

## PART II – ROAD RACES

### AMENDMENTS TO REGULATIONS AS FROM 01.01.2017

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*(the modified sections are highlighted in red)*

#### Chapter I CALENDAR AND PARTICIPATION

##### International calendar

- 2.1.001** Road races are registered on the international calendar in accordance with their classification as per article 2.1.005.

UCI WorldTour events are entered on the UCI WorldTour calendar by the Professional Cycling Council.

The management committee of the UCI enters the other events of the international calendar in one or another class in accordance with the criteria which it shall draw up.

As a general rule, ~~each continental circuit~~ the international calendar shall start on the day following the conclusion of the previous year's final UCI World Championships event or WorldTour event and end upon conclusion of the final UCI WorldTour or World Championships event of the year in question.

The ~~season~~ dates of ~~each continental circuit~~ the international calendar shall be set annually by the management committee, which will take into account the above as well as specificities regarding the events registered on the ~~calendar different circuits~~.

*(text modified on 1.01.02; 1.01.05; 1.01.17).*

- 2.1.002** A continental circuit is composed of all elite (ME) and all under 23 (MU) men's road races of the continental calendar of each continent. These circuits are respectively known as Africa Tour, America Tour, Asia Tour, Europe Tour and Oceania Tour.

*(text modified on 1.01.02; 1.01.05; 1.01.06; 1.08.13; 1.01.15; 1.03.16; 1.01.17).*

##### International calendar

- 2.1.003** ~~To be able~~ In order to be registered on the international calendar, a race must guarantee the participation of at least 10 teams, among which 5 foreign teams. A mixed team is regarded as a foreign team if the majority of its riders are of foreign nationality.

*(text modified on 1.01.02; 1.01.03; 1.01.04; 1.01.05 ; 1.01.17).*

## International races and participation

### 2.1.007 Provisions for WE class 1 events

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For events taking place between 1<sup>st</sup> January and 15<sup>th</sup> March, the organiser of a WE 1 event must invite:

- ~~the 5 first national federations in the elite women's classification by nation on 31 December of the year preceding the year of his event;~~
- the 10 first UCI women's teams in the **first rolling** elite women's classification by team, on the last day of the previous season (in the sense of Article 2.1.001). ~~published in the year of the event.~~

For events taking place between 16<sup>th</sup> March and 31<sup>st</sup> December, the organiser must invite:

- the 10 first UCI women's teams in the rolling elite women's classification by team, on the second Monday of January (based on new team rosters).

### Provisions for ME and MU class2 events of the Europe Tour as well as ME and MU class 1 and class 2 events of the America Tour, Asia Tour, Africa Tour and Oceania Tour

For events taking place between 1<sup>st</sup> January and 15<sup>th</sup> March, the organiser of a class 2 event in the Europe Tour or class 1 or class 2 events in the America, Asia, Africa or Oceania Tours held between 1 March and 31 December of the current year of the event must invite:

- the first 3 UCI continental teams in the **rolling** classification by team for the relevant continental circuit ~~published in the year~~ of the event, on the last day of the previous season (in the sense of Article 2.1.001). ~~This classification is elaborated on the basis of an assessment of the sporting value of the continental teams registered by the UCI administration. This classification will be used for all the invitations for that season.~~

For events taking place between 16<sup>th</sup> March and 31<sup>st</sup>, the organiser must invite:

- the 3 first UCI continental teams in the rolling classification by team for the relevant continental circuit, on the second Monday of January (based on new team rosters).

For stage races, the date to be taken into account is the first racing day.

The organiser must accept entries from above mentioned teams who have responded positively to an invitation.

*(text modified on 1.01.06; 1.01.07; 1.10.10; 1.02.11; 1.07.11; 1.07.12; 1.10.13; 1.01.15; 1.01.17).*

## Chapter II GENERAL PROVISIONS

### § 3 Race procedure

#### **Body numbers Riders' identification**

**2.2.026** Riders shall carry two body numbers, save in time trials, where they shall bear just one.

Save in time trials, riders shall affix a frame number, being identical to the body number, to a visible point on the front (or where this is not possible, to some other part) of their bicycle frame.

*(text modified on 1.01.17)*

#### **Frame numbers**

**2.2.027** ~~Save in time trials, riders shall affix a frame number, being identical to the body number, to a visible point on the front (or where this is not possible, to some other part) of their bicycle frame.~~

Teams are allowed to add the name of the rider on the jersey outside of the areas reserved for the team's principal partners.

*(text modified on 1.01.17)*

### § 6 Terms of reference for organisers

**2.2.089** In addition to the regulations, the organisers of UCI WorldTour and **UCI Women's WorldTour** events must also respect the provisions of the terms of reference for UCI WorldTour and **UCI Women's WorldTour** organisers.

*(text modified on 1.01.15, 1.01.17).*

## Chapter III ONE-DAY RACES

### Distances

**2.3.002** The maximum distance for one-day road races shall be as follows:

<b>International Calendar</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Class</b>	<b>Distance</b>
Olympic games and world championships	ME		From 250 to 280 km
	WE		From <del>120</del> 130 to <del>140</del> 160 km
	MU		From 160 to 180 km
	MJ		From 120 to 140 km
	WJ		From 60 to 80 km
Continental championships	ME		Maximum 240 km
	MU		Maximum 180 km
	WE		Maximum 140 km
	MJ		Maximum 140 km
	WJ		Maximum 80 km

Regional games	ME MU WE MJ WJ		Maximum 240 km Maximum 180 km Maximum 140 km Maximum 140 km Maximum 80 km
UCI WorldTour	ME	UWT	Distance determined by the Professional Cycling Council
UCI Continental Circuits	ME ME ME MU	1.HC 1.1 1.2 1.2	Maximum 200 km* Maximum 200 km* Maximum 200 km Maximum 180 km
Women Elite	WE WE WE	WWT 1.1 1.2	<del>From 120 to 140km</del> Maximum 160 km Maximum 140 km Maximum 140 km
Men Junior	MJ MJ	1. Ncup 1.1	Maximum 140 km Maximum 140 km
Women Junior	WJ WJ	1.Ncup 1.1	Maximum 80 km Maximum 80 km

\* Except prior permission of the UCI management committee.

