



## Pre-Season Rules Test Questions - Statisticians

Where not specified in the question, A1 - A5 are the players on the playing court from the offensive team, A6 - A12 are the substitutes or excluded players from the offensive team. B1 - B5 are the players on the playing court from the defensive team, B6 - B12 are the substitutes or excluded players from the defensive team. Questions are based on OBR 2024 v1.0a, OBRI 2024 v1.0a, IOT Manual v2.5 and FIBA Statisticians Manual 2024.

| # | Question   | YES | NO |
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| 1 | If A5, one of the starting five players, is injured 5 minutes before the start and is replaced by A6, should Team B be allowed to substitute two of its starting five players as well? | YES | NO |
| 2 | If A2 scores and then A4 and B4 commit technical fouls, should play resume with a team B throw-in from the endline?  | YES | NO |
| 3 | If A6 enters the court during a fight but doesn't participate, should A6 still be disqualified?  | YES | NO |
| 4 | If B1 commits a violation during A1's last free throw, can B6 substitute for B2 immediately after?   | YES | NO |
| 5 | If A4 fouls B3 and B3 retaliates and is given a disqualifying foul by the referee, should B6 shoot 2 free throws followed by A4's 2, with team A resuming possession?                  | YES | NO |
| 6 | Can a player/coach who fouled out continue coaching as head coach?   | YES | NO |
| 7 | If A1's throw-in lodges between the ring and backboard, is this a jump ball situation?   | YES | NO |
| 8 | Can a head coach request and be granted a time-out immediately after their team scores?  | YES | NO |
| 9 | If A4 and B3 commit unsportsmanlike fouls on each other in the same sequence, should the penalties cancel?   | YES | NO |

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| 10 | If B4 commits a disqualifying contact foul against A4 causing injury, may any team A player attempt the 2 free throws after A10 substitutes for A4?   | YES | NO |
| 11 | Does the ball become dead when the game clock signal sounds to end the quarter while the ball is in the air on a pass?  | YES | NO |
| 12 | If B1 fouls A1 with 1:45 left in the 4th quarter and it's the 5th team foul, and Team A is erroneously awarded a throw-in, then B1 fouls A2 before the error is recognised, should A2 be awarded 2 free throws without line-up and A1 then be awarded 2 free throws, with the game resuming as after any last free throw? | YES | NO |
| 13 | Should a head coach be disqualified from the game if charged with 2 technical fouls for personal unsportsmanlike behaviour?   | YES | NO |
| 14 | Can a team have a maximum of 10 players?  | YES | NO |
| 15 | Can a player or head coach directly request a time-out to one of the referees?  | YES | NO |
| 16 | Is the basket that a team defends considered its own basket?  | YES | NO |
| 17 | If players wear incorrect jersey numbers not matching the scoresheet, should the numbers be corrected with no sanction?   | YES | NO |
| 18 | If B4 fouls A4 on a successful shot and it's the 6th team foul, should the goal count and A4 be awarded 2 free throws?  | YES | NO |
| 19 | If team A commits a technical foul before an alternating possession throw-in, does team B gain possession at the next jump ball?  | YES | NO |
| 20 | When A1's throw-in touches a referee on court, should the game clock start?   | YES | NO |
| 21 | If a team A accompanying delegation member, notices a scoring error at half-time, should the crew chief verify if it's correctable?   | YES | NO |
| 22 | If multiple fouls and violations occur (3-second, unsportsmanlike, technical), and the arrow favours team B, can all penalties be cancelled with no free throws awarded?  | YES | NO |
| 23 | Does an offensive foul count as one of the team fouls?  | YES | NO |
| 24 | If A6 substitutes for A1 and A1 disrespects a referee while leaving, can A1 receive a technical foul that counts toward team fouls?   | YES | NO |
| 25 | Should a 5th personal foul be considered a disqualifying foul requiring the player to leave the game?   | YES | NO |

