

**Final List of Participants for the
World Chess Championship 2004
18 June – 13 July 2004
Tripoli, Libya.**

According to article 12.4 of the regulations for the World Chess Championship, the FIDE President has approved the recommendation of the World Championship Committee for the use of the rating list of April 2004 for pairing purposes.

In case of equal ratings the following criteria are used to determine the right order:

1. Higher number of games in the April 2004 list
2. In case of the same number of games for April 04, then the higher rating in the January 04 list is seeded on top
3. In case of the same rating in the January 04 list, then the one with the higher number of games in the January 04 list is seeded on top
4. In case of the same number of games for January 04, then the higher rating in the October 03 list is seeded on top
5. In case of the same rating in the October 03 list, then the one with the higher number of games in the October 03 list is seeded on top
6. and so on..

| # | ID_NUMBER | NAME | TITLE | FED | APR04 | APR04G | JAN04 | JAN04G |
|----|-----------|-------------------------|-------|-----|-------|--------|-------|--------|
| 1 | 2900084 | Topalov, Veselin | g | BUL | 2737 | 25 | 2735 | 0 |
| 2 | 4116992 | Morozevich, Alexander | g | RUS | 2732 | 0 | 2732 | 23 |
| 3 | 400041 | Adams, Michael | g | ENG | 2731 | 13 | 2720 | 7 |
| 4 | 4126025 | Grischuk, Alexander | g | RUS | 2719 | 0 | 2719 | 22 |
| 5 | 14100010 | Ivanchuk, Vassily | g | UKR | 2716 | 0 | 2716 | 16 |
| 6 | 400025 | Short, Nigel D. | g | ENG | 2712 | 19 | 2702 | 9 |
| 7 | 4120787 | Malakhov, Vladimir | g | RUS | 2695 | 9 | 2700 | 24 |
| 8 | 1202758 | Nisipeanu, Liviu-Dieter | g | ROM | 2692 | 28 | 2678 | 0 |
| 9 | 14400030 | Sokolov, Ivan | g | NED | 2690 | 13 | 2706 | 22 |
| 10 | 4100107 | Dreev, Alexey | g | RUS | 2689 | 19 | 2682 | 15 |
| 11 | 13300032 | Akopian, Vladimir | g | ARM | 2689 | 13 | 2693 | 6 |
| 12 | 8600040 | Ye, Jiangchuan | g | CHN | 2681 | 0 | 2681 | 0 |
| 13 | 1304364 | Milov, Vadim | g | SUI | 2680 | 34 | 2632 | 42 |
| 14 | 13601326 | Azmaiparashvili, Zurab | g | GEO | 2679 | 0 | 2679 | 15 |
| 15 | 605506 | Bacrot, Etienne | g | FRA | 2675 | 16 | 2664 | 11 |
| 16 | 200930 | Gurevich, Mikhail | g | BEL | 2672 | 19 | 2656 | 0 |
| 17 | 4115309 | Rublevsky, Sergei | g | RUS | 2671 | 9 | 2655 | 16 |
| 18 | 13400924 | Radjabov, Teimour | g | AZE | 2670 | 12 | 2656 | 9 |
| 19 | 13500139 | Aleksandrov, Aleksej | g | BLR | 2668 | 7 | 2679 | 23 |
| 20 | 14602377 | Beliavsky, Alexander G | g | SLO | 2667 | 0 | 2667 | 18 |
| 21 | 2205530 | Vallejo Pons, Francisco | g | ESP | 2666 | 12 | 2663 | 24 |
| 22 | 13900048 | Bologan, Viktor | g | MDA | 2665 | 28 | 2679 | 31 |
| 23 | 4104226 | Sakaev, Konstantin | g | RUS | 2665 | 9 | 2656 | 16 |
| 24 | 5004985 | Sasikiran, Krishnan | g | IND | 2659 | 18 | 2654 | 9 |
| 25 | 13401319 | Mamedyarov, Shakhriyar | g | AZE | 2657 | 9 | 2646 | 31 |
| 26 | 4680804 | Graf, Alexander | g | GER | 2656 | 18 | 2629 | 7 |
| 27 | 4113403 | Zvjaginsev, Vadim | g | RUS | 2654 | 0 | 2654 | 15 |
| 28 | 14200244 | Kasimdzhанov, Rustam | g | UZB | 2652 | 0 | 2652 | 16 |

