2011 World Target Team Trials

Qualification System and Selection Process

July 2 - 10, 2011 - Torino Italy

2011 World Target Championship Selection Events

2011 World Target Trials Gator Cup April 21–24, 2011

First Nomination Shoot - WTT1 Newberry, FL

2011 World Target Trials Gold Cup May 12 - 15, 2011

Second Nomination Shoot - WTT2 Bloomfield, NJ

1. 2011 World Target Trials - WTT1 & WTT2 - Event Formatting

WORLD TARGET TEAM TRIALS #1:

Gator Cup April 21 - 24, 2011

April 21 Day One: Official Practice

April 22 Day Two: 144 Arrow Qualification Round

FITA / 50m.

Top 8 archers per category advance to World

Target Trials #1& #2

April 23 Day Three am: Gator Cup OR Matches

Day Three pm: World Team Trials #1 - 3 Matches

April 24 Day Four: World Team Trials #1 - 4 Matches

WORLD TARGET TEAM TRIALS #2:

Gold Cup May 12 - 15, 2011

May 12 Day One: Official Practice

May 13 Day Two: 144 Arrow Qualification Round

FITA / 50 m.

Points awarded to Top 8 archers from WTT1

May 14 Day Three am: Gold Cup OR Matches

Day Three pm: World Team Trials #2 - 3 Matches

May 15 Day Four World Team Trials #2 - 4 Matches

2. Selection Events for the World Target Championships Team - WTT1 & WTT2

RECURVE ARCHERS

- 2.1 FITA Qualification Round RECURVE ARCHERS
 - 2.1.1 For each of the Nomination Shoots, a FITA Round will be shot and points will be allocated to the Top 8 places, according to Table 1:

Table 1:

<u>Ranking</u>	<u>Points</u>
1	5.0
2	4.0
3	3.0
4	2.5
5	2.0
6	1.5
7	1.0
8	0.5

- 2.1.2 A tie in points following the FITA Round will be broken with a single arrow shoot-off, in accordance with FITA Rules 7.6.5.1.
- 2.1.3 The FITA Round of the first Nomination Shoot WTT 1, will have the effect of reducing the number of archers to the top 8 in each category.
 - 2.1.3.1 Only the top 8 archers from the first Nomination Shoot, per category will be eligible to proceed to the World Team Trials.
- 2.1.4 The Top 8 archers from WTT1 will receive Ranking Round Placement Points as outlined in Table 1 above.
- 2.1.5 During WTT2, the top 8 archers from WTT1 will be ranked against each other and receive Ranking Round Placement Points per Table 1 above.
- 2.2 Ranking Round Bonus Points RECURVE ARCHERS
 - 2.2.1 Men and women recurve archers will be awarded Bonus Points for Ranking Round Scores from each Nomination Shoot based on Table 2 & 3:

Table 2: WOMEN

<u>Scores</u>	Bonus Points
1340+	2.0
1325 - 1339	1.5
1310 - 1324	1.0

Table 3: MEN

Scores	Bonus Points	
1350+	2.0	
1335 - 1349	1.5	
1320 - 1334	1.0	

2.3 Round Robin Matches - RECURVE ARCHERS

- 2.3.1 During each Nomination Shoot, archers in each category will compete in Round Robin Matches.
- 2.3.2 In each of the Round Robin Matches, each archer will shoot against each other archer once.
- 2.3.3 Each recurve match will be conducted using the Set-Play System using three arrow ends as per FITA Rules 4.5.1.4
 - 2.3.3.1 Timing for three arrow ends will be 120 seconds per end.
- 2.3.4 Ties will be broken using a single arrow shoot-off procedure in accordance with FITA Rules 7.5.5.
 - 2.3.4.1 Timing for shoot-offs will be 40 seconds per arrow as per FITA Rules 7.5.5.2.
- 2.3.5 For each of the matches, 1 point will be awarded for a win and 0 points for a loss.
- 2.3.6 If an archer withdraws from the Round Robin Matches after competition has commenced, all remaining archers will receive a win bonus point for the match shot against the withdrawn archer, regardless of whether they won or lost the match against the withdrawn archer.

