

1. PARIS 2024 OLYMPIC QUALIFICATION PRINCIPLES

The below proposal has been endorsed by the World Triathlon Executive Board in December 2021 after the consultation process with the World Triathlon Athletes Committee, the National Coaches Committee and the Technical Committee. The final detailed version is subject to approval by the International Olympic Committee in March 2022.

1. **Events:**

- a. Men's Individual Competition
- b. Women's Individual Competition
- c. Mixed Relay

2. **Quota:**

- a. Total: 55 women + 55 men = 110
- b. Qualification Places: 51 + 51 = 102
- c. Host Country Places: 2 + 2 = 4
- d. Tripartite Commission Invitation Places: 2 + 2 = 4
- e. Number of Mixed Relay teams: All NOCs with minimum 2 women and 2 men qualified by any means.

3. **Maximum Number of Athletes per NOC:**

- a. 3 + 3 = 6
- b. NOCs may have a maximum of three (3) quota places in case represented by minimum 3 athletes within the top 30 places of the World Triathlon Olympic Qualification Ranking. Other NOCs may have a maximum of two (2) quota places.

4. **Type of Allocation of Quota Places:**

- a. The quota place is allocated to the NOC.

5. **Eligibility:**

- a. To be eligible to participate in the Paris 2024 Olympic Games, all athletes must represent the same National Federation during the whole qualification period and meet one of the following requirements by 27th May 2024:
 - i. Being among the top 140 in the World Triathlon Individual Olympic Qualification Ranking for qualification places of World Triathlon Mixed Relay Olympic Qualification Ranking, World Triathlon Mixed Relay Qualification Event, World Triathlon Individual Olympic Qualification Ranking and Host Country;
 - ii. Being among the top 180 in the World Triathlon Ranking for the qualification places of World Triathlon Ranking and Tripartite Commission Invitation.

6. Qualification Places:

- a. The qualification events are listed in hierarchical order of qualification.
 - i. **1-2: Host Country Places:** France
 - ii. **3-4: 2022 World Triathlon Mixed Relay Championships:** The highest ranked NOC in the 2022 World Triathlon Mixed Relay Championships. In case the NOC already earned the slots, the places will be allocated to the next ranked NOC in the event.
 - iii. **5-6: 2023 World Triathlon Mixed Relay Championships:** The highest ranked NOC in the 2023 World Triathlon Mixed Relay Championships. In case the NOC already earned the slots, the places will be allocated to the next NOC in the event.
 - iv. **7-18: World Triathlon Mixed Relay Olympic Qualification Ranking:** The six highest ranked NOCs on the World Triathlon Mixed Relay Olympic Qualification Ranking as of 25th March 2024. In case the NOC already earned the slots, the places will be allocated to the next NOC in the ranking.
 - v. **19-22: 2024 World Triathlon Mixed Relay Olympic Qualification Event:** The top two (2) NOCs from the World Triathlon Mixed Relay Olympic Qualification Event. In case the NOC already earned the slots, they will not be eligible to participate. The World Triathlon Mixed Relay Olympic Qualification Event will take place between 15th April 2024 and 27th May 2024.
 - vi. **23-48: World Triathlon Individual Olympic Qualification Ranking as of 27th May 2024:** The twenty-six highest ranked athletes on the World Triathlon Individual Olympic Qualification Ranking as of 27th May 2024 will be allocated one (1) quota place for their NOC, respecting the maximum quota allocation per NOC per event. In case the NOC already earned the slots, they will not be considered with their two highest ranked athletes for this list. The events counting for the World Triathlon Individual Olympic Qualification Ranking will take place between 27th May 2022 and 27th May 2024.
 - vii. **49-50: Tripartite Commission Invitation Places:** Two (2) quota places per gender will be allocated according to the Tripartite Commission Invitation. The International Olympic Committee will invite all eligible NOCs to submit their requests for Tripartite Commission Invitation Places. If the Tripartite Commission is not able to allocate a Tripartite Commission Invitation Place, it will be reallocated to the next best ranked NOC, according to the World Triathlon Individual Olympic Qualification Ranking.
 - viii. **51-55: World Triathlon Ranking as of 27th May 2024:** The five (5) highest ranked athletes from NOCs that have not received any quota places through

the above will obtain one (1) quota place with a maximum of one (1) quota place allocated per continent.

7. World Triathlon Individual Olympic Qualification Rankings:

a. Olympic Qualification Term:

- i. Twenty-four (24) months;
- ii. 27 May 2022 through to 27 May 2024

b. Total events to count:

- i. Athletes can use a total of their best twelve (12) results for their Olympic qualification:
 1. First period: 27 May 2022 to 26 May 2023: maximum six (6) results to count;
 2. Second period: 27 May 2023 to 27 May 2024: maximum eight (8) results to count.
- ii. Maximum scores can be achieved with 4 results from the first period and 8 results from the second; or 5 results from the first and 7 results from the second; or 6 results from the first and 6 results from the second.

c. Qualification events:

- i. World Triathlon Championship Finals;
- ii. World Triathlon Championship Series and 2023 World Triathlon Olympic Test Event;
- iii. World Triathlon Cup;
- iv. Continental Triathlon Championships:
 1. Maximum two (2) to count in the whole qualification term. If there are three (3) during qualification term, the first two (2) will count;
 2. Both scoring Continental Championships may happen in the second period, otherwise one will happen in the first period and the other in the second period;
 3. Only athletes from the respective continent of the Continental Triathlon Championships will earn points;
 4. Only Standard distance events will be considered.
- v. Continental Games:
 1. Maximum one (1) to count in the whole qualification term;
 2. Continental Games may happen in the first period or in the second period;
 3. Only athletes from the respective continent of the Continental Triathlon Championships will earn points;
 4. In the absence of Continental Games during the qualification period where triathlon is on the program or where all NOCs are eligible to compete, a Continental Triathlon Sprint Championships will be considered;
 5. Points will be awarded as a sprint event, irrelevant to the distance of the specific Games.

d. Scoring:

- i. Same scoring system as the World Triathlon Rankings considering only the events above.

8. **World Triathlon Mixed Relay Olympic Qualification Ranking**

a. **Olympic Qualification Term:**

- i. Twenty-two (22) months;
- ii. 27 May 2022 through to 25 March 2024

b. **Total events to count:**

- i. National Federations can use a total of their best five (5) results for their Olympic qualification:
 - 1. First period: 27th May 2022 to 26th May 2023: maximum three (3) results to count;
 - 2. Second period: 27th May 2023 to 25th March 2024: maximum three (3) results to count.
- ii. Maximum scores can be achieved with 2 results from the first period and 3 results from the second; or 3 results from the first and 2 results from the second.

c. **Qualification events:**

- i. World Triathlon Mixed Relay Championships;
- ii. World Triathlon Mixed Relay Series Events and 2023 World Triathlon Mixed Relay Olympic Test Event;
- iii. Continental Triathlon Mixed Relay Championships:
 - 1. Maximum two (2) to count in the whole qualification term. If there are three (3) during qualification term, the first two (2) will count;
 - 2. Only National Federations from the respective continent of the Continental Triathlon Mixed Relay Championships will earn points.

d. **Scoring:**

- i. Same scoring system as the World Triathlon Mixed Relay Rankings considering only the events above.