

Formula 1



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Physical Demands of Formula 1

- High G-forces experienced during acceleration, braking, and cornering
- Endurance required for races lasting up to two hours
- Weight loss during the race (2-3 kg)
- Mental focus and reaction time under extreme pressure



Off-Season Preparation

- Specific strength training programs to build muscle endurance and core strength
- Cardiovascular conditioning for improved stamina



Competition

- Specific training regimes during the racing season
 - Different circuits -> different trainings
 - Strength, endurance, reaction time drills to improve overall performance
- Balancing physical workouts with travel and race schedules
- Importance of recovery between races
- Mental training techniques to maintain focus and concentration



Special Sport Specific Exercises

- Sim Racing
- Simulate race conditions and maintain sharpness

Why?

- Getting to know the track
- Prepare different scenarios



Injury Prevention Through Exercise

- Neck strengthening exercises to withstand G-forces
- Core stabilization exercises for improved balance and posture
- Flexibility and mobility drills to prevent muscle strains
- Plyometric training to enhance reactive strength and agility
 - *Explosive movements, fast twitch muscle activation, better coordination and agility*



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