



CANOE SLALOM
202~~5~~4 – RULES APPENDICES

VERSIONS

Version 1 – original version – January 202~~5~~⁴

The wording Kayak Cross Individual refers in this document to the previous Time Trials in Kayak Cross. This wording needs to be confirmed and validated by the ICF Board of Directors in November 2024.

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APPENDIX 1 – Progression system for ICF Canoe Slalom; Canoe & Kayak events in competitions (level 1 to 3)

For the 2025 season the progression to the semi-final and final for World Championships, ~~all World Cups and ICF Ranking races~~ will be as follows:

Event	To the Semi-final from Heats 1st run score	To the Semi-final from Heats 2nd run score	To the Final
MK1	30	10	12 10
WK1	30 20	10	12 10
MC1	30 20	10	12 10
WC1	30 20	10	12 10

~~There is no change to the progressions from the 2022 season except XC2 removed.~~

For the 2025 season the progression to the final for World Cups and ICF Ranking races, will be as follows:

Event	<u>To the Final from Heats</u>
<u>MK1</u>	<u>12</u>
<u>WK1</u>	<u>12</u>
<u>MC1</u>	<u>12</u>
<u>WC1</u>	<u>12</u>

~~For ICF Ranking competitions (level 3) the format can be one heat run and then a final (rule 5.2.1), in this case 10 Athletes will progress to the final for each event. Where a level 3 competition is run in a format: Heats, Semifinal and Final the progression for this competition must follow the World Championships progression.~~

In the case of low participation atFor World Championships and the World Cups, the progression is amended as follows ~~in the case of low participation:~~

Start field <u>per event</u>	Progression
<u>Less than 31</u> MK1 – less than 41 WK1 – less than 31 MC1 – less than 31 WC1 – less than 31	No heats All Athletes direct to semi final 10 12 progress to semi final from final

Less All events less than 113	No heats, and no semi final Direct final
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APPENDIX 2 – Competition Format of the Canoe Slalom World Cup Final

The competition format for the 202~~5~~⁴ World Cup Final will follow the usual World Cup format for Canoe & Kayak and for Kayak Cross events.

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APPENDIX 3 – The World Cup standings points allocation (Canoe & Kayak and Kayak Cross)

A. Canoe & Kayak (Olympic and Short format)

- ~~• There is no change to the points allocation from the 2022, 2023 seasons.~~
- The World Cup Final will attract double points.
- An Athlete will be awarded zero (0) points for any race in the 202~~5~~⁴ World Cup Series in which they do not compete.
- See point allocation table below.

B. Kayak Cross and Kayak Cross Individual

- ~~• There is no change to the points allocation from the 2022, 2023 seasons.~~
- The World Cup Final will attract double points.
- An Athlete will be awarded zero (0) points for any race in the 202~~5~~⁴ World Cup Series in which they do not compete.
- Where there is no Elimination phase in Kayak Cross, the World Cup Standing points may be awarded from the Kayak Cross Individual results.
- See point allocation table below.

C. Canoe & Kayak (Olympic and Short format) and Kayak Cross individual – point allocation table

Rank	<u>MK1M</u>	<u>WK1W</u>	<u>MC1M</u>	<u>WC1W</u>	<u>Kayak Cross Individual MX1</u>	<u>Kayak Cross Individual WX1</u>
1	<u>6060</u>	60	60	60	<u>60</u>	<u>60</u>
2	<u>5555</u>	55	55	55	<u>55</u>	<u>55</u>
3	<u>5050</u>	50	50	50	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>
4	<u>4644</u>	46	46	46	<u>46</u>	<u>46</u>
5	<u>4443</u>	44	44	44	<u>44</u>	<u>44</u>
6	<u>4242</u>	42	42	42	<u>42</u>	<u>42</u>
7	<u>4041</u>	40	40	40	<u>40</u>	<u>40</u>
8	<u>3840</u>	38	38	38	<u>38</u>	<u>38</u>
9	<u>3639</u>	36	36	36	<u>36</u>	<u>36</u>
10	<u>3438</u>	34	34	34	<u>34</u>	<u>34</u>
11	<u>3234</u>	32	32	32	<u>32</u>	<u>32</u>
12	<u>3133</u>	31	31	31	<u>31</u>	<u>31</u>
13	<u>3032</u>	30	30	30	<u>30</u>	<u>30</u>
14	<u>2931</u>	29	29	29	<u>29</u>	<u>29</u>
15	<u>2830</u>	28	28	28	<u>28</u>	<u>28</u>
16	<u>2729</u>	27	27	27	<u>27</u>	<u>27</u>
17	<u>2628</u>	26	26	26	<u>26</u>	<u>26</u>
18	<u>2527</u>	25	25	25	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>
19	<u>2426</u>	24	24	24	<u>24</u>	<u>24</u>
20	<u>2325</u>	23	23	23	<u>23</u>	<u>23</u>
21	<u>2224</u>	22	22	22	<u>22</u>	<u>22</u>
22	<u>2123</u>	21	21	21	<u>21</u>	<u>21</u>
23	<u>1922</u>	19	19	19	<u>19</u>	<u>19</u>
24	<u>1721</u>	17	17	17	<u>17</u>	<u>17</u>
25	<u>1520</u>	15	15	15	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>
26	<u>1319</u>	13	13	13	<u>13</u>	<u>13</u>
27	<u>1118</u>	11	11	11	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>
28	<u>917</u>	9	9	9	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>
29	<u>716</u>	7	7	7	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>
30	<u>515</u>	5	5	5	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>
31	<u>214</u>	2	2	2	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
32	<u>213</u>	2	2	2	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
33	<u>212</u>	2	2	2	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
34	<u>211</u>	2	2	2	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
35	<u>210</u>	2	2	2	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
36	<u>29</u>	2	2	2	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
37	<u>28</u>	2	2	2	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
38	<u>27</u>	2	2	2	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
39	<u>26</u>	2	2	2	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
40	<u>25</u>	2	2	2	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
41	<u>22</u>	2	2	2	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
42	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
43	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
44	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>

D.

