



CHAPTER

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FIVB VOLLEYBALL WORLD LEAGUE 2016 **REFEREES**

List of referees

Referee's Signals

FIVB REFEREES AND OFFICIALS 2016 WORLD LEAGUE

GROUP 1						
JUNE 16-19, 2016	SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA		RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL		KALININGRAD, RUSSIA	
	FRA-ITA-AUS-BEL		BRA-IRI-USA-ARG		BUL-RUS-POL-SRB	
1. International Referee	Liu Jiang	CHN	Luis Gerardo Macias	MEX	Fabrizio Saltalippi	ITA
2. International Referee	Nasr Shaaban	EGY	Jaafar Ebrahim Ali	BRN	Mohammad Shahmiri	IRI
3. International Referee	Ibrahim Al Naama	QAT	Goran Gradinski	SRB	Taoufik Bouda a	TUN
4. International Referee	Juraj Mokry	SVK	Denny Cespedes Lassi	DOM	Hernan Casamiquela	ARG
5. Local Referee	Toan Phong Nguyen	AUS	Luiz Henrique Coutinho	BRA	Vladimir Oleynik	RUS

JUNE 24-26, 2016	LODZ, POLAND		ROME, ITALY		BELGRADE, SERBIA	
	POL-ARG-RUS-FRA		BEL-USA-AUS-ITA		IRI-BUL-BRA-SRB	
1. International Referee	Fabrizio Pasquali	ITA	Hamid Alrousi	UAE	Paul Albright	USA
2. International Referee	Paolo Turci	BRA	Vladimir Oleynik	RUS	Simone Santi	ITA
3. International Referee	Luis Gerardo Macias	MEX	Rogério Espicalsky	BRA	Pedro Fabian Concia	ARG
4. International Referee	Vladimir Simonovic	SRB	Josmer Perez Broche	PUR	Arturo Di Giacomo	BEL
5. Local Referee	Piotr Dudek	POL	Daniele Rapisarda	ITA	Ivan Lazarevic	SRB

JULY 1-3, 2016	PARIS, FRANCE		DALLAS, USA		TEHRAN, IRAN	
	BRA-POL-FRA-BEL		AUS-RUS-USA-BUL		ITA-ARG-IRI-SRB	
1. International Referee	Daniele Rapisarda	ITA	Goran Gradinski	SRB	Nathanon Sowapark	THA
2. International Referee	Shin Muranaka	JPN	Anderson Caçador	BRA	Jaafar Ebrahim Ali	BRN
3. International Referee	Andrey Zenovich	RUS	Hamid Alrousi	UAE	Ibrahim Al Naama	QAT
4. International Referee	Abderrazek Hariz	TUN	Pedro Fabian Concia	ARG	Nasr Shaaban	EGY
5. Local Referee	Fabrice Collados	FRA	Ron Stahl Jr.	USA	Ebrahim Firouzi	IRI



GROUP 2						
JUNE 17-19, 2016	IZMIR, TURKEY		OSAKA, JAPAN		CESKA BUDEJOVICE, CZE	
	TUR-POR-NED-SVK		CUB-KOR-JPN-FIN		CHN-CAN-CZE-EGY	
1. International Referee	Heike Kraft	GER	Amin Al-Traifi	KSA	Nicholas Heckford	ENG
2. International Referee	Khaled Al-Zughaibi	KSA	Ali Fadili	MAR	Cor Van Gompel	NED
3. International Referee	Andrey Zenovich	RUS	Dusan Hodon	SVK	Celso Ricardo Cabrera	ARG
4. International Referee	Wensheng Luo	CHN	Marcelo Pierobon	ARG	Kazuyoshi Yamamoto	JPN
5. Local Referee	Erdal Akinci	TUR	Takeshi Eshita	JPN	Jan Kricka	CZE

JUNE 24-26, 2016	BRATISLAVA, SLOVAKIA		CAIRO, EGYPT		SASKATOON, CANADA	
	NED-CZE-SVK-CUB		TUR-JPN-EGY-FIN		CAN-CHN-POR-KOR	
1. International Referee	Ralph Barnstorf	GER	Daouda Pare	CMR	Celso Ricardo Cabrera	ARG
2. International Referee	Evgeny Makshanov	RUS	Lotfi Ben Youssef	TUN	Ricardo Borroto	CUB
3. International Referee	Xingbiao Chen	CHN	Wim Cambre	BEL	Lucian Nastase	ROU
4. International Referee	Ronald Stahl Jr.	USA	Scott Dziejwiz	CAN	Brian Charles	TRI
5. Local Referee	Igor Schimpl	SVK	Wael Kandil	EGY	Andrew Robb	CAN

