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Biomechanics in Paralympic Cross-Country Sit Skiing

Evidence-based Tests for Classification



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CLASSIFICATION



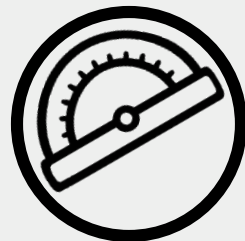
MEDICALLY BASED CLASSIFICATION

Classes according to disabilities. i.e. spinal cord injury and amputation



FUNCTIONAL CLASSIFICATION

Classes according to impact of impairment on performance



EVIDENCE-BASED CLASSIFICATION

Classes according to scientific evidence

Test- table-test (TTT)

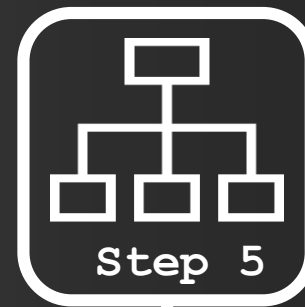


From: Pernot et al. Validity of the test-table-test for Nordic skiing: in: Spinal Cord (2011) 49, 935–941.

class	% race time
LW 10	86
LW 10,5	90
LW 11	94
LW 11,5	96
LW 12	100

class	Impairment	Muscle activity (ASIA classification*)	TTT
LW 10	Lower limb and trunk	Unable to sit without strapping	0-2
LW 10,5	Lower limb and trunk	sit statically without arm support	3-6
LW 11	Lower limb and trunk	Retained abdominal muscles and trunk extensor	7-10
LW 11,5	Lower limb (s) and trunk	Near to normal trunk muscles activation	11
LW 12	Lower limb (s)	Normal trunk function	12

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MEASURES OF PERFORMANCE



TO COMPARE

- biomechanics of skiing on snow and on the ergometer;
- trunk kinematics of sit skiers with different impact of impairment on the ergometer



TO DEVELOP



- measures of performance determinants

MEASURES OF IMPAIRMENT



TO EXPLORE

- measures of impairment of trunk control



TO DEVELOP



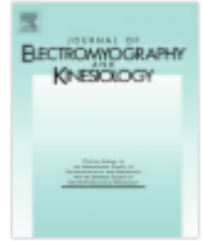
- measures of impairment of:
- trunk strength
- trunk control



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Biomechanics of simulated versus natural cross-country sit skiing



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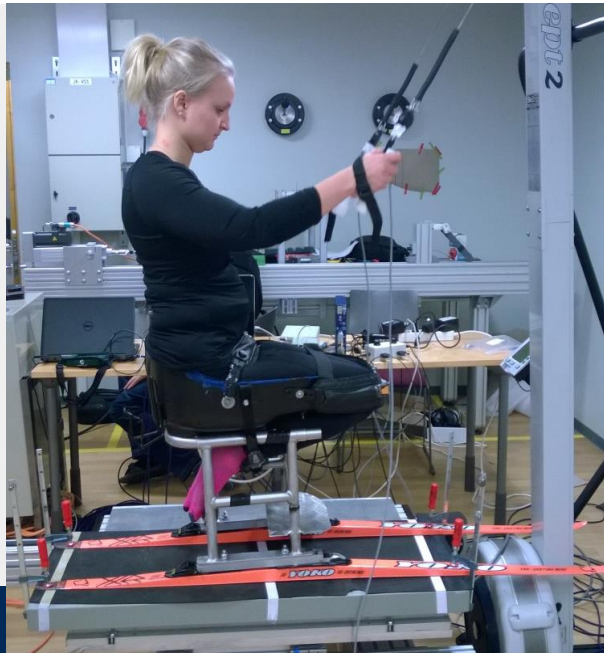
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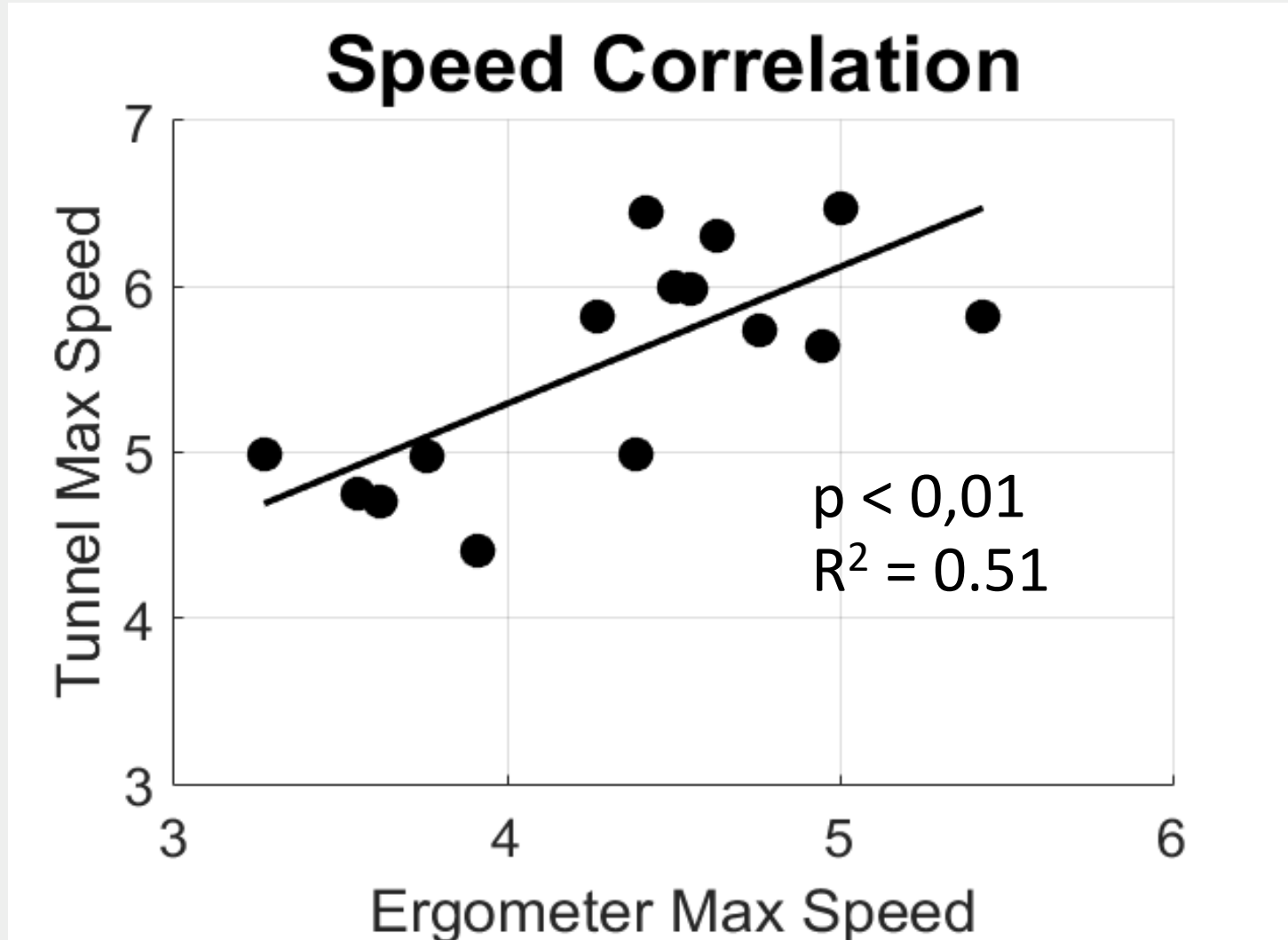


