

How to read the score sheets:

In order to avoid having the reports spread out too far across the page and to allow easy comparison of raw and scaled scores, the reports use a “folded” format with information from eight separate data items shown in four columns on the page.

First, it is useful to understand the difference between **raw** scores and **scaled** scores. The **raw** scores are based directly on the scores given by the appraisers. However, it is unlikely that any team will get a “perfect score” (e.g., a 240 on their central challenge). In this case, the team that earns the highest raw score will be awarded a **scaled** score of 240 points and all other teams’ **scaled** scores will be pro-rated accordingly, giving a better sense of how each team compares with others. This is done separately for the Central Challenge, the Side Trips, and Instant Challenge.

On the top of the score columns of a score sheet are eight abbreviated column titles “folded” into the four page columns. These are

Total	the team’s final Total score, the sum of the scaled Central Challenge, Side Trip, and Instant Challenge scores
Central	the scaled Central Challenge score
Side	the scaled Side Trip score
Instant	the scaled Instant Challenge score
Deduct	any deductions received
Rw.Cen	the raw Central Challenge score
RwSide	the raw Side Trip score
RwInst	the raw Instant Challenge score

Within each row there are two folded rows—the first of these corresponds to the first row of titles, and similarly the second with the second row of titles. The following color-coded rectangles attempt to show the correspondence.

Total	Central	Side	Instant
Deduct	Rw.Cen	RwSide	RwInst
393.61	240.00	55.81	97.80
0.00	188.58	43.25	89.00

We hope that this helps you interpret the scoring results.

Your JeffCO DI Organizing Team