



25m PISTOL
WOMEN, WOMEN JUNIOR
INDIVIDUAL COMPETITION
Valid as of 01.01.2022

GENERAL INFORMATION (Format of the Event)	
Discipline	25m Pistol
Type of Event:	Individual
Name of Events	25m Pistol Women 25m Pistol Women Junior 25m Pistol Men Junior
Stages	Qualification: One or more relay dependent on the number of entries. Finals Stage: Consists of two parts. Final Part 1: Consists of two relays to reduce the finalists from 8 to 4. Final Part 2: Consists of a Medal Match to decide all three medals.
Targets	Electronic Scoring Targets for all stages.
Ranges	A 25m range must be used for all relays. Qualification will take place on the Qualification range. Finals will take place in the Finals Hall or on a designated Finals range.
Scoring	Qualification 25m Pistol: Full ring (integer) scoring Qualification scores are not carried forward to the Finals Stages Finals Stage Hit/Miss. Hit zone is 10.2 or higher
QUALIFICATION STAGE	
Qualification procedure	
Call to Line	Athletes will be called to the line thirteen (13) minutes before the scheduled Start time for each relay.
Preparation and Sighting	Three (3) minutes Preparation time in both precision and rapid stage, followed by one (1) sighting series in each stage.
Course of fire	Thirty (30) shots precision stage and thirty (30) shots rapid stage.
Subsequent relays	If there is more than one Qualification relay, there must be a fifteen (15) minute break before athletes on subsequent relays are called to the line to

<p>CRO Commands</p> <p>Call to the Line</p> <p>CRO Commands</p>	<p>allow athletes to remove their equipment and for the RTS Jury to check the targets and reface if necessary.</p> <p><i>13 minutes before the published Start time of the Match:</i> “Athletes to the line”.</p> <p><i>Five (5) minutes allowed for athletes to set-up equipment on their allocated firing points.</i></p> <p>“Three minutes preparation time, Start”. <i>After 2 minutes 30 seconds, “30 seconds”</i>. <i>After 3 minutes, “End of preparation time”</i>.</p> <p><i>After 30 seconds “Sighting series, load”</i> the athlete must prepare herself within one (1) minute by loading a magazine with the correct number of cartridges.</p> <p>After the command “UNLOAD” is given at the end of a sighting or MATCH series, there must be a pause of one (1) minute before the Chief Range Officer gives the command “LOAD” to start the next series;</p> <p>Firing will begin on the appropriate command or signal; the signals for EST are the red and green lights.</p> <p>For each stage all athletes must complete the Precision Stage before the Rapid-Fire Stage may begin;</p>
<p>Number of athletes to Qualify</p>	<p>The top eight (8) athletes in the Qualification stage will progress to the Finals Stage</p>
<p>Tie breaking</p>	<p>Tied scores between any eighth placed athletes to progress to the Finals Stage will be decided by ISSF Countback Rule 6.15.1</p>
<p>FINALS STAGE – Part 1</p>	
<p>Finals Stage Procedure</p> <p>Firing point allocation</p>	<p>Final Part 1 will take place over two relays with four athletes in each.</p> <p>Firing points will be numbered A, B, R1, C, D for the first relay and E, F, R2, G, H for the second relay.</p> <p>Four (4) athletes will compete in each of the two relays.</p> <p>Athletes will be allocated to each relay based on their placing in the Qualification.</p> <p>Athletes ranked 1st, 3rd, 5th and 7th in Qualification will shoot in Relay 1 and will be allocated firing points A, B, C, and D respectively.</p> <p>Athletes ranked 2nd, 4th, 6th and 8th in Qualification will shoot in Relay 2 and will be allocated firing points E, F, G and H respectively.</p>

