

Women's 60 Metres

40 Entrants

			Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
3	MÜLLER-WEISSINA Bettina	AUT	34y	238d	1973	7.36	7.25 -03
Twice Austrian Champion at 100m ... 100 pb: 11.26 -04. ht ECH 100 2002/2006; sf WIC 60 2003/2004; qf OLY 100 2004; sf EIC 60 2007 (2002-ht). 1 Austrian 100 2001/2004. Soldier in the Austrian Army sports division In 2008: 3 Vienna 60; 3 Linz 60; 4ht Stuttgart 60; 6 Stuttgart 60; 7 Düsseldorf 60; 3ht Düsseldorf 60; 8ht Birmingham 60; 3 Leipzig 60; 1 Austrian indoor 60							
5	GEVAERT Kim	BEL	29y	214d	1978	7.15	7.10 -07
Reigning European Champion at 60m, 100m & 200m ... 100 pb: 11.04 -06. 200 pb: 22.20 -06. 400 pb: 51.45 -05. 1 WSG 200 99 (2001-2); 3 under-23 ECH 100 99 (5 200); 1 EIC 60 2002/2005/2007 (2000-6); 2 ECH 100/200 2002; 2 WIC 60 2004 (2006-3); 6 OLY 200 2004 (sf 100); 1 ECH 100/200 2006; 2 WCP 200 2006 (4 100); 5 WCH 100 2007 (2005-7); 3 WCH 4x100 2007. 1 Belgian 100 98-2007 (1 200 98-2001/2004-2006). Partner is Belgian triple jumper Djéké Mambo ... she was a serious classical pianist before her older brother Marlon, also a sprinter, introduced her to athletics ... coach-Rudi Diels In 2008: 2 Birmingham 60, after which she caught the flu, so no more races for her before Valencia							
18	de MOURA Lucimar	BRA	33y	350d	1974	7.53	7.50 -06
South American record holder at 100m & 200m ... Outdoor 10 pb: 11.17 -99. 200 pb: 22.60 -99. 1 South American 100 97/99/2001/2005/2007 (1 200 99/2005/2007); ht WCH 4x100 97; 2 Pan-Am Games 200 99; qf WCH 100 99; qf OLY 200 2004; sf WCH 100 2005 (2007-qf); sf WIC 60 2006 In 2008: 7 Samara 60; 4ht Eaubonne 60							
22	EFTIMOVA Inna	BUL	19y	260d	1988	7.28	7.28 -08
Two medals at 2007 European Juniors ... 100 pb: 11.28 -07. 200 pb: 23.27 -07. ht World Youth 100/200 2005; ht WJC 100/200 2006; 2 EJC 100 2007 (3 200); ht WCH 100 2007 In 2008: 1ht Sofia 60; 1ht Slovak indoor 60; 1 Aubière 60							
24	LALOVA Ivet	BUL	23y	292d	1984	7.31	7.21 -04
Close fourth in Athens Olympic 100m & fifth at 200m, but then broke her leg in 2005 100 pb: 10.77 -04. 200 pb: 22.36w, 22.51 -04. 4 World Youth 200 2001 (sf 100); sf WJC 100 2002; 1 EJC 100/200 2003; 4 OLY 1000 2004 (5 200); 1 EIC 200 2005; qf WCH 100 2007. Father-Miroslav Lalov ran 10.4 for 100m in 1966 and was Bulgarian Champion at 200m that year, mother-Lilya was a pentathlete ... coach-Konstantin Milanov ... she broke her right femur while warming up to compete at the 2005 Athens Grand Prix – "I had to wait two months before I could start walking" In 2008: 4 Vienna 60; 2 Linz 60; 3ht Stuttgart 60; 5ht Düsseldorf 60; 8 Athens 60; 4 Birmingham 200							
36	ALLOU AFFOUÉ Amandine	CIV	27y	189d	1980	-	7.34 -06
Third in 2007 African Games 200m ... 100 pb: 11.30 -04. 200 pb: 23.08 -05. ht OLY 4x100 2000; ht 4x100 2001; 5 African Champs 100 2002/2004; 7 African Games 100 2003; 5 African Champs 200 2004 (2002-6); ht OLY 100 2004; qf WCH 100 2005/2007 (qf 200 2007); sf WIC 60 2006; 3 African Games 200 2007 (5 100) ... based-Dakar							
37	ATANGANA Delphine Bertille	CMR	23y	202d	1984	7.35	7.19 -06
2006 Commonwealth Games finalist at both sprints ... 100 pb: 11.24 -03. 200 pb: 23.27 -03. 400 pb: 54.2 -04. sf WJC 100 2002 (ht 200); 1 African junior 100/200 2003; 4 African Games 200 2003 (5 100); 1 Afro-Asian Games 200 2003 (2 100); 6 African Champs 100 2004; qf OLY 100 2004; qf WCH 100 2005; 3 COM 100 2006 (7 200); 7 African Games 100 2007 In 2008: 1 Mondeville 60; 5ht Stuttgart 60; 6 Eaubonne 60; 3 French indoor 60; 4ht Paris 60; 7ht Ghent 60; 3 Aubière 60							
38	LOCKINGTON Maki Samantha	COK	17y	295d	1990	-	-
7ht World Youth 100 2007							
39	AHAMADA Feta	COM	20y	256d	1987	7.52	7.44 -07
Comoros record holder at 60m ... 100 pb: 11.73 -07. 3 French junior indoor 60 2006 In 2008: 3 Paris 60 (Jan 12); 1 Paris 60 (Jan 26); 3 Ile de France indoor 60; 3 Eaubonne 60H; 5ht French indoor 60							
42	BENAVIDES Virgen	CUB	33y	66d	1974	7.21	7.16 -04
2004 Ibero-American Champion at 100m ... 100 pb: 11.10w -99, 11.14 -99. 200 pb: 22.93 -00. qf WCH 100 95/2003; 3 WSG 100 99; 4 Pan-Am Games 100 99/2003; sf WIC 60 2003; 1 Ibero-American 100 2004. 1 Cuban 100 97/98/99/2001/2005 (1 200 98/99) In 2008: 2 Prague 60; 6 Athens 60; 2 Leipzig 60; 2 Ghent 60; 2 Chemnitz 60							
75	ARRON Christine	FRA	34y	175d	1973	7.17	7.06 -06
European record holder at 100m ... Sprint double bronze at 2005 World Championships 100 pb: 10.73 -98. 200 pb: 22.26 -99. 1 Mediterranean 200 97; 1 ECP 200 97/2005 (1 100 99/2003/2004/2005); 4 WCH 100 97 (99-6, 2003-5, 2007-6); 1 ECH 100/4x100 98; sf OLY 100 2000/2004; 1 WCH 4x100 2003 (97-3, 99-2, 2005-4); 7 WIC 60 2004; 3 OLY 4x100 2004; 3 WCH 100/200 2005. 1 French 100 2000/2003/2004 (1 200 97/2004/2005). From family of athletes: father was a long jumper, grandfather & brother were sprinters ... son Ethan born June 28, 2002 ... born-Guadeloupe ... coach-Stephané Caristan In 2008: 1 Eaubonne 60; 1 French indoor 60; 2 Paris 60							
81	ZANG MILAMA Ruddy	GAB	20y	274d	1987	7.53	7.44 -07
We knew her up to Osaka 2007 as Ruddy, now she is apparently using the name Paulette 100 pb: 11.50 -07. 200 pb: 24.04 -07. ht WJC 100 2006; ht WCH 100 2007 In 2008: 5ht Eaubonne 60							
86	DOUGLAS Montell	GBR	22y	42d	1986	7.32	7.28 -07
2007 European under-23 100m silver with the same time as the winner Verena Sailer 100 pb: 11.28 -07. 200 pb: 23.38 -07. sf EIC 60 2007; 2 under-23 ECH 100 2007; qf WCH 100 2007 (4 4x100). 1 AAA under-17 100 2002; 1 AAA under-17 indoor 60 2002; 1 AAA junior indoor 60 2003 & 200 2004; 3 AAA 100 2006; 1 AAA under-23 100 2006. Member of British relay pool at 2006 European Championships ... partner-Bernard Yeboah (1 UK indoor LJ 2007) ... coach-Ayo Falola In 2008: 6ht Birmingham 60; 1 UK Indoor City Challenge Final 60; 1 Inter-Varsity indoor 60; 6 Ghent 60							
87	KWAKYE Jeanette	GBR	24y	352d	1983	7.16	7.16 -08
(Pronounced "Kwa-Chee") ... double UK sprint Champion in 2007 ... close fourth in 2007 European Indoor 60m 100 pb: 11.24w, 11.26 -07. 200 pb: 23.11 -07. 3 WJC 4x100 2002 (sf 100); 7 under-23 ECH 100 2003; sf WSG 100 2003; sf EIC 60 2005; qf WCH 100 2007. 1 AAA under-23 100 2003/2004; 1 AAA indoor 60 2005. 1 Welsh 100 2006. Studied Politics at Loughborough University ... lives-Chingford ... coach Mike Afilaka In 2008: 1 Glasgow international 60; 1 Samara 60; 1st UK indoor 60 (set Sheffield track record 7.22, but then withdrew from final as a precaution after feeling soreness in her quadriceps); 3 Birmingham 60							
93	TURNER Laura	GBR	25y	207d	1982	7.29	7.25 -07
Fourth in 2006 Commonwealth Games 100m ... 2005 AAA Champion at 100m 100 pb: 11.09w, 11.19 -07. 200 pb: 23.29 -07. 6 under-23 ECH 4x100 2003; 5 WSG 100 2005; 4 COM 100 2006 (2 4x100); sf WCH 100 2007 (4 4x100). Ran in heat of 2006 European 4x100m, so awarded silver medal won by team in final. 1 AAA under-23 200 2004; 1 AAA under-23 100 2005; 1 AAA 100 2005; 1 UK indoor 60 2007/2008. Plays the flute ... born-Harrow, lives-Harrow Weald ... coach-Madeleine Weston (1958 Commonwealth 100y bronze) In 2008: 1 UK indoor 60; 5 Birmingham 60; 5 Ghent 60							
98	SAILER Verena	GER	22y	142d	1985	7.23	7.23 -08
2007 European under-23 Champion at 100m (narrowly ahead of Britain's Montell Douglas) 100 pb: 11.31 -07. 6 EJC 100 2003; 5 WJC 100 2004; sf ECH 100 2006; sf EIC 60 2007; 1 under-23 ECH 100 2007 (2005-3); qf WCH 100 2007. 1 German 100 2006/2007. Coach-Valeriy Bauer In 2008: 1 Bayer indoor champs 60; 3 Glasgow international 60; 4 Stuttgart 60; 2 European Indoor Cup 60; 1 German indoor 60; 2 Chemnitz 60							

