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study analyzes, from a bibliometric perspective, papers published in 40 Spanish journals under the category ?deportes? (sports) of the Latindex Catalogue, between 2001 and 2012. Aspects analyzed include: (1) number of papers published about football; percentage regarding total papers published; and distribution among journals; (2) evolution over time; and (3) disciplines. Results showed that the scientific production on football was prominent (7.9% of total published papers), on the rise, multidisciplinary, and unequal among journals and disciplines. The most outstanding disciplines were those related to Psychology, Law, Organization, and Management. © 2015, Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul. All rights reserved.

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