

U.S. Rankings — Men's 5000

Places for 1947–62 reflect only those Americans who made the World Rankings

1947

(no U.S. in World Ranks)

1948

1..... Curt Stone

1949

1..... Fred Wilt

1950

1..... Fred Wilt

1951–61

(no U.S. in World Ranks)

1962

1..... Max Truex

2..... Jim Beatty

1963

1..... Jim Keefe

2..... Jim Beatty

3..... Charlie Clark

4..... Oscar Moore

5..... Ron Larrieu

6..... Les Hegedus

7..... Danny Murphy
(3 resident foreigners in original Rankings)

Bernard Lagat ran off a 9-year string as No. 1, 2005–13.

1964

1..... Bob Schul

2..... Bill Dellinger

3..... Gerry Lindgren

4..... Ron Larrieu

5..... Danny Murphy

6..... Oscar Moore

7..... Jim Murphy

8..... Tom Rodda

9..... Billy Mills

10..... Jim Beatty



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1965

- 1..... Gerry Lindgren
- 2..... Billy Mills
- 3..... Bob Schul
- 4..... Ron Larrieu
- 5..... Doug Brown
- 6..... Lloyd Burson
- 7..... John Lawson
- 8..... Bill Morgan
- 9..... Kenny Moore
- 10..... Oscar Moore

1966

- 1..... Gerry Lindgren
- 2..... Tracy Smith
- 3..... George Young
- 4..... Billy Mills
- 5..... Tom Laris
- 6..... Van Nelson
- 7..... Ron Larrieu
- 8..... John Lawson
- 9..... Bob Day
- 10..... Kenny Moore

1967

- 1..... Gerry Lindgren
- 2..... Van Nelson
- 3..... Tracy Smith
- 4..... Lou Smith
- 5..... Bob Day
- 6..... Ron Larrieu
- 7..... Jim Ryun
- 8..... Joe Lynch
- 9..... Glenn Ogden
- 10..... Chris McCubbins

1968

- 1..... Gerry Lindgren
- 2..... Bob Day
- 3..... Jack Bacheler
- 4..... George Young
- 5..... Tracy Smith
- 6..... Lou Scott
- 7..... Steve Stageberg
- 8..... Van Nelson
- 9..... John Kennedy
- 10..... Bob Schul

1969

- 1..... Tracy Smith
- 2..... Gerry Lindgren
- 3..... Steve Prefontaine
- 4..... Jack Bacheler
- 5..... Ole Olesen
- 6..... Frank Shorter
- 7..... Jerry Jobski
- 8..... Doug Wiebe
- 9..... Art Coolidge
- 10..... Conrad Nightengale

1970

- 1..... Jack Bacheler
- 2..... Frank Shorter
- 3..... Steve Prefontaine
- 4..... Kenny Moore
- 5..... Rick Riley
- 6..... Gerry Lindgren
- 7..... Garry Bjorklund
- 8..... Dick Buerkle
- 9..... Eamon O'Reilly
- 10..... Tarry Harrison

1971

- 1..... Steve Prefontaine
- 2..... George Young
- 3..... Steve Stageberg
- 4..... Frank Shorter
- 5..... Gerry Lindgren
- 6..... Len Hilton
- 7..... Garry Bjorklund
- 8..... Jack Bacheler
- 9..... Tarry Harrison
- 10..... Greg Fredericks

1972

- 1..... Steve Prefontaine
- 2..... George Young
- 3..... Sid Sink
- 4..... Len Hilton
- 5..... Greg Fredericks
- 6..... Tracy Smith
- 7..... Glenn Herold
- 8..... Jim Ryun
- 9..... Jack Bacheler
- 10..... Frank Shorter

1973

- 1..... Steve Prefontaine
- 2..... Paul Geis
- 3..... Dick Buerkle
- 4..... Ted Castaneda
- 5..... Glenn Herold
- 6..... John Gregorio
- 7..... Frank Shorter
- 8..... Garth McKay
- 9..... Gary Tuttle
- 10..... Pat Mandera

