



**TRIALS
WORLD CUP**



2023

COMPETITION GUIDE



Table of contents

1. UCI TRIALS WORLD CUP	2
2. CATEGORIES.....	2
3. RULES	2
4. REGISTRATIONS OF RIDERS.....	2
5. ENTRY FEE.....	2
6. RIDERS' CONFIRMATION	2
7. COMPETITION SCHEDULE	3
8. ON FOOT INSPECTION	3
9. COMPETITION FORMAT.....	3
9.1. WOMEN CATEGORY.....	3
9.1.1. ½ FINALS	3
9.1.2. FINAL.....	3
9.2. MEN CATEGORY	3
9.2.1. ¼ FINALS	3
9.2.2. ½ FINALS	3
9.2.3. FINAL.....	4
9.3. FINAL PROCEDURE	4
9.4. NUMBER OF SECTIONS AND LAPS	4
10. RECOGNITION AND AWARDS.....	4
11. OFFICIAL CEREMONY	4
12. PRIZE MONEY.....	4
13. LEADER'S JERSEY	5
14. UCI TRIALS WORLD CUP STANDINGS	5
15. UCI OFFICIALS.....	5
16. PRACTICAL INFORMATION.....	5
16.1. ORGANISATION CONTACTS.....	5
16.2. PADDOCK AND MOTORHOMES' AREA BOOKINGS	6
17. COMMUNICATION.....	6
18. UCI TRIALS RANKING	6
19. UCI CONTACT	7

1. UCI TRIALS WORLD CUP

The UCI Trials World Cup made its debut in 2000. It is a season-long series of events that tests the skill, stamina and consistency of the world's best specialists in the discipline. Over a period of several months, the athletes confront each other time and time again in a bid to claim the leader's jersey and, ultimately, the overall UCI World Cup title. Check it out [here](#) the results along the years.

2. CATEGORIES

Find below the different age categories to participate at competition:

CATEGORY	CATEGORIES	AGE	COURSE
Men Elite 20"	Combined: Men Elite 20 + Men Juniors 20 + second year of Cadets	16 years and up	Yellow
Men Elite 26"	Combined: Men Elite 26 + Men Juniors 26 + second year of Cadets	16 years and up	Yellow
Women Elite	Combined: Women Elite + third year of Girls	15 years and up	Pink

The category of a rider is determined by his/her age which shall be calculated by deducting the year of birth from the current year.

3. RULES

The UCI Trials regulations (version 01.01.2023) based on the accumulation of points across the five sections will be applied. UCI Trials regulations are available [here](#).

4. REGISTRATIONS OF RIDERS

All riders must be registered using the UCI online registration system (www.uci.org) 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	OPENING at 12:00 CET	DEADLINE at 12:00 CET	ENTRIES LIST PUBLICATION	RANKING PUBLICATION
07-09.04.2023	Vic-Catalonia	ESP	23.03.2023	03.04.2023	04.04.2023	11.04.2023
21-23.07.2023	Ploeuc-l'Hermitage	FRA	06.07.2023	17.07.2023	18.07.2023	25.07.2023

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 found here: <http://regonline.uci.ch>. A rider cannot register in more than one category.

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

5. ENTRY FEE

UCI sets a riders' entry fee max of EUR 50 per event. Payment shall be on site during riders' confirmation.

6. RIDERS' CONFIRMATION

All riders must attend the riders' confirmation presenting their licenses and picking up their competition numbers. The riders confirmation deadlines are indicated on the official schedules published on the UCI website. If the riders are not confirmed before the indicated deadline, they won't be allowed to compete at the event.

7. COMPETITION SCHEDULE

Find below the schedules of the 2023 UCI Trials World Cup events:

2023 UCI TRIALS WORLD CUP - SCHEDULE	
Vic-Catalonia (ESP)	Ploeuc-l'Hermitage (FRA)

8. 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 of time are indicated on each **2023 UCI Trials World Cup** schedule published on the UCI website. **Please respect these time slots.**

9. COMPETITION FORMAT

9.1. WOMEN CATEGORY

In the women's category, each UCI Trials World Cup race shall include a ½ finals and a final.

9.1.1. ½ FINALS

The UCI Trials World Cup event will begin with a ½ finals. The UCI Trials 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.

9.1.2. 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.

9.2. MEN CATEGORY

In the men's categories, each UCI Trials World Cup race shall include a ¼ finals, a ½ finals and a final.

9.2.1. ¼ FINALS

The UCI Trials World Cup event will begin with a ¼ finals. The UCI Trials 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.

9.2.2. 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.

9.2.3. FINAL

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

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

9.3. 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.

9.4. 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

10. 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 of each category UCI Trials World Cup trophies.

11. OFFICIAL CEREMONY

The official ceremony takes place immediately after the last competition. The following riders must attend:

- The first three riders in the Men Elite 20, Men Elite 26 and Women Elite.

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 winners during the official ceremony.