101	ANIM Vida GHA	24y	90d	1983	7.28	7.18 -04
2006 African Champion at both sprints ... 100 pb: 11.14 -04. 200 pb: 22.81 -06. 3 WJC 200 2000 (4 100); qf WCH 100 2003/2005/2007; sf WCH 200 2003 (2007-qf); 2 African Games 200 2003/2007 (3 100 2003/2007); sf WIC 60 2004; qf OLY 100 2004; sf COM 100 2006 (2002-ht); 6 COM 200 2006; 1 African Champs 100/200 2006; 3 WCP 100/200 2006 In 2008: 3 Luxembourg 60; 5 Moscow "Winter" 60; 3 Samara 60; 3 Düsseldorf 60; 3 Paris 60; 4 Ghent 60; 4 Chemnitz 60						
108	McSWEENEY Ailis IRL	24y	154d	1983	7.38	7.37 -05
Second in 2005 World Student Games 100m ... former Irish indoor record holder at 60m 100 pb: 11.58w -03, 11.59 -05. ht EIC 60 2005; 2 WSG 100 2005; sf WIC 60 2006; ht ECH 100 2006. 2 AAA indoor 60 2004 (2005-3). Coach-John Sheehan In 2008: 4 Luxembourg 60; 2 Irish indoor 60; 1 Bratislava 60 (Jan 31); 2 Budapest 60 (Feb 2); 3 UK indoor 60; 8 Leipzig 60; 8ht Ghent 60						
109	JONES-FERRETTE Laverne ISV	26y	172d	1981	7.26	7.16 -07
US Virgin Islands record holder at 60m, 100m & 200m and 400m indoors 100 pb: 11.23w -07, 11.25 -04. 400 pb: 51.47 -07. qf OLY 100/200 2004; sf WCH 200 2005 (qf 100); 7 WSG 200 2005; sf WIC 60 2006; 2 Central American & Caribbean Games 100 2006 (4 200); 7 Pan-Am Games 100/400 2007; sf WCH 200 2007. Based in Houston In 2008: 1 Houston 60; 5 Boston 60; 3 Stuttgart 60; 5 Düsseldorf 60; 2 Karlsruhe 400 'B'; 4 Birmingham 60						
116	HARRIGAN Tahesia IVB	26y	20d	1982	7.16	7.16 -08
British Virgin Islands record holder at 100m, 200m, 400m, LJ & TJ 100 pb: 11.02w, 11.13 -06. 200 pb: 22.98 -07. 400 pb: 55.60 -07. LJ pb: 6.17i -06, 6.06 -05. TJ pb: 11.93i -06. qf WCH 100 2005/2007 (qf 200 2007); 5 COM 100 2006 (2002-sf); 1 Central American & Caribbean Games 100 2006; 4 Pan-Am Games 100 2007 In 2008: 1 Stuttgart 60; 2 Düsseldorf 60; dq Birmingham 60 (false start)						
133	GRINČIKAITĖ Lina LTU	20y	308d	1987	7.35	7.31 -05/07
100 pb: 11.45 -06. 200 pb: 23.45 -07. 1 European Youth 100 2003; 7 World Youth 1000 2003; sf WJC 100 2004; sf EIC 60 2005 (2007-ht); 4 EJC 200 2005; sf WIC 60 2006; 6 WJC 100 2006 (sf 200). 1 Lithuanian 100/200 2006 In 2008: 1 Kaunas indoor champs 60; 1 Lithuanian Clubs indoor 60; 1 Lithuanian indoor 60; 2 Tartu 60						
141	HANEEFA Hawwa MDV	18y	35d	1990	-	-
200 pb: 28.13 -06. ht World Youth 100 2005; ht COM 100 2006 (13.91)						
146	AGUILERA Jessica NCA	22y	254d	1985	-	-
ht WCH 400H 2005						
149	IDOKO Franca NGR	22y	265d	1985	7.09	7.09 -08
100 pb: 11.22 -07. 3 WCP 4x100 2006; 4 African Games 100 2007; ht WCH 4x100 2007. 2 Nigerian 100 2007 In 2008: 5 Moscow "Winter" 60; 2 Samara 60; 4 Düsseldorf 60; 3 Athens 60; 1 Leipzig 60; 1 Ghent 60; 1 Chemnitz 60						
150	OSAYOMI Damola NGR	21y	254d	1986	7.19	7.19 -08
2007 World 100m finalist ... Won sprint double at 2007 African Games 100 pb: 11.15 -07. 200 pb: 23.19 -07. sf World Youth 100/200 2003; 4 African Champs 100 2004; 1 African Games 100/200 2007; 8 WCH 100 2007. At University of Texas El Paso ... born-Ado Ekiti In 2008: 5 Chapel Hill 60 (Jan 19); 3 Boston 60; 4 Millrose Games 60; 1 Chapel Hill 60 (Feb 16)						
151	OKPARAEDO Ezinne NOR	20y	3d	1988	7.38	7.33 -07
Norwegian indoor record holder at 60m ... 2007 European Junior Champion at 100m ... Nigerian origin 100 pb: 11.43 -07. ht EJC 100 2005; sf WJC 100 2006 (ht 200); ht EIC 60 2007; 1 EJC 100 2007. 1 Norwegian 100 2005/2006/2007 In 2008: 3ht Vienna 60; 1 Norwegian indoor 60; 5ht Ghent 60						
152	JONE Rosa-Mystique NRU	17y	120d	1990	-	-
100 pb: 12.69 -07. ht World Youth 100 2005/2007; ht WCH 100 2005; ht WJC 100 2006; ht WCH 100 2007						
192	NABOKINA Svetlana RUS	25y	261d	1982	7.16	7.16 -08
100 pb: 11.48 -07. 200 pb: 23.74 07. 1 Russian Indoor Cup 60 2008. 1 Russian Army 100/200 2007 In 2008: 1 Moscow indoor champs 60; 1 Moscow "Winter" 60; 2 Russian indoor 60; 1 European Indoor Cup 60						
195	POLYAKOVA Yevgeniya RUS	24y	282d	1983	7.09	7.09 -08
2007 European Cup winner at 100m ... 100 pb: 11.09 -07. 200 pb: 23.75 -06. 2 EIC 60 2007; 1 ECP 100 2007; sf WCH 100 2007. 1 Russian indoor 60 & outdoor 100 2007. Coach-Nikolay Chemerisov In 2008: 1 Yekaterinburg 60; 2 Moscow indoor champs 60; 1 Moscow indoor champs 60; 2 Moscow "Winter" 60; 1 Russian indoor 60; 1 Paris 60; 3 Ghent 60						
210	CHOO MIN Amanda SIN	20y	148d	1987	-	7.84 -07
(= Choo Sze-Min) ... Singapore record holder at 60m ... ht WJC 100 2006; ht WCH 100 2007						
212	KOVACIC Nina SLO	24y	4d	1984	7.36	7.36 -08
100 pb: 11.72 -07. ht EIC 60 2007 In 2008: 1 Celje 60; 1 Ljubljana 60 (Jan 19); 1 Sempeter 60; 2 Ljubljana 60 (Feb 9)						
214	PRETELLI Martina SMR	19y	68d	1988	8.16	8.16 -08
ht EJC 100 2007						
218	WEYERMANN Fabienne SUI	23y	4d	1985	7.44	7.39 -07
3x Swiss Indoor Champion at 60m ... 100 pb: 11.54w, 11.57 -05. ht WJC 4x100 2004; ht EIC 60 2005. 1 Swiss 100/200 2006/2007 (1 indoor 60 2005/2006/2007/2008) In 2008: 1 Zürich 60; 1 Magglingen 60 (Feb 2); 1 Magglingen 60; 1 Magglingen 60 (Feb 9); 1 Swiss indoor 60						
220	BERNTSSON Lena SWE	29y	123d	1978	7.32	7.32 -08
100 pb: 11.65w, 11.66 -07. 100H pb: 13.80 -07. LJ pb: 6.02w -07. 1 Swedish 100 2007. She also competes at weightlifting, holds the Swedish record for clean & jerk in her weight category In 2008: 1 Gothenburg 60; 1 Malmö 60/60H; 2 Glasgow international 60; 4ht Gothenburg 60H; 1 Prague 60; 1 Gothenburg 60; 1 Swedish indoor 60/60H						
227	SAENRAT Nongnuch THA	24y	193d	1983	7.49	7.28 -07
Asian Indoor Games or Championships winner at 60m in 2005-2008 ... 100 pb: 11.53 -04. 200 pb: 24.13 -04. 1 Asian Indoor Games 60 2005/2007; 7 WSG 100 2005; 2 South East Asian Games 100 2005; 1 Asian Indoor 60 2006/2008 In 2008: 1 Asian indoor 60						
228	NAZAROVA Valentina TKM	23y	158d	1984	-	7.78 -06
Turkmenistan record holder at 100m on hand timing ... 100 pb: 11.6 -07. ht WCH 100 2005; ht WIC 60 2006; ht Asian Games 100 2006						
252	JETER Carmelita USA	28y	103d	1979	7.21	7.16 -07
Jeter is pronounced "Jetter" ... 2007 World 100m bronze, just 0.01 from gold 100 pb: 11.02 -07. 200 pb: 22.82 -07. 3 WCH 100 2007, also ran heat of 4x100 so awarded gold medal won by USA in final. 2 NCAA Division 2 100 2002/2003, representing California State University, Dominguez Hills where she studied Kinesiology. At age 15 her basketball coach suggested she tried sprinting and she ran 11.8 for 100m ... her younger brother Eugene Jeter plays for the Miami Heat team in the NBA (Basketball) ... coach-Larry Wade She had the slowest reaction time (0.189) but the fastest finish in the 2007 world 100m final In 2008: 1 Fresno 55; 1 Millrose Games 60; 1 Fayetteville 60; 3 US indoor 60						
255	JOYCE Alexis USA	24y	183d	1983	7.21	7.21 -08
100 pb: 11.45 -01. 200 pb: 23.43 -01. 3 Pan-Am junior 100 99. Born-Denver, she was a student of Hotel, Restaurant and Tourism Management at the University of South Carolina ... now she is track and field staff assistant at the University of Central Florida In 2008: 1 Blacksburg; 3 Gainesville 55; 2 Houston 60 'B'; 4 Fayetteville 60; 2 US indoor 60						

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WILLIAMS Angela USA**28y** 36d 1980**7.11****7.09 -01**

Twice world indoor silver medallist at 60m ... twice Pan-American silver medallist at 100m
 100 pb: 10.96w -99, 11.04 -99. 200 pb: 22.78w -00, 23.02 -98. 1 Pan-Am junior 100 97 (95-2); 2 WJC 100 98 (1 4x100); 1 WSG 100/4x100 99; 2 Pan-Am Games 100 99/2003; sf WCH 100 2001; 2 WIC 60 2001/2003; 2 WCH 4x100 2003. 1 NCAA 100 99/2000/2001/2002 ... graduated in Public Policy and Management from University of Southern California in 2002, then started training under coach John Smith with the HSI group ... ran first leg for ill-fated US Olympic sprint relay team in 2004 ... coach-Garfield Ellenwood
 In 2008: 1 Gainesville 55; 1 Linz 60; 2 Stuttgart 60; 1 Düsseldorf 60; 1 Birmingham 60; 1 US indoor 60

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KHUBBIEVA Guzel UZB**31y** 308d 1976**-****7.23 -05**

Second in both sprints at 2005 Asian Championships ... 100 pb: 11.20 -07. 200 pb: 23.16 -04. qf WCH 100 2003 (2007-ht); 3 Asian Champs 100/200 2003; qf OLY 100 2004; 2 Asian Champs 100/200 2005; sf WIC 60 2006 (2001-ht); 6 WCP 200 2006 (7 100); qf WCH 200 2007

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST

1..... 6.92..... Irina Privalova RUS..... 1993
 =2... 6.95..... Gail Devers USA..... 1993
 6.95..... Marion Jones USA..... 1998
 =4... 6.96..... Merlene Ottey JAM..... 1992
 6.96..... Katerina Thanou GRE..... 1999
 6..... 7.00..... Nelli Cooman NED..... 1986
 =7... 7.01..... Savatheda Fynes BAH..... 1999
 7.01..... Melisa Barber USA..... 2006
 7.01..... Lauren Williams USA..... 2006
 =10. 7.02..... four women

2008 WORLD LIST

1..... 7.09..... Yevgeniya Polyakova RUS
 2..... 7.09..... Franca Idoko NGR
 3..... 7.11..... Angela Williams USA
 4..... 7.13..... Kelly-Ann Baptiste TRI
 5..... 7.15..... Kim Gevaert BEL
 =6... 7.16..... Svetlana Nabokina RUS
 7.16..... Tahesia Harrigan IVB
 7.16..... Jeanette Kwakye GBR
 9..... 7.17..... Christine Arron FRA
 =10. 7.18..... Samantha Henry JAM
 7.18..... Oksana Dragun BLR

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			Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
14	MONTSHO Amantle	BOT	24y	246d	1983	-	-
2007 African Games Champion ... Botswanan record holder at 200m & 400m outdoors Outdoor pb: 50.90 -07. 200 pb: 23.71 -07. ht OLY 2004; ht WCH 2005/2007; sf COM 2006; 2 African Champs 2006; 1 African Games 2007 (5 200). Lost all her possessions when fire gutted her home in September 2005 ... based-Dakar							
23	KIRILOVA Tsvetelina	BUL	30y	236d	1977	52.61	52.61 -08
Outdoor 400 pb: 51.63 -99. 800 pb: 1:59.46 -02. 400H pb: 56.29 -07. 5 ECH 800 98 (2002-sf); ht WCH 800 99/2001; sf WCH 400H 2007. 1 Balkan 800 99/2001 In 2008: 1 Budapest indoor champs 400; 1 Vienna; 1 Balkan indoor 400							
40	BARBOSA Vera	CPV	19y	53d	1989	57.49	57.49 -08
Cape Verde record holder indoors at 200m & 400m ... ht WCH 2007 In 2008: 1 Portuguese Clubs div 1 indoor 200 'B'; 1 Portuguese indoor 'B'							
49	HEJNOVÁ Zuzana	CZE	21y	78d	1986	52.82	52.82 -08
Czech record holder at 400m Hurdles ... 2003 World Youth Champion ... 2005 European Junior Champion 400H pb: 55.04 -07. 100H pb: 13.81 -07. 1 World Youth 2003; 2 WJC 2004 (2002-5); 1 EJC 2005 (2003-3); sf WCH 2005/2007; sf ECH 2006; 3 under-23 ECH 2007. 1 Czech 400 flat outdoors 2006 & indoors 2008 In 2008: 1 Vienna 400 'B'; 1 Prague 400 (Feb 2); 1 Prague 150 (Feb 13); 2 Leipzig 400; 1 Czech indoor 400							
72	BATIMALA Makelesi	FIJ	30y	135d	1977	-	-
(Née Bulikiobo) ... Fijian record holder at 100m, 200m & 400m outdoors Outdoor 400 pb: 51.89 -04 (52.76 -08). 100 pb: 11.67 -03 (11.73 -08). 200 pb: 23.42 -08. sf COM 200 2002 (ht 100); sf WCH 400 2003 (2007-ht); ht OLY 400 2004. 1 Australian 200 2008 In 2008: 3 Sydney 200; 1 Canberra 200/400; 1 Australian Cup 100/200; 1 Brisbane 200/400; 2 Sydney 200; 3 Melbourne 400; 1 Australian 200 (2 400)							
107	LISTÁR Nikolett	HUN	24y	91d	1983	53.75	53.75 -08
Outdoor pb: 55.00 -07. pb: 11.71 -05. 200 pb: 23.19 -05. sf WJC 100/200 2002; 2 European under-23 200 2005 (2003-6); 3 WSG 100 2005. 1 Hungarian 200 2005/2006 In 2008: 1 Vienna 'E'; 1 Budapest; 1 Vienna (race 5); 1 Hungarian indoor 200							
120	THOMPSON Moya	JAM	27y	16d	1981	52.15	52.15 -08
Outdoor pb: 51.47 -06. 6 Central American & Caribbean 2005. 1 NCAA Division 2 2003/2004 & indoors 2005, representing Lincoln University In 2008: 1 Gainesville; 1 Fayetteville							
143	XUEREB Martina	MLT	16y	350d	1991	-	-
Outdoor pb: 55.24 -07. 3 Games of Small States of Europe 2007; sf World Youth 2007							
148	EKPUKHON Christy	NGR	23y	29d	1985	51.75	51.75 -08
Fifth at both the 2006 African Champs & 2007 African Games ... Outdoor pb: 51.11 -07. ht OLY 4x400 2004; sf COM 2006 (3 4x400); 5 African Champs 2006; 5 African Games 2007; sf WCH 2007. 1 Nigerian 2005/2006/2007 ... born-Asaba In 2008: 6 Moscow "Winter" 200; 1 Karlsruhe; 1 Athens; 1 Leipzig							
173	MOROSANU Angela	ROU	21y	224d	1986	54.46	51.93 -07
2007 European under-23 Champion at 400m Hurdles ... 400H pb: 54.50 -07. 100 pb: 11.47 -05. 200 pb: 22.91 -06. 400 pb: 51.93i -07, 52.48 -05. 8 WJC 400H 2004; 5 ECP 100 2005; 3 EJC 200/400 2005; sf WIC 60/400 2006; 8 ECH 200 2006 (sf 400H); 4 EIC 400 2007; 1 under-23 ECH 400H 2007. At the 2005 European Indoor Championships she was the only finisher in her 200m heat after the other two entrants were disqualified for false starts In 2008: 1 Bucharest 400; 1 Bucharest 60H; 1 Balkan indoor 400 'B'; 1 Romanian indoor 60/60H (2 400)							
178	TIRLEA Ionela	ROU	32y	26d	1976	53.30	50.56 -98
(Married name was Manolache) ... Athens silver in her third successive Olympic 400m Hurdles final ... twice European Champion 400H pb: 53.25 -99. 400 pb: 49.88 -99. 3 WJC 400 92 (1 4x400); 1 EJC 93/95; 1 WJC 400H 94; 2 EIC 400 98; 1 ECH 400H 98/2002 (94-7); 1 WIC 200 99; 1 ECP 400 99; 1 WSG 400 99; 1 ECP 400H 2003; 4 WCH 400H 2003 (95-7, 2001-6, 2007-sf); 3 OLY400H 2004 (96-7, 2000-6); sf WCH 400/400H 2007 (ht 200). Stress fracture of left foot in 99/2000 but recovered to reach Olympic final, her first hurdles competition of the year ... with back injury she could not complete a hurdles race in 2005/2006 ... coach-Liliana Nastase In 2008: 3 Stuttgart 400; 2 Balkan indoor 400; 1 Romanian indoor 400							
193	NAZAROVA Natalya	RUS	28y	285d	1979	51.45	49.68 -04
Winner of six World Indoor golds, only Maria Mutola has more ... Outdoor 400 pb: 49.65 -04. 7 EJC 97; 1 WJC 98 (2 4x400); sf WIC 99; 6 WCH 99 (1 4x400); 2 EIC 2000; sf OLY 2000 (3 4x400); 1 ECH 4x400 2002; 1 WIC 2003/2004 (2006-4) (1 4x400 99/2003/2004/2006); 4 WCH 2003 (2 4x400); 8 OLY 2004 (2 4x400); 1 WSG 2005. 1 Russian 99/2000/2003/2004 ... spent seven years at music school in Moscow, plays violin and piano ... coach-Lyudmila Fedorova In 2008: 1 Moscow indoor champs 500; 1 Moscow indoor champs; 2 Russian indoor							
198	ZYKINA Olesya	RUS	27y	150d	1980	51.09	51.09 -08
2002 European Champion ... 3x sixth in World finals ... Outdoor pb: 50.15 -01. 8 WJC 100 98 (2 4x400); 1 EJC 400/4x400 99; 1 EIC 4x400 2000; 3 WIC 2001 (1 4x400); 6 WCH 2001/2003/2005; 1 ECH 2002 (2 4x400); 1 WIC 4x400 2003; 2 WCH 4x400 2003 (2001-3) 2 OLY 4x400 2004; 3 EIC 2007 (2 4x400). 1 Russian 2001/2002 (1 indoor 2008). 1 Russian junior 100 98 ... ran in heats of Helsinki World 4x400, so awarded gold medal won by Russia in final ... coaches-Sergey Reutov, Natalya Kovtun In 2008: 1 Moscow indoor champs 200; 1 Russian indoor; 1 European Indoor Cup							
229	THIÉBAUD-KANGNI Sandrine	TOG	31y	319d	1976	54.94	52.72 -04
Ex-France ... Togo record holder at 200, 400m & 800m & indoors at 60m, 200m, 400m & 800m Outdoor 400 pb: 52.59 -03. 800 pb: 2:07.29 -06. 200 pb: 24.62 -02. 4 EJC 400 95; ht WCH 400 2003/2005/2007; ht African Games 400 2003; ht WIC 400 2003/2004; ht OLY 400 2004. 1 French indoor 400 99. Mother-French, father-Roger is Togolese and ran 800m for that country at the Munich Olympics In 2008: 4ht Luxembourg 60; 4 Luxembourg 200; 1 Reims 60 'B'; dnf Eaubonne 800; 4 French indoor 400							
240	PYGYDA Natalya	UKR	27y	36d	1981	52.35	52.02 -05
2004 World Indoor finalist at 200m ... Outdoor pb: 51.44 -04. 100 pb: 11.50 -05. 200 pb: 23.04 -04. 6 WJC 400 2000; 6 under-23 ECH 100 2003 (1 4x100); 5 WIC 200 2004; 5 EIC 400 2005; 4 WSG 200 2005; 4 ECP 2006; sf ECH 2006 In 2008: 2 European Indoor Cup; 2 Ukrainian indoor							
244	YEFREMOVA Antonina	UKR	26y	231d	1981	52.33	52.31 -03
(Pronounced "Ye-FREM-ova") ... 2001 European under-23 Champion ... 2002 European Cup winner Outdoor pb: 50.70 -02. sf WJC 2000; 1 under-23 ECH 2001 (2 4x100); 1 ECP 2002 (2004/2005-2); 6 ECH 2002; ht WIC 2003; sf WCH 2003 (2005-ht); sf OLY 2004; 4 WSG 2007. 1 Ukrainian 2002-2005. Business student at the Donyetsk Academy ... coach-Valeriy Doroschenko In 2008: 1 Ukrainian Indoor Cup; 1 Ukrainian indoor							
256	KIDD Ashlee	USA	22y	224d	1985	53.37	51.96 -07
2004 World junior bronze ... Outdoor pb: 51.46 -07. 3 WJC 2004 (1 4x400). 3 NCAA 2007 In 2008: 1 Lexington (Jan 12); 1 Lexington (Feb 2); 1 Blacksburg 'B'; 4 US indoor race 2 (7th overall)							
261	ROBINSON Moushaumi	USA	26y	328d	1981	52.33	52.19 -03
Ran in heat of 2004 Olympic 4x400m, therefore awarded gold medal won by USA in final Outdoor 400 pb: 50.38 -05. 200 pb: 22.93 -06. 7 Pan-Am Games 2003 (1 4x400). 4 US Champs 2005/2006 In 2008: 3 Boston 200; 2 Karlsruhe; 2 Athens; 3 Birmingham 200; 1 US indoor race 1 (2nd overall)							

