



2017 General race parameters

20-21.05.2017 - Aalter (BEL)

08-09.07.2017 - Vöcklabruck (AUT)

29-30.07.2017 – Les Menuires (FRA)

26-27.08.2017 - Albertville (FRA)

23-24.09.2017 - Antwerp (BEL)

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1. CATEGORIES

Participation in races is organised on the basis of the age categories set out below:

CATEGORY	CATEGORIES	AGE	COURSE
Men Elite 20"	Combined Men Elite, Juniors and 2 nd year of Cadets	16 years and up	Red
Men Elite 26"	Combined Men Elite, Juniors and 2 nd year of Cadets	16 years and up	Yellow
Women Elite	Women Elite	15 years and up	Pink

Categories depend on age. The age class a rider is eligible to ride is determined by his/her age which shall be calculated by deducting the year of birth from the current year.

2. REGISTRATIONS AND CONFIRMATION OF RIDERS

All riders must be registered using the UCI online registration system (www.uci.ch) through their national federation. The opening/closing dates of the online registration system are indicated hereafter and published on the UCI website.

DATES	VENUE	COUNTRY	REGISTRATION OPENING at 12:00 CET	REGISTRATION DEADLINE at 12:00 CET	ENTRIES LIST PUBLICATION	RANKING PUBLICATION
20-21.05.2017	Aalter	BEL	27.04.2017	11.05.2017	12.05.2017	23.05.2017
08-09.07.2017	Vöcklabruck	AUT	15.06.2017	29.06.2017	30.06.2017	11.07.2017
29-30.07.2017	Les Menuires	FRA	06.07.2017	20.07.2017	21.07.2017	01.08.2017
26-27.08.2017	Albertville	FRA	03.08.2017	17.08.2017	18.08.2017	29.08.2017
23-24.09.2017	Antwerp	BEL	31.08.2017	14.09.2017	15.09.2017	26.09.2017

To register riders, please use your federation's personal login name and password (the same is used for all cycling disciplines or as communicated separately). The UCI registration system can be accessed here: <http://regonline.uci.ch>

A rider cannot be register in more than one category.

Late entries are refused unless authorised by the UCI, and on payment of a fine of CHF 100 for the first rider. Where more than one rider per national federation is involved, a total fine of CHF 200 must be paid. Late entries are entries handled after the online registration deadline and before the riders' confirmation deadline. Once passed the riders' confirmation deadline no more late entries will be accepted.

All riders or their team managers must attend the riders' confirmation presenting their licenses and picking up their race numbers. The riders confirmation deadlines are indicated on the official schedule published on the UCI website. Riders not being confirmed before the indicated deadline did not complete the registration procedure and will not be able to compete at the event.

3. ON FOOT INSPECTION

At each event riders have the right to do the on foot sections inspection on a specific period of time; these periods are indicated on each **2017 UCI Trials World Cup** schedule published on the UCI website.

4. COMPETITION FORMAT

4.1. WOMEN CATEGORY

In the women's category, each trials world cup race shall include a ½ finals and a final.

4.1.1. ½ FINALS

The trials world cup event will begin with a ½ finals. The world cup ½ finals is open to all riders entered. The ½ finals shall consist of two laps of five sections. The commissaires' panel will set the competition time according to the number of entered riders.

4.1.2. FINAL

The best six riders in the ½ finals will be eligible to compete in the final. The penalty points obtained in the ½ finals do not count in the final. In case of a tie, the penalty points obtained in the ½ finals will act as a tiebreaker.

4.2. MEN CATEGORY

In the men's categories, each trials world cup race shall include a ¼ finals, a ½ finals and a final.

4.2.1. ¼ FINALS

The trials world cup event will begin with a ¼ finals. The world cup ¼ finals is open to all non-qualified riders entered. The ¼ finals shall consist of two laps of five sections. The commissaires' panel will set the competition time according to the number of entered riders.

The Men Elite ¼ finals will be set in groups:

- Groups (3 or 4) will be determined depending on the number of riders entered.
- If the number of riders entered is 30 or lower, they will be split in 3 groups.
- If the number of riders entered is more than 30 they will be split in 4 groups.
- Groups will be determined as per riders order in the current UCI ranking, as e.g. group of 10 riders, positions: 11, 15, 19, 23, 27, 31, 35, 39, 43 and 47. (This principle is to avoid having riders ranked in highest position in the same group)
- For 3 groups the best four riders of each group will be eligible to compete in the ½ finals plus the three or more of the lucky losers in overall should be qualified.
- For 4 groups the best three riders of each group will be eligible to compete in the ½ finals plus the three or more of the lucky losers in overall should be qualified.

