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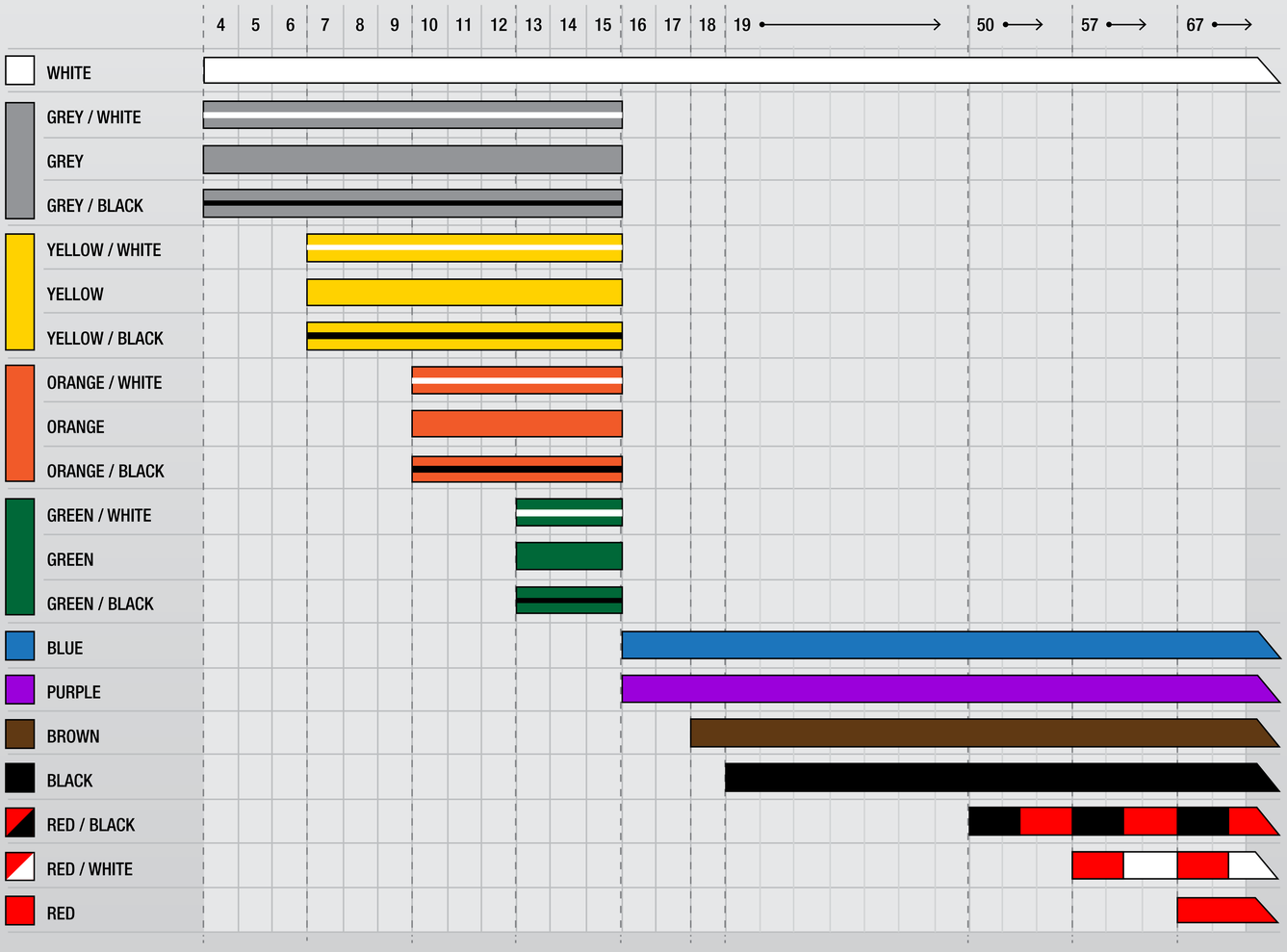
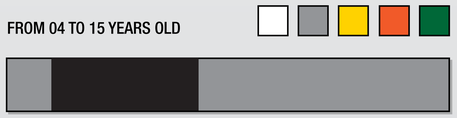
MINIMUM AGE REQUIREMENTS AND HIERARCHY

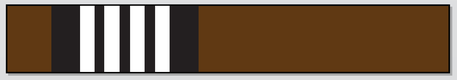


CONFIGURATION OF DEGREES AND DIMENSIONS

FROM 04 TO 15 YEARS OLD



FROM 16 YEARS OLD UP TO 4 GRADES



BLACK BELT UP TO 6 GRADES

RED AND BLACK BELT: 7th GRADE

RED AND WHITE BELT: 8th GRADE

RED BELT: 9th GRADE

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HOW TO CALCULATE THE AGE OF THE ATHLETE:

CURRENT YEAR - BIRTH YEAR = AGE OF THE ATHLETE

OBSERVATIONS:

The minimum periods shall be counted from the day of registration of the athlete in the IBJJF system in each belt category.

The time it takes for the athlete to graduate from white belt to black belt is up to the athlete's professor. However, the IBJJF requires a mandatory minimum amount of time the athlete must spend at each belt level.

After a black belt graduation the practitioner must meet the mandatory minimum time requirements to add degrees and be promoted to red and black belt, red and white belt, and red belt.

PRACTITIONERS BETWEEN 16 AND 17 YRS OLD*

PURPLE BELT — BROWN BELT

*The periods mentioned are not fixed, but demanded minimums. Each professor determines how long each practitioner should remain in each belt.

MINIMUM WAIT PERIOD

PRACTITIONERS FROM 18 YEARS OLD – WHITE TO BLACK BELT*

BLUE BELT — PURPLE BELT — BROWN BELT

*The periods mentioned are not fixed, but demanded minimums. Each professor determines how long each practitioner should remain in each belt.

PRACTITIONERS FROM THE BLACK BELT

BLACK BELT — BLACK BELT 1st GRADE — BLACK BELT 2nd GRADE — BLACK BELT 3rd GRADE — BLACK BELT 4th GRADE — BLACK BELT 5th GRADE — BLACK BELT 6th GRADE — RED/BLACK BELT 7th GRADE — RED/WHITE BELT 8th GRADE — RED BELT 9th GRADE

TOTAL YEARS → 3 → 6 → 9 → 14 → 19 → 24 → 31 → 38 → 48

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