## VOLUNTARY NATIONAL AGE GROUP CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017

## Level 4-9 years - Pass Mark 46.00

| $\begin{aligned} A & =0.10 \\ B & =0.20 \\ C & =0.30 \\ D & =0.40 \\ E & =0.50 \\ F, G, H & =0.50 \end{aligned}$ | Elements will be given Difficulty Value according to FIG Cycle 14 Code of Points 2017-2020 <br> Rules and Regulations are as FIG Cycle 14 Code of Points, unless stated otherwise <br> FIG Execution, Artistry and Choreography penalties will be applied <br> BARS/BEAM/FLOOR - 8 highest elements including dismount <br> IFLOOR - 3 acrobatic [min] + 3 dance [min] and 2 optional elements. FLOOR - max $4 \times$ Acro lines t can only count once EXCEPT on Bars where an FIG Coded element may be repeated for Difficulty Value will only be awarded for successful performance of the skill/combination as per FIG requirements* |  |  |  |
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| Short Exercises | FIG rules apply for Beam \& Floor On Bars, an exercise with less than 5 elements will be deducted 1.00 for each missing element |  |  |  |
|  | Vault | Bars | Beam | Floor |
| Apparatus | Vault table at 105 cm with: <br> - Additional 5 cm roll mat over vaulting table <br> - Mats to 110 cm height +20 cm <br> - Yurchenko collar compulsory for all vaults | FIG Bars Regulations with: <br> - FIG landing mats soft side uppermost and 10 cm supplementary mat | FIG Beam Regulations with: <br> - FIG landing mats soft side uppermost | FIG Floor Regulations |
| Requirements | Best score of 2 vaults: 1 vault only can be performed at this level <br> - Handspring to flat back - 3.50 <br> - Tsukahara prep to knees - 3.50 <br> - Yurchenko prep to knees - 4.00 <br> *Judging will be as per the judging guidelines published on BG website 11.9.13 (to be updated) <br> There will be no landing penalty if the gymnast over rotates in the direction of the chosen vault. | Gymnast receives 2.00 for CR <br> Dismount must be included in counting elements <br> *A only allowed* <br> Unpermitted dismount 0.30 deduction | 1. Connection of $\min 2$ different dance elements: <br> - To include $1 x$ leap or jump with $180^{\circ}$ split (cross or side) or straddle position <br> 2. Any coded $1 / 1$ spin on one foot in forward direction <br> 3. $1 \times$ acrobatic series with 2 elements [min] <br> - $1 \times$ with flight [not salto] <br> - not connected into dismount <br> 4. Acro elements in different