

Men's 20 Kilometres Walk

53 Entrants

		Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
1012	AMEUR Mohamed ALG 2008 African Champion at 20K ... 26 World Youth 10,000 2001; dq WCP 2004; 3 African Games 20K 2007; 1 African Champs 20K 2008 (2006-6) In 2008: 2 Mostaganem 20K; 1 African Champs 20K	23y	288d	1984	1:22:55	1:22:55 -08
1028	CANO Juan Manuel ARG Argentinian record holder at 20K ... At WCP 10K: 2006-9J, 20K: 2008-66; 1 South American junior 10K 2006; 3 South American 20,000 2007; 9 Pan-American Games 20K 2007; 2 Ibero-American 20,000 2008 In 2008: 7 South American 20K; 66 World Cup 20K; 2 Ibero-American 20,000 Walk	20y	248d	1987	1:24:19.20	1:24:13 -07
1055	TALLENT Jared AUS 2006 Commonwealth 20K bronze ... 50K pb: 3:44:45 -07. 7 World Youth 10,000 2001; 19 WJC 10,000 2002; 18 WCH 20K 2005 (2007-dq); 3 COM 20K 2006. At WCP 20K: 2004-75, 2006-14, 2008-10. 1 Australian 50K 2007 & 20K 2008. Partner-Claire Woods is also an international race walker ... ex-triathlete ... trainer PE Teacher at the University of Canberra ... born-Ballarat, lives-Canberra ... coach-Brent Vallance In 2008: 1 Canberra 20K; 1 Australian Cup 5000; 1 Australian 20K; 9 IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K; 1 IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K; 10 World Cup 20K; 1 Canberra 30K	23y	303d	1984	1:19:41	1:19:41 -08
1064	ADAMS Luke AUS Three times top 10 at World Championships ... 50K pb: 3:53:19 -07. 2 COM 20K 2002/2006. At WCP 20K: 99-55, 2004-14, 2006-13, 2008-7. 50K: 2002-29; 7 East Asian Games 20K 2001; 10 WSG 20K 2001; 5 WCH 20K 2003 (2005-10, 2007-7); 16 OLY 20K 2004. 1 Australian 20K 2007. Ritual of shaving down before competition ... born-Tanzania (his parents were medical missionaries there), lives-Canberra In 2008: 2 Australian Cup 5000; 1 New South Wales State 5000; 2 Australian 20K; 8 IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K; 2 Australian World Trial XC; dnf IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K; 7 World Cup 20K	31y	298d	1976	1:19:15	1:19:15 -08
1079	ERICKSON Chris AUS 2006 Commonwealth 50K bronze ... 50K pb: 3:58:22 -06. At WCP 20K: 2008-31; 50K: 2004-31, 2006-26. 24 WCH 50K 2007. 1 Australian 50K 2004. Father/coach Tim Erickson was third in the 1978 Commonwealth Games 30K walk ... works as a lifeguard ... born, lives-Melbourne In 2008: 2 Canberra 20K; 1 Victorian State 5000; 4 Australian 20K; 1 Canberra 5000; 11 IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K; 31 World Cup 20K; 3 Canberra 30K	26y	259d	1981	1:22:55	1:22:55 -08
1162	CHERNOV Sergey BLR 9 ECH 20K 2006. At WCP 20K: 2006-11, 2004-37, 2008-26 In 2008: 2 Minsk 5000; 2 Belorussian indoor 10,000; 4 Belorussian 20K; 26 World Cup 20K; 7 Kraków 20K; 1 Alytus 20K	29y	193d	1979	1:21:43	1:20:11 -06
