

New Zealand Theory Exam

September 2022

| | Question | Answer | Rule | Marks |
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| Technical Specs | A goal circle is located at each end of the court. This is a semicircle with a of radius of: (a) 4m (13ft) (b) 4.9m (16ft) (c) 4.25m (13.9ft) | | Rule: 3.1.1 (v) | 1 |
| Technical Specs | During play only on-court players and umpires are permitted in the field of play (True/False). | | 3.1.3 | 1 |
| Technical Specs | Label the Court related areas shown by the highlighting– choose from; • Court, • Court Surround, • Field of Play • Playing Enclosure | | | 4 |
| Match Personnel | Who is responsible for each of the following? (Select from the following) Supervising a suspended player during the suspension period. a) Reserve Umpire b) Scorers c) Primary Care Person d) Both Umpires e) Captain/Timekeeper | | 5.2.2 (iv) | 1 |
| Controlling Play | Black GS is allowed to shoot for goal if she wins the ball at a toss up? True/False | | Rule: 8.5.3(ii)) | 1 |
| Match Procedures | The Umpire controlling the centre pass is responsible for penalising any infringements by the Centre taking the Centre pass. (If a sanction is awarded in the co-umpire’s half, the co-umpire assumes control once set). (True False) | | 6.1.1 (v) | 1 |
| Match procedures | Umpires must blow their whistles when the ball goes out of court .(True/False) | | 6.1.3 (i) | 1 |

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| Technical Specs | The Padding on the Goal Posts is not more than? | | 3.2 (i) (c) | 1 |
| Controlling Play | Black WA and White C jump to catch a pass. White C bats the ball to White GS (while still in the air), standing near the Goalpost. As White GS catches the ball, Black WA and White C land simultaneously in the Goal Circle. White GS shoots successfully for goal. | | | |
| Controlling Play | What is the infringement? | | 9.7.1 (ii)(B) | 1 |
| Controlling Play | What actions would the umpire take? | | | 1 |
| Controlling Play | Explain the reason for your action. | | | 1 |
| Technical Specs | A spare netball must be at the official bench. (True/False) | | Appendix A 3.3(iii) (a) & Rule 3.3(ii) | 1 |
| Scoring a goal | White GA is shooting a goal. Black GK who is standing out of Court, knocks the Goal Post causing the shot to miss. What action would the Umpire take? a) Penalty Pass where White GA shot for goal b) Penalty Pass on Court near where Black GK was standing c) Throw in White near where Black GK was standing d) Free Pass White where White GA Shot for goal | | 10.2 (ii) | 1 |
| Match Personnel | Prior to the game the Captains toss for the choice of goal end or first Centre Pass. Who must they notify of the result? A) their team, b) their coach, c) scorers d) scorers and umpires. | | 5.1.1(v)(a) | 1 |
| Controlling Play | Black's centre pass is caught by White WD who lands with feet astride the transverse line. White WD then passes the ball to White GA who is standing in the White's goal third | | | |
| Controlling Play | What is the infringement? | | 8.2.2 (vi) (b) 9.5.2(i) | 1 |

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| Controlling Play | What action would the Umpire take? | | Sanction 9.5.2 | 1 |
| During the match | White GA catches the ball very close to the Goalpost. As it is difficult to shoot from this position, White GA bounces the ball off the goalpost, catching the ball in a better position before scoring a successful goal. | | | |
| During the match | What is the infringement? | | 9.4.1 (i) & (iv) | 1 |
| During the match | What action would the Umpire take? | | | 1 |
| Match Personnel | The scorers must call all centre passes. (True/False) | | 5.3.1 (ii)(d) | 1 |
| Match Personnel | If a team has more than 7 players on the court, additional players are immediately sent from the court. (True/False) | | 5.1 (ii) (b) | 1 |
| Controlling Play | The game is due to start, and White team have only 4 players. Before 30 seconds has elapsed, the 5th player for the White team arrives and takes her position on the court. | | | |
| Controlling Play | What is the Infringement: (a) Delaying play White, (b) No Infringement, (c) Failure to take the court at the correct time | | 8.1.1(i) | 1 |
| Controlling Play | What is the Sanction/Action: (a) Let Play continue, (b) Penalty Pass to Black taken in Centre Third by the transverse line at the goal end of the non-infringing team. The centre stands out of play for the penalty pass (c) Blow whistle to start the game then award a Free Pass to Black taken in the Centre Third by the transverse line at the goal end of the non-infringing team. | | 8.1.1(a) Sanction | 1 |
| Controlling Play | White WA catches the ball and rolls it to White C. | | | |
| Controlling Play | What is the infringement? | | 9.4.1(vi) | 1 |
| Controlling Play | What is the Sanction/Action? | | | 1 |