Kayak Cross – point allocation table

WORLD CUP			WORLD CUP FINAL		
Rank	Points	Last phase achieved	Rank	Points	Last phase achieved
1	60	Final	1	120	Final
2	55		2	110	
3	50		3	100	
4	45		4	90	
5	40	Semi finals	5	80	Semi finals
6	35		6	70	
7	30		7	60	
8	25		8	50	
9	19	Quarterfinals	9	38	Quarterfinals
10	17		10	34	
11	15		11	30	
12	13		12	26	
13	11		13	22	
14	9		14	18	
15	7		15	14	
16	5		16	10	
17	4	Heats	17	8	Heats
18	4		18	8	
19	4		19	8	
20	4		20	8	
21	4		21	8	
22	4		22	8	
23	4		23	8	
24	4		24	8	
25	4		25	8	
26	4		26	8	
27	4		27	8	
28	4		28	8	
29	4		29	8	
30	4		30	8	
31	4		31	8	
32	4		32	8	
33	2	Qualification phase	33	4	Qualification phase
34	2		34	4	
35	2		35	4	
...	2		...	4	

APPENDIX 4 – The ICF Canoe Slalom World Ranking Points formula

Canoe & Kayak events & ICF points calculation

A. Events

	<u>Olympic Slalom</u>
MK1	Men's Kayak
WK1	Women's Kayak
MC1	Men's Canoe
WC1	Women's Canoe

To prevent any disruption in the ICF World Ranking, no ICF points will be calculated on competitions run on a short slalom format during the 2025 season. The ICF will take some time of analysis before implementing a specific calculation for this format.

B. Ranking list

The ICF Canoe Slalom World Ranking List is established by taking the average of the best 5 ICF Ranking Points achieved by any athlete participating in the ICF Canoe Slalom Ranking Series of events.

Events included in the calculation of the ICF Canoe Slalom World Ranking span a two-year period. Therefore, all races in the two-year period directly before the relevant release date are considered and the best 5 counted for each Athletes ranking.

Athletes having 5 or more results, are ranked above all Athletes having only 4 results; those with only 4 results are ranked above those with 3 results. Athletes with 3 results are ranked above Athletes with 2 results and Athletes with 1 result are ranked at the bottom of the list.

C. ICF points Calculation

1. Principle

ICF points are calculated separately for each phase (Heats, Semi final or Final) in which a Athlete participates. The lowest point value out of those 3 is the ICF points earned by the Athlete for that event at the competition.

2. General Formula for Race ICF Points

$$\text{IcfPoints} = \text{PhaseOffset} + \frac{\text{PhaseFactor} \times \text{Score}}{\text{ScoreLeader}} - \text{PhaseFactor} + \text{QualityFactor}$$

$$\text{ICF Points} = \text{Phase Offset} + \text{Ranking constant} * \left(\frac{\text{Score}}{\text{Score leader}} - 1 \right) + \text{QualityFactor}$$

- **Phase Offset**

Phase	Phase Offset
Heats	2010
Semi final	105
Final	0

- **Quality Factor**

- o ICF competition Level 1 and Level 2

For ICF CSL World Cups, World Championships and Olympic Games the Quality Factor is "0"

- o ICF competition Level 3

The "Quality Factor" is calculated by identifying the five (5) competing Athletes who are ranked highest on the ICF CSL Ranking list. The ICF Ranking points for these Athletes are averaged and this becomes the "Quality Factor" for that event.

Any entered boat who receives a DNS in both Heats runs will not be considered in the Quality Factor calculation.

- **Score:** results of the boat in seconds
- **Score Leader:** results of the fastest boat in that phase in seconds
- **Ranking constant is set as equal to 150**

Special cases during Heats phase:

<u>Heats Phase Results</u>	<u>Points (P)</u>
<u>DNF</u>	<u>No points attributed</u>
<u>DSQ</u>	
<u>DNS</u>	

3. Sample Calculation of ICF Points

a) Example 1

- Competition phase → Final, therefore **Phase Offset = 0**,
- ~~Phase Factor = 150~~
- Competition is a World Championships, therefore **Quality Factor = 0**
- Boat 1 score = 89.60 seconds
- Boat 2 score = 90.82 seconds
- Boat 3 score = 141.91 seconds

*Points for Boat 1 (winner of finals) = $0 + ((150 * 89.6) / 89.6) - 150 + 0 = 0.00$ Points*
*for Boat 2 = $0 + ((150 * 90.82) / 89.6) - 150 + 0 = 2.042 = 2.04$*
*Points for Boat 3 = $0 + ((150 * 141.91) / 89.6) - 150 + 0 = 87.572 = 87.57$*

b) Example 2

- Competition phase = Semi Finals therefore phase offset = 10,
- ~~Phase Factor = 150~~
- Competition is a World Cup, therefore **Quality Factor = 0**
- Boat 1 score = 101.76 seconds
- Boat 2 score = 100.86 seconds
- Boat 3 score = 103.19 seconds,

*Points for Boat 1 = $10 + ((150 * 101.76) / 100.86) - 150 = 12.8256 = 12.83$*
*Points for Boat 2 (winner of the semifinal) = $10 + ((150 * 100.86) / 100.86) - 150 = 10$*
*Points for Boat 3 = $10 + ((150 * 103.19) / 100.86) - 150 = 13.4561 = 13.46$*

For Boat 3 the semi final ranking points are better than ranking points they score in the finals phase due to a "50" second penalty received in the Finals, their semi final points would be used as their ranking points for this race.

