FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DE GYMNASTIQUE



2022 – 2024 FIG JUDGES' RULES



SPECIFIC RULES FOR ACROBATIC GYMNASTICS

Version 3.0 - REVISED December 2021

The FIG has approved the 2022-2024 FIG General Judges' Rules which are applicable to all competitive disciplines. The specific rules and clarifications listed below apply only to this discipline and are in compliance with the General Judges' Rules.

ARTICLE 1 ONLINE JUDGES' TESTS

The Online Tests will include a practical test on:

- Difficulty
- Execution
- Artistry

ARTICLE 2 ONLINE TEST

2.1 Difficulty (provisional)

Part 1: DJ work before competition (with the use of the T.O.D.)

Check 5 TSH (5 x10 points = 50 POINTS) drawn out of 3 packs of 4-5 available

Candidates have to check the Tariff Sheets for:

- Difficulty values of the elements,
- Coordinates of the elements,
- Restrictions/SR
- Total Difficulty value

The time is maximum 15 Min/ Tariff Sheet (or as determined by the TC).

Part 2: DJ work during competition

10 Exercises Difficulty (10 x10 points = **100** POINTS) drawn out of 30 (WITH VIDEO)

90 seconds before THE START of each video to consult the Tariff Sheet

Candidates have to check the Tariff Sheets against the video.

The correct penalties should be applied.

Candidates will lose 1 point:

- for the incorrect total DV
- for each missing penalty:
 (SR, TF, Number of elements, etc.)

up to a maximum of 4 points per exercise.

Maximum time for evaluation of D jury exercises is **2 minutes per exercise** (or as determined by the TC).

Total Difficulty exam: 150 points

2.2 Artistry (provisional)

10 Exercises for Artistry (10 X 10 points ⇒ 2 points each criteria) drawn out of 30 exercises.

Final score is based on deviation from the expert tolerance on each exercise

Maximum time for evaluation of A jury is **60 seconds**/per exercise.

Maximum: 100 points

2.3 Execution (provisional)

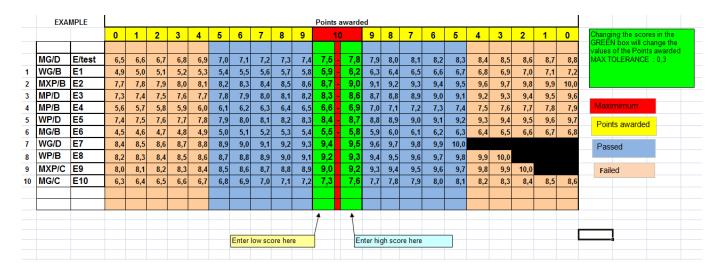
15 Exercises Execution (15 X 10 points) drawn out of 30

Final score is based on deviation from the expert tolerance on each exercise

Maximum time for evaluation of E jury is **60 seconds**/per exercise.

Maximum: 150 points

A spreadsheet (provisional) has been produced to work out the scores based on the deviation from the expert tolerance on each exercise.



	Difficulty	E-score	A-score	Total
MAXIMUM score	150	150	100	400

DIFFICULTY	150	37,5%	
Practical Execution	150	37,5%	
Practical Artistry	100	25%	

The final total score for all components of the test (once each component has been weighted as per the specific ACRO judging rules) will be the final score allocated to the candidate. However, Article 2.5 will apply in terms of the minimum standards to achieve or maintain a specific judging category.

2.4 Online Test Evaluation, Provisional Pass marks

Pass marks Online tests		
D1+D2	90/150	60%
ARTISTIC	60/100	60%
EXECUTION	90/150	60%

ARTICLE 3 JUDGES' NOMINATION, SELECTION AND DRAW

3.1 General Principle

Each NF must present one Judge and may present a second judge Category 1, 2 or 3, in good standing. NFs who have one of their judges drawn as CJP, DJ may propose one or two additional judges of Category 1, 2 or 3.

If a Federation presents 2 judges for competition, one may be nominated by their Federation to specialize, whenever possible, as an Execution Judge, the other as an Artistic Judge (identified BEFORE the competition), but all judges at FIG competitions must be prepared to officiate as both Execution and Artistry Judges.

All judges will be given the opportunity to judge at least one phase of competition.

3.2 Judges' selection process for World Championships and The World Games

Position	Number	How to select	Observation
CJP	2 (1/ panel)	Draw from Cat. 1 Judges	Draw during a TC Meeting or by TC President in Lausanne minimum 6 months prior the WCH.
DIF	4=2 teams OR 6=3 teams	Draw from Cat. 1 and 2 Judges, but priority to Cat. 1 considering the best results in the examination of Difficulty and the experience.	Draw during a TC Meeting or by TC President in Lausanne minimum 6 months prior the WCH Cannot be same nationality as CJP

The Chairs of Judges' Panel and the Difficulty Judges are drawn by the ACRO TC President and FIG office six months prior to the competition by the judges' selection process.

They are selected, from the Category 1 Brevet Judges of good standing. A reserve substitute will be invited, if confirmation is not received by the target date from the Federation concerned. If a NF rejects the draw/nomination as CJP or D Judge, this judge may not be selected to another position for the same competition.

The Chairs of Judges' Panel (Cat.1) and the Difficulty Judges (Cat 1 and Cat 2) for **The World Games** are drawn by the TC President and FIG office, six months prior to the competition by the judges' selection process.

Federations not accepting the nomination will not be allowed to send a judge.

3.3 Draw Procedure

Draw the 2 CJP from all Cat. 1 judges

- They are assigned to Panel A and Panel B.
- Reserve CJP from a different NF as the ones in 1.1.

Draw the D Judges

(4 DJ + 2 reserves Or 6 DJ) from Cat 1 & 2 judges who passed the Online test.

The order of the draw is:

- a) Dif. 1 team A
- b) Dif. 1 team B
- c) Dif. 2 team A
- d) Dif. 2 team B
- e) Dif. Reserve 1
- f) Dif. Reserve 2

If a judge is drawn from the same country as the CJP, he/she will move directly to the other panel.

If that is not possible, another eligible judge will be drawn.

Criteria during the current or the previous cycle:

For experience

Participation as a CJP, a D judge or an E or A judge in a minimum of one World Championships or The World Games.

Honesty and Integrity

JEP evaluation: NO significant bias identified

NO warnings or sanctions received during the current or previous cycle

If a judge is nominated from same country as CJP, he/she will move direct to the other panel. If that is not possible, another eligible judge will be nominated.

Up to 6 DJs are drawn provisionally by the TC ACRO at least 6 months prior to the competition date and confirmed after the provisional closure date.

Judges for Execution and Artistic Panels will be drawn in the period just prior to competition. Included in the draw will be all judges not officiating as Difficulty Judges in the particular event.

In the event of illness, lateness or sanction of a judge, a reserve judge will be assigned as a replacement. This will not invalidate the replacement judge from officiating in his/her own drawn places. It is at the discretion of the Superior Jury, after taking into account the reason for earlier disqualification, to allow the replaced judge to return to officiating later in the competition.

ARTICLE 5 MISCELLANEOUS

Refer to the 2022-2024 FIG General Judges' Rules for more information.

ARTICLE 6 FINAL PROVISIONS

This 2022 – 2024 FIG Specific Judges' Rules for Acrobatic Gymnastics, have been approved by the Executive Committee at its Online meeting in December 2021. They enter into effect on January 1st, 2022.

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