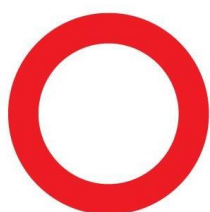
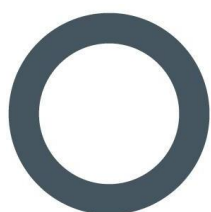


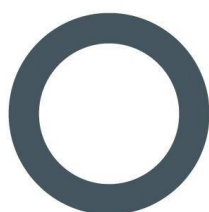
OCBC RANKING AND POINTS SYSTEM – MOUNTAIN BIKE (MTB) & OFF-ROAD

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Mahipal Singh, GM, SCF, and Toh Jun Hao, Events Manager, SCF	4 Feb 2020	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Masters age category – 35 to 44 years of age 2. Removal of points for volunteerism 3. Inclusion of other off-road events i.e. cyclocross, Urban MTB XCE 4. For non- National Championship races, riders in the Junior A and B category may only register and race in the Junior A and B categories only. In 2019, they had the option of racing in the Elite category. However, for safety reasons and to encourage greater participation in the Junior categories, the option of permitting Junior riders in the Elite category has been removed. 	22
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1. Introduction

The Singapore Cycling Federation (SCF) is pleased to announce that the OCBC Ranking and Points System for MTB-Off Road events will continue in 2024, as part of a strategic objective to enhance the vibrancy of the local events eco-system. Points acquired will count towards a National Ranking by the end of the local racing season.

The OCBC Ranking and Points System are intended to achieve the following:

- a. Increase opportunities for more winners and reasons to celebrate;
- b. Encourage participation in multiple events in any one local racing season;
- c. Complement SCF's existing Athlete Selection Policy and thereby, ensure that the process of athlete selection for overseas competitions and Major Games remains robust and objective.

2. The OCBC Ranking and Points System for the 2024 MTB-Off Road season will be as follows:

- a. The recognition of MTB and Off-Road events organised or sanctioned by SCF.
- b. All participants who sign up in a particular category at the beginning of the year will ONLY be awarded points in that category.

	UCI License	SCF Day License
Points for SCF events and sanctioned races	Yes	No

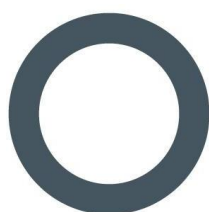
At the National Championships (CN) for the UCI categories (registered on the UCI calendar), riders with a Day License will be allowed to take part in the 'championship categories' *(Junior, Under 23, and Elite). However, he/she will **NOT** be eligible for the SCF points, UCI Points, and the official 'National Champion's jersey'.

3. Individual Ranking and Points: Individual rankings and points will be awarded in the following categories.

OCBC SERIES POINTS CATEGORY

Licensed Age Group	XC	AM
	XCO/XCC/XCE/Gravel	ALL Mountain/Enduro/ Downhill
Youth (13 – 16 years)	Y	Y
Junior (17 – 18 years) *	Y	Y
U 23 (19 – 22 years) *	Y	Y
Elite (23 years & above) *	Y	Y
Masters A & B (35 – 44 years)	Y	Y
Seniors A & B (45 – 54 years)	Y	Y
Veteran (55 years & above)	Y	Y

Y: Yes included. Age is determined by the event year minus the year of birth of the rider (i.e., 2024 minus 2005 is 19 years)



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4. Type of Bikes

Cross Country Series: Cross-country Olympic (XCO) - Cross-country short track (XCC) - Cross-country Eliminator (XCE)

Mountain bikes can be either hardtail or full suspension. There is no restriction on suspension travel or wheel and tire size.

All-Mountain (AM)

Mountain bikes that have dual-suspension travel >150mm travel.

Gravel-Cyclo cross (GX)

Gravel-Cyclocross bikes with Drop bars ONLY, rigid fork, and wheel size (650b or 700c).

5. Individual Points Awarded

Points system for SCF-sanctioned events

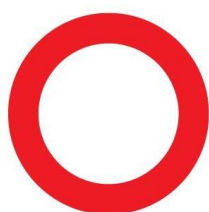
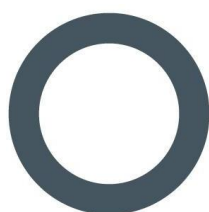
Position	Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 3.1
1st	40	30	20	10
2nd	32	24	16	8
3rd	27	20	14	7
4th	23	17	12	6
5th	19	14	10	5
6th	16	12	8	4
7th	13	10	7	3
8th	11	8	6	2
9th	9	7	5	1
10th	7	5	4	1

Class 1 – UCI International races (for example UCI class 1 to 3) held in Singapore and the OCBC National Championships (CN)

Class 2 – Local Races involving Regional, National, and Club Teams

Class 3 – Local Races involving National and Club Teams (for example: Singapore Open Enduro)

Class 3.1 – Overseas-sanctioned races (to be officially approved by the host nation's national federation and in the presence of national commissaries)



6. Awards

At the end of the season, SCF will present yellow jerseys to the top-ranked rider in each of the points categories and a Challenge Trophy to the top-ranked team/club.

