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¹ FAI Statutes, Chapter 1, para. 1.6

² FAI Sporting Code, General Section, Chapter 3, para 3.1.3.

³ FAI Statutes, Chapter 1, para 1.8.1

⁴ FAI Statutes, Chapter 2, para 2.1.1; 2.4.2; 2.5.2 and 2.7.2

⁵ FAI Bylaws, Chapter 1, para 1.2.1

⁶ FAI Statutes, Chapter 2, para 2.4.2.2.5

⁷ FAI Bylaws, Chapter 1, para 1.2.3

⁸ FAI Statutes, Chapter 5, para 5.1.1; 5.5 and 5.6

⁹ FAI Sporting Code, General Section, Chapter 3, para 3.1.7

¹⁰ FAI Sporting Code, General Section, Chapter 1, paras 1.2. and 1.4

¹¹ FAI Statutes, Chapter 5, para 5.6.3

¹² FAI Bylaws, Chapter 1, para 1.2.2

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1. FAI Authority

- 1.1. The competition will be conducted under the authority granted by the FAI, according to the regulations of the Sporting Code of the FAI, General Section, and Section 5 as approved by the IPC and validated by the FAI, and these rules. All participants accept these rules and the FAI regulations as binding by registering in the competition.

2. Definitions of Words and Phrases used in these Rules

- 2.1. A Dynamic 2-way (D2W) Team is comprised of two (2) Performers.
A Dynamic 4-way (D4W) Team is composed of four (4) Performers plus one (1) Alternate.
- 2.2. Body: a body consists of the entire Performer and his/her equipment.
- 2.3. Heading: the compass direction in which the front of the torso of the Performer faces.
- 2.4. Move: a change in body position, and/or a rotation around one or more of the three (3) body axes, or a static pose. See Addendum B.
- 2.5. Pattern: a movement sequence during which the Performers' bodies follow prescribed pathways, often with embedded moves or intermixing.
- 2.5.1. Compulsory Pattern: a Pattern with specific performance requirements. See Addenda A.
- 2.6. Sidelines (for Speed Routines): two (2) vertical lighted lines positioned on the transparent tunnel walls 180° opposite each other to describe a vertical plane that spans across the flight chamber. The start Sideline is the first Sideline crossed by the Team when entering the flight chamber.
- 2.7. Centreline (D2W Speed Routines only): a vertical plane that spans across the centre of the flight chamber extending from one (1) vertical line positioned on the transparent tunnel wall 90° offset from the two (2) vertical lighted lines.
- 2.8. Ring (for Speed Routines): a horizontal line that crosses the centre of the flight chamber, two (2) meters above the cable floor, between the two (2) Sidelines.
- 2.9. Anti-Chamber: area used by Teams as a waiting area for entrance into the flight chamber. This area is separated from public viewing areas and is the exclusive use for Teams on call.
- 2.10. Diffuser: that vertical part of the flight chamber above the transparent viewing section.
- 2.11. Flight: a Team's performance in the flight chamber.
- 2.12. Routine: a sequence of Moves or Patterns performed during the working time.
- 2.12.1. Speed Routine: a routine composed of three (3) randomly drawn Compulsory Patterns (one from each group, Snakes, Verticals and Mixers, in that order), repeated four (4) times, plus a compulsory exit sequence, in the fastest time possible.
- Normal: The start Sideline, the first Sideline encountered, is counter clockwise from the doorway (with respect to top view).
 - Mirrored: The start Sideline, the first Sideline encountered, is clockwise from the doorway (with respect to top view).
- 2.12.2. Free Routine: a routine composed of Moves and/or Patterns chosen entirely by the Team.
- 2.13. Battle: two (2) Teams compete against each other performing either a Free Routine or Speed Routine. One (1) Team wins each Battle. (Battles may consist of more than two Teams, as shown in Addenda E.)
- 2.14. Working Time: the period of time during which a Team may perform a routine during a flight.
- 2.14.1. Speed Routine Working Time: Working time starts the instant that the Timing Judge gives the Team a visual signal to start. Working Time ends when the last Performer completely exits the doorway of the flight chamber, as determined by the Timing Judge.
- 2.14.2. Free Routine Working Time: The Team must show the static starting position as described in the Team's Free Routine Description Sheet. Working time starts when the first Performer begins moving, as determined by the Judges.
- D2W Free Routine: Working Time is 60 seconds.
 - D4W Free Routine: Working Time is 90 seconds.
- At the end of the Free Routine working time, a visual signal will be given and the Team will have 15 seconds to exit the flight chamber, if they have not already exited.

3. The events

- 3.1. Discipline: The discipline comprises Dynamic 2-way (D2W) and Dynamic 4-way (D4W). There is no gender separation.
- 3.2. Objective of the Events: The objective for the Team is to perform Free Routines with the highest possible merit and Speed Routines in the fastest possible time in order to win Battles.

- 3.3.** World Champions:
- 3.3.1.** After all completed Rounds and Battles, World Champions in D2W and D4W, will be declared.
- 3.3.2.** The D2W World Champions and the D4W World Champions are the Teams winning the top Battle of their event.
- 3.3.2.1.** If two (2) Teams Battling each other each won a Battle in the last round of the Tournament, for 1st and 2nd place, and/or for 3rd and 4th place, tie-break Battle(s) will be held to determine placings. For each tie-break Battle, a secret Draw (para 4.4.2.4.) will be privately revealed to each Team one (1) minute before flight time. The Team flying second in the Battle must not view the first Team performing the Draw and will be presented with the same secret Draw one (1) minute before their flight time. For each tie-break Speed Routine Battle required, a new secret Draw will be used.
- 3.3.3.** Prizes and awards are awarded as follows:
- All Team Members in the events will be awarded medals if placed First, Second or Third.
 - The flags of the countries of the Teams in the events placed First, Second and Third shall be flown and the national anthems of the countries of the Teams placed First shall be played.

4. General rules

- 4.1.** Equipment: Performers are responsible for outfitting themselves in their own suitable clothing and footwear, including flight suits, helmets, goggles, and ear plugs.
- 4.2.** Wind Tunnel Equipage:
- 4.2.1.** The minimum acceptable diameter for the flight chamber is 4,25 meters.
- 4.2.2.** The Sidelines must consist of two (2) vertical lines of lights, which must be changeable in colours. The lights may be LED technology.
- 4.2.3.** The Rings must have a five (5) cm hole and must be positioned two (2) meters above the cable floor on each Sideline.
- 4.2.4.** The Centreline may be adhesive tape affixed to the transparent tunnel wall.
- 4.2.5.** The speed setting will be indicated in the tunnel and shall be clearly visible to the Team prior to entering the flight chamber.
- 4.2.6.** The orientation of the two (2) Sidelines with respect to the flight chamber doorway that will be used for entry and exit will be published not less than 90 days before the start of competition.
- 4.2.7.** The wind tunnel equipage must be approved by the Chief Judge prior to the start of the official Training Flights. If any equipment does not meet the requirements as determined by the Chief Judge, this equipment will be deemed to be unusable for the competition.
- 4.2.8.** Video Recording: The organiser shall record all competition flights in a High Definition 1080 type digital video signal with a minimum of 25 frames per second through a memory card (minimum class 10). For Speed Routines, the camera will be positioned at one of the Sidelines. For Free Routines, the camera will be positioned at the centre of the valley gallery arc.
- 4.2.9.** The Organiser must provide the Teams with a way of identification of the Team, which will be included in the video along with the numeric ID for the Battle.
- 4.3.** Speed Setting and Training Flights:
- 4.3.1.** Speed Setting: Three (3) minutes per Team will be allocated for speed setting.
- 4.3.2.** Speed Setting and Training Flights may only take place prior to the start of the competition.
- 4.3.3.** Each Team in each event will be given the option of two (2) official Training Flights prior to the competition. The lighted Sidelines plus the judging and scoring systems to be used in the competition will be used for the official Training Flights. For Free Routines, no score will be given.
- 4.3.4.** Before the start of the Training Flights, the team captain has the option to explain the delivered Free Routine description sheet(s). The Teams may present video of previous flights for move explanation.
- 4.4.** The Draw:
- 4.4.1.** The Draw for the Compulsory Patterns will be done publicly (except for the tie-break Speed Round in the Tournament) and supervised by the Chief Judge. Teams will be given not less than two (2) hours knowledge of the results of the Draw before the competition starts.
- 4.4.2.** The Compulsory Patterns will be drawn as follows: One (1) Pattern from each group (Snakes, Verticals and Mixers), as shown in Addenda A, will be drawn for each Speed Round.
- 4.4.2.1.** For Speed Rounds 1, 2 and 3 in the Team Pools, all head-down Patterns will be singularly placed in three (3) containers, one for each group of Patterns. Individual withdrawal from each container, without replacement, will determine the Patterns to be performed. The routine will

- end with the head-down compulsory exit sequence.
- 4.4.2.2.** For round 2 in a Tournament with five (5) or more Teams, which will be a mirrored Speed Routine, all head-down Patterns will again be singularly placed in three (3) containers and then one (1) Pattern will be drawn from each container. The routine will end with the head-down compulsory exit sequence, mirrored.
- 4.4.2.3.** For the last speed round in the Tournament, all head-up Patterns will be singularly placed in three (3) containers and then one Pattern will be drawn from each container. The routine will end with the head-up compulsory exit sequence.
- 4.4.2.4.** For the each of the four (4) possible tie-break speed routines in the Tournament, all head-up Patterns will be singularly placed in three (3) containers and then one Pattern will be drawn with replacement from each container. This draw will be made privately and placed in four (4) sealed envelopes before the competition. The routine will end with the head-up compulsory exit sequence, mirrored.
- 4.4.3.** Freefall: Competitors are not allowed to freefall from any aircraft or use any freefall simulator or wind tunnel, for flights other than competition flights, after the draw has been published.
- 4.5.** Order of Flights: All Team Pools will fly each round in alphabetical order. During the Tournament, all Battles will fly in numeric order. (The Tournament brackets, as shown in Addenda E, identify each Battle with a unique numeric ID.)
- 4.5.1.** The FAI Sporting Code, Section 5, Chapter 5.2.5. requirement for the minimum time between flights will not apply for each Team's second flight within rounds in which a Team will perform both a Free Routine and a Speed Routine Battle, and for any tie-break Battles in the last round of the Tournament.
- 4.5.2.** The relevant order of flights will be maintained throughout the competition, except for any logistical changes deemed necessary by the Chief Judge and the Meet Director.
- 4.6.** Flight Chamber Entry: Only one (1) doorway leading into the flight chamber will be used for entries and exits. The tunnel will be set to the correct speed decided by the Team during the Speed Setting time. When the tunnel is at the correct speed, a signal will be given to the Team.
- 4.7.** Re-flights:
- 4.7.1.** A re-flight may be granted if the Chief Judge, in agreement with the Meet Director and the FAI Controller, concludes that the performance of a Team has been adversely affected by any external factor(s). The Chief Judge's decision is no grounds for a protest.
- 4.7.2.** Contact or other means of interference between (a) Performer(s) and/or the tunnel walls/cable floor shall not be grounds for a re-flight.
- 4.7.3.** Problems with a competitor's equipment shall not be grounds for a re-flight.
- 4.7.4.** A re-flight will be granted, if a tunnel spotter must abort a Team's flight for any safety reason, provided that there was no intentional act on the part of the Team to create a safety problem.
- 4.7.5.** For safety reasons, if a Performer demonstrates inadequate flying skills and/or persistent unsafe flying requiring repeated intervention by a tunnel spotter, FAI Sporting Code, Section 5, Chapter 4.8 SAFETY will apply.

5.	Rules specific to the event
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- 5.1.** Teams:
- 5.1.1.** Dynamic Teams may consist of either or both sexes.
- 5.1.2.** A Team may only represent one (1) NAC.
- 5.1.3.** Each Team Member may compete a maximum of two (2) different Events per First Category Event.
- 5.2.** Routines: The discipline is comprised of Speed Routines and Free Routines.
- 5.2.1.** Teams are required to deliver a description of their Free Routine(s) to the Chief Judge before the start of the official Training Flights. For this purpose, the Chief Judge should provide a standard form (see Addendum D).
- 5.2.2.** Failure to provide a description of the static starting position and the tunnel speed setting for the Free Routine to the Chief Judge will result in losing the Battle for that routine.
- 5.2.3.** Deviation, other than the static starting position and tunnel speed setting, from the Free Routine description will not influence the scoring.
- 5.3.** Number of rounds:
- The Team Pools will have three (3) rounds, (five (5) rounds, if five (5) Teams registered in the event).
 - The number of rounds in the Tournament is determined by the number of Teams registered.
- 5.4.** Order of the Routines: (F = Free Routine, S = Speed Routine)

