

# **GUIDANCE OF JUDO GI CONTROL DURING IJF COMPETITIONS**

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IJF JUDO GI SUPPLIERS UPDATED ON 01/08/2021

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**The judogi control is placed under the responsibility of the IJF Education Commission.**

## **PRESENTATION**

The judoka has to show up in the regular dress he would have to appear on the tatami.

If an athlete does not respect the IJF judogi rules, the athlete will wear a reserve judogi and cannot have a coach.

## **POSITION OF VERIFICATION:**

### **1. POSITION OF THE ATHLETE FROM THE CONTROL**

#### **A) CONTROL OF THE LENGTH OF THE SLEEVES**

The athlete must be in standing position, the arms straight in horizontal position in front of him, palms open, fingers tighten upward, thumbs and majors are joined.

#### **B) CONTROL OF THE CROSSING POINT OF THE JACKET FROM THE STERNUM TOP AND OVER THE BELT.**

The athlete must be in standing position, arms stretched alongside the body.

#### **C) CONTROL OF THE LENGTH OF THE SKIRT**

The athlete must be in standing position, arms stretched alongside the body.

**N.B. IN CASE IF THE FIRST CONTROL IS NEGATIF, ONLY ONE SECOND CONTROL WILL BE ACCEPTED**

## **JUDOGI CONTROL PROCEDURE**

1. The fighter's judogi must not be wet, and/or show any particular stains, must not show any worn out signs, particularly on the collar and the lapel, nor bloodstain. If the condition of the judogi is assessed as unsatisfactory, the fighter must wear a spare judogi.
2. The jacket and the trousers need to be of the same brand and of a uniform color.
3. The name of the fighter on the accreditation card has to correspond to the backnumber.
4. The "IJF Approved" label on the jacket, the trousers and the belt is controlled with a UV optical lamp.
5. The logo of the judogi manufacturer approved as "IJF Official supplier" must appear on the jacket, the trousers and the belt. The brand of the Judogi manufacturer must be identical for the jacket and the trousers.
6. The appropriate backnumber must be entirely sewed on all four sides and in X linking the four opposite points or by 6 horizontal equidistant stitches (see picture 9). It must bear the name of the competitor and the dedicated advertising of the competition (which can be different for the white and blue Judogi according to the competition protocol).
7. On the left side of the jacket at the chest level only the National emblem can appear.

8. Control of the corresponding advertising, including the advertising reserved for the athlete.
9. Control of jackets, trousers (the malleolus must be visible and accessible for checking the length of the trousers) and belt size in compliance with the current regulations.
10. Control of any protections (knee pad, elbow pad, shin pad...). No metallic part or any other part made of rigid material is allowed. The control of the size of the judogi is operated with the worn protections.
11. Athletes can wear underwear or shorts from the belt the knee level. It is forbidden to wear tights. The protections at the arms or legs level must be in soft material and not be visible.
12. Long hair must be tied and not prevent the grip of the opponent.
13. No element (sticky, sewed...) masking an element of judogi or belt is allowed.

