



## „TOUR OF KOSOVO -2025”



22<sup>th</sup> - Edition - 04-06

September - 2025

Mr, Avni Nuha

President of Cycling of Kosovo,

Dear friends,

Cycling Federation of Kosovo, supported by the Ministry of Culture, Youth and Sports, organizes the cycling race "Tour of Kosovo 2025".

The „Tour of Kosovo” is the most important activity of the Kosovo Cycling Federation where the interest to be part of this even is growing and every year the number of the teams from different countries from Europe and around the world expressed their desire to compete in the Tour of Kosovo 2025

The event, aimed to promote cycling sport, the spirit of sports between countries, promotes Kosovo's culture, tradition and hospitality.

I am thankful to all partners for the support in the realization of this event and I wish success to all participants hoping that the greatest cycling event in Kosovo hoping to continue such tradition in the future as well.

### Detailed race information;

The opening ceremony will be held at the main square, Mother Teresa” in Prishtina starting from 10:00 AM. During the ceremony, , national teams will be presented to the public and media.

The signature podium will be open at 11:15 minutes before each departure and will be closed 10 minutes before each departure. Riders who have not signed will not be able to start.

### ***Stage 1 – 04.09.2025, Lebanë – Vragoli – Morine – Therande***

Race information

Start at 12:00 AM at Lebanë, R7 Ibrahim Rugova, Prishtina,

Distance	144.5 km	Total Ascent/Descent	1569 m
Lowest Point	0.1 % (113.3 km)	Highest Point	671 m (at 28 km)
Uphill	11.7%	Downhill	-13.1%