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Outdoor 200 pb: 22.74 -07. 400 pb: 52.47 -05. 2 North & Central American & Caribbean 200 2007; 7 Pan-American Games 200 2007 (2 4x100). 1 US indoor 400 2008
 In 2008: 1 Chapel Hill 200 (2 60) (Jan 19); 1 Glasgow international 200; 1 US indoor 400

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Zambian record holder at 200m & 400m outdoors ... Outdoor 400 pb: 52.99 -07 (53.05 -08). 200 pb: 23.42 -07 (23.90 -08). sf World Youth 200 2005; ht COM 200/400 2006; sf WJC 200/400 2006
 In 2008: 2 Secunda 200; 1 Pretoria 200/400; 2 Durban 200/400; 2 Germiston 400

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST

1..... 49.59 Jarm. Kratochvílová TCH..... 1982
 2..... 49.68..... Natalya Nazarova RUS..... 2004
 3..... 49.76..... Tatána Kocembová TCH..... 1984
 4..... 50.01..... Sabine Busch GDR..... 1984
 5..... 50.02..... Nicola Sanders GBR..... 2007
 6..... 50.04..... Ol. Krasnomovets RUS..... 2006
 7..... 50.15..... Olga Zaitseva RUS..... 2006
 8..... 50.21..... Vanya Stambolova BUL..... 2006
 9..... 50.23..... Irina Privalova RUS..... 1995
 10... 50.28..... Petra Schersing GDR..... 1988

2008 WORLD LIST

1..... 51.09..... Olesya Zykova RUS
 2..... 51.42 Olga Zaytseva RUS
 3..... 51.45 Natalya Nazarova RUS
 4..... 51.55..... Svetlana Pospelova RUS
 5..... 51.56 Olesya Zykina RUS
 6..... 51.63..... Olesya Forsheva RUS
 7..... 51.58 Yuliya Gushchina RUS
 8..... 51.80..... Ilona Usovich BLR
 9..... 51.88 Tatyana Levina RUS
 10... 51.96 Tatyana Firova RUS

Women's 800 Metres

23 Entrants

		Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
1	GALLEGO Natalia AND Andorran record holder indoors & out ... ht WCH 2007 In 2008: 5ht Spanish indoor	27y	159d	1980	2:14.62	2:14.62 -08
2	LEWIS Tamsyn AUS 7x Australian Champion at 800m, twice at 400m ... three successive Commonwealth relay golds Outdoor 800 pb: 1:59.21 -00 (1:59.59 -08). 400 pb: 51.55 -08.. 6 WJC 400 94; 3 WJC 4x400 96 (sf 400); 8 WCP 98/2002; 1 COM 4x400 98/2002/2006; sf WIC 800 99/2001; sf OLY 2000 (2004-ht); sf WCH 2001 (99/2007-ht); 5 COM 800 2002 (98-6); sf COM 400 2006. 1 Australian 800 98/99/2000/2001/2002/2003/2007/2008 (1 400 2005/2007/2008). Father-Greg Lewis (1 COM 4x100 74) ... mother-Carolyn Wright was 7x Australian Champion at HJ ... older brother Justin is her coach and was a professional sprinter ... formerly coached by Sebastian Coe and Daley Thompson ... in autumn 2006 she placed third in Australian TV's "Dancing With The Stars" ... born/lives-Melbourne In 2008: 1 Sydney 800; 1 Hobart 800; 1 Canberra 800; 1 Australian Cup 400; 1 Victorian State 400; 1 Sydney 800; 1 Melbourne 400; 1 Australian 400/800	29y	230d	1978	-	2:02.42 -99
63	FUENTES-PILA Margarita ESP Outdoor 800 pb: 2:01.76 -07. 1500 pb: 4:27.45 -06. sf EIC 800 2007. Has two sisters who are also international runners – Iris Maria (1 ECP 1500 2004) & Zulema (7 ECH 3000SC 2006) In 2008: 1 Spanish Clubs indoor 800; 3 Valencia 800; 4 European Indoor Cup Medley Relay; 2 Spanish indoor 800	25y	152d	1982	2:05.57	2:03.58 -07
64	MARTINEZ Mayte ESP 2007 World 800m bronze after being last at the bell (she was Spain's only medallist in Osaka outside the walks) Outdoor 800 pb: 1:57.62 -07. 1500 pb: 4:05.05 -05. 400 pb: 53.67 -03. 6 EJC 800 95; sf OLY 800 2000/2004; 2 ECH 800 2002 (2006-7); 2 WCP 800 2002; 3 WIC 800 2003 (2001-ht, 2004-sf); 3 ECP 800 2003/2006; 2 EIC 800 2005; 5 EIC 1500 2004-7; 3 WCH 2007 (2001-7, 2005-5). 1 Spanish 800 2000-2002/2004 -2008 (1 indoor 2001-2008) ... coach/husband-Juan Carlos Granado In 2008: 1 Zaragoza; 1 Valencia; 3 European Indoor Cup; 3 Stockholm; 1 Spanish indoor	31y	293d	1976	2:00.68	1:59.52 -04
88	MEADOWS Jenny GBR 2000 World Junior 4x400m gold ... twice AAA Indoor Champion at 800m Outdoor pb: 1:59.39 -07. 400 pb: 52.50 -05. 1500 pb: 4:19.36 -06. 1 WJC 4x400 2000; 6 under-23 ECH 400 2001 (2003-7); 2 WSG 4x400 2001; dnf ht EIC 2002 (shoe dislodged); ht COM 4x400 2002 (awarded silver medal won by England in final); 4 WIC 4x400 2003 (2006-6); 6 WCH 4x400 2003; 5 EIC 2007; sf WCH 2007. 1 AAA indoor 2002/2006 (1 UK indoor 2008). Married to coach/partner Trevor on September 9, 2006 In 2008: 1 Glasgow international; 2 Stuttgart; 1 UK indoor; 1 Birmingham; 2 Stockholm	26y	324d	1981	2:00.42	1:59.88 -07
89	OKORO Marilyn GBR 2007 World 4x400 bronze ... Outdoor 800 pb: 1:58.76 -07. 400 pb: 52.02 -06. 4 under-23 ECH 800 2005; 3 WSG 800 2004; 7 COM 800 2006; 4 EIC 800 2007; sf WCH 800 2007 (3 4x400). 1 AAA under-23 800 2005 & 400 2006. 1 UK indoor 800 2007. Parents-Nigerian ... graduate of French & Politics from Bath University, where she sang in their gospel choir ... coach-Ayo Falola In 2008: 2 UK indoor; 3 Birmingham; 1 UK Indoor City Challenge Final; 1 Ghent	23y	164d	1984	2:01.33	1:59.87 -07
106	BURNETT Marian GUY Guyanan record holder ... Outdoor pb: 1:59.47 -04. 1500 pb: 4:17.91 -07. sf COM 2002/2006; 2 Pan-Am Games 2003; ht WIC 2004/2006; sf OLY 2004; 1 South American 2007 (2 1500); 4 Pan-Am Games 800/1500 2007; sf WCH 800 2007 (2005-ht). 1 NCAA indoor 2002 In 2008: 1 Baton Rouge Mile; 4 Leipzig 400; 1 Stockholm 'B'; 2 Chemnitz	32y	13d	1976	2:03.76	2:03.17 -05
111	CUSMA PICCIONE Elisa ITA Very unlucky not to reach 2007 World outdoor final despite running 1:58.63 in the semi-finals Outdoor 800 pb: 1:58.63 -07. 1500 pb: 4:09.34 -07. ht WIC 800 2006; sf ECH 800 2006; sf WCH 800 2007 (2005-ht). 1 Italian 800 2005/2006/2007 (1 indoor 1500 2006 & 800 2007/2008). Father Lucio was a European and Italian lightweight boxing champion in the 1980s In 2008: 2 European Indoor Cup 800; 5 Stockholm 800; 1 Italian indoor 800	26y	226d	1981	2:01.20	2:01.03 -07
135	FÉLIX Fanjanteino MAD (Née Rakotomalala) ... Madagascan record holder indoors ... Outdoor pb: 2:05.25 -07. 7 French 2007 In 2008: 1 Eaubonne; 1 Mondeville; 4 Eaubonne; 5 French indoor	28y	40d	1980	2:09.23	2:09.23 -08
136	AÏT HAMMOU Sultana MAR Younger sister of 2003 World 4th-placer Mina Aït Hammou, who she narrowly failed to join in that final Outdoor 800 pb: 1:59.59 -06. 1000 pb: 2:36.75 -03. 1 Mediterranean Games 2001; 5 African Champs 2002; 3 World Military 2002; sf WCH 800 2003 (2005-ht); sf WIC 2004; sf OLY 2004; 1 Francophone Games 800/1500 2005. At WXC: 2005-84 short In 2008: 1 Valencia 800	27y	300d	1980	2:03.69	2:02.33 -04
144	MUTOLA Maria MOZ DEFENDING IAAF WORLD INDOOR CHAMPION 10x World 800m Champion (7 in & 3 out) Outdoor 800 pb: 1:55.19 -04. 1500 pb: 4:01.50 -02. 1 African Champs 90/93/2002 (2006-2); 1 African Games 91/95; 1 WCP 92/94/98/2002; 1 WIC 93/95/97/2001/2003/2004/2006 (99-2); 1 WCH 93/2001/2003 (91/2005-4, 95-dq sf, 97-3, 99-2, 2007-dnf final); 1 COM 98/2002 (2006-3); 1 OLY 2000 (88-ht, 92 -5, 96-3, 2004-4) ... 14 successive wins at Prefontaine Classic meeting, (Eugene) (93-2006), 12 at Zürich (93-2004) ... looked set for a medal at the Osaka World Championships when her left hamstring went into a spasm at 720m In 2008: 1 Stuttgart; 1 Karlsruhe; 1 Stockholm (1:59.82, her 193rd run below two minutes) This will be her ninth World Indoor Championship appearance, an outright record	35y	130d	1972	1:59.48	1:57.06 -99
145	SAMARIA Agnes NAM 2002 Commonwealth Games bronze at 800m ... Namibian record holder at 400m, 800m, 1000m, 1500m & One mile Outdoor 800 pb: 1:59.15 -02 (2:05.52 -08). 1500 pb: 4:05.44 -07. 3 COM 800 2002; 2 African Champs 800 2002 (2006-6); sf WIC 2003 (2004-ht); sf WCH 800 2003/2005/2007 (2001-ht); sf OLY 800 2004 (missed final by one place); 8 WCH 1500 2007 In 2008: 1 Germiston 800	35y	207d	1972	-	1:59.91 -05
157	SETOWSKA-DRYK Ewelina POL 2006 World Indoor finalist ... Outdoor pb: 1:58.96 -06. 400 pb: 53.56 -06, 53.67i -06. 400H pb: 57.17 -04. 7 WSG 400H 2003; sf EIC 2005; sf WCH 2005/2007; 5 WSG 2005; 6 WIC 2006; sf ECH 2006 (3 4x400); ht EIC 2007; 7 ECP 2007 In 2008: 3 Düsseldorf; 1 Athens; 1 European Indoor Cup; 4 Stockholm	28y	1d	1980	2:00.75	2:00.75 -08
166	TEIXEIRA Sandra POR Outdoor 800 pb: 2:01.55 -06. 1500 pb: 4:10.28 -05 (4:14.72i -08). sf WIC 800 2001 (2003/2004-ht); ht EIC 800 2002 & 1500 2005; 8 WSG 800 2003/2005; 3 Ibero-American 800 2004; ht ECH 800/1500 2006. 1 Portuguese 400 2003/2006, 800 98/99/2003-2005/2007 & 1500 2005 In 2008: 1 Portuguese Clubs indoor 1500; 5 Valencia 1500; 8 Stockholm 1500; 1 Portuguese indoor 800 (2 400)	29y	359d	1978	2:03.59	2:02.47 -01
167	DEL VALLE Lysaira PUR Puerto Rico Record holder indoors at 800m ... Outdoor pb: 2:02.85 -07. 1500 pb: 4:18.40 -07. 2 North & Central American & Caribbean 800 2007; 5 Pan-American Games 1500 2007 In 2008: 1 Manhattan; 1 Lincoln; 9 Ames	25y	301d	1982	2:08.91	2:05.52 -05
174	POPESCU Liliana ROU (Née Barbulescu) ... 2003 World Student Games Champion at 800m ... Outdoor 800 pb: 2:00.06 -03. 1500 pb: 4:03.33i -08. 5 World Youth 800 99; 3 WJC 800 2000; 3 EJC 800 2001; 1 WSG 800 2003; ht WIC 800 2004; sf ECH 800 2006; sf EIC 800 2007; sf WCH 800 2007 In 2008: 1 Bucharest 800/1500; 1 Balkan indoor 800; 1 Romanian indoor 800/1500	26y	30d	1982	2:00.41	2:00.41 -08