1163	TROTSKI Ivan BLR Sixth in 2003 World 20K, seventh in 2007 ... 8 EJC 10,000 95; 5 ECH 20K 2002 (98-6); 6 WCH 20K 2003 (99-9, 2001-15, 2005-dq, 2007-7); 3 World Military 10,000 2003; 10 WCP 20K 2004 (99/2002-13, 2008-14); 23 OLY 20K 2004; 4 ECP 20K 2007 (2001-9, 2005-dnq) In 2008: 1 Belorussian indoor 10,000; 1 Belorussian 20K; 14 World Cup 20K; dq Kraków 20K	32y	81d	1976	1:20:42	1:19:45 -01
1188	SIMANOVICH Denis BLR Fourth in 2006 World Junior Championships 10,000m ... dq World Youth 10,000 2003; 6 EJC 10,000 2005; 5 ECP junior 10K 2005; 4 WJC 10,000 2006; dq under-23 ECH 20K 2007 34 WCP 20K 2008 In 2008: 1 Belorussian Universities indoor 5000/10,000; 5 Belorussian 20K	21y	119d	1987	1:22:44	1:22:26 -07
1244	BAGIO José BRA 7 WJC 10,000 2000; 1 South American 20K 2001; dnf WCP 20K 2004/2008; 14 OLY 20K 2004; 2 Ibero-American 20,000 2004; 8 Pan-American Games 20K 2007 In 2008: 7 IAAF Challenge/Rio Maior 20K; 5 IAAF Challenge/Sesto San Giovanni 20K; dnf World Cup 20K; 1 Ibero-American 20,000 Walk; dnf Brazilian 20K	27y	123d	1981	1:22:56	1:21:37.9 -04
1377	WANG Hao CHN 1 Chinese 20K 2007. Born-Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region ... coach-Yang Wenke (same as Chu Yafei) In 2008: 4 Chinese 20K; 2 IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K	19y	today	1989	1:20:25	1:20:25 -08
1378	CHU Yafei CHN 1 Chinese junior 30K 2007. Born-Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region ... coach-Yang Wenke (same as Wang Hao) In 2008: dq Chinese 20K; 4 IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K	19y	345d	1988	1:21:04	1:18:44 -08
1380	DONG Jimin CHN 50K pb: 3:39:17 -05. 1 Chinese High School 10,000 2002; 30 WCH 20K 2007. Born-Jiangsu province ... coach-Du Guirong In 2008: 5 IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K	22y	311d	1985	1:21:17	1:18:45 -06
1421	LÓPEZ Luis Fernando COL 4 Pan-Am Games 20K 2003 (2007-dq); 24 OLY 20K 2004; 3 South American 20,000 2005; 2 South American 20K 2006; 22 WCH 20K 2007; 23 WCP 20K 2008 (2004-38, 2006-dq) In 2008: 1 South American 20K; 6 IAAF Challenge/Rio Maior 20K; 23 World Cup 20K	29y	75d	1979	1:22:25	1:20:26 -05
1424	RENDON James COL 2007 South American Champion on the track ... 36 WCP-junior 10K 2004; 1 South American under-23 20K 2006; 35 WCH 20K 2006; 1 South American 20,000 2007 In 2008: 3 South American 20K; 8 IAAF Challenge/Rio Maior 20K; 25 World Cup 20K; 2 Central American & Caribbean Champs	23y	132d	1985	1:22:34	1:22:34 -08
1434	SEGURA Allan CRC Costa Rican record holder ... 28 WCH 20K 2003; 6 Pan-American Games 20K; 33 WCP 20K 2008 (2006-58); 3 Central American & Caribbean Champs 20,000 2008 In 2008: 18 IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K; 33 World Cup 20K; 3 Central American & Caribbean Champs 20,000 Carried flag at opening ceremony	27y	236d	1980	1:23:12	1:23:12 -08
