

## **DIFFERENCES BETWEEN SOME ANTHROPOMETRIC PARAMETERS AND MOTOR SKILLS BETWEEN JUNIOR AND CADET VOLLEYBALL PLAYERS**

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### **Abstract**

This study was carried out in order to find the main differences between some anthropometric parameters and motor skills. More precisely, it is intended to reach information and added values about the differences in the development of anthropometric and motor skills between junior and cadet volleyball players, where the sample of this study are the players of KV Drita in Gjilan. Within the selection of tests, are included those tests which are adapted to the type of sport, and which are suitable for the age of the players and also for the conditions for measurement.

From the anthropometric tests are selected 13 (thirteen) variables and one test feature, which is BMI, while for the motor skills tests, we selected 7 (seven) variables.

In the method of processing the results, to analyze the results of the anthropometric parameters and basic motor skills, are used statistical and qualitative work methods, while in order to provide a more specific and accurate research, is also used the method of literature analysis, the method of historical analysis and the method of comparative analysis. With the help of the tests and working methods used in this study, it was possible to prove that there are significant differences between anthropometric parameters and motor skills between junior and cadet volleyball players. All this achieved through theoretical data which undoubtedly have also influenced the appearance of very important practical data, which can be applied in the future by other researchers.

*Keywords:* players, volleyball, characteristics, parameters, variables, motor skills.

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### **1. Introduction**

Physical education, sports and recreation are an inseparable part of physical culture as well as everyday life, in this context volleyball is also included as one of the biggest team sports belonging to the group of collective games. Volleyball like collective sport has an added value for society and as such since the early times it has taken on large development dimensions in different countries of the world including Kosovo as well as being placed in the programs of clubs, school federations as one of the most important sports games. The game of volleyball is characterized by fast and dynamic movements that include jumps, shots, passes and receptions, blocks, etc., volleyball also includes high psychomotor skills, sensitivity to time and space, accuracy and necessary balance, etc.

As in other sports, a certain level of anthropometric characteristics and motor skills is required in volleyball, and at the same time there are always demands for their improvement according to the conditions and situations created. Knowing that playing and training in volleyball affects tempering, strengthening and developing health. Volleyball, like other sports, requires a certain

level of morphological characteristics and motor skills in order for players to act successfully in situational conditions. From what was said above, it is clear that continuous theoretical research and practical verification of the mentioned specifics is necessary, and in volleyball this would also mean the verification of some morphological characteristics. In addition to the diversity of sports, which is obvious, there is a diversity of skill structures and anthropological characteristics among athletes, because if there were no research on equipment, methods and training loads, as well as their influence on their development, would be meaningless and unnecessary (Gaurav, Singh, and Singh, 2011). Thinking of volleyball as a sports lifestyle in the whole sports system, we can define it as an extremely complex phenomenon.

### **Work method**

The samples collected for this research were taken from the female volleyball players of the Drita volleyball club in Gjilan, where the samples of 60 volleyball players were taken for the study and were divided based on the competition category, 30 volleyball players from the junior category and 30 from the cadet category. The tests were conducted in the internal premises of the club (sports hall), respectively during the training of the club. Testing of anthropometric variables and motor skills are described in detail as follows: : 1. APESHA - body weight, 2. ALARTE - Body height, 3. APGJOK - Chest circumference, 4. AGJKR - Arm length, 5. AGJSHD - Palm length, 6. AGJKE - Leg length (femur), 7. AIDHLBA - Subcutaneous adipose tissue of the abdomen, 8. AIDHSPR - Subcutaneous adipose tissue of the suprailiac, 9. AIDHBI - Subcutaneous adipose tissue of the biceps, 10. AIDHTR - Subcutaneous adipose tissue of the triceps, 11. AIDHSHP - Subcutaneous adipose tissue of the spine, 12. AIDHKO - Subcutaneous adipose tissue of the thigh, 13. AIDHNGJ - Subcutaneous adipose tissue of the lower knee, 14. BMI - BMI (body mass index), 15. MV10M - 10M Run, 16. MV20M - 20M Run, 17. MTPD - Hand Taping, 18. MTPK - Foot Taping, 19. MKVL - High Jump, 20. T-Test - T-Test, 21. TAILL - Illinois agility test.

### **Results and discussions**

After the completion of the samples taken from the tested group and their description, we processed the findings through the SPSS software program. For the group of test subjects, in table 1 we have presented the basic statistical parameters of the anthropometric characteristics of volleyball players from the junior category, in table 2 we have described the basic statistical parameters of the motor skills of volleyball players from the junior category, where the calculation of the basic statistical parameters that show the value of the minimum result (Minimum), the maximum result (Maximum), the average values (Mean), the average values of the standard deviation (Std.Deviation), the result of the curvature (Skewness), the probability distribution (Kurtosis), the coefficient of variation (Kv) . In table 3 we present the anthropometric correlations of the junior category volleyball players, while in table 4 the correlations of the motor skills of the junior category volleyball players. Table 5 shows the basic statistical parameters of the anthropometric characteristics of the cadet category volleyball players, while table 6 shows the basic statistical parameters of the anthropometric characteristics of the cadet category volleyball players. In table 7 we have presented the

anthropometric correlations of the cadet category volleyball players, while in table 8 the correlations of the motor skills of the cadet category volleyball players. Table 9 presents the independent sample T-Test results of the volleyball players of both cadet-junior categories.

