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ABSTRACT

The purpose of this study was to identify the effect of sport drink

consumption on muscle endurance performance among football athletes. A total of

20 football athletes (N=20) was selected via purposive sampling to participate in this

study. In this study, push up until fatigue protocol were been used for pre-test and

post-test (Magrini, Colquhoun, Dawes, & Smith, 2016). In this study, athletes were

consuming sport drinks and placebo drink. This study using cross sectional design

and quasi experimental for pre-test and post-test. Paired Sample T-test was employed

to compare means and standard deviation between two variables which is sport drink

and placebo drinks. The analysis showed there were significant different on sport

drinks and placebo drinks on muscle endurance performance among football athletes,

which is sport drink t (9) = -7.749, p < .05 and placebo drinks t (9) = -9.327, p < .05.

At the conclusion, sport drinks and placebo have effects on muscle endurance

performance among football athletes in their respective responses.

KEYWORDS: Sport Drinks, Muscle Endurance Performance, Football Athletes

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