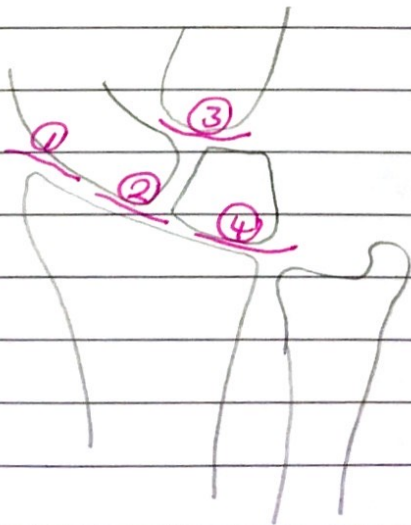


SLAC

Watson JHS 1984

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| I Scaphoid & styloid arthritis
(due to flexion of scaphoid) | Radial styloidectomy
+/- STT fusion
+/- capitolunate fusion |
| II Arthritis between scaphoid & entire scaphoid facet of radius | ° Scaphoid excision & 4 corner fusion 7% non union
50% ROM
Dorsal approach
Spider plate
° Proximal row carpectomy
Best ROM (60%) worse grip |
| III Arthritis between capitate & lunate | Scaphoid excision & 4 corner f |
| IV Added
Generalised arthritis | Wrist fusion |



Carpal instability = inability of carpus to withstand normal physiological loading