directions [ $f w d /$ swd \& bwd] <br> Dismount must be included in counting elements <br> *A only allowed* <br> Unpermitted dismount 0.30 deduction | 1. Dance passage to include minimum $2 x$ different leaps or hops: <br> - To include 1 x leap or hop with $180^{\circ}$ split (cross or side) or straddle position <br> 2. $2 x$ saltos in different directions [fwd \& bwd] <br> 3. $2 x$ acro lines, 1 with 2 different saltos <br> 4. Dismount <br> Dismount must be included in counting elements <br> *an A or B salto only-allowed must be in last <br> Acro line* <br> Unpermitted dismount 0.30 deduction |
| Uncoded Permitted Elements (receive 0.10 DV ) |  | Cast above $45^{\circ}$ (see diagram for penalties) <br> $3 / 4$ Giant from LB to HB (no penalty for empty <br> swing at the end of this element) <br> Squat onto low bar - jump to catch high bar <br> (no penalty for performing jump LB to HB) <br> Straddle or pike on undershoot dismount or <br> $3 / 4$ sole circle dismount | Forward roll Tuck jump Straight jump | Cartwheel Valdez <br> Backward walkover Headspring <br> Forward walkover Tuck jump <br> Backward roll to handstand  <br> Handstand forward roll  |
| Barred Elements (prohibited / receive no DV) |  | Cast to handstand with legs straddled [2.101] <br> Cast to h'stand straddle legs \& $1 / 2$ turn [2.201] <br> Back hip circle [2.105] <br> Dismounts: <br> Salto backward tucked or piked [6.104] <br> Salto forward tucked or piked [6.108] <br> DV higher than salto backward straight | Any saltos [other than dismount] <br> Free cartwheel <br> Side salto <br> Free walkover <br> Hops/jumps/leaps with $360^{\circ}$ turn <br> Hops/jumps/leaps to front support | All acro elements above $B$ in difficulty value Hops/jumps/leaps to front support |
| Notes |  | The sole circle [5.108] may be performed with bent legs without incurring execution penalty | Re bonus below - optional order \& any Acro element (ie. flight not required). Bonus awarded only within routine time limit (1 min 30) |  |
| GBR Bonus (in addition to FIG) | 0.50 - Performance of vault with additional 20 cm mat Only credited if less than 1.00 in E deductions | 0.50 - Backward giant without fall <br> [awarded once only] <br> 0.50 - Close bar element on LB only, min $45^{\circ}$ | 0.20 - Dance/Acro min A+B (mixed only) <br> 0.40 - Series bonus of 3 elements (Dance or Acro or Mixed) BBA, BAB, ABB (excluding fwd/bwd acro or reversed) |  |

