



Cancelling Penalties



When
does a
coincidental
penalty
situation occur?



When penalties are assessed to
both teams
at the
same stoppage of play.

Which classes of penalties can coincidentals apply?



| | Class | Player sits | Time on gamesheet | Served by | Expires with a goal? | Can coincidental apply? | Written report required? | Phone report required? | Goalie serves if penalized? |
|---|------------------|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Minor | 2 minutes | 2 minutes | offender | yes | | no | no | no ¹ |
| 2 | Bench Minor | 2 minutes | 2 minutes | offender ² | yes | | no | no | no ¹ |
| 3 | Major | rest of the game | 5 minutes | player from the ice | no | | yes | no | yes |
| 4 | Misconduct | 10 minutes | 10 minutes | offender | no | | yes ³ | no | no ¹ |
| 5 | Game Ejection | rest of the game | n/a | n/a | no | | no | no | n/a |
| 6 | Game Misconduct | rest of the game | 10 minutes | n/a | no | | yes | no | yes |
| 7 | Gross Misconduct | rest of the game | 10 minutes | n/a | no | | yes | yes | yes |
| 8 | Match | rest of the game | 5 minutes | player from the ice | no | | yes | yes | yes |
| 9 | Penalty Shot | n/a | "PS" no time | n/a ⁴ | no | | no | no | n/a |

Coincidental Penalty Situations



| Time | Players | Penalty | Minutes |
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Rule 4.1(e)



When a player is assessed both a **Major** penalty and a **Minor** penalty at the same stoppage of play, the Major penalty shall be served first.

| Time | Player | Penalty | Minutes |
|-------|-----------|---------|---------|
| 12:00 | Team A #4 | Major | 5 |
| | | Minor | 2 |

IMPORTANT
NOTE #1

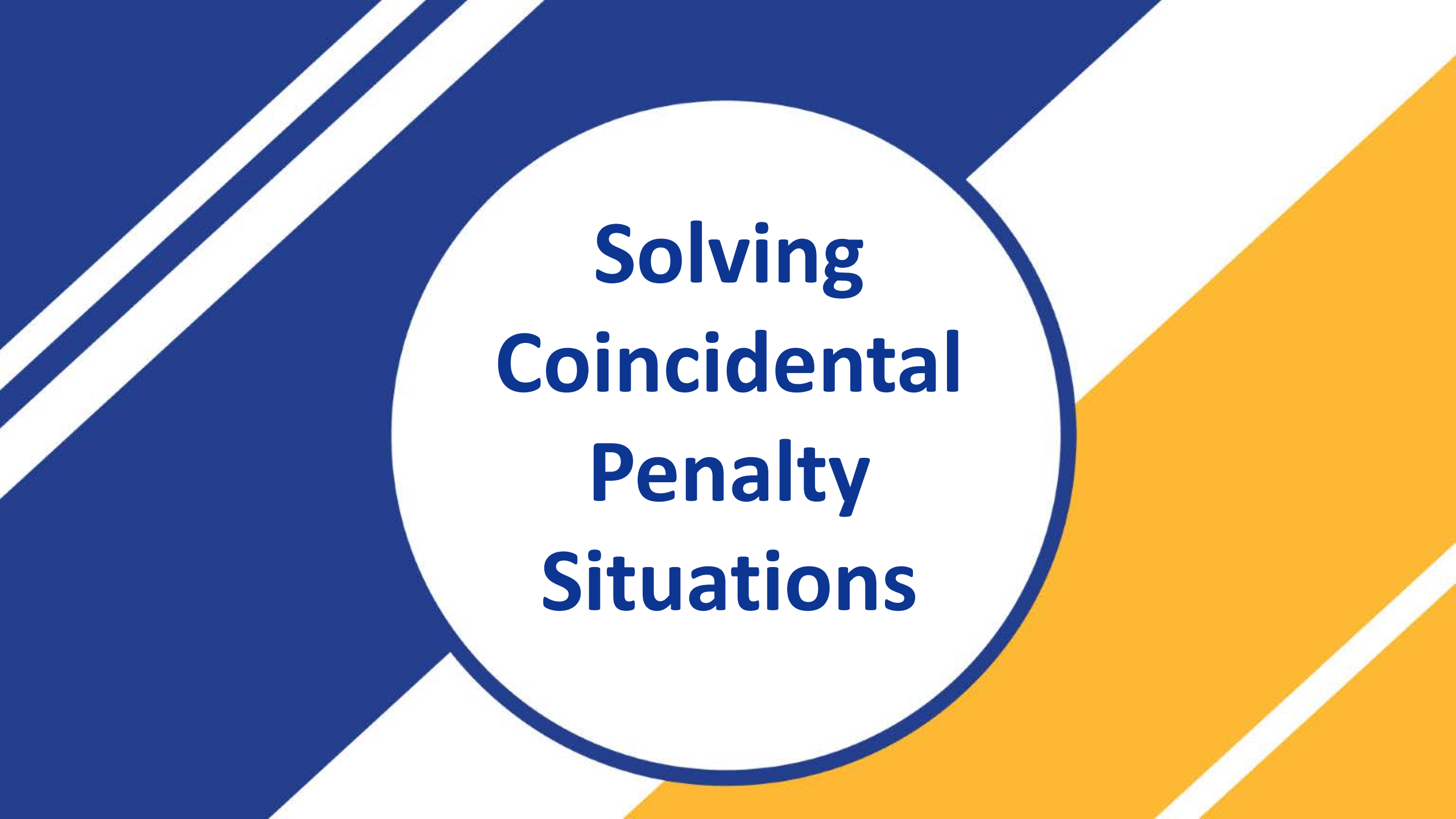
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NOTE #2

