

CHEER LTD - A VARSITY BRAND

DEDUCTION



INDIVIDUAL ATHLETE	
Minor Fall(s)	0.25
Examples would include but not limited to: hands/knees down on tumbling	
Major Fall(s)	0.50
Examples would include but not limited to: landing on head, shoulders or back tumbling	
STUNTS/PYRAMIDS	
Bobble(s)	0.50
Examples would include but not limited to: Stunts, Tosses and Pyramids that almost drop/fall but are saved (includes excessive movement of bases). Stunts that come down but do not meet any of the Minor/Major Fall definitions - this includes dropping of an extended stunt to prep level, bases traveling to keep the stunt extended, but would not include a stunt where only the top drops body position, or small balance checks.	
Stunt/Minor Fall(s)	2
Examples would include but not limited to: Drop from individual stunt to load-in, cradle, prone, flatback, top becomes weight bearing on backspot or base/spot landing on ground. This would include stunt that meet this definition but are still able to continue building following disruption.	
Stunt/Major Fall(s)	3
Examples would include but not limited to: Drop from individual stunt to a compromising position (top landing in a position not mentioned in Stunt/Pyramid Minor Fall or to the ground) or multiple bases or base and spot landing on the ground.	
Pyramid Fall(s)	4
School/Rec Teams - 2 or more connected stunts falling. If multiple pyramids are built at the same time, each pyramid would be treated separately. If multiple tops fall in the same pyramid but not in direct connection, this deduction would still apply.	
Other	
Unsportsmanlike Behavior	2
When a coach is in a discussion with an official, other coaches, athletes, parents/spectators, they MUST maintain professional conduct. Failing to do so may result in 2.0 deduction, removal or disqualification.	
Time Limits	3, 5 or 7
Timing will begin with the first movement, voice or note of music whichever comes first. Three (3) point deduction for 1-5 seconds over, five (5) point deduction for 6-10 seconds over, and seven (7) point deduction for 11 seconds and over. Judges will not issue a deduction until their stop watches show a time of 3 seconds over the allotted time.	
General Safety Violation	2
When skill is performed in an illegal manor, however the skill itself is not illegal. Examples would include but not limited to: a braced flip, where one of the bracers happens to fall during the flip. Incorrect spotter grips on single base style stunts.	
Specific Safety Violation	5
When a skill is not performed in a legal manor, examples would include, but not limited to Braced flipping pyramid with only 10 people or a bracer in a shoulder sit/single bracer, release transitions landing inverted, pancakes from an extended position, single base stunt without a spotter, double twisting tosses or release dismounts.	