

Qualification Criteria and Event Programme

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Medal Events

Male	Female	Total
119	91	210
Detailed Medal Events List attached at the end of the document		

Athletics Quota

Male	Female	Total
950	450	1400

Allocation of Qualification Slots

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC not to the individual athlete. In case of a Direct Invitation, the slot is allocated to the individual athlete not to the NPC.

Maximum Quota Allocation per NPC

An NPC can be allocated a maximum of forty-eighty (48) male qualification slots and thirty-two (32) female qualification slots. Exceptions may be granted through the Direct Invitation method. If an NPC is unable to use all of the allocated qualification slots in a given gender, the unused slots cannot be transferred to the other gender. They will be reallocated in the respective gender to other NPCs through the Direct Invitation method.

Athlete Eligibility

To be eligible for entry, an athlete must:

- hold an active IPC Athletics License for the 2015 season;
- have achieved at least one (1) BQS performance at an IPC Athletics Recognised Competition (IPC Competition, IPC Sanctioned Competition, or IPC Athletics Approved Competition) for each of their respective medal events between 1 January 2014 and 14 September 2015 in accordance with the Athlete Licensing Programme Policies valid for the 2014-2015 seasons; or
- have been allocated a Direct Invitation or an Universality Wild Card Invitation

To be eligible to enter a relay event, an athlete must:

- Have entered an individual event.

Athletes with International “New”, “Review” and “Confirmed” sport class status are allowed to enter.

Maximum Entry per NPC

An NPC can enter a maximum of three (3) eligible athletes per Individual medal event provided each athlete has achieved at least a BQS performance in that event.

NPCs can enter a maximum of one (1) team in each relay medal event comprising up to six (6) eligible athletes.

NPCs may enter an eligible athlete in an unlimited number of medal events as long as the athlete has achieved at least a BQS performance in each of these events.

In the event that two or more classes in Field Events have to compete combined following the final entry by name and event viability review (e.g., Shot Put F53/54/55), an NPC may not exceed a maximum of five (5) eligible athletes in a combined medal event. However, per each sport class, a maximum of three (3) eligible athletes can be entered.

Event Viability Criteria

A minimum of five (5) athlete entries from three (3) NPCs is necessary to sustain an individual medal event on the programme. A minimum of five (5) entries from five (5) NPCs is necessary to sustain a relay medal event on the programme.

IPC Athletics shall review the event viability following the close of the final entry on 28 September 2015. In the case an event did not meet the above viability criteria by the final entry based on the Classification Hierarchy Table (Rule 9), IPC Athletics reserve the right to combine such event with other event(s) where appropriate and applicable. In such combined field events, the Raza point system may be used to determine the placings. IPC Athletics also reserve the right to either cancel such events or run them as non-medal events.

In the case the entry number of an event dropped below the aforementioned event viability criteria due to withdrawals after 5 October 2015, the event shall still be run as a Medal Event and the medals will be allocated under the 'minus one' rule.

QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated as follows:

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
AQS QUALIFICATION ALLOCATION	Athletes who achieved an AQS performance at an IPC Athletics Recognised Competition between 1 January 2014 and 31 August 2015 will be considered to determine the NPC's AQS	900 Male Slots

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
	<p>Qualification Allocation slots.</p> <p>An NPC may be allocated no more than one (1) qualification slot per athlete even if the athlete has achieved an AQS in multiple medal events.</p> <p>AQS results are only considered under this allocation method from athletes who were licensed at the time they achieved the AQS result and who held an international sport class status 'Confirmed' or 'Review' prior to 1 September 2015.</p> <p>If more athletes have achieved an AQS than the total number of qualification slots available under this method, then the qualification slots will be allocated as follows:</p> <p>Male:</p> $900x (A \div B) = \text{NPC Allocation}$ <p>A – Total number of male athletes with an AQS per NPC</p> <p>B – Total number of male athletes with an AQS</p> <p>Female:</p> $400 x (C \div D) = \text{NPC Allocation}$ <p>C – Total number of female athletes with an AQS per NPC</p> <p>D – Total number of female athletes with an AQS</p> <p>IPC Athletics reserve the right to round up or</p>	<p>400</p> <p>Female slots</p>