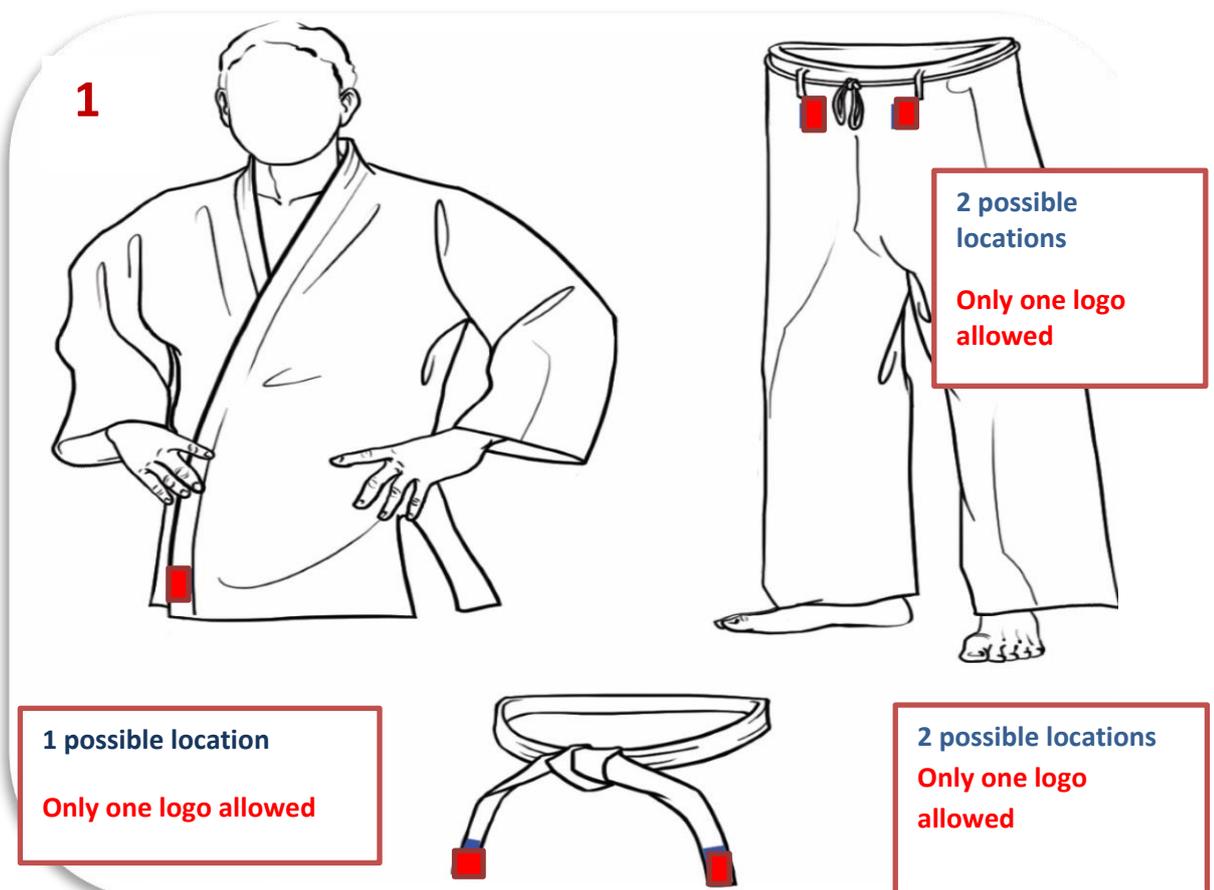
### IJF LABEL (SEE PICTURE 1):

Identification corresponding to IJF current rules. Unforgeable optical label certifying that the judogi complies with the IJF current rules.



Markings (LOGO, EMBLEM, ADVERTISING...) have to be made with material which doesn't prevent good judo practice.

*Note : In case a fighter wears a color belt (brown, blue or green), this one must be made of soft material.*



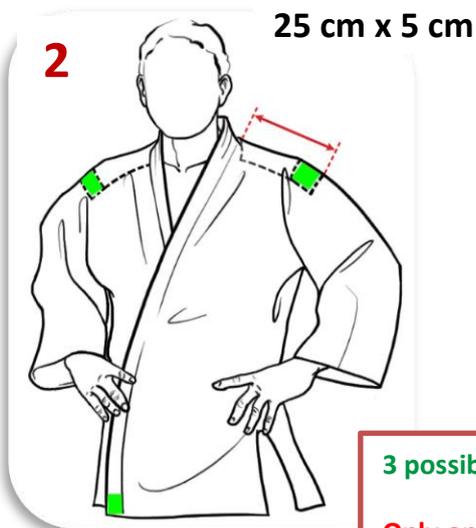
The label is fixed:

- On the front side and the bottom of the jacket, on the left side (jacket is folded on the right side), near or in the reinforced zone.
- On the front side and the top of the trousers, close to the middle.
- at one of the two edges of the belt\*

*Note : In case a fighter wears a color belt (brown, blue or green), this one will be exempt from the "IJF approved" label.*