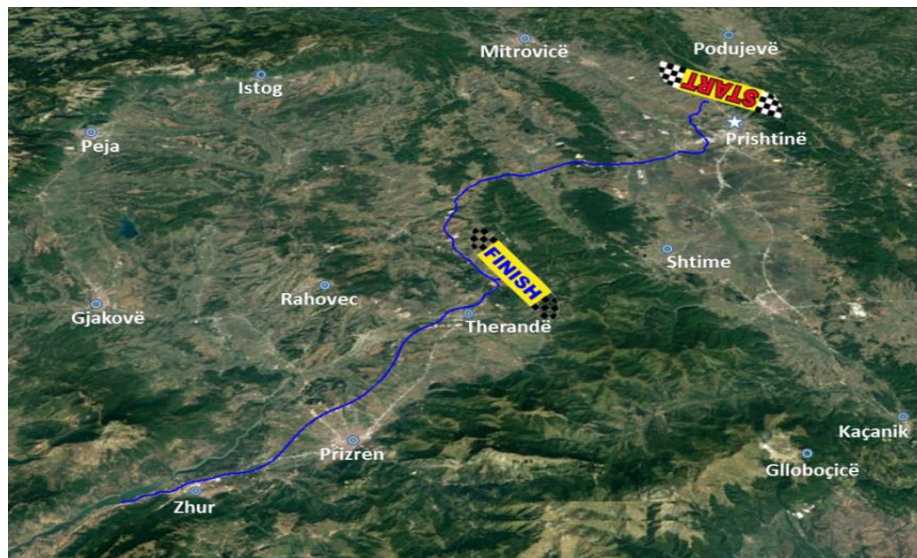
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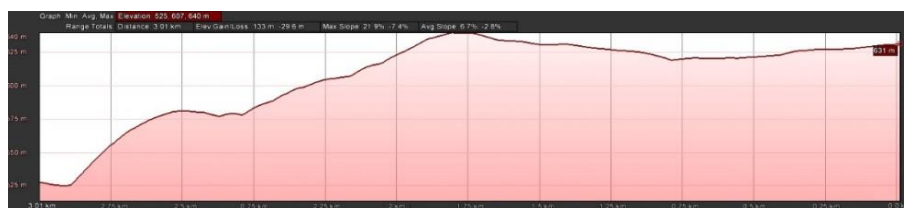
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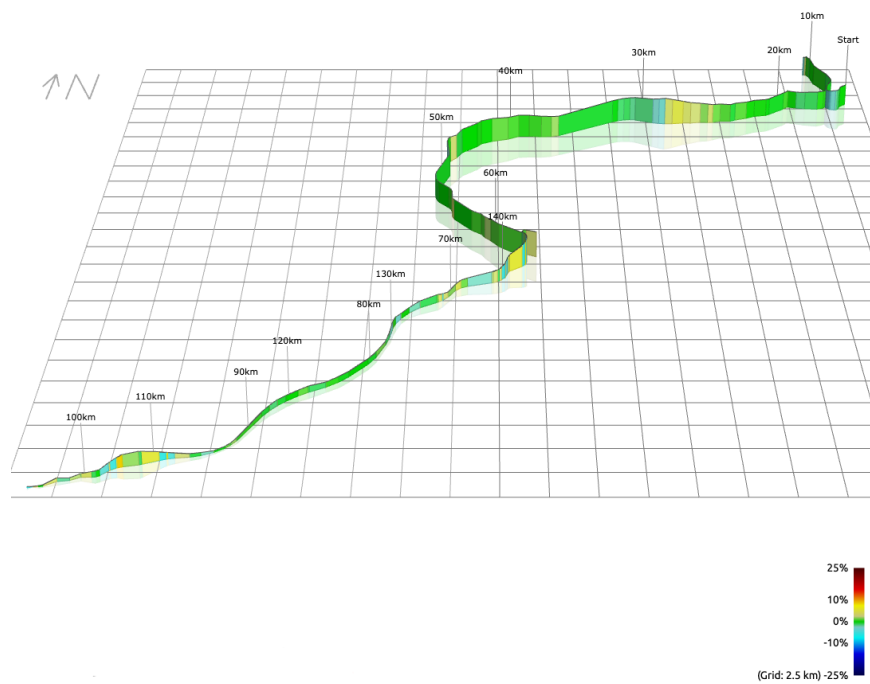
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4.5	137.5	Cross road Shkabaj	12:07:43	12:07:06	12:06:45
11.0	131.0	Fushe Kosova bridge	12:18:51	12:17:22	12:16:30
16.6	125.4	Roundabout F.Kosove (Hib Petrol)	12:28:27	12:26:13	12:24:54
28.6	113.4	Koretice place	12:49:02	12:45:09	12:42:54
34.1	107.9	Komoran road	12:58:27	12:53:51	12:51:09
39.8	102.2	Malisheva road	13:08:14	13:02:51	12:59:42
60.6	81.4	Roundabout Qafa e Dules	13:43:53	13:35:41	13:30:54
67.7	74.3	Theranda road	13:56:03	13:46:54	13:41:33
90.0	52.0	Vlashnje road	14:34:17	14:22:06	14:15:00
92.3	49.7	Intermediate sprint	14:38:14	14:25:44	14:18:27
101.0	41.0	Return back from Morina border	14:53:09	14:39:28	14:31:30
141.5	0.5	Turn right (Qafa e Dules)	16:02:34	15:43:25	15:32:15
142.0	0.0	Finish (Qafa e Dules)	16:03:26	15:44:13	15:33:00

### Stage 1 Map



### Stage 1 last 3 km before finish line

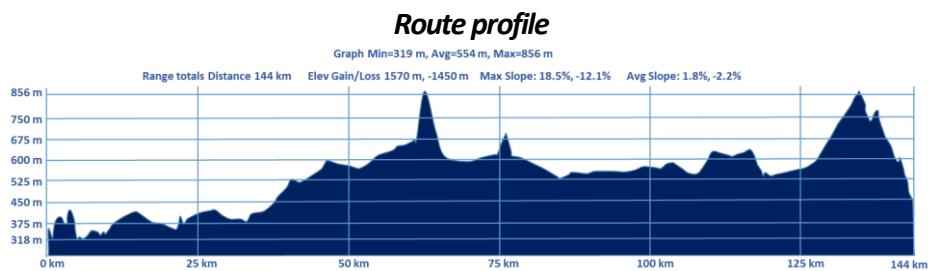




Stage 2 – 05.09.2025, Morinë – Prizren – Ferizaj – Hani i Elezit

Race information  
Start at 11:00 AM at Morinë, R7 Ibrahim Rugova,

Distance	144 km	Total Ascent/Descent	2970 m / 2971 m
Lowest Point	319 (at 4.3 km)	Highest Point	856 m (at 62.4 km)
Uphill	18.5%	Downhill	-12.1%

