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Entries ISU Championships 2013

1. SPEED SKATING

a) ISU European Speed Skating Championships 2013

In accordance with Rule 208, paragraph 5 c), the following Members may enter more than 1 competitor:

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Austria	2 competitors	Netherlands	4 competitors
Belgium	2 competitors	Norway	3 competitors
Czech Republic	3 competitors	Poland	3 competitors
Germany	3 competitors	Russia	3 competitors
Men			
Austria	2 competitors	Latvia	2 competitors
Belgium	2 competitors	Netherlands	4 competitors

Austria	2 competitors	Latvia	2 competitors
Belgium	2 competitors	Netherlands	4 competitors
France	2 competitors	Norway	3 competitors
Germany	2 competitors	Poland	3 competitors
Italy	2 competitors	Russia	2 competitors

b) ISU World Allround Speed Skating Championships 2013

The entry quotas for the ISU World Allround Speed Skating Championships 2013 will be determined by the results in the regional qualifying events held during the season 2012-13, in accordance with Rule 208, paragraph 4

c) ISU World Junior Speed Skating Championships 2013

The maximum entry quotas for the ISU World Junior Speed Skating Championships 2013 are for each ISU Member 5 Ladies and 5 Men, and one substitute per category, in accordance with Rule 208, paragraph 7. Among the maximum of five (5) entered Skaters, a Member may enter a maximum of four (4) Competitors for each of the individual events and for their team in the Team Pursuit event.

d) ISU World Sprint Speed Skating Championships 2013

In accordance with Rule 208, paragraph 6, the following Members may enter more than 1 competitor:

Ladies	
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Belarus	2 competitors	Kazakhstan	2 competitors
Canada	2 competitors	Netherlands	4 competitors
China	4 competitors	Republic of Korea	2 competitors
Czech Republic	2 competitors	Russia	3 competitors
Germany	3 competitors	USA	3 competitors
Japan	3 competitors		

Men

Australia	2 competitors	Latvia	2 competitors
Canada	4 competitors	Netherlands	4 competitors
Finland	2 competitors	Norway	2 competitors
France	2 competitors	Poland	2 competitors
Germany	2 competitors	Republic of Korea	3 competitors
Italy	2 competitors	Russia	4 competitors
Japan	3 competitors	USA	2 competitors
Kazakhstan	2 competitors		

e) World Single Distances Speed Skating Championships 2013

The entry quotas for the World Single Distances Speed Skating Championships 2013 will be determined in accordance with Rule 208, paragraph 2.

2. SHORT TRACK SPEED SKATING

a) ISU World Junior Short Track Speed Skating Championships 2013

The entry quota for the ISU World Junior Short Track Speed Skating Championships 2013 will be determined in accordance with Rule 283, paragraph 2.

b) ISU European Short Track Speed Skating Championships 2013

In accordance with Rule 285, paragraph 2, the following Members may enter more than 1 competitor:

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Austria	2 competitors	Italy	3 competitors
Belarus	2 competitors	Latvia	2 competitors
Belgium	2 competitors	Lithuania	2 competitors
Bulgaria	2 competitors	Netherlands	3 competitors
Czech Republic	2 competitors	Poland	2 competitors
France	3 competitors	Romania	2 competitors
Germany	2 competitors	Russia	3 competitors
Great Britain	2 competitors	Slovak Republic	2 competitors
Hungary	3 competitors	Ukraine	2 competitors

Men

Belarus	2 competitors	Israel	2 competitors
Belgium	2 competitors	Italy	2 competitors
Bulgaria	2 competitors	Latvia	2 competitors
Czech Republic	2 competitors	Netherlands	3 competitors
France	2 competitors	Poland	2 competitors
Germany	3 competitors	Russia	3 competitors
Great Britain	3 competitors	Turkey	2 competitors
Hungary	2 competitors	Ukraine	2 competitors

c) ISU World Short Track Speed Skating Championships 2013

(i) Individual:

In accordance with Rule 281, paragraph 2 a), the following Members may enter more than 1 competitor:

Ladies

Australia	2 competitors	Hungary	2 competitors
Austria	2 competitors	Italy	3 competitors
Belarus	2 competitors	Japan	3 competitors
Bulgaria	2 competitors	Netherlands	2 competitors
Canada	3 competitors	Poland	2 competitors
China	3 competitors	Republic of Korea	2 competitors
Czech Republic	2 competitors	Russia	2 competitors
France	2 competitors	Slovak Republic	2 competitors
Germany	2 competitors	USA	3 competitors
Great Britain	2 competitors		

