

**Table 3 The greatest perforations were associated with the index finger**

<b>Site of perforation</b>	<b>Rate of perforation, n (%)</b>	<b>Average length of fingernail (mm) *</b>
Thumb	54 (24.3%)	1.52
Index	141 (63.5%)	1.91
Others	27 (12.2%)	1.77
Total	222 (100%)	

\* $P = 0.293$ .  $F = 3.028$ . Based on analysis of variance.