

MOVE UP/SPLIT UP TABLE

When a player or team played at this National Championship Level in the previous year	Maximum Number of Players who can combine to play together at that same NTRP level or lower	Move Up Level				
		Adult 18 & Over move up level if eligible	Adult 40 & Over move up level if eligible	Adult 55 & Over move up level if eligible	Mixed 18 & Over move up level if eligible	Mixed 40 & Over move up level if eligible
Adult 18&Over 2.5	2	3.0	3.0	6.0	Combine and play at any level for which the players are eligible in the Mixed Division	
Adult 18&Over 3.0	3	3.5	3.5	7.0		
Adult 18&Over 3.5	3	4.0	4.0	8.0		
Adult 18&Over 4.0	3	4.5	4.5+	9.0		
Adult 18&Over 4.5	3	5.0+				
Adult 18&Over 5.0+	2					
Adult 40&Over 3.0	3	3.5	3.5	7.0	Combine and play at any level for which the players are eligible in the Mixed Division	
Adult 40&Over 3.5	3	4.0	4.0	8.0		
Adult 40&Over 4.0	3	4.5	4.5+	9.0		
Adult 40&Over 4.5+	3	5.0+				
Adult 55&Over 6.0 (3.0)	3	3.5*	3.5*	7.0	Combine and play at any level for which the players are eligible in the Mixed Division	
Adult 55&Over 7.0 (3.5)	3	4.0*	4.0*	8.0		
Adult 55&Over 8.0 (4.0)	3	4.5*	4.5+*	9.0		
Adult 55&Over 9.0 (4.5)	3	5.0+*				
Mixed 18&Over 6.0	3	Combine and play at any level for which the players are eligible in the Adult Division			7.0	7.0
Mixed 18&Over 7.0	3				8.0	8.0
Mixed 18&Over 8.0	3				9.0	9.0
Mixed 18&Over 9.0	3				10.0	
Mixed 18&Over 10.0	3					
Mixed 40&Over 6.0	3	Combine and play at any level for which the players are eligible in the Adult Division			7.0	7.0
Mixed 40&Over 7.0	3				8.0	8.0
Mixed 40&Over 8.0	3				9.0	9.0
Mixed 40&Over 9.0	3				10.0	

** When championship players' NTRP ratings used in the previous year's Adult 55&Over league is the same as the "Move Up" level for the Adult 18 & Adult 40, those players must move up one level higher than shown in the Table, otherwise, the players will be counted in the three-player limit (two-player limit for Adult 2.5 and 5.0+).*

ODTA Comment 29.1: The three-player limit (two-player limit for 2.5 and 5.0+) includes players from other USTA sections and from the other Hawaii Pacific Section districts who participate in ODTA leagues.

ODTA Comment 29.2: **Adult Championship players must move up according to the Table or be counted in the three-player limit (two-player limit for 2.5 & 5.0+).** Players who played on 3.0/6.0 teams are considered to be 3.0 (even if they are 2.5); players on 3.5/7.0 teams are considered to be 3.5 (even if they are 3.0); players on 4.0/8.0 teams are considered to be 4.0 (even if they are 3.5); players on 4.5/9.0 teams are considered to be 4.5 (even if they are 4.0); players on 5.0 teams are considered to be 5.0 (even if they are 4.5). All other players who participated in the 55&Over with higher NTRP ratings see 29.3 below.

ODTA Comment 29.3: When championship players' NTRP ratings used in the previous year's Adult 55 & Over league is the same as the "Move Up" level for the Adult 18 & Adult 40, those players must move up one level higher than shown in the Table, otherwise, the players will be counted in the three-player limit (two-player limit for 2.5 and 5.0+). See 29.11 below.

ODTA Comment 29.4: *Split Up* - An Adult 18 team is formed at the 3.5 playing level with three players from the previous year's Adult 18 3.5 National Championship team. This team may not have any other players who were on the roster of an Adult 3.5 division team that advanced to or qualified for any Adult National Championships the previous year, but may have any number of players who have moved up.

ODTA Comment 29.5: *Split Up* - An Adult 55 team is formed at the 7.0 playing level with two players who were on the rosters of an Adult 18 3.5 and Adult 40 4.0 National Championship teams. This team may have one other player who was on the roster of any Adult division team that advanced to, or qualified for Adult National Championships and other Adult championship players who have moved up.

ODTA Comment 29.6: *Split Up* - A Mixed 18 team is formed at the 8.0 playing level with one player from a Mixed 18 8.0 National Championship team and one player from a Mixed 40 8.0 National Championship team. This team may have one other player who was on the roster of any Mixed 8.0 division team that advanced to or qualified for any Mixed National Championships the previous year and other Mixed championship players who have moved up.

ODTA Comment 29.7: *Move Up* - This applies when more than three players (two for 2.5 and 5.0+) who were on the roster of a team that advanced to or qualified for National Championships stay together to form or join a team at the next higher NTRP playing level within the same Division as the previous year. These teams are allowed to have no more than three national championship players who advanced to, or qualified at the next NTRP level within the same Division. Those players who participated on national championship teams the previous year at both levels within the same Division will be counted towards the three.

ODTA Comment 29.8: *Move Up* - Ten players from the same 4.0 Adult 18 National Championship team move up and form a 4.5 Adult 40 team the following year. This team may have three other players who were on the roster of a 4.5 Adult division team(s) that advanced to, or qualified for any Adult National Championships the previous year.

ODTA Comment 29.9: *Move Up* - Only three players from the same 7.0 Mixed 18 National Championship team move up and join an 8.0 Mixed 18 team the following year. This team may have three other players who were on the roster of an 8.0 Mixed division team(s) that advanced to, or qualified for any Mixed National Championships the previous year.

ODTA Comment 29.10: *Move Up* - Only two players from the same 6.0 Adult 55 National Championship team move up and join a 7.0 Adult 55 team the following year. This team may have three other players who were on the roster of a 7.0 Adult division team that advanced to, or qualified for any Adult National Championships the previous year.

ODTA Comment 29.11: *Move Up* - There were four 4.0 players on a 7.0 Adult 55 National Championship team. All four players may play together at the 4.5 level in Adult 18 and Adult 40 leagues. The 4.5 teams may have three other players who were on the roster of a 4.5 Adult division team that advance to, or qualified for any Adult National Championships the previous year.

ODTA Comment 29.12: *Move Up* - There were four 3.0 players on a 7.0 Adult 55 National Championship team. Their 2016 year-end ratings remained at 3.0. These players will be counted in the three-player limit in the Adult 18 and Adult 40 because the move up level for Adult 55 national championship players to play in these leagues is 4.0.

Refer to USTA Q & A Interpretations for more examples.