- Team Pools: Each round consists of one (1) Free Routine and one (1) HD Speed Routine.
 - Tournament with 4 Teams: Rd 1 F; Rd 2 F&S (HU).
 - Tournament with 5-8 Teams: Rd 1 F; Rd 2 S (HD, Mirrored); Rd 3 F&S (HU).
 - Tournament with 9-16 Teams: Rd 1 F; Rd 2 S (HD & Mirrored); Rd 3 F; Rd 4 F&S (HU).
 - Tournament Tie-Break: S (HU, Mirrored).
- 5.5.** Battles:
- 5.5.1.** For each Battle, the Team who flies first will be randomly determined.
- 5.5.2.** If a Team does not arrive to the Anti-Chamber in time for their Battle (or is withdrawn or disqualified), the other Team in the Battle will win and may choose whether or not they will fly their routine for that Battle.
- 5.5.3.** If both Teams (neither of which is withdrawn or disqualified) for a specific Battle do not arrive to the Anti-Chamber in time for their Battle, the winner will be randomly determined.
- 5.6.** Team Pools:
- 5.6.1.** Teams will be put into the Team Pools (shown in Addenda E) in a round-robin manner, the first slot of Team Pool A, then the first slot of Team Pool B, etc., according to their placings, beginning with the top Team, in that event at the most recent IPC sanctioned World Indoor Skydiving Championships or World Cup of D2W/D4W. All Teams not covered by this procedure will be put, by random draw in the order drawn, into the remaining slots in the Team Pools continuing the round-robin sequence.
- 5.6.2.** Each Team will fly a Free Routine Battle and a Speed Routine Battle against all other Teams in their assigned pool. This comprises all rounds in the Team Pools.
- 5.6.2.1.** Within each Team Pool of three (3) Teams, the Rounds and Battles will be as follows:
Round 1: Team 1 vs Team 2
Round 2: Team 1 vs Team 3
Round 3: Team 2 vs Team 3
- 5.6.2.2.** Within each Team Pool of four (4) Teams, the Rounds and Battles will be as follows:
Round 1: Team 1 vs Team 2 and Team 3 vs Team 4
Round 2: Team 1 vs Team 3 and Team 2 vs Team 4
Round 3: Team 1 vs Team 4 and Team 2 vs Team 3
- 5.6.2.3.** For a Team Pool of five (5) Teams, the Rounds and Battles will be as follows:
Round 1: Team 1 vs Team 2 and Team 3 vs Team 4
Round 2: Team 1 vs Team 3 and Team 2 vs Team 5
Round 3: Team 1 vs Team 5 and Team 2 vs Team 4
Round 4: Team 1 vs Team 4 and Team 3 vs Team 5
Round 5: Team 2 vs Team 3 and Team 4 vs Team 5
- 5.6.3.** To determine Team placings within each Team Pool, each Team receives one (1) point for each Battle won.
- 5.6.3.1.** If two (2) or more Teams within a Team Pool have equal scores, the Team with the most Free Rounds won will place higher. If a tie still exists within a Team Pool, the Team with the fastest Speed Routine time will place higher.
- 5.6.4.** If, after the Team Pool rounds have started, any Team(s) is(are) withdrawn or disqualified, they will be placed at the lowest rankings in their respective Team Pool(s) and will follow the losing pathways for all their Battles in the Tournament.
- 5.7.** The Tournament:
- 5.7.1.** Based on placings within each Team Pool, Teams are put into the appropriate Tournament brackets, as shown in the appropriate Addendum E for the number of Teams in the Event.
- 5.7.1.1.** If there are more than sixteen (16) Teams, a new Team Pool and Tournament bracket diagram must be created before the Jury and Chief Judge can approve the start of competition.
- 5.7.1.1.1.** A Tournament bracket diagram may permit any first place winners from any Team Pools to immediately advance to round 2 on the winning side of round 1 of the Tournament.
- 5.7.1.1.2.** For Round 1 of the Tournament, the Tournament bracket diagram must place each Team into a Battle only with a Team from another Team Pool and of different placing.
- 5.7.1.1.3.** The Tournament bracket diagram must allow all Teams, who have not been immediately advanced to round 2 on the winning side of round 1, to reach any rank from round 1 based upon their performance. The Tournament bracket diagram must allow a team that has reached a particular round to earn any place between the lowest and the highest possible places from that round.
- 5.7.1.1.4.** The Tournament bracket diagram must be approved by the Chief Judge.
- 5.7.2.** If, after the Tournament has started, any Team(s) is(are) withdrawn or disqualified, they will follow the losing pathways for all their remaining Battles in the Tournament.

- 5.7.3.** The last round of the Tournament determines the final placings of the Teams and will consist of one (1) Free Routine and one (1) head-up Speed Routine.
- 5.7.3.1.** After the completion of the Tournament, any withdrawn and/or disqualified Team(s) will be moved to the lowest rankings for determination of the final placings.

6. Judging and Scoring

- 6.1.** General: Once any Performer has entered the flight chamber, the flight shall be evaluated and scored.
- 6.2.** Scoring Free Routines. At the completion of each Free Routine Battle of two (2) Teams, the Judges, taking into account the following criteria, determine the winning Team of the Battle.

Technical Difficulty:

- New original Moves/Patterns are performed.
- Moves/Patterns performed require precision, e.g., head touching to head with no other grips.
- Technicality/complexity of Moves/Patterns performed, e.g., complex intermixing and/or embedded moves.
- Wind loading (tunnel speed setting used).
- Difficulty of moves and patterns.
- See Addendum C.

Execution:

- Full use of working time.
- Moves/Patterns are performed without crashing or loss of balance.
- Use of space in the tunnel.

Variety:

- A variety of orientations is shown.
- A variety of Moves/Patterns are performed.
- Original Moves/Patterns and choreography.
- A variety of transitions between sequences is shown.

Flow:

- Display of balance.
- Uniformity of body position: Efficient, clean positioning for appropriate power from the wind.
- Synchronisation.
- Rhythm.
- Body Form, visually appealing body position(s) are shown.

Entertainment:

- Use of visual effect(s).
- Choreography; Story telling.
- Creativity.
- Excitement/Energy.

- 6.3.** Scoring Speed Routines: The score is based on the time, measured in hundredths of a second, the Team takes to perform the three (3) Compulsory Patterns, repeated four (4) times and the compulsory exit sequence plus penalty times for infringements and omitted Compulsory Patterns.
- 6.3.1.** Infringements: Each incorrect, incomplete or non judgable Compulsory Pattern or compulsory exit sequence will lead to adding a penalty of five (5) seconds to the total time for the Speed Routine. See the Addenda A for performance and scoring requirements for the Compulsory Patterns and compulsory exit sequence.
- 6.3.2.** The Performers become designated as 1, 2, 3 and 4 (1 and 2 for D2W) according to the order in which they entered the flight chamber at the start of the Speed Routine.
- 6.3.3.** A five (5) second penalty will apply to a Compulsory Pattern or Exit Sequence if:
- any part of the first Performer's body crosses the doorway entering the flight chamber before the visual signal is given to start the working time.
 - any Performer does not maintain their designated slot. If the same positioning error is carried into the following Patterns to the end of the Speed Routine, this will be considered as one infringement only, provided that the intent of following the performance requirements in

- the following Patterns and compulsory exit sequence is clearly presented and no other infringement occurs.
- the Team does not show the start of working time, stay in view and clearly present the performance requirements to the Judges. E.g., if any Performer flies so high in the Diffuser that the Judges can not determine that the Pattern has been performed correctly, (e.g., properly crossed a Sideline, etc.).
 - the leading Performer completely crosses the following Sideline before the following Performer crosses the previous Sideline, i.e., lack of synchronisation. (D2W only)
 - any Performer fails to completely cross a Sideline at the finish of a Pattern before entering the next Pattern. That next Pattern does not receive a time penalty, provided there are no other infringements.
- 6.3.4.** Each Compulsory Pattern can receive a maximum of only one (1) five (5) second time penalty.
- 6.3.5.** An omitted Compulsory Pattern will lead to adding a penalty of twenty (20) seconds to the total time for the Speed Routine. An omission is one of the following:
- A Compulsory Pattern is missing from the drawn sequence.
 - No clear intent to finish the Compulsory Pattern (e.g., after an infringement) and there is a resulting time advantage to the Team.
 - No clear intent to perform the correct Compulsory Pattern is seen and another Pattern is presented and there is a time advantage to the Team resulting from the substitution.
- 6.3.5.1.** If a Team crashes or becomes disorganised during a Compulsory Pattern, the Team may continue to the next Compulsory Pattern accruing only a five (5) time penalty provided that the Judges see the Team losing time in the process of getting organised and there is no time advantage to the Team.
- 6.3.6.** One or more Judges may make an evaluation of any infringements and of an omission.
- 6.3.7.** The Team with the fastest time, after all time penalties are applied, wins the Battle.
- 6.3.8.** The final time for each Speed Routine will be published, including the raw speed routine completion time, time penalties, infringement types and any omissions.
- 6.4.** Team placings will be determined by a series of Battles. (See para 5.6. & 5.7.)
- 6.4.1.** For all Teams, the individual Battles with their winners will be published on Team Pool and Tournament diagrams.
- 6.5.** Judging rules:
- 6.5.1.** Viewing the Flights: The Judges will watch each Team's flight from the flight chamber viewing gallery.
- 6.5.2.** Speed Routine Judging:
- 6.5.2.1.** A panel of three (3) Judges must evaluate each Team's Speed Routine.
- 6.5.2.2.** A Judge, positioned at a Sideline, will evaluate for complete crossings of the Sidelines. In D2W, they will also evaluate Synchronisation. The Sideline Judge must be positioned such that the Sideline on the far wall is obscured from view by the Sideline on the near wall. The Sideline Judge will also be the Timing Judge and will operate a chronometer, which will be started at the beginning of working time and stopped at the end of working time (para 2.14.1.)
- 6.5.2.3.** A Ring Judge will evaluate that no part of any Performer's body is visible in the Ring (Vertical Patterns only). The Ring Judge must be positioned two (2) meters from the Ring with the Judge's eye level with the Ring with the outline of the far Ring visible through the five (5) cm hole of the near Ring.
- 6.5.2.4.** A Judge, positioned at the Centreline, will evaluate the Team's correctness in following the performance description of each Compulsory Pattern (e.g., Performers flying in the correct order, pirouettes in correct direction, etc.) In D2W, this judge will also evaluate for complete crossings of the Centreline.
- 6.5.3.** Free Routine Judging:
- 6.5.3.1.** A panel of five (5) Judges must evaluate each Team's Free Routine, each Judge will evaluate all criteria (para 6.2.).
- 6.5.3.2.** The Free Routine Judges will be positioned in an arc spread throughout the entire viewing gallery, not including the Anti-Chamber and controller booth. The Event Judge will sit at the centre of the Judges.
- 6.5.3.3.** The chronometer will be operated by the Judges or by (a) person(s) appointed by the Chief Judge, and will be started at the beginning of working time (para 2.14.2.).
- 6.5.4.** At the end of working time, a signal will be given and, for the Free Routine, the Judges will look away from the flight chamber. Without discussion with other Judges, each Judge will record their evaluation and submit it to the Event Judge.
- 6.5.4.1.** Each Judge will select the best Team in the Battle for each of the five (5) criteria (para 6.2.). When three (3) or more Judges agree on which Team is best in a criterion, the Team wins in

that criterion. The Team that is the best in three (3) or more of the five (5) criteria wins the Battle.

6.5.5. The Judges may use an electronic scoring system to record their evaluations.

7. Rules specific to the competition

- 7.1.** Composition of Delegations: Each Delegation may be comprised of:
- One (1) Head of Delegation
 - One (1) Team Manager
 - A maximum of two (2) D2W Teams and two (2) D4W Teams for a WISC or Continental Indoor Skydiving Championship.
 - The number of Teams for an Indoor Skydiving World Cup will be up to the organiser.
- 7.2.** Competition schedule: The competition will be organised in accordance with one (1) official training day and a maximum time frame of three (3) consecutive competition days.

ADDENDA A1, A2, A3, B, C, D, E

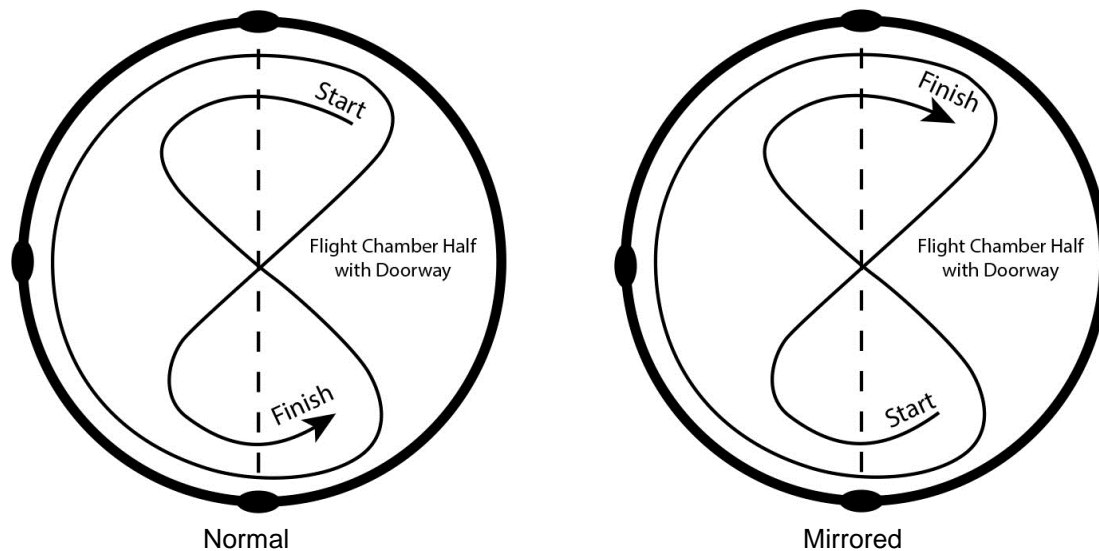
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ADDENDUM – A1

SPEED ROUTINE COMPULSORY PATTERNS - SNAKES

PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS & JUDGEMENT CRITERIA

- The following Performer(s) follow the leader throughout the illustrated pathway, with respect to top view. If the Performers change their order of following one another or a different Performer becomes the leader during any Snake, a five (5) second penalty applies.



- If any Team Performer flies any Snake differently than described, (e.g., failure to switch to outface during a Switching Snake,) a five (5) second penalty applies.
- The Sidelines apply. For D2W, the Centreline also applies.
- Each Performer must be in the orientation of the Snake before crossing the start Sideline after entering the flight chamber. If any Performer's body is not in the correct orientation, (e.g., it is horizontal,) before crossing the start Sideline, a five (5) second penalty applies.
- Each Performer's entire body must completely cross each Sideline (D2W & D4W) and Centreline (D2W only). If a Sideline (D2W & D4W) or Centreline (D2W only) is not completely crossed, (e.g., a hand does not pass the line, even though the rest of the body does,) a five (5) second penalty applies.
- During any Snake, each Performer crosses a Sideline six (6) times.

SNAKES - HEAD-DOWN (HD)

D4W-1 & D2W-1 Head-down Snake

Performers remain in head-down inface carving during the entire Pattern. Performers begin by carving towards the Performers' left (right, if mirrored). When passing through the centre the first time, each Performer changes to carving towards his/her right (left, if mirrored). When passing through the centre the second time, each Performer changes to carving towards his/her left (right, if mirrored).

D4W-2 & D2W-2 Head-down Switching Snake

Performers remain head-down during the entire Pattern. Performers begin by inface carving towards the Performers' left (right, if mirrored). When passing through the centre the first time, each Performer changes to outface carving towards his/her left (right, if mirrored). When passing through the centre the second time, each Performer returns to inface carving towards his/her left (right, if mirrored).

D4W-3 & D2W-3 Mixed Snake

Performers begin by head-down inface carving towards the Performers' left (right, if mirrored). When passing through the centre the first time, each Performer transitions through the back down orientation to head-up inface carving towards his/her left (right, if mirrored). When passing through the centre the second time, each Performer transitions through the back-down orientation to head-down inface carving towards his/her left (right, if mirrored).

SNAKES - HEAD-UP (HU)

D4W-4 & D2W-4 Head-up Snake

Performers remain in head-up inface carving during the entire Pattern. Performers begin by carving towards the Performers' right (left, if mirrored). When passing through the centre the first time, each Performer changes to carving towards his/her left (right, if mirrored). When passing through the centre the second time, each Performer changes to carving towards his/her right (left, if mirrored).

D4W-5 & D2W-5 Head-up Switching Snake

Performers remain head-up during the entire Pattern. Performers begin by inface carving towards the Performers' right (left, if mirrored). When passing through the centre the first time, each Performer changes to outface carving towards his/her right (left, if mirrored). When passing through the centre the second time, each Performer returns to inface carving towards his/her right (left, if mirrored).

