

World Rankings — Men's 800



WR holder David Rudisha has a record 7 No. 1s to his credit

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1947

- 1..... Doug Harris (New Zealand)
- 2..... John Fulton (US)
- 3..... Niels Holst-Sørensen (Denmark)
- 4..... Arthur Wint (Jamaica)
- 5..... Bill Clifford (US)
- 6..... Reggie Pearman (US)
- 7..... Mal Whitfield (US)
- 8..... Olle Ljunggren (Sweden)
- 9..... Ingvar Bengtsson (Sweden)
- 10..... Hans Liljekvist (Sweden)

1948

- 1..... Mal Whitfield (US)
- 2..... Marcel Hansenne (France)
- 3..... Arthur Wint (Jamaica)
- 4..... Ingvar Bengtsson (Sweden)
- 5..... Herb Barten (US)
- 6..... Hans Liljekvist (Sweden)
- 7..... Niels Holst-Sørensen (Denmark)
- 8..... Herluf Christensen (Denmark)
- 9..... Bob Chambers (US)
- 10..... Tarver Perkins (US)

1949

- 1..... Mal Whitfield (US)
- 2..... Arthur Wint (Jamaica)
- 3..... Herb Barten (US)
- 4..... Olle Åberg (Sweden)
- 5..... Ingvar Bengtsson (Sweden)
- 6..... Heinz Ulzheimer (West Germany)
- 7..... Marcel Hansenne (France)
- 8..... Don Gehrman (US)
- 9..... Pat Bowers (US)
- 10..... Stig Lindgard (Sweden)

1950

- 1..... Mal Whitfield (US)
- 2..... Don Gehrman (US)
- 3..... John Parlett (Great Britain)
- 4..... Audun Boysen (Norway)
- 5..... Arthur Wint (Jamaica)
- 6..... Roger Bannister (Great Britain)
- 7..... Ingvar Bengtsson (Sweden)
- 8..... Bill Brown (US)
- 9..... Günther Steines (West Germany)
- 10..... Marcel Hansenne (France)

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1951

- 1.....Arthur Wint (Jamaica)
- 2.....Roscoe Browne (US)
- 3.....Urban Cleve (West Germany)
- 4.....Heinz Ulzheimer (West Germany)
- 5.....John Barnes (US)
- 6.....Mal Whitfield (US)
- 7.....Bob Chambers (US)
- 8.....Patrick El Mabrouk (France)
- 9.....John Parlett (Great Britain)
- 10.....Audun Boysen (Norway)

1952

- 1.....Mal Whitfield (US)
- 2.....Arthur Wint (Jamaica)
- 3.....Heinz Ulzheimer (West Germany)
- 4.....Gunnar Nielsen (Denmark)
- 5.....Audun Boysen (Norway)
- 6.....Günther Steines (West Germany)
- 7.....John Barnes (US)
- 8.....Albert Webster (Great Britain)
- 9.....Reggie Pearman (US)
- 10.. Stanislav Jungwirth (Czechoslovakia)

1953

- 1.....Mal Whitfield (US)
- 2.....Wes Santee (US)
- 3.....Roger Moens (Belgium)
- 4.....Audun Boysen (Norway)
- 5.....Tage Ekfeldt (Sweden)
- 6 Stanislav Jungwirth (Czechoslovakia)
- 7.....Olle Åberg (Sweden)
- 8.....Henry Cryer (US)
- 9.....Gunnar Nielsen (Denmark)
- 10.....Lang Stanley (US)

1954

- 1.....Lajos Szentgáli (Hungary)
- 2.....Gunnar Nielsen (Denmark)
- 3.....Audun Boysen (Norway)
- 4.....Derek Johnson (Great Britain)
- 5.....Roger Moens (Belgium)
- 6.....Lucien De Muynck (Belgium)
- 7.....Mal Whitfield (US)
- 8.....Wes Santee (US)
- 9.....Arnie Sowell (US)
- 10.....Friedel Stracke (West Germany)

1955

- 1.....Roger Moens (Belgium)
- 2.....Audun Boysen (Norway)
- 3.....Arnie Sowell (US)
- 4.....Tom Courtney (US)
- 5.....Gunnar Nielsen (Denmark)
- 6.....Wes Santee (US)
- 7.....Lon Spurrier (US)
- 8.....Brian Hewson (Great Britain)
- 9.....Derek Johnson (Great Britain)
- 10.....Bill Tidwell (US)