### LOCATION OF THE MANUFACTURER'S LOGO (SEE PICTURE 2):

Only one manufacturer's logo per clothing item is allowed (jacket, trousers, and belt). It must be in an area of **MAXIMUM 30 CM<sup>2</sup>** and should be fixed:

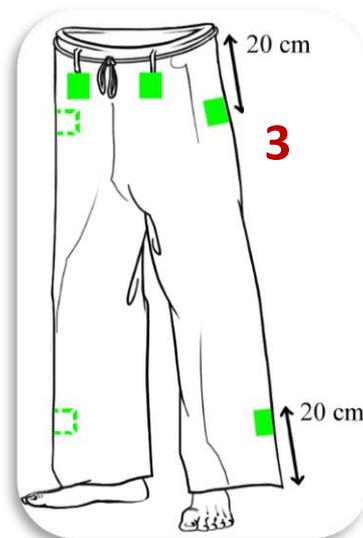


**On the jacket** in a visible area, **MAXIMUM 30 CM<sup>2</sup>**:

- Either on the bottom, on the left side (when jacket crossed on the right side), near or in the reinforced zone. See picture 2.
- Or at the bottom edge and inside the publicity zone permitted on the shoulders (25cmx5cm). See picture 2.

**On the trousers, in a visible area, MAXIMUM 30 CM<sup>2</sup>** (see picture 3):

- Either at the top, at the front side or outside (Maximum 20cm from the waist string)
- Or at the bottom, on one of the two trousers at the front side or outside (maximum 20 cm from the bottom of the lower edge of the trousers)



**8 possible locations**

**Only one logo allowed**

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**On the belt**, in a visible area, **MAXIMUM 9 CM<sup>2</sup>** (see picture 4):

- at one of the two edges.

**2 possible locations**

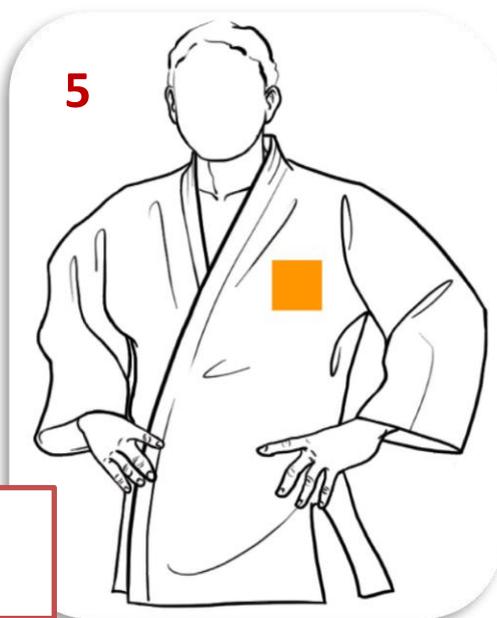
**Only one logo allowed**

**NATIONAL EMBLEM (SEE PICTURE 5):**

Official identification of a nation, a National Olympic Committee or an IJF affiliated national federation.

No commercial brand can be associated to it. It is fixed on the left side, at the chest level. Maximum surface 100 cm<sup>2</sup>

It can also appear in the publicity space. (See picture 6)

