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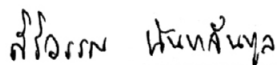
The purpose of the current study is to analyze the use of Thai language in sports news. The study will preset the results of the words category, analyzing the word meanings and also the frequency of words used under the categories of "movement" and "action words" is sports news.

The data were collected from Thairat daily newspaper for 6 months from 1 May 2005 to 31 October 2005. A total of 184 copies of the newspapers were used as the data source.

The results of the research indicated that there were 597 significant words used in sports news. They could be classified into 3 groups. The first groups is movement and action words, the secondly group are words that show emotions and feelings, and the last group show sounds or voices. The research found that the meaning of the action words were obtained from their context, while the movement and action words were the ones which are most frequently used in the sport news. Such words include those which describe keen competition, those that describe heavy losses and words which describes noises.



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