

UNEVEN BARS

COMPOSITION (up to 0.6)

- **up to 0.2 - lack of variety of elements**
 - kips / casts / counterswings / uprisers / hip circles / giants / straddle circles / stalder circles / circle-swings / pirouettes / releases / uncharacteristic (-0.1)
- **0.1 - lack of two bar changes**
 - fall from 1 bar, continue on other bar counts as a bar change
- **0.1 - lack of a direction change**
 - must be in an element of value
 - must continue in opposite direction
 - may not be in the mount or dismount
- **up to 0.1 - lack of using all space/levels**
 - above/below, inside/outside bars
- **up to 0.1 - lack of distribution**
 - level not maintained
 - difficult elements not spaced

RECOGNITION OF VALUE PARTS

- Elements can receive VP credit twice
- Elements are **different** if:
 - different # in the rulebook
 - saltos have different body position
 - kips end in a different position
 - different degree of turn - 1/2, 1/1, 1 1/2
 - support on 1 or 2 arms
 - legs together or straddled in saltos or Tkatchevs
 - mounts performed within routine
- Elements are the same if:
 - finish in a different grip
 - legs together or straddled (not incl. saltos/Tkatchevs)

DISMOUNTS

- Terminates intentionally and does not continue
 - .5 fall w/wo actual fall onto mat
 - .2 no superior dismount
- Dismount of no value (not in rulebook)
 - .2 no superior dismount
- Falls w/o initiating dismount and does not continue
 - .5 fall, -.2 no superior dismount
- Dismount that does not land on the feet first
 - .5 fall, -.2 no superior dismount

NOTES

- Plywood is **not** permitted under the board
- Trampoline-like and inflatable rebound type devices may not be used for mounting
- Mounting devices may not be stacked on each other
- Spotting - spotting block/folded panel mat allowed
- A pit pillow is allowed for warm-ups on all events
- A pit pillow is allowed during competition for bar releases only and must be removed immediately
- Tap swings are considered extra swings (-0.3)
 - 2 or more consecutive extra swings (-0.5)
- When a turn follows a handstand or circling element to handstand, the turn is part of that element and all is considered as 1 element
- Less than 5 elements (short routine) = -2.0 (CJ)

EVENT REQUIREMENTS (ER) (1.0)

- Deduct 0.2 for each missing requirement
- 1 element may fulfill more than 1 ER
- Elements **not** awarded VP credit may **not** fulfill ER
- **superior release/flight element** - excludes dismount
- **360° clear circle ending in clear support/handstand - (clear hip circle, stalder circle, or pike sole circle)**
- **kip**
- **stretched element within 20° of vertical or that passes thru vertical**
- **superior dismount**

BONUS (0.8)

- **Advanced High Superiors (0.2 each, max. 0.4)**
 - Second AHS must be different
 - No credit if fall or spot has occurred
- **High Level BBS (0.2)**
 - HS+HS, HS+AHS, AHS+AHS
- **Max. 0.2 may be earned in one of the following ways:**
 - a) Low level BBS - same or different (0.1 ea, max. 0.2)
 - S+S, S+HS, S+AHS
 - b) 2nd high level BBS - same or different (0.2)
 - c) 3rd different Advanced High Superior (0.2)
 - No credit if fall or spot has occurred

NOTE: In a **direct** connection of 3 or more elements, the second and following elements may be used twice when awarding BBS's

FALLS

- Contact with bar, then fall -
 - give VP, ER, BBS
 - if AHS - no AHS Bonus but may fulfill difficulty
- No touch of bar - no VP, no ER, no Bonus
- Deduct for ex/amp errors in addition to fall
- Do not deduct for steps leading to fall on dismount ******* (if hands/bottom of feet land simultaneously - do not void, 0.5 fall is applied)
- If after extra swing(s), the gymnast jumps down from the bars, deduct only 0.5 for a fall

