



**PRECISIONS, INFORMATION AND
INSTRUCTIONS
SNOWBOARD, FREESTYLE, FREESKI,
SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE**

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The International Snowboard / Freestyle / Freeski / Competition Rules (ICR)

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220.6 FIS Education

FIS licensed Technical Officials must follow the education pathway outlined in the FIS Technical Official Education Guidelines and its related Discipline-specific Annex Documents agreed upon. After the fulfillment of all criteria, they receive a FIS license that needs to be actively renewed following the specific guidelines defined. In principle, this regulation applies to all disciplines, taking into consideration the special rules of the disciplines as outlined in sections 220.6.1 - 220.6.5

220.6.1 Technical Delegate

The education pathways as well as the conditions of containing a license are outlined in the discipline-specific Annex Documents for Technical Delegates.

220.6.2 Judge

The education pathways as well as the conditions of containing a license are outlined in the discipline-specific Annex Documents for Judges.

220.6.3 Chief of Competition

The education pathways as well as the conditions of containing a license are outlined in the discipline-specific Annex Documents for Chief of Competition.

220.6.4 Homologation Inspector

The education pathways as well as the conditions of containing a license are outlined in the discipline-specific Annex Documents for Homologation Inspectors.

220.6.5 Para Classifier

The education pathways as well as the conditions of containing a license are outlined in the discipline-specific Annex Documents for Para Classifier.

220.6.6 Equipment Controller

The education pathways as well as the conditions of containing a license are outlined in the discipline-specific Annex Documents for Equipment Controller.

(General Section)

2008.6 Rights of the Technical Delegate

(It was replaced in the [Technical Official General Rules](#))

~~2008.6.3 Reimbursement of travel expenses and all costs arising out of their duties at the inspections and competitions, as per the current policy of FIS.~~

2008.7 Expense Accounts

~~Technical Delegates, the Referee when appointed by FIS, and all Jury members at FIS World Championships have the right to reimbursement for their travel expenses. Reimbursement is limited to CHF 600. for competitions other than Olympic Winter Games, World Championships, World Cup and Continental Cup, unless an exception has been granted. For longer distances the actual cost of train (first class) or air fare (tourist class), or car travel at a rate of CHF 0.70 per kilometre plus any applicable highway charges, may be claimed. The TD is entitled to receive free accommodation and meals during the assignment. This rule also applies to inspections. In addition, a fixed daily rate of CHF 125. is added for each day of the assignment, including travel days. If overnight accommodation during the journey to and from the assignment is necessary, such expense shall be justified and reimbursed separately.~~

Park & Pipe Section

(Replaced by the [FIS Technical Official Education Guidelines](#) and linked discipline-specific Annex documents)

3311.4 Development

~~The development for a Judge is:~~

- ~~— Obtain a C Licence via the official certification path~~
- ~~— Gain Regional/National judging experience~~
- ~~— Attend an International Judging Clinic.~~
- ~~— Satisfactory completion of steno/written exam at an International Clinic.~~
- ~~— If prerequisite for judging experience is met, the judge is eligible to obtain an international Licence. (See 3311.6 Qualifications – Licence)~~

~~National Associations may nominate capable individuals as Judge~~

~~Applicants for participation in the FIS development process.~~

~~The SB & FK JAG has the final decision as to their acceptance.~~

3311.5 Training

~~For Snowboard the initial training of the applicant is done via the NSA using platforms such as WSF education process and open to all judges.~~

~~For Freeski, it is the responsibility of each National Association.~~

~~Applicants are required to attend a FIS International Judges' Clinic, pass a written examination and be approved by the FIS SB & FK Judging Advisory Group (JAG). The examination will be given in an official FIS language.~~

~~3311.6.1 Prerequisite for a A-Licence~~

- ~~— Have a minimum of three (3) years judging experience in the respective event.~~
- ~~— Have attended a minimum of two (2) International Judges' clinics in the last three (3) years.~~
- ~~— Have judged a minimum of one (1) World Cup in the last three (3) years.~~
- ~~— Approved by the FIS SB / FK Judging Advisory Group (JAG).~~
- ~~— A judge can apply for a licence upgrade based on prior experience judging high-level independent events, or prior experience as a high-level competitor. Applicants must have attended a minimum of one (1) FIS International Judging Clinic, and have the approval of their NSA. JAG to approve or deny judging licence upgrade applications.~~
- ~~— To maintain/renew an FIS A-Licence, a judge must attend a minimum of one (1) International Judging Clinic in the past two (2) years and show satisfactory skills/knowledge on the practical examination. Attendance every year is encouraged~~

~~3311.6.2 Prerequisite for a B-Licence~~

- ~~— Have a minimum of two (2) years judging experience in the respective event.~~
- ~~— Have judged a minimum of two (2) FIS Continental Cups (or equivalent) in the past two (2) years.~~
- ~~— Have attended minimum of one International Judges' clinic.~~
- ~~— Approved by the FIS SB / FK Judging Advisory Group.~~
- ~~— A judge can apply for a licence upgrade based on prior experience judging high-level independent events, or prior experience as a high-level competitor. Applicants must have attended a minimum of one (1) FIS International Judging Clinic, and have the approval of their NSA. JAG to approve or deny judging licence upgrade applications.~~
- ~~— To maintain/renew a FIS B-Licence, a judge must attend a minimum of one (1) International Judging Clinic in the past two (2) years and show satisfactory skills/knowledge on the practical examination. Attendance every year is encouraged.~~

~~3311.6.3 Prerequisite for a C-Licence~~

~~For Snowboard, the C-Licence is issued by the FIS JAG using WSF and requiring standardized online training, a live clinic (in person or remote) and standardized online testing.~~

~~For Freeski, it is a National Licence and is based on the NSA's rules and structure. FIS SB & FK JAG will maintain a current list of C-licensed judges submitted to the JAG by the NSAs.~~

~~(It was replaced in the [Technical Official General Rules](#))~~

~~3311.11 Expense Accounts~~

~~Judges are entitled to reimbursement for travel expenses up to CHF 600.—¹ (highway taxes included)¹, as well as free accommodation and meals during their assignment. This rule applies to inspections as well as the trip to the competition (first class rail or, for longer distance, tourist class air fare, or car at CHF 0.70/km). Judges receive in addition a fixed daily rate of CHF~~

~~¹—The maximum payment of CHF 600.—is valid for all races except Olympic Winter Games, World Championships, World Cup and Continental Cup unless due to geographic considerations an exception is granted.~~

~~125.* for World Cup, Continental Cup, World Championships and lower level events for travel days to and from, as well as each day of the assignment.~~

~~The Head Judge may receive 1 additional day on assignment, and expense up to 10 CHF/day for use of a personal cell phone at international events.~~

~~Double charges (e.g. when travelling home on the same day as the last competition) are not permitted. If overnight accommodation during the journey to and from the assignment is necessary, it must be justified and reimbursed separately.~~

