



**OHIO SOUTH** STATE REFEREE COMMITTEE  
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# **OHIO SOUTH 2012 ADVANCED REFEREE RE-CERTIFICATION TRAINING**

## **Recognizing Fouls & Misconduct**



# Fouls & Misconduct



Watch each of the following 14 random video clips of 2011 FIFA Women's World Cup match between USA (black) vs. Brazil (gold).

Using the answer sheet fill in your answers to the following questions for each clip.

1. Was there a foul? ... Yes or No?  
... on the US? ... or ... on Brazil?
2. If there was a foul ...  
was there advantage? ... Yes or No  
was it trifling? ... Yes or No?
3. Was there misconduct? ... Yes or No?



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Also think about the following questions while watching each of the video clips and be prepared to discuss your thoughts in the in-class training session.

1. What would your decision(s) be if this were a match between two U16 Premier Division teams?
2. What would your decision(s) be if this were a match between two U11 Fifth Division teams?
3. Should your decision(s) be any different from one game to another (or even one moment to another in the same match)? Are you being consistent?



# Fouls & Misconduct

World  
Cup  
Video # 1

World  
Cup  
Video # 2

World  
Cup  
Video # 3

World  
Cup  
Video # 4

World  
Cup  
Video # 5

World  
Cup  
Video # 6

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Video # 7

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Video # 8

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Video # 9

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World  
Cup  
Video  
# 12

World  
Cup  
Video  
# 13

World  
Cup  
Video  
# 14

World  
Cup  
Video  
# 15



# Example Answers

Clip	Foul?	If Yes, Advantage?	If Yes, Trifling?	Misconduct?
#1	No Foul			
#2	Yes - Brazil	Yes	No	No
#3	Yes - USA	No	No	Yes