1956

- 1.....Tom Courtney (US)
- 2.....Audun Boysen (Norway)
- 3.....Roger Moens (Belgium)
- 4.....Derek Johnson (Great Britain)
- 5.....Arnie Sowell (US)
- 6.....Brian Hewson (Great Britain)
- 7.....Lon Spurrier (US)
- 8.....Lajos Szentgáli (Hungary)
- 9.....Lang Stanley (US)
- 10.....Gunnar Nielsen (Denmark)

1957

- 1.....Roger Moens (Belgium)
- 2.....Tom Courtney (US)
- 3.....Don Bowden (US)
- 4.....Ron Delany (Ireland)
- 5.....Derek Johnson (Great Britain)
- 6.....Arnie Sowell (US)
- 7.....Audun Boysen (Norway)
- 8.....Dan Waern (Sweden)
- 9.....Zbigniew Makomaski (Poland)
- 10.....Mike Rawson (Great Britain)

1958

- 1.....Herb Elliott (Australia)
- 2.....Tom Courtney (US)
- 3.....Brian Hewson (Great Britain)
- 4.....Paul Schmidt (West Germany)
- 5.....Mike Rawson (Great Britain)
- 6.....Zbigniew Makomaski (Poland)
- 7.....Audun Boysen (Norway)
- 8.....Ron Delany (Ireland)
- 9.....Herbert Missalla (West Germany)
- 10.....Lajos Szentgáli (Hungary)

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1959

- 1.....Stefan Lewandowski (Poland)
- 2.....Roger Moens (Belgium)
- 3.....George Kerr (Jamaica)
- 4..... Brian Hewson (Great Britain)
- 5..... Tom Murphy (US)
- 6..... Paul Schmidt (West Germany)
- 7.....Dan Waern (Sweden)
- 8..... Peter Adam (West Germany)
- 9.....Siegfried Valentin (East Germany)
- 10.....Christian Wägli (Switzerland)

1960

- 1..... Peter Snell (New Zealand)
- 2.....Roger Moens (Belgium)
- 3.....George Kerr (Jamaica)
- 4..... Paul Schmidt (West Germany)
- 5.....Jerry Siebert (US)
- 6.....Christian Wägli (Switzerland)
- 7 . Manfred Matuschewski (East Germany)
- 8..... Ernie Cunliffe (US)
- 9..... Jörg Balke (West Germany)
- 10..... Tony Blue (Australia)

1961

- 1..... Peter Snell (New Zealand)
- 2.....Jerry Siebert (US)
- 3.....George Kerr (Jamaica)
- 4.....Dan Waern (Sweden)
- 5..... Paul Schmidt (West Germany)
- 6.....John Bork (US)
- 7.....Dyrol Burleson (US)
- 8..... Ron Delany (Ireland)
- 9..... Jim Dupree (US)
- 10..... Gary Philpott (New Zealand)

1962

- 1..... Peter Snell (New Zealand)
- 2.....Jerry Siebert (US)
- 3..... Jim Dupree (US)
- 4..... Michel Jazy (France)
- 5..... John Reilly (US)
- 6.....Jack Yerman (US)
- 7.....George Kerr (Jamaica)
- 8..... Bill Frazier (US)
- 9 . Manfred Matuschewski (East Germany)
- 10..... Valeriy Bulishev (Soviet Union)

1963

- 1..... Bill Crothers (Canada)
- 2 . Manfred Matuschewski (East Germany)
- 3..... Jim Dupree (US)
- 4..... Noel Carroll (Ireland)
- 5..... Valeriy Bulishev (Soviet Union)
- 6.....Morgan Groth (US)
- 7.....Norm Hoffman (US)
- 8..... Bill Cornell (Great Britain)
- 9.....Manfred Kinder (West Germany)
- 10..... Peter Snell (New Zealand)

1964

- 1..... Peter Snell (New Zealand)
- 2..... Bill Crothers (Canada)
- 3..... Wilson Kiprugut (Kenya)
- 4.....George Kerr (Jamaica)
- 5.....Jerry Siebert (US)
- 6.....Morgan Groth (US)
- 7..... Tom Farrell (US)
- 8.....Dieter Bogatzki (West Germany)
- 9..... John Boulter (Great Britain)
- 10..... Jacques Pennewaert (Belgium)

1965

- 1..... Bill Crothers (Canada)
- 2..... Wilson Kiprugut (Kenya)
- 3..... Jürgen May (East Germany)
- 4..... Tom Farrell (US)
- 5.....Morgan Groth (US)
- 6..... George Germann (US)
7. Franz-Josef Kemper (West Germany)
- 8..... Tomáš Jungwirth (Czechoslovakia)
- 9..... Jan Kasal (Czechoslovakia)
- 10..... Chris Carter (Great Britain)

