

Appendix 11

Event Regulations and/or Departures from the FISA Rules of Racing

World Rowing Cup Regattas

Regulation 1 - Application

These regulations apply to the World Rowing Cup regattas together with and not in exclusion of the Rules of Racing and related Bye-Laws.

Regulation 2 - Governance

World Rowing Cup regattas shall be rowed according to the Rules of Racing and related Bye-Laws in addition to these Event Regulations.

Regulation 3 – Eligibility (Rule 19)

To represent a National Federation in a World Rowing Cup regatta, a competitor must be a citizen of that country or a bona fide member of the rowing club for which he competes in that country. In World Rowing Cup events at World Rowing Cup regattas, rowers shall compete under the name of their National Federation that shall alone be entitled to enter them.

Regulation 4 - Boat Classes (Rule 36)

World Rowing Cup regattas are held in the boat classes of the Olympic programme in effect at the time of the regattas. Each World Rowing Cup regatta may also offer some races in the non-Olympic boat categories but such additional events shall not be World Rowing Cup events.

Regulation 5 - Racing Colours (Rule 50)

In every World Rowing Cup race, crews shall wear a racing uniform of their member federation bearing the national colours. For purposes of clarification, this uniform need not be the same as the registered uniform of the federation. The blades of all oars and sculls shall be painted on both sides in the colours of the member federation.

Regulation 6 - Restrictions on Entries (Rule 53)

Each member federation may enter up to four crews in each event of the 1st World Rowing Cup regatta and a maximum of two crews in each event of the 2nd and 3rd World Rowing Cup regattas.

Regulation 7 - Minimum Entries (Rule 53)

If, at the entry deadline described above, there are fewer than six entries in a particular event, this event may be cancelled. Member federations will be informed immediately and the rowers in the cancelled events may be entered in other events.

Regulation 8 – Entries (Rule 54)

Entries must be received by e-mail at FISA no later than midnight on the Monday of the week before the date of the first heat of the regatta. Entry forms must include the names and the birth dates of the competitors, including all potential spare rowers as well. Soon after the closing of entries, a list of all entries showing the member federations entered in each event will be sent to all federations concerned.

Regulation 9 - Point Score

At each regatta, in each event, of the World Rowing Cup, the highest placing boat from a member federation in each boat class will be awarded the following points:

1st	8 points	2nd	6 points	3rd	5 points
4th	4 points	5th	3 points	6th	2 points
7th	1 point				

Points will not be awarded to the second or other crews of a member federation placing a crew in one of the first 7 places. These points will not be distributed to other national federations.

Regulation 10 - Titles, Prizes and Cups

At each regatta, the member federation with the most points at that regatta will be declared winner of the World Rowing Cup Regatta Nation Cup. Following the completion of all three World Rowing Cup regattas in each year, the title of World Rowing Cup Champion in each World Rowing Cup boat class shall be conferred on the member federation with the most points earned from racing in that boat class in all three World Rowing Cup regattas. Each year the member federation with the most points overall

from all World Rowing Cup boat classes in all three World Rowing Cup regattas will be declared winner of the World Rowing Cup for that year.

Regulation 11 - Exceptional Cases (Rule 86)

Should it be necessary to take decisions in exceptional cases (e.g., suspension of the regatta), the FISA Executive Committee or its designee, in consultation with the Technical Delegates, President of the Jury and the Chairman of the Organising Committee shall make such decisions.

Regulation 12 - Interpretation of Regulations (Article 9)

The Executive Committee shall adjudicate on all cases not covered by the Rules of Racing, related Bye-Laws and the present Event Regulations, as well as on disputes which may arise during a World Rowing Cup regatta. The decision of the Executive Committee shall be final.

Regulation 13 – World Rowing Cup Progression System (Rule 67)

At World Rowing Cup regattas, the Progression system to determine the A and B finalists shall be the FISA World Rowing Cup Progression System prescribed below in these Regulations.

