# SKATE JAKARTA 2019 EVENT DESCRIPTIONS 2019

#### **ARTISTIC SOLO 1-10**

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.

Levels	Maneuver Limitations	Duration
Freestyle 1-3 / Bronze	FS4 and below	1.5 min.
Freestyle 4-5 / Silver	FS6 and below	1.5 min
Freestyle 6-7 / Gold	Any maneuvers	2 min
Freestyle 8-10 / Platinum	Any Maneuvers	2 min

## COUPLES 1-10 - Similar / Mixed

Two skaters perform their routine to music that requires maneuvers from their current Couples test level.

This event is like a Freestyle skating program by two skaters in unison. Both skaters must pass the required Couples Test to compete in this event.

# COUPLES SPOTLIGHT – Low / Bronze / Silver / Gold / Platinum

An entertaining spotlight program performed by two skaters using costumes and props. Couples will also be divided into Character / Dramatic / Light Entertainment categories so please mark the correct category box on your entry form.

Levels		Maneuver Limitations	Duration
Low	Tot & Pre-Alpha – Delta	FS1 and below	1 min
Bronze	Freestyle 1-3 / Bronze	FS4 and below	1.5 min.
Silver	Freestyle 4-5 / Silver	FS6 and below	1.5 min
Gold	Freestyle 6-7 / Gold	Any maneuvers	2 min
Platinum	Freestyle 8-10 / Platinum	Any Maneuvers	2 min

# DANCE 1-10 - Solo & Partner Dance - Similar / Mixed / Pro Partner

This is the skater's version of Ballroom Dancing. Test levels begin with basic steps and patterns, and then advance to a high performance level. All skaters must pass the required dance tests to compete in these events. Ice Dancing can be enjoyed at any age or level. Skaters are not required to pass the Delta test to participate in Ice Dance events. Skaters are no longer required to pass the entire dance test for the next higher level before competing individual dances from that next higher level that have already been passed.

# FAMILY SPOTLIGHT (All Levels)

Two or more family members can perform an entertaining spotlight routine using costumes & props. If necessary, the event groupings are divided first by number of skaters and then by age groups and/or ability levels. Duration: 1.5 minute

## **ENSEMBLE**

This event is open to groups of 3-7 skaters of all levels and ages. Skaters will be judged on the performance value of the program. There are no required maneuvers, no maneuver limitations and there is no technical score for this event. The group should use music, costumes & props to enhance the theme while creating an entertaining performance. The costume & prop guidelines are the same as for Solo Spotlight events. Props are not allowed on warm-up. Event groups are divided by number of skaters first and then by age, if necessary. Duration: 3 minutes

# FIGURES 1-10

Regular figures are based on the original "school" figure eights. Skaters perform a required figure patterns 3 times on each foot. Judging is based on the size & shape of the circles, cleanliness of edges & pattern.

All skaters must pass the required figure test to compete in these events. <u>There is a Maximum time limit of 1:30 minutes for all levels</u>. Refer to the 2016 ISI Handbook for description of Creative Figure 1-10 and Free Figure 1-10 events

Figure Selections For Skate Jakarta 2019		
Figure 1	Forward Outside Waltz Eight	
Figure 2	Backward Outside Eight	
Figure 3	Backward Inside Eight	
Figure 4	Forward Outside Loop	
Figure 5	Left Forward Inside Bracket	
Figure 6	LFO Change Loop	
Figure 7	LFO Paragraph Three	
Figure 8	LFO Rocker	
Figure 9	LBO Paragraph Double Three	
Figure 10	The Flower	

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# **FOOTWORK 1-10**

Freestyle skaters perform a one-minute program to music using various turns and connecting steps with limited jumps or spins. Skaters are judged on correct turns & edges as well as flow, variety of moves and choreography. **Duration: 1 minute** 

# **FREE DANCE 1-10**

The new ISI Free Dance events are based on the new Free Dance test levels (1-10). Each couple must pass the corresponding test level to compete in Free Dance events. For the competition event, each couple must perform a free dance program of their own design. It should express the couple's inspirational and artistic capabilities.

# **FREESTYLE 1-10**

A program performed to music with emphasis on the required test level maneuvers from the skater's current Freestyle level. Various skills are required, depending on the test level. All skaters must pass freestyle test level to compete in this event.

# FREESTYLE SYNCHRO TEAM 1-10

Three to seven skaters from the same Freestyle level can enter this new form of group skating. They must perform the same identical Freestyle program in unison. All test level requirements must be included. All skaters must have passed the same freestyle test level to compete in this event. Skaters cannot skate above or below their freestyle test level.

## PRE ALPHA - DELTA SOLO

Skater performs a one-minute program routine to music that emphasizes the required test level maneuvers from Pre-Alpha through Delta. Depending on each test level requirement, specific skating skills must be performed. All skaters must pass the Pre-Alpha – Delta test to compete in this event. Skaters must include one maneuver from Freestyle 1 in their program.

