



FITA Information

EUROPEAN CQT : IMPORTANT

We inform you that FITA Council has reviewed the procedure for the Qualification at the European Championships in terms of the Olympic Places and made a decision on how to break possible ties.

The places will be awarded to the first 3 not yet qualified archers / countries based on the final ranking.

In case of a tied ranking that determines one of the 3 places or the first 8 stand-by places, the standard shoot-off procedure will be used as for going to the next phase of the competition. This means a single arrow shoot-off for score (with a maximum of three shoot-off's). This applies only to eligible archers and in case a shoot-off is necessary. See article 7.6.21 for the procedure on the final ranking of the elimination round.

Some examples have been included to explain the system. These are based on the results of the Grand Prix of Welzheim and are a simulation only to explain the system.

Final Ranking Men

1 FRANGILLI, Michele	ITA
2 VAN ALTEN, Wietse	NED
3 JOHNSON, Butch	USA
4 DE GRANDIS, Jocelyn	FRA
5 DI BUO, Ilario	ITA
6 McKITTRICK, Jason	USA
7 TORRES, Lionel	FRA
8 ORBAY, Hasan	TUR
9 FROESE, Alexander	GER (1 st place)
10 GRAY, Matthew	AUS
11 ERIKSSON, Niklas	SWE
PARKHOMENKO, Ihor	UKR
13 LEONTIEV, Iouri	RUS
14 PONIKOWSKI, Arkadiusz	POL (2 nd place)
15 PARENTI, Andrea	ITA
16 AKBAL, Ozdemir	TUR
17 WUNDERLE, Victor	USA
18 VAN ZUTPHEN, Fred	NED

19 STUBBE, Christian	GER (3 rd place)
20 YONG, Fujun	CHN
LARPENTEUR, Bastien	FRA
FAIRWEATHER, Simon	AUS
23 VOGELS, Henk	NED
TARGONSKI, Grzegorz	POL (tied 1 st Stand-By)
LOPEZ, Felipe	ESP (tied 1 st Stand-By)
SPANG, Per-Johan	SWE
27 LIPPONEN, Jari	FIN
TANG, Hua	CHN
29 CROWTHER, Ian	GBR (3 rd Stand-By)
KISLITICIN, Alexandr	KAZ
ZABRODSKY, Stanislav	KAZ
32 BURJA, Mitja	SLO (4 th Stand-by)

The archers that are crossed-out are from countries that have already a full team (3 places is the maximum, ITA and FRA are an example), have qualified as individual (e.g. Jari Lipponen) or are from outside of Europe.

In this case a shoot-off is only necessary for the first Stand-By position which is between Targonski and Lopez.

INSIDE

- ① European CQT
- ② Rules interpretations
- ③ Request from DTAC
- ④ Medical Information
- ⑤ Calendar
- ⑥ Cancellation Junior at World Field Cortina

RULE INTREPRETATIONS

There is no shoot-off necessary for the 3rd Stand-By place since Mr. Crowter is the only one that is still eligible (In this case because Kazakhstan is not from Europe)

If we have a look at the Women's results we see the following:

1 HE, Ying	CHN
2 SCHNEIDER, Jutta	GER
3 BURDENYANA, Nataliya	UKR
4 SCAVOTTO, Karen	USA
5 ERICSSON, Petra	SWE
6 BELOSLUDSEVA, V. GALLARDO, Almudena	KAZ ESP
8 REYES, Erika	MEX
9 PFOHL, Cornelia	GER
10 LEONOVA, Irina	KAZ
11 IORIATTI, Christina	ITA
12 SERDIUK, Kateryna	UKR
13 DYKMAN, Janet MENSING, Barbara	USA GER
15 McGRATH, Sue SUUTARI, Katri	GBR (place1) FIN (place 2)
17 WENG, Karin	GER
18 PARKER, Denise SATIR KESKIN, Zekiye	USA TUR
20 BEREZNA, Svetlyand	UKR
21 YU, Hui	CHN
22 FOUACE, Alexandra POUTKARADZE, Khatuna	FRA GEO
LARSSON, Karin	SWE
NOWIKA, Joanna	POL
26 FAIRWEATHER, Kate LECKA, Anna	AUS POL
BABLEE, Agnes	FRA (place 3)
29 PALECHA, Ekaterina	UKR
30 ALTINKAYNAK, Elif	TUR
31 NASARIDZE, Natalia	TUR
32 PLOTNIKOVA, Elena	KAZ
33 BOLOTOVA, Natalia	RUS (1 st Stand-by)

In this case there is no need for a shoot off between the first two since both qualify for the Olympic Games.