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
	<p>down in order to achieve the required allocation of qualification slots per gender. In most instances the allocation figure will be rounded up to the next highest number. However, at IPC Athletics' discretion allocation figures with .49 and below may be rounded down.</p> <p>Any qualification slot not allocated under this method will be distributed through the Direct Invitation method</p>	
UNIVERSIALITY WILD CARD INVITATION	<p>Universality Wild Card will be granted to NPCs who have not been allocated a male and female slot through the AQS Qualification Allocation methods.</p> <p>NPCs will be granted one (1) male and one (1) female Universality Wild Card Invitation slot. This applies equally to a female universality invitation slot from an NPC with one (1) male slot, and vice versa.</p> <p>Entries for wheelchair track events over 400m and ambulant track events over 800m and throwing events shall require approval by IPC Athletics.</p> <p>These slot(s) should be used to ensure the participation of highest ranked athlete(s) from the respective NPC.</p> <p>Any qualification slot not allocated under this method will be distributed through the Direct Invitation method</p>	<p>50 Male Slots</p> <p>50 Female Slots</p>
DIRECT INVITATION	<p>IPC Athletics reserves the right to directly invite athletes under the following criteria.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ To enable the greater representation by nation or region; ▪ To ensure medal events will have sufficient 	<p>Unused slots from above allocation</p>

METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL
	<p>representation for viability;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ To enable greater representation by gender; ▪ To ensure the representation of athletes with a severe disability; ▪ To ensure top athletes that may have not had the opportunity to formally qualify due to extraordinary circumstances. <p>To be considered for a direct invite slot, an athlete must hold an IPC Athletics Athlete License for the 2015 season.</p>	methods

QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

1 January 2014	Start of the qualification period for athletes to achieve AQS and BQS performances.
31 August 2015	End of the period for athletes to achieve AQS performances for consideration by IPC Athletics in calculating the qualification slots allocated through the AQS Qualification Allocation method
7 September 2015	IPC Athletics Open the online entry system and notify NPCs of the allocation of AQS Qualification and Universality Wild Card Allocation slots
14 September 2015	End of the qualification period for athletes to achieve AQS and BQS performances to be eligible to compete. Deadline for NPCs to request in writing for a Direct Invitation slot to IPC Athletics
21 September 2015	Deadline for NPCs to confirm the usage of the qualification slots and the team delegation size via the online entry system.
28 September 2015	Deadline for IPC Athletics to receive Final Entry by Name from NPCs via the online entry system.

DATES / PROCESS OF CONFIRMATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

By 7 September 2015 IPC Athletics will confirm the allocation of qualification slots through AQS Qualification Allocation method.

By 14 September 2015 NPCs shall submit an official request to IPC Athletics if they wish to apply for a Direct Invitation slot.

By 21 September 2015, each NPC must confirm via the online entry system the use of allocated qualification slots and team delegation size. Upon confirmation, it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated qualification slots for the 2015 IPC Athletics World Championships.

By 28 September 2015, each NPC must confirm the final entry by name via the online entry system. Upon receiving the Online Entries Confirmation Form, it is officially declared that the participation of their athletes in the specified event(s).

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS

Any qualification slots that are not used by an NPC may be reallocated through the Direct Invitation allocation method.