~~On training day, if a judge has further than 200 km drive to the competition, accommodation must be provided the preceding night by OC unless official training starts after 10:00 am.~~

~~If there is night/evening finals and competition ends later than 20:00, accommodation must be provided by OC prior to the judges departure.~~

~~The judges must attend one day of training at the CoC level.~~

~~* This rule applies to all Jury members at FIS World Championships~~

(It was replaced in the Technical Official General Rules)

3311.11.1 ~~Payment of Judges' Per Diems and Expenses~~

~~The payment of the CHF/USD/EUR must be paid electronically by bank transfer no later than twenty (20) business days after the last competition or when Judges have sent in their Expense sheet to FIS/LOC.~~

~~A late payment charge of CHF 300 will apply for LOC from 20 business days after the last competition day or receiving the bank information for each late payment to each individual judge.~~

~~After 35 business days, a 2nd charge of CHF 300 will apply until payments are done. After 50 business days, a 3rd charge of CHF 300 will apply until payments are done.~~

~~Excluded from this is a delay due to wrong or missing bank account information as provided by the Judge.~~

~~The judge is responsible for transmitting their correct, up to date and complete bank account information including all necessary data (official form is available on the FIS Website) electronically to the FIS/LOC. The date of submission of bank details to the FIS/LOC is valid for the above deadlines for the FIS/LOC to execute payment.~~

3505 Delayed Judging

Delayed Judging with filmed images available for each athlete at events and phases at any level can be considered if possible.

In the case that video judging is the solution adopted and with equipment that allows to record all runs of all athletes delayed judging can be conducted.

Delayed Judging consists of conducting all competition procedures in the usual manner, from the creation of the start list through phase setup to the final results, except that the pace of athlete starts is faster than the actual judging and scoring of the runs.

This system is used during phases with a large number of participating athletes, such as qualifications, where available time or weather and snow conditions are limited.

3505.1 Athletes will drop in the order that the start list indicates, and the video system will record the runs in their entirety (start to end of course) of each run/athlete.

The judges will start to judge the runs as soon as the first athlete is in the finish area whilst athletes will be asked to start as soon as the previous rider clears the course.

Judges at their own pace will judge each athletes run going through the recordings of the runs in the same order of the start list and runs.

The judging and scoring of the runs will finish after the actual runs are completed with a gap that can be up to 30-45 minutes after the last run of the last athlete is completed. Each athlete will receive their first run score prior to starting gtheir second run.

3505.2 An official or appointed person will coordinate the drops of the athletes with the starter, camera crew and recording system once he/she is sure that each and every athlete has been recorded properly in order to be judged accordingly in a delayed manner.

3502.3 If the appointed coordinator believes that the recording process has a problem and the performance of an athlete was not completed, he will call for a re-run and indicate to the jury such need.

3502.4 As in normal formats and procedures coaches and athletes can consult the judges after competitions for clarifications and if miss identifications of tricks are recognized a review can be asked as by rule 3406.4.

3606 Teams' Course Inspection

Before the first official training of each competition day a course inspection for

teams (coaches and competitors) will be scheduled. After such inspection, teams can inform the Jury about any concerns or remarks. Such inspection will happen by sliding down the course (without riding the features).

Based upon how teams are divided (into 2-3-4 sessions of training or 2-3-4 heats of qualification) and based upon weather and course conditions other course inspection periods may be allowed at the discretion of the Jury.

If no remarks or concerns arise then the competition can move on to the next phase. If any concerns or remarks are made then the jury will handle them in order to be able to move on with the next phases.

3606.1 Coaches allowed on course during various phases

Training Phases:

During Halfpipe (HP) and Big Air (BA) training ssessions, no coach or team personnel may follow an athlete on the course under any circumstances.

For Slopestyle (SS), limited following may be permitted at the discretion of the jury, subject to safety considerations and course operations.

Competitions Phases:

During all competition phases, coaches and team representatives are not permitted within the field of play.

3611 Protests, Re-Runs, Penalties / Sanctions

3611.1 Protests

Refer to general section: 2026

[3611.1.1 Total, section, and individual scores cannot be protested.](#)

3703.4 Does Not Improve (DNI)

When a competition phase is made up of 2 or more runs, of which the best run

counts; any run that does not improve over the previous run(s) will not be scored. In this case the run(s) will receive a DNI score.

[This will apply only when Overall Impression \(OI\) and section by section judging formats are used and will not be used with Slopestyle Section by Section judging.](#)

For Big Air using a best 2 of 3 run format, if the same run/trick is attempted more than once, then the DNI score may also be used.

(Freestyle Section)

4001.1.2 Number of Judges:

Aerials (including Team and Synchro)

OWG, WSC, WC: 1 Head Judge + 5 to 7 scoring Judges

At all other competitions: 1 Head Judge + 5 scoring Judges

Moguls, Dual Moguls (including Team)

OWG, WSC, WC: 1 Head Judge + 7 scoring Judges

At all other competitions: 1 Head Judge + 5 to 7 scoring Judges

In special cases, fewer judges can be scheduled.

(It was replaced in the [Technical Official General Rules](#))

~~**4001.1.7 Judges' Expenses**~~

~~4001.1.7.1 The Judges when appointed by FIS have a right to reimbursement for their travel expenses. Reimbursement is limited to CHF 600 for competitions other than Olympic Winter Games, World Championships, World Cup and Continental Cup, unless an exception has been granted by the event organiser. For longer distances the actual cost of train (first class) or air fare (tourist class), or car travel at a rate of CHF 0.70 per kilometre plus any applicable highway charges, may be claimed. The Judges are entitled to receive free accommodation and meals during the assignment.~~

~~In addition, a fixed daily rate of CHF 125. is added for each day of the assignment, including travel days. Double charges (e.g. travelling home on the same day as the last competition) are not permitted. If overnight accommodation during the journey to and from the assignment is necessary, such expense shall be justified and reimbursed separately.~~

~~4001.1.7.2 The Organising Committee must provide accommodation in accordance with the current policies of the FIS.~~

~~4001.1.7.3 The Organising Committee must provide lift tickets for training and competition in accordance with the current policies of the FIS.~~

4103.2 ~~The Chief of Inrun and Chief of Jumps~~ **Aerial Course Responsibilities and Authority**

~~Officials for the course preparation~~

~~In each event and every site should have an official as The Chief of Course, who is responsible for the condition of the slope aerial site including the inrun, transitions and the landing zone area. The Chief of Course may be supported by a Lead of and have the power to dispatch his course preparation group to maintain the course whenever it's needed. The Chief of Inrun and a Chief Lead of Jumps, are assistants to the Chief of Course for Aerials. These officials prepare shall have the authority to direct and dispatch crews for course preparation and maintain maintenance. the different Aerials jumps and associated transitions and inruns.~~

4104.2 **Formats Overview Aerials**

4104.2.1 In Aerials, several formats may be used when running FIS competitions.

For FIS Continental Cup and Junior competitions, an organizer will use the Standard format (see 4104.5).