ADDENDUM – A2

SPEED ROUTINE COMPULSORY PATTERNS - VERTICALS

PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS & JUDGEMENT CRITERIA

- If any Performer flies any Vertical Pattern differently than described, (e.g., rotating the wrong way during a Classic, etc.) a five (5) second penalty applies.
- The Sidelines and Ring apply.
- Teams must fly around the Ring. The pairs of Performers must completely cross a Sideline on each half of the vertical orbit. If a Sideline is not completely crossed, a five (5) second penalty applies.
- No part of any Performer's body may be visible through the Ring. If any part of a Performer's body is visible through the Ring, a five (5) second penalty applies.
- In D2W, the Centreline applies for D2W-8, Butterfly. If each Performer does not completely cross the Centreline, when flying over the Ring, a five (5) second penalty applies.

D4W VERTICALS - HEAD-DOWN (HD)

D4W-6 Back Layout

The Performers separate into two (2) pairs. Performers 1 & 2 will be the leading pair and Performers 3 & 4 will be the following pair. Each pair, one after the other, flies forward over the Ring and then performs one half outface Eagle passing under the Ring through belly-down to head-up. Next, each pair, one after the other, flies backward over the Ring and performs one half inface Reverse Eagle under the Ring through back-down to head-down. During this Pattern, Performers 1 & 3 will cross the start Sideline four (4) times and Performers 2 & 4 will cross the opposite Sideline four (4) times.

D4W-7 Bottom Loops

The Performers separate into two (2) pairs. Performers 1 & 2 will be the leading pair and Performers 3 & 4 will be the following pair. Each pair, one after the other, flies forward over the Ring and then performs one half outface Eagle with one half back loop passing under the Ring to head-down. This sequence is performed twice. During this Pattern, Performers 1 & 3 will cross the start Sideline four (4) times and Performers 2 & 4 will cross the opposite Sideline four (4) times.

D4W-8 Butterfly

The Performers separate into two (2) pairs. Performers 1 & 2 will be the leading pair and Performers 3 & 4 will be the following pair. Each pair, one after the other, flies forward, with the two (2) Performers in the pair crossing each other, over the Ring. Then, each pair, one after the other, performs one half outface Eagle with one half back loop passing under the Ring to head-down with Performers 2 then 4 crossing the start Sideline and Performers 1 then 3 crossing the opposite Sideline. This sequence is performed twice. On the second repetition, when passing under the Ring, Performers 1 & 3 will cross the start Sideline and Performers 2 & 4 will cross the opposite Sideline.

D4W VERTICALS - HEAD-UP (HU)

D4W-9 Classic

The Performers separate into two (2) pairs. Performers 1 & 2 will be the leading pair and Performers 3 & 4 will be the following pair. While head-up and flying over the Ring, each Performer in the pair performs a 180° pirouette towards the start Sideline (to the right, if Normal; to the left, if mirrored). The pair then performs one half inface Reverse Eagle under the Ring to head-down. While head-down and flying over the Ring, each Performer in the pair performs a 180° pirouette towards the start Sideline (to the left, if Normal; to the right if mirrored). And the pair performs one half inface Eagle under the Ring to head-up. During this Pattern, Performers 1 & 3 will cross the start Sideline four (4) times and Performers 2 & 4 will cross the opposite Sideline four (4) times.

D4W-10 Front Layout

The Performers separate into two (2) pairs. Performers 1 & 2 will be the leading pair and Performers 3 & 4 will be the following pair. Each pair, one after the other, flies forward over the Ring and then performs one half outface Reverse Eagle passing under the Ring through belly-down to head-down. Next, each

pair, one after the other, flies backward over the Ring and performs one half inface Eagle under the Ring through back-down to head-up. During this Pattern, Performers 1 & 3 will cross the start Sideline four (4) times and Performers 2 & 4 will cross the opposite Sideline four (4) times.

D2W VERTICALS - HEAD-DOWN (HD)

D2W-6 Back Layout

The two (2) Performers fly this Pattern as a pair. The pair flies forward over the Ring and then performs one half outface Eagle passing under the Ring through belly-down to head-up. Next, the pair flies backward over the Ring and performs one half inface Reverse Eagle under the Ring through back-down to head-down. During this Pattern, Performer 1 will cross the start Sideline four (4) times and Performer 2 will cross the opposite Sideline four (4) times.

D2W-7 Bottom Loops

The two (2) Performers fly this Pattern as a pair. The pair flies forward over the Ring and then performs one half outface Eagle with one half back loop passing under the Ring to head-down. This sequence is performed twice. During this Pattern, Performer 1 will cross the start Sideline four (4) times and Performer 2 will cross the opposite Sideline four (4) times.

D2W-8 Butterfly (with Bottom Loops)

The two (2) Performers fly this Pattern as a pair. The pair flies forward, with the two (2) Performers in the pair crossing each other, over the Ring. The pair then performs one half outface Eagle with one half back loop passing under the Ring to head-down with Performer 2 crossing the start Sideline and Performer 1 crossing the opposite Sideline. This sequence is performed twice. On the second repetition, when passing under the Ring, Performer 1 will cross the start Sideline and Performer 2 will cross the opposite Sideline.

D2W VERTICALS - HEAD-UP (HU)

D2W-9 Classic

The two (2) Performers fly this Pattern as a pair. While head-up and flying over the Ring, each Performer in the pair performs a 180° pirouette towards the start Sideline (to the right, if Normal; to the left, if mirrored). The pair then performs one half inface Reverse Eagle under the Ring to head-down. While head-down and flying over the Ring, each Performer in the pair performs a 180° pirouette towards the start Sideline (to the left, if Normal; to the right, if mirrored). And the pair performs one half inface Eagle under the Ring to head-up. During this Pattern, Performer 1 will cross the start Sideline four (4) times and Performer 2 will cross the opposite Sideline four (4) times.

D2W-10 Front Layout

The two (2) Performers fly this Pattern as a pair. The pair flies forward over the Ring and then performs one half outface Reverse Eagle passing under the Ring through belly-down to head-down. Next, the pair flies backward over the Ring and performs one half inface Eagle under the Ring through back-down to head-up. During this Pattern, Performer 1 will cross the start Sideline four (4) times and Performer 2 will cross the opposite Sideline four (4) times.

ADDENDUM – A3

SPEED ROUTINE COMPULSORY PATTERNS - MIXERS

PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS & JUDGEMENT CRITERIA

- If any Performer flies any Mixer differently than described, (e.g., failure to switch to outface during a Shuffler, etc.) a five (5) second penalty applies.
- If any Performer crosses through the centre in the incorrect order during any Shuffler, (e.g., Performer 2 crosses the centre before Performer 1,) a five (5) second penalty applies.
- The Sidelines apply.
- Each Performer's entire body must completely cross a Sideline during each part of a Mixer. If a Sideline is not completely crossed, (e.g., a Performer does not perform their circle sufficiently wide for their entire body to completely cross a Sideline on each half circle,) a five (5) second penalty applies.
- In D2W, the Centreline also applies during any Shuffler.

D4W MIXERS - HEAD-DOWN (HD)

D4W-11 Head-down Circles

While head-down, each pair of Performers separates into inface carving in opposite directions, with Performer 1 followed by Performer 3, crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 followed by Performer 4, crossing the opposite Sideline. While head-down, Performers 1 & 3, facing one another, and Performers 2 & 4, facing one another, perform an additional 540° of inface carving, crossing a Sideline three (3) additional times, once for each half circle. During this Pattern, each Performer crosses a Sideline four (4) times.

D4W-12 Head-down Inface Shuffler

While head-down, each pair of Performers separates into inface carving in opposite directions, with Performer 1 followed by Performer 3, crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 followed by Performer 4, crossing the opposite Sideline. Next, Performer 1, then 2, then 3 and then 4 pass through the centre to inface carving, with Performer 2, then 4, crossing the start Sideline and Performer 1, then 3, crossing the opposite Sideline. Continuing the Shuffler, Performer 1, then 2, then 3 and then 4 pass through the centre to inface carving, with Performer 1, then 3, crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2, then 4, crossing the opposite Sideline. To finish, Performer 1 passes through the centre, followed by Performers 2, 3 and 4, completely crossing the Sidelines. During this Pattern, each Performer crosses a Sideline six (6) times.

D4W-13 Head-down Shuffler

While head-down, each pair of Performers separates into inface carving in opposite directions, with Performer 1 followed by Performer 3, crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 followed by Performer 4, crossing the opposite Sideline. Next, Performer 1, then 2, then 3 and then 4, pass through the centre to outface carving, with Performer 2, then 4, crossing the start Sideline and Performer 1, then 3, crossing the opposite Sideline. Continuing the Shuffler, Performer 1, then 2, then 3 and then 4, pass through the centre to inface carving, with Performer 1, then 3, crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2, then 4, crossing the opposite Sideline. To finish, Performer 1 passes through the centre, followed by Performers 2, 3 and 4 completely crossing the Sidelines. During this Pattern, each Performer crosses a Sideline six (6) times.

D4W Head-down Compulsory Exit Sequence

While head-down, Performer 1, followed by Performers 2 through 4, will inface carve towards the Performers' left (right, if mirrored), completely crossing both the start and the opposite Sideline. Then, while head-down and avoiding the Ring, the Performers, one after the other, will fly forward over the Ring and then perform one half outface Eagle passing under the Ring through belly-down to head-up, exiting the flight chamber.

D4W MIXERS - HEAD-UP (HU)

D4W-14 Head-up Circles

While head-up, each pair of Performers separates into inface carving in opposite directions, with Performer 1 followed by Performer 3, crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 followed by Performer 4, crossing the opposite Sideline. While head-up, Performers 1 & 3, facing one another, and Performers 2 & 4, facing one another, perform an additional 540° of inface carving, crossing a Sideline three (3) additional times, once for each half circle. During this Pattern, each Performer crosses a Sideline four (4) times.

D4W-15 Head-up Shuffler

While head-up, each pair of Performers separates into inface carving in opposite directions, with Performer 1 followed by Performer 3, crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 followed by Performer 4, crossing the opposite Sideline. Next, Performer 1, then 2, then 3 and then 4, pass through the centre to outface carving, with Performer 2, then 4, crossing the start Sideline and Performer 1, then 3, crossing the opposite Sideline. Continuing the Shuffler, Performer 1, then 2, then 3 and then 4, pass through the centre to inface carving, with Performer 1, then 3, crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2, then 4, crossing the opposite Sideline. To finish, Performer 1 passes through the centre followed by Performers 2, and 4, completely crossing the Sidelines. During this Pattern, each Performer crosses a Sideline six (6) times.

D4W Head-up Compulsory Exit Sequence

While head-up, Performer 1, followed by Performers 2 through 4, will inface carve towards the Performers' right (left, if mirrored), completely crossing both the start Sideline and the opposite Sideline, and exit the flight chamber in order.

D2W MIXERS - HEAD-DOWN (HD)

D2W-11 Head-down Circles

While head-down, the two (2) Performers separate into inface carving in opposite directions, with Performer 1 crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 crossing the opposite Sideline. While head-down, including the start, they perform two (2) individual 360° inface carves, crossing a Sideline three (3) additional times, once for each half circle. During this Pattern, each Performer crosses a Sideline four (4) times.

D2W-12 Head-down Inface Shuffler

While head-down, the two (2) Performers separate into inface carving in opposite directions, with Performer 1 crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 crossing the opposite Sideline. Next, Performer 1, then Performer 2, passes through the centre (completely crossing the centreline) to inface carving, with Performer 2 crossing the start Sideline and Performer 1 crossing the opposite Sideline. Continuing the Shuffler, Performer 1, then Performer 2, passes through the centre (completely crossing the centreline) to inface carving, with Performer 1 crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 crossing the opposite Sideline. To finish, Performer 1 passes through the centre, followed by Performer 2, completely crossing the Sidelines. During this Pattern, each Performer crosses a Sideline six (6) times.

D2W-13 Head-down Shuffler

While head-down, the two (2) Performers separate into inface carving in opposite directions, with Performer 1 crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 crossing the opposite Sideline. Next, Performer 1, then Performer 2, passes through the centre (completely crossing the centreline) to outface carving, with Performer 2 crossing the start Sideline and Performer 1 crossing the opposite Sideline. Continuing the Shuffler, Performer 1, then Performer 2, passes through the centre (completely crossing the centreline) to inface carving, with Performer 1 crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 crossing the opposite Sideline. To finish, Performer 1 passes through the centre, followed by Performer 2, completely crossing the Sidelines. During this Pattern, each Performer crosses a Sideline six (6) times.

D2W Head-down Compulsory Exit Sequence

While head-down, Performer 1, followed by Performer 2, will inface carve towards the Performers' left (right, if mirrored), completely crossing both the start and the opposite Sideline. Then, while head-down

and avoiding the Ring, the Performers, one after the other, will fly over the Ring and then perform one half outface Eagle passing under the Ring through belly-down to head-up, exiting the flight chamber. Synchronisation (para 6.3.3.) is required.

D2W MIXERS - HEAD-UP (HU)

D2W-14 Head-up Circles

While head-up, the two (2) Performers separate into inface carving in opposite directions, with Performer 1 crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 crossing the opposite Sideline. While head-up, including the start, they perform two (2) individual 360° inface carves, crossing a Sideline three (3) additional times, once for each half circle. During this Pattern, each Performer crosses a Sideline four (4) times.

D2W-15 Head-up Shuffler

While head-up, the two (2) Performers separate into inface carving in opposite directions, with Performer 1 crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 crossing the opposite Sideline. Next, Performer 1, then Performer 2 passes through the centre (completely crossing the centreline) to outface carving, with Performer 2 crossing the start Sideline and Performer 1 crossing the opposite Sideline. Continuing the Shuffler, Performer 1, then Performer 2 passes through the centre (completely crossing the centreline) to inface carving, with Performer 1 crossing the start Sideline and Performer 2 crossing the opposite Sideline. To finish, Performer 1 passes through the centre followed by Performer 2, completely crossing the Sidelines. During this Pattern, each Performer crosses a Sideline six (6) times.

D2W Head-up Compulsory Exit Sequence

While head-up, Performer 1, followed by Performer 2, will inface carve towards the Performers' right (left, if mirrored), completely crossing both the start Sideline and the opposite Sideline, and exit the flight chamber in order. Synchronisation (para 6.3.3.) is required.

ADDENDUM B

BASIC ORIENTATIONS, ROTATIONS AND PATHWAYS

A. ORIENTATIONS

There are six (6) basic orientations (not including diagonal orientations) which a body can have to the wind (or cable floor). These define which way the torso is oriented.

A-1. Belly-down Orientation

The torso is horizontal, on its front, facing down towards the wind (or the cable floor).

A-2. Back-down Orientation

The torso is horizontal, on its back, facing up, away from the wind (towards the ceiling).

A-3. Sideways Orientation

The torso is horizontal, on its side, with either side facing towards the wind (or cable floor). The chest is facing the tunnel wall.

