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In the thread What's Considered a Good IM Run?, Paulo wrote:

Quote

Daniels T pace is the functional threshold pace for one hour. SO that means that you can work out what pace as a percentage of functional threshold pace does running a marathon in an Ironman equates to. Does the approach sound familiar?

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I would say that it is very similar to cycling. The range might be 75-80% of FT, with the best runners really close to 80%. BTW, I also think that good cyclists can be near 80% of FTP and still run.

I liked the approach but the thread was deleted by the OP, so I started this to continue the discussion.

The table shows the 75-80% range for the IM Run and 90-95% range for the HIM Run using 10k and HM times from Daniels VDOT Tables:

Steve, I preferred not to include the predicted marathon times because, IMHO, they are almost impossible to reach without specific marathon training, so I thought they not be very useful for HIM/IM discussion. OTOH the predicted marathon pace could be a nice target for HIM: it is 94-96% FT-Pace with 95% average, someway addressing Murphy'sLaw concern.

VDOT	10k	Half	FT-Pace	FT-Pace	HIM-Low	HIM-High	IM-Low	IM-High
		Marathon	(min/km)	(min/mi)	90%FT	95%FT	75%FT	80%FT
40	0:50:03	1:50:59	05:06.5	08:12.9	1:59:45	1:53:27	4:47:25	4:29:27
41	0:49:01	1:48:40	05:00.5	08:03.1	1:57:23	1:51:13	4:41:44	4:24:07
42	0:48:01	1:46:27	04:54.7	07:53.8	1:55:07	1:49:04	4:36:17	4:19:01
43	0:47:04	1:44:20	04:49.1	07:44.8	1:52:57	1:47:00	4:31:04	4:14:07
44	0:46:09	1:42:17	04:43.7	07:36.2	1:50:51	1:45:01	4:26:03	4:09:25
45	0:45:16	1:40:20	04:38.6	07:28.0	1:48:51	1:43:07	4:21:14	4:04:55
46	0:44:25	1:38:27	04:33.7	07:20.1	1:46:55	1:41:18	4:16:37	4:00:34
47	0:43:36	1:36:38	04:28.9	07:12.4	1:45:04	1:39:32	4:12:10	3:56:24
48	0:42:50	1:34:53	04:24.4	07:05.1	1:43:17	1:37:51	4:07:53	3:52:23
49	0:42:04	1:33:12	04:20.0	06:58.0	1:41:34	1:36:13	4:03:45	3:48:31
50	0:41:21	1:31:35	04:15.7	06:51.2	1:39:54	1:34:39	3:59:46	3:44:47
51	0:40:39	1:30:02	04:11.6	06:44.6	1:38:18	1:33:08	3:55:56	3:41:12
52	0:39:59	1:28:31	04:07.7	06:38.3	1:36:46	1:31:40	3:52:14	3:37:43
53	0:39:20	1:27:04	04:03.9	06:32.1	1:35:17	1:30:16	3:48:40	3:34:22
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