BWF Statutes, Section 5.3.3.3:

## **WORLD TEAM RANKING SYSTEM**

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## 1. Definition

The BWF World Team Ranking is a list of member associations in order of strength.

## 2. World Team Ranking

The BWF World Team Ranking system is to measure the overall strength of players from all Member Associations participating in BWF Sanctioned Tournaments. The Members are ranked based on the results achieved by their Players and their teams, the team earning highest number of ranking points being ranked the highest. The system used to rank the teams is explained below.

- 2.1. World Team Ranking points are awarded to a highest ranked Player / pair from each Member in each of the five Badminton Events i.e. Men's Singles (MS), Women's Singles (WS), Men's Doubles (MD), Women's Doubles (WD) and Mixed Doubles (XD) based on their World Ranking as per the most recently published BWF World Ranking.
- 2.2. World Team Ranking points are also awarded for the Member's finishing position in the most recently held BWF Men's & Women's World Team Championships (Thomas and Uber Cups Final stage), or BWF Men's & Women's World Team Championships (Sudirman Cup Final stage).
- 2.3. Where there is a pair competing together in the World Ranking from two different Members and one or both Players are ranked highest for their respective Members, GCR Regulation 11.6.1 (notional ranking points) shall be applied. A Member Association's Team Ranking points in such cases will include the eligible player's points from the mixed Member pair and the points from the next eligible highest ranked player to determine their notional ranking points after applying the procedure in GCR Regulation 11.6.1.
- 2.4. The World Team Ranking is published on a quarterly basis on first Tuesday of April, July, October and January.
- 2.5. The World Team Rankings are compiled from the points allocated in a 52-week period as shown in the tables below.

**Table A** – Table showing points to be awarded to the Members for the highest rank of the Player / pair of that country in the BWF World Ranking list.

Event	Points to be awarded to the teams based on the BWF World Ranking of the Player / pair							
	Top 3	Top 10	Top 20	Top 50	Top 100	Top 200	Top 500	Below
	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR 500
MS	1500	1200	1000	750	500	250	100	10
WS	1500	1200	1000	750	500	250	100	10
MD	1500	1200	1000	500	250	125	50	5
WD	1500	1200	1000	500	250	125	50	5
MX	1500	1200	1000	500	250	125	50	5

**Table B** – Table showing points to be awarded to the finalists in BWF Men's & Women's World Team Championships (Thomas & Uber Cups Final stage) based on their ranking in each of the Competition.

Team rank	BWF Men's & Women's World Team Championships		
1	2500		
2	2000		
3/4	1500		
5/8	1000		
9/12	750		
13/16	675		

**Table C** – Table showing points to be awarded to the teams participating in the continental stage of the BWF Men's & Women's World Team Championships (continental stage of Thomas and Uber Cups) in each continent based on their ranking in each Competition.

Rank	Teams from Europe	Rank	Teams from Asia		
1	MA qualified to finals	1	MA qualified to finals		
2	MA qualified to finals	2	MA qualified to finals		
3	MA qualified to finals	3	MA qualified to finals		
4	4 If MA not qualified to finals		If MA not qualified to finals		
	600		650		
5-6	567.50	5	625		
7-12	437.50	6	600		
13-18	287.50	7-8	467.50		
19-24	137.50	9-12	387.50		
25-26	37.50	13-18	325.00		
27-32	10	19-24	272.50		

Rank	Teams from Pan AM	Rank	Teams from Africa	Rank	Teams from Oceania
1	MA qualified to finals	1	MA qualified to finals	1	MA qualified to finals
2	400	2	300	2	300
3	375	3-4	287.50	3	275
4	350	5-8	187.50	4	250
5-6	312.5	9-12	100.00	5	225
7-8	262.5			6	200
9-10	212.50			7	175
11-12	175.00			8	150

**Table D** – Table showing points to be awarded to the finalists in the BWF World Team Championships (Sudirman Cup Final Stage) based on their ranking in the Competition.

Team rank	BWF World Team Championships		
1	5000		
2	4000		
3-4	3000		
5-8	2000		
9-12	1500		
13/16	1350		

**Table E** – Table showing points to be awarded to the teams participating in the continental stage of the BWF World Team Championships (continental stage of the Sudirman Cup) in each continent based on their ranking in each Competition.

Rank	Teams from Europe	Rank	Teams from Asia		
1	MA qualified to finals	1	MA qualified to finals		
2	MA qualified to finals	2	MA qualified to finals		
3	MA qualified to finals	3	MA qualified to finals		
4	If MA not qualified to finals 1200	4	If MA not qualified to finals 1300		
5-6	1135	5	1250		
7-12	875	6	1200		
13-18	575	7-8	935		
19-24	275	9-12	775		
25-26	75	13-18	650		
27-32	15	19-24	545		

Rank	Teams from Pan AM	Rank	Teams from Africa	Rank	Teams from Oceania
1	MA qualified to finals	1	MA qualified to finals	1	MA qualified to finals
2	800	2	600	2	600
3	750	3-4	575	3	550
4	700	5-8	375	4	500
5-6	625	9-12	200	5	450
7-8	525			6	400
9-10	425			7	350
11-12	350			8	300