

**CSI/CSIO REQUIREMENTS FOR NORTH AMERICA (CAN, MEX & USA)**  
**effective 1 January 2013** (CSI REQUIREMENTS WORLDWIDE)



Requirements	Amateur Owner (worldwide)	CSI + CSIO 1* + 2*	CSI + CSIO 3*	CSI + CSIO 4*	CSI + CSIO 5*
Prize Money (worldwide) For amounts in other currencies see Annex I attached.	No restrictions	1*: Max CHF 49'999 2*: CHF 50'000 – 149'999	CHF 150'000 – 249'999	CHF 250'000 – 499'999	CHF 500'000 and up
<p>Prize money cannot be cumulated from multiple Events at same venue on same date to establish star level. Events at same venue over several weekends are considered separate CSIs. CSI-5* maximum duration 5 days. For these Events, the star level of the Event will be determined by the combined prize money of maximum 12 Competitions per Event, instead of the overall prize money per Event.</p> <p>For CSIYH Events, the following applies with regard to calculation of prize money to determine the star level:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For stand-alone Events (e.g. CSI5* or CSIO3*) where only Athletes entered for the CSI or CSIO may participate in the YH Competitions, the prize money for the CSIYH is included in the overall amount to establish the star level of the Event;</li> <li>For stand-alone Events (e.g. CSI5* or CSIO3*) where additional Athletes are invited to participate in the YH Competitions, the prize money for the CSIYH is not included in the overall amount to establish the star level of the Event;</li> <li>For multiple Events held concurrently at the same venue, (e.g. CSI2*/CSIYJ-A/CSIAm-A/CSI5*) the prize money for the CSIYH does not count in the overall amount to determine the star level for any one of the Events.</li> </ul>					
Prize money distribution	The announced prize money for each Competition must be distributed among the first 12 placed Athletes, regardless of the number of starters, according to one of the two charts attached as Annex II. The OC must state in the Schedule which of these two charts will be used. Additional created prizes for the 13 <sup>th</sup> placed to the last placed Athlete, to fulfil the quota of one prize per four starters, must be provided by the OC and the amount of each of these prizes must be stated in the Schedule. The additional prize money does not alter the star level of the Event or the Longines Rankings group of the Competition concerned.				
Combined CSIs/CSIOs (worldwide)	n/a	CSIs: Each level is considered a separate CSI. Horses entered in lower level cannot change to highest level at same Event. A CSI-1* or a CSI-2* may be held together with a CSIO. OCs organising such Events must have 2 arenas; one for the CSI and one for the CSIO. The CSIO horses may not take part in the CSI.			
Max. height of Obstacles (worldwide)	As per rules for Amateur Owners	CSI1*: 1.40m CSI2*: 1.45m Upon request FEI may grant dispensation to height restrictions. See note on p. 3 for conditions.	According to rules	According to rules	According to rules
FEI Horse passport (worldwide)	Required for Cat. A	Required for all horses	Required	Required	Required
Maximum entry fee per horse <b>VAT incl. (stabling included)</b>	€ 1500.-	CSI: 4% of total PM CSIO: max € 500	CSI: 3% of total PM CSIO: max € 500	CSI: 2% of total PM CSIO: max € 500	CSI: 1% of total PM CSIO: max € 500
Starting fee Nomination fee	A Nomination Fee and a starting fee may be charged.				

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Bedding – Shavings	CSI: All bedding will be charged CSIO: n/a	CSI: All bedding will be charged CSIO: All bedding free	CSI: All bedding will be charged CSIO: All bedding free	CSI: All bedding will be charged CSIO: All bedding free	CSI: \$50 per horse credit, then will be charged CSIO: All bedding free
Maximum manure disposal fee	€ 40.- per horse	€ 40.- per horse For Events at same venue over consecutive weekends (“Tours”) max. € 40 per horse may be charged for the first Event of the Tour and max. € 20 per horse may be charged for each subsequent Event.	€ 40.- per horse	€ 40.- per horse	€ 40.- per horse
Max. N° of starters per Competition	<p>Maximum 100 starters per Competition other than the GP (see below). If more than 100 starters are entered, the OC must split the class and provide the equivalent amount of prize money for the additional Competition. OCs may apply either of the following methods for splitting the Competition:</p> <p>The competition is split into two groups before it starts. There may be a different number of starters in each group. There may be athletes with multiple horses in each group but all horses of any one athlete must be in the same group.</p> <p>or</p> <p>The competition is run as one single competition and split afterward into two groups and the classification established as follows: the athlete with the best score is the winner of the first group, the athlete with the second best score is the winner of the second group and so on until prizes have been allocated to 25% of the total number of starters. <i>NB: In this case separate results must be sent to the FEI for each of the two groups, e.g. results for Competition 1a and for Competition 1b.</i></p> <p>In both cases above each group must offer the same amount of prize money as indicated for the original Competition.</p>				
Max. number of starters in Grand Prix	100	CSI + CSIO: 100 If 30 starters or less in the GP, OC may allow each athlete to ride 2 horses.	CSI: 100 / CSIO: 60 If 30 starters or less in the GP, OC may allow each athlete to ride 2 horses.	CSI: 100 / CSIO: 50 If 30 starters or less in the GP, OC may allow each athlete to ride 2 horses.	CSI/CSIO: 50 (one horse per athlete)
Minimum Number of Competitions counting for Longines Rankings points	n/a	CSI1*: 0 CSIO1*: min. 1 CSI2*/CSIO2*: min. 2	CSI/CSIO: min. 2	CSI/CSIO: min. 3	CSI/CSIO: min. 4
Meals for Grooms	At own expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense
Meals for Athletes	At own expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense
Accommodation for Grooms	At own expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense (if requested with entries)	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense (if requested w/ entries)	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense (if requested w/ entries)	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense (if requested w/ entries)

