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The purpose of the research was to construct a rugby football skills test and norms for Kasetsart University students. The test was comprised of 4 items: running with the ball, passing, receiving methods and tackles. The validity was established by 5 panel experts using the face validity method. The test-retest method within one week was applied to 30 students for the reliability test. The objectivity was identified by scoring judgment of two testers.

A sample was selected from 109 students, consisting of 38 boys and 71 girls, by purposive and simple random sampling method. The data was analyzed by using means, standard deviation, Pearson Product Moment Correlation Coefficient and raw score for norms.

The results revealed that the reliability of running with the ball, passing, receiving and tackling within the defined range for boys were 0.84 (good), 0.81 (good), 0.78 (average), and 0.75 (average) while for girls were 0.94 (very good), 0.98 (very good), 0.92 (very good), and 0.88 (good). The objectivity for boys were 0.99, 1.00, 1.00 and 0.99 (all items very good) while for girls were 0.99, 1.00, 1.00 and 0.99 (all items very good).

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