

# 2015 URSL DIVISIONAL Tie-Breaker(s)

1. \* Overall record
2. Head to head (*H2H Run Differential does **NOT** take effect until tiebreaker 4*)
  - a. both games must be fully completed and recorded
3. \* Division Record
4. If the teams split the two games then it goes to margin of victory  
**eg.** If team “A” beats team “B” by **5** runs in the first game and team “B” beats team “A” by **1** run in the second game then team “A” wins by the overall greater margin of victory
5. if still tied a few different scenarios can be figured out
  - a. if it does **NOT** affect whether a team will make the playoffs; meaning it just affects the seeding’s within the 8 DIVISIONAL playoff spots a **COIN** will be flipped witnessed by the directors and opposing coaches. This *should* be done in person but if need be...video conferencing is acceptable
    - **NO** additional game(s) will be played
  - b. if a playoff spot is online; meaning 1 or more teams are fighting for the final playoff spot(s) the following will occur:
    - if it’s just **2** teams competing for the FINAL playoff spot(s) then a **1 GAME PLAY-IN** will be scheduled for either **Saturday Night at Mitchell Playground** *or* **Sunday morning at 8am on the #1 seed’s Home field**. The winner will then play the #1 seed in a normal best of 3 starting at 9am.
    - If it’s **3** or more teams competing for the final playoffs spots then the URSL will do their best to figure out an AGREEABLE scenario...**TBD** *probably play-in game(s) will be figured out*



if there is a rainout(s) that causes an **ODD** number of regular season games played prior to the start of the playoffs (**4** WEEKS prior to Labor Day Weekend) then the **ODD** game(s) that effecti the playoff race(s) will HAVE to be made up sometime during the season before the normal playoffs.... The last day to make them up is the **SATURDAY** before the normal opening round of the Sunday playoffs. The game(s) will be played on the home team's choice of field at an agreeable start time—if a location and start time can **NOT** be agreed upon by the teams then the Commissioner, Deputy Commissioner and the Directors of the URSL will intervene to settle the location and start time provided that their team in NOT involved.

The above tie-breaker rules are **ONLY** valid for the **2015** Season.

### **Three Team Tie-Breaker Senario I -- Rule 5b**

**Combined** margin of victories will be subtracted from the combined margin of defeats—meaning Run Differential within these games only

Team A 2-2

- *a is 1-1 against b*
- *a is 1-1 against c*

Team B 2-2

- *b is 1-1 against c*
- *b is 1-1 against a*

Team C 2-2

- *c is 1-1 against a*
- *c is 1-1 against b*

### **Three Team Tie-Breaker Senario II -- Rule 5b**

**Combined** margin of victories will be subtracted from the combined margin of defeats—meaning Run Differential within these games only

Team A 2-2

- *a is 2-0 against b*
- *a is 0-2 against c*

Team B 2-2

- *b is 2-0 against c*
- *b is 0-2 against a*

Team C 2-2

- *c is 2-0 against a*
- *c is 0-2 against b*

### **Three Team Tie-Breaker Senario III -- Rule 5b**

Team A 3-1 : wins top spot of the 3 and wins tie-breaker

- *a is 2-0 against b*
- *a is 1-1 against c*

Team B 1-3 : finishes at the bottom of the 3 and is **ELIMINATED**

- *b is 0-2 against a*
- *b is 1-1 against c*

Team C 2-2 : finishes in the middle of the 3; may or may not be eliminated depending if 1 or 2 teams are advancing....

- *c is 1-1 against a*
- *c is 1-1 against b*

**Four Team Tie-Breaker** – A, B or C proceed to tiebreaker Rule 5b if need be... However, *ONLY* the remaining common margin of victories/losses from A, B & C will be counted; meaning that since D has been eliminated their common scores are now taken out of the equation

A is 2-0 against B	B is 0-2 against A	C is 0-2 against A	D is 0-2 against A
A is 2-0 against C	B is 2-0 against C	C is 0-2 against B	D is 0-2 against B
A is 2-0 against D	B is 2-0 against D	C is 2-0 against D	D is 0-2 against C
A is 6-0	B is 4-2	C is 2-4	D is 0-6 and is <b>ELIMINATED</b>

A is 2-0 against B	B is 0-2 against A	C is 2-0 against A	D is 0-2 against A
A is 0-2 against C	B is 2-0 against C	C is 0-2 against B	D is 0-2 against B
A is 2-0 against D	B is 2-0 against D	C is 2-0 against D	D is 0-2 against C
A is 4-2	B is 4-2	C is 4-2	D is 0-6 and is <b>ELIMINATED</b>

A is 2-0 against B	B is 0-2 against A	C is 0-2 against A	D is 1-1 against A
A is 2-0 against C	B is 2-0 against C	C is 0-2 against B	D is 0-2 against B
A is 1-1 against D	B is 2-0 against D	C is 2-0 against D	D is 0-2 against D
A is 5-1	B is 4-2	C is 2-4	D is 1-5 and is <b>ELIMINATED</b>

A is 2-0 against B	B is 0-2 against A	C is 2-0 against A	D is 1-1 against A
A is 0-2 against C	B is 2-0 against C	C is 0-2 against B	D is 0-2 against B
A is 1-1 against D	B is 2-0 against D	C is 2-0 against D	D is 0-2 against C
A is 3-3	B is 4-2	C is 4-2	D is 1-5 and is <b>ELIMINATED</b>

A is 2-0 against B	B is 0-2 against A	C is 1-1 against A	D is 1-1 against A
A is 1-1 against C	B is 2-0 against C	C is 0-2 against B	D is 0-2 against B
A is 1-1 against D	B is 2-0 against D	C is 2-0 against D	D is 0-2 against C
A is 4-2	B is 4-2	C is 3-3	D is 1-5 and is <b>ELIMINATED</b>

A is 1-1 against B	B is 1-1 against A	C is 1-1 against A	D is 1-1 against A
A is 1-1 against C	B is 2-0 against C	C is 0-2 against B	D is 0-2 against B
A is 1-1 against D	B is 2-0 against D	C is 2-0 against D	D is 0-2 against C
A is 3-3	B is 5-1	C is 3-3	D is 1-5 and is <b>ELIMINATED</b>

A is 2-0 against B	B is 0-2 against A	C is 0-2 against A	D is 2-0 against A
A is 2-0 against C	B is 2-0 against C	C is 0-2 against B	D is 0-2 against B
A is 0-2 against D	B is 2-0 against D	C is 2-0 against D	D is 0-2 against C
A is 4-2	B is 4-2	C is 2-4	D is 2-4 and is <b>Eliminated</b> because they lost both to <b>"C"</b>