In case of France the place is obtained by Agnes, Bablee and not by Alexandra Fouace since she already obtained a place for France at the World Championships.

The time of the shoot-off will be announced at the team captains meeting in Antalya and further details will be explained during this meeting.

Judge Committee1

Procedure for enforcing rule 7.8.3.1 (and 7.8.3.3).

Rules:

Art 7.8.3.1 If a member of a team crosses the 1-meter line too soon the judge will raise the yellow card or will switch on a yellow light in front of the shooting line to indicate that the competitor will have to return behind the 1-meter line to start over again or be replaced by another competitor with arrows to shoot.

Art 7.8.3.3 The same procedure applies if a team member removes an arrow from the quiver before standing on the shooting line.

Procedure:

A) Standard procedure. One judge for two teams. The line judge will stand half a meter back from the one-meter line between the two teams. If a violation occurs, the judge will step to the one-meter line, say the team name facing the team, raise the yellow card and switch on a yellow light (possibly flashing) in front of the shooting line. If the yellow light is not available, the judge will wave the yellow card back and forth (to get the coaches' and competitors' attention).

B) Procedure for Olympics. One judge per team. The line judges will stand on the one-meter line near the coach box. If a violation occurs, the judge will step to the shooting line, say the team name, raise the yellow card and switch on a yellow light (possibly flashing) in front of the shooting line. If the yellow light is not available, the judge will wave the yellow card back and forth (to get the coaches' and competitors' attention).

Procedure B should be limited to Olympics (and/or World Championship) with Line Judges well trained to act with consistency. The ordinary procedure to be followed is procedure A.

In all cases, the same procedure (A or B) should be followed throughout all the stages of the team competition. This limits the possibility of misunderstanding (team officials and competitors expect a consistent behavior of judges).

The actual procedure should be clearly detailed and distributed in writing in occasion of a team captains' meeting. The team managers should be aware that for the left side team (when there are two judges per match), the judge is behind a right handed archer, so the archer (and possibly the coach) cannot see the judge. A similar situation occurs for the right side team when there is one judge per match. Different situations occurs when left-handed archers are going to shoot. Therefore is vital the team managers (and competitors) are conscious of the procedure actually adopted by the judges and that this procedure is consistency followed.

The (flashing) yellow light should be, possibly, near the shooting line (and not in the clock).

Interpretation 2 from Judge Committee

Team Competition

Number of arrows shot – Number of arrows to be scored

	TEAM SHOOTS 9 ARROWS	ALL 9 ARROWS SHOT WITHIN TIME LIMIT			ONE ARROW OUTSIDE TIME LIMIT		
			Mistakes	Score		mistake s	Score*
1	One archer shoots more than 3 arrows	4+3+2	1	8 lowest	4+3+2	1+1	7 lowest
2		5+2+2	2	7 lowest	5+2+2	1+2	6 lowest
3		9+0+0	6	3 lowest	9+0+0	1+6	2 lowest
4	Two archers shoot more than 3 arrows	4+4+1	2	7 lowest	4+4+1	1+2	6 lowest
5		5+4+0	3	6 lowest	5+4+0	1+3	5 lowest
					*If there are not spotting judges		
	TEAM SHOOTS 10 ARROWS	ALL 10 ARROWS SHOT WITHIN TIME LIMIT			ONE ARROW OUTSIDE TIME LIMIT		
			Mistakes	Score		mistake s	Score*
6	One archer shoots more than 3 arrows	4+3+3	1	9 lowest	4+3+3	1+1	8 lowest
7		5+3+2	2	8 lowest	5+3+2	1+2	7 lowest
8		6+2+2	3	7 lowest	6+2+2	1+3	6 lowest
9		10+0+0	7	3 lowest	10+0+0	1+7	2 lowest
10	Two archers shoot more than 3 arrows	4+4+2	2	8 lowest	4+4+2	1+2	7 lowest
11		5+4+1	3	7 lowest	5+4+1	1+3	6 lowest
12		6+4+0	4	6 lowest	6+4+0	1+4	5 lowest
	TEAM SHOOTS LESS THAN 9 ARROWS	ALL ARROWS SHOT WITHIN TIME LIMIT			ONE ARROW OUTSIDE TIME LIMIT		
			Mistakes	Score		mistake s	Score*
13	No archer shoots more than 3 arrows	3+3+2	No	8	3+3+2	1	7 lowest
14		3+3+0	No	6	3+3+0	1	5 lowest
15		3+2+0	No	5	3+2+0	1	4 lowest
16	One archer shoots more than 3 arrows	4+3+1	1	7 lowest	4+3+1	1+1	6 lowest
17		4+4+0	2	6 lowest	4+4+0	1+2	5 lowest
18		8+0+0	5	3 lowest	8+0+0	1+5	2 lowest

