Workout Plan Goal: Muscle Gain

*High Weight + Low Reps

*To see muscle growth, use heavy weight! On the last rep of each set, you should be working until FAILURE. This is how to see RESULTS!

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3-Day Split

Day 1 - Upper Body

- 1. Cardio Warm- Up (10 Minutes)
 - a. Ex) Treadmill, Stair Machine, Bike, etc
- 2. Lat Pull Downs 3x8
- Dumbbell Shoulder Press 3x8
- 4. Standing Dumbbell Curls 3x8
- 5. Cable Tricep Pushdowns 3x8
- 6. Pushups 3x8
- Pull Ups (Assisted if needed!) 3xmax*
- 8. Cardio 15 Minutes
 - a. Cardio of your choice, ex(Treadmill, Stairs, Bike, etc.)

Day 2 - Lower Body

- 1. Cardio Warm-Up (10 Minutes)
 - a. Ex) Treadmill, Stair Machine, Bike, etc
- Dynamic Leg Warm-up*
- 3. Barbell Squats 4x8
- 4. Hip Thrusts 4x8-10
- 5. Bulgarian Split Squats 4x8
- 6. RDLs 4x8
- 7. Quad Extensions 2x20
- 8. Lying Leg Curls 2x20
- 9. Slow Calf Raises 2xmax*
- 10. Cool Down*

Day 3 - Cardio + Abs

- 1. High Intensity Cardio (35-45 Minutes)
 - a. Ex) Treadmill, Stair Machine, Bike, etc
- 2. Ab Circuit 4 sets of each exercise back-to-back
 - a. Weighted Cable Crunches 4x25
 - b. Crunches x25
 - c. Flutter Kicks x25
 - d. Leg Raises x25
 - e. Russian Twists x25
 - f. Mountain Climbers x25
 - g. Plank x30sec

4-Day Split

Day 1 - Push (Shoulders, Chest, Triceps)

- 1. Cardio Warm-Up (10 Minutes)
 - a. Ex) Treadmill, Stair Machine, Bike, etc
- 2. Bench Press 3x8
- 3. Dumbbell Shoulder Press 3x8
- 4. Skull Crushers 3x10
- 5. Cable Flys 2x10
- 6. Pushups 3x12
- 7. Lateral Raises 3x10
- 8. Cable Pushdowns 3x10
- 9. Cardio 15 Minutes
 - a. Cardio of your choice, ex(Treadmill, Stairs, Bike, etc.)

Day 2 - Legs

- 1. Cardio Warm-Up (10 Minutes)
 - a. Ex) Treadmill, Stair Machine, Bike, etc
- 2. Dynamic Leg Warm-up*
- 3. Barbell Squats 4x8
- 4. Hip Thrusts 4x10
- 5. Bulgarian Split Squats 4x8 (each leg)
- 6. RDLs 4x8
- 7. Quad Extensions 2x20
- 8. Lying Leg Curls 2x20
- 9. Slow Calf Raises 2xmax*
- 10. Cool Down*

Day 3 - Pull (Back & Biceps)

- 1. Cardio Warm-Up (10 Minutes)
 - a. Ex) Treadmill, Stair Machine, Bike, etc
- 2. Barbell Bent Over Rows 3x8
- 3. Single Arm Rows 3x8 (each arm)
- 4. Pull Ups (assisted if needed) 3xmax*
- Seated Cable Rows 3x8
- 6. Cable Face Pulls 3x10
- 7. Standing Dumbbell Curls 3x8
- 8. Hammer Curls 3x8
- 9. Seated Incline Curls 3x8
- 10. Cardio 15 Minutes

a. Cardio of your choice, ex(Treadmill, Stairs, Bike, etc.)