(text modified on 1.01.05; 1.01.08; 1.01.09; 1.07.12; 1.10.13; 1.01.16; 1.01.17).

## Chapter IV INDIVIDUAL TIME TRIAL

### Timekeeping

**2.4.016** For UCI WorldTour events, ~~At the~~ world championships and ~~the~~ Olympic Games, times shall be taken and communicated to the nearest one-hundredth of a second.

(text modified on 1.09.00; 1.01.04 ;1.01.17).

## Chapter V TEAM TIME TRIAL EVENTS

### Timekeeping and classification

**2.5.013** Finishing times shall be taken to the nearest one-tenth of a second at least.

For UCI WorldTour events and world championships, times shall be taken and communicated to the nearest one-hundredth of a second.

(text modified on 1.01.17)

## Chapter VI STAGE RACES

### 2.6.008 Stage distances

<i>Calendar</i>	<i>Max. average daily distance *</i>	<i>Max. distance per stage</i>	<i>Max. distance per ITT stage</i>	<i>Max. distance per TTT stage</i>
<i>men elite (UCI WorldTour)</i>	180 km	240 km	60 km	60 km
<i>men elite and under 23 (continental circuits, classes HC, 1 and 2)</i>	180 km	240 km	60 km	60 km
<i>men under 23 (continental circuits, class 2)</i>	150 km	180 km	40 km half-stage 15 km	50 km half-stage 35 km
<i>men juniors</i>	100 km	120 km	30 km half-stage 15 km	40 km half-stage 25 km
<i>Women elite (UCI Women's WorldTour)</i>	<del>120 km</del> 140 km	<del>140 km</del> 160 km	40 km	50 km
<i>women elite</i>	<del>100 km</del> 120 km	<del>130 km</del> 140 km	40 km	50 km
<i>women juniors</i>	60 km	80 km	15 km	20 km

\* The distance and the day of the prologue are not taken into consideration for calculating the average daily distance.

The riders must complete the entire distance of each stage to be included in the classification and to be allowed to continue in the event.

(text modified on 1.01.05, 1.01.06; 1.01.08; 1.01.09; 1.07.09; 1.01.17).

## Chapter X UCI RANKINGS

### § 1 Elite and Under 23 Men's UCI World Ranking

#### Scale of points

#### 2.10.008 General provisions

For team time trial events and stages the points on the scale shall be awarded to the team. These points shall be divided equally between the riders finishing the event or the stage. Calculations shall be rounded up to the highest full point.

### Final results in UCI WorldTour events

Position	Tour de France	Giro d'Italia, La Vuelta ciclista a España	Santos Tour Down Under, Paris - Nice, Tirreno - Adriatico, Milano - Sanremo, Gent – Wevelgem in Flanders Fields, Ronde van Vlaanderen - Tour des Flandres, Paris - Roubaix, Amstel Gold Race, Liège – Bastogne - Liège, Critérium du Dauphiné, Tour de Suisse, Tour de Romandie, Grand Prix Cycliste de Québec, Grand Prix Cycliste de Montréal, Il Lombardia	Record Bank E3 Harelbeke, La Flèche Wallonne, Clasica Ciclista San Sebastian, Cycloclassics Hamburg, Vuelta Ciclista al Pais Vasco, Tour de Pologne, Eneco Tour, Volta Ciclista a Catalunya, Bretagne Classic – Ouest-France	Cadel Evans Great Ocean Road Race, Tour of Qatar, Abu Dhabi Tour, Omloop Het Nieuwsblad Elite, Strade Bianche, Dwars door Vlaanderen / A travers les Flandres, Presidential Cycling Tour of Turkey, Rund um den Finanzplatz Eschborn-Frankfurt, Amgen Tour of California, Prudential RideLondon & Surrey Classic, Gree – Tour of Guangxi
1	1000	850	500	400	300
2	800	680	400	320	250
3	675	575	325	260	215
4	575	460	275	220	175
5	475	380	225	180	120
6	400	320	175	140	115
7	325	260	150	120	95
8	275	220	125	100	75
9	225	180	100	80	60
10	175	140	85	68	50
11	150	120	70	56	40
12	125	100	60	48	35
13	105	84	50	40	30
14	85	68	40	32	25
15	75	60	35	28	20
16	70	56	30	24	20
17	65	52	30	24	20
18	60	48	30	24	20
19	55	44	30	24	20
20	50	40	30	24	20
21	40	32	20	16	12
22	40	32	20	16	12
23	40	32	20	16	12
24	40	32	20	16	12
25	40	32	20	16	12