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| 26 | If a player is erroneously awarded 2 FTs instead of a throw-in and scores, should the points be cancelled if the error is recognised early in Q2?   | YES | NO |
| 27 | If B5 commits an unsportsmanlike foul on A3 and A4 commits a technical foul while A3 holds the ball for the 1st free throw, should the two penalties cancel each other?                                 | YES | NO |
| 28 | With 0.2 seconds on the game clock, can a player only score by tapping or dunking the ball from the inbound pass?   | YES | NO |
| 29 | Is the penalty for a technical foul the same for both players and head coaches?   | YES | NO |
| 30 | If A4 and B4 commit technical fouls for disrespectful communication, is it a double foul?   | YES | NO |
| 31 | If team A's assistant coach is disqualified for involvement in a fight and there are no other penalties, should team B shoot 4 FTs with no line-up and get the ball?                                    | YES | NO |
| 32 | If a coach is disqualified for leaving the bench and failing to assist referees during a fight, should any team B player shoot 2 free throws with no line-up, and the game resume with team B throw-in? | YES | NO |
| 33 | Can only a substitute request a substitution?   | YES | NO |
| 34 | Must player numbers be placed on both the front and back of the shirt?  | YES | NO |
| 35 | Should 6 players from each team be on the court during playing time?  | YES | NO |
| 36 | Is a pre-game conference important for teamwork and consistency in officiating?   | YES | NO |
| 37 | If a head coach treats an injured A1 on court, must A1 be substituted?  | YES | NO |
| 38 | If A1 dribbles when team A head coach commits a technical foul and A1 and B1 both commit technical fouls, does team B lose possession due to B1's technical foul?                                       | YES | NO |
| 39 | If Team A has only one eligible player left after A1 commits the fifth personal foul, can they continue playing with just one player?   | YES | NO |

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| 40 | If A1 has the ball during a throw-in with 0:53 in the 4th quarter and A2 fouls B2, is this considered a team A control foul?   | YES | NO |
| 41 | If during the 1st quarter the scorer erroneously awards 2 points to the wrong player and the error is recognised between the 1st and 2nd quarter, can the error be corrected at that time?             | YES | NO |
| 42 | If team B's fifth foul occurs and team A is erroneously given a throw-in, should the error be corrected if discovered after A2 has dribbled?   | YES | NO |
| 43 | If A1 is injured and substituted by A6, but recovers before the time-out ends, can A1 re-enter the game?   | YES | NO |
| 44 | If B1 fouls A1 and it's the fifth team foul, and Team A is erroneously awarded a throw-in from which they score, should the error be corrected if discovered at half time?                             | YES | NO |
| 45 | If A4 in the backcourt gains control of the ball after a legal jump ball tap and accidentally scores in their own basket, should the goal count?   | YES | NO |
| 46 | If A1 commits a technical foul before the game, should team B receive a free throw and a throw-in at the centre line?  | YES | NO |
| 47 | If B1 fouls A1 and A1 makes illegal elbow contact simultaneously, can this be called a double foul with personal and unsportsmanlike penalties?  | YES | NO |
| 48 | Is basketball played by 2 teams of 5 players each?   | YES | NO |
| 49 | Must a player's number be on their shorts?   | YES | NO |
| 50 | If A2 mistakenly scores a free throw awarded to A5 after a time-out and the error is recognised at the next dead ball, should A2's free throw be cancelled and the game resume with a team B throw-in? | YES | NO |
| 51 | Can an FGM be PITP, POT, SCP and FBP?  | YES | NO |
| 52 | Is an ST always given when there is a TO recorded and the ball remains live?   | YES | NO |
| 53 | Can an AS can be given to both the penultimate and final pass to the scorer?   | YES | NO |
| 54 | Must a shot be a layup to be recorded as PITP?   | YES | NO |
| 55 | If a player passes the ball and it goes straight out of bounds, should you record a Bad Pass TO?   | YES | NO |
| 56 | On the last free throw, if the shot misses and the violation is by the offensive team, should you record an FTA and TDEF?  | YES | NO |
| 57 | If a player does a spin dribble to score, then no AS can be given. Is this statement correct?  | YES | NO |