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| Controlling Play | Black WA leaves the court to defend White C who has left the court to gain a better playing position. | | | |
| Controlling Play | What is the infringement? a) no infringement b) Defending a player while out of court Black WA c) leaving the court for no reason White C | | 8.3.4(i) | 1 |
| Controlling Play | What is the Umpire Action/Sanction? a) let play continue, b) Penalty pass White, on court close to where the Black WA was defending White C. c) Free Pass, on court Black, close to where White C left the court | | Sanction | 1 |
| Controlling Play | Explain the reason for your action | | 8.3.4 | 1 |
| Multiple rules | Black GS is shooting for goal. White GD and White GK are both defending from the correct distance. What action would the Umpire take in the following situations? | | | |
| Multiple rules | a) White GK deflects the shot at goal causing the shot to miss. The ball lands out of Court behind the Goal Line | | 8.3.1 (i) (a) | 1 |
| Multiple rules | b) White GK lifts White GD who hits the goal ring causing the shot to miss. The ball lands out of Court behind the Goal Line. | | 10.2 (ii) (a) Sanction | 1 |
| Multiple rules | c) White GD holds on to the Goalpost while she defends. The shot at goal is successful. | | 9.4.1 (ix) 7.2 | 1 |
| Multiple rules | d) White GD deflects the shot at goal and the ball passes completely through the goal ring. | | 10.1 (iii) | 1 |
| During the match | After notifying the Umpire, when may a late arriving player take the Court? a) Immediately after a goal has been scored b) At a stoppage for injury or illness c) Immediately following an interval d) All of the above | | 9.2 (iii) | 1 |
| During the match | What position would the late player (who usually plays WA) take when she goes onto court? a) She takes the WA position and the person there moves to the vacant position b) She fills the vacant position on court | | 9.2 (iii) | 1 |
| Match Duration | What is the length of the interval in the following game situations? | | | |

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| Match Duration | Half time during a one-hour game a) 5 or 10 minutes, b) 7 or 12 minutes, c) 12 or 8 minutes | | 4.1(i) | 1 |
| Match duration | Half time during extra time - a) 3 minutes, b) 1 minute, c) 5 minutes | | 4.2(ii) | 1 |
| During the match | Black GK taking a throw in steps onto court and passes the ball to Black GD. | | 8.4.1(i)(e) | |
| During the match | What is the Infringement (a) No Infringement (b) Incorrect Throw In (c) Stepping Black GK | | | 1 |
| During the match | What is the Sanction/Action (a) Let Play Continue (b) Free Pass to White where Black GK stepped onto the court (c) Award a Throw in to White | | | 1 |
| Game management | Black WD continually enters White Goal Circle during the first quarter of the game. The Umpire has both penalised the offside, played advantage and issued a caution as appropriate to each situation. | | | |
| Game management | Black WD continues to go offside. What would be the Umpire's next course of action? | | Rule: 13.1(i)(b) | 1 |
| Game management | Later in the same quarter, Black WD runs through the Goal Circle at White's Throw In. What action could the Umpire take? | | Rule: 13.1.3 | 1 |
| Game management | Early in the fourth quarter, Black WD is penalised for Contact. Black's Coach calls out inappropriate comments to the Umpire. What would the progression of action/s – be used.? | | Rule 13.3(ii)(a), (b) & (c) | 1 |
| During the match | White GS takes a shot for goal and as they do, the ball slips out of their hands and drops to the ground. Black GK reaches for the ball – to gain possession Black GK rolls it to himself, then passes it to Black C | | | |

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| During the match | What is the infringement? | | 9.4.1 (i) (b) | 1 |
| During the match | What action would the Umpire take? | | | 1 |
| During the match | White WD catches the ball in the Centre Third and steps back into Black's Goal Third before throwing the ball. The pass is caught by White WA who lands astride White's Goal Third transverse line. | | | |
| During the match | What is the infringement? a) Through a third White b) Footwork White WD c) No Infringement | | 9.5.2 | 1 |
| During the match | What action would the umpire take? a) Free Pass Black in White's Goal Third close to the transverse line b) Free Pass Black in the centre Third close to the transverse line by Black's goal third c) Let Play Continue | | | 1 |
| During the match | Explain the reason for this action: | | | 1 |
| Whistle | What is the whistle that Umpires use at the beginning of a period of play or to restart play after a stoppage? a) Medium whistle, b) long whistle roll, c) medium whistle roll, d) Long whistle. | | Appendix A Rule 5.2.1(ii)(a) | 1 |
| Whistle | What whistle is used to instruct the timekeeper to hold time- a) Medium whistle, b) long whistle roll, c) medium whistle roll, d) Long whistle. | | Rule 5 (v) Appendix A Rule 5.2.1 (ii)(c) | 1 |
| Whistle | What whistle is used to end a period of play? a) Medium whistle, b) long whistle roll, c) medium whistle roll, | | Rule 5(v) Appendix A | 1 |

