



## **C TOURNAMENT SYSTEMES**

### **C/14 EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP 3-CUSHION CLUB TEAMS**

#### **Small tables**

##### **Art. 1. PARTICIPANTS**

**32** inscribed teams.

Each national federation has the right to inscribe 1 team, then free inscription.

##### **Art. 2. INSCRIPTION and PARTICIPATION of the TEAMS**

The inscriptions will be taken into account as follow:

1. Title holder
2. Representant of the organizer
3. First the teams inscribed by the federations. If the number doesn't reach the wanted teams, teams are joined according their inscription date.

##### **Art. 3. GENERAL RULES OF THE GAME**

Each team consists of 2 sportsmen.

The sportsmen will meet each other according their position.

Team A / Sportsman 1 (Rang 1) against Team B / Sportsman 1 (Rang 1).

The 2 matches of one encounter will be played together on 2 billiard tables.

The groups will be formed according to the Z system.

The teams with the same nationality will be, regardless of their position in the ranking, placed in different groups. The second team of the same nationality advance of a group.

The team scheduled to this place takes the place of the team that was put forward.

If a team withdraws or withdraws after the formation of groups, the team substitute takes the place of the team that gave up.

Till the quarter finals one play on 25 points. In groups each team meets each team. The sportsman who reaches the distance of points to play in first will win the game.

For the classification of group games the following criteria count:

1. Match Points
2. Average
3. Drawing

##### **Art. 4. GROUP GAMES – DISTANCE OF THE GAME 25 POINTS – 30 Innings**

The 32 inscribed teams are placed in 8 groups of 4 teams according the system Z and the ranking.

The 8 winning teams of the different groups will go to the final round.

The game will be played with equal innings.

If the sportsman doesn't reach the distance of 25 points in the 30 innings, the opponent will have the inning. The balls are placed on the starting position.

**A** draw is possible.

##### **Art. 5. FINAL ROUND – DISTANCE OF THE GAME 40 POINTS – with equal innings**

The final round will be played by KO system.

The places will be allocated by drawing.

If the two sportsmen have reached the same number of points it will be played en extension as described in article 12 of the basic concepts sporting program.

## Art. 6. TOURNAMENT SYSTEM / ENCOUNTERS

### 1/8 final

The encounters of the quarter final will be freely drawn.

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The encounters of the quarter final will be freely drawn.

### Half Final

The encounters of the half final will be freely drawn.

### Constitution of the groups

<u>A</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>E</u>	<u>F</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>H</u>
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24