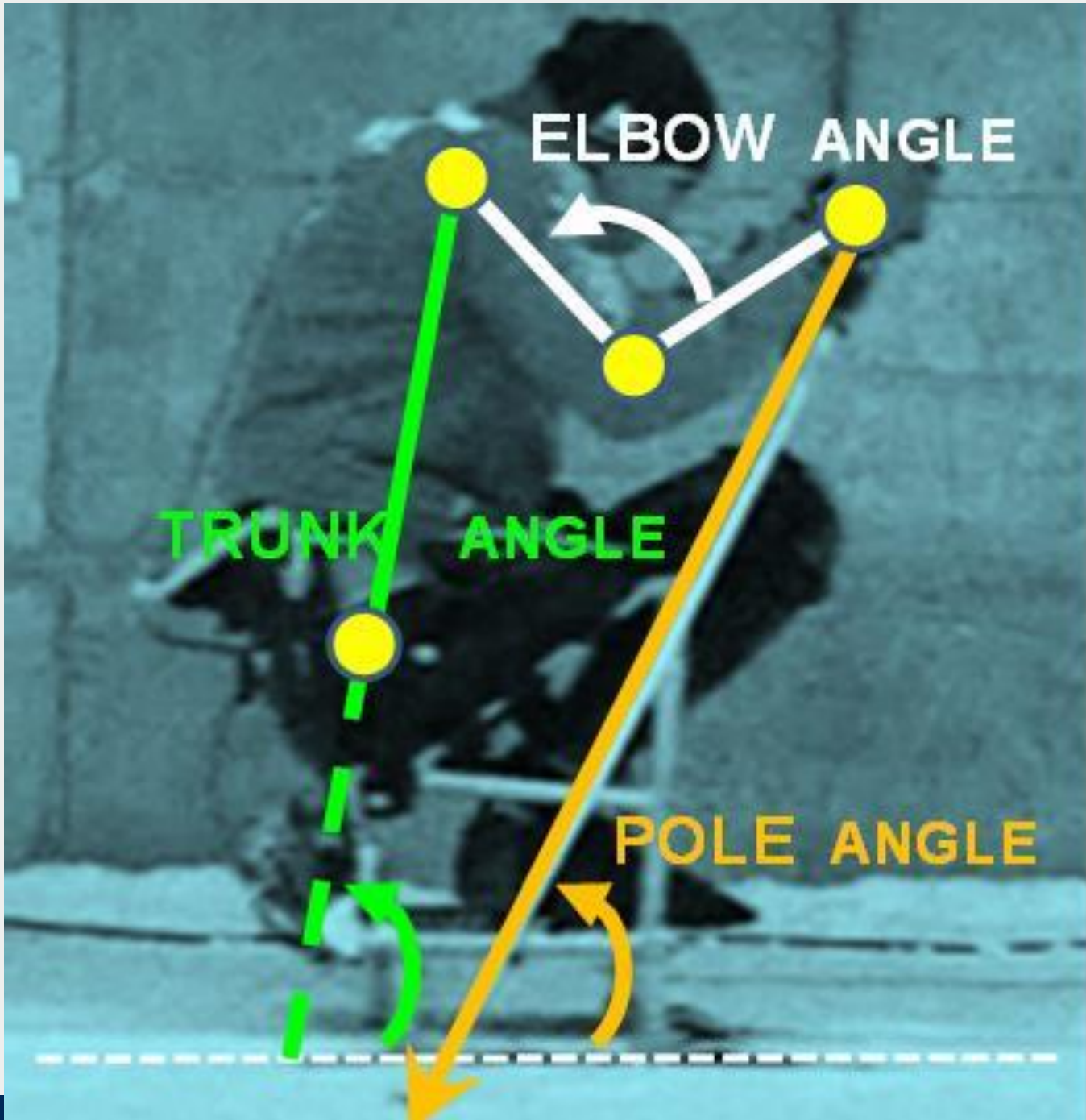




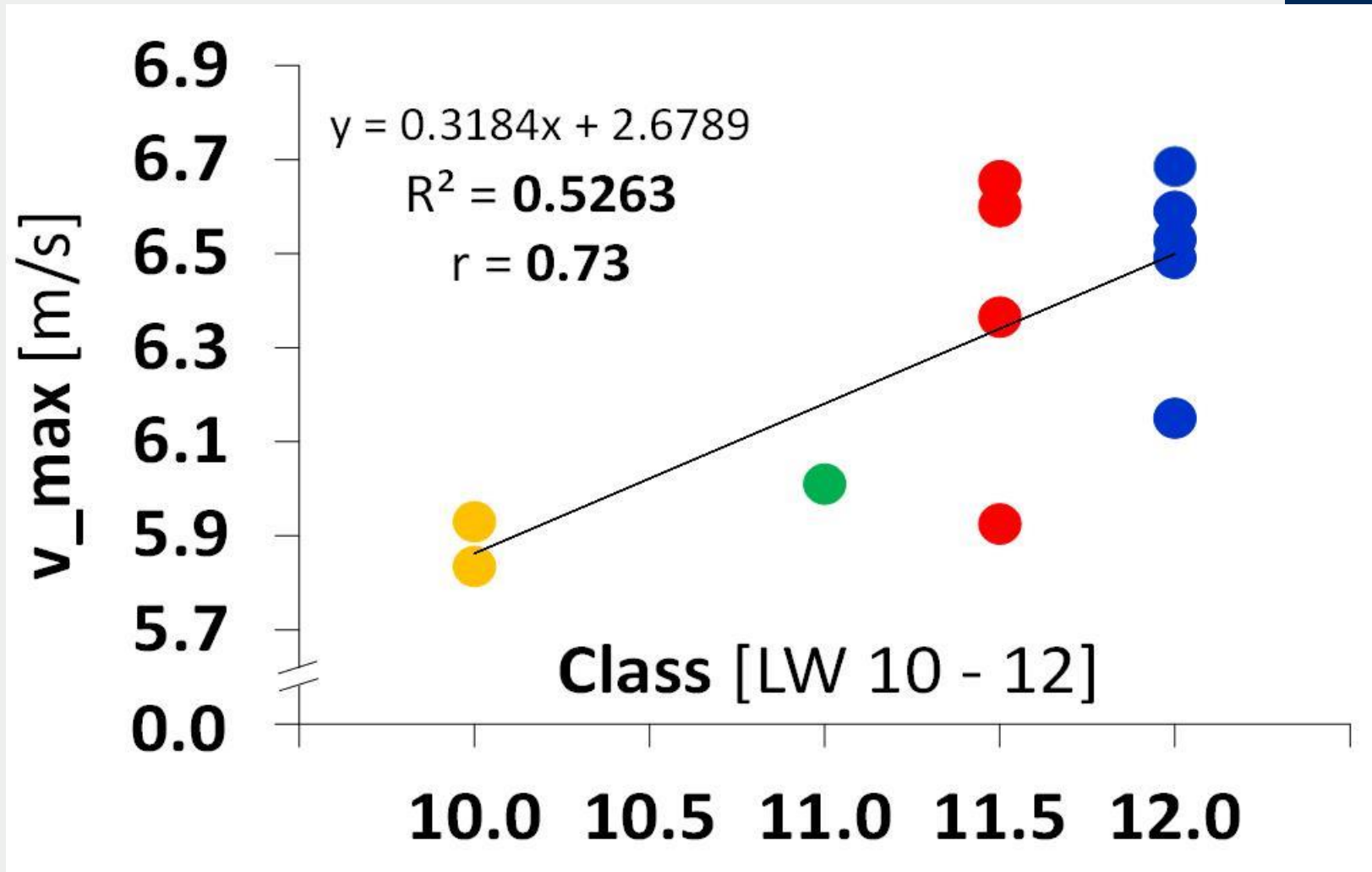
Maximal speed

- Ergo 4.3 ± 0.6 m/s
- Tunnel 4.6 ± 0.7 m/s ($P < 0,05$)





