



IMPORTANT INFORMATION AMENDMENTS TO WORLD SKATE DOCUMENTS 2025

General 2025

2.15 Entry and Exit

For Free Skating, Couple Dance, Solo Dance and Pairs, the first skater/team of each competition group can have a maximum one (1) minute before entering the floor to compete after the warmup is ended.

All the skaters/teams have **thirty (30) seconds** to exit the floor to allow the next skater/team to enter.

All skaters/teams following the first of each competition group should take the floor immediately when announced. Skaters have fifteen (15) seconds to enter the floor and take their starting position. The timer begins from the point their name is called.

A penalization of 0.5 will be given to skaters/teams not following these rules.

Style Dances: Pattern dance rhythm clarification

One of the chosen rhythms must be that specified by World Skate each year for the pattern dance sequence and the others may be chosen from those offered within the specified theme. **Nevertheless, if the choreography requires it, the rhythm/dance style of the pattern dance for style dance may be any of the listed rhythms/dance styles within the required theme so long as the tempo (bpm) is correct.**

Dance & Solo Dance: Choreo. Stop clarification

The Choreo **STOP** must convey a deliberate, intentional **STOP** utilizing dance movements that interprets the music.

Use of the entire 10-meter diameter is allowed but not required. A skater may choose to perform the element in a smaller area.

A Choreo **STOP** should not be performed as a Choreo sequence within a 10-meter diameter.

Dance & Solo Dance: Pattern/Compulsory Dance & Rhythms 2025-2027

The World Skate Artistic Technical Commission (ATC) has released a list of pattern/compulsory dances and style dance rhythms for the 2025-2027 competition seasons.

The document can be accessed on the World Skate website.



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