

2018 Thailand National Figure Skating Championships

Announcement



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Imperial World Ice Skating (IWIS), 5th Floor
Imperial World Samrong

GENERAL REGULATIONS

The 2018 Thailand Figure Skating National Championships will be conducted in accordance with the Figure & Speed Skating Association of Thailand's announced competition rules and regulations.

Figure & Speed Skating Association members with valid of Thai Citizenship who has passed the Level 1 or higher level of FSAT Level Test are qualified for the National Championship.

TECHNICAL DATA

All events as well as all official practices will take place in the Imperial World Ice Skating (IWIS), 5th Floor, Imperial World Samrong (arena-60m x 30m).

The Imperial World Ice Skating Samrong is indoor, air- conditioned artificial ice surface.

Level 5 (Basic Novice A), Level 6 (Basic Novice B), Level 7 (Advance Novice), Level 8 (Junior) and Level 9 (Senior) Categories for 2018 Thailand National Championships will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2016, the ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating / Ice Dance 2016 and Synchronized Skating as well as the pertinent ISU Communications for Senior, Junior, Advance Novice, Basic Novice A and Basic Novice B (communication 2024 for Advance Novice, Basic Novice A and Basic Novice B) **unless any age legitimate clauses.**

Remark: Only Level 5 and Level 6 are Age Requirement. Two subgroups by age are established.

Level 5:

Group 1: has not reached the age of thirteen (13) for Girls and Boys in single competitions (Born after July 1, 2005)

Group 2: has reached at least the age of thirteen (13) or above (Born before July 1, 2005)

Technical Requirements of Basic Novice A will be applied for both subgroups.

Level 6:

Group 1: has not reached the age of fifteen (15) for Girls and Boys in singles competitions (Born after July 1, 2003)

Group 2: has reached at least the age of fifteen (15) or above (Born before July 1, 2003)

Technical Requirements of Basic Novice B will be applied for both subgroups.

Technical Elements

Level 9:

Men (Senior Men)

Requirements according to the ISU Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair skating 2016 Rule 611 and the respective ISU Communications.

Short Program

- (a) Double or Triple Axel Paulsen
- (b) Triple or quadruple jump immediately preceded by connecting steps and/or by other comparable Free Skating movements connecting steps and/or by other comparable Free Skating movements
- (c) Jump combination consisting of a double jump and a triple jump or two triple jumps or a quadruple jump and a double jump or a triple jump
- (d) Flying spin
- (e) Camel spin or sit spin with only one change of foot
- (f) Spin combination with only one change of foot
- (g) Step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface

Duration : 2 minutes and 40 seconds +/- 10 seconds

Ladies (Senior Ladies)

Short Program

- (a) Double or Triple Axel Paulsen
- (b) Triple jump immediately preceded by connecting steps and/or other comparable Free Skating movements
- (c) Jump combination consisting of a double jump and a triple jump or two triple jumps
- (d) Flying spin
- (e) Layback/sideways leaning spin or sit or camel spin without change of foot
- (f) Spin combination with only one change of foot
- (g) Step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface

Duration: 2 minutes and 40 seconds +/- 10 seconds

Free Skating

In accordance with ISU Special Regulations & Technical Single and Pair Skating 2016 Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communications.

A Senior well balance Free Skating program for Senior **Men** must contain:

- Maximum of 8 jump elements (one of which must be an Axel type jump)
- Maximum of 3 spins, one of which must be a spin combination, one a flying spin or a spin with a flying entrance and one a spin with only one position
- Maximum of 1 step sequence
- Maximum of 1 choreographic sequence

Duration : 4.30 minutes +/- 10 seconds

A Senior well balance Free Skating program for Senior **Ladies** must contain:

- Maximum of 7 jump elements (one of which must be an Axel type jump)
- Maximum of 3 spins, one of which must be a spin combination, one a flying spin or a spin with a flying entrance and one a spin with only one position
- Maximum of 1 step sequence
- Maximum of 1 choreographic sequence

Duration: 4 minutes +/- 10 seconds

Level 8:

Requirements according to the ISU Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair skating 2016 Rule 611 and the respective ISU Communications.

