

Dynamic New Athletics 'How It Works'

European Athletics, Lausanne, April 2019



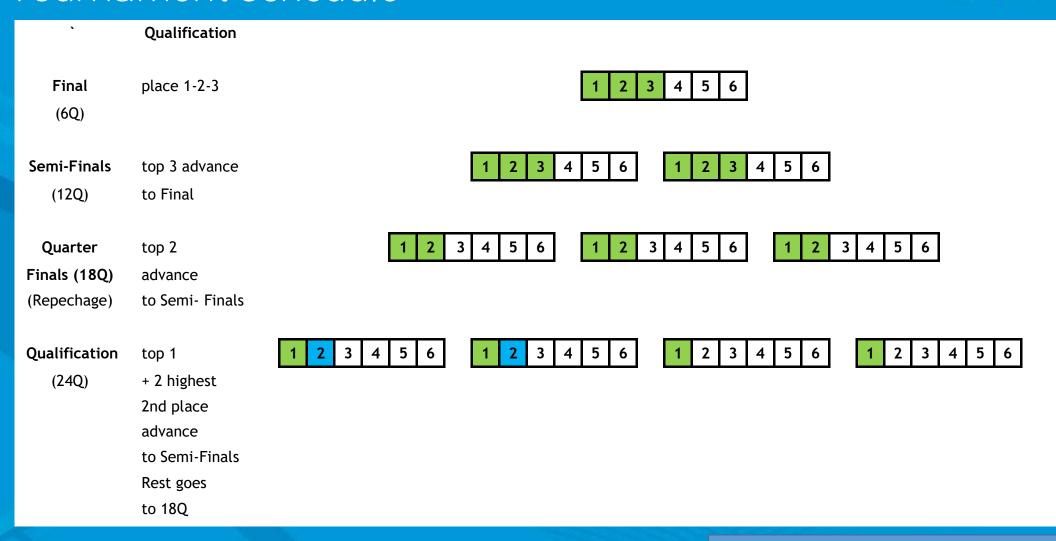
24 teams confirmed from ETCH 2017 for EG19

1 GER	7 CZE	13 POR	19 EST
2 POL	8 GRE	14 ROU	20 BUL
3 FRA	9 SUI	15 IRL	21 DEN
4 ESP	10 BLR	16 HUN	22 SLO
5 UKR	11 RUS*	17 SVK	23 LAT
6 ITA	12 TUR	18 LTU	24 CYP

^{*}Russian athletes must be Authorised Neutral Athlete (ANA) eligible by IAAF

Tournament Schedule





Best 2nd team is selected according to highest number of points after 8 events

Tournament Schedule for European Games 2019





24 June 2019	
REST DAY	



		26 June 2019	
17:40-	17:40-19:40	Match 1	
	22:00		
		20:00-22:00	Match 2

27 June 2019
REST DAY

	28 June 2019		
Final	18:00-20:00	18:00-20:00	FINAL

Draw



ATHLETICS



Official draw of the matches for Qualification Round 23 June

Match 1	Match 2	Match 3	Match 4
GER	FRA	POL	ESP
GRE	ITA	CZE	UKR
SUI	RUS	BLR	TUR
HUN	ROU	IRL	POR
SVK	EST	LTU	BUL
CYP	SLO	LAT	DEN

23 June 2019			
12:00 - 14:00	Match 1		
14:20 - 16:20	Match 2		
17:40 - 19:40	Match 3		
20:00 - 22:00	Match 4		





6 national teams per match

- Mixed men and women
- Up to 21 athletes in each team, incl. reserves
- Focus on team tactics and strategy

Maximum 120 minutes

- Fast paced sequence of events
- Only one event at a time

9 events in total

- Focus on run, jump and throw
- New formats plus traditional formats presented in a new way
- 8 events for IAAF standards

Simple scoring system with a grand finale crowning the winner

- The last event will determine the winner of the match
- Everything counts
- Points ranging from 2 to 12: 12 points 1st place, 2 points 6th place



Overview of the events

6 Track Events

- 100m men & women
- 100m hurdles women & 110m hurdles men
- Mixed 4x400 relay: 2 men, 2 women, teams decide order (and can change during the race)
- The Hunt Pursuit relay: short-middlelong sprint, 2 men, 2 women, fixed order

