

3 Spot Face Indoor Scoring

- 1) Work out the value of each arrow
If there is more than one arrow in the face you score the value of the lowest arrow. The other arrow(s) are recorded as a Miss
- 2) Reduce to the correct number of arrows
If more than 3 arrows have been shot, then the lowest 3 are scored
- 3) Apply any penalties
If an arrow was shot before or after time, the highest scoring is recorded, but then crossed out and replaced with a Miss. This preserves the score in case of an appeal

Examples

- a) Top face – 9 Middle face – 10 and 8 Bottom face - nothing
In this case you would record a score of 9, 8, M
The archer has shot two arrows in the middle face, so the 8 is scored (as it is lowest) and the 10 becomes a Miss. This gives three values of 9, 8, M
- b) Top face – 9 Middle face – 10 and 8 Bottom face - 10
In this case you would record a score of 9, 8, M
The archer has shot two arrows in the middle face, so the 8 is scored (as it is lowest) and the 10 becomes a Miss
This leaves you with the values of 10, 9, 8, M.
Because the archer has shot more than 3 arrows, you score the lowest 3.
This gives the final value of 9, 8, M
- c) Top face – 9 Middle face – 10 and 8 Bottom face – 10 and 7
In this case you would record a score of 7, M, M
The archer has shot two arrows in the middle face, so the 8 is scored (as it is lowest) and the 10 becomes a Miss. They also shot two arrows in the bottom face, so the 7 is scored (as it is lowest) and the 10 becomes a Miss.
This leaves you with the values of 9, 8, 7, M, M
Because the archer has shot more than 3 arrows, you score the lowest 3.
This gives the final value of 7, M, M
- d) Top face – 9 Middle face – 10 and 8 Bottom face – 7
The last arrow was shot out of time
In this case you would score ~~M~~8, 7, M
The archer has shot two arrows in the middle face, so the 8 is scored (as it is lowest) and the 10 becomes a Miss.
This leaves you with the values of 9, 8, 7, M
Because the archer has shot more than 3 arrows, you score the lowest 3.
This gives you the three values of 8, 7, M
Because the last arrow was shot out of time, you cross this out and replace it with a Miss.

If you ever come across a situation like this, it is a good idea to write down all the scores, and then talk the archer through how you arrived at their final score, this way they can see how you worked it out and be re-assured that your decision is correct. It will also help educate the archer in case it ever happens again.