26	30	24	20	16	12
27	30	24	20	16	12
28	30	24	20	16	12
29	30	24	20	16	12
30	30	24	20	16	12
31	25	20	10	8	5
32	25	20	10	8	5
33	25	20	10	8	5
34	25	20	10	8	5
35	25	20	10	8	5
36	25	20	10	8	5
37	25	20	10	8	5
38	25	20	10	8	5
39	25	20	10	8	5
40	25	20	10	8	5
41	20	16	10	8	5
42	20	16	10	8	5
43	20	16	10	8	5
44	20	16	10	8	5
45	20	16	10	8	5
46	20	16	10	8	5
47	20	16	10	8	5
48	20	16	10	8	5
49	20	16	10	8	5
50	20	16	10	8	5
51	15	12	5	4	2
52	15	12	5	4	2
53	15	12	5	4	2
54	15	12	5	4	2
55	15	12	5	4	2
56	10	8	3	2	1
57	10	8	3	2	1
58	10	8	3	2	1
59	10	8	3	2	1
60	10	8	3	2	1

### Prologue and stages in UCI WorldTour events

Position	Tour de France	Giro d'Italia, Vuelta a España	Santos Tour Down Under, Paris - Nice, Tirreno - Adriatico, Critérium du Dauphiné, Tour de Suisse, Tour de Romandie	Vuelta Ciclista al País Vasco, Tour de Pologne, Eneco Tour, Volta Ciclista a Catalunya	Tour of Qatar, Abu Dhabi Tour, Dwars door Vlaanderen / A travers les Flandres, Presidential Cycling Tour of Turkey, Amgen Tour of California, Gree – Tour of Guangxi
1	120	100	60	50	40
2	50	40	25	20	15
3	25	20	10	8	6
4	15	12			
5	5	4			

### Final position in Grand Tours secondary classifications (points and mountains competitions)

Position	Tour de France	Giro d'Italia, Vuelta a España
1	120	100
2	50	40
3	25	20

### Wearing the race leader's jersey in a UCI WorldTour event (per stage)

Position	Tour de France	Giro d'Italia, Vuelta a España	Santos Tour Down Under, Paris - Nice, Tirreno - Adriatico, Critérium du Dauphiné, Tour de Suisse, Tour de Romandie	Vuelta Ciclista al País Vasco, Tour de Pologne, Eneco Tour, Volta Ciclista a Catalunya	Tour of Qatar, Abu Dhabi Tour, Dwars door Vlaanderen / A travers les Flandres, Presidential Cycling Tour of Turkey, Amgen Tour of California, Gree – Tour of Guangxi
1	25	20	10	8	6

### Final results in continental calendar events

Position	Hors Classe	Classe 1	Classe 2	1.2U et 2.2U	Ncup Tour de l'Avenir	Ncup
1	200	125	40	30	140	70
2	150	85	30	25	110	55
3	125	70	25	20	80	40
4	100	60	20	15	60	30
5	85	50	15	10	50	25
6	70	40	10	5	40	20



7	60	35	5	3	30	15
8	50	30	3	1	20	10
9	40	25	3	1	10	5
10	35	20	3	1	6	3
11	30	15			3	
12	25	10			3	
13	20	5			3	
14	15	5			3	
15	10	5			3	
16	5	3			1	
17	5	3			1	
18	5	3			1	
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36	3					
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**Prologue, stages and half-stages in continental calendar events**

Position	Hors Classe	Classe 1	Classe 2	<del>1.2U</del> et 2.2U	Ncup Tour de l'Avenir	Ncup
1	20	14	7	5	15	12
2	10	5	3	1	9	8

3	5	3	1		5	4
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### Wearing the race leader's jersey in a continental calendar event (per stage)

Position	Hors Classe	Classe 1	Classe 2	<del>1.2U</del> et 2.2U	Ncup Tour de l'Avenir	Ncup
1	5	3	1	1	2	1

### Results of national and continental championships and continental games \*\*

Position	National championships				Continental championships and continental games **		Continental championships	
	Road Race A*	Road Race B*	Time Trial A*	Time Trial B*	Road Race Elite	Time Trial Elite	Road Race U23	Time Trial U23
1	70	30	30	15	250	70	70	25
2	55	25	25	10	200	55	55	20
3	40	20	20	5	150	40	40	15
4	30	15	15	3	125	30	30	10
5	25	10	10	1	100	25	25	5
6	20	5	5		85	20	20	3
7	15	3	3		70	15	15	
8	10	1	1		60	10	10	
9	5	1	1		50	5	5	
10	3	1	1		40	3	3	
11					30			
12					25			
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16					5			
17					5			
18					5			
19					3			
20					3			

\* Category A corresponds to the championships of nations that qualified at least one rider for the road race of the UCI Road World Championships in the previous season. Category B corresponds to the championships of all nations not included in Category A.

\*\* The UCI Management Committee will annually determine which continental games will receive points.

Where elite and under 23 men compete in their national championships in the same event, points shall be awarded according to their position in the event classification.

If a national federation organises a separate event for the under 23 category, no UCI points shall be awarded for that event.

Where elite and under 23 men compete in their continental championships in the same event, points shall be awarded according to the elite points scale.

Where the title of national champion is contested at an international event, the riders, regardless of their nationality, shall be awarded the points relative to their position in the classification of that event.

#### Final results in the Olympic Games and UCI Road World Championships

Position	Olympic Games and World Championships		World Championships	
	Eite Road Race	Elite Time Trial	U23 Road Race	U23 Time Trial
1	600	350	200	125
2	475	250	150	85
3	400	200	125	70
4	325	150	100	60
5	275	125	85	50
6	225	100	70	40
7	175	85	60	35
8	150	70	50	30
9	125	60	40	25
10	100	50	35	20
11	85	40	30	15
12	70	30	25	10
13	60	25	20	5
14	50	20	15	5
15	40	15	10	5
16	35	10	5	3
17	30	5	5	3
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57	3			
58	3			
59	3			
60	3			

*(article introduced on 1.01.16; modified on 1.01.17)*

## § 2 Elite Women's Rankings

### Team ranking

**2.10.014** The ranking of UCI women's teams shall be obtained by adding together the points of their 4 best placed riders in the individual ranking as well as points obtained in the UCI team time trial world championships.

