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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Longitudinal changes in moderate-to-vigorous-intensity physical activity in children and adolescents: A systematic review and meta-analysis. <i>Obesity Reviews</i> , 2020, 21, e12953.	6.5	201
2	Hamstring and Quadriceps Isokinetic Strength Deficits Are Weak Risk Factors for Hamstring Strain Injuries. <i>American Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2016, 44, 1789-1795.	4.2	177
3	Low injury rate strongly correlates with team success in Qatari professional football. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2013, 47, 807-808.	6.7	172
4	Platelet-rich plasma does not enhance return to play in hamstring injuries: a randomised controlled trial. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2015, 49, 943-950.	6.7	130
5	A comprehensive strength testing protocol offers no clinical value in predicting risk of hamstring injury: a prospective cohort study of 413 professional football players. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2017, 51, 1695-1702.	6.7	107
6	Comparison of three current sets of electrocardiographic interpretation criteria for use in screening athletes. <i>Heart</i> , 2015, 101, 384-390.	2.9	99
7	Vitamin D concentration in 342 professional football players and association with lower limb isokinetic function. <i>Journal of Science and Medicine in Sport</i> , 2014, 17, 139-143.	1.3	89
8	Epidemiology of time loss groin injuries in a men's professional football league: a 2-year prospective study of 17 clubs and 606 players. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2018, 52, 292-297.	6.7	85
9	Epidemiology of football injuries in Asia: A prospective study in Qatar. <i>Journal of Science and Medicine in Sport</i> , 2013, 16, 113-117.	1.3	79
10	Electrical and structural adaptations of the paediatric athlete's heart: a systematic review with meta-analysis. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2018, 52, 230-230.	6.7	79
11	Training During the COVID-19 Lockdown: Knowledge, Beliefs, and Practices of 12,526 Athletes from 142 Countries and Six Continents. <i>Sports Medicine</i> , 2022, 52, 933-948.	6.5	78
12	MRI does not add value over and above patient history and clinical examination in predicting time to return to sport after acute hamstring injuries: a prospective cohort of 180 male athletes. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2015, 49, 1579-1587.	6.7	64
13	Musculoskeletal Screening Tests and Bony Hip Morphology Cannot Identify Male Professional Soccer Players at Risk of Groin Injuries: A 2-Year Prospective Cohort Study. <i>American Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2018, 46, 1294-1305.	4.2	46
14	COVID-19 Lockdowns: A Worldwide Survey of Circadian Rhythms and Sleep Quality in 3911 Athletes from 49 Countries, with Data-Driven Recommendations. <i>Sports Medicine</i> , 2022, 52, 1433-1448.	6.5	45
15	Skeletal maturation and growth rates are related to bone and growth plate injuries in adolescent athletics. <i>Scandinavian Journal of Medicine and Science in Sports</i> , 2020, 30, 894-903.	2.9	44
16	Severely vitamin D-deficient athletes present smaller hearts than sufficient athletes. <i>European Journal of Preventive Cardiology</i> , 2015, 22, 535-542.	1.8	43
17	Impact of Ramadan intermittent fasting on cognitive function in trained cyclists: a pilot study. <i>Biology of Sport</i> , 2016, 33, 49-56.	3.2	43
18	Hamstring and Ankle Flexibility Deficits Are Weak Risk Factors for Hamstring Injury in Professional Soccer Players: A Prospective Cohort Study of 438 Players Including 78 Injuries. <i>American Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2018, 46, 2203-2210.	4.2	43

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19	ECG and morphologic adaptations in Arabic athletes: are the European Society of Cardiology's recommendations for the interpretation of the 12-lead ECG appropriate for this ethnicity?. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2014, 48, 1138-1143.	6.7	36
20	Injury incidence and burden in a youth elite football academy: a four-season prospective study of 551 players aged from under 9 to under 19 years. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2021, 55, 493-500.	6.7	36
21	Obesity in young children and its relationship with diagnosis of asthma, vitamin D deficiency, iron deficiency, specific allergies and flat-footedness: A systematic review and meta-analysis. <i>Obesity Reviews</i> , 2021, 22, e13129.	6.5	35
22	A Prospective Study of the Physiological and Neurobehavioral Effects of Ramadan Fasting in Preadolescent and Teenage Boys. <i>Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics</i> , 2015, 115, 889-897.	0.8	31
23	Intra- and interrater reliability of three different MRI grading and classification systems after acute hamstring injuries. <i>European Journal of Radiology</i> , 2017, 89, 182-190.	2.6	31
24	Technical and physical analysis of the 2014 FIFA World Cup Brazil: winners vs. losers. <i>Journal of Sports Medicine and Physical Fitness</i> , 2017, 57, 1338-1343.	0.7	28
