

We felt that this presentation gave a great outline on the benefits of carnitine without any modifications needing to be done to it.

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# Carnitine & Fat Loss

**Strength Sensei** 

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## Definition

### Carnitine

#### Amino acid composite that is made

### from lysine and methionine.





## **1. Transport of Fat into Cells**



#### Improves Shuttle mechanism

-Upregulates enzymes





## 2. Omega 3 s increase metabolic rate

Ups Carnitine use by cell.

- 1 g Carnitine : 3 g Omega 3
- 2.4 g Carnitine/sitting





## **3. No need for carbs**

As long as Omega 3's are up.

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## **4. Lowers visceral fat**

#### Lowers oxidized LDL,

## triglycerides, NAFLD and

## atherosclerosis

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# 5. Improves Aerobic Performance



#### 2 g of carnitine + 80 grams of carbs

#### increases baseline performance in

### triathlon by 11%

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# 6. Improves Work Capacity

 Minimizes accumulation of hydrogen ions

Reduces lactate accumulation

Higher work capacity with lower RPE





## 7. Enhances Recovery

 Reduced muscle tissue damage

Increased IGFBP-3 levels





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# 7. Enhances Recovery

• Greater number of intact androgen receptor sites

- Increase in the resting content of the androgen receptors that bind with testosterone
  - Indicates a better anabolic environment





# 8. Increased Brain Function

Increases motivation in the obese

Detoxifies heavy metals





# **9.** Prevent Diabetes and Improve Insulin Health

Abolishes free radicals

Reduces oxidative stress





# **10.** Counters Cachexia or Wasting Disease

- Improved their lean mass
- Increased energy metabolism

Decreased cholesterol levels





