## **Scale for Rating of Perceived Exertion**

For the specified task, rate the level of exertion according to the following scale.

```
Rating
      Verbal Anchor
      Nothing at all
      Extremely Weak (Just Noticeable)
0.5
      Very Weak
  1
  2
      Weak (Light)
  3
      Moderate
  4
      Strong (Heavy)
  5
  6
      Very Strong
  7
  8
  9
      Extremely Strong (Almost Maximum)
 10
```

Borg G. Psychophysical bases of perceived exertion. *Med. Sci. Sports Ex.* 14(5):377-381, 1982

While this scale is similar to that published by Dr. Borg, it is not an official scale and thus should be used with care.