### **Special provision for riders transferred during the course of a season**

Points obtained until the date of the transfer, by a rider transferred during the season, are added to the points of the former team if this amount of points would allow this rider to be ranked within the 4 best placed riders of the former team in the individual ranking; points obtained from the date of the transfer, by a rider transferred during the season, are added to the points of the new team if this amount of points would allow this rider to be ranked within the 4 best placed riders of the new team in the individual ranking.

### **Special provision concerning trainees**

During his training period a trainee is still considered as a member of his regular team with regards to rankings. Points potentially obtained by the trainee during the training period, shall in no instance be added to the points of the host team.

Ties between teams shall be resolved by counting the greatest number of 1<sup>st</sup> places, 2<sup>nd</sup> places etc. on the (final general) classification (on time) of their best 4 riders on the individual elite women's ranking during races run in the course of the last year.

*(text modified on 1.07.12; 1.01.17).*

## **2.10.017 Points scale Women Elite**

### **General provisions**

Points awarded for stages shall be recorded on the last day of the event.

For team time trial events and stages the points on the scale shall be awarded to the team. These points shall be divided equally between the riders ~~finishing the event or the stage counting for the team ranking. All additional riders arriving at the same time shall receive an equal number of points to those of their classified team-mates.~~ Calculations shall be ~~rounded up to the highest full made to one hundredth of a point.~~

*(text modified on 1.01.06; 1.01.09; 1.07.12; 1.09.12; 1.10.13; 1.01.15; 1.01.16; 1.01.17).*

## **§ 3 Elite and Under 23 men's Continental Rankings**

### **Team ranking**

**2.10.025** The ranking of UCI continental teams and UCI professional continental teams shall be drawn up at least once a week by adding the points of their 8 best placed riders in the individual continental ranking as well as points obtained in the UCI team time trial world championships in the current season.

### **Special provision for riders transferred during the course of a season**

Points obtained until the date of the transfer, by a rider transferred during the season, are added to the points of the former team if this amount of points would allow this rider to be ranked within the 8 best placed riders of the former team in the individual ranking; points obtained from the date of the transfer, by a rider transferred during the season, are added to the points of the new team if this amount of points would allow

this rider to be ranked within the 8 best placed riders of the new team in the individual ranking.

### Special provision concerning trainees

During his training period, regarding rankings, a trainee is still considered as a member of his usual team. Points potentially obtained by the trainee during the training period, shall in no instance be added to the points of the host team.

Ties between UCI continental teams and UCI professional continental teams shall be resolved by counting the greatest number of 1<sup>st</sup> places on the (final general) classification (on time) of their best 8 riders on the individual continental ranking during races run in the course of the last year. If there is still a tie between teams, it will be resolved by the greatest number of 2<sup>nd</sup> places, then 3<sup>rd</sup> places, etc.

*(text modified on 1.07.12; 1.01.16; 1.01.17).*

## 2.10.031 Points scale

### General provisions

Points awarded for stages shall be recorded on the last day of the event.

For team time trial events and stages the points on the scale shall be awarded to the team. These points shall be divided equally between the riders finishing the event or the stage counting for the team ranking. ~~All additional riders arriving at the same time shall receive an equal number of points to those of their classified team-mates.~~ Calculations shall be rounded up to the highest full made to one hundredth of a point.

### Final results of events on continental calendars

Position	Hors Classe	Classe 1	Classe 2	1.2U et 2.2U	Ncup Tour de l'Avenir	Ncup
1	200	125	40	30	140	70
2	150	85	30	25	110	55
3	125	70	25	20	80	40
4	100	60	20	15	60	30
5	85	50	15	10	50	25
6	70	40	10	5	40	20
7	60	35	5	3	30	15
8	50	30	3	1	20	10
9	40	25	3	1	10	5
10	35	20	3	1	6	3
11	30	15			3	
12	25	10			3	
13	20	5			3	
14	15	5			3	
15	10	5			3	
16	5	3			1	
17	5	3			1	

18	5	3			1	
19	5	3			1	
20	5	3			1	
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#### Results of prologue, stages and half-stages of events on continental calendars

Position	Hors Classe	Classe 1	Classe 2	1.2U et 2.2U	Ncup Tour de l'Avenir	Ncup
1	20	14	7	5	15	12
2	10	5	3	1	9	8
3	5	3	1		5	4

#### Wearing the race leader's jersey of an event on the continental calendar (per day)

Position	Hors Classe	Classe 1	Classe 2	1.2U et 2.2U	Ncup Tour de l'Avenir	Ncup
1	5	3	1	1	2	1

**Final results of national and continental championships and continental games\*\***

Position	National championships				Continental games and continental championships **		Continental championships	
	Road Race A*	Road Race B*	Time Trial A*	Time Trial B*	Road Race Elite	Time Trial Elite	Road Race U23	Time Trial U23
1	70	30	30	15	250	70	70	25
2	55	25	25	10	200	55	55	20
3	40	20	20	5	150	40	40	15
4	30	15	15	3	125	30	30	10
5	25	10	10	1	100	25	25	5
6	20	5	5		85	20	20	3
7	15	3	3		70	15	15	
8	10	1	1		60	10	10	
9	5	1	1		50	5	5	
10	3	1	1		40	3	3	
11					30			
12					25			
13					20			
14					15			
15					10			
16					5			
17					5			
18					5			
19					3			
20					3			

\* Category A corresponds to the championships of nations that qualified at least one rider for the road race of the elite UCI Road World Championships in the previous season. Category B corresponds to the championships of all nations not included in Category A.

