

## Sanctioning Policy and Tournament Standards

The purpose of this Standards guide is to:

- Have all tournaments recognized as 'sport' in Saskatchewan by competitors, parents, the general public, and all members of the Saskatchewan Brazilian Jiu Jitsu Federation Inc. (SBJJF);
- Standardize the Federation and requirements of Brazilian Jiu Jitsu tournaments in Saskatchewan; and
- Ensure all tournaments organized by or under the SBJJF are safe and adhere to and are consistent with SBJJF standards.

### Membership

- Event organizers must confirm that all competitors are members of the SBJJF.
- In cases where a competitor is not a SBJJF member, the organizer must direct the individual to membership applications to obtain membership.
- Proof of membership is the responsibility of each competitor.

### Sanctioning Procedures

- Tournament organizers must be a Club Member of the SBJJF.
- Organizers must implement and adhere to all SBJJF tournament rules.
- Sanctioning applications must be submitted 60 days prior to every tournament.
- Sanctioning fees must be submitted along with all required applications; fees paid by cheque will only be processed pending application approval.
- Tournament organizers are required to ensure a minimum of one (1) Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) (preferred 2) is on site for the duration of the event.
- Tournament organizers must ensure all referee fees are paid at the end of the event.

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## Sanctioning Approval

Sanctioning applications will be reviewed by the SBJJF Board of Directors. Following a thorough review, the Board will provide notice of approval or outline any issues or concerns which need to be addressed before approval will be granted. Areas the Board will review include:

- Date submitted by organizer;
- Venue; and
- Proof of tournament standards.

## Sanctioning Fees

- Tournament format (commercial facility) - \$300.00
- Tournament format (club members facility) \$150.00
- Event format - \$200

## Tournament Standards

In order to standardize the format and professionalism of Brazilian Jiu Jitsu tournaments in Saskatchewan, the following standards must be followed:

- All competitors must wear a traditional Brazilian Jiu Jitsu uniform (gi);
- All referees are required to wear a collared shirt, black dress pants and be clearly identifiable as an official by having their shirt labeled 'Official' or 'Referee';
- All tournaments are required to have one or more competition mat areas, one score and time keeper table per mat area, visible score boards, competitor warm-up area, competitor weigh-in area, and awards area; and
- Mat area cannot be less than 20ft x 20ft or 18 tatamis

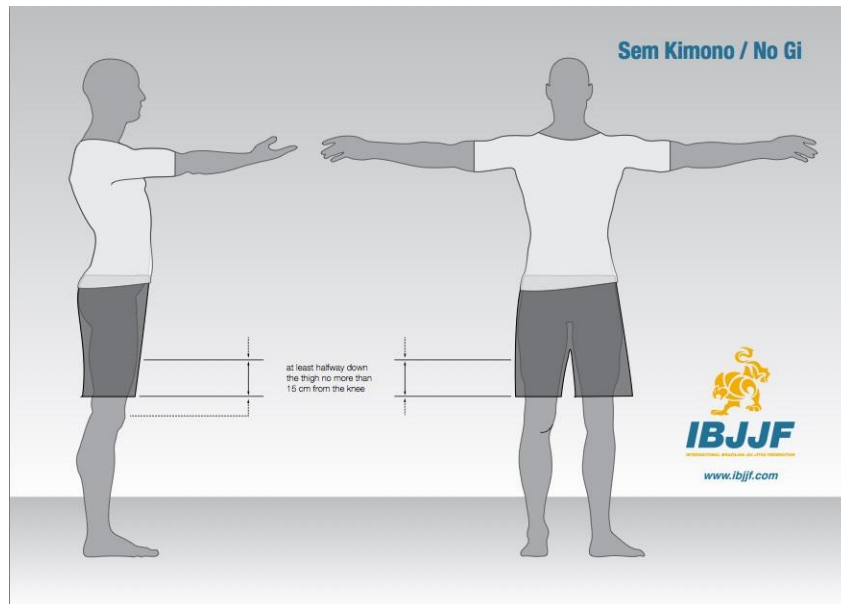
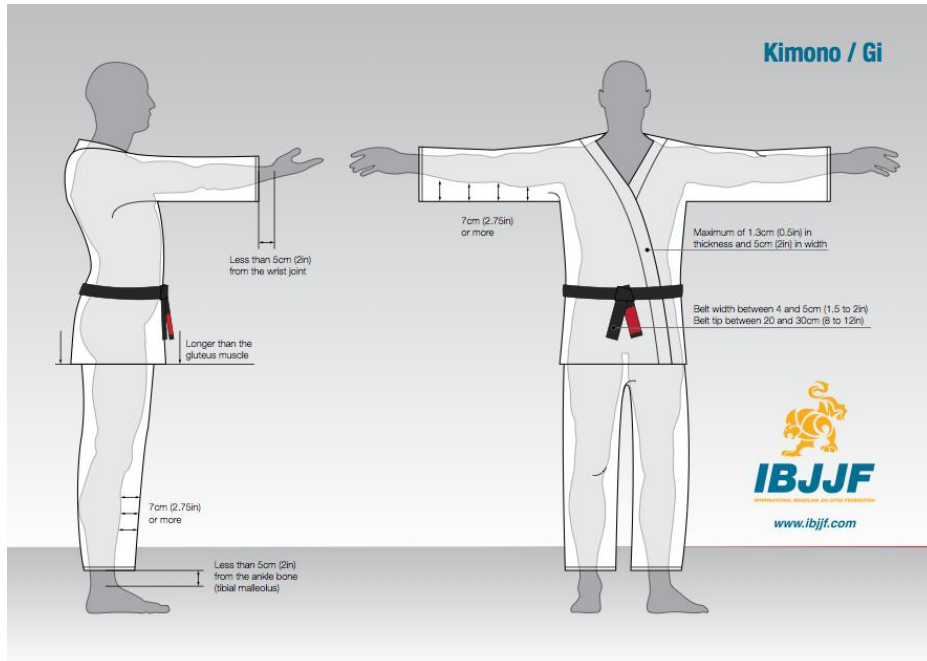
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## Uniform Standards