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| 58 | If a player controlled tips the ball in a rebounding situation to their teammate who catches the ball, is the player who tips the ball given the OFF/DEF?      | YES | NO |
| 59 | Is an FGM given if the shooter is fouled and the shot is missed?   | YES | NO |
| 60 | Is an 8 second violation always a team TO?   | YES | NO |
| 61 | Where there is a shot clock violation before the rebound then no rebound will be given. Is this statement correct?   | YES | NO |
| 62 | When a player is blocked, the ball must leave the shooter's hand to be an FGA. Is this statement correct?  | YES | NO |
| 63 | Is a player that takes a charge on an offensive foul given a ST?   | YES | NO |
| 64 | Must all missed FTAs have a rebound?   | YES | NO |
| 65 | All POTs are FBPs. Is this statement correct?  | YES | NO |
| 66 | Can a BS be given after the ball touches the rim?  | YES | NO |
| 67 | Is a 5 second violation for a player being closely guarded given as an individual TO?  | YES | NO |
| 68 | Shooting free throws does not make the foul a shooting foul. Is this statement correct?  | YES | NO |
| 69 | When the ball goes dead in a TO situation, an ST can never be given. Is this statement correct?  | YES | NO |
| 70 | Is a shooting foul only recorded when the player is in the act of shooting?  | YES | NO |
| 71 | Are passes into the post where the scorer catches the ball outside the key always an AS?   | YES | NO |
| 72 | Is an uncontrolled tip at the basket that scores a FGM?  | YES | NO |
| 73 | If the wrong player takes a free throw, the referee will cancel the shot. Should this still be recorded as FTA?  | YES | NO |
| 74 | A shooting foul can have an AS, if the player that was fouled was passed the ball. Is this statement correct?  | YES | NO |
| 75 | POTs must occur within 10 seconds of the TO. Is this statement correct?  | YES | NO |
| 76 | At the end of the quarter, if a shot is released before the buzzer should you record a FGA?  | YES | NO |
| 77 | Does a bench Technical foul always result in a team TO?  | YES | NO |
| 78 | Is there a rebound on a missed first shot of a set of free throws?   | YES | NO |
| 79 | Can an AS be given if the scorer catches and does not shoot straight away?   | YES | NO |
| 80 | Is a 5 second violation always a team TO?  | YES | NO |
| 81 | Is the ST given to the first defender to touch the ball on a change of possession?   | YES | NO |
| 82 | On the last free-throw, when there is a violation by anyone except the shooter, if the shot goes in then an FTA and TDEF are given. Is this statement correct? | YES | NO |
| 83 | POTs opportunity finishes when a timeout is called. Is this statement correct?   | YES | NO |
| 84 | If a player catches the ball in the key and does not leave and then goes on to score, it is always an AS. Is this statement correct?                           | YES | NO |
| 85 | If a player catches the ball from a pass whilst in the key and makes a post move before scoring without leaving the key, is it always an AS?                   | YES | NO |
| 86 | After an FGA, when the ball goes out of bounds before any player gains control, is the OFF/DEF given to the closest player?                                    | YES | NO |
| 87 | Is an FGA given when the shooter commits an offensive foul?  | YES | NO |

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| 88  | Must every ST have a corresponding TO?  | YES | NO |
| 89  | Can an AS be given on a shot from the backcourt?  | YES | NO |
| 90  | In a fast break situation, to give an AS, the scorer must receive the ball in the frontcourt before attacking the basket. Is this statement correct?  | YES | NO |
| 91  | Do you record an FGA if the shooter is fouled in the act of shooting and misses?  | YES | NO |
| 92  | An FGA that touches the floor before a player gains control is recorded as an ST to the first player to touch the ball. Is this statement correct?    | YES | NO |
| 93  | If the wrong player takes a free throw, the referee will cancel the shot. Should you delete the shot and record a team TO?                            | YES | NO |
| 94  | SCPs cannot be POTs. Is this statement correct?   | YES | NO |
| 95  | When a BS takes place, there is no rebound to record. Is this statement correct?  | YES | NO |
| 96  | Is the passer always responsible for a TO?  | YES | NO |
| 97  | Can an ST be given to a player that does not touch the ball?  | YES | NO |
| 98  | A player that control tips the ball to a team-mate who shoots without dribbling and scores, should be given an OFF and AS. Is this statement correct? | YES | NO |
| 99  | Can POTs occur off any type of TO?  | YES | NO |
| 100 | The stats team shall be made up of one inputter, one caller and on occasion a backup. Is this correct?  | YES | NO |