



**LAUSANNE (SUI), October 10th, 2020**

Dear Friends,

I hope all the Gymnastics Trampoline Family managed to stay in a good mood and healthy during these difficult times! It is time for an update on the matters we dealt with during the last months.

After the Olympic Games had been postponed to next year, the FIG Executive Committee, the Trampoline Technical Committee and the FIG Sport Managers worked in close contact and tried to find solutions for all upcoming questions/problems via several video conferences, e-mails and on the phone.

We also had a video conference with the Continental TRA TC Presidents, where I gave all information/solutions we had so far and now are included into this Newsletter:

- First, the Olympic Games were postponed, and then one after the other all competitions for 2020 have been cancelled, including the TRA last qualification for Olympic Games.
- The last event of the OG Qualification (which is also the last World Cup of the 2019-20 series) is planned for 24-25 April 2021 in Brescia. If somehow this competition will not be held, then the 4 best of the five World Cups already held will be counted for the OG qualification.
- As the IOC demanded that the Olympic Games and all the qualifications are held with the current rules, the FIG EC decided (with the support of the TC Presidents of all FIG disciplines) to have the current **CoP extended** for all competitions throughout the year **2021** and the **new CoP** will come into effect on **1.1.2022**.
- To avoid confusion, the new CoP (for all FIG disciplines) will be published only next year.
- The mandates of all FIG Authorities, including the TRA-TC, have been extended for one more year (until 31.12.2021). Elections for the next Olympic cycle, limited to three years (2022-2024) will take place during the FIG Congress, also postponed to October 2021.
- The Intercontinental Judges' Course, likely in Zurich, Switzerland, and all other judges' courses will start in November 2021.
- As almost no criteria for the execution and difficulty evaluation in the Trampoline Gymnastics Code of Points was changed, the training on videos from the FIG education website (STS) will start right after the Tokyo Olympic Games are finished (August 2021).
- As the TRA-TC knows that everybody waits for the COP, we publish the highlights in the following pages of this newsletter. The major changes are with the competition format, as already published in the first draft to all federations, and at the round table in Tokyo.



## NEW COP DETAILS

### TRAMPOLINE COMPETITION

Trampoline competitions at senior level, both for individual and synchronized disciplines, are composed by Qualifications and Finals, according the following structure:

Competition phase	Who competes?	What performs?	Starting order
Qualification 1	All gymnasts	2 voluntary exercises, best one counts	Draw
Qualification 2	Top 24, if 48 entries or more Top 16, if 32-47 entries None, if less than 31 entries Maximum 3 per NF	1 exercise	Draw
Final 1	Top 8 Maximum 2 per NF	1 exercise	Draw

For Junior and Age Group competitions, there are two exercises in the Qualifying Round, **both** of them counting for the total score of the gymnasts. The first exercise includes special requirements, as per Junior and WAGC Rules; the second exercise is voluntary.

In WAGC, no Q2 is organized.

In WAGC Synchronised competition, the Qualifying Round consists of 1 (one) voluntary routine.

As before, the National Federations are free to prescribe a compulsory exercise instead of the first exercise with special requirements for competitions under their authority.

### TUMBLING COMPETITION

Tumbling competitions are composed by Qualifications and Finals, according the following structure:

Competition phase	Who competes?	What performs?	Starting order
Qualification 1 (Q1)	All gymnasts	2 exercises	Draw
Qualification 2 (Q2)	Top 24, if 48 entries or more Top 16, if 32-47 entries None, if less than 31 entries Maximum 3 per NF	1 exercise	Draw
Final 1 (F1)	Top 8 Maximum 2 per NF	1 exercise	Draw
Final 2 (F2)	Top 4 No limit per NF	1 exercise	Keep F1 order

In WAGC, no Q2 is organized.



Q1 is composed by two voluntary exercises with no repetition of elements allowed in either exercise. The highest sum of the scores of the two exercises will determine the qualification to Q2 or to the Final.

The gymnasts start Q2 with a score of zero. Exercises or elements from Q1 can be performed in Q2.

Finals are divided into two rounds with no repetition of elements allowed in either exercise:

In F1 (Final 1), the eight (8) gymnasts will perform one (1) voluntary exercise. Gymnasts start F1 with a score of zero. The best 4 (four) gymnasts will qualify to F2 (Final 2), while the remaining four (4) will be ranked from 5<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> position according to their results in F1.

In F2 (Final 2), four (4) gymnasts will perform one (1) voluntary exercise and compete for the title (gold medal) and the remaining places (2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup>). Gymnasts start F2 with a score of zero. The winner is the gymnast with the highest score in F2.

Flic-flacs, whipbacks, round-offs and full twist backs are not counted for repetitions.

The sum of the two (2) median deductions of the six (6) execution judges is taken as the deduction per element, then the sum of the median deductions [considering landing deductions] is subtracted from the highest possible execution score [max. 20 pts] to give the gymnast's execution score for an exercise.

### DMT COMPETITION

DMT competitions are composed by Qualifications and Finals, according the following structure:

Competition phase	Who competes?	What performs?	Starting order
Qualification 1 (Q1)	All gymnasts	2 exercises	Draw
Qualification 2 (Q2)	Top 24, if 48 entries or more Top 16, if 32-47 entries None, if less than 31 entries Maximum 3 per NF	1 exercise	Draw
Final 1 (F1)	Top 8 Maximum 2 per NF	1 exercise	Draw
Final 2 (F2)	Top 4 No limit per NF	1 exercise	Keep F1 order

In WAGC, no Q2 is organized.

Q1 is composed by two voluntary exercises with no repetition of elements allowed in either exercise. The highest sum of the scores of the two exercises will determine the qualification to Q2 or to the Final.

The gymnasts start Q2 with a score of zero. Elements from Q1 can be performed in Q2, but not in the same zone of the DMT as in Q1.



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In F1, the eight (8) gymnasts will perform one (1) voluntary exercise. Gymnasts start F1 with a score of zero. The best 4 (four) gymnasts will qualify to F2, while the remaining four (4) will be ranked from 5<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> position according to their results in F1.

In F2, four (4) gymnasts will perform one (1) voluntary exercise and compete for the title (gold medal) and the remaining places (2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup>). Gymnasts start F2 with a score of zero. The winner is the gymnast with the highest score in F2.

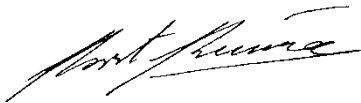
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I hope this will help for planning in your federations.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

All best wishes stay healthy!

Yours,



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