

IBF - Badminton

Men and Women

EVENTS (5)	Men (2) Singles Doubles	Women (2) Singles Doubles	Mixed (1) Doubles
ATHLETE QUOTA	Men	86	
	Women	86	
	TOTAL	172	

MAXIMUM PER NOC

An NOC may enter a maximum of 3 places in each of the 5 events

ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION

Athletes qualify by name and by event. However, in the case of an NOC having more than 3 players in the top 4, or more than 2 in the top 16, the NOC may select from the eligible players to fill its Olympic places

QUALIFICATION SYSTEM PRINCIPLES – MEN AND WOMEN

Event	Qualification	Total
IBF ranking lists as of 1 May 2008	<p>38 players in each of the 2 singles events and 16 pairs in each of the 3 doubles events will be qualified based on the IBF ranking lists as of 1 May 2008. Players/pairs will be taken in turn and qualify as follows:</p> <p><i>Players/pairs ranked in the top 4: a maximum of 3 athletes per NOC shall qualify</i></p> <p><i>Players/pairs ranked 5 to 16: a maximum of 2 athletes per NOC shall qualify</i></p> <p><i>Players/pairs ranked 17 and lower: a maximum of 1 athlete per NOC shall qualify</i></p> <hr/> <p>Continental procedure</p> <p>In each event, there shall be at least one player/pair from each of the 5 IBF Continental Confederations (the highest-ranked players/pairs in the IBF ranking lists as of 1 May 2008, or the most recent continental champion)</p> <hr/> <p>Host nation</p> <p>The host nation is entitled to enter a total of 2 athletes (men and women) if not otherwise qualified</p> <hr/> <p>Tripartite Commission Invitation</p> <p>2 places in men's singles and 2 places in women's singles will be allocated by the Tripartite Commission</p>	86
Total	Men (38 singles, 32 places doubles and 16 places in mixed) Women (38 singles, 32 places doubles and 16 places in mixed)	86 86