12 male skiers on flat terrain



(Karczewska-Lindinger et al. 2016)



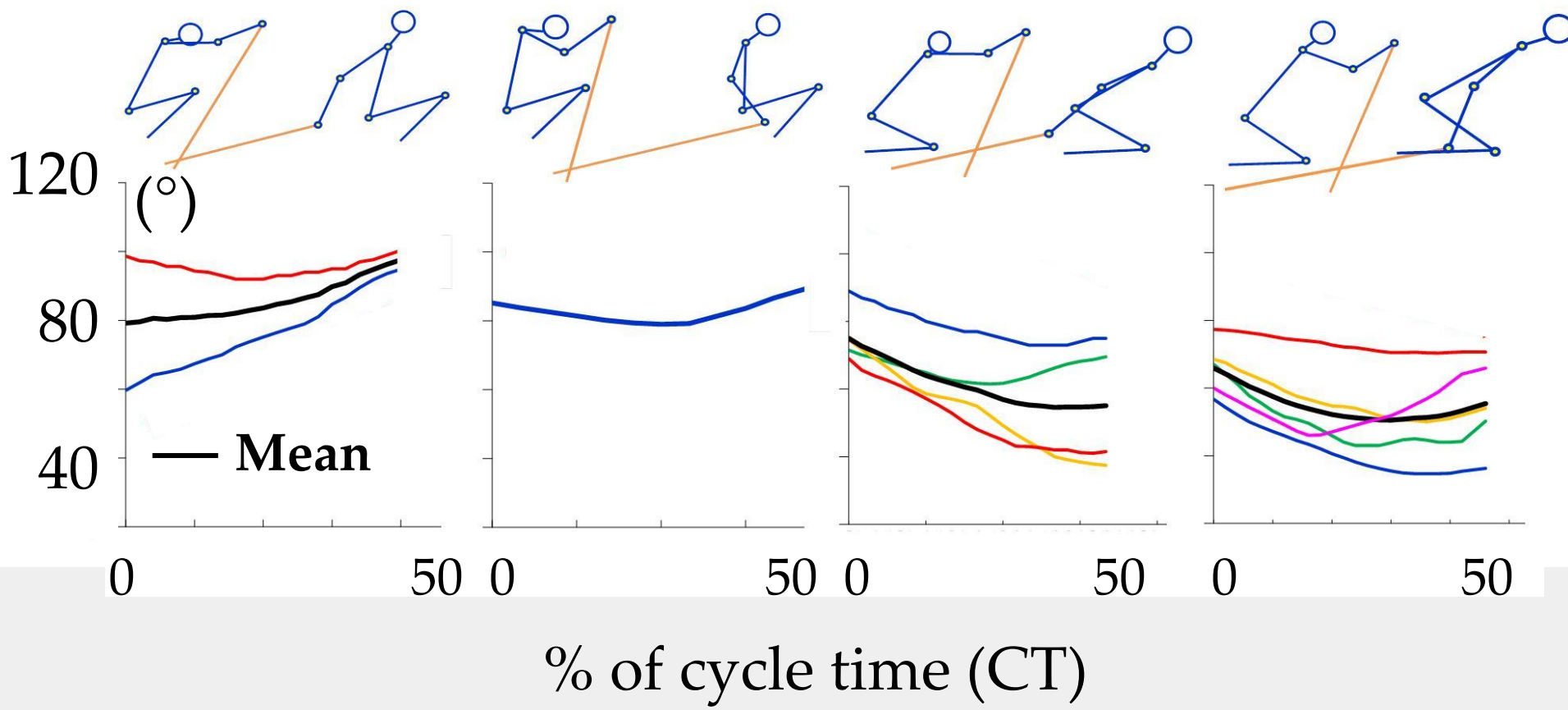
Trunk angle during poling phase

LW10

LW11

LW11.5

LW12





Maximal speed

7.0

(m/s)