World Rowing Cup Cases 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 - Same as FISA Progression System (Appendix 6)

World Rowing Cup Case 7: 21 to 24 entries

Format: Four heats, four repêchages, two semi-finals A/B, finals A to D

Heats: The winner of each heat goes forward to semi-finals A/B; the remaining crews go forward to the four repêchages.

Repêchages: The first two crews of each repêchage go forward to semi-finals A/B; the 3rd placed crews from each repêchage together with the two fastest 4th placed crews from the repêchages go to final C; the remaining crews from the repêchages go forward to final D. There are two options for the repêchages.

Semi-finals: The first three crews of each semi-final A/B go forward to final A; the remaining crews go forward to final B. There are two options for the semi-finals.

Table for World Rowing Cup Case 7: 21 to 24 entries

Heats		Repêchages Options				Semi-Finals Options				Finals	
H		R I		R II		S I		S II		F	
H1	1		2.H1		2.H4		1.H1		1.H1		1.S AB 1
	2		3.H2		3.H3		1.H3		1.H2		2.S AB 1
	3	R1	4.H3	R1	4.H2	S AB 1	1.R2	S AB 1	1.R3	FA	3.S AB 1
	4		5.H4		5.H1		1.R4		1.R4		1.S AB 2
	5		6.H1		6.H4		2.R1		2.R1		2.S AB 2
	6						2.R3		2.R2		3.S AB 2
H2	1		2.H2		2.H3		1.H2		1.H3		4.S AB 1
	2		3.H3		3.H2		1.H4		1.H4		5.S AB 1
	3	R2	4.H4	R2	4.H1	S AB 2	1.R1	S AB 2	1.R1	FB	6.S AB 1
	4		5.H1		5.H4		1.R3		1.R2		4.S AB 2
	5		6.H2		6.H3		2.R2		2.R3		5.S AB 2
	6						2.R4		2.R4		6.S AB 2
H3	1		2.H3		2.H2						3. R1
	2		3.H4		3.H1						3. R2
	3	R3	4.H1	R3	4.H4					FC	3. R3
	4		5.H2		5.H3						3. R4
	5		6.H3		6.H2						1 st F4th*
	6										2 nd F4th*
H4	1		2.H4		2.H1						3 rd F4th*
	2		3.H1		3.H4						4 th F4th*
	3	R4	4.H2	R4	4.H3					FD	5. R1
	4		5.H3		5.H2						5. R2
	5		6.H4		6.H1						5. R3
	6										5. R4

*Note: 1st. & 2nd F4th means the fastest and second fastest 4th-placed crews from the repêchage.

3rd & 4th F4th means the third fastest and fourth fastest 4th-placed crews from the repêchage.

World Rowing Cup Case 8: 25 to 30 entries

Format: Six heats, four quarter-finals, two semi-finals A/B, finals A to E

Heats: Twenty four crews from the heats go forward to the quarter-finals; these are all crews not finishing last in their heat, plus sufficient of the last-placed crews ranked by their heat times, starting with the fastest time, to make up 24 crews.

Note: for 25 entries, the two slowest last-placed crews from the heats shall go forward to final E; for 26 to 30 entries, the crews not progressing to the quarter-finals go forward to final E; for 30 entries all last placed crews in the heats go forward to final E.

Quarter-finals: the first three crews in each quarter-final go forward to semi-finals A/B. The 4th placed crews from each quarter-final together with the two fastest 5th placed crews from the quarter-finals go forward to final C; the remaining crews from the quarter-finals go forward to final D. There are two options for the quarter-finals.

Semi-finals: The first three crews in semi-finals A/B go forward to final A. The remaining crews go forward to final B. There are two options for the semi-finals.

