2021 HIGH JUMP RULES COMPARISON

GOVERNING BODY	WA	USATF	NCAA	NFHS
MARKS ON APPROACH	2 Markers max. No Indelible Marks, Chalk	2 Markers max. (3-Youth) No Indelible Marks, Chalk	2 Markers 7 X 15 cm max. not within 2 m of standards	ALLOWED
SHOE RESTRICTIONS	HEEL ?? mm	HEEL ?? mm	HEEL 19 mm	Shoes must be worn
	SOLE 20 mm max. SPIKES 12 mm, 25 Non-Syn	SOLE 20 mm max. SPIKES 12 mm, 25 Non-Syn	SOLE 13 mm SPIKES 12 mm, 25 Non-Syn	No aids
DISTANCE BETWEEN	4.00-4.04 m	4.00-4.04 m	4.00-4.04 m	12' Minimum
UPRIGHTS	10 cm min. to landing area	10 cm min. to landing area		
LANDING SURFACE	6 m x 4 m x 0.7 m	6 m x 4 m x 0.712 m	4.88 m x 2.44 m x 66cm	4.80 m x 2.40 m x 60cm 16' x 8' x 24"
CROSSBAR LENGTH	3.98-4.02 m	3.98-4.02 m	3.98-4.02 m	3.66 - 4.52 m 12'-14'10"
LATE ARRIVAL AFTER COMPETITION STARTS	START AT CURRENT HEIGHT IF ENTERED	START AT CURRENT HEIGHT IF ENTERED	CAN'T JUMP	CAN'T JUMP
PASSES	PASS HEIGHT	PASS HEIGHT	PASS ATTEMPT	PASS ATTEMPT
JUMPER LEAVES GROUND BUT DOES NOT COMPLETE JUMP	ALLOWED	ALLOWED	ALLOWED	ALLOWED
5 ALIVE SYSTEM ABANDONED	NOT USED	NOT USED	9 or fewer at a height at end of height	Fewer than 9 at height
LOWERING BAR AFTER COMPETITION STARTS	NOT ALLOWED EXCEPT TO JUMP OFF FIRST	NOT ALLOWED PLACE	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED
PRACTICE TRIALS AFTER COMPETITION STARTS	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED EXCEPTIONS for	1.5 MINUTES/JUMPER ALLOWED AFTER ONE	1 JUMP AFTER 3 CONSECUTIVE PASSED
COMIL ETHION OTHER		MASTERS/YOUTH	HOUR at ENTRY HEIGHT w/o crossbar	HEIGHTS AT ENTRY HT. w/o crossbar
ELECTRONIC DEVICES IN COMPETITION AREA	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED (may view outside competition area)	NOT ALLOWED except in coaches boxes
TIME RULES 4 OR MORE JUMPERS	1 MINUTE*	1 MINUTE*(0.5 min. Masters)*	0.5 MINUTE*	1 MINUTE
2-3 JUMPERS	1.5 MINUTES	1.5 MINUTES	1.5 MINUTES	3 MINUTES
1 JUMPER IN COMPETITION	3 MINUTES	3 MINUTES	3 MINUTES if winner	5 MINUTES if winner
CONSECUTIVE JUMPS	2 MINUTES 1 MINUTE*	2 MINUTES 1 MINUTE*(0.5 min. Masters)*	2 MINUTES within height	2 MINUTES within height
COMBINED EVENTS-4 or more COMBINED EVENTS-2 OR 3	1.5 MINUTES	1.5 MINUTES	1.5 MINUTES	1 MINUTE 3 MINUTES
COMBINED EVENTS1 JUMPER	2 MINUTES	2 MINUTES	2 MINUTES	5 MINUTES
COMBINED EVENTS CONSECUTIVE * or if first attempt in competition	2 MINUTES	2 MINUTES	2 MINUTES	2 MINUTES
BAR RAISE INCREMENTS	Minimum 2 cm	Minimum 2 cm	3-5 cm	NOT ADDRESSED
COMBINED EVENT INCREMENT	3 cm	3 cm (5 cm-Youth)	3 cm	NOT ADDRESSED
TIE BREAKER INCREMENTS	2 cm	2 cm	2 cm	1 inch (2 cm)
TIME EXPIRATION WARNING	At 15 seconds left	At 15 seconds left	At 15 seconds left	NOT ADDRESSED
METHOD	Raise Yellow Flag	Raise Yellow Flag At end, drop flag	Raise Yellow Flag	
SCORING SYMBOLS		A GIIG, GIOP IIAY		
CLEARED / FAILED / PASSED	O / X / — (dash)	O / X / — (dash)	O / X / — (dash)	O / X / — (dash)
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