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Tournament regulations

World Cup - Nuremberg 2022

International rating tournament Stage 6 of the World Cup

individual competitions, men, women and pairs

29. October 2022 - individuals / 30. October 2022 - doubles

1. Goals and Objectives

- 1.1. Popularization of Novuss in the world and in [Germany](#) as a healthy way of life and an interesting sport. Sports accessible to people with disabilities and without.
- 1.2. Consolidation of novuss games and sports in the international community.
- 1.3. Increasing sportsmanship among novuss players.

2. Time and Place

Place	: Nuremberg exhibition center Parking: Große Str. 2, 90471 Nuremberg See also Attachment 2
Google maps	: https://goo.gl/maps/vNBdtZYi1b34WFLu9
Time	: 29th - 30th October 2022 Starting at 10:00 am
Registration	: from 8:00 am till 9:30 am
Award ceremony	: first day winners: 30. October at 10:00 Second day winners: 30. October after final round
Application	: 14 st of October 2022



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3. Competition Guide

On behalf of FINSO, the competition will be hosted by the **Organizing Committee** of the tournament set by the [German Novuss Sport Federation \(DNSV\)](#) and local authorities. The following Organizing Committee, approved by FINSO and [DNSV](#), will coordinate and conduct the competition.

The consent of the national federation of novuss with holding an "International Rating Tournament" means that FINSO has the priority and the right of VETO for any decisions related to the organization and conduct of international rating tournaments. The Organizing Committee of the tournament undertakes to provide, upon the request of FINSO, any information related to the organization and conduct of the tournament.

The composition of the Organizing Committee of the tournament:

Tournament Coordinator	:	Kaspars Paegle	+49 162 2364714
Chief referee	:		
Deputy chief referee	:	Stephan Birkel Felix Oertel	
Referee in the "Field", delegated from the participating countries	:	Will be appointed by the chief referee upon arrival at the tournament and will be written	into the final protocol

4. Events and Participants

Competitions are held in accordance with the 2008 FINSO Rules of the Game approved by FINSO and [DNSV](#) for these competitions. To be eligible to participate in the main competitions (individual competitions, men, women and doubles) players, over 14 years old, must represent the national novuss federation and comply to tournament organisation rules and tournament regulations. If there is no youth tournament, the decision on the participation of players under the age of 14 in the main competitions is taken by FINSO and the Tournament Organizing Committee with the consent of the player's parents. Young people play only in one tournament of the current game day.

The number of participants in the competition **is not limited**.

The delegation of each country that contain more than three players has to delegate one referee (participation in the competitions is allowed).

In the individual competition players can play in the following disciplines: men, women.

In the pairs competitions players can play in the discipline of [men`s](#) and [mixed doubles](#).

[Players and accompanying persons need to have changeable shoes.](#)



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Athletes with disabilities may take part in the tournament in agreement with FINSO and the Organizing Committee of the tournament.

In the competition, enthusiasts of the Novuss or a game similar to the Novuss take part, from the countries where Novuss or a game similar to it develops.

The participation in the competition of players from countries not included in FINSO is allowed. The decision on the number of such players and the "flag" that they will represent, takes FINSO considering the opinion of the Organizing Committee of the tournament. In controversial situations, the decision is taken by the Presidency of FINSO. This procedure is valid until the country is recognized as a temporary or permanent member of FINSO.

5. Registration Fee

5.1 The amount of the registration fee for the tournament participants:

Day of competition	For players of the main tournament	For juniors (not older than 18)	For people with disabilities
First day of the competition (individuals)	24 €	14 €	14 €
First and second day of the competition	29 €	19 €	19 €
Second day of the competition from each player	10 €		

Each player (with no exceptions) pays additional **5 €** directed to the **prize pool of competition** and 1 € directed to the prize pool of the final tournament of current year.

Day of competition	For players of the main tournament	For juniors (not older than 18)	For people with disabilities
First day of the competition (individuals)	6 €		

On behalf of FINSO:

* protocol №20 from 28.01.2015, each player (with no exceptions) pays additional 1 €. Funds directed to the prize pool of the final tournament of current year.

* protocol No. 29 from 18.11.2016, the Tournament Organizing Committee must transfer FINSO the amount of 10% (**but not less than 2.4 €**) of the contribution from each individual competition player, not included in the preferential category specified in paragraph 5.2. the standard provisions of international rating tournaments.



