CORE EXERCISES





Ab Wheel

At the front, facing front

[Xformer]

(Standard: 1 white spring) (Modification: 2 white springs) (Intensification: 0 springs)

[Megacore]

(Standard: 2 grey springs) (Modification: 3 grey springs) (Intensification: 1 grey spring)

[Allegro 2]

(Standard: 1 yellow spring) (Modification: 1 blue spring) (Intensification: 0 springs)

[Evo Reformer]

(Standard: 1 blue spring) (Modification: 2 blue springs) (Intensification: 0 springs)

- Setup (how to get into position)
 - Starting on the carriage facing the front platform
 - Hands on the front platform
 - · Knees all the way forward to the edge of the carriage, legs and feet together
 - Shins and tops of your shoe laces down on the moving carriage
 - Slight bend in the elbows, looking down and slightly forward
 - Lower your hips down and back so your spine is in a diagonal line and engage the core
- Execution (how to perform the exercise)
 - Inhale as you push the carriage back, shoulders move back and away from the hands
 - Exhale as you pull the carriage in, shoulders come forward above the hands
 - Note: Nothing moves except your shoulders going back and forward

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- DO NOT
 - DO NOT lock out your elbows or tuck the chin into your chest
 - DO NOT let the shoulders go past the wrist when coming forward
 - DO NOT allow the upper middle back to collapse (AKA: Scapular Winging)
- Challenge(s)
 - Holds and pulses
 - Push the carriage halfway back
 - pulse in 2 inches and back 2 inches (easier)
 - pulse out 2 inches and in 2 inches (harder)