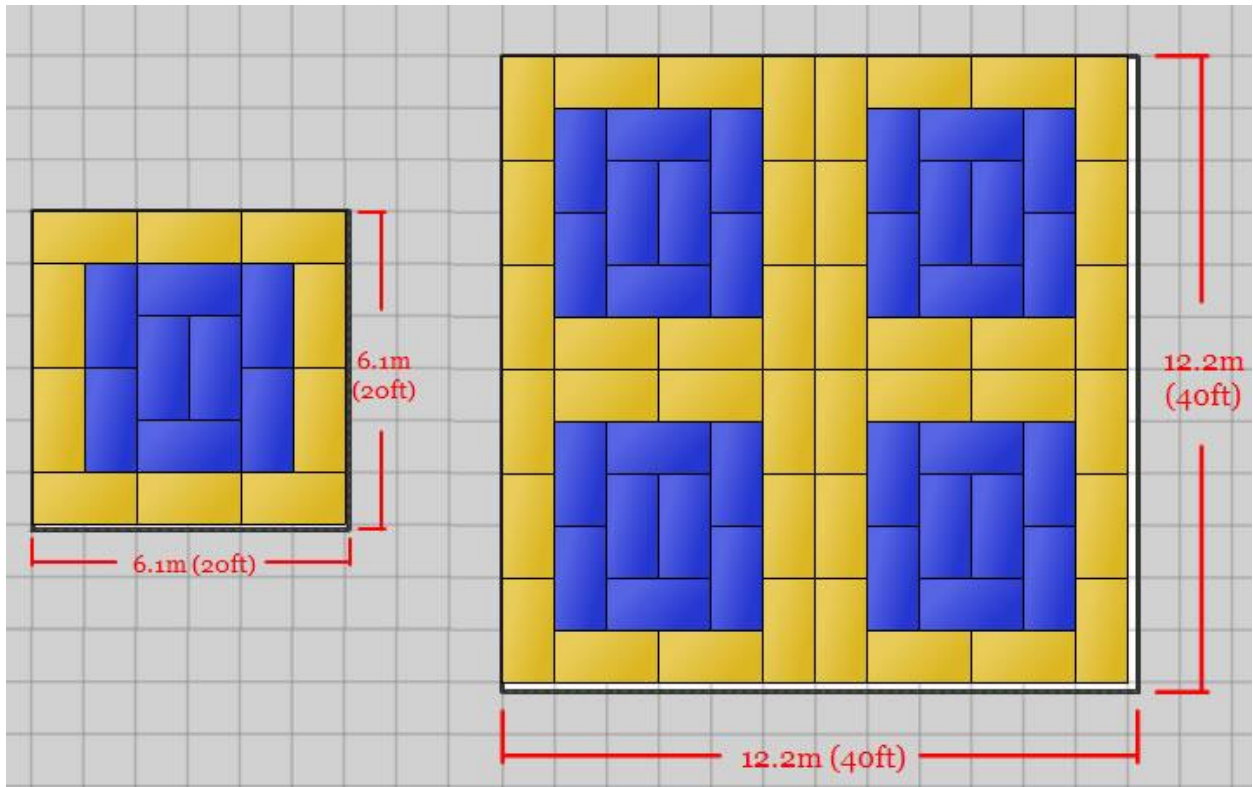
The SBJJF follows the International Brazilian Jiu Jitsu Federation uniform (gi) standards.



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**Mat Area Standard**



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