

Rulebook

Scrambling and Score-taking: (For Outside DA Only)

• Make sure to follow the <u>WCA Regulations</u> as far as practicable. Make sure to keep the cube at a safe distance from the timer. Start the timer and then pick up the cube for solving. Similarly, put the cube down after the solve and then stop the timer.

• Video tutorial links for scrambling the cubes are mentioned below-NxN Events: 2x2, 3x3, 4x4 : Link Other events: Pyraminx and Skewb: Link

• Scrambles will be given and time-score reporting will be done by easy-to-use Google Forms. For every event, you will have to enter a unique password(which will be provided by us) to access the form. Make sure you use the same Email ID as was used at the time of your registration. Anything different will lead to disqualification. The form can be used only once per person.

• Enter your solve times in the format mm:ss: ccc (as in 01:04:234 or 00:15:23 etc.), and choose penalties if there is any.

• The participant should scramble the cube properly and it is advisable to put the cube inside an upside-down box after the scramble.

- The participant should follow the following steps in sequence:-
 - 1. Start the video.
 - 2. Scramble the cube. (Show any 3 sides of the cube after scrambling in the video)
 - Keep the cube down inside an upside-down box(the cube should not be in the participant's hands).
 - 4. Start the inspection timer(15 seconds).
 - 5. Take out the cube from the box and start inspecting.
 - 6. Keep the cube down and start the solve timer.
 - 7. Pick up the cube and start solving.
 - 8. Keep the cube down and stop the solve timer.
 - 9. Show the final solve time as well as the solved cube.
 - 10. Enter the details in the form

• You can time your solves with a stack mat timer or with another timer, such as cstimer or suitable mobile apps.

• Duplicate entries, entries with someone else's email ID, or by using any other unfair means like providing misinformation in the form will be instantly disqualified.

Video Submission Guidelines:

- Every participant needs to record a separate video for each solve or you can make a single video of your 5 solves. We would ask for the recordings if necessary.
- Video submission also needs to be done if asked by our team of judges to verify any solve where they think the participant might be cheating. Failing to submit the video in a stipulated time frame will lead to disqualification from the entire competition.
- The video submission should clearly show the final result of the timer, scrambled cube, the full solve, and the solved cube.
- The video needs to be such that it clearly shows the opening of scrambles and should be one stretch video without any pauses or cuts in between for a particular event. If it is not clear enough or does not meet the guidelines, the judges will disqualify that participant.
- The video will be checked thoroughly to verify that it has not been manipulated, if found guilty the participant will be immediately disqualified.

- If asked, you need to submit your videos through a Google drive link(will be provided by us) OR through WhatsApp.
- We can use the videos after the competition is over for social media purposes.

First Round Guidelines

- Each event will have a separate google form.
- You will have to submit your response within the given time frame no matter how many events you have participated in.
- Round 1 will be on, 7th April 2022.
- No request will be entertained after the given deadline.
- Results of the first round will be announced through email.

First Round Guidelines(For DA students only)

- For DA students, Synocubix is going to be an offline event.
- Round 1 will be on, 9th April 2022.
- Time slots and Venue will be informed through mail beforehand.
- No request will be entertained after the given deadline.
- Results of the first round will be announced through email.

Final Round Guidelines

- The final round will be held on 10th April 2022.
- Finalists(including outside DA participants) have the option to either come on DAIICT campus, Gandhinagar for **Offline Mode** or they can give this round in online mode on Live Google Meet with Judge.
- Time slots will be provided to you, you will have to be present for a live final round on at that time, failing to do so will result in disqualification.
- The judge will guide you through the common points before your solves.
- For those who will be on Google Meet, they have to follow one of the following condition:

Screen sharing + video ON
Only video ON with timer in another phone/stack mat timer

General rules

- In case of disputes the decision of the coordinating committee shall be final.
- Every participant has the responsibility for checking their emails periodically for event related updates.
- Please be active and read every instruction carefully.