JULY 1-3, 2016	SEOUL, KOREA		XUANCHENG, CHINA		TAMPERE, FINLAND	
	KOR-CZE-EGY-NED		TUR-JPN-CHN-SVK		CAN-CUB-FIN-POR	
1. International Referee	Harald Sodja	AUT	Sang-Chun Jun	KOR	Stefano Cesare	ITA
2. International Referee	Redha Bouzidi	ALG	Joseph Gerard	MAS	Alexander Ryabtsov	RUS
3. International Referee	Epaminondas Gerotherodoros	GRE	Andrew Robb	CAN	Martin Hudik	CZE
4. International Referee	Silvio Silveira	BRA	Vlastimil Kovar	CZE	Paulo Beal	BRA
5. Local Referee	Jae-Hyo Choi	KOR	Ming Gou	CHN	Kari Partainen	FIN



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GROUP 3						
JUNE 17-19, 2016	LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA		MEXICO DC, MEXICO		KOZANI, GREECE	
	SLO-TUN-VEN-QAT		MEX-ESP-MNE-GER		KAZ-GRE-TPE-PUR	
1. International Referee	Wim Cambre	BEL	Lanza Miller	BAH	Nurper Ozbar	TUR
2. International Referee	Dobromir Dobrev	BUL	Hector Ortiz	PUR	Christian Wolf	SUI
3. International Referee	Brian Mcdougall	SCO	Silvio Silveira	BRA	Laszlo Adler	HUN
4. International Referee	Kari Partainen	FIN	Alexey Pashkevich	RUS	Sinisa Ovuka	BIH
5. Local Referee	Blaz Markelj	SLO	Maria Duran Guzman	MEX	Michail Themelis	GRE

JUNE 24-26, 2016	THESSALONIKI, GREECE		TUNIS, TUNISIA		ALMATY, KAZAKHSTAN	
	SLO-PUR-GRE-QAT		MNE-VEN-TUN-MEX		ESP-TPE-KAZ-GER	
1. International Referee	Stephan Grieder	SUI	Essomey Mboumteke	CMR	Robert Szydowski	AUS
2. International Referee	Abderrazek Hariz	TUN	Ebrahim Firouzi	IRI	Masoud Yazdanpanah	IRI
3. International Referee	Lai Chun Cheng	TPE	Juan Rivera	PUR	Blaz Markelj	SLO
4. International Referee	Bruno Muha	CRO	Jörg Kellenberger	GER	Sami Ebrahim Sowayed	BRN
5. Local Referee	Ioannis Ioannidis	GRE	Mohamed Moez Baouab	TUN	Doszhan Ualkhanov	KAZ

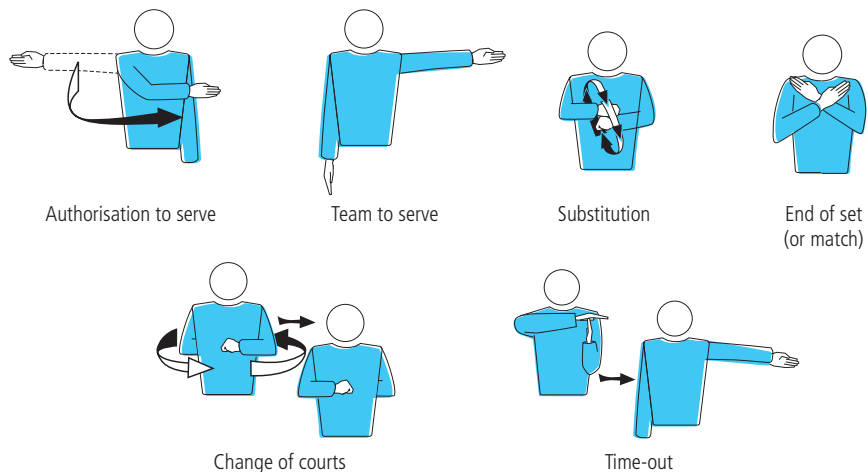


FINAL ROUND - GROUP 3		
JULY 1-2, 2016	FRANKFURT, GERMANY	
International Referee	Jacobus Nederhoed	NED
International Referee	Philippe Schuermann	LIE
International Referee	Luca Sobrero	ITA
International Referee	Marcelo Pierobon	ARG
Local Referee	Ute Fischer	GER

