</sup>

**> 2 hours**

Traction force needed to achieve sufficient visualization of the hip joint in an anesthetized patient.<sup>5,6</sup>

**50 - 120 lbf**

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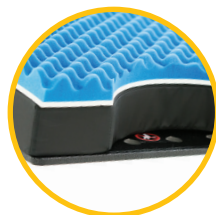


# An innovative design

## The Pivot Guardian Distraction System



**Traction force gauge**  
The system includes a traction force gauge that estimates the amount of force on the patient.

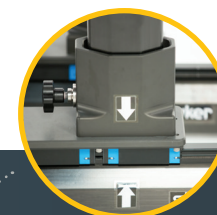


**Post-free**  
The Pivot Guardian Distraction System is designed to mitigate post related complications.



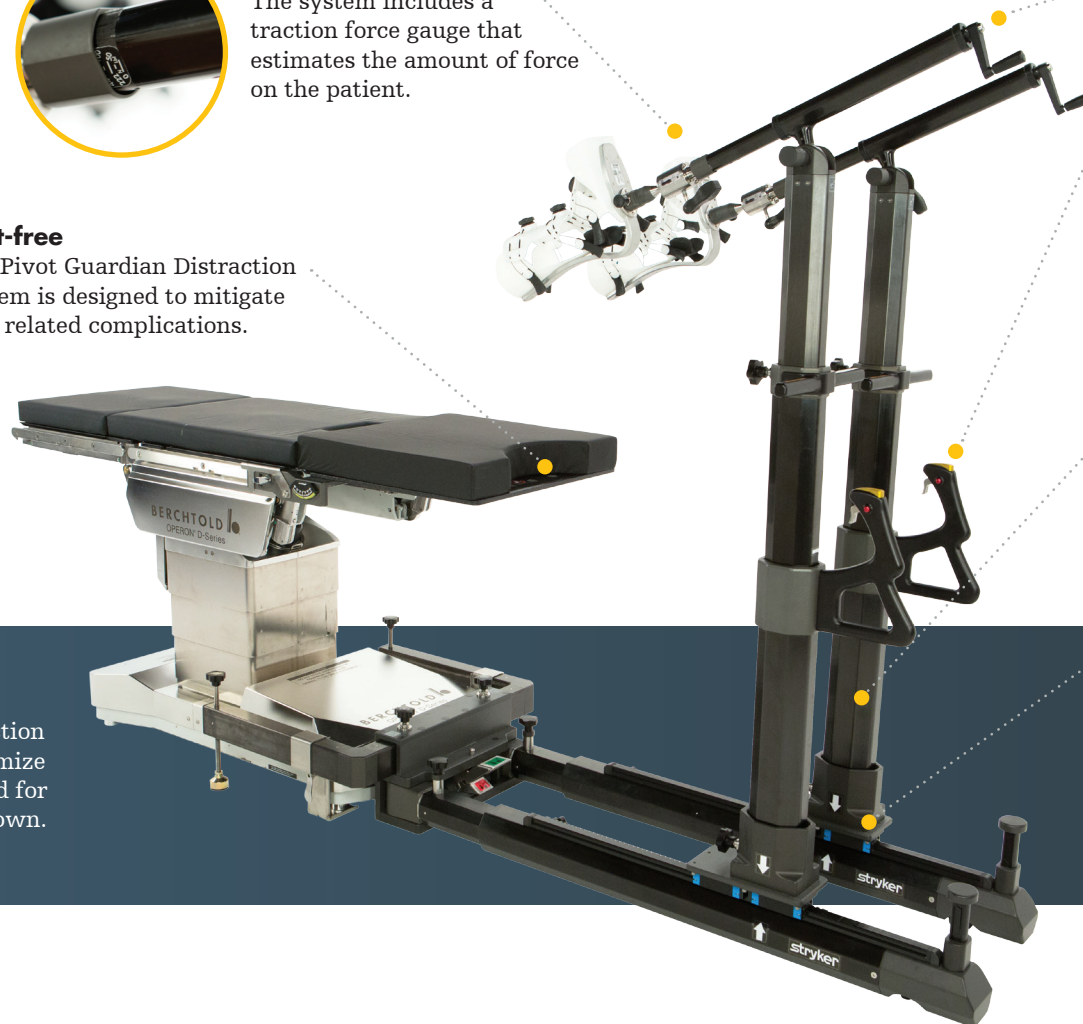
**Fine and gross traction controls**  
Designed to provide precise control and better range-of-motion. The surgeon can easily make adduction, abduction, as well as extension and flexion hip adjustments. It also allows for internal and external rotation of the hip.

**Gas shocks**  
Allow the surgeon to easily raise and lower the patient's foot during surgery.



**Carbon fiber construction**  
Radiolucent carbon fiber construction minimizes the amount of metal components surrounding the hip, the anterior and posterior visualization during surgery, a "true AP radiographic shot".

**Faster OR turnover**  
The Pivot Guardian Distraction System is designed to minimize the time and effort required for transport, setup and takedown.



# Next generation **boot**

State-of-the-art design and manufacturing that improves the patient experience and operating room efficiency.



**Achilles block**  
Designed to secure the patient's ankle during distraction.



**Boa System®**  
Deliver precise fit and adjustment to distraction system boots, enhancing the comfort and safety of the patient.



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