25	Why don't serum vitamin D concentrations associate with BMD by DXA? A case of being "bound" to the wrong assay? Implications for vitamin D screening. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2018, 52, 522-526.	6.7	28
26	Inter-relationship between sleep quality, insomnia and sleep disorders in professional soccer players. <i>BMJ Open Sport and Exercise Medicine</i> , 2019, 5, e000498.	2.9	28
27	Muscle Strength Is a Poor Screening Test for Predicting Lower Extremity Injuries in Professional Male Soccer Players: A 2-Year Prospective Cohort Study. <i>American Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2018, 46, 1481-1491.	4.2	26
28	No Association between Vitamin D Deficiency and Markers of Bone Health in Athletes. <i>Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise</i> , 2015, 47, 782-788.	0.4	23
29	Lockdown Duration and Training Intensity Affect Sleep Behavior in an International Sample of 1,454 Elite Athletes. <i>Frontiers in Physiology</i> , 0, 13, .	2.8	22
30	Impact of Climatic Conditions on Physical Activity: A 2-Year Cohort Study in the Arabian Gulf Region. <i>Journal of Physical Activity and Health</i> , 2016, 13, 929-937.	2.0	21
31	The Association between Chronic Arsenic Exposure and Hypertension: A Meta-Analysis. <i>Journal of Toxicology</i> , 2012, 2012, 1-13.	3.0	20
32	Health status, heat preparation strategies and medical events among elite cyclists who competed in the heat at the 2016 UCI Road World Cycling Championships in Qatar. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2020, 54, 1003-1007.	6.7	20
33	Injury prevention knowledge, beliefs and strategies in elite female footballers at the FIFA Women's World Cup France 2019. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2021, 55, 801-806.	6.7	20
34	Influence of accurate and inaccurate "split-time" feedback upon 10-mile time trial cycling performance. <i>European Journal of Applied Physiology</i> , 2012, 112, 231-236.	2.5	19
35	Influence of Weather, Rank, and Home Advantage on Football Outcomes in the Gulf Region. <i>Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise</i> , 2015, 47, 401-410.	0.4	19
36	School-time physical activity among Arab elementary school children in Qatar. <i>BMC Pediatrics</i> , 2017, 17, 76.	1.7	19

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37	Submaximal, Perceptually Regulated Exercise Testing Predicts Maximal Oxygen Uptake: A Meta-Analysis Study. <i>Sports Medicine</i> , 2016, 46, 885-897.	6.5	18
38	Three Days of Intermittent Fasting: Repeated-Sprint Performance Decreased by Vertical-Stiffness Impairment. <i>International Journal of Sports Physiology and Performance</i> , 2017, 12, 287-294.	2.3	18
39	The functional movement test 9+ is a poor screening test for lower extremity injuries in professional male football players: a 2-year prospective cohort study. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2018, 52, 1047-1053.	6.7	18
40	Compelling overuse injury incidence in youth multisport athletes. <i>European Journal of Sport Science</i> , 2017, 17, 495-502.	2.7	17
41	The influence of changes in trunk and pelvic posture during single leg standing on hip and thigh muscle activation in a pain free population. <i>BMC Sports Science, Medicine and Rehabilitation</i> , 2014, 6, 13.	1.7	16
42	Longitudinal changes in vigorous intensity physical activity from childhood to adolescence: Gateshead Millennium Study. <i>Journal of Science and Medicine in Sport</i> , 2019, 22, 450-455.	1.3	16
43	Shedding light on incidence and burden of physal injuries in a youth elite football academy: A 4â€season prospective study. <i>Scandinavian Journal of Medicine and Science in Sports</i> , 2022, 32, 165-176.	2.9	16
44	COVID-19 Lockdown: A Global Study Investigating the Effect of Athletesâ€™ Sport Classification and Sex on Training Practices. <i>International Journal of Sports Physiology and Performance</i> , 2022, 17, 1242-1256.	2.3	16
45	Does Ramadan Affect the Risk of Injury in Professional Football?. <i>Clinical Journal of Sport Medicine</i> , 2013, 23, 261-266.	1.8	15
46	Utility of the anterior reach Y-BALANCE test as an injury risk screening tool in elite male youth soccer players. <i>Physical Therapy in Sport</i> , 2020, 45, 103-110.	1.9	15
47	Gender Differences in Fat Distribution and Inflammatory Markers among Arabs. <i>Mediators of Inflammation</i> , 2013, 2013, 1-7.	3.0	14
48	Effect of a pedometer-based walking challenge on increasing physical activity levels amongst hospital workers. <i>Archives of Public Health</i> , 2019, 77, 40.	2.4	14
49	Knowledge, beliefs and attitudes of Muslim footballers towards Ramadan fasting during the London 2012 Olympics: a cross-sectional study. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2016, 6, e012848.	1.9	14
50	Evidence of subâ€optimal sleep in adolescent Middle Eastern academy soccer players which is exacerbated by sleep intermission proximal to dawn^{â€}. <i>European Journal of Sport Science</i> , 2017, 17, 1110-1118.	2.7	13
