

## 12th IAAF World Championships in Athletics • Biographical Entry List (may include reserves)

## Men's 200 Metres

78 Entrants



Start date: Tuesday, August 18

		Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
101	<b>MARTINA Churandy</b> AHO Fourth in Beijing Olympic 100m then originally second at 200m, only to be disqualified for a lane infringement after clocking 19.82; Official second placer Shawn Crawford later gave him the silver medal 100 pb: 9.76w -06, 9.93 -08 (9.97 -09). 400m pb: 46.13 -07. sf World Youth 100 99; qf WJC 100 2002 (2000-ht); 1 South American Games 100 2002 (2 200); qf OLY 100 2004; qf WCH 100 2005 (2003-ht); 1 Central American & Caribbean Games 100 2006; 1 Pan-Am Games 100 2007; 5 WCH 100/200 2007; 4 OLY 100 2008 (200-dq); ... student of "Multi-Disciplinary Studies" at University of Texas El Paso ... he has a gold-capped tooth engraved with the letter C, standing for his name and also his birthplace of Curacao ... in 2008 he "won" a televised sprint race at 30m against a row of toppling dominoes, clocking 3.81 ... coach-Wendell Prince In 2009: 1 UTEP Invitational 200; 2 Baie Mahault 100; 1 Ponce 100; 1 Hengelo 100; 7 Eugene 100; 7 Oslo Golden League 100; 3 Lausanne 200 (1 100 'B'); 5ht Rome Golden League 100; 7 Paris Golden League 100; 1 Monaco 100; 4 Stockholm 100	25y	43d	1984	20.76	20.11 -08
112	<b>CHRISTIAN Brendan</b> ANT 2007 Pan-American Champion at 200m ... Antigua record holder at 200m (he's lost his 100m record to Daniel Bailey) 19.98w -09. 100 pb: 10.01w -07, 10.09 -09 (10.02w -09). 2 WJC 200 2002 (6 100); qf OLY 200 2004; sf COM 200 2006; 1 Pan-Am Games 200 2007 (3 100); sf WCH 100/200 2007; sf WIC 60 2008; sf OLY 200 2008. Moved to the USA at age three ... based-Houston, coach-Allan Powell In 2009: 1 Texas Invitational 200 (4 100); 3 Osaka 200; 1 Ponce 200 (4 100); 3 Belém 200 (5 100); 1 Nivelles 100; 1 Lille 200 (3 100); 1 Lausanne 200; 2 Reims 100	25y	248d	1983	20.12	20.12 -08
154	<b>GULIYEV Ramil</b> AZE World Student Games & European Junior Champion at 200m ... 100 pb: 10.09 -09. ht WJC 100 2006; 2 World Youth 200 2007; ht WIC 60 2008; 5 WJC 200 2008; qf OLY 200 2008; 7 EIC 60 2009; 1 WSG 200; 1 EJC 200 2009 (2 100) In 2009: 7 EIC 60; 1 Azerbaijan Cup 100; 1 Istanbul 100/200; 1 ETCh 3rd League 100 'A'/200 'A'; dq Moscow Open 100; 1 World Student Games 200; 1 EJC 200 (2 100) He's set two Azeri records in each of the sprints already in 2009 (10.25, 10.08 100m & 20.42, 20.04 200m)	19y	79d	1990	20.04	20.04 -09
155	<b>ATKINS Derrick</b> BAH Split Tyson Gay & Asafa Powell to win 2007 world 100m silver ... 9.83w -07 (10.00w -09). 2 Central American & Caribbean Games 100 2006; 2 WCH 100 2007; sf OLY 100 2008. 1 Bahamas 100 2005/2007. Born-Jamaica, moved to Bahamas at age 2 ... Asafa Powell is his second cousin (the son of his mother's niece) ... degree in Education from Dickinson State University, North Dakota ... daughter Jaden Harmony born January 27, 2007 "I wanted to put Bahamas men's sprinting on the map." In 2009: 1 Florida Relays 200 'C'; 1 Berkeley 100 (2 200); 1 Athens GA 200; 4 Carson 100; 3 New York 100 'B'; 1 Bahamas 100; 3 Central American & Caribbean Champs 4x100; 1 Zaragoza 100; 6 Barcelona 200	25y	223d	1984	20.35	20.35 -09
164	<b>McKINNEY Nathaniel</b> BAH 2005 World relay silver ... 400 pb: 45.68 -07 (46.94 -09). 6 OLY 4x400 2004; 2 WCH 4x400 2005. Was at St Augustine's College at Raleigh, North Carolina In 2009: 1 Lynchburg 400 (Apr 11); 1 Lynchburg 400 (Apr 30); 1 Athens GA 400 (2 200)	27y	209d	1982	20.67	20.67 -09
170	<b>GITTENS Ramon</b> BAR 100 pb: 10.18 -09. ht World Youth 100/200 2003; 8 Pan-American junior 100/200 2005; 2 Central American & Caribbean junior 200 2006 (3 100); 5 WJC 200 2006. Attends Saint Augustine's College in Raleigh, NC In 2009: 3 NCAA div 2 indoor 60; 1 Conway 200; 1 Greensboro 100; 3 Charlotte 200; 1 Lynchburg 200; 2 NCAA div 2 100 (4 200); 2 Barbados 100/200; 1 Nassau 100; 2ht Central American & Caribbean Champs 100/200	22y	27d	1987	20.56	20.56 -09
171	<b>HINDS Andrew</b> BAR Multiple winner of Barbados sprint titles ... 100 pb: 10.03 -09. qf OLY 100 2008; 3 Central American & Caribbean 100 2009. 1 Barbados 100 2003/2006/2008/2009 & 200 2003/2004/2009 In 2009: 3 Sydney 100; 5 Melbourne 200; 5 Kingston 100 (Apr 18); 2 Fortaleza 100 'B'; 4 Rio de Janeiro 100 'B'; 1 Uberlândia 100 'B'; 3 Belém 100 'B'; 1 Barbados 100/200; 3 Central American & Caribbean Champs 100; 8ht Rome Golden League 100; 4 Athens 100 'B'; dq Karlstad 100; 1 Sundsvall 200 (2 100); 4 Stockholm 100 'B'; 6 Cottbus 100	25y	112d	1984	20.38	20.38 -09
207	<b>KENOSI Fanuel</b> BOT Botwanan record holder at 200m ... 100 pb: 10.58 -07 (10.80 -09). 3 African Champs 200 2008; ht OLY 200 2008 In 2009: 7 Dakar 200; 7 Marseille 100/200; 4 Tangiers 200	21y	104d	1988	22.02w	20.72 -08
209	<b>MAKWALA Isaac</b> BOT 400 pb: 45.56 -09. 1 African Games 4x400 2007; 2 African Champs 2004 In 2009: 1 Dakar 400; 4 Rabat 400; 1 Southern Africa 400 (Southern Africa not South Africa); 2 Radès 400; 1 Metz 400; 4 Sotteville-lès-Rouen 400	22y	321d	1986	20.73	20.73 -09
215	<b>VIANA Sandro</b> BRA 2008 Ibero-American Champion at 200m ... fourth in relays at Osaka 2007 & Beijing 2008 100 pb: 10.11 -09. 3 WSG 100 2005 (8 200); 1 Pan-American 4x100 2007; qf WCH 200 2007 (ht 100, 4 4x100); 1 Ibero-American 200 2008; qf OLY 200 2008 (ht 100, 4 4x100). 1 Brazilian 200 2008 In 2009: 3 São Paulo 200 (5 100) (Mar 28); 1 San Carlos 200; 1 Montevideo 200; 3 Piracicaba 200 (6 100); 2 São Paulo 200 (6 100) (May 2); 7 Fortaleza 100 'B'; 5 Rio de Janeiro 200 (8 100 'B'); 7 Uberlândia 100 'B'; 1 Cochabamba 200 (4 100); 3 Brazilian 200; 1 Bogotá 100 (2 200); 1 Cottbus 200	32y	143d	1977	20.57	20.32 -08
241	<b>GUNEV Desislav</b> BUL 4x Bulgarian Champion at 100m ... 100 pb: 10.27 -08 (10.32 -09). 2 European Youth 200 2003; sf World Youth 200 2003; ht WJC 100 2004; 4 EJC 100 2005 (2003-ht); ht OLY 100/200 2008. 1 Bulgarian 100 2005/2007/2008/2009 (1 200 2008). Coach-Valya Demireva In 2009: 6 International Military Champs 100; 1 Bulgarian 100; 6 ETCh 2nd League 100; 3 Sofia 100; 5 Metz 200 (7 100)	23y	207d	1986	21.99	20.70 -08
252	<b>CONNAUGHTON Jared</b> CAN 100 pb: 10.15 -08 (10.26 -09). sf WJC 200 2004; 3 North, Central American & Caribbean under-23 2006 (8 100); 2 Pan-American 4x100 2007; sf OLY 200 2008 In 2009: 4 Texas Relays 100; 4 Baton Rouge 100 'B'; 2 Baie Mahault 200 (6 100); 6 Toronto 100; 2 Canadian 200 (3 100); 3 Halifax 100; 1 Ottawa 200 (2 100)	24y	27d	1985	20.76	20.34 -08
253	<b>SMELLIE Gavin</b> CAN 20.43w -09. 100 pb: 10.29 -09. 6 Pan-American junior 200 2005; 5 WSG 200 2007 (2009-6). Born-Jamaica ... student of Business at the University of Western Kentucky In 2009: 2 Alabama Relays 100; 1 Murfreesboro 100/200; 1 Louisville 200; 5 NCAA 200; 5 Canadian 200; 6 World Student Games 200	23y	51d	1986	20.45	20.45 -09
254	<b>EFFAH Sam</b> CAN 100 pb: 10.18w -08, 10.30 -09 In 2009: 2ht Montréal 60; 3 Baton Rouge 100 'B'; 2 Calgary 100/200 (May 3); 1 Calgary 100/200; 1 Victoria 200 (3 100); 1 Port-of-Spain 100; 3 Canadian 200 (4 100); 5 World Student Games 200	20y	229d	1988	20.75	20.68 -08
277	<b>MEITE Ben Youssef</b> CIV 100 pb: 10.21 -09. ht World Youth 100/200 2003; 1 West African 100 2005 In 2009: 1 Canadian 200 'B'; 1 Metz 200 (1 200); 6 Sotteville-lès-Rouen 100; 2 Albertville 200 (3 100); 1 Donnas 200; 1 Abuja 100	22y	278d	1986	20.72	20.72 -09

