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International Federation for the Surgery of
Obesity and Metabolic Disorders - Asia Pacific Chapter

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IFSO-APC:

- 50% of the world's population
- IFSO-APC accounts for only 10% of members

Countries: 14

Members: 1000

Australia, New Zealand, China, HongKong(China), Philippines, Japan, Korea, India, Iran, Malaysia, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Thailand, Indonesia




More than half the world's population: 4.000 billion; More than half the world's population.

- The most complex, with more than 1,000 ethnic groups.
- There have many languages.
- The level of economic development varies greatly.
- Medical systems and standards vary greatly between countries

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Ten Years of Change in Bariatric/Metabolic Surgery in the Asia–Pacific Region with COVID-19 Pandemic: IFSO-APC National Reports 2021

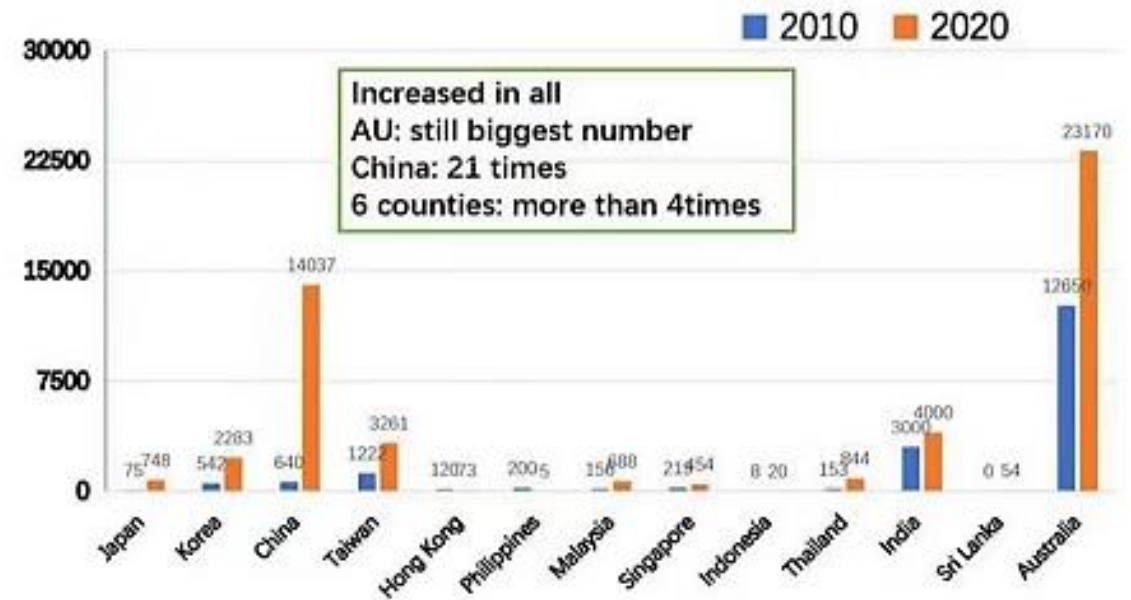
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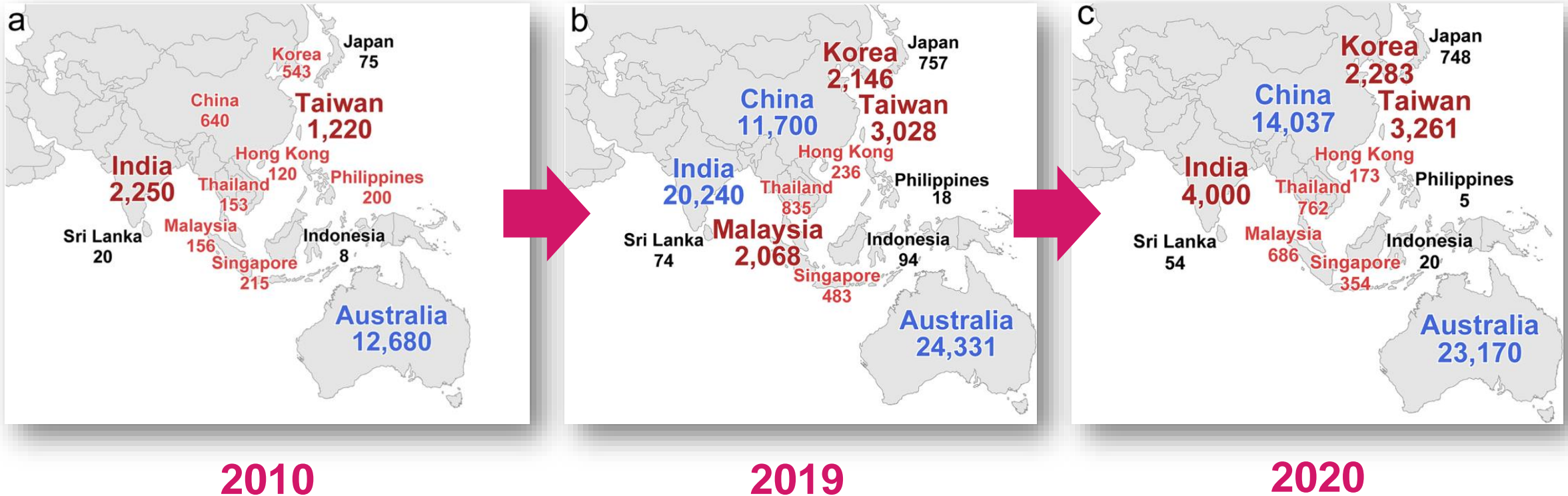
Change in number of bariatric/metabolic surgery