Table for World Rowing Cup Case 8: 25 to 30 entries

Heats H	Quarter-finals		Semi-finals		Finals F		
	QI	QII	SI	SII			
H1	1	1H5	1H2	1Q1	1Q1	FA	1SAB1
	2	2H1	2H4	1Q2	1Q3		1SAB2
	3	2H3	2H5	2Q3	2Q2		2SAB1
	4	3H2	3H1	2Q4	2Q4		2SAB2
	5	3H6	3H3	3Q1	3Q1		3SAB1
		4H4*	4H6*	3Q3	3Q4	3SAB2	
H2	1	1H6	1H3	1Q3	1Q2	FB	4SAB1
	2	2H2	2H1	1Q4	1Q4		4SAB2
	3	2H4	2H6	2Q1	2Q1		5SAB1
	4	3H1	3H2	2Q2	2Q3		5SAB2
	5	3H5	3H4	3Q2	3Q2		6SAB1
		4H3*	4H5*	3Q4	3Q3	6SAB2	
H3	1	1H1	1H1			FC	4Q1
	2	1H4	1H6				4Q2
	3	2H5	2H3				4Q3
	4	3H3	3H5				4Q4
	5	4H2	4H2				1stQ5th#
		4H6*	4H4*			2ndQ5th#	
H4	1	1H2	1H4			FD	3rdQ5th#
	2	1H3	1H5				4thQ5th#
	3	2H6	2H2				6Q1
	4	3H4	3H6				6Q2
	5	4H1	4H1				6Q3
		4H5*	4H3*			6Q4	
H5	1					FE	Slowest last-placed crews from heats go to FE after 24 boats go to quarter-finals
	2						
	3						
	4						
	5						
H6	1						
	2						
	3						
	4						
	5						

Note: For less than 30 entries, 4H6 is fastest last-placed crew from heats; 4H5 is second-fastest last-placed crew from heats; 4H4 is third-fastest last-placed crew from heats; 4H3 is fourth-fastest last-placed crew from heats; 4H2 is fifth-fastest last-placed crew from heats; to make up 24 crews.

Note: 1st & 2nd Q5th means the fastest and second fastest 5th-placed crews from the quarter-finals.

3rd & 4th Q5th means the third fastest and fourth fastest 5th-placed crews from the quarter-finals.

Note the special cases: For 25 entries, the two slowest last-placed crews from the heats go forward to final E; for 26 to 30 entries, the crews not progressing to the quarter-finals go forward to final E, for 30 entries all last placed crews from the heats go forward to final E.

World Rowing Cup Case 9: 31 to 36 entries

Format: Six heats, four quarter-finals, two semi-finals A/B, finals A to F.

Heats: The first four crews in each heat go forward to the quarter-finals; the six fastest crews from the heats not progressing to the quarter-finals go forward to final E; the remaining crews from the heats go forward to final F.

Note: for 31 crews the two slowest crews in the heats go forward to final F.

Quarter-finals: The first three crews in each quarter-final go forward to semi-finals A/B. The 4th placed crews from the quarter-finals together with the two fastest 5th placed crews from the quarter-finals go forward to final C; the remaining crews from the quarter-finals go forward to final D. There are two options for the quarter-finals.

Semi-finals: The first three crews in semi-finals A/B go forward to final A. The remaining crews go forward to final B. There are two options for the semi-finals.

