

STATE & TERRITORY TEAM

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2021 AusCycling Track National Championships
24 March – 28 March 2021 | Brisbane, Queensland

1. GENERAL

- 1.1 Athletes will be required to earn State/Territory Team (STT) selection in accordance with clause 1 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for National Championships*, and this discipline specific document of the AusCycling selection criteria.
- 1.2 Objectives: See clause 1 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for National Championships*.
- 1.3 Performance Time Period: 1 October 2020 – State/Territory State Championships or March 1 (whichever is earlier).
- 1.4 Team size: Refer to clause 3.3 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for AusCycling National Championships*.
- 1.5 Eligible Riders: Must be current J19 aged or Elite AusCycling All Discipline Race Members or UCI Licensed Riders.
- 1.6 State/Territory Selection Policy Exemption: A State or Territory may use another selection criteria if selections had been determined prior to the publication of this selection criteria.

2. SELECTION CRITERIA

- 2.1 Consideration for selection to the 2021 AusCycling Track National Championships (J19 & Elite) Team may be based upon achieving:
 - i) Performances in Section 3 of this document, and/or in accordance with clause 2.2 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for AusCycling National Championships*, where Selectors may use absolute discretion to select athletes based on their potential to progress.
 - ii) If athletes attain performances in the events listed below at 3.1 ii they will be automatically eligible for selection consideration.

- 2.2 Where more athletes meet the criteria than there are places available, Selectors may use absolute discretion to rank athletes according to some or all of the factors in clause 2.2 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for AusCycling National Championships*.

3. EVENTS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

- 3.1 The Selection Panel may consider the performance outcomes and standards indicated below for:

i. **Events**

The Selection Panel will base track selection on the Rider's results/performances within the performance time period at:

- State or Territory Track Championships
- Previous AusCycling National Track Championships
- other Open Events

Selectors may also consider results achieved in other major national and international level within the performance period such as UCI sanctioned international events, and AusCycling approved events including State Championships (for timed events only).

ii. **J19 and Elite Timed Events – Performance Standards (Automatic Selection) ****

Riders meeting the following performance standards will be automatically selected as long as they meet the requirements of section 2. These standards are only for automatic selection and do not need to be met for a rider to be selected.

J19 Men's Individual Pursuit	<3min 25.50sec
J19 Women's Individual Pursuit	<2min 28.00sec
J19 Men's 1 km TT	<1min 05.50 sec
J19 Men's Sprint	<10.85 sec
J19 Women's Sprint	<12.00 sec
J19 Women's 500m TT	<36.50 sec
Elite Men's Individual Pursuit	<4min 25.00 sec
Elite Women's Individual Pursuit	<3min 42sec
Elite Men's 1 km TT	<1min 02.50 sec
Elite Men's Sprint	<9.80sec
Elite Women's Sprint	<11.50 sec
Elite Women's 500m TT	<36.00 sec

* subject to *Australian Cycling Team Environmental Standardisation Protocol*

#consideration will also be made for those performances achieved on outdoor velodromes

4. STATE/TERRITORY CHAMPIONSHIP PARTICIPATION

A pre-requisite for selection, athletes must compete in the State/Territory State Track Championships (including those meeting the automatic selection criteria) unless granted an exemption by the State/Territory State GM. Requests must be made by completing an exemption form which is to be submitted no less than 5 days prior to the commencement of the State or Territory Championships.

- 4.1 Non-medical exemptions will only be considered in extraordinary and unavoidable circumstances. Any such exemptions will be determined by the State or Territory GM.
- 4.2 In the case of a medical reason a medical certificate must be provided with the exemption form 5 days prior to the State or Territory Championships, unless the illness/injury occurs within the 5-day time period whereby a certificate must be presented the day prior to the championships.
- 4.3 Any exemptions may require the rider to ride an event qualifying time (as determined by the selection panel) to enable selection. The scheduling of such an event is to be arranged and agreed between the rider, coaches and Panel (notice of inability to compete must be advised to the State/Territory GM prior to the event being conducted).

5. SELECTIONS FOR FINAL START LIST

The Team Management (Team Manager and Coaches) will determine the final start list in each event at the National Championships.

6. SCHEDULE FOR AUSCYCLING ELITE AND J19 TRACK NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS TEAM SELECTION

- **Deadline for Expressions of Interest to be selected in the State/Territory Team:** 5 PM the day prior to the State/Territory Championships.
- **Final Selections made by AusCycling State/Territory Selection Panel for endorsement:** Within 24 hours following the State/Territory Championship or by March 1.
- **Successful and Non-Successful Athlete Notification:** within 24 hours post team endorsement.
- **Closing date for appeals to be lodged against non-selection (refer to the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for AC National Championships*):** 5 PM (time zone of State or Territory) 2 days of athlete notification.
- **Final team announced by AusCycling State/Territory Office:** Within 24 hours of the close of appeals or immediately following any appeal decision.

Note: this schedule may be varied by AusCycling at any time. Any changes will be reflected in this document.