



Canadian Karting Regulations Penalty Guidelines

To be read and applied in conjunction with: Canadian Karting Regulations Book 1 and Book 2

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Penalties for violations, whether they are listed here or not, are to be applied according to the Canadian Karting Regulations.

Violations are referenced to specific regulations where possible. (1-6.1 refers to Book 1, Regulation 6.1)

Penalties for each violation are listed in the order of application or severity from the top down.

The officials may determine the severity of a penalty based on the circumstances of the violation.

| Violation | Practice Sessions | Qualifying | Heat and Pre-Final Races | Final Races | PPT |
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| Participant Behaviour | | | | | |
| 1-4., 1-17.3.f) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | 10 |
| Unsportsmanlike conduct | Disgualification | Disgualification | Disgualification | Disgualification | |
| | Request for Suspension | Request for Suspension | Request for Suspension | Request for Suspension | |
| 1-8.1., 1-10.3.a), 2-3. Driving a | | Disgualification of both | Disgualification of both | Disgualification of both | |
| kart registered to another | Loss of fast time (Min) | registered driver and | registered driver and | registered driver and | |
| competitor or in an | Start at the rear first race | unauthorized driver of kart | unauthorized driver of kart | unauthorized driver of kart | |
| unregistered kart or use of | Disgualification | Request for Suspension | Request for Suspension | Request for Suspension | |
| unauthorized equipment | Request for Suspension | | | | |
| 1-9.2. Participating in the | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | Disqualification | Disqualification | |
| wrong practice session or | Loss of fast time (Min) | Loss of fast time (Min) | | | |
| going out in the wrong class | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear first race | | | |
| or in the wrong group | Disgualification | Disgualification | | | |
| | · · | | | | |
| 1-10.2. Arriving late or missing a Driver's Briefing | • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | | | | |
| 1-11.1.a) Receiving | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | Scored in last place | Disqualification | |
| assistance after leaving the | Loss of fast time (Min) | Loss of fast time (Min) | Start at the rear first race | | 1 |
| Pre-Grid | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear first race | Disqualification | | |
| | Disqualification | Disqualification | Disquamentation | | |
| 1-11.8. Team member or | Dioquamication | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | + |
| mechanic approaching a | | Loss of fast time (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | |
| driver at the scales | | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| | | Disqualification | Start at the rear next race | Disqualification | |
| | | Disqualification | Disgualification | | |
| 1-13.3. Starting or running an | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | + |
| engine in the Paddock | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| | Disqualification | Disqualification | Start at the rear first race | Disqualification | |
| | Disquamention | Disquamention | Disgualification | Disquamoation | |
| 1-13.3. Starting or running an | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | 1 |
| engine in the designated area | , , , | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| for longer than 10 seconds or | Disqualification | Disgualification | Start at the rear first race | Disqualification | |
| more than once prior to an on | Bioquamoaton | Dioquamication | Disqualification | Bioquamouton | |
| track session | | | Bioquamioutori | | |
| 1-17.3.e) Abuse (physical or | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | 10 |
| , | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Disgualification | |
| or official | Disgualification | Disqualification | Start at the rear first race | Request for Suspension | |
| | Request for Suspension | Request for Suspension | Disqualification | | |
| | | | Request for Suspension | | |
| 1-17.3.d) Disobeying | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | 10 |
| instructions from, refusing to | Start at the rear first race | Loss of fast time (Min) | • 10 Sec (Min) | • 10 Sec (Min) | |
| cooperate with, interfering | Disqualification | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| with or obstructing the action | Request for Suspension | Disqualification | Start at the rear next race | Disqualification | |
| of an official | | Request for Suspension | Disgualification | Request for Suspension | |
| | | | Request for Suspension | | |
| 1-19.7. Submitting a | Forfeit protest fee (\$500) | Forfeit protest fee (\$500) | Forfeit protest fee (\$500) | Forfeit protest fee (\$500) | |
| vexatious protest. | Disqualification | Disqualification | Disqualification | Disqualification | |
| | Request for Suspension | Request for Suspension | Request for Suspension | Request for Suspension | |
| Race Start Procedures | | | | | 1 |
| 1-10.6.c), 1-10.7.b) and c) | | | • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | |
| Being out of position during | | | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| the formation laps or on the | | | Start at the rear next race | Disqualification | 1 |
| start | | | Disqualification | | |
| | 1 | | | | |