Total 19,010 → 49,635 cases



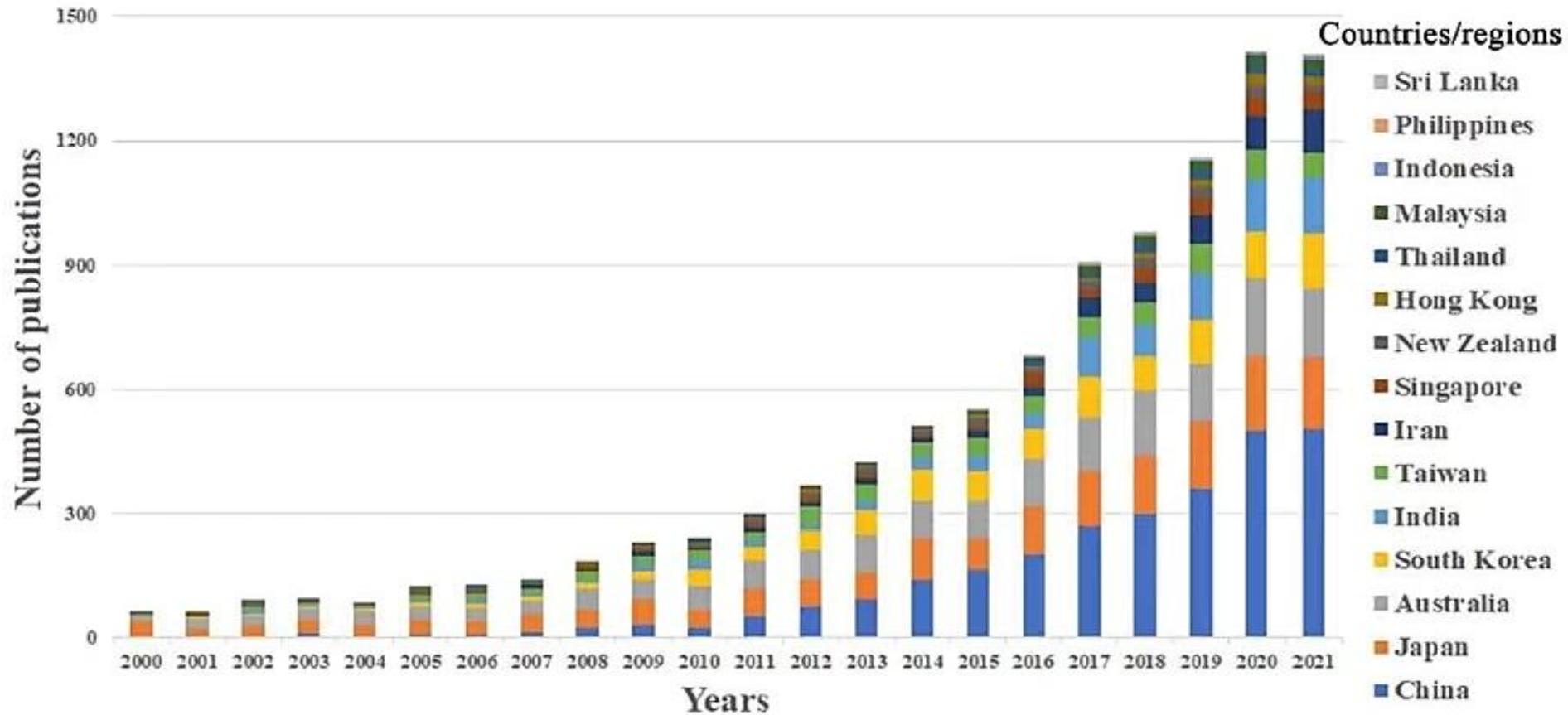
10 Years of Change in Bariatric/Metabolic Surgery in Asia Pacific Regions