1966

- 1..... Jim Ryun (US)
2. Franz-Josef Kemper (West Germany)
- 3 . Manfred Matuschewski (East Germany)
- 4..... Tom Farrell (US)
- 5.....Bodo Tümmler (West Germany)
- 6..... Noel Clough (Australia)
- 7..... Wilson Kiprugut (Kenya)
- 8.....George Kerr (Jamaica)
- 9..... Bill Crothers (Canada)
- 10..... Chris Carter (Great Britain)

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1967

1. Franz-Josef Kemper (West Germany)
- 2.....Wade Bell (US)
- 3..... Jean-Pierre Dufresne (France)
- 4..... John Boulter (Great Britain)
5. Manfred Matuschewski (East Germany)
- 6..... Wilson Kiprugut (Kenya)
- 7..... Dennis Carr (US)
- 8..... Bill Crothers (Canada)
- 9..... Ralph Doubell (Australia)
- 10..... Larry Kelly (US)

1968

- 1..... Ralph Doubell (Australia)
- 2..... Wilson Kiprugut (Kenya)
- 3..... Tom Farrell (US)
- 4..... Walter Adams (West Germany)
- 5..... Jozef Plachý (Czechoslovakia)
- 6..... Dieter Fromm (East Germany)
- 7.....Wade Bell (US)
- 8..... Thomas Saisi (Kenya)
9. Manfred Matuschewski (East Germany)
- 10..... Henryk Szordykowski (Poland)

1969

- 1..... Jozef Plachý (Czechoslovakia)
- 2..... Dieter Fromm (East Germany)
3. Manfred Matuschewski (East Germany)
- 4..... Naftali Bon (Kenya)
- 5..... Juris Luzins (US)
- 6..... Ralph Doubell (Australia)
- 7..... Felix Johnson (US)
- 8..... Byron Dyce (Jamaica)
- 9..... Art Sandison (US)
- 10..... Dave Cropper (Great Britain)

1970

- 1..... Yevgeniy Arzhanov (Soviet Union)
- 2..... Ken Swenson (US)
3. Franz-Josef Kemper (West Germany)
- 4..... Jozef Plachý (Czechoslovakia)
- 5..... Mark Winzenried (US)
- 6..... Walter Adams (West Germany)
- 7..... Fannie Van Zijl (South Africa)
- 8..... Dicky Broberg (South Africa)
- 9..... Pat Collins (US)
- 10..... Robert Ouko (Kenya)

1971

- 1..... Yevgeniy Arzhanov (Soviet Union)
- 2..... Dieter Fromm (East Germany)
- 3..... Andy Carter (Great Britain)
- 4..... Dicky Broberg (South Africa)
5. Franz-Josef Kemper (West Germany)
- 6..... Danie Malan (South Africa)
- 7..... Robert Ouko (Kenya)
- 8..... Thomas Saisi (Kenya)
- 9..... Juris Luzins (US)
- 10..... Mark Winzenried (US)

1972

- 1..... Dave Wottle (US)
- 2..... Yevgeniy Arzhanov (Soviet Union)
- 3..... Mike Boit (Kenya)
- 4..... Pekka Vasala (Fin)
5. Franz-Josef Kemper (West Germany)
- 6..... Robert Ouko (Kenya)
- 7..... Rick Wohlhuter (US)
- 8..... Andy Carter (Great Britain)
- 9..... Dieter Fromm (East Germany)
- 10..... Jozef Plachý (Czechoslovakia)

1973

- 1..... Rick Wohlhuter (US)
- 2..... Danie Malan (South Africa)
- 3..... Marcello Fiasconaro (Italy)
- 4..... Mike Boit (Kenya)
- 5..... Yevgeniy Arzhanov (Soviet Union)
- 6..... Andy Carter (Great Britain)
- 7..... Dave Wottle (US)
- 8..... Dieter Fromm (East Germany)
- 9..... Cosmas Silei (Kenya)
- 10..... Skip Kent (US)

1974

- 1..... Rick Wohlhuter (US)
- 2..... Mike Boit (Kenya)
- 3..... Luciano Sušanj (Yugoslavia)
- 4..... John Kipkurgat (Kenya)
- 5..... John Walker (New Zealand)
- 6..... Danie Malan (South Africa)
- 7..... Filbert Bayi (Tanzania)
- 8..... Steve Ovett (Great Britain)
- 9..... James Robinson (US)
- 10 Vladimir Ponomaryev (Soviet Union)