# TOT 1-4

Tots (skaters age 6 and under) will perform a 1-minute program routine with music. They should only perform the required maneuvers from their test level. Additional maneuvers should not be included and will not be judged. 2-foot and/or 1-foot snowplow stops are permitted in Tot events. All Tot competitors must have their test registered with ISI to enter Tot competition events. Coaches will be allowed to help the skater from the ice door but will not be permitted on the ice during the national competition events.

# STROKING (Alpha – Delta Only)

Skaters compete together in groups wearing colored numbers for easy identification by the Judges. They do only forward stroking in both directions and are judged on posture and correct stroking technique.

Crossovers are optional at the end of the rink, but not required and not judged. This is the very basic skill of skating.

## JUMP & SPIN – Low / Bronze / Silver / Gold / Platinum

Two skaters enter the ice as a team. The first skater performs their choice of a required jump 2 times, followed by the second skater performing their choice of a required spin 2 times. Only the best attempt of each required element will be judged. Only the technical accuracy of the required element is judged – the difficulty of the chosen element is not considered during judging for this event.

#### **Category Levels:**

Low	Both skaters must be in Pre-Alpha to Delta levels only.
Bronze	Both skaters must be in Freestyle 1-3 / Bronze levels or below.
Silver	Both skaters must be in Freestyle 4-5 / Silver levels or below.
Gold	Both skaters must be in Freestyle 6-7 / Gold or below.
Platinum	Both skaters must be in Freestyle 8-10 / Platinum levels or below.

If two skaters from different category levels wish to compete together, the team will be entered in the highest level of the two skaters.

#### **Required Elements:**

Level	Jump	Spin	
Low	2-Foot Hop or Bunny Hop	2-Foot Spin	
Bronze	½ Flip or Toe Loop	2-Foot or 1-Foot Spin	
Silver	½ Loop or Axel	Sit Spin or Back Spin	
Gold	Dbl. Salchow or Dbl. Toe Loop	Layback or Flying Camel	
Platinum	Dbl. Loop or Dbl. Lutz	Flying sit or Camel-Jump-Camel	

# <u>OPEN FREESTYLE - Bronze, Silver, Gold & Platinum</u>

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 in 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).

## **OPEN PAIR - Bronze, Silver, Gold & Platinum**

There are no required maneuvers for the Open Pair events; but all skaters and coaches should carefully check the maneuver limitations for the Bronze, Silver & Gold levels. The program should be well- balanced including jumps, spins, pair lifts, pair spins, footwork, and connecting moves.

Skaters who have passed the traditional ISI Pair 1-10 tests are not required to take any additional test to compete at the equivalent level of Open Pair events.

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

## **PAIR 1-10**

Together two skaters perform a choreographed routine to music. This program should include all the required maneuvers from their current Pair test level. The event is similar to Couples. However, unlike Couples, Pairs includes pair lifts and pair spins. Both skaters must pass the required Pair Test to compete in this event.

# **PATTERN SKATING** (Delta level and above)

This unique form of group skating is done by at least 4 people. Working off a common circle, skaters "draw" patterns, formations, and designs on the ice to music. The skaters skate in unison, all doing the same thing at the same time, each in their own area of the pattern. All kinds of maneuvers can be performed i.e. jumps / spins / footwork / spirals / etc. as long as the circular symmetry is predominantly evident throughout the routine.

# <u>INTERPRETIVE EVENTS (Fresstyle 1-10)</u>

Skaters performs to some random music that is provided from the competition. Each skater has the chance to hear the music twice during their warm-ups.

Levels	Maneuver Limitations	
Freestyle 1-3 / Bronze	FS4 and below	
Freestyle 4-5 / Silver	FS6 and below	
Freestyle 6-7 / Gold	Any maneuvers	
Freestyle 8-10 / Platinum	Any Maneuvers	

## RHYTHMIC SKATING

This new entertaining event requires the use of one hand-held prop listed below. The program should contain elements that employ the use of the prop throughout the routine. The skater must maintain control of the prop at all times. Props of the same kind (i.e. Ball / Hoop / Ribbon) must be grouped together and cannot be combined for competition event groups.

The skater chooses only one rhythmic prop per routine (ball, hoop or ribbon) and must maintain control of the prop at all times throughout the program. This means the prop must be used by the skater throughout the routine. It can be thrown, bounced or juggled but control should be maintained. The prop should not be put down on the ice while the skater does jumps & spins. No additional props are permitted.

**Props are not allowed on the event warm-up**. If it is obvious that skater's prop does not meet the following specifications, the panel Referee can determine if any point deduction should be taken.