Figures a-b: Changes in the numbers of MBS in **2010** (a), **2019** (b), and **2020** (c)



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8th IFSO-APC MEETING 2023

30 November-1 December, 2023

10th CSMBS 2023

2 December, 2023



Shangri-La Hotel Shenzhen, China

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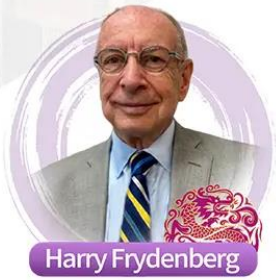
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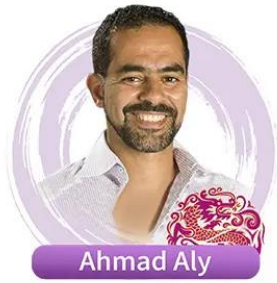
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8th IFSO-APC MEETING 2023 & 10th CSMBS 2023
The Future of Metabolic Bariatric Surgery in Asia Pacific



Scientific Program

PRESIDENTIAL SESSION

Friday, December 1

10:30 - 12:00

Grand Ballroom

Chairs



Cunchuan Wang
China



Kazunori Kasama
Japan



Asim Shabbir
Singapore

Time	Topic	Speaker	Country
10:30-10:50	Kawamura Lecture: Does GLP-1 RA Promote, Weaken, or Replace Bariatric Surgery?	Linong Ji	China
10:50-11:10	Lee Lecture: Disease burden of obesity and related chronic diseases and future trends in China	Youfa Wang	China
11:10-11:30	Loi Lecture: The characteristics of Asian Obesity from the perspective of genomic differences	Shida Zhu	China
11:30-11:40	Obituary for Ken Loi	Lilian Kow	Australia
11:40-11:50	PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS	Cunchuan Wang	China
11:50-11:55	Introduction of IFSO World Congress 2024 Melbourne	Ahmad Aly	Australia
11:55-12:00	Introduction of IFSO APC Congress 2025 Mumbai	Muffazal Lakdawala	India
12:00	Recognition and Scholarships Awards		

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Numbers of Sessions

Sessions: 30

Lunch Symposium: 3 (J&J, Novo Nordisk, Tongee)



