# US Ski & Snowboard - FIS ICR & JHB Exceptions (2020-21)

# FIS ICR - 4200 & 4300 Exceptions

US Ski & Snowboard shall use the following rules as exceptions to those found in the FIS ICR published October 2019. The following will highlight the FIS rule number being excepted and will provide the alternate US Ski & Snowboard rule to be used in its place.

4200	Moguls
4202.1.5	Official Training
4202.1.5.6	There will be a minimum of one hour of official training on the competition day.
4204	Scoring Procedures
4204.2	FIS Pace Time
	US Ski & Snowboard mogul events shall use the following pace set times:
	Men's Pace Time: 9.7 metres / per second
	Ladies Pace Time: 8.20 metres / per second
4205	Tie Breaking
4205.4	US Ski & Snowboard will not be utilizing the provisions of this rule.
4206	Special Procedures: Moguls
4206.2.2	Number of Aerial Manoeuvers
	Every competitor must perform two different jumps in order to maximize points. Only identical jumps, or jumps with the same jump code, performed within a mogul and dual mogul run shall be considered repeated jumps, as determined by the judges. If jumps are repeated, only the first jump shall count.
	US Ski & Snowboard events shall also recognize a Neutral (N) jump and a standalone grab (G) as acceptable mogul jumps.
4206.3	Forerunners
	The organizers must provide 8 qualified forerunners, four male and four female. The number of forerunners used shall be determined by the Jury. The Jury may reduce this number if conditions or other factors require it.
4300	Dual Moguls
4302	The Dual Moguls Course
4302.1.1	Homologations of Dual Moguls Course
	US Ski & Snowboard does not require this provision and is therefore excepting this rule in its entirety.
4305.2	Dual Moguls with Seeded Groups

**Seeding for Dual Moguls** 

4305.2.1

Seeding will be done according to either the most recent national points list for dual moguls or the most recent moguls event either that morning or the previous day. At all sanctioned events, at the discretion of the Jury, all skiers will then be seeded according to FIS normal bracketing.

#### 4305.2.2 Seeding Procedures

US Ski & Snowboard does not require this provision and is therefore excepting this rule in its entirety.

#### 4305.2.4 Ranking of those eliminated in each Round

Organizers have the option to rank the skiers to fourth (4th) or eighth (8th) place by skiing ("dualing off"). All competitors in the rounds of 5-8\*, 9-16, 17-32, 33-64, 65-128 who did not proceed to the next round will be ranked in accordance with 4307.

## \*if the competitors do not dual off to 8th place.

Those receiving a DNS will be ranked according to their seed.

Those receiving a DNF will be ranked according to their seed.

Those that receive a score but do not advance to the next round will be placed in accordance with the judges points accumulated. Ties in this group will be broken by 4307.

#### 4306 Special Procedures

### 4306.3 Jumping Manoeuvres (Dual Moguls)

US Ski & Snowboard does not require this provision and is therefore excepting this rule in its entirety.

## **4306.4 Dual Moguls Start** Device (Replaces 4306.4.1 thru 4306.4.5)

The start ramp shall be prepared in such a way that the competitors can stand relaxed on the starting line and can quickly reach full speed after leaving the start. The specifications can be adjusted to the needs of the specific course. The start gates are to be placed in the center of each of course.

The gates have to open simultaneously, and it must be impossible for a competitor to open the gates himself.

#### Example:

Two hinged gates each 100 cm wide and 40 cm in height. The starting block (behind the board) must be covered with Teflon to protect the ski. The weight for each hinge gate is 15 kg.

The bolt (lock) system should operate in such a way that both gates open outwards on operation of a single control mechanism. Mechanical controls are preferred over electrical ones, for reasons of reliability and portability.

## FIS Judges Handbook - 6 200 & 6 300 Exceptions

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## FIS Judges Handbook - 6200 Section - Moguls

#### 6204.3.8 Repeats

Every competitor must perform two different jumps in order to maximize points. Only identical jumps, or jumps with the same jump code, performed within a mogul and dual mogul run shall be considered repeated jumps, as determined by the judges. If jumps are repeated, only the first jump shall count.

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#### FIS Judges Handbook - 6300 Section - Dual Moguls

## 6305.1.2 Jump Evaluation for Classic Scoring

Air judges evaluate jumps based on the scoring criteria from single moguls (quality, air and spontaneity), as well as difficulty and variety. Competitors may repeat jumps, but judges will consider variety in comparing the two competitors. Variety reflects a different number of maneuvers and different types of maneuvers.