Men

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Australia	2 competitors	Japan	2 competitors
Canada	3 competitors	Kazakhstan	2 competitors
China	2 competitors	Latvia	2 competitors
Germany	2 competitors	Netherlands	3 competitors
Great Britain	2 competitors	Poland	2 competitors
Hong Kong	2 competitors	Republic of Korea	3 competitors
Hungary	2 competitors	Russia	3 competitors
Israel	2 competitors	Ukraine	2 competitors
Italy	2 competitors	USA	2 competitors

(ii) Relay:

The entry quota for the Relay competitions at the ISU World Short Track Speed Skating Championships 2013 will be determined by the World Cup classification in accordance with Rule 281, paragraph 2. Special attention must be paid to Rule 286, paragraph 4, i.e. participation must be clear before the start of the last World Cup Competition of the season.

3. FIGURE SKATING

a) ISU European Figure Skating Championships 2013

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 2, the following Members shall have the right to enter more than 1 competitor, pair or dance couple:

Ladies		Men	
Finland	2 competitors	Belgium	2 competitors
France	2 competitors	Czech Republic	3 competitors
Georgia	2 competitors	France	3 competitors
Italy	3 competitors	Italy	2 competitors
Russia	3 competitors	Russia	3 competitors
Sweden	2 competitors	Spain	2 competitors
Pairs		Ice Dance	
Belarus	2 Pairs	Azerbaijan	2 Couples
France	2 Pairs	France	3 Couples
Germany	3 Pairs	Germany	2 Couples
Great Britain	2 Pairs	Great Britain	2 Couples
Italy	2 Pairs	Italy	2 Couples
Russia	3 Pairs	Lithuania	2 Couples
		Russia	3 Couples

b) ISU Four Continents Figure Skating Championships 2013

Malaysia Morocco

The entries for the Four Continents Figure Skating Championships 2013 will be according to Rule 378 paragraph 2d): "The Four Continents Championships will have open entries with each Member entitled to enter up to a maximum of three (3) entries for each event."

The following Members, as non-European Federations may participate in the Four Continents Championships:

Argentina Mexico Australia Mongolia New Zealand Brazil Canada Philippines China Puerto Rico Chinese Taipei Republic of Korea D.P.R. Korea Singapore Grenada South Africa Hong Kong/China Thailand India USA Japan Uzbekistan Kazakhstan

c) ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships 2013

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 2, the following Members shall have the right to enter more than 1 competitor, pair or dance couple:

Ladies		Men	
Canada	2 competitors	Canada	2 competitors
China	2 competitors	China	3 competitors
Japan	2 competitors	Japan	2 competitors
Republic of Korea	2 competitors	Kazakhstan	2 competitors
Russia	3 competitors	Russia	2 competitors
Sweden	2 competitors	USA	3 competitors
USA	3 competitors		
Pairs		Ice Dance	
Canada	3 Pairs	Canada	2 Couples
China	3 Pairs	France	2 Couples
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Russia	3 Pairs	Germany	2 Couples
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	3 Pairs	Germany	2 Couples
	3 Pairs	Germany Italy	2 Couples 2 Couples
	3 Pairs	Germany Italy Russia	2 Couples 2 Couples 3 Couples

For the ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships all competitors must fulfill the requirements of Rule 108, paragraph 3 b).

d) ISU World Figure Skating Championships 2013

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 2, the following Members shall have the right to enter more than 1 competitor, pair or dance couple:

Ladies		Men	
China	2 competitors	Canada	3 competitors
Georgia	2 competitors	Czech Republic	2 competitors
Italy	3 competitors	France	3 competitors
Japan	3 competitors	Italy	2 competitors
Russia	a 3 competitors Japan		3 competitors
USA	2 competitors	Kazakhstan	2 competitors
		Spain	2 competitors
		USA	2 competitors
Pairs		Ice Dance	
Pairs Canada	2 Pairs	Ice Dance Canada	3 Couples
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Canada		Canada	-
Canada China	3 Pairs	Canada France	2 Couples
Canada China Germany	3 Pairs 2 Pairs	Canada France Italy	2 Couples 2 Couples
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e) Minimum Technical Scores

Skaters/couples participating in the above-mentioned Championships must have reached in an ISU recognized International Competition (as per Article 38, paragraph 7 and Rule 107, paragraphs 1 to 9) during the ongoing season (2012/13) or immediately preceding season (2011/12) the applicable minimum Technical Scores (both for SP/SD and FS/FD) as follows:

For entries to Europeans/Four Continents Figure Skating Championships

Men	SP	25.00 points	FS	45.00 points
Ladies	SP	20.00 points	FS	36.00 points
Pairs	SP	20.00 points	FS	36.00 points
Ice Dance	SD	18.00 points	FD	28.00 points

For entries to Word Figure Skating Championships

Men	SP	35.00 points	FS	65.00 points
Ladies	SP	28.00 points	FS	48.00 points
Pairs	SP	28.00 points	FS	45.00 points
Ice Dance	SD	29.00 points	FD	39.00 points

For entries to World Junior Figure Skating Championships *)

Men	SP	20.00 points	FS	40.00 points
Ladies	SP	20.00 points	FS	35.00 points
Pairs	SP	20.00 points	FS	30.00 points
Ice Dance	SD	17.00 points	FD	27.00 points

The minimum Technical Scores can be reached in either the same or in two different International Competitions.