BALKS (incomplete attempt w/o touch of mount

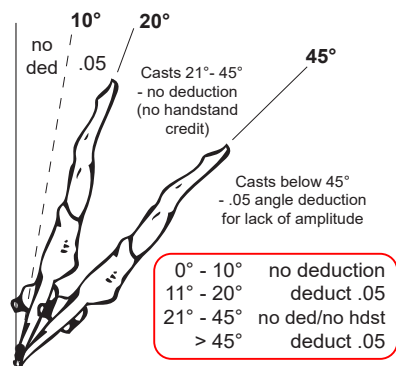
- apparatus or bars and w/o running underneath bars)
- If touch or run underneath (-0.5 - judged as a fall)
- No deduction for first balk
- After 2 balks, 3rd attempt allowed with 0.5 deduction
 - Balk-Balk-Mount (-0.5)
- No 4th attempt allowed

FALL TIMING

- :45 fall time w/warning at :30
- Following a fall, time starts when gymnast is on feet and medical assessment is complete
- Stop when feet leave floor to remount
- Coach may lift gymnast to bar after a fall
- 2 pump swings allowed to initiate swing
- Resume judging with first element performed

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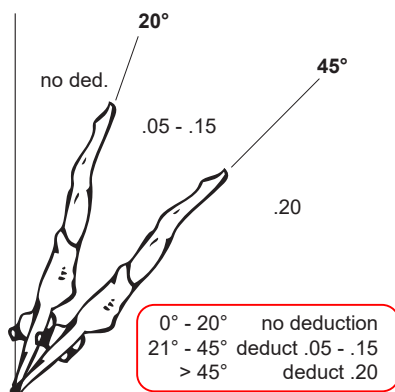
CASTS TO HANDSTANDS & FLIGHT TO HANDSTANDS ON LB



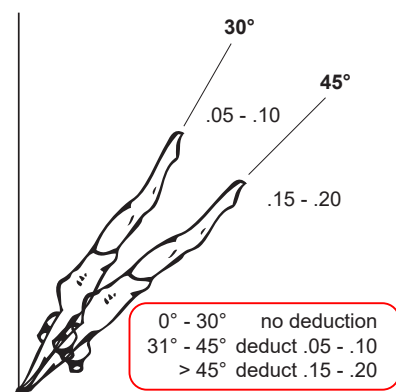
Although vertical is expected of all handstands, attempts within 20° of vertical receive superior credit.

Note: Cast deductions are **not** applied to casts prior to a squat/stoop/straddle onto LB, jump to grasp HB. Deduct .05 if no backward swing of legs prior to feet contacting bar (lift of hips only).

AMPLITUDE AT TURN COMPLETION (Pirouettes & Hop Grip Changes) Turns IN Handstand (180°, 360° to any grip)

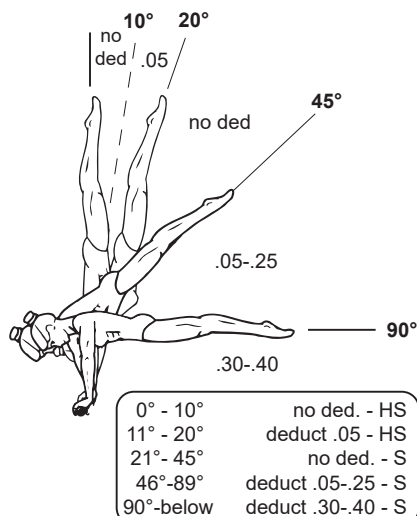


AMPLITUDE AT TURN COMPLETION Turns AFTER Handstand (Healy's)

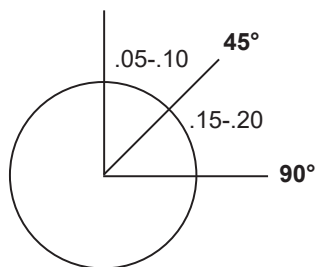


HIGH SUPERIORS / ADVANCED HIGH SUPERIORS

AMPLITUDE AT COMPLETION (Clear Hip Circles Only)



DISMOUNTS w/ TWISTS



If 90° or more is missing, credit the value part for element performed. Twists are complete when feet contact floor.