1554	CHOCHO Andrés ECU 1 South American junior 10,000 2001; 18 WJC 10,000 2002 (2000-24); 6 South American 20K 2006; 14 World Student Games 20K 2007; dq WCH 20K 2007. At WCP 20K: 2002-34, 2004/2006-dq, 2008-40 In 2008: 9 South American 20K; 40 World Cup 20K; 9 Kraków 20K	24y	286d	1983	1:22:05	1:22:05 -08
1555	PÉREZ Jefferson ECU Former Olympic Champion ... Three times World 20K Champion ... three times World Cup 20K winner 50K pb: 3:53:04 -04. 1 WJC 10,000 92; 1 Pan-Am Games 20K 95/2003/2007 (99-3); 1 OLY 20K 96 (2000/2004-4); 1 WCP 20K 97/2002/2004 (99-dq 50K); 5 WSG 20K 2001; 1 Ibero-American 20K 2002; 1 WCH 20K 2003/2005/2007 (95-33, 97-14, 99-2, 2001-8); 12 OLY 50K 2004; 1 South American 20K 2006 ... he was declared Sportsman of the 20th century in Ecuador In 2008: 5 IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K; 5 IAAF Challenge/Rio Maior 20K; 1 IAAF Challenge/Sesto San Giovanni 20K; 1 Central American & Caribbean Champs 20,000	34y	47d	1974	1:20:31	1:17:21 -03
1559	SAQUIPAY Rolando ECU 12 WCP 20K 2004 (2006-29); 17 OLY 20K 2004; 1 Pan-Am Cup 20K 2005; 2 South American 20K 2007; 2 Pan-Am Games 20K 2007; 12 WCH 20K 2007 (2005-dq); 12 WCP 20K 2008 In 2008: 4 IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K; 2 South American 20K; 4 IAAF Challenge/Rio Maior 20K; 4 IAAF Challenge/Sesto San Giovanni 20K; 12 World Cup 20K	29y	27d	1979	1:20:40	1:19:21 -05

1610	FERNÁNDEZ Francisco Javier ESP	31y 164d 1977	1:18:15	1:17:22 -02
Twice World Cup Champion ... twice European Champion ... Olympic & 3x World silver medalist ... ("Pacquillo") 2 EJC 10,000 95; 1 WJC 10,000 96; 2 under-23 ECH 20K 97; 1 ECP 20K 98/2003 (2000-3, 2001-4); 1 ECH 20K 2002/2006 (98-3); 2 WCH 20K 2003/2005/2007 (99-15, 2001-dnf); 2 OLY 20K 2004 (2000-7); 1 WCP 20K 2006/2008 (97-47, 99-12). 1 Spanish 20K 98-2004 (7x). He is based at altitude in Guadix (Andalusia), at 1200m altitude ... he works with the Andalusian government on youth development for race walking ... coach-Robert Korzeniowski In 2008: 1 Andalucian 10K; dnf IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K (stomach problems); 1 Madrid 10K (defeated Ilya Markov); 1 World Cup 20K; 2 Kraków 20K; 1 Spanish 10,000				
1620	MOLINA Juan Manuel ESP	29y 155d 1979	1:19:19	1:19:19 -08
2002 European & 2005 World bronzes at 20K ... 6 EJC 10,000 97; 4 WJC 10,000 98; 1 under-23 ECH 20K 2001 (99-4); 3 ECH 20K 2002 (2006-dq); 8 WCP 20K 2004/2008 (99-33, 2006-12); 5 OLY 20K 2004; 2 ECP 20K 2005 (2007-12); 3 WCH 20K 2005 (2007-16); 1 WSG 20K 2005 (2001-2) In 2008: 1 Spanish winter 20K; 2 IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K; 3 Santa Eularia des Riu 20K; 2 IAAF Challenge/Rio Maior 20K; 3 Madrid 10K				
