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Softball Australia and the National Umpiring Committee are pleased to announce that the Softball Australia Official Playing Rules book is now available. The Rules are available in two formats:

Electronic Purchase

- Purchase the PDF Google Book online at [Google Books Playing Rules](#). The Book is currently **on sale** for \$4.50 (normal price \$6.95)

To assist with viewing your purchased electronic rule book you may need to download the **free** smartphone Google Play app.

- Android from [Google play books](#)
- iPhone or iPad from [iTunes](#)

Please note these apps are not the link to purchase the rule book, these links provide you with the app to assist you in viewing the book with or without the use of the internet.

- Both versions are searchable by content and allow you to set up your own bookmarks

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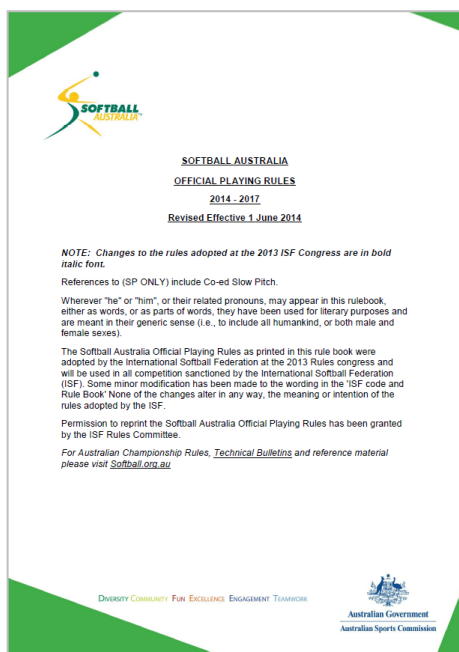
- Purchase a printed version through the Softball Australia Online Store at <http://www.softball.org.au> for \$10.00 (plus GST and postage) – please expect up to 2-3 weeks for delivery.

In addition, the Playing Rules, Points of Emphasis and Case Book, will be available to view for free with your annual subscription when the future on line e-portal is finished. A printed version will also be purchasable from the site.

2015 Playing Rules Exam

The 2015 exam will be conducted online providing a more convenient and flexible way to test your knowledge and maintain accreditation.

Please check with your State, Local Association or State Director of Umpiring to ensure you can register. More information will be communicated soon.



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