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| | d) Long whistle. | | Rule 5.2.1(ii) (d) | |
| Whistle | At the 30 second warning, what type of whistle is used? a) Medium whistle, b) long whistle roll, c) medium whistle roll, d) Long whistle. | | Appendix A Rule 8 (i)(a) | 1 |
| During the match | Black C tips the ball in an uncontrolled manner twice in the Goal Third before batting the ball to Black WA standing in the Centre Third. | | | |
| During the match | What is the Infringement? A) Replayed Ball Black C, b) No Infringement, c) tipping the ball more than once, then batting to another player Black C. | | 9.4.1(v)(b) | 1 |
| During the match | What is the Sanction/Actions? a) Let Play Continue, b) Free Pass White where Black WA caught the ball, c) Free Pass White where Black C tips the ball in an uncontrolled manner. | | | 1 |
| Game management | Black Centre is penalised in the Goal Third and stands in the correct position indicated by the Umpire. White WA takes up the position for the penalty not where the umpire has indicated. This is the third time the White WA has moved to an incorrect position when a sanction has been awarded. | | | |
| Game management | What is the infringement? | | 13.2.1(i) | 1 |
| Game management | What action/s would the umpire take? | | 13.2.1(l) Sanction | 1 |
| Game management | What is the reason for your action/s: | | | 1 |
| Scoring a goal | Black GD is penalised in the Goal Circle for Obstruction. Black GD stands next to the White GA who has the ball and is ready to shoot for goal. White GA decides she wants White GS to take the Shot and puts the ball down on the ground for White GS to come and stand next to the Black GD. Black GK picks up the ball and passes to Black Centre. | | | |

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| Scoring a goal | What is the Infringement: a) No Infringement b) Held Ball Further penalty awarded | | Appendix A Rule 7(i) | 1 |
| Scoring a goal | What action would the umpire take: a) Penalty Pass to White where Black GK picked up the ball b) Let Play Continue c) Award a further Penalty as Penalty had not been taken. d) Free pass Black | | Appendix A Rule 7(i) | 1 |
| Scoring a goal | What is the reason for your answer? a) Penalty had been set correctly b) Penalty had not been taken c) Player held ball for longer than up to 3 seconds. | | Appendix A Rule 7 (i) | 1 |
| Game management | To manage a match the umpires may, in advance to the normal sanction, use a caution, issue a warning, suspend a player or order a player off. What does this mean for the player who has been given one of these | | | |
| Game management | Caution a player: A player is advised | | 13.1(i)(a) | 1 |
| Game management | Issue a Warning: A player is warned | | 13.1(i) (b) | 1 |
| Game management | Suspend a player: A player who is suspended..... | | 13.1(i)(c) | 1 |
| Contact | Black WD is standing in the goal third near the transverse line. White WA takes the ball in the air in the centre third and lands on top of the Black WD in the Goal third. | | 12.2.1 (i) | |
| Contact | What is the infringement? | | | 1 |
| Contact | What is the sanction? | | | 1 |
| Contact | Black GS is taking a penalty shot near the goalpost. White GD standing 0.9m from Black GS rests their arm across the Black GA's shoulder who is standing in front of Black GS, in an attempt to defend the shot at goal. | | 12.2(i) 12.1 | |
| Contact | What is the Infringement | | | 1 |

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| | (a) No Infringement (b) Inevitable Contact White GD Contact White GD | | | |
| Contact | What is the Action/Sanction (a) Let Play Continue Award a Penalty to Black | | Sanction | 1 |
| Obstruction | White GK is penalised for contact near the Goal Line in the Goal Circle. Black GS takes the penalty. White GD standing outside the Court, attempts to defend the shot at goal. | | | |
| Obstruction | What is the Infringement; a) Defending from out of court White GD, b) Penalty not taken, c) No Infringement. | | & 7.1.3 (ii) | 1 |
| Obstruction | What is the Sanction/Action: a) Let Play Continue, b) Retake original Penalty, c) Award Penalty on Court opposite where White GD defended from - both players to stand out of play, d) Throw In Black | | Rule 7.1.3 (ii) Sanction | 1 |