1626	SÁNCHEZ Benjamin ESP	23y 160d 1985	1:20:48	1:20:48 -08
9 World Youth 10,000 2001; 5 EJC 10,000 2003; 10 ECP junior 10K 2003; 8 WJC 10,000 2004 (2002-12); 3 WCP junior 10K 2005; 2 under-23 ECH 20K 2005; 10 WSG 20K 2005; 13 ECH 20K 2006; 13 ECP 20K 2006; 23 WCH 20K 2007; 13 WCP 20K 2008 (2006-20) In 2008: 2 Spanish winter 20K; dnf IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K; 4 Madrid 10K; 13 World Cup 20K; 2 Spanish 10,000				
1732	DINIZ Yohann FRA	30y 228d 1978	1:22:31	1:18:58 -07
2006 European Champion & 2007 World silver at 50K ... 50K pb: 3:41:39 -06. 40 WCP 20K 2004; 4 ECP 50K 2005; 1 ECH 50K 2006; 1 ECP 20K 2007 (2003-40); 2 WCH 50K 2008 (2005-dq). 1 French 50K 2005 & 20K 2007/2008. Underwent hernia operation in 2006 ... he is an expert on wine In 2008: 1 Saran 5000; 1 Sotteville 5000; 1 Lille 5000; 1 Reims 5000; 1 French 20K				
1866	HÖHNE André GER	30y 160d 1978	1:20:19	1:20:00 -05
Fourth in 2005 World 20K, eighth at the 2004 Olympics ... 2 EJC 10,000 97; 12 under-23 ECH 20K 99; 11 ECH 20K 2002/2006 (98-23); 15 WCP 20K 2004 (97-102, 99-26, 2002-24, 2006-16); 8 OLY 20K 2004 (dnf 50K); dnf ECP 50K 2005; 4 WCH 20K 2005 (2001/2007-dnf, 2003-13); 6 ECP 20K 2007 (2003-25) In 2008: 1 German indoor 5000; 3 IAAF Challenge/Rio Maior 20K; 8 World Cup 50K; 1 German 20K; 1 German 10,000				
2050	HEFFERNAN Robert IRL	30y 178d 1978	1:19:22	1:19:22 -08
Irish record holder ... sixth at 2007 World Championships ... 14 EJC 10,000 97; 13 under-23 ECH 10,000 99; 28 OLY 20K 2000 (2005-dq); 14 WCH 20K 2001 (2005-dq); 8 ECH 20K 2002; 5 ECP 20K 2007 (2003-dq, 2005-15); 6 WCH 20K 2007; 9 WCP 2008 (99-70, 2004-27). 1 Irish 20K 2000/2001/2002/2004; 1 AAA indoor 3000 2000/2001/2002; 1 AAA under-23 10,000 99. Trains with European Champion Francisco Javier Fernández ... Coach-Robert Korzeniowski In 2008: 1 Irish indoor 5000; 6 IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K; 9 World Cup 20K; 5 Kraków 20K; 1 Irish 10,000				
2087	BRUGNETTI Ivano ITA	31y 349d 1976	1:20:51	1:19:36 -06
DEFENDING OLYMPIC CHAMPION at 20K 1999 World Champion at 50K ... 50K pb: 3:47:54 -99. 14 EJC 10,000 95; 1 WCH 50K 99; dnf OLY 50K 2000; 4 World Military 10,000 2003; 6 WCP 20K 2004 (99-26, 2002-dnf, 2006-15, 2008-16); 1 OLY 20K 2004; dnf WCH 20K 2005; 2 ECP 20K 2007 (2005-dq); dq WCH 20K 2007. 1 Italian 10,000 99 & 20K 2003/2004. Belatedly declared 1999 World Champion at 50K following the disqualification of German Skurygin ... set world track 10,000m best at Sesto San Giovanni on July 23, 2005 In 2008: 1 Italian indoor 5000; 1 San Pietro Clarenza 10K; 2 IAAF Challenge/Sesto San Giovanni 20K; 16 World Cup 20K; dnf Kraków 20K; 1 Milan 5000 (Jul 2); 1 Italian 10,000 (Jul 19)				