IFSO-APC	TIME	Grand Ballroom	Hong Kong Room	Macau Room
		Thursday November 30		
	08:00-08:30	CONGRESS OPENING Congress President Opening Address: Cunchuan Wang (China) Moderator: Shaohong Zhu (China)		
	08:30-10:00	The By-Hand-Sleeve RCT: How does this impact the practice of bariatric surgery? Chairs: Kwang-Wei Tham (Singapore), Lilian Kow (Australia) Moderators: Asim Shabbir (Singapore), Yanling Yang (China)	National Reports on Metabolic Bariatric Surgery Chair: Cunchuan Wang (China) Moderators: Gerhard Prager (Austria), Wah Yang (China)	FREE PAPERS Chair: Hua Meng (China) Moderator: Han Hong Lee (Korea)
	10:00-10:30	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK
	10:30-12:00	Revisional Surgery Chairs: Ahmad Aly (Australia), Mufazal Lakdawala (India) Moderator: Shaohong Zhu (China)	Current Status of OAGB in Asian-Pacific Area Chair: Wei-Jei Lee (Taiwan, China) Moderator: Kong Han Ser (Taiwan, China)	Robotic Bariatric Surgery Chair: Rana C Pullatt (USA) Moderators: Bobby Rao (USA), Weidong Tong (China)
	12:00-13:00	ETHICON LUNCH SYMPOSIUM		
	13:00-14:30	Medical Treatment of Obesity & Related Complications: How Will it Fit with Surgery? Chairs: Kwang-Wei Tham (Singapore), John Dixon (Australia) Moderator: Yan Zhou (China)	Journal Symposium: How to run a high-quality medical journal and tips for publications to authors Chair: Wah Yang (China) Moderators: Cunchuan Wang (China), Mohammad Kermansaravi (Iran)	FREE PAPERS Chair: Sang-Moon Han (Korea) Moderators: Aili Aikbaier (China), Sang Hyun Kim (Korea)
	14:30-15:00	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK
	15:00-16:30	New and High Technology, Artificial Intelligence applied to MBS Chairs: Mufazal Lakdawala (India), Mohit Bhandari (India) Moderator: Xiaocheng Zhu (China)	Body composition during and following weight loss Chair: Kwang-Wei Tham (Singapore) Moderators: John Dixon (Australia), Jinghai Song (China)	Young IFSO Session Chair: Wah Yang (China) Moderators: Shahab Shahabi (Iran), Yi Chen (China)
	16:30-18:00	Endoscopic Bariatric Surgery Chair: Amit Maydeo (India) Moderators: Asim Shabbir (Singapore), Wei Yang (China)	Reflux, Barrett's and Sleeve Gastrectomy: what are the management options? Chair: Jaime Ponce (USA) Moderator: Anne Rogers (USA)	FREE PAPERS Chair: Ajana Techagumpuch (Thailand) Moderators: Aung Myint Oo (Singapore), Yanjun Liu (China)
	19:00-21:00	GALA DINNER	GALA DINNER	GALA DINNER
IFSO-APC	TIME	Grand Ballroom	Hong Kong Room	Macau Room
		Friday December 1		
	08:30-10:00	New IFSO-ASMBS Guidelines Chair: Gerhard Prager (Austria) Moderators: Lilian Kow (Australia), Guanglong Dong (China)	16th Meeting of Asian Diabetes Surgery Summit Chair: Wei-Jei Lee (Taiwan, China) Moderators: Jingge Yang (China), Kazunori Kasama (Japan)	FREE PAPERS Chair: Wei Guan (China) Moderators: Kwang-Wei Tham (Singapore), Jiangfan Zhu (China)
	10:00-10:30	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK
	10:30-12:00	PRESIDENTIAL SESSION Chairs: Cunchuan Wang (China), Kazunori Kasama (Japan) Asim Shabbir (Singapore)		
	12:00-13:00	NOVO NORDISK LUNCH SYMPOSIUM	TONGEE LUNCH SYMPOSIUM	GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING
	13:30-15:00	Complications VIDEO Session: Bariatric Horror Pictures Show Chair: Kazunori Kasama (Japan) Moderators: Wiliano S. Joo (Indonesia), Liyong Zhu (China)	APMBS Session "Sleeve Plus: the Update" Chair: Suthep Udomsawaengsup (Thailand) Moderators: Daniel King Hung Tong (Hong Kong, China), Zhen Li (China)	FREE PAPERS Chair: Khaled Gawdat (Egypt) Moderators: Anne Rogers (USA), Peng Zhang (China)
	15:00-15:30	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK
	15:30-17:00	Multi-Disciplinary Team Session Chair: Edward Olivares (Philippines) Moderators: Bing Wang (China), Yosuke Seki (Japan)	Patient Reported Experience and Outcome Measures (PREMs and PROMS): putting the patient in the centre of clinical care, research and registries Chair: Jane Blazebly (UK) Moderators: Camilo Boza (Chile), Zefeng Xia (China)	FREE PAPERS Chair: Xiti Sun (China) Moderators: Brian Oldfield (Australia), Erfei Song (China)
	17:00-18:30	IFSO-APC Championship Debate Session Chairs: Rana C Pullatt (USA), Camilo Boza (Chile)	Hernia Surgery Chair: Asim Shabbir (Singapore) Moderators: Darwin Salonga (Philippines), Matt Hein (Taiwan, China)	FREE PAPERS Chair: Xiaodong Han (China) Moderators: Masoumeh Shahsavari (Iran), Lilian Gao (China)
	18:30	CLOSING REMARKS Cunchuan Wang (China) - IFSO APC President 2021-2023 Asim Shabbir (Singapore) - IFSO APC President 2023-2025		

