

CONVERSION TABLES

Using the Tables:

{1} Find the slope rating for the set of tees you will be playing.

{2} Find your GAM/USGA Handicap Index.

{3} Read across the table to find your Course Handicap.

→ **PLAYING FROM THE SAME TEES (SAME SEX):** If your GAM/USGA Handicap Index is 18.6 and you're playing from tees with a 113 slope rating, you will receive 19 strokes. If your fellow competitor has a 3.2 GAM/USGA Handicap Index, and plays from the same set of tees, he will receive three strokes.

You would receive the difference, or 16 strokes.

SLOPE RATING-113

GAM/USGA INDEX	COURSE HDCP	GAM/USGA INDEX	COURSE HDCP	GAM/USGA INDEX	COURSE HDCP	GAM/USGA INDEX	COURSE HDCP
Below +2.6	+3	7.5 to 8.4	8	18.5 to 19.4	19	29.5 to 30.4	30
+2.5 to +1.6	+2	8.5 to 9.4	9	19.5 to 20.4	20	30.5 to 31.4	31
+1.5 to +0.6	+1	9.5 to 10.4	10	20.5 to 21.4	21	31.5 to 32.4	32
+0.5 to 0.4	0	10.5 to 11.4	11	21.5 to 22.4	22	32.5 to 33.4	33
0.5 to 1.4	1	11.5 to 12.4	12	22.5 to 23.4	23	33.5 to 34.4	34
1.5 to 2.4	2	12.5 to 13.4	13	23.5 to 24.4	24	34.5 to 35.4	35
2.5 to 3.4	3	13.5 to 14.4	14	24.5 to 25.4	25	35.5 to 36.4	36
3.5 to 4.4	4	14.5 to 15.4	15	25.5 to 26.4	26	36.5 to 37.4	37
4.5 to 5.4	5	15.5 to 16.4	16	26.5 to 27.4	27	37.5 to 38.4	38
5.5 to 6.4	6	16.5 to 17.4	17	27.5 to 28.4	28	38.5 to 39.4	39
6.5 to 7.4	7	17.5 to 18.4	18	28.5 to 29.4	29	39.5 to 40.4	40

→ **PLAYERS COMPETING FROM DIFFERENT TEES OR MEN/WOMEN FROM THE SAME TEE:** A person playing from tees with a more difficult course rating receives extra strokes. For example: Tom and Mary both have a GAM/USGA Handicap Index of 10.4. From Mary's tees, a 140 slope rating gives her a 13 Course Handicap. From Tom's tees, a slope of 130 gives him a 12 Course Handicap. Mary gets one stroke PLUS the difference between the course ratings, or 73.2 - 71.1 = 2.1. Rounded to the nearest whole number (.5 or more is rounded up).

Mary gets an extra two strokes, for a total of three. She is now a 15 and Tom is a 12.

Men's Championship	74.4/138	7028 yds.
Men's Back	73.2/134	6744 yds.
Men's Middle	71.1/130	6329 yds.
Women's Middle	73.2/140	6329 yds.
Women's Forward	74.5/131	5700 yds.

Adjusting Scores:

Equitable Stroke Control

→ **MAXIMUM SCORES:** Posting an exceptionally bad score for a hole could change your GAM/USGA Handicap Index too much. If a score exceeds the limit in the ESC formula, you should, for handicap purposes only, record a score for the hole in accordance with the formula below. There is no limit to the number of holes on which a player can adjust his/her score.

COURSE HANDICAP		MAXIMUM SCORE POSTED ON ANY HOLE
18 Holes	9 Holes	Double Bogey
9 or less	4 or less	
10 - 19	5 - 9	
20 - 29	10 - 14	
30 - 39	15 - 19	
40 or more	20 or more	

Incomplete Holes or Conceded Strokes

If you pick up on a hole or are conceded a stroke, record the score you most likely would have made. It is the number of strokes (including penalty strokes) taken thus far, plus the number of strokes you think would be needed to complete the hole from that point 50 percent of the time. An "X" should be placed on the scorecard before such a score.

Holes Not Played

When a hole isn't played, your score for the hole is par, plus any handicap strokes to which you're entitled (based on your Course Handicap). And don't let a partial rainout stop you from posting a score. Use this method to fill out your scorecard when you play at least 13 holes out of 18, or at least seven out of nine. An "X" should be placed on the scorecard here, as well.

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Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP. Rows show handicap ranges and corresponding slope ratings.

SLOPE RATING-118

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP. Rows show handicap ranges and corresponding slope ratings.

SLOPE RATING-114

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP. Rows show handicap ranges and corresponding slope ratings.

SLOPE RATING-119

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP. Rows show handicap ranges and corresponding slope ratings.

SLOPE RATING-115

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP. Rows show handicap ranges and corresponding slope ratings.

SLOPE RATING-120

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP. Rows show handicap ranges and corresponding slope ratings.

SLOPE RATING-116

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP. Rows show handicap ranges and corresponding slope ratings.

SLOPE RATING-121

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP. Rows show handicap ranges and corresponding slope ratings.

SLOPE RATING-117

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP. Rows show handicap ranges and corresponding slope ratings.

SLOPE RATING-122

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDCP. Rows show handicap ranges and corresponding slope ratings.

SLOPE RATING-123

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC. Rows 1-21.

SLOPE RATING-124

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC. Rows 1-21.

SLOPE RATING-125

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC. Rows 1-21.

SLOPE RATING-126

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC. Rows 1-21.

SLOPE RATING-127

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC. Rows 1-21.

SLOPE RATING-128

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC. Rows 1-21.

SLOPE RATING-129

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC. Rows 1-21.

SLOPE RATING-130

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC. Rows 1-21.

SLOPE RATING-131

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC. Rows 1-21.

SLOPE RATING-132

Table with 8 columns: GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC, GAM/USGA INDEX, COURSE HDPC. Rows 1-21.