**Table 1.** Basic statistical parameters of anthropometric characteristics of volleyball players from the junior category.

| <b>Junioret Antropometri-Deskripcion</b> | N  | Minimum | Maximum | Mean   | Std. Deviation | Skewness | Kurtosis | Kv    |
|------------------------------------------|----|---------|---------|--------|----------------|----------|----------|-------|
| APESHA                                   | 30 | 47.59   | 73.8    | 61.87  | 6.81           | -0.041   | -0.668   | 11.01 |
| ALARTE                                   | 30 | 165     | 184     | 173.33 | 5.00           | 0.374    | -0.61    | 2.88  |
| APGJOK                                   | 30 | 71      | 98.6    | 81.33  | 6.62           | 1.052    | 0.927    | 8.13  |
| AGJKR                                    | 30 | 72.9    | 81.6    | 76.25  | 2.27           | 0.396    | -0.521   | 2.97  |
| AGJSHD                                   | 30 | 17.9    | 20      | 19.02  | 0.56           | 0.098    | -0.771   | 2.94  |
| AGJKE                                    | 30 | 91.4    | 101.6   | 95.40  | 2.53           | 0.48     | -0.257   | 2.66  |
| AIDHLBA                                  | 30 | 5       | 23      | 12.17  | 4.60           | 0.636    | 0.096    | 37.78 |
| AIDHSPR                                  | 30 | 4.4     | 19.8    | 10.54  | 4.00           | 0.65     | 0.107    | 37.99 |
| AIDHBI                                   | 30 | 2.8     | 10.6    | 6.28   | 2.50           | 0.104    | -1.143   | 39.74 |
| AIDHTR                                   | 30 | 3       | 17.3    | 10.28  | 4.27           | -0.058   | -1.061   | 41.53 |
| AIDHSHP                                  | 30 | 4.4     | 19.1    | 11.42  | 4.06           | 0.043    | -0.963   | 35.53 |
| AIDHKO                                   | 30 | 3.1     | 20.6    | 10.52  | 4.54           | 0.178    | -0.626   | 43.17 |
| AIDHNGJ                                  | 30 | 3.9     | 17.4    | 11.01  | 4.00           | -0.299   | -1.105   | 36.29 |
| BMI                                      | 30 | 16.7    | 23.2    | 20.54  | 1.60           | -0.72    | 0.05     | 7.80  |

**Table 2.** The basic statistical parameters of the motor skills of volleyball players from the junior category.

| <b>Junioret Motorikë-Deskripcion</b> | N  | Minimum | Maximum | Mean  | Std. Deviation | Skewness | Kurtosis | Kv    |
|--------------------------------------|----|---------|---------|-------|----------------|----------|----------|-------|
| MV10M                                | 30 | 2.06    | 2.73    | 2.21  | 0.19           | 1.691    | 2.148    | 8.68  |
| MV20M                                | 30 | 3.12    | 4.18    | 3.41  | 0.24           | 1.453    | 2.332    | 7.16  |
| MTPD                                 | 30 | 30      | 48      | 38.53 | 5.41           | 0.261    | -1.033   | 14.03 |
| MTPK                                 | 30 | 22      | 36      | 29.47 | 4.34           | -0.072   | -1.265   | 14.72 |
| MKVL                                 | 30 | 30      | 48      | 38.87 | 5.01           | 0.16     | -0.807   | 12.89 |
| TTEST                                | 30 | 11.28   | 15.28   | 12.86 | 1.05           | 0.737    | -0.326   | 8.20  |
| TAILL                                | 30 | 16.03   | 21.34   | 18.26 | 1.54           | 0.687    | -0.537   | 8.42  |

**Table 3.** Anthropometric correlations of volleyball players from the junior category.

**Correlations**

| <b>Junioret Antropometri-Korelacion</b> | APE SHA             | ALA RTE | APG JOK | AGJ KR | AGJ SHD | AGJ KE | AIDH LBA | AID HSP R | AID HBI | AID HTR | AIDH SHP | AID HKO | AIDH NGJ | BMI  |        |
|-----------------------------------------|---------------------|---------|---------|--------|---------|--------|----------|-----------|---------|---------|----------|---------|----------|------|--------|
| APESHA                                  | Pearson Correlation | 1       | .740**  | .559** | .771**  | .756** | .646**   | .280      | .256    | .266    | .271     | .131    | .238     | .312 | .858** |
|                                         | Sig. (2-tailed)     |         | .000    | .001   | .000    | .000   | .000     | .134      | .171    | .155    | .147     | .491    | .206     | .093 | .000   |
|                                         | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30      | 30     | 30       | 30        | 30      | 30      | 30       | 30      | 30       | 30   | 30     |
| ALARTE                                  | Pearson Correlation | .740**  | 1       | .263   | .901**  | .888** | .878**   | .241      | .231    | .177    | .212     | .052    | .167     | .293 | .291   |

