





Basketball Technical Regulations for Private Clubs











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A/ Technical Requirements







1. Coaches

- 1.1 Coaches must obtain basketball training certificates to be approved by the Saudi Basketball Federation for all grades and provide the federation with a copy thereof.
- 1.2 The male and female coaches or any of the club's staff must have a first aid certificate or obtain it during the first three months after contracting with the club and providing the federation with an enclosed copy.
- *The coach may obtain the first aid certificate from the Leaders Development Institute*
- 1.3 One coach shall be designated for every 15 players. If there are more than 15 players, an assistant coach must be assigned.
- **1.4** Provide the Federation with a certificate of good conduct from any accredited center for coaches.





- 2.1 The court must be indoor (halls) pursuant to the standards and criterions of the International Basketball Federation: 28 mx 15 m (91.9 ft x 49.2 ft) if it is owned or rented facility.
- * Private clubs players may train in outdoor fields pursuant to the standards and criterions of the International Basketball Federation: 28m x 15m (91.9 feet x 49.2 feet) if it is owned or rented facility.
- 2.2 FIBA court measurements and dimensions (Picture in Appendix A)
- **2.3** Playing floor

league divisions/ Floor Surface	Mobile wooden flooring	Permanent wooden flooring	Synthetic flooring
Professional League	~	~	×
First Division League	~	~	✓
Second Division League	~	✓	✓

- * Please see the following page for flooring requirements:
 - **2.3.1** The playing floor shall be a minimum length of 32 mm and a minimum width of 19 mm.





2.3 The flooring must adhere to the following sports functional requirements:

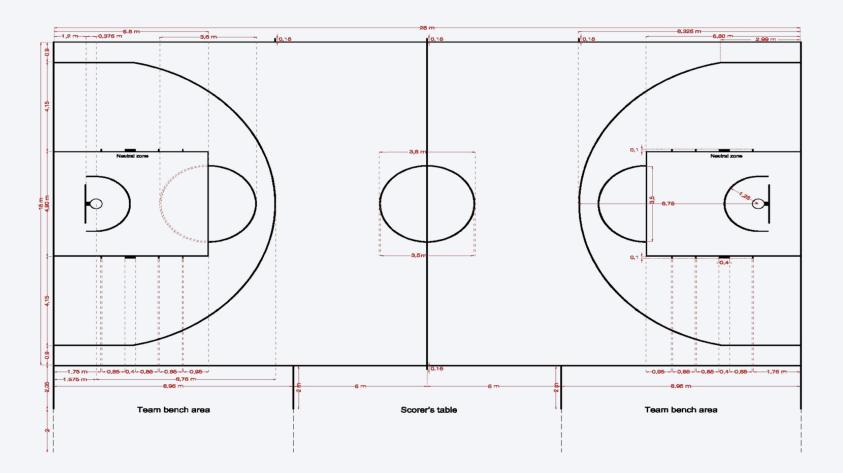
Performance property	Mobile wooden flooring	Permanent floori		Synthetic flooring
Force reduction	7.75 - 7.50 Uniformity (absolute) ± 5 % from average		verage	Point Elastic: 25 % - 75 % Mixed Elastic: 45 % - 75 % Area Elastic: 40 % - 75 % Combined Elastic: 45 % - 75 % Uniformity (absolute) ± 5 % from average
≥ 1.5 mm - ≤ 5.0 mm Vertical deformation		mm	≥ 2.3 mm - ≤ 5.0 mm	Point Elastic: ≤ 3.5 mm Mixed Elastic: ≤ 3.5 mm Area Elastic: 1.5 mm – 5.0 mm Combined Elastic: 1.5 mm - 5.0 mm Uniformity ± 0.7 mm from average
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Ball rebound	%93 ≤ Uniformity (absolute) ± 3 % from average		verage	≥ 90 % Uniformity (absolute) ± 3 % from average
Slip resistance	Average: ≥	80 - ≤ 110		Average: ≥ 80 - ≤ 110
Resistance to wear	≤ 80 mg			≤ 1,000 mg
Specular gloss	⁄/.45 ≥ Uniformity (≤ 10-unit variance)		e)	N/A
Rolling load	Permanent indentation of ≤ 0.5 mm		mm	Permanent indentation of ≤ 0.5 mm





Appendix A

Court Measurements and Dimensions







- 2.4 The Padding must be in accordance to the International Basketball Federation standards (Appendix B).
- **2.5 The Basketball ring**: The rings shall be made of solid steel. Have an inside diameter of a minimum of 46 cm and be in the center of the backboard (horizontal).

