Reviewer's report

Title: Muscle recruitment patterns during the prone leg extension test.

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Reviewer: Alison McGregor

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General

Introduction has now greatly improved and relevance clearer. Some typos in terms of missing brackets in abstract methods section. Either under results or under methods (emg processing) I think you must make a statement or provide some data of within subject variability particularly as you make a point about this in the discussion yet there are no facts provided to back this statement. Under EMG processing I feel you need a reference as to why 10% or peak muscle activity. Otherwise I am happy with all the revisions made, and good luck with the remainder of your work looks very interesting and greatly needed.

Major Compulsory Revisions (that the author must respond to before a decision on publication can be reached)

Minor Essential Revisions (such as missing labels on figures, or the wrong use of a term, which the author can be trusted to correct)

Discretionary Revisions (which the author can choose to ignore)

What next?: Accept after minor essential revisions

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No