2101	RUBINO Giorgio ITA	22y 124d 1986	-	1:21:17 -07
Fifth at 2007 World Championships ... 13 ECP junior 10K 2003; 4 World Youth 10,000 2003; dq WCP junior 10K 2004; 4 EJC 10,000 2005; 17 WCP 20K 2006; 10 ECP 20K 2007; dq under-23 ECH 20K 2007; 5 WCH 20K 2007 In 2008: 1 Italian under-23 indoor; 1 Rieti 10,000; 3 Italian 10,000				
2122	NKOULOUKIDI Jean-Jacques ITA	26y 124d 1982	1:21:45	1:21:45 -08
39 ECP 20K 2007; 19 WCP 20K 2008 In 2008: 2 Molfetta 20,000; 19 World Cup 20K; 1 Italian Clubs 10,000; 2 Italian 10,000				
2212	MORIOKA Koichiro JPN	23y 137d 1985	1:21:55	1:21:30 -07
Twice World Student Games bronze ... 4 Asian Junior 10,000 2004; 6 WJC 10,000 2004; 29 WCH 20K 2005; 3 WSG 20K 2005/2007; 31 WCP 20K 2006; 3 Asian Games 20K 2006; 2 Asian Champs 20K 2007 In 2008: 3 Japanese 20K; dnf Italian 50K; 1 Asian 20K; 13 IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K; 1 Kumagaya 5000; 1 Sapporo 5000; 1 Shibetsu 10,000				
2219	TANI Takayuki JPN	25y 184d 1983	1:22:31	1:20:39 -04
2007 Asian Champion ... 50K pb: 3:47:23 -06. 2 Asian junior 10,000 2001; 2 WJC 10,000 2002; 6 WSG 20K 2003; 14 OLY 20K 2004; 30 WCP 20K 2006; 21 WCH 20K 2007 (2005-23); 1 Japanese 20K 2004; 1 Asian Champs 20K 2007 (dnf 50K) In 2008: 9 Japanese 20K; 3 Asian 20K; 2 Japanese 50K; 4 Sapporo 5000; 4 Shibetsu 10,000				
2220	YAMAZAKI Yuki JPN	24y 213d 1984	1:21:40	1:20:38 -03
Japanese record holder at 50K walk & eighth in 2005 World Championships 50K pb: 3:41:55 -08. 4 World Youth 10,000 2001; dq Asian Games 20K/50K 2002; 5 WJC 10,000 2002 (2000-20); 2 Asian Champs 20K 2003; 16 OLY 50K 2004 (dnf 20K); 8 WCH 50K 2005 (2007-dnf); 4 Asian Games 20K 2006; 2 Asian Champs 50K 2007. 1 Japanese 50K 2004/2005 In 2008: 2 Japanese 20K; 1 Japanese 50K; 17 IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K; 2 Sapporo 5000; 2 Shibetsu 10,000				
2239	KUVATOV Rustam KAZ	30y 281d 1977	1:23:16	1:23:16 -08
50K pb: 3:59:57 -04; 37 OLY 50K 2004; 48 WCP 20K 2006 (2004-57, 2008-71); 3 Asian Champs 20K 2007 In 2008: 12 Russian winter 20K; 5 Asian 20K; 71 World Cup 20K				
2270	KIMUTAI David KEN	38y 363d 1969	1:24:31	1:20:40 -96
Full name-David Rotich Kimutai 2002 Commonwealth bronze ... Kenyan record holder 23 OLY 20K 96 (2000-39); 1 African Games 20K 99; 3 COM 20K 2002 (98-5, 2008-4). 1 Kenyan 20K 97/98/99/2000/2001/2002/2005/2006/2007 In 2008: 4 African Champs 20K				
2302	KIM Hyun-Sub KOR	23y 78d 1985	1:21:33	1:20:56 -07
8 WCP-junior 10K 2004; 3 WJC 10,000 2004; 2 WSG 20K 2005; 2 Asian Champs 20K 2005; 2 Asian Games 20K 2006; 6 WSG 20K 2007; 20 WCH 20K 2007; 20 WCP 20K 2008 (2006-42) In 2008: 1 Japanese 20K; 10 IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K; 20 World Cup 20K				
2306	PARK Chil-Sung KOR	26y 40d 1982	1:22:02	1:20:20 -07