The calculation of ranking points for the heats phase would follow the same formula as above using 20 as the Phase Offset.

D. Pan-continental ranking list

The ICF Pan-continental Canoe Slalom Athlete Ranking Lists are established by taking the average of the best 5 ICF Ranking Points achieved by an athlete competing in competitions in the Pan-Continent Canoe Slalom Ranking Series of events..

Events included in the calculation of the ICF Pan-continental Canoe Slalom Ranking span a two-year period. Therefore, all continental competitions races in the two-year period directly before the relevant release date are considered and the best 5 counted for each Athletes ranking.

Athletes having 5 or more results, are ranked above all Athletes having only 4 results; those with only 4 results are ranked above those with 3 results. Athletes with 3 results are ranked above Athletes with 2 results and Athletes with 1 result are ranked at the bottom of the list.

The Pan-continents are defined as follows:

- Panamerica, grouping National Federations affiliated to COPAC
- Europafrica, grouping National Federations affiliated to ECA and CAC
- Oceasia, grouping National Federations affiliated to OCA and to ACC

Kayak Cross Events & ICF Points Calculation

A. Events

MX1	Men's Kayak Cross
WX1	Women's Kayak Cross

To prevent any disruption in the ICF World Ranking, no ICF points will be calculated on the competitions run only as Kayak Cross Individual format during the 2025 season. The ICF will take some time of analysis before implementing a specific calculation for this format.

B. Ranking list

The ICF World Kayak Cross Ranking List is established by the addition of the best 5 ICF Ranking Points achieved by any athletes participating in the ICF Kayak Cross Ranking Series of events.

Events included in the calculation of the ICF World Kayak Cross Ranking span a two-year period. Therefore, all races in the two-year period directly before the relevant release date are considered and the best 5 are counted for each Athletes ranking.

Athletes having 5 or more results are ranked above all Athletes having only 4 results; those with only 4 results are ranked above those with 3 results. Athletes with 3 results are ranked above Athletes with 2 results and Athletes with 1 result are ranked at the bottom of the list.

C. ICF points Calculation

1. Principle

ICF points are attributed from the allocation table based on the final results of a competition in which an Athlete participates and depending on the level of the competition.

2. Point (P) allocation table

Final Ranking	Points (P)								
1	50	11	30	21	20	31	10	41	2
2	46	12	29	22	19	32	9	42	2
3	42	13	28	23	18	33	8	43	2
4	38	14	27	24	17	34	7	44	2
5	36	15	26	25	16	35	6	45	2
6	35	16	25	26	15	36	5	46	2
7	34	17	24	27	14	37	4	47	2
8	33	18	23	28	13	38	3	48	2
9	32	19	22	29	12	39	2	...	2
10	31	20	21	30	11	40	2	...	2

3. Special cases during qualification phase:

Qualification Phase Results	Points (P)
DNF	1
FLT	1
RAL	0
DSQ	0
DNS	0

4. Competition level factor (CLF)

Competition Level	CLF
Olympic Games, ICF <u>Senior</u> World Championships	2

ICF World Cup, Continental Championships & Continental Games	1
Other ranking competition	
ICF Ranking Competition	0.5

Only the Continental Championships from [the Athlete's own](#) home continent can be counted as part of the 5 best competitions.

5. General Formula for Race Points

$$ICF\ points = P \times CLF$$

D. Pan-continental ranking list

The ICF Pan-continental Kayak Cross Athlete Ranking lists are established by taking the addition of the best 5 ICF Ranking Points achieved by an athlete competing in the Pan-Continent Kayak Cross Ranking Series of events.

Events included in the calculation of the ICF Pan-continental Kayak Cross Ranking span a two-year period. Therefore, all continental competitions in the two-year period directly before the relevant release date are considered and the best 5 counted for each Athletes ranking.

Athletes having 5 or more results are ranked above all Athletes having only 4 results; those with only 4 results are ranked above those with 3 results. Athletes with 3 results are ranked above Athletes with 2 results and Athletes with 1 result are ranked at the bottom of the list.

The Pan-continents are defined as follows:

- Panamerica, grouping National Federations affiliated to COPAC
- Europafrica, grouping National Federations affiliated to ECA and CAC
- Oceasia, grouping National Federations affiliated to OCA and to ACC

CALCULATION OF POINTS FOR FEMALE ATHLETES DURING PREGNANCY

The points for an Athlete who becomes pregnant will be frozen at the value of the first release date following the time they cease competition. The Athletes points will remain at this value for the next 24-month period and they will retain the ICF Ranking relevant to this point value.

The Athletes Federation must write to the ICF Secretary General and the Chair of the Canoe Slalom Committee to advise that their Athlete will not be competing due to pregnancy, what date they expect to cease competition and that they wish their ICF Ranking points to be frozen

for up to a 24 month period. They must also provide a medical certificate confirming the pregnancy.

If the Athlete returns to competition within 24 months, they will earn points and be newly ranked. Their new post pregnancy competitions will be used in the calculation of their ICF Ranking. In the first instance the points earned at their first post pregnancy competition will be combined with the best 4 of their pre pregnancy races to produce a new ranking. Then the two new competitions plus their best 3 pre-pregnancy points etc. Once they have competed in 5 competitions post pregnancy their ranking will be calculated on these 5 competitions and all the points from the pre pregnancy races will be removed.

