

Schedule showing the composition of the complete team of a country taking part in the Games

The table published below has been given by the Organizing Committee of the 1960 Rome Games. It shows the numerical composition of a complete representation as it could have been in Melbourne and as it could now be in Rome as a result of the latest decisions taken by the International Olympic Committee in Tokyo.

The number of competitors is almost unchanged, but could perhaps be considerably reduced if, at the next Congress in Stockholm, the International Athletic Amateur Federation approves its proposal for reduction.

A notable reduction amounting to nearly 50% in the number of reserves has been obtained.

Sport	MELBOURNE 1956				ROME 1960			
	<i>Men</i>		<i>Women</i>		<i>Men</i>		<i>Women</i>	
	competitors	reserves	competitors	reserves	competitors	reserves	competitors	reserves
Athletics	74	4	28	2	74	4	28	2
Gymnastics	6	2	6	2	5	—	5	—
Boxing	10	—	—	—	10	—	—	—
Fencing	12	6	3	—	12	3	4	1
Wrestling	16	—	—	—	16	—	—	—
Shooting	12	—	—	—	10	—	—	—
Rowing	26	5	—	—	26	5	—	—
Swimming	28	2	25	2	28	2	25	2
Water-polo	11	—	—	—	11	—	—	—
Equestrian Games	9	—	—	—	9	—	—	—
Cycling	12	4	—	—	13	2	—	—
Modern Pentathlon	3	1	—	—	3	—	—	—
Weight-lifting	7	—	—	—	7	—	—	—
Yachting	11	5	—	—	11	3	—	—
Football	20	—	—	—	19	—	—	—
Basketball	12	—	—	—	12	—	—	—
Hockey	18	—	—	—	16	—	—	—
Canoeing	12	12	1	1	10	—	3	—
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