

European Athletics Indoor Championships 2017
Entry Standards, Conditions & Deadlines
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Entry Standards

MEN		Event	WOMEN	
Indoor	Outdoor		Indoor	Outdoor
6.74	10.30 (100m)	60m	7.42	11.30 (100m)
47.35	46.30	400m	54.00	52.75
1:49.00	1:47.00	800m	2:04.00	2:02.00
3:44.00 / 4:00.00 (Mile)	3:39.50	1500m	4:16.00 / 4:34.00 (Mile)	4:12.00
8:05.00	7:50.00	3000m	9:15.00	9:00.00
7.82	13.65 (110m H)	60m H	8.24	13.10 (100m H)
Top 6 teams		4x400m	Top 6 teams	
2.25		High Jump	1.89	
5.78		Pole Vault	4.70	
7.90		Long Jump	6.50	
16.40		Triple Jump	13.75	
19.80		Shot Put	16.30	
Top 16 athletes		Combined Events	Top 16 athletes	

Conditions:

- Performances must be achieved in bona fide competition (either indoors or outdoors) organised in conformity with IAAF Rules.
- Performances must be achieved during competitions organised or sanctioned by the IAAF, its Area Associations or its National Member Federations. Thus, results achieved at other competitions must be certified by the National Federation of the country in which the competition was organised.
- Performances achieved in mixed events (between male and female participants), held completely in the stadium, shall not be accepted as entry standards.
- Wind assisted outdoor performances will not be accepted.
- Hand-timed performances in 60m, 100m, 400m, 60m Hurdles, and 100m/110m Hurdles will not be accepted.
- For the running events of 400m and over, performances achieved on oversized tracks will not be accepted.

Entry Deadlines

To be valid for entry standards, performances must be achieved between **1 January 2016 and 26 February 2017 (24:00 CET)** (except for Combined Events, Relays and Pole Vault, please see below).

According to European Athletics Regulations 203.10, the Final Entries will close 8 (eight) days (14:00 CET) before the first competition day of the European Athletics Indoor Championships, which means **Thursday 23 February 2017 (14:00)**.

However, athletes achieving the entry standards by 26 February may be added with the consent of European Athletics until 5 (five) days (24:00 CET) before the first competition day, meaning **Sunday 26 February 2017 (24:00 CET)**. The information about any new athlete achieving the standard between 23 and 26 February, and to be added to the final entries, will have to be sent by a respective Member Federation to competition@european-athletics.org.

Any room requests made by the closing of the final entries (23 February 2017 – 14:00 CET) are binding and will be invoiced. Accommodation costs of athletes or officials cancelled after 23 February 2017 (14:00 CET) will have to be paid for by the respective Member Federations.

No additional athletes will be accepted after 26 February 2017 (24:00 CET). In accordance with European Athletics regulations, exceptional changes related to already entered athletes may be accepted by European Athletics, until the final confirmation deadline of the first competition day. In case of such changes, the respective Member Federation would be accountable for a financial penalty of EUR 1500 per case. This amount would be deducted from the Member Federation's European Athletics subvention at the end of the year.

Entry Conditions

1. For individual events:

1.1 Each European Athletics Member Federation may enter up to 4 (four) athletes in each individual event of whom up to 3 (three) may participate provided all of them have achieved the qualifying standard for that event.

Alternatively, each European Athletics Member Federation may enter one athlete in each individual event, if such athlete has not achieved the qualifying standard for that event (except Pole Vault, please, see below point 1.3).

1.2 According to the European Athletics Regulation 203.8 and the Appendix 2, the number of athletes to participate in **Combined Events** is limited to sixteen (16) in each event.

Eight (8) places will be allocated to athletes according to their rankings in the European best performance lists for Decathlon (men) and Heptathlon (women) of the outdoor season of 2016. The list of qualified and confirmed athletes in accordance with the outdoor ranking 2016 (eight athletes) will be published in December 2016.

Eight (8) additional places will be allocated to athletes according to their rankings in the European best performance lists for Heptathlon (men) and Pentathlon (women) of the indoor season of the year of the Championships, up to at 10 days prior to the first day of event (21 February 2017). The detailed information on the entry procedures for Combined Events will be provided in due time.

1.3 The **Pole Vault** is to be held as straight Finals with 12 athletes starting at each event.

European Athletics aims to secure the participation of a target number of athletes. All athletes that have achieved the standard will be eligible for entry, even if it means exceeding the target numbers. Performances to be eligible for the qualification standard must be achieved between 1 January 2016 and **23 February 2017** (14:00 CET), and complying with the conditions below.

In case the target number cannot be achieved by reaching the set qualifying standards, European Athletics will invite additional athletes up to the target number, according to their rankings in the best list including the outdoor list 2016 and indoor list 2017, as on 23 February 2017 (CET 14:00).

The final list of qualified and confirmed athletes will be published by European Athletics by 26 February 2017.

2. For Relays

According to the European Athletics Regulation 203.7 and the Appendix 1, the number of teams to participate in relays at the European Athletics Indoor Championships is limited to 6 teams in each 4 x 400m event. The places for relay teams shall be allocated in accordance with the order of ranking of European Athletics Member Federation teams in the 4 x 400m outdoor list of 2016.

The detailed information on the entry procedures for the relays will be provided in due time.