

Technical Rules for Super Sporting

Except as detailed below all of the rules and regulations for English Sporting are fully applicable to the CPSA discipline of 'Super Sporting'.

Viewing Point

The first shooter of a squad or group, who has not had the opportunity to see the targets, will have the opportunity to view the single targets only from the shooting position unless the stand starts with simultaneous pairs (sim) in which case the sim pair can be viewed twice if required. All competitors should familiarise themselves with the targets by viewing the targets from behind the shooting station whilst waiting their turn to shoot and not encroach on the shooters personal space or within the shooting cage. Also whilst waiting to shoot to keep the noise down for fairness to shooters and to allow the Referees to hear a shooters call.

Layouts

A Super Sporting layout follows the same principal as an English Sporting layout with multiple shooting stands arranged around the course. However, on each station there may be up to a maximum of 4 traps, each clearly identified and labelled A, B, C, D depending on the number of traps on that particular station.

Each trap must be clearly indicated by its own letter in the vicinity of the trap and the letter must be visible from the station.

Traps can be placed anywhere the shoot organisers decide, behind or in front of the shooters line of fire and trajectories determined by the shoot organiser and by the geographical area.

Menu boards in front of each stand, measuring a minimum of A4 size, 300mm (11.8in) x 210mm (8.27in) will list the traps in the order in which they will be released at that stand.

Each stand will have a minimum of 6 targets and a maximum of 10 targets.

The targets must be as specified in rules 24.6 of the rules for English Sporting.

Conduct of Events

The Referee will allow the competitor to view the single targets only unless the stand starts with simultaneous pairs (sim) in which case the sim pair can be viewed twice if required.

On any mixed stands, single targets and on report pairs, must be shot before the sim pairs.

At each stand, each competitor will shoot the targets as per the menu board. This may be a combination of single targets, on report pairs, following pairs or simultaneous pairs as decided by the shoot organiser.

Shooting Singles

If the shoot organiser has included single targets on the menu board then full use of the gun will apply i.e. 2 shots may be taken if the target is not broken with the first shot.

Individual & Team Tie-Breaks

In the event of a tie, the tie-break rules 24.25 – 24.29 of English Sporting will apply with the exception of 24.27 wherein ties may be broken by shooting ten targets from a new stand (not used at any other stage of the event). The ten targets may consist of singles, on report & sim pairs.

Classifications

As a new registered discipline, all competitors will begin as Unclassified Shooters and will be classified on the day using the Shoot programme.

Classifications will be calculated after 300 Registered targets (3 x 100) and to begin with the percentage cut-off points will mirror ESP cut-off points for issue 64 (and possibly further issues).

A temporary classification will be issued once 300 Registered targets have been shot and will come into effect immediately. The temporary classification will become redundant once the normal CPSA Classification procedure comes into effect.

In due course, the classifications will be calculated using scores submitted from the previous 12 month rolling shooting periods that end on the 31st January, 30th April, 31st July and 31st October respectively.

Classes will be AA , A, B, C with AAA only at National Championships.