

Equipment and Weapon Control

Fencing Competition Rules of Weapon Control and Equipment Procedure

Weapon Control: Places and Schedule

Weapon Control will be in

To proceed to the weapon control it is mandatory to have the accreditation card.

The fencers must submit their weapons and equipment to the main weapon control room at the competition venue in accordance with the following schedule:

Day	Opening hours	
October 8	10.00 -19.00	
October 9	8.00 -19.00	Break for lunch from 13.00 to 14.00
October 10	8.00 -19.00	Break for lunch from 13.00 to 14.00
October 11	8.00 -19.00	Break for lunch from 13.00 to 14.00
October 12	8.00 -19.00	Break for lunch from 13.00 to 14.00
October 13	8.00 -19.00	Break for lunch from 13.00 to 14.00
October 14	8.00 -9.00	

The materials collected after 17.30 will be delivered on early morning of the following day.

Requirements regarding the equipment

- All the equipment must be in good condition and working order complying with FIE regulations and will be checked under control of the FIE SEMI commission.
- The list of accepted item are mentioned in the table below
- It is mandatory to put the logos of the countries on both legs of the breeches

- The name of the athlete and the name of the country must be printed in dark blue on the back; the size of the letters should be between 8 and 10 cm high. All the prints must be readable. In the venue will not be possible to write the names.
- All the advertising and manufacturer logos must be in conformity with the FIE Publicity Code requirements and will be checked
- After collecting the equipment it is necessary for the athletes to check the presence of the control markings.

For additional information, please, see m.25 of the FIE Material Rules.

Equipment Type	Weapons					
	Foil		Epée		Sabre	
	min	max	min	max	min	max
Mask	1	2	1	2	1	2
Weapon	3	4	3	4	3	4
Bodywire	2	4	3	4	3	4
Mask wire	2	4			2	4
Glove	1	2	1	2	1	2
Sabre overlay					1	2
Electric jacket	1	2			1	2
Under-plastron	1	2	1	2	1	2
Jacket	1	2	1	2	1	2
Breeches	1	2	1	2	1	2

Breast / chest protectors

The use of a breast/chest protector (made of metal or some rigid material – see M.25.4) is compulsory for women and optional for men. **At foil, this breast/chest protector with a special soft layer must be worn below the protective plastron.**

The soft layer has to be approved by SEMI FIE and have the FIE logo.

Mask

All the participants to this Championships have to fully comply with the new rule concerning the new fastening system of the mask (see M.25.7)

Mask designs

Masks may feature coloured designs, on condition that they are approved by the FIE.