|          |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|----------|---------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .000   |        | .161   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .199   | .220   | .348   | .262   | .787   | .379   | .116   | .118   |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |
| APGJOK   | Pearson Correlation | .559** | .263   | 1      | .303   | .229   | .248   | .412*  | .409*  | .304   | .316   | .205   | .336   | .388*  | .600** |
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .001   | .161   |        | .104   | .224   | .187   | .024   | .025   | .103   | .089   | .277   | .069   | .034   | .000   |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |
| AGJKR    | Pearson Correlation | .771** | .901** | .303   | 1      | .859** | .853** | .278   | .264   | .259   | .284   | .041   | .120   | .284   | .411*  |
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .000   | .000   | .104   |        | .000   | .000   | .138   | .158   | .168   | .128   | .829   | .526   | .128   | .024   |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |
| AGJSHD   | Pearson Correlation | .756** | .888** | .229   | .859** | 1      | .807** | .240   | .227   | .143   | .172   | .008   | .133   | .246   | .401*  |
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .000   | .000   | .224   | .000   |        | .000   | .202   | .228   | .451   | .363   | .966   | .484   | .191   | .028   |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |
| AGJKE    | Pearson Correlation | .646** | .878** | .248   | .853** | .807** | 1      | .192   | .186   | .178   | .211   | -.017  | .066   | .213   | .246   |
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .000   | .000   | .187   | .000   | .000   |        | .308   | .325   | .347   | .263   | .930   | .730   | .259   | .190   |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |
| AIDHLB A | Pearson Correlation | .280   | .241   | .412*  | .278   | .240   | .192   | 1      | .997** | .795** | .789** | .618** | .856** | .806** | .200   |
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .134   | .199   | .024   | .138   | .202   | .308   |        | .000   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .289   |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |
| AIDHSP R | Pearson Correlation | .256   | .231   | .409*  | .264   | .227   | .186   | .997** | 1      | .786** | .781** | .612** | .848** | .809** | .174   |
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .171   | .220   | .025   | .158   | .228   | .325   | .000   |        | .000   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .357   |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |
| AIDHBI   | Pearson Correlation | .266   | .177   | .304   | .259   | .143   | .178   | .795** | .786** | 1      | .992** | .862** | .858** | .852** | .231   |
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .155   | .348   | .103   | .168   | .451   | .347   | .000   | .000   |        | .000   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .219   |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |
| AIDHTR   | Pearson Correlation | .271   | .212   | .316   | .284   | .172   | .211   | .789** | .781** | .992** | 1      | .883** | .869** | .877** | .212   |
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .147   | .262   | .089   | .128   | .363   | .263   | .000   | .000   | .000   |        | .000   | .000   | .000   | .262   |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |
| AIDHSH P | Pearson Correlation | .131   | .052   | .205   | .041   | .008   | -.017  | .618** | .612** | .862** | .883** | 1      | .885** | .854** | .137   |
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .491   | .787   | .277   | .829   | .966   | .930   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .000   |        | .000   | .000   | .469   |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |
| AIDHKO   | Pearson Correlation | .238   | .167   | .336   | .120   | .133   | .066   | .856** | .848** | .858** | .869** | .885** | 1      | .906** | .199   |
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .206   | .379   | .069   | .526   | .484   | .730   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .000   |        | .000   | .293   |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |
| AIDHNG J | Pearson Correlation | .312   | .293   | .388*  | .284   | .246   | .213   | .806** | .809** | .852** | .877** | .854** | .906** | 1      | .201   |
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .093   | .116   | .034   | .128   | .191   | .259   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .000   |        | .287   |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |
| BMI      | Pearson Correlation | .858** | .291   | .600** | .411*  | .401*  | .246   | .200   | .174   | .231   | .212   | .137   | .199   | .201   | 1      |
|          | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .000   | .118   | .000   | .024   | .028   | .190   | .289   | .357   | .219   | .262   | .469   | .293   | .287   |        |
|          | N                   | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     |

\*\* . Correlation is significant at the 0.01 level (2-tailed).

\* . Correlation is significant at the 0.05 level (2-tailed).