2.4 Three Arrow End Average - RECURVE ARCHERS

- 2.4.1 Following the series of seven matches in WTT1 & WTT2, archers will be ranked and awarded points according to their Three Arrow End Average
- 2.4.2 Three Arrow End Scores will be recorded for each match against other archers, per category, in Round Robin Match Play.
 - 2.4.2.1 The Three Arrow End Average will be rounded to the thousandth place.
- 2.4.3 End scores shot during bye matches will not be calculated in the Three Arrow End Average.
- 2.4.4 Points will be allocated according to the archer's Three Arrow End Average Ranking, as shown in Table 4:

Table 4:

<u>Ranking</u>	<u>Points</u>
1	5.0
2	4.0
3	3.0
4	2.5
5	2.0
6	1.5
7	1.0
8	0.5

- 2.4.5 In the event of a tie in the Three Arrow End Average, a single arrow shoot-off will be shot in accordance with FITA Rules 7.5.5.
 - 2.4.5.1 Timing for shoot-offs will be 40 seconds per arrow as per FITA Rules 7.5.5.2

2.5 Team Selection - Available Points - RECURVE ARCHERS

2.5.1 Archers will be ranked by adding the total Ranking and Bonus Points during WTT1 and WTT2 Competitions.

2.5.2 WTT1 - First Nomination Shoot Points

•	Ranking Round Placement Points from the FITA Round	Max. of 5 points
•	Ranking Round Bonus Points	Max. of 2 points
•	Round Robin Bonus Points for wins (+1 ea.)	Max. of 7 points
•	Arrow Set Score Average Ranking Points	Max. of 5 points

2.5.3 WTT2 - Second Nomination Shoot Points

•	Ranking Round Placement Points from the FITA Round	Max. of 5 points
•	Ranking Round Bonus Points	Max. of 2 points
•	Round Robin Bonus Points for wins (+1 ea.)	Max. of 7 points
•	Arrow Set Score Average Ranking Points	Max. of 5 points

2.5.4 WTT Total Points Available

•	WTT1 - First Nomination Shoot Total Points	19 Points
•	WTT2 - Second Nomination Shoot Total Points	19 Points

WTT Total Cumulative Points

38 Points

- 2.5.5 WTT Total Cumulative Points from the Nomination Process will decide the nominees to the World Target Championships Team.
- 2.5.6 In the event of a tie in the WTT Total Cumulative Points between archers, the tie will be broken using a Set-Play System Match, three arrow ends.
- 2.5.7 The top three archers in each category following the completion of the Nomination Process will be selected to the US Team for the 2011 World Target Championships.
- 2.5.8 All archers selected to the USA Archery 2011 World Target Championships Team, plus the alternate, must stay for a meeting with the Team Leader immediately after the selection has concluded.
- 2.5.9 Top three recurve archers, plus the alternate qualifying from the 2011 World Target Championships will be required to attend the 2011 World Cup, Stage 2 (June 6-11) in preparation for the 2011 WTC (July 2-10).
- 2.5.10 In the event that a recurve archer is unable to compete for the US Team at the 2011 World Cup, Stage 2 or the 2011 World Target Championships, USA Archery will select the next available archer based on the final ranking order in their respective category from the 2011 World Team Trials.