The top edge of each ring shall be positioned horizontally, 3,050 mm equidistant from the 2 vertical edges of the backboard.

- 2.6 Backboard: The backboards shall measure 1.8m x 1.05m the backboards shall be made with a thickness of minimum 19mm, 1.2m from finish line.
- * The backboards shall be made of non-reflective laminated safety glass or tempered glass with a flat front surface and shall:
 - Have a protective framework of the backboard support structure around the outer edge.
 - Be manufactured as shatter-resistant glass.
- 2.7 The following must be in accordance with the International Basketball Federation requirements:
 - Two dressing rooms with their own rest rooms.
 - Restrooms on the site (for female and male visitors) and for people with special needs.
 - A Spectator area with a capacity of no less than 200 spectators in the second and first class, 500 spectators in the premier division.
 - Medical clinic.





- 2.8 An electronic scoreboard and a game clock control panel pursuant to the picture in Appendix C.
- 2.9 Shot clock shall be placed on the two towers or on the sides of the court.
- **2.10** Officials (Referees) table.
- **2.11** Benches for Substitutes.



2.12 Lighting

Item No.	Description	Unit	Quantity
	Illuminance unit		
1	Supply, installation and operation of illuminance units as shown and described in the plans, including all pipes, boxes, wires, and everything necessary in a complete way.		
2	A lighting unit installed on Dropped ceiling, 4 * 20 watt, 220 V 60, with fast flicker and high power factor, with an F7 reflector.	Number	4
3	A lighting unit installed on Dropped ceiling, aluminum slats, capacity 1 * 20 watt, 220 volt, 60 volt, fast flicker, high power factor, and an acrylic diffuser of F2 type	Number	18
4	As aforementioned in the previous item, but with a lighting unit of 2 * 40 watt F3 quality.	Number	10
5	A visible lighting unit with voltage of 220 V / 60 $^{\circ}$ F / rapid flicker with an identical aluminum diffuser of F5	Number	4
6	400-watt immersive lighting unit is weatherproof, the body is made of brushed aluminum and the protection rating is IP55	Number	8
7	Lighting unit on ceilings, capacity of 1 * 400 watts and voltage of 220 V, the intensity of the lighting flow must be indicated by 60% with a hanging rod	Number	40
8	1 * 18W / 220V Circular Wall Lamp with Downlight	Number	3
9	Mercury vapor light, capacity of 1 * 125 watt / 220 F / 60, wall mounted with a reflector of 40 cm diameter of opal and protection degree IP54	Number	16





Item No.	Description	Unit	Quantity
	HVAC system		
	Supply, installation and operation of the entire heating, ventilation and air-conditioning system in accordance with the recommendations of the American Society of Heating and Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) and standard specifications (SMACNA) and the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)		
1	Supply, installation, inspecting and operation of compact central air conditioning units installed on the roof (American or European made) including all necessary air ducts, control units, energy saving units, fire protecting requirements, washable filters, thermostats, all accessories, fuse bases, etc. to complete the work properly according to the technical plans, specifications and rules.		
2	Air Conditioning Unit (PACU-1 & 2)		
3	Heating capacity: 86 KW		
4	Airflow: 15,000 CFM		
5	The cooling capacity is 50 tons	Number	2
6	Concealed Ducted Air Conditioning Unit FCU1and DCU-1		
7	Total capacity of cooling: 1.5 tons	Number	1





Item No.	Description	Unit	Quantity
	Exhaust fans		
	Supply, installation, inspecting and exhaust fans, connections, and everything needed to be ready according to specifications, drawings and technical assets		
2	(EF1) Wall mounted fans (Centrifugal type) Air volume 1075 ft3 / min External static pressure 0.3 water	Number	1
3	(EF2) Wall mounted fans (Centrifugal type) Air volume 1000 feet 3 / min External static pressure 0.3 water	Number	1
4	(EF16) Wall mount Fans (Centrifugal type) Air volume 450 feet 3 / min External static pressure 0.3 " water	Number	1