For FIS World Cup competitions, an organizer may use the Traditional World Cup format (4104.3.1) or the Phased Final World Cup format (4104.3.2).

For Major Competitions, the organiser shall use ~~-(Qualifying Day)-~~ the Championships format (see 4104.4) or the Standard.

4104.2.2 For all formats, the start list for the first phase shall be determined by a random draw.

For Championship events, competitors shall be divided into two groups prior to the draw:

- Group 2: Skiers ranked 13th or lower by FIS points among the entered competitors.
- Group 1: The top 12 skiers by FIS points among the entered competitors. Within each group, the start order will be determined randomly. Group 2 will start first, followed by Group 1. The combined order of both groups shall constitute the start list for the phase.

4104.3 **World Cup Formats**

~~The One of two~~ World Cup formats ~~are is shall to~~ be used at all FIS World Cup competitions: the Traditional World Cup, or the Phased Final World Cup:

4104.3.1 The Traditional World Cup format comprises:

- a Qualification Phase (Q) consisting of one round
- two Final Phases (F1, F2) each consisting of one round.

Competitors ranked down to 12th place in the Qualification Phase shall proceed directly to F1, the top 6 competitors from F1 then proceed to F2.

4104.3.2 World Cup Format Phased Finals

The Phased Finals World Cup format may be conducted over two days.

Stage 1 - Qualification

- Each competitor performs one jump (Q1).
- The top six competitors advance directly to F1 in Stage 2.

Stage 2 – Final Qualifications

- Competitors ranked 7th through 18th after Q1 perform a second jump (Q2).
- For these competitors, the best score from Q1 or Q2 counts.
- The six top from this group will advance to F1, completing the 12 athlete field.
- Competitors ranked 19th or lower in Q1 do not receive a second jump

Final Phases:

- F1 – one round
- F2 – one round

~~4104.3.2 Competitors ranked down to 12th place in the Qualification Phase shall proceed to F1.~~

4104.6 Formats Summary

		Q1	Q2	F1	F2
Standard	W/M	N	N	6 or 12	
<u>Traditional WC</u>	<u>Women</u> <u>Men</u>	<u>N</u> <u>N</u>		<u>12</u> <u>12</u>	<u>6</u> <u>6</u>
<u>Phased Final WC</u>	Women	N	<u>≤12</u>	12	6
	Men	N	<u>≤12</u>	12	6
<u>WSC, OWG Championship</u>	Women	N	N-6	12	12
	Men	N	N-6	12	12

“N” is the number of competitors on the Start List

4203.2 Moguls

In the Moguls competition, all competitors will take at least one run. The qualified competitors, as specified in rule 4210.6 shall move to the Finals. There can be more than one round in the qualification (Q) and final (F) phases.

In Moguls, three formats are available when running FIS competitions. For FIS World Cup competitions an organiser may use either: the Traditional World Cup or the Phased Final World Cup format. For Major Competitions, the organiser shall use the Championship format.

One of two World Cup competition formats may be used at FIS World Cup competitions.

- Traditional World Cup Format

- A single Qualification round is held, with the top 16 competitors advancing to F1.
- The top 6 from F1 advance to the second final round (F2).

- Phased Finals World Cup Format

The competition is conducted over two stages and may be conducted over two days.

- Stage 1, Each competitor performs one run (Q1) and the top 8 advancing directly to F1.
- Stage 2, Competitors ranked 9th–32nd after Q1 perform a second run (Q2), with their best score from Q1 or Q2 counting. The top 8 from this group advance to F1 to complete the 16-athlete field. Competitors ranked 33rd or lower after Q1 do not receive a second run.

In both formats, F1 consists of one round, with the top 6 advance to F2. Any ties for the last qualification place from Q1 or Q2 shall be resolved by 4007.3.

Championships Formats

- For the Olympic Winter Games and the World Ski Championships, a specific competition format is used: the Championship Format. All competitors complete a first run (Q1), with the top 10 skiers advancing directly to F1. The remaining competitors, ranked 11th to the end of the field, complete a second run (Q2), with their best score from Q1 or Q2 counting. The top 10 from this group then advance to F1, creating a 20-athlete field. In F1, each competitor performs one run, and the top 8 competitors advance to F2.

~~Based upon the results of the first Qualification round (Q1), a set number of competitors will be directly seeded into the Final. An optional, second Qualification round (Q2), comprising a defined number of the competitors remaining from Q1, may take place. In this case the numbers to qualify from each Qualification round shall be equal, except that ties for the last qualification place from Q1 or Q2 shall be resolved by 4007.3. The ranking after Q2 of those not qualified is based upon the better score from Q1 and Q2.~~

In the Final phase, there will be up to two rounds depending on the level of competition. The top seeded competitors from the Qualification phase will compete in the first round of the Final (F1). If a second Final round is scheduled, the highest ranked competitors from F1 will compete in that round, otherwise, F1 becomes the final round. The numbers that are to compete in the various rounds at different levels of competition are defined by the following table.

		Q1	Q2	F1	F2
Standard WC Format	Women	N		16	6
	Men	N		16	6
Phased Finals WC Format	Women	N	≤ 24	16	6
	Men	N	≤ 24	16	6
WSC Championship Format	Women	N	N-10	20	8
	Men	N	N-10	20	8

4204.3

[Mogul Air Bump Criteria and Specifications](#)

Measurement

[Maximum](#) Distance ~~from~~to:

- The end of the last Bump to the Take off 5.0 [m](#) - 6.0 m
- The Air_bump Take off to end of landing 15.0 [m \(Top\)](#) - 18.0_m (~~Top~~
[BottomAir](#))
- Jump Height [15.0 m 20.0 m \(Bottom Air](#)
- Landing Zone Gradient 50 – 70 cm
- Take off Angle Greater than 26°
- Air Bump Width 26° to 35°
130 cm – 150 cm

4210.2

Number of Aerials Manoeuvres

4210.2.1

All courses are two jump courses unless otherwise specified by the Jury. Every competitor must perform two different jumps in order to maximize points. Two different jumps can be defined as:

- Loop allow only one jump in this category per run
- Inverted flips allow only one jump in this category per run unless there is a different direction of initiation (front vs. back) or rotation added (straight over jump vs. full twisting)
 - Off axis allow the same jump from same category if there is rotation different by 360 degrees. (same system as with straight rotations)
- Straight rotation if two jumps are performed from this category they must differ by 360 degrees
- Uprights must have a different number of moves (e.g. double spread, triple twister)
- Grabs Two jumps that would otherwise be treated as from the

same category shall be permissible if one and not the other includes a grab, however, a Degree of Difficulty adjustment will be applied.

4210.2.2 Where two jumps from the same category are performed, one with a grab, the lower Degree of Difficulty of the two jumps will be applied to both jumps.