In all cases, 12 months after the Athlete has recommenced competition all the points earned prior to the pregnancy will no longer be counted and will be removed. The ranking will be calculated on any points earned since returning to competition and the Athlete will be ranked accordingly.

If after 24 months the Athlete does not return to competition the points earned from pre pregnancy races will be deleted and the Athlete will be removed from the ranking list at the next release date.

APPENDIX 5 – World Cup Entry Policy

In 2025 the ICF will allocate quotas to National Federations to enter athletes in a ICF Canoe Slalom World Cup in Canoe & Kayak and Kayak Cross events. ~~in 2024 an Athlete must be listed on the current ICF Canoe & Kayak World Ranking.~~

Maximum 48 quotas per event (MK1, WK1, MC1, WC1, MX1, WX1) will be allocated. Quotas are allocated to National Federations and are not nominative.

The allocation for the full 2025 season is done by the first of December 2024 according to the last ICF World Rankings and Pan-Continental Rankings release for 2024.

For each event, allocation is processed as follows:

- First allocation phase: 35 quotas are allocated to the best ranked Federations according to the ICF World Ranking to a maximum of 3 quota per Federation.
- Second allocation phase: 2 quotas (1 per NF maximum) are allocated to the 2 best Federations on each of the 3 ICF Pan-continental Rankings, which do not have 3 quotas allocated via the first allocation phase. Athletes who have already qualified a quota via the first allocation phase in an event are not eligible for this allocation in the same event. (6 quotas total)
- Third allocation phase: 2 quotas are distributed to the 2 best Federations on each of the 3 ICF Pan-continental Rankings, not already selected via the first and second allocation phase (6 quotas total)
- Fourth allocation phase: 1 quota is allocated at each World Cup to the Host country respecting the limit of 3 quota maximum per Federation.

A quota is strictly allocated to one event and does not give access to any other events. Quotas need to be confirmed by the National Federation by the 10th of January 2025.

<u>Allocation phase n°</u>	<u>Number of quotas allocated</u> <small>(respecting the limit of 3 quota maximum per Federation)</small>		<u>ICF Ranking level considered</u>	<u>Reallocation possible</u>
<u>1</u>	<u>Global</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>World</u>	<u>Yes</u>
<u>2</u>	<u>Panamerica</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Pan-Continental</u>	<u>Yes</u>
	<u>Europafrica</u>	<u>2</u>		
	<u>Oceasia</u>	<u>2</u>		
<u>3</u>	<u>Panamerica</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Pan-Continental</u>	<u>Yes</u>
	<u>Europafrica</u>	<u>2</u>		
	<u>Oceasia</u>	<u>2</u>		
<u>4</u>	<u>Host federation</u>	<u>(1)</u>	<u>None</u>	<u>No</u>

Reallocation:

The reallocation concerns only the quotas allocated via the first, second or third allocation phase.

Non confirmed, declined or unused quotas by 10th of January 2025 are re-allocated to the next NF on the ICF World Ranking, following the first allocation phase process.

Reallocated quotas need to be confirmed by the NFs before the 1st of February 2025.

Non confirmed or declined quotas allocated via the fourth allocation phase will not be reallocated.

Non confirmed, declined or unused quotas by 1st of February 2025 will not be allocated for the 2025 season.

After the numerical entry deadline, unused quotas are reallocated as follows:

To the host Federation to a maximum limit of 3 quota per event.

If National Federations behave in an unsporting manner with the allocation process, or confirmation, the ICF CSL committee reserves the right to first warn, and if this persists, to suspend the National Federation from the World Cup season.

In case of suspension the quotas will be reallocated as per reallocation rule mentioned above.

APPENDIX 6 – Kayak Cross Qualification Phase Format

The Qualification can be run in two different formats:

- Format A is run only with Kayak Cross individual (former Time trials) component (cf Figure 1)
- Format B is run with Kayak Cross individual and includes a longer progression system which consists of two additional components: the Round 1 and the Repechage (cf. Figure 2).

A. Format A

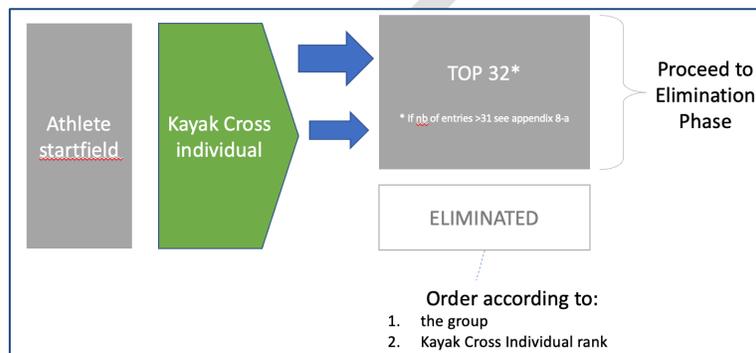


Figure 1 Qualification phase run only with Time Trials

B. Format B

In the format B of the Qualification, the athletes could be eliminated only at the end of Repechage.

