

UMPIRES MOCK EXAM

This Exam should take 90 mins (1 ½ hrs) to complete. To grade yourself, note where you are at that time but complete the entire Exam.

1) Before the game the Umpires must inspect the playing uniforms. What are two requirements of playing position initials?

(i) _____

(ii) _____ (1)

2. Name four Team officials.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

(iii) _____

(iv) _____ (2)

3. Please complete the table below:

Responsibility	Who is responsible?
a) Indicate the direction of the Centre Pass	
b) Call the direction of the Centre Pass	
c) Ensure a suspended player remains at the	
d) Score Bench / Umpire's Bench	
e) Signal by electronic means the end of a quarter	

4. a) Are both ring and net part of the Goalpost? _____

b) What is the circumference of the Netball? _____ (1)

5. Who constitutes the Official Bench? _____
_____ (1)

6. Describe the type of whistle an Umpire would use in the following situations:

a) 10 second warning _____

b) Start of play following stoppage _____

c) End of game _____

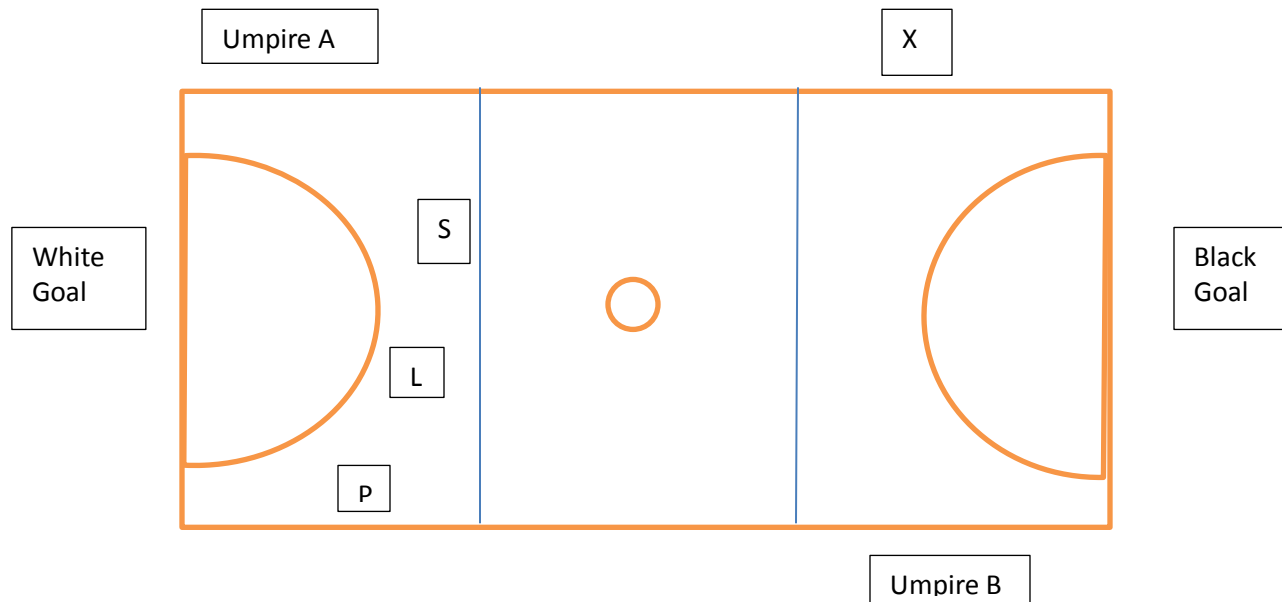
d) 30 second warning _____ (2)

7. What Penalty, if any, would an Umpire award for the following infringements?

a) Batting the ball directly at an opponent at a Toss Up _____

b) Striking the ball with a fist _____ (1)

Refer to the Court diagram below for Question 8.



8. a) Black scores the first goal. Which Umpire restarts play? _____

b) White WA standing at Point S throws a high pass to White C who is standing in the Centre Third. The ball is not caught and lands out of Court at Point X. Which Umpire penalizes this infringement? _____

c) White GS and Black GK catch the ball simultaneously at Point P. Which Umpire takes this Toss Up? _____

d) While the Toss Up is being taken at Point P, White C trips Black C at Point L? Which Umpire penalizes this infringement?
_____ (2)

9. Just before quarter time, White is taking a Centre Pass. Black WD is penalized for breaking however time is called before the ball is released. Which team has the first Centre Pass after quarter time? _____ (1)

10. a) At the first injury stoppage in a quarter which Umpire checks that the injured player is receiving treatment?

b) Who can provide rehydration at an injury stoppage?

c) At a subsequent injury stoppage in a quarter where should the Umpires stand?

d) What is the length of a subsequent injury stoppage? _____ (2)

**Question 11 requires you to circle your answer clearly - either Yes or No.
All questions are worth ½ mark.**

- 11.
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| a) May a player wear a Medical Alert bracelet if it is not taped? | Yes | No |
| b) Does a suspended player report to their Team Bench? | Yes | No |
| c) Can the Captain clarify a rule during an injury stoppage? | Yes | No |
| d) May the Reserve Umpire undertake duties delegated by match Umpires? | Yes | No |
| e) At the Centre Pass, may White WA have a foot on the Transverse Line? | Yes | No |
| f) Is a warning issued by one Umpire binding on the other Umpire? | Yes | No |

- g) May an Umpire decide on any matter not covered by the Rules? Yes No
- h) May an Umpire stop play for an injury to an Umpire? Yes No

**Questions 12 – 17 are multi choice. There is only one correct option.
Please circle your answer clearly. All questions are worth one mark.**

12. Black WA leaves the Court to gain a better playing position. White WD leaves the Court and continues defending Black WA. What action would the Umpire take?