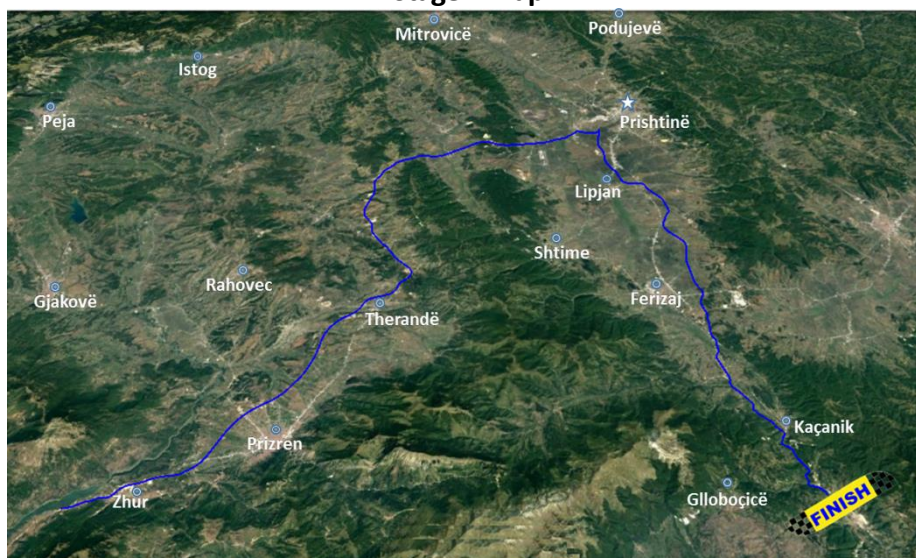


Route description

Km	Km left	Directions	35km/h	38km/h	40km/h
0.0	144.0	Start Morine border	11:00:00	11:00:00	11:00:00
4.0	140.0	Zhur place	11:06:51	11:06:19	11:06:00
8.4	135.6	Poslishte place	11:14:23	11:13:15	11:12:35

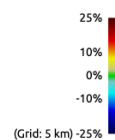
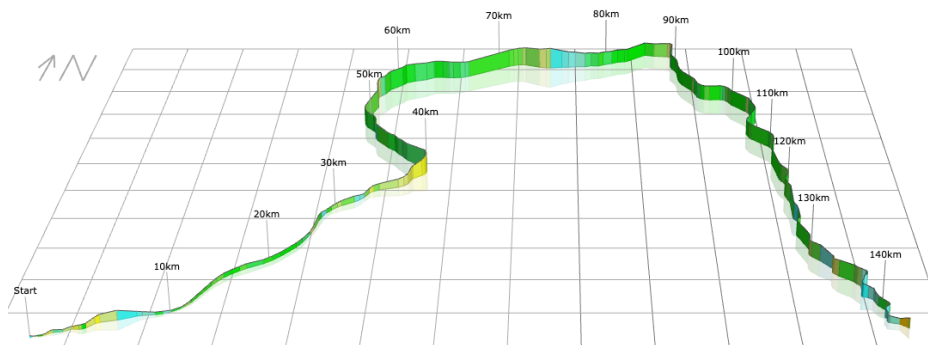
16.8	127.2	Hatmaxhe place	11:28:48	11:26:32	11:25:12
33.0	111.0	Theranda place	11:56:34	11:52:06	11:49:30
48.8	95.2	Banje place	12:23:39	12:17:03	12:13:12
66.8	77.2	Komoran place	12:54:31	12:45:28	12:40:12
78.7	65.3	Sllatina e Madhe place	13:14:55	13:04:16	12:58:03
84.0	60.0	Turn right (Miradi e poshtme)	13:24:00	13:12:38	13:06:00
86.2	57.8	Turn right (Skopje highway)	13:27:46	13:16:06	13:09:18
96.0	48.0	Lipjan road	13:44:34	13:31:35	13:24:00
112.4	31.6	Intermediate sprint	14:12:41	13:57:28	13:48:36
128.0	16.0	Ferizaj road	14:39:26	14:22:06	14:12:00
135.0	9.0	Kacanik place	14:51:26	14:33:09	14:22:30
144.0	0.0	Finish Hani i Elezit	15:06:51	14:47:22	14:36:00

