

2017 ICF PARACANOE ON-WATER TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT CHART

Athlete ID number

K1

ON WATER OBSERVATION

Observed getting into the boat: Yes
 Observed paddling away from dock: Yes
 Observed paddling towards the dock: Yes
 Observed paddling right to left (L to R): Yes
 Start observed: Yes
Intensity should vary from 50% effort to 100% effort

Equipment passport submitted before competition

Video

Adapted equipment with paddler in boat (photo)

Adapted paddle (photo)

Athlete holds adapted paddle (photo)

Novice paddler

Experienced paddler

Right Leg movement	0 Passive or no movement	1 Partial movement	2 Full movement
Left Leg movement	0 Passive or no movement	1 Partial movement	2 Full movement
Angle of legs	High	Normal	Flat
Foot/legs contact with footboard or boat	Yes	No	
Balance	0 Functional Balance is compromised by using the upper trunk only. (Look for: <u>need</u> for straps, high seat)	1 Functional Balance is compromised by using the upper and lower trunk only. (Look for: <u>need</u> for lower backrest, strap around hips/legs)	2 Functional Balance is achieved using the upper and lower trunk and full/partial leg(s) (no <u>need</u> for strapping; regular seat.)
Trunk Posture	0 Backwards/C-shaped	1 Upright	2 Forward (Flex)
Trunk Rotation	0 No rotation	1 Partial rotation	2 Full rotation
Trunk Side flexion	0 Both sides, head moving	1 One side	2 No side flexion
Range of stroke motion	Short	Normal	Long
			Symmetrical
			Yes
			No
Depth of paddle stroke	Deep	Shallow	Wide

Stroke speed	Slow	Regular	Fast	Able to vary speed
Stroke synchronization	Basic		Regular	Good
TOTAL POINTS				
Which cluster does this score fit into (Circle one)	Cluster 1 0 – 3 points	Cluster 2 4 – 8 points	Cluster 3 9 – 12 points	

Technical Classifier Signature

Date

CLASSIFIER GUIDELINES

Leg Movement

FOR 0 POINTS: *Passive or no movement, above knee amputee.*

Athletes may use adaptations and strapping to prevent involuntary movements of paralysed limbs or non-functioning residual limbs to aid stability in the boat.

FOR 1 POINT: *Partial active movement of lower limb including knee.*

FOR 2 POINTS: *Full movement, Voluntary movement of hip and knee flexion/extension. Example: below knee amputee*

When adaptations restrict functional movement of the legs as determined by the medical leg compartment test, the leg compartment scoring shall generally follow the medical compartment scoring.

Trunk Posture

For 0 POINTS: Backwards/C-shaped

For 1 POINTS: Upright

For 2 POINTS: Forward

These descriptions are general and may not be due to functional ability but may be due to adaptive equipment.

Trunk Rotation

For 0 POINTS: No rotation, shoulders only

For 1 POINTS: Partial rotation, trunk & shoulders

For 2 POINTS: Full rotation, trunk & pelvis

Generally, scoring between the medical and technical tests should be consistent. Ideally, adaptations ought to maximize functional ability, not restrict functional ability. When classifiers consider that scoring discrepancies exist between the tests, Classifiers are encouraged to re-do tests. The functional medical test scoring should be reflected in the technical scoring

Classifiers need to be mindful that the acquisition of canoeing skills can affect the On-water Technical scoring. In these cases, athletes are maximizing their existing functional ability. Nevertheless, there still needs to be consistency between all scoring tests.