Points will be accrued in the age category that the rider registers at the beginning of the year.

Details of the Season-end prize presentation award ceremony will be communicated by SCF to all winners after the final event for the season.

Total of 36 categories

XC	Men	Women
13-16 years	Youth	Youth
17-18 years	Junior	Junior
19-22 years	Under 23	Under 23
23 years & above	Elite	Elite
35-39 years	Master A	Master A
40-44 years	Master B	Master B
45-49 years	Senior A	Senior A
50-54 years	Senior B	Senior B
55 years & above	Veterans	Veterans

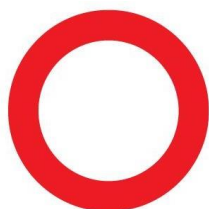
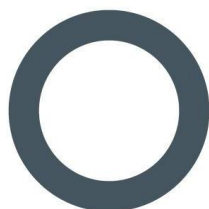
AM	Men	Women
13-16 years	Youth	Youth
17-18 years	Junior	Junior
19-22 years	Under 23	Under 23
23 years & above	Elite	Elite
35-39 years	Master A	Master A
40-44 years	Master B	Master B
45-49 years	Senior A	Senior A
50-54 years	Senior B	Senior B
55 years & above	Veterans	Veterans

Club Points – Computation and Team ranking (Top Ranked Team/Club)

ONLY the top five (5) individual points scorers for each team (men and women) will be used to calculate the teamscore for each event, tabulating to the Top Ranked Team/Club in the 2024 OCBC National Ranking.

For any duo or team race, the calculation will be done based on the:

- individual rider's timing/position/points (only for Riders with UCI License)
- and subsequently added to the team (points)



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Overall Points Computation

If we have two, or more, cyclists vying for the same position with a similar number of points, the eventual ranking will be based on the cyclist's position in the last SCF event or SCF-sanctioned race.

Change of Team Name

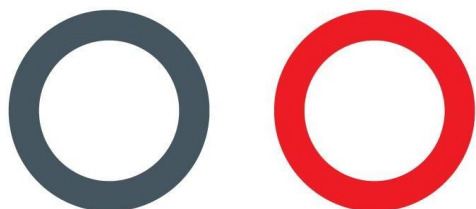
Teams are permitted to change their team's name during the season (although we strongly encourage the established affiliate clubs to avoid doing this as it would have an impact on your affiliation to SCF and, the Full/Associate Membership status). The SCF and the Event Organiser must be kept informed with at least one month's notice before the race/competition date, and, the Club President or Club Representative will be required to drop us an email to effect the change – admin@singaporecycling.org.sg

Switching Teams

If a rider wishes to switch from one team/club to another, the rider & club(s) must inform SCF (by email to admin@singaporecycling.org.sg) for SCF to review/approve 30 days before an upcoming event. Again, here we would like to strongly advise the established affiliate clubs to consider entering into an agreement with your riders at the start of the season and for them to commit to remaining with your club until the end of the season.

A maximum of one (1) switch can be made at any time during the season and, individual points secured can be transferred to the new team/club. **HOWEVER:**

- Current team points are NOT transferable to the new team/club.
- An administrative fee of \$50 applies.



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FAQs

A. National Points awarded shall be in the Age Category that the Rider registers at beginning of the Year

Scenario A1: Rider (Youth) seeks approval to race in Junior Category, subject to approval from SCF Commissaire Commission. If approved, will be awarded points for the whole season in Junior Category. Should there be other races over the course of the season he/she rides in Youth Category, he/she will not get any points for these races.

Scenario A2: Rider (Senior) races in Elite Category at beginning of the year, will be awarded points for the whole season in Elite Category. Should there be other races over the course of the season he/she rides in Senior Category, he/she will not get any points for these races.

B. Confirmed UCI Licence-eligibility for OCBC Ranking and Points for the 2024 MTB-Off Road season

UCI Licences must be applied and confirmed before the event, no late or post-event applications will be considered for appeal.

C. Switching Teams

- Requests must be in writing via email to admin@singaporecycling.org.sg and are Subject to Approval.
- Team principals of both old and new teams must be copied in the email
- Must be at least one month's notice, before the race/competition date
- A fee of \$50 must be made before the update is administered on the UCI Licence
- Only one (1) switch is allowed in the season

Scenario C1: Rider Clint of ABC Team has got 20 points so far in the season; then a request for Switching Teams to another team, XYZ Team is filed and approved. Rider Clint's 20 points will not be carried across to his new team, XYZ Team but will remain with ABC Team.

(Clint will however retain his Points)

D. Team Points

Q01: Why is the end-of-year team score made up of the top five (5) individual points scorers for each team (men and women)?

A01: This is implemented so that each team's highest ranked and most consistent riders (top-5) shall account for their Final Team Points.

For any doubts, kindly send your inquiry for clarifications to admin@singaporecycling.org.sg

Rights to amend

The SCF reserves the right to amend the clauses listed in this document.