

2022 Rule Change Summary

Figure Skating

Change From	Change To
Old Formatting	See date change at footer to reflect October 2022
2. Official Events	
2.1 Skills Competition	CHANGE: Skills-Badge Competition (not a World Games event, but is intended for local and program level competition)
7.2.2 Level I Freeskate Program	
7.2.2.2 Judging and timing will begin when skater commences to skate. The program will not exceed a time limit of one minute, plus or minus ten seconds.	CHANGE: Judging and timing will begin when skater commences to skate. The program will not exceed a time limit of one minute 15 seconds, plus or minus ten seconds.
7.3 Level II	
7.3.2 Level II Freeskate Program 7.3.2.2 Judging and timing will begin when skater commences skating. The program will not exceed a time limit of one minute and thirty, plus or minus ten seconds.	CHANGE: Judging and timing will begin when skater commences skating. The program will not exceed a time limit of one minute and forty-five seconds, plus or minus ten seconds.
7.4 Level III	
7.4.2 Level II Freeskate Program 7.4.2.2 Judging and timing will begin when skater commences skating. The program will not exceed a time limit of two minutes, plus of minus ten seconds.	CHANGE: Judging and timing will begin when skater commences skating. The program will not exceed a time limit of two minutes and fifteen seconds, plus or minus ten seconds.
9.2 Music Requirements In Competitions, the current series of ISU Ice Dance music will be used for the Pattern Dances.	CHANGE: In Competitions, the current series of ISU Ice Dance music will be used for the Pattern Dances. All competitors shall furnish Ice Dance competition music of excellent quality on CD or in any other approved format for all dances skated. The music may be instrumental OR vocal music.



	Each level music must have the correct beats per minute for that level, current ISU music can be used
9.4 Level I	but must be provided by competitor
9.4.3.1 Skaters will be required to perform the Dutch Waltz, Canasta Tango or Rhythm Blues in accordance with the following rotation schedule.	CHANGE: Skaters will be required to perform the Dutch Waltz, Canasta Tango or Rhythm Blues in accordance with the following rotation schedule. All levels of Ice Dance rotate the pattern dances every year or two depending on Winter World Games and qualifying years. See the block within the Level for updated Dances. Level 1.
	Level 1 Chart has been updated for 2022 – 2025 Pattern Dances.
9.5 Level II	
9.5.3 Dance Rotation (Pre-Bronze) Chart	CHANGE: Level II Chart has been updated for 2022 – 2025 Pattern Dances.
9.6 Level III	
9.6.3 Dance Rotation (Bronze) Chart	CHANGE: Level III Chart has been updated for 2022 – 2025 Pattern Dances.
9.7.3 Dance Rotation (Pre-Silver)	
9.7.3.1 Dance Pattern Chart	CHANGE: Dance Rotation (Pre-Silver) Chart has been updated for 2022 – 2025 Pattern Dances.
10. Unified Synchronized Skating (Not a World Games Event)	CHANGE: Unified Synchronized Skating (Not a World Games Event)