12. PRIZE MONEY

The payment of the prize money will be paid in cash by the Organiser directly after the event; the amount will be paid in Euros. Find the prize scale below:

	MEN ELITE 26"	MEN ELITE 20"	WOMEN ELITE
Place	Minimum amount EUR		
1 st	1000,00	1000,00	1000,00
2 nd	800,00	800,00	800,00
3 rd	600,00	600,00	600,00
4 th	400,00	400,00	400,00
5 th	300,00	300,00	300,00
6 th	200,00	200,00	200,00
Total	3300,00	3300,00	3300,00

13. LEADER'S JERSEY

At each UCI Trials World Cup event the winners will be awarded with the UCI Trials World Cup jerseys.

The design of the leader's jersey is determined by the UCI and is its exclusive property. It may not be reproduced without the 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.

The UCI Trials 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.

14. UCI TRIALS WORLD CUP STANDINGS

The last UCI Trials World Cup event of the season will be awarded with double UCI Trials World Cup points in accordance with the table in article 7.6.006.

Riders tied on points are ranked by the greatest number of first places, second places, etc. taking into account only the 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 split them.

15. UCI OFFICIALS

The following officials are appointed by the UCI at the **2023 UCI Trials World Cup**:

Vic-Catalonia (ESP)

UCI OFFICIAL	COUNTRY	POSITION
• Mr Carles Ferrer	ESP	President commissaires panel
• Mr Peter Fisch	SUI	Technical delegate
• Mr Christian Fish	SUI	Secretary
• Mr Mario Garzón	ESP	Section commissaire
• Mr Andrea Zabinsky	GER	Section commissaire
• Mr Klaus Zabinsky	GER	Section commissaire
• Mr Tanja Sieber	SUI	Section commissaire

Ploeuc-l'Hermitage (FRA)

UCI OFFICIAL	COUNTRY	POSITION
• Mr Martin Kraxner	GER	President commissaires panel
• Mr Peter Fisch	SUI	Technical delegate
• Mr Thomas Callens	FRA	Secretary
• Mr Pascal Grimault	FRA	Section commissaire
• Mr Nathalie Novembrini	ITA	Section commissaire
• Mr Siegfried Heckl	GER	Section commissaire
• Mr Raimund Blaser	AUT	Section commissaire

16. PRACTICAL INFORMATION

16.1. ORGANISATION CONTACTS

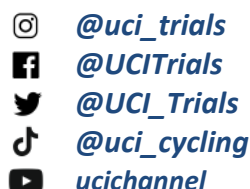
DATES	VENUE	EVENT VENUE	GENERAL INQUIRIES	MEDIA CONTACT
07-09.04.2023	Vic-Catalonia (ESP)	Mas de Bigues - Cycling facilities 41°56'20.7"N 2°14'23.8"E	info@trialsport.es	press@trialsport.es
21-23.07.2023	Ploeuc-l'Hermitage (FRA)	Cote des, Les Halles 48°22'12.3"N 2°44'07.1"W	laurine.lebert@sbaa.fr	chrystele.brocherioux@sbaa.fr

16.2. PADDOCK AND MOTORHOMES' AREA BOOKINGS

Access and conditions to both areas have to be checked to each organiser, please contact directly to the organiser committees.

17. COMMUNICATION

Exclusive content, photos, race reports and videos on www.uci.org and on the UCI Trials social media channels using the official hashtag: **#TrialsWorldCup**



18. UCI TRIALS RANKING

The criteria at the UCI Trials World Cup is based on the [UCI Trials Ranking](#). The UCI Trials ranking is updated every Tuesday and on 31st of December.

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

Rank	UCI WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS (CM)		UCI WORLD CUP (CDM)	CONTINENTAL CHAMPIONSHIPS (CC)		NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS (CN)		INTERNATIONAL EVENTS	CLASS 1 (C1)
	M / W elite	M junior	All classes	M / W elite	M junior	M / W elite	M junior	HORS CLASS (HC)	
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	24	13		13	8
17	86	59	61	44	23	12		12	7
18	84	58	60	43	22	11		11	6
19	83	57	59	42	21	10		10	5
20	82	56	58	41	20	9		9	4
21	81	55	57	40	19	8		8	3
22	80	54	56	39	18	7		7	2
23	79	53	55	38	17	6		6	1
24	78	52	54	37	16	5		5	
25	77	51	53	36	15	4		4	
26	76	50	52	35	14	3		3	
27	75	49	51	34	13	2		2	
28	74	48	50	33	12	1		1	
29	73	47	49	32	11				
30	72	46	48	31	10				
31	71	45	47	30	9				
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	33	35						
44	58	32	34						
45	57	31	33						
46	56	30	32						
47	55	29	31						
48	54	28	30						
49	53	27	29						
50	52	26	28						

19. UCI CONTACT

For any questions or inquiries relating to the overall management and running of the **UCI Trials World Cup**, please contact:

- **Dani Parramon** - UCI Trials Coordinator
dani.parramon@uci.ch

Union Cycliste Internationale (UCI)

Allée Ferdi Kübler 12
1860 Aigle, Switzerland
Tel. +41 24 468 58 11
offroad@uci.ch