\*\* The UCI Management Committee will annually determine which continental games will receive points.

Where elite and under 23 men compete in the national championships in the same event, points shall be awarded according to their position in the event classification.

If a national federation organises a separate event for the under 23 category, no UCI points shall be awarded for that event.

Where elite and under 23 men compete in their continental championships at the same event, points shall be awarded according to their position in the classification of the elite race.



Where the title of national champion is contested at an international event, the riders, regardless of their nationality, shall be awarded the points relative to their position in the classification of that event.

### Final results of Olympic Games and UCI Road World Championships

Position	Olympic Games and UCI Road World Championships		UCI Road World Championships	
	Road Race Elite	Time Trial Elite	Road Race U23	Time Trial U23
1	600	350	200	125
2	475	250	150	85
3	400	200	125	70
4	325	150	100	60
5	275	125	85	50
6	225	100	70	40
7	175	85	60	35
8	150	70	50	30
9	125	60	40	25
10	100	50	35	20
11	85	40	30	15
12	70	30	25	10
13	60	25	20	5
14	50	20	15	5
15	40	15	10	5
16	35	10	5	3
17	30	5	5	3
18	30	5	5	3
19	30	5	5	3
20	30	5	5	3
21	30		5	
22	20		5	
23	20		5	
24	20		5	
25	20		5	
26	20		5	
27	20		5	
28	20		5	
29	20		5	
30	20		5	
31	20		3	
32	10		3	
33	10		3	
34	10		3	
35	10		3	
36	10		3	

37	10		3	
38	10		3	
39	10		3	
40	10		3	
41	10			
42	10			
43	10			
44	10			
45	10			
46	10			
47	10			
48	10			
49	10			
50	10			
51	5			
52	5			
53	5			
54	5			
55	5			
56	3			
57	3			
58	3			
59	3			
60	3			

**Final result of the Men Elite Team Time Trial of the UCI Road World Championships**

	<i>UCI Road World Championships</i>
<i>Position</i>	<i>Team Time Trial*</i>
<b>1</b>	500
<b>2</b>	400
<b>3</b>	325
<b>4</b>	275
<b>5</b>	225
<b>6</b>	175
<b>7</b>	150
<b>8</b>	125
<b>9</b>	100
<b>10</b>	85
<b>11</b>	70
<b>12</b>	60
<b>13</b>	50
<b>14</b>	50

15	50
16	30
17	30
18	30
19	30
20	30
21	25
22	25
23	25
24	25
25	25

\* The points corresponding to the positions obtained by UCI professional continental and UCI continental teams in the world championships team time trial are added to the continental ranking in which the team scored most points. No individual points are awarded.

(text modified on 1.10.05; 26.01.08; 1.09.12; 1.10.13; 1.05.14; 24.01.15; 1.01.16; 1.01.17)

#### § 4 UCI WorldTour rankings

**2.10.032** The UCI has created an annual UCI WorldTour ranking of riders, ~~and teams and nations~~ taking part in the events of the UCI WorldTour. This ranking is the exclusive property of the UCI.

Only riders being part of a UCI WorldTeam obtain points in UCI WorldTour races.

(text modified on 1.07.10; 01.01.15; 1.01.17)

##### Individual ranking

**2.10.033** Riders score points in the individual ranking in accordance with the scale in article 2.10.039 ~~fixed annually by the Management Committee~~.

Points awarded for stages are counted on the final day of the race.

A rider who, in the course of the year, ceases to be a member of a team which has taken part in one or more UCI WorldTour events during the year in question, shall be withdrawn from the individual ranking.

A rider who takes part in a UCI WorldTour event as a member of a national team shall not receive any points.

(text modified on 1.01.17).

##### Team ranking

**2.10.035** The team ranking is obtained by adding up the points obtained by ~~all the five best~~ riders in the individual ranking.

Further, the UCI WorldTeams obtain points during the UCI team time trial world championships as indicated in the points scale in ~~article 2.10.039 the attachment of this chapter.~~

The ranking of teams in the event of a tie will be determined by the place of their best rider in the individual ranking.

#### **Special provision for riders being transferred during the season**

Points obtained until the date of the transfer, by a rider transferred during the season, are added to the points of the former team ~~if this amount of points would allow this rider to be ranked within the 5 best placed riders of the former team in the individual ranking~~; points obtained from the date of the transfer, by a rider transferred during the season, are added to the points of the new team ~~if this amount of points would allow this rider to be ranked within the 5 best placed riders of the new team in the individual ranking.~~

#### **Special provision concerning trainees**

During his training period, regarding rankings, a trainee is still considered as a member of his usual team. Points potentially obtained by the trainee during the training period, shall in no instance be added to the points of the host team.

*(text modified on 1.09.12; 1.01.17).*

#### **Ranking by nation**

**2.10.036** ~~The ranking by nation shall be drawn up on the basis of the points obtained by the first 5 riders of each nationality in the individual ranking.~~

~~The tiebreaker for equally ranked nations shall be the placing of their best placed rider on the individual ranking.~~

~~[Article abrogated on 1.01.17]~~

#### **Updates**

**2.10.037** Rankings shall be updated the same day after the end of a UCI WorldTour one day race or after the last stage of a stage race ~~as well as after the UCI world championships team time trial.~~

Organisers or national federations must immediately notify the UCI of any facts or decisions which could result in a change to points obtained by any rider or team. Where necessary, rankings will be amended.