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| 29 | 1000268 | Van Wely, Loek | ♂ | NED | 2651 | 22 | 2617 | 15 |
| 30 | 4121830 | Motylev, Alexander | ♂ | RUS | 2649 | 9 | 2640 | 18 |
| 31 | 2100789 | Vescovi, Giovanni | ♂ | BRA | 2648 | 19 | 2633 | 0 |
| 32 | 14400014 | Nikolic, Predrag | ♂ | BIH | 2648 | 0 | 2648 | 25 |
| 33 | 310204 | Movsesian, Sergei | ♂ | SVK | 2647 | 23 | 2639 | 13 |
| 34 | 13300474 | Aronian, Levon | ♂ | ARM | 2645 | 9 | 2648 | 13 |
| 35 | 2300044 | Hjartarson, Johann | ♂ | ISL | 2640 | 0 | 2640 | 0 |
| 36 | 4117654 | Filippov, Valerij | ♂ | RUS | 2639 | 15 | 2609 | 16 |
| 37 | 13300016 | Vaganian, Rafael A | ♂ | ARM | 2639 | 9 | 2623 | 0 |
| 38 | 2900017 | Georgiev, Kiril | ♂ | MKD | 2637 | 0 | 2637 | 25 |
| 39 | 618438 | Tkachiev, Vladislav | ♂ | FRA | 2635 | 9 | 2642 | 16 |
| 40 | 13300024 | Lputian, Smbat G | ♂ | ARM | 2634 | 0 | 2634 | 9 |
| 41 | 8600694 | Zhang, Zhong | ♂ | CHN | 2633 | 22 | 2644 | 30 |
| 42 | 1104306 | Macieja, Bartlomiej | ♂ | POL | 2633 | 12 | 2653 | 20 |
| 43 | 14102560 | Moiseenko, Alexander | ♂ | UKR | 2631 | 28 | 2625 | 8 |
| 44 | 702293 | Almasi, Zoltan | ♂ | HUN | 2631 | 9 | 2633 | 7 |
| 45 | 4119150 | Kobalia, Mikhail | ♂ | RUS | 2630 | 7 | 2643 | 7 |
| 46 | 4122763 | Volkov, Sergey | ♂ | RUS | 2629 | 9 | 2630 | 15 |
| 47 | 1400355 | Nielsen, Peter Heine | ♂ | DEN | 2628 | 9 | 2638 | 9 |
| 48 | 13900200 | Iordachescu, Viorel | ♂ | MDA | 2627 | 28 | 2634 | 15 |
| 49 | 14502879 | Kozul, Zdenko | ♂ | CRO | 2627 | 18 | 2605 | 31 |
| 50 | 13700464 | Sadvakasov, Darmen | ♂ | KAZ | 2626 | 9 | 2611 | 9 |
| 51 | 4119240 | Lastin, Alexander | ♂ | RUS | 2622 | 8 | 2625 | 18 |
| 52 | 8601445 | Bu, Xiangzhi | ♂ | CHN | 2621 | 33 | 2600 | 21 |
| 53 | 13700014 | Vladimirov, Evgeny | ♂ | KAZ | 2621 | 0 | 2621 | 11 |