4210.3 Did not Finish (DNF)

The competition officials may impose a ruling entitled "Did Not Finish" (DNF) for any infractions listed below. This list does not restrict the ruling of the officials for any infraction, which may occur and is not listed below. DNF may be imposed:

4210.3.1 for skiing out of the course boundaries, which includes not crossing the gate line (see 4210.3.34) or the Finish gate.

4210.3.2 *Loss of Ski(s) or Stop*

A competitor who, having started, loses one or both skis or stops for 10 seconds or more, shall receive a ruling of Did Not Finish (DNF) for that run. The loss of other equipment, including ski pole or poles, shall not result in DNF provided that the competitor finishes.

4210.3.3 Gate Fault

A competitor who commits a Gate Fault will receive a DNF (see 4210.4)

4210.3.4 Sanction for Re-entering the Course after a DNF

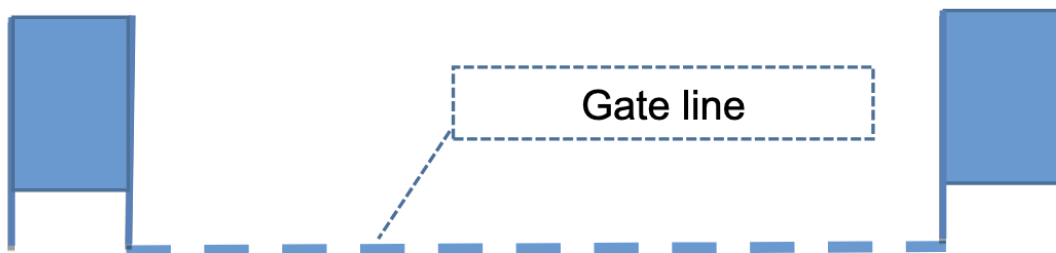
A competitor who receives a DNF for any reason must exit the course and ski safely to the bottom via the groomed area outside the course, between the fence and the control gates.

Any competitor who receives a DNF and who intentionally re-enters the course to resume their run will automatically receive a DSQ and may also be subject to a financial sanction (fine).

4210.4 Passage across the Gate Line (Gate Fault)

4210.4.1 A gate must be passed according to 4210.4.2.

4210.4.2 A gate has been passed correctly when both ski tips and both feet of the competitor have crossed the gate line anywhere between the two inside gate poles. The gate line is the imaginary shortest line between the two inside poles. (see drawing)



4210.4.3 Requirements after a Gate Fault

~~A competitor who misses a gate must no longer continue through further gates. A competitor who misses a gate must not continue further on the mogul course.~~ If the competitor does not pass the gate line correctly, they have committed a Gate Fault. When a Gate Fault occurs, the run is considered a DNF.

The competitor may not regain the gate by climbing back up the course. Instead, the skier must exit the mogul course and ski safely to the bottom (see 4310.3.4)

4304.3	<p><u>Dual Mogul Air Bump Criteria and Specifications</u></p> <p>Maximum Distance to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The end of the last Bump to the Take off - The Air_bump Take off to end of landing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jump Height • Landing Zone Gradient • Take off Angle • Air Bump Width 	<p>Measurement</p> <p>5.0 <u>m</u> - 6.0 m</p> <p>15.0 (Top) 18.0_m <u>Top Air</u>-15.0 m to 20.0 m (Bottom <u>Air</u>)</p> <p>50 – 70 cm</p> <p>Greater than 26°</p> <p>26° to 35°</p> <p>130 cm – 150 cm</p>
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4311.3.1 for skiing out of the course boundaries, which includes not crossing the gate line (see 4311.3.44) or the Finish gate.

4311.3.2 In Dual Moguls heats, crossing the middle line of the course. A competitor shall be deemed to have crossed the middle line if both feet cross the line.

4311.3.3 Loss of Ski(s) or Stop

A competitor who, having started, loses one or both skis or stops for 10 seconds or more, shall receive a ruling of Did Not Finish (DNF) for that run. The loss of other equipment, including ski pole or poles, shall not result in DNF provided that the competitor finishes.

4311.3.4 Gate Fault

A competitor who commits a Gate Fault will receive a DNF (see 4311.4)

4311.3.5 Sanction for Re-entering the Course after a DNF

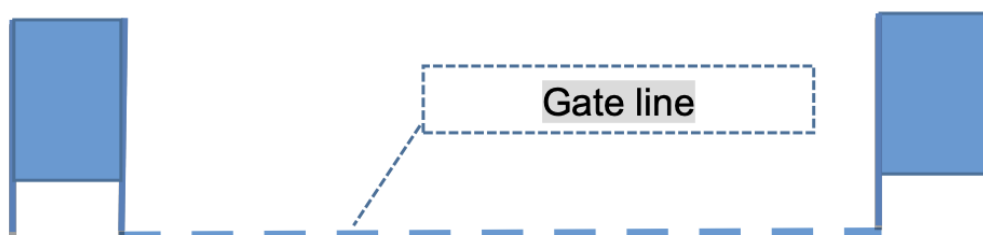
A competitor who receives a DNF for any reason must exit the course and ski safely to the bottom via the groomed area outside the course, between the fence and the control gates.

Any competitor who receives and who intentionally re-enters the course to resume their run will automatically receive a DSQ and may also be subject to a financial sanction (fine).

4311.4 Passage across the Gate Line

4311.4.1 A gate must be passed according to 4311.4.2.

4311.4.2 A gate has been passed correctly when both ski tips and both feet of the competitor have crossed the gate line anywhere between the two inside gate poles. The gate line is the imaginary shortest line between the two inside poles. (see drawing)



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A competitor who misses a gate must not continue further on the mogul course. If the competitor does not pass the gate line correctly, they have committed a Gate Fault. When a Gate Fault occurs, the run is considered a DNF.

The competitor may not regain the gate by climbing back up the course. Instead, the skier must exit the mogul course and ski safely to the bottom (see 4311.3.5). ~~longer continue through further gates.~~

(Snowboard Cross Section)

5610.3.3 Voice over command start procedure, if an electronic voice over command is integrated in a electronic start gate. The starter or start referee will initiate electronically the voice over start command.

- “Enter the start gate” the electronic start device initiates a 15 sec countdown (Riders enter the start gate within this 15 sec).
- “Riders Ready”, after the 15 sec elapse the voice over announces “Riders Ready” (Riders have 5 sec to make final adjustments).

“Attention” the voiceover gives the final command, “Attention”, signalling that the start is imminent, the electronic start gate will release randomly in a 1-4 sec start sequence.

The voiceover command can also be used in timed runs according to the rule ICR 5610.1.1.