Item No.	Description	Unit	Quantity
	Air duct system		
	Supplying and installing internal and external air ducts from galvanized steel sheets (G90) and being DOUBLE SKIN according to what is stipulated in the plans and according to the American specifications (SMACNA). The price includes the supply and installation of volumetric dampers for all branches and fire and smoke dampers when crossing the air ducts from one area to another, provided that they are of the type equipped with a motor and are connected to the control system in accordance with the specifications of (NFPA) with acrylic and silicone sealants around all air ducts that penetrate the walls, ceilings, and liquid Suspension, cushions, detection doors, bell nozzle for entry of return air and fresh air equipped with wire mesh with 6 mm holes, and all accessories.	Kg	3800





Item No.	Description	Unit	Quantity
	Thermal insulation of air ducts		
1	Thermal insulation with a thickness of 25 mm and a density of 24 kg / m3 of fiberglass for internal ducts	2M	500
2	Thermal insulation of the outer ducts with a thickness of 50 mm and a density of 48 kg / m3 with aluminum strips of the appropriate thicknesses.	2M	100
3	Air Outlets (supply & return & exhaust)		
4	Supplying, installing, inspecting, running and operating the air outlets (supply & return & exhaust) and produce the required airflow. The item includes the supply of air grilles and all tires and dampers made of aluminum alloy with polystyrene paint in white color, all according to the following drawings, technical specifications and measurements:		
5	6 "x 6" exhaust	Number	22
6	4 "x 4" exhaust	Number	10
7	12 "x 12" supply	Number	2
8	RRCDØ18inchs for Return air	Number	18
9	RRCDØ20inchs For Supply air	Number	20





Equipment







- 3.1 Provide a minimum of 10 basket balls.
 - **3.1.1** Be within the circumference and weight tolerances outlined for:
 - **3.1.2** Men's competitions shall be used a size 7 ball; for all women's competitions a size 6 ball shall be used.

The International Basketball Federation certifies the Molten ball.

Number of Players

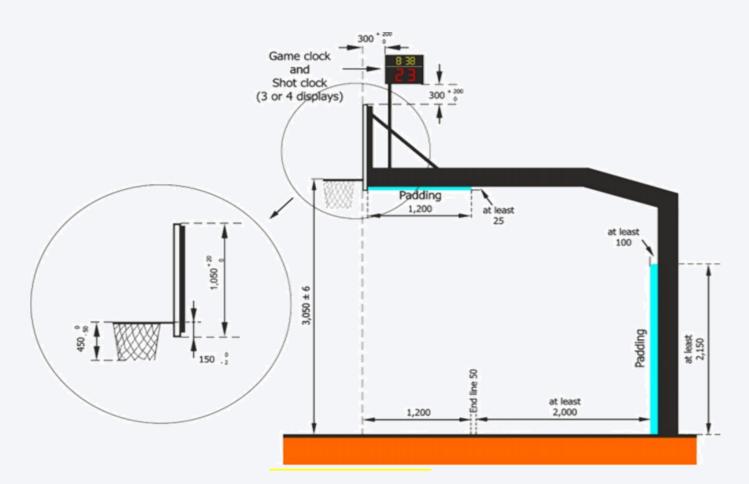
The number of players per team is built up with minimum of 10 and maximum of 20 players.





