

## t.120. Table of Offences and Penalties

This table is intended to be a convenient summary: it is not a substitute for the full texts of the articles concerned which should be consulted in any case of doubt.

	OFFENCE	ARTICLES	PENALTIES		
0.1	Absence of name and nationality on the back, absence of national uniform or logo when compulsory, at World Championships, Senior Team World Cup competitions and at team Zonal Championships	t.45.4 a), b) i and iii	<b>Elimination from the competition</b>		
0.2	Absence of name on back due to changing a non-conforming conductive jacket	t.45.5			
0.3	Non presentation when first called by Referee ten minutes before time indicated for start of pool/team match/bouts of direct elimination	t.86.5			
0.4	Non presentation on the piste ready to fence when ordered by the Referee, after three calls at one-minute intervals	t.86.6	<b>1st call</b>	<b>2nd call</b>	<b>3rd call Elimination</b>

1st group		1st offence	2nd offence	3rd offence and subseq.
1.1	Leaving piste without permission	t.18.6	<b>YELLOW</b>	<b>RED</b>
1.2	Corps à corps to avoid being hit *	t.20.2 ; t.63.2		
1.3	Turning back on opponent *	t.21.2		
1.4	Covering/substitution of valid target *	t.22.2 ; t. 49.1 ; t.72.2		
1.5	Touching/taking hold of electrical equipment *	t.22.3		
1.6	Crossing lateral boundary of the piste to avoid being hit *	t.28.3		
1.7	Interruption of bout without valid reason	t.31.2		
1.8	Clothing/equipment not conforming. Curve of blade exceeding that permitted. Absence of regulation/spare weapon or bodywire	t.45.1/2/3.a)ii ; t.86.4		
1.9	Placing weapon on the conductive piste to straighten it	t.46.2 ; t.61.2 ; t.70.5		
1.10	At foil and épée, bending, dragging weapon point on conductive piste	t.46.2 ; t.61.2		
1.11	Bringing weapon into contact with conductive jacket *	t.53.3		
1.12	At sabre, hit made with the guard *, any forward movement crossing the legs or feet *	t.70.3 ; t.75.5		
1.13	Refusal to obey the Referee	t.82.2 ; t.84		
1.14	Hair not conforming to the Rules	t.86.2		
1.15	Jostling, disorderly fencing * ; taking off mask before the Referee calls 'Halt!'; dressing or undressing on the piste	t.86.3 ; t.87.2/7/8		
1.16	Irregular movements on the piste * ; hits made with violence or during or after falling *	t.87.2		
1.17	Unjustified appeal	t.122.2/4		
1.18	Entering the Piste enclosure without the Referee's permission +	t.92.6		

2nd group		1st offence	2nd offence	3rd offence and subseq.
2.1	Use of non-sword arm/hand *	t.22.1	<b>RED</b>	<b>RED</b>
2.2	Demanding a break for claimed injury/cramp deemed unjustified by doctor	t.33.3		
2.3	Absence of weapon control marks *	t.45.3.a)i		
2.4	Absence of name and nationality on the back, absence of national colours when compulsory, at individual Senior World Cup competitions and individual Senior Zonal Championships	t.45.4 a), b) ii		
2.5	Deliberate hit not on opponent *	t.53.2 ; t.66.2		
2.6	Dangerous, violent or vindictive action, blow with guard or pommel *	t.87.2 ; t.103 ; t.105.1		



	the juniors and 1st January – World Championships for the seniors), whether current or forthcoming.
	A fencer only receives a BLACK CARD in the Third Group if he previously committed an offence in this Third Group (demonstrated by a RED CARD).