179	NEACSU Mihaela ROU (Pronounced "Nack-Shoe") ... (Née Stancescu) ... world outdoor semi-finalist indoors (2006) & out (2005) Outdoor pb: 1:59.78 -05. 400 pb: 53.57 -05. 1500 pb: 4:15.45 -05. 5 WJC 98; sf WCH 2005 (2007-ht); 2 Francophone Games 2005; sf WIC 2006; 6 ECP 2006; ht ECH 2006; ht EIC 2007; ht WCH 2007 In 2008: 2 Balkan indoor; 2 Romanian indoor	28y	308d	1979	2:03.01	1:59.82 -07
204	SAVINOVA Mariya RUS Outdoor pb: 2:00.78 -07. 6 Russian under-23 800/1500 2007 In 2008: 1 Ural indoor champs; 3 Moscow "Winter" 'B'; 3 Russian indoor; 1 Moscow 4x800 (Ran third leg for team which broke world record)	22y	206d	1985	1:59.46	1:59.46 -08
205	IGNATOVA Natalya RUS (Née Shipitsyna) ... Outdoor pb: 2:00.27 -07. 4 Russian under-23 2003 In 2008: 1 Yekaterinburg 1000; 2 Moscow "Winter"; 2 Russian indoor; 1 Moscow 4x800 (Anchored team which broke world record)	26y	295d	1981	1:58.84	1:58.84 -08
239	PETLYUK Tatyana UKR 2007 European indoor silver ... 1999 World youth silver & 2001 European junior bronze Outdoor 800 pb: 1:57.34 -06. 400 pb: 53.26 -04. 1500 pb: 4:10.91i -08. 2 World Youth 99; 6 WJC 2000; 3 EJC 2001; ht WIC 2003; 7 under-23 ECH 2003; 7 ECP 2004 (2006-dnf); sf OLY 2004; sf EIC 2005; sf WCH 2005/2007; sf WIC 2006; 4 ECH 2006; 2 EIC 2007. 1 Ukrainian 2004/2006 ... student of the Sports University of Kiev ... coach-Alex Fadeyev In 2008: 1 Kiev 1500; 5 Stuttgart 800; 1 Düsseldorf 800; 2 Karlsruhe 800; 1 Ukrainian indoor 800 (2 1500)	26y	13d	1982	1:59.76	1:58.67 -07
248	COOK Nicole USA Outdoor pb: 2:02.33 -04. 2 US indoor 2008; 2 NCAA indoor 2003 In 2008: 2 Boston; 2 Lexington; 2 Fayetteville; 2 US indoor	25y	22d	1983	2:02.86	2:00.75 -05
264	SPENCER Sasha USA Third in US Championships indoors & out in 2002 ... Outdoor pb: 2:01.56 -03. 5 WSG 2001; 7 WCP 2002; dq ht WIC 2003. 2 US indoor 2003 In 2008: 2 Glasgow international; 1 Linz; 2 Stuttgart 'B'; 2ht US indoor 800; 3 Chemnitz	28y	215d	1979	2:03.82	2:03.20 -03
266	TETER Nicole USA (Teter pronounced "teeter") ... 2002 US Champion at 800m indoors & out Outdoor pb: 1:57.97 -02. 1500 pb: 4:04.19 -02. sf OLY 2004. 1 US indoor 2002/2003/2008. Born-San Diego, was at University of Arkansas ... defeated both Maria Mutola & Jolanda Ceplak in Stockholm 2002 but then suffered a stress fracture ... lives-Mountain View, California ... coach-Frank Gagliano In 2008: 1 Seattle; 1 US indoor	34y	119d	1973	2:02.65	1:58.71 -02

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST	2008 WORLD LIST
1..... 1:55.82.....Jolanda Ceplak SLO..... 2002	1..... 1:56.49....Yelena Soboleva RUS
2..... 1:55.85....Stephanie Graf AUT.....2002	2..... 1:58.84....Natalya Ignatova RUS
3..... 1:56.40....Christine Wachtel GDR..... 1988	3..... 1:59.46....Mariya Savinova RUS
4..... 1:56.49....Yelena Soboleva RUS..... 2008	4..... 1:59.48....Maria Mutola MOZ
5..... 1:56.90....Ludmila Formanová CZE..... 1999	5..... 1:59.71....Mariya Shapayeva RUS
6..... 1:57.06....Maria Mutola MOZ..... 1996	6..... 1:59.76....Tatyana Petlyuk UKR
7..... 1:57.23 ...Inna Yevseyeva UKR..... 1992	7..... 2:00.41....Liliana Popescu ROU
8..... 1:57.47 ...Natalya Tsyganova RUS..... 1999	8..... 2:00.42....Jenny Meadows GBR
9..... 1:57.51....Olga Kotlyarova RUS..... 2006	9..... 2:00.68....Mayte Martínez ESP
10... 1:57.53....Larisa Zhao RUS..... 2005	10... 2:00.75....Ewelina Sęadowska-Dryk POL

Women's 1500 Metres

23 Entrants

	Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
21	JAMAL Maryam	BRN	23y 171d 1984	4:04.30	4:01.82 -06
2007 World Champion outdoors, Bahrain's first ever female medallist ... transferee, originally known as Zenebech Tola ETH, she moved to Lausanne in 2002 and had been seeking Swiss citizenship but could not travel outside the country while waiting for that so opted for Bahrain Outdoor 800 pb: 1:59.04 -06. 1500 pb: 3:56.18 -06. 3000 pb: 8:28.87 -05. 5000 pb: 14:51.68 -05. Half Mar pb: 71:43 -04. 3 WIC 1500 2006; 1 WCP 1500 2006; 1 Asian Games 800/1500 2006; 1 WCH 1500 2007 (2005-5). At WXC: 2005-33 short, 2006-37 short ... husband Mnashu Taye has also transferred from Ethiopian to Bahrain and is now named Tareq Yaqoob In 2008: 1 Stockholm					
25	YORDANOVA Daniela	BUL	31y 363d 1976	-	4:06.00 -01
2006 European 1500m bronze, fourth in Osaka 2007, fifth in 2004 Olympics ... Bulgarian record holder at 3000m & 5000m Outdoor 1500 pb: 3:59.10 -04. 3000 pb: 8:30.59 -01. 5000 pb: 14:56.95 -00. 5 EIC 3000 2000; 10 OLY 5000 2000; dnf sf WCH 1500 & ht 5000 2001; 5 EIC 1500 2002; 5 ECH 1500 2002; 4 WIC 1500 2004 (2001-5); 5 OLY 1500 2004; 3 ECH 1500 2006; 4 WCP 1500 2006; 4 WCH 1500 2007 (2003-7). Surgery on both Achilles in 2004. Born-Slivnitsa ... coach-Dimitar Vasilev					
29	STELLINGWERFF Hilary	CAN	26y 212d 1981	4:10.32	4:09.96 -07
(Née Edmonson) ... Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:05.69 -07. 800 pb: 2:02.20 -07. 7 WSG 2005; 11 COM 2006; sf WCH 2007. 1 Canadian 2007. At WXC: 2005-59 short. Born-London ON ... coach-Dave Scott-Thomas In 2008: 6 New York Mile; 12 Stuttgart 3000; 4 Karlsruhe; 1 Swiss indoor 800					
62	DESVIAT Esther	ESP	26y 39d 1982	4:15.95	4:15.95 -08
2003 European under-23 bronze ... Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:23.34 -00. 800 pb: 2:00.76 -03. 7 World Youth 800 99; 5 WJC 800 2000; ht EIC 800 2002; ht WIC 800 2003; 3 under-23 ECH 800 2003; ht WCH 800 2003; 6 ECP 800 2004; 7 Ibero-American 800 2004; ht EIC 800 2005; ht ECH 800 2006; ht EIC 1500 2007. At EXC: 2001-33J ... coach-Manuel Pascua In 2008: 1 Zaragoza 800; 2 Valencia 1500; 2 European Indoor Cup 1500; 1 Spanish indoor 1500					
69	BURKA Gelete	ETH	22y 20d 1986	4:04.37	4:04.37 -08
2006 World Short Course Cross Country Champion ... her complete name is Gelete BURKA Bati (first name, father's name, grandfather's name in that order), and not Burika Outdoor 5000 pb: 14:31.20 -07. 3000 pb 8:25.92 -06. 1500 pb: 3:59.60 -05. 8 WCH 1500 2005; 1 African Games 1500 2007; 10 WCH 5000 2007. 1 Ethiopian 1500 2004 & 3000/5000 2005. At WXC: 2003-3J, 2005-1J, 2006-1 short, 2007-4. Her complete name is Gelete BURKA Bati (first name, father's name, grandfather's name in that order), and not Burika ... oldest of three children including younger brother Mohammed who is also a runner ... husband-Taddele Gebremehden (an ex-volleyball player) In 2008: 1 Edinburgh XC; 1 Ethiopian XC; 1 Birmingham 3000; 2 Stockholm 1500					
73	JÄRVENPÄÄ Mari	FIN	26y 98d 1981	4:17.22	4:15.23 -07
Multiple winner of Finnish middle distances titles indoors ... Outdoor 3000 pb: 9:18.58 -07. 1500 pb: 4:16.94 -06. 800 pb: 2:02.74 -04. sf WJC 800 2000. At EXC: 99-43J. 1 Finnish 800 2004/2006 & indoor 800 2003/2004/2005, 1500 2004/2005/2007 & 3000 2006 In 2008: 3 ITA v FIN indoor 3000; 3 Valencia 1500; 11 Stockholm 1500; 1 Tampere 800					
77	GHEZIELLE Bouchra	FRA	28y 292d 1979	4:08.43	4:08.12 -06
(Née Benthami) ... 1998 World junior 1500m bronze (for Morocco), 2005 World senior 1500m bronze (for France) Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:09.00 -05. 3000 pb: 8:35.41 -05 (8:59.171 -08). 5000 pb: 15:12.17 -06. 3000 pb: 8:35.41 -05. 800 pb: 2:00.29 -05. 3 WJC 98 (96-11); 3 African Champs 1500 98; 3 ECP 1500 2005; 3 WCH 1500 2005; dnf ECH 5000 2006. 1 French 800 2005 & indoor 3000 2008. At WXC: 96-24J, 97-52J, 98-47J, 99-38 short. 1 Moroccan Junior XC 96/97 In 2008: 2 Le Mans XC; 3 Karlsruhe 1500; 1 French indoor 3000					
90	SCOTT Susan	GBR	30y 162d 1977	4:09.07	4:09.07 -08
Twice fourth in Commonwealth Games 800s, twice with Scottish records ... twice AAA Champion at 800m Outdoor 1500m pb: 4:09.00 -05. 800 pb: 1:59.02 -06. 4 COM 800 2002/2006; 3 ECP 800 2004 (2003-6); sf WCH 800 2005. 1 AAA 800 2002/2005 (2003-2, 2004-3). 1 Scottish 800/1500 2004. Her cousin Colin Scott was a goalkeeper for Rangers FC ... coach-Mark Rowland (formerly Tommy Boyle), she lives and trains with the UK Athletics Endurance squad in Twickenham In 2008: 1 Celtic Cup indoor 800; 2 UK indoor 1500; 4 Birmingham 800; 5 Stockholm 1500					
91	SIMPSON Jemma	GBR	24y 25d 1984	4:13.99	4:13.99 -08
2003 European Junior bronze ... 2005 European under-23 silver ... 2007 UK Champion Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:10.08 -07. 800 pb: 1:59.99 -06. 1 Commonwealth Youth 800 2000; 8 World Youth 800 2001; 4 WJC 800 2002; 3 EJC 800 2003; 2 under-23 ECH 800 2005; 6 COM 800 2006; sf ECH 800 2006; sf WCH 800 2007. 1 UK 800 2007 & indoor 1500 2008. Studying English at St Mary's College, Twickenham ... in 2005 she appeared as an extra in the film "The Da Vinci Code" and while in Australia in 2006 also appeared in a cafe scene in an episode of the soap opera "Neighbours" ... born-Plymouth, lives-Polgooth (Cornwall) ... coach-Mark Rowland In 2008: 1 Cardiff City Challenge sf 800; 1 UK indoor 1500; 2 Birmingham 800; 9 Stockholm 1500					
138	HILALI Siham	MAR	21y 309d 1986	-	4:10.91 -07
2003 World Youth Champion at 3000m & double bronze at 2004 World Junior Championships Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:04.03 -07. 3000 pb: 9:03.16 -04. At WXC: 2003-19J, 2004-12J. 1 World Youth 3000 2003; 3 WJC 1500 & 3000 2004; 1 Arab 1500 2007 (2 800); ht WCH 1500 2007. At WXC: 2003-19J, 2004-12J					
163	AUGUSTO Jessica	POR	26y 119d 1981	4:13.31	4:13.31 -08
2007 World Student Games Champion at 5000m ... first European finisher at 2007 World Cross Country Championships Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:15.15 -02. 3000 pb: 8:41.53 -07 (8:46.291 -08). 5000 pb: 14:56.39 -07. 6 EJC 3000 2000; 10 under-23 ECH 1500 2001 (dnf 5000 2003); 1 WSG 5000 2007; 15 WCH 500 2007 (2005-ht). At WXC: 2000-32J, 2001-57 short, 2004-61 short, 2005-31 short, 2006-dnf long, 2007-12. At EXC: 98-12J, 99-8J, 2000-1J, 2002-16, 2004-18, 2005-30, 2006-9, 2007-11. 1 Portuguese 5000 2006 & indoor 1500 2008 In 2008: 3 Albufeira XC; 3 Valencia 3000; 2 Birmingham 3000; 1 Portuguese indoor 1500					
166	TEIXEIRA Sandra	POR	29y 359d 1978	4:14.72	4:10.84 -05
Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:10.28 -05. 800 pb: 2:01.55 -06 (2:03.591 -08). sf WIC 800 2001 (2003/2004-ht); ht EIC 800 2002 & 1500 2005; 8 WSG 800 2003/2005; 3 Ibero-American 800 2004; ht ECH 800/1500 2006. 1 Portuguese 400 2003/2006, 800 98/99/2003-2005/2007 & 1500 2005 In 2008: 1 Portuguese Clubs indoor 1500; 5 Valencia 1500; 8 Stockholm 1500; 1 Portuguese indoor 800 (2 400)					
169	DONISA Daniela	ROU	19y 317d 1988	4:15.42	4:15.42 -08
Double bronze at 2007 European Junior Championships ... Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:08.02 -07. 3000 pb: 8:55.391 -08. sf World Youth 800 2005; 3 EJC 1500/3000 2007. At EXC: 2006-40J In 2008: 2 Bucharest 1500/3000; 1 Balkan indoor 3000; 2 Romanian indoor 3000 (3 1500)					
172	IAGAR-ANTOCI Elena	ROU	33y 50d 1975	4:11.79	4:03.09 -05
(Maiden name- Buhaiianu)... 2005 European Indoor Champion at 1500m Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:02.90 -02. 800 pb: 1:59.43 -04. 3000 pb: 8:54.161 -08. 10 ECH 1500 98 (ht 800); 4 ECP 800 99 (2001-8, 2002-5); 1 WSG 1500 99 (2001-8); 6 WCH 1500 99 (2001-ht); sf OLY 1500 2000 (ht 800); ht WIC 3000 2001; ht ECH 1500 2002; 6 WIC 1500 2003; ht OLY 1500 2004; 1 EIC 1500 2005 (2000-ht, 2002-2). At EXC: 97-27. From-Brasov In 2008: 1 Bucharest 3000 (3 1500); 1 Balkan indoor 1500; 1 Romanian indoor 3000 (2 1500)					
174	POPESCU Liliana	ROU	26y 30d 1982	4:03.33	4:03.33 -08
(Née Barbulescu) ... 2003 World Student Games Champion at 800m ... Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:10.41 -07. 800 pb: 2:00.06 -03 .5 World Youth 800 99; 3 WJC 800 2000; 3 EJC 800 2001; 1 WSG 800 2003; ht WIC 800 2004; sf ECH 800 2006; sf EIC 800 2007; sf WCH 800 2007 In 2008: 1 Bucharest 800/1500; 1 Balkan indoor 800; 1 Romanian indoor 800/1500					

