

Steady State (Lactate Threshold)

Warm-up:

10 min fairly easy, building towards Zone 2
3×30 sec high cadence, 30 sec soft pedal recovery
3 min Zone 2
2 min Zone 3
2 min easy

Then choose 1 of the following main sets and repeat through it 4 times:

Main Set #1: (X4)

3 min at 80–85% power/HR/RPE 2 min at 95–100% power/HR/RPE 3 min at 50% power/RPE - easy effort, HR should get back to Zone 2 2 min at 60% power/HR/RPE should be steady Zone 2

Main Set #2: (X4)

4 min at 80–85% power/HR/RPE
1 min at 95–100% power/HR/RPE
3 min at 50% power/RPE - easy effort, HR should get back to Zone 2
2 min at 60% power/HR/RPE should be steady Zone 2

Main Set #3: (X4)

4 min at 80–85% power/HR/RPE 2 min at 95–100% power/HR/RPE 2 min at 50% power/RPE - easy effort, HR should get back to Zone 2 2 min at 60% power/HR/RPE should be steady Zone 2

Cool-down:

Spend 5-10 minutes easy pedalling to recover include some stretching also.

Source:

http://www.triathlete.com/2015/03/training/one-hour-workout-power-based-steady-state-trainer-session_113011 http://www.triathlete.com/2015/03/training/one-hour-workout-steady-state-trainer-session-2_114406 http://www.triathlete.com/2015/06/training/one-hour-workout-steady-state-trainer-session-3_116916