**Table 4.** Correlations of motor skills of volleyball players from the junior category.

| <b>Correlations</b>                   |                     |         |         |        |        |         |         |         |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---------|---------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| <b>Junioret – Motorikë-Korelacion</b> |                     | MV10M   | MV20M   | MTPD   | MTPK   | MKVL    | TTEST   | TAILL   |
| MV10M                                 | Pearson Correlation | 1       | .844**  | -.163  | -.114  | -.688** | .816**  | .719**  |
|                                       | Sig. (2-tailed)     |         | .000    | .390   | .550   | .000    | .000    | .000    |
|                                       | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30      | 30      |
| MV20M                                 | Pearson Correlation | .844**  | 1       | -.252  | -.161  | -.773** | .893**  | .831**  |
|                                       | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .000    |         | .180   | .395   | .000    | .000    | .000    |
|                                       | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30      | 30      |
| MTPD                                  | Pearson Correlation | -.163   | -.252   | 1      | .816** | .142    | -.204   | -.131   |
|                                       | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .390    | .180    |        | .000   | .456    | .280    | .491    |
|                                       | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30      | 30      |
| MTPK                                  | Pearson Correlation | -.114   | -.161   | .816** | 1      | .246    | -.170   | -.167   |
|                                       | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .550    | .395    | .000   |        | .190    | .369    | .378    |
|                                       | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30      | 30      |
| MKVL                                  | Pearson Correlation | -.688** | -.773** | .142   | .246   | 1       | -.768** | -.769** |
|                                       | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .000    | .000    | .456   | .190   |         | .000    | .000    |
|                                       | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30      | 30      |
| TTEST                                 | Pearson Correlation | .816**  | .893**  | -.204  | -.170  | -.768** | 1       | .950**  |
|                                       | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .000    | .000    | .280   | .369   | .000    |         | .000    |
|                                       | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30      | 30      |
| TAILL                                 | Pearson Correlation | .719**  | .831**  | -.131  | -.167  | -.769** | .950**  | 1       |
|                                       | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .000    | .000    | .491   | .378   | .000    | .000    |         |
|                                       | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30      | 30      |

\*\* . Correlation is significant at the 0.01 level (2-tailed).

**Table 5.** Basic statistical parameters of anthropometric characteristics of volleyball players from the cadet category.

| <b>Kadet Antropometri Deskripsi</b> | N  | Minimum | Maximum | Mean     | Std. Deviation | Skewness | Kurtosis | Kv    |
|-------------------------------------|----|---------|---------|----------|----------------|----------|----------|-------|
| APESHA                              | 30 | 40      | 80      | 51.9667  | 11.69876       | 0.991    | 0.022    | 22.51 |
| ALARTE                              | 30 | 145     | 173     | 157.5333 | 7.32842        | 0.277    | -0.562   | 4.65  |
| APGJOK                              | 30 | 66      | 92      | 76.0333  | 7.80576        | 0.546    | -0.92    | 10.27 |
| AGJKR                               | 30 | 63.8    | 76.12   | 69.2793  | 3.30389        | 0.304    | -0.801   | 4.77  |
| AGJSHD                              | 30 | 15.3    | 19      | 16.9467  | 0.96087        | 0.33     | -0.691   | 5.67  |
| AGJKE                               | 30 | 83      | 103     | 92.7333  | 5.13227        | 0.201    | -0.686   | 5.53  |
| AIDHLBA                             | 30 | 5.8     | 31.6    | 13.8933  | 6.05964        | 1.854    | 3.081    | 43.62 |
| AIDHSPR                             | 30 | 4.9     | 28.6    | 12.0667  | 5.31565        | 1.849    | 3.387    | 44.05 |
| AIDHBI                              | 30 | 4.4     | 16.9    | 9.2267   | 3.11104        | 0.649    | 0.096    | 33.72 |
| AIDHTR                              | 30 | 7.4     | 28.2    | 15.1667  | 4.97056        | 0.711    | 0.425    | 32.77 |
| AIDHSHP                             | 30 | 6.8     | 29      | 11.7533  | 4.54698        | 2.044    | 6.004    | 38.69 |
| AIDHKO                              | 30 | 6.8     | 29.2    | 12.4633  | 5.42964        | 1.93     | 3.436    | 43.57 |
| AIDHNGJ                             | 30 | 6.6     | 24.9    | 11.4133  | 4.31395        | 1.946    | 3.583    | 37.80 |
| BMI                                 | 30 | 16.3    | 28.2    | 21.09    | 3.43063        | 0.733    | -0.572   | 16.27 |

**Table 6.** Basic statistical parameters of the motor skills of volleyball players from the cadet category.

| <b>Kadet Motorik Deskripsi</b> | N  | Minimum | Maximum | Mean    | Std. Deviation | Skewness | Kurtosis | Kv    |
|--------------------------------|----|---------|---------|---------|----------------|----------|----------|-------|
| MV10M                          | 30 | 2.02    | 2.9     | 2.2417  | 0.22513        | 1.58     | 1.874    | 10.04 |
| MV20M                          | 30 | 3.19    | 4.2     | 3.4837  | 0.29866        | 1.178    | 0.445    | 8.57  |
| MTPD                           | 30 | 25      | 43      | 32.7    | 4.61743        | -0.094   | -0.522   | 14.12 |
| MTPK                           | 30 | 14      | 29      | 23.3667 | 3.6529         | -0.666   | 0.044    | 15.63 |
| MKVL                           | 30 | 23      | 39      | 31.7333 | 4.45617        | -0.417   | -0.648   | 14.04 |
| TTEST                          | 30 | 12.2    | 16.1    | 13.4233 | 1.06599        | 1.261    | 0.727    | 7.94  |
| TAILL                          | 30 | 17.6    | 21.4    | 19.14   | 0.94417        | 0.624    | 0.61     | 4.93  |

