### 8 Key Factors

## in Achieving Competition Success



#### Start preparing right away

Collecting data from the start of the season will provide ample time to make necessary improvements





#### Make checking data a routine

Checking data on a daily basis will highlight areas needing improvement, so you can act quick.

#### Know all your numbers

Get familiar with your metrics, and track how each one changes throughout the year.



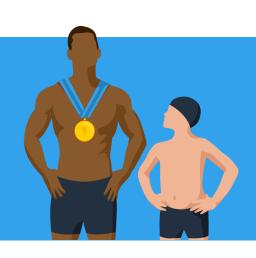
#### Understand strengths and weaknesses

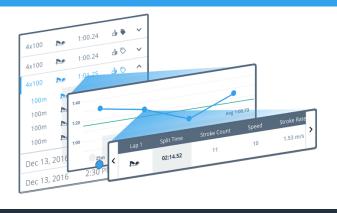


Understanding your personal swimming style and physical strengths will help you prioritize where to focus for improvement.

#### Compare yourself to your competition

See where your metrics stand compared to other athletes your speed, height and gender. Use this to help determine training needs,





#### **Optimize weak points**

Understand what metrics need improvements. Develop theories to test, then make small changes to meet improvement targets.

#### Set realistic targets

Set SMART yet challenging targets, to maintain motivation and create improvement stepping stones.



# 34.14 str/min

#### Test your strategies

Actively test several strategies throughout the season, some things will work better than others. Don't have expectations, let data guide the way.