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5.2 The following are exempt from the registration fee: members of the board of FINSO or the heads of national delegations (one person from each country).

5.3 The organising committee of the tournament pays for the work of referee:

- first day, three persons: chief referee + 2 assistants,
30+2*20 EUR (70 EUR total)
- second day, two persons: chief referee + 1 assistant.
30+20 EUR (50 EUR total)

The tournament organisation committee is able to define additional groups (categories) of players to be released from the registration fee **and at its own expense.**

5.4. Tournament applications must be handed over by head of the national delegation no later than **14** calendar days prior to the tournament start date or not later than the **14 st of October 2022.**

We can provide free entry to the exhibition complex only for participants who submitted applications in accordance with the regulations and at the specified time. Each participant will receive a link for registration and information on how to register.

Each registered participant will receive individual registration key to receive tickets for days free of charge, when competitions are held. Everyone must download the tickets online, before the event. We will have no possibility to help you locally during the event.

5.5. The registration fee has to be handed over to the organising committee of the tournament by the head of national delegation.

5.6. The registration fee corresponds to the number of players listed in the previously filed application.

5.7. In case one or more players cancel their participation in the competitions after application has been submitted, the registration fee is not reimbursed (money is not returned).

5.8. The head of the national delegation is responsible for handing over of above defined financial funds to the organising committee of the tournament.

5.9. If after receiving of the application, but not later than 24 hours before the start of the tournament, players are added to the national delegation, it must be approved by the organising committee of the tournament. In this case the player must pay 20% higher registration fee.

Catering is not included in the registration fee. Participants will have the opportunity to visit catering establishments on site.

6. The procedure for determining the winner

Competitions are held in accordance with the 2008 FINSO Rules of the Game approved by FINSO for these competitions.



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6.1. The system of the competition is determined by FINSO and the organizing committee of the tournament, depending on the number of players.

6.1.1. If the number of players is 22 and more, the “Swiss-system” with **9 rounds is used (due to exhibition, time for competitions is limited). Each round has time limit: 45 minutes.**

6.1.2. With the number of players from 15 to 21 (inclusive), the competition is held in two rounds, qualifying and final, which are played according to the "round robin". The total number of rounds of the competition varies from 10 to 12.

6.1.3. If the number of players is ≤ 14 , "round robin" is used.

6.1.4. For the doubles tournament the “Swiss-system” with six (6) rounds is used.

6.2. Independent of the used system, from 4 to 6 (doubles from 3 to 4) sets are played. The victory is awarded for winning in 4 (doubles 3) sets. If each player has won 3 (doubles) sets - the game ends in a draw.

For the victory the player get one (1) point, for the draw - 0.5 point, for the loss - 0 points.

6.3. The winner is the player who scores the most points.

To determine the winner between two players or pairs with the equal number of points, a replay with seven sets for individuals and five sets for doubles will be organised. In all the rest cases the winner is defined as follows.

6.3.1. while playing a "round-robin" system:

6.3.1.1. Sonneborn-Berger score (adding the sum of the scores of the players he/she has defeated and half of the scores of those he/she has drawn);

6.3.1.2. Smuljan coefficient (difference between the sum of the scores of the players he/she has defeated and the sum of the scores of the players he/she has lost);

6.3.1.3. number of wins;

6.3.1.4. head to head meetings.

6.3.2. while playing on the “Swiss-system”:

6.3.2.1. Buchholz coefficient (adding the scores of each opponent);

6.3.2.2. Incomplete Buchholz coefficient – Buchholz - Hi, Lo (average rating of the opponents minus the highest and the lowest rated player.);

6.3.2.3. Sonneborn-Berger coefficient;

6.3.2.4. Position of players on the international rating FINSO over the past four (4) years.

7. Awarding Ceremony

Participants who took 1, 2, 3 places are awarded with prizes (cups), diplomas, commemorative medals. In doubles, couples who get 1, 2, 3 places are awarded, and each participant of the pair - the prize winner receives a prize (cup).

In some nominations, determined by the Organizing Committee of the tournament, participants are awarded with valuable prizes.

All participants will receive commemorative medals.