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1974

- 1..... Dick Buerkle
- 2..... Steve Prefontaine
- 3..... Paul Geis
- 4..... Frank Shorter
- 5..... Don Kardong
- 6..... Ted Castaneda
- 7..... Marty Liquori
- 8..... Steve Stageberg
- 9..... Mike Peterson
- 10..... Herm Atkins

1975

- 1..... Marty Liquori
- 2..... Steve Prefontaine
- 3..... Frank Shorter
- 4..... Ted Castaneda
- 5..... Dick Buerkle
- 6..... Craig Virgin
- 7..... Greg Fredericks
- 8..... John Gregorio
- 9..... Mike Slack
- 10..... Dave Babiracki

1976

- 1..... Dick Buerkle
- 2..... Paul Geis
- 3..... Duncan Macdonald
- 4..... Don Kardong
- 5..... Frank Shorter
- 6..... Garry Bjorklund
- 7..... Marty Liquori
- 8..... Craig Virgin
- 9..... Ted Castaneda
- 10..... Mike Keogh

1977

- 1..... Marty Liquori
- 2..... Duncan Macdonald
- 3..... Craig Virgin
- 4..... Randy Melancon
- 5..... Ralph King
- 6..... Greg Fredericks
- 7..... Frank Shorter
- 8..... Paul Geis
- 9..... Matt Centrowitz
- 10..... Steve Plasencia

1978

- 1..... Marty Liquori
- 2..... Rudy Chapa
- 3..... Craig Virgin
- 4..... Doug Brown II
- 5..... Ralph King
- 6..... Jeff Wells
- 7..... Jim Crawford
- 8..... Greg Fredericks
- 9..... Mike Novelli
- 10..... Randy Melancon

1979

- 1..... Rudy Chapa
- 2..... Matt Centrowitz
- 3..... Craig Virgin
- 4..... Alberto Salazar
- 5..... Ralph King
- 6..... Herb Lindsay
- 7..... Bill Donakowski
- 8..... Robbie Perkins
- 9..... Stan Mavis
- 10..... Paul Geis

1980

- 1..... Matt Centrowitz
- 2..... Dick Buerkle
- 3..... Bill McChesney
- 4..... Craig Virgin
- 5..... Alberto Salazar
- 6..... Jerald Jones
- 7..... Duncan Macdonald
- 8..... Dan Dillon
- 9..... Don Clary
- 10..... Rudy Chapa

1981

- 1..... Bill McChesney
- 2..... Matt Centrowitz
- 3..... Craig Virgin
- 4..... Alberto Salazar
- 5..... Steve Plasencia
- 6..... Don Clary
- 7..... Doug Padilla
- 8..... Thom Hunt
- 9..... Dick Buerkle
- 10..... Ed Arriola

1982

- 1..... Alberto Salazar
- 2..... Matt Centrowitz
- 3..... Ralph King
- 4..... Bill McChesney
- 5..... Doug Padilla
- 6..... Paul Cummings
- 7..... Steve Plasencia
- 8..... Chris Fox
- 9..... Jim Spivey
- 10..... Tom Downs

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1983

- 1..... Doug Padilla
- 2..... Jim Spivey
- 3..... Jim Hill
- 4..... Don Clary
- 5..... Chris Fox
- 6..... Paul Cummings
- 7..... Alberto Salazar
- 8..... Dan Henderson
- 9..... Bill Krohn
- 10..... Matt Centrowitz

1984

- 1..... Doug Padilla
- 2..... Steve Lacy
- 3..... Don Clary
- 4..... Bruce Bickford
- 5..... Chris Fox
- 6..... Mark Nenow
- 7..... Steve Plasencia
- 8..... Todd Harbour
- 9..... Dan Henderson
- 10..... Ross Donoghue