4.2.2. ½ FINALS

The number of riders qualified in the ½ finals including the top ten is always 25. At least the first fifteen riders in the ¼ finals in each category and the ten highest ranked riders on the UCI ranking qualify for the ½ finals.

More riders can qualify if the number of directly qualified (from the UCI ranking) is less than ten riders.

The ½ finals shall consist of two laps of five sections. The commissaires' panel will set the competition time.

4.2.3. FINAL

The best six riders in the ½ finals will be eligible to compete in the final. The penalty points obtained in the ½ finals do not count in the final.

In case of a tie, the penalty points obtained in the ½ finals will act as a tiebreaker.

4.3. FINAL PROCEDURE

At the Finals round it will be applied the six by six system:

Before the start, the six riders will be presented on the start podium, in inverse order to the position obtained in the ½ Finals round. After the presentation they must go to section one.

The order to start will be determined by the result obtained in the ½ Finals round. Rider that obtained the sixth place shall start first in section one and so on. The same principle applies for the remaining sections.

Once a rider finishes a section, the next rider has maximum thirty seconds to start the section. After this thirty second the section time is running.

In case of slight injury, the other rider must overtake and start the section in front of him/her.

In case of tie, article 7.1.047 shall apply.

4.4. NUMBER OF SECTIONS AND LAPS

The number of sections and laps are indicated below:

ROUND	NUMBER OF SECTIONS	NUMBER OF LAPS
¼ Finals	5	2
½ Finals	5	2
Final	5	1

5. WORLD CUP COMPETITION SCHEDULE

Please find below the schedules of the **2017 UCI Trials World Cup** events:

- 2017 UCI Trials World Cup – Aalter (BEL)
- 2017 UCI Trials World Cup – Vöcklabruck (AUT)
- 2017 UCI Trials World Cup – Les Menuires (FRA)
- 2017 UCI Trials World Cup – Albertville (FRA)
- 2017 UCI Trials World Cup – Antwerp (BEL)

6. RECOGNITION AND AWARDS

Every year the UCI shall bestow upon the first place overall finisher in each competing category, the title of “UCI Trials World Cup winner”.

This title shall remain the property of the UCI and may not be used in conjunction with any product endorsement or for any other commercial purpose without UCI’s prior express consent.

At the UCI Trials World Cup final, the UCI will award the first three positions in each category UCI Trials World Cup trophies.

7. OFFICIAL CEREMONY

The official ceremony takes place immediately after the race.

The following riders must attend:

- the first three riders in the men elite 20, men elite 26 and women elite events;
- the leaders of the men elite 20, men elite 26 and women elite world cup standings after the event in question.

Bicycles cannot be taken onto the podium. However, an area can be provided by the organizer in front of the podium to display the bicycle of the winner during the official ceremony.

8. WORLD CUP PRIZE MONEY

The payment of the prize money will be paid out in cash by the Organizer directly after the event; the amount will be paid in Euros.

	Men Elite 26"	Men Elite 20"	Women Elite
Place	Minimum amount Euros (EUR)		
1 st	667,00	667,00	667,00
2 nd	500,00	500,00	500,00
3 rd	334,00	334,00	334,00
4 th	167,00	167,00	167,00
Total	1.668,00	1.668,00	1.668,00

9. LEADER'S JERSEY

The rider leading the world cup standings must wear the leader's jersey in every world cup event concerned, except in the opening event.

The design of the leader's jersey is determined by the UCI and is its exclusive property. It may not be reproduced without UCI authorization. It may not be altered, except as regards the advertising spaces reserved for the wearer's sponsors.

The design of the jersey received at the official ceremony must be respected. For further details, please refer to UCI.

10. WORLD CUP STANDINGS

The world cup standings are drawn up on the basis of the points won by each rider in accordance with the table in article 7.6.006.

The last world cup event of the season will be awarded with double world cup points in accordance with the table in article 7.6.006.

Riders tying on points are ranked by the greatest number of first places, second places, etc. taking account only of places for which points are awarded for the world cup. If they are still tied, the points scored in the most recent event are used to separate them.