MOUNTS

- 1.301 Jump (bent) to hdst on LB w/ 1/2
- 1.401 Jump (stretched) to hdst on LB, w/wo 1/2
- 1.302a Jump 1/2, flight bwd over LB
- 1.302b Roundoff, flight bwd over LB
- 1.402 Salto to sit or to catch either bar
- 1.303 Hecht over LB to catch HB
- 1.305 Glide w/ 1/1 to catch HB
- 1.308 Jump 1/2, kip to HB
- 1.309 Glide LB, cut catch HB, also w/ 1/2

CASTS

- 2.301a Cast handstand hop to grip change
- 2.301b Cast handstand 1/2
- 2.401a Cast handstand w/ 1/1 after (Healy)
- 2.401b Cast handstand w/ 1/1 in handstand
- 2.302 Rear vault/stoop or straddle w/ 1/2 over HB
- 2.402 Salto roll fwd LB to HB
- 2.403 Brause
- 2.404 From HB - cast front salto to catch HB

COUNTERSWINGS/UPRISES

- 3.301 Counterflight over LB (piked) to catch LB
- 3.401 Counterflight to handstand on LB
- 3.402 From hdst - swing fwd w/flight over LB or to handstand on LB
- 3.303 Uprise to clear support on HB, w/wo turn, or with flank/rear/straddle vault over HB
- 3.403 Uprise to hdst on HB, w/wo turn or hop

HIP CIRCLES

- 4.301 Clear hip hecht LB to catch HB, w/wo 1/2
- 4.401 Schaposchnikova
- 4.302 Clear hip handstand
- 4.402a Clear hip handstand w/ turn
- 4.402b Clear hip handstand hop to grip change
- 4.303 Clear underswing LB, counterflight catch HB
- 4.403 Hindorff
- 4.304 Weiler kip to clear support
- 4.404 Weiler kip to handstand

GIANT SWINGS - BWD

- 5.301 Giant circle backward on HB
- 5.401a Giant circle backward w/turn
- 5.401b Giant circle hop to grip change
- 5.402a Flyaway HB to LB - tuck
- 5.402b Flyaway HB to LB - stretched (Pak)
- 5.403 Back tuck 1/2 - LB to HB (Laumann)
- 5.404 Deltchev
- 5.405 Geinger
- 5.406 Tkatchev

GIANT SWINGS - FWD

- 6.401 Giant circle forward w/wo turn
- 6.402 Jaeger
- 6.403 Jaeger from LB to HB
- 6.404 From hdst - swing fwd, 1/2 straddle bwd over HB (Khorkina)

STRADDLE/STALDER CIRCLES

- 7.301 Stalder bwd LB, counterflight catch HB (Ray)
- 7.402 Stalder fwd to handstand w/wo turn
- 7.403 Stalder bwd to handstand w/wo turn

CIRCLES/SWINGS

- 8.301 Dislocate w/ flight over LB
- 8.401 Dislocate w/ flight to handstand on LB
- 8.302 Toe-on underswing LB counterflight catch HB
- 8.402 Toe-on bwd thru hdst, flight to hang on HB
- 8.303 Toe-on fwd or bwd to handstand
- 8.403 Toe-on fwd or bwd to handstand w/turn
- 8.304a From hang - swing 1/2 over LB (bail)
- 8.304b From support on HB - swing 1/2 over LB
- 8.404a Swing 1/2 to handstand on LB
- 8.404b From hdst - swing 1/2 over LB
- 8.404c From hdst - swing 1/2 to hdst on LB
- 8.306 Swing fwd w/ 1 1/2 twist
- 8.307 From HB - cast bwd w/ 1/1 to recatch HB

DISMOUNTS

- 9.301 Underswing 1 1/2
- 9.401 Toe-on/clr undrswng front salto w/wo twist
- 9.302a Hecht with 1/1 twist
- 9.302b Clear hip hecht w/wo twist
- 9.402 Toe-on 1/2 back salto (Comaneci)
- 9.403a Near hdst - salto bwd from hands
- 9.403b Clear hip - salto bwd from hands
- 9.403c Stalder - salto bwd from hands
- 9.403d Giant - salto bwd from hands
- 9.304 Tanac w/ 1/1
- 9.305a Flyaway - tuck/pike w/ 1/1
- 9.305b Flyaway - stretched w/wo 1/2
- 9.405a Flyaway - tuck/pike w/ 1 1/2
- 9.405b Flyaway - stretched w/ 1/1 or more
- 9.405c Flyaway - any double salto
- 9.306a Inward fwd salto w/wo 1/2
- 9.306b Cross grip, 1/2, inward fwd salto
- 9.406a Inward fwd salto w/ 1/1 or more
- 9.406b Support on HB - cast inward salto