*(text modified on 1.07.11; 1.01.17).*

#### **Trophies and prizes**

**2.10.038** The UCI shall award a trophy to the winner of the UCI WorldTour ranking ~~as well as and~~ to the winning team ~~as well as the nation~~. The UCI may award prizes to riders and teams according to their classification, in accordance with such criteria as it may establish.

When necessary, should the ranking be altered, prizes and trophies already awarded shall be returned and handed over to the entitled party.

## 2.10.039 Scale of points ~~for UCI WorldTour events~~

### General provisions

~~For team time trial events and stages the points on the scale shall be awarded to the team. Except for the UCI world championships team time trial, points for team time trial events and stages on the points scale These points shall be divided equally between the riders finishing the event or the stage in order to calculate the individual ranking. Calculations shall be rounded up to the highest full point.~~

### Final results in UCI WorldTour events

Position	Tour de France	Giro d'Italia, La Vuelta ciclista a España	Santos Tour Down Under, Paris - Nice, Tirreno - Adriatico, Milano - Sanremo, Gent – Wevelgem in Flanders Fields, Ronde van Vlaanderen - Tour des Flandres, Paris - Roubaix, Amstel Gold Race, Liège – Bastogne - Liège, Critérium du Dauphiné, Tour de Suisse, Tour de Romandie, Grand Prix Cycliste de Québec, Grand Prix Cycliste de Montréal, Il Lombardia	Record Bank E3 Harelbeke, La Flèche Wallonne, Clasica Ciclista San Sebastian, Cycloclassics Hamburg, Vuelta Ciclista al Pais Vasco, Tour de Pologne, Eneco Tour, Volta Ciclista a Catalunya, Bretagne Classic – Ouest-France	Cadel Evans Great Ocean Road Race, Tour of Qatar, Abu Dhabi Tour, Omloop Het Nieuwsblad Elite, Strade Bianche, Dwars door Vlaanderen / A travers la Flandre, Presidential Cycling Tour of Turkey, Rund um den Finanzplatz Eschborn-Frankfurt, Amgen Tour of California, Prudential RideLondon & Surrey Classic, Gree – Tour of Guangxi
1	1000	850	500	400	300
2	800	680	400	320	250
3	675	575	325	260	215
4	575	460	275	220	175
5	475	380	225	180	120
6	400	320	175	140	115
7	325	260	150	120	95
8	275	220	125	100	75
9	225	180	100	80	60
10	175	140	85	68	50
11	150	120	70	56	40
12	125	100	60	48	35
13	105	84	50	40	30
14	85	68	40	32	25
15	75	60	35	28	20
16	70	56	30	24	20

17	65	52	30	24	20
18	60	48	30	24	20
19	55	44	30	24	20
20	50	40	30	24	20
21	40	32	20	16	12
22	40	32	20	16	12
23	40	32	20	16	12
24	40	32	20	16	12
25	40	32	20	16	12
26	30	24	20	16	12
27	30	24	20	16	12
28	30	24	20	16	12
29	30	24	20	16	12
30	30	24	20	16	12
31	25	20	10	8	5
32	25	20	10	8	5
33	25	20	10	8	5
34	25	20	10	8	5
35	25	20	10	8	5
36	25	20	10	8	5
37	25	20	10	8	5
38	25	20	10	8	5
39	25	20	10	8	5
40	25	20	10	8	5
41	20	16	10	8	5
42	20	16	10	8	5
43	20	16	10	8	5
44	20	16	10	8	5
45	20	16	10	8	5
46	20	16	10	8	5
47	20	16	10	8	5
48	20	16	10	8	5
49	20	16	10	8	5
50	20	16	10	8	5
51	15	12	5	4	2
52	15	12	5	4	2
53	15	12	5	4	2
54	15	12	5	4	2
55	15	12	5	4	2
56	10	8	3	2	1
57	10	8	3	2	1

<b>58</b>	10	8	3	2	1
<b>59</b>	10	8	3	2	1
<b>60</b>	10	8	3	2	1

### Prologue and stages in UCI WorldTour events

Position	Tour de France	Giro d'Italia, Vuelta a España	Santos Tour Down Under, Paris - Nice, Tirreno - Adriatico, Critérium du Dauphiné, Tour de Suisse, Tour de Romandie	Vuelta Ciclista al País Vasco, Tour de Pologne, Eneco Tour, Volta Ciclista a Catalunya	Tour of Qatar, Abu Dhabi Tour, Dwars door Vlaanderen / A travers la Flandre, Presidential Cycling Tour of Turkey, Amgen Tour of California, Gree – Tour of Guangxi
<b>1</b>	120	100	60	50	40
<b>2</b>	50	40	25	20	15
<b>3</b>	25	20	10	8	6
<b>4</b>	15	12			
<b>5</b>	5	4			

### Final position in Grand Tour secondary classifications (points and mountains competitions)

Position	Tour de France	Giro d'Italia, Vuelta a España
<b>1</b>	120	100
<b>2</b>	50	40
<b>3</b>	25	20

### Wearing the race leader's jersey in a UCI WorldTour event (per stage)

Position	Tour de France	Giro d'Italia, Vuelta a España	Santos Tour Down Under, Paris - Nice, Tirreno - Adriatico, Critérium du Dauphiné, Tour de Suisse, Tour de Romandie	Vuelta Ciclista al País Vasco, Tour de Pologne, Eneco Tour, Volta Ciclista a Catalunya	Tour of Qatar, Abu Dhabi Tour, Dwars door Vlaanderen / A travers la Flandre, Presidential Cycling Tour of Turkey, Amgen Tour of California, Gree – Tour of Guangxi
<b>1</b>	25	20	10	8	6

### Position in the UCI team time trial world championships

Position	Team points
<b>1</b>	500
<b>2</b>	400
<b>3</b>	325
<b>4</b>	275
<b>5</b>	225

6	175
7	150
8	125
9	100
10	85
11	70
12	60
13	50
13	50
15	50
16	30
17	30
18	30
19	30
20	30
21	25
22	25
23	25
24	25
25	25

***Points scale UCI team time trial world championships***

<i>Position</i>	<i>Team points</i>
1	200
2	170
3	140
4	130
5	120
6	110
7	100
8	90
9	80
10	70

UCI WorldTeams obtaining a top-10 place are awarded points for the UCI WorldTour team ranking.

