



# Ice Skating Australia Incorporated

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## ISA Communication 168

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### ISA Bonus System (Preliminary - Junior Singles)

(This replaces ISA Communication 157)

**Date Approved:** March 2025

**Effective Start Date:** 1 February 2025

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#### 1 Purpose of the Communication

- 1.1. To advise that the ISA Board has discussed the value of the ISA Bonus system and decided to cease the program immediately. The Board resolved to revoke ISA Communication 157 - ISA Bonus System (Preliminary - Junior singles) and all previous versions.

#### 2 Application of the Communication

- 2.1 With the exception of Advanced Novice Singles, this applies to all Singles Skating competitions held under ISA By-Laws Section 6 - Championships and Competitions hosted in Australia from 2 February 2025 onwards.

#### 3 Communication Details

- 3.1 Bonus points will no longer be awarded for elements in programs for Preliminary, Elementary, Basic Novice, Intermediate Novice, Intermediate and Junior Singles programs.

Bonus points for Advanced Novice Singles' jump elements will continue to be awarded as per current ISU Communication for ISU GUIDELINES FOR INTERNATIONAL NOVICE COMPETITIONS.

#### Advanced Novice

##### Bonus points to be awarded for the following:

- **Short Program-** 1 bonus point for one (1) double axel and 1 bonus point for one (1) triple with a maximum of 2 bonus points per program.
- **Free Skating-** 1 bonus point for one (1) double axel and 1 bonus point each for any two different triples.
- maximum of 3 bonus points per program

## Conditions

- All jumps must be fully rotated or landed on the quarter (q) to achieve the bonus.
- Jumps that are identified by the technical panel as underrotated (<), downgraded (<<), with wrong edge or have a fall or not being identified as a valid element (\*) are not eligible to receive the bonus points. However, attention (!) calls are acceptable.
- If in jump combination or sequence there is a fall on a jump other than the bonus generating jump, the bonus is still awarded. For example, 2A+1A+Seq with a fall on the 1A. If the element has quarter (q), it is still valid for bonus point.
- Maximum number of jumps and jump combinations for Advanced Novice category apply