**Table 7.** Anthropometric correlations of volleyball players from the cadet category.

| <b>Correlations</b>                  |         |         |        |        |        |        |         |         |        |        |         |        |         |       |  |
|--------------------------------------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|--------|--------|---------|--------|---------|-------|--|
| <b>Kadet Antropometri Korelacion</b> | APE SHA | ALART E | APGJOK | AGJKR  | AGJSHD | AGJKE  | AIDHLBA | AIDHSPR | AIDHBI | AIDHTR | AIDHSHP | AIDHKO | AIDHNGJ | BMI   |  |
| APESHA                               | 1       | .617*   | .932*  | .631** | .594** | .650** | .654**  | .597*   | .547** | .527*  | .462*   | .588*  | .612*   | .895* |  |
|                                      |         | .000    | .000   | .000   | .001   | .000   | .000    | .000    | .002   | .003   | .010    | .001   | .000    | .000  |  |
|                                      | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30     | 30      | 30    |  |
| ALART E                              | .617**  | 1       | .463*  | .990** | .790** | .910** | .372*   | .318    | .211   | .181   | .248    | .301   | .332    | .217  |  |
|                                      | .000    |         | .010   | .000   | .000   | .000   | .043    | .087    | .262   | .339   | .187    | .106   | .073    | .250  |  |
|                                      | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30     | 30      | 30    |  |
| APGJOK                               | .932**  | .463*   | 1      | .494** | .434*  | .561** | .540**  | .471*   | .415*  | .393*  | .350    | .453*  | .482*   | .901* |  |
|                                      | .000    | .010    |        | .005   | .016   | .001   | .002    | .009    | .022   | .031   | .058    | .012   | .007    | .000  |  |
|                                      | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30     | 30      | 30    |  |
| AGJKR                                | .631**  | .990*   | .494*  | 1      | .771** | .922** | .355    | .288    | .192   | .159   | .202    | .267   | .302    | .243  |  |
|                                      | .000    | .000    | .005   |        | .000   | .000   | .054    | .122    | .310   | .401   | .284    | .154   | .105    | .196  |  |
|                                      | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30     | 30      | 30     | 30      | 30    |  |