Points for the UCI team time trial world championships are awarded to the team. No individual points are awarded.

*(article introduced on 1.09.12; modified on 1.01.15; 1.01.17).*



**Points scale set by the management committee for 2016 pursuant to Article 2.10.033**

Final classification of the race	Tour de France	Giro d'Italia Vuolta a España	Santos-Tour-Down-Under Paris-Nice Tirreno-Adriatico Milan-Sanremo Ronde-van-Vlaanderen/ Tour-des-Flandres Vuolta-Ciclista-al-Pais Vasco Paris-Roubaix Liège-Bastogne-Liège Tour-de-Romandie Volta-Ciclista-a-Catalunya Critérium-du-Dauphiné Tour-de-Suisse Tour-de-Pologne Eneco-Tour Il-Lombardia	E3-Harelbeke Gent-Wevelgem-in-Flanders-Fields Amstel-Gold-Race La-Flèche-Wallonne Clasica-Ciclista-San-Sebastian Cyclassics-Hamburg Bretagne-Classic—Ouest-France Grand-Prix-Cycliste-de-Québec Grand-Prix-Cycliste-de-Montréal
Individual classification				
1	200	170	100	80
2	150	130	80	60
3	120	100	70	50
4	110	90	60	40
5	100	80	50	30
6	90	70	40	22
7	80	60	30	14
8	70	52	20	10
9	60	44	10	6
10	50	38	4	2
11	40	32		
12	30	26		
13	24	22		
14	20	18		
15	16	14		
16	12	10		
17	10	8		
18	8	6		
19	6	4		
20	4	2		
Stages and Prologue				
1	20	16	6	
2	10	8	4	
3	6	4	2	
4	4	2	1	
5	2	1	1	

*(text modified on 1.07.10; 1.07.12; 24.01.15; 1.01.16)*

## Chapitre XIII UCI WOMEN'S WORLDTOUR

### § 1 UCI Women's WorldTour

#### General observations

- 2.13.003** The organisers of UCI Women's WorldTour events shall act in compliance and fully respect the terms of reference for UCI Women's WorldTour organisers, which, ~~must sign a contract with the UCI, governing,~~ inter alia, govern the audio-visual broadcasting rights, marketing rights and the material organisation of the events.

*(text modified on 1.01.17).*

#### Classifications

- 2.13.006**

[...]

#### Team classification

The team classification shall only include UCI women's teams and national teams.

The team classification is obtained by adding the individual classification points scored by the 4 best placed riders of the team in each race.

#### Special provision for riders being transferred during the season

Points obtained until the date of the transfer, by a rider transferred during the season, are added to the points of the former team if this amount of points would allow this rider to be ranked within the 4 best placed riders of the former team in the individual ranking; points obtained from the date of the transfer, by a rider transferred during the season, are added to the points of the new team if this amount of points would allow this rider to be ranked within the 4 best placed riders of the new team in the individual ranking.

#### Special provision concerning trainees

During his training period, regarding rankings, a trainee is still considered as a member of his usual team. Points potentially obtained by the trainee during the training period, shall in no instance be added to the points of the host team.

[...]

*(article introduced on 1.01.06; article modified on 1.01.17).*

#### Overall classification

- 2.13.010** The UCI awards UCI Women's WorldTour leader's jerseys to the leaders of the individual general classification and best young rider classification. Where applicable, the jersey shall carry the name and/or logo of the sponsor of the UCI Women's WorldTour. Except where article 1.3.055bis, point 5, applies, the jersey must be worn in UCI Women's WorldTour events and in no other event.

If a rider is the leader of both the UCI Women's WorldTour individual classification and best young rider classification, the rider will wear the UCI Women's WorldTour leader's jersey.

The order of priority established in article 1.3.071 must be respected.

*(text modified on 1.01.05; 1.09.05; 1.10.13; 1.01.16; 1.01.17)*

**2.13.015** For races of the UCI Women's WorldTour, a teams' presentation may be organised the day before the race or the first stage (or prologue). This presentation shall be included in the specific regulations for the event and the organiser shall cover any additional subsistence costs that may be incurred in relation to such presentation. Unless the organiser has explicitly agreed otherwise, the presence of all riders and sports directors registered for the race shall be compulsory.

*(article introduced on 1.01.17)*

## Chapter XIV UCI CUPS

### § 2 Nations Cup – Under 23

#### Ranking

#### 2.14.026

[...]

Both the road race and time trial of the continental championships under 23 award points for the nations cup U23 classification according to the following scale:

#### CC Europe RR

Classification	Points
1	10
2	8
3	6
4	5
5	4
6	3
7	2
8	1

#### CC Asia, Africa, America, Oceania RR

Classification	Points
1	8
2	5
3	3
4	1

*(text modified on 1.07.11 ; 1.01.17).*

**2.14.030** The UCI grants a distinctive emblem to riders from the leading nation of the nations' cup **U23** and riders must wear this emblem during **podium ceremonies, according to the UCI's instructions** ~~the event~~.