ABSTRACTS

Total number of submission: 145
18 Countries

中国 China	14
伊朗 Iran	13
韩国 Korea	11
澳大利亚 Australia	8
中国香港 Hongkong,China	6
俄罗斯 Russia	6
沙特阿拉伯 Saudi Arabia	5
法国 France	1
巴基斯坦 Pakistan	4
马来西亚 Malaysia	3
印度 India	3
英国 Britain	2
日本 Japan	2
斯里兰卡 Sri Lanka	2
美国 America	1
爱尔兰 Ireland	1
乌兹别克斯坦 Uzbekistan	1
智利 Chile	1
Others (Country not specify)	61

REGISTRATION

- Chinese: 620 people 、 138390 ¥

(VIP Registration Free: 104; Registration Paid: 227; Registration Not Paid: 289)

- Foreigners: 205 people 、 7630 \$

(VIP Registration Free: 68; Registration Paid: 52; Registration Not Paid: 85)

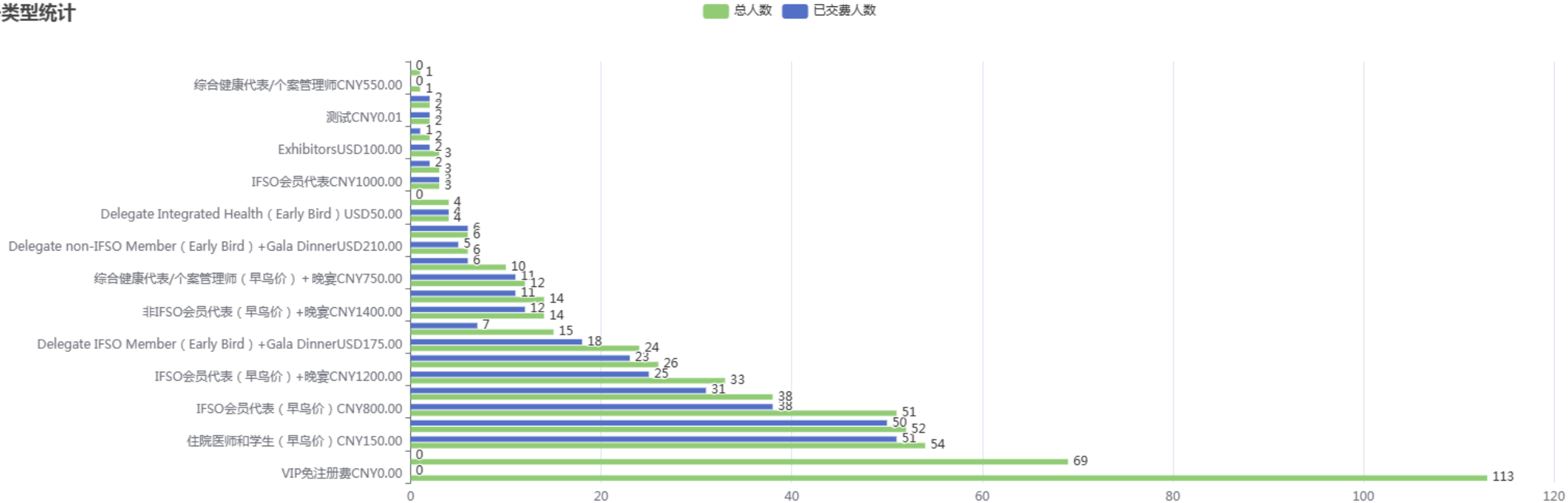
Total : 250000 ¥ (36,000 \$)

Due to the special nature of Chinese attendees (usually without registration fees), need registration fees reduces the enthusiasm of Chinese attendees.