|             |                        |        |       |       |        |        |        |        |       |        |       |       |       |       |       |
|-------------|------------------------|--------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| AGJSH<br>D  | Pearson<br>Correlation | .594** | .790* | .434* | .771** | 1      | .736** | .221   | .205  | .455*  | .424* | .406* | .230  | .236  | .284  |
|             | Sig. (2-tailed)        | .001   | .000  | .016  | .000   |        | .000   | .240   | .276  | .012   | .020  | .026  | .220  | .210  | .128  |
|             | N                      | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30    | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    |
| AGJKE       | Pearson<br>Correlation | .650** | .910* | .561* | .922** | .736** | 1      | .340   | .262  | .194   | .167  | .123  | .239  | .280  | .330  |
|             | Sig. (2-tailed)        | .000   | .000  | .001  | .000   | .000   |        | .066   | .162  | .304   | .378  | .518  | .203  | .133  | .075  |
|             | N                      | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30    | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    |
| AIDHL<br>BA | Pearson<br>Correlation | .654** | .372* | .540* | .355   | .221   | .340   | 1      | .980* | .684** | .681* | .634* | .970* | .984* | .604* |
|             | Sig. (2-tailed)        | .000   | .043  | .002  | .054   | .240   | .066   |        | .000  | .000   | .000  | .000  | .000  | .000  | .000  |
|             | N                      | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30    | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    |
| AIDHS<br>PR | Pearson<br>Correlation | .597** | .318  | .471* | .288   | .205   | .262   | .980** | 1     | .715** | .718* | .729* | .996* | .997* | .550* |
|             | Sig. (2-tailed)        | .000   | .087  | .009  | .122   | .276   | .162   | .000   |       | .000   | .000  | .000  | .000  | .000  | .002  |
|             | N                      | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30    | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    |
| AIDHBI      | Pearson<br>Correlation | .547** | .211  | .415* | .192   | .455*  | .194   | .684** | .715* | 1      | .994* | .755* | .732* | .725* | .532* |
|             | Sig. (2-tailed)        | .002   | .262  | .022  | .310   | .012   | .304   | .000   | .000  |        | .000  | .000  | .000  | .000  | .002  |
|             | N                      | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30    | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    |
| AIDHT<br>R  | Pearson<br>Correlation | .527** | .181  | .393* | .159   | .424*  | .167   | .681** | .718* | .994** | 1     | .773* | .738* | .729* | .527* |
|             | Sig. (2-tailed)        | .003   | .339  | .031  | .401   | .020   | .378   | .000   | .000  | .000   |       | .000  | .000  | .000  | .003  |
|             | N                      | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30    | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    |
| AIDHS<br>HP | Pearson<br>Correlation | .462*  | .248  | .350  | .202   | .406*  | .123   | .634** | .729* | .755** | .773* | 1     | .751* | .731* | .395* |
|             | Sig. (2-tailed)        | .010   | .187  | .058  | .284   | .026   | .518   | .000   | .000  | .000   | .000  |       | .000  | .000  | .031  |
|             | N                      | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30    | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    |
| AIDHK<br>O  | Pearson<br>Correlation | .588** | .301  | .453* | .267   | .230   | .239   | .970** | .996* | .732** | .738* | .751* | 1     | .994* | .543* |
|             | Sig. (2-tailed)        | .001   | .106  | .012  | .154   | .220   | .203   | .000   | .000  | .000   | .000  | .000  |       | .000  | .002  |
|             | N                      | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30    | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    |
| AIDHN<br>GJ | Pearson<br>Correlation | .612** | .332  | .482* | .302   | .236   | .280   | .984** | .997* | .725** | .729* | .731* | .994* | 1     | .562* |
|             | Sig. (2-tailed)        | .000   | .073  | .007  | .105   | .210   | .133   | .000   | .000  | .000   | .000  | .000  | .000  |       | .001  |
|             | N                      | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30    | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    |
| BMI         | Pearson<br>Correlation | .895** | .217  | .901* | .243   | .284   | .330   | .604** | .550* | .532** | .527* | .395* | .543* | .562* | 1     |
|             | Sig. (2-tailed)        | .000   | .250  | .000  | .196   | .128   | .075   | .000   | .002  | .002   | .003  | .031  | .002  | .001  |       |
|             | N                      | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30     | 30    | 30     | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    | 30    |

\*\* Correlation is significant at the 0.01 level (2-tailed).  
\* Correlation is significant at the 0.05 level (2-tailed).

**Table 8.** Correlations of motor skills of volleyball players from the cadet category.

### Correlations

| Kadet – Motorik-<br>Korelacion |                        | MV10M  | MV20M  | MTPD | MTP<br>K | MKVL    | TTES<br>T | TAILL  |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|--------|--------|------|----------|---------|-----------|--------|
| MV10<br>M                      | Pearson<br>Correlation | 1      | .986** | .116 | .028     | -.855** | .916**    | .712** |
|                                | Sig. (2-tailed)        |        | .000   | .542 | .883     | .000    | .000      | .000   |
|                                | N                      | 30     | 30     | 30   | 30       | 30      | 30        | 30     |
| MV20<br>M                      | Pearson<br>Correlation | .986** | 1      | .138 | .021     | -.879** | .923**    | .782** |
|                                | Sig. (2-tailed)        | .000   |        | .468 | .910     | .000    | .000      | .000   |
|                                | N                      | 30     | 30     | 30   | 30       | 30      | 30        | 30     |
| MTPD                           | Pearson<br>Correlation | .116   | .138   | 1    | .465**   | -.061   | .219      | .227   |
|                                | Sig. (2-tailed)        | .542   | .468   |      | .010     | .749    | .246      | .228   |

|       |                     |         |         |        |       |         |         |         |
|-------|---------------------|---------|---------|--------|-------|---------|---------|---------|
| MTPK  | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30    | 30      | 30      | 30      |
|       | Pearson Correlation | .028    | .021    | .465** | 1     | -.157   | .015    | -.181   |
|       | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .883    | .910    | .010   |       | .408    | .935    | .337    |
| MKVL  | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30    | 30      | 30      | 30      |
|       | Pearson Correlation | -.855** | -.879** | -.061  | -.157 | 1       | -.783** | -.665** |
|       | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .000    | .000    | .749   | .408  |         | .000    | .000    |
| TTES  | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30    | 30      | 30      | 30      |
|       | Pearson Correlation | .916**  | .923**  | .219   | .015  | -.783** | 1       | .851**  |
|       | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .000    | .000    | .246   | .935  | .000    |         | .000    |
| TAILL | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30    | 30      | 30      | 30      |
|       | Pearson Correlation | .712**  | .782**  | .227   | -.181 | -.665** | .851**  | 1       |
|       | Sig. (2-tailed)     | .000    | .000    | .228   | .337  | .000    | .000    |         |
|       | N                   | 30      | 30      | 30     | 30    | 30      | 30      | 30      |

