



## International Table Tennis Federation 2018 Challenge Thailand Open

16 May -20 May 2018, Bangkok (THA)

## **Playing System**

	Playing System	
Total Number of planning	Men's Singles	
<b>Total Number of players</b> Seeded players	<b>105</b> 32	
Players playing qualifications	73	
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<b>Qualification Groups</b> Players qualifying directly from groups	<b>24</b> 24	Group winners 1 - 24 are direct qualified to the Main Draw
Players qualifying from the preliminary rounds	8	Group runner ups 1 - 24 have to play the Preliminary Rounds
Preliminary Rounds First preliminary round	16	<b>Group</b> runner ups from Group 9-24 play first preliminary round
Second preliminary round	8	<b>Group</b> runner ups from Group 1-8 do have a BYE in the first Prel Round and play
		against the winners of the first Prel Round - 8 players will be qualified
Main Draw	Knock-Out of 64	
Seeded	32	
Qualifiers	32	24 Group Winners + 8 Preliminary Round winners the 8 Prel Round winners will be drawn against the TOP 8 seeded players
		the orien round williners will be drawn agaism the for o seeded players
Total Number of players	Women's Singles	
Seeded players	32	
Players playing qualifications	62	
Qualification Groups	16	
Players qualifying directly from groups	32	Group winners 1 - 16 go direct to the Main Draw
		Group runner ups 1 - 16 go direct to the Main Draw
Main Draw	Knock-Out of 64	
Seeded	32	
Qualifiers	32	16 Group winners will be drawn against seeded players 17-32
		16 Group runner ups will be drawn against the seeded players 1-16
Total Number of pairs	Men's Doubles 34	
Seeded Pairs	8	
Pairs playing qualifications	26	
Preliminary Rounds		
First preliminary round	10	
Second preliminary round	16	<b>Last 8</b> pairs of the second Prel. Rd will qualify to the Main Draw
Main Draw	Knock-Out of 16	
Seeded	8	
Qualifiers	8	
Total Number of pairs	Women's Doubles	
Total Number of pairs Seeded Pairs	8	
Pairs playing qualifications	20	
Preliminary Rounds		
First preliminary round	4	
Second preliminary round	16	Last 8 pairs of the third Prel. Rd will qualify to the Main Draw
Main Draw	Knock-Out of 16	
Seeded	8	
Qualifiers	8	
	U21 Men's Single:	
<b>Total Number of players</b> Seeded players	<b>63</b> 16	
Players playing qualifications	47	
<b>Qualification Groups</b> Players qualifying directly from groups	<b>15</b> 15	Group winner 1-15 are direct qualified
Lucky Losers	1	1 Lucky Losers from all Groups runner ups will be drawn randomly
		1 Lucky Loser will be drawn to positons 2 in the Main draw
Main Draw	Knock-Out of 32	
Seeded	16	
Qualifiers	16	15 Groups winners + 1 Lucky Loser
Total Number of players	U21 Women's Singl	es
<b>Total Number of players</b> Seeded players	<b>63</b> 16	
Players playing qualifications	47	
Qualification Groups	15	
Players qualifying directly from groups	15	Group winner 1-15 are direct qualified
Lucky Losers	1	1 Lucky Losers from all Groups runner ups will be drawn randomly
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