1985

- 1..... Doug Padilla
- 2..... Sydney Maree
- 3..... Bruce Bickford
- 4..... Steve Plasencia
- 5..... Matt Centrowitz
- 6..... Mark Nenow
- 7..... Dan Henderson
- 8..... Jim Sapienza
- 9..... Vince Draddy
- 10..... Ed Eyestone

1986

- 1..... Sydney Maree
- 2..... Steve Plasencia
- 3..... Doug Padilla
- 4..... Terry Brahm
- 5..... Mark Nenow
- 6..... Don Clary
- 7..... Vince Draddy
- 8..... Gerard Donakowski
- 9..... John Easker
- 10..... Jim Hill

1987

- 1..... Sydney Maree
- 2..... Doug Padilla
- 3..... Terry Brahm
- 4..... John Gregorek
- 5..... Steve Plasencia
- 6..... Bruce Bickford
- 7..... Greg Lautenslager
- 8..... Steve Scott
- 9..... Gerard Donakowski
- 10..... Don Clary

1988

- 1..... Sydney Maree
- 2..... Doug Padilla
- 3..... Terry Brahm
- 4..... Mark Nenow
- 5..... Keith Brantly
- 6..... Jay Marden
- 7..... Greg Lautenslager
- 8..... John Gregorek
- 9..... Pat Porter
- 10..... Matt Giusto

1989

- 1..... Sydney Maree
- 2..... Tim Hacker
- 3..... Steve Plasencia
- 4..... Mark Nenow
- 5..... Keith Brantly
- 6..... Doug Padilla
- 7..... Marc Davis
- 8..... Gerard Donakowski
- 9..... Jim Farmer
- 10..... Steve Scott

1990

- 1..... Joe Falcon
- 2..... Doug Padilla
- 3..... Steve Plasencia
- 4..... Bob Kennedy
- 5..... Terry Brahm
- 6..... John Gregorek
- 7..... Reuben Reina
- 8..... Gerard Donakowski
- 9..... John Scherer
- 10..... Aaron Ramirez

1991

- 1..... Bob Kennedy
- 2..... Aaron Ramirez
- 3..... Steve Plasencia
- 4..... John Trautmann
- 5..... Reuben Reina
- 6..... Shannon Butler
- 7..... Keith Brantly
- 8..... Pete Sherry
- 9..... Jim Farmer
- 10..... Greg Whiteley

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1992

- 1..... John Trautmann
- 2..... Bob Kennedy
- 3..... John Gregorek
- 4..... Steve Plasencia
- 5..... Ken Martin
- 6..... Mark Coogan
- 7..... Jim Farmer
- 8..... Todd Williams
- 9..... Brian Abshire
- 10..... Shannon Butler

1993

- 1..... Bob Kennedy
- 2..... Matt Giusto
- 3..... Todd Williams
- 4..... Greg Whiteley
- 5..... Jim Spivey
- 6..... Steve Plasencia
- 7..... Dan Nelson
- 8..... Ken Martin
- 9..... John Scherer
- 10..... Jim Farmer

1994

- 1..... Bob Kennedy
- 2..... Jim Spivey
- 3..... Ron Harris
- 4..... Matt Giusto
- 5..... Reuben Reina
- 6..... Tim Hacker
- 7..... Tim Gargiulo
- 8..... Jason Casiano
- 9..... Brian Baker
- 10..... David Morris

1995

- 1..... Bob Kennedy
- 2..... Mark Coogan
- 3..... Todd Williams
- 4..... Matt Giusto
- 5..... Keith Dowling
- 6..... Jim Spivey
- 7..... Ron Harris
- 8..... Dan Middleman
- 9..... Brad Barquist
- 10..... Brad Schlapak

1996

- 1..... Bob Kennedy
- 2..... Ron Harris
- 3..... Jim Spivey
- 4..... Matt Giusto
- 5..... Todd Williams
- 6..... Brian Baker
- 7..... Ryan Wilson
- 8..... Alan Culpepper
- 9..... Reuben Reina
- 10..... Adam Goucher