**Table 9.** Independent sample test of T-Test results of volleyball players of both cadet-junior categories.

| Rezultatet e kadeve –<br>(minus) |                                   | Levene's Test for<br>Equality<br>of<br>Variances |      | Independent Samples Test<br>t-test for Equality of Means |        |                            |                        |                          |                                                 |                   |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|------|----------------------------------------------------------|--------|----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
|                                  |                                   | F                                                | Sig. | T                                                        | Df     | Sig.<br>(2-<br>tailed<br>) | Mean<br>Differ<br>ence | Std. Error<br>Difference | 95% Confidence<br>Interval of the<br>Difference |                   |
| Rezultatet e junioreve           |                                   |                                                  |      |                                                          |        |                            |                        |                          | Lower                                           | Upper             |
| APESH<br>A                       | Equal<br>variances<br>assumed     | 7.117                                            | .010 | -4.007                                                   | 58     | .000                       | 9.9023<br>3            | 2.47154                  | -<br>14.849<br>65                               | -<br>4.9550<br>2  |
|                                  | Equal<br>variances not<br>assumed |                                                  |      | -4.007                                                   | 46.635 | .000                       | 9.9023<br>3            | 2.47154                  | -<br>14.875<br>45                               | -<br>4.9292<br>2  |
| ALART<br>E                       | Equal<br>variances<br>assumed     | 5.802                                            | .019 | -9.755                                                   | 58     | .000                       | 15.800<br>00           | 1.61961                  | -<br>19.042<br>00                               | -<br>12.558<br>00 |
|                                  | Equal<br>variances not<br>assumed |                                                  |      | -9.755                                                   | 51.184 | .000                       | 15.800<br>00           | 1.61961                  | -<br>19.051<br>22                               | -<br>12.548<br>78 |
| APGJO<br>K                       | Equal<br>variances<br>assumed     | 2.325                                            | .133 | -2.835                                                   | 58     | .006                       | 5.2966<br>7            | 1.86818                  | -<br>9.0362<br>3                                | -<br>1.5571<br>1  |
|                                  | Equal<br>variances not<br>assumed |                                                  |      | -2.835                                                   | 56.483 | .006                       | 5.2966<br>7            | 1.86818                  | -<br>9.0383<br>7                                | -<br>1.5549<br>7  |



|             |                             |        |      |             |        |      |                  |         |                  |                  |
|-------------|-----------------------------|--------|------|-------------|--------|------|------------------|---------|------------------|------------------|
| AGJKR       | Equal variances assumed     | 5.544  | .022 | -9.525      | 58     | .000 | -<br>6.9673<br>3 | .73150  | -<br>8.4315<br>9 | -<br>5.5030<br>8 |
|             | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | -9.525      | 51.346 | .000 | -<br>6.9673<br>3 | .73150  | -<br>8.4356<br>4 | -<br>5.4990<br>3 |
| AGJSH<br>D  | Equal variances assumed     | 9.764  | .003 | -<br>10.199 | 58     | .000 | -<br>2.0700<br>0 | .20296  | -<br>2.4762<br>6 | -<br>1.6637<br>4 |
|             | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | -<br>10.199 | 46.612 | .000 | -<br>2.0700<br>0 | .20296  | -<br>2.4783<br>8 | -<br>1.6616<br>2 |
| AGJKE       | Equal variances assumed     | 12.018 | .001 | -2.549      | 58     | .013 | -<br>2.6633<br>3 | 1.04492 | -<br>4.7549<br>6 | -<br>.57170      |
|             | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | -2.549      | 42.335 | .015 | -<br>2.6633<br>3 | 1.04492 | -<br>4.7715<br>7 | -<br>.55510      |
| AIDHL<br>BA | Equal variances assumed     | .268   | .606 | 1.243       | 58     | .219 | 1.7266<br>7      | 1.38861 | -<br>1.0529<br>4 | 4.5062<br>7      |
|             | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | 1.243       | 54.072 | .219 | 1.7266<br>7      | 1.38861 | -<br>1.0572<br>4 | 4.5105<br>8      |
| AIDHSP<br>R | Equal variances assumed     | .220   | .641 | 1.257       | 58     | .214 | 1.5266<br>7      | 1.21500 | -<br>.90542      | 3.9587<br>6      |
|             | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | 1.257       | 53.893 | .214 | 1.5266<br>7      | 1.21500 | -<br>.90938      | 3.9627<br>1      |
| AIDHBI      | Equal variances assumed     | .689   | .410 | 4.047       | 58     | .000 | 2.9466<br>7      | .72816  | 1.4891<br>0      | 4.4042<br>3      |
|             | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | 4.047       | 55.393 | .000 | 2.9466<br>7      | .72816  | 1.4876<br>4      | 4.4057<br>0      |
| AIDHT<br>R  | Equal variances assumed     | .262   | .611 | 4.082       | 58     | .000 | 4.8833<br>3      | 1.19641 | 2.4884<br>7      | 7.2782<br>0      |
|             | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | 4.082       | 56.712 | .000 | 4.8833<br>3      | 1.19641 | 2.4873<br>1      | 7.2793<br>6      |

