

IBA 'NEW' SCORING SYSTEM PROPOSAL



2022

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Reason for Change

(not limited to)

- 10 point must system was originally designed for Professional Boxing for 5 rounds +
- Very difficult to use for the full range of scoring available (10-9/10-8/10-7)
- Last 30 seconds of the round (scoring)
- To eliminate the ability to manipulate the round or the bout
- To create transparency throughout each stage of the round/bout
- Live scoring perceived to be better for the spectators

SCORING CRITERIA



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Judging

(Scoring Criteria)

Number of Quality blows on the Target Area

Domination of the bout by Technical and Tactical superiority

Competitiveness (*new scoring system – not required*)



Judging

(Scoring Criteria)

- **10-9 Close Round**
 - What does this mean?
- **10-8 Clear Winner of the Round**
 - What does this mean?
- **10-7 Total Dominance**
 - What does this mean?



SCORING SYSTEM



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Scoring System



Using 3 x 3-minute rounds (example)

- Each 3-minute round will be broken down into 3 x 1 minutes
- Judges will be required to score each minute of the round
- Only two scoring criteria's will apply
 - Quality blows on target area*
 - Dominance through technical and tactical superiority*
- At the one minute point in each round – indication via a vibration or via the gavel (one hit after 1 minute, 2 hits after 2 minutes, last 10 seconds indicated as normally applied, and round scored (or both))
- 9 portions of the bout to be scored with the allocation of 1 point/or 2 points if total dominance
- The same rules apply in terms of a tie-breaker/draw at the end of the bout
- 2 points added for a Warning*
- Judge expected to nominate a winner

Scoring System



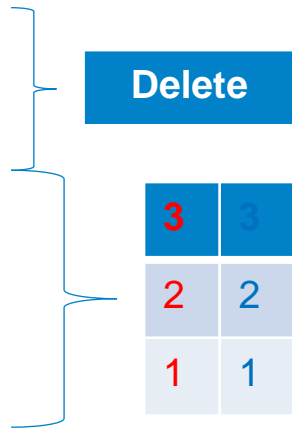
Electronic System

- All 5 judges scores will be used to

Manual Scoring System

- If the Scoring System becomes defective, the Referee will collect all 5 Judges' score cards and hand them to the Deputy Technical Delegate after each round

Computer Scoring



Removal of Numbers

- 6-10 to me removed
- Replaced with 1,2,3

Possible 'new' handheld paddles/sticks

Vibrate function

Use of clicker scoring or calculator

Scoring System

(Manual Process – One Special Note)



At the end of the last round, each Judge will be asked to address the question at the bottom of the Manual Scorecard

In the event of a draw the winner will be decided by applying the criteria in all respects throughout the duration of the full bout:

Scoring blows on target area

Dominance through technical and tactical superiority

On the line indicating “Winner”, the Judge should annotate with who in his/her opinion should be declared the winner if the bout should end in a tie. This is to be completed only after the final round and the final scorecard

Compulsory Counts



A maximum of three (3) eight counts will be given in one (1) round

~~**No limit on the amount of eight counts given in one (1) bout for Elite Men**~~

In AOB a maximum of four (4) eight counts will apply in one Bout.

A count caused by a foul (Low Blow) shall not be considered in the Compulsory Count limits

Impact on concurrent processes



- 1. Changes to the current system which will therefore require updated training for all R&Js**
- 2. Consideration in terms of change to the evaluation process and presented administration**
- 3. 2nd and 3rd order effect – impact on boxers? The current unknowns until the Pilot Study has been conducted**

Proposal to the Board of Directors



- 1. To consider the proposal regarding the change to the scoring system (views and thoughts)**
- 2. To agree that a Pilot Study can be conducted in various tournaments/competition to understand the application of the new system**
- 3. Target competition – unknow at this stage based on findings**

Questions and Answers

(Q&A)