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1975

- 1.....Mike Boit (Kenya)
- 2.....Luciano Sušanj (Yugoslavia)
- 3.....Rick Wohlhuter (US)
- 4.....Mark Enyeart (US)
- 5.....Ivo Van Damme (Belgium)
- 6.....Daniel Omwanza (Kenya)
- 7.....Filbert Bayi (Tanzania)
- 8.....John Walker (New Zealand)
- 9.....John Kipkurgat (Kenya)
- 10.....Steve Ovett (Great Britain)

1976

- 1.....Alberto Juantorena (Cuba)
- 2.....Ivo Van Damme (Belgium)
- 3.....Mike Boit (Kenya)
- 4.....Rick Wohlhuter (US)
- 5.....Willi Wülbeck (West Germany)
- 6.....Steve Ovett (Great Britain)
- 7.....Luciano Sušanj (Yugoslavia)
- 8.....Sri Ram Singh (India)
- 9.....Carlo Grippio (Italy)
- 10.....Viktor Anokhin (Soviet Union)

1977

- 1.....Alberto Juantorena (Cuba)
- 2.....Mike Boit (Kenya)
- 3.....Willi Wülbeck (West Germany)
- 4.....Mark Enyeart (US)
- 5.....Tom McLean (US)
- 6.....Seymour Newman (Jamaica)
- 7.....Mark Belger (US)
- 8.....Jozef Plachý (Czechoslovakia)
- 9.....Milovan Savić (Yugoslavia)
- 10.....John Higham (Australia)

1978

- 1.....Olaf Beyer (East Germany)
- 2.....Steve Ovett (Great Britain)
- 3.....Seb Coe (Great Britain)
- 4.....James Robinson (US)
- 5.....Mike Boit (Kenya)
- 6.....Alberto Juantorena (Cuba)
- 7.....Willi Wülbeck (West Germany)
- 8...Detlef Wagenknecht (East Germany)
- 9...Anatoliy Reshetnyak (Soviet Union)
- 10.....Peter Lemashon (Kenya)

1979

- 1.....Seb Coe (Great Britain)
- 2.....James Maina (Kenya)
- 3.....James Robinson (US)
- 4.....Willi Wülbeck (West Germany)
- 5.....Harald Schmid (West Germany)
- 6.....Steve Ovett (Great Britain)
- 7.....Don Paige (US)
- 8.....Jurgen Straub (East Germany)
- 9.....Dragan Žvotić (Yugoslavia)
- 10.....José Marajo (France)

1980

- 1.....Don Paige (US)
- 2.....Seb Coe (Great Britain)
- 3.....Steve Ovett (Great Britain)
- 4.....Willi Wülbeck (West Germany)
- 5.....James Robinson (US)
- 6.....James Maina (Kenya)
- 7.....Nikolay Kirov (Soviet Union)
- 8.....Agberto Guymarães (Brazil)
- 9.....Andreas Busse (East Germany)
- 10.....Harald Schmid (West Germany)

1981

- 1.....Seb Coe (Great Britain)
- 2.....James Robinson (US)
- 3.....Mike Boit (Kenya)
- 4.....Harald Schmid (West Germany)
- 5...Detlef Wagenknecht (East Germany)
- 6.....Garry Cook (Great Britain)
- 7.....Willi Wülbeck (West Germany)
- 8.....Joel Ngetich (Kenya)
- 9.....Randy Wilson (US)
- 10.....Olaf Beyer (East Germany)

1982

- 1.....Seb Coe (Great Britain)
- 2.....Alberto Juantorena (Cuba)
- 3.....James Robinson (US)
- 4....Hans-Peter Ferner (West Germany)
- 5.....Rob Druppers (Netherlands)
- 6.....Garry Cook (Great Britain)
- 7...Detlef Wagenknecht (East Germany)
- 8.....Peter Bourke (Australia)
- 9.....Sammy Koskei (Kenya)
- 10.....Agberto Guymarães (Brazil)

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1983

- 1..... Rob Druppers (Netherlands)
- 2..... Joaquim Cruz (Brazil)
- 3..... David Mack (US)
- 4..... Willi Wülbeck (West Germany)
- 5..... Peter Elliott (Great Britain)
- 6..... James Robinson (US)
- 7..... Sammy Koskei (Kenya)
- 8..... David Patrick (US)
- 9..... Steve Cram (Great Britain)
- 10..... Seb Coe (Great Britain)