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Snowboard Cross Inclusive Team Event

[Refer to the Para Snowboard International Competition Rules \(ICR\) article 1411](#)

(Snowboard Alpine Section)

6102.2

Course Specification Parallel Events

Code	Parallel Events Criteria	Measurement
CL (m)	Course Length (proportional to VD)	
SP (m)	PGS Parallel Giant Slalom	400,0 m - 6 700,0 m
	PSL Parallel Slalom	250,0 m - 400,0 m
	Start Platform	Length min. 6,0 m
	Width: depending on the startgate	Width 4 214,0 m (+/- 4,0 m)
	Inclination to get speed	
SD (m)	Distance between start gates	min. 6,0 m
	Recommended: width of course set	
Course Setting		
CD	Distance between courses	
	PGS Parallel Giant Slalom	9,0 m - 12,0 m
	PSL Parallel Slalom	8,0 m - 11,0 m
GD	Distance between Gates	
	PGS Parallel Giant Slalom	20,0 m - 25,0 m
	PSL Parallel Slalom	10,0 m - 14,0 m
Finish Criteria		
FL (m)	Finish Line (width per course)	min. 8,0 m
FA (m)	Finish Area Length	60,0 m
	PGS	60,0 m +/- 10,0 m
	PSL	40,0 m +/- 10,0 m

(Ski Cross Section)

7102.1 Definition of a Ski Cross Course

7102.1.1 *Technical Data (recommendations)*

Code Ski Cross Course Measurement

CL (m) Course Length

Level A 800 – 1300 m

Level B min 600 m

Level C min 450 m

~~Short Course~~ Sprint

All Level except OWG, WSC (Night events, City events)

7310.1 Appointment

The Jury will appoint the course setter who is most suitable for the level of the competition.

For (WC, OWG, WSC, WJC) the ~~appointment of course setters setting are is~~ made by the FIS after examination of the venue by the Race Director ~~The course setter for assigned course setter will be the FIS Race Director together with the Jury and will be if utilized supported by~~ the Connection Coach(s) if necessary.

7612.2.1

A competitor who is hindered while competing can apply to any member of the Jury or the nearest gate judge. The competitor must apply for a provisional re-run immediately after the occurrence of interference. This claim can also be made by the team captain of the hindered competitor.

- by force majeure,
- the error of an official,
- by a spectator, by an animal,
- by any other justifiable causes outside their control

World Cup Rules

(General Section)

1.7.1 Points Breakdown Park & Pipe and Aerials

Competitors ranking first to maximum 30th are awarded points in accordance with the following schedule:

1st Place	100 Points
2nd Place	80 Points
3rd Place	60 Points
4th Place	50 Points
5th Place	45 Points
etc.....	

1.7.2 **Moguls, Dual Moguls, Snowboard Alpine, Ski Cross and Snowboard Cross Points Breakdown**

Competitors ranking first to maximum 32nd are awarded points in accordance with the following schedule:

Place	Points
1st Place	100 Points
2nd Place	80 Points
3rd Place	60 Points
4th Place	50 Points
5th Place	45 Points
etc	

(Park & Pipe Section)

2.3 **World Cup Quotas (HP, SS, BA)**

Big Air and Slopestyle World Cup events will have a maximum field size of 30 women and ~~650~~ men. City Big Air World Cup events will have maximum field size of 30 women and 50 men.

Halfpipe can have a maximum field size of 30 Women and 30 Men ~~440 competitors with 50 women and 60 men~~. For BA and HP the unused event spots (BA 30 Women, 50/60 men and HP ~~350~~ Women, ~~360~~ men) can be transferred from one gender to the other gender (example 25 Women and ~~355~~ men or 35 women and ~~245~~ men, total number always ~~680~~). Nations may not transfer their unused quota spots from one gender to the other

(Freestyle Section)

3.4.3 Nations Quota Overview

Overview per Event by Number	MO/DM	AE
Maximum Team Size (Women and Men)	10	10
Maximum Quota per Gender	5	54
Host Nation Quota per Gender (in addition to gender maximum and maximum team size)	+32	+32
Personal spot per gender for WC overall winner from the previous season (additional)	+1	+1
Personal Spot per Gender for CoC winner (additional): - for NAC/EC/AC, this is the overall winner from the previous season - for ANC/SAC, this is the overall winner from the same season	+1	+1
WC Organising Nation Quota (in addition to gender maximum and maximum team size) This is a single spot, not per Gender, and is granted to a Nation that organises at least one WC in the current season. According to the approved calendar.	+1	+1

3.4.7 Quota Calculation per Event and per Gender

Moguls / Dual Moguls

BQ: Minimum 50 FIS Points

AQ: Minimum 100 FIS Points

AQ: CoC Winners (see art. 3.4.8.1)

HQ: Additional competitors

BQ	AQ	HQ
1		
	up to 5	
	1	
		up to 32

Aerials

BQ: Minimum 50 FIS Points

AQ: Minimum 100 FIS Points

AQ: CoC Winners (see art. 3.4.8.1)

HQ: Additional competitors

BQ	AQ	HQ
1		
	up to 54	
	1	
		up to 2

(Cross Section)

4.3.1 Resorts and Organising Committees (as of season 2027/28)

Accommodation (half-board, max. 2 people per room/2 beds) and transportation on site will be charged at a maximum of CHF ~~80 (SX)~~ / 100 (SBX) including tourist tax, credit cards and bank fees per day per person (FIS Rate) to all competitors and team officials per country.

The number of competitors per country may not exceed the total quota.

The organiser has the option to supply accommodation at the rate of up to CHF ~~40 SX~~ / CHF 50 SBX and the teams have to arrange their own meals. This is only acceptable if fully furnished apartments (i.e. including kitchen facilities, bed sheets, towels, etc.) are provided. The apartments must meet:

- 3 Star standards, one bathroom for max 4 people, daily Cleaning Service in Hotel standards, WIFI for all apartments, national mobile
- mandatory phone connection

4.3.3 Additional officials

For additional officials or “accompanying persons” as well as for service personnel of the National Ski Associations, the maximum price that can be charged for accommodation and half board must not exceed CHF ~~110 (SX)~~ / 120 (SBX) including tourist tax, credit cards and bank fees. or the equivalent in another currency, per day. The number of those officials is limited to 25% of the total quota.

Example: 8 competitors + 10 officials or “accompanying persons = total quota 18. 25% of the total quota 18 = 4.5 (this number always has to be rounded up) Then 5 additional officials or “FIS accredited” accompanying persons would be allowed.

4.5.1 Quota Calculation Snowboard

In the case that the SBX ANC is organised by only one nation, only the winners (Male & Female) of the ANC series shall earn a personal quota place in their respective event.

4.5.2.3

Number of Quota Calculations

There will be ~~two~~ multiple Ski Cross World Cup quota calculations during the season.

The first calculation is based upon the ~~new~~ Base list. ~~The second calculation is done beginning of January. After each FIS Points List new Ski Cross World Cup Quotas will be published. Calculation. For the second Quota Calculation, the quotas~~ Quotas may increase but not decrease during the season. any quota.