Reporting for Finals	<p>Team Leaders are responsible for presenting their Finalists to the Preparation Area, and reporting to the Jury, complete with all their shooting equipment needed for the Final, at least 30 minutes before the scheduled Start Time of Relay 1.</p> <p>Finalists must report with their equipment, competition clothing and a national team uniform that must be worn in the Victory Ceremony. Finalists must be dressed in their competition clothing and have only the required shooting equipment. Jury Members and Range Officers, including Equipment Control, must complete their pre-competition checks in the Preparation Area during this period.</p>
Equipment set-up time	<p>All athletes and coaches must be allowed to place their equipment on the firing points at least 20 minutes before the start of Relay 1. They must return to the preparation area not later than 15 minutes before the Start. Athletes from Relay 2 may take their pistols (pistols only) back to the preparation area so as to do aiming exercises while waiting for their relay.</p> <p>No Pistol cases or equipment containers may be left on the Finals range Field of Play (FOP).</p>
CRO commands	<p>Finalists must be ready to walk in nine (9) minutes before the Start time. An assistant must make sure that Finalists are assembled in the correct order and must indicate to the CRO that they are ready.</p> <p>“Finals Range Ready“ Athletes for both Relays will enter the FOP one at a time. As each athlete enters the FOP the Announcer will introduce them to the spectators. They must stand in front of their designated firing points, facing the audience, and remain in that position until all have been presented, including the Jury Member in Charge and the Chief Range Officer.</p> <p>When all introductions have been made: “Take your positions”. Athletes in Relay 1 will take their positions on the firing point. Athletes in Relay 2 will return to the preparation area.</p> <p><i>After fifteen (15) seconds for athletes to take positions the CRO will command:</i> “2 Minutes Preparation Time – Start After 2 minutes “End of Preparation - LOAD” <i>Athletes have one (1) minute to load two (2) magazines. Only one (1) “Load” command is given before the start of the SIGHTING series. During the entire Final, athletes may continue to load magazines as required.</i></p> <p><i>One (1) minute after the command “Load”, the CRO will command “Sighting Series...Ready”. Following this command athletes are permitted to place magazines in their pistols and prepare to fire.</i></p> <p><i>15 seconds after the command “Ready”, the CRO will command “Attention” and turn on the red lights. Athletes must bring their pistols to the READY position (Rule 8.7.2). After seven (7) sec., the green lights will come on for the three (3) second sighting series. After the series is completed, the CRO will command “STOP”.</i></p> <p>The Announcer makes no comment regarding sighting series</p>

<p>Announcer</p>	<p><i>The targets will be switched from sighting to match.</i></p> <p><i>After the Technical Officer signals that the targets are ready, the CRO will command "FIRST SERIES...READY." After this command, athletes are allowed to place magazines in their pistols and prepare to fire. 15 seconds after "READY" command, the CRO will command "ATTENTION" and turn on the red light. Athletes must bring their pistols to the READY position (Rule 8.7.2). After seven (7) seconds, the green lights will come on for the first three (3) second rapid-fire exposure. After the five (5) shot series is completed, the CRO will command "STOP".</i></p> <p>The Announcer should make brief comments on the number of hits and the current ranking as the match progresses.</p> <p>The CRO will repeat the above commands for the remainder of the Relay procedure.</p>
<p>Shooting procedure</p> <p>Scoring</p> <p>Two lowest ranked athletes eliminated</p> <p>Tied scores</p> <p>CRO Commands</p>	<p>Four athletes start from zero and fire four (4) series of five (5) shots in rapid stage of 7/3 seconds for each shot.</p> <p>All athletes fire on command together.</p> <p>After four (4) series (20 shots) the two lowest ranking athletes are eliminated and the remaining two athletes will proceed to the Medal Match. The two eliminated athletes will be ranked 5th or 8th depending on their ranking in Qualification compared with the athletes eliminated in relay 2.</p> <p>If at any stage in either Relay there is a tie for the lowest ranking athlete to be eliminated, the tied athletes will fire additional tie breaking series until the tie is broken.</p> <p>If there are no protests, the CRO will command: "The First Relay is decided"</p> <p>All athletes should insert their safety flags and place their pistols on the table or bench then withdraw from the line and sit on their allocated seats at the rear or side of the FOP.</p> <p>The Announcer should make appropriate comments and name the two athletes who will progress to the Medal Match.</p> <p>"Athletes for the Second Relay to the line"</p> <p>Athletes from relay 2 will take their positions on their allocated firing points.</p> <p>The changeover should take a maximum time of five (5) minutes.</p> <p>When all athletes are at the firing line, the CRO will start the second Relay by commanding:</p> <p>"Take your Positions" <i>After fifteen (15) seconds for athletes to take positions the CRO will command:</i> "2 Minutes Preparation Time – Start" After 2 minutes "End of Preparation - LOAD"</p> <p>The Second Relay will be conducted in the same way as the First Relay</p>

