

Pelvic orthosis effects on posterior pelvis kinematics

An in-vitro biomechanical study

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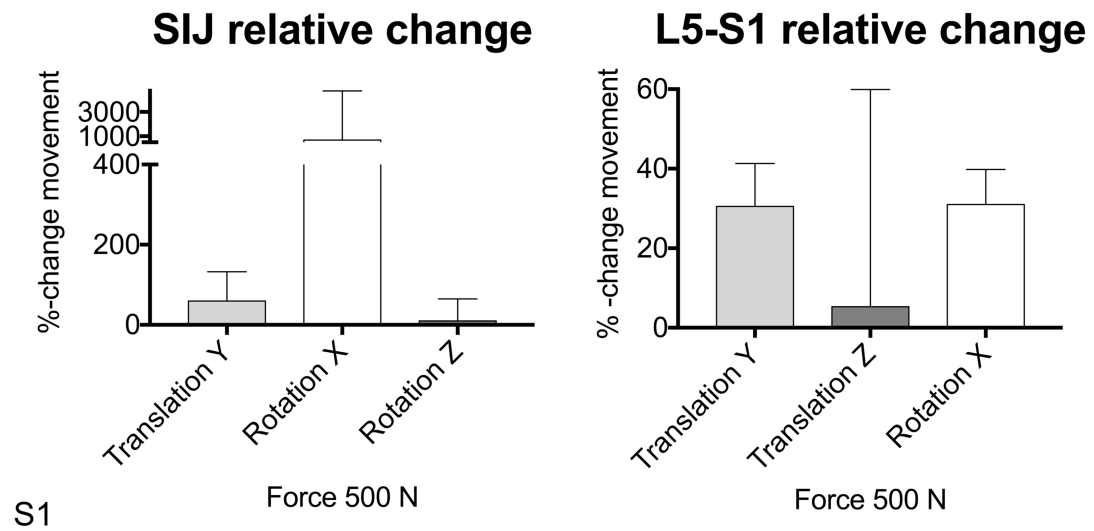
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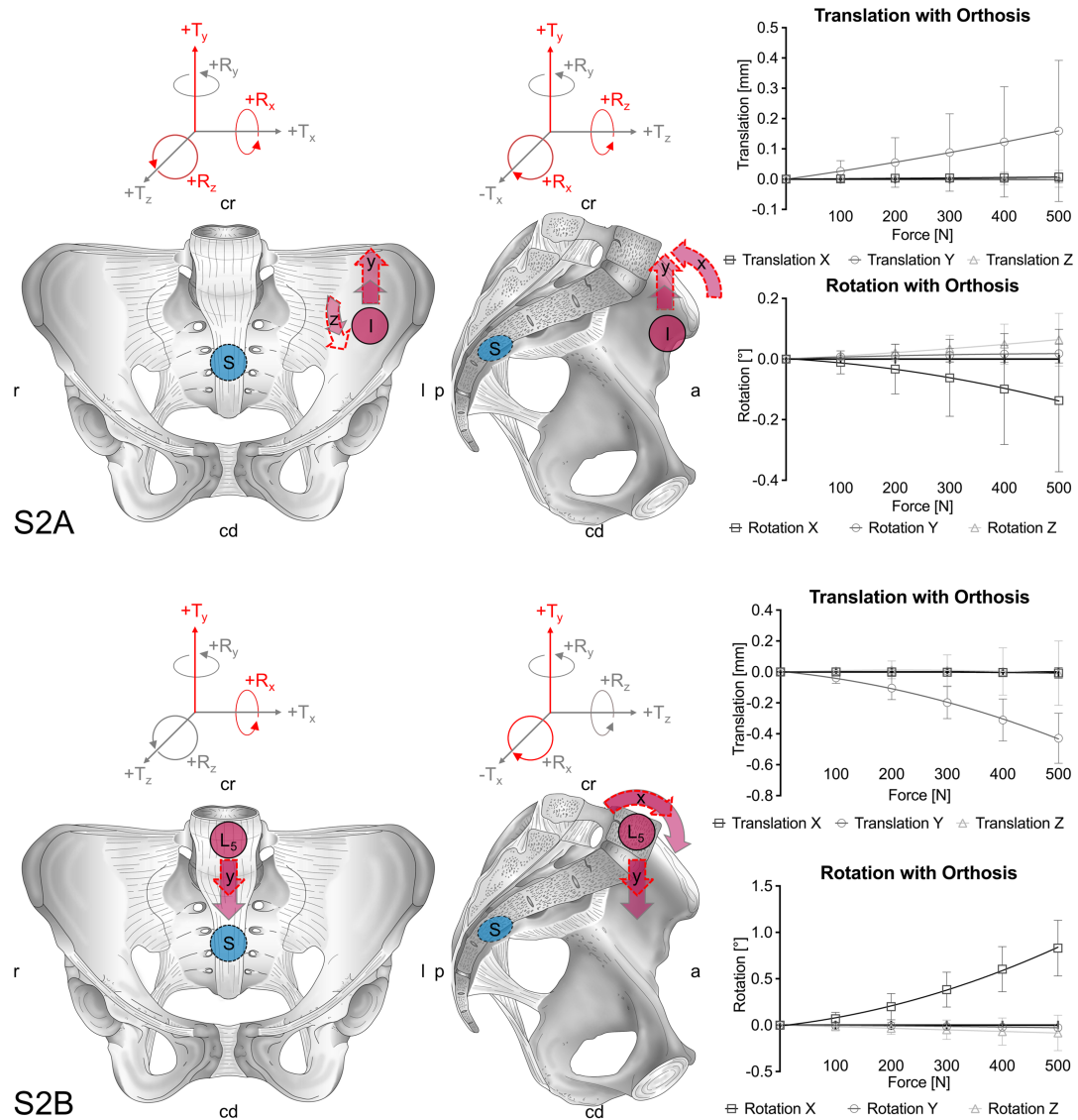
Supplement figures