(Snowboard Alpine Section)

5.6

Prize Money

The Organiser must make available at least Euro ~~34,921~~ 35,000 (per event/gender for prize money. For individual competitions this sum is divided between the ~~1640~~ best competitors per race/gender. Team events the prize money is Euro 34,921 minimum and it will be distributed between the top ~~43~~ teams per competition/gender. If the competition consists of mixed teams it will be distributed by the top ~~43~~ teams. The amount of prize money and its method of distribution must be communicated to FIS (refer 1.2.10)

5.6.1

Prize Money Breakdown

Distribution (in %):

~~1-~~ **1016**

Place	Amount Euro	% of Total
1 st place	15,714 <u>14,000</u>	45 <u>40.00%</u>
2 nd place	8,207 <u>7,350</u>	23.50 <u>21.00%</u>
3 rd place	4,365 <u>4,200</u>	12.50 <u>12.00%</u>
4 th place	2,095 <u>2,100</u>	6.00 <u>6.00%</u>
5 th place	1,048 <u>1,225</u>	3.05 <u>3.50%</u>
6 th place	873 <u>1,050</u>	2.50 <u>3.00%</u>
7 th place	786 <u>875</u>	2.25 <u>2.50%</u>
8 th place	698 <u>875</u>	2.05 <u>2.50%</u>
9 th place	611 <u>700</u>	1.75 <u>2.00%</u>
10 th place	524 <u>525</u>	1.50 <u>1.50%</u>
11 th place	350	1.00%
12 th place	350	1.00%
13 th place	350	1.00%
14 th place	350	1.00%
15 th place	350	1.00%
16 th place	350	1.00%
Total	354,000 <u>921-</u>	100.00%

Distribution (in %): ~~1-~~ **43** (for the team events only)

1 st place	60 <u>45%</u>
2 nd place	30%
3 rd place	15 <u>10%</u>
4 th place	<u>10%</u>

Continental Cup Rules

2.3 Titles

To establish a title a minimum of three results valid for Cup Points per gender must be achieved in competitions organised by at least two different NSAs. These results must occur on at least three different dates.

Snowboard Cross – In the case that three valid results are achieved at events organised by a single NSA and hosted at a single resort, provided the competitions are conducted on at least three separate competition dates ANC titles will be established.

EC 1.1 FIS Officials

At each competition there will be the following FIS Officials:

- FIS Continental Cup Coordinator
- FIS Technical Delegate
- FIS Course Advisor (SX - optional based upon CoC Coordinator decision)
- FIS Head Judge / Referee
- FIS Judges (3 for AE, 75 for MO/DM, 3 or 6 in case of double up Judging for SS, BA and HP)

EC 4.1.1 Entry Fees

EC 4.1.1.1 Ski Cross

Entry Fees per competitor may be charged to a maximum of CHF 110 for 1 competition and CHF 180 for 2 competitions including free lift pass for all competition days.

The OC shall provide to all staff members and team officials free lift tickets, according to the Team Officials Ratio (EC 1.3).

EC 4.1.1.2 Snowboard Cross

Entry Fees per competitor may be charged to a maximum of CHF 110 for 1 competition and CHF 180 for 2 competitions including free lift pass for all competition days. If you provide an additional training day:

Max fee for 1x training and 1x competition = CHF 180.- including lift ticket for 2 days Max fee for 1x training and 2x Competition = CHF 240.- including lift tickets for 3 days. The OC shall provide to all staff members and team officials free lift tickets, according to the Team Officials Ratio (EC 4.1.2).

EC 4.2 Quotas

The current quotas for European Cup are as follows:

European Countries:

- 20 competitors per team, max 12 per gender
- Host Nation + 10 and max. 6 per gender extra

Non European Countries:

- 10 per nation with maximum 6 per gender

The Continental Cup Coordinator has discretion to accept additional athletes above the quota on request of the Organiser. Any approved additional quotas must be stated in the event invitation.

NAC 4.1

NorAm Cup Event Winner

Aerials

~~All valid NAC points results will be taken into consideration and added together to determine the NAC Event Winner. The number of points results used to determine the NAC Aerial event winners will be as follows:~~

- ~~• If four (4) or fewer competitions are held, all completed results will count.~~
- ~~• If five (5) competitions or more are held maximum of four (4) results will count.~~
- ~~• If six (6) competitions or more are held maximum of five (5) results will count.~~

Moguls and Dual Moguls

~~The applicable number of results will be added together to determine each of the NAC Mogul and NAC Dual Mogul Event Winners. The number of points results used in the calculation will depend on the number of competitions held in each series:~~

- ~~• If three (3) competitions are held, all three results will count.~~
- ~~• If four (4) competitions are held, a maximum of three (3) results will count.~~
- ~~• If five (5) competitions are held, a maximum of four (4) results will count.~~

~~The NAC titles will be calculated as follows:~~

Moguls and Dual Moguls Overall Title

~~A maximum of 3 best Mogul NAC points results and 3 best Dual Mogul NAC points results are taken into consideration and will be added together to determine the NAC Overall Mogul and Dual Mogul Event Winner.~~

- ~~• Moguls—A maximum of 3 best Mogul NAC points results are taken into consideration and will be added together to determine the Mogul NAC Event Winner.~~
 - ~~• Dual Moguls—A maximum of 3 best Dual Mogul NAC points results are taken into consideration and will be added together to determine the Dual Mogul NAC Event Winner.~~
- ~~...Ski Cross... etc. <remain unchanged>~~

NAC 4.2

Trophies & Medals

~~The Overall 1st, 2nd and 3rd ranked competitors Winners of each of the 132 Events (Parallel, Ski Halfpipe, Snowboard Halfpipe, Ski Slopestyle/ Big Air, Snowboard Slopestyle/Big Air, Ski Rail, Snowboard Rail, Snowboard Cross, Ski Cross, Moguls, Dual Moguls, Overall Moguls and Aerials) will receive medals. The Overall Winner in each event will also receive a North American Cup Trophy. ~~The 1st, 2nd and 3rd ranked competitors of each event will receive medals.~~~~

NAC 6.1

~~Entry fees for Freestyle Ski Mogul, Dual Mogul and Aerial NorAm competitions will be set reviewed before each NorAm season by the Freestyle Ski NorAm Cup Working Group and set at the beginning of each Olympic Quad. For for the season at the Fall FIS Technical Meetings. The the 2027 through 2030 Quadrennial, the 4/25 base maximum entry fee shall be \$18055 USD per competition event for each participant, or the equivalent in~~

local currency rounded to the nearest \$5.00 as per the rate of exchange on September 1st of each year. Entry fees shall be paid in the currency of the host country.

