

## ARCHERY

### Medal Events

Male	Female	Mixed	Total
3	3	3	9
Individual W1 Ind. Compound Open Ind. Recurve Open	Individual W1 Ind. Compound Open Ind. Recurve Open	Team W1 Team Compound Team Recurve	

### Athlete Quota

Male	Female	Gender Free	Total
80	60	0	140

### Allocation of Qualification Slots

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC, not to an individual athlete. In the case of a Bipartite Commission Invitation the slot is allocated to the individual athlete, not to the NPC.

### Maximum Quota Allocation per NPC

An NPC may be allocated a maximum of thirteen (13) qualification slots. Exceptions apply for the highest ranked NPCs in certain medal events at the 2015 Para Archery World Championships. Qualification slots may be allocated as follows:

	Men			Women		
	Ind. W1	Ind. Comp.	Ind. Rec.	Ind. W1	Ind. Comp.	Ind. Rec.
Maximum per NPC	2	3	3	1	1	3
Maximum per NPC with 2015 Ind. World Champion	2	3	3	2	2	3
Maximum per NPC with 2015 Mixed Team World Champion	2	3	3	2	2	3

Exceptions may also be made via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.



## Athlete Eligibility

To be eligible for selection by an NPC, athletes must:

- Be internationally classified with either a 'Confirmed' sport class status or a 'Review' sport class status with a review date after 31 December 2016; and
- Have achieved one (1) of the following Minimum Qualification Standards (MQS) for their respective sport class between 1 July 2015 and 1 July 2016:

Minimum Qualification Standards	
Event	720 Round Score (70m or 50m round)
Men's Individual W1	575
Men's Ind. Compound Open	630
Men's Ind. Recurve Open	560
Women's Individual W1	500
Women's Ind. Compound Open	600
Women's Ind. Recurve Open	520

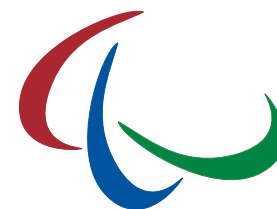
## Maximum Entry per NPC

An NPC can enter a maximum of three (3) eligible athletes per Individual medal event but not more than it has been allocated qualification slots in each Individual medal event. An NPC can enter a maximum of one (1) team comprised of one (1) eligible male and one (1) eligible female athlete. Team members are selected from the athletes who compete in the Individual events.

## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Qualification slots will be allocated according to the following matrix:

	Men			Women			Total
	Ind. W1	Ind. Comp.	Ind. Rec.	Ind. W1	Ind. Comp.	Ind. Rec.	
<b>2015 World Championships</b>	8	19	19	7	8	19	80
<b>2015 Asian Qualification</b>	1	2	2	1	1	2	9
<b>2015 Para Panamericans</b>	1	2	2	1	1	2	9
<b>2015 European Qualification</b>	1	2	2	1	1	2	9
<b>2016 Qualif. Tournament</b>	3	3	3	1	3	3	16
<b>Host Country</b>	1	1	1	1	1	1	6
<b>Bipartite</b>	1	3	3	0	1	3	11
<b>Total</b>	16	32	32	12	16	32	140



