

2022-2023 Domestic Single Skating Calling Clarifications for Pre-Juvenile and Below

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Fall Deduction	No Test & Pre-Preliminary: The deduction for every fall is 0.25
	Preliminary & Pre-Juvenile: The deduction for every fall is 0.5

Choreographic
Step Sequence

If the choreographic step sequence meets the requirements, it will be confirmed (see well-balanced program chart).

Rotational and edge errors will be assessed per ISU Communications #2474 (Levels of Difficulty) and #2475 (SOV). If, according to the jump repeat rules for specific levels, when two executions of a jump are allowed and one of those must be in combination or sequence, if both are executed as solo jumps, the second one performed will be marked with the sign "+REP." No Test, Pre-Preliminary & Preliminary: A waltz jump (1Wz) will receive credit.

Spins No Test, Pre-Preliminary

Spin in one position: If a basic position is not achieved for two continuous revolutions, but there is a recognizable position attempted (CSp, SSp, LSp, USp), the spin will receive a Level Base.

Level Feature: Eight continuous revolutions (no change in position, edge, variation; no loss of basic position) in camel, sit, layback or Biellmann; compulsory for higher than Level Base. (Note: Unlike ISU criteria, this feature does not require the basic sit position to be in a difficult variation.)

Combination Spin (CoSp & CCoSp): If there are not two basic positions achieved for two continuous revolutions, the spin will receive **No Value**.

• Level Feature: All three basic positions performed anywhere within the combination spin, with each position held for at least two continuous revolutions.

All spins: Max Level 1

• Any spin with less than three revolutions will receive No Value.

Spin Quick Reference Chart – No Test and Pre-Preliminary							
# of basic positions achieved →	0	1	2	3	No basic on one foot		
One position spin, no change of foot	В	(B-1)	N/A	N/A	N/A		
One position spin with change of foot	В	(B-1)	N/A	N/A	(B-1)		
CoSp	No Value	No Value	CoSpBV	CoSp1	N/A		
CCoSp	No Value	No Value	CCoSpBV	CCoSp1	CCoSp(B-1)		

Spins Preliminary, Pre-Juvenile

Spin in one position: If a basic position is not achieved for two continuous revolutions, the spin will receive No Value.

- Level Feature: Eight continuous revolutions (no change in position, edge, variation; no loss of basic position) in camel, sit, layback or Biellmann; compulsory for higher than Level Base. (Note: Unlike ISU criteria, this feature does not require the basic sit position to be in a difficult variation.)
- The eight continuous revolutions may be performed in a difficult variation for max of a Level 2. If less than eight revolutions are performed, the spin will receive Level Base.
- Any other feature may be performed for a max Level 2.

Combination Spin (CoSp & CCoSp): A spin with only two basic positions achieved for two continuous revolutions will be assigned a "V". If there are not two basic positions achieved for two continuous revolutions, the spin will receive **No Value.**

- Level Feature: All three basic positions performed anywhere within the combination spin, with each
 position held for at least two continuous revolutions; compulsory for higher than Level Base.
- Preliminary note: This level feature may be awarded twice if both spins executed are combination spins.
- Any other feature may be performed for a max Level 2.

All spins: Max Level 2

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Spin Quick Reference Chart – Preliminary and Pre-Juvenile								
# of basic positions achieved →	0	1	2	3	No basic on one foot			
One position spin, no change of foot	No Value	(B-2)	N/A	N/A	N/A			
One position spin with change of foot (applicable to Preliminary)	No Value	(B-2)	N/A	N/A	(B-2)V			
CoSp	No Value	No Value	CoSpBV	CoSp(1-2)	N/A			
CCoSp	No Value	No Value	CCoSpBV	CCoSp(1-2)	CCoSp(B-2)			



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No Test, Pre-Preliminary, Preliminary, Pre-Juvenile Spins:

If an execution error in one of the spins results in a call that causes the other spin to be asterisked (resulting in no value because it's not according to requirements), the procedure is as follows:

For example, if prior to review the two spins for a pre-juvenile program are listed as:

- CSp (no level) due to an error on an intended CoSp or CCoSp
- SSp2* not according to requirements

The code should be changed to:

- CoSp or CCoSp (no level) the required spin
- SSp2 no asterisk

This procedure ensures that the skater is not penalized twice (in this pre-juvenile example, for repeating the spin in one position.) However, if it is determined by the technical panel that the skater is clearly attempting a spin which is not according to specific level requirements (e.g. a spin in one position with a change of foot in pre-juvenile; or a second spin of the same character as the first) the technical specialist calls the spin that is actually performed and not the elements that are required. Any incorrect elements will receive an asterisk* that will result in **No Value**.

Refer to the following documents for additional information:

- 2022-2023 U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook
- 2022-2023 Singles Free Skate Program Elements for No Test Senior
- ISU Communication #2474 Single and Pair Skating (updated June 2022)
- ISU Communication #2475 Single and Pair Skating, Scale of Values
- ISU Technical Panel Handbook Singles (July 12, 2021 update for 2022-2023 pending)

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