TESTING PROTOCOLS



CMJ Test

- 1. Instruct the athlete to stand still on the plates with knees slightly bent and hands on hips.
- Press start test.
- 3. On beep, the athlete should drop straight down with a squatting motion and then immediately back up to take off. Ensure that the athlete lands on the plates after the jump.
- 4. If the athlete moves upwards prior to unweighting (counter-countermovement) to build more momentum and jump higher, coach them to follow proper form, as this will trigger an error for the test.

Countermovement Rebound

- 1. Athlete should stand still on the force plates with slightly bent knees and hands on hips.
- 2. Press button to start test.
- 3. On beep, have the athlete perform a countermovement jump, and then after landing perform another countermovement jump in one smooth motion.
- 4. Athlete must land on plates after rebound jump for results to process.

Multi Rebound Test

- 1. Athlete should stand still on the plates with knees slightly bent and hands on hips.
- 2. Press button to start test.
- 3. On beep, have athlete perform a number of hop jumps.
- 4. For more jumps to be added, adjust the time length for the test in the "Edit Team" page.

Free Run

- 1. Have the athlete stand on the plates.
- 2. Press "start test".
- 3. Have athlete perform the movement.
- 4. Manually stop the test after the movement or wait until it is completed. Adjust test length in "Edit Team" page as needed.

Squat Jump Test

- 1. Have athlete step on plates and assume a squatted position with hands on hips—athlete must hold still before jumping.
- 2. Press start test.
- 3. At beep, subject should propel themselves straight up with as little countermovement as possible.
- 4. Athlete must land on plates for results to process and stick landing for stiffness/landing calculations

Drop Jump Test

- 1. In the app, select Drop Jump and input measured height of the DJ platform in Centimeters.
- 2. Have athlete stand on platform next to the force plates.
- 3. On beep, have the athlete step off of the platform, land on the force plates, and jump back up in one smooth motion.
- 4. Subject must land on the force plates after the jump and stick landing for stiffness/landing metrics to be calculated.

Mid-Thigh Pull/Isometric Test

- 1. Athlete should stand on the plates and take hold of the bar.
- 2. Prior to pressing the "start test" button, instruct athlete to take up any slack between the bar and bolster.
- 3. Press button to start test.
- 4. On beep, instruct athlete to pull for a set number of seconds and then release tension.

The test calculates "length of pull" which requires the athlete to release the pull before the end of the test.

