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Men's 100 Metres				
World Continental Records:				
World, Central American	9.58	Usain Bolt JAM	Berlin	16 Aug 09
North American	9.71	Tyson Gay USA	Berlin	16 Aug 09
European	9.86	Francis Obikwelu POR	Athens	22 Aug 04
National Records:				
GBR	9.87	Linford Christie	Stuttgart	15 Aug 93
JAM	9.58	Usain Bolt JAM	Berlin	16 Aug 09
TRI	9.86	Ato Boldon	Walnut	19 Apr 98
	9.86	Ato Boldon	Athens	17 Jun 98
	9.86	Ato Boldon	Athens	16 Jun 99
	9.86	Ato Boldon	Lausanne	2 Jul 99
USA	9.71	Tyson Gay	Berlin	16 Aug 09
Men's 200 Metres				
World Continental Records:				
World, Central American	19.19	Usain Bolt JAM (halves of 9.92 & 9.27)	Berlin	20 Aug 09
North American	19.32	Michael Johnson USA	Atlanta	1 Aug 96
European	19.72	Pietro Mennea ITA	Mexico City	12 Sep 79
World Junior	19.93	Usain Bolt JAM	Devonshire	11 Apr 04
Junior Competing in Brussels:				
		Ramil Guliyev AZE		
National Records:				
ANT	20.12	Brendan Christian	Fort-de-France	8 May 08
AZE	20.04	Ramil Guliyev	Belgrade	10 Jul 09
BEL	20.19	Patrick Stevens	Rome	5 Jun 96
FRA	20.16	Gilles Quénéhervé	Rome	3 Sep 87
IRL	20.30	Paul Hession	Dublin	21 Jul 07
JAM	19.19	Usain Bolt	Berlin	20 Aug 09
SUI	20.41	Kevin Widmer	La Chaux-de-Fonds	20 Aug 95
USA	19.32	Michael Johnson	Atlanta	1 Aug 96
Men's 400 Metres				
World Continental Records:				
World, North American	43.18	Michael Johnson USA (halves of 21.22 & 21.96)	Seville	26 Aug 99
Central American	44.14	Roberto Hernández CUB	Seville	30 May 90
Oceanian	44.38	Darren Clark AUS	Seoul	26 Sep 88
European	44.33	Thomas Schönlebe GDR	Rome	3 Sep 87
National Records:				
AUS	44.38	Darren Clark	Seoul	26 Sep 88
BAH	44.40	Chris Brown	Oslo	6 Jun 08
BEL	44.78	Jonathan Borlée	Fayetteville	13 Jun 09
COD	44.10	Gary Kikaya	Stuttgart	9 Sep 06
GBR	44.36	Iwan Thomas	Birmingham	13 Jul 97
IRL	44.77	David Gillick	Madrid	4 Jul 09
TRI	44.21	Ian Morris	Barcelona	3 Aug 92
USA	43.18	Michael Johnson	Seville	26 Aug 99
Men's 5000 Metres				
World Continental Records:				
World, African	12:37.35	Kenenisa Bekele ETH	Hengelo	31 May 04
	(pace – 1000m: 2:33.24; 2000m: 5:05.47; 3000m: 7:37.34; 4000m: 10:07.93, 57.9 last lap)			
European	12:49.71	Mohammed Mourhit BEL	Brussels	25 Aug 00
North American	12:56.27	Dathan Ritzenhein USA	Zurich	28 Aug 09
World Junior	12:52.61	Eliud Kipchoge KEN	Oslo	27 Jun 03
Juniors competing in Brussels:				
		Abera Kuma ETH		
		Josphat Bett KEN		
		Lucas Rotich KEN		
National Records:				
ESP	13:02.54	Alberto Garcia	Rome	29 Jun 01
ETH	12:37.35	Kenenisa Bekele	Hengelo	31 May 04
GBR	13:00.41	David Moorcoft	Oslo	7 Jul 82
KEN	12:39.74	Daniel Komen	Brussels	22 Aug 97
USA	12:56.27	Dathan Ritzenhein	Zurich	28 Aug 09
Men's 3000m Steeplechase				
World Continental Records:				
World, Asian	7:53.63	Saif Saaeed Shaheen QAT (pace – 1000m: 2:36.13; 2000m: 5:18.09)	Brussels	3 Sep 04
African	7:55.28	Brahim Boulami MAR	Brussels	24 Aug 01
European	8:01.18	Bouabdellah Tahri FRA	Berlin	3 Jul 09
National Records:				
BEL	8:10.01	William Van Dijck	Brussels	5 Sep 86
BRN	8:07.12	Tareq Mubarak Taher	Heusden	28 Jul 07
ETH	8:12.03	Roba Gari	Athens	14 Jul 09
FIN	8:10.67	Jukka Keskisalo	Zurich	28 Aug 09
KEN	7:55.72	Bernard Barmasai	Cologne	24 Aug 97
NOR	8:12.05	Jim Svenøy	Brussels	22 Aug 97
POL	8:09.11	Bronislaw Malinowski	Montréal	28 Jul 76
RSA	8:11.63	Ruben Ramolefi	Monaco	28 Jul 09
SLO	8:16.96	Bostjan Buc	Ostrava	12 Jun 03
SWE	8:05.75	Mustafa Mohamed	Heusden	28 Jul 07