NAC 10.3

Quotas

Each nation is provided an equal number of quota spots for men and women; each nation is expected to provide equal opportunity per gender to fill spots. The quotas for the NorAm Cup Tour for MO/DM/AE events are as follows:

Nation	Moguls and Dual Moguls	Aerials
CAN	50-46 – Maximum of 30 per Gender	30
USA	50-46 – Maximum of 30 per Gender	30
Foreign Nations	30-25	40-25
Maximum Field Size	1 17 ³⁰	85 ¹⁰⁰

NAC 10.7

North American Freestyle Nations Cup Title

The North American Freestyle Nations Cup title will be awarded to the top North American Nation. Based on the combined points of the top two male and top two female competitors from each nation in each Mogul, Dual Mogul and Aerial competition of the NAC / CoC season.

SBFSFKSX Equipment Rule Book (Ski Cross)

New wording of the Rule:

C. SNOWBOARD COMPETITION EQUIPMENT

4. Crash Helmets

The use of crash helmets is compulsory for all snowboard events. Helmets used in FIS Snowboard events shall be specifically designed and manufactured for the respective discipline and shall bear a CE mark and conform to recognized and appropriate standards such as CEE 1077 or US 2040, ASTM 2040. Helmets must be worn according to the manufacturers' recommendations.

4.1 Snowboard Cross Helmets

For Snowboard Cross, the helmet shall fulfil the following requirements:

- Helmet model to fulfil and to be certified under both ASTM 2040 and EN 1077 (class A – hard sided)
- Helmet model must also pass an additional specific test under EN 1077 test procedure but at higher test speed of 6.8m/s.

08. Back Protectors for Snowboard Cross

08.1. Definition

The back protector is an additional item of equipment, which protects the athlete's back against weather and external forces. The use of back protection is mandatory.

7.4 Technical specifications (Ski Cross)

The cut-resistant undergarment level of protection is defined by the specifications of the FIS-DITF test standard 2021.

Basic definition parameters are:

The minimum uncut measuring length for each level are: 200mm, cut resistance at cutting force of the corresponding level. Out of 5 tests of the same textile must have the corresponding cut resistance in 3 directions of textile positions: 0° / 45° / 90°. The direction with the lowest cut resistance value defines the FIS star level.

Force (N)	100	200	300	400	500
FIS-star	*	**	***	****	*****

Fulfilment of requirements is to be attested by these standardised conformity labels, affixed on the outer side of the protection garment in a non-removable way. For the pants, the label must be placed at the back of the lower left leg above the top of the ski boot cuff area in the size of 30x50mm. For shirts, the label must be placed on the spine location (center, top of the back) just below the collar in the size of 30x50mm.

“Conforms to FIS Specifications CRU 2021” and depict the achieved FIS-star(s) level.

The conformity label certifies that the manufacturer has obtained the required certifications (FIS-DITF 2021) fulfils the above requirements. To receive the label, the test protocol must be submitted to FIS Athlete Health Unit.

FIS Points Rule Book

4.2.2.2 Freestyle & Ski Cross Level 2 Competitions

Junior World Championships, Continental Cups, Super Continental Cup, FIS Aerials Grand Prix and FIS Open are considered Level 2 Competitions:

- Junior World Championships scale 500 to ~~360~~50.
- Continental Cups and World University Games, scale 500 to 50

FIS ~~Cross~~, Snowboard Alpine & Freestyle Points

Competition Points Calculation Process

4.1.1 ~~Freestyle & Ski Cross~~ Points

For every international competition registered in the FIS calendar, FIS Freestyle / Freeski Points are awarded.

4.1.2 ~~Snowboard Cross & Snowboard Alpine~~ Points

For every international competition registered in the FIS calendar, FIS Snowboard points are awarded from 1st place down to 90% of the ranked competitors or 100th place, whichever is the lower number.

The calculated 90% will be always rounded up (e.g. 41.1% becomes 42)

4.2.2.1 ~~Cross~~, Snowboard Alpine & Freestyle Level 1 competitions: Scale 1000

Olympic Winter Games, FIS World Championships, and FIS World Cup competitions, are considered level 1 competitions

- 4.2.2.2 ~~Freestyle & Ski Cross~~ Level 2 Competitions
 Junior World Championships, Continental Cups, Super Continental Cup, FIS Aerials Grand Prix and FIS Open are considered Level 2 Competitions:
- Junior World Championships scale 500 to ~~360~~50.
 - Continental Cups and World University Games, scale 500 to 50
- A special level of Continental Cup called a 'Super Continental Cup' as defined by FIS, scale 650 to 50.
- A special level of competition called FIS Open (OPN), scale 1000 to 50, can be scheduled once a season in individual nations or regions. The entries can be limited as defined by FIS.
- 4.2.2.3 ~~Snowboard Cross &~~ Snowboard Alpine Level 2 Competitions
 Junior World Championships, Continental Cups and World University Games are considered Level 2 Competitions:
- Junior World Championships, scale 360 to 240
 - Continental Cups scale 360 to 160
 - World University Games, scale 360 to 50
- 4.2.2.4 ~~Freestyle & Ski Cross~~ Level 3 Competitions
- Youth Olympic Winter Games are Level 3 Competitions
 - Youth Olympic Winter Games, scale 260 to 50
- 4.2.2.5 ~~Snowboard Cross &~~ Snowboard Alpine Level 3 Competitions
 Youth Olympic Winter Games and European Youth Festival are Level 3 Competitions
- Youth Olympic Winter Games, scale 290 to 50
 - European Youth Festival, scale 290 to 50
- 4.2.2.6 ~~Freestyle & Ski Cross~~ Level 4 competitions:
 FIS National Championships, FIS National Junior Championships, FIS, Junior, Asian Winter Games are considered level 4 competitions:
- FIS National Championships scale 360 to 50
 - FIS National Junior Championships scale 360 to 50
 - FIS International Competitions, scale 260 to 50
 - Asian Winter Games, scale 260 to 50 - only eligible athletes can participate in Asian Winter Games.
- 4.2.2.7 ~~Snowboard Cross &~~ Snowboard Alpine Level 4 Competitions
 FIS National Championships, FIS National Junior Championships, FIS International Competitions, Junior, Children, Masters, and Asian Winter Games Competitions are considered Level 4 competitions
- FIS National Championships, scale 290 to 50
 - FIS National Junior Championships, scale 220 to 50
 - FIS International Competitions, scale 220 to 50
 - Junior, scale 220 to 50

FIS Snowboard Cross and Ski Cross Points

6.1 Competition Points Calculation Process

For every international Snowboard Cross and Ski Cross competition registered in the FIS calendar, FIS Points are awarded.

