



\*As of 5 April 2021: Please check the latest sports information guide for registration



## Taekwondo

- 1 **Organisers:** Organising Committee of the World Masters Games 2021 Kansai, Hyogo Local Organising Committee, Himeji Local Organising Committee
- 2 **Co-organiser** All Japan Taekwondo Association
- 3 **Managing Organisations** Hyogo Taekwondo Association
- 4 **Competition Dates:** Thursday, 19 May – Sunday, 22 May 2022  
(Competition: 3 Days (4 days in total))

Date	Time	Event
Thursday, 19 May	15:00 - 18:00	Meeting of Representatives, Referee Seminar, Draw
Friday, 20 May	10:00 - 18:00	Poomsae
Saturday, 21 May	10:00 - 18:00	Poomsae, Gyeonggi
Sunday, 22 May	10:00 - 18:00	Gyeonggi

- \* The competition will be cancelled in case of bad weather (no postponement and no extra day).
- \* Gyeonggi athletes will be weighed at the venue from 17:00 to 19:00 on the day before each competition day.

### 5 Venue

Hyogo Prefectural Budokan  
(504 Nishinobusue, Himeji, Hyogo 670-0971)

### 6 Competition Capacities

- (1) Poomsae 200 participants
- (2) Gyeonggi 270 participants

\* Athletes may participate in multiple categories.

### 7 Competition Rules and Methods

- (1) Competition Rules  
The competition rules of the WT (World Taekwondo), or as otherwise specified in this document.
- (2) Technical Delegate  
Ha Sungdeuk, Advisor, All Japan Taekwondo Association
- (3) Competition Rules  
At least one match/ demonstration per athlete.



① Poomsae

- a) Matches will be played separated by gender in a cut-off format based on the WT rules
- b) The performance of one event will be between 30 seconds and 90 seconds.
- c) In the qualifying and main rounds, athletes will perform two events chosen by the judges from the designated Poomsae.
- d) If there are more than 16 participants in each class, the qualifying round will be conducted in a cut-off format and 8 higher-ranked athletes will advance to the main round.
  - \* If the number of participants in each class is 16 or less, the main round will be conducted in a cut-off format, and 4 higher-ranked athletes will advance to the final round.
  - \* The final round will be held without the qualifying round only if the number of participants is no more than four.
- e) In the final round, the ranking will be determined by the total score based on two performances.
- f) There is no age category for the pairs and teams (30 years or older).
- g) A team may be composed of three to five athletes whose gender can be mixed.

② Gyeorugi

- a) The competition will be conducted in a tournament format system in accordance with the WT rules separated by gender.
- b) A match will be played in 3 rounds, each round with one minute and an interval of 30 seconds.
- c) The competition court is 10m x 10m, and the competition area is 8m x 8m
- d) Effective points
  - 5 points: Olugulu 180 degree turning kick (reverse kick, back kick, spinning kick) attack
  - 4 points: Monton attack (spinning kick, back kick, etc.)
  - 3 points: Olugulu attack
  - 2 points: Monton attack
  - 1 point: Jumoku attack
- e) In case of a tie score after the completion of the 3rd round, a 4th round of one minute will be conducted as the Golden Round, after a one-minute rest period following the 3rd round, and the athlete who wins first two points will be the winner.
- f) If the score difference is 20 points or more at the end of 2R or during 3R, the winner will be declared (PTG). Provided, however, that no winner will be declared by a point difference in the semi-finals and finals.
- g) If the fighting ability difference between two athletes is evident and it is judged that the match cannot be continued for safety reasons, the match will be stopped immediately at the discretion of the referee, and the winner will be declared (RSC).
- h) If a competitor is given "gam-jeom (point reduction)" 10 times throughout

3R, the opposing athlete will be declared the winner as a result of foul behavior (SUP).

- i) Any act that hinders the progress of a match will be disqualified (such as obstruction of the match by abusive language by the coach etc.)
- j) If a competitor does not appear in the competition area after three repeated calls, the competitor shall be considered to have abandoned the match.

## 8 Event

(General Category)

Event	Gender	Grade	Weight Category	Age Categories
Poomsae	Men	—	—	U-40, U-50, U-60, U-65, O-65
	Women	—	—	U-40, U-50, U-60, U-65, O-65
	Pairs	—	—	No age categories
	Groups	—	—	No age categories

Event	Gender	Grade	Weight Category	Age Categories
Gyeorugi	Men	A: National (National representative level)	-54kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-58kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-63kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-68kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-74kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-80kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-87kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			+87kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
		B: Black belt (General level)	-54kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-58kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-63kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
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			+87kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
		C: Colour belt (grade holder)	-54kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-58kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-63kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
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Event	Gender	Grade	Weight Category	Age Categories
Gyeorugi	Women	A: National (National representative level)	-46kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-49kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-53kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-57kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-62kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-67kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-73kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			+73kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
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			-49kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
			-53kg	U-35, U-40, U-45, U-50, U-55, U-60, O-60
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\* Athletes are not allowed to enter an age category younger than their own.

\* If the number of athletes entered in an age category is not sufficient, the age categories may be integrated with each other to facilitate the competition.

## 9 Eligibility

- Participants in the World Masters Games 2021 KANSAI (WMG2021) can participate as individuals rather than a national representative.
- Participants in the WMG2021 Taekwondo competition must be members of the national federation (NF), a subsidiary of the World Taekwondo (WT).
- Participants are required to submit their ranks at Kukkiwon (World Taekwondo Headquarters) and past match results (experience in international competitions, national match results).