Rule 4.12(e)



When a **Minor** penalty and a **Major** penalty are assessed at the same stoppage of play against two different players of the same team, the Referee is to report the Minor as being the first penalty assessed.

| Time | Players | Penalty | Minutes |
|-------|-----------|---------|---------|
| 12:00 | Team A #4 | Minor | 2 |
| | Team A #6 | Major | 5 |



**Solving
Coincidental
Penalty
Situations**

We use a “MOTO”



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Situation #1



| Time | Team A | | Team B | |
|-------|--------|------------------|--------|------------------|
| 12:00 | #4 | 2 min | #7 | 2 min |

What is our first step?

- M** Cancel as MANY penalties of the same value from each team as possible

Situation #1



| Time | Team A | | Team B | |
|-------|--------|------------------|--------|------------------|
| 12:00 | #4 | 2 min | #7 | 2 min |

What is the strength of both teams?

Each team plays at full strength, 5 on 5

When do #4 and #7 get out of the penalty box?

Both players sit in the penalty box for 2 minutes PLUS a whistle. They can return to the ice at the first stoppage of play *after* the initial 2 minutes have elapsed

Situation #2



| Time | Team A | | Team B | |
|------|--------|------------------|--------|------------------|
| 7:00 | #4 | 2 + 2 min | #7 | 2 min |
| | #6 | 2 min | | |

Which steps of MOTO do we need?

M

Cancel as MANY penalties of the same value from each team as possible

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Cancel as many penalties as possible in a way to make teams only ONE player short

Situation #2



| Time | Team A | | Team B | |
|------|--------|------------------|--------|------------------|
| 7:00 | #4 | 2 + 2 min | #7 | 2 min |
| | #6 | 2 min | | |

When does each player get out of the penalty box?

Team A #4 -

Team A #6 -

Team B #7 -

What is the strength of both teams?

Team A will be short handed for 4 minutes –
strength is 5 on 4 for Team B

Situation #3



| Time | Team A | | Team B | |
|-------|--------|----------------------|--------|------------------|
| 10:00 | #4 | 2 min | #7 | 2 min |
| | #6 | 2 + 2 min | #9 | 2 min |

Which steps of MOTO do we need?