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| 1-10.6.i), 1-10.7.f) and .g), | | | • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | |
| 1-15. Deliberately causing an | | | Scored in last place | Start at the rear of the grid | |
| improper start or a restart | | | Start at the rear next race | Disqualification | |
| | | | Disqualification | | |
| Race Starts - Rolling Starts | | | | | |
| 1-10.6.c) Gaining positions | | | • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | |
| during the formation lap(s) | | | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| | | | Start at the rear next race | Disgualification | |
| | | | Disgualification | | |
| 1-10.6.c) Using any route | | | • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | |
| other than the official track | | | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| configuration to regain a | | | Start at the rear next race | Disqualification | |
| place | | | Disqualification | | |
| 1-10.6.f) Failing to maintain | | | • 10 seconds | 10 seconds | |
| the speed of the pack during | | | | | |
| the approach to the Start Line | | | | | |
| 1-10.6.f) 2 wheels out of the | 1 | | • 3 seconds | • 3 seconds | |
| marked lane prior to the Start | | | | | |
| Signal | | | | | |
| 1-10.6.f)) Completely leaving | | | 10 seconds | 10 seconds | |
| the marked lane prior to the | | | | | |
| Start Signal | | | | | |
| 1-10.6.i) and 1-15. False or | | | Drivers can be moved to a | Drivers can be moved to a | |
| jump start (One may be | | | different row | different row | |
| allowed) | | | • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | |
| , | | | Up to 20 seconds | Up to 20 seconds | |
| Race Starts - Standing Start | S | | | | |
| 1-10.7.c) Stopping outside | | | • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | |
| official grid position | | | Start at the rear next race | Start at the rear of the grid | |
| | | | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| 1-10.7.f) Getting out of the | | | Start at the rear next race | Start at the rear of the grid | |
| seat or attempting to restart a | | | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| stalled kart on the grid before | | | Disqualification | Disgualification | |
| the start signal is given | | | Dioquamouton | Bioquamioation | |
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| 1-10.7.g) 1-15 False or jump | | | • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | |
| start | | | | | |
| 1-12. Flag Signals | | | | | |
| Pass under Yellow Flag | Warning | Warning | • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | 3 |
| | • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | Loss of fast time (Min) | | | |
| | · · · · | · · · · | 10/ | | |
| Pass after Checkered Flag | • Warning | • Warning | • Warning | • Warning | |
| | • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | |
| Disobey Black Flag or Black | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | 10 |
| Flag with Kart Number | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Disqualification | |
| | Disqualification | Disqualification | Start at the rear next race | Request for Suspension | |
| | Request for Suspension | Request for Suspension | Disqualification | | |
| | | | Request for Suspension | | |
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| Disobey Blue Flag | • Waming | • Waming • Fine (\$20.00 Min) • Black Flag | • Waming • 3 Sec (Min) • Black Flag | • Waming • 3 Sec (Min) • Black Flag | 3 |
| | | Start at the rear first raceDisqualification | Scored in last place Start at the rear next race Disqualification | Scored in last place Disqualification | |
| Disobey Black Flag w. Orange Disk | • Warning | Loss of fast time (Min) Black Flag Start at the rear first race Disqualification | 5 Sec (Min) Black Flag Scored in last place Start at the rear next race Disqualification | 5 Sec (Min) Black Flag Scored in last place Fine (\$50.00 Min) Disqualification | 5 |
| Disobey Blue with Red X Flag | | | | Black Flag | |
| Disobey Blue with Red X Flag, interfering with overtaking karts | | | | Black Flag Disqualification Fine (\$50.00 Min) | |
| Driver Conduct | | | | | |
| 1-3. Not wearing the required drivers racing equipment | Black Flag Start at the rear first race Fine (\$20.00 Min) Disqualification | Black Flag Start at the rear first race Fine (\$20.00 Min) Disqualification | Black Flag Scored in last place Start at the rear next race Fine (\$20.00 Min) Disqualification | Black Flag Scored in last place Fine (\$20.00 Min) Disqualification | |
| 1-9.11. Unauthorized passing of the Finish Line after display of checkered flag. (taking an extra lap) | • Waming • Fine (\$20.00) | • Waming • Fine (\$20.00) | • Waming • Fine (\$20.00) | • Waming • Fine (\$20.00) | |
| 1-10.6.c) Tire warming or scrubbing after formation line | | | • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | |
| 1-11.1. Restarting a kart when not allowed or improper restart | • Black Flag | Black Flag Loss of fast time (Min) Start at the rear first race | Black Flag Scored in last place Start at the rear next race | Black Flag Scored in last place Disqualification | |
| 1-11.2.c), 1-15. Deliberately causing a Red flag | Fine (\$20.00 Min) Disqualification | Loss of fast time (Min) Start at the rear first race Disqualification | Scored in last place Start at the rear next race Disqualification | Start at the rear of the grid Disqualification | 5 |
| 1-13.4. Speeding in track entry, exit or pit lanes | • Waming • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | • Waming • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | • Waming • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | • Waming • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | |
| 1-13.8. Driving a kart in restricted/pit or paddock including public roads | Fine (\$100.00 Min) Start at the rear first race Disqualification | Fine (\$100.00 Min) Start at the rear first race Disqualification | Fine (\$100.00 Min) Scored in last place Start at the rear next race Disqualification | Fine (\$100.00 Min) Disqualification | 3 |
| 1-14.1.b) Driving counter-race | Fine (\$20.00 Min) Start at the rear first race Disgualification | Fine (\$20.00 Min) Disqualification | Fine (\$20.00 Min) Disqualification | Fine (\$20.00 Min) Disqualification | 3 |
| 1-14.1.d) and .g) Short cutting the track whether and advantage is gained or not | Fine Loss of fast time (Min) Start at the rear first race | Loss of fast time (Min) Start at the rear first race | 3 Sec (Min) Scored in last place Start at the rear next race Disqualification | 3 Sec (Min) Scored in last place Disqualification | 3 |
| 1-14.1.h) Gain of position or advantage by driving off marked racetrack | • Waming | • Waming • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | 3 |