- a) Penalty Pass Black on Court near the point where White WD began the defending action
- b) Let play continue
- c) Penalty Pass Black on Court near the point where White WD was standing
- d) Throw in Black where Black WA was standing

13. Black's Centre Pass is untouched in the Centre Third and is caught by White GA who lands astride the Transverse Line. What action would the Umpire take?

- a) Free Pass White in Goal Third near where the ball crossed the Transverse Line
- b) Let play continue
- c) Free Pass White in Centre Third near where the ball crossed the Transverse Line
- d) Let play continue, advantage rule applies

14. White GA catches the ball 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 shooting successfully for goal. What action would the Umpire take?

- a) Penalty Pass Black where White GA regained possession of the ball
- b) Free Pass Black where White GA regained possession of the ball
- c) Let play continue, count the goal
- d) Free Pass Black near the Goalpost where White WA bounced the ball

15. When would an Umpire use this hand signal of their hands crossed above their head?

- a) Contact
- b) Advantage
- c) Obstruction
- d) Any stoppage other than an injury stoppage

16. White WD and Black WA simultaneously land in the Goal Circle as the ball is caught by Black GA standing close to the Goalpost?

- a) Let play continue
- b) Toss Up between White WD and Black WA outside the Goal Circle
- c) Toss Up between White GA and Black GD inside the Goal Circle
- d) Free Pass White inside the Goal Circle where Black WA went offside

17. White GK and White GD catch the ball at the same time following an unsuccessful shot for goal. White GK quickly releases the ball and White GD passes to White C. What action would the Umpire take?

- a) Free Pass Black where White GK releases the ball
- b) Free Pass Black where White GK and White GD caught the ball
- c) Let play continue
- d) Free Pass Black where White GD passed the ball to White C

The remaining questions ask you to demonstrate a practical understanding of Rules and Protocols. Remember to state where any Penalty is to be taken.

18. White WD falls over and drops the ball on the ground. While still lying on the ground, White WD attempts to pick up the ball. White C moves forwards and picks up the ball.

Infringement: _____

Action: _____

19. Black WA catches the ball and lands on both feet simultaneously. Black WA jumps and lands on both feet again before releasing the ball.

Infringement: _____

Action: _____ (2)

20. Black GA's shot at goal rebounds off the Goalpost. White GK jumps in the air and bats the ball and it passes through the ring.

Infringement: _____

Action: _____ (2)

21. Black C and White C are both trying to pick up a loose ball. Black C gains possession just before White C.

Infringement: _____

Action: _____ (2)

22. Black C catches the ball and lands on the left foot. White WA defends from 0.6m as Black C steps on to the right foot and pushes the ball into White WA.

a) What action would the Umpire take? _____

b) Explain the reason for your action. _____

c) What action would the Umpire take if White WA defended 0.9m from Black C left foot? _____ (3)

23. White GD knocks the Goalpost causing Black's shot at goal to miss. At the same time as Umpire A blows the whistle for this infringement, Umpire B blows the whistle to signal the end of the game.

a) Name the infringement. _____

b) What action would the Umpire take? _____

c) Explain the reason for your action. _____ (3)

24. At the edge of the Goal Circle Black WD hits the ball out of White WA's hands. The ball rolls into the Goal Circle and is picked up by White GS.

Infringement: _____

Action: _____ (2)

25. White WD continually enters Black Goal Circle during the first quarter of the game. The Umpire has both penalised the offside and also played advantage as appropriate to each situation.

a) White WD continues to go offside. What would be the Umpire's next course of action?

b) Later in the same quarter, White WD runs through the Goal Circle at Black's Throw In. What action could the Umpire take?

c) Early in the fourth quarter, White WD is penalised for Contact. White's Coach calls out inappropriate comments to the Umpire. What action would the Umpire take?

(3)

26. The ball goes out of Court over the Centre Third Side Line. White WA retrieves the ball, giving it to White C to take the Throw in. White C takes the Throw In and passes the ball to White WD standing in the Centre Third.

a) State the Umpires action if:

(i) Before the Throw in is taken: Black WD, standing on court, defends White WA preventing WA from directly re-entering the court.

(ii) Before the Throw in is taken: White WA attempts to re-enter the court from the Goal Third Side Line and is prevented from doing so by Black GD, who is defending from on court.

b) Explain the reason for your action in (a) (ii)?

(3)

27. At Black's Centre Pass, Black WA pushes White WD in the Goal Third as attempting to gain a better position.

a) Name the infringement. _____

b) What action would the Umpire take? _____

c) Explain the reason for your action. _____ (3)

28. White C informs the Umpire that Black WA is bleeding. The Umpire stops the game.

a) What is the length of this stoppage? _____

b) Where should the Umpires stand during this stoppage? _____

c) At the end of this stoppage, Black WA is still bleeding. To allow play to continue, what option/s does the Black Team have?

d) Name two other requirements an Umpire must check before play restarts. _____

_____ (4)

29. At Black's Centre Pass Black WD catches the ball and lands on the left foot in the Centre Third. Black WD steps back in to the Goal Third on the right foot before passing the ball to Black GS.

a) Name the infringement. _____

b) What action would the Umpire take? _____

c) Explain the reason for your action. _____

_____ (3)

30. What action would the Umpire take in the following situations?

a) White C drops the ball and crouches with arms outstretched to stop Black C from picking up the ball. Black C is standing 0.8m from White C.

b) Black GA is shooting for goal just inside the Goal Circle. White WD standing 0.7m from Black GA outside the Goal Circle, defends the shot making it difficult to shoot. _____

c) White GK defends Black GS shot at goal from the correct distance. White GK jumps landing very near to Black GS as the ball is released. The shot is unsuccessful. _____ (3)