Mark all components Factor 0.7 each	All competitions and championships	Number of Sequences to skate	Number of Sections per Sequence	Section Steps
ELEMENTARY PD	Dutch Waltz	3	1	1 to 16
Without Key Points	Fiesta Tango	3	1	1 to 16
PRE-PRIMARY PD	Swing Dance	2	2	1 to 15, 16 to 30
Without Key Points	European Waltz	2	1	1 to 18
BASIC NOVICE PD	Fourteen Step (own music permitted, or ISU tunes 1 to 5)	4	1	1 to 14
Without Key Points	European Waltz (ISU Music only)	2	1	1 to 18
ADVANCED NOVICE PD Mark all components, fac	with 2 Key Points, up to Level 3			
Competitions in January,	European Waltz (ISU Music only)	2	1	1 to 18
March, May, July, September, November	Tango (own music permitted, or ISU tunes 1 to 5)	2	1	1 to 22
Competitions in February, April, June,	Rocker Foxtrot (own music permitted, or ISU tunes 1 to 5)	4	1	1 to 14
August, October and December (including AFSC)	Starlight Waltz (ISU music only)	2	2	1 to 17, 18 to 32
International Competitions	Chosen from one of the following groups Group 1: European Waltz and Tango Group 3: Rocker Foxtrot and Starlight Waltz	Refer above.		

SHORT DANCE	Mark all components. Factor 0.8 each. Rhythm: Latin American, chosen from Cha Cha, Rhumba, Samba, Mambo, Meringue, Salsa, Bachata or any closely related Latin American Rhythms. Excluded are Reggae, Hip Hop, Argentine Tango and Bolero.					
JUNIOR SD	PATTERN DANCE ELEMENT	LIFTS	ONE (1) STEP SEQUENCE	TWIZZLES	DANCE SPINS	
2 mins 50 secs +/- 10 secs Refer to ISU Communications 2076 and 2086	Cha Cha Congelado Section 1: Steps 1 to 17 Section 2: Steps 18 to 38 Section 1 skated first immediately followed by Section 2. Step 1 skated on the Judges' opposite side. Skated on Cha Cha Rhythm.	One (1) Short Lift	One (1) Not Touching Midline, Diagonal, Circular or Serpentine Step Sequence (NTSS) in Style B. Skated to a different rhythm than Cha Cha.	One (1) Set of Sequential Twizzles (STw)	The Dance Spin is not a Required Element in a Junior and Senior Short Dance. Nevertheless, a Dance Spin or spinning movement skated outside the Step	
SENIOR SD	PATTERN DANCE ELEMENT	LIFTS	TWO (2) STEP SEQUENCES	TWIZZLES	Sequence by the couple together in any hold around common	
2 mins 50 secs +/- 10 secs Refer to ISU Communications 2076 and 2086	Rhumba Section 1: Steps 1 to 16 plus Steps 1 to 4 Step 1 skated on the Judges' left side. Skated on any Latin American Rhythm and must have constant tempo.	One (1) Short Lift	One (1) Pattern Dance Type Step Sequence(PSt) in Hold Style B: - Pattern: up to one full circuit of the ice surface and must start on beat one of a musical measure but not from the beginning of the program. - Stops including dance spin not permitted - Must have a constant tempo One (1) NTSS as for Junior. The PSt and NTSS must be skated on different rhythms and have a constant tempo.	One (1) Set of Sequential Twizzles (STw)	axis on one foot (or two feet) with any number of rotations is permitted. A couple may choose to use this movement as part of their choreography. The Technical Panel will ignore these movements and the Judges will consider these movements as ONE of the permitted stops, even if it is in the NTSS.	

ELEMENTARY FREE DANCE	LIFTS	DANCE SPINS	STEP SEQUENCES	TWIZZLES	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Mark all components Factor 1.2 each	One Short Lift	Not required	One	One	
1:30 +/- 10 secs	Chosen from Straight Line	A spinning movement skated by the couple	Choice of either Style A or B	One (1) set of Synchronized Twizzles	Stationary Lift – if performed as the lift with
NO vocal music	Curved Rotational	together in any hold around a common axis			a Level of Difficulty will be:
IJS Level – Elementary	One additional lift (up to	on one or two feet with any number of rotations			Identified by the
Max Level 1 to be called for features	6 secs without any requirements for the	is permitted.			Technical Panel to occupy a box
Fall deduction 0.5 per fall per skater	Level of Difficulty	If performed, it will be ignored by the Technical Panel and Judges will			Given No ValueConsidered and extra element (element not
Refer to ISA By-Law 339		not consider these movements as one of the permitted stops.			according to the Well Balanced Program)

