



WBSC Development Funding

- 70% of the budget of the Strategic Agreement for WBSC Continental Associations (CAs) Development Fund to be transferred to the CAs to be allocated to the general development of the Continent.
- 30% of the budget to be administrated directly by the WBSC for the support of special needs and special projects/events of high relevance.
- The allocation of resources will be calculated based on the following principles:

| Parameters | Points |
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| A. Fixed Quota | 10 pts |
| B. Number of National Federations recognised by the WBSC in the Continent (BB/SB/BB-SB) | See below, Formula: item B |
| C. Number of Senior and Youth Continental Tournaments (BB/SB/B5/Para Sports) | See below, Formula: item C |
| D. Existence of Development and Integrity Officer | See below, Formula: item D |
| E. CA Governance Review Score | See below, Formula: item E |
| F. Percentage of budget allocated to the member federations Development Projects | See below, Formula: item F |

The percentage of the budget to be allocated to the different areas is decided by the CA based on its specific needs.

Formula for the calculation of the budget to be allocated to each CA:

The Strategic Agreement for WBSC CAs Development Fund divided by the total score of all the CAs multiplied by the score of pertinent CA.

A: 10 points will be allocated to all CAs to guarantee them a minimum financial contribution independently from the numbers of affiliated members and/or activity *(for non-merged CAs, only 5 points will be allocated for this parameter to have the same distribution across all Continents).*

B: 1 point to be allocated every WBSC active member (organised activity in the country/territory) of each Continental Association *(the count is based on number of votes per member).*

C: 1 point to be allocated for each (national team) tournament hosted in the Continent that qualify for WBSC recognised age categories events *(for BB: U12/U15/U18/U23/Senior & Women's - for SB: U12 Mixed/U15 girls/U18 boys & girls/U23 men's/Senior men's & women's).*

D: 2 points to be allocated per each designated position *(Name, job description and related evidence will be requested for each of the listed positions)*

E: Each CA to go through a Governance Review each year *(governance score to be allocated between a maximum of 100 and a minimum of zero points. The CAs will be divided in five groups based on their scores as follows: A1 Group - 100 to 80 points; A2 Group - 79 to 60 points; B Group - 59 to 40 points; C Group - 39 to 21 points; D Group - 20 to 0 points. Based on group, CAs will earn the following points: A1 Group - 4 points; A2 Group - 3 points; B Group - 2 points; C Group - 1 point; D Group - 0 points.*

F: 1 point every 1% of the budget allocated in this area *(to be calculated starting from 2024 after the financial review of the budget spent in 2023)*