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Accommodation for Athletes	At own expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense	CSI: At own expense CSIO: At OC expense
Footing ( <u>worldwide</u> )	According to minimum standard				
Stabling ( <u>worldwide</u> )	According to minimum standard Boxes minimum 3m x 3m (min. 9m <sup>2</sup> ) + 20% boxes min. 12m <sup>2</sup> for larger horses				
Border crossing expenses	CSI: n/a CSIO: According to FEI General Regulations & Jumping Rules				
Invitation System	CSI: Open to all, as specified in the approved Schedule CSIO: as per Jumping Rules Art. 249.3				

NB for new CSI-5\* Events (worldwide): OCs without proven experience at organising FEI high level Events must first successfully organise a CSI-4\* at the same venue before permission to host a 5\* Event will be granted. Prize money for the new CSI5\* must be secured by a deadline established by the FEI prior to the Event. Permission to host a new CSI5\* without first organising a CSI4\* at the same venue may be granted, upon application from the NF of the OC, to OCs with proven experience at organising FEI high level Events. For new CSI5\* Events, and/or for new OCs of existing CSI5\* Events, the FEI reserves the right to appoint a Technical Delegate to visit the venue prior to the Event, at the OC's expense, to ensure the organisation and infrastructure meet the technical standards for a CSI5\* before the Event will be accepted in the calendar. At the discretion of the Jumping Committee, the same may apply to new CSI4\* Events. CSI5\* Events may not clash with the FEI World Cup™ Final; CSI5\* Events may not clash with any FEI World Cup™ Western European League Event unless the Organising Committees involved are in agreement.

Height restrictions for CSI1\* and CSI2\* Events: In countries hosting numerous CSI3\* and higher level Events exemptions for the maximum height of obstacles at CSI1\* and CSI2\* Events will only be granted for sporting reasons, not for prize money reasons. If NFs need an exemption in order to provide their Athletes with the opportunity to obtain Certificates of Capability, an exemption will be granted, but if NFs that regularly host CSIs of 3\* level and higher wish to organize Competitions at a height greater than 1.45m without offering minimum 3\* prize money an exemption will not be granted.

Following a hearing with the organiser, a warning may be issued by the FEI to organisers not respecting the above requirements and their names may be published. Further infringements by an organiser may result in the Event being deleted from the FEI calendar.

PM = prize money; b/fast = breakfast ; max. = maximum ; min. = minimum; n/a = not applicable

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<b>Annex I - Minimum / Maximum Prize Money Required for CSIs/CSIOs - 2013</b>						
<b>Events Category / Currency</b>	<b>Min/Max</b>	<b>CSI/CSIO1*</b>	<b>CSI/CSIO2*</b>	<b>CSI/CSIO3*</b>	<b>CSI/CSIO4*</b>	<b>CSI/CSIO5*</b>
<b>CHF</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	50'000	150'000	250'000	500'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	49'999	149'999	249'999	499'999	-
<b>EUR</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	39'000	117'500	196'000	392'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	38'999	117'499	195'999	392'499	-
<b>USD</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	54'500	164'000	273'000	546'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	54'499	163'999	272'999	545'999	-
<b>GBP</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	35'000	104'500	174'000	348'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	34'999	104'499	173'999	348'499	-
<b>CAD</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	54'500	163'500	272'500	544'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	54'499	163'499	272'499	544'499	-
<b>SEK</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	369'000	1'107'000	1'845'000	3'689'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	368'999	1'106'999	1'844'999	3'689'499	-
<b>AED</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	189'500	569'500	949'500	1'899'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	189'499	569'499	949'499	1'898'999	-
<b>ARS</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	252'500	757'000	1'262'000	2'524'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	252'499	756'999	1'264'999	2'523'999	-
<b>AUD</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	56'500	169'500	283'000	565'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	56'499	169'499	282'999	565'499	-

