# **COMMON DEDUCTIONS**

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STEPS	All events	VAULT		
<u>0.05</u>	Lands with feet hip-width apart or closer but never joins feet (heels) together			
<u>0.1</u>	Lands with feet more than hip-width apart			
<b>↑</b> 0.10	Slight hop, small adjustment of feet or lands feet staggered*	same		
	* On FX it is OK to take a controlled step to end in a lunge			
<u>0.1</u>	Steps (each step) Max = <u>0.40</u>	4		
<u>0.2</u>	Large Step or Jump (Approx. 3 feet or more) Max = 0.40			
LANDING	All events	VAULT		
<u>0.1</u>	Landing <b>Too Close</b> to apparatus on dismount <b>UB/BB</b>	个 0.30		
个 0.10	<b>Deviation</b> from straight direction on landing (BB Off-the-End Gainers ↑0.3)	↑ 0.30		
个 0.10	Arm Swings to maintain balance			
↑ 0.20	Additional <b>Trunk Movements</b> to maintain balance (to avoid steps)	]		
↑ 0.20	Incorrect <b>Body Posture</b> upon landing	same		
↑ 0.30	Squat on landing (hips even with or lower than knees)	1		
↑ 0.30	Brush / Touch landing surface with 1 or 2 Hands	1		
FALLS / S	SPOTS All events	VAULT		
<u>0.50</u>	Support on mat with 1 or 2 hands			
<u>0.50</u>	Fall onto mat or apparatus			
<u>0.50</u>	Fall/Failure to land on <b>Bottom of Feet</b> first on aerials/saltos/dmt  No VP / No SR / No Bonus / No Composition credit	same		
0.50	Spotting assistance <b>Upon Landing</b> of dismount element	1		
<u>0.50</u>	Award VP & SR / No Bonus / if falls deduct an additional 0.50			
<u>0.50</u>	Spotting assistance <b>During</b> an element  No VP / No SR / No Bonus / No Composition credit / if falls deduct an additional 0.50	Except L8 salto spot = 1.00		
DICMOU		VAULT		
DISIVIOU	NTS UB/BB and FX SALTOS  Insufficient exactness of Body Positions	2nd Flight		
	• Insufficient Tuck (min 90° in both hips and knees)			
↑ 0.20	• Insufficient Pike (min 90° in the hips, 91° – 135° = insufficient)			
	<ul> <li>Insufficient Stretched position (Arch or Hip Angle 179° – 136° insufficient)</li> </ul>	↑ 0.30		
↑ 0.20	Failure to maintain Stretched body position (Pikes Down dismount)			
↑ 0.20	Incomplete Twists (Saltos), missing: *same as for dance turns			
• $1^{\circ} - 44^{\circ} = 0.05 - 0.10$ • $45^{\circ} - 89^{\circ} = 0.15 - 0.20$				
↑ 0.30	Insufficient Height of Salto Dismount UB/BB, or Saltos on FX (*See FX specifics)			
个 0.30	1 Insufficient Extension (Open) of body prior to landing			
HEIGHT /	AMPLITUDE (not Dismount)			
↑ 0.20	Insufficient Height of Saltos performed <b>ON</b> Balance Beam <b>BB</b>	1		
↑ 0.20	Insufficient Height of Aerials or Acro with hand support BB/FX			
个 0.20	Insufficient Amplitude of Bar Elements <i>(including releases)</i> <b>UB</b> • Except Clear Hip: 个0.40			

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LEGS	All events	VAULT		
<u>0.05</u>	Flexed / Sickled feet during Value Part elements (each time)	个 0.10		
↑ 0.10	Legs <b>Crossed</b> during Value Part elements with twist			
个 0.20	Leg or Knee <b>Separations</b>	same		
↑ 0.30	<b>Bent</b> Legs (also *Bent Arms) (90° bend or greater = max 0.30)	*Bent arms 个0.5		
DANCE	↑ 0.10 BB/FX			
个 0.10	Failure to perform Turn elements in <b>High Relevé</b>			
↑ 0.10	Lack of <b>Precision</b> in Dance Value Parts  • Lack of definite Arm or Leg position  • Degree of turn, not exact			
↑ 0.10	Incorrect Body Posture/Alignment during Dance Value Parts			
↑ 0.10	Failure to land with <b>Feet/Legs Together</b> on Jumps/Leaps that land on 2 feet (on BB, only in side position)			
DANCE	↑ 0.20 BB/FX			
个 0.20	Insufficient Exactness of Tuck or Pike positions in VP elements			
个 0.20	Insufficient Height on Leaps / Jumps / Hops			
个 0.20	Legs Not Parallel (to beam or floor) in Split or Straddle Leaps/Jumps			
↑ 0.20	Insufficient Split (deviation from 180°), missing: • 1° - 20° = 0.05 - 0.10 • 21° - 45° = 0.15 - 0.20 • ≥46° = $\psi$ VP			
↑ 0.20	Incomplete Turns (Dance), missing: *same as for salto twists • $1^{\circ} - 44^{\circ} = 0.05 - 0.10$ • $45^{\circ} - 89^{\circ} = 0.15 - 0.20$			
THROUG	HOUT BB/FX			
↑ 0.30	<ul> <li>ARTISTRY Insufficient artistry throughout the exercise (Each ↑0.1)</li> <li>Originality/creativity of Choreography in elements &amp; connections</li> <li>Quality of gymnast's movement to reflect her personal Style</li> </ul>			
	Quality of Expression	VAULT		
个 0.20	Insufficient <b>Dynamics</b> UB/BB/FX	个 0.30		
个 0.20	Insufficient variation in Rhythm & Tempo throughout			
个 0.20	Relaxed/incorrect Footwork on non-value parts throughout			
↑ 0.30	Relaxed/incorrect Leg Position / Body Posture & insufficient Flexibility in no value parts throughout	n-		
个 0.10	Precision of <b>Handstand</b> positions throughout <b>UB</b>			

