

VALIDITY AND RELIABILITY OF GAME PERFORMANCE INSTRUMENT IN VOLLEYBALL

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SUMMARY PLUS

The purpose of this study was to test the reliability and validity of the Game Performance Instrument (Oslin, Mitchel, & Griffin, 1998) in Greek Volleyball athletes. 84 junior and young Volleyball athletes 11-21 years old ($M = 15.2$, $SD = 3.3$) were randomly selected from four age levels. Athletes were videotaped in 4 games, 10 minutes each. According the criteria of the instrument, two coaches evaluated athletes' game performance. The test-retest results indicated satisfactory reliability in all factors of the instrument. The ANOVA results revealed significant differences between the three groups. The results indicated that the instrument is reliable and valid instrument that could be used to evaluate Volleyball athletes' game performance.

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