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| 1-14.1.i) Appearance of lack | Warning | Warning | • Warning | Warning | 3 |
| of control of a kart including | Black Flag | Loss of fast time (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | • 3 Sec (Min) | |
| eaving the marked track, | Disqualification | Black Flag | Black Flag | Black Flag | |
| jumping up in the seat, | | Disqualification | Disqualification | Disqualification | |
| looking away from the | | | | | |
| direction of travel, ducking of | | | | | |
| the head behind the steering | | | | | |
| wheel while looking down | | | | | |
| 1-14.1.j) Being a hazard to | Black Flag | Black Flag | Black Flag | Black Flag | 5 |
| other competitors | Disgualification | Disqualification | Disgualification | Disqualification | |
| 1-14.1.k) Unauthorized repairs | | Black Flag | Black Flag | Black Flag | |
| on the course | Brack Frag | Loss of fast time (Min) | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| | | | Start at the rear next race | Disqualification | |
| 1-14.1.I) Failure to raise an | • Warning | • Waming | | Warning | |
| arm exiting the track | • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | Waming Fine (\$10.00 Min) | • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | |
| - | | , , | , , | · · · · · | - |
| 1-14.2, 1-15. Preventing or | Warning | Waming Loss of fast time (Min) | • Warning | • Warning • 5 Sec (Min) | 5 |
| impeding a legitimate | Black Flag | | • 5 Sec (Min) • Black Flag | | |
| passing maneuver | Start at the rear first race | Black Flag Start at the rear first race | | Black Flag Scored in last place | |
| | Disqualification | | Scored in last place Start at the rear next race | | |
| | | Disqualification | | Disqualification | |
| 1-15. Having caused a | • Waming | • Waming | Disqualification Warning | • Waming | 5 |
| collision intentionally or | • Black Flag | Loss of fast time (Min) | • 5 Sec (Min) | • 5 Sec (Min) | |
| unintentionally | Loss of fast time (Min) | Black Flag | Black Flag | Black Flag | |
| unintentionary | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| | Disqualification | Disqualification | Start at the rear next race | Disqualification | |
| | | | Disqualification | Disqualification | |
| 1-15. Forcing another driver | Warning | Waming | Warning | Warning | 5 |
| off the track intentionally or | Black Flag | Loss of fast time (Min) | • 5 Sec (Min) | • 5 Sec (Min) | |
| unintentionally | Loss of fast time (Min) | Black Flag | Black Flag | Black Flag | |
| | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| | Disgualification | Disgualification | Start at the rear next race | Disgualification | |
| | | | Disgualification | | |
| 1-15. Gain of position from | | | • 5 Sec (Min) | • 5 Sec (Min) | 5 |
| contact | | | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| | | | Start at the rear next race | Disqualification | |
| | | | Disqualification | | |
| Technical Infractions | | | | | |
| 1-3. Absence, loss or | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | |
| looseness of any piece of | • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | • Fine (\$10.00 Min) | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | • Fine (\$20.00 Min) | |
| driver safety equipment | | Loss of fast time (Min) | Scored in last place | Disqualification | |
| | | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear next race | | |
| | | Disqualification | Disqualification | | |
| 1-9.13. Underweight | | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Disqualification | |
| | | Disqualification | Start at the rear next race | | |
| | | | Disqualification | | |
| 1-9.14. Exceeding allowed | • Warning | • Waming | • Warning | • Warning | |
| noise limits | Black Flag | Black Flag | Black Flag | Black Flag | |
| | | Loss of fast time (Min) | Scored in last place | | |
| | | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear next race | | |