| 54 | 4138147 | Alekseev, Evgeny | ♂ | RUS | 2616 | 27 | 2609 | 18 |
| 55 | 13601520 | Jobava, Baadur | ♂ | GEO | 2616 | 0 | 2616 | 21 |
| 56 | 4623606 | Dautov, Rustem | ♂ | GER | 2616 | 0 | 2616 | 16 |
| 57 | 13300881 | Sargissian, Gabriel | ♂ | ARM | 2614 | 9 | 2618 | 9 |
| 58 | 3503240 | Dominguez, Lenier | ♂ | CUB | 2612 | 16 | 2605 | 11 |
| 59 | 1113100 | Krasenkow, Michal | ♂ | POL | 2609 | 0 | 2609 | 24 |
| 60 | 8600031 | Xu, Jun | ♂ | CHN | 2608 | 0 | 2608 | 11 |
| 61 | 5900212 | Kotronias, Vasilios | ♂ | CYP | 2607 | 18 | 2598 | 16 |
| 62 | 13300490 | Asrian, Karen | ♂ | ARM | 2605 | 9 | 2599 | 9 |
| 63 | 3503739 | Bruzon, Lazaro | ♂ | CUB | 2602 | 43 | 2603 | 0 |
| 64 | 2900394 | Delchev, Aleksander | ♂ | BUL | 2602 | 34 | 2624 | 50 |
| 65 | 4120426 | Galkin, Alexander | ♂ | RUS | 2602 | 8 | 2607 | 6 |
| 66 | 4123425 | Smirnov, Pavel | ♂ | RUS | 2601 | 31 | 2609 | 16 |
| 67 | 1705024 | Agrest, Evgenij | ♂ | SWE | 2601 | 14 | 2616 | 19 |
| 68 | 13600613 | Kacheishvili, Giorgi | ♂ | GEO | 2600 | 11 | 2598 | 21 |
| 69 | 5007003 | Harikrishna, Pentala | ♂ | IND | 2599 | 42 | 2582 | 41 |
| 70 | 2100029 | Milos, Gilberto | ♂ | BRA | 2599 | 8 | 2594 | 17 |
| 71 | 4162722 | Inarkiev, Ernesto | ♂ | RUS | 2595 | 19 | 2606 | 18 |
| 72 | 1008013 | Tiviakov, Sergei | ♂ | NED | 2593 | 21 | 2600 | 32 |
| 73 | 4102185 | Kharlov, Andrei | ♂ | RUS | 2593 | 6 | 2607 | 24 |
| 74 | 107069 | Felgaer, Ruben | ♂ | ARG | 2592 | 17 | 2572 | 18 |
| 75 | 7100019 | Adianto, Utut | ♂ | INA | 2591 | 0 | 2591 | 9 |
| 76 | 8601160 | Ni, Hua | ♂ | CHN | 2587 | 17 | 2600 | 22 |
| 77 | 13300059 | Anastasian, Ashot | ♂ | ARM | 2587 | 0 | 2587 | 9 |
| 78 | 1105663 | Kempinski, Robert | ♂ | POL | 2586 | 18 | 2577 | 19 |
| 79 | 13700278 | Kotsur, Pavel | ♂ | KAZ | 2586 | 9 | 2569 | 37 |

