

TABLE EI. Classification of histologic grade (modified from system of Goldberg et al.¹⁴)

	Points
Union	
No sign of union	0
Fibrous union	1
Osteochondral union	2
Bone union	3
Complete reorganization of shaft	4
Spongiosa	
All resorbed, replaced by connective tissues	0
Mostly resorbed	1
Partly resorbed	2
No osseous cellular activity	3
Early apposition of new bone	4
Active apposition of new bone	5
Mostly reorganized spongiosa	6
Completely reorganized spongiosa	7
Compacta	
None	0
Beginning to wear	1
Formation well under way	2
Completely reformed	3
Maximum score	14