281	<b>GRUESO Daniel</b> COL	24y	17d	1985	20.62	20.62 -09
Colombian record holder at 100m & 200m ... 100 pb: 10.17 -08 (10.22 -09). 400 pb: 46.34 -08. 8 WJC 200 2004; 3 South American 200 2007; ht WCH 200 2007; 6 Central American & Caribbean Champs 100 2008; qf OLY 200 2008 (ht 100); 2 South American 100 2009. 1 Colombian 100 2005/2009 & 200 2005/2006/2007/2009 In 2009: 1 San Germán 100/200; 1 Ponce 100 (Mar 28); 1 Ponce 100 (Apr 25); 2 Santo Domingo 100; 6 Ponce 100 (May 16); 1 Colombian 100/200; 1 Cali 100; 2 South American 100 (1 4x100); 1 Malles 100; 5 Sotteville-lès-Rouen 100; 3 Eindhoven 100; 4 Abuja 100; 2 Cuxhaven 100; 1 Zeulenroda 100; 7 Wattenscheid 100; 4ht Wattenscheid 100						
287	<b>BRENES Nery</b> CRC	23y	325d	1985	20.68	20.68 -09
Costa Rican record holder at 200m & 400m ... 400 pb: 44.94 -08 (45.73 -09). sf WCH 400 2007 (2005-ht); 4 WIC 400 2007; sf OLY 400 2008. Student of Political Science ... coach-Walter Salazar In 2009: 4 Central American & Caribbean Champs 400; 1 Bogotá 200/400						
333	<b>NAZARENO Franklin</b> ECU	22y	114d	1987	10.39	10.22 -07/08
Ecuadorian record holder at 100m & 200m ... 100 pb: 10.22 -07/08 (10.39 -09). 400 pb: 47.52 -06. 6 WJC 200 2006 (ht 100); 1 South American under-23 200; 2 South American 100 2007 (5 200); 7 WSG 200 2007; qf WCH 200 2007 (ht 100); ht OLY 100/200 2008 In 2009: 5 Santiago de Chile 100/200; 3 Mar del Plata 200; 6 Buenos Aires 100; 4 Rosario 100; 3 Santa Fe 200; 2 Havana 100/200; 1 Ecuadorian 100/200; 2 Cali 100; 8 South American 100; 8sf World Student Games 100 (5qf 200)						
341	<b>SEOUD Amr</b> EGY	23y	67d	1986	20.52	20.52 -09
Full name-Amr Ibrahim Mostafa Seoud 2007 World Student Games Champion at 200m ... Egyptian record holder at 100m & 200m 100 pb: 10.30 -09. ht WIC 60 2003; sf World Youth 200 2003 (ht 100); 6 African Champs 100 2006; 4 African Games 200 2006; 1 WSG 200 2007 (7 100); qf WCH 200 2007; qf OLY 200 2008. At the 2007 World Student Games he was fifth in the initial staging of the 100m final which was annulled because of a false start by another athlete. Therefore he forfeited a personal best of 10.40 from that race. He went on to place seventh in the re-run before winning the 200m final In 2009: 1 Riyadh 100/200; 1 Rabat 200; 2 Biberach 200 'B'; 1 Mediterranean Games 200 (7 100); 2 World Student Games 100/200; 2 Tangiers 200; 7ht Abuja 100						
383	<b>RODRÍGUEZ Ángel David</b> ESP	29y	112d	1980	20.88	20.61 -08
Spanish record holder at 100m ... 100 pb: 20.61 -08 (20.88 -09). 6 EJC 100 99; 8 WCP 100 2002; 4 ECP 100 2006/2008; sf ECH 100 2006; sf EIC 60 2007 (2009-ht); qf WCH 100 2007; sf WIC 60 2008; qf OLY 100/200 2008. 1 Spanish 100 2006/2007/2009 (1 200 2009) (1 indoor 60 2007/2008/2008/2009) In 2009: 1 Spanish indoor 60; 3ht EIC 60; 1 Valladolid 100 (2 200); 6 Rabat 200 (7 100); 2 ETCh 100 'B' (7th overall); 2 ETCh 200 'B' (5th overall); 6 Málaga 200; 5 Mediterranean Games 100/200; 6ht Madrid 100; 5ht Zaragoza 100; 1 Ávila 100; 8 Barcelona 200; 1 Spanish 100/200						
394	<b>NIIT Marek</b> EST	22y	7d	1987	20.73	20.69 -07
2006 World Junior Champion at 200m ... replaced Erki Nool as Estonian record holder at 200m 100 pb: 10.42 -07. 6 EJC 200 2005 (sf 100); 1 WJC 200 2006; ht EIC 60 2007. 1 Estonian 200 2006/2009 (1 100 2007). At University of Arkansas In 2009: 5 Gainesville 200; 7 Louisville 200; 4 ETCh 1st League 200 'A'; 5 under-23 ECH 200; 1 Kose 200; 1 Estonian 200						
419	<b>VEREKAUTA Niko</b> FIJ	22y	181d	1987	21.68	21.05 -08
Fiji record holder at 200m ... 400 pb: 46.22 -07. sf COM 400 2006; sf WJC 400 2006; ht OLY 400 2008. 1 Belgian 400 2007 & New Zealand 400 2008 In 2009: 2 Gold Coast 200 (4 100)						
434	<b>ALERTE David</b> FRA	24y	331d	1984	20.65	20.33 -07
2005 European under-23 Champion at 200m ... 100 pb: 10.27 -07 (10.34 -09). 400 pb: 46.45 -04. 3 European Youth 200 2001; ht WJC 200 2002; ht EJC 400 2003; sf WIC 200 2004; 1 under-23 ECH 200/4x100 2005; 3 ECH 4x100 2006 (sf 200); 2 ECP 200 2007. 1 French 200 2006/2007 In 2009: 3 French 200; 1 La Roche-sur-Yon 200 (2 100); 1 Castres 200 (3 100)						
446	<b>de LEPINE Eddy</b> FRA	25y	138d	1984	20.81	20.47 -08
Ran third leg for victorious French sprint relay team at 2005 World Championships 100 pb: 10.19 -03 (10.42 -09). 110H pb: 14.15 -03. 3 World Youth 110H 2001; qf OLY 100 2004. 1 French junior 100 2003 & under-23 2005; 1 under-23 ECH 4x100 2005; 1 WCH 4x100 2005; 6 ECH 200 2006; 7 ECP 200 2008. Describes his starting as "catastrophic", he was disqualified for false starting at the 2003 European Junior Championships ... born-Guadeloupe ... coach-Luc Piquionne In 2009: 1 Forbach 200 (4 300); 3 Strasbourg 200 (4 100); 2 International Military Champs 200; 6 La Chaux-de-Fonds 100; 2 French 200; 3 Castres 200 (5 100)						
457	<b>MBANDJOCK Martial</b> FRA	23y	306d	1985	20.58	20.58 -09
New Mediterranean Games Champion at 100m ... 100 pb: 10.06 -08 (10.11 -09). sf WJC 200 2004; sf EIC 60 2007; 2 ECP 100 2007; 3 under-23 ECH 100 2007; qf WCH 100 2007; sf WIC 60 2008; sf OLY 200 2008; 2 ETCh 200 2009 (4 100); 1 Mediterranean Games 100 2009. 1 French 100 2008 & 200 2009. Coach-John Smith In 2009: 3 UCLA Invitational 200; 3 Mt. SAC Relays 100; 1 Los Angeles 100; 5 Baie Mahault 100; 2 Montreuil-sous-Bois 100 (May 17); 3 Montreuil-sous-Bois 100 (Jun 11); 6 Berlin Golden League 100; 5 Ostrava 100; 2 ETCh 200 (4th 100 overall); 1 Tomblaine 100; 1 Mediterranean Games 100; 9 Paris Golden League 100; 1 French 200						
492	<b>CHAMBERS Dwain</b> GBR	31y	133d	1978	20.50	20.31 -01
1999 World 100m bronze, fourth in 2000 Olympics & 2001 World Championships, but achievements in 2002-2003 annulled because of doping violations ... returned in 2006 then skipped 2007 before returning in 2008 to win world indoor silver at 60m ... he is banned for life from competing for Britain at the Olympic Games or England at the Commonwealth Games 100 pb: 9.97 -99 (10.06 -09). 1 EJC 100/4x100 95/97; 2 ECH 100 98 (1 4x100); 3 WCP 100 98 (1 4x100); sf COM 100 98 (1 4x100); 1 ECP 100 99 (2002-dq); 3 WCH 100 99 (2 4x100); 4 OLY 100 2000; 4 WCH 100 2001 (sf 200); 1 Goodwill Games 100 2001; dq COM 100 2002 (8th); dq ECH 100 2002 (1st); dq WCP 100 2002 (5th); dq WCH 100 2003 (4th); 7 ECH 100 2006 (1 4x100); =2 WIC 60 2008; 1 EIC 60 2009; 1 ETCh 100/200 2009. 1 AAA 100 2000/2001/2003. 1 UK indoor 60 2008/2009; 1 UK 100 2008 ... coach-Daniel Plummer In 2009: 1 Birmingham Games 60 (6.59ht, 6.52sf, 6.54 final); 1 UK indoor 60; 1 EIC 60; 2 Mt. SAC Relays 200; 2 Ponce 100; 1 Kalamáta 100/200; 1 Montreuil-sous-Bois 100; 1 ETCh 100/200; 1 Nantes 100; 1 Uden 100/200; 1 Marseille 100/200; 2 UK Champs 100						
494	<b>DEVONISH Marlon</b> GBR	33y	75d	1976	20.55	20.19 -02
2004 Olympic relay gold ... sixth in 2007 World 100m final ... world relay medals in 1997, 1999, 2005 & 2007 100 pb: 10.06 -07 (10.11 -09). 1 EJC 200/4x100 95; 2 under-23 ECH 100 97; qf WCH 100 97 (bronze 4x100, ran heat); 5 ECH 100 98; 8 COM 100 98 (1 4x100); 2 WCH 4x100 99; 8 WCH 200 2001 (99-sf); 1 ECP 200 2002/2007; 2 COM 200 2002 (1 4x100); 3 ECH 200 2002; 1 WIC 200 2003; sf WCH 100 2005 (qf 200); 3 WCH 4x100 2005; 8 COM 100 2006 (4 4x400); 3 ECH 200 2006 (1 4x100); 6 WCH 100 2007 (3 4x100). 1 AAA 200 97/2001/2002/2006 (1 100 2006). 1 UK 100/200 2007. Parents from Barbados where his father Desmond was a sprinter ... born-Coventry, lives-Slough ... coach-Tony Lester In 2009: 1 Coral Gables 100; 3 Doha 100; 2 Manchester "Great City Games" 150 (behind Usain Bolt); 5 Hengelo 100; 1 Geneva 200; 1 Berlin Golden League 100 'B'; 4 Lille 100/200; 2 UK Champs 200; 5 Lucerne 100 (2 200 'B'); 4 Réthymno 200; 5 London 200						
538	<b>KOSENKOW Alexander</b> GER	32y	155d	1977	20.43	20.43 -09
Twice German Champion at 100m ... 100 pb: 10.14 -03 (10.28 -09). 5 EJC 100 95 (3 4x100); 3 under-23 ECH 4x100 99; sf EIC 60 2000; qf WCH 200 2001; qf ECH 100 2002; qf OLY 200 2004; sf EIC 200 2005; 6 ECP 200 2007; 5 OLY 4x100 2008. 1 German 100 2003/2007 ... born-Kyrgyzstan ... coach-Ronald Stein In 2009: 1 German indoor 200 race 1 (2 60); 1 Chemnitz 200 'C'; 2 Weinheim 200 'B'; 2 Dessau 200 (5 100); 1 Regensburg 200 'B'; 6 Berlin Golden League 100 'B'; 3 ETCh 200 'A' (4th overall); 1 Biberach 200 (4 100); 2 German 200 (3 100); 3 Leverkusen 100; 2 Wattenscheid 200						
552	<b>HERING Robert</b> GER	19y	63d	1990	20.41	20.41 -09
2008 World Junior bronze & 2009 European junior silver at 200m ... 100 pb: 10.34 -09. 5 EJC 200 2007 (1 4x100); 3 WJC 200 2008; 2 EJC 200 2009 (1 4x100). 1 German 200 2009 In 2009: 1 Thum 100; 1 Regensburg 200; 1 Mannheim junior 100/200; 1 German 200; 2 EJC 200 (1 4x100)						
557	<b>MENGA Aleixo-Platini</b> GER	21y	321d	1987	20.52	20.52 -09
100 pb: 10.29 -09. 2 under-23 ECH 200 2009. 3 German 200 2008/2009 In 2009: 8 German indoor 60; 1 Wuppertal 100/300; 1 Weinheim 200; 2 Regensburg 200 'B'; 3 Uden 200 (7 100); 1 German under-23 200; 2 under-23 ECH 200; 3 Wattenscheid 200						

575	<b>AMOO Seth</b> GHA	26y	149d	1983	20.61	20.36 -05
Second in 2007 African Games 200m ... 100 pb: 10.29w -05, 10.30 -04 (10.48 -09). 400 pb: 46.08 -03. sf COM 200 2006 (qf 100); 7 African Champs 200 2006; 2 African Games 200 2007; ht WCH 200 2007; ht OLY 200 2008 In 2009: 1 Denton 200 'B'; 2 Texas Invitational 100/200 'C'; 3 Biberach 200; 3 Bottrop 200; 2 Oordegem 200; 1 Eindhoven 200 (5 100); 9ht Abuja 100; 2 Cuxhaven 200 (3 100); 4 Zeulenroda 100 (1 200 'B'); 2ht Leverkusen 100; 4 Cottbus 200 'B'/100 'C'						
591	<b>REDHEAD Joel</b> GRN	22/23y		1986	20.49	20.49 -09
Grenadan record holder at 200m ... 400 pb: 46.29 -08. 8 NCAA 200 2009. Attends Bethune-Cookman University at Daytona Beach, Florida In 2009: 1 Coral Gables 100 (2 200 'B'); 5 Greensboro 200; 8 NCAA 200						
595	<b>HARRIS Adam</b> GUY	22y	26d	1987	20.67	20.67 -09
100 pb: 10.09w, 10.22 -09. LJ pb: 7.58i, 7.32 -08. ht OLY 200 2008. Born/lives-USA, Attends University of Michigan ... mother is from Guyana In 2009: 4 NCAA indoor 60; 1 Houston 100; 2 Auburn 200; 1 Columbus 100/200 (Apr 11); 5 Penn Relays 100; 2 Columbus 100 (May 2); 1 "Big 10" Conference 100/200; 3 Louisville 100 (4 200); 7 NCAA 100 (sf 200); 1 Halifax 100						
599	<b>PALACIOS Rolando</b> HON	22y	105d	1987	20.78	20.40 -08
2009 World Student Games Champion at 100m ... Honduras record holder at 100m & 200m 100 pb: 10.22 -08 (10.30 -09). ht WCH 100 2005; ht WIC 60 2006/2008; 1 Central American 100 2007/2008 (1 200 2008); 2 North & Central American & Caribbean 200 2008; qf OLY 200 2008 (ht 100); 1 WSG 100 2009 (4 200) In 2009: 1 World Student Games 100 (4 200); 5 Barcelona 200						
622	<b>HESSION Paul</b> IRL	26y	201d	1983	20.40	20.30 -07
Irish record holder at 100m & 200m ... very near to qualifying for 2008 Olympic 200m final 20.26w -08. 100 pb: 10.18 -07. sf WJC 200 2002; ht ECH 200 2002; 5 under-23 ECH 200 2003; 2 WSG 200 2003 (2005-3); ht WIC 200 2004; sf EIC 200 2005; sf ECH 200 2006; sf WCH 200 2007 (2005-qf); sf OLY 200 2008. 1 AAA junior indoor 200 2002; 3 AAA indoor 200 2003/2004. 1 Irish 200 2004/2007/2008 (1 100 2007/2008). Taking time off his medical studies to concentrate on athletics ... based-Scotland, coach-Stuart Hogg In 2009: 2 Irish indoor 60; 5sf EIC 60; 6 Turin 100; 4ht Turin 100; 1 Bydgoszcz 200 (2 100); 1 Ostrava 200 (3 100 'B'); 1 ETCh 2nd League 200; 1 Cork 200 (2 100); 1 Lausanne 200 'B'; 5 Lucerne 200; 3 London 200						
638	<b>GALVAN Matteo</b> ITA	20y	356d	1988	20.62	20.62 -09
400 pb: 45.88 -09. sf World Youth 200 2005; dq WJC 200 final 2006 (out of lane); 7 EJC 200 2007; 6 EIC 400 2009 (1 4x400); 4 under-23 ECH 200 2009 (2 4x400). 1 Italian 200 2008 & 400 2009 In 2009: 2 Italian indoor; 6 EIC 400 (1 4x400); 5 European Clubs Cup 200; 2 Mediterranean Games 200; 8 Athens 200; 4 under-23 ECH 200 (2 4x400); 1 Italian 400						
656	<b>BOLT Usain</b> JAM	22y	360d	1986	19.59	19.30 -08
(Pronounced "You-Sain") ... three Olympic golds & three world records in Beijing ... "I think I could go 9.4 [for 100m], but I think the world stops at 9.4." 100 pb: 9.69 -08 (9.77w, 9.79 -09). 150m pb: 14.35 -09 (world best). 400 pb: 45.28 -07 (45.54 -09). 1 Central American Youth 200/400 2002; 1 WJC 200 2002 (2 4x100/4x400); 1 World Youth 200 2003 (2001-sf); ht OLY 200 2004; 1 Central American 200 2005; 8 WCH 200 2005; 2 WCP 200 2006; 2 WCH 200 /4x100 2007; 1 OLY 100/200/4x100 2008. 1 Jamaican 200 2003 (at age 17)/2007/2008 (1 100 2008) ... coach-Glen Mills ... 1.95 tall (6-5) In 2009: 1 Kingston 400 (Feb 14); 1 Kingston 400 (Feb 21); 1 Spanish Town 100; On April 29 in Jamaica he escaped serious injury when his new BMW M3 skidded off the road and overturned; 1 Manchester "Great City Games" 150 (including 8.70 for last 100m); 1 Toronto 100; 1 Ostrava 100 (9.77w); 1 Jamaican 100/200; 1 Lausanne 200 (19.59 in wet and with 0.9 headwind); 1 Paris Golden League 100 (9.79 in wet); 1 London 100/4x100						
662	<b>GREEN Leford</b> JAM	22y	275d	1986	20.66	20.66 -09
20.41w -09. 400 pb: 45.56 -08 (46.19 -09). 4 WCH 4x400 2007 (44.50 split) In 2009: 4 NCAA div 2 indoor 400; 2 Raleigh Relays 400; 1 Charlotte 200; 2 NCAA div 2 200 (3 400); 5 Jamaican 400; 4ht Central American & Caribbean Champs 400 (3 4x400)						
664	<b>MULLINGS Steve</b> JAM	26y	261d	1982	20.01	20.01 -09
Ran in heat of 2007 World 4x100, so awarded silver medal won by Jamaica in final 19.90w -04. 100 pb: 9.91w -09 (9.98w, 10.01 -09). 3 Pan-Am Junior 100 2001. 1 Jamaican 200 2004. Served two-year doping suspension 2004-2006 In 2009: 2 Coral Gables 100; 2 Texas Invitational 100/200; 1 Orlando 100; 3 Carson 100; 3 New York 100; 2 Turin 100; 1 Prague 100; 1 Thessaloniki 100; 2 Jamaican 200 (5 100); 1 Madrid 100; 2 Lausanne 100; 5 Rome Golden League 100; 2 Lucerne 100; 2 Réthymno 200; 3 Barcelona 200						
672	<b>McKENZIE Ramone</b> JAM	18y	274d	1990	20.56	20.56 -09
Former World Youth Champion at 200m ... 100 pb 10.35 -09. 200 pb: 20.56 -09. 400 pb: 46.62 -08 (46.88 -09). 1 Central American & Caribbean Youth 200/400 2006; 1 World Youth 200 2007 (3 Medley Relay); sf WJC 200 2008 In 2009: 1 Kingston 200/400; 2 Carifta Games junior 200; 2 New York 100; 2 Jamaican junior 200; 4 Jamaican 200; 3 Central American & Caribbean Champs 200; 2 Cottbus 200						
680	<b>AL-HANAHNEH Khalil</b> JOR	29y	96d	1980	21.63	20.81 -07
Jordanian record holder at 60m, 100m, 200m & LJ ... 100 pb: 10.44w -04, 10.48 -07 (10.70w, 10.79 -09). LJ pb: 7.48 -08. TJ pb: 14.36 -08. 3 Arab 100 2003 (4 200, 6 LJ); ht WCH 100 2003; ht WIC 60 2004/2006; ht OLY 100 2004; 5 Asian Games 200 2006; 3 Asian Champs 200 2007; ht WCH 200 2007; ht OLY 200 2008 In 2009: 1 Irbid 100; 6 International Military Champs 200						
684	<b>FUJIMITSU Kenji</b> JPN	23y	107d	1986	20.55	20.46 -06
100 pb: 10.41 -06. 3 World Youth Medley Relay 2003 (sf 200); 1 Asian Champs 200 2007 In 2009: 1 Machida 400; 4 Izumo 300; 8 Osaka 200; 3 Japanese 200						
692	<b>TAKAHIRA Shinji</b> JPN	25y	28d	1984	20.22	20.22 -09
Ran third leg for Japanese team which won Olympic sprint relay bronze in 2008 100 pb: 10.20 -09. 400 pb: 46.01 -03. 1 Asian Junior 200 2002; ht OLY 200 2004 (4 4x100); 3 Asian Games 200 2006. 1 Japanese 200 2004/2005/2008/2009 In 2009: 1 Inba 200; 2 Hiroshima 100; 1 Fukuroi 200; 2 Osaka 200; 1 East Japan Corporate 200; 1 Tottori 100; 1 Japanese 200; 3 Lausanne 200 'B'; 9ht Rome Golden League 100; 5 Athens 200						
695	<b>SAITO Hitoshi</b> JPN	22y	311d	1986	20.42	20.42 -06
100 pb: 10.30w 07, 10.35 -08. 7 World Student Games 200 2009 (2007-8). 2 Japanese 200 2008/2009 In 2009: 2 Tokyo 200; 2 Japanese 200; 7 World Student Games 200						
716	<b>MURAVYOV Vyacheslav</b> KAZ	27y	33d	1982	21.00	20.75 -08
100 pb: 10.29w -06, 10.46 -05/09. ht WIC 60 2006; 8 Asian Games 100 2006; 1 Asian Indoor Champs 60 2008 (2006-3); ht OLY 200 2008 In 2009: 1 Bishkek 200 (5 100); 1 Almaty 100/200						
759	<b>AL-BISHI Hamed Hamadan</b> KSA	27y	166d	1982	20.74	20.55 -03
400 pb: 46.01 -03. ht OLY 4x400 2000; ht WJC 400 2000; 7 Asian Games 200 2002; sf WCH 200 2003 (2005-ht); 1 Asian Champs 200 2005 (2002-6) In 2009: 1 Makkah 200; 4 Dakar 200; 4 Riyadh 200; 1 Saudi Arabian 200; 2 Celle Ligure 200; 1 Brno 100/200; 3 Albertville 200; 1 Donnas 200 'B' (2 100 'C')						
774	<b>ARAJS Ronalds</b> LAT	21y	260d	1987	21.18	20.75 -08
(Pronounced like "Arise") ... 100 pb: 10.21w -09, 10.40 -06 (10.49 -09). sf WJC 100 2006; ht OLY 200 2008. 1 Latvian 100 2006/2009 In 2009: 3 El Paso 200; 3 UTEP Invitational 100; 1 Albuquerque 100; 1 Valmiera 100; 1 Latvian 100						
814	<b>ZOUGARI Idriss Khalid</b> MAR	21y	204d	1988	20.73	20.73 -09
Moroccan record holder at 200m ... 100 pb: 10.34 -08 (10.54 -09). ht World Youth 100/200 2005; 2 African junior 100/200 2007; 5 African Champs 200 2008; 3 Mediterranean Games 200 2009 In 2009: 1 Alessandria 200; 3 Rabat 200; 2 Hérouville 200; 1 Bonneuil-sur-Marne 200; 5 Casablanca 100; 1 Moroccan 200; 3 Mediterranean Games 200; 2 Metz 200; 3 Sotteville-lès-Rouen 100 'B'; 6 Albertville 200						
835	<b>PORTELLI Nikolai</b> MLT	27y	242d	1981	21.63	21.63 -09
400 pb: 48.14 -03. 2 Small States Games 400 2003 & 200 2009; ht OLY 200 2008 In 2009: 2 Small States Games 200 (4 100); 2 ETCh 3rd League 100 'B'; 8ht Mediterranean Games 100/200						

