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## INTRODUCTION

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#### **METHODS**

Participant or population: In a randomized controlled trial, the participants are healthy adults, aged between 18-40, with or without training experience, the warm-up method is dynamic stretching or static stretching, and no sports supplements (glucose, creatine) are taken during the test. And sports drinks, etc.), test collection indicators include vertical jump or sprint test.

Intervention: Dynamic stretch.

Comparator: Static stretch.

Study designs to be included: The literature screening process is completed by two independent researchers. By reading the title and abstract. research literature that does not meet the inclusion criteria of this study is eliminated, and the full text of the included literature is further read to eliminate the inconsistency of the physiological index method or time in the evaluation of this study. Related research literature. And then determine the final inclusion in the literature. Extracting features of included literature in Excel includes: first author and publication time, research object, age, sample size, intervention.

Eligibility criteria: Randomized controlled trial, The participants are healthy adults, aged between 18-40, with or without training experience, The warm-up method is dynamic stretching or static stretching, and no sports supplements (glucose, creatine) are taken during the test. And sports drinks, etc.), The test collection indicators include vertical jump or sprint test. Information sources: Google Scholar, WOS, PubMed.

Main outcome(s): Acute effects of dynamic stretching, static stretching on vertical jump and sprint performance. The main outcome indicators include explosive power (vertical jump), sprint indicators (10meter sprint, 20-meter sprint, 30-meter sprint).

Quality assessment / Risk of bias analysis: The methodological risk bias evaluation of the literature refers to the Cochrane system evaluation standard to evaluate the quality of the included literature. The method includes 6 evaluation items: (1) random allocation method; (2) allocation plan hiding; (3) research object and treatment plan Implementers and measurers of research results use blind methods; (4) Data integrity of results; (5) Selective reporting of research results; (6) Other sources of bias. The three symbols of "areen dot" (with clear description). "red dot" (without clear description), and "yellow dot" (unknown or insufficient description) are used to evaluate each included literature, as shown in Figure 2 and Figure 3. The modified version of the Jadad scale was used to evaluate the quality of 13 included literatures. The evaluation criteria were: 1-3 as low quality and 4-7 as high quality.

Strategy of data synthesis: RevMan5.3 software was used for statistical analysis. All outcome indicators in this study are continuous data. If the outcome indicators use different scales and units, the Standard Mean Difference (SMD) is used as the effect indicator. If the outcome indicators use the same scale and unit, The weighted mean difference (WMD) is used as the effect indicator. Each effect size was expressed with 95% CI, and the difference was statistically significant with p0.1, 12<50%, it means that the heterogeneity between studies is small, and the fixedeffects model is used for Meta analysis; when p50%, It means that the heterogeneity between the studies is large. and the random effects model is used for

Meta analysis, and the source of heterogeneity is found through subgroup analysis or sensitivity analysis.

Subgroup analysis: A subgroup analysis is conducted based on the participants' sports experience. Training experience includes: elementary (without any training experience or physical training for less than 1 year), intermediate (with 1-2 years of physical training experience), and advanced (with more than 2 years of physical training experience).

Sensitivity analysis: Re-analyze the metaanalysis through sensitivity analysis of the 13 included articles, including changing different effect models and eliminating individual studies one by one, etc.

Country(ies) involved: China.

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