1984

- 1..... Joaquim Cruz (Brazil)
- 2..... Seb Coe (Great Britain)
- 3..... Earl Jones (US)
- 4..... Sammy Koskei (Kenya)
- 5..... Johnny Gray (US)
- 6..... Billy Konchellah (Kenya)
- 7..... Donato Sabia (Italy)
- 8..... Agberto Guymarães (Brazil)
- 9..... James Robinson (US)
- 10..... Edwin Koech (Kenya)

1985

- 1..... Joaquim Cruz (Brazil)
- 2..... Johnny Gray (US)
- 3..... Seb Coe (Great Britain)
- 4..... Steve Cram (Great Britain)
- 5..... Sammy Koskei (Kenya)
- 6..... Moussa Fall (Senegal)
- 7..... Billy Konchellah (Kenya)
- 8..... Earl Jones (US)
- 9..... Agberto Guymarães (Brazil)
- 10..... José Luiz Barbosa (Brazil)

1986

- 1..... Seb Coe (Great Britain)
- 2..... Steve Cram (Great Britain)
- 3..... Johnny Gray (US)
- 4..... Peter Elliott (Great Britain)
- 5..... William Wuyke (Venezuela)
- 6..... José Luiz Barbosa (Brazil)
- 7..... Earl Jones (US)
- 8..... Tom McKean (Great Britain)
- 9..... Rob Druppers (Netherlands)
- 10..... Moussa Fall (Senegal)

1987

- 1..... Billy Konchellah (Kenya)
- 2..... Peter Elliott (Great Britain)
- 3..... José Luiz Barbosa (Brazil)
- 4..... Tom McKean (Great Britain)
- 5..... Philippe Collard (France)
- 6..... Ryszard Ostrowski (Poland)
- 7..... Abdi Bile (Somalia)
- 8..... Faouzi Lahbi (Morocco)
- 9..... Stephen Ole Marai (Kenya)
- 10..... Slobodan Popović (Yugoslavia)

1988

- 1..... Saïd Aouita (Morocco)
- 2..... Johnny Gray (US)
- 3..... Paul Ereng (Kenya)
- 4..... Joaquim Cruz (Brazil)
- 5..... Peter Elliott (Great Britain)
- 6..... José Luiz Barbosa (Brazil)
- 7..... Slobodan Popovic (Yugoslavia)
- 8..... Tom McKean (Great Britain)
- 9..... Nixon Kiprotich (Kenya)
- 10..... Babacar Niang (Senegal)

1989

- 1..... Paul Ereng (Kenya)
- 2..... Tom McKean (Great Britain)
- 3..... Nixon Kiprotich (Kenya)
- 4..... Abdi Bile (Somalia)
- 5..... José Luiz Barbosa (Brazil)
- 6..... Johnny Gray (US)
- 7..... Robert Kibet (Kenya)
- 8..... Seb Coe (Great Britain)
- 9..... Dieudonné Kwizéra (Burundi)
- 10..... Ari Suhonen (Fin)

1990

- 1..... William Tanui (Kenya)
- 2..... Nixon Kiprotich (Kenya)
- 3..... Tom McKean (Great Britain)
- 4..... Mark Everett (US)
- 5..... George Kersh (US)
- 6..... Réda Abdenouz (Algeria)
- 7..... Johnny Gray (US)
- 8..... Stephen Ole Marai (Kenya)
- 9..... José Luiz Barbosa (Brazil)
- 10..... Dieudonné Kwizéra (Burundi)

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1991

- 1..... José Luiz Barbosa (Brazil)
- 2..... Billy Konchellah (Kenya)
- 3..... Mark Everett (US)
- 4..... Paul Ereng (Kenya)
- 5..... William Tanui (Kenya)
- 6..... Tom McKean (Great Britain)
- 7..... Robert Kibet (Kenya)
- 8..... George Kersh (US)
- 9..... Johnny Gray (US)
- 10..... Ocky Clark (US)

1992

- 1..... William Tanui (Kenya)
- 2..... Nixon Kiprotich (Kenya)
- 3..... Andrea Benvenuti (Italy)
- 4..... Johnny Gray (US)
- 5..... David Sharpe (Great Britain)
- 6..... Mark Everett (US)
- 7..... Tom McKean (Great Britain)
- 8..... Robert Kibet (Kenya)
- 9..... José Luiz Barbosa (Brazil)
- 10..... Curtis Robb (Great Britain)