6.5

6.0

5.5

0.0

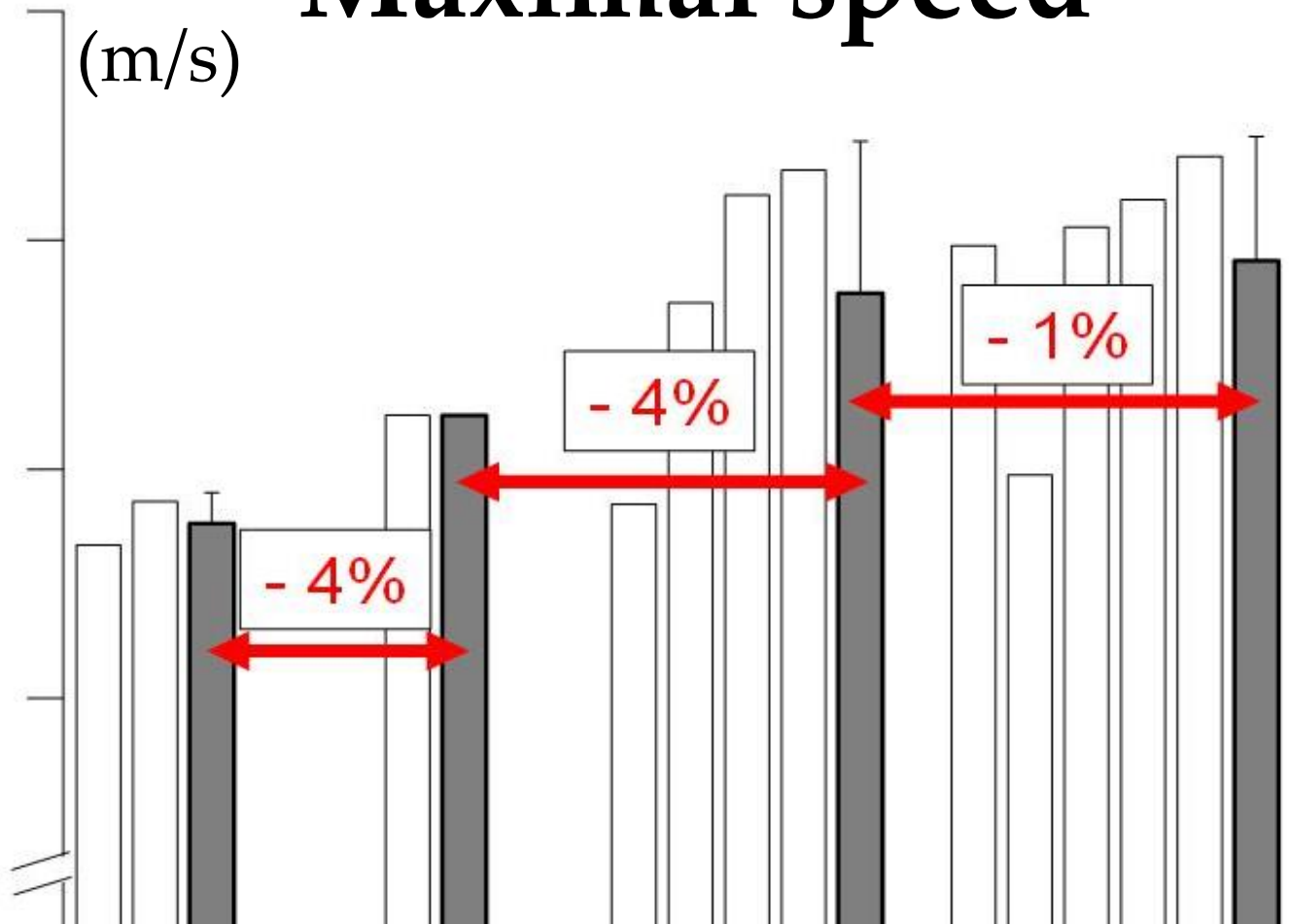
10

11

11.5

12

Class [LW 10 - 12]



- 4%

- 4%

- 1%

Balance Perturbations as a Measurement Tool for Trunk Impairment in Cross-Country Sit Skiing

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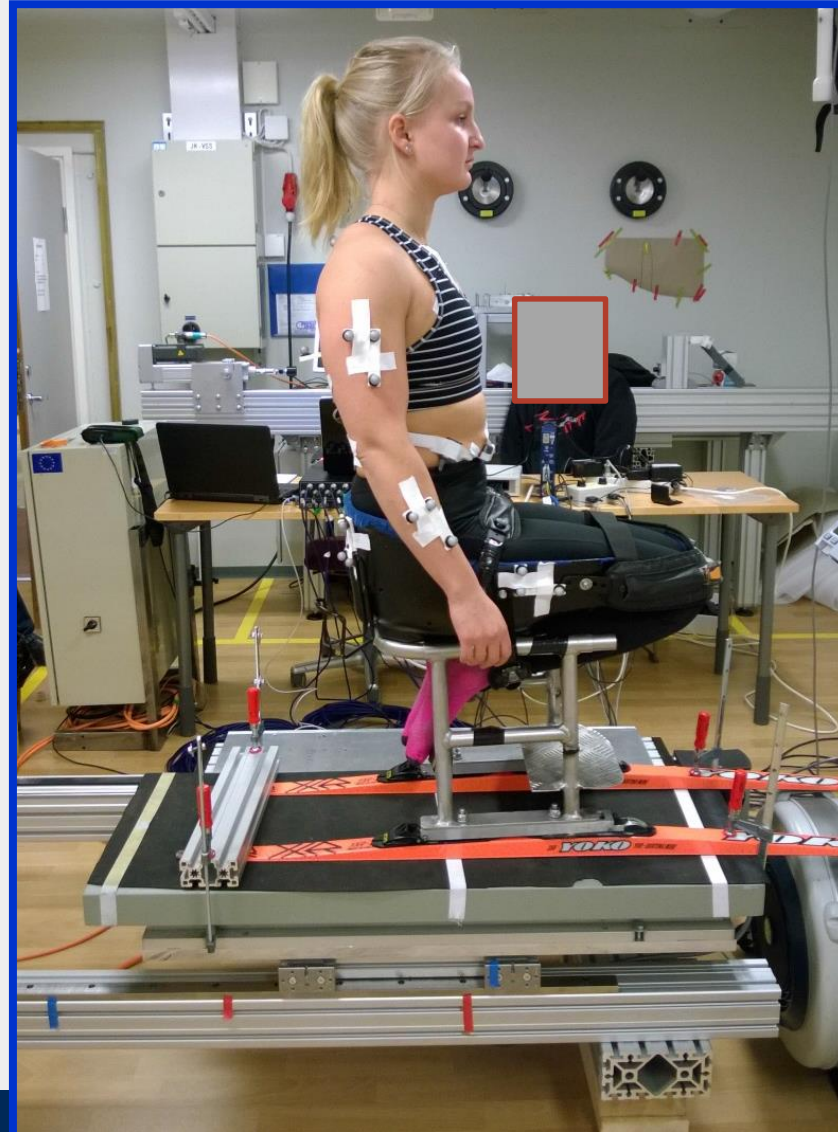
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Balance perturbations as a measurement tool for trunk impairment in cross-country sit skiing