Men (Junior Men)

Short Program (2018 - 2019)

- (a) Double or Triple Axel Paulsen
- (b) Double or Triple Flip Jump immediately preceded by connecting steps and/or by other comparable Free Skating movements
- (c) Jump combination consisting of a double jump and a triple jump or two triple jumps
- (d) Flying Camel spin
- (e) Sit spin with only one change of foot
- (f) Spin combination with only one change of foot
- (g) Step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface

Duration: 2.40 minutes +/- 10 seconds

Ladies (Junior Ladies)

Short Program (2018 - 2019)

- (a) Double Axel Paulsen
- (b) Double or triple Flip Jump immediately preceded by connecting steps and/or by other comparable Free Skating movements

(c) Jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump or two triple jumps

(d) Flying camel spin

(e) Layback/sideways leaning spin or camel spin without change of foot

(f) Spin combination with only one change of foot

(g) Step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface

Duration: Maximum 2.40 minutes +/- 10 seconds

Free Skating

Requirements according to the ISU Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair skating 2016 Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communications.

Men

- Maximum of 8 jump elements (one of which must be an Axel type jump)
- Maximum of 3 spins, one of which must be a spin combination, one a flying spin or a spin with a flying entrance and one a spin with only one position
- Maximum of 1 step sequence

Duration: 4 minutes +/- 10 seconds

Ladies

- Maximum of 7 jump elements (one of which must be an Axel type jump)
- Maximum of 3 spins, one of which must be a spin combination, one a flying spin or a spin with a flying entrance and one a spin with only one position
- Maximum of 1 step sequence

Duration: 3.30 minutes +/- 10 second

Level 7: Advance Novice

Age and requirements according to the ISU Regulations & Technical Rules

Single & Pair Skating 2016, ISU Communication 2024 and all respective ISU Communications.

Advance Novice Boy

Short Program

- a) Axel Paulsen or Double Axel Paulsen
- b) Double or triple jump immediately preceded by connecting steps, may not repeat jump in a)
- c) One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump, both jumps may not repeat jump in a) or b)
- d) Camel, sit or upright spin (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot) with change of foot and no flying entrance
- e) Spin combination with only one change of foot (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot). Flying entry is allowed
- f) One Step sequence with full utilization of the ice surface

Duration: 2.20 minutes +/- 10 seconds

Advance Novice Girl

Short Program

- a) Axel Paulsen or Double Axel Paulsen
- b) Double or Triple jump immediately preceded by connecting steps, may not repeat jump in a)
- c) One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump, both jumps may not repeat jump in a) or b)

- d) Layback/sideways leaning spin in one basic position with no change of foot (minimum of six (6) revolutions)
- e) Spin combination with only one change of foot (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot) Flying entry is allowed
- f) One step sequence with full utilization of the ice surface

Duration: 2.20 minutes +/- 10 seconds

Free Skating

A well balanced Free Skating program for Singles must contain:

- a) Maximum 6 jump elements for Girls and 7 jump elements for Boys, one of which must be an Axel type jump. There may be up to two (2) jump combinations or sequences. A jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence can contain any number of jumps, but only two most difficult jumps will be counted. Only two (2) jumps with three (3) revolutions or more can be repeated either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence. Any single and double jump (including Double Axel) or triple jump cannot be executed more than twice in total.
- b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature (abbreviation), one of which must be a spin combination with change of foot (minimum eight (8) revolutions), flying entrance is not allowed and one must be a flying spin (minimum six (6) revolutions) or a spin in one position with change of foot and flying entrance (minimum eight (8) revolutions).
- c) There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface.