3. Selection Events for the World Target Championships Team - WTT1 & WTT2

COMPOUND ARCHERS

3.1 50m. Qualification Round - COMPOUND ARCHERS

3.1.1 For each Nomination Shoot, a 144 Arrow Qualification Round at 50 meters will be shot and points will be allocated to the Top 8 places, according to Table 5:

Table 5:

<u>Ranking</u>	<u>Points</u>
1	5.0
2	4.0
3	3.0
4	2.5
5	2.0
6	1.5
7	1.0
8	0.5

- 3.1.2 A tie in points following the 144 Arrow Qualification Round will be broken with a single arrow shoot-off, in accordance with FITA Rules 7.6.5.1.
- 3.1.3 The 144 Arrow Qualification Round of the First Nomination Shoot, WTT1, will have the effect of reducing the number of archers to the top 8 in each category.
 - 3.1.3.1 Only the top 8 archers from the first Nomination Shoot, per category will be eligible to proceed to the World Team Trials.
- 3.1.4 The Top 8 archers from WTT1 will receive Ranking Round Placement Points as outlined in Table 1 above.
- 3.1.5 During WTT2, the top 8 archers from WTT1 will be ranked against each other and receive Ranking Round Placement Points per Table 5 above.

3.2 Ranking Round Bonus Points - COMPOUND ARCHERS

3.2.1 Men and women compound archers will be awarded Bonus Points for Ranking Round Scores from each Nomination Shoot based on Table 6 & 7:

Table 6: WOMEN

<u>Scores</u>	Bonus Points
1400+	2.0
1390 - 1399	1.5
1380 - 1389	1.0

Table 7: MEN

<u>Scores</u>	Bonus Points
1410+	2.0
1400 - 1409	1.5
1390 - 1399	1.0

3.3 Round Robin Matches - COMPOUND ARCHERS

3.3.1 During each Nomination Shoot, archers in each category will compete in Round Robin Matches.

- 3.3.2 In each of the Round Robin Matches, each archer will shoot against each other archer once.
- 3.3.3 Each compound match will be conducted using five ends, three arrows ends, cumulative scoring.
 - 3.3.3.1 Timing for three arrow ends will be 120 seconds per end.
- 3.3.4 Ties will be broken using a single arrow shoot-off procedure in accordance with FITA Rules 7.5.5.
 - 3.3.4.1 Timing for shoot-offs will be 40 seconds per arrow as per FITA Rules 7.5.5.2.
- 3.3.5 For each of the matches, 1 point will be awarded for a win and 0 points for a loss.
- 3.3.6 If an archer withdraws from the Round Robin Matches after competition has commenced, all remaining archers will receive a win bonus point for the match shot against the withdrawn archer, regardless of whether they won or lost the match against the withdrawn archer.

3.4 Three Arrow End Average - COMPOUND ARCHERS

- 3.4.1 Following the series of seven matches in Round Robin Matches, archers will be ranked and awarded points according to their Three Arrow End Average.
- 3.4.2 Three Arrow End Scores will be recorded for each match against other archers, per category, in Round Robin Match Play.
 - 3.4.2.1 The Three Arrow End Average will be rounded to the thousandth place.
- 3.4.3 End scores shot during bye matches will not be calculated in the Three Arrow End Average.
- 3.4.4 Points will be allocated according to the archer's Three Arrow End Average Ranking, as shown in Table 8:

Table 8:

Ranking	<u>Points</u>
1	5.0
2	4.0
3	3.0
4	2.5
5	2.0
6	1.5
7	1.0
8	0.5

- 3.4.5 In the event of a tie in the Three Arrow End Average, a single arrow shoot-off will be shot in accordance with FITA Rules 7.5.5.
 - 3.4.5.1 Timing for shoot-offs will be 40 seconds per arrow as per FITA Rules 7.5.5.2.