1993

- 1..... Nixon Kiprotich (Kenya)
- 2..... Johnny Gray (US)
- 3..... Paul Ruto (Kenya)
- 4..... Billy Konchellah (Kenya)
- 5..... William Tanui (Kenya)
- 6..... Sammy Langat (Kenya)
- 7..... Giuseppe D'Urso (Italy)
- 8..... José Luiz Barbosa (Brazil)
- 9..... Martin Steele (Great Britain)
- 10..... Curtis Robb (Great Britain)

1994

- 1..... Wilson Kipketer (Kenya)
- 2..... Patrick Konchellah (Kenya)
- 3..... Mark Everett (US)
- 4..... Benson Koech (Kenya)
- 5..... Andrea Benvenuti (Italy)
- 6..... Vebjørn Rodal (Norway)
- 7..... William Tanui (Kenya)
- 8..... Atle Douglas (Norway)
- 9..... Nixon Kiprotich (Kenya)
- 10..... Jin-Il Lee (South Korea)

1995

- 1..... Wilson Kipketer (Denmark)
- 2..... Arthémon Hatungimana (Burundi)
- 3..... Benson Koech (Kenya)
- 4..... Vebjørn Rodal (Norway)
- 5..... Sammy Langat (Kenya)
- 6..... Mahjoub Haïda (Morocco)
- 7..... Atle Douglas (Norway)
- 8..... Nico Motchebon (Germany)
- 9..... Brandon Rock (US)
- 10..... Johnny Gray (US)

1996

- 1..... Wilson Kipketer (Denmark)
- 2..... Vebjørn Rodal (Norway)
- 3..... Hezekiél Sepeng (South Africa)
- 4..... Fred Onyancha (Kenya)
- 5..... Norberto Téllez (Cuba)
- 6..... David Kiptoo (Kenya)
- 7..... Sammy Langat (Kenya)
- 8..... Nico Motchebon (Germany)
- 9..... Johnny Gray (US)
- 10..... Philip Kibitok (Kenya)

1997

- 1..... Wilson Kipketer (Denmark)
- 2..... Patrick Konchellah (Kenya)
- 3..... Patrick Ndururi (Kenya)
- 4..... Mark Everett (US)
- 5..... Rich Kenah (US)
- 6..... Norberto Téllez (Cuba)
- 7..... Marko Koers (Netherlands)
- 8..... Hezekiél Sepeng (South Africa)
- 9..... Vebjørn Rodal (Norway)
- 10..... David Kiptoo (Kenya)

1998

- 1..... Japheth Kimutai (Kenya)
- 2..... Patrick Ndururi (Kenya)
- 3..... Nils Schumann (Germany)
- 4..... Wilson Kipketer (Denmark)
- 5..... Mark Everett (US)
- 6..... David Kiptoo (Kenya)
- 7..... Norberto Téllez (Cuba)
- 8..... Mahjoub Haïda (Morocco)
- 9..... Robert Chirchir (Kenya)
- 10..... Andrea Longo (Italy)

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1999

- 1..... Wilson Kipketer (Denmark)
- 2..... Hezekiel Sepeng (South Africa)
- 3..... Norberto Téllez (Cuba)
- 4..... Japheth Kimutai (Kenya)
- 5..... Djabir Saïd-Guerni (Algeria)
- 6..... Nils Schumann (Germany)
- 7..... André Bucher (Switzerland)
- 8..... William Chirchir (Kenya)
- 9..... David Kiptoo (Kenya)
- 10..... Andrea Longo (Italy)

2000

- 1..... Djabir Saïd-Guerni (Algeria)
- 2..... André Bucher (Switzerland)
- 3..... Nils Schumann (Germany)
- 4..... Wilson Kipketer (Denmark)
- 5..... Japheth Kimutai (Kenya)
- 6..... Hezekiel Sepeng (South Africa)
- 7..... Yuriy Borzakovskiy (Russia)
- 8..... Patrick Konchellah (Kenya)
- 9..... Noah Ngeny (Kenya)
- 10..... Andrea Longo (Italy)

2001

- 1..... André Bucher (Switzerland)
- 2..... Yuriy Borzakovskiy (Russia)
- 3..... William Yampoy (Kenya)
- 4..... Patrick Nduwimana (Burundi)
- 5..... Wilfred Bungei (Kenya)
- 6..... Paweł Czapiewski (Poland)
- 7..... Mbulaeni Mulaudzi (South Africa)
- 8..... Arthémon Hatungimana (Burundi)
- 9..... Joseph Mutua (Kenya)
- 10..... Nils Schumann (Germany)