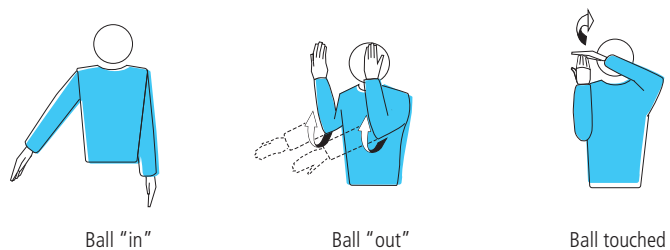
FINAL ROUND - GROUP 2		
JULY 9-10, 2016	MATOSINHOS, PORTUGAL	
International Referee	Nicholas Heckford	ENG
International Referee	Wojciech Maroszek	POL
International Referee	Brian Charles	TRI
International Referee	Ali Fadili	MAR
Local Referee	Vitor Goncalves	POR

FINAL ROUND - GROUP 1		
JULY 13-17, 2016	KRAKOW, POLAND	
International Referee	Juraj Mokry	SVK
International Referee	Nasr Shaaban	EGY
International Referee	Luis Gerardo Macias	MEX
International Referee	Liu Jiang	CHN
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International Referee	Heike Kraft	GER
International Referee	Mr. Andrey Zenovich	RUS
Local Referee	Piotr Dudek	POL

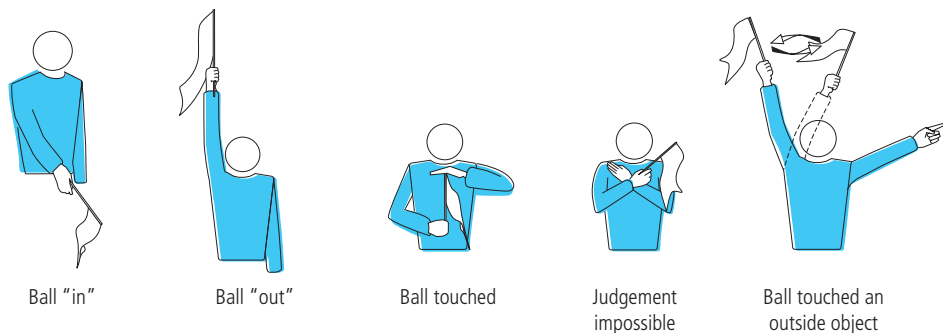
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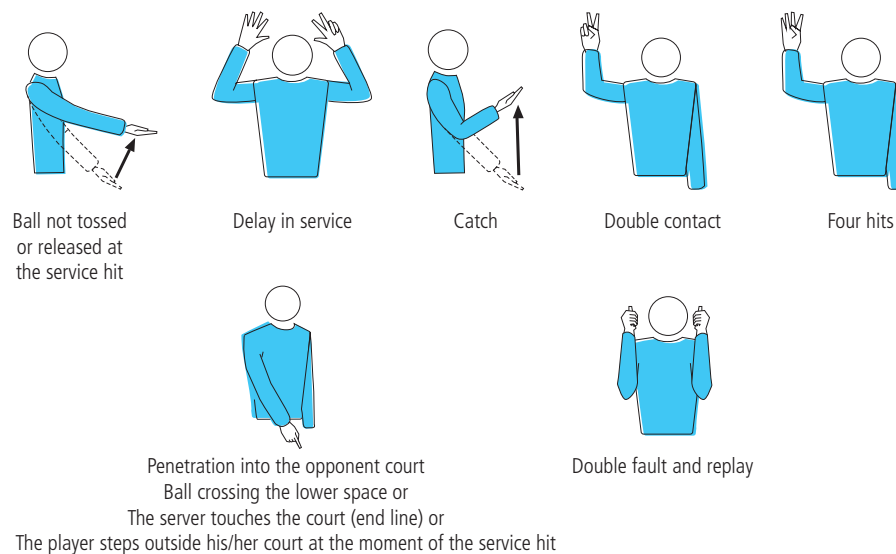
Judgment on the ball by the first referee