187	FOMENKO Yuliya RUS DEFENDING IAAF WORLD INDOOR CHAMPION ... (Née Chizhenko) ... Outdoor 800 pb: 1:57.07 -06. 1500 pb: 3:55.68 -06. 3000 pb: 8:53.80i -05, 8:59.67 -06. 4 WSG 2003; dq WCH 2005; ht EIC 2005; 1 ECP 2005/2006 (2007-2); 1 WIC 2006; 2 ECH 2006; 7 WCP 3000 2006; 7 WCH 2007. 1 Russian 800 2006. Lost 2005 world silver at 1500m through disqualification after she obstructed Maryam Jamal ... married international high jumper Pavel Fomenko in October 2006 ... coach-Valeriy Shibayev In 2008: 1 St Petersburg Cup 800/1500; 1 St Petersburg indoor champs 800/1500; 2 Russian indoor 1500; 1 Yekaterinburg 1000	28y	189d	1979	4:00.21	4:00.21 -08
209	SOBOLEVA Yelena RUS World indoor record holder and world silvers indoors & out at 1500m Outdoor 1500 pb: 3:56.43 -06. 800 pb: 1:56.49i -08. Mile pb: 4:15.63 -07. 6 under-23 ECH 1500 2003; 2 WIC 1500 2006; 4 ECH 1500 2006; 2 WCH 1500 2007 (2005-4). 1 Russian indoor 1500 2006. Graduate of the Bryansk Institute of Technology, specialising in woods ... Coaches- Matvey Telyatnikov & Vladimir Graudyn In 2008: 1 Moscow indoor champs 800 (race 4); 1 Moscow "Winter" Mile (4:20.21, third-fastest of all-time); 1 Russian indoor 800 (absolute pb 1:56.49)/1500 (broke world indoor record)	25y	216d	1982	3:58.05	3:58.05 -08
213	ROMAN Sonja SLO Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:08.30 -04. 800 pb: 2:02.47 -02. 3000 pb: 8:54.24i -08. ht WJC 800/1500 96; 7 EJC 1500 97; 7 ECP 1500 98; sf WJC 800 98 (ht 1500); 12 under-23 ECH 1500 2001; ht ECH 1500 2002/2006; ht WIC 1500 2003/2004; 9 WSG 1500 2005 (2003-11); 7 EIC 1500 2007 (2005-ht). 1 Slovenian 800 2002/200/20074 (1 1500 2006/2007). At EXC: 98-7J, 99-dnf, 2002-33, 2006-24 In 2008: 1 Vienna 1500; 7 Stuttgart 3000; 2 Düsseldorf 3000; 2 Karlsruhe 1500; 1 Vienna 800; 6 Stockholm 1500	28y	361d	1979	4:08.16	4:06.75 -07
223	HAGLUND Kajsa SWE Outdoor 800 pb: 2:04.62 -07. 1500 pb: 4:12.99 -07. 1 Swedish under-23 800 2002. 1 Swedish 1500 2007 (1 indoor 2002/2007) In 2008: 2 Luxembourg; 3 Glasgow international; 3 Vienna; 3 Prague; 13 Stockholm	26y	117d	1981	4:14.90	4:14.90 -08
243	TOBIAS Nataliya UKR (Née Sidorenko) ... 2003 World Student Games Champion at 1500m ... Ukrainian record holder at steeplechase 3000SC pb: 9:41.14 -07. 3000 pb: 8:51.32 -02. 1500 pb: 4:02.52 -06. 800 pb: 2:02.31 -06. 9 under-23 ECH 1500 2001; 1 WSG 1500 2003; 4 ECP 1500 2005 (2007-6); 5 WIC 1500 2004 (2006-ht); sf OLY 1500 2004; 7 ECH 1500 2006; 6 EIC 1500 2007; 11 WCH 1500 2007 (ht 3000SC). 1 Ukrainian 800 2006 & 3000SC 2007 In 2008: 1 Donyetsk indoor champs 1500; 9 Stuttgart 3000; 5 Karlsruhe 1500; 1 Ukrainian indoor 1500 (5 800)	27y	104d	1980	4:10.3	4:07.26 -06
246	HALL Sara USA (Née Bei) ... her husband is international marathon runner Ryan Hall Outdoor pb: 4:08.99 -07. 5000 pb: 15:20.88 -05. 3 NCAA XC 2003; 2 NCAA 5000 2004/2005. 1 Fifth Avenue Mile 2006. At WXC 2006-26 short. Biology student In 2008: 5 New York Mile; 5 Boston Mile; 2 Millrose Games Mile; 3 US indoor 1500	24y	326d	1983	4:17.01	4:16.42 -07
251	DEATHERAGE Jenelle USA Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:07.87 -04. 9 WSG 1500 2001 (99-11); ht WIC 1500 2004. 2 US indoor 1500 2008 (2007-3). At WXC: 2000-89 short In 2008: 1 Boston Mile; 2 Fayetteville Mile; 2 US indoor 1500	30y	163d	1977	4:17.38	4:11.75 -06
275	WURTH-THOMAS Christy USA 2008 US Indoor Champion ... Outdoor pb: 4:05.00 -06. 5000 pb: 15:54.99 -03. ht WCH 1500 2007. At WXC: 2004-43 short. 3 NCAA 1500 2003. Lives-Bloomington, Illinois ... coach-Lance Harter In 2008: 4 Boston 3000; 1 Fayetteville Mile; 1 US indoor	27y	238d	1980	4:14.21	4:14.21 -08

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST	2008 WORLD LIST
1..... 3:58.05.... Yelena Soboleva RUS..... 2008	1..... 3:58.05.... Yelena Soboleva RUS
2..... 3:59.98.... Regina Jacobs USA..... 2003	2..... 4:00.21.... Yuliya Fomenko RUS
3..... 4:00.21.... Yuliya Fomenko RUS..... 2008	3..... 4:03.33.... Liliana-Popescu ROU
4..... 4:00.27.... Doina Melinte ROU 1990	4..... 4:03.68.... Yekaterina Martynova RUS
5..... 4:00.72.... Natalya Gorelova RUS..... 2003	5..... 4:04.30.... Maryam Jamal BRN
6..... 4:00.8.... Mary Slaney USA..... 1980	6..... 4:04.37.... Gelete Burka ETH
7..... 4:01.26.... Yuliya Chizhenko RUS..... 2006	7..... 4:05.90.... Olga Komyagina RUS
8..... 4:01.27.... Paula Ivan ROM..... 1989	8..... 4:06.04.... Yelena Sidorchenkova RUS
9..... 4:01.82.... Maryam Jamal BRN..... 2006	9..... 4:07.41.... Olesya Chumakova RUS
10... 4:01.90.... Kutre Dulecha ETH..... 2004	10... 4:07.46.... Sylvia Kibet KEN

Women's 3000 Metres

26 Entrants

		Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
28	METCALFE Megan CAN 2007 Pan-American Champion at 5000m ... Outdoor 3000 pb: 9:01.49 -07. 1500 pb: 4:11.06 -06. 5000 pb: 15:15.73 -07. 1 Canadian 5000 2006. At WXC: 2001-82J, 2005-55 short. From-Edmonton, Alberta In 2008: 2 New York; 3 Boston 3000; 7 New York	26y	39d	1982	8:52.85	8:52.85 -08
34	XUE Fei CHN 2006 World Junior, Asian Games & Chinese senior champion at 5000m ... still a junior in 2008 Outdoor 5000 pb: 15:02.73 -07. 1500 pb: 4:16.45i -08. 1 WJC 5000 2006; 1 Asian Games 5000 2006. 1 Chinese 5000 2006; 1 Chinese junior 1500/10,000 2007 Noted for her finishing kick, but we've not seen her indoors before (or indeed at 3000m) In 2008: 1 Nanjing 1500; 1 Beijing 1500 'C'	18y	211d	1989	-	-
61	CHECA Isabel ESP Outdoor pb: 9:37.51 -05. 5000 pb: 15:53.27 -05. 7 European Cup 10,000 2007. At WXC: 2007-63. 1 Spanish indoor 3000 2008 In 2008: 1 Valencia 3000; 17 Seville XC; 1 Spanish indoor 3000	25y	70d	1982	9:14.19	9:14.19 -08
70	DEFAR Meseret ETH DEFENDING IAAF WORLD INDOOR CHAMPION (going for her third in succession) Voted world woman athlete of 2007 ... Olympic & World Champion at 5000m ... twice World Indoor Champion at 3000m Outdoor 3000 pb: 8:24.51 -07. 5000 pb: 14:16.63 -07. 2 World Youth 3000 99; 2 WJC 5000 2000; 1 WJC 3000/5000 2002; 1 African Games 5000 2003/2007; 2 Afro-Asian 5000 2003; 1 WIC 3000 2004/2006 (2003-3); 1 OLY 5000 2004; 1 African Champs 5000 2006 (2000-2); 1 WCP 5000 2006; 1 WCH 5000 2007 (2005-2, 2003-ht). At WXC: 2002-13J. 1 Ethiopian 3000 2003. Defar means "bold" in Amharic ... husband-former soccer player Teodros Hailu In 2008: 1 Boston 2M (world best 9:10.50 but "I'm not running today 100%"); 1 Stuttgart 3000	24y	108d	1983	8:27.93	8:23.72 -07
71	MELKAMU Meselech ETH (Meselech pronounced "Messel-etch") ... three individual bronze medals at World Cross Country Championships Outdoor 3000 pb: 8:34.73 -05. 1500 pb: 4:07.52 -07. 5000 pb: 14:33.83 -07. 4 WCH 5000 2005 (2007-6); 6 African Champs 5000 2006; 2 African Games 5000 2007. At WXC: 2003-4J, 2004-1J, 2005-4 long & 6 short, 2006-3 short & long, 2007-3. 1 Great Ireland Run 2006. Father-Melkamu Haile Yesus was a marathon runner Great race with Meseret Defar indoors in Stuttgart 2007 where both broke the old world record at 3000m In 2008: 1 Valencia 3000; 1 Paris 3000	22y	314d	1985	8:29.48	8:23.74 -07
77	GHEZIELLE Bouchra FRA (Née Benthami) ... 1998 World junior 1500m bronze (for Morocco), 2005 World senior 1500m bronze (for France) Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:01.28 -05 (4:08.43i -08). 3000 pb: 8:35.41 -05. 5000 pb: 15:12.17 -06. 3000 pb: 8:35.41 -05. 800 pb: 2:00.29 -05. 3 WJC 98 (96-11); 3 African Champs 1500 98; 3 ECP 1500 2005; 3 WCH 1500 2005; dnf ECH 5000 2006. 1 French 800 2005 & indoor 3000 2008. At WXC: 96-24J, 97-52J, 98-47J, 99-38 short. 1 Moroccan Junior XC 96/97 In 2008: 2 Le Mans XC; 3 Karlsruhe 1500; 1 French indoor 3000	28y	292d	1979	8:59.17	8:50.63 -06
83	CLITHEROE Helen GBR (Née Pattinson) ... 2000 European Cup winner at 1500m ... British #1 at 1500m in 2005 & 2006 ... now UK Steeplechase Champion Outdoor 3000 pb: 8:51.94 -07. 3000SC pb: 9:41.59 -07. 800 pb: 2:03.20 -02. 1500 pb: 4:01.10 -02. 1 ECP 1500 2000 (2002-4, 2003-2, 2004-6); sf OLY 1500 2000; 3 COM 1500 2002 (98-9, 2006-4); 4 EIC 1500 2005/2007; 10 WCH 1500 2005 (99-ht, 2001-sf); 11 ECH 1500 2006 (2002-dnq). 1 AAA 1500 2001/2005/2006 (2nd in 97/98/99/2000/2002); 1 UK indoor 3000 2008. At WXC: 98-46 short, 99-39 short, 2000-34 short, 2001-35 short, 2002-22 short, 2003-31 short, 2004-19 short, 2005-57 short. At EXC: 98-39, 99-19, 2001-30, 2004-17, 2007-22 ... born/lives-Preston ... coach-John Nuttall In 2008: 5 Stuttgart 3000; 1 UK indoor 3000; 5 Birmingham 3000	34y	64d	1974	8:51.02	8:51.02 -08
85	DOBRISKEY Lisa GBR 2006 Commonwealth Champion at 1500m ... Outdoor 3000 pb: 8:54.12 -07. 1500 pb: 4:05.42 -05. 800 pb: 2:02.90 -04. ht World Youth 800 99; 4 WJC 1500 2002; 2 under-23 ECH 1500 2003; 5 WSG 1500 2005; 1 COM 1500 2006; 7 ECP 1500 2006; ht ECH 1500 2006; 5 EIC 3000 2007; sf WCH 1500 2007 (lost shoe). At WXC: 2002-68J. At EXC: 2001-36J, 2002-12J. 1 English Schools 800 98/99 & 1500 2001. 1 AAA indoor 3000 2006. 1 UK indoor 3000 2007. Studied English at Loughborough University ... younger sister Sarah was third in 2002 English Schools Hammer Throw ... born-Ashford, lives-Loughborough with partner Ricky Soos ... coach-George Gandy In 2008: 15 Edinburgh XC; 1 Glasgow international 1500; 2 UK indoor 3000; 3 Birmingham 3000; 4 Stockholm 1500	24y	74d	1983	8:50.42	8:47.25 -07
115	WEISSTEINER Silvia ITA 2007 European Indoor bronze at 3000m ... 3000 pb: 8:58.91 -03. 5000 pb: 15:11.81 -07. 10,000 pb: 32:30.55 -06. 6 ECP 5000 2005; 14 ECH 10,000 2006; 3 EIC 3000 2007 (2005-4); 12 WCH 5000 2007. 1 Italian 1500 2007. At WXC: 97-83J, 98-90J, 2000-48 long, 2003-46 short. At EXC: 97-33J, 98-18J, 2000-38, 2003-33, 2006-13. 1 Italian 5000 2005/2006 ... older brother Roland is also a cross-country international. Born-Bolzano ... coach-Ruggero Grassi In 2008: 6 San Giorgio su Legnano XC; 2 Rovereto XC; 4 Stuttgart 3000; 2 European Indoor Cup 3000	28y	237d	1979	8:55.04	8:44.81 -07
127	KIBET Sylvia KEN Fourth in 2007 World 5000m ... Outdoor 5000 pb: 14:57.37 -07. 3000 pb: 8:40.09 -06. Half Mar pb: 71:36 -06. 10,000 pb: 31:39.34 -06. 3 African Champs 5000 2006; 3 African Games 5000 2007; 4 WCH 5000 2007 In 2008: 3 Stuttgart 3000; 1 Düsseldorf 3000; 1 Karlsruhe 1500; 2 World Athletics Final 5000	23y	343d	1984	8:52.53	8:52.53 -08
128	NYARUAI Veronica KEN Second in World Junior Cross Country Championships in 2005 & 2006, then third in 207 ... 2005 World Youth & 2006 World Junior Champion at 3000m 3000 pb: 9:01.61 -05. 1500 pb: 4:08.22 -06 (4:09.11 -07). 1 World Youth 3000 2005; 1 WJC 3000 2006; sf WCH 1500 2007. At WXC: 2005/2006-2J, 2007-3J. Full name-Veronica Nyaruai Wanjiru ... coach-Ricky Simms (same as Vivian Cheruiyot & Linet Masai) In 2008: 8 Seville XC; 3 Glasgow international 3000; 4 Valencia 3000; 4 Paris 3000	18y	129d	1989	9:03.59	9:03.59 -08
132	NEHME Maria Pia LIB 52 Paris Marathon 2006 (3:11:16); 19 Asian Champs XC 2007	26y	198d	1981	-	-
137	ALAOUI SELSOULI Mariem MAR 2002 World Junior silver at 3000m ... much improved in 2007, for example by five seconds at 1500m Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:01.52 -07. 3000 pb: 8:29.52 -07. 5000 pb: 14:36.52 -07. 5 World Youth 3000 2001; 2 WJC 3000 2002 (5 1500); 1 African junior 3000 2003; 5 WSG 5000 2005 (10 1500); 6 WIC 3000 2006; 5 WCH 1500 2007. 1 World University XC 2004. At WXC: 2002-25J, 2003-13J, 2004-45 short, 2005-22 short, 2006-15 short, 2007-17. Fluent English ... her uncle Mustapha played handball for Morocco In 2008: 2 Valencia 3000	23y	332d	1984	8:35.86	8:35.86 -08
139	OUHADDOU Hanane MAR Arab Champion & Moroccan record holder at steeplechase ... 3000SC pb: 9:25.51 -07. 3000 pb: 9:04.24 -06. 5000 pb: 15:49.19 -07. 5 African Champs 3000SC 2006; 1 Arab 5000/3000SC 2007; 9 WCH 3000SC 2007. At WXC: 2006-31 short, 2007-33 In 2008: 9 Seville XC; 2 Paris 3000	25/26y		1982	8:54.51	8:54.51 -08