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<b>BHD</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	19'500	59'000	98'500	197'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	19'499	58'999	98'499	196'999	-
<b>BRL</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	94'500	284'000	473'500	946'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	94'499	283'999	473'499	946'499	-
<b>CZK</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	940'500	2'820'500	4'701'000	9'401'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	940'499	2'820'499	4'700'999	9'401'499	-
<b>DKK</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	292'000	876'000	1'460'000	2'920'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	291'999	875'999	1'459'999	2'919'999	-
<b>EEK</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	625'000	1'875'500	3'125'500	6'252'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	624'999	1'875'499	3'125'499	6'251'999	-
<b>JPY</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	4'237'000	12'712'000	21'186'500	42'373'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	4'236'999	12'711'999	21'186'499	42'372'999	-
<b>KRW</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	53'554'500	160'664'000	267'773'000	535'546'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	53'554'499	160'663'999	267'772'999	535'546'499	-
<b>KPW</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	7'650'000	22'952'000	38'253'000	76'507'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	7'649'999	22'951'999	38'252'999	76'506'999	-
<b>KZT</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	8'682'500	26'047'500	43'412'500	86'825'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	8'682'499	26'047'499	43'412'499	86'825'499	-

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<b>LTL</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	135'000	405'000	675'000	1'351'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	134'999	404'999	674'999	1'350'999	-
<b>MXN</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	673'000	2'019'500	3'365'000	6'731'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	672'999	2'019'499	3'364'999	6'730'999	-
<b>MYR</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	170'000	509'500	849'000	1'698'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	169'999	509'499	848'999	1'697'999	-
<b>NOK</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	314'500	943'000	1'571'500	3'143'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	314'499	942'999	1'571'499	3'143'499	-
<b>NZD</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	75'000	224'500	374'500	749'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	74'999	224'499	374'499	749'499	-
<b>PLN</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	156'000	467'000	778'500	1'557'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	155'999	466'999	778'499	1'556'999	-
<b>QAR</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	188'500	566'500	944'500	1'889'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	188'499	566'499	944'499	1'888'999	-
<b>SYP</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	2'634'500	7'904'500	13'174'000	26'348'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	2'634'499	7'904'499	13'173'999	26'348'499	-
<b>ZAR</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	391'000	1'173'000	1'955'000	3'910'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	390'999	1'172'999	1'954'999	3'909'999	-

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<b>GTQ</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	455'500	1'367'500	2'279'500	4'558'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	455'499	1'367'499	2'279'499	4'558'499	-
<b>THB</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	1'940'500	5'822'000	9'703'500	19'407'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	1'940'499	5'821'999	9'703'499	19'407'499	-
<b>CNY</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	419'000	1'256'500	2'094'000	4'188'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	418'999	1'256'499	2'093'999	4'188'499	-
<b>COP</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	95'055'000	285'170'000	475'285'000	950'570'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	95'054'999	285'169'999	475'284'999	950'569'999	-
<b>IDR</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	495'040'000	1'485'140'000	2'475'240'000	4'950'485'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	495'039'999	1'485'139'999	2'475'239'999	4'950'484'999	-
<b>KGS</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	2'538'000	7'614'000	12'690'500	25'380'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	2'537'999	7'613'999	12'690'499	25'380'499	-
<b>TND</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	83'500	250'000	416'500	833'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	83'499	249'999	416'499	833'499	-
<b>UZS</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	100'000'000	300'000'000	500'000'000	1'000'000'000
	<b>2013 max</b>	99'999'999	299'999'999	499'999'999	999'999'999	-
<b>VEF</b>	<b>2013 min</b>	-	229'500	688'500	1'148'000	2'295'500
	<b>2013 max</b>	229'499	688'499	1'147'999	2'295'499	-