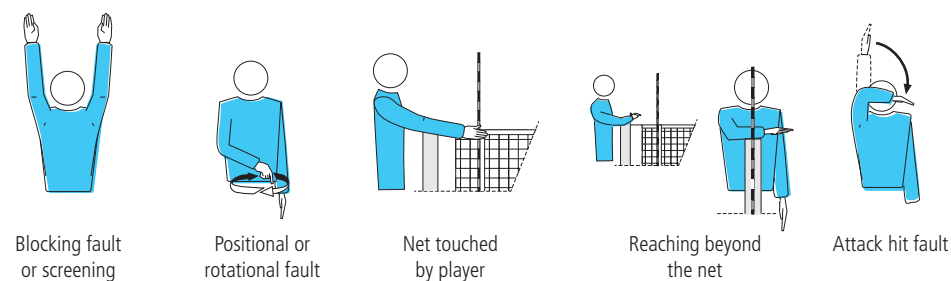
Judgment on the ball by the line judges (flag signals)



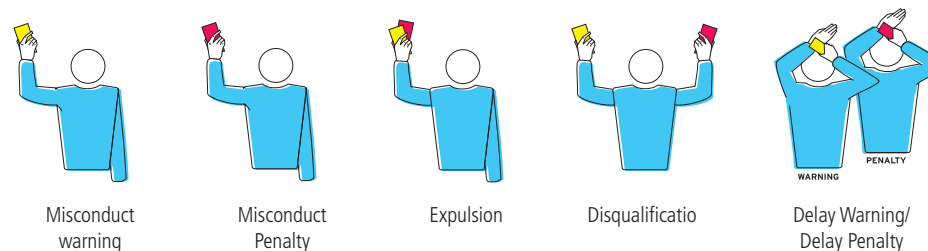
Ball handling



Player's faults



Sanctions



Rally point system

With the Rally Point System – first featured at the 1998 World Championships – the team winning a rally scores a point regardless of which team is serving. When a team wins a rally, it gains a point and the right to serve. The last tournament played with the “sideout” system was the 1997 FIVB World Grand Champions Cup.

Match format

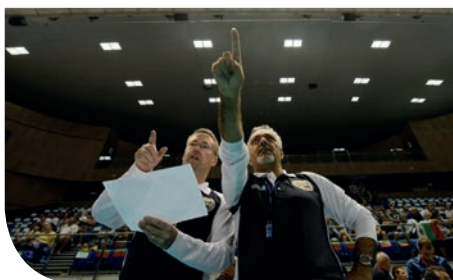
Matches are decided over the best of five sets. The first four sets are played to 25 points and the fifth set is played to 15 points. A set (except the deciding fifth set) is won by the team which first scores 25 points with a minimum lead of two points. In the case of a 24-24 tie, play is continued until a two-point lead is achieved (i.e. 26-24; 27-25). In the case of a 2-2 tie, the deciding fifth set is played to 15 points with a minimum lead of 2 points. This new scoring system was introduced after the 1998 FIVB World Congress held in Tokyo.

Libero player

The Libero is a specialist defensive player, dressed in a different colour who can replace any player in a back row position. The Libero is not allowed to serve, block or attack, and can hand set only from the back row.

‘Let service in play’

If, when serving, the ball touches the net and continues to the opposite side, the play continues. If the ball hits the net during the serve, it is still in play.



Touching the net

Touching the net with the body is a fault except when playing the ball or interfering with the play. Contact with the net by a player between the antennae, during the action of playing the ball, is a fault.

Time Outs

Each team is entitled to a maximum of two time-outs and all time outs last for 30 seconds per set. For FIVB world and official competitions, during sets one to four two additional 60-second technical time outs are applied automatically, when the leading team reaches the eighth and 16th points. In the deciding fifth set there are no technical time outs.

Intervals between sets

All intervals between sets are for three minutes. The interval between the second and third set can be extended up to 10 minutes at the request of the organiser.

Coach movements

The coach may give these instructions by sitting on the bench, standing or walking within the free zone of his or her team’s bench, up to the warm up area, provided that he or she does not disturb or delay the match.

Screening

The players of the serving team must not prevent their opponent, through individual or collective screening, from seeing the server and the flight path of the ball during the serve.

The full Rules of the Game text for volleyball can be found on the official FIVB website (www.fivb.com).