FINA WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022 BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

QUALIFICATION AND ENTRIES OF COMPETITORS

Swimming (BL 9.3.6)

The Qualification Procedure for the FINA World Championships Budapest 2022 will adopt the already established Qualification Procedure for Fukuoka 2022 and be extended as **1 March 2020 - 15 May 2022**.

Exceptionally, to the extent a qualification event is already scheduled to be held outside of the qualification period (after 15th May), the respective National Federation shall submit in writing a request for extension of such qualification period by 22 February 2022. Such request will be assessed by FINA on a case-by-case basis given the circumstances surrounding such request.

All FINA-approved qualifying events for Fukuoka 2022 are automatically considered as the qualifying events for Budapest 2022. Applications for additional qualifying events submitted by 31 March 2022 will be considered. Please fill out the attached "Application Form" and return it to the FINA Office as soon as possible.

Standard Entry Times

WOMEN			MEN	
W - "B"	W - "A"		M - "A"	M - "B"
25.92	25.04	50 Freestyle	22.18	22.96
56.15	54.25	100 Freestyle	48.77	50.48
2:02.81	1:58.66	200 Freestyle	1:47.06	1:50.81
4:19.34	4:10.57	400 Freestyle	3:48.15	3:56.14
8:56.03	8:37.90	800 Freestyle	7:53.11	8:09.67
17:24.20	16:29.57	1500 Freestyle	15:04.64	15:36.30
29.21	28.22	50 Backstroke	25.17	26.05
1:02.71	1:00.59	100 Backstroke	54.03	55.92
2:15.67	2:11.08	200 Backstroke	1:58.07	2:02.20
32.31	31.22	50 Breaststroke	27.33	28.29
1:09.79	1:07.43	100 Breaststroke	59.75	1:01.84
2:31.02	2:25.91	200 Breaststroke	2:10.32	2:14.88
27.24	26.32	50 Butterfly	23.63	24.46
1:00.37	58.33	100 Butterfly	51.96	53.78
2:13.73	2:09.21	200 Butterfly	1:56.71	2:00.79
2:17.63	2:12.98	200 Individual Medley	1:59.76	2:03.95
4:52.97	4:43.06	400 Individual Medley	4:17.48	4:26.49

WOMEN		MEN
1 Team	4 x 100 m Freestyle	1 Team
1 Team	4 x 200 m Freestyle	1 Team
1 Team	4 x 100 m Medley	1 Team

Mixed 4 x 100 m Freestyle	1 Team
Mixed 4 x 100 m Medley	1 Team

Explanation:

- 1. The "A" standards for the 2022 Worlds were created by using the faster of two times from:
 - The 2019 "A" qualifying time standard; and
 - The 16th place time from the 2019 World Championships



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For this meet, the standards broke down as follows:

Women: 10 of the 2022 "A" time standards were the 2019 "A" time standard, and 7 of the 2022 "A" time standards were the 16th place time from the 2019 Worlds.

Men: 5 of the 2022 "A" time standards were the 2019 "A" time standard, and 12 of the 2022 "A" time standards were the 16th place time from the 2019 Worlds.

2 All "B" time standards were derived by multiplying the "A" time standard by 3.5%.

Open Water Swimming (BL 9.3.7.1)

Each Member Federation may enter a maximum of two (2) males and two (2) females per individual event. For team events in the World Championships, the Member Federation can enter only one (1) team per event comprised of two male and two female Competitors. Withdrawals can be made up to and including the Teams Technical Meeting but no substitution is permitted.

For the relay, each swimmer shall complete a lap of 1.5 km. (BL 9.3.7.7.4). Relay only swimmers will be accepted to enter the Team Relay

Diving (BL 9.3.8.2)

Each NF may enter a maximum of two (2) competitors per event, regardless of standards, for each individual event and one (1) team of two (2) competitors for each synchronised and mixed diving event.

Each diver, or diver's representative, shall deliver to the Referee, or his designated representative, a complete statement of the selected dives on the official form of the event for the preliminary competition and all the following sessions of the competition.

Artistic Swimming (BL 9.3.9.1)

The total number of competitors entered by each NF may not exceed fourteen (14) competitors including maximum two male competitors only if the NF enters Mixed Duets. Team routines shall consist of eight (8) competitors and ten (10) for Free Combination and Highlight Routine.

Each country shall be entitled to enter one Technical Solo, one Free Solo, one Technical Duet, one Free Duet, one Technical Mixed Duet, one Free Mixed Duet, one Technical Team, one Free Team and one Free Combination and one Highlight Routine. A female competitor may compete in maximum eight (8) events and shall not compete both Duet and Mixed Duets. A male competitor may only compete in two (2) events; Technical Mixed Duet and/ or Free Mixed Duet.

Water Polo (9.3.10.5 & 9.3.10.6)

The competition shall be between a maximum of sixteen (16) teams elected in the following manner for both gender:

- a) The four (4) highest ranking teams from the Tokyo Olympic Games
- b) The two (2) highest ranking teams from the preceding year's World League 2020,
- c) one (1) team from the host country



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- d) nine (9) teams from the five (5) continents to be selected from the latest Continental Championship or Tournament, to be selected according to the following formula:
 - a. Europe 3
 - b. Americas 2
 - c. Asia 2
 - d. Africa 1
 - e. Oceania 1
- e) If any one of the teams qualified from the preceding year's World League 2020 are in the first four (4) from the preceding Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games, the next ranked team from Tokyo Olympic Games.
- f) The highest qualifying team(s) from the continental qualification tournament or continental championships shall be entitled to represent that continent; if any team does not accept, then the next highest ranked team willing to accept and participate in this event shall qualify.
- g) If the host country is already included in the four (4) highest ranking teams from the Tokyo Olympic Games, then that entry position shall be filled by the next highest placed team from the Tokyo Olympic Games.
- h) If another of the four (4) highest ranking teams from the Tokyo Olympic Games or one (1) of the two (2) highest ranking teams from the preceding year's World League 2020 does not enter, then that position shall be filled from the next highest placed team from the Tokyo Olympic Games.
- i) If no team enters from a continent or if there is an unfilled vacancy from among the teams qualifying from the Tokyo Olympic Games or preceding year's World League, then each vacancy shall be filled by the next highest placed team(s) from the latest continental championships with the following rotation: Asia, Americas, Europe, Oceania and Africa.