11. UCI OFFICIALS

The following officials are appointed by UCI at the **2017 UCI Trials World Cup**:

DATES	VENUE	TECHNICAL DELEGATE	PRESIDENT COMMISSAIRES PANEL	SECRETARY
20-21.05.2017	Aalter	Mr Joel Bourret (FRA)	Mr Thomas Fisch (SUI)	Mr Thomas Callens (FRA)
08-09.07.2017	Vöcklabruck	Mr Peter Fisch (SUI)	Mr Markus Fankhauser (SUI)	Mr Christian Fisch (SUI)
29-30.07.2017	Les Menuires	Mr Joel Bourret (FRA)	Mr Markus Fankhauser (SUI)	Mr Thomas Callens (FRA)
26-27.08.2017	Albertville	Mr Joel Bourret (FRA)	Mr Carles Ferrer (ESP)	Mrs Anaig Perraud (FRA)
23-24.09.2017	Antwerp	Mr Joel Bourret (FRA)	Mr Berend Meyer (GER)	Mr Thomas Callens (FRA)

12. UCI TRIALS RANKING

The selection criteria for the Trials World Cup, is based on the UCI Trials Ranking. [The ranking](#) includes the latest UCI Trials World Cup events as well as the UCI Trials World Championships:

The following points will be awarded in the following classes: Elite Men 20, Elite Men 26 and Elite Women.

Rank	UCI WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS (CM)		UCI WORLD CUP (CDM)	CONTINENTAL CHAMPIONSHIPS (CC)		NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS (CN)		INTERNATIONAL EVENTS	
	Men / Women elite	Men juniors	All classes	Men / Women elite	Men juniors	Men / Women elite	Men juniors	HORS CLASS (HC)	CLASS 1 (C1)
1	300	125	200	100	70	50	25	50	40
2	250	110	160	90	60	40	20	40	30
3	200	105	140	80	50	35	18	35	25
4	180	100	125	70	45	30	16	30	20
5	160	95	110	65	40	28	14	28	19
6	140	90	100	60	38	26	12	26	18
7	130	85	95	58	36	24	10	24	17
8	120	80	90	56	34	22	9	22	16
9	110	75	85	54	32	20	8	20	15
10	100	70	80	52	30	19	6	19	14
11	98	65	75	50	29	18	5	18	13
12	96	64	70	49	28	17	4	17	12
13	94	63	65	48	27	16	3	16	11
14	92	62	64	47	26	15	2	15	10
15	90	61	63	46	25	14	1	14	9
16	88	60	62	45		13		13	8
17	86	59	61	44		12		12	7
18	84	58	60	43		11		11	6
19	83	57	59	42		10		10	5
20	82	56	58	41		9		9	4
21	81	55	57	40					
22	80	54	56						
23	79	53	55						
24	78	52	54						
25	77	51	53						
26	76	50	52						
27	75	49	51						
28	74	48	50						
29	73	47	49						
30	72	46	48						
31	71	45	47						
32	70	44	46						
33	69	43	45						
34	68	42	44						
35	67	41	43						
36	66	40	42						
37	65	39	41						
38	64	38	40						
39	63	37	39						
40	62	36	38						
41	61	35	37						
42	60	34	36						
43	59	32	35						
44	58	31	34						
45	57	30	33						
46	56	29	32						
47	55	28	30						
48	54	27	29						
49	53	26	28						
50	52	25	26						

13. USEFUL ADDRESSES AND INFORMATION

13.1. ORGANISATION CONTACTS

Please find below more information concerning the **2017 UCI Trials World Cup** events:

DATES	VENUE	EVENT VENUE	EVENT WEBSITE
20-21.05.2017	Aalter (BEL)	Europalaan 22, 9880 Aalter 51°05'14.5"N 3°26'40.3"E	http://www.worldcuptrial.com
08-09.07.2017	Vöcklabruck (AUT)	Stadtspark 48°00'40.9"N 13°39'11.4"E	http://www.trialsworldcup.at/en
29-30.07.2017	Les Menuires (FRA)	La Croisette 45°19'23.6"N 6°32'16.6"E	http://www.trialsworldcup.com
26-27.08.2017	Albertville (FRA)	Place de l'Europe - Esplanade Hôtel de Ville 45°40'35.5"N 6°23'31.1"E	http://www.trialsworldcup.com
23-24.09.2017	Antwerp (BEL)	Grote Markt square 51°13'17.0"N 4°24'00.9"E	http://www.worldcuptrial.com

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