2007 World Student Games silver at 20K ... 27 WCP 20K 2004 (2006-41); 41 OLY 20K 2004; 2 WSG 20K 2007 (2003-5, 2005-6); 15 WCH 20K 2007 In 2008: 18 IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K				
2364	ZIUKAS Marius LTU	23y 49d 1985	1:23:55	1:23:55 -08
22 WJC 10,000 2004; 9 under-23 ECH 20K 2005/2007; 18 WCP junior 10K 2004; 42 ECP 20K 2005 (2007-37); 69 WCP 20K 2008 (2006-75) In 2008: 4 Lithuanian indoor 10,000; 3 Dudince 20K; 69 World Cup 20K; 6 Alytus 20K				
2419	CHUMACHENKO Fedosey MDA	35y 208d 1973	1:23:46	1:22:42 -99
2 Balkan 20,000 98; 19 ECH 20K 98; dnf WCP 50K 99; 4 WSG 20K 99 (2001-dnf); dq OLY 50K 2000; 34 ECP 20K 2003; 25 WCH 2003 (97-30); 34 OLY 20K 2004 (96-41) In 2008: 1 Moldovan indoor 10,000; 13 Russian winter 20K; dnf Balkan 20K				
2432	SÁNCHEZ Eder MEX	22y 88d 1986	1:18:34	1:18:34 -08
Fourth in 2007 World Championships, third in 2008 World Cup ... dq World Youth 10,000 2003; 2 WCP-junior 10K 2004; 4 WJC 10,000 2004; 8 WCH 20K 2005; 2 Central American & Caribbean Games 20K 2006; 4 WCH 20K 2007; 3 WCP 20K 2008 (2006-dnf); 1 North, Central America & Caribbean under-23 20K 2008 In 2008: 1 IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K; 3 IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K				
"The top players will not try to break away early," he told the IAAF website. "The winning time will be slow and I am ready for a strong finish."				
2434	MEJIA David MEX	21y 253d 1986	1:22:47	1:22:47 -08
dq WCP junior 10K 2004; 2 North & Central American & Caribbean 20K 2007 In 2008: 11 IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K; 15 IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K; 28 World Cup 20K; 2 North, Central America & Caribbean under-23 20,000				

2531	TYSSE Erik NOR	27y 255d 1980	1:19:11	1:19:11 -08
Top eight placing in both walks at the 2007 World Championships ... bother of Kjersti Plätzer (silver in women's 20K walk at 2000 Olympics) 50K pb: 3:54:37 -06. 26 WJC 10,000 98; 16 EJC 10,000 99; 8 ECP 20K 2005 (2003-dnf, 2007-11); 7 ECH 20K 2006 (2002-17); 8 WCH 20K 2007 (2003-19, 2005-13); 5 WCH 50K 2007; 6 WCP 20K 2008(2002-53, 2004-62, 2006-9) . 1 Norwegian 20K 2001-2003/2005 ... 1.86 tall In 2008: 3 IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K; 1 Norwegian 20K; 1 IAAF Challenge/Rio Maior 20K; 3 IAAF Challenge/Sesto San Giovanni 20K; 6 World Cup 20K; 1 Norwegian 10,000; 1 Norwegian 5000				
2568	AUGUSTYN Rafal POL	24y 94d 1984	1:22:44	1:21:36 -05
9 ECP junior 10K 2003; 4 under-23 ECH 20K 2005; 13 WSG 20K 2005 (2007-15); 26 WCP 20K 2006 (2004-dnf, 2008-56); 16 ECP 20K 2007 (2005-dq); 26 WCH 20K 2007 In 2008: 2 Polish indoor 5000; 2 Dudince 20K; 2 Zaniemysl 10K; 3 Rzeszów 5000; 56 World Cup 20K; 10 Kraków 20K; 4 Biala Podlaska 5000; 3 Rumia 20K; 1 Font-Romeu 5000				