839	<b>BUCKLAND Stéphan</b>	MRI	32y	208d	1977	20.33	20.06	-03
Fifth-fifth-sixth in three successive World 200m finals ... 100 pb: 10.13 -01/02 (10.15 -09). qf WJC 100 96; ht WIC 60 99/2003/2004; 8 African Games 100 99; qf WCH 100 99; 1 Francophone Games 100/200 2001; 5 WCH 200 2003/2005 (2001-6); 6 OLY 200 2004 (2000/2008-sf); 2 COM 200 2006 (2002-sf); 2 African Champs 200 2006/2008; 8 WCP 200 2006 ... father of two daughters, Milane & Faith In 2009: 1 Germiston 100/200; 6 Ostrava 200; 2 Tomblaine 100; 1 Málaga 200; 1 Lille 100 (2 200); 3 Madrid 100; 7 Lausanne 200; 2 Athens 200 (8 100 'B')								
853	<b>van LUIJK Patrick</b>	NED	24y	332d	1984	20.52	20.52	-09
100 pb; 10.20w, 10.25 -08 (10.38 -09). qf ECH 200 2006; ht EIC 60 2009. 1 Dutch 100/200 2008/2009 & indoor 60 2007. Coach-Errol Esajas In 2009: =4 Dutch indoor 60; 4ht EIC 60; 1 Lisse 150 'B'; 1 Dutch Clubs 100/200; 1 Hoorn 200 (2 100); 6ht Hengelo 100; 5 Geneva 100 (2 200 'B' with pb 20.52); 1 Leiden 100/200; 2 Berlin Golden League 100 'B'; 3 ETCh 1st League 100 'A'/200 'A'; 1 Sollentuna 100; 4 Málaga 200; 3 Heusden 200; 7 Barcelona 200; 1 Dutch 100/200								
863	<b>METU Obinna</b>	NGR	21y	34d	1988	20.59	20.55	-08
Won sprint double at 2008 Nigerian Championships ... 100 pb: 10.16 -08 (10.27 -09). 8 WJC 100 2006; 3 African Games 200 2007 (1 4x100); qf OLY 100/200 2008. 1 Nigerian 100 2008/2009 (1 200 2007/2008) In 2009: 1 Nsukka 100; 3 Rabat 100 (4 200); 6 Montreuil-sous-Bois 100; 2 Lugano 100; 6 Milan 100; 3 Malles 100; 2 Marseille 100/200; 2 Sotteville-lès-Rouen 100; 1 Nigerian 100								
877	<b>SAIDY NDURE Jaysuma</b>	NOR	25y	45d	1984	20.55	19.89	-07
Gambian and now Norwegian record holder at 100m & 200m ... in Noway they call him "Jays" 100 pb: 10.01 -08 (10.07w, 10.10 -09). ht WJC 200 2002; qf COM 200 2002; ht WCH 200 2003; 3 African Champs 100 2004; qf OLY 100/200 2004; sf WCH 200 2005; sf COM 200 2006; sf OLY 200 2008 (qf 100). 1 Norwegian 100/200 2007 (1 100 2008). Has lived in Oslo since 2001, became a Norwegian citizen in December 2006; originally not cleared to compete for Norway in Championships until 2009, but in 2007 Gambia released him to do so In 2009: 1 Oslo 300 (May 19); 3 Kalamáta 200; 5 Eugene 100 'B'; 1 ETCh 1st League 100 'A'/200; 6 Oslo Golden League 100; 5 Lausanne 100; 2 Athens 100 'B'; 4 London 200; 5 Stockholm 100								
883	<b>DOLPHIN James</b>	NZL	26y	60d	1983	21.03	20.56	-08
100 pb: 10.41 -05 (10.49w, 10.63 -09). 400 pb: 46.72 -05. ht WJC 100 2002; qf WCH 200 2003/2007; ht OLY 200 2008. 1 New Zealand 100/200 2005/2006/2007 (1 200 2008). 1 Belgian 200 2007 In 2009: 4 Waitakere 100; 5 Sydney 200; 5 Christchurch 100; 2 New Zealand 200; 1 Auckland 200 (2 100); 1 Brisbane 200 (3 100); 2 Brasschaat 200; 4 Loughborough European Permit 200; 3 Belgian 200								
888	<b>EDWARD Alonso</b>	PAN	19y	251d	1989	20.00	20.00	-09
Panamanian record holder at 100m & 200m ... double South American sprints Champion ... down from 10.28/20.62 to 10.09/20.00 already in 2009 100 pb: 9.97w, 10.00 -09. ht WJC 100 2008; 1 South American 100/200 2009 In 2009: 1 Texas Relays 100; 1 Nebraska Invitational 200; 1 Fayetteville 100/200; 1 Arkansas City 100; 1 Hutchinson 200 (2 100); 1 South American 100/200; 3 Lucerne 100; 6 Zaragoza 100; 1 Réthymno 200 (4 100)								
926	<b>ABRANTES Arnaldo</b>	POR	22y	262d	1986	20.51	20.48	-07
Portuguese #2 sprinter after Francis Obikwelu ... 100 pb: 10.19 -09. ht WJC 100 2004; sf EJC 200 2005; 6 WSG 100 2007; qf WCH 200 2007; ht OLY 200 2008; ht EIC 60 2009. 1 Portuguese indoor 60 2007/2008 In 2009: 1 Portuguese Clubs indoor 60/200; 4ht EIC 60; 2 Lisbon 100; 1 Elvas 100; 1 Castellón 100; 2 Lisbon 100; 1 Abrantes 100/200; 1 ETCh 200 'B' (2nd overall); 3 Málaga 200; 2 Salamanca 100; 1 Lisbon 200; 4 Zaragoza 100; 2 Portuguese 100								
967	<b>MPUANG Thuso</b>	RSA	25y	167d	1984	20.61	20.53	-08
2008 African 200m Champion in Addis Ababa, on what was his first trip outside of South Africa 100 pb: 10.27 -09. 1 African Champs 200/4x100 2008; qf OLY 200 2009; 3 WSG 200/4x100 2009. Student at Free State University in Bloemfontein ... coach-Ans Botha In 2009: 1 South African 200 (2 100); 2 Réduit 100/200; 7 Berlin Golden League; 8 Ostrava 200; 1 Biberach 200 'B'; 3 World Student Games 200/4x100; 3 Cuxhaven 100/200; 5 Cottbus 200								
968	<b>MPUTLA Tshagofatso</b>	RSA	22y	144d	1987	10.46	10.46	-09
South of Africa 200m Champion in 2009 ... 100 pb: 10.46 -09. dq ht WJC 200 2006 (ran out of lane) In 2009: 3 Pretoria 100 'B' (Jan 30); 2 Pretoria 100 (Feb 14); 3 Germiston 200 (4 100); 6 South African 200 (7 100); 1 Southern Africa 200; 8 Berlin Golden League 100 'B'; 1 Sollentuna 200; 2 La Chaux-de-Fonds 200 (5 100); 6 Lausanne 200 'B'; 4 Albertville 200; 2 Donnas 200; 2 Cuxhaven 200 'B'								
1017	<b>SMIRNOV Roman</b>	RUS	24y	347d	1984	20.73	20.57	-08
Ran third leg for Russian team which won the sprint relay at the 2009 World Student Games 100 pb: 10.26w -08, 10.33 -09. sf WJC 100/200 2002; qf ECH 200 2006; 4 ECP 200 2008 (2007-7); 8 ECP 100 2008; qf OLY 200 2008. 1 Russian 200 2008 In 2009: 1 Russian indoor 200 (2 60); 1 Sochi 100; 2 European Clubs Cup 200; 2 Strasbourg 200 (3 100); 3 Hérouville 200; 2 Istanbul 200 (5 100); 6 ETCh 100 'A' (12th overall); 4 ETCh 200 'A' (7th overall); 1 Sofia 200 (2 100); 1 World Student Games 4x100; 2 Russian 200								
1032	<b>COLLINS Kim</b>	SKN	33y	132d	1976	20.45	20.20	-01
Former World Champion & Commonwealth Games Champion at 100m ... sprint finalist at three successive Olympics 20.08w -01. 100 pb: 9.92w -03, 9.98 -02 (10.15 -09). qf OLY 100 96; 7 OLY 100 2000 (sf 200); 1 Central American 100 2001/2003 ; =3 WCH 200 2001; 1 COM 100 2002; 2 WCP 100 2002; 2 WIC 60 2003 (2008-2=); 1 WCH 100 2003 (97/99-ht, 2001-5, 2005-3, 2007-sf); 6 OLY 100 2004 & 200 2008 (sf 100 2008). 1 NCAA indoor 60/200 2001. Lives-Kingston, Jamaica ... married Paula Surgeon in December 2006, she assists with his coaching In 2009: 5 Glasgow International 60/200; 4 Malmö 60; 7 Kingston 200 (Apr 18); 6 Kingston 100 (May 2); 5 Ponce 100; 8 Hengelo 100; 1 Bydgoszcz 100; 1 St. Kitts & Nevis 100/200; 3 Tomblaine 100; 2 Uden 100 (4 200); dq Moscow Open 100; 1 Zhukovskiy 100; 4 Athens 200 (5 100 'B'); 8 Paris Golden League 100; 7 London 200; 7 Stockholm 100; 1 Wattenscheid 100/200								
1056	<b>CRIBARI Marco</b>	SUI	24y	40d	1985	20.58	20.54	-07
100 pb: 10.35 -07 (10.37 -09). ht WJC 200 2004; ht ECH 200 2006; qf WCH 200 2007; ht OLY 200 2008. 1 Swiss 100 2007/2008 & 200 2009 In 2009: 4 Swiss indoor 60; 1 Lausanne 300 (May 9); 2 Weinheim 200; 1 Zofingen 100; 4 Geneva 200; 1 Swiss Clubs 100; 1 ETCh 1st League 100 'B' (5 200 'A'); 1 Jona 200; 6 Lucerne 200 (3 100 'B'); 1 Berne 200; 5 London 200 'B'; 1 Swiss 200								
1060	<b>SCHNEEBERGER Marc</b>	SUI	28y	42d	1981	20.46	20.46	-09
6x Swiss Champion at 200m ... 100 pb: 10.38w -06 (10.38w , 10.46 -09). sf WSG 200 2003/2005; qf ECH 200 2006; qf WCH 200 2007; qf OLY 200 2008. 1 Swiss 200 2001/2002/2004/2005/2007/2008 In 2009: 6 Geneva 400 'C'; 1 Swiss Clubs 100/200; 1 La Chaux-de-Fonds 200; 5 Lausanne 200 'B'; 4 Lucerne 200; 2 London 200 'B'; 2 Swiss 200								
1086	<b>MATSENJWA Sibusiso</b>	SWZ	21y	105d	1988			
1105	<b>CALEY Kareem</b>	TKS	18y	172d	1991	23.74	23.74	-09
1108	<b>ARMSTRONG Aaron</b>	TRI	31y	306d	1977	20.48	20.08	-99
Trinidad's usual third leg man for the sprint relay, because of injury he ran in the heats only at Beijing 2008 so awarded a silver medal won by the team in the final 19.98w -05 (20.58w -09). 100 pb: 10.00w -05, 10.03 -09. 2 Central American 200 2005; sf WCH 200 2005; 5 COM 200 2006; qf OLY 200 2008 (silver 4x100). Studied Sociology at the University of Florida ... mother Debra Armstrong sprinted at the 1972 & 1976 Olympics ... coach-Lance Brauman In 2009: 2 Austin 100; 5 Texas Invitational 200 (2 100 'B'); 3 Carson 100 'B'; 6 New York 100 'B'; 2 Trinidad 100 (dnf 200); 8 Monaco 100; 6 Stockholm 100 'B'								
1111	<b>CALLENDER Emmanuel</b>	TRI	25y	97d	1984	20.40	20.40	-09
Came in at short notice for third leg of sprint relay team which won Olympic silver in Beijing 100 pb: 10.08 -09. 2 OLY 4x100 2008; 1 Central American & Caribbean Champs 100 2009. 1 Trinidad & Tobago 200 2007 In 2009: 1 Kingston 100 (Feb 28); 3 Spanish Town 100 'B'; 1 Orlando 100/200 'B'; 5 Kingston 100 (May 2); 1 Fortaleza 100 'B'; 6 Rio de Janeiro 100; 3 Uberlândia 200 (5 100); 2 Belém 100 'B' (3 200 'B'); 8 New York 200; 2 Trinidad 200 (6 100); 5 Réthymno 100 (2 200 'B'); 4 Barcelona 200								

