

Ice Dance

Who is responsible?

Deductions

	Description	Penalty	Who is responsible
1	Program time violation – for every 5 sec. lacking or excess	-1.0 point deduction	Referee
2	Interruption of program in excess of 5 seconds (for SD & FD only) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - between 6 and 15 sec. - between 16 and 30 sec. 	-1.0 point -2.0 points	Referee
3	Lifts exceeding permitted duration – per lift exceeding 6 or 12 sec according to type of lift.	-1.0 point deduction	Referee
4	Costume / prop violations – according to the Rule 612 and ISU Communication 1677 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - costume and prop <p>Note: prop violation includes using part of the costume as a support in a Dance Lift. In this case, deduction by Referee and Judges applies, and Technical Panel gives the Level of the Dance Lift according to the Calling Specifications without reduction for the prop violation.</p>	-1.0 point deduction	Referee together with the Judges Panel decides on costume and prop violations. The corresponding deductions are applied according to the opinion of the majority of the Panel which includes all the Judges and the Referee and no deduction in case of a 50:50 split vote. The Judges and Referee will press a button on their screen to apply the above mentioned deductions.
5	Costume / prop violations , according to the Rule 612 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - part of the costume / decoration fall on the ice 	-1.0 point deduction	Referee
6	Illegal Elements / Movements , according to the Rules 609 and 610 paragraph 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Movements and/or poses in the Lifts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lifting hand(s) of the lifting partner higher than his head*; - Lying or sitting on the partner's head; - Sitting or standing on the partner's shoulder, back; - Lifting partner swinging the lifted partner around by holding the skate(s)/boot(s) or leg(s) only with fully extended arm(s) or by holding the hand(s) with full arm extension by both partners; - Lifted partner in established upside down split pose (with sustained angle between thighs more than 45 degrees)**; *It is NOT considered as an illegal lift if: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the point of contact of the lifting hand/arm of the lifting partner with any part of the body of the lifted partner is not sustained higher than the lifting partner's head; - the lifting hand/arm which is used for support or balancing only or which touches any part of the body of the lifted partner is not sustained by the lifting partner higher than his head for more than 2 seconds. **A brief movement through an upside down split pose (with any angle between thighs) will be permitted if it is not established (sustained) or if it is used only to change pose. • Jumps (or throw jumps) of more than one (1) revolution or jumps of one (1) revolution skated at the same time by both partners; • Lying on the ice. 	-2.0 points deduction	Technical Specialist identifies Technical Controller authorizes or corrects and deducts If there is an illegal movement during the execution of any element, the deduction for an illegal movement will apply and the element will receive Level 1 if the requirements for at least Level 1 are fulfilled. Otherwise the element will be called No Level. However, if both Technical Specialists disagree with a correction on illegal elements asked for by the Technical Controller, the initial decision of the Technical Specialist and Assistant Technical Specialist stands.
7	Music – violation of music restrictions (Free Dance), according to the Rule 610 paragraph 1.c)	-2.0 points deduction	Referee together with the Judges Panel decides on violations of music requirements. The corresponding deductions are applied according to the opinion of the majority of the Panel which includes all the Judges and the Referee and no deduction in case of a 50:50 split vote). The Judges and Referee will press a button on their screen to apply the above mentioned deductions.
8	Extra element – for each extra element Element not according to requirements for Short Dance or not according to the “Well-Balanced Free Dance Program”.	-1.0 point deduction Element receives (no value)	Computer deletes elements and applies deduction. Technical Controller authorizes or corrects deletion of elements and deductions.
9	Fall during the program (for PD, SD & FD) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - per fall by one partner - per fall by both partners <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kneeling or sliding on two knees or sitting on the ice is not allowed and it will be considered by the Technical Panel as a Fall (Rules 609, paragraph 1.k) and 610, paragraph 1.j)). • For Pattern Dances: if a Fall occurs during the introductory and/or concluding steps/movements only the Technical Panel makes appropriate deduction; if a fall occurs during the Section of dance the Technical Panel and Judges make appropriate deduction (Rule 353, paragraph 1.n) (ii)). If more than ¼ Section is missed through interruption the Technical Panel calls it “Section ... No Level” (ISU Communication 1567, chapter 5). • A Fall is defined as loss of control by a skater with the result that the majority of his/her own body weight is on the ice supported by any other part of the body other than the blades e.g. hand(s), knee(s), buttock(s), or any part of the arm (Rule 353, paragraph 1.n) (ii)). 	-1.0 point deduction -2.0 points deduction	Technical Specialist identifies Technical Controller authorizes or corrects and deducts However, if both Technical Specialists disagree with a correction on falls asked for by the Technical Controller, the initial decision of the Technical Specialist and Assistant Technical Specialist stands.