PRE-PRIMARY FREE DANCE	LIFTS	DANCE SPINS	STEP SEQUENCES	TWIZZLES	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Mark all components Factor 1.2 each	One Short Lift	Not required	One	One	
2:00 +/- 10 secs	Chosen from Straight Line	A spinning movement skated by the couple	Choice of either Style A or B	One (1) set of Synchronized Twizzles	Stationary Lift – if performed as the lift with
NO vocal music	Curved Rotational	together in any hold around a common axis			a Level of Difficulty will be:
IJS Level – Pre-Primary	One additional lift (up to	on one or two feet with any number of rotations			Identified by the
Max Level 1 to be called for features	6 secs without any requirements for the	is permitted.			Technical Panel to occupy a box
Fall deduction 0.5 per fall per skater	Level of Difficulty	If performed, it will be ignored by the Technical Panel and Judges will			Given No Value Considered and extra element (element not)
Refer to ISA By-Law 339		not consider these movements as one of the permitted stops.			according to the Well Balanced Program)

BASIC NOVICE FREE DANCE	LIFTS	DANCE SPINS	STEP SEQUENCES	TWIZZLES	CHOREOGRAPHIC ELEMENT
Mark all components Factor 1.0 each	One	Not required	One	One	One
2:30 +/- 10 secs	No more than one (1)	In a Free Dance where	Style B only, chosen	One (1) set of	Chosen from:
Vocal music permitted	Short Lift chosen from Straight Line	the Dance Spin is not a Required Element, the first performed Dance	from: Straight Line (midline or	Synchronized Twizzles	Choreographic Spinning Movement
IJS Level – Basic Novice	Curved Rotational	Spin or Spinning Movement shall be	diagonal) in hold		OR
Max Level 2 to be called		identified as the	OR		
for features		Choreographic Spinning Movement, if no other	Curved (circular or		Choreographic Twizzling Movement
Fall deduction 0.5 per fall		Choreographic Element	serpentine) in hold		
per skater		has been identified and confirmed.			
Refer to ISU Communication 2024		33			

ADVANCED NOVICE FREE DANCE	LIFTS	DANCE SPINS	STEP SEQUENCES	TWIZZLES	CHOREOGRAPHIC ELEMENT
Mark all components Factor 1.0	Two	One	One	One	One
3:00 +/- 10 secs Vocal music permitted IJS Level – Advanced Novice Max Level 3 to be called for features	No more than two (2) different types of Short Lift chosen from Straight Line Curved Rotational	One (1) Spin A combination spin is not permitted	Style B only, chosen from: Straight Line (midline or diagonal) in hold OR Curved (circular or serpentine) in hold	One (1) set of Synchronized Twizzles	Chosen from: Choreographic Spinning Movement OR Choreographic Twizzling Movement
Fall deduction 0.5 per fall per skater Refer to ISU Communication 2024					

JUNIOR FREE DANCE	LIFTS	DANCE SPINS	STEP SEQUENCES	TWIZZLES	CHOREOGRAPHIC ELEMENT
Mark all components Factor 1.2 each	Two or three	One	One	One	Two
3:30 +/- 10 secs	Maximum of	One (1) Spin	One (1) Step Sequence in hold, Style A.	One (1) set of Synchronized Twizzles	Two (2) different chosen from:
Vocal music permitted	One (1) Combination Lift	OR			
IJS Level – Junior	OR	One (1) Combination Spin	One (1) Straight Line (midline or diagonal) in hold		Choreographic Dance Lift (up to 10 seconds)
Fall deduction 1.0 per fall per skater	Two (2) different types of Short Lift	'	OR		Choreographic Spinning Movement (min 2 continuous rotations by
Refer to ISU Communications 1998			One (1) Curved (circular or serpentine) in hold		both)
and 2019					Choreographic Twizzling Movement performed after the required Twizzles

SENIOR FREE DANCE	LIFTS	DANCE SPINS	STEP SEQUENCES	TWIZZLES	CHOREOGRAPHIC ELEMENT
Mark all components Factor 1.2 each	Two or three	One	Two	One	Two
4:00 +/- 10 secs	Maximum of	One (1) Dance Spin	Two (2) different types of Step Sequence in hold.	One (1) set of Synchronized Twizzles	Two (2) different types chosen from:
Vocal music permitted	One (1) Combination Lift and one (1) Short Lift	OR	One (1) Straight Line	,	Choreographic Dance
IJS Level – Senior	OR	One (1) Combination Spin	(midline or diagonal) in hold		Lift (up to 10 seconds)
Fall deduction 1.0 per fall	The control (0) all (10 and 11 and 11				Choreographic Spinning
per skater	Three (3) different types of Short Lift		AND		Movement (min 2 continuous rotations by
Refer to ISU Communications 1998	The type of the Short Lift		One (1) Curved (circular or serpentine) in hold		both)
and 2019	must be different from the type(s) of Short Lifts		1st performed = Style A		Choreographic Twizzling Movement performed
	forming the Combination Lift.		2 nd performed = Style B		after the required Twizzles