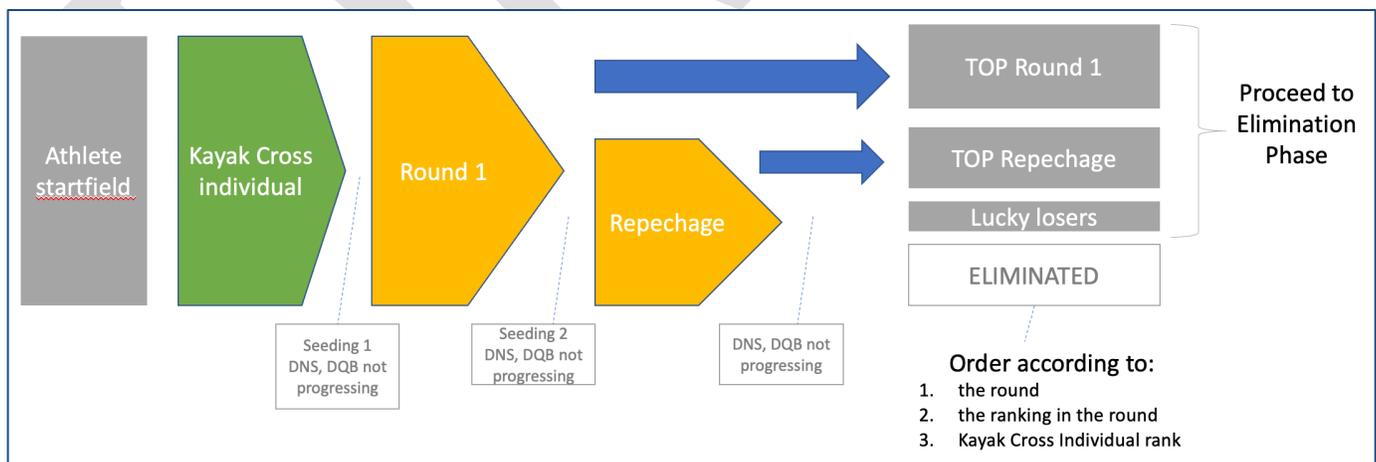


Figure 2 Qualification phase run with Round 1 and Repechage

Maximum 42 ranked Athletes will progress to Round 1 based on their Kayak Cross individual Time Trial rank. Athletes being DNF, DSQ are ranked, they can progress to Round 1. Athletes being DNS and DQB in the Kayak Cross individual Time Trial are listed but not ranked, they can't progress to Round 1.

Depending on number of athletes ranked after the Kayak Cross individual Time Trials (see Table 1), then the identified number of Athletes will be able to progress directly to Elimination Phase after the Round 1.

The remaining ones (except athletes having received DNS and DQB in Round 1) will proceed to the Repechage where they will have the possibility to qualify for the Elimination Phase and/or be re-ranked.

Table 1 Progression after Round 1 depending on the number of ranked athletes in Kayak Cross individual Time Trials

NB of athletes ranked after the <u>Kayak Cross individual Time Trials</u>	ROUND 1				PROGRESSION	
	X	NB brackets with X athletes	Y	NB brackets with Y athletes	Directly Qualified (2 first of each race)	To Repechage
34 and +	X	NB brackets with X athletes	Y	NB brackets with Y athletes	Directly Qualified (2 first of each race)	To Repechage
42	4	9	3	2	22	20
41	4	8	3	3	22	19
40	4	7	3	4	22	18
39	4	6	3	5	22	17
38	4	5	3	6	22	16
37	4	4	3	7	22	15
36	4	3	3	8	22	14
35	4	2	3	9	22	13
34	4	1	3	10	22	12
33 and -	X	NB brackets with X athletes	Y	NB brackets with Y athletes	Directly Qualified (First of each race)	To Repechage
33	3	9	2	3	12	21
32	3	8	2	4	12	20
31	3	7	2	5	12	19
30	3	6	2	6	12	18
29	3	5	2	7	12	17
28	3	4	2	8	12	16
27	3	3	2	9	12	15
26	3	2	2	10	12	14
25	3	1	2	11	12	13
24	3	0	2	12	12	12

The seeding for the Round 1 will be done according to the Kayak Cross individual Time Trial rank as in the table below:

Table 2 Seeding for Round 1

34 and + athletes ranked after the <u>Kayak Cross individual Time Trials</u> (numbers in the table correspond to the <u>Kayak Cross individual Time Trial</u> rank)				
Round 1 / Bib color	Red	Green	Blue	Yellow
Race 1.1	1	12	33	
Race 1.2	2	13	32	
Race 1.3	3	14	31	42
Race 1.4	4	15	30	41
Race 1.5	5	16	29	40
Race 1.6	6	17	28	39
Race 1.7	7	18	27	38
Race 1.8	8	19	26	37
Race 1.9	9	20	25	36
Race 1.10	10	21	24	35
Race 1.11	11	22	23	34

33 and - athletes ranked after the <u>Kayak Cross individual Time Trials</u> (numbers in the table correspond to the <u>Kayak Cross individual Time Trial</u> rank)				
Round 1 / Bib color	Red	Green	Blue	Yellow
Race 1.1	1	24		
Race 1.2	2	23		
Race 1.3	3	22		
Race 1.4	4	21	33	
Race 1.5	5	20	32	
Race 1.6	6	19	31	
Race 1.7	7	18	30	
Race 1.8	8	17	29	
Race 1.9	9	16	28	
Race 1.10	10	15	27	
Race 1.11	11	14	26	
Race 1.12	12	13	25	

Depending on number of athletes ranked after the Kayak Cross individual Time Trials – this includes DNF, DSQ - (cf. Table 3), then the identified number of Athletes will be able to progress to Elimination Phase after the Repechage. In certain cases, Lucky Losers could progress after the Repechage to the Elimination phase. The Lucky losers will be determined according to their Kayak Cross individual Time Trial rank (cf. Table 3).