Duration: 3.00 minutes +/- 10 seconds for girls

: 3.30 minutes +/- 10 seconds for boys

Levels explanations:

For Advanced Novice Singles, in all elements that are subject to Levels, only features up to Level 3 will be counted. Any additional features will not be count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Transitions
- Performance
- Interpretation

The Factor for the Program Components is:

Short Program: Boy = 0.9 / Girl = 0.8

Free Skating: Boy = 1.8 / Girl = 1.6

Level 6: Basic Novice B

Free Skating (Boy & Girl)

Maximum 5 jump elements for Girls and 6 jump elements for Boys, one of which must be an Axel type jump. There may be up to two (2) jump combinations or sequences. Jump combinations can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence can contain any number of jumps, but only two most difficult jumps will be counted. Only two (2) jumps with two and a half (2 1/2) or more revolutions can be repeated either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence. Any Single, double (including Double Axel) or triple jumps cannot be executed more than twice in total

- a) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of different nature (abbreviation), one of which must be a spin combination and one must be a spin with no change of position. The spin combination with a change of foot and a minimum of eight (8) revolutions or without a change of foot with a minimum of six(6) revolutions. The Spin in one position with a change of foot minimum of eight (8) revolutions or spin in one position without change of foot minimum of six (6) revolutions. In both spins flying entries are allowed.
- b) There must be one (1) step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface

Duration: 3.00 minutes +/- 10 seconds

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Performance
- Interpretation

The Factor of the Program Components is

for boy 2.0

for girls 1.7

Fall Deduction -0.5

For Basic Novice B Singles, in all elements those are subject to Levels, only features up to **Level 2** will be counted. Any additional features will not be count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

Level 5: Basic Novice A

Free Skating (Boy & Girl)

- a) Maximum 4 jump elements for Girls and Boys, one of which must be an Axel type jump. There may be up to two (2) jump combinations or sequences. Jump combinations can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence can contain any number of jumps, but only two most difficult jumps will be counted. Triple jumps are not permitted. Any single and double jump (including Double Axel) cannot be executed more than twice in total
- b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of different nature (abbreviation), one of which must be a spin combination and one must be a spin with no change of position. The spin combination with a change of foot and a minimum of eight (8) revolutions or without a change of foot with a minimum of six (6) revolutions. The spin in one position with a change of foot minimum of eight (8) revolutions or spin in one position without change of foot minimum of six (6) revolutions. In both spins flying entries are allowed.

c) One Step sequence with full utilization of the ice surface

Duration : 2.30 minutes +/- 10 seconds

In an extra jump (s) is executed, only the individual jump (s) which is not according to requirements will have no value. The jumps are considered in the order of execution.

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Performance

The Factor of the Program Components is 2.5
Fall Deduction -0.5

All elements that are subject to Levels, only features up to **Level 2** will be counted. Any additional features will not be count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

Level 4

Free Skating (Boy & Girl)

- a) Maximum 5 jump elements, one of which must be Single Axel Paulsen. There may be up to two (2) jump combination or sequences (only one can contain 3 jumps). The Solo jump must not repeat.
- b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of different nature, one of which must be Spin combination with one change position (minimum of four (4) revolutions)
- c) One Step sequence with full utilization of the ice surface

Duration: 2.30 minutes +/- 10 seconds

Level 3

Free Skating (Boy & Girl)

- a) Maximum 4 jump elements. There may be up to two (2) jump combination or sequences (only one can contain 3 jumps). The Solo jump must not repeat.
- b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of different nature (minimum of six (6) revolutions)(without change of foot)
- c) One Step sequence (must have a half utilizing the ice surface)

Duration: 2.00 minutes +/- 10 seconds

Level 2

Free Skating (Boy & Girl)

- a) Maximum 4 jump elements.
 - Single Salchow,
 - Single Toeloop,
 - Single Loop
- b) One (1) jump combination or sequences (can contain 3 jumps)
- c) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of different nature (minimum of five (5) revolutions)(without change of foot)
- d) One Choreographic sequence (a forward spiral change to backward spiral position with change of foot and held at least three (3) seconds on each foot)

Note: Music Duration for Level 2

Free Skating : 1.30 minutes +/- 10 Seconds

Level 1

Free Skating (Boy & Girl)

- a) Maximum of 3 jump elements
 - Waltz jump
 - Single Salchow
 - Single Toeloop
- b) There must be a maximum of one (1) spin element (only one position spin minimum of 5 revolutions)
- c) One Choreographic sequence (a forward spiral position with change of foot and held at least three (3) seconds on each foot.