|       |                             |        |      |        |        |      |         |         |          |         |
|-------|-----------------------------|--------|------|--------|--------|------|---------|---------|----------|---------|
| AIDHS | Equal variances assumed     | .023   | .881 | .300   | 58     | .766 | .33333  | 1.11258 | -1.89374 | 2.56041 |
|       | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | .300   | 57.262 | .766 | .33333  | 1.11258 | -1.89436 | 2.56102 |
| AIDHK | Equal variances assumed     | .000   | .995 | 1.507  | 58     | .137 | 1.94667 | 1.29215 | -.63985  | 4.53318 |
|       | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | 1.507  | 56.235 | .138 | 1.94667 | 1.29215 | -.64158  | 4.53491 |
| AIDHN | Equal variances assumed     | .733   | .396 | .373   | 58     | .711 | .40000  | 1.07365 | -1.74914 | 2.54914 |
|       | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | .373   | 57.664 | .711 | .40000  | 1.07365 | -1.74941 | 2.54941 |
| BMI   | Equal variances assumed     | 18.476 | .000 | .791   | 58     | .432 | .54667  | .69126  | -.83704  | 1.93037 |
|       | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | .791   | 41.072 | .434 | .54667  | .69126  | -.84929  | 1.94262 |
| MV10M | Equal variances assumed     | .256   | .615 | .543   | 58     | .589 | .02933  | .05403  | -.07883  | .13749  |
|       | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | .543   | 56.600 | .589 | .02933  | .05403  | -.07889  | .13755  |
| MV20M | Equal variances assumed     | 1.457  | .232 | 1.008  | 58     | .318 | .07100  | .07046  | -.07004  | .21204  |
|       | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | 1.008  | 55.816 | .318 | .07100  | .07046  | -.07016  | .21216  |
| MTPD  | Equal variances assumed     | 1.456  | .232 | -4.494 | 58     | .000 | 5.83333 | 1.29799 | -8.43155 | 3.23512 |
|       | Equal variances not assumed |        |      | -4.494 | 56.616 | .000 | 5.83333 | 1.29799 | -8.43290 | 3.23376 |

|       |                             |       |      |        |        |      |        |        |         |        |        |
|-------|-----------------------------|-------|------|--------|--------|------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|
| MTPK  | Equal variances assumed     | 2.205 | .143 | -5.892 | 58     | .000 | -      | 6.1000 | 1.03526 | -      | -      |
|       | Equal variances not assumed |       |      | -5.892 | 56.371 | .000 | -      | 6.1000 | 1.03526 | 8.1723 | 4.0277 |
| MKVL  | Equal variances assumed     | .445  | .507 | -5.828 | 58     | .000 | -      | 7.1333 | 1.22396 | -      | -      |
|       | Equal variances not assumed |       |      | -5.828 | 57.226 | .000 | -      | 7.1333 | 1.22396 | 9.5833 | 4.6833 |
| TTEST | Equal variances assumed     | .068  | .795 | 2.070  | 58     | .043 | .56667 | .27377 |         | .01866 | 1.1146 |
|       | Equal variances not assumed |       |      | 2.070  | 57.993 | .043 | .56667 | .27377 |         | .01866 | 1.1146 |
| TAILL | Equal variances assumed     | 7.584 | .008 | 2.665  | 58     | .010 | .87767 | .32934 |         | .21842 | 1.5369 |
|       | Equal variances not assumed |       |      | 2.665  | 48.157 | .010 | .87767 | .32934 |         | .21554 | 1.5398 |

## Conclusions

Success in the sport of volleyball certainly depends on the morphological characteristics of elite volleyball players, the main of which are height and body mass, which are evaluated taking into account the current age of volleyball players. Observed from the aspect of selection and in function of the anthropometric space, the best volleyball players should be of above average height and with morphological characteristics that provide them with above average speed and explosive motor potential. As in any sports activity, as well as in volleyball, no technical element can be performed without adequate motor skills and cannot be fully expressed without a technique of rational movement execution. For this reason, the union of motor skills is looked at, respectively the mutual effect of motor skills and motor habits, so it is unthinkable to talk about the development and improvement of motor skills isolated from the development and improvement of motor skills.

In addition to these skills, others are extremely important, such as dexterity, speed, reactivity, agility, hand-speed skills, especially when hitting the ball during a jump shot or while serving, and quick response after a block. of the rival team. The optimal choice of exercises certainly depends on the age of the volleyball player, the frequency of weekly training sessions and the organization of the competition period. But regardless of this, research shows that motor skills

must be developed much earlier, before puberty. Since the purpose of this paper is to present the difference between volleyball players of two different categories, in terms of anthropometric parameters and some motor skills, obviously the obtained results offer us valuable data. This research will present an added value in the field of volleyball, which will serve not only for the various authors but also for researchers and young students.

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