Supplement figure 1: Box plots summarizing the averaged data from changes induced by pelvic belt application in each of the pelvises under 500-N loading for the sacroiliac joint (SIJ) and the lumbosacral transition (L5-S1). The boxes indicate the mean, the whiskers standard deviations. The quality and direction of the change in motion is depicted in supplement figure 3.

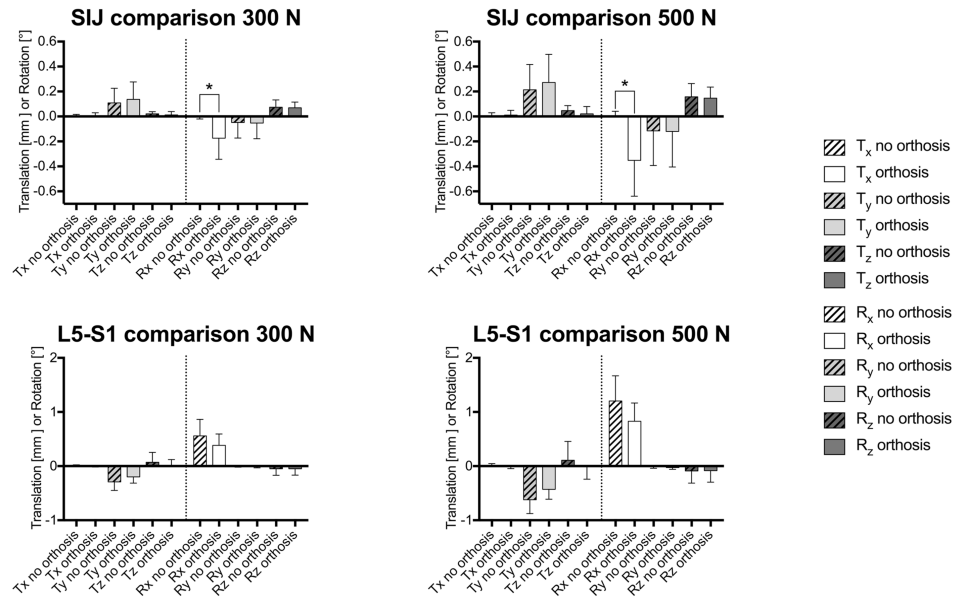


Supplement figure 2: Graphical summary of the changes induced by pelvic orthoses under 500-N loading. The grey arrows indicate the initial movement, the interrupted red arrows indicate the extent of motion. The right side summarizes the loading-dependent deformation for 100-N increments in body weight loading.

A: sacroiliac joint, B: lumbosacral transition. I = ilium, L5 = fifth lumbar vertebra, S = sacrum; cd = caudal, cr = cranial, l = left, r = right; R = rotation, T = translation.



Supplement figure 3: Box plots summarizing the mean translation and rotation data prior to and following pelvic orthosis application under 300-N and 500-N loading for the sacroiliac joint (SIJ) and the lumbosacral transition (L5-S1). The boxes indicate the mean, the whiskers standard deviations. * *p* value significantly different for R_x (300 N) = 0.018, R_x (500 N) = 0.016.



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