2002

- 1..... Wilson Kipketer (Denmark)
- 2..... Joseph Mutua (Kenya)
- 3..... David Krummenacker (US)
- 4..... Djabir Saïd-Guerni (Algeria)
- 5..... Yuriy Borzakovskiy (Russia)
- 6..... Wilfred Bungei (Kenya)
- 7..... William Yampoy (Kenya)
- 8..... Mbulaeni Mulaudzi (South Africa)
- 9..... Hezekiel Sepeng (South Africa)
- 10..... Japheth Kimutai (Kenya)

2003

- 1..... Wilfred Bungei (Kenya)
- 2..... Mbulaeni Mulaudzi (South Africa)
- 3..... Yuriy Borzakovskiy (Russia)
- 4..... Djabir Saïd-Guerni (Algeria)
- 5..... Wilson Kipketer (Denmark)
- 6..... Hezekiel Sepeng (South Africa)
- 7..... Joseph Mutua (Kenya)
- 8..... André Bucher (Switzerland)
- 9..... Bram Som (Netherlands)
- 10..... Japheth Kimutai (Kenya)

2004

- 1..... Yuriy Borzakovskiy (Russia)
- 2..... Wilfred Bungei (Kenya)
- 3..... Joseph Mutua (Kenya)
- 4..... William Yampoy (Kenya)
- 5..... Youssef Kamel (Bahrain)
- 6..... Mbulaeni Mulaudzi (South Africa)
- 7..... Wilson Kipketer (Denmark)
- 8..... Mohcine Chehibi (Morocco)
- 9..... Hezekiel Sepeng (South Africa)
- 10..... Bram Som (Netherlands)

2005

- 1..... Wilfred Bungei (Kenya)
- 2..... Mbulaeni Mulaudzi (South Africa)
- 3..... Rashid Ramzi (Bahrain)
- 4..... Yuriy Borzakovskiy (Russia)
- 5..... Youssef Kamel (Bahrain)
- 6..... William Yampoy (Kenya)
- 7..... Antonio Reina (Spain)
- 8..... Gary Reed (Canada)
- 9..... Mehdi Baala (France)
- 10..... Djabir Saïd-Guerni (Algeria)

2006

- 1..... Mbulaeni Mulaudzi (South Africa)
- 2..... Bram Som (Netherlands)
- 3..... Wilfred Bungei (Kenya)
- 4..... William Yampoy (Kenya)
- 5..... Youssef Kamel (Bahrain)
- 6..... Amine Laâlou (Morocco)
- 7..... Khadevis Robinson (US)
- 8..... Yuriy Borzakovskiy (Russia)
- 9..... Mohamed Al-Azimi (Kuwait)
- 10... Mohammed Al-Salhi (Saudi Arabia)

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2007

- 1..... David Rudisha (Kenya)
- 2..... Yuriy Borzakovskiy (Russia)
- 3..... Mbulaeni Mulaudzi (South Africa)
- 4..... Wilfred Bungei (Kenya)
- 5..... Youssef Kamel (Bahrain)
- 6..... Bilal Mansoor Ali (Bahrain)
- 7..... Alfred Kirwa Yego (Kenya)
- 8..... Amine Laâlou (Morocco)
- 9..... Gary Reed (Canada)
- 10..... Abraham Chepkirwok (Uganda)

2008

- 1..... Alfred Kirwa Yego (Kenya)
- 2..... Wilfred Bungei (Kenya)
- 3..... Youssef Kamel (Bahrain)
- 4..... Ahmad Ismail (Sudan)
- 5..... Gary Reed (Canada)
- 6..... Abraham Chepkirwok (Uganda)
- 7..... Yeimer López (Cuba)
- 8..... Abubaker Kaki (Sudan)
- 9..... David Rudisha (Kenya)
- 10..... Amine Laâlou (Morocco)

2009

- 1..... David Rudisha (Kenya)
- 2..... Mbulaeni Mulaudzi (South Africa)
- 3..... Alfred Kirwa Yego (Kenya)
- 4..... Yuriy Borzakovskiy (Russia)
- 5..... Abubaker Kaki (Sudan)
- 6..... Youssef Kamel (Bahrain)
- 7..... Amine Laâlou (Morocco)
- 8..... Gary Reed (Canada)
- 9..... Bram Som (Netherlands)
- 10..... Nick Symmonds (US)

