



INTERNATIONAL YOUNG PHYSICISTS' TOURNAMENT



Rules for New Team Participation

1. An organisation applying for IMO status ("IMO Candidate") must have an Endorser. The Endorser must be specified at the time of submitting its application for IMO status. One Endorser may endorse only one team nominated by the IMO Candidate at a time.
2. An Endorser must be a person who participated in at least one of the five most recent IYPTs, either as an observer, team member, team leader, or juror. The Endorser must take on the role of team leader for the team nominated by the IMO Candidate.
3. The EC nominates a Trustee within the EC for the IMO Candidate. Each Trustee may oversee a maximum of two organisations simultaneously.
4. The Endorser and the Trustee share joint responsibility for the decision regarding the participation of the IMO Candidate in the main Competition or as a guest team.
5. The IMO Candidate must have at least nine solutions to the current IYPT Problems prepared and at the disposal to the Trustee for review, meeting the minimum standards for Problem solutions, before the Competition:
 - a. At least four solutions must be prepared by the payment deadline,
 - b. Another five solutions must be prepared by the participant registration deadline.These solutions may be revised after they are made available to the Trustee.
6. Once the Trustee has inspected all nine solutions, the EC will review the application and decide on the team's participation in the main Competition.
7. If the applying team is not accepted to compete in the main Competition, it may still participate as a guest team.