Diagram for Voluntary Age Group Level 4 Bars - (Unchanged for 2017 onwards)
Uncoded element (value - 0.10) - Cast to above $45^{\circ}$

| $0^{\circ}$ | Handstand $\left(0^{\circ}\right)$ to $45^{\circ}$ <br> $>45^{\circ}$ to $90^{\circ}$ | No deduction <br> Below $90^{\circ}$ |
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| 0.30 deduction <br> No value |  |  |


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| Short Exercises | FIG Rules apply for Beam \& Floor <br> On Bars, an exercise with less than 5 elements will be deducted 1.00 for each missing element |  |  |  |
|  | Vault | Bars | Beam | Floor |
| Apparatus | Vault table at 115 cm with: <br> - Additional 5 cm mat over vaulting table <br> - Mats to 120 cm height +20 cm <br> - Yurchenko collar compulsory for all vaults | FIG Bars Regulations with: <br> - FIG landing mats soft side uppermost and 10 cm supplementary mat | FIG Beam Regulations with: <br> - FIG landing mats soft side uppermost | FIG Floor Regulations |
| Requirements | Average 2 different optional entry vaults onto piled up mats from the following options: <br> - Handspring to stand then fall fwd - 3.50 <br> - Tsuk prep to shoulder stand - 3.50 <br> - Yurchenko prep to shoulder stand 4.00 <br> *Judging will be as per the judging guidelines published on BG website <br> 11.9.13 (to be updated) <br> There will be no landing penalty if the gymnast over rotates in the direction of the chosen vault <br> One vault only score averaged | At least one skill to be performed on low bar No penalty for performing jump from LB to HB <br> If a gymnast performs all 3 CRs she will be awarded a 0.50 bonus: <br> 1. 2 close bar circle elements [non flight] same or different <br> 2. Back giant <br> 3. $180^{\circ}(\mathrm{min})$ turn non flight element [not mount] <br> Dismount must be included in counting elements <br> *A only allowed* <br> Unpermitted dismount 0.30 deduction | 1. Connection of minimum 2 different dance elements: <br> - To include 1 x leap or jump with $180^{\circ}$ split (cross or side) or straddle position <br> 2. Any coded $1 / 1$ spin on one foot in forward direction <br> 3. $1 \times$ acrobatic series with $[\mathrm{min}] 2 \times$ flight elements performed on the beam <br> - salto not required <br> - not connected into dismount <br> 4. Acro elements in different directions [fwd/swd \& bwd] <br> Dismount must be included in counting elements <br> *A or B only allowed* <br> Unpermitted dismount 0.30 deduction | 1. Dance passage to include minimum $2 x$ different leaps or hops (from the CoP) <br> - To include 1 x leap or hop with $180^{\circ}$ split (cross or side) or straddle position <br> 2. Straight salto with minimum $360^{\circ}$ LA turn forward or backward <br> 3. Forward acro line (min 2 elements) <br> 4. Salto bwd and salto fwd in the same or different acro line <br> Routine must include 4 acro \& 4 dance skills 0.20 penalty for any missing element <br> Dismount must be included in counting elements <br> *a B salto must be in last Acro line* <br> Unpermitted dismount 0.30 deduction |
| Barred Elements (prohibited / receive no DV) |  | Cast to handstand with legs straddled [2.101] Cast to h'stand straddle legs \& $1 / 2$ turn [2.201] <br> Back/front hip circle [2.105/2.104] <br> Flight on same bar [release] <br> Dismounts: <br> Salto backward tucked or piked [6.104] Salto forward tucked or piked [6.108] DV higher than salto backward straight | Salto forwards from two feet [mount or content] Salto sideward [5.412] <br> Hops/jumps/leaps to front support | Connections from salto backward with $540^{\circ}$ Double salto <br> Salto backward with LA turn greater than $720^{\circ}$ Hops/jumps/leaps to front support |
| GBR Bonus <br> (in addition to FIG) | 0.30 - Performance of vault with additional 20 cm mat Only credited if less than 1.00 in E deductions | 0.30 - Additional different $180^{\circ} \mathrm{min}$ non flight element [not mount] <br> 0.50-2 x different grips Not within flight or dismount Can be awarded once only <br> 0.50 - Clear pike sole circle [4.407] to min $45^{\circ}$ | Back spin and forward spin will both be awarded a value <br> 0.20 - Full spin full spin connection any direction <br> 0.20 - Each A+B+B series in any order, including dismount (acro/dance/mixed) <br> 0.20 - Jump in side position min B (each time) Bonus awarded only within routine time limit (1 min 30) |  |