Men's 110 Metres Hurdles

World Continental Records:

World, Central American	12.87	Dayron Robles CUB	Ostrava	12 Jun 08
North American	12.90	Dominique Arnold USA	Lausanne	12 Jul 06
European	12.91	Colin Jackson GBR	Stuttgart	20 Aug 93

National Records:

BAR	13.14	Ryan Brathwaite	Berlin	20 Aug 09
BEL	13.25	Jonathan Nsenga	Budapest	22 Aug 98
CZE	13.29	Petr Svoboda	Tabor	4 Jul 08
GBR	12.91	Colin Jackson	Stuttgart	20 Aug 93
JAM	13.16	Dwight Thomas	Zurich	28 Aug 09
POL	13.27	Artur Kohutek	Athens	5 Aug 97
	13.27	Artur Kohutek	Leverkusen	9 Aug 98
USA	12.90	Dominique Arnold	Lausanne	12 Jul 06

Men's Javelin Throw

World Continental Records:

World, European	98.48	Jan Zelezny CZE	Jena	25 May 96
North American	91.29	Breaux Greer USA	Indianapolis	21 Jun 07

National Records:

BEL	83.65	Johan Kloeck	Ljubljana	23 May 99
CZE	98.48	Jan Zelezny	Jena	25 May 96
FIN	93.09	Aki Parviainen	Kuortane	26 Jun 99
LAT	90.73	Vadims Vasilevskis	Tallinn	27 Jul 07
USA	91.29	Breaux Greer	Indianapolis	21 Jun 07
NOR	91.59	Andreas Thorkildsen	Oslo	2 Jun 06

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Women's 100 Metres

World & Continental Records:

World, North American	10.49	Florence Griffith Joyner USA	Indianapolis	16 Jul 88
European	10.73	Christine Arron FRA	Budapest	19 Aug 98
Central American	10.73	Shelly-Ann Fraser JAM	Berlin	17 Aug 09
National Records:				
BAH	10.84	Chandra Sturup	Lausanne	5 Jul 05
BEL	11.04	Kim Gevaert	Brussels	9 Jul 06
JAM	10.73	Shelly-Ann Fraser	Berlin	17 Aug 09
TRI	10.94	Kelly-Ann Baptiste	Port-of-Spain	20 Jun 09
USA	10.49	Florence Griffith Joyner	Indianapolis	16 Jul 88

Women's 400 Metres

World & Continental Records:

World, European	47.60	Marita Koch GDR (halves of 22.4 & 25.2)	Canberra	6 Oct 85
North American	48.70	Sanya Richards USA	Oslo	16 Sep 06
Central American	48.89	Ana Guevara MEX	Paris	27 Aug 03
African	49.10	Falilat Ogunkoya NGR	Atlanta	29 Jul 96
National Records:				
GBR	49.43	Kathy Cook	Los Angeles	6 Aug 84
JAM	49.30	Lorraine Fenton	Monaco	19 Jul 02
RUS	49.11	Olga V. Nazarova	Seoul	25 Sep 88
USA	48.70	Sanya Richards	Oslo	16 Sep 06

Women's 800 Metres

World & Continental Records:

World, European	1:53.28	Jarmila Kratochvílová TCH (pace – 400m: 56.1; 600m: 1:25.0)	Munich	26 Jul 83
African	1:54.01	Pamela Jelimo KEN	Zurich	29 Aug 08
North American	1:56.40	Jearl Miles-Clark USA	Zurich	11 Aug 99
National Records:				
ESP	1:57.45	Maite Zuñiga	Sevilla	1 Jun 88
GBR	1:56.21	Kelly Holmes	Monaco	9 Sep 95
ITA	1:57.66	Gabriella Dorio	Pisa	5 Jul 80
KEN	1:54.01	Pamela Jelimo	Brussels	29 Aug 08
POL	1:56.95	Jolanta Januchta	Budapest	11 Aug 80
RUS	1:54.81	Olga Mineyeva	Moscow	27 Jul 80
UKR	1:53.43	Nadezhda Olizarenko	Moscow	27 Jul 80
USA	1:56.40	Jearl Miles-Clark	Zurich	11 Aug 99

Women's 2000 Metres

World & Continental Records:

