

## Synchronized Skating Deductions and Who is Responsible?

<u>Event Referee</u>	<u>Deduction</u>	<u>Points</u>
Choreography excessively facing one side	DED 4	-2.0
Sub grouping more than ½ of program/excessive division of team	DED 4	-2.0
Excessive use of the ice for each element	DED 2	-1.0
Excessive use of the ice for transitions	DED 2	-1.0
Costume/prop violation	DED 2	-1.0
Make-up violation	DED 2	-1.0
Music violation	DED 2	-1.0
Time violation for every 5 seconds in excess or lacking	DED 2	-1.0
 <u>Fall interruption in excess of 10 seconds</u>		
11-20 seconds (each time)	DED 2	-1.0
21-30 seconds (each time)	DED 4	-2.0
 <u>Holds in short and free program</u> (incorrect # and not clearly recognizable)		
Missing one hold	DED 2	-1.0
Missing two holds	DED 4	-2.0
 <u>Technical Specialists (as verified by the Technical Controller)</u>		
 <u>Falls (in any part of the program)</u>		
One skater (each time)	DED 2	-1.0
Two or more skaters (each time)	DED 4	-2.0
 <u>Features and Additional Features</u>		
SP : Not according to requirements (NAR)		
One repeated or additional requirement	DED 1	-0.5
Two repeated or additional requirements	DED 2	-1.0
Three repeated or additional requirements	DED 3	-1.5
Four repeated or additional requirements	DED 4	-2.0
Omitted requirements	Not counted/No DED	
 <u>Elements</u>		
Does not meet minimum ice coverage requirements	No call	
Wrong element shape in short program	DED 3	-1.5(el not called)
Wrong pattern (ie mirror pattern in SP)	DED 3	-1.5
Repeated element shape in SP and FP	DED 3	-1.5(repeated el shape not called)
Additional element (in SP each)	DED 3	-1.5(additional el not called)
Illegal element (each)	DED 4	-2.0

### Bonus

A +2.0 point bonus will be given to a team that displays a unique or innovative movement either in the well-balanced program elements or in the extra elements/transitions. This bonus will be awarded only once in competition.