2625	JELONEK Jakub POL	23y 41d 1985	1:22:57	1:22:57 -08
31 ECP 20K 2007; 8 under-23 ECH 20K 2007; 41 WCP 20K 2008 (2006-83) In 2008: 3 Polish indoor 5000; 5 Dudince 20K; 1 Zaniemysl 10K; 4 Rzeszów 5000; 41 World Cup 20K; 3 Alytus 20K; 4 Rumia 20K				
2663	VIEIRA João POR	32y 178d 1976	1:21:13	1:20:09 -06
2006 European 20K bronze ... tenth in 2004 Olympic 20K ... 50K pb: 3:52:00 -04. 11 WJC 10,000 94; 20 ECH 20K 98; 3 ECP 20K 2003 (2001-15, 2002-4, 2005-dnf, 2007-7); 17 WCH 20K 2003 (2001-dq, 2005-dnf, 2007-25); 10 OLY 20K 2004; 8 WCP 20K 2006 (95-66, 97-28, 99-21, 2002-11, 2004-17, 2008-15); 3 ECH 20K 2006 (98-20, 2002-12). 1 Portuguese 20K 96/99-2005 (1 50K 2004). Twin brother Sergio is also an international walker In 2008: 1 Pombal 5000; 1 Portuguese indoor 5000; 1 Portuguese 50K; 1 Luso 10,000; 12 IAAF Challenge/Rio Maior 20K; 15 World Cup 20K; 6 Kraków 20K				
2664	VIEIRA Sergio POR	32y 178d 1976	1:21:25	1:20:58 -97
22 WJC 10,000 94; 23 ECP 20K 2007; dnf WCH 20K 2007. At WCP 20K: 95-72, 97-26, 99-41, 2006-45, 2008-18. Twin brother João is also an international walker In 2008: 2 Portuguese indoor; 9 IAAF Challenge/Rio Maior 20K; 2 Rio Maior 10,000; 18 World Cup 20K; 1 Lisbon 5000				
2765	BORCHIN Valeriy RUS	21y 340d 1986	1:17:55	1:17:55 -08
European under-23 gold & senior silver ... 2 ECH 20K 2006; 9 ECP 20K 2007; 1 under-23 ECH 20K 2007; dnf WCH 20K 2007; 2 WCP 20K 2008. 1 Russian 20K 2006. Served one-year doping suspension to May 31, 2006 In 2008: 1 Russian winter 20K; 2 World Cup 20K				
2766	MARKOV Ilya RUS	36y 58d 1972	1:19:04	1:18:18 -06
Former World & European 20K Champion ... 1996 Olympic 20K silver 1 WJC 10,000 90; 1 EJC 10,000 91; 2 OLY 20K 96 (2000-15); 1 WSG 20K 97. At WCH 20K: 95-4, 97-dq, 99-1, 2001-2, 2003-8, 2005-dq, 2007-9; 1 ECH 20K 98 (94-18); 1 Goodwill Games 20,000 98; 1 ECP 20K 2005 (2003-3). At WCP 20K: 95-30, 97-2, 99-7, 2004-dq, 2008-4. Coach-Aleksandr Semyonov In 2008: 4 Russian winter 20K; 1 Santa Eularia des Riu 20K; 2 Madrid 10K; 4 World Cup 20K; 4 Kraków 20K; 1 Biala Podlaska 5000				
2830	MOROZOV Sergey RUS	20y 148d 1988	1:16:43	1:16:43 -08
New world record holder, set in his first completed 20K and just 79 days after his 20th birthday 1 World Youth 10,000 2005; 1 WCP junior 10K 2006; dnf WJC 10,000 2006; 1 ECP junior 10K 2007; 1 EJC 10,000 2007 In 2008: dq Russian winter 20K; 1 Russian 20K (world record 1:16:43, 33 seconds faster than the previous best)				
2897	FILIPOVIC Predrag SRB	29y 316d 1978	1:24:07	1:21:50 -03
Twin brother Nenad is also an international walker ... 1 Balkan 20K 2003; 9 ECP 20K 2003; 22 WCH 20K 2003 (2007-32); dnf OLY 20K 2004; 12 ECH 20K 2006 (2002-dq); 39 WCP 20K 2008 (2002-54, 2004-dnf) In 2008: 1 Serbian 20K; 1 Balkan 20K; 39 World Cup 20K; 1 Serbian 10,000				