153	SMITH Kim NZL	26y	108d	1981	-	8:38.14	-07
2005 World Student Games Champion at 5000m ... New Zealand record holder at 3000m, 5000m & 10,000m Outdoor 3000 pb: 8:35.31 -07. 5000 pb: 14:49.41 -07. 10,000 pb: 31:20.63 -07. 1500 pb: 4:11.25 -04. ht OLY 5000 2004; 15 WCH 10,000 2005; 1 WSG 5000 2005; 4 WCP 5000 2007; 15 WCH 10,000 2005; 1 WSG 5000 2005; 5 WCH 10,000 2007. At WXC: 2002-52 long, 2003-61 short, 2005-12 long. 1 NCAA indoor 3000/5000 2004; 1 NCAA 5000 2004. 1 New Zealand 5000 2002/2005/2006 In 2008: 2 Boston 2M (Jan 26); 1 Boston Mile (Feb 8)							
9:13.94 for 2M in Boston behind Defar, so she must have gone through 3000m close to 8:38, but unfortunately no official time was taken							
163	AUGUSTO Jessica POR	26y	119d	1981		8:46.29	8:46.29 -08
2007 World Student Games Champion at 5000m ... first European finisher at 2007 World Cross Country Championships Outdoor 5000 pb: 14:56.39 -07. 3000 pb: 8:41.53 -07. 1500 pb: 4:13.31i -8 (4:15.15 -02). 6 EJC 3000 99 (12 1500); 8 WJC 3000 2000; 10 under-23 ECH 1500 2001 (dnf 5000 2003); 1 WSG 5000 2007; 15 WCH 500 2007 (2005-ht). At WXC: 2000-32J, 2001-57 short, 2004-61 short, 2005-31 short, 2006-dnf long, 2007 -12. At EXC: 98-12J, 99-8J, 2000-1J, 2002-16, 2004-18, 2005-30, 2006-9, 2007-11. 1 Portuguese 5000 2006 & indoor 1500 2008 In 2008: 3 Albufeira XC, 3 Valencia 3000; 2 Birmingham 3000; 1 Portuguese indoor 1500							
169	DONISA Daniela ROU	19y	317d	1988		8:55.39	8:55.39 -08
Double bronze at 2007 European Junior Championships ... Outdoor 3000 pb: 8:59.86 -07. 1500 pb: 4:08.02 -07 (4:15.42i -08). sf World Youth 800 2005; 3 EJC 1500/3000 2007. At EXC: 2006-40J In 2008: 2 Bucharest 1500/3000; 1 Balkan indoor 3000; 2 Romanian indoor 3000 (3 1500)							
172	IAGAR-ANTOCI Elena ROU	33y	50d	1975		8:54.16	8:54.16 -08
(Maiden name- Buhaianu)... 2005 European Indoor Champion at 1500m Outdoor 1500 pb: 4:02.90 -02. 800 pb: 1:59.43 -04. 10 ECH 1500 98 (ht 800); 4 ECP 800 99 (2001-8, 2002-5); 1 WSG 1500 99 (2001-8); 6 WCH 1500 99 (2001-ht); sf OLY 1500 2000 (ht 800); ht WIC 3000 2001; ht ECH 1500 2002; 6 WIC 1500 2003; ht OLY 1500 2004; 1 EIC 1500 2005 (2000-ht, 2002-2). At EXC: 97-27. From-Brasov In 2008: 1 Bucharest 3000 (3 1500); 1 Balkan indoor 1500; 1 Romanian indoor 3000 (2 1500)							
189	KOMYAGINA Olga RUS	34y	25d	1974		8:48.71	8:35.67 -06
The best female pacemaker in the business but also racing as well as ever Outdoor 3000 pb: 8:43.95 -07. 1500 pb: 4:02.32 -00. Mile pb: 4:25.71 -99. 1 ECP 1500 98; 11 ECH 1500 98; 4 WIC 1500 99; 6 EIC 1500 2002 (98-ht). At WXC: 2006-16 short. 1 Russian indoor 1500 97/98. Partner-Innokentiy Zharov was Russian 400m Champion in 1998, their daughter Yekaterina born June 19, 2004 In 2008: 1 St Petersburg Cup 3000; 2 Moscow "Winter" Mile (4:23.49); 2 Russian indoor 3000							
206	SIDORCHENKOVA Yelena RUS	27y	280d	1980		8:44.61	8:43.88 -06
2006 European Cup Steeplechase winner ... 3000SC pb: 9:27.35 -06. 1500 pb: 4:06.04i -08. ht WIC 3000 2003; 1 ECP 3000SC 2006 (2007-5); 5 ECH 3000SC 2006. At WXC: 2006-27 short In 2008: 3 Yekaterinburg 2000; 2 Moscow indoor champs 1500; 3 Moscow "Winter" Mile; 1 Russian indoor 3000; 1 European Indoor Cup 3000							
213	ROMAN Sonja SLO	28y	361d	1979		8:54.24	8:54.24 -08
Outdoor 3000 pb: 9:47.50 -05. 1500 pb: 4:08.30 -04. 800 pb: 2:02.47 -02. ht WJC 800/1500 96; 7 EJC 1500 97; 7 ECP 1500 98; sf WJC 800 98 (ht 1500); 12 under-23 ECH 1500 2001; ht ECH 1500 2002/2006; ht WIC 1500 2003/2004; 9 WSG 1500 2005 (2003-11); 7 EIC 1500 2007 (2005-ht). 1 Slovenian 800 2002/200/20074 (1 1500 2006/2007). At EXC: 98-7J, 99-dnf, 2002-33, 2006-24 In 2008: 1 Vienna 1500; 7 Stuttgart 3000; 2 Dusseldorf 3000; 2 Karlsruhe 1500; 1 Vienna 800; 6 Stockholm 1500							
226	MRISHO Zakia TAN	24y	16d	1984		-	-
Tanzanian record holder at 3000m & 5000m ... Outdoor 3000 pb: 8:39.91 -05. 10,000 pb: 33:19.25 -02. 6 WCH 5000 2005 (2007-ht); 8 COM 5000 2006. At WXC: 2005-20 long, 2007-23							
232	BEKELE Alemitu TUR	30y	171d	1977		8:56.73	8:56.73 -08
Outdoor 3000 pb: 8:55.51 -07. 1500 pb: 4:12.68 -07. Mar pb: 2:40:09 -00. 44 WCH Marathon 97; 37 World Half Mar 99 (for Ethiopia). 1 Balkan 3000/5000 2007. Former marathoner (1 Brugges & Stockholm 2002, 1 Maastricht 2006) who has moved down in distances In 2008: 2 European Clubs XC; 2 Balkan indoor 3000							
249	CULLEY Julie USA	26y	178d	1981		9:00.14	9:00.14 -08
Outdoor 5000 pb: 16:00.20 -07. 1500 pb: 4:17.53 -07. 3 US indoor 3000 2008. Graduate of Marketing and political Science from the State University of New Jersey In 2008: 1 Boston 3000; 1 New York 1500 (Feb 9); 3 US indoor 3000							
258	McGREGOR Katie USA	30y	186d	1977		9:03.34	8:59.64 -03
2005 US Champion at 10,000m ... Outdoor 5000 pb: 15:23.24 -05. 10,000 pb: 31:21.20 -05. ht WIC 3000 2003; 13 WCH 10,000 2007 (2005-14); 13 WCH 10,000 2007; 27 World Half Mar 2007. 1 US 10,000 & road 10K 2005. 1 NCAA XC 99 (representing the University of Michigan). At WXC: 96-62J, 2003-15 long, 2004-27 long, 2005-29 long. Born-Cleveland ... lives-St Louis Park, Minneapolis ... coach-Dennis Barker In 2008: 4 Boston 2M; 4 US indoor 3000							
260	RHINES Jen USA	33y	249d	1974		8:59.98	8:59.98 -08
Seventh in 2007 World 5000m ... Outdoor 3000 pb: 8:35.03 -07. 5000 pb: 14:55.18 -06. 10,000 pb: 31:17.31 -07. Mar pb: 2:29:57 -04. ht OLY 10,000 2000; 22 WCH 10,000 2001; 14 Chicago 2002 (marathon debut); 3 US Olympic Trials 2004; 34 OLY 2004; 7 WCH 5000 2007. 1 US Champs 10,000 2002. At WXC: 99 -23 long, 2000-13 long, 2001-27 long, 2002-12 long. 1 NCAA 5000 94/95/96. Lives-Haverford, Pennsylvania ... husband-runner Terance Mahon In 2008: 4 New York Mile; 3 Boston 2M; 4 Millrose Games; 2 US indoor 3000							

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1..... 8:23.72....Meseret Defar ETH..... 2007	1..... 8:27.93....Meseret Defar ETH
2..... 8:23.74....Meselech Melkamu ETH..... 2007	2..... 8:29.48....Meselech Melkamu ETH
3..... 8:27.86....Liliya Shobukhova RUS..... 2006	3..... 8:31.94....Gelete Burka ETH
4..... 8:29.00....Olesya Syreva RUS..... 2006	4..... 8:33.37....Tirunesh Dibaba ETH
5..... 8:29.48....Meselech Melkamu ETH..... 2008	5..... 8:35.86....Mariem Alaoui Selsouli MAR
6..... 8:29.15....Berhane Adere ETH..... 2002	6..... 8:36.59....Ejegayehu Dibaba ETH
7..... 8:31.50....Jo Pavey GBR..... 2007	7..... 8:44.61....Yelena Sidorchenkova RUS
8..... 8:31.94....Gelete Burka ETH..... 2008	8..... 8:46.29....Jessica Augusto POR
9..... 8:32.88....Gabriela Szabo ROU..... 2001	9..... 8:48.71....Olga Komyagina RUS
10... 8:33.25....Shalane Flanagan USA..... 2007	10... 8:49.52....Marya Kononova RUS