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| 1-11.2.a) and c) Authorized | | | Scored in last place | Start at the rear of the grid | |
| repairs after a Red Flag if the | | | Start at the rear next race | | |
| kart returns to pit lane | | | | | |
| 1-11.2.a) and c) Unauthorized | | Disqualification | Disqualification | Disgualification | |
| repairs after a Red Flag | | | | | |
| 1-11.8. Not passing over the | | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Disqualification | |
| scale or leaving the scale area | | | Start at the rear next race | | |
| 2-27. Loose heat protective | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | |
| wrapping on a 4-cycle header/silencer | | | | | |
| 2-27. Loss of header/silencer | • Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | |
| on a 4-cycle kart | | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place Start at the rear next race | Scored in last place Disgualification | |
| 2-27. Loss of intake silencer | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | • Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | |
| on a 2-cycle kart | | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | | Start at the rear next race | Disgualification | |
| 2-27. Loose bodywork | • Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | |
| including side pods, front | | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| fairings, rear protection, | | | Start at the rear next race | Disqualification | |
| bumpers, chain guard if | | | | | |
| judged by officials to be a | | | | | |
| hazard. | | | | | |
| 2-27 Loss of bodywork | • Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | • Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | |
| including side pods front | | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| fairings, rear protection, | | | Start at the rear next race | Disqualification | |
| bumpers, chain guard whether | | | | | |
| or not Black Flag w. Orange | | | | | |
| Disk is shown. | | | | | |
| Any on track technical | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | Black Flag w. Orange Disk | |
| infraction deemed necessary | | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Scored in last place | |
| by officials | | Disqualification | Start at the rear next race | Disgualification | |
| , | | | Disgualification | | |
| 2-3.2. Unauthorized repairs or | | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Disqualification | |
| Replacement after Technical | | Disqualification | Start at the rear next race | | |
| Marking | | | Disqualification | | |
| 2-3.2.d) A cracked or broken | | Disgualification | Disgualification | Disgualification | |
| header/silencer that does not | | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear next race | | |
| pass technical inspection | | | | | |
| 2-4. Tech Sheet or Passport | | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | Scored in last place | Disqualification | |
| incomplete or missing | | Start at the rear first race Disgualification | Start at the rear next race Disgualification | | |
| 2-4. Serial numbers missing | | Fine (\$50.00 Min) | Scored in last place | Disqualification | |
| on Tech Sheet or Passport or | | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear next race | | |
| the use of unlisted equipment | | Disqualification | Disqualification | | |
| | | | | | |
| 2-5. Missing, incorrect, un- | | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | Scored in last place | Disqualification | |
| crimped or broken seals on | | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear next race | | |
| engine, chassis or tires | | Disqualification | Disqualification | | |
| 2-6.d) Not proceeding to Parc | | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | • Fine (\$50.00 Min) | |
| Fermé as instructed/required | | Start at the rear first race | Scored in last place | Disqualification | |
| | | Disqualification | Start at the rear next race | | |
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| 2-6.j) and k) Technical | | Disqualification | Disqualification | Disqualification | |
| Infraction during inspection | | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear next race | | |
| 2-8.15 Loss of a wheel | • Fine (\$250.00 Min) | • Fine (\$250.00 Min) | • Fine (\$250.00 Min) | • Fine (\$250.00 Min) | |
| (non-mechanical failure) | | | | | |
| 2-26. Using unauthorized or | | Disqualification | Disqualification | Disqualification | |
| additional tires | | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear next race | | |
| 2-35. Failing fuel or oil test | | Disqualification | Disqualification | Disqualification | |
| | | Start at the rear first race | Start at the rear next race | | |
| Front Fairing Push Back | | | | | |
| 2-9. Front Fairing Push Back | | Disqualification | Disqualification | Disqualification | 5 |
| touching front fairing | | | | | |
| 2-9. Front Fairing Push Back | | Loss of fast time (Min) | 5 Seconds | 5 Seconds | 5 |
| one side pushed back | | | | | |
| 2-9. Front Fairing Push Back | | Loss of fast time (Min) | 5 Seconds | • 5 Seconds | 5 |
| two sides pushed back | | | | | |

Penalty Points (PPT) Chart (Book 1, Sporting Regulations 11.6.)

Scale of Penalties: (Book 1, Sporting Regulations 18.1)

18.1.Scale of Penalties. Penalties may be inflicted as follows in order of increasing severity: Waming;
Reprimand (blame);
Monetary fine;
Disallowance or deletion of a driver's race, qualifying and practice lap time(s);
Drop of grid position(s);
Time penalty;
Drop of place(s) in the classification of the competition (position penalty);
Disqualification;
Suspension;
Exclusion.

Probation: (Book 1, Sporting Regulations 18.12)

A driver who has repeat or multiple violations may be put on probation with conditions applied as part of their continued participation.