A-4. Head-up Orientation (HU)

The torso is vertical with the head up, directly away from the wind (towards the ceiling).

A-5. Head-down Orientation (HD)

The torso is vertical with the head down, pointing directly down into the wind (towards the cable floor).

B. ROTATION AXES

Most moves involve a form of rotational motion of the body. A total of five (5) axes are used to describe the six (6) possible basic rotational motions.

B-1. Wind Axes

There are two inertial axes which stay fixed with respect to the wind (or cable floor).

Vertical Axis

The vertical axis remains parallel to the wind, (pointing from the ceiling to the cable floor). Spins are rotations about the Vertical Axis.

Horizontal Axis

The horizontal axis is any axis perpendicular (90°) to the wind, (pointing to the tunnel wall). It may have any heading (pointing towards any wall).

B-2. Body Axes

There are three (3) body axes which stay fixed with respect to each Performer's body.

Body Head-Tail Axis

The body head-tail axis is oriented lengthwise, pointing from head to tail-bone, normally through the Performer's torso. (In a layout position, the head and feet are in the same line. When the body is bent at the hips, this axis is aligned with the spine and does not include the legs.)

Body Front-Back Axis

The body front-back axis is oriented forwards and backwards, pointing from front to back, normally through the Performer's belly.

Body Left-Right Axis

The body left-right axis is oriented sideways, pointing from left to right, normally through the Performer's hips.

C. BASIC ROTATIONAL ACTIONS

There are six (6) basic rotational actions. Twisting combines rotational actions by adding a rotation about the body head-tail axis during a rotation about the body left-right or front-back axis.

C-1. Flat Turns

Flat turns involve a rotation about the body front-back axis when that axis is aligned with the vertical axis. The Performer's heading is changing. The body can be belly-down or back-down while performing a flat turn.

C-2 Pirouettes

Pirouettes involve a rotation about the body head-tail axis when that axis is aligned with the vertical axis. The Performer's heading is changing. The body can be head-up or head-down while performing a pirouette.

C-3 Barrel Rolls

A barrel roll is a rotation about the body head-tail axis when that axis is aligned with the horizontal axis. A barrel roll may begin and end in a belly-down, back-down or sideways orientation.

C-4 Cartwheels

A cartwheel is a head-over-heels rotation about the body front-back axis when that axis is aligned with the horizontal axis. The body passes through a head-up, sideways and/or head-down orientations during the course of a cartwheel. A cartwheel needs not start nor finish in an exact head-up, sideways or head-down orientation. A cartwheel is considered to be a full cartwheel when the head has travelled 360° around the horizontal axis from the point at which it started. A cartwheel may be performed to the right or left.

C-5. Loops

A loop is a head-over-heels rotation about the body left-right axis when that axis is aligned with the horizontal axis. The body passes through a head-up, belly-down, head-down and/or back-down orientation during the course of the loop. A loop may begin and end in a head-up, belly-down, head-down and/or back-down orientation. A loop needs not start nor finish in an exact head-up, belly-down, head-down and/or back-down orientation. A loop is considered to be a full loop when the head has travelled 360° around the horizontal axis from the point at which is started. There are two (2) kinds of loops. (Loops are referred to by the direction in which the loop is initiated, since in the case of twisting loops, the direction in which the loop completes may be different from the direction at the start.)

Back Loop

A back loop is a loop rotation initiated with the torso rotating backwards.

Front Loop

A front loop is a loop rotation initiated with the torso rotating forwards.

C-6. Side Loops (Loops on the Side)

A loop in the sideways orientation is a rotation about the body left-right axis when that axis is aligned with the vertical axis. For example, a Spinning Egg is a true loop on the side.

C-7. Twists

Twisting combines rotational actions by adding a rotation about the body head-tail axis during a rotation about the body left-right or front-back axis, aligned with either the horizontal or vertical axis. There are two (2) basic categories of twists.

Vertical Twists

A vertical twist is a head-over-heels rotation about the horizontal axis (loop or cartwheel) combined with a rotation about the body head-tail axis. A single or full twist is defined to be a 360° rotation about the body head-tail axis over the course of a 360° loop or cartwheel. The amount of twist contained within a loop or cartwheel is the amount of twisting rotation completed after a 360° looping or cartwheeling rotation has been performed, when measured from the point in the loop or cartwheel at which the twist was first initiated. Twists may be initiated at any position in the loop or cartwheel and in any direction.

Horizontal Twists

A horizontal twist is a rotation about the vertical axis (flat turn or side loop) combined a rotation about the body head-tail axis. A single or full twist is defined to be a 360° rotation about the body head-tail axis over the course of a 360° flat turn or side loop. For example, a Flip Through is a horizontal twist.

D. CIRCULAR PATHWAYS

There are two (2) basic types of circular pathways a Performer may follow, which can be performed either infacing or outfacing. Circular pathways may have embedded moves (e.g. Bottom Loop) or intermixing of Performers.

Inface

The front of the torso faces inward towards the concave side of the pathway, usually, but not always, towards the centre of the flight chamber.

Outface

The front of the torso faces outward, away from the concave side of the pathway, usually, but not always, towards the wall of the flight chamber.

D-1. Carving

The Performer(s) body(ies) trace(s) a circular path in approximately a horizontal plane. Carving is performed while head-down, head-up or in other orientations.

D-2. Vertical Orbits

The Performer(s) body(ies) trace(s) a circular path in a vertical plane. Eagles and Reverse Eagles are two (2) common forms of Vertical Orbits that involve also rotating about the Body Left-Right Axis.

Eagle

The Performer(s) travel(s) in a Vertical Orbit while continuously leading with the head, passing through the back-down, head-up, belly-down and/or head-down orientation (in that order, if infacing). An Eagle may begin from any orientation in this progression. A Half Eagle is when the Performer has travelled head first through 180° of vertical orbiting. A Full Eagle is when the Performer has travelled head first through 360° of vertical orbiting.

Reverse Eagle

The Performer(s) travel(s) in a Vertical Orbit while continuously leading with the feet (or tail-bone), passing through the back-down, head-down, belly-down and/or head-up orientation (in that order, if infacing). A Reverse Eagle may begin from any orientation in this progression. A Half Reverse Eagle is when the Performer has travelled feet (or tail-bone) first through 180° of vertical orbiting. A Full Reverse Eagle is when the Performer has travelled feet (or tail-bone) first through 360° of vertical orbiting.

ADDENDUM – C DIFFICULTY

'Difficulty' is the combined result of several factors. The overall performance of the Flights (moves, patterns and transitions) counts for difficulty. In general, difficulty factors are:

Easier	More Difficult
High drag moves flown with slow tunnel speed	High drag moves flown with fast tunnel speed, the longer the duration of high drag move(s), the more difficult
Low drag moves flown with fast tunnel speed	Low drag moves flown with slow tunnel speed, the longer the duration of the low drag move(s), the more difficult
Moves executed individually	Moves executed in a connected sequence
Body position lost during move(s)	Ideal body position maintained throughout move(s)
Random Movements	Precisely Choreographed Movements
Move(s)/Pattern(s) without elements of precision	Move(s)/Pattern(s) with elements of precision, e.g., head-to-head with no other grips
Easy natural body positions	Awkward body position and/or grip(s), such as a hand grip on one's own foot with that grip behind
Move(s) do(es) not require flexibility	Move(s) require(s) flexibility
Move(s) do(es) not require strength and power.	Move(s) require(s) strength and power
Basic, simple Move(s)/Pattern(s)	Move(s)/Pattern(s) require(s) long learning progression
Performing previously seen Move(s)/Pattern(s)	Performing brand new Move(s)/Pattern(s)
Rotations on 1 axis	Rotations on more than 1 axis (in which use of 3 axes is more difficult than use of 2 axes)
Slow flying in loose proximity	Fast flying in very close proximity
Performing moves, carving/rotating always in a preferred direction	Performing moves, carving/rotating in both directions
Performer(s) flying in clean airflow	Performer(s) flying across burble of other Performer(s) and/or doorway
Fast transitions through burble(s) of other Performer(s) and/or doorway	Performer(s) remaining in burble(s) of other Performer(s) and/or doorway for extended time
All Performers flying in same direction and pathway (carving, vertical orbiting, etc.)	Performers simultaneously flying different directions and pathways, intermixing (while carving, vertical orbiting, etc.)
Carving/vertical orbits without embedded move(s)	Carving/vertical orbits with embedded move(s)
Transitions between Moves/Patterns with the same axes	Transitions between Moves/Patterns with different axes at a precise heading/orientation
No direction change	Reversal of direction at a precise heading/orientation
Complex Moves/Patterns using arms and legs to control flying	Variety of complex Moves/Patterns without using arms or with arms and/or legs in fixed pose or in creative, artistic gestures
Eye contact with other Performer(s)	No eye contact (blind) with other Performer(s)
Landing on the cable floor to exit and end routine	Landing exactly in the doorway with a complex move to exit and end routine

Combinations of multiple factors further increase difficulty. Teams are not expected to demonstrate all of the above difficulty factors within one routine. A difficulty factor may sometimes have the opposite effect of making a Move/Pattern easier, e.g., retracting the arms keeping them fixed to the body may decrease the difficulty of certain moves. Judges are expected to apply additional knowledge and understanding of difficulty.

This table of difficulty factors only provides examples.

Difficulty Free Routine Moves and Patterns Categorised by Type of Movement					
Type of Move	Very easy	Easy	Moderate	Difficult	Very difficult
HD Inface Carving	Same direction	With direction change	With mixed orientations	With mixed directions	Mixed orientations AND directions
HD Outface Carving		Same direction	With direction change	Mixed orientations OR directions	Mixed orientations AND directions
HU Inface Carving	Same direction	With direction change	With mixed orientations	With mixed directions	Mixed orientations AND directions
HU Outface Carving		Same direction	With direction change	Mixed orientations OR directions	Mixed orientations AND directions
HD Flares	Same direction	With direction change	With mixed orientations	While crossing & burble hoping, mixed directions	While crossing & burble hoping, mixed orientations AND directions
HU Flares	Same direction	With direction change	With mixed orientations	While crossing & burble hoping, mixed directions	While crossing & burble hoping, mixed orientations AND directions
Cheerleaders	Direction change returning to same orientation	Direction change into different orientation	With mixed orientations	Transition into layouts or flares	Transition into layouts or flares with tricks OR spins
Interlacing	Transition into carving	Transition into carving with orientation change	Transition into layouts	Transition into layouts with spins	Transition into layouts with flips/loops
Breakers	Same direction	Mixed direction & crossing with burble hoping	With mixed orientations	Anti-breakers	Anti-breakers with mixed directions & crossing with burble hoping
Back Layouts	Back Layout (D2W/D4W-6)	Layouts while crossing & burble hopping	Back Layout with spins OR tricks		Mixed orientation back layouts with tricks OR spins
Front Layouts		Front Layout (D2W/D4W-10)	Layouts while crossing & burble hopping	Front Layout with spins OR tricks	Mixed orientation front layouts with tricks OR spins

The above table shows a scale of difficulty for each type of move/pattern and each type of move/pattern is to be read within its own line. The table does not compare the difficulties of each type of move/pattern to the other types of moves/patterns, e.g., it does NOT intend to imply that a basic Breaker is as easy as basic HD Inface Carving.

Judges are expected to apply additional knowledge and understanding of difficulty.

ADDENDUM - D

FREE ROUTINE DESCRIPTION

Instructions for use:

Word file (recommended):

- Download the Addendum – D as word.doc on a PC and save it, preferably under your Team country name and number.
- Fill in the required data.
- Add rows in the Free Routine description if needed.
- When done, save it again under a name relating to your team and event.
- Print the document and deliver it to the Chief Judge.

PDF file:

- Print the page of the Addendum – D.
- Fill in the required data with pen (black or blue only).
- Print the last page with boxes only if you need more space for the Free Routine description.
- When done, deliver it to the Chief Judge.
- ***Do not write out of the boxes, or in the sidelines or edges of the paper.***

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	Tunnel Speed Setting Used:

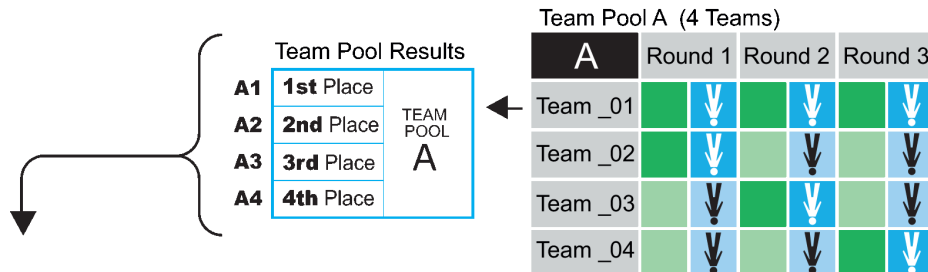
The Free Routine description covers the following rounds:	
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Name of move / sequence	Description if appropriate