World	5:25.36	Sonia O'Sullivan IRL	Edinburgh	8 Jul 94
(pace – 400m: 64.82, 800m: 2:10.75, 1200m: 3:17.78, 1600m: 4:23.48)				
European	5:25.36	Sonia O'Sullivan IRL	Edinburgh	8 Jul 94
African	5:31.52	Vivian Cheruiyot KEN	Eugene	7 Jun 09
North American	5:32.7	Mary Slaney	Eugene	3 Aug 84
World Junior Best	5:33.15	Zola Budd GBR	London	13 Jul 84
Junior competing in Brussels:				
Mercy Cheronu KEN				
National Records:				
ETH	5:35.62	Berhane Adere	Ostrava	12 Jun 03
KEN	5:31.52	Vivian Cheruiyot	Eugene	7 Jun 09
MAR	5:37.55	Zahra Ouaziz	Brussels	3 Sep 99
POL	5:44.77	Anna Brzezinska	Sheffield	29 Aug 93
RUS	5:28.72	Tatyana Kazankina	Moscow	4 Aug 84
SLO	5:55.42	Sonja Roman	Maribor	3 Jul 08
UKR	5:29.64	Tatyana Pozdnyakova	Moscow	4 Aug 84
USA	5:32.7	Mary Slaney	Eugene	3 Aug 84

Women's 100 Metres Hurdles

World & Continental Records:

World, European	12.21	Yordanka Donkova BUL	Stara Zagora	20 Aug 88
North American	12.33	Gail Devers USA	Sacramento	23 Jul 00
Central American	12.45	Brigitte Foster JAM	Eugene	24 May 03
National Records:				
CAN	12.46	Perdita Felicien	Eugene	19 Jun 04
BEL	12.94	Eline Berings	Hengelo	1 Jun 09
	12.94	Eline Berings	Berlin	19 Aug 09
IRL	12.67	Derval O'Rourke	Berlin	19 Aug 09
JAM	12.45	Brigitte Foster	Eugene	24 May 03
USA	12.33	Gail Devers	Sacramento	23 Jul 00

Women's High Jump				
World & Continental Records:				
World, European	2.09	Stefka Kostadinova BUL	Rome	30 Aug 87
North American	2.03	Louise Ritter USA	Austin	8 Jul 88
	2.03	Louise Ritter USA	Seoul	30 Sep 88
Asian	1.99	Marina Aitova KAZ	Athens	13 Jul 09
National Records:				
CRO	2.08	Blanka Vlasic	Zagreb	31 Aug 09
ESP	2.02	Ruth Beitía	San Sebastián	4 Aug 07
FRA	1.96	Maryse Ewanjé-Epée	Colombes	21 Jul 85
	1.96	Melanie Skotnik/Melfort	Castres	11 Aug 07
IRL	1.92	Deirdre Ryan	Manchester	15 Jul 06
ITA	2.03	Antonietta Di Martino	Milano	24 Jun 07
	2.03	Antonietta Di Martino	Osaka	2 Sep 07
KAZ*	2.01	Olga Turchak	Moscow	7 Jul 86
RUS	2.06	Yelena Slesarenko	Athens	28 Aug 04
SWE	2.06	Kajsa Bergqvist	Eberstadt	26 Jul 03
USA	2.03	Louise Ritter	Austin	8 Jul 88

* Set while Kazakhstan was part of the USSR, so not eligible to be an Asian record

Women's Pole Vault				
World & Continental Records:				
World, European	5.06	Yelena Isinbayeva RUS	Zurich	28 Aug 09
North American	4.92	Jenn Stuczynski USA	Eugene	6 Jul 08
South American	4.82	Fabiana Murer BRA	São Paulo	29 Jun 08
National Records:				
BRA	4.82	Fabiana Murer	Rio de Janeiro	7 Jun 09
GBR	4.58	Kate Dennison	London	24 Jul 09
GER	4.77	Annika Becker	Bochum	7 Jul 01
POL	4.83	Anna Rogowska	Brussels	26 Aug 05
RUS	5.06	Yelena Isinbayeva RUS	Zurich	28 Aug 09
USA	4.92	Jenn Stuczynski	Eugene	6 Jul 08

Women's Triple Jump				
World & Continental Records:				
World	15.50	Inessa Kravets UKR	Gothenburg	10 Aug 95
European	15.50	Inessa Kravets UKR	Gothenburg	10 Aug 95
Central American	15.29	Yamilé Aldama CUB	Rome	11 Jul 03
African	15.30	Françoise Mbango CMR	Athens	23 Aug 04
	15.30	Françoise Mbango CMR	Athens	23 Aug 04
National Records:				
BEL	14.27	Svetlana Bolshakova	Thessaloniki	10 Jun 09
CUB	15.29	Yamilé Aldama CUB	Rome	11 Jul 03
FRA	14.69	Teresa Nzola Meso Ba	Munich	23 Jun 07
JAM	15.16	Trecia Smith	Linz	2 Aug 04
RUS	15.32	Tatyana Lebedeva	Yokohama	9 Sep 00
SRB	14.52	Biljana Topic	Berlin	17 Aug 09
SUD	15.28	Yamilé Aldama	Linz	2 Aug 04
SVK	14.51	Dana Veldáková	Pavia	11 May 08