

Table 2 Demographic and clinical characteristics of surgical patients

Patient characteristics	(n)	%
Sex		
Female	374	25.7
Male	1084	74.3
Acute trauma		
Present	468	32.1
Absent	990	67.9
FAI		
Present	144	30.8
Absent	324	69.2
Injured body region		
Extremity	279	59.6
Abdomen	58	12.4
Head and neck	55	11.8
Thorax	40	8.5
Multiple body regions	21	4.5
Vertebrae	15	3.2
Operation		
Open surgery	1167	80
Microsurgery	186	12.8
Laparoscopic	17	1.2
Endoscopic	76	5.2
Arthroscopic	12	0.8
Anaesthetic method		
General	664	45.5
Local	379	26
Spinal	366	25.1
Sedation	20	1.4
RIVA	26	1.8
Epidural	2	0.1

RIVA = regional intravenous anaesthesia.