#### Choice of One:

- **1. Hoop** Must be made from wood or plastic (from a rigid, non-bending material). The hoop diameter should measure between 2 feet 7 inches 2 feet 11 inches. The hoop can have colored tap or fabric to match or contrast the skater's costume, but it cannot have any other decoration (i.e. fringe, lights, etc.) on the prop.
- 2. Ball Must be made of rubber or plastic. The ball diameter should measure approximately 7-3/4 inches.
- **3. Ribbon** Stick must be made of wood, plastic or fiberglass. Stick length should be between 20-30 inches. Ribbon material must be one single piece of satin or a non-starched fabric. Ribbon width should be 2-4 inches wide and between 6 feet 9 feet long proportional to the size and ability level of the skater.

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Freestyle 1-3 / Bronze	FS4 and below	1.5 min.
Freestyle 4-5 / Silver	FS6 and below	1.5 min
Freestyle 6-7 / Gold	Any Maneuvers	2 min
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# SOLO COMPULSORIES (Pre-Alpha – Freestyle 10)

Skaters are to perform only the three maneuvers selected by the competition director in any order with a minimum of connecting steps. Each maneuver may only be attempted one time. Any additional attempt will not be judged and there is no penalty given. Additional maneuvers, such as any jump, spin, or gliding maneuver from a test level or any uncaptured move are not allowed. There is a 1-minute time limit for all levels.

Please Note: There is no penalty given for the quantity of swizzles, wiggles, strokes or crossovers in the Pre-Alpha, Alpha and Beta levels. Only the quality of these maneuvers should be comparatively judged.

#### **SELECTED MANEUVERS FOR SKATE JAKARTA 2019**

Pre-Alpha	Forward Swizzles / 2-Foot Glide / Backward Wiggles	
Alpha	Forward Stroking / Left over Right Forward Crossovers / 1-Foot Snowplow Stop	
Beta	Backward Stroking / Left over Right Backward Crossovers / Left T-Stop	
Gamma	RFI Mohawk Combo / LFI Mohawk Combo, / Hockey Stop	
Delta	Delta RFI Three-turn / LFI Three turn / Bunny Hop	
Freestyle 1	Waltz jump / 2-foot spin / Forward Arabesque	
Freestyle 2	Dance Step / 1-foot spin / ½ Lutz jump	
Freestyle 3	Toe Loop jump / Change Foot Spin / Dance Step	
Freestyle 4	Flip jump / Sit Spin / ½ Loop jump	
Freestyle 5	Camel / Axel / Back spin	
Freestyle 6	Double Salchow / Choice spin (Cross-foot/Layback/Sit-Change-Sit) / Split Falling Leaf	
Freestyle 7	Two Walley jumps / Flying Camel spin / Double Toe Loop jump	
Freestyle 8	Double Flip jump / Flying Sit Spin / Split Lutz	
Freestyle 9	Double Lutz jump / Flying Camel into Jump Sit spin / Axel-Double Loop jump combination	
Freestyle 10	Double Axel-Double Toe Loop combo / Death Drop / 3 Arabian Cartwheel or Butterflies	

# SPOTLIGHT SOLO PROGRAM (All Levels)

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.

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Tot & Pre-Alpha – Delta	FS1 and below	1 min
Freestyle 1-3 / Bronze	FS4 and below	1.5 min.
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# PRODUCTION TEAM (All Levels)

This team event is for groups of 8 or more skaters. Team will be judged on the performance value of the program. There are no required maneuvers and no technical score for this event. The group should use music along with elaborate costumes and props to enhance the theme while creating an entertaining performance. Skaters from all levels can participate in this event. Event entries will be divided in to **Small / Medium / Large / Extravaganza** categories, as registration warrants.

# SYNCHRONIZED COMPULSORIES - Formation / Skating

Synchronized Formation and Skating teams must perform 4 or 5 required elements to music, with no additional moves permitted. Teams will be divided by age groups. For details of compulsory maneuvers and program duration limitations, please see the current 2014 edition of the *ISI Handbook* 

# SYNCHRONIZED TEAM - Dance / Formation / Skating

This is a group number for 8 or more skaters to perform in unison. They can incorporate various skating formations such as circles, pinwheels, lines, footwork sequences and dance steps. New Advanced Formation and Open Skating events have been introduced for 2014. For complete description of Formation, Skating, and Dance categories, please see 2014 edition of *ISI Handbook*.

# TEAM COMPULSORIES 1-10 (Freestyle Levels Only)

Six skaters (or seven skaters for FS6-10 levels) perform a lively and entertaining routine in which each skater performs one required test level maneuver (in the order listed in the 2014 edition of the *ISI Handbook*). Lively music with entertaining themes, great costumes and hand-held props are featured in this event. Skaters can compete on more than one team as long as those two teams are in different freestyle levels. Skater may skate above, but not below their own freestyle test levels.