



Changes to Primary Pair

The following changes to Primary Pair were passed at the 2011 ISA AGM; these changes are effective 1st May 2011 for all competitions.

Primary Pair will now perform the elements as listed for ISU Basic Novice Pair Competitions.

Segments to be skated in Primary Pair competitions are; Free Skate

Duration of Free Skate: 3:00 mins +/- 10 secs.

Free Skate

A well balanced Free Skate program must contain:

- a) Two different lifts of Group 1 to Group 2, one arm holds not allowed (full extension of the lifting arm of the partner is not required)
- b) One Lutz Twist Lift (Single)
- c) One Solo Jump (Single or Double)
- d) One Solo Spin, no change of foot, change of position optional, min 5 revs
OR
One Pair Spin, min 5 revs
- e) One Pivot Figure (if a death spiral is executed it is marked according to ISU rules. In other cases there are no Levels)
- f) One spiral sequence consisting of two (2) spiral positions. The sequence will have a fixed Base value and evaluated in GOE only (Choreographed Spiral Sequence).

Levels explanations

For Primary Pair, in all elements which are subject to Levels, only features up to **Level 2** will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

The **Program Components** are only judged in:

- Skating Skills
- Performance / Execution

The factor of the Program Components is 3.5.

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