

INTERNATIONAL SKATING UNION

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Entries ISU Championships 2006

1. SPEED SKATING

a) European Speed Skating Championships 2006

In accordance with Rule 220, paragraph 5 c), the following countries may enter more than 1 competitor:

Ladies

Austria	2 competitors	Poland	2 competitors
Germany	4 competitors	Romania	2 competitors
Italy	2 competitors	Russia	3 competitors
Netherlands	4 competitors	Sweden	2 competitors
Norway	3 competitors		

Men

Belgium	2 competitors	Norway	4 competitors
Finland	2 competitors	Poland	2 competitors
Germany	3 competitors	Russia	3 competitors
Italy	3 competitors	Sweden	2 competitors
Netherlands	4 competitors		

b) World Allround Speed Skating Championships 2006

The entry quotas for the World Allround Speed Skating Championships 2006 will be determined by the results in the regional qualifying events held during the season 2005-2006, in accordance with Rule 220, paragraph 4.

c) World Junior Speed Skating Championships 2006

The entry quotas for the World Junior Speed Skating Championships 2006 are for each ISU Member 3 Ladies and 3 Men, and one substitute per category, in accordance with Rule 220, paragraph 7. For each Member participating in the Team Pursuit event, their team must be selected among this maximum of 4 entered participants.

d) World Sprint Speed Skating Championships 2006

In accordance with Rule 220, paragraph 6, the following countries may enter more than 2 competitors:

Ladies

Belarus	3 competitors	Japan	4 competitors
Canada	4 competitors	Netherlands	4 competitors
China	3 competitors	Republic of Korea	3 competitors
Germany	4 competitors	USA	4 competitors
Italy	3 competitors		

Men

Canada	3 competitors	Norway	3 competitors
China	4 competitors	Republic of Korea	3 competitors
Finland	4 competitors	Russia	3 competitors
Japan	4 competitors	USA	4 competitors
Netherlands	4 competitors		

2. SHORT TRACK SPEED SKATING

a) World Junior Short Track Speed Skating Championships 2006

The entry quota of the World Junior Short Track Speed Skating Championships 2006 will be determined in accordance with Rule 285, paragraph 2.

b) European Short Track Speed Skating Championships 2006

In accordance with Rule 287, paragraph 2, the following Members may enter more than 2 competitors:

Ladies		Men	
Bulgaria	3 competitors	Belgium	3 competitors
France	3 competitors	Germany	3 competitors
Germany	3 competitors	Hungary	3 competitors
Italy	3 competitors	Italy	3 competitors
Russia	3 competitors	Netherlands	3 competitors
		Russia	3 competitors

c) World Short Track Speed Skating Team Championships 2006

The entry quota of the World Short Track Speed Skating Team Championships 2006 will be determined by the World Cup ranking in accordance with Rule 284, paragraph 3. Special attention must be paid to Rule 288, paragraph 3, i.e. participation must be clear before the start of the last World Cup Competition of the season.

d) World Short Track Speed Skating Championships 2006

(i) Individual:

In accordance with Rule 283, paragraph 2, the following Members may enter more than 2 competitors:

Ladies		Men	
Canada	3 competitors	Canada	3 competitors
China	3 competitors	China	3 competitors
Republic of Korea	3 competitors	Japan	3 competitors
		Republic of Korea	3 competitors
		USA	3 competitors

(ii) Relay:

The entry quota for the Relay competitions at the World Short Track Speed Skating Championships 2006 will be determined by the World Cup ranking in accordance with Rule 283, paragraph 2. Special attention must be paid to Rule 288, paragraph 3, i.e. participation must be clear before the start of the last World Cup Competition of the season.