1115	<b>SORRILLO Rondell</b> TRI	23y	207d	1986	20.45	20.43	-08
100 pb: 10.22 -09. 2 Central American & Caribbean Champs 200 2008/2009; qf OLY 200 2008. 1 Trinidad 200 2009 In 2009: 5 NCAA indoor 60; 8 Gainesville 100/200; 3 Louisville 200; 2 NCAA 200 (5 100); 1 Trinidad 200 (7 100); 2 Central American & Caribbean Champs 200 (1 4x100); 5ht Abuja 100; 4 Cottbus 200							
1116	<b>THOMPSON Richard</b> TRI	24y	70d	1985	20.65	20.18	-08
Two Olympic silvers from Beijing 2008 ... 100 pb: 9.89 -08 (10.01 -09). 1 North & Central American & Caribbean 100 2007; wf WCH 100 2008; 2 OLY 100/4x100 2008. 1 Trinidad 100 2009. 1 NCAA indoor 60 & outdoor 100 2008 (representing Louisiana State University). Born-Cascade, Trinidad In 2009: 2 Lafayette 200; 1 Tempe 200; 1 Baton Rouge 100; 4 Kingston 100 (May 2); 6 Carson 100; 5 New York 100; 5 Eugene 100; 1 Trinidad 100; 7 Rome Golden League 100; 4 Paris Golden League 100							
1125	<b>AL-SALFA Omar Juma Bilal</b> UAE	19y	305d	1989	20.72	20.72	-09
United Arab Emirates record holder at 60m & 200m ... 100 pb: 10.46w -09, 10.53 -08 (10.58 -09). 3 World Military Games 200 2007; 2 Asian Champs 60 2008; ht WIC 60 2008; 1 Asian junior 200 2008; 7 WJC 200 200 2008; ht OLY 200 2008. Born-Dubai ... his first sport was football ... coach-Vasko Demov BUL In 2009: 1 Pretoria 100 'B' 200 'B'; 1 Potchefstroom 200 (4 100); 1 Dubai 100/200; 1 Gulf 100/200; 2 Sofia 200 (5 100)							
1139	<b>BODROV Igor</b> UKR	22y	38d	1987	20.61	20.61	-09
2009 European under-23 bronze at 200m ... 100 pb: 10.41 -08. sf EJC 100/200 2005; 4 WJC 200 2006; 8 ECP 200 2007; 7 under-23 ECH 200 2007; sf WIC 60 2008; ht OLY 200 2008; sf EIC 60 2009; 3 under-23 ECH 200 2009. 1 Ukrainian 200 2008/2009 (1 200 2009) In 2009: 6sf EIC 60; 1 Málaga 200; 1 Ukrainian Cup/Donyetsk 100/200; 3 under-23 ECH 200							
1171	<b>CARTER Xavier</b> USA	23y	251d	1985	20.27	19.63	-06
The "X-Man" ... fourth on world all-time list at 200m outdoors ... in Zurich 2007 was the last man to defeat Usain Bolt at 200m 100 pb: 10.09 -06. 400 pb: 44.53 -06 (45.55 -09). 1 NCAA indoor 400 & outdoor 100/400/4x100/4x400 2006. Born-Melbourne, Florida, lives-Baton Rouge ... in 2006 become a professional athlete and gave up playing (American) football to concentrate on athletics... coach-Dennis Shaver ... 6-3 tall, 14 stones (1.91/89kg) 2007 – dislocated his right kneecap 2008 – surgery on left ankle to remove a bone spur and bone chips In 2009: 2 Sydney; 1 Melbourne 200; 1 Greensboro 200 'B'; 2 Carson 200; 3 New York 200; 2 Eugene 300; 5 US Champs 200							
1172	<b>CLARK Charles</b> USA	22y	6d	1987	20.31	20.22	-08
US Collegiate Champion at 200m indoors and out ... 20.00w -09. 400 pb: 45.30 -08. 1 NCAA 200 indoors & out 2009. Student of Sports Management at Florida State University ... nickname is "Speeding Bullet" ... coach-Ken Harnden In 2009: 1 NCAA indoor 200 race 1; 1 Coral Gables 200; 4 Tallahassee 400; 1 Greensboro 200; 1 NCAA 200; 2 US Champs 200; 2 Stockholm 400 'B'; 8 Wattenscheid 200							
1174	<b>CRAWFORD Shawn</b> USA	31y	214d	1978	20.19	19.79	-04
2004 Olympic 200m gold then silver in 2008, though he generously gave that medal of Churandy Martina who finished ahead of him in that race but was disqualified for running out of his lane 19.73w -09. 100 pb: 9.86w, 9.88 -04 (10.06w, 10.21 -09). 1 WIC 200 2001 (2003-dq sf); =3 WCH 200 2001; 2 WIC 60 2004; 1 OLY 200 2004 (2 4x100, 4 100); sf WCH 100 2005; 2 OLY 200 2008. 1 US 200 2001/2004. 1 US indoor 60 2004 ... once said: "my goals are to run 18.99 in the 200m and then run 9.72 in the 100m" ... he kept his cool at the start of the Athens 200m final in spite of prolonged booing by the crowd protesting at the absence of Kostas Kenderis ... graduated from Clemson University in Tourism Management ... coach-Bobby Kersee, based in Westwood LA In 2009: 1 Baie Mahault 200 (3 100); 6 Carson 200; 7 Hengelo 100; 6 Eugene 100 'B'; 2 Toronto 100; 1 US Champs 200 (5 100); 4 Lausanne 200; 3 Athens 200 (9 100 'B')							
1183	<b>GAY Tyson</b> USA	27y	7d	1982	19.58	19.58	-09
DEFENDING IAAF WORLD CHAMPION at 100 Metres & 200 Metres ... 100 pb: 9.68w -08, 9.77 -08/09 (9.75w -09). 200 pb: 19.58 -09. 400 pb: 45.57 -09. 4 WCH 200 2005; 1 WCP 100/4x100 2006; 1 WCH 100/200/4x100 2007; sf OLY 100 2008 (dnf/ht 4x100). Failed to finish in 200m final at 2004 Olympic trials and in the quarter-final in the same event four years later ... born-Kentucky, lives-Fayetteville... daughter Trinity born December 12, 2002 ... coaches-Lance Braumann & Jon Drummond In 2009: 1 Tempe 400; 3 Texas Invitational 400 (pb 45.57); 1 New York 200 (pb 19.58); 1ht US Champs 100 (9.75w, he only ran in the heat to fulfil his World Championship selection requirement); 1 Rome Golden League 100 (9.77 to equal his US record); 1 London 200 (20.00 – after which he said: "I haven't trained for a couple of weeks. My groin is a bit tough on me, just trying to run through the pain and be tough about it"); 1 Stockholm 100 (9.79w)							
1230	<b>SPEARMON Wallace</b> USA	24y	234d	1984	19.98	19.65	-06
2005 World silver at 200m & bronze in 2007 ... 100 pb: 9.96 -07 (10.26 -09). 400 pb: 45.22 -06 (47.33 -09). 2 WCH 200 2005 (2007-3); 1 WCP 200 2006; 1 WCH 4x100 2007; dq OLY 200 final 2008 for running out of his lane (originally third in 19.95 – "I learned my lesson, but I could have picked a better place to do that"). 1 US 200 2006; 1 NCAA 200 2004/2005 (1 indoor 200 2005). His father Wallace Spearmon senior was 20.27 200m runner who reached the semi-finals of the US Olympic Trials in 1984 & 1988 ... coaches-Alleyne Francique & Pat Henry ... studied Kinesiology (Human Movement) at the University of Arkansas ... plays the piano ... fiancée-Monica Hargrove (50.39 400m) In 2009: 2 Texas Invitational 200 'B'; 2 New York 200; 3 Eugene 300; 3 US Champs 200; 1 Lucerne 200 (4 100); 2 London 200; 7 Monaco 100; 2 Stockholm 100 'B'; 4 Cottbus 100							
1254	<b>PHIRI Gerald</b> ZAM	20y	313d	1988	20.48	20.29	-08
(Phiri pronounced "Pirry") ... 2006 English Schools & Yorkshire Champion at 100m ... now the Zambian record holder at 100m & 200m 100 pb: 10.03w, 10.13 -09. 3 NCAA 100 2009. 1 English Schools (junior) 100 2003 & senior 2006; 1 AAA under-15 100 2003; 1 Yorkshire 100 2006. Born-Zambia, lived there six years, then South Africa for five years, then Britain for seven years when he was a member of the City of Sheffield AC (he had trial for Sheffield Wednesday FC) ... his older brother Eldridge was third at 60m in 2009 English Midland Indoor Championships ... now a student of Nutritional Science at Texas A&M (Agricultural and Mechanical) University In 2009: 6 NCAA indoor 60; 3 Tempe 200; dq Westwood 100; 2 Baton Rouge 200/100 'B'; 5 Texas Invitational 100; 1 "Big 12" Conference 100/200; 1 Norman 100/200; 3 NCAA 100 (4 200); 8 Cottbus 100							
1256	<b>DZINGAI Brian</b> ZIM	28y	109d	1981	20.37	20.12	-04
Zimbabwean record holder at 200m ... fourth in 2008 Olympic 200m final 200 pb: 20.06w, 20.12 -04. 100 pb: 10.03w -07, 10.23 -08 (10.24 -09). sf COM 100 2002 (qf 200); sf WCH 200 2007 (2003-ht, 2005-qf); 4 OLY 200 2008 (2004-qf) ... Coach-Ken Harnden (3 COM 400H 98) ... 1.68 tall In 2009: 4 Kingston 200; 3 Osaka 100 (4 200); 5 Prague 100; 2 Bydgoszcz 200; 2 Ostrava 200 (1 100 'B'); 3 Lille 200 (5 100); 4 Lausanne 200 'B'; 6 Athens 200; 1 Heusden 200							
1259	<b>MVUMVURE Gabriel</b> ZIM	21y	174d	1988	20.70	20.72	-09
100 pb: 10.30w, 10.37 -08 (10.42w, 10.48 -09). ht WJC 100/200 2006; 6 African Games 200 2007; 1 African junior 100/200 2007. Ran third leg for Louisiana State University sprint relay team which won the 2008 US Collegiate title – one of his colleagues was Olympic 100m silver medallist Richard Thompson TRI In 2009: 1 Lafayette 200 'B'; 3 Baton Rouge 100 (Mar 28); 6 Texas Relays 100 'B'; 1 Tempe 200 'B'; 3 Baton Rouge 200 (Apr 18); 4 Penn Relays 100; 6 Gainesville 200; 5 Louisville 200; dq/ht NCAA 200							

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1.....	19.30.....	Usain Bolt JAM.....	2008
2.....	19.32.....	Michael Johnson USA.....	1996
3.....	19.58.....	Tyson Gay USA.....	2009
4.....	19.63.....	Xavier Carter USA.....	2006
.....	19.65.....	Wallace Spearmon USA.....	2006
5.....	19.68.....	Frankie Fredericks NAM.....	1996
6.....	19.69.....	Walter Dix USA.....	2007
7.....	19.72.....	Pietro Mennea ITA.....	1979
8.....	19.73.....	Michael Marsh USA.....	1992
9.....	19.75.....	Carl Lewis USA.....	1983
.....	19.75.....	Joe DeLoach USA.....	1988

**2009 WORLD LIST**

1.....	19.58.....	Tyson Gay USA
2.....	19.59.....	Usain Bolt JAM
3.....	19.98.....	Wallace Spearmon USA
4.....	20.00.....	Alonso Edwards PAN
5.....	20.01.....	Steve Mullings JAM
6.....	20.04.....	Ramil Guliyev AZE
7.....	20.07.....	LaShawn Merritt USA
8.....	20.15.....	Marvin Anderson JAM
9.....	20.17.....	Rae Edwards USA
10.....	20.19.....	Shawn Crawford USA