Therefore, it is encouraged to pay registration fees as much as possible in order to attend the conference. Other important Chinese Experts can only provide free registration fees to ensure their attendance and lectures.

Statistics of Registration Type

注册类型统计



Registered Country (41countries) & Number(580+)

China	438
India	20
Australia	15
Hong Kong, China	14
Iran	12
Korea, Rep.	11
Pakistan	10
United States	6
Taiwan, China	6
United Kingdom	5
Malaysia	5
Singapore	5
Japan	5
Iraq	4
Russia	4

Philippines	3
Thailand	3
Sri Lanka	2
Saudi Arabia	1
Macau, China	1
Italy	1
Kuwait	1
Indonesia	1
Egypt	1
United Arab Emirates	1
Canada	1
Georgia	1
Ireland	1
Nepal	1
France	1
Austria	1

**"NEW YEARS REVELATIONS:
KEY ISSUES AND CHALLENGES FOR THE YEAR AHEAD"**



JANUARY 18

11 am Europe
2 pm Dubai
3.30 pm New Delhi
6 pm Beijing
7 pm Tokyo
9 pm Melbourne

MODERATOR



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PANELIST



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"HOW AND WHY LOWERING OF BMI THRESHOLDS AND A MOVE FROM BMI TO CLINICAL INDICATIONS MATTERS IN THE APC"

ASIM SHABBIR, IFSO-APC President



"THE IMPACT OF MEDICATIONS (AS ALTERNATIVES AND ADJUNCTS TO SURGERY) AND EXPECTED UPTAKE IN APC"

MARK MAGDY



"WHAT THE GLOBAL CONGRESS COMING TO THE APC IN 2024 CAN OFFER AND A PREVIEW"

AHMAD ALY, IFSO-APC President Elect



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Technical Variations and Considerations around OAGB in IFSO-APC and IFSO-MENAC Chapters, an Expert Survey

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Abstract

Objective: This study aimed to evaluate the technical variations of one-anastomosis gastric bypass (OAGB) among IFSO-APC and MENAC experts.

Background: The multitude of technical variations and patient selection challenges among metabolic and bariatric surgeons worldwide necessitates a heightened awareness of these issues. Understanding different perspectives and viewpoints can empower surgeons performing OAGB to adapt their techniques, leading to improved outcomes and reduced complications.

Methods: The scientific team of IFSO-APC, consisting of skilled bariatric and metabolic surgeons specializing in OAGB, conducted a confidential online survey. The survey aimed to assess technical variations and considerations related to OAGB within the IFSO-APC and IFSO-MENAC chapters. A total of 85 OAGB experts participated in the survey, providing their responses through a 35-question online format. The survey took place from January 1, 2024, to February 15, 2024.

Results: Most experts do not perform OAGB for children and adolescents younger than 18 years. Most experts create the gastric pouch over a 36-40-F bougie and prefer to create a gastrojejunostomy, at the posterior wall of the gastric pouch. An anti-reflux suture during OAGB is performed in all patients by 51.8% of experts. Most experts set a common limb length of > 4 m in revisional and conversional OAGBs to prevent nutritional complications.

Conclusion: The ongoing debate among metabolic and bariatric surgeons regarding the technical variations and patient selection in OAGB remains a significant point of discussion. This survey demonstrated the variations in technical aspects and patient selection for OAGB among MBS surgeons in the IFSO-APC and IFSO-MENAC chapters. Standardizing the OAGB technique is crucial to ensure optimal safety and efficacy in this procedure.

Keywords: Mini gastric bypass; One-anastomosis gastric bypass; Survey; Technical variation.

