



# Aussie Skate Judging

## Guidelines for applying GOEs to Elements

These are guidelines to assist judges when evaluating elements for Aussie Skate programs.

The final GOE of an element is calculated considering the positive aspects first to establish the starting GOE, followed by reductions for any errors.

### Positive Aspects

Increase GOE by 1 for each bullet point achieved by the skater

<b>Jumps</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good height and length</li> <li>• Good take-off and landing</li> <li>• Effortless</li> <li>• Good speed into and out of jump</li> <li>• Element matches the music</li> </ul>
<b>Spins</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good speed during the spin</li> <li>• Good control or good quality positions</li> <li>• Effortless</li> <li>• More than the required revolutions</li> <li>• Element matches the music</li> </ul>
<b>Other Elements</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good quality edges or positions</li> <li>• Good ice coverage</li> <li>• Good control</li> <li>• Good speed during the element</li> <li>• Element matches the music</li> </ul>

### Reductions for Errors

Reduce GOE by 1 for each error except for falls which should incur a -5 GOE

<b>Jumps</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fall (-5 GOE)</li> <li>• Poor take off or executed as a step over</li> <li>• Poor or weak landing (Eg two feet, step out, touch down of hand(s) or free foot)</li> <li>• Downgraded or Under-rotated</li> <li>• Poor speed, height, distance or air position</li> </ul>
<b>Spins</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fall (-5 GOE)</li> <li>• Travelling or loss of balance</li> <li>• Poor positions or other visible error (eg touchdown of the hand(s) or free foot)</li> <li>• Slow or reduction of speed</li> <li>• Less than required revolutions</li> </ul>
<b>Other Elements</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fall (-5 GOE)</li> <li>• Poor quality (eg weak edges or positions)</li> <li>• Stumble or Loss of balance</li> <li>• Very slow</li> <li>• Positions not held long enough</li> </ul>