Example. A team shoot its arrows within the time limit according to entry 12 (6+4+0 arrows) with the following actual value of the single arrows:

10, 10, 10, 10, 9, 9, 9, 8, 8, 8

Column "Score", row 12, reads 6 lowest; therefore that end should be scored:

9, 9, 9, 8, 8, 8, M, M, M

The above reported table is consistent with:

1. If an archer shoot less than 3 arrows he cannot get any score for the unshot arrow. This is not a penalty: an unshot arrow cannot give any point! (see for example entry 5).
2. More than 3 arrows per archer or 9 arrows per team: score the lowest 9 arrows and in any case not more than 3 arrows per archer (e.g.: 4+3+3: 3+3+3=9, the 9 lowest values of the team; 4+3+2: 3+3+2=8, the 8 lowest values of the team;...). In this context we must NOT consider the unshot arrows.
3. If one arrow is shot out of time, this arrow has to be considered as part of that end and the higher value (of the team), as determined above, will be forfeited.

In conclusion: the only infractions in the tables reported above is shooting too many arrows (more than 3 per archer) or shooting out of time.

Technical Committee

Referring to the Interpretation on the arrow rest in FITA Information 6, this was referring to arrow rests for the Bare-bow division.

Request from DTAC to Member Associations

We ask all of the Member Associations that produce a translation of the FITA Rule Book into a language different from French and English to send a copy to the FITA office. We also remind our member associations that they have to request the permission of FITA for each

edition to translate the book into another language, which FITA will give to the Member Associations concerned. Furthermore a clause should be included in the translated version that the only two official versions are the French and English version.

Important Medical Information

There has been an important amendment for the Anti-Doping Code which also applies to FITA. Article 2 now reads: All athletes are subject to doping controls (urine analyses, **blood tests and other authorized techniques** for detecting prohibited substances or methods).

CALENDAR

2000

10-11 June	The Ontario Spring Classic	Toronto (Canada)
23-30 June	Batalla Carabobo	Venezuela
7-12 July	Balov Memorial International Tournament	Moscow (Russia)
9-16 July	XVII World Field Championships	Cortina d'Ampezzo (Italy)
(T.D. Trudy Medwed)		
12-15 July	IIIrd World University Archery Championships	Madrid (Spain)
(FISU T.D. Juan Carlos Holgado + FITA T.D. Tom Dielen)		
19-23 July	VI Junior World Target Archery Championships	Belfort (France)
(T.D. Teddy Bettex)		
31 July-4 August	116 th National Target Championships	Canton, MI (USA)
14-19 August	National Canadian Tournament	Boucherville (Canada)
15 Sept. - 1 Oct.	XXVII Olympic Games (World Ranking Tournament)	Sydney (Australia)
(T.D. Don Lovo & Klaus Schulz)		
4-11 November	Americas Indoor Championship	Guatemala

FITA World Ranking Tournaments

14-18 June	Continental Qualifying Tournament – Europe	Antalya	TUR
22-25 June	Asian Circuit, 2nd Round	Taipei	TPE
2-6 August	3rd European Grand Prix	Bröndby	DEN
5-12 August	Championship of the Americas	Medellin	COL
29 Oct – 1 Nov	Asian Circuit, 3rd Round	New Delhi	IND
9-12 November	Asian Circuit, 4th Round	Tai Hang Tung	HKG

2001

13-18 March	VI World Indoor Target Championships	Castellanza (Italy)
(T.D. Lynne Evans)		
24-26 August	World Games (Field Archery event)	Akita (Japan)
14-20 September	XLI World Outdoor Target Championships	Beijing (PR China)
(T.D. Pascal Colmaire)		
November	VII Central American Games	Guatemala

2002

first half Sept.	XVIII World Field Championships (T.D. Per Bolstad)	Canberra (Australia)
------------------	--	----------------------

Member Associations wishing to organise the World Championships that are not yet allocated are requested to contact the FITA office.

Important Notice to countries participating in the Junior Field Championships in Cortina.

We regret to inform you that as stipulated in articles 3.7.8 and 3.5.6 that **there will be no world championship held for the following classes in the following divisions:**

- Junior Women Bare-bow (3 preliminary entries)
 - Junior Women Compound (2 preliminary entries)
 - Junior Women Recurve (3 preliminary entries)
 - Junior Men Bare-Bow (2 preliminary entries)
 - Junior Men Compound (3 preliminary entries)
 - Junior Men Recurve (5 preliminary entries)
 - Teams competition for Juniors.
- All other events will take place**