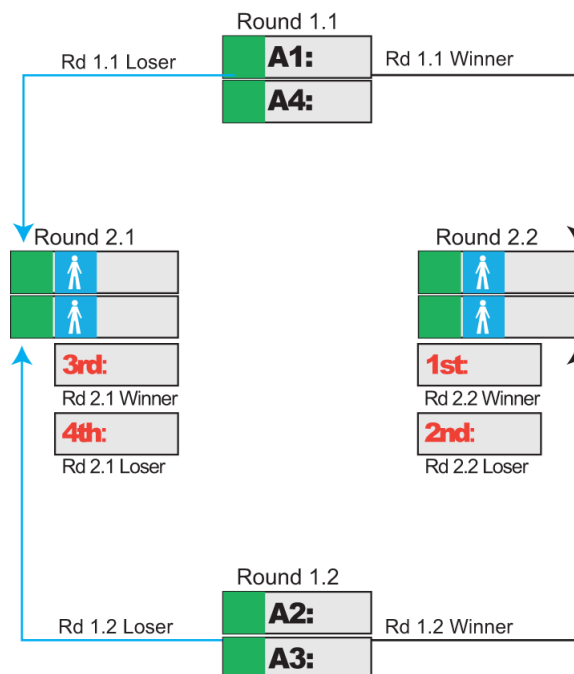
ADDENDUM – E1

TEAM POOLS and TOURNAMENT BRACKETS - 4 TEAMS

A. Team Pool For Four (4) Teams (para 5.6.)



B. Tournament Brackets for Four (4) Teams (para 5.7.)



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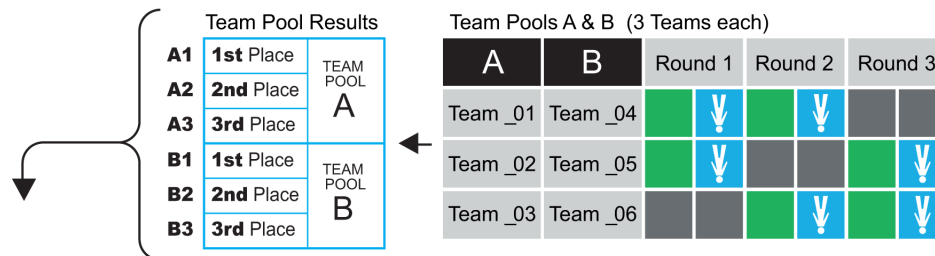
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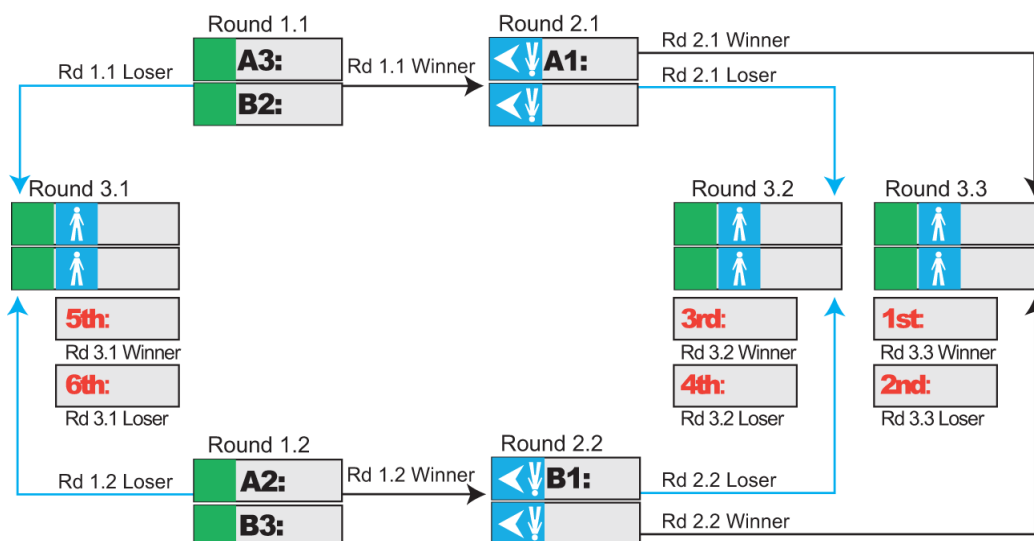
ADDENDUM – E3

TEAM POOLS and TOURNAMENT BRACKETS - 6 TEAMS

A. Team Pool For Six (6) Teams (para 5.6.)



B. Tournament Brackets for Six (6) Teams (para 5.7.)



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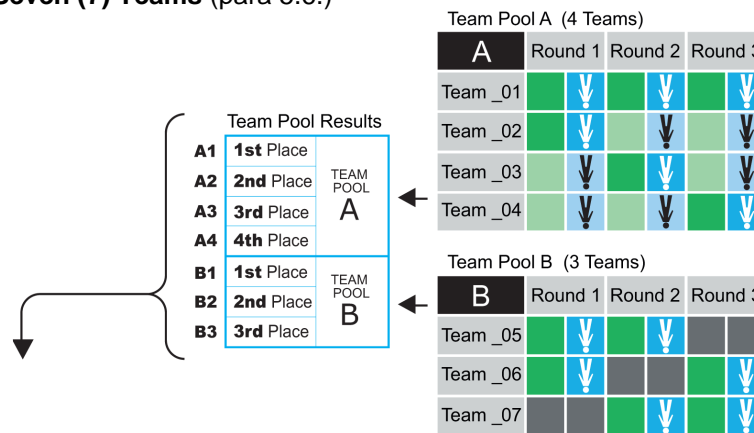
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	Mirrored HD Speed Routine		HU Speed Routine

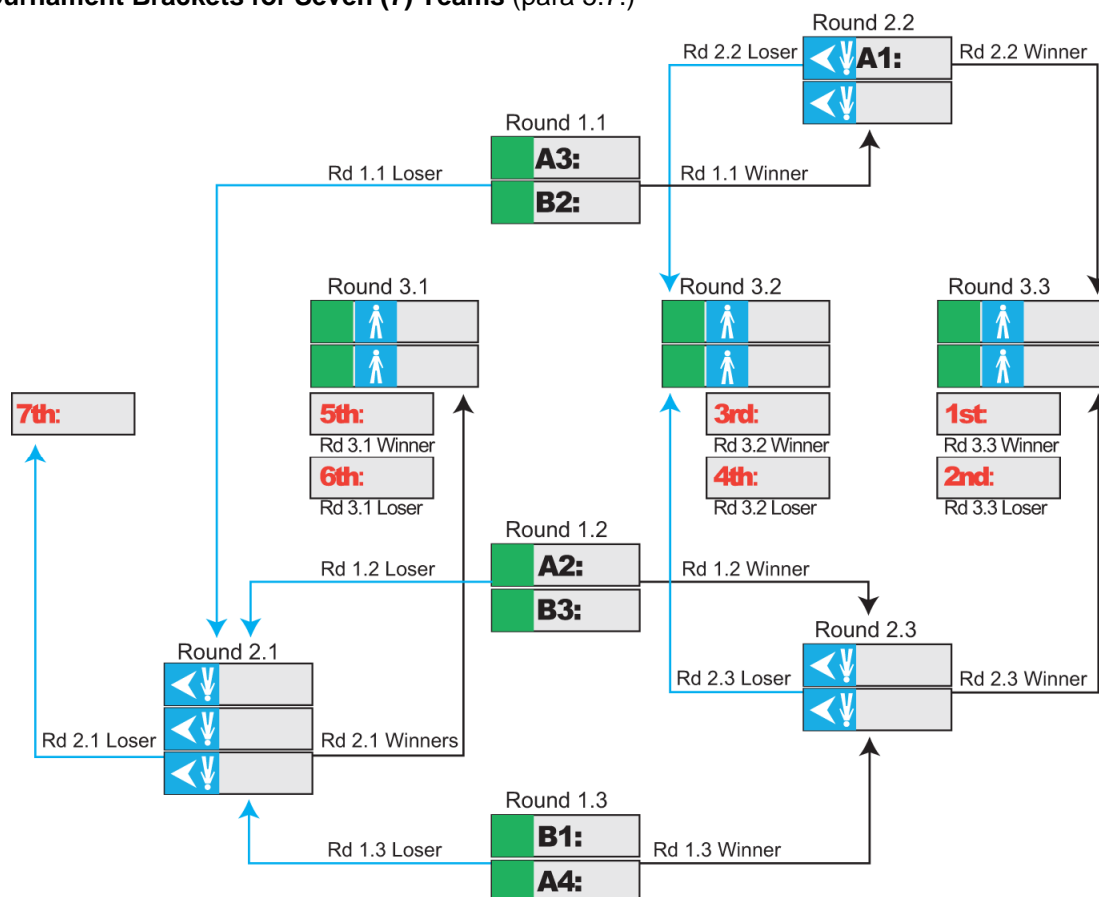
ADDENDUM – E4

TEAM POOLS and TOURNAMENT BRACKETS - 7 TEAMS

A. Team Pool For Seven (7) Teams (para 5.6.)



B. Tournament Brackets for Seven (7) Teams (para 5.7.)



- As Battles are completed, each Team number is written into the grey box of their next Battle.
- Each Team that wins a Battle follows the black line to their next Battle.
- Each Team that loses a Battle follows the blue line to their next Battle.
- The two (2) Teams with the fastest times in Round 2.1 will move to Round 3.1.

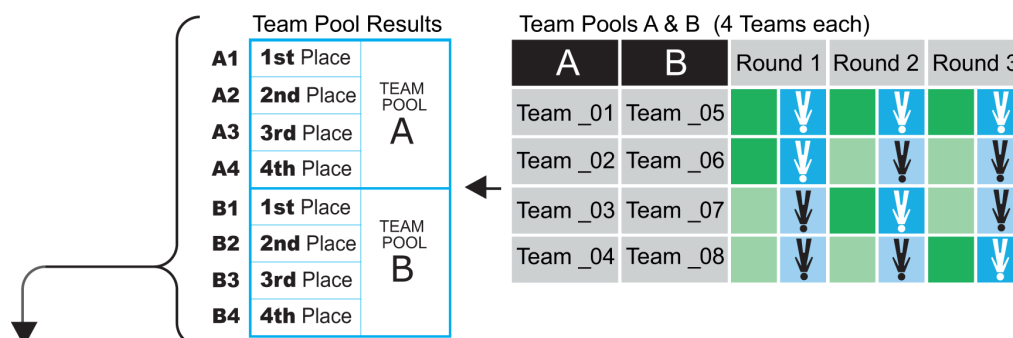
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↔	Mirrored HD Speed Routine	↔	HU Speed Routine

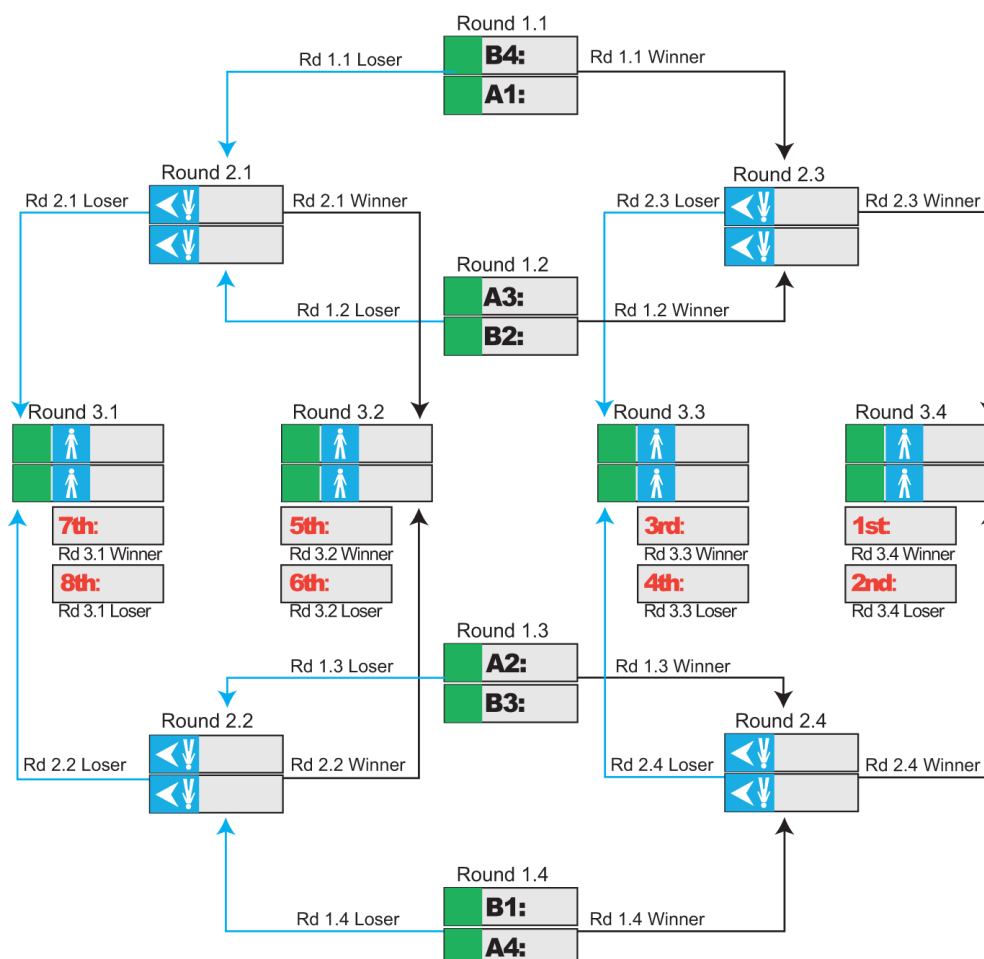
ADDENDUM – E5

TEAM POOLS and TOURNAMENT BRACKETS - 8 TEAMS

A. Team Pool For Eight (8) Teams (para 5.6.)



B. Tournament Brackets for Eight (8) Teams (para 5.7.)



- As Battles are completed, each Team number is written into the grey box of their next Battle.
- Each Team that wins a Battle follows the black line to their next Battle.
- Each Team that loses a Battle follows the blue line to their next Battle.

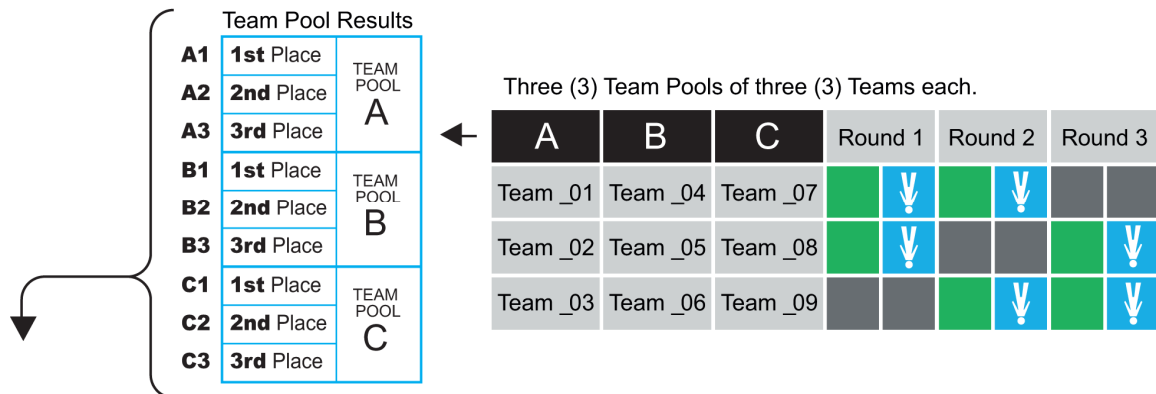
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	HD Speed Routine		Second HD Speed Routine Battle in a Team Pool Round
	Mirrored HD Speed Routine		HU Speed Routine