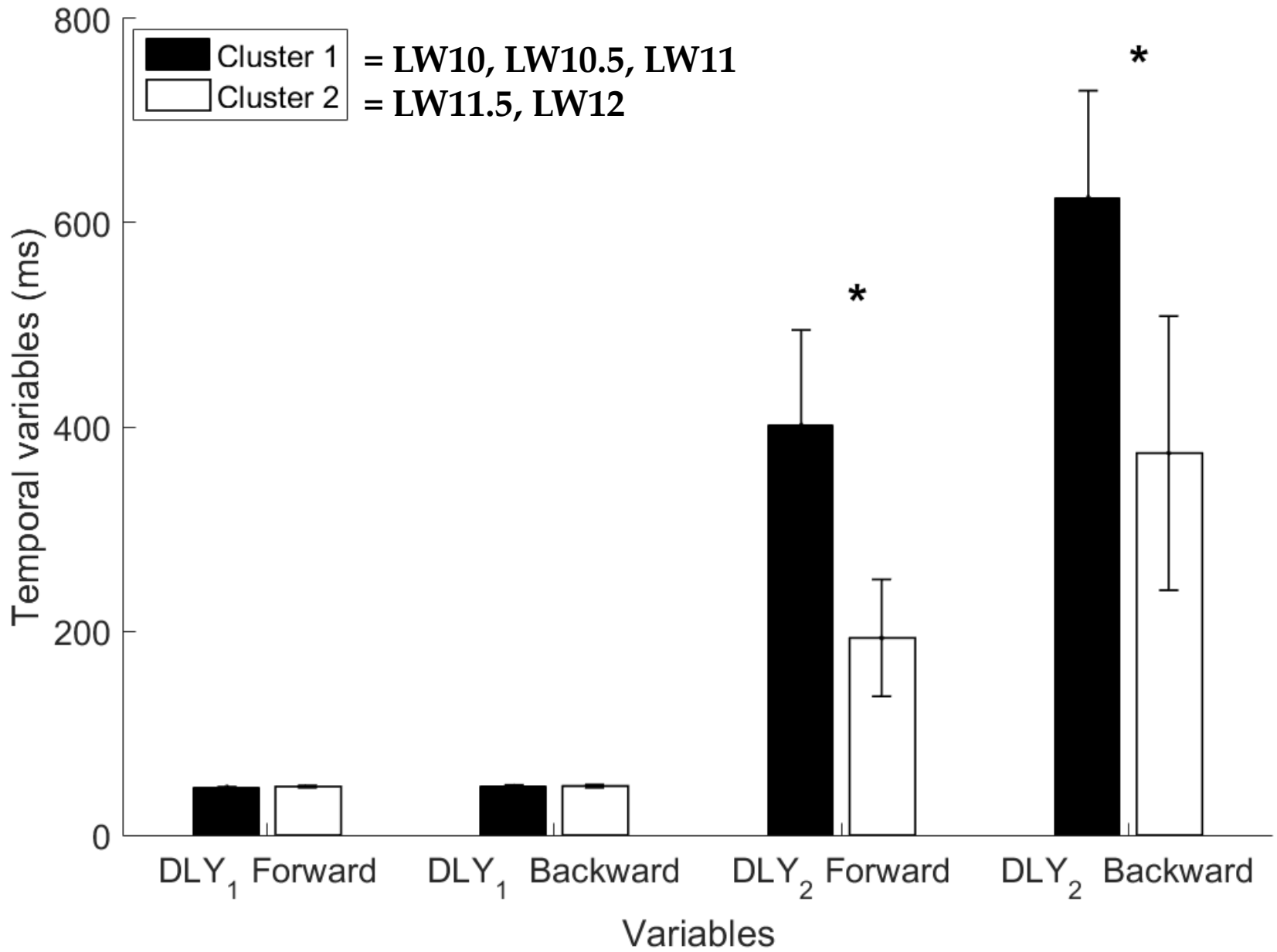


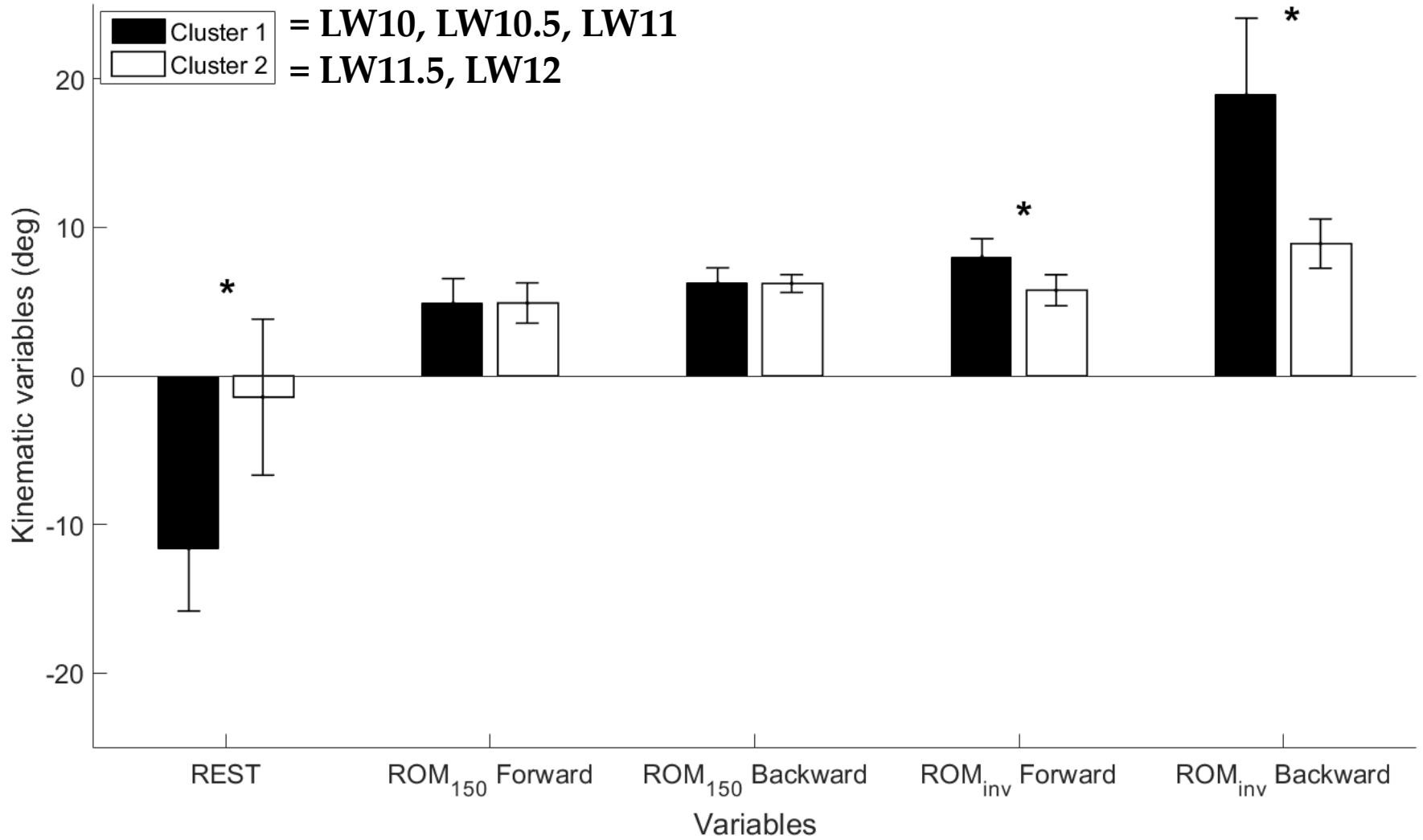
Cluster method




- the k-means using the squared Euclidean distance







Simulated skiing as a measurement tool for performance in cross-country sit-skiing

