



# **National Quota WOC and World Cup 2021**

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## National Quota

The national quota rules for each competition are defined in:

- [IOF Foot Orienteering Competition Rules 2021](#)
  - Mainly Chapter 6 for WOC
- [2021 World Cup Special Rules](#)
- [WOC Division 2021 calculations](#)

## World Cup Programme

Competition	Date	Format	Event	Country
1	13 May	Sprint Relay	WCup Round 1 & EOC	Switzerland
2	14-15 May	Knock-Out Sprint	WCup Round 1 & EOC	Switzerland
3	16 May	Sprint	WCup Round 1 & EOC	Switzerland
4	12 August	Long Distance	WCup Round 2	Sweden
5	14 August	Middle Distance	WCup Round 2	Sweden
6	15 August	Relay (forest)	WCup Round 2	Sweden
7	30 September	Long Distance	WCup Round 3	Italy
8	2 October	Middle Distance	WCup Round 3	Italy
9	3 October	Sprint Relay	WCup Round 3	Italy

## Current rankings/titles that influence the 2021 allocation:

### Federation League Table

The national quotas for World Cup competitions 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 and 8 are based on the total points of the leading 10 athletes from each Federation in the IOF World Federation League Tables (combined Sprint/Middle/Long) as published on 1st January 2020 (to avoid distortions caused by the lack of WREs in 2020, the decision to use the tables as of 1st January 2020 was taken). The allocations for competitions will be:

- The top 6 Federations get 8 places,
- The next 8 Federations get 6 places,
- The host Federation gets 8 places, irrespective of its standing in the IOF Federation League Table,
- All other Federations get 4 places.

The Federation League Tables below were extracted on 2021-03-11:

1 ▾	January ▾	2020 ▾
Women		Men
Fed		Fed
1.  SUI		1.  SUI
2.  SWE		2.  NOR
3.  FIN		3.  SWE
4.  NOR		4.  FIN
5.  RUS		5.  CZE
6.  CZE		6.  FRA
7.  GBR		7.  GBR
8.  AUS		8.  AUS
9.  ITA		9.  DEN
10.  DEN		10.  AUT
11.  FRA		11.  ITA
12.  EST		12.  RUS
13.  AUT		13.  BEL
14.  UKR		14.  LAT

## WOC Divisions

Allocations for the WOC Long Distance competition are based on the WOC Divisions. Federations that are not present in the table below, belong to division 3.

Women		Men		Women		Men	
Nation	Division	Nation	Division	Nation	Division	Nation	Division
SWE	1	NOR	1	LAT	2	RUS	2
SUI	1	SWE	1	EST	2	LAT	2
FIN	1	SUI	1	POL	2	EST	2
RUS	1	CZE	1	GER	2	GBR	2
NOR	1	FRA	1	AUT	2	LTU	2
CZE	1	FIN	1	LTU	2	POL	2
DEN	1	UKR	1	FRA	2	DEN	2
GBR	1	AUT	1	UKR	2	GER	2
				NZL	2	NZL	2
				AUS	2	BLR	2
				BUL	2	AUS	2
				ESP	2	HUN	2
				USA	2	ESP	2
				CAN	2	ITA	2

### **World Cup spots for reigning Champions**

All reigning individual World Champions shall be offered a personal wild card place in all individual World Cup competitions. For World Cup Round 1/EOC, the reigning European Champions in the sprint shall be offered a wild card place in competition 3. These wild card places are conditional on selection by the national federation and shall be additional to the national quota.

The personal wild cards for the respective rounds / competitions:

Round 1 (all individual competitions): Tove Alexandersson (SWE), Maja Alm (DEN), Daniel Hubmann (SUI) and Olav Lundanes (NOR).

Round 1 – competition 3 (Sprint): Matthias Kyburz (SUI)

Rounds 2 and 3 individual competitions: All individual champions from WOC 2021.

### **WOC spots for reigning World Champions**

All current individual World Champions have extra personal spots (if selected to their respective National Teams) to WOC 2021 competitions in the format they are defending champions in.

Sprint: Daniel Hubmann, Maja Alm

Middle Distance: Olav Lundanes, Tove Alexandersson

Long Distance: Olav Lundanes, Tove Alexandersson

## World Orienteering Championships starting spots

### WOC 2021 Sprint competition

[Rule 6.6.]: In the Sprint competition, every Federation may enter up to 3 women and 3 men and, in addition, the current World Champions for the format (Daniel Hubmann and Maja Alm) and the current Regional Champions for the format (see below) and the current World Cup leader may be entered by their Federation(s).

### WOC 2021 Middle Distance competition

[Rule 6.7]: In the Middle Distance competition, every Federation may enter up to 3 women and 3 men and, in addition, the current Middle Distance World Champion (Olav Lundanes, Tove Alexandersson) and the current Regional Champions (see below) for the distance and the current World Cup leader may be entered by their Federation(s).

### WOC 2021 Long Distance competition

Rule 6.8. applies. In the Men's class, the following Federations have 3 starting spots: CZE, FIN, FRA, NOR, AUT, SUI, SWE, UKR.

In the Men's class, the following Federations have 2 starting spots: AUS, Neutral Athletes from Russia, BLR, DEN, ESP, EST, GBR, GER, HUN, ITA, LAT, LTU, NZL, POL.