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## Men's 400 Metres

61 Entrants



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		Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
127	<b>STEFFENSEN John</b> AUS 2006 Commonwealth Champion ... 2005 World finalist ... 2004 Olympic relay silver LJ pb: 7.28w, 7.18 -02. ht WCH 4x400 2003; 2 OLY 4x400 2004 (ran first leg); 8 WCH 2005 (2007-sf); 1 COM 400/4x400 2006. 1 Australian 2006. Former junior boxing champion, he still boxes once a week ... parents from South Africa ... born-Perth, lives-Sydney & Beverly Hills ... coach-John Smith (formerly Bobby Kersee) In 2009: 5 Sydney; 2 Melbourne; 2 Australian; 4 Osaka; 6 Thessaloniki; 4 Rome Golden League; 2 Reims; 8 Paris Golden League; 1 Barcelona 'B'; 7 Stockholm	26y	351d	1982	45.28	44.73 -06
128	<b>WROE Sean</b> AUS 2007 World Student Games Champion ... 200 pb: 20.97 -09. 100 pb: 10.50 -09. 6 WJC 2004; sf COM 2006 (gold 4x400 after running in heats); 2 WSG 2007; sf WCH 2007; 6 WIC 2008; sf OLY 2008. 1 Australian 2007/2009. Born/lives-Melbourne ... coach-Eric Hollingsworth In 2009: 1 Hobart 200 (5 100); 2 Australian Cup; 2 Victoria State 200; 1 Sydney; 1 Melbourne; 1 Australian (6 200, ht 100); 3 Osaka; 1 Gold Coast 100/200; 3 Lille; 4 Oslo Golden League; 8sf World Student Games 100/200 (1 4x400); 4 London; 5 Stockholm	24y	151d	1985	45.07	45.07 -09
130	<b>MILBURN Joel</b> AUS 2008 Olympic semi-finalist ... sf World Youth 2003; 2 World Student Games 4x400 2007; sf OLY 2008 (6 4x400). 1 Australian junior 2005; 1 Australian 2008 In 2009: 1 Sydney (Jan 10); 2 Australian Cup; 1 New South Wales State; 7 Sydney (Feb 28); 3 Melbourne; 5 Australian; 1 Gold Coast (Jun 14); 3 Gold Coast (Jun 26); 2 Sotteville-lès-Rouen; 1 Salamanca; 3 Lucerne; 5 Heusden; 4 Stockholm 'B'	23y	152d	1986	45.83	44.80 -08
157	<b>MATHIEU Michael</b> BAH Ran second leg for Bahamas relay team which won silvers at 2007 World Championships & 2008 Olympics 200 pb: 20.80 -07 (20.84 -09). 3 Pan-Am junior 2003; 4 Pan-American Games 200 2007 (1 4x400); 2 WCH 4x400 2007; ht WIC 2008; 2 Central American & Caribbean Champs 2008; sf OLY 2008 (2 4x400) In 2009: 2 Lafayette 100; 2 Auburn; 1 Coral Gables 200 'B'/400; 1 Nassau; 5 Ponce 200 (6 400); 2 Haniá 200; 1 Baunatal; 1 Regensburg; 5 Thessaloniki; 3 Berlin Golden League; 1 Velletri	25y	52d	1984	45.80	45.17 -08
159	<b>WILLIAMS LaToy</b> BAH He only started running seriously in 2006 In 2009: 1 El Paso; 1 Waco 'B'; 1 Hutchinson; dnf Bahamas	21y	79d	1988	44.73	44.73 -09
160	<b>BROWN Chris</b> BAH Perpetual fourth-placer: at the Commonwealth Games, two World Championships and again in Beijing 2008 ht COM 800 98; qf OLY 2000 (3 4x400); 1 WCH 4x400 2001 (2003-3, 2005/2007-2); 7 COM 2002 (3 4x400); sf WIC 2003; sf WCH 2003 (2001-ht); sf OLY 2004 (would have qualified for final but eased off before the finish line); 4 WCH 2005/2007; 3 WIC 2006/2008; 4 COM 2006; 1 Pan-Am Games 2007; 4 OLY 2008 (2 4x400). 1 Bahamas 2002/2004/2007/2008/2009 ... Bahamas record holder at 400m & 800m (1:49.54 -98) ... his parents Nola & Harcourt were both sprinters ... coach-Innocent Egbunike ... 1.78 tall In 2009: 2 Carson; 3 New York; 1 Berlin Golden League; 1 Bahamas; 1 Rome Golden League; 1 Tangiers	30y	305d	1978	44.81	44.40 -08
161	<b>MILLER Ramon</b> BAH Ran in heat of 2008 Olympic 4x400, so awarded silver medal won by Bahamas in the final 2 Central American & Caribbean Champs 4x400 2008. 1 Bahamas 800 2005 In 2009: 1 Tempe 'B'; 1 Edwardsville; 2 Bahamas	22y	180d	1987	45.35	45.35 -95
174	<b>van BRANTEGHEM Cedric</b> BEL Former Belgian record holder ... 200 pb: 20.52w, 20.60 -03. sf EIC 2002 (2000-ht); 6 ECH 2002 (2006-sf); sf WCH 2003 (2005-ht); sf OLY 2004/2008; 4 WSG 2005. 1 Belgian 2001/2005/2009 (1 200 2002/2003). Younger sister Gaëlle competed at the 2001 World Youth Championships ...his full name is Cédric Marie Carlos Thérèse van Branteghem ... girlfriend is former Swedish indoor 800m Champion ... coach-Patrick Himschoot In 2009: 1 Aalst 200; 2 Rabat; 1 Belgrade; 3 Haniá; 5 Geneva; 2 Gothenburg; 1 ETCh 1st League 'A'; 2 Madrid; 2 Lucerne; 2 Heusden; 1 Belgian	30y	156d	1979	45.60	45.02 -03
176	<b>BORLÉE Kevin</b> BEL Former Belgian record holder, he was succeed by his two Jonathan who clocked 44.78 in June 2009 but is since injured 200 pb: 20.84 -09. sf World Youth 200 2005; sf WJC 2006; 6 ECP 2007; sf OLY 2008 (5 4x400). 1 Belgian indoor 400 2006 & 200 2007. His father/coach Jacques was an international 400m runner as his twin brother Jonathan, while their elder sister Olivia ran the first leg for the Belgian 4x100m relay team which won 2007 world bronze & 2008 Olympic silver ... Kevin is the younger of the twins by five minutes, they are enrolled at Florida State University In 2009: 3 Greensboro; 4 NCAA; 2 Liège 200; 1 Heusden; 4 Barcelona; 1 Belgian 200	21y	175d	1988	45.43	44.88 -08
188	<b>GNALIGO Mathieu</b> BEN Benin record holder ... 1 Francophone Games 2005; 3 African Games 2007; ht WCH 2007; 7 African Champs 2008; ht OLY 2008 ... based-Dakar In 2009: 5 Kingston 'B' (Apr 18); 5 Kingston 'B' (May 2)	22y	246d	1986	48.15	45.88 -08
209	<b>MAKWALA Isaac</b> BOT 200 pb: 20.73 -09. 1 African Games 4x400 2007; 2 African Champs 2004 In 2009: 1 Dakar 400; 4 Rabat 400; 1 Southern Africa 400 (Southern Africa not South Africa); 2 Radès 400; 1 Metz 400; 4 Sotteville-lès-Rouen 400	22y	321d	1986	45.56	45.56 -09
279	<b>KIKAYA Gary</b> COD At the 2006 World Athletics Final he broke the African record which had stood since 1987 (but not near that form since) 400 pb: 44.10 -06. 200 pb: 20.40 -06. sf WCH 2003/2005/2007; 3 WIC 2004; sf OLY 2004/2008; 1 African Champs 2006; 2 WCP 2006. 1 NCAA 2002 (2003-4); 1 NCAA indoor 2003. Lived in South Africa for 10 years while his father was Congo's ambassador ... his first sport was rugby but he felt he could not master the skills required ... speaks Swahili, English, French and Afrikaans ... studied Sociology at the University of Tennessee, graduated in May 2005 ... hobbies and painting, drawing and cooking ... self-coached In 2009: 3 Baie Mahault; 1 Chapel Hill 200 (2 100); 1 Rabat; 4 Thessaloniki; 2 Berlin Golden League; 1 Tomblaine; 1 Lille; 3 Oslo Golden League; 6 Rome Golden League; 3 Athens; 1 Abuja; 1 Barcelona	29y	193d	1980	45.21	44.10 -06
287	<b>BRENES Nery</b> CRC Costa Rican record holder at 200m & 400m ... 200 pb: 20.68 -09. sf WCH 2007 (2005-ht); 4 WIC 2007; sf OLY 2008. Student of Political Science ... coach-Walter Salazar In 2009: 4 Central American & Caribbean Champs; 1 Bogotá 200/400	23y	325d	1985	45.73	44.94 -08
295	<b>COLLAZO William</b> CUB 2009 1 Central American & Caribbean Champion ... 4 Pan-Am Games 2007; sf WCH 2007; sf OLY 2008; 1 Central American & Caribbean Champs 2009 In 2009: 1 Camagüey; 1 Havana (Apr 23); 4 Baie Mahault; 3 Santo Domingo; 1 Havana (May 29); 1 Havana (Jun 18); 2 Havana (Jun 25); 1 Central American & Caribbean Champs; 5 Barcelona; 1ht Spanish	22y	350d	1986	44.96	44.96 -09
321	<b>HURTAULT Erison</b> DMA hy OLY 2008. 3 NCAA 2007. His parents were born in Dominica though he is a US citizen ... graduate in Economics from Colombia University In 2009: 1 Tallahassee; 3 Drake Relays; 3 Tallahassee; 3 Belgrade; 1 Haniá 'B'; 1 Huelva; 3 Milan; 5 Lille; 3 Madrid; 3 Salamanca; 2 Lignano	24y	229d	1984	45.84	45.40 -07

322	<b>PEGUERO Arismendy</b> DOM	29y	13d	1980	45.55	44.92 -07
Led of the team which won 2008 World indoor relay bronze ... 3 Pan-Am Games 4x400 2003/2007; 4 Ibero-American 2004; sf WCH 2005/2007; ht WIC 2006/2008; 3 WIC 4x400 2008; ht OLY 2008; 3 Central American & Caribbean Champs 2009 In 2009: 1 Santo Domingo 200/400 (Mar 7); 1 Dominican Republic 200 (2 400); 1 Caracas; 1 Barquisimeto; 4 Santo Domingo (May 10); 5 Ponce; 3 Central American & Caribbean Champs; 3 Bogotá 200/400						
327	<b>HARRISON Alvin</b> DOM	35y	208d	1974	45.68	44.09 -96
Fourth in Atlanta 1996, second in Sydney 2000 ... in October 2004 he admitted to doping violations dating back to 2001; his results from that time were annulled and his was banned for four years to October 2008 ... became a citizen of Dominican Republic on July 31, 2009 200 pb: 20.41 -96 (21.02 -09). 4 OLY 96 (1 4x400); 3 Pan-American Games 4x400 99; 2 OLY 2000; dq WCP 2002. 1 US indoor 98. Improved from 46.25 to 44.09 in 1996. With brother Calvin became the first twins to make a US Olympic team in 2000 though they were ultimately stripped of the relay gold they won there thanks to the doping violation of Antonio Pettigrew ... Calvin Harrison later served a two-year doping ban to 2006 In 2009: 1 Dominican Republic (2 200); 2 Santo Domingo						
448	<b>DJHONE Leslie</b> FRA	28y	151d	1981	44.99	44.46 -07
French record holder ... good record of reaching big finals: fourth in Paris 2003, fifth in Osaka 2007 & Beijing 2008, seventh in Athens 2004 200 pb: 20.68 -03. LJ pb: 8.06w, 7.92 -01. dnq WJC LJ 98; 1 EJC LJ/4x100 99; 2 WJC 4x100 2000; sf EIC 200 2002; sf WIC 200 2003; 5 ECP 200 2003; 1 under-23 ECH 2003; 4 WCH 2003 (1 4x400); 7 OLY 400 2004; ht WCH 400 2005; 3 ECH 2006; 1 ECP 2007 (2004-3, 2008-4); 5 WCH 2007; 5 OLY 2008. 1 French 2007/2008/2009. Born-Abidjan (Ivory Coast) ... coach-François Pépin In 2009: 1 French indoor; 2 Tomblaine; 2 Lille; 2 Oslo Golden League; 1 Paris (Charléty); 3 Paris Golden League; 1 French; 4 Monaco						
453	<b>FONSAT Yannick</b> FRA	21y	60d	1988	45.68	45.68 -09
2007 European Junior Champion ... 2009 European under-23 Champion sf WJC 2006; 1 EJC 2007; 3 Mediterranean Games 2009; 1 under-23 ECH 2009 In 2009: 2 French indoor; 6sf EIC 400; 2 Montgeron; 2 Forbach 200; 1 Strasbourg; 3 Mediterranean Games; 1 under-23 ECH (3 4x400); 4 French						
460	<b>VENEL Teddy</b> FRA	24y	153d	1985	45.89	45.54 -08
44.82 split at 2008 European Cup relay ... ht WJC 2004; 1 ECP 4x400 2008.1 French under-23 2006. His elder brother Didier is also a 400m runner (47.60 in 2008) ... heavily tattooed ... coach-Guy Ontanon In 2009: 4 Westwood; 5 Mt. SAC Relays; 1 Los Angeles; 2 Montreuil-sous-Bois 200; 3 Walnut; 1 ETCh 'B' (4th overall); 2 Mediterranean Games; 2 French; 6 Monaco						
490	<b>BINGHAM Michael</b> GBR	23y	125d	1986	45.03	45.03 -09
44.50 relay split at Beijing Olympics ... 2009 US Collegiate Champion indoors, representing Wake Forest University in North Carolina 200 pb: 20.75 -09. 3 Pan-American junior Decathlon 2005; 4 OLY 4x400 2008. 1 US junior Decathlon 2005; 1 NCAA indoor 2009 (2 outdoors). His father Norris is British and lives in London, though Michael was born in the USA ... Cleared by the IAAF to represent Britain on April 30, 2008 though he has had a British passport since August 2, 2007 ... coaches-Scott Hall (USA) & Michael Khmel (GBR) In 2009: 1 NCAA indoor; 1 Coral Gables; 1 Georgia Tech Invitational 200; 1 Greensboro; 2 NCAA; dns UK Champs final; 1 London; 2 Stockholm						
504	<b>TOBIN Robert</b> GBR	25y	239d	1983	45.15	45.01 -05
2005 European under-23 Champion ... 2007 European Indoor bronze ... 6 EJC 2001 (2 4x400); 1 under-23 ECH 2005 (2 4x400); sf WCH 2005 & 4 4x00 with 44.52 split; sf COM 2006 (4 4x400); sf ECH 2006 (2 4x400); 3 EIC 2007 (1 4x400). 1 AAA indoor 2004 & UK 2009. Born-Lincoln, lives-Basingstoke ... coach-Todd Bennett ... 1.90 tall In 2009: 1 Pavia; 3 Loughborough "International" 200 'B'; 2 Haniá; 3 Geneva; 2 Cardiff "Super-8"; 1 ETCh 4x400; 1 La Chaux-de-Fonds; 1 UK Champs; 7 London						
505	<b>ROONEY Martyn</b> GBR	22y	135d	1987	45.35	44.60 -08
Sixth at 2008 Olympics ... terrific in relays, a 43.73 split in Beijing 2008 2 EJC 2005 (1 4x400); 4 WCH 4x400 2005 (2007-6); 5 COM 2006; 3 WJC 2006 (3 4x400); ht WCH 2007; 1 ECP 2008; 6 OLY 2008 (4 4x400). 1 UK 2008. Born in Croydon of Irish parents, has dual nationality with Ireland ... prevented from competing at the 2004 World Junior Championship because his dual nationality had not been declared in advance ... born-Croydon, lives-Thornton Heath ... coach-Nick Dakin ... 1.98 tall In 2009: 2 La Chaux-de-Fonds; 5 London; 7 Monaco						
589	<b>BARTHOLOMEW Rondell</b> GRN	19y	131d	1990	45.58	45.58 -09
sf WJC 2008; 6 Commonwealth Youth Games 2008; 3 Pan-American junior 2009 In 2009: 2 Carifta Games junior; 3 Pan-American junior						
619	<b>GILLICK David</b> IRL	26y	38d	1983	44.77	44.77 -09
Twice European Indoor Champion ... Irish record holder ... ht under-23 ECH 2003; ht WCH 4x400 2003; 3 WIC 4x400 2004; 1 EIC 2005/2007 (2009-sf after falling); ht WIC 2006; sf ECH 2006; sf WCH 2007; ht OLY 2008. 1 AAA indoor 2005. 1 Irish 2006/2007. From Ballinteer, near Dublin former Gaelic Football player ... based-Loughborough ... coach-Nick Dakin In 2009: 6sf EIC (fell); 1 Westwood 200; 1 Mt. SAC Relays; 2 Loughborough "International" 200 'B'; 1 Geneva; 1 Thessaloníki; 1 Milan; 1 Madrid (his Irish record down from 45.12 to 44.77); 2 Rome Golden League; 2 Barcelona; 3 Monaco						
629	<b>HENRY Tabarie</b> ISV	21y	258d	1987	44.77	44.77 -09
US Virgin Islands record holder ... sf OLY 2008 In 2009: 3 Nebraska Invitational 200; 1 Fayetteville; 1 Norman; 1 Texas Invitational; 1 Arkansas City 200; 2 Hutchinson; 4 New York; 1 Lucerne; 1 Cuxhaven; 3 Barcelona						
638	<b>GALVAN Matteo</b> ITA	20y	356d	1988	45.88	45.88 -09
200 pb: 20.62 -09. sf World Youth 200 2005; dq WJC 200 final 2006 (out of lane); 7 EJC 200 2007; 6 EIC 400 2009 (1 4x400); 4 under-23 ECH 200 2009 (2 4x400). 1 Italian 200 2008 & 400 2009 In 2009: 2 Italian indoor; 6 EIC 400 (1 4x400); 5 European Clubs Cup 200; 2 Mediterranean Games 200; 8 Athens 200; 4 under-23 ECH 200 (2 4x400); 1 Italian 400						
655	<b>BLACKWOOD Michael</b> JAM	32y	351d	1976	45.54	44.60 -02
Was world #1 at 400m in 2002, winning 9/12 races including the Commonwealth Games & World Cup 800 pb: 1:50.00 -99. 3 OLY 4x400 2000; 3 WIC 4x400 2001; bronze WCH 4x400 2001/2005 (ran heat each time); 1 COM 400 2002; 1 WCP 400 2002; 4 WCH 400 2003 (3 4x400); 8 OLY 400 2004 (2008-ht); sf WCH 400 2005/2007; 2 WIC 4x400 2008 (ht 800). 1 Jamaican 400 2002/2003/2008 ... was a promising cricketer (fast bowler), but in 1995 opted for athletics as his preference was to get an education at a US University (first New Orleans, then Oklahoma where he has graduated in Graphic Design) ... sister is World 4x400 gold medalist Catherine Scott ... 1.93 tall In 2009: (at 400) 1 Norman; 1 Austin; 2 Kingston; 1 Santo Domingo; 1 Kalamáta; 1 Haniá; 3 Thessaloníki; dq/sf Jamaican; 3 Abuja; 7 Barcelona; 3 Stockholm 'B'  He has just announced his retirement						
658	<b>CHAMBERS Ricardo</b> JAM	24y	312d	1984	45.31	44.62 -07
5 Central American & Caribbean Games 2006; sf WCH 2007; sf OLY 2008. 1 NCAA 2007 (2006-2, 2005-4); 1 NCAA indoor 2007. 1 Jamaican 2006/2008/2009. Fourth of five children ... student of Social Sciences at Florida State University .. coach-Glen Mills In 2009: 4 Kingston; 2 Tallahassee; 4 Kingston; 8 Carson; 7 New York; 8 Toronto; 1 Jamaican; 5 Rome Golden League; 1 Reims; 6 Paris Golden League; 1 Stockholm 'B'						
659	<b>FOTHERGILL Allodin</b> JAM	22y	190d	1987	45.44	45.44 -09
200 pb: 20.91 -06 (21.09 -09). 6 WJC 2006. 6 NCAA 2009 In 2009: 1 Winston-Salem 200/400; 5 Florida Relays 200 'C'; 7 Greensboro 200; 1 Georgia Tech Invitational 200 'B'; 6 Greensboro (May 30); 6 NCAA; 2 Jamaican						