3. FIGURE SKATING

a) European Figure Skating Championships 2006

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 2 and Rule 558, paragraph 2, the following Members shall have the right to enter more than 1 competitor, pair or dance couple:

Ladies		Men	
Azerbaijan	2 competitors	Belgium	2 competitors
Croatia	2 competitors	France	3 competitors
Finland	3 competitors	Germany	2 competitors
Hungary	2 competitors	Romania	2 competitors
Italy	2 competitors	Russia	3 competitors
Russia	3 competitors	Sweden	2 competitors
Switzerland	2 competitors	Switzerland	2 competitors
Ukraine	3 competitors		

Pairs		Ice Dancing	
France	2 pairs	Azerbaijan	2 couples
Germany	3 pairs	France	2 couples
Israel	2 pairs	Great Britain	2 couples
Russia	3 pairs	Hungary	2 couples
Slovakia	2 pairs	Israel	2 couples
Ukraine	2 pairs	Italy	2 couples
		Russia	3 couples
		Ukraine	2 couples

b) Four Continents Figure Skating Championships 2006

The entries for the Four Continents Figure Skating Championships 2006 will be according to Rule 378 paragraph 2d) and Rule 558 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 Member Federations, as non-European Federations may participate in the Four Continents Championships:

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

c) World Junior Figure Skating Championships 2006

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 2 and Rule 558, paragraph 2, the following Members shall have the right to enter more than 1 competitor, pair or dance couple:

Ladies

Canada	2 competitors
China	2 competitors
Finland	2 competitors
Georgia	2 competitors
Japan	3 competitors
Republic of Korea	3 competitors
Russia	2 competitors
USA	3 competitors

Men

Canada	2 competitors
China	2 competitors
France	3 competitors
Japan	3 competitors
Russia	2 competitors
USA	3 competitors

Pairs

Russia	3 pairs
Canada	3 pairs
USA	3 pairs
Sweden	2 pairs
China	2 pairs
Ukraine	2 pairs

Ice Dancing

USA	3 couples
Canada	3 couples
Russia	3 couples
Israel	2 couples
Italy	2 couples
Czech Republic	2 couples

For the World Junior Figure Skating Championships all competitors must fulfill the requirements of Rule 108, paragraph 2 c).

d) World Figure Skating Championships 2006

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 2 and Rule 558, paragraph 2 (Regulations 2004), the following Members shall have the right to enter more than 1 competitor, pair or dance couple:

Ladies

Russia	3 competitors
USA	3 competitors
Italy	2 competitors
Japan	3 competitors
Finland	2 competitors
Ukraine	2 competitors
Canada	2 competitors
Hungary	2 competitors

Men

Switzerland	2 competitors
Canada	3 competitors
USA	3 competitors
China	2 competitors
France	2 competitors
Belgium	2 competitors
Russia	2 competitors

Pairs

Russia	3 couples
China	3 couples
Germany	2 couples
Poland	2 couples
Canada	2 couples
Ukraine	2 couples
USA	2 couples

Ice Dancing

Russia	3 couples
USA	3 couples
Ukraine	2 couples
France	2 couples
Bulgaria	2 couples
Israel	2 couples
Italy	2 couples
Canada	2 couples

e) World Synchronized Skating Championships 2006

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

Sweden	2 teams
Finland	2 teams
USA	2 teams
Germany	2 teams
Canada	2 teams

4. ENTRY DEADLINES**a) Speed Skating**

In accordance with Rule 220, paragraphs 8 and 9, the number of competitors and substitutes, if possible with a preliminary list of names, must be entered 18 days before the first day of the Championship. Post entries are not allowed. The ISU Members are seriously requested to enter only that number of skaters that they actually intend to send to the Championships concerned. The names of the competitors and of a corresponding set of substitutes must be communicated to the organizing committee not later than three (3) days before the first day of the Championships.

b) Short Track Speed Skating

In accordance with Rule 282, paragraphs 4 b), c) and e), the number of competitors, substitutes, coaches and team leaders shall be entered at least four weeks before the first day of 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 shall be communicated to the organizing committee at the latest on the fifth day before the first day of the ISU Event concerned. Post Entries are not allowed. The organizing committee will immediately notify the Member concerned that the entry has arrived late and that the entry is therefore not accepted.

c) Single and Pair Skating & Ice Dancing

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 1, Rule 558, paragraph 1, entries by name must reach the ISU Vice President for Figure Skating and the Organizing Committee simultaneously by 21 days before the first day (opening and first draws) of the Championships concerned.

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 4 and Rule 558, paragraph 5, post (late) entries will not be accepted unless preliminary entries have already been made.

d) Synchronized Skating

In accordance with Rule 768, paragraph 1, entries of teams must reach the ISU Vice President for Figure Skating and the Organizing Committee simultaneously by 30 days before the first day (opening and first draws) of the Championships concerned.

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

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