2942	TÓTH Matej SVK	25y 188d 1983	1:21:24	1:21:24 -08
Sixth at 2006 European Championships ... 6 EJC 10,000 2001; 16 WJC 10,000 2002; 6 under-23 ECH 2003; 32 OLY 20K 2004; 12 ECP 20K 2005 (2003-24, 2007-27); 9 WSG 20K (2003-10); 6 ECH 20K 2006; 14 WCH 20K 2007 (2005-21); 17 WCP 20K 2008 (2004-54, 2006-46). Voted Slovak athlete of the year in 2006 In 2008: 14 IAAF Challenge/Chihuahua 20K; 1 Dudince 20K; 1 Podebrady 20K; 17 World Cup 20K; 8 Kraków 20K; 5 Milan 5000				
3028	GHOULA Hatem TUN	35y 71d 1973	1:19:54	1:19:02 -97
20K bronze at his seventh World Championship in 2007 ... multiple African Champion 1 African Champs 20K 96/2000/2002/2005; 1 Francophone Games 20K 97/2001; 1 African Games 20K 2003/2007; 11 OLY 20K 2004 (96-33, 2000-36); ; 4 WCP 20K 2006 (99-15, 2002-9, 2004-41, 2008-11); 3 WCH 20K 2007 (95-30, 97-9, 99-16, 2001-10, 2003-14, 2005-5) In 2008: 2 Santa Eularia des Riu 20K; 7 IAAF Challenge/Beijing 20K; 11 World Cup 20K				
3029	SEBAI Hassanine TUN	24y 208d 1984	1:22:38	1:22:32 -06
Twice third in African Championships ... 1 Islamic Solidarity Games 20K 2005; 3 African Champs 20K 2005/2008; 1 Pan-Arab 20K 2005; 57 WCH 20K 2006; 24 WCH 20K 2007 In 2008: 3 African Champs 20K				
3041	CELIK Recep TUR	25y 68d 1983	1:24:01	1:22:36 -06
Turkish record holder ... 34 ECP 20K 2005; dnf WSG 20K 2005; 34 WCP 20K 2006 (2004-66, 2008-38); 16 ECH 20K 2006 In 2008: dnf Dudince 20K; dnf Balkan 20K				
3098	KOVENKO Andrey UKR	34y 265d 1973	1:22:48	1:21:53 -05
18 WCH 20K 2007. At WCP 20K: 2004-72, 2006-56, 2008-29. At ECP 20K: 2005-25, 2007-18 In 2008: 1 Ukrainian winter 20K; 29 World Cup 20K				
3164	EASTLER Kevin USA	30y 307d 1977	1:27:08	1:22:25 -03
50K pb: 4:05:44 -08. 11 WSG 20K 99; 18 WCH 20K 2003 (2007-28); 23 WCP 20K 2006 (99-71, 2002-31, 2004-26); 21 OLY 20K 2004; 31 WCH 50K 2007. 1 US Champs 20,000 2007. Captain in US Air Force, graduated from US Air Force Academy with degree in Mechanical Engineering ... coach-Carl Schueler In 2008: dnf Miami 50K; 1 US Olympic Trials 20K				

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST

1.....	1:16:43.....Sergey Morozov RUS.....	2008
2.....	1:16:53.....Vladimir Kanaykin RUS.....	2008
3.....	1:17:21.....Jefferson Pérez ECH.....	2003
4.....	1:17:22.....Francisco Fernández ESP.....	2002
5.....	1:17:23.....Vladimir Stankin RUS.....	2004
6.....	1:17:25.6.Bernardo Segura MEX.....	1994
7.....	1:17:33.....Nathan Deakes AUS.....	2005
6.....	1:17:41.....Zhu Hongjun CHN.....	2005
=9...	1:17:46.....Julio Martínez GUA.....	1999
.....	1:17:46... Roman Rasskazov RUS.....	2000

2008 WORLD LIST

1.....	1:16:43.....Sergey Morozov RUS
2.....	1:16:53.....Vladimir Kanaykin RUS
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