*(text modified on 1.01.08; 1.01.17).*

### § 3 Men junior nations' cup

#### Classification (Men Junior NCup)

**2.14.040**

[...]

**Both the road race and time trial** of the continental championships junior award points for the men junior nations' cup classification according to the following scale:

#### CC Europe **RR**

Classification	Points
1	10
2	8
3	6
4	5
5	4
6	3
7	2
8	1

#### CC Asia, Africa, America, **Oceania RR**

Classification	Points
1	8
2	5
3	3
4	1

*(text modified on 1.01.08; 1.07.11; 1.08.13 ;1.01.17).*

**2.14.044** The UCI shall award a distinctive mark to the riders of the nation which is leading the men junior nations' cup classification and riders must wear this emblem **during podium ceremonies, according to the UCI's instructions guidelines.** ~~while riding men junior nations cup events but not at any other event.~~

*(text modified on 26.01.08; 1.01.17).*

### § 4 Women junior nations' cup

#### Nations ranking

**2.14.053** Only nations will be ranked in the women junior nations' cup ranking. There is no individual ranking.

The nations ranking is obtained by adding the points scored by the 3 best riders of the nation, ~~enrolled with a national team or a mixed team, in each event. The classification of a rider enrolled with a mixed team shall only be considered for the ranking if the national team is not competing in the same event. The classification of a rider enrolled with a regional team shall not be considered for the ranking.~~

*(text modified on 1.01.17).*

#### 2.14.054 Points scale

[...]

The road race and individual time trial of the women junior continental championships award points towards the women junior nations' cup ranking according to the following scale:

##### CC Europe

Classification	Points
1	10
2	8
3	6
4	5
5	4
6	3
7	2
8	1

##### CC Asia, Africa, America, Oceania

Classification	Points
1	8
2	5
3	3
4	1

- 2.14.057 The UCI shall award a distinctive mark to the riders of the nation which is leading the women junior nations' cup ranking and riders must wear this emblem ~~only while riding women junior nations' cup events.~~ during podium ceremonies, according to the UCI's instructions guidelines.

*(text modified on 1.01.17).*

## Chapter XV UCI WORLDTOUR

### § 4 UCI WorldTeams

#### Participation in events

- 2.15.128 In the event of unjustifiable absence, withdrawal or giving up, the UCI WorldTeam shall be liable to a fine of between CHF 10,000 and 20,000 payable to the UCI

WorldTour's reserve and solidarity fund. For stage races, this fine shall be multiplied by the number of days' racing remaining on the day of absence, withdrawal or giving up.

The UCI may decide not to refer a case of absence, withdrawal or giving up of a UCI WorldTeam to the Disciplinary Commission, in case the two cumulative conditions below are fulfilled:

- The UCI WorldTeam beforehand submitted to the UCI a formal motivated request for absence, withdrawal or giving up following an abnormal situation pertaining to doping;
- The organiser of the UCI WorldTour event has agreed in writing to the absence, withdrawal or giving up of the UCI WorldTeam.

On the third offence committed during the period of validity of the licence, the UCI WorldTeam will further receive a month's suspension; on the fourth offence, the suspension will be for three months.

On the fifth offence committed during the period of validity of the licence, the licence shall be automatically revoked.

*(text modified on 1.01.15; 1.01.17).*

## Chapter XVII WOMEN'S AND CONTINENTAL TEAMS

### § 1 General Conditions

**2.17.004** A continental or women's team will comprise riders who may or may not be professional, in the elite and/or under 23 men's categories for a continental team and elite women's category for a women's team. It must have between 8 and 16 riders.

However, a continental team shall also have the right to add up to 4 riders specialising in other endurance cycling disciplines (cyclo-cross; mountain bike: cross country; track: points race, scratch, pursuit, ~~madison~~, omnium, ~~team pursuit~~) as long as the riders in question are among the top 150 of the ~~last~~ final UCI individual classification ~~of the last season for their specialist discipline in the year before the date of the registration of the team by the national federation.~~

A women's team may also add 4 riders specialising in one of the disciplines listed in the preceding paragraph, as long as the riders in question are among the top 100 of the final UCI individual classification for that discipline.

*(article modified on 1.07.09; 1.07.12; 1.01.17).*

**2.17.005** ~~[abrogated on 1.01.17].~~

~~For continental teams, the majority of the riders must be under the age of 28. However, the national federation may lower this age threshold. This article does not~~

~~apply to women's teams.~~

~~(text modified on 1.10.13).~~

## **§ 2 Requirements imposed on the team by the national federation**

### **Bank guarantee**

**2.17.022** ~~This bank guarantee must be valid from 1st January of the registration year until 31 March of the following year.~~

~~For the first registration year, the guarantee shall be valid from 1 January of the first registration year until 31 March of the following year. From the second registration year, and for the following years, the bank guarantee may stipulate that it may be called upon at the latest as of 1st April of the registration year, including for the sums due in January, February and March. In any case, the bank guarantee shall be valid until 31 March after the registration year covered by the guarantee.~~

~~(text modified on 1.07.10; 1.01.17).~~

## **§ 3 Obligations of the national federation towards the UCI**

**2.17.035** The application for registration must be ~~sent by email (original signed and scanned forms) accompanied by the original annexes~~ as requested by the UCI continental and women's teams registration handbook. ~~Only the forms from the corresponding season's registration handbook are accepted.~~

~~(text modified on 1.07.09; 1.01.17).~~