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Solo Pattern Dance Tests

At the 2012 ISA AGM, the following changes were passed, effective 1st May 2012.

Pattern Dance Tests

Pattern Dance tests may now be taken either with a Partner OR Solo.

The skater must indicate on the test form how they will be taking the test, and this will also be indicated on the candidates test certificate, that the test was taken as a Partnered Pattern Dance Test or as a Solo Pattern Dance Test.

A skater taking the Solo Pattern Dance Tests may begin the dance tests at the level at which they are currently qualified in the partnered tests or they may retake the tests again from the beginning as a Solo skater.

Partnered Pattern Dance Tests will not count toward completing a test in the Solo Pattern Dance Test and vice versa.

Participants undertaking the Solo Pattern Dance Tests will perform the steps of the lady regardless of their gender.

Solo Pattern Dance Tests can only be used as qualification levels for Solo Dance competitions and not for regular partnered dance competitions. Although a Partnered Pattern Dance Test can be used as a qualification level for a Solo Dance competition.

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