M

Cancel as MANY penalties of the same value from each team as possible

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Cancel as many penalties as possible in a way to make teams only ONE player short

T

Cancel as many penalties as possible in a way to avoid TAKING an extra player off the ice

Situation #3



| Time | Team A | | Team B | |
|-------|--------|----------------------|--------|------------------|
| 10:00 | #4 | 2 min | #7 | 2 min |
| | #6 | 2 + 2 min | #9 | 2 min |

When does each player get out of the penalty box?

Team A #4 -

Team A #6 -

Team B #7 -

Team B #9 -

What is the strength of both teams?

Team A will be short handed for 2 minutes

– strength is 5 on 4 for Team B

Situation #4



| Time | Team A | | Team B | |
|------|--------|------------------|--------|------------------|
| 7:00 | #4 | 2 min | #7 | 2 min |
| | #6 | 2 min | | |

M

Cancel as MANY penalties of the same value from each team as possible

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Cancel as many penalties as possible in a way to make teams only ONE player short

T

Cancel as many penalties as possible in a way to avoid TAKING an extra player off the ice

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Cancel as many of the remaining penalties as possible using the ORDER of occurrence (the order reported by the Referee)

Situation #4



| Time | Team A | | Team B | |
|------|--------|------------------|--------|------------------|
| 7:00 | #4 | 2 min | #7 | 2 min |
| | #6 | 2 min | | |

When does each player get out of the penalty box?

