

World Indoor Championships Statistics – Men's 1500m

All time performance list at the World Indoor Championships

Performance	Performer	Time	Name	Nat	Pos	Venue	Year
1	1	3:33.77	Haile Gebrselassie	ETH	1	Maebashi	1999
2	2	3:33.98	Laban Rotich	KEN	2	Maebashi	1999
3	3	3:34.46	Andres Diaz	ESP	3	Maebashi	1999
4	4	3:34.77	William Tanui	KEN	4	Maebashi	1999
5	5	3:34.99	Rui Silva	POR	5	Maebashi	1999
6	6	3:35.31	Hicham El Guerrouj	MAR	1	Paris	1997
7	7	3:36.64	Marcus O'Sullivan	IRL	1	Budapest	1989
8	8	3:37.16	Mekonnen Gebremedhin	ETH	1h3	Valencia	2008
9	9	3:37.23	Suleiman Simotwo	KEN	2h3	Valencia	2008
10	10	3:37.24	Rüdiger Stenzel	GER	2	Paris	1997
11	11	3:37.31	Rashid Ramzi		3h3	Valencia	2008
12		3:37.48	William Tanui		3	Paris	1997
13		3:37.79	Rui Silva		1h3	Lisboa	2001
14	12	3:37.80	Hauke Fuhlbrugge	GDR	2	Budapest	1989
15	13	3:37.88	Ali Hakimi	TUN	6	Maebashi	1999
16	14	3:37.90	Adil Kaouch	MAR	2h3	Lisboa	2001
17	15	3:37.93	Reyes Estevez	POR	1h1	Lisboa	2001
18	16	3:38.12	Jeff Atkinson	USA	3	Budapest	1989
19	17	3:38.14	Sydney Maree	USA	4	Budapest	1989
20	18	3:38.22	Noah Ngeny	KEN	2h1	Lisboa	2001
21	19	3:38.23	Deresse Mekonnen	ETH	1	Valencia	2008
22	20	3:38.41	Haylu Mekonnen	ETH	3h1	Lisboa	2001
23		3:38.48	Adil Kaouch		7	Maebashi	1999
24	21	3:38.54	Daniel Kipchirchir Komen	KEN	2	Valencia	2008
25	22	3:38.76	Herve Phelippeau	FRA	5	Budapest	1989
26	23	3:38.82	Juan Carlos Higuero	ESP	3	Valencia	2008
27	24	3:38.88	Arturo Casado	ESP	4	Valencia	2008
28	25	3:39.04	Marcus O'Sullivan	IRL	1	Indianapolis	1987
29		3:39.07	Daniel Kipchirchir Komen		1h2	Valencia	2008
30	26	3:39.13	Jose Abascal	ESP	2	Indianapolis	1987
31	27	3:39.14	Julius Achon	UGA	4h1	Lisboa	2001
32		3:39.21	Juan Carlos Higuero		3h3	Lisboa	2001
33	28	3:39.25	Branko Zorko	CRO	4	Paris	1997
34		3:39.36	Rüdiger Stenzel		1h3	Paris	1997
35	29	3:39.40	Vyacheslav Shabunin	RUS	4h3	Lisboa	2001
36		3:39.46	Juan Carlos Higuero		2h2	Valencia	2008
37		3:39.49	Ali Hakimi		2h3	Paris	1997
38	30	3:39.51	Han Kulker	NED	3	Indianapolis	1987
39	31	3:39.52	Kader Chekhemani	FRA	3h3	Paris	1997
40		3:39.55	Branko Zorko		5h3	Lisboa	2001
41		3:39.61	Branko Zorko		4h3	Paris	1997
42	32	3:39.63	Jim Spivey	USA	4	Indianapolis	1987
43		3:39.64	Daniel Kipchirchir Komen		1h1	Moskva	2006
44		3:39.73	Andres Diaz		5	Paris	1997
45		3:39.74	Deresse Mekonnen		1h1	Valencia	2008
46	33	3:39.77	Mike Hillardt	AUS	5	Indianapolis	1987

47	34	3:39.89	Youssef Baba	MAR	3h2	Valencia	2008
48		3:39.91	Ali Hakimi		6	Paris	1997
49	35	3:39.93	Richie Boulet	USA	8	Maebashi	1999
49	35	3:39.93	Ivan Heshko	UKR	1h2	Budapest	2004
51	37	3:39.97	Radim Kuncicky	TCH	6	Budapest	1989
51	37	3:39.97	Bernard Lagat	KEN	1h2	Birmingham	2003

Margin of Victory

	Difference	Time	Name	Nat	Venue	Year
Max	1.93	3:35.31	Hicham El Guerrouj	MAR	Paris	1997
Min	0.03	3:42.59	Driss Maazouzi	FRA	Birmingham	2003
		3:52.31	Paul Korir	KEN	Budapest	2004

Best Marks for Places in the World Championships

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Fastest time in each round

Round	Time	Name	Nat	Heat/Semi	Venue	Year
Final	3:33.77	Haile Gebrselassie	ETH	1	Maebashi	1999
First round	3:37.16	Mekonnen Gebremedhin	ETH	1h3	Valencia	2008

Lap times in the World Indoor Championships (fastest lap time in bold)

Year	400	400-800m	800-1200m	1200-1500m	Last 200m	Winning time
1987	61.68	60.02				3:39.04
1989	58.32	58.43			26.83	3:36.64
1991						3:41.57
1993	63.59	62.63			26.14	3:45.00
1995	65.9	60.5			27.3	3:44.54
1997	56.29	59.97	56.73	42.32	28.15	3:35.31
1999	56.71	57.49	58.38	41.19	27.0	3:33.77
2001	70.36	63.98	57.79	38.93	25.7	3:51.06
2003	64.12	62.38	55.13	40.96	27.30	3:42.59
2004	68.62	66.90	58.22	38.57	25.52	3:52.31
2006	64.48	62.21	55.41	39.98		3:42.08
2008	57.72	61.38	58.96	40.17	26.30	3:38.23

Fastest Performances in March (only indoor performances are listed)

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