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MEN

No.	Event		Eligible Class(es)	AQS	BQS
1	100m	T11	T11	12.00	12.30
2	100m	T12	T12	11.60	11.90
3	100m	T13	T13	11.85	12.00
4	100m	T33	T33	23.00	26.00
5	100m	T34	T34	18.00	20.00
6	100m	T35	T35	14.85	15.60
7	100m	T36	T36	13.50	15.00
8	100m	T37	T37	12.60	13.10
9	100m	T38	T38	12.50	13.00
10	100m	T42	T42	14.20	15.60
11	100m	T44	T43/44	12.25	12.50
12	100m	T47	T45/46/47	11.45	11.70
13	100m	T51	T51	27.00	30.00
14	100m	T52	T52	19.40	21.00
15	100m	T53	T53	16.15	16.65
16	100m	T54	T54	14.90	15.15
17	200m	T11	T11	24.50	26.00
18	200m	T12	T12	23.60	24.20
19	200m	T13	T13	24.20	24.70
20	200m	T34	T33/34	33.00	38.00
21	200m	T35	T35	30.00	32.00
22	200m	T36	T36	28.30	31.00

23	200m	T37	T37	25.50	26.60
24	200m	T38	T38	25.20	27.00
25	200m	T42	T42	30.00	34.00
26	200m	T44	T43/44	24.50	26.00
27	200m	T47	T45/46/47	23.45	24.00
28	200m	T53	T53	29.30	30.40
29	200m	T54	T54	26.20	27.00
30	400m	T11	T11	57.00	59.00
31	400m	T12	T12	53.50	55.00
32	400m	T13	T13	52.80	56.00
33	400m	T20	T20	53.70	55.00
34	400m	T34	T33/34	1:05.00	1:08.00
35	400m	T36	T36	1:05.00	1:10.00
36	400m	T37	T37	1:00.00	1:03.00
37	400m	T38	T38	58.00	1:05.00
38	400m	T44	T43/44	58.00	1:01.00
39	400m	T47	T45/46/47	52.00	54.00
40	400m	T51	T51	1:40.00	1:50.00
41	400m	T52	T52	1:07.00	1:10.00
42	400m	T53	T53	54.00	56.20
43	400m	T54	T54	48.80	50.00
44	800m	T13	T13	2:02.00	2:07.00
45	800m	T34	T33/34	2:00.00	2:10.00
46	800m	T36	T36	2:29.00	2:40.00
47	800m	T38	T37/38	2:18.00	2:25.00
48	800m	T53	T52/53	1:50.00	1:55.00

49	800m	T54	T54	1:38.00	1:40.00
50	1500m	T12	T11*/12	4:20.00	4:27.00
51	1500m	T13	T13	4:12.00	4:20.00
52	1500m	T20	T20	4:06.00	4:12.00
53	1500m	T37	T37	4:45.00	4:55.00
54	1500m	T38	T38	5:00.00	5:10.00
55	1500m	T46	T45/46	4:20.00	4:30.00
56	1500m	T52	T51/52	4:40.00	5:20.00
57	1500m	T54	T53/54	3:04.00	3:09.00
58	5000m	T12	T11*/12	16:15.00	16:40.00
59	5000m	T13	T13	16:00.00	16:35.00
60	5000m	T54	T53/54	10:40.00	10:50.00
61	4x100m	T11-13	T11-13	Nil	Nil
62	4x100m	T42-47	T42-47	Nil	Nil
63	4x400m	T53/54	T53/54	Nil	Nil
64	High Jump	T12	T12	1.60m	1.45m
65	High Jump	T42	T42	1.55m	1.40m
66	High Jump	T44	T44	1.65m	1.50m
67	High Jump	T47	T45/46/47	1.65m	1.50m
68	Long Jump	T11	T11	5.50m	5:20m
69	Long Jump	T12	T12	6.00m	5.80m
70	Long Jump	T13	T13	5.70m	5.50m
71	Long Jump	T20	T20	6.00m	5.70m
72	Long Jump	T36	T36	4.50m	4.00m
73	Long Jump	T37	T37	5.10m	4.50m
74	Long Jump	T38	T38	5.00m	4.40m