1997

- 1..... Bob Kennedy
- 2..... Alan Culpepper
- 3..... Todd Williams
- 4..... Brian Baker
- 5..... Adam Goucher
- 6..... Dan Browne
- 7..... Richie Boulet
- 8..... Mark Coogan
- 9..... Ryan Wilson
- 10..... Bob Henes

1998

- 1..... Bob Kennedy
- 2..... Marc Davis
- 3..... Alan Culpepper
- 4..... Dan Browne
- 5..... Pete Julian
- 6..... Adam Goucher
- 7..... Meb Keflezighi
- 8..... Brad Hauser
- 9..... Jason Stewart
- 10..... Brent Hauser

1999

- 1..... Bob Kennedy
- 2..... Adam Goucher
- 3..... Brian Baker
- 4..... Ryan Wilson
- 5..... Alan Culpepper
- 6..... Dan Browne
- 7..... Andre Williams
- 8..... Matt Giusto
- 9..... Brad Hauser
- 10..... Jonathon Riley

2000

- 1..... Adam Goucher
- 2..... Brad Hauser
- 3..... Meb Keflezighi
- 4..... Nick Rogers
- 5..... Matt Lane
- 6..... Marc Davis
- 7..... Bob Kennedy
- 8..... Jason Stewart
- 9..... Matt Giusto
- 10..... Abdi Abdirahman

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2001

- 1.....Bob Kennedy
- 2..... Adam Goucher
- 3.....Meb Keflezighi
- 4..... Abdi Abdirahman
- 5..... Alan Culpepper
- 6..... Matt Lane
- 7..... Tim Broe
- 8..... Jonathon Riley
- 9..... Nick Rogers
- 10..... Andre Williams

2002

- 1.....Meb Keflezighi
- 2..... Alan Culpepper
- 3..... Jorge Torres
- 4..... Matt Lane
- 5..... Bolota Asmerom
- 6..... Tim Broe
- 7..... Clint Wells
- 8.....Dathan Ritzenhein
- 9..... Jonathon Riley
- 10..... Dan Browne

2003

- 1..... Jorge Torres
- 2.....Meb Keflezighi
- 3..... Tim Broe
- 4..... Adam Goucher
- 5.....Bob Kennedy
- 6..... Louis Luchini
- 7..... Jonathon Riley
- 8..... Abdi Abdirahman
- 9..... Chad Johnson
- 10..... Seth Hejny

2004

- 1..... Tim Broe
- 2..... Dan Browne
- 3..... Jonathon Riley
- 4..... Matt Lane
- 5.....Bob Kennedy
- 6..... Bolota Asmerom
- 7..... Abdi Abdirahman
- 8..... Jorge Torres
- 9.....Matt Gonzales
- 10..... Louis Luchini

2005

- 1.....Bernard Lagat
- 2..... Tim Broe
- 3..... Abdi Abdirahman
- 4..... Alan Webb
- 5..... Ryan Hall
- 6..... Ian Dobson
- 7..... Jorge Torres
- 8..... Adam Goucher
- 9..... Jonathon Riley
- 10..... Matt Tegenkamp

2006

- 1.....Bernard Lagat
- 2..... Matt Tegenkamp
- 3.....Dathan Ritzenhein
- 4..... Adam Goucher
- 5..... Abdi Abdirahman
- 6..... Rod Koborsi
- 7..... Sean Graham
- 8..... Ryan Hall
- 9..... Andrew Carlson
- 10..... Chris Solinsky

2007

- 1.....Bernard Lagat
- 2..... Matt Tegenkamp
- 3..... Adam Goucher
- 4..... Chris Solinsky
- 5..... Jonathon Riley
- 6.....Dathan Ritzenhein
- 7..... Ed Moran
- 8..... Bolota Asmerom
- 9..... Ian Dobson
- 10..... Anthony Famiglietti

