

## WCSA Ratings

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I have put together a rating scheme worldwide. The ratings will be based on scores sent to the recorder.

Scores eligible to be used for the ratings can range from club run tournament shoots to World Championships. Each score will be weighted against the type of event.

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A club run tournament, ie with invitations, entry fees, medals or trophies, etc will be weighted 5

A national championship will be weighted 10

A regional championships will be weighted 15

A World Championships will be weighted 20.

The score will be multiplied by the weight value to calculate the points obtained. A score of 500 shot at the Tournament on a weekend will have a weight factor of 5. Therefore  $500 * 5 = 2500$ . Had that score of 500 been shot at a World Championships with a weight factor of 20, then the points are calculated with  $500 * 20 = 10,000$  points.

The more shoots you do, the more events you enter, the more scores you submit all equal the more points you obtain. The rating is based on the amount of points you have.

Also the point value decreases over time. Had that 10,000 points been shot in Adelaide in 2011, then the point value will be less than the same score being shot in Visby in 2013. This is calculated by using the current year and subtracting the year the score was shot and adding 1. ie  $2013 - 2011 = 2$ .  $2 + 1 = 3$ . So the 10,000 will be divided by 3 giving us a point value of 3,333.

At this stage there will be only 3 categories:

- Sport
- Medieval
- Target