

Left lateral segmentectomies performed in time period
n=43

Laparoscopic approach
n=16

Open approach
n=27

Excluded:
synchronous procedure n=4
cirrhosis: n=1
hand-port assistance n=1

Excluded:
previous liver surgery n=2
synchronous procedure n=10
polycystic liver disease n=3
cirrhosis n=2

Laparoscopic approach
n=10

Open approach
n=10