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### INTRODUCTION

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Condition being studied: Participants in mental fatigue condition.

### **METHODS**

Search strategy: Web of Science, Pubmed, EBSCOhost(CENTRAL, SPORTDicus), and Scopus.

Participant or population: Participants exerted racket sports or related to racket sports.

Intervention: Cognitive tasks for inducing mental fatigue.

Comparator: Non mental fatigue.

Study designs to be included: RCTs, nRCTs, nRnCTs.

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Main outcome(s): Physical, technical, and cognitive performance.

Quality assessment / Risk of bias analysis: "Qualsyst" will be the assessing tool.

Strategy of data synthesis: narrative synthesis will be conducted in the review.

Subgroup analysis: None.

Sensitivity analysis: None.

Country(ies) involved: China/ Malaysia.

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