Table 3 Progression after Repechage depending on the number of ranked athletes in Kayak Cross individual Time Trials

NB of athletes ranked after the <u>Kayak Cross individual Time Trials</u>	NB of athletes progressing to Repechage	REPECHAGE					PROGRESSION	
		REPECHAGE	X	NB brackets with X athletes	Y	NB brackets with Y athletes	Lucky Losers	Qualified (2 first of each race) (first of each race)
34 and +	REPECHAGE	X	NB brackets with X athletes	Y	NB brackets with Y athletes	Lucky Losers	Qualified (2 first of each race) (first of each race)	ELIMINATED (2 last of each race)
42	20	4	5	3	0		10	10
41	19	4	4	3	1		10	9
40	18	4	3	3	2		10	8
39	17	4	2	3	3		10	7
38	16	4	1	3	4		10	6
37	15	4	0	3	5		10	5
36	14	3	4	2	1	1	10	4
35	13	3	3	2	2	2	10	3
34	12	3	2	2	3	3	10	2
33 and -	REPECHAGE	X	NB brackets with X athletes	Y	NB brackets with Y athletes	Lucky Losers	Qualified (2 first of each race) (first of each race)	ELIMINATED
33	21	4	3	3	3		12	9
32	20	4	2	3	4		12	8
31	19	4	1	3	5		12	7
30	18	4	0	3	6		12	6
29	17	3	5	2	1		12	11
28	16	3	4	2	2		12	10
27	15	3	3	2	3	3	12	3

26	14	3	2	2	4	4	12	2
25	13	3	1	2	5	5	12	1
24	12	3	0	2	6	6	12	0

In case of DNS or DQB in Round 1, the progression to the Repechages will be run according to the initial number of athletes ranked and/or progressing after the Kayak Cross individual Time Trial. (e.g. Scenario= 38 athletes ranked in Kayak Cross individual Time Trial and 1 athlete DNS in Round 1 => meaning 37 athletes at the start. The Repechage will be run according to the row n°38 of the Table 3)

The seeding for the Repechage will be done according to the Kayak Cross individual Time Trial rank as in the table below.

Table 4 Seeding for Repechage

34 and + athletes ranked after the <u>Kayak Cross individual Time Trials</u> (numbers in the table correspond to the remaining top seeds after Round 1)				
Repechage / Bib color	Red	Green	Blue	Yellow
Race 2.1	1	6	15	20
Race 2.2	2	7	14	19
Race 2.3	3	8	13	18
Race 2.4	4	9	12	17
Race 2.5	5	10	11	16

33 and - athletes ranked after the <u>Kayak Cross individual Time Trials</u> (numbers in the table correspond to the remaining top seeds after Round 1)				
Repechage / Bib color	Red	Green	Blue	Yellow
Race 2.1	1	7	18	
Race 2.2	2	8	17	
Race 2.3	3	9	16	
Race 2.4	4	10	15	21
Race 2.5	5	11	14	20
Race 2.6	6	12	13	19

Following the Qualification Phase run in format B, the ranking will be processed as below:

- first, all the Athletes who qualified directly from the Round 1,
- followed by Athletes who qualified via Repechage,
- followed by eventual Lucky losers,
- followed by Eliminated athletes after Repechage,
- followed by DNS and DQB in Repechage
- followed by DNS and DQB in Round 1
- followed by the athletes not selected after the Kayak Cross individual Time Trials

Remark: athletes being DNF, DSQ, DNS and DQB in the Kayak Cross individual Time Trial are listed but not ranked.

Within each previously identified group (Round 1, Repechage, Lucky losers or Eliminated athletes ...), athletes will be ranked first according their race rank then based on their original Kayak Cross individual Time Trial rank.

Eg. this means that in Round 1 all first placed Athletes of each race will be ranked by their Kayak Cross individual Time Trial rank above all second placed Athletes of each race. The process is similar for Repechage, Lucky losers, and Eliminated groups until all places are filled.

All other rules as outlined in Chapter 16, but not specifically covered in this appendix, apply during Round 1 and Repechage.

~~APPENDIX 7 — Kayak Cross event format at the Olympic Games~~

~~At the Olympic Games, the Kayak Cross Qualification phase must be run with Round 1 and Repechage as described in the Appendix 6.~~

~~The Elimination phase must be run according to the bracket table described in the Appendix 8-B.~~

~~The Elimination phase will include a small final for each event (WX1 and MX1). The small final will be held between the Semifinals and the Final according the bracket table described in the Appendix 8-D.~~

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APPENDIX 8 – Kayak Cross bracket tables

The progressions from the Kayak Cross Qualification phase to the brackets of the Elimination Phase will be as follows:

- If the Qualification phase is run in Format A (see Appendix 6), refer to sub-appendix 8-A
- If the Qualification phase is run in Format B (see Appendix 6), refer to sub-appendix 8-B
- If the Elimination phase is run with a Small Final, refer to sub-appendix 8-C

8-A Brackets for Elimination phase after Kayak Cross individual Time Trial only

Number of Participants	Progressing from Qualification Phase	1 st Round	Number per bracket	Bracket Table
32 +	32	Heats	4	A
31 -- > 24	24	Heats	3	B
23 -- > 16	16	Quarter finals	4	C
15 -- > 12	12	Quarter finals	3	D
11 -- > 8	8	Semi final	4	E
7 -- > 6	6	Semi Final	3	F
5 -- > 4	4	Final	4	G
3	3	Final	3	G
Less than 3	No event			

8-B Brackets for Elimination phase after Qualification phase Format B

Number of Ranked athletes after the Time Trials	Progressing from Qualification Phase	1 st Round	Number per bracket	Bracket Table
34 +	32	Heats	4	A
33 -	24	Heats	3	B

8-C Brackets for Small Final

In case of a Small Final in the Elimination phases, the progression from the two Semifinals to the brackets of the Small Final will be as follows:

Progressing from Semifinals	Round	Number per bracket	Bracket Table
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4	Small Final	4	H
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8-D List of Brackets

