

# EUROPEAN DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS

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In addition to the LEN General Event Rules, the following

## REGULATIONS

shall apply:

### EDC 1 ORGANISATION

- EDC 1.1 The European 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 LEN Bureau and circulated by the LEN Office.
- EDC 1.3 One (1) Delegate to be appointed by the Bureau and five (5) members of the LEN Technical Diving Committee (TDC) appointed by the TDC shall be responsible for and supervise the organisation of the event and the correct conduct of the competitions according to LEN Rules and Regulations.

The five (5) members of the TDC will appoint for each event one (1) Technical Delegate. The Bureau Delegate and the appointed members of the TDC will decide on all matters arising on site at the competitions which require an immediate decision.

### EDC 2 EVENTS

- EDC 2.1 Events are (men and women):

- a) Individual Diving:
- Springboard 1m
  - Springboard 3m
  - Platform 10m
- b) Synchronised Diving:
- Springboard 3m
  - Platform 10m
  - Mixed Synchro 3m
  - Mixed Synchro 10m
- c) Mix Team Event

- EDC 2.2 There will be Team classifications for men, for women, and for men and women together, according to the following point system:

Individual events:  
1<sup>st</sup> place: 13 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> place: 11 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> place: 10 points, and so on until 12<sup>th</sup> place: 1 point

Synchro events and Mix Team Event:  
1<sup>st</sup> place: 26 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> place: 22 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> place: 20 points, and so on until 12<sup>th</sup> place: 2 points.

The points gained in the Mix Team Event and Mixed Synchro events shall be split between men and women.

In case of a Tie the highest points will be awarded to each individual diver, synchro team or team.

- EDC 2.3 The order of events will be as decided by the TDC, subject to the approval of the LEN Executive, and circulated by the LEN Office.

### EDC 3 PARTICIPATION

- EDC 3.1 In individual diving events two (2) divers per Federation and per event may be entered.
- EDC 3.2 In synchronised diving events one (1) team per Federation and per event may be entered.
- EDC 3.3 In the Mix Team Event, one (1) team, composed of 2 up to 4 divers, male and female, per Federation may be entered.

**EDC 4      FORMAT FOR INDIVIDUAL DIVING EVENTS**

- EDC 4.1 Individual diving events on 1m, 3m and 10m will be held in two sessions with Preliminaries and Finals with twelve (12) divers.
- EDC 4.2 The starting order of the divers in the Final will be according to the reverse order of their placing as determined by their total scores at the end of the Preliminaries. All divers start with zero (0) points.
- EDC 4.3 The dives to be performed are:
  - a) Women's 1m, 3m and 10m events: five (5) dives from five (5) different groups without limit of Degree of Difficulty (DD);
  - b) Men's 1m and 3m events: six (6) dives from five (5) different groups without limit of DD;
  - c) Men's 10m event: six (6) dives from six (6) different groups without limit of DD.

**EDC 5      FORMAT FOR SYNCHRONISED DIVING EVENTS**

- EDC 5.1 The synchronized diving events (3m springboard and 10m platform) shall be held in one (1) session with a direct Final.
- EDC 5.2 The starting order of the teams will be drawn at the Team Leader's Meeting. All teams shall start with zero (0) points.
- EDC 5.3 The dives to be performed in the direct Final are according to the FINA rules (five (5) dives for women and mixed synchro events and six (6) dives for men).

**EDC 5.4      FORMAT FOR THE MIXED SYNCHRO EVENTS**

**Mixed Synchro Diving – 3m springboard and 10m platform**

There shall be a direct final.

**Mixed Synchronised Diving Event**

At the European Championships, European Diving Championships and other LEN Diving Events additional Mixed Synchronised Diving Events can be conducted.

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 6      FORMAT FOR THE MIX TEAM EVENT**

- EDC 6.1 The format for the Mix Team Event is different from FINA Team Diving.
- EDC 6.2 At all LEN Events the teams shall comprise two (2) up to four (4) competitors of the same Federation (at least one male and one female who compose the Mix Team)
- EDC 6.3 The Mix team diving competition involves female and male divers.
- EDC 6.4 Every competition shall comprise six (6) different dives, three (3) from 3m and three (3) from 10m with free DD from six (6) different groups.  
  