Note: Music Duration for Level 1

Free Skating: 1.30 minutes +/- 10 Seconds

For Level 3 - 4, in all elements which are subject to Levels, only features up to **Level 1** will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

Remark: For Level 1-3, Double jump elements are not allowed

Level 1 - 4 Program Components are only judge in:

- Skating Skills
- Performance
- Interpretation

Factors for Level 1 - 4 Program Components are:

Free Skating: Boy and Girl = 2.5

Fall Deduction -0.5

ENTRIES

All members of FSAT can enter as competitors on the official entry forms. Entry forms listing Competitors must be sent by fax, e-mail, by hand to:

Figure and Speed Skating Association of Thailand (FSAT)

Fax: +662 186 7555

E-mail : fsat@windowslive.com

By Hand: Imperial World Ice Skating (IWIS), 5th Floor, Imperial World Samrong

All entry forms must submit to the Organizing Committee not later than **March 19, 2018.**

JUDGES

FSAT would nominate three international or national judges and a referee for all events in Senior/Junior and Novice Level. Other Groups shall contain a minimum of one international judge and other FSAT-endorsed national judges. Each panel of Judges will consist of a minimum of 3 judges, if possible.

ENTRY FEE

The entry fee for all level is 4,000 Baht

PRACTICE

Official practices for Competitors begin on **April 5, 2018.** The detailed schedule will be issued later.

MUSIC

All competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality on **CD** or in any other approval format.

- a) The music covers/discs must show the exact running time of the music (not skating time), which shall be certified by the Competitor and by the coach, when submitted at the time of registration.
- b) Competitors must provide a back-up drive for each program.

All music used for competitive events must be played on high quality electronic recorders, e.g. MP3 Player or similar, computer or CD player, one or two which shall be used during the competition. The organizer shall furnish, for each rink used for the competition and practice, adequate facilities for the reproduction and playback of music. The facilities to be provided by the organizer must be set forth in the Announcement of the Competition.

Precaution must be taken to prevent frequency and/or voltage variations. The volume level of the music as determined by the Medical Commission in either the practice or competition rinks must not exceed 85-90-dB Sound Pressure Level in any part of the arena.

The Vocal Music with Lyrics **is permitted** for both Short Program and Free Skating.

ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS AND TRANSPORT

The Organizing Committee will not provide any transportation for any participants, except for international judges and other FSAT guests of honor.

REGISTRATION AND ACCREDITATION

All Judges, Competitors and other relevant Associates are requested to register at the official entry registration at the Imperial World Ice Skating (IWIS) 5th Floor, Imperial World Samrong starting on **April 5, 2018**.

Prior to this date, the Registration will be located at FSAT Headquarter at Sport Authority of Thailand, 286 Ramkhamhaeng Road, Huamak, Bangkok 10240.

Please contact officials at +66 (0) 2 186 7555

All skaters may be required to present their valid Thai passport or Thai birth certificate or Thai National ID, or any other valid official

Thai ID with photo and birth date prior to receiving accreditation.

RESULTS AND PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

The top three skaters in each group will be awarded medals and diplomas, all other skaters will be awarded Participation Certificates.

LIABILITY & INSURANCE

According to ISU Rule 119, the Organizing Committee and FSAT accepts no liability for bodily or personal injury, or for property loss or damage incurred by competitors and officials. Each competitors and officials is expected to provide own insurance protection. The Organizing committee will provide emergency medical services for all invited officials and competitors during the competition period.

INFORMATION

For further information, please contact: **Figure and Speed Skating Association of Thailand**
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