75	Long Jump	T42	T42	4.40m	4.20m
76	Long Jump	T44	T43/44	5.70m	5.15m
77	Long Jump	T47	T45/46/47	6.20m	6.00m
78	Triple Jump	T47	T45/46/47	12.50m	11.50m
79	Club Throw	F32	F31/32	24.00m	18.00m
80	Club Throw	F51	F51	19.00m	17.00m
81	Discus Throw	F11	F11	29.50m	27.00m
82	Discus Throw	F12	F12	33.00m	30.00m
83	Discus Throw	F34	F33/34	24.00m	19.00m
84	Discus Throw	F37	F37	40.00m	37.00m
85	Discus Throw	F42	F42	38.00m	33.00m
86	Discus Throw	F44	F43/44	44.00m	39.00m
87	Discus Throw	F46	F46	37.00m	35.00m
88	Discus Throw	F52	F51/52	12.00m	10.00m
89	Discus Throw	F56	F54/55/56	30.00m	29.00m
90	Discus Throw	F57	F57	38.00m	35.00m
91	Javelin Throw	F11	F11	31.00m	28.00m
92	Javelin Throw	F13	F12*/13	45.00m	40.00m
93	Javelin Throw	F34	F33/34	23.50m	14.00m
94	Javelin Throw	F37	F37	33.00m	29.00m
95	Javelin Throw	F38	F38	35.00m	30.00m
96	Javelin Throw	F41	F40/41	30.00m	26.00m
97	Javelin Throw	F42	F42	37.00m	33.00m
98	Javelin Throw	F44	F43/44	42.00m	40.00m
99	Javelin Throw	F46	F46	39.00m	35.00m
100	Javelin Throw	F54	F53/54	20.00m	17.00m

101	Javelin Throw	F55	F55	22.00m	19.00m
102	Javelin Throw	F57	F56/57	31.00m	27.00m
103	Shot Put	F12	F11*/12	11.50m	10.70m
104	Shot Put	F20	F20	11.50m	10.50m
105	Shot Put	F32	F32	6.50m	5.00m
106	Shot Put	F33	F33	7.00m	6.00m
107	Shot Put	F34	F34	8.00m	7.00m
108	Shot Put	F35	F35	9.00m	8.00m
109	Shot Put	F36	F36	9.50m	8.50m
110	Shot Put	F37	F37	11.50m	10.00m
111	Shot Put	F38	F38	10.00m	9.00m
112	Shot Put	F40	F40	7.00m	6.00m
113	Shot Put	F41	F41	9.00m	8.00m
114	Shot Put	F42	F42	11.20m	9.50m
115	Shot Put	F44	F44	11.50m	10.50m
116	Shot Put	F46	F46	11.50m	11.00m
117	Shot Put	F53	F53	5.80m	5.00m
118	Shot Put	F55	F54/55	9.00m	8.50m
119	Shot Put	F57	F56/57	11.20m	10.50m

* Eligible class(es) shall compete under the rules of its own class

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WOMEN

No.	Event		Eligible Class(es)	AQS	BQS
1	100m	T11	T11	14.00	15.00
2	100m	T12	T12	13.50	14.30
3	100m	T13	T13	13.50	14.20
4	100m	T33	T33	27.00	30.00
5	100m	T34	T34	21.50	25.00
6	100m	T35	T35	18.80	20.50
7	100m	T36	T36	16.80	18.00
8	100m	T37	T37	15.40	16.00
9	100m	T38	T38	15.00	15.80
10	100m	T42	T42	18.50	20.00
11	100m	T44	T43/44	15.10	16.00
12	100m	T47	T45/46/47	13.60	14.60
13	100m	T51	T51	32.00	35.00
14	100m	T52	T52	25.00	28.00
15	100m	T53	T53	19.30	20.30
16	100m	T54	T54	18.10	18.90
17	200m	T11	T11	28.80	31.00
18	200m	T12	T12	27.80	30.00
19	200m	T13	T13	29.60	33.00
20	200m	T34	T34	39.00	43.00
21	200m	T35	T35	40.00	44.00
22	200m	T36	T36	36.00	38.00