**ANNEX II - Standardised Prize Money Distribution**

**Chart 1:** Prize money distribution with **25%** of prize money offered to the winner

N° of starters	up to 11	12-48		over 48	
N° of prizes	Same as the number of starters who finish the Competition	12		more than 12	
Prize money	40'000.-	40'000.-		40'000.-	
		%		%	
winner	All Athletes having completed the Competition receive prize money, to be distributed according to the percentages at right from the 1 <sup>st</sup> placed to the last placed Athlete. The remaining prizes, i.e. the prizes foreseen up to 12 <sup>th</sup> place, are then distributed in descending order starting again with the 1 <sup>st</sup> placed Athlete until there are no more prizes to be distributed.  See examples below*.	25	10'000.-	25	10'000.-
2		20	8000.-	20	8000.-
3		15	6000.-	15	6000.-
4		10	4000.-	10	4000.-
5		7	2800.-	7	2800.-
6		5.5	2200.-	5.5	2200.-
7		4	1600.-	4	1600.-
8		3	1200.-	3	1200.-
9		3	1200.-	3	1200.-
10		2.5	1000.-	2.5	1000.-
11		2.5	1000.-	2.5	1000.-
12		n/a	2.5	1000.-	2.5
total	40'000	100	40'000.-	100	40'000
*Examples:				OC must provide additional prizes for the remaining placed Athletes to fulfil quota of one prize per four Athletes. The amount to be given to each of these Athletes must be stated in the Schedule.	
<p><b>5 Athletes:</b> winner gets prize for 1<sup>st</sup> (25%) and the other Athletes get the relevant percentages down to the last Athlete, i.e. 5<sup>th</sup> place (7%). The prize for 6<sup>th</sup> (5.5%) is then given to the winner, the prize for 7<sup>th</sup> (4%) is given to the 2<sup>nd</sup> placed Athlete, the prize for 8<sup>th</sup> (3%) is given to the 3<sup>rd</sup> placed Athlete, the prize for 9<sup>th</sup> (3%) is given to the 4<sup>th</sup> placed Athlete and the prize for 10<sup>th</sup> (2.5%) is given to the 5<sup>th</sup> placed Athlete. The prize for 11<sup>th</sup> (2.5%) is then given to the 1<sup>st</sup> place Athlete and the prize for 12<sup>th</sup> (2.5%) is given to the 2<sup>nd</sup> placed Athlete.</p> <p><b>10 Athletes:</b> winner gets prize for 1<sup>st</sup> (25%) and 11<sup>th</sup> (2.5%), second placed gets prize for 2<sup>nd</sup> (20%) and 12<sup>th</sup> (2.5%); the remaining Athletes receive the prize money for their placing as per the percentages from 3<sup>rd</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> place.</p>					



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**Chart 2:** Prize money distribution with **33%** of prize money offered to the winner

N° of starters	up to 11	12-48		over 48	
N° of prizes	Same as the number of starters who finish the Competition	12		more than 12	
Prize money	40'000	40'000.-		40'000.-	
		%		%	
winner	All Athletes having completed the Competition receive prize money, to be distributed according to the percentages at right from the 1 <sup>st</sup> placed to the last placed Athlete. The remaining prizes, i.e. the prizes foreseen up to 12 <sup>th</sup> place, are then distributed in descending order starting again with the 1 <sup>st</sup> placed Athlete until there are no more prizes to be distributed.  See examples below*.	33	13'200	33	13'200
2		20	8000	20	8000
3		15	6000	15	6000
4		10	4000	10	4000
5		6	2400	6	2400
6		4.5	1800	4.5	1800
7		3	1200	3	1200
8		2.5	1000	2.5	1000
9		2	800	2	800
10		2	800	2	800
11		1	400	1	400
12		n/a	1	400	1
total	40'000	100	40'000	100	40'000
*Examples:				OC must provide additional prizes for the remaining placed Athletes to fulfil quota of one prize per four Athletes. The amount to be given to each of these Athletes must be stated in the Schedule.	
<p><b>5 Athletes:</b> winner gets the prize for 1<sup>st</sup> (33%) and the other Athletes get the relevant percentages down to the last Athlete, i.e. 5<sup>th</sup> place (6%). The prize for 6<sup>th</sup> (4.5%) is then given to the winner, the prize for 7<sup>th</sup> (3%) is given to the 2<sup>nd</sup> placed Athlete, the prize for 8<sup>th</sup> (2.5%) is given to the 3<sup>rd</sup> placed Athlete, the prize for 9<sup>th</sup> (2%) is given to the 4<sup>th</sup> placed Athlete and the prize for 10<sup>th</sup> (2%) is given to the 5<sup>th</sup> placed Athlete. The prize for 11<sup>th</sup> (1%) is then given to the 1<sup>st</sup> placed Athlete and the prize for 12<sup>th</sup> (1%) is given to the 2<sup>nd</sup> placed Athlete.</p> <p><b>10 Athletes:</b> winner gets prize for 1<sup>st</sup> (33%) and 11<sup>th</sup> (1%), second placed gets prize for 2<sup>nd</sup> (20%) and 12<sup>th</sup> (1%); the remaining Athletes receive the prize money for their placing as per the percentages from 3<sup>rd</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> place.</p>					

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