Women's 60 Metres Hurdles

28 Entrants

			Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
4	BERINGS Eline	BEL	21y	283d	1986	8.10	8.07 -07
	Belgian record holder indoors & out ... 2005 European Junior Champion 100H pb: 12.97 -07. 7 World Youth 2003; sf WJC 2004; 1 EJC 2005; ht ECH 2006; 4 under-23 ECH 2007; 6 WSG 2007; ht WCH 2007. 1 Belgian 2005/2007. Student of Psychology at the University of Gent ... coach-Patrick Himschoot In 2008: 4 Linz; 6ht Stuttgart; 6ht Karlsruhe; 3 Ghent						
13	VOLODKO Yevgeniya	BLR	26y	348d	1981	7.89	7.89 -08
	(= Yauhenia Valadzko) (Née Likhuta) ... 2007 World Student Games Champion 100H pb: 12.95 -07. dq ECP 2002; 2 under-23 ECH 4x100 2001; sf WIC 2003 (2004-ht); 7 under-23 ECH 2003; 2 WSG 2003 (2003-2). 1 Belarus 2007 In 2008: 1 Minsk indoor champs 60; 1 Minsk 200/60H; 1 Belarus Cup 200 (4 60); 2 European Indoor Cup; 6 Stockholm; 1 Belarus indoor						
27	LOPES-SCHLIEP Priscilla	CAN	25y	193d	1982	7.91	7.87 -06
	Five times second in US Collegiate Championships, representing the University of Nebraska where she studied Sociology & Criminal Justice 100H pb: 12.60 -06. 100 pb: 11.44 -04. qf WJC 2000; ht OLY 2004; sf WCH 2007. 2 NCAA 2004/2005/2006 (2 indoor 2005/2006) ... born-Scarborough, Ontario ... coach-Anthony McCleary In 2008: 1 Fresno; 4 Glasgow international; 1 Millrose Games; 1 Lincoln NE; 5 Birmingham; 4 Stockholm; 1 Ghent						
30	WHYTE Angela	CAN	27y	288d	1980	7.92	7.92 -08
	2004 Olympic finalist ... 2006 Commonwealth silver ... 100H pb: 12.63 -07. Hep pb: 5745 -03. ht WIC 2004; 6 OLY 2004; 2 COM 2006; 3 Pan-Am Games 2007 (2003-5); 8 WCH 2007 (2001-ht, 2003/3005-st). 3 NCAA 2001. 1 Canadian 2001. Graduated from the University of Idaho with a degree in Crime & Justice Studies ... coach-Wayne Phipps In 2008: 1 Pullman (Jan 19); 1 Pullman (Jan 25); 1 Pullman (Jan 26); 1 Moscow ID (Feb 2); 1 Moscow ID (Feb 8); 1 Seattle; 1 Pullman (Feb 23)						
46	TEJEDA Anay	CUB	24y	338d	1983	7.90	7.90 -08
	Former World Junior Champion ... 100H pb: 12.72 -06. 1 Central American & Caribbean 2002/2006; 1 WJC 2002 (2000-7); ht OLY 2004; sf WCH 2005/2007; 5 WSG 2005; sf WIC 2006; 5 Pan-Am Games 2007 (2003-8). 1 Cuban 2002-2006 In 2008: 3 Gothenburg; 3 Linz; 4 Stuttgart; 5 Düsseldorf; dnf Karlsruhe; 5 Stockholm; 1 Paris; 4 Aubière 60						
47	SCERBOVÁ Denisa	CZE	21y	198d	1986	8.20	8.20 -08
	2004 World Junior Long Jump Champion ... 2007 European indoor bronze Outdoor LJ pb: 6.68 -04 (6.59i -08). Hep pb: 6017 -07. 2 World Youth LJ 2003 (2001-10); dnf WIC LJ 2004; 1 WJC LJ 2004; dnf OLY LJ 2004; dnf EIC LJ 2005; 1 EJC LJ 2005 (2003-4); dnf ECH Heptathlon 2006; 3 EIC LJ 2007; 2 under-23 ECH LJ 2007; dnf WCH LJ 2007. 1 Czech LJ 2004/2007 & Czech indoor LJ 2004/2005. Coach-Ales Duda ... partner-2.36 high jumper Jaroslav Baba ... 1.75/58kg In 2008: 11 Hustopece HJ 'B'; 3 Otrokovice HJ; 1 GBR v CZE v ESP v FRA indoor Pentathlon (set Czech indoor record 4632); 6 Valencia LJ; 3 Birmingham Three-Event Challenge						
57	MÖLLER Anne	DEN	20y	154d	1987	8.44	8.44 -08
	100H pb: 14.06 -07. ht WJC 2006. 1 Danish 2006/2007 (1 HJ 2007) In 2008: 3 Malmö (Jan 20); 1 Malmö (Jan 27); 1 Gothenburg; 1 Danish indoor						
59	ALOZIE Glory	ESP	30y	67d	1977	8.22	7.82 -99
	Former European Champion at 100m Hurdles ... 2000 Olympic silver & four World silvers, indoors or out 100 pb: 10.90 -99 (11.50w, 11.62 -07). 2 WJC 96; 1 African Champs 98; 1 WCP 98 (2002-3); 2 WIC 99/2003/2006 (2004-ht); 2 WCH 99 (2003-4, 2005-sf); 1 African Games 99; 2 OLY 2000 (2004-sf); 1 ECH 2002 (4 100); 1 ECP 2003 (2004-3); 4 EIC 2005; 4 ECH 2006; 8 ECP 100 2007. Based in Spain (Valencia) since 1997... originally won 2002 European indoor gold, but later stripped of title when it was confirmed that her Spanish citizenship had not come through in time ... coach-Rafael Blanquer ... 1.55 tall In 2008: 1 Valencia 60 (Jan 12); 1 Valencia (Jan 19); 2 Valencia (Jan 19); 1 Zaragoza; 5 Valencia (Feb 9); 2 Spanish indoor; 8 ECP 100						
66	ONYIA Josephine	ESP	21y	235d	1986	7.91	7.88 -06
	100H pb: 12.67 -07. 4 World Youth 2003; 2 African junior 2003. 1 Spanish 2007. Ex-Nigeria, became a Spanish citizen on May 10, 2007 In 2008: 1 Valencia 60 (Jan 12); 1 Valencia (Jan 19); 1 Spanish Clubs indoor; 1 Valencia (Feb 9); 4 Athens 60; 1 European Indoor Cup; 2 Stockholm; 1 Spanish indoor 60						
76	BILLAUD Cindy	FRA	21y	361d	1986	8.11	8.11 -08
	Outdoor pb: 13.25 -07. sf World Youth 2003; sf WJC 2004; 3 EJC 2005. 1 French junior 2005 In 2008: 2 Paris 60; 1 Aubière; 2 Mondeville; 6 Eaubonne; 2 French indoor; 5ht Paris						
80	OKORI Reina-Flor	FRA	27y	308d	1980	8.08	7.97 -07
	1999 European Junior Champion ... 100H pb: 12.71w -04, 12.75 -05. 10 WJC LJ 96 (dq 100H); dnf WJC LJ 98 (ht 100H); 1 EJC 100H 99; 5 WSG 2001; sf OLY 2004; ht EIC 2005; sf WCH 2005; sf ECH 2006; 6 EIC 2007. 1 French 2004 & indoor 2007/2008. Coach-Gérard Louis ... born-Libreville (Gabon) In 2008: 6 Gothenburg; 7 Linz; 4ht Stuttgart; 2 Eaubonne; 1 French indoor; 6 Paris; 4 Ghent						
82	CLAXTON Sarah	GBR	28y	165d	1979	8.07	7.96 -05
	4x National Hurdles Champion indoors & 3x out ... 100H pb: 12.91w -04, 12.93 -06. LJ pb: 6.56 -99. 4 WJC LJ 98; 12 COM LJ 2002; ht OLY 100H 2004; sf EIC 60H 2005; ht WCH 100H 2005; sf WIC 60H 2006 (2001/2003/2004-ht); 4 ECP 100H 2006 (2004-dnf); ht ECH 100H 2006. 1 AAA indoor 60H 2003/2004/2005. 1 AAA 2004/2005/2006. Mother-Althea was born in the British Virgin Islands and was a javelin thrower and cross country runner ... born-Colchester, lives-Chadwell Heath ... coach-Lloyd Cowan In 2008: 1 South of England indoor 60; 1 South of England indoor 60H/LJ; 1 Irish indoor 60H; 4 Samara 60H; 1 UK indoor 60H (5 LJ); 8 Athens 60H; 3 Birmingham 60H; 1 UK Indoor City Challenge Final 60H; 4ht Paris 60H						
105	REDOÚMI Flóra	GRE	31y	176d	1976	8.19	7.91 -04
	2004 European Indoor Cup winner ... 100H pb: 12.86 -04. 5 Mediterranean Games 2001; 5 EIC 2002 (2005-sf, 2007-ht); sf WIC 2003 (2001-ht); sf WCH 2003/2007 (2005-ht); 1 European Indoor Cup 2004; 7 WIC 2004; ht OLY 2004; 3 ECP 2005 (2004-4, 2007-5); sf ECH 2006 (2002-ht); 7 WCP 2006. 1 Greek 98/2001/2004/2005/2007 ... coach-Dimitrios Hatzopoulos In 2008: 3 Valencia; 7 Athens						
110	CATTANEO Micol	ITA	25y	297d	1982	8.05	8.05 -08
	100H pb: 13.08 -07. ht WJC 2000; 8 EJC 2001; sf EIC 2005; 5 ECP 2005; sf ECH 2006. 1 Italian 2005/2007 (1 indoor 2007/2008) In 2008: 1 ITA v FIN indoor; 4 European Indoor Cup; 1 Italian indoor						
117	GOLDING-CLARKE Lacena	JAM	32y	352d	1975	7.93	7.83 -06
	2002 Commonwealth Games Champion at 100mH ... 1999 Central American LJ Champion ... 4x Jamaican LJ Champion 100H pb: 12.67w, 12.68 -05. LJ pb: 6.87 -98. 1 Pan-Am junior LJ 93; 8 WJC LJ 94 (92-6); dnf WCH LJ 95/97; dnf OLY LJ 96/2000; 3 Central American & Caribbean LJ 98; 4 COM LJ 98; 1 COM 2002; 4 WIC 2003 (2001-8, 2004-6, 2006-6); 3 Pan-Am Games 2003; 8 WCH 2003 (2007-sf); 5 OLY 2004; 6 WIC 2006; 4 COM 2006. 1 Jamaican LJ 94/96-99. Husband-400m runner Davian Clarke (6th OLY 2004) In 2008: 1 Houston (Jan 12); 2 Valencia; 2 Athens; 1 Leipzig; 3 Stockholm						
131	DAVIS Kia	LBR	31y	287d	1976	8.12	8.06 -02
	Ex-USA, she ran in the 2006 World Indoor Championships for that country and was awarded a silver medal as part of the 4x400m relay squad 100H pb: 13.08 -02. 400 pb: 51.63 -04. silver WIC 4x400 2006 (ran heat). 4 US indoor 60H 2002 (2003-8, 2004/2006-6). Volunteer coach at the University of Nevada ... gained a degree in sociology from St. Augustine's College in Raleigh, N.C., in 2002 In 2008: 2 Chapel Hill 60H; 3 Gainesville 55H (4 400); 2 Indiana Relays indoor 60H; 1 New York 60H 'C' (5 60)						
147	AUGUSTUS Toyin	NGR	28y	73d	1979	8.19	8.14 -05
	Reigning African & African Games Champion ... 1 African Champs 2006; 1 African Games 2007. 1 Nigerian 2007 In 2008: 1 Flagstaff; 1 Mondeville; 1 Dour; 5 Eaubonne						

181	ANTONOVA Aleksandra RUS	27y 347d 1980	7.98	7.93 -07
2007 European indoor silver ... Outdoor pb: 12.78 -06. 6 ECH 2006; 6 WCP 2006; 2 EIC 2007; 3 ECP 2007; ht WCH 2007. 1 Russian indoor 2006 In 2008: 2 Moscow indoor champs; 3 Krasnodar; 5 Volgograd; ht Volgograd; 3 Moscow "Winter"; 3 Samara; 1 Russian indoor; 3 Yekaterinburg; 4ht Paris				
190	KONDAKOVA Yuliya RUS	26y 93d 1981	8.00	8.00 -08
100H pb: 12.95w, 13.04 -07 In 2008: 1 St Petersburg Cup; 4 Krasnodar; 3 Volgograd; 1 Moscow "Winter"; 2 Russian indoor; 4 Yekaterinburg; 2 Tampere				
219	BOBKOVÁ Miriam SVK	29y 5d 1979	8.04	8.04 -08
Slovak record holder indoors & out ... 100H pb: 13.04 -07. 4 EJC 97; ht WCH 2007. 1 Slovak 2000-2002/2007 (1 100 2002/2004) In 2008: 1 Linz 'B'; 1 Eaubonne; 5 Karlsruhe; 7 Birmingham; 1 Slovak indoor				
224	KALLUR Susanna SWE	27y 19d 1981	7.68	7.68 -08
New World Indoor record holder ... European Champion indoors & out 100H pb: 12.49 -07. 100 pb: 11.30 -06. 1 WJC 2000 (98-3); 1 under-23 ECH 2001/2003; sf OLY 2004; 1 EIC 2005/2007 (2000-6); 3 WIC 2006 (2003-7, 2004 -5); 1 ECP 2006; 1 ECH 2006 (2002-7); 2 WCP 2006; 6 EIC 60 2007; 4 WCH 2007 (2001/2003/2005-sf). 1 Swedish 99/2000/2002/2003/2004/2005/2007. Born-Huntington, NY ... father-Anders was a multiple Stanley Cup Champion (ice hockey) with New York Islanders ... twin sister Jenny has never beaten Susanna in a hurdles race ... their younger brother Martin is a 4m pole vaulter ... coaches-Karin Torneklint & Torbjörn Eriksson In 2008: 1 Glasgow international (7.81); 1 Gothenburg (7.75); 1 Stuttgart (7.72); 1 Karlsruhe (7.68 to break by 0.01 the world indoor record which had stood to Lyudmila Narozhilenko since 1990); 1 Birmingham (7.75); 1 Stockholm (7.74) She has the five fastest times in the world so far in 2008. She's won 24/25 finals at 60m Hurdles in 2005-2008, the one loss coming at the 2006 World Indoor Championships				
225	AL BOUZA Fadwa SYR	18y 52d 1990	-	8.85 -05
Syrian record holder at 60m Hurdles ... 24 World Youth Heptathlon 2005				
233	KIZILDAG Esen TUR	27y 157d 1980	8.38	8.19 -07
6x Turkish Champion ... 100H pb: 12.99 -06. 6 Mediterranean Games 2001; ht EIC 2002/2007; sf ECH 2006; ht WCH 2007. 1 Turkish 98/99/2001-2003/2005 ... coach-Cuneyt Yuksel In 2008: 1 Balkan indoor; 7 Ghent				
234	YANIT Nevin TUR	22y 19d 1986	8.06	8.00 -07
Turkish record holder indoors & out ... 2007 European under-23 Champion 100H pb: 12.76 -07. ht WJC 2004; sf EJC 2005; dnf ht ECH 2006; 1 under-23 ECH 2007; 2 WSG 2007; sf WCH 2007 ... coach-Cuneyt Yuksel In 2008: 4 Valencia; 2 Belgian indoor; 2 Ghent				
242	SNIGUR Yevgeniya UKR	23y 364d 1984	8.10	8.10 -08
100H pb: 12.89 -07. 4 World Youth 2001; 6 EJC 2003; 1 ECP 2007 (2005/2006-6); 3 World Student Games 2007; ht WCH 2007; 1 World Military Games 2007. 1 Ukrainian 2005/2006. In 2008: 1 Ukrainian indoor				
250	DAVIS Candice USA	22y 132d 1985	7.90	7.90 -08
100 pb: 12.63 -07. 1 North & Central American & Caribbean 2007. 2 US indoor 2008; 2 NCAA 2007. Student of Political Science at the University of Southern California In 2008: 4 Fresno; 2 Vienna; 1 Linz; 1 Prague; 3ht Düsseldorf; 8 Düsseldorf; 2 US indoor				
254	JONES Lolo USA	25y 214d 1982	7.77	7.77 -08
Sixth in 2007 World final ... twice US Indoor Champion ... 100H pb: 12.56 -06. 100 pb: 11.26 -06. 1 North & Central American under-23 2004; 6 WCH 2006. 1 US indoor 2007/2008; 1 NCAA indoor 2003 (2004-2). Her actual first names is Lori ... graduated in Spanish & Economics from Louisiana State University ... her first sport was basketball ... she can play the cello ... coach-Dennis Shaver In 2008: 2 Glasgow international; 2 Gothenburg; 2 Stuttgart; 1 Düsseldorf; 2 Karlsruhe (7.77, only Gail Gevers faster ever among Americans); 1 US indoor				
273	WELLS Kellie USA	25y 234d 1982	8.00	8.00 -08
100H pb: 12.93 -97. 5 US indoor 2007 In 2008: 2 Gainesville; 1 Vienna; 5 Linz; 6 Stuttgart; 4 Karlsruhe; 3 Athens; 2 Birmingham; 3 US indoor				

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST	2008 WORLD LIST
1..... 7.68..... Susanna Kallur SWE..... 2008	1..... 7.68..... Susanna Kallur SWE
2..... 7.69..... Lyud. Narozhilenko RUS..... 1990	2..... 7.77..... Lolo Jones USA
3..... 7.73..... Cornelia Oschkenat GDR..... 1989	3..... 7.85..... Damu Cherry USA
=4... 7.74 Yordanka Donkova BUL..... 1987	4..... 7.89..... Yevgeniya Valadzko BLR
..... 7.74..... Michelle Freeman JAM..... 1998	=5... 7.90..... Anay Tejada CUB
..... 7.74..... Gail Devers USA..... 2003 7.90..... Candice Davis USA
=7... 7.75..... Bettine Jahn GDR..... 1983	=7... 7.91..... Josephine Onyia ESP
..... 7.75..... Perdita Felicien CAN..... 2004 7.91..... Priscilla Lopes-Schliep CAN
9..... 7.76..... Gloria Siebert GDR..... 1988	9..... 7.92..... Angela Whyte CAN
=10. 7.77..... Zofia Bielczyk POL 1980	10... 7.93..... Lacena Golding-Clarke JAM
..... 7.77..... Lolo Jones USA..... 2008	

