

GUIDELINES FOR NUMERICAL RATINGS
(PLEASE use these topics as the basis for your comments and ratings)

less than 60:

very unsure of the rules and/or their application
poor use of hand signals
passes on many obvious calls
poor communication with crew
lacks the ability to keep up (not in good shape)
frequently out of position
fails to meet the minimum standards regarding appearance

60-69:

unsure of the rules and/or their application
mechanics are slightly below an acceptable standard
doesn't make all the calls which should be made
could/should be in better shape
uncertain about his positioning
appearance is not quite at the professional level

70-79:

comfortable knowledge of the rules
reasonably consistent application of rules
most calls are on the money, but has not eliminated the bad ones yet
good signals/mechanics
good communication with crew
effective communication with coaches and players
keeps up with the pace of play
reasonably good understanding of the flow of the game
reasonably good field awareness /field presence
usually in proper position
professional appearance
can successfully work with officials in the previous two groups

80-89:

very good knowledge of the rules and properly applies them
makes all the right calls (and the tough ones) and rarely makes a bad call
very good hand signals/mechanics
good communication with crew
in good shape
understands the flow of the game and has a positive presence on the field
handles tough situations calmly and with conviction
coaches and fellow officials respect his ability
in proper position
very professional appearance

90-100:

AMONG THE BEST in each of the areas outlined in the 80-89 category