



**NCAA POWER INDEX
DIVISION III WOMEN'S SOCCER**

NPI WEIGHTS					
Win%/SOS	H/A Win/Loss	QWB	QWB Multiplier	Overtime	Minimum Wins
20/80	1.0/1.0	54.00	0.500	100/0	8.0

Rationale.

- **Winning Percentage/Strength of Schedule** – This was most equal to the philosophy the committee has established when ranking/selecting teams and the balance of playing a good schedule to performing within that schedule, while not giving too much weight to either side.
- **Home/Away – Win/Loss Weights** – The committee does not feel that either should be weighted differently, especially since that was never part of the discussion in the past.
- **Quality Win Base** – The committee chose 54 as its quality win base as it is most equal to 100 teams or 25% of the membership.
- **Quality Win Base Multiplier** – The committee set the multiplier at .500 because it provided the numbers that looked most similar to how the committee would have ranked/selected with the given information within NPI.
- **Overtime Weight** – The committee did not feel that an overtime game should be weighted.
- **Minimum Wins** – The committee elected to keep eight (8) as the minimum wins. It felt that any less (six was discussed) was too low, but there are some conferences that only play 15-16 games. So, eight (8) is half of that and middle ground between six and ten.

Resources.

- [NPI Frequently Asked Questions and Reference Guide.](#)
- [NPI Coaches Presentation Webinar – Recording.](#)