51	Interventions to Increase <sc>Moderateâ€toâ€Vigorous</sc> Physical Activity in Elementary School Physical Education Lessons: Systematic Review. <i>Journal of School Health</i> , 2021, 91, 836-845.	1.6	13
52	Regression Analysis of Perceived Stress among Elite Athletes from Changes in Diet, Routine and Well-Being: Effects of the COVID-19 Lockdown and â€Bubbleâ€ Training Camps. <i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health</i> , 2022, 19, 402.	2.6	13
53	Ramadan Observance Exacerbated the Negative Effects of COVID-19 Lockdown on Sleep and Training Behaviors: A International Survey on 1,681 Muslim Athletes. <i>Frontiers in Nutrition</i> , 0, 9, .	3.7	13
54	Repeated-sprints exercise in daylight fasting: carbohydrate mouth rinsing does not affect sprint and reaction time performance. <i>Biology of Sport</i> , 2018, 35, 237-244.	3.2	10

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55	Convergent and construct validity and test-retest reliability of the Caen Chronotype Questionnaire in six languages. <i>Chronobiology International</i> , 2018, 35, 1294-1304.	2.0	10
56	Lunacy revisited – the myth of the full moon: are football injuries related to the lunar cycle?. <i>Chronobiology International</i> , 2018, 35, 1385-1390.	2.0	10
57	Sports injuries aligned to predicted mature height in highly trained Middle-Eastern youth athletes: a cohort study. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2019, 9, e023284.	1.9	9
58	Age, player position and 2 min suspensions were associated with match injuries during the 2017 Men's Handball World Championship (France). <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2019, 53, 436-441.	6.7	8
59	Repeated Sprints in Fasted State Impair Reaction Time Performance. <i>Journal of the American College of Nutrition</i> , 2017, 36, 210-217.	1.8	7
60	The Association between Obesity and Cognitive Function in Otherwise Healthy Premenopausal Arab Women. <i>Journal of Obesity</i> , 2018, 2018, 1-7.	2.7	7
61	Subjective and Objective Responses to Two Rugby Sevens World Series Competitions. <i>Journal of Strength and Conditioning Research</i> , 2019, 33, 1043-1055.	2.1	7
62	Does passive heat acclimation impact the athlete's heart continuum?. <i>European Journal of Preventive Cardiology</i> , 2020, 27, 553-555.	1.8	5
63	Early versus delayed lengthening exercises for acute hamstring injury in male athletes: a randomised controlled clinical trial. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2022, 56, 792-800.	6.7	5
64	Alarming poor oral health in international athletes competing in the Middle East. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2019, 53, 1038-1039.	6.7	4
65	Moderate-To-Vigorous Intensity Physical Activity and Sedentary Behaviour across Childhood and Adolescence, and Their Combined Relationship with Obesity Risk: A Multi-Trajectory Analysis. <i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health</i> , 2021, 18, 7421.	2.6	4
66	Failure to Launch: Predictors of Unfavourable Physical Activity and Sedentary Behaviour Trajectories from Childhood to Adolescence: The Gateshead Millennium Study. <i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health</i> , 2021, 18, 13283.	2.6	3
67	A Retrospective Study of Non-Communicable Diseases amongst Blue-Collar Migrant Workers in Qatar. <i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health</i> , 2022, 19, 2266.	2.6	2
68	Effects Of Ramadan Fasting On Repeated Sprint Ability In Young Children. <i>Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise</i> , 2011, 43, 666.	0.4	1
69	Effects Of Ramadan Fasting On Body Composition, Energy Expenditure And Hematology In Young Boys. <i>Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise</i> , 2011, 43, 270.	0.4	0
70	Ramadan Intermittent Fasting Effect On Reaction Time And Sustained Attention At Rest In Elite Cyclists. <i>Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise</i> , 2014, 46, 463.	0.4	0
71	Soccer Injury Rates When Ramadan Occurs At The Season-start In Conjunction With A Competitive Tournament. <i>Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise</i> , 2015, 47, 897.	0.4	0
72	No Association Between Vitamin D Status And Markers Of Bone Health In Non-weight Bearing Athletes. <i>Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise</i> , 2016, 48, 307-308.	0.4	0

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73	The Effect of Ramadan Month on Changes in Objectively Assessed Physical Activity in Adults. <i>Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise</i> , 2017, 49, 916.	0.4	0
74	Carbohydrate Mouth Rinsing Procedure during Repeated-sprints Exercise in Fasted State. <i>Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise</i> , 2017, 49, 961.	0.4	0
75	Preliminary Evidence Of Sub-optimal Sleep Durations In Trained Middle Eastern Adolescent Soccer Players. <i>Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise</i> , 2017, 49, 707.	0.4	0
76	Soccer Injury Rates When Ramadan Occurs At The Season-start In Conjunction With A Competitive Tournament. <i>Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise</i> , 2016, 48, 869.	0.4	0