EUROPEAN AQUATICS DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS
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In addition to the European Aquatics General Event Rules, the following
REGULATIONS
shall apply:

EDC 1 ORGANISATION

EDC 1.1 The European Aquatics Diving Championships shall be held every odd year.

EDC 1.2 The organising Federation and the place where the Championships will be held shall be decided by the European Aquatics Bureau and circulated by the European Aquatics Office.

EDC 1.3 The European Aquatics Bureau and the European Aquatics Technical Diving Committee (TDC) shall be responsible for and supervise the organisation of the event and the correct conduct of the competitions according to European Aquatics Rules and Regulations and decide on all matters arising on site at the competitions which require an immediate decision.

EDC 2 EVENTS

EDC 2.1 Events and Participation

EDC 2.1.1 Events are (men and women):

a) Individual Diving:
- 1m Springboard;
- 3m Springboard;
- 10m Platform.

b) Synchronised Diving:
- 3m Springboard;
- 10m Platform;
- 3m Mixed Synchro Springboard
- 10m Mixed Synchro Platform

c) - Mixed Team Event

EDC 2.1.2 In individual diving events two (2) entries per Federation and per event may be submitted.

EDC 2.1.3 In synchronised diving events one (1) team per Federation may be entered.

EDC 2.1.4 In the Mixed Team Event, one (1) team, composed of 2 up to 4 divers, male and female, per Federation may be entered.

EDC 2.2 Format for Individual Diving Events

EDC 2.2.1 Individual diving events on 1m, 3m springboard and 10m platform will be held in two sessions with Preliminaries and Final shall comprise of the top twelve (12) ranked divers from the preliminary.

EDC 2.2.2 The starting order of the divers in the Final will be reverse in accordance with their placing by total score at the end of the Preliminaries. All divers start with zero (0) points.

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EDC 2.2.3 The dives to be performed are:

a) Women's 1m, 3m springboard and 10m platform events: five (5) dives from five (5) different groups without limit of Degree of Difficulty (DD);

b) Men's 1m and 3m springboard events: six (6) dives from five (5) different groups without limit of DD;

c) Men's 10m platform event: six (6) dives from six (6) different groups without limit of DD.

EDC 2.3 Format for Synchronised Diving Events

EDC 2.3.1 The synchronised diving events (3m springboard and 10m platform) shall be held in one (1) session with a direct Final.

EDC 2.3.2 The starting order of the teams will be drawn at the Team Leader's Meeting. All teams shall start with zero (0) points.

EDC 2.3.3 The dives to be performed in the direct Final are according to the World Aquatics rules (five (5) dives for women and mixed synchro events and six (6) dives for men).
The first two (2) rounds of dives with an assigned degree of difficulty of 2.0 regardless of the formula and three (women)/four (4 men) rounds of dives without limit of degree of difficulty. All forward facing dives on springboard shall be done with a running approach.

EDC 2.3.4 **Format for the Mixed Synchro Events**

Mixed Synchro Diving Events are 3m springboard and 10m platform
There shall be a direct final.
The Competition shall comprise two (2) divers (one (1) male and one (1) female) of the same Federation
Every competition for Mixed Synchronised on 3m springboard and 10m platform shall comprise five (5) rounds of dives from five (5) groups.
Two (2) rounds of dives with an assigned degree of difficulty of 2.0 regardless of the formula and three (3) rounds of dives without limit of degree of difficulty.

EDC 2.4 Format for the Mixed Team Event

EDC 2.4.1 At all European Aquatics Events the Mixed Team Event competition, teams shall comprise of athletes of the same Federation and at least one female and one male diver, but no more than four (4) divers.

EDC 2.4.2 The Mixed Team Event diving competition involves female and male divers.

EDC 2.4.3 Every competition shall comprise of 4 rounds, complete with six (6) different dives, three (3) from 3m springboard and three (3) from 10m platform without limit of DD from six (6) different groups. Two (2) are individual dives from the 3m springboard performed one by a female and one by a male diver, the other two (2) are individual dives from 10m platform performed one by a female and one by a male diver and two are mixed synchro dives (performed by female and male divers together) respectively one from 3m springboard and one from the 10m platform.

EDC 2.4.4 **Format summary**

	Team: Mixed Team Event team shall comprise of at least one female and one male diver, but no more than four (4) divers of the same Federation			
Rounds	6 dives			DD
1	3m	Individual dive Woman	(6) six Groups must be performed	Free DD
	3m	Individual dive Man		Free DD
2	3m	Mixed Synchro dive Man & Woman		Free DD
3	10m	Individual dive Woman		Free DD
	10m	Individual dive Man		Free DD
4	10m	Mixed Synchro dive Man & Woman		Free DD

EDC 2.4.5 For the judging of two mixed synchro dives in Mixed Team Event the Officials are the same those performed in individual rounds and score the dive with one mark according to the overall impression of the dive.

EDC 2.5 Ties

EDC 2.5.1 In case of a tie all tied divers or teams proceed to the next round.

EDC 2.5.2 In case of a tie in the final all tied divers or teams will be ranked at the same place.