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| 80 | 12400084 | Dao, Thien Hai | g | VIE | 2583 | 0 | 2583 | 21 |
| 81 | 3405400 | Morovic Fernandez, Ivan | g | CHI | 2583 | 0 | 2583 | 0 |
| 82 | 5002150 | Ganguly, Surya Shekhar | g | IND | 2582 | 42 | 2541 | 33 |
| 83 | 2016192 | Nakamura, Hikaru | g | USA | 2580 | 30 | 2571 | 11 |
| 84 | 14109603 | Karjakin, Sergey | g | UKR | 2580 | 16 | 2566 | 15 |
| 85 | 12100030 | Al-Modiahki, Mohamad | g | QAT | 2579 | 0 | 2579 | 9 |
| 86 | 4100093 | Dolmatov, Sergey | g | RUS | 2573 | 9 | 2591 | 13 |
| 87 | 12800112 | Sulskis, Sarunas | g | LTU | 2570 | 19 | 2582 | 27 |
| 88 | 2101246 | Leitao, Rafael | g | BRA | 2564 | 8 | 2566 | 9 |
| 89 | 13601652 | Gagunashvili, Merab | g | GEO | 2562 | 30 | 2583 | 29 |
| 90 | 13500520 | Shulman, Yuri | g | USA | 2559 | 15 | 2564 | 0 |
| 91 | 1100025 | Wojtkiewicz, Aleksander | g | USA | 2559 | 9 | 2564 | 31 |
| 92 | 12500739 | Ghaem Maghami, Ehsan | g | IRI | 2558 | 35 | 2556 | 52 |
| 93 | 100013 | Campora, Daniel H. | g | ARG | 2557 | 38 | 2524 | 14 |
| 94 | 2000164 | Kudrin, Sergey | g | USA | 2557 | 29 | 2565 | 15 |
| 95 | 1503014 | Carlsen, Magnus | m | NOR | 2552 | 35 | 2484 | 45 |
| 96 | 4101685 | Landa, Konstantin | g | RUS | 2550 | 7 | 2563 | 25 |
| 97 | 708020 | Acs, Peter | g | HUN | 2548 | 18 | 2579 | 25 |
| 98 | 13401378 | Guseinov, Gadir | g | AZE | 2548 | 9 | 2571 | 20 |
| 99 | 9000011 | Hamdouchi, Hichem | g | MAR | 2544 | 30 | 2588 | 0 |
| 100 | 2000202 | Ivanov, Alexander | g | USA | 2544 | 19 | 2537 | 11 |
| 101 | 6500617 | Ramirez, Alejandro | g | CRC | 2542 | 36 | 2499 | 11 |
| 102 | 2100045 | Lima, Darcy | g | BRA | 2542 | 2 | 2537 | 9 |
| 103 | 5000025 | Barua, Dibyendu | g | IND | 2539 | 33 | 2549 | 11 |
| 104 | 14100150 | Neverov, Valeriy | g | UKR | 2537 | 9 | 2527 | 20 |
| 105 | 4653530 | Kritz, Leonid | g | GER | 2534 | 9 | 2534 | 7 |
| 106 | 4202694 | Mastrovasilis, Dimitrios | g | GRE | 2533 | 9 | 2522 | 19 |
| 107 | 5201241 | Paragua, Mark | m | PHI | 2529 | 0 | 2529 | 45 |
| 108 | 3400042 | Vasquez, Rodrigo | g | CHI | 2523 | 0 | 2523 | 20 |
| 109 | 14200082 | Barsov, Alexei | g | UZB | 2507 | 29 | 2524 | 18 |
| 110 | 10600140 | El Gindy, Essam | m | EGY | 2507 | 17 | 2502 | 25 |
| 111 | 1112635 | Bartel, Mateusz | m | POL | 2501 | 9 | 2482 | 9 |
| 112 | 10601619 | Adly, Ahmed | m | EGY | 2490 | 32 | 2482 | 24 |
| 113 | 3200035 | Johansen, Darryl K. | g | AUS | 2489 | 20 | 2519 | 13 |
| 114 | 2602504 | Charbonneau, Pascal | m | CAN | 2484 | 25 | 2485 | 0 |
| 115 | 12500798 | Mahjoob, Morteza | m | IRI | 2478 | 27 | 2457 | 48 |
| 116 | 5003512 | Neelotpal, Das | m | IND | 2457 | 54 | 2461 | 19 |
| 117 | 110124 | Garcia Palermo, Carlos | g | ARG | 2444 | 9 | 2437 | 8 |
| 118 | 5101174 | Gonzalez Garcia, Jose | m | MEX | 2443 | 9 | 2449 | 0 |
| 119 | 9000240 | Tissir, Mohamed | m | MAR | 2442 | 32 | 2436 | 8 |
| 120 | 8700168 | Simutowe, Amon | m | ZAM | 2442 | 9 | 2433 | 12 |
| 121 | 5201152 | Dableo, Ronald | m | PHI | 2426 | 0 | 2426 | 9 |
| 122 | 6300634 | Haznedaroglu, Kivanc | m | TUR | 2395 | 9 | 2360 | 21 |
| 123 | 9400079 | Kadhi, Hameed Mansour Ali | m | YEM | 2379 | 0 | 2379 | 0 |
| 124 | 7900872 | Arab, Adlane | | ALG | 2374 | 17 | 2341 | 13 |
| 125 | 14300192 | Solomon, Kenneth | f | RSA | 2352 | 0 | 2352 | 8 |
| 126 | 9200177 | Asabri, Hussien | | LBA | 2277 | 6 | 2290 | 0 |
| 127 | 9200355 | Elarbi, Abobker | | LBA | 2257 | 8 | 2252 | 9 |
| 128 | 9200274 | Abulhul, Tarik | | LBA | 2076 | 3 | 2081 | 15 |
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