WORLD TRIATHLON CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES RANKINGS 2024

1. Purpose:

1.1.   The World Triathlon Championship Series Rankings will be used to determine the World Triathlon Champion;

1.2.   The World Triathlon Champions will be established at the end of the series and the Bonus Pool Prize Money will be distributed after the last scoring event according to the World Triathlon Championship Series Rankings.

2. Scoring events:

2.1.   There will be three (3) levels of events included in the World Triathlon Championship Series Rankings:

   a) The World Triathlon Championship Finals;

   b) The World Triathlon Championship Series events, Olympic Games Test Event and Olympic Games;

   c) The Continental Triathlon Championships.

2.2.   The points earned by the winner of each event will be:

   a) 1250 for the World Triathlon Championship Finals;

   b) 1000 for the World Triathlon Championship Series events, Olympic Games Test Event and Olympic Games;

   c) 400 for the Continental Triathlon Championships.

2.3.   The points for the Continental Championships will be calculated with the Quality of Field Factor and Top 5 Bonus as outlined in the World Triathlon Ranking criteria;

2.4.   Only athletes representing National Federations from the respective continent will be considered in the Continental Championships. Athletes competing under the World Triathlon flag will be considered in the continent of the National Federation they are moving to;

2.5.   In case of sprint distance events, the value will be 75% of the value of the standard distance events. In case of semi-final/final or eliminator format events, the value will be 87,5% of the value of the standard distance events;

2.6.   The points will be decreased by 7.5% for every position.

3. Cut off:

3.1. To earn points, athletes must finish within the cut-off time which will be determined by adding 8% to the winner's time in both men's and women's events.

4. Races scoring:

4.1. The final score will be obtained by adding the points gained in the World Triathlon Championship Finals plus the 3 best scores in the World Triathlon Championship Series events / Olympic Games Test Event / Olympic Games / Continental Championships;

4.2. The intermediate rankings will be set as follows:

After the WTCS / Olympic Games Test Event / Olympic Games event number	Total events to add	Continental Triathlon Championships to add
1	1	None
2	2	None
3	3	All events happened to date.
4	3	
5	3	
6	3	
After the Championship Finals	3 + Championship Finals	

5. Season:

5.1. The World Triathlon Championship Series season starts immediately after the previous World Triathlon Championship Finals and finishes with the World Triathlon Championship Finals;

5.2. In case 2 Continental Triathlon Championships happen during the Season, the first event will count;

5.3. In case no Continental Triathlon Championships happen during the Season, no Continental Triathlon Championship event will count from that continent;

5.4. Only Continental Triathlon Championship on standard distance will be considered.

NB: From 2009-2020 the World Triathlon Championship Series events were referred to as 'World Triathlon Series events' and the World Triathlon Championship Finals were called the `World Triathlon Series Grand Final`.