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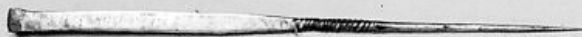


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# S U R G I C A L   I N S T R U M E N T S

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COMBINED SCALPEL AND FORCEPS (EL SAMANDIA)  
Instruments used for all minor operations,  
such as blood-letting, scarring, opening  
abscesses, removing thorns, etc.



SCALPEL (EL REISHA)  
Used for scarring, vaccinating  
and for the removal of dead flesh



DOUBLE-EDGED SCALPEL (EL SAMANDIA)  
Used for all minor operations.  
Usually carried in the sheath of  
the Kordofan knife in readiness  
for any necessity.



KNIFE  
Used for all surgical purposes  
including circumcision.



SCISSOR (EL SAIRSHA)  
Used to catch and draw  
forward the uvula for  
excision with a knife.



EL MURRAY  
Used in puncturing the skin  
for the insertion of setons



EL ISHA  
Instrument used in the operation  
for opening up the vulva before  
marriage and childbirth