2010

- 1..... David Rudisha (Kenya)
- 2..... Abubaker Kaki (Sudan)
- 3..... Boaz Lalang (Kenya)
- 4..... Mbulaeni Mulaudzi (South Africa)
- 5..... Marcin Lewandowski (Poland)
- 6..... Nick Symmonds (US)
- 7..... Michael Rimmer (Great Britain)
- 8..... Jackson Kivuna (Kenya)
- 9..... Alfred Kirwa Yego (Kenya)
- 10..... Andrew Wheating (US)

2011

- 1..... David Rudisha (Kenya)
- 2..... Abubaker Kaki (Sudan)
- 3..... Yuriy Borzakovskiy (Russia)
- 4..... Asbel Kiprop (Kenya)
- 5..... Mohamed Aman (Ethiopia)
- 6..... Nick Symmonds (US)
- 7..... Adam Kszczot (Poland)
- 8..... Marcin Lewandowski (Poland)
- 9..... Khadevis Robinson (US)
- 10..... Alfred Kirwa Yego (Kenya)

2012

- 1..... David Rudisha (Kenya)
- 2..... Mohamed Aman (Ethiopia)
- 3..... Nijel Amos (Botswana)
- 4..... Leonard Kosencha (Kenya)
- 5..... Timothy Kitum (Kenya)
- 6..... Abraham Rotich (Kenya)
- 7..... Duane Solomon (US)
- 8..... Nick Symmonds (US)
- 9..... Taoufik Makhoulfi (Algeria)
- 10..... Andrew Osagie (Great Britain)

2013

- 1..... Mohamed Aman (Ethiopia)
- 2..... Nick Symmonds (US)
- 3..... Marcin Lewandowski (Poland)
- 4..... Duane Solomon (US)
- 5..... Pierre-Ambroise Bosse (France)
- 6..... Ayanleh Souleiman (Djibouti)
- 7..... Ferguson Cheruiyot (Kenya)
- 8..... David Rudisha (Kenya)
- 9..... André Olivier (South Africa)
- 10..... Andrew Osagie (Great Britain)

2014

- 1..... Nijel Amos (Botswana)
- 2..... Mohamed Aman (Ethiopia)
- 3..... David Rudisha (Kenya)
- 4..... Ferguson Cheruiyot (Kenya)
- 5..... Pierre-Ambroise Bosse (France)
- 6..... Adam Kszczot (Poland)
- 7..... André Olivier (South Africa)
- 8..... Ayanleh Souleiman (Djibouti)
- 9..... Taoufik Makhoulfi (Algeria)
- 10..... Marcin Lewandowski (Poland)

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2015

- 1..... David Rudisha (Kenya)
- 2..... Nijel Amos (Botswana)
- 3..... Adam Kszczot (Poland)
- 4..... Amel Tuka (Bosnia)
- 5..... Ayanleh Souleiman (Djibouti)
- 6..... Ferguson Cheruiyot (Kenya)
- 7..... Mohamed Aman (Ethiopia)
- 8..... Taoufik Makhloufi (Algeria)
- 9..... Marcin Lewandowski (Poland)
- 10..... Pierre-Ambroise Bosse (France)

2016

- 1..... David Rudisha (Kenya)
- 2..... Taoufik Makhloufi (Algeria)
- 3..... Ferguson Cheruiyot (Kenya)
- 4..... Alfred Kipketer (Kenya)
- 5..... Pierre-Ambroise Bosse (France)
- 6..... Clayton Murphy (US)
- 7..... Adam Kszczot (Poland)
- 8..... Marcin Lewandowski (Poland)
- 9..... Kipyegon Bett (Kenya)
- 10..... Boris Berian (US)

2017

- 1..... Nijel Amos (Botswana)
- 2..... Adam Kszczot (Poland)
- 3..... Kipyegon Bett (Kenya)
- 4..... Marcin Lewandowski (Poland)
- 5..... Pierre-Ambroise Bosse (France)
- 6..... Brandon McBride (Canada)
- 7..... Kyle Langford (Great Britain)
- 8..... Emmanuel Korir (Kenya)
- 9..... Donovan Brazier (US)
- 10..... Ferguson Cheruiyot (Kenya)

2018

- 1..... Emmanuel Korir (Kenya)
- 2..... Wycliffe Kinyamal (Kenya)
- 3..... Nijel Amos (Botswana)
- 4..... Ferguson Cheruiyot (Kenya)
- 5..... Jonathan Kitilit (Kenya)
- 6..... Marcin Lewandowski (Poland)
- 7..... Brandon McBride (Canada)
- 8..... Clayton Murphy (US)
- 9..... Adam Kszczot (Poland)
- 10..... Jake Wightman (Great Britain)