Table for World Rowing Cup Case 9: 31 to 36 entries

Heats H	Quarter-finals		Semi-finals		Finals F		
	QI	QII	SI	SII			
H1	1	1H1	1H1	1Q1	1Q1	FA	1SAB1
	2	1H2	1H6	1Q2	1Q3		1SAB2
	3	2H3	2H5	2Q3	2Q2		2SAB1
	4	3H6	3H4	2Q4	2Q4		2SAB2
	5	4H1	4H2	3Q1	3Q1		3SAB1
	6	4H4	4H6	3Q3	3Q4		3SAB2
H2	1	1H3	1H2	1Q3	1Q2	FB	4SAB1
	2	1H4	1H5	1Q4	1Q4		4SAB2
	3	2H5	2H4	2Q1	2Q1		5SAB1
	4	3H4	3H3	2Q2	2Q3		5SAB2
	5	4H3	4H1	3Q2	3Q2		6SAB1
	6	4H2	4H5	3Q4	3Q3		6SAB2
H3	1	1H5	1H3			FC	4Q1
	2	2H1	2H1				4Q2
	3	2H6	2H2				4Q3
	4	3H2	3H5				4Q4
	5	3H3	3H6				1stQ5th#
	6	4H6	4H3				2ndQ5th#
H4	1	1H6	1H4			FD	3rdQ5th#
	2	2H2	2H3				4thQ5th#
	3	2H4	2H6				6Q1
	4	3H1	3H1				6Q2
	5	3H5	3H2				6Q3
	6	4H5	4H4				6Q4
H5	1					FE	The six fastest crews from the heats not progressing to the quarter-finals
	2						
	3						
	4						
	5						
	6						
H6	1					FF	The remaining crews from the heats
	2						
	3						
	4						
	5						
	6						

Note: 1st & 2nd Q5th means the fastest and second fastest 5th-placed crews from the quarter-finals.

3rd & 4th Q5th means the third fastest and fourth fastest 5th-placed crews from the quarter-finals

Note the special case: for 31 crews the two slowest crews in the heats go forward to final F

World Rowing Cup Case 10: 37 to 48 entries

Format: Eight heats, four quarter-finals, two semi-finals A/B, finals A to G (37 to 42 entries) and A to H (43 to 48 entries).

Heats: The first three crews in each heat go forward to the quarter-finals; the six fastest crews from the heats not progressing to the quarter-finals go forward to final E; the next six fastest crews from the heats go forward to final F; the next six fastest crews from the heats go forward to final G and the remaining crews from the heats go forward to final H.

Note: for 37 crews the two slowest crews from the heats go forward to final G, for 43 crews the two slowest crews from the heats go forward to final H.

Quarter-finals: The first three crews in each quarter-final go forward to semi-finals A/B. The 4th placed crews from the quarter-finals together with the two fastest 5th placed crews from the quarter-finals go forward to final C; the remaining crews from the quarter-finals go forward to final D. There are two options for the quarter-finals.

Semi-finals: The first three crews in semi-finals A/B go forward to final A. The remaining crews go forward to final B.

There are two options for the semi-finals.

Table for World Rowing Cup Case 10: 37 to 48 entries

Heats H	Quarter-finals		Semi-finals		Finals F		
	QI	QII	SI	SII			
H1	1	1H1	1H1	1Q1	1Q1	FA	1SAB1
	2	1H2	1H5	1Q2	1Q3		1SAB2
	3	2H3	2H2	SAB1 2Q3	SAB1 2Q2		2SAB1
	4	2H4	2H6	2Q4	2Q4		2SAB2
	5	3H5	3H3	3Q1	3Q1		3SAB1
	6	3H6	3H7	3Q3	3Q4		3SAB2
H2	1	1H3	1H2	1Q3	1Q2	FB	4SAB1
	2	1H4	1H6	1Q4	1Q4		4SAB2
	3	2H5	2H1	SAB2 2Q1	SAB2 2Q1		5SAB1
	4	2H6	2H5	2Q2	2Q3		5SAB2
	5	3H2	3H4	3Q2	3Q2		6SAB1
	6	3H7	3H8	3Q4	3Q3		6SAB2
H3	1	1H5	1H3			FC	4Q1
	2	1H6	1H7				4Q2
	3	2H7	2H4				4Q3
	4	2H8	2H8				4Q4
	5	3H1	3H2				1stQ5th#
	6	3H4	3H6				2ndQ5th#
H4	1	1H7	1H4			FD	3rdQ5th#
	2	1H8	1H8				4thQ5th#
	3	2H1	2H3				6Q1
	4	2H2	2H7				6Q2
	5	3H3	3H1				6Q3
	6	3H8	3H5				6Q4
H5	1					FE	The six fastest crews from the heats not progressing to the quarter-finals
	2						
	3						
	4						
	5						
	6						
H6	1					FF	The next six fastest crews from the heats not progressing to the quarter-finals
	2						
	3						
	4						
	5						
	6						
H7	1					FG	The next six fastest crews from the heats not progressing to the quarter-finals
	2						
	3						
	4						
	5						
	6						
H8	1					FH	The remaining crews from the heats
	2						
	3						
	4						
	5						
	6						