6.2 The Event factor EF

For every international Snowboard Cross and Ski Cross competition registered in the FIS calendar, an event factor (EF) is calculated or determined and limited with a maximum and a minimum event factor (EF) by event category

6.2.1. Event Factor for Level 1

In Level 1 Competitions the Event factor is determined by the scale below. In case there are the top competitors missing at a competition the EF for the Level one competition is reduced by the average Rank of the actual FIS-Points List

Based on average FIS rank of the actual FIS-Points List of top starters:

- Women: average FIS Points rank of Top 5 competitor started
- Men: average FIS Points rank of Top 8 competitor started

<u>Scale</u>	<u>Women Entry Rank</u>	<u>Men Entry Rank</u>
<u>1000</u>	<u>≤ 6</u>	<u>≤ 9</u>
<u>800</u>	<u>≤ 9</u>	<u>≤ 13.5</u>
<u>600</u>	<u>≤ 12</u>	<u>≤ 18</u>
<u>500</u>	<u>>12</u>	<u>>18</u>

6.2.2. Event Factor for Level 2-4 (Rank one)

The Result of the calculation of the Event Factor is directly taken directly rounded to the first decimal for the rank one(1)

A: sum of FIS Points of the Top 8 competitors ranked in the competition

B: sum of FIS Points of the best 8 competitors ranked in the top 10 of the competition

$$\frac{(A + B)}{16}$$

If there are less than 8 competitors ranked the missing competitor(s) will be calculated with zero (0) Points. If there are 8 competitors ranked with out FIS Points they will be calculated with zero (0) points

The Entry factor (EF) is rounded up to the first decimal

6.3 Maximum and Minimum of the Event factor (EF) by category

If the calculated EF is higher than the maximum of the category, the maximum will apply as EF. Is the calculated EF is lower than the minimum of the category will apply.

<u>Code</u>	<u>Category Name</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>
<u>OWG</u>	<u>Olympic Winter Games</u>		<u>500</u>	<u>1000</u>
<u>WSC</u>	<u>World Championships</u>		<u>500</u>	<u>1000</u>
<u>WC</u>	<u>World Cup</u>		<u>500</u>	<u>1000</u>
<u>WJC</u>	<u>World Junior Championships</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>500</u>
<u>ECP</u>	<u>Europa Cup Premium</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>500</u>
<u>SACP</u>	<u>South America Cup Premium</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>500</u>
<u>NACP</u>	<u>North America Cup Premium</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>500</u>
<u>ANCP</u>	<u>Australia New Zealand Cup Premium</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>500</u>
<u>SCOC</u>	<u>Super COC</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>500</u>
<u>EC</u>	<u>Europa Cup</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>500</u>
<u>NAC</u>	<u>North America Cup</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>500</u>
<u>SAC</u>	<u>South America Cup</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>500</u>
<u>ANC</u>	<u>Australia New Zealand Cup</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>500</u>
<u>OPN</u>	<u>FIS Open</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>1000</u>
<u>UVG</u>	<u>World University Games</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>260</u>

<u>Code</u>	<u>Category Name</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>
<u>YOG</u>	<u>Youth Olympic Winter Games</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>360</u>
<u>EYOF</u>	<u>European Youth Olympic Festival</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>290</u>
<u>NC</u>	<u>National Championships</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>320</u>
<u>NJC</u>	<u>FIS National Junior Championships</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>220</u>
<u>FIS</u>	<u>FIS</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>220</u>
<u>JUN</u>	<u>FIS Junior</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>220</u>
<u>AWG</u>	<u>Asian Winter Games</u>		<u>50</u>	<u>360</u>

6.3.1. Maximum of Points less than 5 ranked competitors (Only for Level 2-4)

The maximum of FIS Points distributed when less than 5 competitors ranked:

- 4 Competitors – the maximum is 40 FIS points
- 3 Competitors – the Maximum is 30 FIS Points
- 2 Competitors – the Maximum is 20 FIS Points
- 1 Competitors – the Maximum is 10 FIS Points

6.4 Calculation of the Points for the second rank to the last rank

The Points for all competitors ranked below 1st place will be calculated by the following formula:

P: Points awarded by competitor for his Rank

R: rank of the competitor

N: number of competitors ranked

EF: Points awarded to the winner (Event factor)

d: weight of the Linear component = 0.3

t: parameter of the exponential part = 6

e = 2.718281828459

$$P = EF \left((1 - d) \left(e^{-\frac{R-1}{t}} - \frac{(R-1)e^{-\frac{N-1}{t}}}{N-1} \right) + d \left(1 - \frac{R-1}{N-0.96} \right) \right)$$

The Points (P) are rounded up to the first decimal and always minimum 0.1 Point.

6.5 Limited Starter fields for Level 1 competitions

6.5.1. World cup Final

If at the World Cup Final in Cross the field of competitors is restricted , the number of competitors ranked in the calculation will be changed by the number of competitors being in the qualifications process, all the competitors taken in consideration who has achieved World Cup Points in the season

6.6 FIS Points Calculation Process

6.6.1 Snowboard Cross and Ski Cross Base FIS Points List (BL)

The Snowboard Cross and Ski Cross Base FIS Points List (BL) will be published before the end of June.

6.6.2 Each athlete's new BL points will be the average of the best two results of the season per Event, except as follows:

6.6.2.1 If an athlete has obtained only one result per Event during the past season, 40% will be deducted from that result or from the points of the previous BL whichever is better.

6.6.2.2 If an athlete has not obtained results during the past season, 80% will be deducted from the points of the previous BL.

6.6.3 For athletes with approved Injury Status (see 5.5) new BL points (calculated according to 5.3.2) will be protected to a minimum of their points in the previous BL minus 10% in the respective event.

6.7. Normal FIS Points list (NL)

The FIS Points list number one will be published 1st July based on the BL.

6.7.1 The athlete's NL points will be the average of their best two results in each Event during the current season or the BL points, whichever is better. If the competitor has only one result during the current season, see 5.4.2 and 5.4.3.

6.7.2 Only one Result and no BL Points

If an athlete has only one result in the current season, the FIS points will be that result minus 40%.

6.7.3 Only one Result and BL Points

If an athlete has only one result in the current season but has BL points then the FIS points will be that result minus 40% or the BL points whichever is better.

6.8 Injury Status – Registration

FIS Points can be protected according to 5.3.3 if an athlete is injured. The National Ski Association must apply to FIS no later than 30th April for approval, by submission of the official form and a medical certificate. The Injury Status, official form and medical certificate are valid only for one season. If the athlete is still injured, a new injury form and medical certificate must be sent to the FIS Office no later than 30th April.

This is not valid for the World Cup Standing Injury Status.

6.9 **Conditions for acquiring Injury Status**

6.9.1 **Only athletes who have made 6 starts or fewer within the season are eligible to apply for Injury Status**

6.9.2 **The athlete cannot participate in FIS competitions for 90 days after the injury date. If the athlete has started within the 90-day period after the injury date, Injury Status will not be granted or will be removed and their BL points will be calculated without the 5.3.3 protection.**

6.9.3 **Athletes must remain registered as active with FIS to apply for and maintain Injury Status.**

6.10 **Professional Obligations, Military Service or Pregnancy**
Refer 4.7

6.11 **Anti-Doping Rule Violation**
Refer 4.8