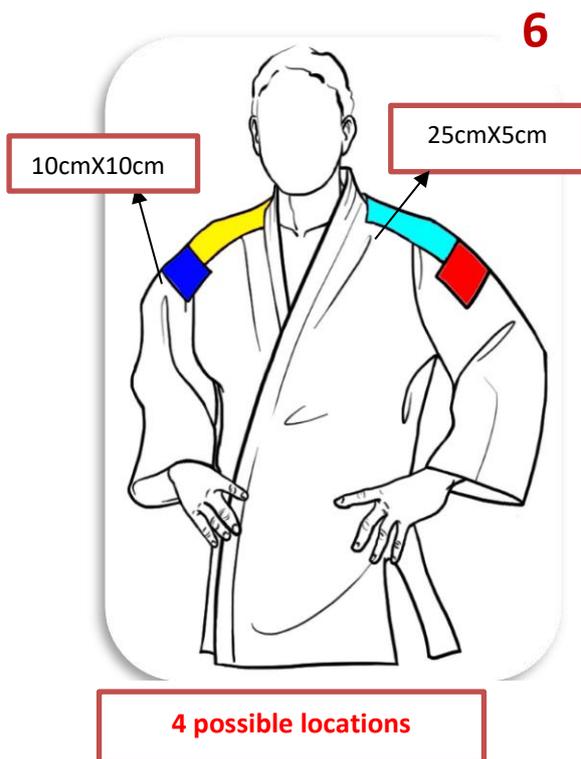


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**1 possible location**

**Only 1 emblem allowed**

**ADVERTISING (SEE PICTURE 6):**



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10cmX10cm

25cmX5cm

**4 possible locations**

Advertising is allowed only on the jacket. It must respect the practical provisions of IJF. The advertising cannot mention political, denominational or sport organizations other than the IJF, the Continental Unions, member National Federations, their organizations and affiliated clubs. It is not permitted to make the promotion of tobacco, alcohol, any prohibited substances during the fight listed in the doping code, of any product, property or service contrary to the morals and to the good customs.

On the visible part of the jacket the advertising can appear in 4 advertising spaces:

- on the sleeves, inside the surface of maximum 10x10 cm, situated at 25 cm from the lower part of the collar.
- on the shoulders, a stripe of 25cm x 5cm. The stripe must be calculated from the lower part of the collar down the sleeve.

A maximum of 4 different publicities are permitted. **Only one publicity is allowed per space.**

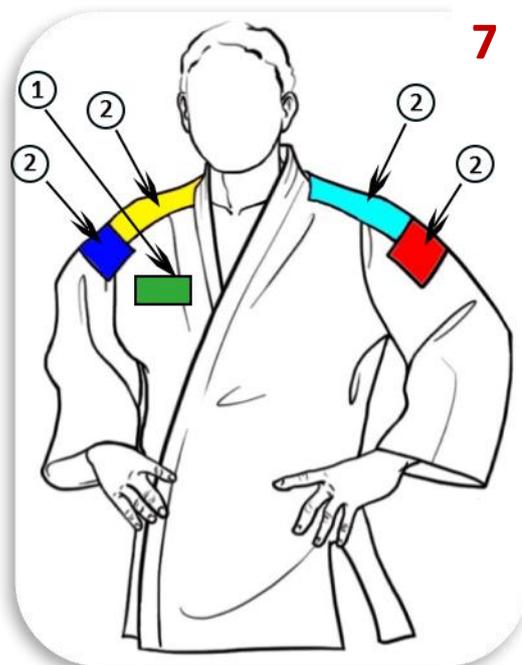
## ADDITIONAL ADVERTISING RESERVED FOR THE ATHLETE (SEE PICTURE 7)

On the judogi jacket (right hand side lapel only) there is an advertisement space reserved for the athlete (**Fig.7.1.**). It must be a rectangle of 10 cm x 5 cm maximum, either a vertical or horizontal orientation is allowed.

Unless there is a specific agreement with the National Federation, the advertising cannot conflict with the brand of judogi that the athlete is wearing, the sponsors of the National Federation (**Fig.7.2.**) and if the sponsor of the National Federation has multi-activities, in the area concerned by the sponsorship.

This advertising shouldn't be an organisation that is in competition with the National Federation unless it is agreed with the National Federation.

It is not permitted, in the advertising spaces, to promote tobacco, alcohol, any prohibited substances listed in the prohibited list of the World Antidoping Agency, or any product, goods or service contrary to morality or good ethics.



## MARKING (SEE PICTURE 8):

The name of the fighter is permitted:

- On the bottom of the jacket, **Picture 8.1**
- On the top of the trousers, **Picture 8.2**
- On one of both extremities of the belt, **Picture 8.3**

The letters composing the name of the fighter should not exceed a height of 4 cm and a length of 20cm. No other marking will be accepted.

