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CATEGORY A FJC Date Meth	AFF AND TANDEM ONLY Overall FF awareness Stable for last 10 secs. Altitude aware Asst. pull w/in 1,000'
Adv. Criteria C/I Sign Lic.#	• I · · · 1 (0 1· · · · /····
ridv. Cilicila C/1 oigh Lic.	• Land 60 deg. w/asst

I	Solo transition course (from tan	dem)			
ı	(may be completed after Category A or B)	Date	Method	Instructor	

• Category quiz Date

• Safe exit

CATEGORY B		AFF AND TANDEM ONLY
Exit and Freefall	Date I	• Solo pull w/in 500'
Canopy	Date I	STATIC LINE AND IAD ONLY • 3 successive practice pulls
Emerg. Review	DateC/I	5 successive plane
Equipment	DateC/I	• Descent strategy
Spot. and A/C	DateC/I	• Clearing before turns
Adv. Criteria	C/I Sign Lic.#	• Land 30 deg. w/asst
Stable througho	ut	Asked to join USPA
• Leg control		Category quiz Date

CATEGORY C		• FF heading awareness
Exit and Freefall	Date I	• Wave-off
Canopy	Date I	• FF w/one I (AFF)
Emerg. Review	DateC/I	
Equipment	DateC/I	Solo pull at correct alt
Spot. and A/C	DateC/I	Plan pattern for wind
Adv. Criteria	C/I Sign Lic.#	• Fly pattern w/min. asst
• Control w/in 5 s	ecs	• Flare w/min. asst.
• Relaxed fall		Category quiz Date

CATEGORY D		• 360-degree FF turns w/in 45 degrees (2)
Exit and Freefall	Date I	(1)
Canopy	Date I	(2)
Emerg. Review	DateC/I	• 90-degree rear riser turns with brakes set (2)
	DateC/I	(1)
	Date C/I	(2)
Spot. and 70°C	Date	• 90-degree rear riser turns with brakes released (2)
Adv. Criteria	C/I Sign Lic.#	(1)
• Solo exit, stable w	v/in 5 secs.	(2)
		• 180-degree rear riser turn with brakes released
• 90-degree FF turi	ns w/in 20 degrees (4)	
	(1)	• 360-degree rear riser turn with brakes released
	(2)	
	(3)	• Stand-up landing
	(4)	• Land w/in 50m (asst.)
• 180-degree FF tu	rns w/in 45 degrees (2)	• Operate AAD
	(1)	Observe jump run
	(2)	Category quiz Date

-Note:----

Prior to freefall self-supervision (typically after the first jump in Category E), all students must meet the standards listed in the USPA BSRs. Clearance to freefall self-supervision requires the endorsement of an appropriately rated USPA Instructor (signature in logbook). Under the supervision of a USPA Instructor, a USPA Coach may train only the freefall portions of Categories E-H.

CATEGORY 1	Ε	Jump without FF supervision
Exit and Freefall	DateC/I	
Canopy	Date I	• Barrel roll
Emerg. Review	DateC/I	• Backloop
Equipment	DateC/R/I	• Frontloop
Spot. and A/C	DateC/I	• Land w/o asst. w/in 50m
Adv. Criteria	C/I Sign Lic.#	Calculate opening point
• Stability recovery w/in 5 secs. (2)		
	(1)	Participate w/jump run
	(2)	Category quiz Date

CATEGORY I	Ţ	• 180-degree turns in deep brakes (4)
Exit and Freefall	DateC/I	(1)
Canopy Emerg. Review	Date I Date C/I	(2) (3) (4) (4) (5)
Equipment	DateC/I	Braked approach
Spot. and A/C	DateC/I	• Land 25m w/o asst. (2)
Adv. Criteria	C/I Sign Lic.#	(1) (2)
Tracking sequent	nce w/in 30 degrees (3)	• Pack w/asst.
	(1)	Check other jumper's gear
	(2)	
	(3)	• Select spot
• Clear and pull (5,500')	• Spot w/min. asst
• Clear and pull (3,500')	Category quiz Date
CATEGORY (Break-off at alt. w/o prompt

CATEGORY G		Break-off at alt. w/o prompt
Exit and Freefall	DateC/I	• Track 50' w/in 10 degrees
Canopy	Date I	• Reverse canopy turns (4)
Emerg. Review	DateC/I	(1)
Equipment	DateC/R/I	(2)
Spot. and A/C	DateC/P/I	(3)
1	C/I Sign Lic.#	(4)
nuv. Citteria	C/1 Sign Lic.#	• Land 20m w/o asst. (2)
• Redock from 10	0' w/o asst. (2)	(1)
	(1)	(2)
	(2)	• Pack w/o asst
• Redock w/adj. fall rate (2)		• Spot w/o asst
	(1)	Spot w/o asst.
	(2)	Category quiz Date

CATEGORY H		• 90-degree front riser turns (2)
Freefall	DateC/I	(1)
Canopy	Date I	(2) • 180-degree front riser turns (2)
Emerg. Review	DateC/I	(1)
Equipment	DateC/R/I	(2)
Spot. and A/C	DateC/P/I	(Front riser turns may be waived if too difficult.)
		• Land 20m w/o asst. (3)
Adv. Criteria	C/I Sign Lic.#	(1)
• Swoop and dock w/min. asst. (2)		(2)
	(1)	(3)
	(2)	Replace closing loop
• Break-off at alt. v	v/o prompt	• Assemble 3-ring
• Track 100' w/in	10 degrees	Category quiz Date