**Stage 2 Map**



**Stage 2 last 3 km before finish line**





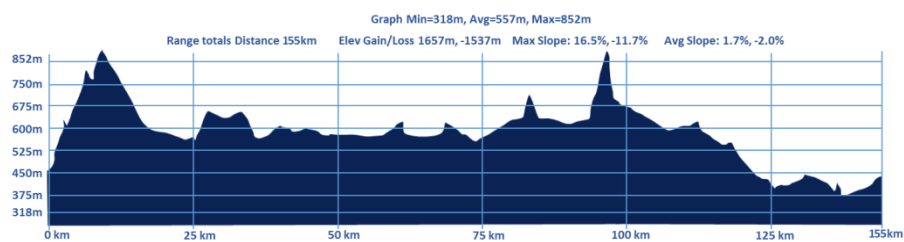
### Stage 3 – 06.09.2025, Hani i Elezit – Ferizaj – Prizren – Morinë

Race information

Start at 11:00 AM at Hani i Elezit,

Distance	156.7km	Total Ascent/Descent	2970 m / 2971 m
Lowest Point	318 (at 4.3 km)	Highest Point	852 m (at 62.4 km)
Uphill	16.5%	Downhill	11.7%

### Route profile



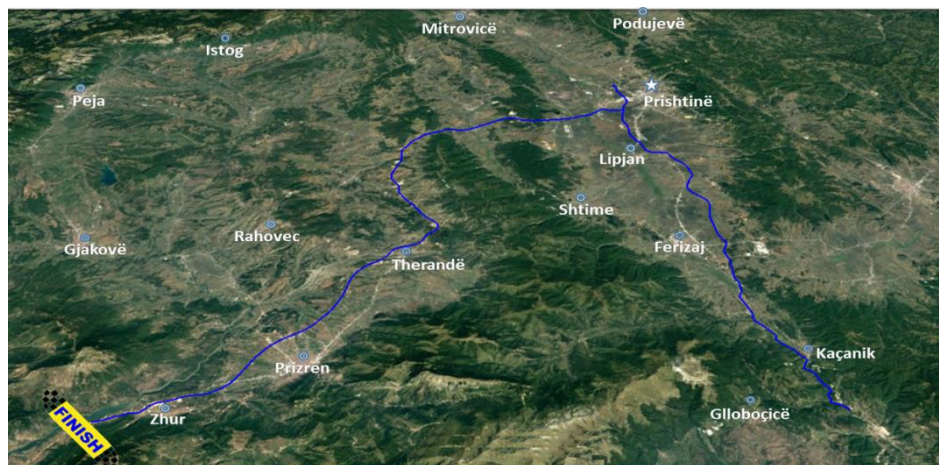
### Route description

Km	Km left	Directions	35km/h	38km/h	40km/h
0.0	156.7	Start Hani i Elezit	11:00:00	11:00:00	11:00:00
8.0	151.0	Kacanik place	11:13:43	11:12:38	11:12:00

