

An Explanation of Ratings

Computer Ratings are “static or fixed” ratings that are earned at the end of one year by one’s play, and then are used in the following year(s) for setting the minimum level of play for that player.

(NOT subject to Strikes or NTRP grievances)

1. *C = Computer, earned from Adult league play in 18 & Over, 40 & Over, 55 & Over*
 - *Other factors that will modify a C rating will be one’s sanctioned NTRP tournament play, Adult 65 & Over results (if applicable), and how our national adult league teams fared at National Championships*
 - *Valid for all league play*
2. *M = Mixed Exclusive, earned from Mixed league play in 18 & Over, and 40 & Over*
 - *Other factors that will influence an M rating will be one’s sanctioned NTRP tournament mixed play*
 - *Valid for mixed league play only; must self-rate for all other league play*
3. *T = Tournament Exclusive, earned from sanctioned NTRP tournament play only*
 - *Valid for tournament and mixed league play only; must self-rate for all other league play*

Appealed Ratings are year-end ratings that are adjusted or modified when an appeal is granted.

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1. *A = Appealed computer rating*
 - *Valid for all league play*

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1. *MA = Appealed mixed rating*
 - *Valid for mixed league play only; must self-rate for all other league play*
2. *TA = Appealed tournament rating*
 - *Valid for tournament and mixed league play only, must self-rate for all other league play*

Self-Ratings are selected by the player if no valid rating is available or if one has to self-rate to enter a certain league different from the one in which their rating was obtained. For example, a player who has a mixed rating but wants to play combo will have to self-rate. Players who obtain a successful medical appeal will also become self-rated players.

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1. *S = self-rate or medical appeal*
2. *D = self-rate which was Disqualified due to Three Strikes or NTRP grievance*

Early Start Ratings are given when a league starts early in the preceding year

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1. *E, ESR, or Q = Early Start Rating,*
 - *Used in Reno-Tahoe area only for leagues that start early before year-end ratings are available*