

Rules Amendments applying on 08.02.2021

PART 8 INDOOR CYCLING - CYCLE BALL

Chapter XII UCI Cycle-ball World Cup

- **8.12.001** The UCI Cycle-ball World Cup shall be the exclusive property of the UCI.
- **8.12.002** The UCI Cycle-ball World Cup is contested over a maximum of 9 events. The last event of the World Cup Series is the World Cup Final.
- **8.12.003** UCI Cycle-ball World Cup events shall be organised in the age-group Elite. The discipline shall be Cycle-ball.

Participation

8.12.004 The eligibility of participation in the preliminaries of the UCI Cycle-ball World Cup depends on the highest ranking of the National Federations in the respective discipline of competition at the recent UCI Indoor Cycling World Championships. The National Federations are entitled to register a maximum number of riders or teams for the UCI Cycle-ball World Cup as follows:

Ranking UCI Indoor Cycling World Championships				
place 1 to 4	place 5	from place 6		
Maximum number of teams				
3	2	1		

If the maximum entries are not fully used by the eligible National Federations, other National Federations that have no or only one entry may register for the available entries. In this case a National Federation may only get a maximum of 2 entries per discipline. The application for additional entries is made by the registration for the respective preliminary round.

The allocation of the additional entries is as follows:

- 1) National Federations which do not have a regular entry in the corresponding discipline will be considered with one entry first.
- 2) Then all National Federations with one regular entry will receive one additional entry.
- 3) Then National Federations from 1) can get a second entry.
- 4) If there are more registrations than there are additional entries available, the date of receipt of the registration is decisive.

8.12.005 Final

Teams who achieve place 1 to 8 in the World Cup rankings after the preliminary rounds are qualified for the UCI Cycle-ball World Cup Final. The organizer of the Final gets one wild card and the best ranked Asian team qualifies for the Final as well.

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8.12.006 The registration procedure for the riders and teams shall be fulfilled by the National Federations as requested by the UCI.

World Cup rankings

- **8.12.007** The World Cup rankings are drawn up based on the points won by each team in accordance with the table in article 8.10.006.
- **8.12.008** In the event of a tie-on points, the ranking of teams shall be determined based on the individual ranking obtained at World Cup events.

In the event of a tie of points and same individual rankings the individual ranking of a UCI World Cup round that both teams competet at decides over the overall ranking.

Organisation

8.12.009 The commissaires' panel shall comprise 4 UCI International Commissaires. At the UCI Cycle-ball World Cup Final one additional UCI International Commissaire shall be appointed.

Leader's jersey

8.12.010 The UCI shall award a leader's jersey at each event of the series.

The leader's jersey may only be worn at UCI Cycle-ball World Cup events, and in no other event.

The colors of the leader's jerseys are determined by the UCI as well as other details regulated in article 1.3.055 bis.

Tournament mode

8.12.011 At a UCI Cycle-ball World Cup event 10 teams compete against each other. Each UCI Cycle-ball World Cup event consists of a preliminary round and a final. For the preliminary round the teams are separated in 2 groups, 5 teams each. The ranking in the preliminary round is determined as follows:

The points achieved are decisive for the placement in the preliminary round.

If two or more teams are equal on points, the placement is determined by an internal table of the teams concerned. If in this table points and goals between teams are equal, the placement is decided through penalty kicks. Further details are regulated in articles 8.9.012 to 8.9.014.

Final mode

Game	Team 1	Team 2
Semi-final 1	Winner group 1	Second group 2
Semi-final 2	Second group 1	Winner group 2
Final	Winner Semi-final 1	Winner Semi-final 2
Game for 3 rd	Loser Semi-final 1	Loser Semi-final 2
Game for 5 th	3 rd group 1	3 rd group 2
Game for 7 th	4 th group 1	4 th group 2
Game for 9 th	5 th group 1	5 th group 2

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In case of a draw in the games for the places 1 to 4, a play-off will decide. If the play-off leads to a draw, penalty-kicks follow.

In case of a draw in the games for the places 5 - 10, the teams shoot penalty-kicks.

8.12.012 UCI Cycle-ball World Cup Final

The groups for the preliminary round at the UCI Cycle-ball World Cup Final will be separated according to the current UCI World Cup ranking:

Group I	Group II
Place 1	Place 2
Place 4	Place 3
Place 6	Place 5
Place 8	Place 7
Wild Card participant	Asia representative

If two teams from the same nation qualify for the final, they will be set in different groups.

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