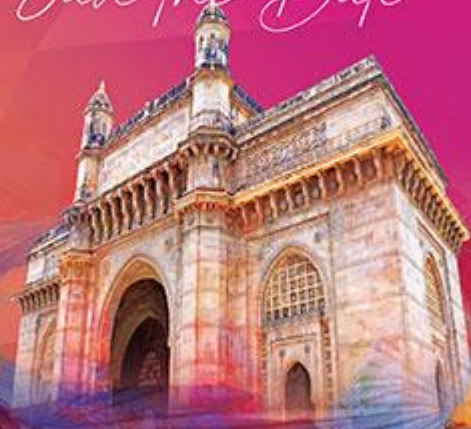


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❖ Congress Date

❖ 20 – 22 Feb 2025

❖ Abstract submission Deadline

❖ 1st October 2024

❖ Early Bird Registration Deadline

❖ 3rd Dec 2024

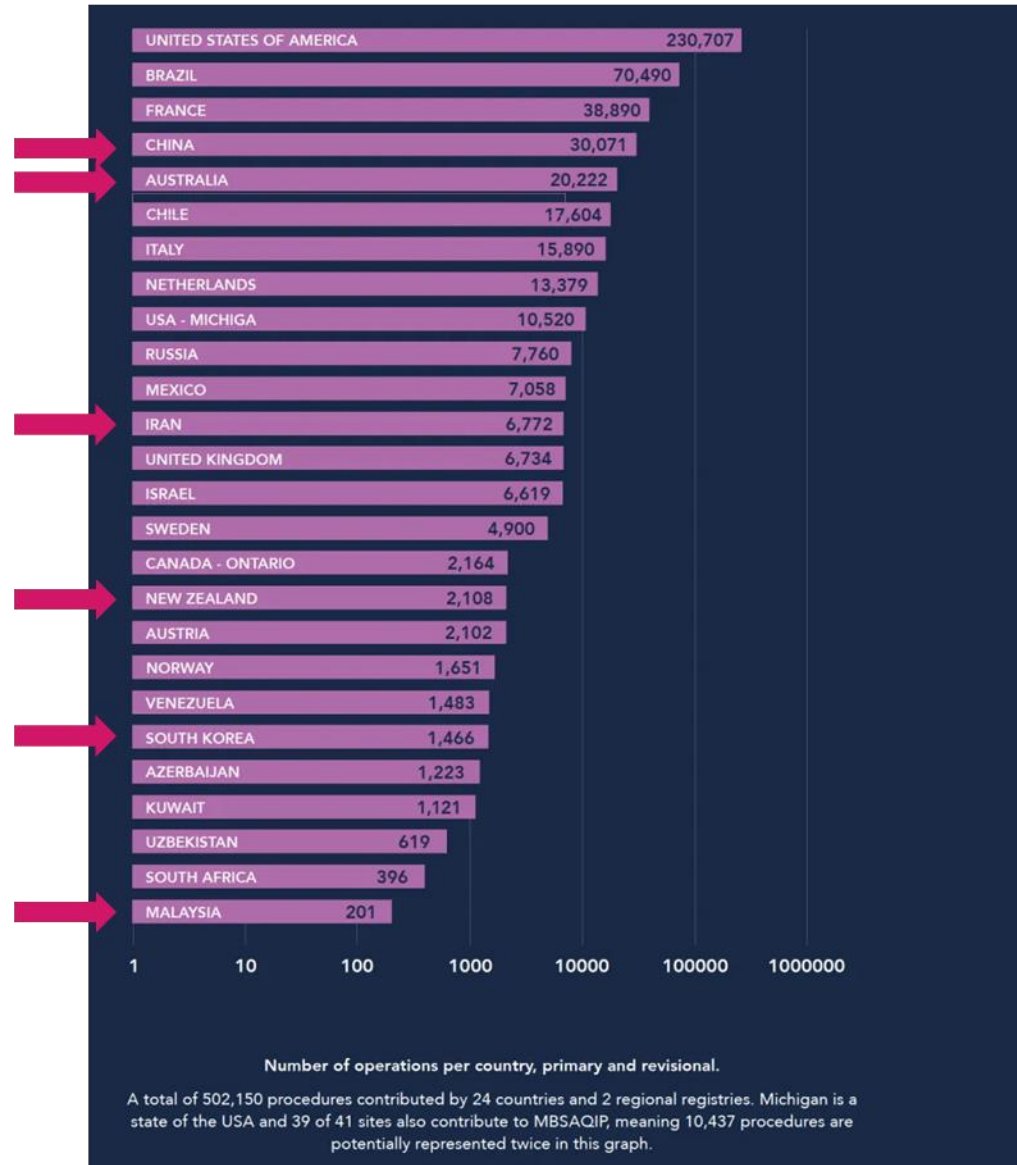
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