

FEI Dressage World Ranking List Rules

Effective from 1 January 2021 – [Updated 22 June 2022](#).

- **General Principles**

The FEI Dressage World Ranking list is based on:

- Percentages, scored in international competitions under FEI rules.
- Each Grand Prix level result will count from each international CDI3/CDI4/CDI5*/CDI-W event. Consolation Grand Prix results (which have to be clearly marked in the schedule and result lists) will not be taken into account.
- Three results per event will count from CDIOs, Olympic Games and World and Continental Championship.
- Athletes may request a maternity leave or a medical leave providing the pregnancy/medical condition is certified in writing by a medical doctor; requests for maternity/medical leave must be addressed to the FEI Dressage Director. During the period which an Athlete has officially ceased to compete due to pregnancy or a medical condition, they will retain 50% of the Dressage World Rankings points earned from the corresponding month of the preceding year until they recommence competing internationally.

The minimum length of time for which an Athlete may be granted a maternity/medical leave is six months; if the maternity/medical leave lasts less than six months, no points will be retained from the corresponding month of the preceding year.

The maximum length of time an Athlete may benefit from a maternity/medical leave of absence at one time is twelve months.

During the period in which an Athlete is on maternity/medical leave, they may not compete in international or national Competitions; the FEI will inform the Athlete's NF accordingly. The Athlete concerned must inform the FEI Dressage Director when they resume international participation.

- **Calculation of the World Ranking List**

The FEI Dressage World Ranking list is calculated over a period of one year. FEI Dressage World Ranking list begins on 1 January each year with a carrying over of the total numbers of points accumulated during the previous year (i.e. as of 31 December).

At the end of each month the points earned during that month are added to the list. The points from the same month the previous year are dropped from the list.

The FEI Dressage World Ranking list is a ranking list of Horse/Rider Combination. The FEI Dressage World Ranking list takes into consideration the best results/percent scores of the Horse/Rider Combination.

- **Point System**

The scores obtained in a maximum of 8 tests per year will count. The points for the FEI Dressage World Ranking list are obtained by adding the 8 best scores of the last 12 months (expressed in World Ranking Points as under mentioned, the percentages will count with the first digit behind the comma, for example see World Ranking Points 160 - 170).

In the case of tie points the rider/horse combination with less counting results is in front of the other(s), if both have the same amount of counting results, the rider/horse combination with the best single result is in front of the other(s).

World Ranking Points	GP % Short GP %	GPS %	GPFS %
500	100	100	-
490	99	99	-
480	98	98	-
470	97	97	100
460	96	96	99
450	95	95	98
440	94	94	97
430	93	93	96
420	92	92	95
410	91	91	94
400	90	90	93
390	89	89	92
380	88	88	91
370	87	87	90
360	86	86	89
350	85	85	88
340	84	84	87
330	83	83	86
320	82	82	85
310	81	81	84
300	80	80	83
290	79	79	82
280	78	78	81
270	77	77	80
260	76	76	79
250	75	75	78
240	74	74	77
230	73	73	76
220	72	72	75
210	71	71	74

200	70	70	73
190	69	69	72
180	68	68	71

170		67		67	70
169		66,9		66,9	69,9
168		66,8		66,8	69,8
167		66,7		66,7	69,7
166		66,6		66,6	69,6
165		66,5		66,5	69,5
164		66,4		66,4	69,4
163		66,3		66,3	69,3
162		66,2		66,2	69,2
161		66,1		66,1	69,1
160		66		66	69

150	65	65	68
140	64	64	67
130	63	63	66
120	62	62	65
110	61	61	64
100	60	62	63
90	59	59	62
80	58	58	61
70	57	57	60
60	56	56	59
50	55	55	58

Bonus Points for results at:

Olympic Games:	40 Points
World Championships:	30 Points
Continental Championships (on GP Level) and World Cup™ Final:	20 Points
World Cup Qualifiers, CDIO3*, CDIO4*, CDIO5* and CDI5*:	10 Points
CDI4*	5 Points

- **Scores to count for the rankings**

At all CDI3/CDI4/CDI5*, CDIO and CDI-W events, judged by min. five judges of whom at least three are foreign, all results may count (Short GP, GP, GP Special, GP Freestyle)

At Olympic Games, World Championship and Continental Championship on GP-level three results per rider/horse may count (GP, GP Special, GP Freestyle)

N.B. No ranking points are given for consolation Grand Prix results.

- **Replacing of points**

At the end of each month the points earned during that month are added to the list. The points from the same month the previous year are dropped from the list.

- **Fairness**

~~The FEI has the right to accept reasonable exceptions to these FEI Dressage-World Ranking list Rules, in the interest of the riders and the sport in general. The FEI Dressage Committee may decide not to include the scores obtained at an event in the rankings, should the event not have been organized in accordance with general principle of fairness. The Executive Board should confirm the decision of the Dressage Committee.~~