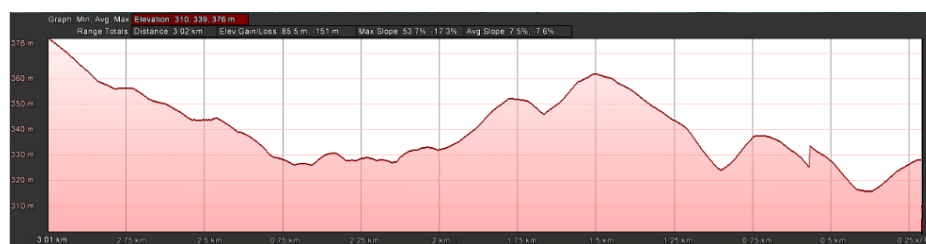


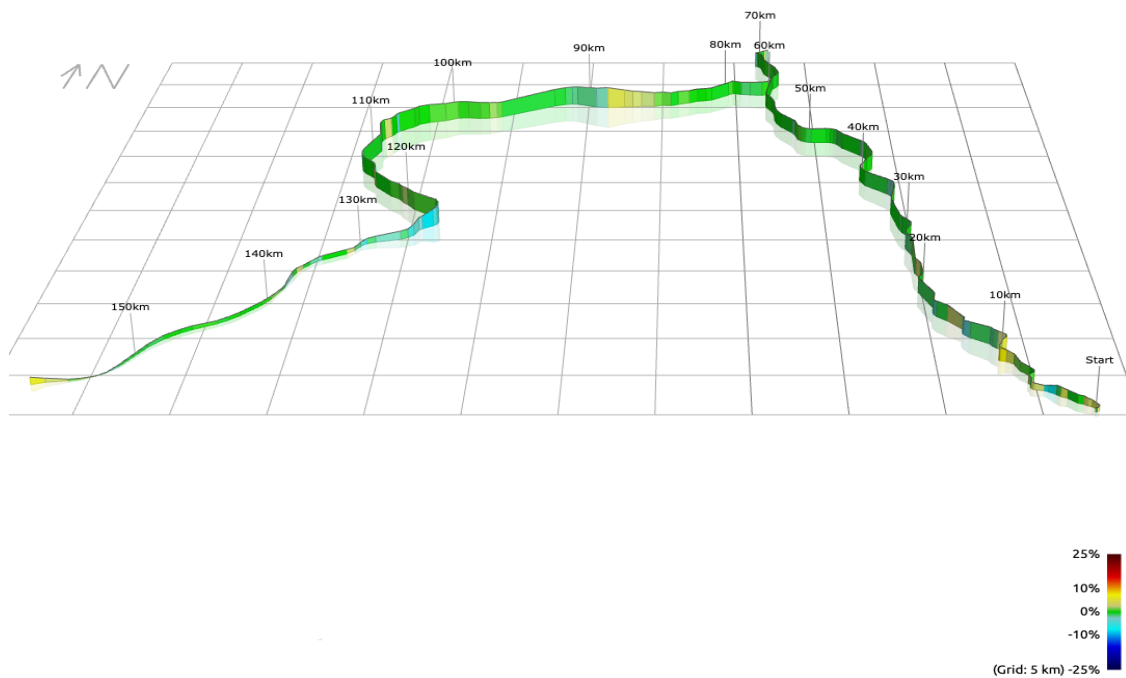
26.0	133.0	Ferizaj road	11:44:34	11:41:03	11:39:00
45.0	114.0	Lipjan road	12:17:09	12:11:03	12:07:30
58.0	101.0	Prishtine - F.Kosove crossroad	12:39:26	12:31:35	12:27:00
65.8	93.2	Turn right Shkabaj	12:52:48	12:43:54	12:38:42
64.8	94.2	Turn back Shkabaj	12:51:05	12:42:19	12:37:12
63.7	95.3	Roundabout right	12:49:12	12:40:35	12:35:33
72.2	86.8	Turn right F.Kosove road	13:03:46	12:54:00	12:48:18
74.9	84.1	Roundabout right	13:08:24	12:58:16	12:52:21
95.6	63.4	Llapushik place	13:43:53	13:30:57	13:23:24
116.2	42.8	Intermediate sprint	14:19:12	14:03:28	13:54:18
147.5	11.5	Vlashnje place	15:12:51	14:52:54	14:41:15
155.0	4.0	Shkoze place	15:25:43	15:04:44	14:52:30

### Stage 3 Map



### Stage 3 last 3 km before finish line





## RACE SPECIFIC REGULATIONS

### Article 1. Organization: Kosovo Cycling Federation

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Race will be held under the UCI rules.