Note: 1st & 2nd Q5th means the fastest and second fastest 5th-placed crews from the quarter-finals.

3rd & 4th Q5th means the third fastest and fourth fastest 5th-placed crews from the quarter-finals

Note the special cases: for 37 crews the two slowest crews from the heats go forward to final G; for 43 crews the two slowest crews from the heats go forward to final H;

World Rowing Cup Case 11: 49 and more entries

Format: Time trial, four quarter-finals A/B/C/D, two semi-finals A/B and finals.

Time trial: The first 24 crews go forward to the quarter-finals A/B/C/D. Crews 25-30 go forward to final E, crews 31-36 go forward to final F, crews 37-42 go forward to final G, crews 43-48 go forward to final H, etc.

Quarter-finals: the first three crews in each quarter-final A/B/C/D go forward to semi-finals A/B. The 4th placed crews from the quarter-finals together with the two fastest 5th placed crews from the quarter-finals go forward to final C; the remaining crews from the quarter-finals go forward to final D. There are two options for the quarter-finals.

Semi-finals: The first three crews in semi-finals A/B go forward to final A. The remaining crews go forward to final B. There are two options for the semi-finals.

Table for World Rowing Cup Case 11: 49 and more entries

Time Trials	Quarter-finals		Semi-finals				Finals	
			SI		SII		F	
1	TT	TT1	SAB1	1Q1	SAB1	1Q1	1SAB1	
2		TT8		1Q2		1Q3	1SAB2	
3		TT9		2Q3		2Q2	2SAB1	
4		TT16		2Q4		2Q4	2SAB2	
5		TT17		3Q1		3Q1	3SAB1	
6		TT22		3Q3		3Q4	3SAB2	
7		TT2	SAB2	1Q3	SAB2	1Q2	4SAB1	
8		TT7		1Q4		1Q4	4SAB2	
9		TT10		2Q1		2Q1	5SAB1	
10		TT15		2Q2		2Q3	5SAB2	
11		TT18		3Q2		3Q2	6SAB1	
12		TT23		3Q4		3Q3	6SAB2	
13		TT3			4Q1			
14		Q3	TT6			4Q2		
15			TT11			4Q3		
16			TT14			4Q4		
17			TT19			1stQ5th#		
18		TT24			2ndQ5th#			
19	Q4	TT4			3rdQ5th#			
20		TT5			4thQ5th#			
21		TT12			6Q1			
22		TT13			6Q2			
23		TT20			6Q3			
24	TT21			6Q4				
25					TT25			
26					TT26			
27					TT27			
28					TT28			
29					TT29			
30					TT30			
31					TT31			
32					TT32			
33					TT33			
34					TT34			
35					TT35			
36					TT36			
37					TT37			
38					TT38			
39					TT39			
40					TT40			
41					TT41			
42					TT42			
43					TT43			
44					TT44			
45					TT45			
46					TT46			
47					TT47			
48					TT48			
Etc.	49	...> additional finals as necessary						

Note: 1st.& 2nd Q5th means the fastest and second fastest 5th-placed crews from the quarter-finals.

3rd & 4th Q5th means the third fastest and fourth fastest 5th-placed crews from the quarter-finals

Note the special cases for 49, 55, 61, etc., crews: the two slowest crews from the time trial go forward together to next final.