Bracket example A

32 boats qualify from the Qualification Phase

Heats			Quarterfinals			Semifinals			Final		
HEAT 1 (H1)			Quarterfinal 1 (QF1)			Semifinal 1 (SF1)			Final (F)		
Bib n°	Color		Bib n°	Color		Bib n°	Color		Bib n°	Color	
1st in Qualification	R	1	1st in H1 or H2	R	lowest bib	1st in QF1 or QF2	R	lowest bib	1st in SF1 or SF2	R	lowest bib
16th in Qualification	G	16	1st in H1 or H2	G	highest bib	1st in QF1 or QF2	G	highest bib	1st in SF1 or SF2	G	highest bib
17th in Qualification	B	17	2nd in H1 or H2	B	lowest bib	2nd in QF1 or QF2	B	lowest bib	2nd in SF1 or SF2	B	lowest bib
32nd in Qualification	Y	32	2nd in H1 or H2	Y	highest bib	2nd in QF1 or QF2	Y	highest bib	2nd in SF1 or SF2	Y	highest bib
HEAT 2 (H2)			Quarterfinal 2 (QF2)			Semifinal 2 (SF2)					
8th in Qualification	R	8	1st in H3 or H4	R	lowest bib	1st in QF3 or QF4	R	lowest bib			
9th in Qualification	G	9	1st in H3 or H4	G	highest bib	1st in QF3 or QF4	G	highest bib			
24th in Qualification	B	24	2nd in H3 or H4	B	lowest bib	2nd in QF3 or QF4	B	lowest bib			
25th in Qualification	Y	25	2nd in H3 or H4	Y	highest bib	2nd in QF3 or QF4	Y	highest bib			
HEAT 3 (H3)			Quarterfinal 3 (QF3)								
5th in Qualification	R	5	1st in H5 or H6	R	lowest bib						
12nd in Qualification	G	12	1st in H5 or H6	G	highest bib						
21st in Qualification	B	21	2nd in H5 or H6	B	lowest bib						
28th in Qualification	Y	28	2nd in H5 or H6	Y	highest bib						
HEAT 4 (H4)			Quarterfinal 4 (QF4)								
4th in Qualification	R	4	1st in H7 or H8	R	lowest bib						
13th in Qualification	G	13	1st in H7 or H8	G	highest bib						
20th in Qualification	B	20	2nd in H7 or H8	B	lowest bib						
29th in Qualification	Y	29	2nd in H7 or H8	Y	highest bib						
HEAT 5 (H5)											
3rd in Qualification	R	3									
14th in Qualification	G	14									
19th in Qualification	B	19									
30th in Qualification	Y	30									
HEAT 6 (H6)											
6th in Qualification	R	6									
11th in Qualification	G	11									
22nd in Qualification	B	22									
27th in Qualification	Y	27									
HEAT 7 (H7)											
7th in Qualification	R	7									
10th in Qualification	G	10									
23rd in Qualification	B	23									
26th in Qualification	Y	26									
HEAT 8 (H8)											
2nd in Qualification	R	2									
15th in Qualification	G	15									
18th in Qualification	B	18									
31st in Qualification	Y	31									

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Bracket example B

24 boats qualify from the Qualification Phase

Heats

HEAT 1 (H1)	Bib n°	Color
1st in Qualification	1	R
16th in Qualification	16	G
17th in Qualification	17	B

HEAT 2 (H2)	Bib n°	Color
8th in Qualification	8	R
9th in Qualification	9	G
24th in Qualification	24	B

HEAT 3 (H3)	Bib n°	Color
5th in Qualification	5	R
12nd in Qualification	12	G
21st in Qualification	21	B

HEAT 4 (H4)	Bib n°	Color
4th in Qualification	4	R
13th in Qualification	13	G
20th in Qualification	20	B

HEAT 5 (H5)	Bib n°	Color
3rd in Qualification	3	R
14th in Qualification	14	G
19th in Qualification	19	B

HEAT 6 (H6)	Bib n°	Color
6th in Qualification	6	R
11th in Qualification	11	G
22nd in Qualification	22	B

HEAT 7 (H7)	Bib n°	Color
7th in Qualification	7	R
10th in Qualification	10	G
23rd in Qualification	23	B

HEAT 8 (H8)	Bib n°	Color
2nd in Qualification	2	R
15th in Qualification	15	G
18th in Qualification	18	B

Quarterfinals

Quarterfinal 1 (QF1)	Bib n°	Color
1st in H1 or H2	lowest bib	R
1st in H1 or H2	highest bib	G
2nd in H1 or H2	lowest bib	B
2nd in H1 or H2	highest bib	Y

Quarterfinal 2 (QF2)	Bib n°	Color
1st in H3 or H4	lowest bib	R
1st in H3 or H4	highest bib	G
2nd in H3 or H4	lowest bib	B
2nd in H3 or H4	highest bib	Y

Quarterfinal 3 (QF3)	Bib n°	Color
1st in H5 or H6	lowest bib	R
1st in H5 or H6	highest bib	G
2nd in H5 or H6	lowest bib	B
2nd in H5 or H6	highest bib	Y

Quarterfinal 4 (QF4)	Bib n°	Color
1st in H7 or H8	lowest bib	R
1st in H7 or H8	highest bib	G
2nd in H7 or H8	lowest bib	B
2nd in H7 or H8	highest bib	Y

Semifinals

Semifinal 1 (SF1)	Bib n°	Color
1st in QF1 or QF2	lowest bib	R
1st in QF1 or QF2	highest bib	G
2nd in QF1 or QF2	lowest bib	B
2nd in QF1 or QF2	highest bib	Y