## 10 Age Requirement

Minimum age is 30 (born on or before 31 December 1992)

Age is determined at 31 December 2022.

## 11 Medal Ceremony

Athletes ranked first to third by category.

## 12 Registration Fee

(1) Competition participation fee (including tax and handling fee)

\* Check [World Masters Games 2021 Kansai Participation Terms and Conditions](#) for details.

① Competition participants (Basic fee: allowed to participate in 5 disciplines)

a) Overseas participants: 24,000 yen/person

(Including a transportation pass for mobility within the Kansai area.)

b) Domestic participants: 15,000 yen/person

(Does not include a transportation pass. Could be bought optionally at an additional cost.)

② Persons related to the competition (Basic fee)

a) Overseas participants: 14,000 yen/person

(Including a transportation pass for mobility within the Kansai area.)

b) Domestic participants: 5,000 yen/person

(Does not include a transportation pass. Could be bought optionally at an additional cost.)

(2) Additional charges (extra fee)

None

(3) Rental fee for competition equipment, etc.

None (Competition equipment will not be rented.)

## 13 How to Apply

An application is made through the entry system on the official website (Entry System) dedicated to the application for the entry to the competition via PC or smartphone.

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## 14 Notes on Participation

(1) Clothing

Athletes must wear the uniform of WT Taekwondo.

(2) Competition equipment (Gyeorugi)

• The organiser will provide the electronic body protector and electronic headgear.

\* All the Gyeorugi athletes must use Daedo electronic protector.

• Each athlete must provide their own arm and shin protectors, a foul cup (men/women), a mouth guard, hand gloves and electronic socks.

(3) Second

• A second shall be over 20 years old and the owner of 1st Dan or higher at Kukkiwon(World Taekwondo Headquarters).

\*A second must bring items that certify “Dan of Taekwondo” (certificate card etc.) on the day of the competition.

- Gyeongju events will not be valid if they are not played by a pair of an athlete and a second for safety reasons

\*For those who are registered as a second of Gyeongju.

If you participate only as a second, you don't need to apply for "Participation as a Non-Playing official" and don't need to pay the participation fee. (On the day of the event, the organisers will distribute your second certificate.)

\* Please note that you will not receive any participation benefits (participant kit, etc.) if you do not apply and pay the participation fee.

#### (4) Insurance

The organiser will subscribe to accident insurance for participants, but this insurance is applicable only to "injuries incurred during the competition in the competition venues" by the "competition participants and persons related to the competition", and does not cover all kinds of risks during the competition. Therefore, all persons taking part in the competition are requested to subscribe to required insurance at their own risk and cost.

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#### (5) Doping Control

① The doping control in accordance with the [World Anti-Doping Code](#) and [the rules of the International Masters Games Association](#) shall apply to this competition.

② Anti-doping activities (doping inspections and anti-doping education activities) shall be conducted in accordance with [the rules of the International Masters Games Association](#).

③ Participants are deemed to have agreed to be subject to doping control procedures in accordance with [the rules of the International Masters Games Association](#) upon entry to the competition. Participants are advised to check [the rules of the International Masters Games Association](#) for more details.

④ This competition aims to promote anti-doping activities in an effort to protect clean sports and clean athletes in order to pass on the values of sports to the next generation through sports in cooperation with the Japan Anti-Doping Agency.

#### (6) Procedure for Bad Weather

The competition may be cancelled.

## 15 Application for Accommodation and Transportation

### (1) Accommodation

Refer to the Accommodation Information Page on the [World Masters Games 2021 Kansai Official Website](#) for information on accommodation.

### (2) Transportation

Refer to the Transportation Information Page on the [World Masters Game 2021 Kansai Official Website](#) for transportation information including access to the venue.

## 16 Others

All participants must complete the accreditation process and check-in at the competition venue before participating (competing or getting involved) in a competition.

### (1) Games Accreditation

Accreditation services shall be provided at the Opening Village, each Prefectural Masters Village, Center Village, and the Temporary Accreditation Venue. The participant must bring a valid photo identification and complete accreditation process personally by one day before the competition. (No exception will not be allowed.) Furthermore, even when participating in team competitions or as a team, each participant must complete accreditation process.

Accreditation process can be completed at any of designated service desks; however, operation hours and dates differ depending on the location.

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### (2) Check-in

#### ① Date and Time

Thursday, 19 May 15:00 - 18:00

#### ② Venue

Hyogo Prefectural Budokan

#### ③ Notes

Verification of entry, etc.

### (3) Representative meeting and referee seminar

#### ① Date and Time

Thursday, 19 May from 15:00

#### ② Venue

Hyogo Prefectural Budokan

#### ③ Notes

Explanation of the rules, etc.

### (4) Weight measurement (\*Participants in gyeorugi events only)

#### ① Date and Time

Weight measurements will be held at 17:00 to 19:00 the day before each competition day.

#### ② Venue

Hyogo Prefectural Budokan

#### ③ Notes

- Participants will be weighed by gender once within the specified time in the weighing room.  
Participants who are not weighed within the specified time will be disqualified.
- If a participant fails to pass the weight measurement, he/she can be weighed once more after one hour.
- Male athletes shall wear underwear and female athletes shall wear underwear and bras. However, if an athlete wishes to do so, he/she may

be weighed completely naked.

(5) Medical control

The organiser can carry out all necessary medical tests to determine whether or not a competitor has violated the WT Anti-Doping Rules, and if the winner refuses this test, or has been found to have committed such a violation, he/she will be excluded from the final ranking. In such a case, the next competitor in the competition ranking will be declared the new winner.