Appendix B

Basket Base

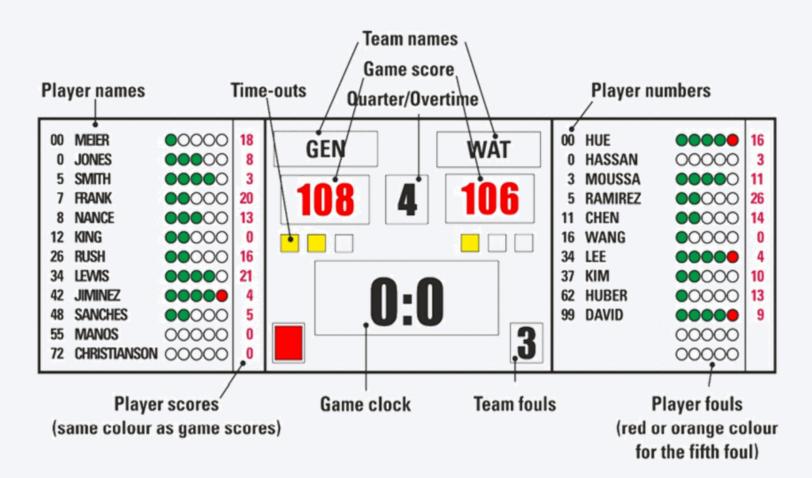






Appendix C

Electronic scoreboard



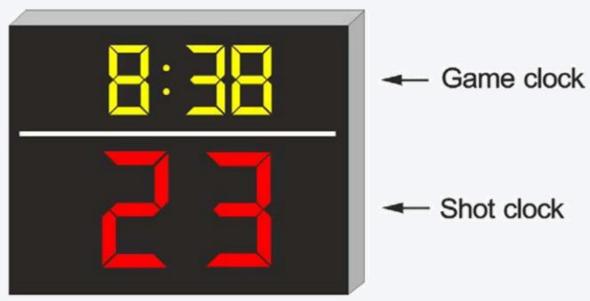




Appendix D

Electronic wall clock









4. Safety

- **4.1** The facility must adhere to the health regulations and protocols promulgated by the Ministry of Health, the Ministry of Sports and the Saudi Basketball Federation.
- 4.2 The federation shall inspect the safety of the entire basketball court (every 3 months) to ensure that there are no hazards that could cause damage and keep reports.
- 4.3 Conduct maintenance of the facility and inspect the safety devices periodically or in the case of any damage has been occurred to ensure that the facility remains safe.
- **4.4** Players shall not be obligated to play more than 20 hours per week.
- 4.5 Upon acceptance of the player, the player is required to submit a medical examination stating that the participant is medically fit and the club is held the full responsibility for that.
 - To obtain it, please fill out the following form (player form): http://sfsm.org.sa/mos20
 - Then fill in the following form (hospital / clinic form): http://sfsm.org.sa/mos10





4. Safety

- 4.6 Having a certified physiotherapist for the team or a valid contract with a clinic from the Saudi Federation for Health Specialties. In the event that a specialist is available but not accredited, one can apply for accreditation by filling out the following form by the Saudi Federation for Sports Medicine (SFSM) http://sfsm.org.sa/mos30
- ** If needed, SFSM provides a list of physiotherapists. To request, please click on: http://sfsm.org.sa/mos40
- **4.7 First Aid** Provide first aid kit with adequate equipment as it's stipulated here http://sfsm.org.sa/mos70 as per SFSM's minimum standards, and to have an ambulance car during games & tournaments (if available).
- ** For your convenience, we have prepared a ready-made first aid kit, to obtain it please click on the below: http://sfsm.org.sa/nafes/
 - ✓ **Small Bag:** SAR 12,650 (up to 50 persons)
 - ✓ Large bag: SAR 14,375 (up to 100 persons)
- 4.8 Fire alarm system according to the requirements of the Civil Defense





5. Competition

- **5.1** Adhere to the terms and the statute of the various federation competitions for all divisions (to be sent to clubs prior to the start of the sports season).
- **5.2** Participate in competitions organized by the Federation.
- 5.3 The club shall provide the certified name, logo and the sport jersey of the Federation.
- **5.4** All teams shall accept match broadcasts by the Federation.
- 5.5 Advertisement and sponsorship The Federation has the right to place its sponsorship on the court and the team's sponsors on the walls and pitches in the professional league, (if the matches are taking place at the club's court)
- **5.6** Number of teams participating in competitions:

	Professional League	First Division League	Second Division League (Regional tournament)	Federation Cup
The number of teams	10	10	Kingdom regions	16 - 32





5. Competition

- 5.7 The last two teams ranked ninth and tenth in the professional division will be relegated to the first division, and the top two teams ranked first and second in the first division will be promoted to the professional division next season.
- 5.8 The last two teams ranked ninth and tenth in the first division will be relegated to the second division, and the top two teams ranked first and second in the second division will be promoted to the first division next season.
- For more details, please refer to the Technical and Competitions Committee Regulations.
- **5.9** The Saudi Arabian Olympic Committee and Federations issues the conditions and instructions regulating the internal and external participations, whether in training camps, tournaments or competitions, and circulates them to the sports federations to work in accordance with them.