6 men + 6 women

3 Field Events

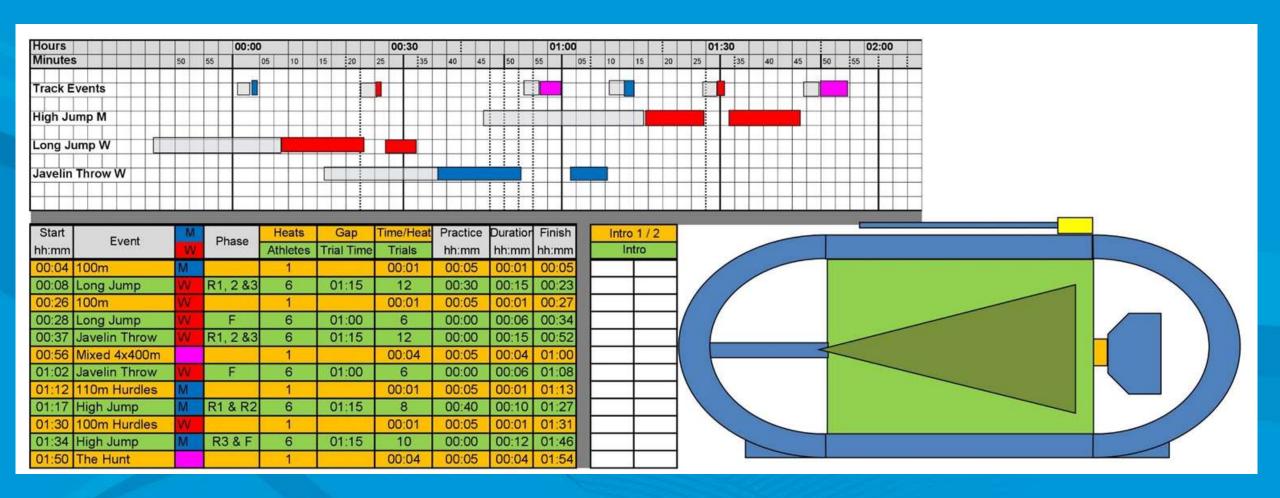
- Long jump women
- Javelin throw women
- High jump men (no fixed heights.
 Each competitor sets his own height per round without telling his opponent)
- Field events head to head in knock-

2 women + 1 man

8 women + 7 men + 6 reserves = 21 athletes in total



All fits into 120 minutes





Mixed 4x400m relay

- Each team is to be composed of two men and two women. The running order is decided by the Team.
- Team composition to be announced by the time final declaration
- Running order can be changed for 2nd, 3rd and 4th leg during the race
- IAAF rule 170.20 shall be strictly applied but the waiting athlete has to take his/her position (at the latest) as the previous runner enters the home straight



Field events head to head system

Excitement through knock-out competition

- Two groups with three athletes in three rounds
- Jumping order and group composition by zig-zag according to SB
- Head to head: 3 "spikes" win, 1 for tie, 0 for lost or foul
- Knock-out
 - Qualification round robin
 - Ties in qualification decided by best performance according to IAAF rules
 - Final round by standing after qualification round
 - Final round order by comparison of the two athletes after qualification

Point allocation based on final round (0-12)

Stage	Round	Group A	Group B
, de	1	A1 vs A2	B1 vs B2
"Group stage"	2	A2 vs A3	B2 vs B3
"Gr	3	A3 vs A1	B3 vs B1
"Final stage"	5th place	3rd Group A vs 3rd Group B	
	3rd place	2nd Group A vs 2nd Group B	
	1st place	1st Group A vs 1st Group B	

Note: if NM for all three attempts - no points for the team



The scoring in 8 events and final race

First 8 events – points per team

- Long Jump women: 0-12 points
- 100m men: 0-12 points
- Javelin Throw women: 0-12 points
- 100m women: 0-12 points
- Mixed 4x400: 0-12 points
- 110m H men: 0-12 points
- High Jump men: 0-12 points
- 100m H women: 0-12 points

Teams can collect between 0 to 96 points to determine start position for last event

Last event - The Hunt crowning the winner

 Overall winner and final ranking will be based on finishing order of the Hunt



The Hunt - final pursuit race

The winner takes it all

- Final event
- 2 men, 2 women
- Relay with fixed distances: 800m (men) 600m (women) 400m (men) 200m (women)
- Time penalty (based on Gundersen method):
 - Starting position determined by ranking after eight events.
 - Point differences are converted into seconds penalising lower ranked teams (e.g. 2nd placed team starts 5 seconds after the 1st placed team)
 - 1 point equals 0.333 seconds of time penalty
- Handover after each distance
- Whoever crosses the finish line first is the overall winner of the event

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LANE 1	LANE 2	LANE 3
0:00		
	0:05	
		0:13