669	<b>SPENCE Lanceford</b> JAM	26y	244d	1982	45.78	44.77 -05
2005 Central American & Caribbean Champion ... sf WCH 2005 (3 4x400); 1 Central American & Caribbean Champs 2005 (2003-7); =7 COM 2006 (3 4x400) ... PE student at Auburn University ... 5 sisters & 4 brothers ... coach-Ralf Spry In 2009: 2 Auburn 100; 6 Tempe; 2 Auburn; 1 St-Martin 200 (3 100); dnf Ponce; 1 Georgia State 200/400; 3 Jamaican; 3 Velletri; 1 Ghent						
687	<b>HIROSE Hideyuki</b> JPN	20y	27d	1989	45.84	45.84 -09
sf WJC 2008; 3 WSG 4x400 2009 In 2009: 3 Tokyo; 2 Japanese; 4sf World Student Games (3 4x400)						
696	<b>KANEMARU Yuzo</b> JPN	21y	332d	1987	45.16	45.16 -09
2009 World Student Games Champion ... 2005 Asian Champion (at age 17) & already 5x Japanese Champion 1 Asian Champs 2005; 7 WJC 2006; 4 Asian Games 2006; ht WCH 2007; ht OLY 2008. 1 Japanese 2005/2006/2007/2008/2009 In 2009: 1 Izumo; 1 Fukuroi; 2 Osaka; 1 Tokyo; 1 Japanese; 1 World Student Games (3 4x400)						
738	<b>MUTAI Mark</b> KEN	29/30y		1979	45.55	45.55 -09
5 World Military Games 2007 In 2009: 2 Kenyan; 1 Kenyan World Trials						
763	<b>AL-MASRAHI Youssef</b> KSA	21y	228d	1987	45.84	45.84 -09
2009 Gulf Champion ... 200 pb: 21.59 -09 In 2009: 1 Potchefstroom; 5 Germiston; 1 Makkah; 2 Dakar; 1 Gulf; 2 Riyadh; 2 Saudi Arabian 200; 1 Zeulenroda						
765	<b>AL-SABANI Ismail</b> KSA	20y	113d	1989	45.74	45.74 -09
200 pb: 21.07 -09. 800 pb: 1:51.86 -06. ht World Youth 800 2007; 7 Asian Champs 2007; 1 Asian Indoor Champs 4x400 2008; sf WJC 2008 In 2009: 2 Potchefstroom; 4 Germiston; 1 Makkah 200; 1 Saudi Arabian Clubs; 6 Dakar; 3 Gulf						
787	<b>KAWAJAH Mohamed Ashour</b> LBA	21y	288d	1987	45.77	45.77 -09
Libyan record holder & new Mediterranean Champion ... 200 pb: 21.45 -09. 6 Arab 200 2007; 1 Mediterranean Games 2009 In 2009: 3 Riyadh; 1 Nabeul; 1 Mediterranean Games						
840	<b>MILAZAR Eric</b> MRI	34y	76d	1975	46.03	44.69 -01
3x African Champion ... 200 pb: 20.66 -04. qf COM 200 98; 7 African Games 99; 1 African Champs 2000/2002/2004; 5 WCH 2001 (2003-6, 2005/2007-ht); 6 COM 2002 (2006-sf); 4 WCP 2002; sf OLY 2004 (2000-qf, 2008-ht). 1 French 98/2003 ... 1.92 tall In 2009: 7 Germiston 200; 2 Réduit; 4 Radès; 6 Tomblaine; 4 La Chaux-de-Fonds (1 200 'C'); 2 Metz; 1 Pátra; 2 Nuoro; 3 Lignano; 6 Lucerne; 5 Velletri						
842	<b>THET Zaw Win</b> MYA	18y	168d	1991	49.4	49.4 -09
In 2009: 1 Myanmar						
862	<b>JAMES Godday</b> NGR	25y	219d	1984	46.38	44.90 -08
Ran opening leg for team which won Olympic 4x400m bronze in Athens 3 OLY 4x400 2004; sf WCH 2005; sf COM 2006; 4 African Games 2007; 3 African Champs 2008; sf OLY 2008. 1 Nigerian 2005/2006/2008 ... third of five children ... PE student He has confirmed that his name really is Godday James and not James Godday In 2009: 5 Dakar; 5 Rabat; 4 Belgrade; 4 Turin; 4 Lugano; 4 Milan; 4 Abuja 'B'						
864	<b>WEIGOPWA Saul</b> NGR	25y	62d	1984	45.18	45.00 -04
2004 Olympic relay bronze ... 5x Nigerian Champion ... sf World Youth 200 2001; ht WJC 2002; sf OLY 2004 (3 4x400); dq ht WCH 2005; sf COM 2006; sf OLY 2008. 1 Nigerian 2003/2004/2005/2007/2009 In 2009: 6 Rabat; 2 Belgrade; 1 Lugano; 5 Milan; 3 Abuja 'B'; 1 Nigerian						
871	<b>KIMBA Moumouni</b> NIG	22y	10d	1987		
897	<b>STONE Nelson</b> PNG	25y	74d	1984	46.76	46.76 -09
Papua New Guinea record holder at 200m & 400m ... 200 pb: 21.17 -09 In 2009: 1 Brisbane 200 (Jan 16); 2 Brisbane 400 (1 200); 6 Australian Cup 400 (7 100); 2 Brisbane 100/400 (Mar 7); 7 Australian 400; 4 Irvine 200; 4 Eagle Rock 400 (5 200); 8 Walnut 400						
909	<b>MARCINISZYN Marcin</b> POL	26y	343d	1982	45.80	45.54 -06
3x Polish Champion ... 2006 World Indoor relay silver ... 8 EJC 2001 (1 4x400); ht EIC 2005; ht WCH 2005/2007; sf WIC 2006 (2 4x400); sf ECH 2006. 1 Polish under-23 2003/2004; 1 Polish 2004/2005/2006/2009 In 2009: 3 EIC 4x400; 1 Biala Podlaska; 1 Warsaw; 2 International Military Champs; 5 ETCh 'A' (6th overall); 4 Madrid; 2 Barcelona 'B'; 1 Polish						
946	<b>CARRASQUILLO Héctor</b> PUR	21y	320d	1987	45.85	45.85 -09
Puerto Rico record holder ... 3 Ibero-American 2008; 5 Central American & Caribbean Champs 2008 In 2009: 1 San Germán; 1 Ponce (Apr 25); 1 Puerto Rican; 4 Ponce (May 16); 1 Carolina; 5 Central American & Caribbean Champs						
974	<b>SMITH Pieter</b> RSA	22y	135d	1987	45.63	45.63 -09
Ran first leg for South African 4x4 team which won at the 2008 African Championships 200 pb: 21.60 -07. ht WJC 2006; sf African Champs 2008 (1 4x400). 1 South African 2009 In 2009: 1 Potchefstroom; 1 Pretoria (Jan 24); 3 Pretoria (Jan 30); 2 Durban; 1 Pretoria (Feb 14); 1 Port Elizabeth; 1 Stellenbosch; 2 Germiston; 1 South African; 1 Pretoria (Mar 19); 5 Madrid; 7sf World Student Games						
991	<b>DYLDIN Maksim</b> RUS	22y	89d	1987	45.80	45.42 -08
Ran first leg for Russian 4x4 team which so unexpectedly won Olympic bronzes in Beijing 2 WJC 4x400 2006; 2 EIC 4x400 2007; 4 ECP 2007; 1 under-23 ECH 4x400 2007; 5 WCH 4x400 2007; 5 WIC 2008; 3 OLY 4x400 2008. 1 Russian 2007/2009 In 2009: 5 EIC 4x400; 3 Zhukovskiy; 1 Russian						
1033	<b>SESAY Bockarie</b> SLE	17/18y		1991		
1050	<b>SANTIAGO Naiel</b> STP	22y	300d	1986	49.32	48.85 -07
ht OLY 2008						
1052	<b>NAGMELDIN Ali Babiker</b> SUD	23y	175d	1986	45.42	44.93 -05
2003 World Youth Champion ... 2008 African Champion ... 1 World Youth 2003; 2 African Games 2003 (2007-6); 2 Afro-Asian 2003; ht WIC 2004; 2 WJC 2004; ht OLY 2004/2008; 1 Arab junior 2004; sf WCH 2005 (2003/2007-ht); 1 World Military Games 2007; 1 Pan Arab Games 2007 (5 200); 1 African Champs 2008. From-Darfur In 2009: 4 Dakar; 2 Turin; 1 Sollentuna; 2 Abuja; 1 Lapinlahti; 5 Stockholm 'B'; 1 Copenhagen Games						
1055	<b>YUSIF Rabah</b> SUD	22y	248d	1986	45.95	45.72 -07
2005 AAA under-23 Champion at 400m ... LJ pb: 7.61 -07. 2 African 4x400 2008. 1 AAA junior 400 2004; 3 AAA indoor 400 2005; 1 AAA under-23 400 2005; 4 AAA 400 2005 (2006-8). Born-Khartoum, came to Britain in 2002 ... lives-Thornaby, near Middlesbrough ... middle of five children, his father Mohammed Yusuf sprinted internationally for Sudan ... ex-high jumper (pb 2.07) ... partner-Sophie Legg, their son Noah ... coach-Carol Williams In 2009: 4 Loughborough "International" 200 'B'; 1 European Clubs Cup; 1 British League Premiership; 2 Sollentuna; 1 British League Premiership/Jul 4; 1 Karlstad; 1 Ústí Nad Labem; 1 Stockholm 'C'						
1085	<b>WISSMAN Johan</b> SWE	26y	287d	1982	45.81	44.56 -07
World & Olympic finalist at 400m ... 2008 World indoor silver at 400m 200 pb: 20.30 -07 (20.67 -09). qf WJC 200 2000; qf WJC 200 2000; 2 EJC 400 2001; sf EIC 200 2002/2005; sf WCH 200 2003/2005; 3 WIC 200 2004 (2003-ht); 2 ECP 200 2004; qf OLY 200 2004; 2 ECH 200 2006 (2002-ht); 7 WCH 400 2007; 2 WIC 400 2008; 8 OLY 400 2008; 1 EIC 400 2009 (2007-4); 2 ETCh 400 2009. 1 Swedish 200 2001/2003/2004/2006 (1 100 2004, 400 2002/2005); 1 Swedish indoor 200 2002. Has run 3000m steeplechase in 11:12.75 ... studies Economics part-time at the University of Lund ... coach-Kenth Olsson In 2009: 1 Swedish indoor 200; 1 EIC 400; 1 Norrköping 200; 2 Kalamáta 200; 1 Haniá 200; 1 Gothenburg 400; 4 Berlin Golden League 400; 2 ETCh 400; 7 Oslo Golden League 400; 5 Paris Golden League 400; 1 Karlstad 200; 4 Stockholm 400; 1 Swedish 200						