METHOD	QUALIFICATION	TOTAL												
<b>2015 Para Archery World Championships – Mixed Team Allocation</b>	The four (4) highest ranked Mixed Teams in each medal event will each obtain one (1) male and one (1) female qualification slot for their NPC.	12 male athletes  12 female athletes												
<b>2015 Para Archery World Championships - Individual Allocation</b>	<p>The highest ranked athletes in each Individual medal event will each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC up to the maximum quota and according to the following matrix:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="416 902 1010 1200"> <tbody> <tr> <td>Men's Individual W1</td> <td>4</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Men's Individual Compound</td> <td>15</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Men's Individual Recurve</td> <td>15</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual W1</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual Compound</td> <td>4</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual Recurve</td> <td>15</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>An NPC can obtain a maximum of two (2) qualification slots through this method (including those who have already obtained slots via the Mixed Team Allocation). NPCs who have obtained slots via the Mixed Team Allocation cannot obtain any slots from their team members in the respective Individual competition.</p>	Men's Individual W1	4	Men's Individual Compound	15	Men's Individual Recurve	15	Women's Individual W1	3	Women's Individual Compound	4	Women's Individual Recurve	15	34 male athletes  22 female athletes
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Women's Individual Recurve	15													
<b>2015 Continental Qualification Tournaments Allocation</b>	<p>The highest ranked athletes (not otherwise qualified) in each Individual medal event at each of the three 2015/16 Continental Qualification Tournaments will obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC up to the maximum quota and according to the following matrix:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="416 1704 1010 1995"> <tbody> <tr> <td>Men's Individual W1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Men's Individual Compound</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Men's Individual Recurve</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual W1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual Compound</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual Recurve</td> <td>2</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Men's Individual W1	1	Men's Individual Compound	2	Men's Individual Recurve	2	Women's Individual W1	1	Women's Individual Compound	1	Women's Individual Recurve	2	15 male athletes  12 female athletes
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	In case a Continental Qualification Tournament is not held or a medal event is not offered at a particular Continental Qualification Tournament, the qualification slot(s) will be allocated to the next highest ranked athlete(s) at the 2015 Para Archery World Championships (not otherwise qualified).													
<b>2016 World Qualification Tournament Allocation</b>	<p>The highest ranked athletes in each Individual medal event will each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC according to the following matrix:</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Men's Individual W1</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Men's Individual Compound</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Men's Individual Recurve</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual W1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual Compound</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual Recurve</td> <td>3</td> </tr> </table> <p>An NPC can obtain a maximum of one qualification slot per medal event at the 2016 World Qualification Tournament. The Tournament is open only to NPCs who have not obtained any qualification slot(s) per gender through the above allocation methods.</p>	Men's Individual W1	3	Men's Individual Compound	3	Men's Individual Recurve	3	Women's Individual W1	1	Women's Individual Compound	3	Women's Individual Recurve	3	<p>9 male athletes 7 female athletes</p>
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<b>Host Country Allocation</b>	Up to the maximum quota per event the Host Country directly qualifies one (1) athlete for each Individual medal event in which they enter at least one (1) athlete at the 2015 Para Archery World Championships. Any unused Host Country slot(s) will be allocated via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.	<p>3 male athlete 3 female athlete</p>												
<b>Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation</b>	<p>Bipartite Commission Invitation slots will be made available according to the following matrix:</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Men's Individual W1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Men's Individual Compound</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Men's Individual Recurve</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual W1</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual Compound</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Women's Individual Recurve</td> <td>3</td> </tr> </table>	Men's Individual W1	1	Men's Individual Compound	3	Men's Individual Recurve	3	Women's Individual W1	0	Women's Individual Compound	1	Women's Individual Recurve	3	<p>7 male athletes 4 female athletes</p>
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	To be considered for a Bipartite Commission Invitation, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to World Archery by 31 May 2016.	
<b>Total</b>		<b>80 male athletes</b> <b>60 female athletes</b>

## TIMELINE

1 July 2015	Start of the period for athletes to attain MQS performances
7-15 August 2015	Para Panamerican Games (Continental Qualification Tournament), Toronto, Canada
23-30 August 2015	Para Archery World Championships, Donaueschingen, Germany
10-19 Nov. 2015	Continental Qualification Tournament Asia, Bangkok, Thailand
2-10 April 2016	Continental Qualification Tournament Europe, St. Jean de Monts – Challans, France
30 April 2016	World Archery notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots obtained at World Championships and the three Continental Qualifiers
1 May 2016	Start of the Bipartite Commission Invitation application process
15 May 2016	NPCs confirm in writing to World Archery (email and fax are accepted) the use of allocated qualification slots from World Championships and the three Continental Qualifiers
27 May 2016	Deadline for Rio 2016 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs (“Accreditation Long List”)
31 May 2016	Deadline for NPCs to submit applications for Bipartite Commission Invitations
13-20 June 2016	World Qualification Tournament, Nove Mesto, Czech Republic
1 July 2016	End of the period for athletes to attain MQS performances



1 July 2016	World Archery notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots obtained at the World Qualification Tournament and Bipartite Invitations
15 July 2016	NPCs confirm in writing to World Archery the use of allocated qualification and Bipartite slots
22 July 2016	World Archery confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of all unused qualification and Bipartite Commission Invitation slots
15 August 2016	Deadline for Rio 2016 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

### **CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS**

By 15 July 2016 each NPC must confirm to World Archery in writing (fax and email are accepted) the number of qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not replied by this date will have lost their slots and World Archery may reallocate them.

By 22 July 2016 World Archery will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By 22 July 2016 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Rio 2016 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and World Archery.

### **REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS**

Any qualification slot obtained at the 2015 World Championships, at one of the three Continental Qualifiers, or at the 2016 World Qualification Tournament that is not used by an NPC will be reallocated to the next highest ranked athlete in the respective medal event (not otherwise qualified) at the 2016 World Qualification Tournament.

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