



International Tang Soo Do Federation, IncTM

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15th International Tang Soo Do Federation Tournament Procedure and Scoring

There are five judges per Ring. The Head Judge (Referee) is seated in the center and controls the ring including the timely start of the ring and the Display of Points. The score Keeper will call the name of the first competitor and the one on deck. The contestant comes to the edge of the ring, bow, and announce the name of their form and ask permission to begin. Upon completion of the form, the head judge will call for score at which time the judges will display their score to be awarded. The scorekeeper will announce each score as they write it down so any mistakes can be caught and corrected immediately. The scorekeeper will write down all five scores however the highest and lowest will be discarded. The three remaining scores will be added together. The first, second and third places will be chosen based on these totals. Proper recording keeping is imperative for accuracy and fairness. If a tie occurs, the low and high scores will added back in and the winners will be determined. If a tie remains, the contestant must compete with an additional form to decide the winner.

Hyung Requirement

Rank

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| White Belt (10th Gup) | Hyung Il Bu ONLY |
| Yellow Belt (9th Gup) | Hyung Il Bu or Hyung E Bu |
| Orange Belt (8th Gup) | Hyung Sam Bu or Pyong Cho Dan |
| Orange Belt w/Stripe (7th Gup) | Pyong Ahn Cho Dan or Pyong E Dan |
| Green Belt (6th Gup) | Pyong E Dan or Pyong Sam Dan |
| Green Belt W/Stripe (5th Gup) | Pyong Sam Dan or Pyong Sa Dan |
| Green Belt W/ 2 Stripes (4th Gup) | Pyong Sa Dan or Pyong O Dan |
| Red Belt (3rd Gup) | Pyong o Dan or Pal Che So |
| Red Belt W/1 Stripe (2nd Gup) | Pal Che So or Pal Che Deh |
| Red Belt W/2 Stripe (1st Gup) | Pal Che Deh or Kee Mah Hyung Cho Dan |
| Blue Belt (Cho Dan Bo) | Pal Che Deh or Kee Mah Hyung Cho Dan |
| Blue Belt W/1 Stripe Cho Dan Bo) | Pal Che Deh or Kee Mah Hyung Cho Dan |
| Cho Dan or Higher | Highest of Their Two Form Requirements |

Bong Hyung Requirement

Authentic I.T.F Bong Hyung ONLY permitted.

Rank

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| Red Belts 1st to 3rd Gup | Bong Hyung Cho Dan |
| Cho Dan Bo (Blue Belts) | Bong Hyung Cho Dan |
| Cho Dan | Bong Hyung Cho Dan or Bong Hyung E Dan |
| E Dan | Bong Hyung Cho Dan, E Dan or Sam Dan |
| Sam Dan | Bong Hyung Cho Dan, E Dan, Sam Dan or Sa Dan |
| Sa Dan | Bong Hyung Cho Dan, E Dan, Sam Dan, Sa Dan or O Dan |

Board Breaking

Children 12 or Under 8" by 12" Boards (1/2 inch thick)
Adults 13 years of age and up 10" by 12" Boards (one inch thick)
Maximum of **three stations** with **Two** attempts per station

IMPORTANT : Standardized Boards will be Available at the Tournament!