

10.7 Specific World Championship rules concerning sport

10.7.1 Tracks

The oval track must be 250.00 m long, current FIPO rules apply, with an outer circumference of 271.69 m and an inner circumference of 246.56 m, and a minimum width of 4.00 m, following the drawings included. A gradient towards the inner side of the track (long sides and shorts sides between the curves) up to 3.75% and towards the inner side of the track in the curves up to 7.5% is allowed. The radius of the inner side of the curves must be 13 m, the radius of the outer side of the curves 17 m. The length of the long sides (between the curves) must be 70.44 m, the short sides (between the curves) 12 m. The fencing should be low and not disturbing horses or judges.

The pace track must be straight, 250 m long, even, firm and must have a width of at least 2 m per horse. The gradient over 100 m must not be more than 0,2% and there should be an approx. 8 m starting section and an approx. 50 m slowing down section. The fencing must extend 10 m beyond the finishing line. Both sides of the track must be fenced in exactly along the edge of the track. Furthermore, one of the sides should be fenced in by a second fence approximately 5-10 m behind the first, behind which the spectators will be standing during the race. Every 50 m there must be a clearly visible, but not distracting meter marker.

Next to the entrance of each track there shall be an area where riders can prepare their horses and a closed collecting area for the combinations to start.

The Chief Judge must approve the tracks and collecting area.

10.7.2 Teams

A national sport team can comprise of up to 7 rider/horse combinations and a reserve horse, a reserve rider or a reserve rider/horse combination. In addition, up to five extra eligible rider/horse combinations can be added to the team, provided that the extra riders are at least 16 years old and not more than 21 years old in the calendar year.

Riders can be divided in two age classes: Young Riders and other riders (adult class). Any rider at least 16 years old and not more than 21 years old in the calendar year has to decide before the start of the World Championships in which class he/she will participate. There is no right of change after the final registration of teams at the World Championships.

Only one horse per rider is allowed in the World Championships sport competitions. The rider/horse combination cannot be changed after the final entry. Excepted from this is when the reserve is entered in accordance with the rules.

Reigning World Champions in the young age class are allowed to defend their title at the succeeding World Championships provided they are still eligible to start in that age class. They participate under the same conditions as the other World Champions