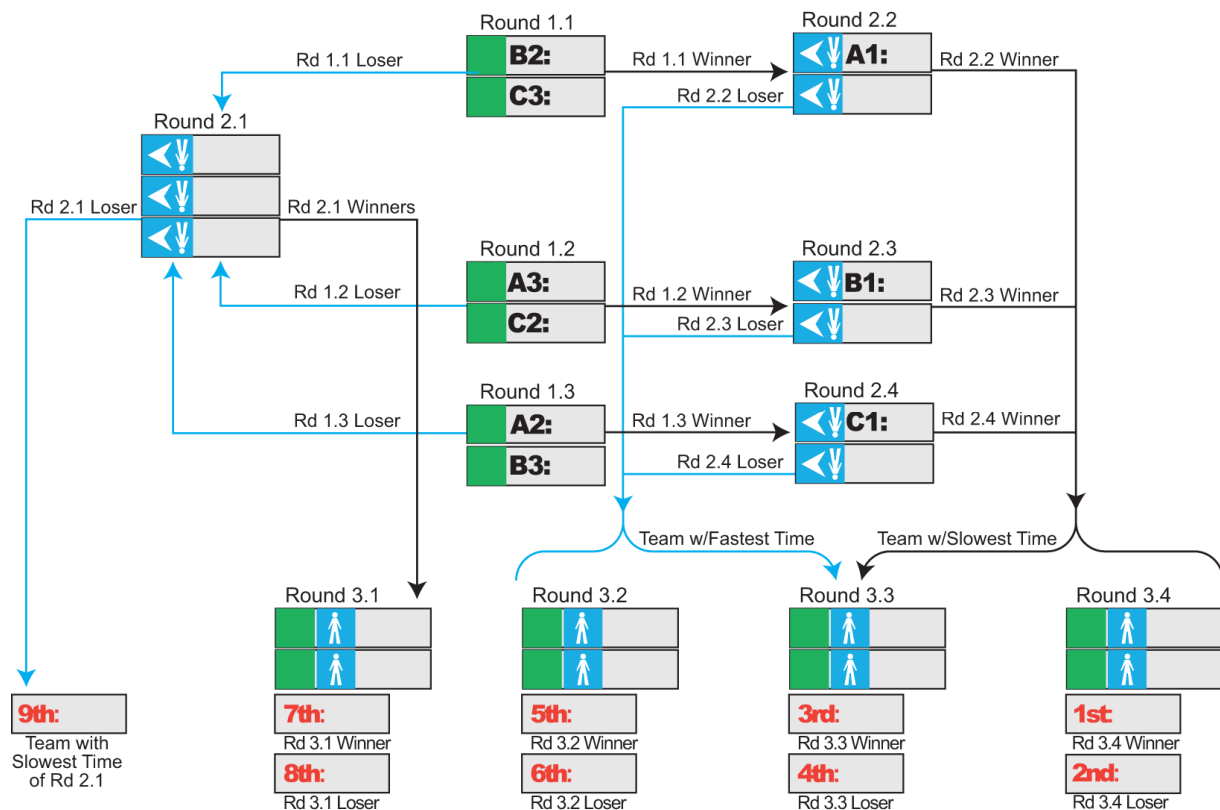
ADDENDUM – E6

TEAM POOLS and TOURNAMENT BRACKETS - 9 TEAMS

A. Team Pool For Nine (9) Teams (para 5.6.)



B. Tournament Brackets for Nine (9) Teams (para 5.7.)



- As Battles are completed, each Team number is written into the grey box of their next Battle.
- Each Team that wins a Battle follows the black line to their next Battle.
- Each Team that loses a Battle follows the blue line to their next Battle.
- The two (2) Teams with the fastest times in Round 2.1 will move to Round 3.1.
- Among the losers of rounds 2.2 to 2.4, the Team with the fastest time will move to round 3.3 and the other two (2) Teams will move to round 3.2.
- Among the winners of rounds 2.2 to 2.4, the Team with the slowest time will move to round 3.3 and the other two (2) Teams will move to round 3.4.

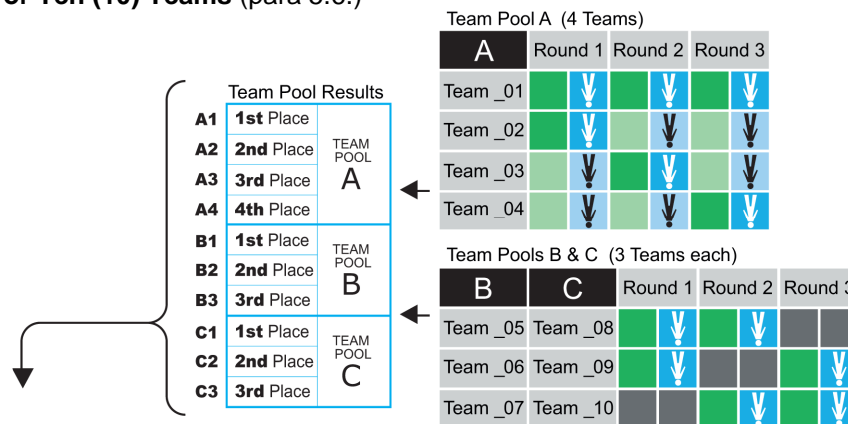
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ADDENDUM – E7

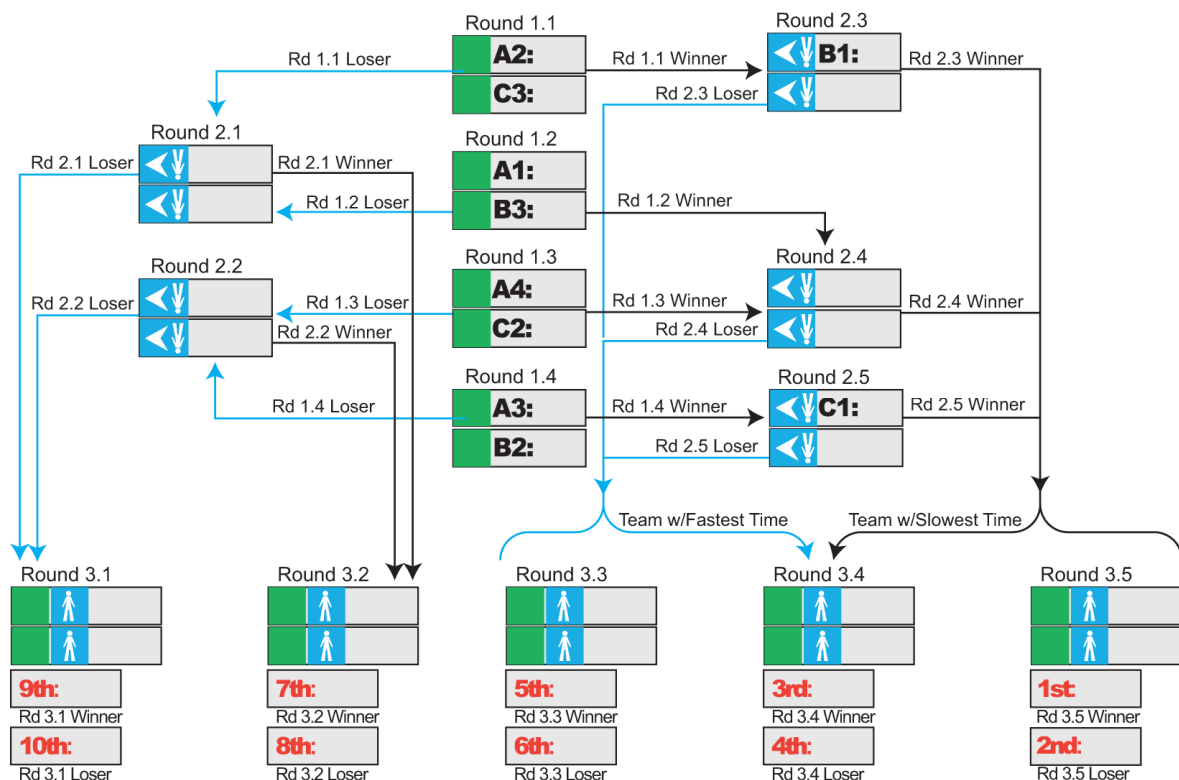
TEAM POOLS and TOURNAMENT BRACKETS - 10 TEAMS

A. Team Pool For Ten (10) Teams (para 5.6.)

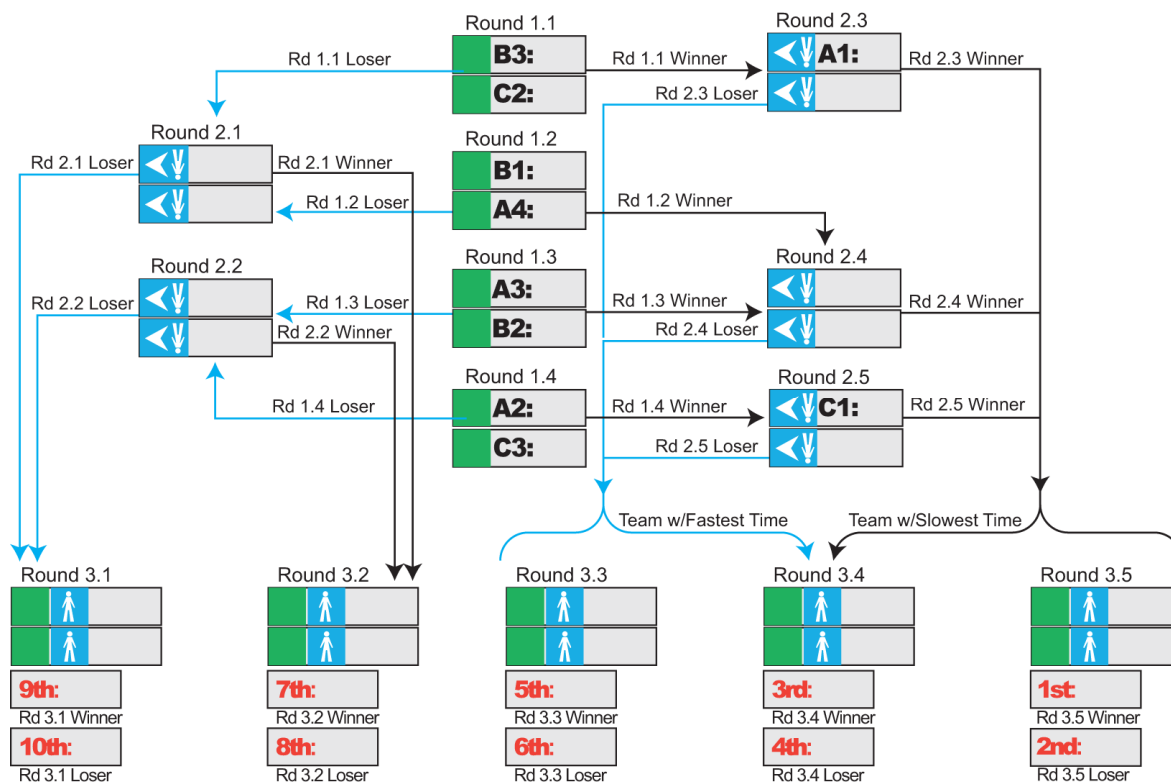
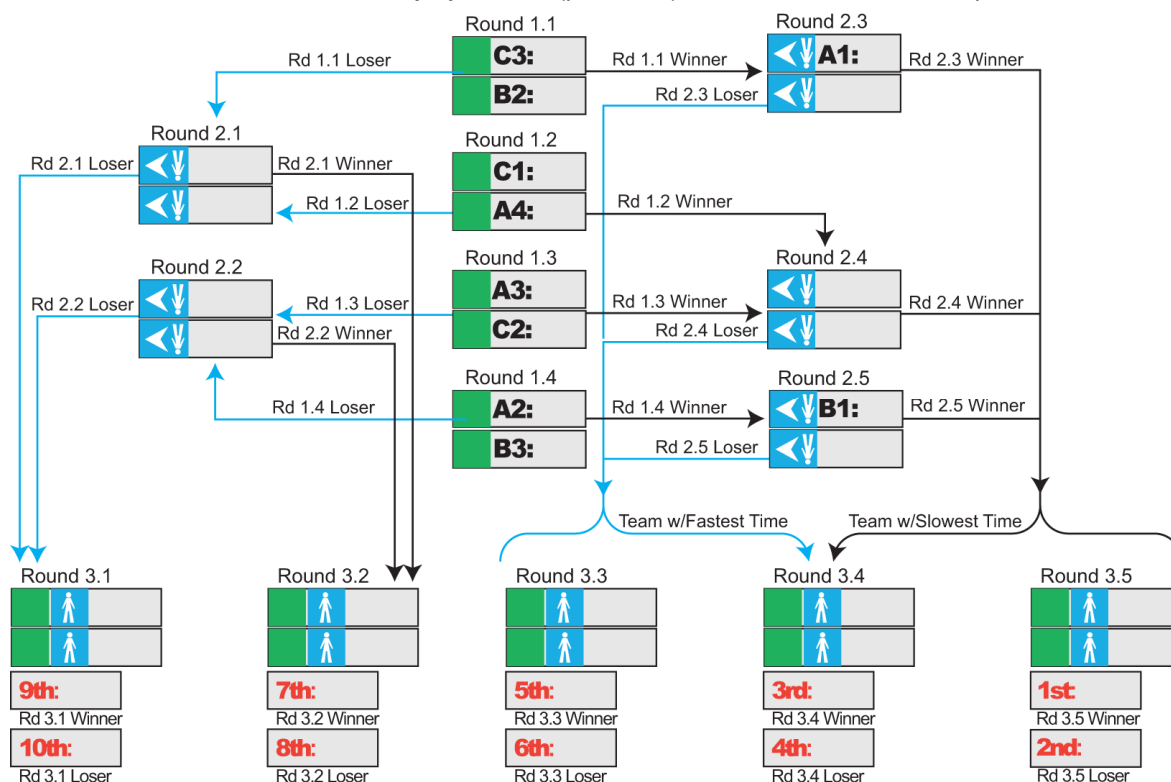


- The fastest Speed Routine time of each of Teams A1, B1, and C1 will determine the brackets to be used. The two (2) Teams with fastest speed routines will immediately advance to round 2.

B-1. Tournament Brackets for Ten (10) Teams (para 5.7.) - B1 & C1 with fastest Speed Routine times



- As Battles are completed, each Team number is written into the grey box of their next Battle.
- Each Team that wins a Battle follows the black line to their next Battle.
- Each Team that loses a Battle follows the blue line to their next Battle.
- Among the losers of rounds 2.3 to 2.5, the Team with the fastest time will move to round 3.4 and the other two (2) Teams will move to round 3.3.
- Among the winners of rounds 2.3 to 2.5, the Team with the slowest time will move to round 3.4 and the other two (2) Teams will move to round 3.5.