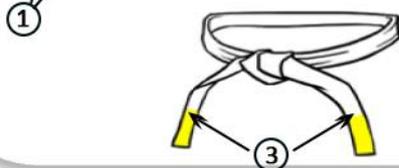
2 possible locations

Only 1 text allowed



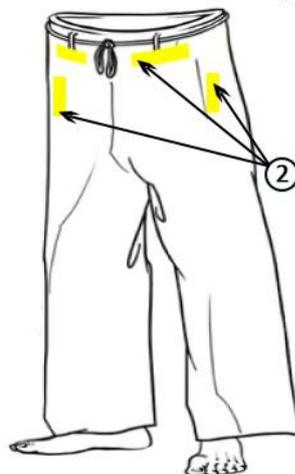
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4 possible locations

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## BACK NUMBER (SEE PICTURE 9):

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It is fixed on the back of the jacket, sewed with white thread in a solid and regular way. Sewed on all four sides and in X linking the four opposite points or by 6 horizontal equidistant stitches (see picture 9).

**NOTE:** On the picture, the stitches are marked in red for a better understanding.

The top of the backnumber must be placed at 3 cm from the collar. During the competitions organized by IJF, it must include the publicity of the competition (which is different for white and blue judogi).



## COLOR:

The jacket and the trousers should be of a uniform color and correspond to the following color references:

- White: Snow white reference
- Blue: maximum Pantone color: 285M 5M minimum Pantone color: 286M

## JUDOGI SIZE (SEE PICTURE 10):

Judogi and belt are controlled by SOKUTEIKI

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### JACKET (SEE PICTURE 11):

The "skirt" has to cover completely the buttocks.

At the sleeves level, the SOKUTEIKI must slip inside entirely and smoothly.

Judogi sleeves must cover up the full arm including wrist.



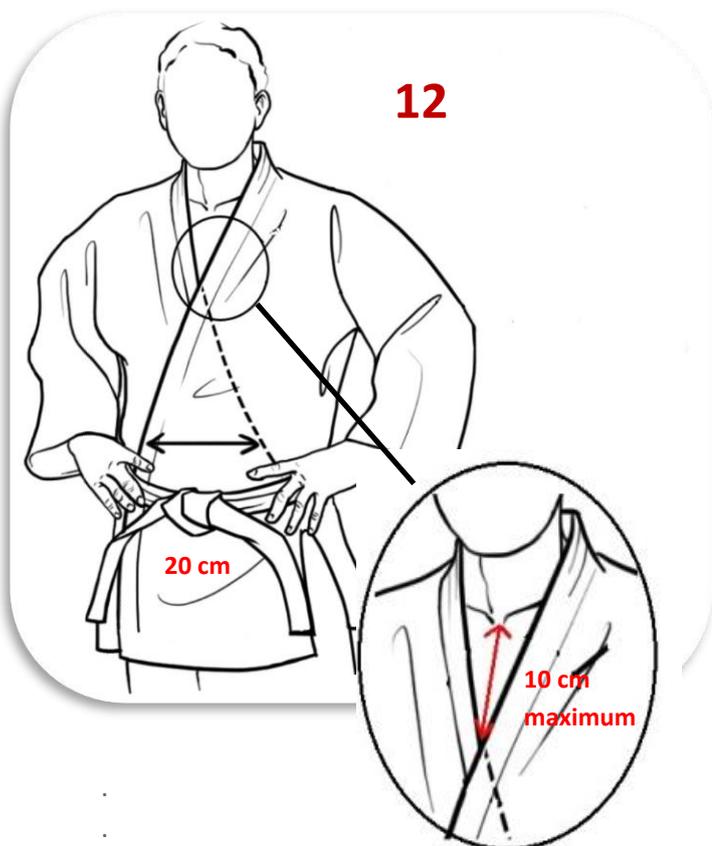
### PICTURE 12:

Crossing points of the jacket must be at more than 20 cm

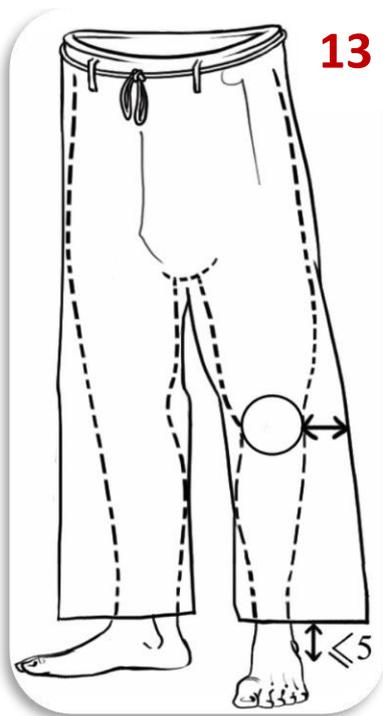
-The thickness of the lapel side must be less or equal to 1 cm.

- the width of the lapel side must be 4 cm.

- The distance between the sternum top and the lapel crossing point of the jacket vertically must be less than 10 cm.



### TROUSERS (SEE PICTURE 13):



-the distance between the bottom of the trousers and the exterior malleolus (ankle) must be less or equal to 5 cm.

- the width must be between 10 and 15 cm at the knee level

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≤5cm

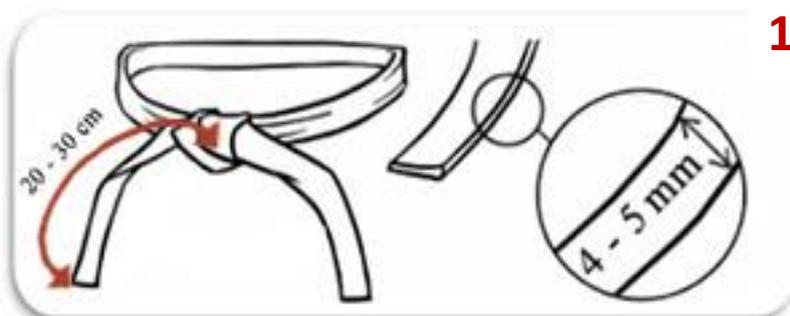
### BELT (SEE PICTURE 14):

-the thickness must be between 4 and 5 mm

-the tips starting from the central knot must have a length between 20 and 30 cm.

- the knot must be correctly and tightly made

- The belt must not be made of a stiff and/or slipping material



## TEE-SHIRT (FOR WOMEN)

- of white color, short-sleeved, round-necked.

-marking of the manufacturer logo, of maximum 30 cm<sup>2</sup> is authorized. It cannot be visible while the judogi is done.

-the national emblem representing the official identification of a nation, a National Olympic Committee or national federation member of IJF, of a surface of 100 cm<sup>2</sup> can be fixed on the chest, on the left side.

-no commercial marking can appear.

## SPARE JUDO GI SUPPLY:

During the competitions organized by IJF, the organizers will supply blue and white judogi of different sizes. The belts of different sizes must also be supplied. Judogi will be available in the “call room” so that any change requirement could be met as quickly as possible. A closed structure for any change request must be located in the control zone.

The replacement judogi must be used only in the following cases:

- Torn judogi during a fight
- bloodstains or any other apparent stains
- irregular size
- irregular or missing backnumber
- inappropriate advertising
- inappropriate emblem
- unofficial brand
- jacket and trousers, if not the same brand
- inappropriate color
- worn out judogi...
- when the name on the backnumber is different from the one on the accreditation.

The judogi are supplied by the organizers for a fight. The competitor must leave his accreditation card or part/parts of the judogi which does not meet the requirements of the IJF regulations, to the organizers in exchange of the irregular element(s). The spare judogi must be returned back immediately by the end of the fight.

Each athlete is obliged to go through the judogi control before his fight. A specific zone is dedicated for that purpose.

If a competitor refuses to comply with the rules, he/she will exclude himself/herself from the competition.

*Note : The spare judogi are supplied for the competitors as a “service”. The organizers cannot be blamed if a competitor cannot find a judogi with a suitable size, whatsoever.*