1113	<b>QUOW Rennie</b> TRI	21y	356d	1987	44.89	44.82 -08
2008 Olympic finalist ... 2006 World Junior Champion ... 1 Central American & Caribbean junior 2004/2006; 1 WJC 2006 (2004-dq sf); sf Pan-Am Games 2007; ht WCH 2007; 1 Central American & Caribbean Champs 2008; 7 OLY 2008. He is a Tobagonian (from Tobago rather than Trinidad) In 2009: 2 Waco; 1 Kingston; 3 Carson; 2 New York; 6 Eugene 300; 1 Trinidad; 1 Oslo Golden League; 3 Rome Golden League						
1114	<b>SOLOMON Jarrin</b> TRI	23y	217d	1986	45.68	45.68 -09
Son of Mike Solomon, who ran in two Olympics and was sixth at 400m in Moscow 1980 ht WCH 4x400 2007. Attends University of New Mexico In 2009: 2 NCAA indoor race 1 (4th overall); 3 Tempe; 5 Waco 'B'; 2 Albuquerque; 1 Laramie; 4 Norman; 4ht NCAA; 3 Trinidad; 6 Central American & Caribbean Champs 4x400						
1163	<b>SILVA Andrés</b> URU	23y	142d	1986	49.62	49.62 -09
Uruguayan record holder and multiple South American Champion at 400m flat & hurdles 400H pb: 49.62 -09. ht WJC 400 2002; 1 World Youth Octathlon 2003; 5 WJC Decathlon 2004; ht OLY 400 2004/2008; 1 Pan-Am Junior Decathlon 2005; 1 South American 400 2005/2006/2007/2009 (1 400H 2007/2009); ht WIC 400 2006; ht WCH 400 2007 In 2009: 1 San Carlos 400; 1 Montevideo 400/400H (Apr 18/19); 2 Fortaleza 400; 1 Brazilian 400/400H; 1 South American 400/400H; 1 Bogotá 400H (2 400)						
1197	<b>LARRY Lionel</b> USA	22y	336d	1986	45.27	44.63 -08
Twice second in US Collegiate Championships ... sf World Youth 200 2003; 2 North, Central American & Caribbean under-23 2006; dnf Pan-American Games 2007; dnf ht WCH 2007 (injured). 2 NCAA 2007/2008, representing the University of Southern California. From-Compton, California In 2009: 1 Mt. SAC Relays 200; 2 Texas Invitational; 1 Eagle Rock 100; 6 Carson; 5 New York 200; 1 Vancouver; 4 US Champs; 3 Réthymno 200 'B'; 6 London						
1206	<b>MERRITT Lashawn</b> USA	23y	50d	1986	44.50	43.75 -08
2008 Olympic Champion with the widest margin of victory (0.99) since Wyndham Halswelle's "walkover" in 1908 ... 4-3 versus Jeremy Wariner in 2008 200 pb: 19.80w -08, 19.98 -07 (20.07 -09). 1 WJC 400 & relays 2004; 1 WIC 4x400 2006 (dq individual ht); 1 WCP 2006; 2 WCH 2007 (1 4x400); 1 OLY 400/4x400 2008. 1 US 2008/2009. Ran in heats of 2005 World 4x400, so awarded gold won by USA in final. 1 US junior 200/400 2004. His first sport was baseball ... improved from 47 to 45.25 in 2004, then a world age-18 best of 44.66 in 2005 ... studied Sports Management at Old Dominion University in Norfolk, Virginia ... he can play the trumpet, baritone horn, and tuba ... dedicates each race to his late brother, Antwan ... coach-Dwayne Miller In 2009: 1 Baie Mahault; 1 Carson 200; 1 New York; 1 Eugene 300 (31.30, a sea-level world best); 1 Toronto; 1 US Champs; 2 Lausanne 200; 1 Athens; 3 Réthymno 200; 1 Monaco						
1212	<b>NEVILLE David</b> USA	25y	75d	1984	45.14	44.61 -08
2008 Olympic bronze (when he threw himself over the line, it paid off) & relay gold 200 pb: 20.39 -04 (20.66 -09). 2 Pan-Am junior 200 2003; 2 Pan-American Games 4x400 2007; 3 OLY 2008 (1 4x400). 1 US indoor 2008. His father and grandfather were both athletes and both also called David ... Music graduate from the Indiana University, he is qualified to teach music ... can play the drums, trumpet and piano and can sing gospel ... coach-John Smith (since 2007) In 2009: 2 UCLA Invitational 200; 7 Baie Mahault (7 200); 6 Osaka; 7 New York 200; 5 Eugene; 5 US Champs; 7 Rome Golden League; 2 Athens; 4 Paris Golden League; 6 Barcelona; 2 Monaco						
1222	<b>ROBERTS Gil</b> USA	20y	154d	1989	44.86	44.86 -09
2009 US Collegiate Champion indoors, representing Texas Tech University where he is a student of Mass Communications 200 pb: 20.77 -07 (21.02 -09). 4 US junior 2008; 1 NCAA indoor 2009 Down from 46.16 to 44.86 already in 2009 In 2009: 1 NCAA indoor; 2 Waco 'B'; 1 "Big 12" Conference; 1 Norman; dnf/sf NCAA; 2 US Champs						
1242	<b>WARINER Jeremy</b> USA	25y	197d	1984	44.66	43.45 -07
Two golds each from Athens 2004, Helsinki 2005 & Osaka 2007 but 'only' individual silver & relay gold in Beijing 2008 ... 38/42 wins at 400m in 2005-2008 200 pb: 20.19 -06. 2 Pan-Am Junior 400 2003; 1 OLY 400/4x400 2004; 1 WCH 400/4x400 2005/2007; 2 OLY 2008 (1 4x400). 1 US 2004/2005. Managed by Michael Johnson ... in 2004 uniquely won NCAA titles at 400m & 4x400m both indoors and out ... student of Outdoor Recreation at Baylor University ... has two dogs Heidi (St Bernard) & Lady (German Shepherd/Pyrenean Mountain mix) ... from May 2009 he is coached again by Clyde Hart, in 2008 it was Michael Ford who remains an advisor In 2009: 1 Waco 200 (Mar 21); 1 Arlington 200; 2 Waco 200 (Apr 18); 1 Drake Relays; 1 Osaka; 1 Carson; 4 New York 200; 8sf US Champs 200; 1 Lignano; 1 Paris Golden League; 1 Stockholm  In early June he badly twisted his left ankle when tripping over a shoe left out on the track when he was training at the University of Arkansas						
1260	<b>NYONGANI Young Talkmore</b> ZIM	25y	348d	1983	45.75	44.96 -05
Second at 2007 African Games ... 4 WJC 2002; qf COM 2002; sf African Games 2003; 3 African Champs 2004/2006; ht OLY 2004/2008; sf WCH 2005/2007; 2 African Games 2007. Graduate of Millennium Athletics Academy in Harare, now based in Pretoria ... coach-Nico van Hardeen In 2009: 2 Pretoria; 1 Durban; 1 Germiston; 3 Dakar; 3 Rabat; 1 Algiers; 3 Tomblaine; 4 Lille; 6 Oslo Golden League; 3 Sotteville-lès-Rouen; 5 Reims; 2 Ghent						

#### WORLD ALL-TIME LIST

1.....	43.18.....	Michael Johnson USA.....	1999
2.....	43.29.....	Butch Reynolds USA.....	1988
3.....	43.45.....	Jeremy Wariner USA.....	2007
4.....	43.50.....	Quincy Watts USA.....	1992
5.....	43.75.....	LaShawn Merritt USA.....	2008
6.....	43.81.....	Danny Everett USA.....	1992
7.....	43.86.....	Lee Evans USA.....	1968
8.....	43.87.....	Steve Lewis USA.....	1988
9.....	43.97.....	Larry James USA.....	1968
10...	44.05.....	Angelo Taylor USA.....	2007
Best non-US			
.....	44.10.....	Gary Kikaya COD.....	2006

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1.....	44.50.....	LaShawn Merritt USA
2.....	44.66.....	Jeremy Wariner USA
3.....	44.73.....	Latoy Williams BAH
=4.....	44.77.....	Tabarie Henry ISV
.....	44.77.....	David Gillick IRL
6.....	44.78.....	Jonathan Borlée BEL
7.....	44.81.....	Chris Brown BAH
8.....	44.86.....	Gil Roberts USA
9.....	44.89.....	Rennie Quow TRI
=10...	44.96.....	Calvin Smith USA
.....	44.96.....	William Collazo CUB

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## Men's Discus Throw

33 Entrants



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		Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
113	<b>BALLIENGO Jorge</b> ARG Twice South American Champion ... 5 Pan-Am Games 2003; 1 South American 2005/2006; dnq WCH 2005; 1 Ibero-American 2006/2008; dnq OLY 2008 ... 1.93/112kg In 2009: 1 Mar del Plata; 1 Rosario; 2 Santa Fe; 1 Rosario; 2 Argentinian; 2 South American; 1 Bovolone; 1 Formia	31y	223d	1978	58.67	66.32 -06
116	<b>LAURO Germán</b> ARG 2007 & 2009 South American Champion at both shot & discus ... SP 19.88 -08 (19.20 -09). 1 South American junior DT 2001; 1 South American under-23 SP/DT & senior SP 2006; 1 South American SP/DT 2007/2009; 4 Pan-American Games DT 2007 (5 SP); 3 Ibero-American SP 2008 (4 DT); dnq OLY SP 2008 ... 1.85/115kg In 2009: 1 Mar del Plata SP (2 DT); 1 Buenos Aires SP; 2 Rosario DT; 1 Santa Fe SP (3 DT); 1 Buenos Aires SP (Apr 18); 1 Buenos Aires SP (Apr 25); 1 Argentinian SP/DT; 1 La Paz SP; 1 Cochabamba SP/DT; 1 South American SP/DT	25y	135d	1984	60.41	61.78 -07
137	<b>HARRADINE Benn</b> AUS Oceanic record holder ... they call him "Benny Five Fingers" ... dnq OLY 2008. 1 Australian 2007/2008. Once finished ahead of Ian Thorpe in a swimming relay race ... plays the guitar ... born-Newcastle NSW, lives-Melbourne ... coach-Gus Puopolo ... 1.98/115kg In 2009: 3 Chula Vista (Apr 23); 7 Chula Vista "World Record Challenge" (Apr 28); 2 Salinas (May 5); 3 Salinas (May 12); 3 Chula Vista; 5 Halle; 1 Lugano; 4 Schönebeck; 1 Lignano; 2 Wattenscheid; 4 Cottbus	26y	306d	1982	66.37	66.37 -08
151	<b>MAYER Gerhard</b> AUT Austrian record holder ... 2007 World Student Games Champion ... 9x Austrian Champion Downhill: 65.06 -09. 10 under-23 ECH 2001; 9 WSG 2005; dnq ECH 2006; 1 WSG 2007; dnq OLY 2008. 1 Austrian 2001-2009 ... 1.91/93kg In 2009: 5 European Throws Cup; 1 Schwechat; 6 Chula Vista; 1 Eagle Rock; 2 Salinas; 1 Austrian Clubs; 9 Halle; 1 Strasbourg; 1 Bonneuil-sur-Marne; 2 Lugano; 1 Amstetten; 1 ETCh 2nd League; 3 Tangiers; 5 Lucerne; 1 Austrian	29y	87d	1980	64.16	64.16 -09
339	<b>EL-GHAZALY Omar</b> EGY 2006 African Champion ... former World Junior record holder with 1.5kg Discus (65.88 in 2003) 10 WJC 2002; 1 African Junior 2003 (2001-2); 9 WSG 2003; 1 Arab 2003/2004/2005; 1 African Games 2003/2007; 3 Afro-Asian Games 2003; dnq OLY 2004/2008; 2 WSG 2005/2007; 1 African Champs 2006 (2002-3); 4 WCP 2006; 6 WCH 2007. Trains with Gerd Kanter, their coach-Vesteinn Hafsteinnsson ... 1.99/125kg In 2009: 4 Chula Vista "World Record Challenge"; 2 La Jolla; 3 Rabat; 2 Tartu; 1 Sollentuna; 2 Tangiers; 4 Réthymno; 2 Kose; 3 Cottbus	25y	188d	1984	66.34	66.58 -07
357	<b>CASAÑAS Frank</b> ESP 3x Cuban Champion ... fifth in 2008 Olympics for Spain ... 2 Pan-Am Games 2003; dnq WCH 2003/2005; 5 OLY 2008 (2000/2004-dnq). 1 Cuban 2003/2004/2005 ... cleared by the IAAF to represent Spain from August 6, 2005 (two years after he threw for Cuba at the 2005 World Championships), then granted Spanish citizenship on May 29, 2008 ... 1.84/101kg In 2009: 2 European Throws Cup; 1 Quinta do Anjo; 1 Quinta do Anjo; 1 Lleida; 1 Lisbon; 1 Madrid; 2 Rabat; 1 European Clubs Cup; 1 Castellón; 2 Huelva; 1 Ciudad Real; 4 Berlin Golden League; 1 Mediterranean Games; 9 Madrid; 2 Mataró; 1 Zaragoza; 2 Barcelona; 2 Spanish	30y	302d	1978	67.17	67.91 -08
381	<b>PESTANO Mario</b> ESP Spanish record holder ... twice fourth at European Championships ... 11 EJC 97; dnq WSG 99; 3 under-23 ECH 99; 4 ECH 2002/2006; 3 WCP 2002; 8 WCH 2003 (99/2001-dnq, 2005-11, 2007-10); 1 Ibero-American 2004 (2000-3); 1 ECP 2005/2008 (2002-2); 9 OLY 2008 (2004-dnq); 3 ETCh 2009. 1 Spanish 2001-2005/2007/2008 ... born-Tenerife ... coach-Luis Lizaso ... 1.93/105kg In 2009: 1 Alicante; 1 Spanish Universities; 1 Barcelona (May 16); 1 Catalan; 1 Huelva; 3 ETCh; 1 Barcelona (Jul 12); 1 Mataró; 2 Zaragoza; 3 Barcelona (Jul 25); 1 Spanish; 1 Cottbus	31y	130d	1978	66.63	69.50 -08
389	<b>ISRAEL Märt</b> EST Estonian #3 after Kanter & Tammert ... SP pb: 17.86 -06 (17.07 -09). 7 WJC 2002; 8 European under-23 2003; 11 WSG 2005; dnq ECH 2006; 3 WSG 2007; dnq WCH 2007; dnq OLY 2008 ... 1.89/119kg In 2009: 4 European Throws Cup; 6 Chula Vista "World Record Challenge"; 2 Chula Vista (3 SP) (May 5); 3 Jögeva; 5 Tartu; 4 Warsaw; 7 Bydgoszcz; 2 Sollentuna; 4 Madrid; 4 World Student Games; 3 Lucerne; 5 Zaragoza; 6 Barcelona; 3 Estonian; 2 Cottbus	25y	327d	1983	66.05	66.56 -07
390	<b>KANTER Gerd</b> EST 2008 Olympic Champion ... 2007 World Champion ... third on world all-time list ... set world indoor best 69.51 in Växjö on March 22, 2009 5 under-23 ECH 2001; 12 ECH 2002; 1 WSG 2005; 2 ECH 2006 (2002-12); 1 WCH 2007 (2003-dnq, 2005-2 after leading until the last throw of Alekna); 1 OLY 2008 (2004-dnq). 1 Estonian 2004/2005/2006/2008. Graduate of Business Management ... 1.96/120kg After winning his Olympic gold in Beijing, the New York Times invited him to see how far he could throw a variety of familiar objects. The best he managed was 50m for a 400g tin of sardines ... coach-Vesteinn Hafsteinnsson In 2009: 1 European Throws Cup; 1 Växjö (world indoor best 69.51); 1 Chula Vista "World Record Challenge" (Apr 28); 1 Chula Vista (May 5); 1 La Jolla; 1 Rabat; 1 Turnov; 1 Jögeva; 1 Tartu; 1 Bydgoszcz; 1 Berlin Golden League; 1 ETCh 1st League; 1 Kohila; 1 Helsingborg; 1 Tallinn; 1 Lucerne; 1 Réthymno; 1 Kose; 1 Estonian (28th successive win, he hasn't lost since July 2008)	30y	102d	1979	71.64	73.38 -06
399	<b>TAMMERT Aleksander</b> EST 2004 Olympic bronze ... 2006 European bronze ... 9x Estonian Champion SP pb: 18.01 -02. 1 WSG 2001 (99-4); 3 OLY 2004 (96-dnq, 2000-9, 2008-6); 4 WCH 2005 (95/2001-dnq, 97-12, 99-10, 2003-7, 2007-8); 3 ECH 2006 (98-dnq, 2002-5). 1 Estonian 93-95/97-2002/2003 (1 SP 98/2002). Father Aleksander won shot put at 1966 European Junior Games... studied finance at Southern Methodist University ... 1.96/120kg In 2009: 4 Tartu; 1 Lappeenranta; 9 Réthymno; 3 Kose; 2 Estonian	36y	195d	1973	65.17	70.82 -06
427	<b>KRUGER Frantz</b> FIN 2000 Olympic bronze for South Africa, competing for Finland from 2007 1 WJC 94; 1 African Champs 98/2004; 1 WSG 99 (97-6); 3 OLY 2000 (2004-5, 2008-11); 1 COM 2002 (98-3); 2 WCP 2002 (98-3); 6 WCH 2003/2005 (99/2007-dnq, 2001-8). 1 South African 96/99-2004. 1 Finnish 2007/2008/2009. Former South African under-13 record holder for 200m Individual Medley swimming ... married Finnish Triple Jumper Heli Koivula on June 28, 2003 ... coach-Kaari Preller ... 2.03/125kg, 2.16m arm-span In 2009: 1 Finnish indoor; 1 Kauhajoki; 11 Halle; 1 Raasepori; 1 Eurajoki; 1 Tampere; 3 ETCh 1st League; 1 Turku; 2 Kokemäki; 2 Lappeenranta; 7 Lucerne; 2 Finnish	34y	86d	1975	64.17	70.32 -02
482	<b>VILI Bertrand</b> FRA Husband of Olympic Shot Put Champion Valerie Vili ... SP pb: 17.81 -02. 9 EJC SP 2001; 5 WJC SP 2002 (11 DT); 7 under-23 ECH 2003 (2005-11); 4 ECP 2007. 1 New Zealand 2002/2007/2009 & French 2007/2008 In 2009: 1 Waitakere; 1 Auckland City; 1 Australian; 1 New Zealand; 1 Montreuil-sous-Bois; 1 Castres; 1 French	25y	344d	1983	63.66	63.66 -09
551	<b>HARTING Robert</b> GER In Osaka 2007 became the youngest man yet to win a discus world championship medal 2 World Youth 2001; dnq WJC 2002; dnq EJC 2003; 1 under-23 ECH 2005; dnq ECH 2006; 2 ECP 2007/2008; 2 WCH 2007; 4 OLY 2008 (he was Germany's highest-placed male athlete in Beijing); 2 ETCh 2009. 1 German 2007/2008/2009 ... his younger brother Christoph has thrown the discus 52.00 ... his parents Gerd Seidel and Bettina Harting were both shot putters in the GDR era ... coach-Werner Goldmann ... 2.01/132kg In 2009: 1 Wiesbaden; 3 Halle; 3 Bydgoszcz; 3 Berlin; 1 Schönebeck	24y	301d	1984	68.10	68.65 -08