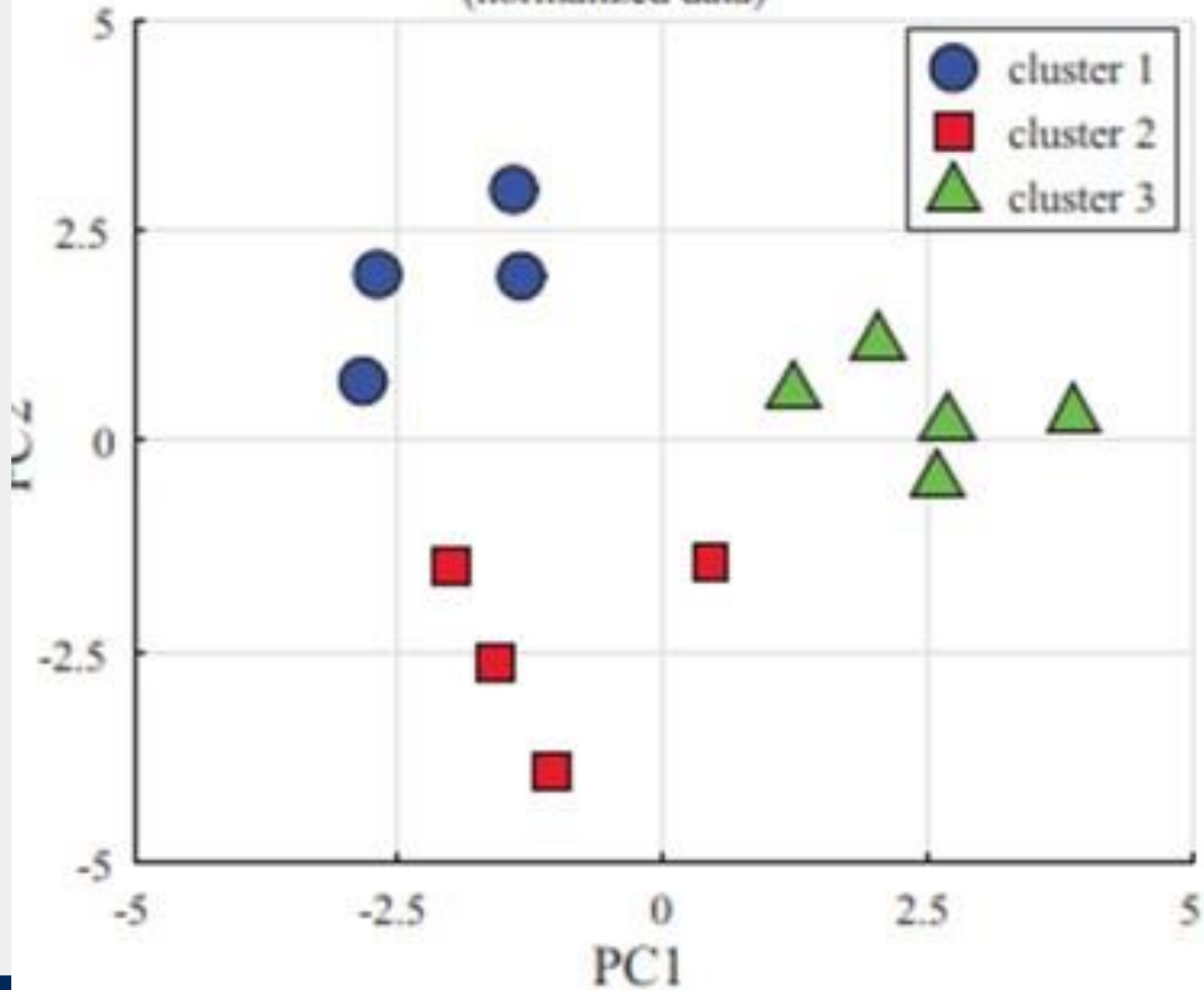
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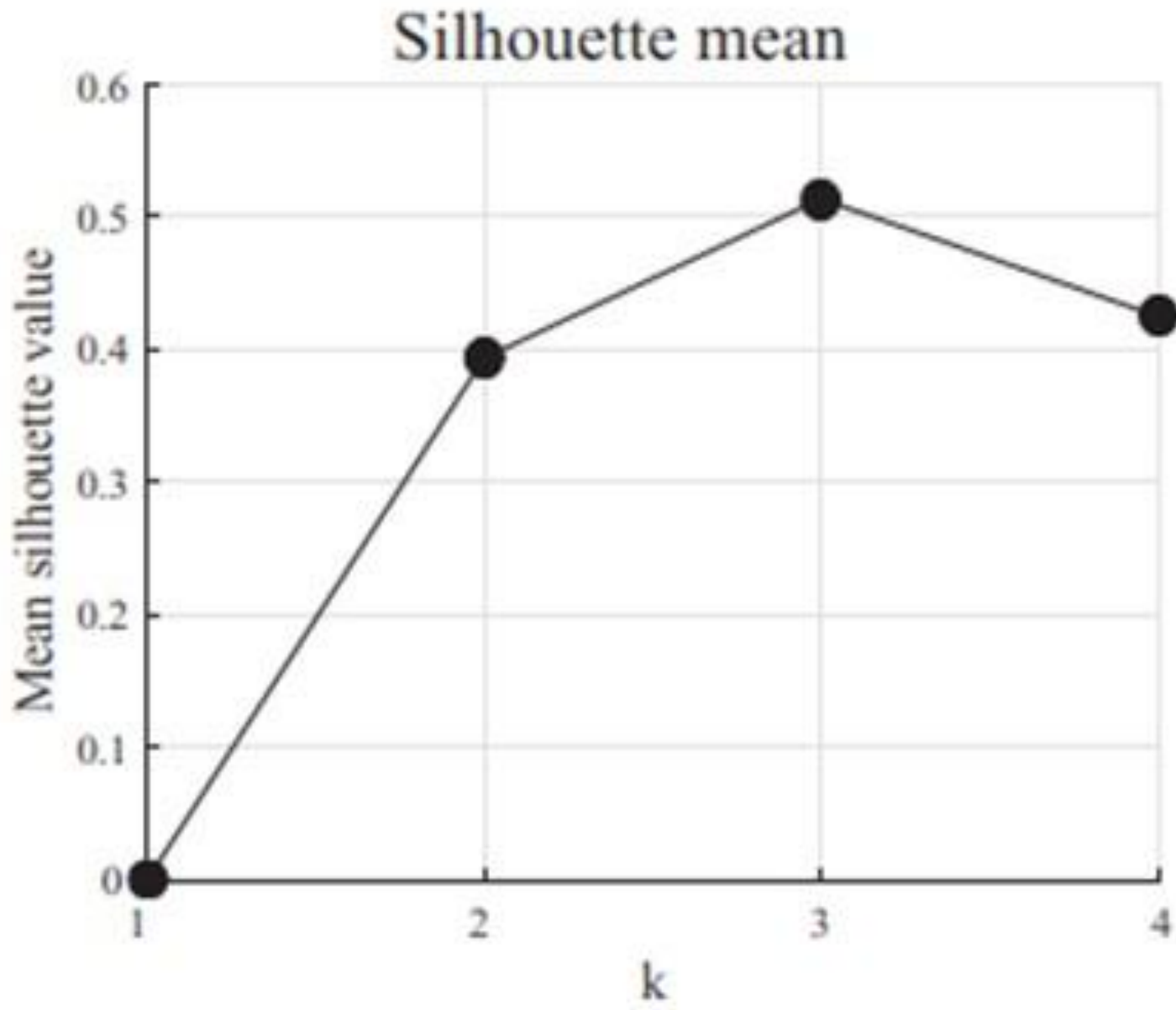


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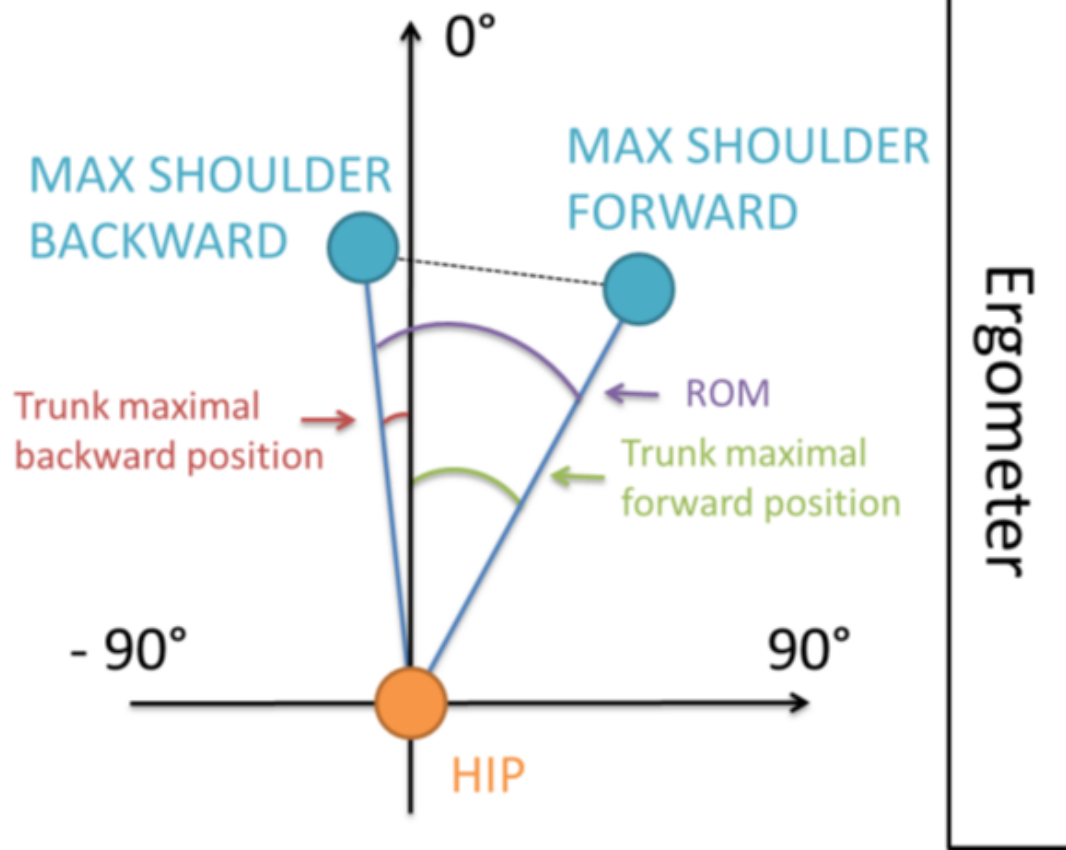
Principal component analysis