Two (2) are individual dives from the 3m springboard performed one by a male and one by a female diver, the other two (2) are individual dives from 10m platform performed one by a male and one by a female diver and two are mixed synchro dives (man and woman) respectively one from 3m springboard and one from the 10m platform.
- EDC 6.5 The Diving Order is drawn by teams, which will perform in four (4) consecutive rounds starting with any of the two performing divers. All three dives from 3m first, followed by the three from 10m.

**Format**

	Team: composed by 2 up to 4 divers (mixed boys and girls)		
Rounds	6 dives	(6) six Groups must be	DD

1	3m	Individual dive Woman	used	Free DD
	3m	Individual Dive Man		Free DD
2	3m	Mixed Synchro Dive Man/Women		Free DD
3	10m	Individual dive Woman		Free DD
	10m	Individual Dive Man		Free DD
4	10m	Mixed Synchro Dive Man/Women		Free DD

#### **EDC 7 TIES**

EDC 7.1 In case of a tie all tied divers or teams proceed to the next round.

EDC 7.2 In case of a tie in the final all tied divers or teams will be ranked at the same place.

#### **EDC 8 ENTRIES**

EDC 8.1 Preliminary Entries shall be submitted to the organising Federation, with copy to the LEN Office, no later than the date circulated by the LEN Office.

EDC 8.2 A Federation having made a Preliminary Entry may withdraw up to the date circulated by the LEN Office.

EDC 8.3 Named Entries shall be submitted to the organising Federation, with copy to the LEN Office, no later than ten (10) days before the first day of the competition, if not announced otherwise.

EDC 8.4 Competitors who cannot prove identity, age and citizenship shall not be permitted to take part in the competition.

#### **EDC 9 ACCREDITATION**

EDC 9.1 Federations entering the Diving Championships will receive accreditation for:

- a) the President of the Federation;
- b) the Head of Delegation;
- c) the entered competitors;
- d) one medical person;
- e) team staff members:
  - 5 for up to 5 competitors;
  - 6 for up to 8 competitors;
  - 7 for more than 8 competitors.

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

EDC 9.2 Team staff members include everybody servicing the team: Team Leaders, Chaperones, Coaches, Physiotherapists, Interpreters, etc. (not officials such as judges, referees, etc.).

#### **EDC 10 AWARDS**

EDC 10.1 Medals will be awarded to the competitors placed 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in each individual and synchronised diving event as well as in the Mix team event (EDC 2.1).

EDC 10.2 Diplomas will be awarded to the competitors and teams placed in the final of each event.

EDC 10.3 The «European Diving Team Champion» title shall be awarded to the best ranked Federation in the «Team classification (men and women together) » (EDC 2.2).

#### **EDC 11 OFFICIALS**

EDC 11.1 Acting Judges are not allowed to act as coaches throughout the actual Championships. Judges who do not respect this Regulation shall be excluded from the Championships.

EDC 11.2 The TDC shall appoint the Technical Delegate, the Referee, the judges panel(s) and the other officials for each event.

EDC 11.3 Federations may nominate one (1) or two (2) judges qualified on the current A-List of LEN.

EDC 11.4 Federations entering three (3) divers or more are obliged to nominate at least one (1) judge qualified on the current A-List of LEN.  
A Federation not providing a judge in the category prescribed shall pay a fine of one thousand (1,000) Euro to LEN.

A Federation that has a B judge with good evaluations but no A judge on the current LEN list may be allowed to enter the B judge provided an application is made and accepted. The application is to be sent to the TDC Secretary before the entry deadline for judges.

- EDC 11.5 Nominations shall be submitted to the LEN Office no later than the date circulated by the LEN Office.
- EDC 11.6 Officials approved by the TDC are on the costs of the nominating Federation.
- EDC 11.7 The organising Federation shall supply all other officials.
- EDC 11.8 Acting judges may be evaluated.