23	200m	T37	T37	32.00	34.00
24	200m	T38	T38	32.00	33.60
25	200m	T44	T43/44	31.50	33.00
26	200m	T52	T51/52	46.00	48.00
27	200m	T53	T53	35.00	37.00
28	200m	T54	T54	32.00	34.00
29	400m	T11	T11	1:11.00	1:15.00
30	400m	T12	T12	1:05.00	1:12.00
31	400m	T13	T13	1:04.00	1:10.00
32	400m	T20	T20	1:04.90	1:10.00
33	400m	T37	T37	1:13.20	1:20.00
34	400m	T38	T38	1:10.00	1:19.00
35	400m	T44	T43/44	1:20.00	1:30.00
36	400m	T47	T45/46/47	1:08.00	1:15.00
37	400m	T52	T51/52	1:20.00	1:30.00
38	400m	T53	T53	1:04.00	1:10.00
39	400m	T54	T54	1:01.00	1:05.00
40	800m	T11	T11	3:15.00	3:25.00
41	800m	T34	T33/34	2:25.00	2:50.00
42	800m	T53	T52/53	2:10.00	2:30.00
43	800m	T54	T54	2:02.00	2:10.00
44	1500m	T11	T11	6:00.00	6:20.00
45	1500m	T13	T12*/13	5:00.00	5:35.00
46	1500m	T20	T20	5:05.00	5:20.00
47	1500m	T46	T45/46	5:20.00	5:40.00
48	1500m	T54	T53/54	3:45:00	4:00.00

49	5000m	T54	T53/54	13:00.00	14:00.00
50	4x100m	T11-13	T11-13	Nil	Nil
51	4x100m	T35-38	T35-38	Nil	Nil
52	4x400m	T53/54	T53/54	Nil	Nil
53	Long Jump	T11	T11	3.90m	3.40m
54	Long Jump	T12	T12	4.40m	3.70m
55	Long Jump	T20	T20	4.50m	4.30m
56	Long Jump	T37	T37	3.85m	3.50m
57	Long Jump	T38	T38	3.90m	3.60m
58	Long Jump	T42	T42	3.00m	2.80m
59	Long Jump	T44	T43/44	4.30m	3.80m
60	Long Jump	T47	T45/46/47	4.40m	4.00m
61	Club Throw	F32	F31/32	14.50m	13.00m
62	Club Throw	F51	F51	10.00m	8.00m
63	Discus Throw	F11	F11	20.00m	18.00m
64	Discus Throw	F12	F12	25.00m	22.00m
65	Discus Throw	F38	F37/38	22.00m	18.00m
66	Discus Throw	F41	F40/41	19.00m	15.00m
67	Discus Throw	F44	F43/44	22.00m	18.00m
68	Discus Throw	F52	F51/52	6.00m	5.00m
69	Discus Throw	F55	F54/55	15.00m	13.00m
70	Discus Throw	F57	F56/57	21.00m	19.00m
71	Javelin Throw	F11	F11	13.00m	10.00m
72	Javelin Throw	F13	F12*/13	21.00m	15.00m
73	Javelin Throw	F34	F34	13.00m	11.50m
74	Javelin Throw	F37	F37	20.00m	17.00m

75	Javelin Throw	F46	F45/46	22.00m	18.00m
76	Javelin Throw	F54	F53/54	11.00m	10.00m
77	Javelin Throw	F56	F55/56	13.50m	12.00m
78	Shot Put	F12	F11*/12	9.00m	8.00m
79	Shot Put	F20	F20	10.50m	9.50m
80	Shot Put	F32	F32	3.30m	2.80m
81	Shot Put	F33	F33	3.90m	3.50m
82	Shot Put	F34	F34	5.80m	5.20m
83	Shot Put	F35	F35	7.00m	6.00m
84	Shot Put	F36	F36	6.40m	5.50m
85	Shot Put	F37	F37	8.50m	7.50m
86	Shot Put	F40	F40	5.00m	3.50m
87	Shot Put	F41	F41	6.00m	5.00m
88	Shot Put	F44	F43/44	8.00m	6.80m
89	Shot Put	F53	F53	3.30m	2.70m
90	Shot Put	F55	F54/55	6.00m	5.50m
91	Shot Put	F57	F56/57	7.50m	7.00m

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