Day 4 - Cardio + Abs

- 1. High Intensity Cardio (35-45 Minutes)
 - a. Ex) Treadmill, Stair Machine, Bike, etc
- 2. Ab Circuit 4 sets of each exercise back-to-back
 - a. Weighted Cable Crunches 4x25
 - b. Crunches x25
 - c. Flutter Kicks x25
 - d. Leg Raises x25
 - e. Russian Twists x25
 - f. Mountain Climbers x25
 - g. Plank x30sec

5-Day Split

Day 1 - Push (Shoulders, Chest, Triceps)

- 1. Cardio Warm-Up (10 Minutes)
 - a. Ex) Treadmill, Stair Machine, Bike, etc
- Bench Press 3x8
- 3. Dumbbell Shoulder Press 3x8
- 4. Skull Crushers 3x10
- 5. Cable Flys 2x10
- 6. Pushups 3x12
- 7. Lateral Raises 3x10
- 8. Cable Pushdowns 3x10
- 9. Cardio 15 Minutes
 - a. Cardio of your choice, ex(Treadmill, Stairs, Bike, etc.)

Day 2 - Legs (Quad Focus)

- 1. Cardio Warm-Up (10 Minutes)
 - a. Ex) Treadmill, Stair Machine, Bike, etc
- 2. Dynamic Leg Warm-up*
- 3. Quad Extensions 2x20
- 4. Lying Leg Curls 2x20
- Slow Calf Raises 2xmax*
- Barbell Back Squats 3x8
- 7. Barbell Front Squats 3x8
- 8. Hack Squats 3x18
- 9. Weighted Walking Lunges 3x10 (each leg)
- 10. Cool Down*

Day 3 - Pull (Back & Biceps)

- 1. Cardio Warm-Up (10 Minutes)
 - a. Ex) Treadmill, Stair Machine, Bike, etc
- 2. Barbell Bent Over Rows 3x8
- 3. Single Arm Rows 3x8 (each arm)
- Pull Ups (assisted if needed) 3xmax*
- Seated Cable Rows 3x8
- Cable Face Pulls 3x10
- Standing Dumbbell Curls 3x10
- 8. Hammer Curls 3x10
- 9. Seated Incline Curls 3x10
- 10. Cardio 15 Minutes

a. Cardio of your choice, ex(Treadmill, Stairs, Bike, etc.)

Day 4 - Legs (Glute Focus)

- 1. Cardio Warm-Up (10 Minutes)
 - a. Ex) Treadmill, Stair Machine, Bike, etc
- 2. Dynamic Leg Warm-up*
- 3. Quad Extensions 2x20
- 4. Lying Leg Curls 2x20
- 5. Slow Calf Raises 2xmax*
- 6. Hip Thrusts 3x8-10
- 7. Bulgarian Split Squats 3x8 (each leg)
- 8. Romanian Deadlifts (RDLs) 3x8
- 9. Back Extensions
- 10. Cool Down*

Day 5 - Cardio + Abs

- 1. High Intensity Cardio (35-45 Minutes)
 - a. Ex) Treadmill, Stair Machine, Bike, etc
- 2. Ab Circuit 4 sets of each exercise back-to-back
 - a. Weighted Cable Crunches 4x25
 - b. Crunches x25
 - c. Flutter Kicks x25
 - d. Leg Raises x25
 - e. Russian Twists x25
 - f. Mountain Climbers x25
 - g. Plank x30sec

<u>Tips</u>

- 1. For muscle gain, focus on lower reps higher weight for weighted exercise.
- 2. Weighted exercise help 'tone' your body. Focusing on each muscle group allows your body to grow each muscle without looking 'bulky'.
- 3. Putting on a focus on weight lifting > cardio will help build muscle
- 4. Results are made not only in the gym but also the kitchen!
 - a. Having a higher caloric intake of a balanced healthy diet will help build muscle
 - b. Remember to eat your protein!

Notes

- *max = max amount of reps you can do without failing
- *dynamic leg warmup = stretching your legs and hips with dynamic movements compared to static movements. Keep your legs moving while you warm them up!
- *Cool Down = Stretching, rolling out your legs, slow walk on the Treadmill, or anything you feel your body needs to cool down after a hard workout
- *Split = how many days a week you plan on working out. This plan is designed for individuals who would like to workout 3 days a week, 4 days a week, and 5 days a week