	<p><i>After the Technical Officer signals that the targets are ready, the CRO will command "FIRST SERIES...READY." After this command, athletes are allowed to place magazines in their pistols and prepare to fire. 15 seconds after "READY" command, the CRO will command "ATTENTION" and turn on the red light. Athletes must bring their pistols to the READY position (Rule 8.7.2). After seven (7) seconds, the green lights will come on for the first three (3) second rapid-fire exposure. After the five (5) shot series is completed, the CRO will command "STOP".</i></p> <p>Shooting procedure All four athletes will start from zero and fire four (4) series of five (5) shots in rapid stage of 7/3 seconds for each shot, on command in a repeat of the first part of the Semi-Finals. Scoring will use the hit/miss principle, with the hit zone being 10.2 or higher.</p> <p>4th place decided After four (4) series (20 shots) the athlete with the lowest number of hits is eliminated. 4th place is decided.</p> <p>Bronze medal decided The three remaining athletes fire two further series. After a total of six series (30 shots), the lowest scoring athlete will be awarded the Bronze medal and will take her allocated seat on the FOP.</p> <p>Gold / Silver medals The two remaining athletes fire two further series. After a total of eight (8) series (40 shots) the gold and silver medals are decided.</p>
<p>Tied Scores</p> <p>Timeout during Medal Match</p>	<p>If at any stage in the Medal match there is a tie for the lowest ranking athlete to be eliminated, the tied athletes will fire additional tie breaking series until the tie is broken.</p> <p>If there are no ties or protests, the CRO will command:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">"STOP...UNLOAD - THE RESULTS ARE FINAL"</p> <p>A Range Officer must verify that gun actions are open with safety flags inserted, magazines removed and are empty.</p> <p>A Coach or athlete may request a "Timeout" by raising a hand whilst the announcements are being made after the completion of a series.</p> <p>A "Timeout" may be requested by each athlete once only during the Medal Match. The Coach may approach and speak to his athlete on the firing line for a maximum time of thirty (30) seconds.</p> <p>If a "timeout" is requested by one athlete, a Coach of the other athletes may also approach and speak to their athlete at the same time. This does not affect the opportunity of the other athletes to subsequently request their own "timeout".</p> <p>Timings will be controlled by the Jury Member in Charge.</p>
<p>Presentation of medallists</p>	<p>The Jury Member in Charge will organize the three medalists to line up for photographs and the Announcer will present them individually. Athletes may hold their pistols after insertion of safety flags.</p> <p>"The Bronze medallist is:</p> <p>"The Silver medallist is:</p>

	“The Gold medallist is:
Ready Position	If the Competition Jury determines that an athlete raises her arm too soon, or does not lower it sufficiently, the athlete must be penalized by a deduction of two (2) hits in that series (Green Card). In a Final, no warning will be given. In case of a second violation in a Final, the athlete must be Dis-qualified (Red Card). To decide a READY position violation, at least two Competition Jury Members must give a sign (e. g. raising a flag or card) showing that an athlete raised her arm too quickly before a penalty or dis-qualification is imposed.
Malfunctions in Finals	<p>Only one (1) malfunction will be allowed for each athlete throughout the Finals stages.</p> <p>Athletes may be allowed one (1) minute to repair or replace a malfunctioning firearm to permit the Final to continue without unnecessary delay.</p> <p>As soon as the firearm has been repaired or replaced the athlete must complete the interrupted series.</p>
Music & audience support	During the Qualification rounds and Finals Stages, music should be played, which must be approved by The Technical Delegate. Enthusiastic audience support is encouraged and recommended during all Final stages
Penalties	Any penalties will be applied according to ISSF rules.
Irregular cases	ISSF General Technical Rules will apply to matters not mentioned in the above paragraphs. The Jury will decide irregular or disputed matters according to General Technical Rules for each event.
National identification (Dress-Code):	Athletes must wear shooting clothes consistent with the ISSF Dress Code (Rule 6.20)