2008

- 1.....Bernard Lagat
- 2..... Matt Tegenkamp
- 3..... Bobby Curtis
- 4..... Chris Solinsky
- 5..... Ian Dobson
- 6.....Brent Vaughn
- 7..... Bolota Asmerom
- 8.....Stephen Pifer
- 9..... Abdi Abdirahman
- 10..... Matt Gabrielson

2009

- 1.....Bernard Lagat
- 2..... Matt Tegenkamp
- 3.....Dathan Ritzenhein
- 4..... Chris Solinsky
- 5.....Evan Jager
- 6.....Galen Rupp
- 7..... Bolota Asmerom
- 8..... German Fernandez
- 9..... Jonathon Riley
- 10..... Anthony Famiglietti

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2010

- 1.....Bernard Lagat
- 2.....Chris Solinsky
- 3.....Galen Rupp
- 4.....Bobby Curtis
- 5.....Ed Moran
- 6.....Tim Nelson
- 7.....Dan Huling
- 8.....Brent Vaughn
- 9.....Aaron Braun
- 10.....Matt Tegenkamp

2011

- 1.....Bernard Lagat
- 2.....Galen Rupp
- 3.....Chris Solinsky
- 4.....Andrew Bumbalough
- 5.....Matt Tegenkamp
- 6.....Brandon Bethke
- 7.....Ben True
- 8.....Chris Derrick
- 9.....Aaron Braun
- 10.....Ed Moran

2012

- 1.....Bernard Lagat
- 2.....Galen Rupp
- 3.....Lopez Lomong
- 4.....Dathan Ritzenhein
- 5.....Matt Tegenkamp
- 6.....Andrew Bumbalough
- 7.....Ben True
- 8.....Ryan Hill
- 9.....David Torrence
- 10.....Chris Derrick

2013

- 1.....Bernard Lagat
- 2.....Galen Rupp
- 3.....Ben True
- 4.....Ryan Hill
- 5.....Evan Jager
- 6.....Chris Derrick
- 7.....Dathan Ritzenhein
- 8.....Andrew Bumbalough
- 9.....Lopez Lomong
- 10.....Hassan Mead

2014

- 1.....Galen Rupp
- 2.....Ben True
- 3.....Bernard Lagat
- 4.....Hassan Mead
- 5.....Lopez Lomong
- 6.....Chris Derrick
- 7.....Evan Jager
- 8.....Andrew Bumbalough
- 9.....Ryan Hill
- 10.....Trevor Dunbar

2015

- 1.....Ben True
- 2.....Galen Rupp
- 3.....Ryan Hill
- 4.....Hassan Mead
- 5.....Bernard Lagat
- 6.....Eric Jenkins
- 7.....Garrett Heath
- 8.....David Torrence
- 9.....Lopez Lomong
- 10.....Diego Estrada

2016

- 1.....Paul Chelimo
- 2.....Bernard Lagat
- 3.....Hassan Mead
- 4.....Ben True
- 5.....Ryan Hill
- 6.....Eric Jenkins
- 7.....Evan Jager
- 8.....Shadrack Kipchirchir
- 9.....Woody Kincaid
- 10.....Galen Rupp

2017

- 1.....Paul Chelimo
- 2.....Eric Jenkins
- 3.....Ben True
- 4.....Ryan Hill
- 5.....Hassan Mead
- 6.....Lopez Lomong
- 7.....Woody Kincaid
- 8.....Trevor Dunbar
- 9.....Chris Derrick
- 10.....Thomas Curtin

2018

- 1.....Paul Chelimo
- 2.....Ben True
- 3.....Hassan Mead
- 4.....Ryan Hill
- 5.....Riley Masters
- 6.....Emmanuel Bor
- 7.....Shadrack Kipchirchir
- 8.....Eric Jenkins
- 9.....Grant Fisher
- 10.....Sean McGorty