### Article 2. Type of the event

1. The event is open to athletes of the Men Elite and Under 23 categories.
2. The event is part of the UCI Europe Tour calendar.
3. The event is registered as a class 2 event.
4. In conformity with the UCI rules, points are awarded as follows:

- General Classification: 40, 30, 25, 20, 15, 10, 5, 3, 3, 3 points to first 10 cyclists in general classification of the race

- Stage Classification: 7, 3, 1 points to the best 3 riders of each stage, and 1 point to the leader of the general classification (only stage race) for the UCI ranking Continental Men Elite and Under 23.

### Article 3. Participation

1. As per article 2.1.005 of the UCI regulations, the event is open to the following teams:
  - UCI ProTeams of the country
  - UCI foreign UCI ProTeams (max. 2)
  - UCI continental teams
  - National teams
  - Regional and club teams
2. Foreign national, regional and club teams should have the authorization of their national federations.
3. Every team must consist of Min. 5 (five) and Max. 7 (seven) riders in accordance with article 2.2.003 bis UCI Cycling Regulations.

### Article 4. Race office-Registration & Technical meeting information

1. The race headquarter is located at the following address: –Hotel „Emerald “ Str „ Magjistranja Prishtin - Ferizaj KM 5 , 10000 Prishtinë – Kosovë.
2. The inscriptions of the teams and confirmation of their starters and collect their race number packages takes place from 16:00 to 19:30 PM at the headquarter Hotel, „Emerald”
3. The team managers’ meeting, organized in accordance with article 1.2.087 of the UCI regulations, in the presence of the Members of the Commissaries’ Panel, is scheduled for 20:00 PM at the Hotel Emerald – Str „, Magjistranja Prishtin Ferizaj KM 5 , 10000 Prishtinë

### Article 5. Radio Tour

Radio Tour, will be broadcasted on channel 1 (MHz 400-480) in Albanian and English

### Article 6. Neutral vehicles

1. The Organizer will provide 3 (NV1, NV2, NV3) adequately equipped neutral technical support vehicles and 1 neutral moto.

### Article 7. Accidents on the Last 3 (three) Kilometres

1. In the case of a duly noted fall, puncture or mechanical incident in the **last 3 (three) kilometers** of a 22nd ToK stage, the rider or riders involved shall be credited with the time of the rider or riders in whose company they were riding at the moment of the accident.
2. His or their placing shall be determined by the order in which he or they actually cross the finishing line.
3. If, as the result of a duly noted fall in the last three kilometers, a rider **cannot cross the finishing line**, he shall be placed last in the stage and credited with the time of the rider or riders in whose company he was riding at the time of the accident.
4. However, in conformity with article 2.6.027, of the UCI rules, the above provisions are not applicable as



the stage finishes on top of a hill-climb (Article 2.6.029 of the UCI rules).




5. According to article 2.6.027 Bis, the timing service provider in ToK 2025 will provide a timing tape at the three-kilometer sign (or other distance accepted by the UCI pursuant to article 2.6.027) to identify the riders in each group and their time gaps.
6. In particular to the 22nd ToK Race, this rule **APPLIES** on all stages.

### **Article 8. Time limits**

1. Time limit that will be applied in all Stages of the **22nd Tour of Kosovo - 2025** is **15%**.

\*In exceptional cases only, unpredictable and of force majeure, the commissaires panel may extend the finishing time limits after consultation with the organizer according to the article **2.6.032**.

### **Article 9. Classification and Time bonuses**

1. The leader of each classification shall be required to wear the corresponding distinctive jersey. If a rider is leading more than one classification, the order of priority of the distinctive jerseys shall be as follows:
  - Individual General Classification:      **YELLOW JERSEY**      
  - Points Classifications:                      **GREEN JERSEY**      
  - Under 23 Classification:                      **WHITE JERSEY**      
2. The riders of the team leading the team general classification are obliged to wear the corresponding distinctive sign (different colour of numbers) during the stages.
3. The leader riders have the obligation to take top position according to the regulations before the pre-start of each stage.