EDC 2.6 Officials

EDC 2.6.1 Acting Diving Officials (Judges) are not allowed to act as coaches or to represent in any other capacity and/or function their Member Federation throughout the actual Championships. Officials who do not respect this Regulation shall be excluded from the Championships.

EDC 2.6.2 The European Aquatics TDC shall appoint the Technical Delegates, the Referee, the judges panel(s) and the other officials for each event.

EDC 2.6.3 Participating Federations may nominate one (1) or two (2) Diving Officials qualified on the current European Aquatics List Level 3 of the Diving Officials System and have no less than 3 years' experience of judging on European and/or World Aquatics level with assessments no less than in 3 competitions (minimum 4 events in each) at least 2 of which are the European Aquatics Championships for Seniors and/or Juniors or coherent World Aquatics competition, with the rest Recognized European Aquatics or World Aquatic events averaged 96% and above, with no evaluations below 90% having also Level 2&3 Educational or Refreshment Courses valid.

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EDC 2.6.3.1 If participating Member Federation has no Level 3 Diving Officials on the current European Aquatic List or Level 3 Diving Officials are objectively unavailable, then Level 2 could be submitted for consideration and be confirmed by the TDC complying with required minimum of two (2) years international experience an assessments average of 96% and above with no events below 90% with minimum 4 competitions evaluated including minimum 1 European Aquatics Junior Diving Championships or coherent World Aquatics competitions, provided Certification Courses or Refreshment Courses Level 2&3 are valid, while there is no any other restricting conditions. Officials Level 2 application has to be submitted to the European Aquatics Office for the TDC consideration and approval.

EDC 2.6.4 Federations entering three (3) divers or more are obliged to nominate at least one (1) Diving

Official qualified Level 3 on the current the European Aquatics Diving Officials List.
A Federation obliged, but not succeeded to nominate a Diving Official in the categories prescribed shall be financially responsible for one (1) Diving Official to be nominated by the TDC, if available, different from countries has already entered their officials qualified.

Officials of the Level 3 on the current European Aquatics List are in preference. Officials of the Level 2 complying with competence stated EURO 4.6.3.1 could be considered by the TDC. In case more than one Member Federation obliged, but didn't nominate a Diving Official in the Levels prescribed, then minimum required number of judges to conduct the Championships will be nominated by the TDC on costs shared by those Member Federations, who failed to nominate Diving Officials to the Rule EURO 4.6.3.1 accordingly. Travel economy class, accommodation and lodging are to be covered.

EDC 2.6.5 Nominations shall be submitted to the European Aquatics Office and TDC Secretary no later than the date circulated by the European Aquatics Office.

EDC 2.6.6 Officials approved by the European Aquatics TDC are on the costs of the nominating Federation.

EDC 2.6.7 The Organising Federation shall supply all other officials.

EDC 2.6.8 Acting Officials shall be evaluated.

EDC 2.7 Entries

EDC 2.7.1 Preliminary Entries shall be submitted to the organising Federation, with copy to the European Aquatics Office, no later than the date circulated by the European Aquatics Office.

EDC 2.7.2 Federation having made a Preliminary Entry may withdraw up to the date circulated by the European Aquatics Office.

EDC 2.7.3 Named entries shall be submitted to the organising Federation, with copy to the European Aquatics Office, no later than ten (10) days before the first day of the competitions in the respective discipline, if not announced otherwise.

EDC 2.7.4 Competitors who cannot prove identity and citizenship shall not be permitted to take part in the competitions.

EDC 2.8 Accreditation

Federations entering the Championships shall receive accreditation for:

a) the President of the Federation;

b) the Head of the Delegation;

c) the entered competitors;

d)one medical person;

e) a second accreditation for a second medical person may be allocated, if more than twenty competitors have been entered,

f) one accreditation for one physiotherapist for up to 10 athletes entered, two for 10 to 20 athletes entered, three for 20 to 30 athletes entered, etc.

g) a maximum number of team staff members (EDC 2.8.1)

EDC 2.8.1 Team Staff Accreditation

Each Federation entering one or more Diving event(s) shall receive the following maximum team staff accreditations:

a) 6 for up to 5 competitors;

b) 7 for up to 8 competitors;

c) 8 for more than 8 competitors.

However, the number of team staff members shall not exceed the number of competitors plus one.

EDC 2.8.2 Team staff members include everybody servicing the team: Team Leaders, Chaperones, Coaches, Physiotherapists, Interpreters, etc., but not officials such as judges, referees, etc.

EDC 2.9 AWARDS

EDC 2.9.1 Medals will be awarded to the competitors placed 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each individual and synchronised diving event as well as in the Mixed team event (EDC 2.1).

EDC 2.9.2 Diplomas will be awarded to the competitors and teams placed in the final of each event.

EDC 2.9.3 Championships Trophy Diving

The Trophy shall be awarded to the Federation obtaining the highest number of points in both men's and women's events, according to the following system:

a) In individual diving; 1st place: 13 points, 2nd place: 11 points, 3rd place: 10 points and so on until 12th place: 1 point.

b) In synchronized diving and team event; 1st place: 26 points, 2nd place: 22 points, 3rd place: 20 points and so on until 12th place: 2 points.

In case of a tie the highest points shall be awarded to each diver, synchro team.