3.5 Team Selection - Available Points - COMPOUND ARCHERS

3.5.1 Archers will be ranked by adding the total Ranking and Bonus Points during WTT1 and WTT2 Competitions.

3.5.2 WTT1 - First Nomination Shoot Points

- Ranking Round Placement Points from 50m. Qual. Round Max. of 5 points
- Ranking Round Bonus Points Max. of 2 points
- Round Robin Bonus Points for wins (+1 ea.) Max. of 7 points
- Arrow Set Score Average Ranking Points
 Max. of 5 points

3.5.3 WTT2 - Second Nomination Shoot Points

- Ranking Round Placement Points from 50m. Qual. Round Max. of 5 points
- Ranking Round Bonus Points Max. of 2 points
- Round Robin Bonus Points for wins (+1 ea.) Max. of 7 points
- Arrow Set Score Average Ranking Points Max. of 5 points

3.5.4 WTT Total Points Available

- WTT1 First Nomination Shoot Total Points
 WTT2 Second Nomination Shoot Total Points
 19 Points
 - WTT Total Cumulative Points 38 Points
- 3.5.5 WTT Total Cumulative Points from the Nomination Process will decide the nominees to the World Target Championships Team.
- 3.5.6 In the event of a tie in the WTT Total Cumulative Points between archers, the tie will be broken using five ends, three arrow ends, cumulative scoring.
- 3.5.7 The top three archers in each category following the completion of the World Team Trials will be selected to the US Team for the 2011 World Target Championships.
- 3.5.8 All archers selected to the USA Archery 2011 World Target Championships Team, plus the alternate, must stay for a meeting with the Team Leader immediately after the selection has concluded.
- 3.5.9 In the event that a compound archer is unable to compete for the US Team at the 2011 World Target Championships, USA Archery will select the next available archer based on the final ranking order in their respective category from the 2011 World Team Trials.

4. Additional Rules Regarding 2011 World Target Championship Trials

RECURVE AND COMPOUND

- 4.1 FITA Rules apply to all portions of the 2011 World Target Championship Trials.
- 4.2 There will be no equipment failures during the Round Robin Matches.
- 4.3 Archers are responsible for ensuring their scores are correct. If a scoring mistake is discovered after bonus points are awarded, the score may not be considered in accordance with established USA Archery Scoring Procedures.
- 4.4 If an archer placing within the top 8 from the FITA Round is unable to continue, the next archer in the ranking place (9th, 10th, etc.) shall be included in the remaining portions of the event. This must take place prior to the start of the Round Robin Matches.
- 4.5 If an archer, for any reason, is unable to participate or continue in the Selection Event, the archer concerned shall be deemed to have abandoned the event.
- 4.6 Upon commencement of the Round Robin Matches the Ranking Round Score and Ranking Round Bonus Points are considered final.
- 4.7 Archer results and point totals are final upon the completion of each stage of the Selection Procedures.
- 4.8 USA Archery Event Protocol will be followed throughout the course of the Selection Event.
- 4.9 Archers participating in the World Team Trials will be required to sign a Declaration to Compete form for both Nomination Shoots.

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Two Event Trials Process – Held In conjunction with USAT Events

WTT 1 - GATOR CUP - APRIL 21 - 24, 2011		
Points Available - WTT1		Max Points
Ranking Round Place (8 archers)	5.0, 4.0, 3.0, 2.5, 2.0, 1.5, 1.0, 0.5	5 Points
Ranking Round Score Bonus Points	2.0, 1.5, 1.0	2 Points
Round Robin Win/Loss 7 Matches	7 Points	7 Points
6-Arrow Set Avg. from Round Robins	5.0, 4.0, 3.0, 2.5, 2.0, 1.5, 1.0, 0.5	5 Points

WTT1 Pts. 19 Points

WTT2 - GOLD CUP - MAY 12 - 15, 2011		
Points Available - WTT2		Max Points
Ranking Round Place (8 archers)	5.0, 4.0, 3.0, 2.5, 2.0, 1.5, 1.0, 0.5	5 Points
Ranking Round Score Bonus Points	2.0, 1.5, 1.0	2 Points
Round Robin Win/Loss 7 Matches	7 Points	7 Points
6-Arrow Set Avg. from Round Robins	5.0, 4.0, 3.0, 2.5, 2.0, 1.5, 1.0, 0.5	5 Points

WTT2 Pts. 19 Points

Total Selection Pts. 38 Points