#### Solo Freeskate

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

There are no required maneuvers for the Open Freestyle events and any spin can be performed at any level; but all skaters and coaches should carefully check the jump limitations for the Bronze, Silver & Gold levels. The program should be well-balanced including jumps, spins, connecting moves, gliding maneuvers, etc. Skaters who have passed the traditional ISI Freestyle 1-10 tests are not required to take any additional test to compete at the equivalent level of Open Freestyle events.

Skaters who have passed tests from other skating organizations are only required to take the equivalent level test to compete at that level, In some cases, skaters will have to also test to move up to a higher Open Freestyle level – based on their current program content.

Open Freestyle event judging criteria includes Correctness of Jumps, Correctness of Spins, Correctness of Turns & Edges, Variety of Moves, Music Interpretation, Posture, Choreography & Pattern, Presentation, Duration and General Overall (by all 3 judges). There will be no deductions if the duration is less than the indicated time.

Exact testing requirements can be found here: <a href="https://www.skateisi.org/programs/testing-requirements/">https://www.skateisi.org/programs/testing-requirements/</a>

	Rules/Restricion/Allowed jumps	Duration, +/- 10sec
OPEN BRONZE	<ul> <li>Any two different jumps from Freestyle 1-3 levels (Allowed: Walz, Salchow, Toe-Loop; Not allowed: Loop, Flip, Lutz, Axel)</li> <li>One additional jump combination with any two jumps from Freestyle 1-3 levels</li> <li>Two different spins or spin combinations from Freestyle 1-3 levels</li> <li>Two different arabesques – can be forward and/or backward on different feet and/or different edges. (Cannot be two backward arabesques on different feet.)</li> <li>Dance step sequence – either the Freestyle 2 or Freestyle 3 dance step sequence or at least 10 steps of the skater's own design.</li> </ul>	2:00 min
OPEN SILVER	<ul> <li>Any two different jumps from Freestyle 4-5 levels (Allowed: Loop; Flip, Lutz, Axel; not allowed: Double Jumps)</li> <li>One additional jump combination with any two jumps from Freestyle 4-5 levels</li> <li>Two different spins from Freestyle 4-5 levels</li> <li>Two backward arabesques – must be on different feet</li> <li>Dance step sequence – either the Freestyle 4 or Freestyle 5 dance step sequence or at least 16 steps of the skater's own design and pattern</li> </ul>	2:00 min
OPEN GOLD	<ul> <li>Any two different jumps from Freestyle 6-7 levels (Allowed: Double Salchow, Double Toeloop; Not allowed: Double Loop, Double Flip, Double Lutz)</li> <li>One additional jump combination with the first jump from Freestyle 6-7 levels</li> <li>Two different spins from Freestyle 6-7 levels</li> <li>Dance step sequence – either the Freestyle 6 or Freestyle 7 dance step sequence or a straight line or serpentine pattern footwork sequence covering the length of the ice of the skater's own design</li> </ul>	3:00 min
OPEN PLATINUM	<ul> <li>Any two different jumps or jump sequence from Freestyle 8-10 (All Jumps allowed)</li> <li>Two different jump combinations with at least one double jump (not the same one) in each combination from Freestyle 8-10 levels</li> <li>Two different spins</li> <li>One spin combination with at least three different positions and one change of foot</li> <li>Dance step sequence – either the Freestyle 8 or 9 dance step sequence or a footwork sequence covering the length of the ice of the skater's own design and pattern</li> </ul>	3:20 min

# Solo Artistic

GENERAL INFORMATION	Skaters perform a program to music with emphasis on strong edges, flow, choreography, innovative moves and musical interpretation. There is no score for technical ability in this event. Event level is based on skater's freestyle test level.  Exact testing requirements can be found here: <a href="https://www.skateisi.org/programs/testing-requirements/">https://www.skateisi.org/programs/testing-requirements/</a>	
	Categories	Duration, +/- 10sec
BRONZE	Freestyle levels 1-3	1:30 min
SILVER	Freestyle levels 4-5	1:30 min
GOLD	Freestyle levels 6-7	2:00 min
PLATINUM	Freestyle levels 8-10	2:00 min

## Solo Spotlight

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GENERAL INFORMATION	This is an entertaining & "fun" routine that emphasizes the skater's acting ability and not technical skating skills. There is no score for technical merit in this event. The skater must pass a test for Tots, Pre-Alpha to Delta or Freestyle to determine the spotlight event level.  Spotlight events are divided into three categories listed below. Please mark the correct category on your entry form.  a) CHARACTER – a famous or easily identifiable character.  b) DRAMATIC – a theatrical performance that sets a mood and evokes an emotional response.  c) LIGHT ENTERTAINMENT – an entertaining or light-hearted performance.	
	Categories	Duration, +/- 10sec
BRONZE	Freestyle levels 1-3	1:30 min
SILVER	Freestyle levels 4-5	1:30 min
GOLD	Freestyle levels 6-7	2:00 min
PLATINUM	Freestyle levels 8-10	2:00 min

### Solo Pattern Dance

GENERAL INFORMATION	Skaters can choose the number of Patterns Dances they want to skate. Skaters must compete at their highest completed ISI level. For partnered ice dance, both partners must pass tests for the same ISI level as entered and the age grouping will be determined by the age of the older skater. Skaters may choose to compete in any one or two dances at their level. For the traditional dances, no more than seven (7) introductory steps may be used before the dance begins. Skaters may provide their own music, correct in tempo for each dance competed. Gay Games can supply traditional ice dance music for the competitors.	
	Dances	Duration ISI
LEVEL 2	Dutch Waltz (3)	-
LEVEL 3	Canasta Tango (3), Rhythm Blues (3)	-
LEVEL 4	Swing Dance (3), Cha Cha (3), Fiesta Tango (3)	-
LEVEL 5	Willow Waltz (2), Hickory Hoedown (2), Ten Fox (2)	-
LEVEL 6	Fourteen Step (3), Foxtrot (3), European Waltz (2)	-
LEVEL 7	Rocker Foxtrot (4), Tango (2), American Waltz (2)	-
LEVEL 8	Blues (3), Killian (6)	-
LEVEL 9	Paso Doble (3), Quickstep (4) , Starlight Waltz (2)	-

# Solo Free Dance

Westminster Waltz (2), Argentine Tango (2), Viennese Waltz (3)

LEVEL 10

GENERAL INFORMATION	The ISI Free Dance events are based on the Free Dance test levels (2-10). Each skater must pass the corresponding test level to compete in Free Dance events. For the competition event, each dancer must perform a free dance program of their own design. It should express the couple's inspirational and artistic capabilities.	
	Dances	Duration, +/- 10sec
OPEN BRONZE (LEVEL 2,3)		1:40 min.
OPEN SILVER (LEVEL 4,5)		1:50 min.
OPEN GOLD (LEVEL 6,7)		2:00 min.
OPEN PLATINUM (LEVEL 8,9)		2:20 min.
OPEN DIAMOND (LEVEL 10)		2:40 min.