

# PART 9 – CYCLING WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Rules Amendments applying on **01.07.2020**

## Chapter II PARTICIPATION IN WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

### § 2 Selection of participants by specialty

#### **Athletes eligibility**

- 9.2.067** Except the reigning world champion, athletes participating in the Para cycling World Championships must have participated in at least one UCI Para cycling event (C1, C2, World Cup or Continental Championships) during the last 12 months, but no later than 30 days before the event, defined as the Qualification Period.

~~The number of slots each nation will receive for the UCI world championships will be determined by using the UCI individual para-cycling ranking by sport class (C5, C4,...) published following the last world championships. Points will be cumulated from the day following the last world championships up to the end of the next world championships and that for each discipline.~~

*(article introduced on 01.10.13; text modified on 20.12.17; 01.07.20)*

#### **Track**

- 9.2.068** A nation that has earned UCI track points at a C1, C2 or Continental Championships event during the Qualification Period in a specific sport class has the right to enter an athlete in that sport class in the upcoming UCI Para-cycling Track World Championships.

~~At minimum, each nation will be entitled to have two slots per sport class and will be entitled to register an additional athlete according to their rank on the individual UCI para-cycling ranking by sport class for the period defined in article 9.2.067.~~

*(article introduced on 01.10.13; text modified on 01.01.19; 01.07.20)*

- 9.2.069** A nation may enter two athletes in a sport class in which an athlete earned track C1 or track Continental Championships points in that sport class during the Qualification Period. One of the two registered athletes must have earned points in one of the abovementioned events.

~~On the basis of the Individual UCI para-cycling ranking by sport class for the period defined in article 9.2.067, are taken into account the points from the world championship (results from the Paralympic Games would be taken into account on a paralympic year), points from the world cup (two best results from two events held in different regions), and~~

~~the best result obtained in a C1 competition. This principle described below applies both for men and women for time trial, individual pursuit and sprint events:~~

**Europe:**

~~Places 1 – 5 in the Europe ranking → 3 slots  
Places 6 and more in the Europe ranking → 2 slots~~

**America:**

~~Places 1 – 2 in the America ranking → 3 slots  
Places 3 and more in the America ranking → 2 slots~~

**Asia:**

~~Places 1 – 2 in the Asia ranking → 3 slots  
Places 3 and more in the Asia ranking → 2 slots~~

**Oceania:**

~~Place 1 in the Oceania ranking → 3 slots  
Places 2 and more in the Oceania ranking → 2 slots~~

**Africa:**

~~Place 1 in the Africa ranking → 3 slots  
Places 2 and more in the Africa ranking → 2 slots~~

*(article introduced on 01.10.13; text modified on 01.01.19; 01.07.20)*

- 9.2.069 bis** A nation may enter three athletes in a sport class in which two athletes have earned C1 or Continental Championships points in that sport class, including at least one athlete in the top 10 and first half of the UCI Para-cycling track ranking during the Qualification Period. Two of the three athletes must have C1 points.

*(article introduced on 01.07.20)*

- 9.2.069 ter** The number of slots obtained by a nation is valid for Time Trial, Pursuit and Sprint.

*(article introduced on 01.07.20)*

**Road**

- 9.2.070** A nation that has earned UCI road points at a C1, C2, World Cup or Continental Championships event during the Qualification Period in a specific sport class has the right to enter an athlete in that sport class in the upcoming UCI Para-cycling Road World Championships.

~~At minimum, each nation will be entitled to have two slots per sport class for road race and two slots per sport class for time trial. Nation will be entitled to register an additional athlete according to their rank on the individual UCI para-cycling ranking by sport class for the period defined in article 9.2.067.~~

*(article introduced on 01.10.13; text modified on 01.01.16; 01.07.20)*

- 9.2.071** A nation may enter two athletes in a sport class in which an athlete earned road World Cup or road Continental Championships points in that sport class during the Qualification Period. One of the two registered athletes must have earned World Cup or Continental Championships points.

~~On the basis of the individual UCI para-cycling ranking by sport class for the period defined in article 9.2.067, are taken into account the points from the UCI world championships (if it is a Paralympic year, the results of the Paralympic Games will be taken into account), the world cup points (two best results obtained in two events in a different region) and the three best results obtained from at least three C1 competitions. The principle described below applies to both men and women:~~

**Europe:**

~~Places 1 - 5 in the Europe ranking ————— 3 slots for road  
————— 3 slots for time trials~~

~~Places 6 and more in the Europe ranking — 2 slots for road  
————— 2 slots for time trial~~

**America:**

~~Places 1 - 2 in the America ranking ————— 3 slots for road  
————— 3 slots for time trials~~

~~Places 3 and more in the America ranking — 2 slots for road  
————— 2 slots for time trial~~

**Asia:**

~~Places 1 - 2 in the Asia ranking ————— 3 slots for road  
————— 3 slots for time trials~~

~~Places 3 and more in the Asia ranking — 2 slots for road  
————— 2 slots for time trial~~

**Oceania:**

~~Place 1 in the Oceania ranking ————— 3 slots for road  
————— 3 slots for time trials~~

~~Places 2 and more in the Oceania ranking — 2 slots for road  
————— 2 slots for time trial~~

**Africa:**

~~Place 1 in the Africa ranking ————— 3 slots for road  
————— 3 slots for time trials~~

~~Places 2 and more in the Africa ranking — 2 slots for road  
————— 2 slots for time trial~~

*(article introduced on 01.10.13; text modified on 01.01.16; 01.07.20)*

**9.2.071 bis** A nation may enter three athletes in a sport class in which two athletes have earned World Cup or Continental Championships points in that sport class, including at least one athlete in the top 10 and first half of the World Cup general ranking during the Qualification Period. Two of the three athletes must have World Cup or Continental Championships points.

*(article introduced on 01.07.20)*

**9.2.071** The number of slots obtained by a nation is valid for Time Trial and Road Race.  
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*(article introduced on 01.07.20)*