(normalized data)





(a)



Group (6 females, 10 males)	LW10, 10.5 (N=3)	LW 11, 11.5 (N=7)	LW12 (N=6)
Max backward [°]	-4.6 ± 4.4	7.9 ± 6.4	14.4 ± 11.6
Max forward [°]	17.8 ± 6.0	40.2 ± 15.0	52.5 ± 8.2
ROM [°]	22.4 ± 8.9	32.3 ± 13.9	38.1 ± 14.2

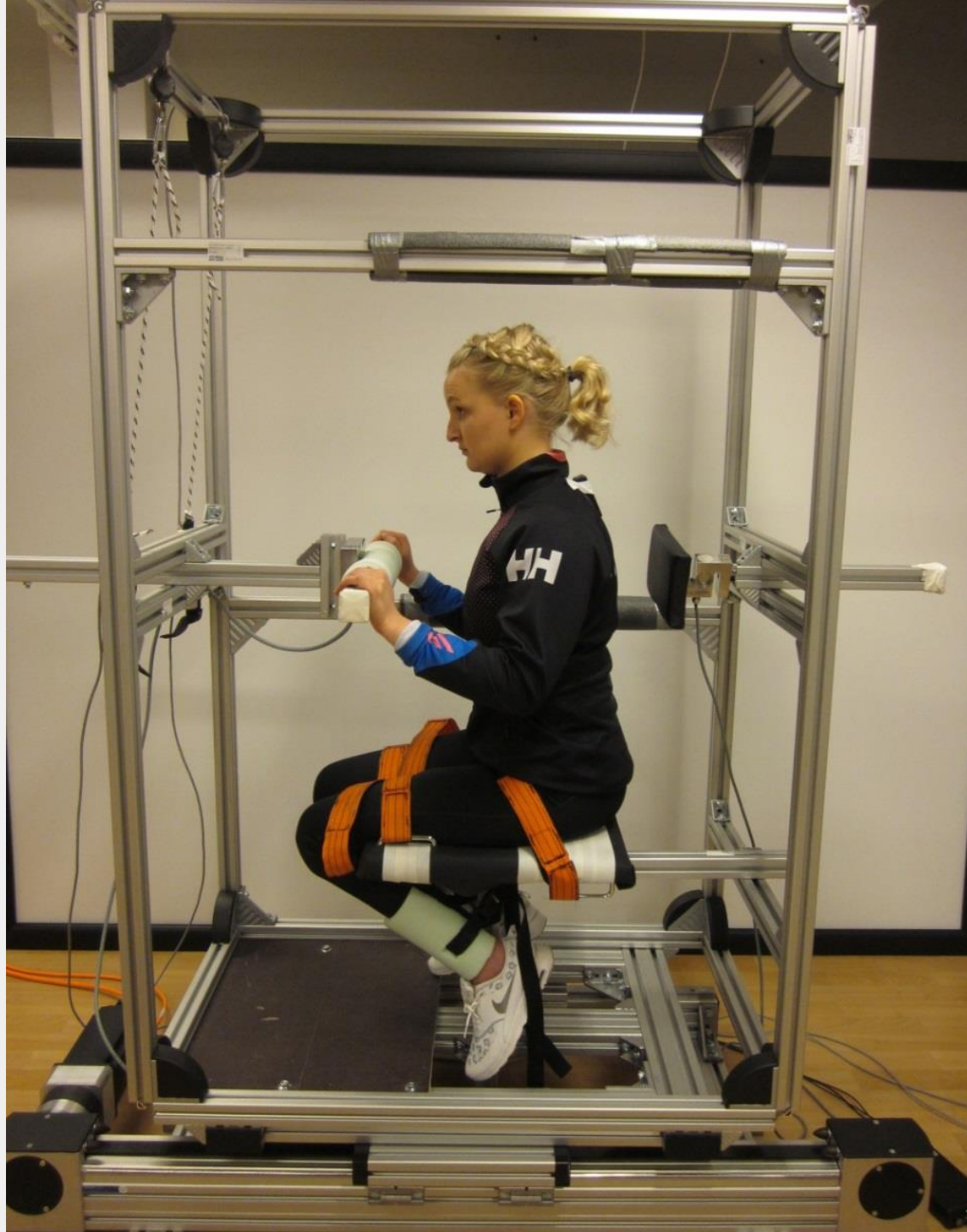
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TOWARDS EVIDENCE-BASED CLASSIFICATION IN CROSS-COUNTRY SIT SKIING: MEASURES OF IMPAIRMENT OF STRENGTH AND TRUNK CONTROL

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Simulated
poling



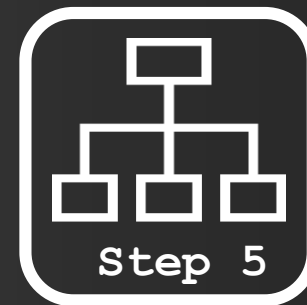
↑
Simulated
bench press
without
backrest



↑
Simulated
bench press
with backrest



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Race analysis



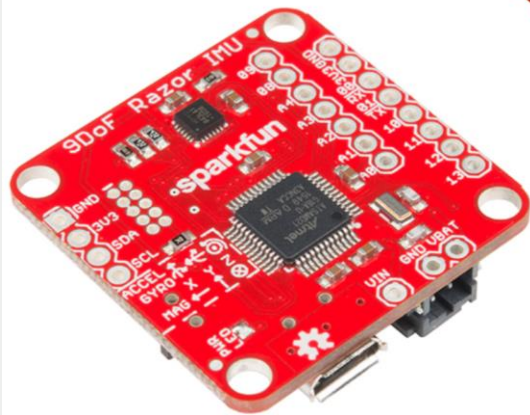
TECHNOLOGY:

MINI-MAGNETO-SENSORS (RECEIVER) + MAGNETS (SENDER) IN SNOW

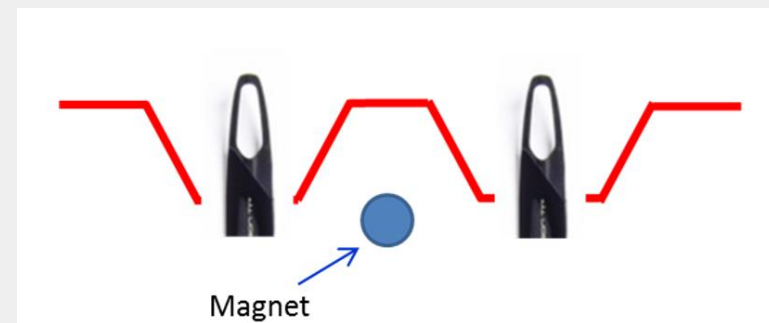


SparkFun 9DoF Razor IMU M0

SEN-14001



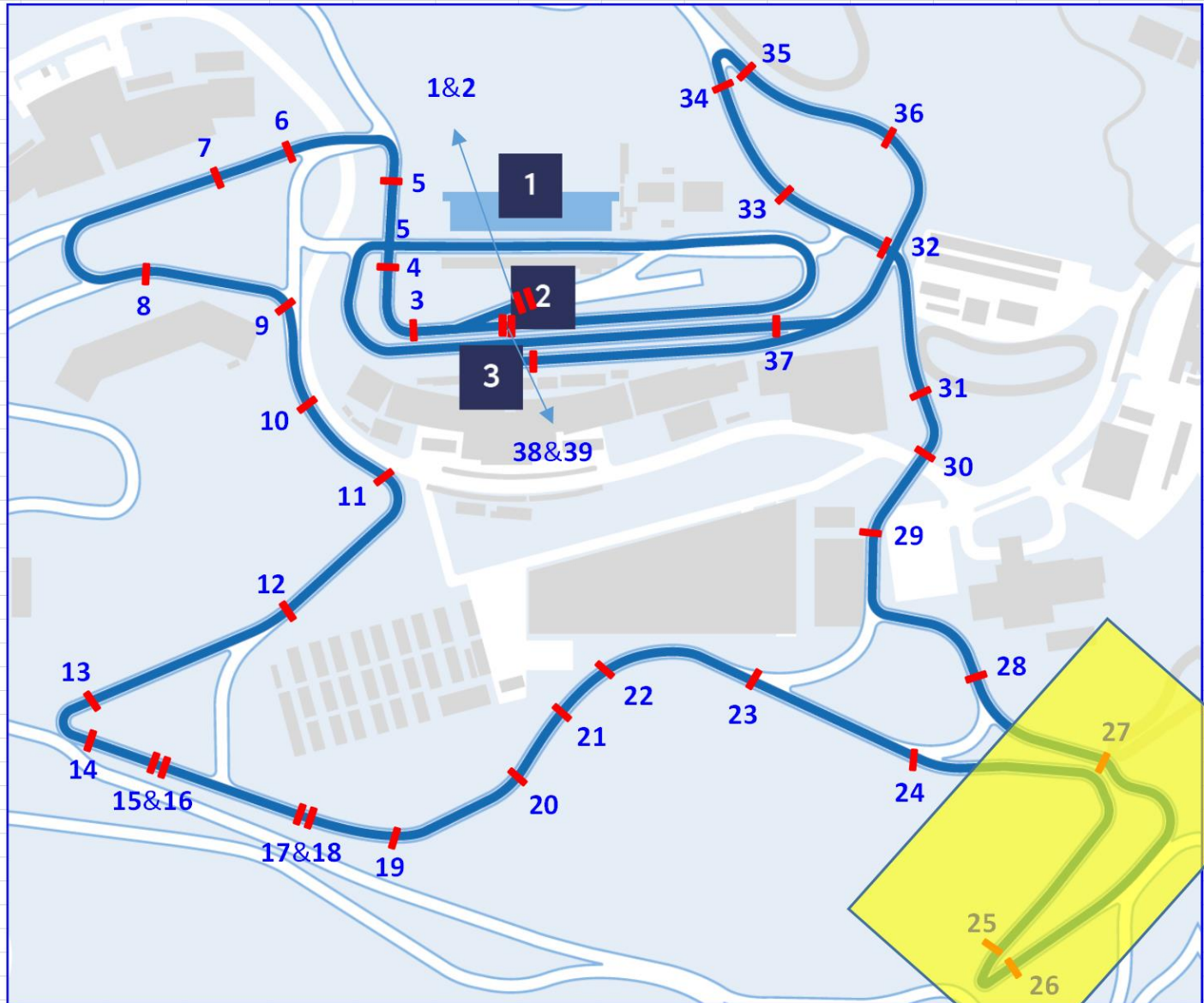
- * „No“ weight (15g)
- * Small
- * Easy to mount
(plastic band fixed)
- * „No“ interference
with athlete
- * 100 Hz



EARLY MORNING MAGNET INSTALLATIONS



Sit-ski men 7.5km



CYCLE:			FORCE (left/right):			
CT [s]	Push / Swing [%]	CL [m]	a_PPF [N]	a_CF [N]	a_IMP [N]	diff (L/R) [%]
1.16	28.8/71.2	3.5	118.9/77.0	23.3/-11.8	31.6/14.7	68.2/31.8



One frame back
Play both
One frame forward

Cameras: side side Video speed: 0.1x 0.5 1x

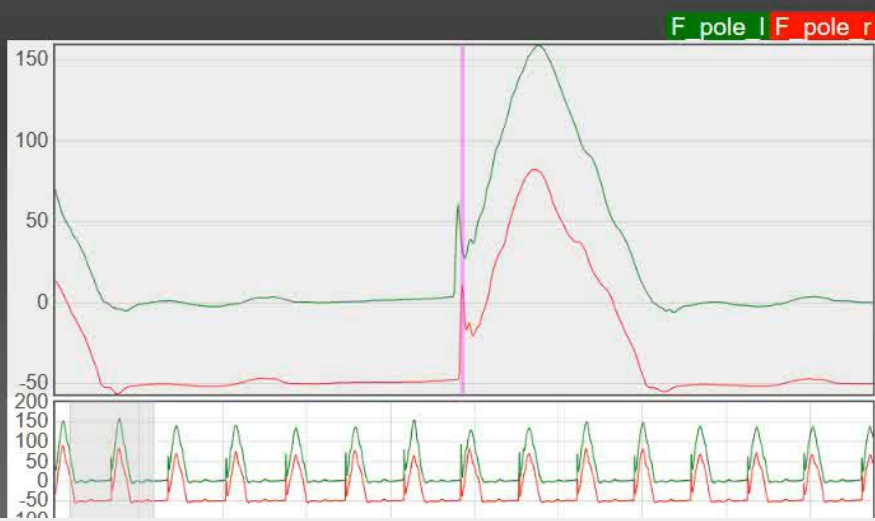


CYCLE:			FORCE (left/right):			
CT [s]	Push / Swing [%]	CL [m]	a_PPF [N]	a_CF [N]	a_IMP [N]	diff (L/R) [%]
1.38	19.4/80.6	4.2	141.7/73.6	28.8/-25.8	39.0/12.1	76.3/23.7



One frame back
Play both
One frame forward

Cameras: side side Video speed: 0.1x 0.5 1x



Kiitos!