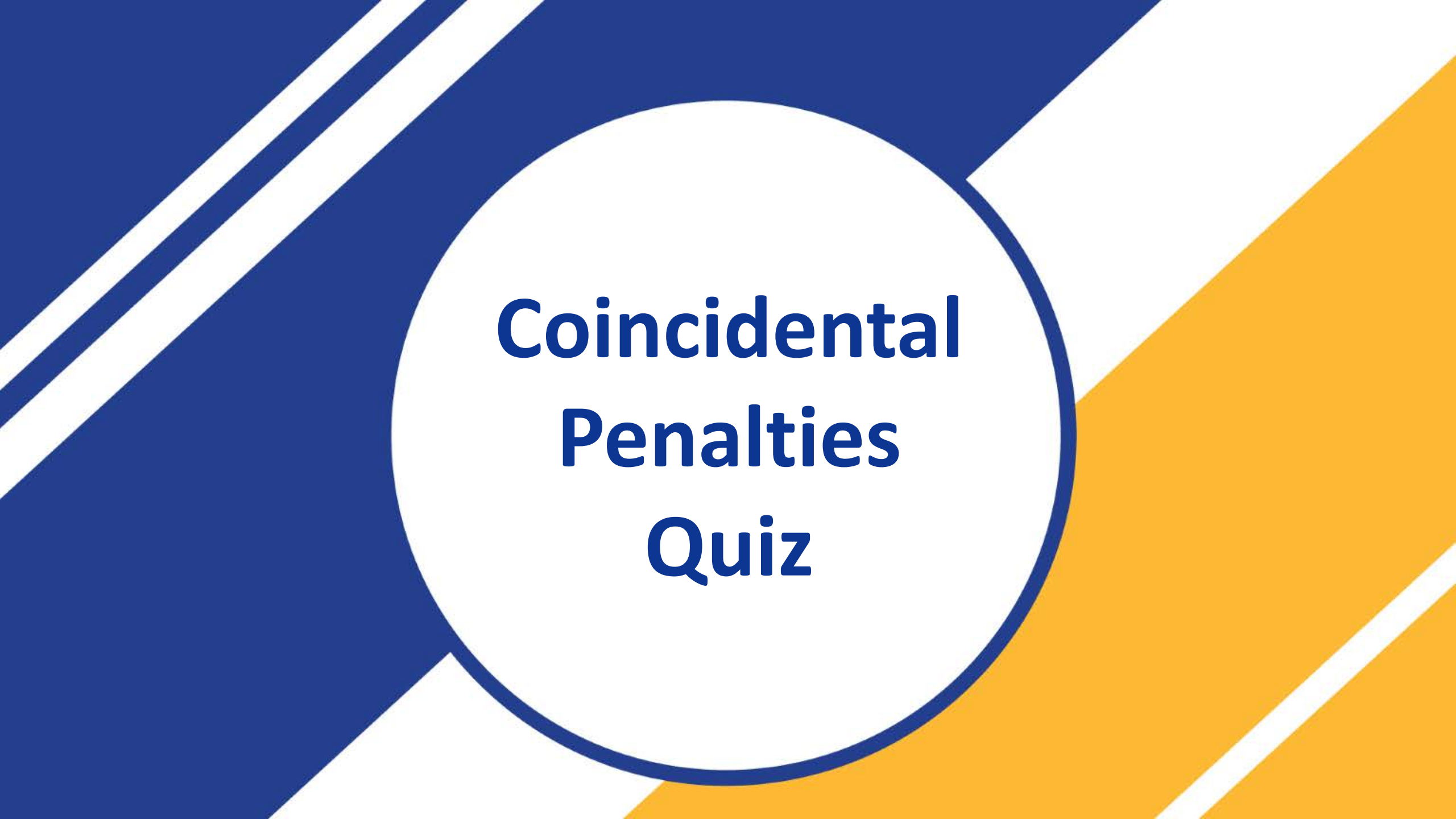
Team A #4 -

Team A #6 -

Team B #7 -

What is the strength of both teams?

Team A will be short handed for 2 minutes –
strength is 5 on 4 for Team B



**Coincidental
Penalties
Quiz**

Question #1



| Time | Team A | | Team B | |
|-------|--------|----------------------|--------|------------------|
| 15:00 | #4 | 2 + 2 min | #7 | 2 min |

Team A #4 - after 4 minutes PLUS a whistle (no time on clock)

Team B #7 - after 2 minutes PLUS a whistle (no time on clock)

Team A serving for #4 – after 2 minutes (time penalty goes up on clock)

Team A will be short handed for 2 minutes
– strength is 5 on 4 for Team B

Question #2



| Time | Team A | | Team B | |
|-------|--------|----------------------|--------|------------------|
| 15:00 | #4 | 2 + 2 min | #7 | 2 min |
| | | | #9 | 2 min |

Team A #4 - after 4 minutes PLUS a whistle (no time on clock)

Team B #7 - after 2 minutes PLUS a whistle (no time on clock)

Team B #9 - after 2 minutes PLUS a whistle (no time on clock)

Teams will play even strength – 5 on 5

Question #3



| Time | Team A | Team B |
|-------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 15:00 | #4 2 min | #7 2 min |
| | | #9 5 min + GM |

Team A #4 – after 2 minutes PLUS a whistle (no time on clock)

Team B #7 - after 2 minutes PLUS a whistle (no time on clock)

Team B #9 - ejected from the game because of the GM

Team B serving for #9 - after 5 minutes (time penalty goes up on clock)

Team B will be short handed for 5 minutes

– strength is 5 on 4 for Team A

Question #4



| Time | Team A | Team B |
|-------|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 15:00 | #4 5+ 2 min + GM | #7 2 min |

Team A #4 - ejected from the game because of the GM

Team A serving for #4 - after 5 minutes (time penalty goes up on clock)

Team B #7 - after 2 minutes PLUS a whistle (no time on clock)

Team A will be short handed for 5 minutes
– strength is 5 on 4 for Team B

Question #5



| Time | Team A | Team B |
|-------|----------------------|---------------|
| 18:00 | #4 2 min #6 2 min | #7 5 min + GM |

Team A #4 - after 2 minutes (time penalty goes up on clock)

Team A #6 - after 2 minutes (time penalty goes up on clock)

Team B #7 - ejected from the game because of the GM

Team B serving for #7 - after 5 minutes (time penalty goes up on clock)

Team A will be short handed for 2 minutes then Team B will be for 3 minutes – strength is 4 on 3 for Team B and then 5 on 4 for Team A