*) the required minimum Total Technical Score for the Short Program/Short Dance and the Free Skating/Free Dance segment to participate in the ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships can only be obtained in registered International <u>Junior</u> Competitions/Championships.

Skaters/couples, who fail to achieve the minimum scores as indicated above at the time of the entry deadline by names (21 days prior to the Championships), must present on site of the Championships to the ISU Representative/Sport Director a certification (result – copy of protocol) of the event, in which they have obtained such a minimum score.

The deadline for such confirmation is 24 hours prior to the first Team Leader's meeting.

f) ISU World Synchronized Skating Championships 2013

In accordance with Rule 768, paragraph 2b), the following Members have a right to enter more than 1 team:

Canada 2 teams
Finland 2 teams
Russia 2 teams
Sweden 2 teams
USA 2 teams

Quotas for entries in the ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships 2013 will be published in a future Communication.

4. ENTRY DEADLINES

a) Speed Skating

In accordance with Rule 208, paragraphs 8 and 9, the preliminary number of coaches and other team staff, the number of Competitors and substitutes (corresponding with the number of ordinary entries), as well as provisional names of the Competitors and the team leader, must be submitted 18 days before the first day of the Championship (i.e. the day of the first event, Ladies or Men). The ISU Members are requested to include in their preliminary entries only the number of coaches, team leaders and other team staff, and the number and names of Competitors and substitutes that they actually intend to send to the Championships concerned. For Championships where the ISU Rules set a specific limit on the total number of Competitors, and ISU has issued a reserve list of entry quotas or qualified Skaters, ISU Members concerned must confirm as soon as possible (and well before the deadline for final entries) to the ISU Secretariat whether they will make use of their full entry quotas, and if Skaters in reserve position will be available to compete in case of withdrawals.

The names of the Competitors and available substitutes, as well as the names of the team leader, coaches and other team staff for whom the ISU Member is requesting accreditation for the Championships must be communicated to the organizing committee not later than 12:00 (noon) local time (at the site of the Championships) three (3) days before the first day of the Championships. For Post Entries Rule 115, paragraph 6 of the General Regulations applies.

b) Short Track Speed Skating

In accordance with Rule 295, paragraphs 4 b), c) and e), the number of Competitors, substitutes, coaches and team leaders shall be entered at least six (6) weeks before the first day of the Competition. The number of other personal travelling with the team shall also be communicated separately at least six (6) weeks before the ISU

Event concerned. Members are seriously requested to enter only the number of Skaters they actually intend to send to the ISU Event concerned. The names of the Competitors and substitutes names per category with their International Registration Number, the names of the Competitors for each of the respective individual distances and the confirmation of participation in the Relay shall be communicated to the organizing committee at the latest on the fifth day before the first race of the Competition. For Post Entries Rule 115, paragraph 6 of the General Regulations applies.

c) Single and Pair Skating & Ice Dance

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 1, entries by name must reach the Sport Director Figure Skating (currently the Chair of the Sports Directorate) and the Organizing Committee simultaneously by 21 days before the first day (first official practice day) of the Championships concerned.

d) Synchronized Skating

In accordance with Rule 768, paragraph 1, entries of teams must reach the Sport Director Figure Skating (currently the Chair of the Sports Directorate) and the Organizing Committee simultaneously by 21 days before the first day (opening and first draws) of the Championships concerned.

The names of all Team Skaters including alternates may be finally announced at the time of registration (see Rule 768, paragraph 6).

The exact deadlines are issued in the Official Announcement for each ISU Championships.

Please also study Rule 131 and ISU Communication No. 1628 "Declaration for Competitors and Officials entering ISU Events" or any update of this Communication. An updated Declaration form is available on our website www.isu.org

In line with Rule 115, paragraph 6 of the General Regulations and as pointed out in the ISU Communication No. 1668, points 8, Members are reminded that post entries might be accepted by the ISU President **only** in case of clearly and truly exceptional circumstances.

Milan, July 25, 2012 Lausanne, Ottavio Cinquanta, President

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