### **GENERAL INDIVIDUAL CLASSIFICATION**



1. The individual general classification on time is established by adding up the times recorded on the stage, taking into account any time penalties – Article 2.6.014 of UCI.
2. In the event that two or more competitors are equal on time, their positions are decided by adding up their placing on each stage. As a final resort, their placing's in the latest stage are considered (according to the UCI article 2.6.015). The leader of the individual classification on time wears a yellow leader's jersey.

### **POINTS CLASSIFICATION**



1. Individual points classification is drawn up after each stage by calculating the points won.
  - 30 - 25 - 22 - 20 -18 - 16 - 14 - 12 - 10 - 8 - 6 - 4 - 3 - 2 - 1 for the first 15 (fifteen) riders
2. Intermediate Sprint:
  - 5 – 3 – 1 for the first 3 (three)
3. Article 2.6.017 of the UCI regulations is applied in the case of a tie in the general individual classification by points; the following criteria shall be applied in order until the riders are separated:
  1. number of stage wins;
  2. number of wins in intermediate sprints counting for the general classification on points;

### 3. General individual classification by time

#### UNDER 23 CLASSIFICATION



1. The classification is reserved for riders which are under 23 years old - determined by their Cycling Age (2002 - Year of Birth). The best Young rider in the under 23 classification wears the white jersey.

#### TEAM CLASSIFICATION

1. The **team classification for the stage** shall be calculated on the basis of the sum of the three best individual times from each team.
2. In the event of a tie, the teams shall be separated by the sum of the places acquired by their three best times on the stage. If the teams are still tied, they shall be separated by the placing of their best rider on the stage classification.
3. The team general classification shall be calculated on the basis of the sum of the three best individual times from each team in each stage ridden.
4. In the event of a draw, the following criteria shall be applied in order until the teams are separated:
  1. Number of first places in the daily team classifications
  2. Number of second places in the daily team classifications;
  3. etc..
5. If there is still a draw, the teams shall be separated by the placing of their best rider in the general individual classification.

**\*Any team reduced to fewer than 3 (three) riders shall be eliminated from the general team classification.**

#### Article 10. Time Bonuses

1. Time bonuses will apply to the Individual General Classification (**2.6.019 UCI**):
  - Stage finishes:  
10", 6", 4"
2. Intermediate Sprint:  
3", 2", 1"

#### Article 11. Prize List

1. The prize list in accordance with UCI Regulations for class 2.2 race - EUROPE 2 scale.
2. Further details on the prizes and its distribution will be given on the Team Managers meeting. The money prizes for a) stage wins, and b) the general final classification will be given after the publication of the anti-doping tests (maximum 90 days) directly to the bank account of each team.
3. All the prizes are under the fiscal rule of Kosovo, which means we will apply a 10% tax on every prize.
4. Prizes and awards: Stage races, overall individual, other awards:

#### Points Classification

1st place: 100 €  
2nd place: 70€  
3rd place: 50 €  
**Total: 220 €**

#### U23 Classification

1st place: 100 €  
2nd place: 70 €  
3rd place: 50 €  
**Total: 220 €**

#### Team Classification

1st place: 150 €  
2nd place: 100 €  
3rd place: 50 €  
**Total: 300 €**

Pos.	Stage 1-3	General classification
1	241.00 €	361.50 €
2	120.00 €	180.00 €
3	60.00 €	90.00 €
4	30.00 €	45.00 €
5	24.00 €	36.00 €
6	18.00 €	27.00 €
7	18.00 €	27.00 €
8	12.00 €	18.00 €
9	12.00 €	18.00 €
10	6.00 €	9.00 €
11	6.00 €	9.00 €
12	6.00 €	9.00 €
13	6.00 €	9.00 €
14	6.00 €	9.00 €
15	6.00 €	9.00 €
16	6.00 €	9.00 €
17	6.00 €	9.00 €
18	6.00 €	9.00 €
19	6.00 €	9.00 €
20	6.00 €	9.00 €
<b>Total</b>	<b>601.00 €</b>	<b>€ 901</b>

#### Article 12. Anti-doping Test

1. The UCI anti-doping regulations are entirely applicable to the event. Moreover, and in conformity with the law of, the Kosovo Anti-Doping legislation is applicable in addition to the UCI anti-doping regulations. Place of anti-doping tests will be included in another communication during the technical meeting.

