

Appendix E14

ITU Points List Criteria

1. PURPOSE:

- 1.1. ITU Points List will be used to determine athletes' eligibility to enter ITU Triathlon World Triathlon Series events, ITU Triathlon World Cup events, and ITU Triathlon Continental Championship events;
- 1.2. Continental Confederations may also use the ITU Points List to determine National Federation quotas for ITU Triathlon Continental Championships;
- 1.3. The ITU Points List will be posted on www.triathlon.org, but will not be considered as a ranking;

2. ELIGIBILITY:

- 2.1. Only athletes in good standing with their National Federation affiliated with ITU are eligible to be included in the ITU Points List.

3. SCORING EVENTS:

3.1. General:

- a) There will be 11 levels of events included in the ITU Points List:
 - The ITU World Triathlon Series Grand Final;
 - The ITU World Triathlon Series events;
 - The ITU Triathlon World Cup events;
 - The ITU Triathlon Continental Championships Standard Distance;
 - The ITU Triathlon Continental Championships Sprint Distance;
 - The ITU Triathlon U23 World Championships;
 - The ITU Triathlon Continental Cup and ITU Triathlon Premium Continental Cup events (these events can be either sprint or standard distance);
 - The Universiade or the FISU Triathlon University World Championships;
 - The ITU Triathlon Junior World Championships;
 - The ITU Triathlon U23 Continental Championships;
 - The ITU Triathlon Junior Continental Championships.
- b) The points earned by the winner of each event will be:
 - 1000 for the ITU World Triathlon Series Grand Final;
 - 750 for the ITU World Triathlon Series events;
 - 500 for the ITU Triathlon World Cup events;
 - 400 for the ITU Triathlon Continental Championships Standard Distance;
 - 300 for the ITU Triathlon Continental Championships Sprint Distance;
 - 200 for the ITU Triathlon U23 World Championships;
 - 200 for the ITU Triathlon Continental Cup and ITU Triathlon Premium Continental Cup events;

- 200 for the Universiade or the FISU Triathlon University World Championships;
 - 100 for the ITU Triathlon Junior World Championships;
 - 100 for the ITU Triathlon U23 Continental Championships;
 - 50 for the ITU Triathlon Junior Continental Championships;
- c) The points table for each level of event will be from:
- 1st to 50th for the ITU World Triathlon Series Grand Final;
 - 1st to 50th for the ITU World Triathlon Series events;
 - 1st to 50th for the ITU Triathlon World Cup events;
 - 1st to 50th for the ITU Triathlon Continental Championships Standard Distance (only athletes from the same continent);
 - 1st to 30th for the ITU Triathlon Continental Championships Sprint Distance (only athletes from the same continent);
 - 1st to 20th for the ITU Triathlon U23 World Championships;
 - 1st to 20th for the ITU Triathlon Continental Cup and ITU Triathlon Premium Continental Cup events;
 - 1st to 20th for the Universiade or the FISU Triathlon University World Championships;
 - 1st to 10th for the ITU Triathlon Junior World Championships;
 - 1st to 10th for the ITU Triathlon U23 Continental Championships;
 - 1st to 10th for the ITU Triathlon Junior Continental Championships;
- d) The points will be decreased by 7.5%.
- 3.2. **Cut-off:** To earn points, athletes must finish within the cut-off time which will be determined by adding 5% to the winner's time in the men's event and 8% in the women's event.
- 3.3. **Quality of field:** Every athlete ranked in the top 20 of the current ITU Points list who starts the race will increase the value of the race by 2% up to a maximum of 20% per event.
- 3.4. **Total Events to Count:**
It will be a maximum of 12 events to count:
- a) 6 from the 52 weeks previous to the date of the publication of the lists (current period);
 - b) 6 from the days between the 53rd and the 104th week previous to the date of publication of the lists (previous period).
- 3.5. The total number of points acquired by an athlete in a given week will be determined by adding the 6 best scores in the current period , plus 1/3 of the addition of the 6 best scores in the previous period. In each of the periods a n athlete may not earn points from more than 3 ITU Triathlon Continental Cup or ITU Triathlon Premium Continental Cup events.