## Level 2-11 years

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| Short Exercises | FIG Rules apply for Beam \& FloorOn Bars, an exercise with less than 5 elements will be deducted 1.00 for each missing element |  |  |  |
|  | Vault | Bars | Beam | Floor |
| Apparatus | Vault table at 125 cm with: <br> - FIG landing mats soft side uppermost with additional 10 cm mat <br> - Yurchenko collar compulsory for all vaults | FIG Bar Height Regulations with: <br> - FIG landing mats soft side uppermost and 10 cm supplementary mat | FIG Beam Regulations with: <br> - FIG landing mats soft side uppermost | FIG Floor Regulations with: <br> - Additional 5 cm mat permitted for double back without incurring a penalty. Must be removed after performing the element. |
| Requirements | GBR modifications apply (recognition of an open tuck) <br> Any FIG vault <br> Open tuck Yurchenko - 3.50 [No. 4.00] <br> Open tuck Tsukahara - 3.70 [No. 3.00] <br> The average score from any 2 vaults | - Gymnasts may start on LB or HB (coded MT) Board (if required) placed on top of all mats <br> - Full pirouette to fail by $<30^{\circ}, 0.50$ deduction not 1.00 <br> - No deduction for an upstart after a Shap <br> If a gymnast performs all 3 CRs she will be awarded a 0.50 bonus: <br> 1. $2 x$ different grips <br> 2. Non flight element with $360^{\circ} \mathrm{LA}$ turn [not mount] <br> 3. 2 different close bar elements Dismount must be included in counting elements <br> *B or C salto only allowed* <br> Unpermitted dismount 0.30 deduction | 1. Connection of minimum 2 different dance elements: <br> - To include 1 x leap or jump with $180^{\circ}$ split (cross or side) or straddle position <br> - To include $1 \times$ C leap or jump <br> 2. Minimum $1 / 1$ spin <br> 3. $1 \times$ backward acrobatic series with 2 flight elements - minimum $1 \times$ salto <br> 4. Acro elements in different directions [fwd/swd \& bwd] <br> Dismount must be included in counting elements <br> *B or C only allowed* <br> Unpermitted dismount 0.30 deduction | 1. Dance passage of minimum $2 \times$ different leaps or hops: <br> - To include $1 \times$ leap or hop with $180^{\circ}$ split (cross or side) or straddle position <br> 2. $1 \times$ Acro line $[2 x$ different saltos] <br> 3. $2 \times$ saltos in different directions fwd \& bwd <br> 4. Straight salto with minimum $360^{\circ}$ LA turn forward or backward <br> Dismount must be included in counting elements <br> *B or C salto only allowed in last Acro line* <br> Unpermitted dismount 0.30 deduction <br> If less than 3 Acro lines are performed the gymnast will receive a deduction of 2.00 |
| Un-coded Permitted Elements (receive 0.10 DV ) |  | Squat onto LB bar - jump to catch HB (no penalty for performing jump from LB to HB) |  |  |
| Barred Elements (prohibited / receive no DV) | Vaults higher than 4.80 in DV | Back/forward hip circle [2.105/2.104] <br> Flight element on same bar <br> Flight element from HB to LB Dismounts: <br> Salto backward with $180^{\circ} / 540^{\circ} / 900^{\circ}$ LA turn Salto forward with $360^{\circ} / 720^{\circ}$ LA turn |  | Double front [4.501] [4.601] <br> Double Arabian [4.505] [4.605] [4.705] <br> More than one double BA salto in routine <br> If performed, $2^{\text {nd }}$ element will receive no DV Hops/jumps/leaps to front support |
| GBR Bonus <br> (in addition to FIG) | 0.50 - for performing any salto vault that shows an inverted stretched shape in the second flight 0.50 - for any 2 different salto vaults <br> Only awarded if performed without a fall | 0.30 - 3 different in bar root skills <br> 0.50 - Backwards double tuck or pike salto <br> 0.50 - Front-away with $540^{\circ}$ LA turn <br> 0.50 - Clear pike sole circle [4.407] to $\min 45^{\circ}$ <br> 0.50 - Invert \& invert $1 / 2$ <br> 0.50 - LB to HB element <br> NB: the sole circle is NOT considered a close bar element (backward sole circle jump from LB to HB [5.108]) | 0.10-Any Series A+B+C - no max <br> 0.20 - Series B+B+C or above (+ FIG 0.10) <br> 0.30 - Jump full turn any shape <br> 0.50 - For each double spin <br> Bonus awarded only within routine time limit (1 min 30) | 0.20 - Direct connection of $2 \times$ saltos <br> [1 x Straight minimum $360^{\circ}$ LA turn] <br> 0.50 - Double back salto <br> FIG Bonus will apply for indirect connections |

## BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017

## British Espoir - $12 / 13$ years

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| Short Exercises | FIG Rules apply for all apparatus <br> On Bars, an exercise with less than 5 elements will be deducted 1.00 for each missing element |  |  |  |
|  | Vault | Bars | Beam | Floor |
| Apparatus | Vault table at 125 cm with: <br> - FIG landing mats soft side uppermost with additional 10 cm mat <br> - Yurchenko collar compulsory for all vaults | FIG Bar Height Regulations with: <br> - FIG landing mats soft side uppermost and 10 cm supplementary mat <br> - Additional 10 cm supplementary mat ( $2 \mathrm{~m} \times 2 \mathrm{~m}$ ) to be positioned and may be repositioned once only | FIG Beam Regulations with: <br> - FIG landing mats soft side uppermost | FIG Floor Regulations with: <br> - Additional 5 cm landing mat permitted for double salto without incurring a penalty. Must be removed after performing the element. <br> - 10 cm landing mat NOT permitted |
| Requirements | FIG Junior Code applies <br> Vaults from FIG Code of Points <br> - For apparatus finals 2 different vaults (maybe from same group different number) <br> Open tuck Yurchenko - 3.50 [No.4.00] <br> Open tuck Tsukahara - 3.70 [No.3.00] | As per FIG Code of Points: <br> 1. Flight from HB to LB <br> 2. Flight element on same bar <br> 3. Different grips [not cast, MT or DMT] <br> 4. Non flight element with minimum $360^{\circ}$ turn <br> Plus [not mount] <br> - 1.00 - GBR penalty for not showing minimum $1 \times$ cast to handstand without $1 / 2$ turn (straddle permitted) *no tolerance* <br> - Full pirouette, to fail by $<30^{\circ}, 0.50$ deduction not 1.00 <br> - No deduction for an upstart after a Shap <br> A coach (holding the relevant BG qualification) must stand in for all releases and D dismounts and above. Failure to do so will resur element not being credited DV or CR. <br> Dismount must be included in counting elements | As per FIG Code of Points: <br> 1. Connection of at least 2 different dance elements 1 being a leap or jump <br> 2. Turn (Gr 3) <br> 3. $1 \times$ acro series min of 2 flight elements 1 being a salto (elements may be the same) <br> 4. Acro elements in different directions [fwd/swd \& bwd] <br> Plus: <br> - 1.00 - GBR penalty for not showing minimum $1 \times 180^{\circ}$ split (cross or side) in leap/jump elements *no tolerance* <br> Dismount must be included in counting elements | As per FIG Code of Points: <br> 1. A dance passage 2 different leaps or hops (from CoP) <br> 2. Salto with LA turn $\min 360^{\circ}$ <br> 3. Salto with double BA <br> 4. Salto backward and salto forward Plus: <br> - $\mathbf{1 . 0 0}$ - GBR penalty for not showing minimum 1 $\times 180^{\circ}$ split (cross or side split) in leap/jump elements *no tolerance* <br> - If less than 3 acro lines are performed the gymnast will receive a deduction of 2.0 <br> - Out of bounds 0.30 flat deduction each time <br> Dismount must be included in counting elements |
| Barred Elements (prohibited / receive no DV) |  | Dismounts: <br> - Dismount higher than D <br> - Salto forward with $360^{\circ} / 720^{\circ}$ turn <br> - Single salto backward with $180^{\circ} / 540^{\circ} / 900^{\circ}$ turn <br> - Dismounts 6.407, 6.408, 6.507 \& 6.508 |  | Double front salto [4.501] [4.601] Double Arabian [4.505] [4.605] |
| GBR Bonus <br> (in addition to FIG) | 0.30 - if 2 different vaults from same group with salto <br> 0.70 - if 2 different groups with salto (saltos may be the same body shape or different) <br> Only awarded if performed without a fall | 0.20 - Cast handstand $1 / 2$ turn, if turn before vertical <br> 0.20 - Double tuck salto backwards with hands not touching the legs <br> 0.20 - Double pike back salto <br> 0.20 - Stuck D dismount <br> 0.30-3 x different root skills <br> 0.50 - Clear pike sole circle [4.407] to $\min 45^{\circ}$ <br> 0.50 - Invert \& invert $1 / 2$ <br> 0.50 - Permitted D dismount | 0.20 - D or above salto/aerial performed in series with coded dance element <br> 0.20 - Any series min B+B+C (+ FIG 0.10) <br> 0.20 - Stuck D dismount <br> 0.50 - Double spin <br> 0.50 - D or above dismount <br> Bonus awarded only within routine time limit (1 min 30 sec ) | 0.20-1 x acrobatic line [ $2 \times$ different saltos in direct connection] including $C$ salto <br> 0.20-2 x different saltos with direct connection D+A or more difficult. D salto must contain LA turn (+ FIG 0.10) <br> $0.20-3 \times C$ or above dance elements <br> 0.20 - All landings stuck from $D$ saltos <br> 0.30 - If routine has 4 acro lines, each containing 1 element minimum C value |