560	<b>MÜNCH Markus</b> GER	23y	64d	1986	64.90	64.90 -09
3 World Student Games 2009 ... 2.07/117kg In 2009: 2 Kienbaum; 1 European Throws Cup 'B'; 2 Wiesbaden; 1 German Univeristies; 8 Halle; 5 Berlin Golden League; 2 Schönebeck; 1 Uden; 2 German; 3 World Student Games; 6 Lucerne; 3 Wattenscheid; 5 Cottbus						
602	<b>KÖVÁGÓ Zoltán</b> HUN	30y	128d	1979	67.64	69.95 -06
2004 Olympic silver ... DT pb: 69.95 -06. 3 EJC 97; 1 WJC 98; 1 under-23 ECH 2001 (99-6); 7 ECH 2002 (98-dnq); 2 OLY 2004 (2000/2008-dnq); 9 WCH 2007 (2001/2003-dnq, 2005-10). 1 Hungarian 2001/2004/2005/2008 ... 1st Lieutenant in Hungarian Army (Helicopter Division) ... 2.09/103kg In 2009: 1 Budapest; 2 Halle; 3 Turnov; 3 Warsaw; 4 Bydgoszcz; 7 Berlin Golden League; 2 Lucerne; 3 Zaragoza						
612	<b>HADADI Ehsan</b> IRI	24y	208d	1985		69.32 -08
Multi-Asian Champion & record holder ... former World Junior Champion ... good second at 2006 World Cup SP pb: 17.82i -08. 1 Asian junior 2004; 1 WJC 2004; 1 Asian Champs 2005/2007 (2003-8); 1 West Asian Games 2005; 2 WCP 2006; 1 Asian Games 2006; 7 WCH 2008; dnq OLY 2008. 1 Belarus 2005. He has been training in Belarus since 2004 ... coach-Kim Bokhonsov ... 1.93/125kg						
623	<b>ABDULSHAHEED Haidar Nasser</b> IRQ	28y	215d	1981		59.77 -08
Iraqi record holder ... 5 West Asian Games 2005; 11 Asian Games 2006; 4 Pan Arab Games 2007; dnq OLY 2008						
760	<b>AL-DAWOODI Sultan Mubarak</b> KSA	24y	153d	1985	64.19	64.55 -06
Saudi Arabian record holder ... 6 Asian Champs 2003/2005; 2 Asian junior 2004; 9 WJC 2004; 3 Asian Games 2006; dnq WCH 2007 ... 1.83/89kg In 2009: 1 Jeddah; 1 Makkah; 1 Saudi Arabian Clubs; 1 Gulf; 1 Riyadh (May 7); 1 Riyadh (May 12); 1 Saudi Arabian						
793	<b>ALEKNA Virgilijus</b> LTU	37y	184d	1972	68.94	73.88 -00
Twice Olympic & twice World Champion ... 2006 European Champion ... in 2000 threw 73.88, the second-longest of all-time SP pb: 19.99 -97. 1 WCP 98/2006; 1 OLY 2000/2004 (96-5, 2008-3); 1 WCH 2003/2005 (95-dnq, 97-2, 99/2007-4, 2001-2); 1 ECH 2006 (98-3, 2002-2). 1 Lithuanian 2000-2005. Coach-Zigmas Zivatkauskas... sons Martinas (8) & Mikolas (6) ... 37/37 wins in 2005-2007 ... 2.00/130kg, 2.22m arm-span In 2009: 2 Turnov; 2 Warsaw; 6 Berlin Golden League; 1 Vilnius City Champs; 1 Madrid; 2 Réthymno; 1 Lithuanian						
846	<b>CADEE Erik</b> NED	25y	182d	1984	65.61	65.61 -09
Former European Junior Champion ... dnq WJC 2002; 1 EJC 2003; 5 under-23 ECH 2005; dnq WCH 2007 ... 2.00/110kg In 2009: 1 Dutch indoor SP; 3 European Throws Cup; 2 Växjö; 2 Mt. SAC Relays; 2 Chula Vista; 2 La Jolla (Apr 25); 2 Chula Vista "World Record Challenge" (Apr 28); 5 Chula Vista (May 5); 3 La Jolla (May 12); 1 Zwolle; 1 Vught; 5 Rabat; 1 Hulst; 6 Bydgoszcz; 6 ETCh 1st League; 2 Uden; 8 Madrid						
874	<b>MYKLEBUST Gaute</b> NOR	30y	109d	1979	62.85	63.32 -05
5x Norwegian Champion ... SP pb: 18.78 -03 (17.75 -09). dnq WCH 2005. 4 NCAA 2004 (representing University of Memphis). 1 Norwegian 2005-2009 (1 SP 2007/2009) ... 1.95/120kg In 2009: 6 Chula Vista; 5 La Jolla; 1 Bjørkelangen; 7 Halle; 1 Floro; 2 Gothenburg; 1 Leiden; 4 ETCh 1st League (10 SP); 2 Helsingborg (Jul 7); 1 Helsingborg (Jul 9, 26 & 27); 1 Norwegian SP/DT						
908	<b>MALACHOWSKI Piotr</b> POL	26y	70d	1983	68.75	68.75 -09
2008 Olympic silver ... Polish record holder ... DT pb: 68.75 -08. 5 EJC 2001; 6 WJC 2002; 2 under-23 ECH 2005 (2003-9); 1 ECP 2006/2007 (2008-3); 6 ECH 2006; 12 WCH 2007; 2 OLY 2008; 1 ETCh 2009. 1 Polish 2006/2007/2008/2009 ... member of Slask Wroclaw Military club with rank of Lance Corporal ... lives-Biezun ... coach-Witold Suski ... 1.92/122kg In 2009: 1 Bialystok; 1 Halle (68.75, his fifth Polish record); 1 Biala Podlaska; 1 Warsaw; 1 International Military Champs; 2 Bydgoszcz; 2 Berlin Golden League; 1 ETCh; 2 Madrid; 4 Barcelona; 1 Polish						
953	<b>DHEEB Ahmed Mohamed</b> QAT	23y	321d	1985	63.10	63.10 -09
7 Asian Games 2006; 5 Asian Champs 2007 In 2009: 2 Gulf; 5 International Military Champs; 1 Belorussian; 1 Stayki (Jul 25); 1 Stayki (Aug 1)						
1006	<b>PISHCHALNIKOV Bogdan</b> RUS	26y	355d	1982	65.58	65.88 -08
3x Russian Champion ... DT pb: 65.88 -08. 9 EJC 2001; 3 under-23 ECH 2003; 11 WSG 2003; 5 ECP 2004/2005 (2006-7); dnq WCH 2005/2007; dnq ECH 2006; 7 WCP 2006; 6 OLY 2008; 9 ETCh 2009. 1 Russian 2007/2008/2009 ... younger sister is European Champion Darya Pishchalnikova (currently under suspension), they are each coached by their parents Tatyana (née Matrosova) & Vitaliy ... he had a discus pb of 67.76, she 61.62 ... 1.97/105kg In 2009: 1 Adler; 1 Russian winter; 8 European Throws Cup; 1 Adler; 1 Nalchik; 1 Stavropol; 4 Rabat; 2 Jögeva; 3 Tartu; 5 Bydgoszcz; 9 ETCh; 1 Zhukovskiy; 1 Russian						
1015	<b>SEDYUK Nikolay</b> RUS	21y	108d	1988	60.80	64.72 -08
2007 European Junior Champion ... 2009 European under-23 Champion dnq World Youth 2005; 4 WJC 2006; 1 EJC 2007; 4 ECP 2008. Coach-Ivan Koptuykh (who is the father of former Olympic Champion Natalya Sadova) In 2009: 1 Adler; 1 Russian under-23 winter; 2 European Throws Cup under-23; 1 Adler; 3 European Clubs Cup; 6 Lugano; 1 Russian under-23; 1 under-23 ECH; 3 Russian						
1059	<b>SCHÄRER Daniel</b> SUI	23y	300d	1985	63.55	63.55 -09
He is very near to the Swiss record of 64.04 which has stood to Christian Erb since 1988 10 under-23 ECH 2007. 3 NCAA 2009. Biology student at Stanford University In 2009: 1 Westwood; 1 Stanford; 1 Drake Relays; 1 Stanford; 5 Salinas; 1 Eugene (May 17); 2 Eugene (May 30); 3 NCAA; 5 ETCh 1st League; 9 Barcelona; 1 Swiss						
1123	<b>OLGUNDENİZ Ercüment</b> TUR	33y	39d	1976	63.48	64.70 -08
Turkish record holder & 8x Champion ... 5 EJC 95; dnq ECH 98; dnq WCH 99/2007; dnq OLY 2004/2008; 2 Mediterranean Games 2009 (2005-3). 1 Turkish 96 -2001/2004/2008/2009 ... 198/145kg In 2009: 1 Turkish indoor; 7 European Throws Cup; 1 Bursa; 1 Turkish Clubs (May 24); 1 Turkish; 1 Turkish Clubs (Jun 10); 9 ETCh 1st League; 2 Mediterranean Games						
1143	<b>HRYSHYN Ivan</b> UKR	21y	20d	1988	62.64	62.64 -09
European silvers and junior and under-23 ... 2 EJC 2007; 5 WSG 2009; 2 under-23 ECH 2009 ... 2.02/100kg In 2009: 3 Ukrainian winter; 1 European Throws Cup under-23; 1 Kiev (Apr 29); 1 Kiev (May 17); 4 Jögeva; 4 Kiev (May 30); 5 Ukraine Cup/Yalta; 5 World Student Games; 2 under-23 ECH; 2 Ukrainian						
1158	<b>SEMENOV Oleksiy</b> UKR	27y	50d	1982	60.60	65.40 -08
SP pb: 17.41 -04. 10 European under-23 2003; 5 ECP 2007; dnq OLY 2008; 4 ETCh 2009. 1 Ukrainian 2009 ... 2.00/120kg In 2009: 2 Kiev; 1 Ukraine Cup/Yalta; 4 ETCh; 1 Ukrainian						
1199	<b>MADISON Chase</b> USA	23y	335d	1985	59.92	62.85 -08
9 NCAA DT 2009 (2006-11). Taking studies in Health and Human performance at Iowa State University In 2009: 6 NCAA indoor SP; 4 Tempe DT (2 SP); 1 Auburn DT 'B' (3 SP); 4 Knoxville SP; 4 Drake Relays DT (2 SP); 3 Columbus SP/DT; 3 Gainesville DT (8 SP); 9 NCAA DT; 7 US Champs DT						
1201	<b>MALONE Casey</b> USA	32y	132d	1977	68.49	68.49 -09
Former World Junior Champion ... he was the tallest track & field athlete at the Beijing Olympics ... in 2009 he finally won the US title on his 12th attempt to do so 1 WJC 96; dnq WCH 2003; 6 OLY 2004 (2008-dnq). 1 US 2009 ... Assistant Coach at the University of Colorado ... 2.06/113kg In 2009: 1 Boulder; 1 Fort Collins (Mar 28); 1 Boulder; 3 Mt. SAC Relays; 1 Fort Collins (Apr 25); 1 Fort Collins (May 9); 1 Salinas; 1 Fort Collins (Jun 20); 1 US Champs						

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**ROME Jarred USA**

32y 237d 1976

65.56

68.44 -08

2004 US Olympic Trials winner ... SP pb: 20.40 -06. 8 WSG 2001; dnq OLY 2004; 7 WCH 2005 (2007-dnq). 1 US 2004. Lives-Chula Vista, studied Business Education at Boise State University ... played as quarterback for his high school football team but gave up that sport at 20 because of a knee injury ... coach-Brooks Johnson ... 1.96/145kg

In 2009: 1 Chula Vista (Apr 23); 1 La Jolla; 3 Chula Vista "World Record Challenge" (Apr 28); 1 Boise; 1 Salinas (May 5); 1 Salinas (May 12); 1 Chula Vista; 2 Carson; 2 Strasbourg; 2 Bonneuil-sur-Marne; 7 Warsaw; nm Bydgoszcz; 3 Lugano; 9 Berlin Golden League; 1 Chula Vista; 2 US Champs; 6 Madrid; 1 Tangiers; 4 Lucerne; 7 Zaragoza; 5 Barcelona

1245

**WALTZ Ian USA**

32y 123d 1977

64.47

68.91 -06

Ian is pronounced EYE-an ... SP pb: 20.10 -02. 5 WJC 96 (6 SP); dnq OLY 2004/2008; 5 WCH 2005 (2007-dnq); 3 WCP 2006. 1 US 2006/2008. Studied Kinesiology (Human Movement) at Washington State University ... coach-Brooks Johnson, trains with Jarred Rome ... 1.88/120kg

In 2009: 7 Chula Vista (May 5); 4 Salinas; 2 Chula Vista (May 14); 1 Carson; 3 Chula Vista (Jun 20); 3 US Champs; 5 Madrid; 2 Lignano; 9 Lucerne; 7 Réthymno; 7 Barcelona

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1..... 74.08..... Jürgen Schult GDR..... 1986  
 2..... 73.88..... Virgiljus Alekna LTU..... 2000  
 3..... 73.38..... Gerd Kanter EST..... 2006  
 4..... 71.86..... Yuriy Dumchev RUS..... 1983  
 5..... 71.70..... Robert Fazekas HUN..... 2002  
 6..... 71.50..... Lars Riedel GER..... 1997  
 7..... 71.32..... Ben Plucknett USA..... 1983  
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 ..... 71.26 ..... Rickard Bruch SWE..... 1984  
 ..... 71.26 ..... Imrich Bugár TCH..... 1985

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 3..... 68.75..... Piotr Malachowski POL  
 4..... 68.49..... Casey Malone USA  
 5..... 68.10..... Robert Harting GER  
 6..... 67.64..... Zoltán Kővágó HUN  
 7..... 67.17..... Frank Casanas ESP  
 8..... 66.63..... Mario Pestano ESP  
 9..... 66.34..... Omar El-Ghazaly EGY  
 10... 66.05..... Mart Israel EST