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How will be shared the money pool of competition between the participants (relevant for following disciplines of **competition of the first day: men, women**):

≤ 100 participants per discipline	> 100 participants per discipline
1. Place: 50%	1. Place: 40%
2. Place: 30%	2. Place: 25%
3. Place: 20%	3. Place: 20%
	4. Place: 10%
	5. Place: 5%

Money pool is formed separately for each discipline.

Guaranteed money pool per discipline is **100 € (if the number of participants is < 20)**.

8. Conditions of Participation

Participants are responsible for all costs related to their transportation, accommodation and participation in the competition.

Inventory will be provided by the **Organizing Committee**. Each participant must have a striker and a cue. All players and visitors must wear **indoor shoes**.

9. Dress code - recomendaions

Each player's attire must always meet the level of the competition and be clean, proper and in good condition. Please do your part to enhance the image of our sport by following our recommendations. If possible, the clothing of a team should be uniform.

All players and visitors must wear indoor shoes. Beach shoes, house shoes and long boots are not allowed.

- **Men's proper dress includes** a regular collared shirt, polo shirt or t-shirt of any color and good taste. The shirt must have at least a short sleeve. Dress slacks, nice jeans, dress shorts or sport shorts (including nice denim) of any color can be used. Shoes must fit in the outfit. Sneakers and sandals are allowed.
- **Women's proper dress includes** a shirt, an elegant top, a blouse, a polo shirt or t-shirt of any color and good taste. The shirt must have at least a short sleeve. Dress slacks, nice jeans, dress shorts or sport shorts (including nice denim) of any color can be used. Shoes must fit in the outfit. Sneakers are allowed.

Female athletes may wear a skirt which must have appropriate length.

No singlet	No beach shouse, sandals, house shoes or long boots are allowed

In addition, there will be additional surprise prizes for the delegations with the most suitable outfit or the most uniform outfit.



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10. Applications

The responsible organisation of each participating country, including host country, sends the common application according to the agreed sample. The application must be sent to the Inventory will be provided by the Organizing Committee of the tournament and the FINSO secretary. Before the draw of the tournament all applications, including the application of the host country, shall be approved by the President of FINSO or designated representative of the president.

The head of the national delegation must provide the Inventory will be provided by the **Organizing Committee**, prior to the competition, the national anthem to be performed at the awards and/or opening ceremony.

Tournament applications must be handed over by head of the national delegation no later than **14** calendar days prior to the tournament start date or not later than the **14 st of October 2022**.

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Applications must be sent to:

E-mail:

Organizing Committee Kaspars Paegle, paeglek@gmail.com,

+49 1622364714

and

FINSO Secretariat - Vladimir Ivin: novussport@gmail.com

The payments must be made in euro € / EUR, prior to the competition.

The original applications delegating the players, signed and stamped by the head of the federation of the country, and an identity document must be submitted to credentials committee during registration **29th October from 8:00 am till 9:30 am** at the location of the competition.

The head of the delegation is responsible for the accuracy of the information specified in the application.

Accommodation our recommendation:

<https://tourismus.nuernberg.de/buchen/hotels/>

<https://www.booking.com/>

This regulation on the competition can serve as an invitation to the competition and the basis for issuing a visa to enter the **Germany**.

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Attachment 1



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The President LFN **Ainārs Pēčs**

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MALES

Number	Name and surname (Latin letters copied from international rating)	E-Mail	Date of birth	Represented country	Position (points) in the latest edition of the international rating	Participation	
						Day 1	Day 2
1.	Armuska Antons		13.04.64	LAT	38 (288,22)	x	x
2.							
3.							
4.							
5.							
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Women

Number	Name and surname (Latin letters copied from international rating)	E-Mail	Date of birth	Represented country	Position (points) in the latest edition of the international rating	Participation	
						Day 1	Day 2
1.							
2.							
3.							
4.							
5.							
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Attachment 2





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Arrival by public transport

The subway takes you in 8 minutes directly to the “Messe” station (direction Langwasser Süd). During exhibition there are twice as many subway trains in use on the U1 line between Nuremberg city center and the exhibition center than according to the annual timetable.

On Saturday and Sunday, from 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., there is a train at least every five minutes.



Nürnberg Hbf

U U1 Messe (Langwasser Süd)

^ 6 Stationen | 9 Minuten

Nürnberg Aufseßplatz

Nürnberg Maffeiplatz

Nürnberg Frankenstr.

Nürnberg Hasenbuck

Nürnberg Bauernfeindstr.



Nürnberg Messe