Semifinal 2 (SF2)	Bib n°	Color
1st in QF3 or QF4	lowest bib	R
1st in QF3 or QF4	highest bib	G
2nd in QF3 or QF4	lowest bib	B
2nd in QF3 or QF4	highest bib	Y

Final

Final (F)	Bib n°	Color
1st in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	R
1st in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	G
2nd in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	B
2nd in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	Y

Bracket example C

16 boats qualify from the Qualification Phase

Quarterfinals	Semifinals	Final
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Quarterfinal 1 (QF1)	Bib n°	Color
1st in Qualification	1	R
8th in Qualification	8	G
12nd in Qualification	12	B
16th in Qualification	16	Y

Semifinal 1 (SF1)	Bib n°	Color
1st in QF1 or QF2	lowest bib	R
1st in QF1 or QF2	highest bib	G
2nd in QF1 or QF2	lowest bib	B
2nd in QF1 or QF2	highest bib	Y

Quarterfinal 2 (QF2)	Bib n°	Color
4th in Qualification	4	R
5th in Qualification	5	G
9th in Qualification	9	B
13rd in Qualification	13	Y

Final (F)	Bib n°	Color
1st in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	R
1st in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	G
2nd in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	B
2nd in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	Y

Quarterfinal 3 (QF3)	Bib n°	Color
3rd in Qualification	3	R
6th in Qualification	6	G
10th in Qualification	10	B
14th in Qualification	14	Y

Semifinal 2 (SF2)	Bib n°	Color
1st in QF3 or QF4	lowest bib	R
1st in QF3 or QF4	highest bib	G
2nd in QF3 or QF4	lowest bib	B
2nd in QF3 or QF4	highest bib	Y

Quarterfinal 4 (QF4)	Bib n°	Color
2nd in Qualification	2	R
7th in Qualification	7	G
11th in Qualification	11	B
15th in Qualification	15	Y

Bracket example D

12 boats qualify from the Qualification Phase

Quarterfinals			Semifinals			Final		
Quarterfinal 1 (QF1)			Semifinal 1 (SF1)			Final (F)		
Rank in Qualification	Bib n°	Color	Rank in QF1 or QF2	Bib n°	Color	Rank in SF1 or SF2	Bib n°	Color
1st in Qualification	1	R	1st in QF1 or QF2	lowest bib	R	1st in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	R
8th in Qualification	8	G	1st in QF1 or QF2	highest bib	G	1st in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	G
12nd in Qualification	12	B	2nd in QF1 or QF2	lowest bib	B	2nd in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	B
			2nd in QF1 or QF2	highest bib	Y	2nd in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	Y
Quarterfinal 2 (QF2)			Semifinal 2 (SF2)					
Rank in Qualification	Bib n°	Color	Rank in QF3 or QF4	Bib n°	Color			
4th in Qualification	4	R	1st in QF3 or QF4	lowest bib	R			
5th in Qualification	5	G	1st in QF3 or QF4	highest bib	G			
9th in Qualification	9	B	2nd in QF3 or QF4	lowest bib	B			
			2nd in QF3 or QF4	highest bib	Y			
Quarterfinal 3 (QF3)								
Rank in Qualification	Bib n°	Color						
3rd in Qualification	3	R						
6th in Qualification	6	G						
10th in Qualification	10	B						
Quarterfinal 4 (QF4)								
Rank in Qualification	Bib n°	Color						
2nd in Qualification	2	R						
7th in Qualification	7	G						
11th in Qualification	11	B						

Bracket example E

8 boats qualify from the Qualification Phase

Semifinals			Final		
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Semifinal 1 (SF1)		
	Bib n°	Color
1st in Qualification	1	R
4th in Qualification	4	G
5th in Qualification	5	B
8th in Qualification	8	Y

Final (F)		
	Bib n°	Color
1st in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	R
1st in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	G
2nd in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	B
2nd in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	Y

Semifinal 2 (SF2)		
	Bib n°	Color
2nd in Qualification	2	R
3rd in Qualification	3	G
6th in Qualification	6	B
7th in Qualification	7	Y

Bracket example F

6 boats qualify from the Qualification Phase

Semifinals			Final		
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Semifinal 1 (SF1)		
	Bib n°	Color
1st in Qualification	1	R
4th in Qualification	4	G
5th in Qualification	5	B

Final (F)		
	Bib n°	Color
1st in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	R
1st in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	G
2nd in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	B
2nd in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	Y

Semifinal 2 (SF2)		
	Bib n°	Color
2nd in Qualification	2	R
3rd in Qualification	3	G
6th in Qualification	6	B

Bracket example G

3-4 boats qualify from the Qualification Phase

Final		
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Final (F)		
	Bib n°	Color
1st in Qualification	1	R
2nd in Qualification	2	G
3rd in Qualification	3	B
4th in Qualification	4	Y

Less than 3 boats no event.

Bracket example H

4 boats from the Semifinals for Small Final



2		
Semifinal 1 (SF1)	Bib n°	Color
1st in QF1 or QF2	lowest bib	R
1st in QF1 or QF2	highest bib	G
2nd in QF1 or QF2	lowest bib	B
2nd in QF1 or QF2	highest bib	Y

Small Final (F)	Bib n°	Color
3rd in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	R
3rd in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	G
4th in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	B
4th in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	Y

Final (F)	Bib n°	Color
1st in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	R
1st in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	G
2nd in SF1 or SF2	lowest bib	B
2nd in SF1 or SF2	highest bib	Y

Semifinal 2 (SF2)	Bib n°	Color
1st in QF3 or QF4	lowest bib	R
1st in QF3 or QF4	highest bib	G
2nd in QF3 or QF4	lowest bib	B
2nd in QF3 or QF4	highest bib	Y