19 Addendum 9: Drawings

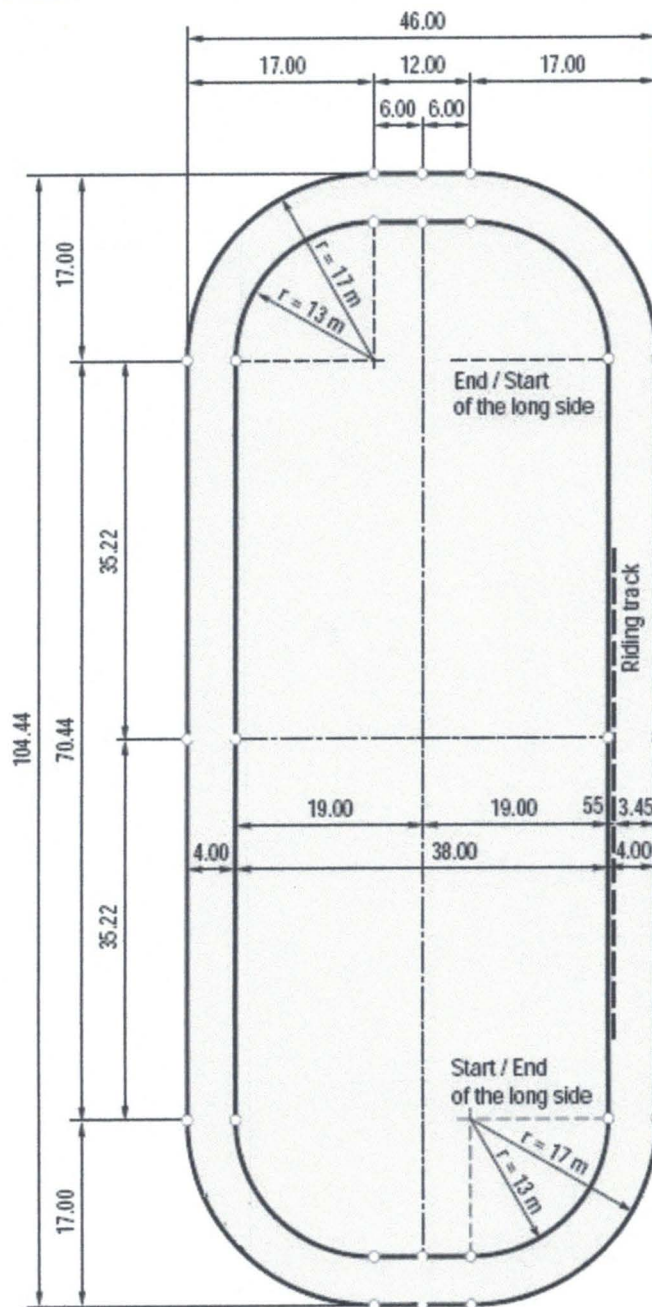
19.1 Oval track 250 m / 4 m

Riding track: 250.00 m

Outer circumference: 271.69 m

Inner circumference: 246.56 m

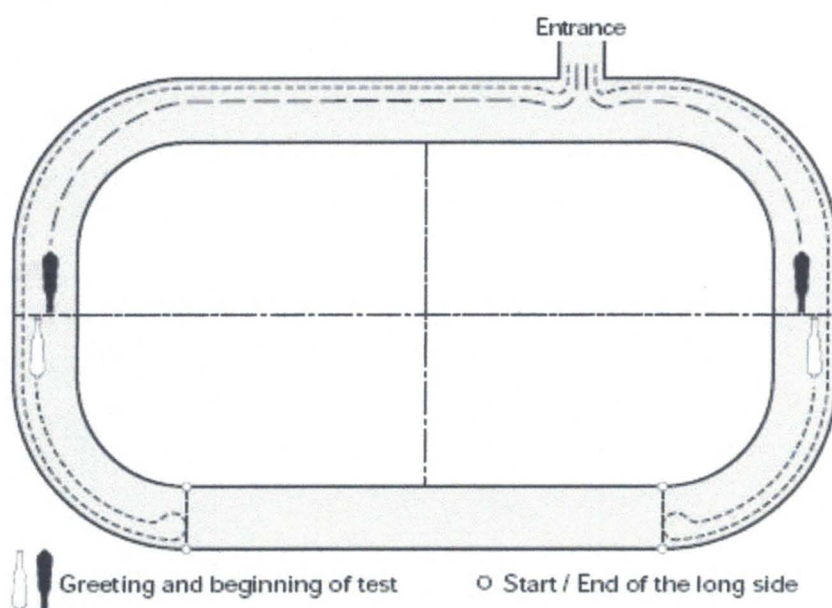
Width 4.00 m



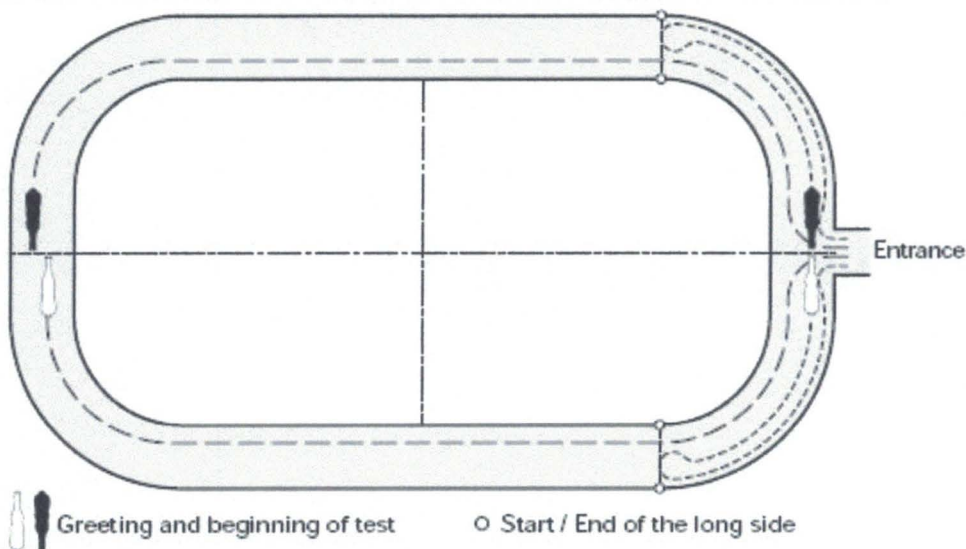
19.4 Entering the oval track and beginning of the test

Enter and follow the way of the oval track up to any of short sides. However, the end short side may not be passed without the rider beginning the test. The rider must greet judges visibly by nodding his/her head thus indicating his/her beginning the test.