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个 0.20	Insufficient <b>Sureness</b> of performance throughout <b>BB</b>			
个 0.20	Poor relationship of <b>Music and Movement</b> throughout <b>FX</b>			
个 0.30	Missing Synchronization of movement with musical beat	FX		
	• Each time: <u>0.05</u> • At the end: <u>0.10</u>			

# **SPECIFIC BB/FX DEDUCTIONS**

#### **BALANCE BEAM**

#### **BB PAUSES**

<u>0.10</u>	Concentration Pauses 2 seconds
<u>0.20</u>	Concentration Pauses 3 seconds or more

# **BB RHYTHM**

↑ 0.10	Hesitation during jump, press or swing to Handstand	
↑ 0.20	Lack of Tempo/ <b>Poor Rhythm</b> between elements in a Dance, Mixed or Acro Series	
	No deduction for continuous but slow / Arms finish to take-off immediately / Legs pli é , not pumping	
	<b>0.05 - 0.10</b> • Body moving but arms swing between elements / Legs pumping, but not straighten	
	<b>0.15 - 0.20</b> • Body position alters / Arms swing between elements	
	Tempo deductions DO NOT apply to backward Acro Series with 1 or more Flight elements	

# BB BALANCE/LANDING

↑ 0.30	Additional movements to maintain Balance on the Beam		
↑ 0.30	Squat on Landing (Hips even with or lower than knees)  * If lands Acro element in a squat and then falls take both ↑ 0.3 and 0.5 for the fall		
↑ 0.30	30 Directional Error on Gainer Salto Dismounts Off-the-End of Beam		

#### **BB SUPPORT**

<u>0.20</u>	Support of one Leg against side surface of the beam to maintain balance		
0.30	Grasp of the Beam to avoid a fall		
<u>0.30</u>	Use of Supplemental Support  • Foot/Feet remain on Mat/Board as Mount is completed  • Foot/Feet contact Mat in Cross Straddle Sit during exercise  • Foot/Feet/Leg using Base of the Beam for support on Mount/on Beam		

# **FLOOR EXERCISE**

#### **FX RHYTHM**

<u>0.10</u>	Concentration Pauses 2 second pause prior to difficult elements or Acro series	
个 0.10	Incorrect Rhythm during execution of direct connections	

#### **FX SALTOS**

个 0.30	Insufficient Height of Salto elements	
	*Does NOT apply to accelerating elements in direclty connnected Fwd Acro series	

#### **SPECIFIC UB DEDUCTIONS**

# **UB AMPLITUDE / ANGLE DEDUCTIONS**

30° 20° 10°						
45						
			ANGLE from	n VERTICAL		
<b>U</b> S	↑10°	11-20°	21-30°	31-45°	46-90°	More than $90^{\circ}$
Casts	0.0	0.05	0.10	0.15 - 0.20	0.25 - 0.30	0.30
Turns IN Handstand 180° & 360°	0.0	0.0	0.05 - 0.10	0.15 - 0.20	0.25 - 0.30	0.30
Turns AFTER Handstand 540° & 360° Healy	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.05 - 0.15	0.20 - 0.30	0.30
Circle Completion	0.0	0.05	0.0	0.0	0.05 - 0.20	0.20
Clear Hip Completion	0.0	0.05	0.0	0.0	0.05 - 0.30	0.35 - 0.40
Higher VP Lower VP						

# **UB RHYTHM / EXTENSION**

个 0.10	Hesitation during jump to HB or swing to Handstand			
个 0.10	0.10 Poor rhythm in elements/connections			
个 0.10	Insufficient extension of glides/swings into kips			
个 0.10	Swing Forward or backward, under horizontal (each)			
个 0.10	Under-rotation of release/flight elements			

# UB BRUSH / HIT etc.

个 0.10	Touch/Brush on Apparatus or Mat with foot/feet		
0.20	Hit on Appartaus with foot/feet		
0.30	Hit on Mat with foot/feet		
<u>0.30</u>	<b>Grasp</b> of the Bar Apparatus to avoid a fall		
0.30	Intermediate Extra Swing / Cast (max 0.6)		
<u>0.50</u>	Full Support on foot/feet on mat during exercise		