Golf Rules Guide

HANDICAP ROUND LOG

Your 20 most recent rounds, newest at the bottom. When you add a 21st, cross out the oldest.

#	Date	Course and tees	Adjusted gross score	Course Rating	Slope Rating	PCC	Score Differential	Counts
1								
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Score Differential

(113 ÷ Slope Rating) × (Adjusted gross score − Course Rating − PCC)

Round to the nearest tenth. The **adjusted gross score** counts no hole higher than net double bogey: par + 2 + your strokes on that hole. **PCC** is the day's playing conditions adjustment, from −1.0 to +3.0; it is usually 0.

How many of the lowest count

Rounds in the log	3	4	5	6	7–8	9–11	12–14	15–16	17–18	19	20
Lowest that count	1	1	1	2	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Then add	−2.0	−1.0	0	−1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Average of the lowest ____ = _____ + adjustment _____ **Handicap Index** (nearest tenth) _____

Your official Handicap Index also applies a soft and a hard cap against your lowest index of the past year, and may be lowered after an exceptional score. This log doesn't show those; your club's figure is the one that counts.

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