B/ Administrative Requirements



6. Membership



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- **6.1** To obtain membership in the federation, the club must submit an application to the Saudi Basketball Federation two months before the start of the season with the following attachments:
 - A statement of the names, qualifications and experiences of the technical and supervisors team of the game.
 - ❖ A statement including the existing facilities, stadiums and equipment
 - ❖ A pledge of compliance with the regulations, decisions and regulations promulgated by the Federation.
 - Males Receipt of the prescribed fees payment for joining the federation's membership, which is 10,000 riyals (ten thousand Saudi riyals)
 - Females Receipt of the prescribed fees payment for joining the federation's membership, which is 5,000 riyals (five thousand Saudi riyals)

It is thereby activated after obtaining the commercial registration from the Ministry of Commerce and the licensing from the Ministry of Sports.

- **6.2** The board of directors of the federation shall review the request and issue its decision within 30 (thirty) days from the commencement date on which the request was submitted by the general secretariat of the federation.
- **6.3** The Saudi Basketball Federation investigates and confirms the technical requirements.



6. Membership

- **6.4** The applicant shall be notified of the decision of the Board of Directors within fifteen days from the date of approval on the address included in the joining application, and the Ministry shall provide a copy of the decision.
- * An applicant for membership is considered a member of the Federation from the date of the decision issuance by the Board of Directors.
- **6.5** In the event that the application by the board of directors is rejected, the decision must be justified, and the membership applicant has the right to appeal the decision to the Ministry within 15 days from the date on which he is informed of the decision, and its decision is considered as a final settlement.
- **6.6** If the membership applicant is not notified of the decision of the board of directors officially during the periods referred to in the aforementioned paragraphs, then he has the right to elevate the matter to the Ministry to take the final decision within thirty days of its receipt





7. Fees

Men's First Team	Annual Fees
Premier League	27,000 Saudi Riyals
First Division League	27,000 Saudi Riyals
Second Division League	2,500 SAR x the number of home matches

Women's First Team	Annual Fees
Kingdom Championship	5,000



8. Violations & Penalties

	The Violation	Penalties						
		Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3				
Viol	Violation of the facility's requirements							
1	Damage in the basketball towers	1,000 SR. and verbal warning	3,000 SR. and a written warning	Membership terminated				
2	No or malfunctioned Wall clock	500 SR.	1,000 SR.	5,000 SR.				
3	Unavailability of shot clock	written warning	500 SR.	2,000 SR.				
4	The restrooms are not ready	verbal warning	500 SR. and a written warning	1,000 SR.				
5	The dressing room is not ready or unusable	verbal warning	500 SR. and a written warning	1,000 SR.				
6	Unavailability of the referees table and its tools	500 SR.	1,000 SR. and a written warning	3,000 SR.				
7	Tampering floor or obstruction	Membership terminated						



8. Violations & Penalties

		Penalties					
	The Violation	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3			
Violating the requirements of the coaches regulations							
8	Appointing unlicensed coaches from the federation	5,000 SR.	10,000 SR. & a termination of membership				
9	Failure to renew your first aid certification	500 SR.	500 SR. and a verbal warning	1,000 SR. and a written warning			
10	The number of players exceeds the specified number for each coach	written warning	1,000 SR.	3,000 SR.			
Violation of the equipment's requirements							
11	Unavailability of the certified ball by the International Basketball Federation	2,000 SR. and verbal warning	5,000 SR. and a written warning	Membership suspended			





8. Violations & Penalties

	The Minimum	Penalties					
	The Violation	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3			
Viol	Violation of safety requirements						
12	Unavailability of the treatment room / clinic	500 SR.	1,000 SR.	5,000 SR.			
13	Unavailability of the first aid	500 SR.	1,000 SR. and verbal warning	5,000 SR. and a termination of membership			
14	Unavailability of a physiotherapist	1,000 SR.	3,000 SR. and verbal warning	5,000 SR. and a termination of membership			
15	Obligate Players to train for more than 4 hours	3,000 SR.	5,000 SR. and a written warning	Membership suspended			

^{*} In the event that the club obtains more than one appeal, its file shall be referred to the Federation's Board of Directors to consider membership

THANK YOU