#### Article 13. Ceremonies

1. Riders must take part in the official award ceremony (prizes, jersey and distinctive signs) based on the various classification established by the organizer. The official ceremony will take place in the following order:
  - **After each stage:**
    1. The winner of the stage;
    2. The leader of the general classification by time;
    3. The leaders of other classifications (except classification by teams);
  - **After the last stage:**
    1. The winner of the stage;
    2. The winners of the other classifications (including classification by teams);
    3. The three first riders of the general classification by time;
    4. All riders wearing a leader's jersey.

\*Subject to prior information of the president of the commissaries' panel, the organizer can modify the order for operational needs.

#### **Article 14. Penalties**

1. The UCI Penalty scale is the only one applicable.
2. The UCI Penalty scale is further specified in article **2.12.007** "Table of race incidents relating to road events".

#### **Article 15. Race security rules**

1. All stages **of 22nd Tour of Kosovo 2025**, will take place in the conditions of limited traffic.
2. Intersecting traffic will be closed, so that leading riders and the main group can pass.
3. In case of riders losing more than 20% to the peloton, the traffic will be opened and the competitors in question will be removed from the race.
4. All riders, technical cars and race personnel going off the racing column are obliged to follow the traffic laws.
5. All support vehicles must follow the instructions of the commissaries and the police.
6. At the finish of every stage all race support cars must follow the directions of the traffic directing personnel and park on the designated spots.
7. In case of an accident the vehicle must stop, warning signs must be set up, first aid administered and both police and emergency services informed.
8. The race will be accompanied with signed Police vehicles including motorbikes with at least blue lights on.
9. When getting close to these vehicles, race participants must take special precautions according to the traffic regulations.

#### **Article 16. Detailed program**

1. A detailed program of each day, the time and place of accommodation, meals, meetings, starts, decoration and presentation, payment of prize money, transfers to the start and from finish to the hotels and detailed stage plans:
  - mileage and travel times through the nodal points of the route;
  - the location of the sprints;
  - feeding zones;
  - places particularly dangerous and rounds will be included in **this additional booklet**.

#### **Article 17. Route maps**

1. All maps routes stages can be found in a special folder and on the website: [www.kosovacycling.org](http://www.kosovacycling.org)

## **Article 18. Composition of the Commissaries' Panel**

President of the Commissaires Panel:	READE Trevor
Commissarie 2:	Daniel Filic
Commissarie 3:	Matej Fonovic
Commissarie 4:	Mexhid Zaskoku
Motorbike Commissaire:	Edmond Sejdiu
Finish Commissaire:	Fatlum Grajçevci
Photo Finish and timekeeper:	RILOVIC Ivo
Radio Tour:	Aldi SHEHU
Safety manger:	Mentor Maloku e-mail: <a href="mailto:mentor_320@hotmail.com">mentor_320@hotmail.com</a>
	Phone number: + 383 44 153 093

## **Article 19. Final provisions**

1. All participants should be appropriately insured.
2. Prize money are subject to taxation in accordance with the current tax law in Kosovo.
3. Organizer decides regarding in order captivated,
4. All participants are required to read the rules of the competition.

## **Article 20. Results**

The results of each stage and the general results of the race will be printed and also will be promptly published on the website: [www.kosovacycling.org](http://www.kosovacycling.org)

## **Article 21. Hotel Addresses:**

1. Hotel Emerald – Str „ Magjistralka Prishtin - Ferizaj KM 5 , 10000 Prishtinë – Kosovë  
Tel; +38349588888

## **Article 22; Hospital Adresses**

- 2.Qendra Klinike Universitare e Kosoves,

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### **Article 23. Environment protection**

Riders and followers must behave responsibly with regards to the environment in all circumstances.

Organizer sets up' collection areas which are specifically designated to recover waste. Riders must only dispose of their waste, water bottles or any other object in these specially equipped.