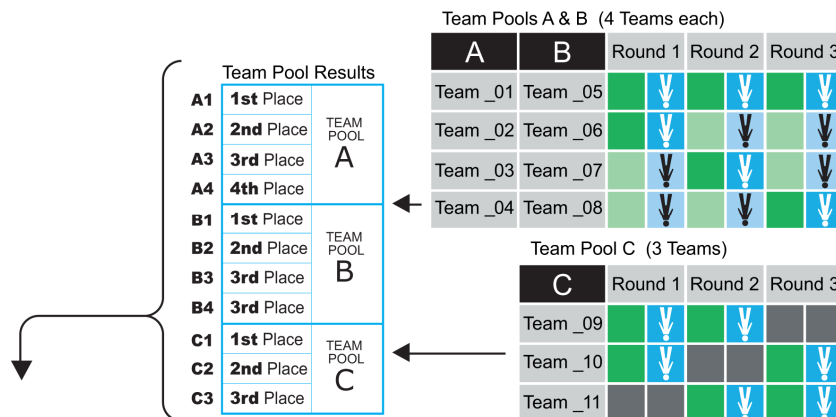
B-2. Tournament Brackets for Ten (10) Teams (para 5.7.) - A1 & C1 with fastest Speed Routine times**B-3. Tournament Brackets for Ten (10) Teams (para 5.7.) - A1 & B1 with fastest Speed Routine times****Legend**

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HD Speed Routine	Second HD Speed Routine Battle in a Team Pool Round
Mirrored HD Speed Routine	HU Speed Routine

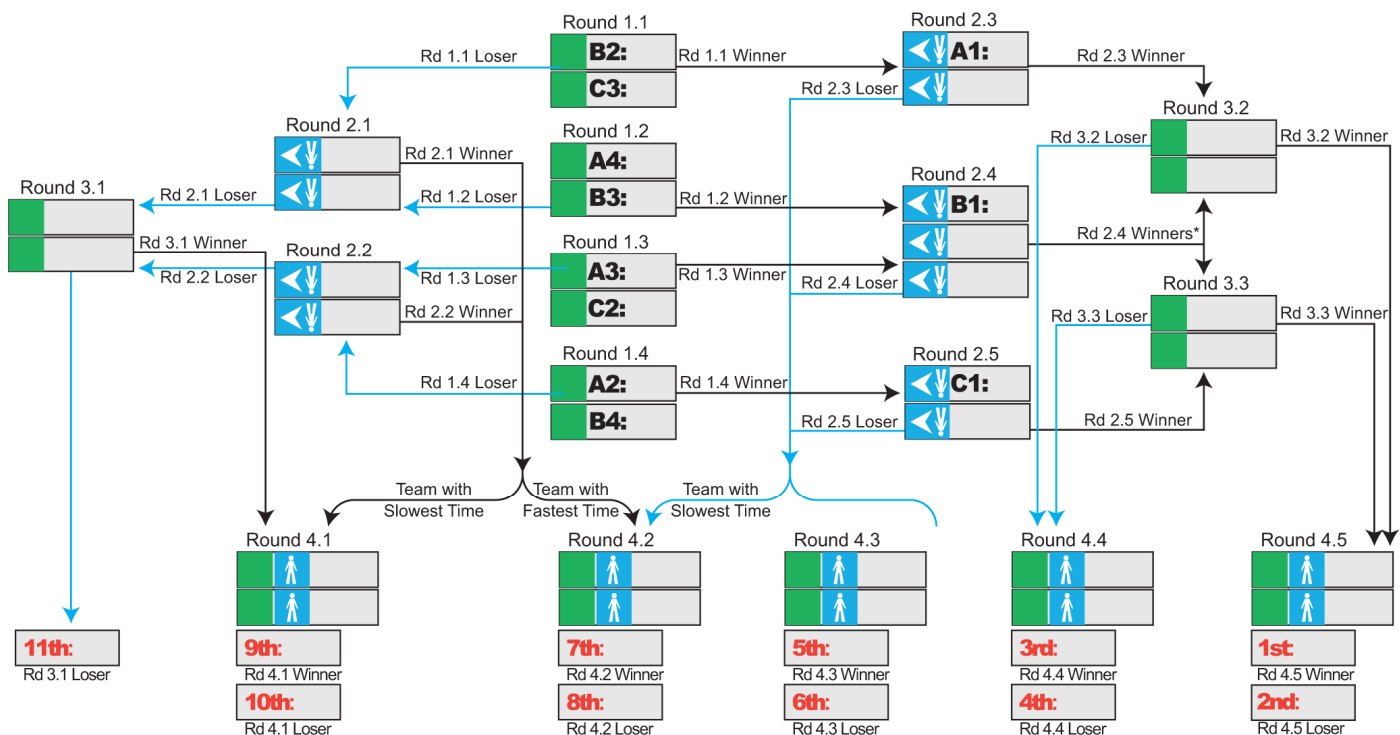
ADDENDUM – E8

TEAM POOLS and TOURNAMENT BRACKETS - 11 TEAMS

A. Team Pool For Eleven (11) Teams (para 5.6.)



B. Tournament Brackets for Eleven (11) Teams (para 5.7.)



- As Battles are completed, each Team number is written into the grey box of their next Battle.
- Each Team that wins a Battle follows the black line to their next Battle.
- Each Team that loses a Battle follows the blue line to their next Battle.
- Among the winners of rounds 2.1 and 2.2, the Team with the fastest time will move to round 4.2 and the Team with the slowest time will move to round 4.1.
- Among the three (3) losers of rounds 2.3 to 2.5, the Team with the slowest time will move to round 4.2 and the other two (2) Teams will move to round 4.3.
- Of the two (2) Teams with the fastest times in Round 2.4, by random determination*, one Team will move to Round 3.2. and the other Team will move to Round 3.3.

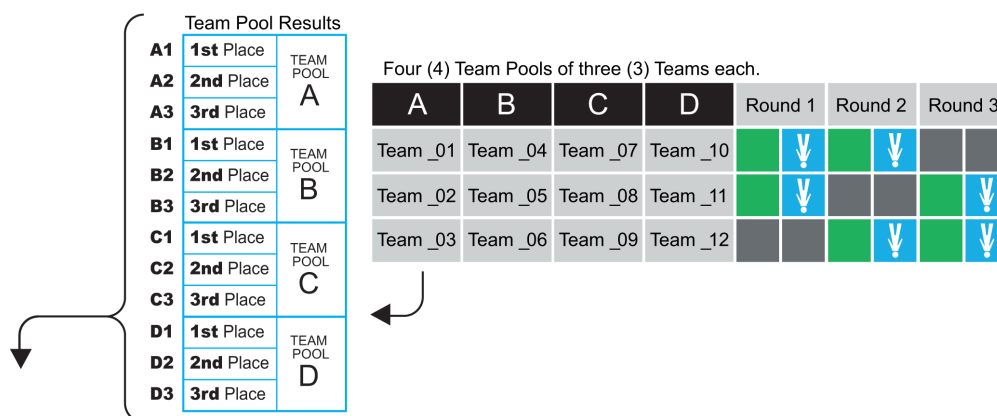
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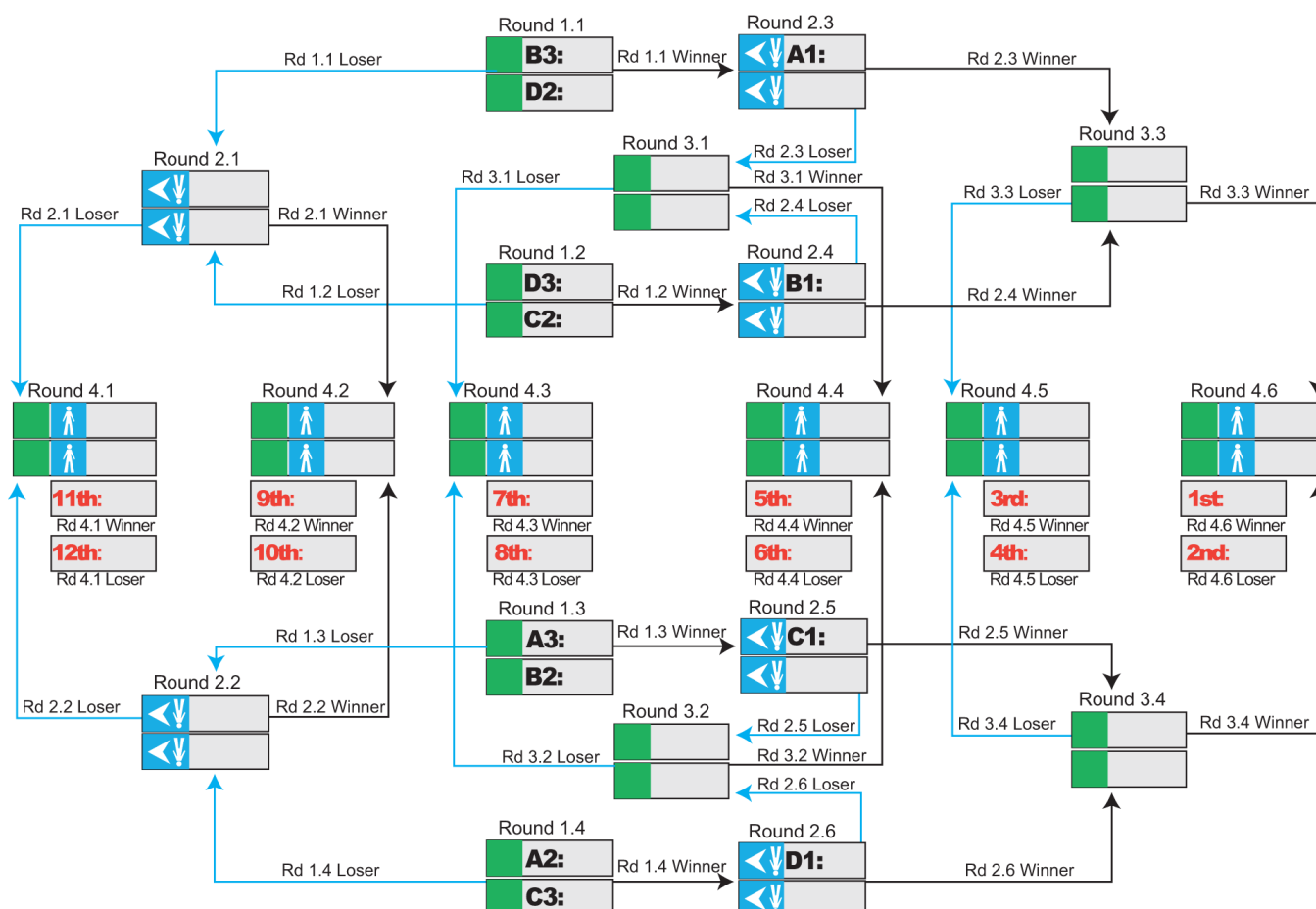
ADDENDUM – E9

TEAM POOLS and TOURNAMENT BRACKETS - 12 TEAMS

A. Team Pool For Twelve (12) Teams (para 5.6.)



B. Tournament Brackets for Twelve (12) Teams (para 5.7.)



- As Battles are completed, each Team number is written into the grey box of their next Battle.
- Each Team that wins a Battle follows the black line to their next Battle.
- Each Team that loses a Battle follows the blue line to their next Battle.

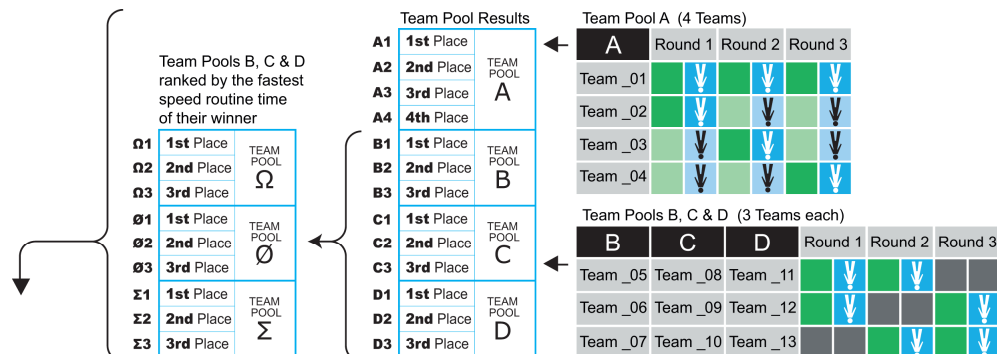
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ADDENDUM – E10

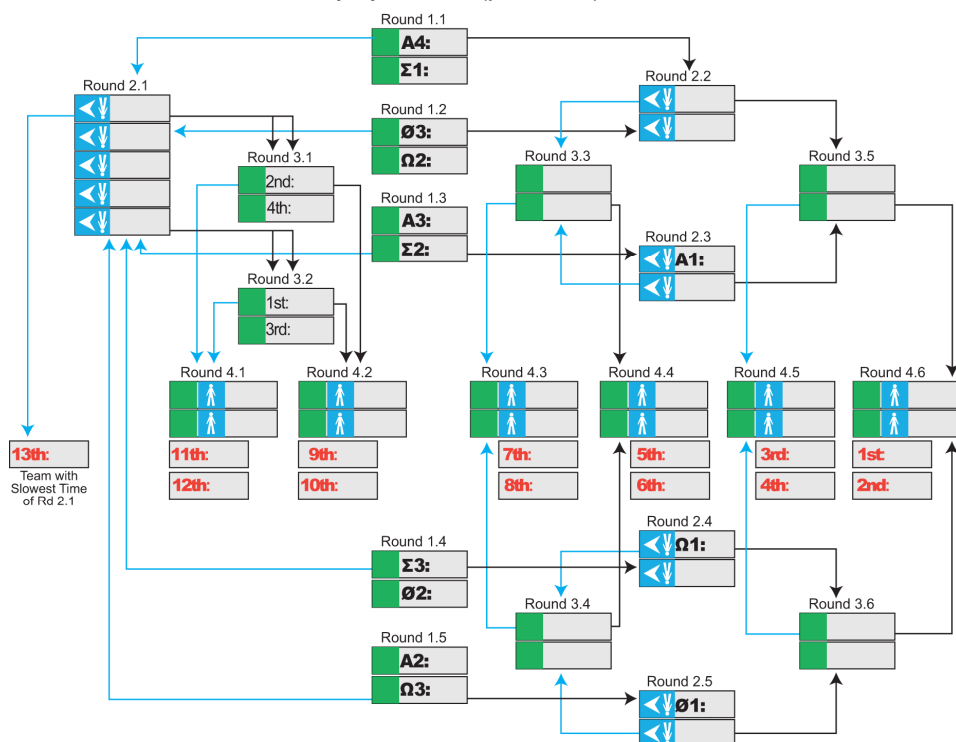
TEAM POOLS and TOURNAMENT BRACKETS - 13 TEAMS

A. Team Pool For Thirteen (13) Teams (para 5.6.)



- In all cases, the first place Team in Team Pool A will immediately advance to round 2.
- Team Pools B, C and D will be ranked in the order of the fastest speed routine time achieved by B1, C1 and D1, and will be designated, in order from fastest to slowest, as Team Pools Ω (omega), Ø (phi), and Σ (sigma) for placement into the brackets.

B. Tournament Brackets for Thirteen (13) Teams (para 5.7.)



- As Battles are completed, each Team number is written into the grey box of their next Battle.
- Each Team that wins a Battle follows the black line to their next Battle.
- Each Team that loses a Battle follows the blue line to their next Battle.
- The Teams with the second and fourth fastest time in round 2.1 will move to round 3.1.
- The Teams with the fastest and third fastest time in round 2.1 will move to round 3.2.
- The Team with the slowest time in round 2.1 will be 13th place.

