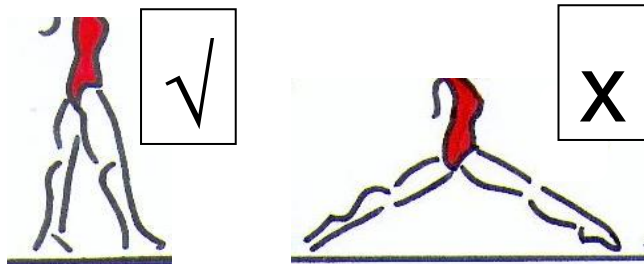




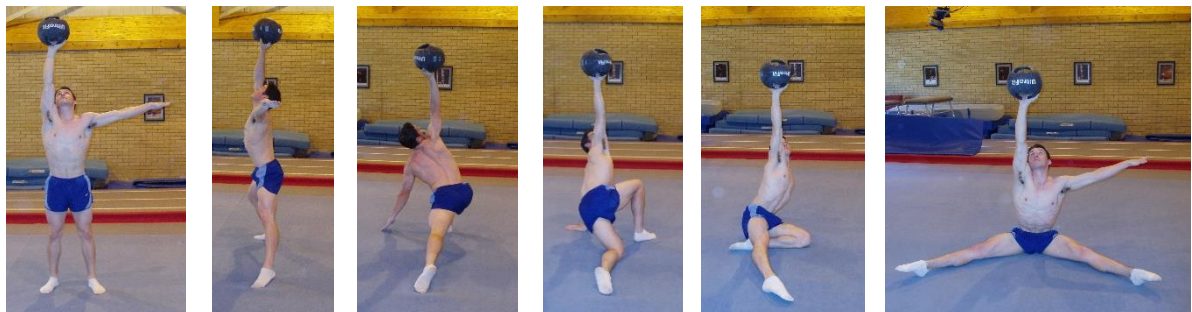
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Clarification – In pairs, when the base slides to splits, the starting position should be a normal standing position (feet approximately shoulder width apart). The base **MUST NOT** start with the feet so wide that they are almost half way to the split position before the motion of the base begins.



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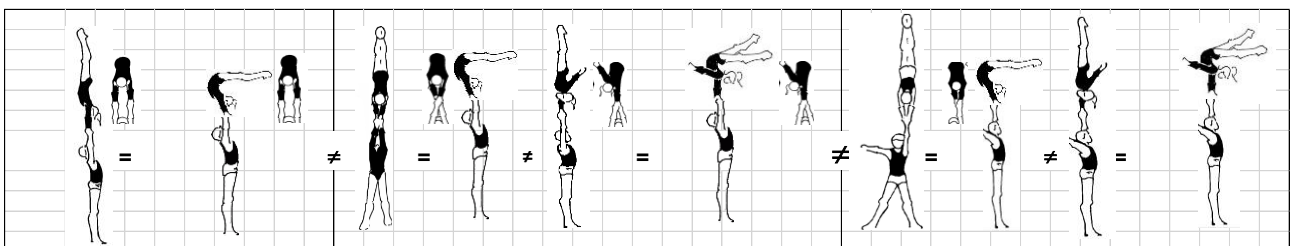
When the base turns (180°, 270° or 360°) during the element the rotation must be an integral part of the element i.e. it must be included as part of the skill. An example can be seen below of good technique:



Note: For correct value evaluation, the base cannot perform a 180° turn in stand and then start to sit and complete the next 180°.

Corrections to the TOD

Please take note of the clarifications to the hand positions and = / ≠ as outlined below on page 10.





Corrections to the Tables of Difficulty (to be implemented immediately after the 2018 WCH /WAGG)

Please remove the line between the following boxes in Women's Groups.

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THURSDAY 05.04.2018 Qualifications & Finals 11-16	€ 18	€ 16	€ 14		
SUNDAY 08.04.2018 Qualifications 12-18 / 13-19	€ 16	€ 15	€ 14	€ 48	
MONDAY 09.04.2018 Qualifications 12-18 / 13-19	€ 16	€ 15	€ 14		
TUESDAY 10.04.2018 Finals 12-18 / 13-19	€ 18	€ 16	€ 14		

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FRIDAY 13.04.2018 Qualifications	€ 20	€ 18	€ 16	€ 65	€ 135
SATURDAY 14.04.2018 Qualifications & Finals	€ 25	€ 22	€ 20		
SUNDAY 15.04.2018 Qualifications & Finals	€ 25	€ 22	€ 20		

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Calendar of Acrobatic Events

- 1) World Age group Competition – Antwerp, Belgium, 2-10 April 2018
- 2) World Championships – Antwerp, Belgium, 10-16 April 2018
- 3) World Cup Competition – Lisbon, Portugal, 28 June-01 July 2018
- 4) Youth Olympic Games, Buenos Aires, Argentina, 6 – 18 October 2018
- 5) World Cup Competition – Baku, Azerbaijan, 17-18 November 2018

Rosy Taeymans,
President of the Acrobatic Gymnastics Technical Committee.

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Karl Wharton, Secretary

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