In the Women's class, the following Federations have 3 starting spots: CZE, DEN, FIN, GBR, NOR, Neutral athletes from Russia, SUI, SWE.

In the Women's class, the following Federations have 2 starting spots: AUS, AUT, BUL, CAN, ESP, EST, FRA, GER, LAT, LTU, NZL, POL, UKR, USA.

In addition, the current World Champion for the distance (Olav Lundanes, Tove Alexandersson), the current World Cup leader and the current Regional Champions for the distance (see below) may be entered by their Federation(s).

All other Federations have one starting spot.

### Reigning Regional Champions

Reigning Regional Champions have personal spots in the WOC competitions, where they won their Regional Championship titles.

AsOC 2018:

Sprint: Hirokazu Osaki (JPN); Hau Wah Brenda Chan (HKG)

Middle Distance: Mie Moriai (JPN); Kohei Kamijima (JPN)

Long Distance: the last AsOC Long Distance race was in 2014, the decision was taken that there will be no qualifiers from that race.

SAOC 2018:

Sprint Distance: Gelson Andrey Zago Togni (BRA); Elaine Lenz (BRA)

Middle Distance: Juliano Pasturiza (BRA); Leticia Saltori (BRA)

Long Distance: Claudinei Nitsch (BRA); Raquel Arendt (BRA)

NAOC 2018

Sprint Distance: Damien Konotopetz (CAN); Tori Borish (USA)

Middle Distance: Anton Salmenkyla (USA); Emma Waddington (CAN – competed in W20 class but got the best time in the combined result list of the W21 and W20 classes)

Long Distance: Morten Jørgensen (USA); Alison Crocker (USA)

EOC 2021:

Sprint Distance: To be decided after EOC 2021 in May in Switzerland.

EOC 2018:

Middle Distance: Matthias Kyburz (SUI); Marika Teini (FIN)

Long Distance: Olav Lundanes (NOR); Tove Alexandersson (SWE)

OOC 2019:

Sprint Distance: Brodie Nankervis (AUS); Ella Cuthbert (AUS)

Middle Distance: Aston Key (AUS) Lizzie Ingham (NZL)

Long Distance: Brodie Nankervis (AUS); Lizzie Ingham (NZL)

## Tables of Starting Quota for each World Cup Competition

### World Cup Competition 2, 3 (+ Team Competition 1) in Switzerland

#### Women's Knock-Out Sprint + Sprint (Competition 2 and 3)

8 Spots – SUI, SWE, FIN, NOR, RUS, CZE

6 Spots – GBR, AUS, ITA, DEN, FRA, EST, AUT, UKR

4 Spots - All other member Federations

Extra allocations: 2018 Individual World Champion in Sprint (Maja Alm), and 2019 Individual World Champion (Tove Alexandersson, both for Middle and Long Distance).

#### Men's Knock-Out Sprint + Sprint (Competition 2 and 3)

8 Spots – SUI, NOR, SWE, FIN, CZE, FRA

6 Spots – GBR, AUS, DEN, AUT, ITA, RUS, BEL, LAT

4 Spots - All other member Federations

Extra allocations: 2018 Individual World Champion in Sprint (Daniel Hubmann), and 2019 Individual World Champion (Olav Lundanes, both for Middle and Long Distance). Also the current European Sprint Champion from 2018 (Matthias Kyburz) gets an extra spot for competition 3.

#### Sprint Relay (Team Competition 1)

All member Federations may enter 1 Team to the Sprint Relay competition. Incomplete teams and teams with runners from more than one Federation are not allowed.

### World Cup Competition 4, 5 (+ Team Competition 6) Sweden

#### Women's Long Distance + Middle Distance (Competition 4 and 5)

8 Spots – SUI, SWE, FIN, NOR, RUS, CZE

6 Spots – GBR, AUS, ITA, DEN, FRA, EST, AUT, UKR

4 Spots - All other member Federations

Extra allocations: All individual World Champions 2021

### **Men's Long Distance + Middle Distance (Competition 4 and 5)**

8 Spots – SUI, NOR, SWE, FIN, CZE, FRA

6 Spots – GBR, AUS, DEN, AUT, ITA, RUS, BEL, LAT

4 Spots - All other member Federations

Extra allocations: All individual World Champions 2021

### **Relay (Team Competition 6)**

3 teams per Federation in the Women's Relay and 3 teams in the Men's Relay. Incomplete teams, and teams with runners from more than one Federation are allowed to start, but are not included in the official results.

## **World Cup Competitions 7, 8 (+ Team Competition 9) in Italy**

### **Women's Long Distance + Middle Distance (Competition 7 and 8)**

8 Spots – SUI, SWE, FIN, NOR, RUS, CZE, ITA (as host Federation)

6 Spots – GBR, AUS, DEN, FRA, EST, AUT, UKR

4 Spots - All other member Federations

Extra allocations: All individual World Champions 2021

### **Men's Long Distance + Middle Distance (Competition 7 and 8)**

8 Spots – SUI, NOR, SWE, FIN, CZE, FRA, ITA (as host Federation)

6 Spots – GBR, AUS, DEN, AUT, RUS, BEL, LAT

4 Spots - All other member Federations

Extra allocations: All individual World Champions 2021

### **Sprint Relay (Team Competition 9)**

All member Federations may enter 4 Teams to the Sprint Relay competition. Incomplete teams, and teams with runners from more than one Federation are allowed to start, but are not included in the official results.





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