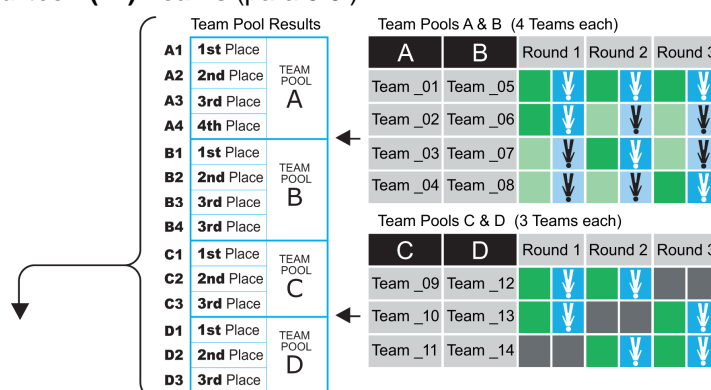
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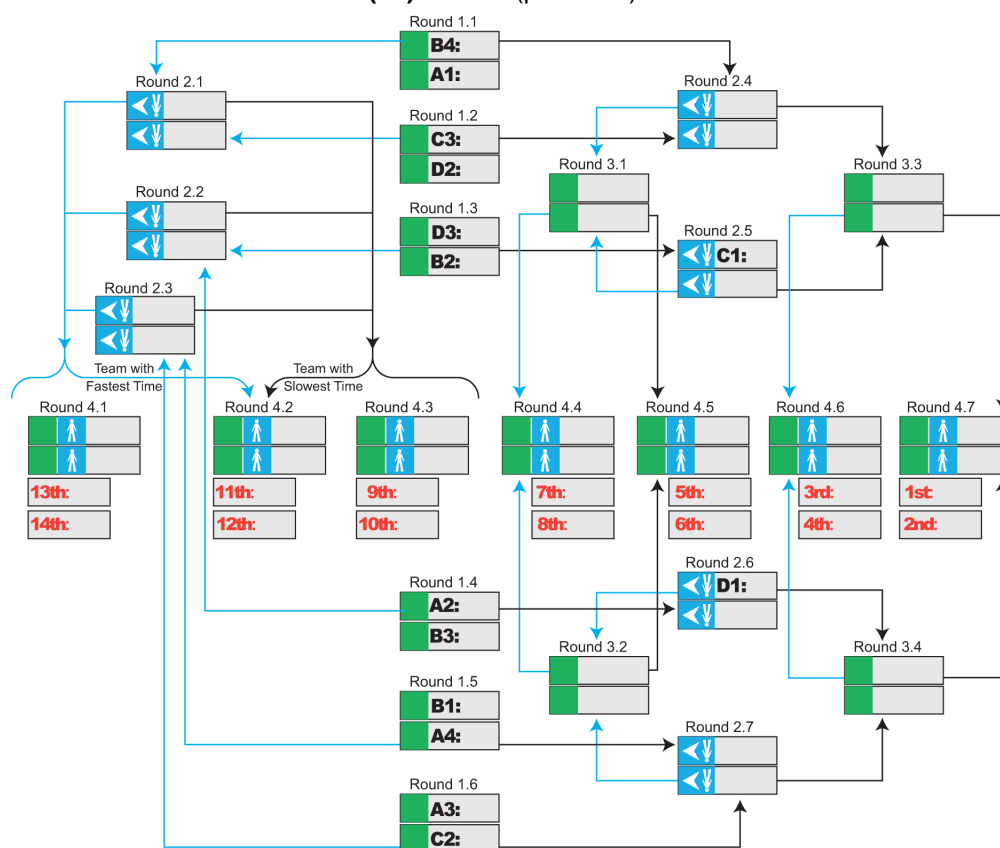
ADDENDUM – E11

TEAM POOLS and TOURNAMENT BRACKETS - 14 TEAMS

A. Team Pool For Fourteen (14) Teams (para 5.6.)



B. Tournament Brackets for Fourteen (14) Teams (para 5.7.)



- As Battles are completed, each Team number is written into the grey box of their next Battle.
- Each Team that wins a Battle follows the black line to their next Battle.
- Each Team that loses a Battle follows the blue line to their next Battle.
- Among the three (3) losers of rounds 2.1 to 2.3, the Team with the fastest time will move to round 4.2 and the other two (2) Teams will move to round 4.1.
- Among the three (3) winners of rounds 2.1 to 2.3, the Team with the slowest time will move to round 4.2 and the other two (2) Teams will move to round 4.3.

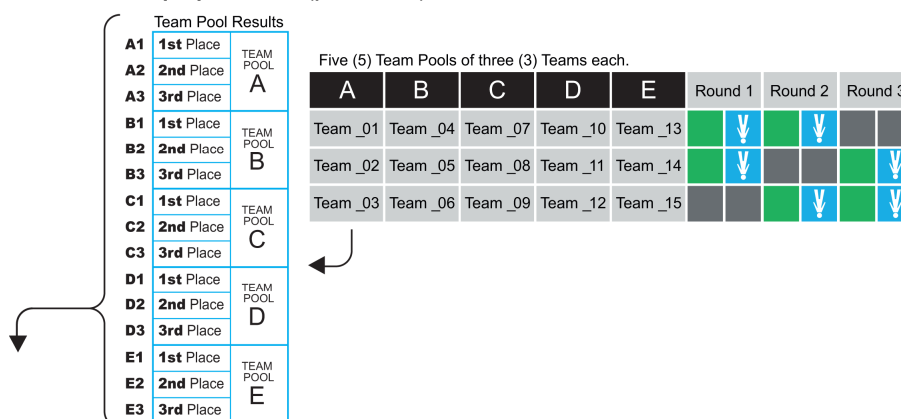
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	Mirrored HD Speed Routine		HU Speed Routine

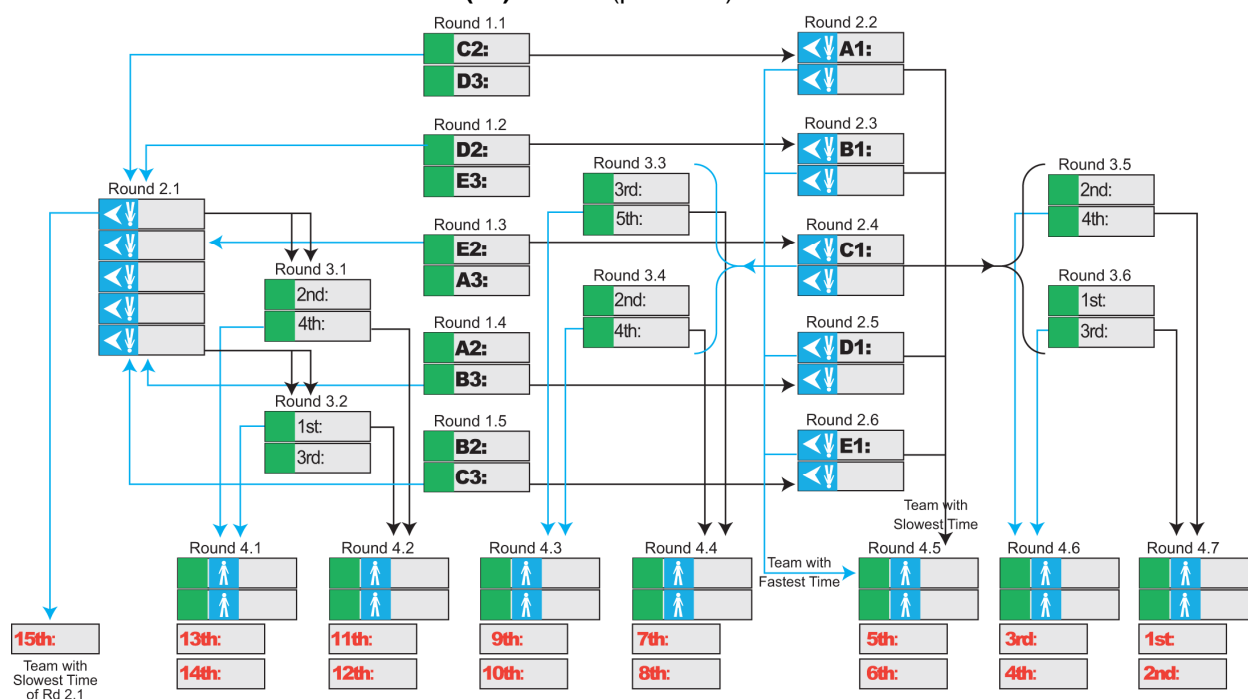
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TEAM POOLS and TOURNAMENT BRACKETS - 15 TEAMS

A. Team Pool For Fifteen (15) Teams (para 5.6.)



B. Tournament Brackets for Fifteen (15) Teams (para 5.7.)



- As Battles are completed, each Team number is written into the grey box of their next Battle.
- Each Team that wins a Battle follows the black line to their next Battle.
- Each Team that loses a Battle follows the blue line to their next Battle.
- The Team with the second and fourth fastest time in round 2.1 will move to round 3.1.
- The Teams with the fastest and third fastest time in round 2.1 will move to round 3.2.
- The Team with the slowest time in round 2.1 will be 15th place.
- Among the losers of rounds 2.2 to 2.6, the Team with the fastest time will move to round 4.5, the Teams with the third and fifth fastest time will move to round 3.3, and the Teams with the second and fourth fastest time will move to round 3.4.
- Among the winners of rounds 2.2 to 2.6, the Team with the slowest time will move to round 4.5, the Teams with the second and fourth fastest time will move to round 3.5, and the Teams with the fastest and third fastest time will move to round 3.6.

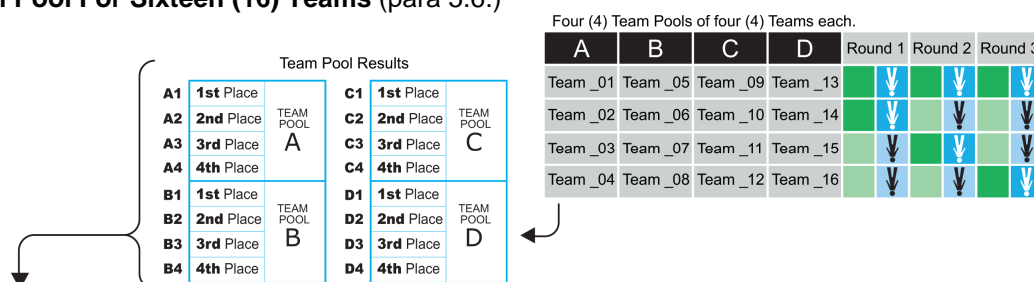
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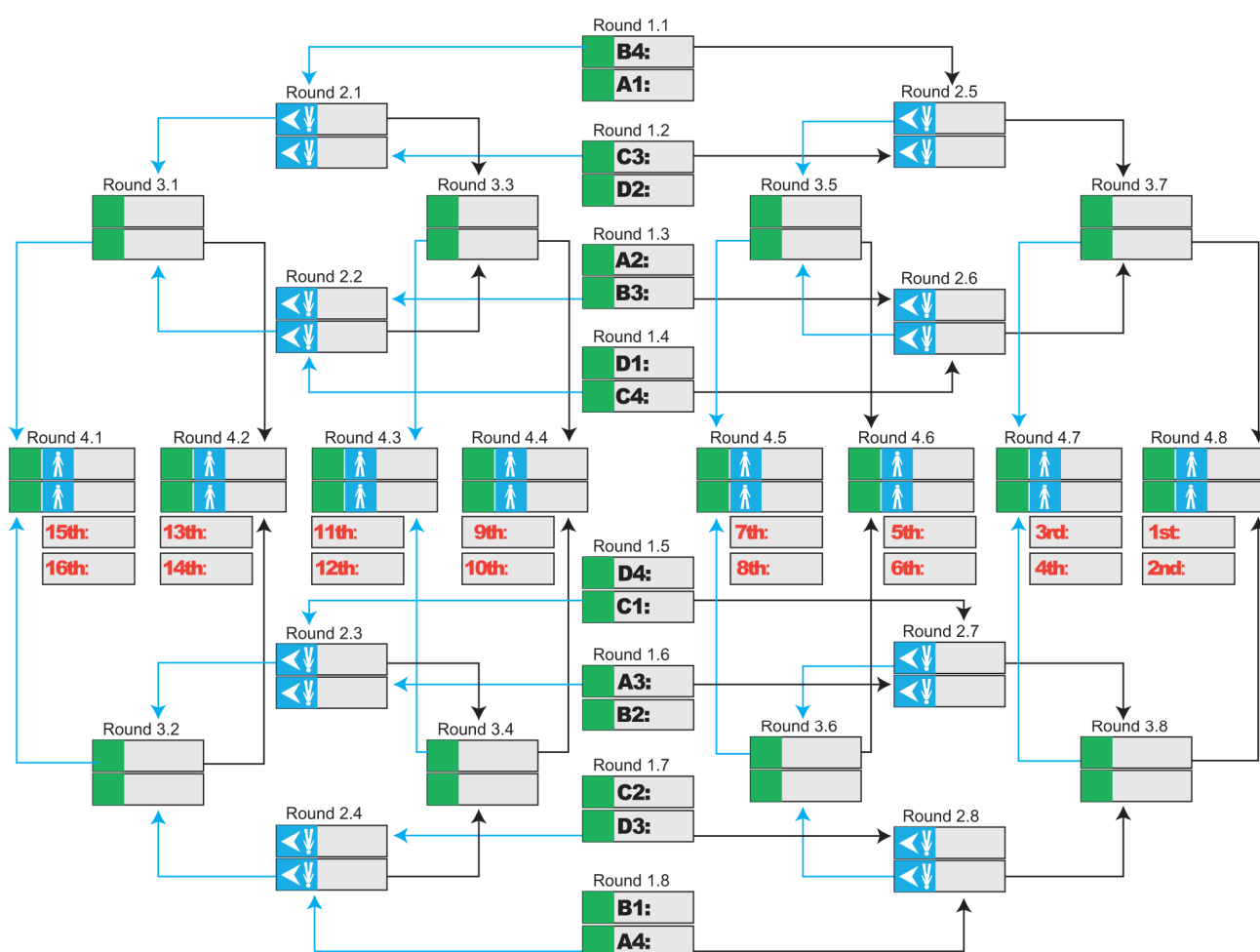
ADDENDUM – E13

TEAM POOLS and TOURNAMENT BRACKETS - 16 TEAMS

A. Team Pool For Sixteen (16) Teams (para 5.6.)



B. Tournament Brackets for Sixteen (16) Teams (para 5.7.)



- As Battles are completed, each Team number is written into the grey box of their next Battle.
- Each Team that wins a Battle follows the black line to their next Battle.
- Each Team that loses a Battle follows the blue line to their next Battle.

Legend

Free Routine	Second Free Routine Battle in a Team Pool Round
HD Speed Routine	Second HD Speed Routine Battle in a Team Pool Round
Mirrored HD Speed Routine	HU Speed Routine