Possibilities of entering and beginning the test with the entry being at the long side:



Possibilities of entering and beginning the test with the entry being at the short side:



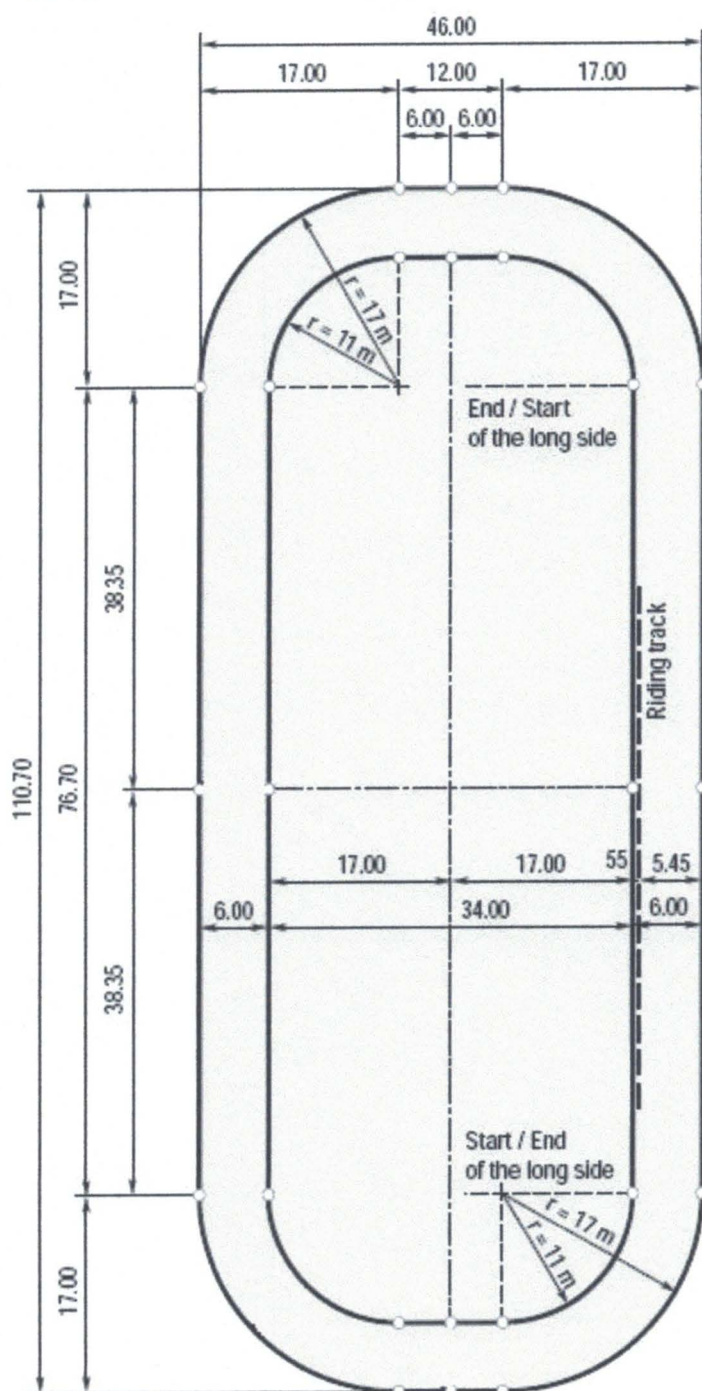
19.3 Oval track 250 m / 6 m

Riding track: 250.00 m

Outer circumference: 284.21 m

Inner circumference: 246.52 m

Width 6.00 m



19.6 Pace test

