

## LINE JUDGE SIGNAL SUMMARY

### Antenna Fault/In/Out/Touch

SITUATION	LINE JUDGE SIGNAL
Ball lands in bounds	In
Ball crosses the net, between the antennas, lands out of bounds or contacts anything that causes it to be out of play (floor in the opponent's free zone, nonplayer, wall/divider curtain, bench, bleachers, etc)	Out
Ball contacts a net post or the referee stand (either/both line judge(s) may signal)	Out
Ball contacts a net post or referee stand, but it is not obvious to the referee which team is at fault.	Out: indicate side
Ball hit antenna, net, or cable/straps/ropes outside an antenna (either/both line judge(s) may signal)	Antenna fault
Ball contacts an antenna, but it is not obvious to referee the team at fault	Antenna fault; indicate side
Served ball crosses the vertical plane of the net over or outside the antenna	Antenna fault
A team 2 <sup>nd</sup> or 3 <sup>rd</sup> contact crosses the vertical plane of the net over or outside the antenna	Antenna fault
Attacked ball lands out on the defending side of the net, after touching at least one defender	Touch
Attacked ball lands out on the attacking team's side of the net after contacting an opposing blocker	Out
1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> contacts hit the net, then lands out on the same side of the net	Out
Attacked ball, after being blocked, then contacts a player on the attacking team and lands out on the attacker's side	Touch
Unsuccessful pancake attempt in the free zone, after 1 <sup>st</sup> or 2 <sup>nd</sup> contact	Touch
Ball hit overhead obstruction after 3 <sup>rd</sup> contact	Out
Ball contacts overhead obstruction and then crosses net, or contacts overhead obstruction after crossing the net	Out
Ball hits overhead obstruction over nonplaying area	Out
Line judge see a "touch", but is blocked from seeing the ball land, or the in/out decision belongs to the other judge	Touch
Line judge is blocked from seeing a ball land near a line	Blocked from seeing ball land
Server on the team on the line judge's side commits a foot fault	Line fault signal and point to fault area

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#### Situations When line Judge's Signal Differs from Referee's Signal

SITUATION	LINE JUDGE	REFERRE
Ball contacts antenna or any part of the net/cables/straps outside an antenna including a net post, or referee stand.	Antenna fault	Out
Ball completely crosses the vertical plane of the net over or outside an antenna without contacting an antenna, net cable/straps/ropes outside an antenna, net post or referee stand.	Antenna fault	Out
Line judge is blocked from seeing the ball contact the floor near a line	Blocked from seeing the ball	In/Out/Touch

#### Situations When Line Judges Do Not Signal

SITUATION
When the ball completely crosses under the plane of the net
When the ball lands "out" on the other line judge's line(s)
When an in/out decision involves the other line judge's sideline/end line only – unless a pancake is attempted
When a line judge is obstructed from seeing if the ball contacts the floor
When a line judge does not see a touch, even if the other line judge is signaling "touch" (do not mirror the other line judges' signal if you don't actually see a touch)
Player contacts an antenna
Non-server is touching the floor outside the sideline or end line on contact of serve
A ball contacts a referee