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## Sample Handicap Computation (for the Pro Lady—Fourball):

**Note:** The World Handicap System requires full precision to be maintained in intermediary calculations. Rounding is performed only once and as the last step.

The Course Handicap is being calculated for All 18 holes.

The initial index is **19.5**. The index is unaffected by the maximum index setting.

This player is on the **Gold - Ladies** tee, the slope is **123**, the rating is **71.2** and the par is **72**.

The Course Handicap is calculated as **index** \* **slope** / 113 = 19.5 \* 123 / 113 = 21.225.... The CR - P adjustment of 71.2 - 72 = -0.8 is applied. The resulting Course Handicap is 20.425....

The handicap adjustment percentage of **85.0%** is applied. The Playing Handicap becomes **17.361...**. After rounding, the Playing Handicap is **17**.

The player handicap is unaffected by the maximum handicap setting (36).



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| Format of Play | Type of Round              | Recommended Handicap Allowance                  |
|----------------|----------------------------|---|
| Stroke play    | Individual                 | 95%   |
|                | Individual Stableford      | 95%   |
|                | Individual Par/Bogey       | 95%   |
|                | Individual Maximum Score   | 95%   |
|                | Four-Ball                  | 85%   |
|                | Four-Ball Stableford       | 85%   |
|                | Four-Ball Par/Bogey        | 90%   |
| Match Play     | Individual                 | 100%  |
|                | Four-Ball                  | 90%   |
| Other          | Foursomes                  | 50% of combined team handicap                   |
|                | Greensomes                 | 60% low handicap + 40% high handicap            |
|                | Pinehurst/Chapman          | 60% low handicap + 40% high Handicap            |
|                | Best 1 of 4 stroke play    | 75%   |
|                | Best 2 of 4 stroke play    | 85%   |
|                | Best 3 of 4 stroke play    | 100%  |
|                | All 4 of 4 stroke play     | 100%  |
|                | Scramble (4 players)       | 25%/20%/15%/10% from lowest to highest handicap |
|                | Scramble (2 players)       | 35% low/15% high                                |
|                | Total score of 2 match pay | 100%  |
|                | Best 1 or 4 Par/Bogey      | 75%   |
|                | Best 2 of 4 Par/Bogey      | 80%   |
|                | Best 3 of 4 Par/Bogey      | 90%   |
|                | 4 of 4 Par/Bogey           | 100%  |