Women's High Jump

19 Entrants

			Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
6	HELLEBAUT Tia	BEL	30y	19d	1978	1.98	2.05 -07
(Pronounced "Hella-bout") ... reigning European High Jump Champion indoors & out Outdoor HJ pb: 2.03-06. Hep pb: 6201-06. 7 under-23 ECH Hep 99; 14 WCH Hep 2001 (2003-dnf); 5 WIC HJ 2004; 12 OLY HJ 2004; 6 WCH HJ 2005 (2007-14); 1 ECH HJ 2006; 2 WCP HJ 2006; 1 EIC HJ 2007. 1 Belgian Hep 99/2000/2002 (1 HJ 2000/2002/2003/2005/2006) ... born-Antwerp, Graduate of Chemistry ... 1.82 tall In 2008: 1 Belgian indoor Pentathlon (4 60H); 1 Belgian indoor LJ/Pentathlon (4 60H)							
26	FORRESTER Nicole	CAN	31y	109d	1976	1.90	1.95 -07
2002 Commonwealth Games bronze ... 2001 World Student Games silver ... 5x Canadian Champion Outdoor pb: 1.97 -07. 4 Pan-Am Games 99 (2003-8); dnf WCH 99/2007; 2 WSG 2001; 3 COM 2002 (98-6, 2006-nh); 5 WCP 2006; 2 Pan-Am Games 2007. 1 Canadian 98/99/2002/2006/2007. Studying for a doctorate in Sports Psychology at Michigan ... born-Toronto ... coach-Randy Huntingdon (also coached Mike Powell) ... 1.91 tall (6-3) In 2008: =13 Hustopece; 8 Trinec; 4 Glasgow international; 3 Cottbus; 10 Arnstadt; 9 Banská Bystrica; 5 Eaubonne; 7 Karlsruhe; 8 Split							
35	ZHENG Xingyuan	CHN	18y	352d	1989	1.91	1.92 -07
Chinese junior record holder ... 2006 World Junior silver ... Outdoor pb: 1.92 -05/06. dnf WCH 2005; 2 East Asian Games 2005; 2 WJC 2006. 1 Chinese 2006; =2 Asian Games 2006 ... 1.80 tall In 2008: 1 Nanjing; 1 Beijing							
41	VLASIC Blanka	CRO	24y	119d	1983	2.05	2.05 -06/08
2007 World Champion ... winner of 18/19 competitions outdoors in 2007 including 5/6 Golden Leagues and 17 at 2m or better Outdoor pb: 2.07 -07. 8 World Youth 99; dnf OLY 2000; 1 WJC 2000; 7 EJC 2001; 1 Mediterranean Games 2001; 1 WJC 2002; 1 under-23 ECH 2003; 11 OLY 2004; 2 WIC 2006 (2003-4, 2004-3); 4 ECH 2006 (2002-5=); 4 EIC 2007 (2002-dnf); 1 WCH 2007 (2001-6, 2003-7, 2005-dnf). Coached by her father Josjo (whose best HJ was 2.03) and Bojan Marinovic ... she was named Blanka after the city of Casablanca, the venue of her father's victory in the Mediterranean Games Decathlon of 1983 ... three younger brothers, the youngest being Nikola (10) who is a footballing prodigy ... 1.93 tall In 2008: 1 Gothenburg (2.01); 1 Arnstadt (2.03); 1 Banská Bystrica (2.04); 1 Karlsruhe (2.02); 1 Split (2.01); 1 Weinheim HJ (2.05)							
53	DUBNOVA Romana	CZE	29y	123d	1978	1.95	1.95 -06/08
Outdoor pb: 1.96 -05. dnf ECH 2006; dnf EIC 2007; dnf WCH 2007. 1 Czech 2007 ... 1.80 tall In 2008: 4 Hustopece; 2 Trinec; 1 Ostrava; 5 Gothenburg; =5 Banská Bystrica; 1 Eaubonne; =4 Split; 4 Bucharest; 2 Czech indoor							
55	LALÁKOVÁ Barbora	CZE	26y	309d	1981	1.97	1.99 -06
2000 World Junior finalist ... Outdoor pb: 1.95 -07. =9 WJC 2000 (98-dnf); =8 under-23 ECH 2001; =9 WJC 2000; dnf EIC 2002; dnf ECH 2002/2006; dnf WIC 2006; =15 WCH 2007. 1 Czech 2006 ... 1.76 tall In 2008: =6 Hustopece; 1 Trinec; 3 Cottbus; =5 Banská Bystrica; 7 Karlsruhe							
56	STRAKOVÁ Iva	CZE	27y	214d	1980	1.95	1.96 -03/06
2005 World finalist ... Outdoor pb: 1.95 -07. 8 ECP 2001; dnf ECH 2002/2006; dnf WIC 2003/2006; dnf OLY 2004; 7 EIC 2005; 11 WCH 2005 (2003/2007-dnf). 1 Czech indoor 2003/2005/2008 (1 outdoor 2005) ... 1.87 tall In 2008: 3 Hustopece; 2 Ostrava; 4 Banská Bystrica; 3 Brno; 1 Czech indoor							
60	BEITIA Ruth	ESP	28y	340d	1979	1.98	2.01 -07
(Pronounced BAY-tee-a) ... Spanish record holder indoors & out ... medals at the last two European Indoor Championships Outdoor pb: 2.02 -07. dnf WJC 96; 9 EJC 97; 8 WJC 98; 1 under-23 ECH 2001; =6 WCP 2002; =5 WIC 2003 (2001-7, 2004-dnf); dnf OLY 2004; 2 EIC 2005 (2007-3); 2 ECP 2006 (2004-6); 9 ECH 2006 (2002-11); 6 WCH 2007 (2005-dnf, 2003-11=). 1 Spanish 2003/2006/2007 (1 indoor 2002/2003/2005/2006/2007/2008) ... coach-Ramón Torralbo ... student of Physical Therapy at the University of Santander ... youngest of five children, all of whom have tried athletics ... 1.92 tall In 2008: 1 Santander (Jan 19); 1 Spanish Clubs indoor; 1 Zaragoza; 1 Santander (Feb 9); 2 European Indoor Cup; 1 Spanish indoor							
95	FRIEDRICH Ariane	GER	24y	56d	1984	2.02	2.02 -08
2003 European Junior Champion, much improved indoors in 2008 ... Outdoor pb: 1.94 -07. 1 EJC 2003; 3 ECP 2004 (2005-7, 2007-4=); 3 under-20 ECH 2005; 3 under-23 ECH 2006; dnf EIC 2007; 2 WSG 2007. 1 German junior 2003, under-23 2006 & indoor 2007/2008 ... coach-Günter Eisinger ... 1.78 tall In 2008: 1 Hessen indoor champs; 2 Hustopece; 1 Glasgow international; 4 Arnstadt; 1 European Indoor Cup; 1 German indoor; 2 Weinheim							
112	DI MARTINO Antonietta	ITA	29y	279d	1978	1.97	2.00 -07
Shared 2007 world silver ... Outdoor pb: 2.03 -07. =3 ECP 2001 (2002-7=, 2005-5); 5 WIC 2006; 10 ECH 2006; 2 EIC 2007; =2 WCH 2007 (2001-12). 1 Italian 2000/2001/2006/2007 (1 indoors 2003/2006/2007) ... 1.69 tall, so she has the world women's "differential" high jump best of 34cm In 2008: 4 European Indoor Cup; 1 Stockholm							
124	AITOVA Marina	KAZ	25y	175d	1982	1.96	1.96 -08
2007 World Student Games Champion ... Outdoor pb: 1.96 -07. 4 World Youth 99; =9 WJC 2000; 1 Asian junior 2001; 3 Asian Champs & Asian Games 2002; 1 Central Asian Games 2003; 1 Afro-Asian Games 2003; dnf OLY 2004; 3 WCP 2006; 1 Asian Games 2006; 1 WSG 2007; =7 WCH 2007 (2003-dnf) ... 1.79 tall In 2008: 1 Cottbus; 8 Arnstadt; 3 Banská Bystrica; 3 Eaubonne; 2 Karlsruhe							
126	YEVSEYEVA Yekaterina	KAZ	19y	257d	1988	1.95	1.95 -08
Outdoor pb: 1.91 -97. 3 World Youth 2005; 2 Asian junior 2006; 3 WJC 2006; 2 Asian Champs 2007; 2 Asian Indoor Games In 2008: 1 Kazak indoor; 3 Asian indoor							
129	YEFIMENKO Tatyana	KGZ	27y	64d	1981	1.91	1.95 -06
Co-holder of Asian record outdoors ... 2007 Asian Champion ... Outdoor pb: 1.97 -03. 1 Asian junior 97; =3 WJC 98; dnf WCH 99; dnf OLY 2000/2004; dnf WJC 2000; 1 Asian Games 2002 (98-4, 2006-2=); 5 WCP 2002; dnf WIC 2003/2006; 1 Asian Champs 2007 (2000/2002-3); 1 Asian indoor 2008 ... 1.87 tall In 2008: 8 Hustopece; 6 Trinec; 1 Asian indoor; 6 Stockholm; 6 Ghent							
142	RIFKA Romary	MEX	37y	74d	1970	1.84	1.86 -04
2007 Pan-American Champion ... Mexico record holder outdoors ... Outdoor pb: 1.97 -04. 2 Central American Champs 2002; 2 Central American Games 2002; dnf WCH 2003/2005/2007; dnf WIC 2004; 1 Ibero-American 2004; dnf OLY 2004; 1 Pan-Am Games 2007 (2003-2) ... 1.80 tall In 2008: =13 Hustopece; 10 Trinec; 1 Prague indoor champs; 10 Cottbus; 2 Prague; 1 Góra							
203	SAVCHENKO Yekaterina	RUS	30y	277d	1977	2.00	2.00 -08
(Née Aleksandrova) ... twice Russian Champion ... in Osaka 2007 became the first woman to jump 2.00 and place as low as fifth Outdoor pb: 2.00 -07. =7 WJC 94; 7 EJC 95; 5 WSG 99; 6 EIC 2005; 4 WIC 2006; 7 ECH 2006; 5 WCH 2007 (2001-dnf). 1 Russian 2001/2006 ... coach/husband-Yevgeniy Savchenko ... 1.81 tall In 2008: 1 Yekaterinburg; 1 Chelyabinsk; 2 Moscow; 3 Gothenburg; 5 Arnstadt; 2 Banská Bystrica; 2 Russian indoor; 2 Brno; 1 Bucharest							
208	SLESARENKO Yelena	RUS	26y	7d	1982	2.02	2.04 -04
DEFENDING IAAF WORLD INDOOR CHAMPION (going for her third in succession) 2004 Olympic Champion Outdoor pb: 2.06 -04. 4 EJC 2001; =5 EIC 2003; 2 under-23 ECH 2003; 3 WSG 2003; 1 WIC 2004/2006; 1 OLY 2004 (up to 2.06 with no failures then near to 2.10); 5 ECH 2006; 1 WCP 2006; 1 ECP 2007; 4 WCH 2007. 1 Russian indoor 2002/2004/2006 & outdoor 2005 ... studied PE at the Academy of Volgograd ... coach-Boris Gorkov ... she turned to athletics after failing as a ballet dancer ... suffered stress fracture to her take-off leg in 2005 ... 1.78 tall In 2008: 1 Volgograd; 1 Moscow; 2 Arnstadt; Russian indoor; 1 Russian indoor; 1 Brno							

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GREEN Emma SWE**23y** 88d 1984**1.98****1.98 -08**

(Green pronounced "Grehn") ... 2005 World bronze at high jump ... Outdoor HJ pb: 1.97 -05. TJ pb: 13.69i -06. LJ pb: 6.41 -05. 200 pb: 23.02 -06. 1 European Youth HJ 2001; 9 WJC HJ 2002; 3 EJC HJ 2003; 8 EIC HJ 2005; 2 under-23 ECH HJ 2005; 3 WCH HJ 2005 (2007-7=); dnq WIC HJ 2006; 11 ECH HJ 2006; dnq EIC HJ 2007. 1 Swedish 2005. Uncle-Göte Green was a national class 400m-runner (47.9) in the 1970s ... coach-Yannick Tregaro (same as Christian Olsson) ... 1.80 tall

In 2008: 2 Glasgow international; 4 Gothenburg; 9 Arnstadt; =5 Banská Bystrica; 2 Stockholm; 1 Swedish indoor

Now she's the Swedish #1 following the sudden retirement of Kajsa Bergqvist

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PALAMAR Vita UKR**30y** 146d 1977**1.99****2.00 -04**

Fifth at three World Championships ... Outdoor pb: 2.01 -03. =6 WJC 96; =6 under-23 ECH 99; 5 EIC 2000; 7 OLY 2000; 5 WCH 2001/2003/2005 (2007-7=); 1 WSG 2001; 4 WIC 2004 (2001-5=); 2 ECP 2005 ... 1 Ukrainian 2001/2003/2007 ... 1.87 tall

In 2008: 1 Hustopece; 6 Gothenburg; 3 Arnstadt; 1 Eaubonne; 2 Split

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ACUFF Amy USA**32y** 236d 1975**1.95****1.96 -01**

6x World finalist ... 6x US Champion outdoors & 3x in ... Outdoor pb: 2.01 -03. 9 WJC 92; 1 Pam-Am Junior 93; =3 WJC 94; 1 WSG 97 (95-8); 4 WIC 2001 (2003-10, 2006-dnq); 4 OLY 2004 (96/2000-dnq); 8 WCH 2005 (95-8=, 97-dnq, 99-9, 2001-10=, 2003-9=, 2007-12); 3 WCP 2006. 1 US 95/97/2001/2003/2005/2007 (1 indoors 2001/2007/2008); 1 NCAA 95. 1 NCAA indoor 94/95/97 ... appeared on the cover of "Vogue" in spring 2000 ... husband

is pole vaulter Tye Harvey, they live in Isleton, North California with their Italian Greyhound called "Nero" ... coach-Dan Pfaff ... 1.88 tall

In 2008: 1 Fresno; 1 Millrose Games; 1 US indoor

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST

1..... 2.08..... Kajsa Bergqvist SWE..... 2006
 2..... 2.07..... Heike Henkel GER..... 1992
 3..... 2.06..... Stefka Kostadinova BUL..... 1988
 =4... 2.05..... Blanka Vlasic CRO..... 06/08
 2.05..... Tia Tellebaut BEL..... 2007
 =6... 2.04..... Alina Astafei GER..... 1995
 2.04..... Anna Chicherova RUS..... 03/4
 2.04..... Yelena Slesarenko RUS..... 2004
 =9... 2.03..... Tamara Bykova RUS..... 1983
 2.03..... Monica Iagar ROU..... 1999
 2.03..... Marina Kuptsova RUS..... 2002

2008 WORLD LIST

1..... 2.05..... Blanka Vlasic CRO
 =2... 2.02..... Yelena Slesarenko RUS
 2.02..... Ariane Friedrich GER
 4.... 2.00..... Yekaterina Savchenko RUS
 5.... 1.99..... Vita Palamar UKR
 =6... 1.98..... Ruth Beitia ESP
 1.98..... Tatyana Kivimiyagi RUS
 1.98..... Anna Chicherova RUS
 1.98..... Tia Hellebaut BEL
 1.98..... Emma Green SWE

Women's Pole Vault

19 Entrants

			Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
15	da COSTA Joana	BRA	26y	204d	1981	-	4.11 -05
Outdoor pb: 4.40 -07. =9 WSG 2005; 3 South American 2007; 5 Pan-Am Games 2007; 9 WSG 2007; dnq WCH 2007							
20	MURER Fabiana	BRA	26y	356d	1981	4.61	4.66 -07
2007 Pan-American & South American Champion ... Outdoor pb: 4.66 -06. 1 South American junior 98; 10 WJC 2000 (98-dnq); dnq WIC 2006; 1 Ibero-American 2006; 2 WCP 2006; 1 South American 2007; 1 Pan-American 2007; =6 WCH 2007 (2005-dnq). 1 Brazilian 2005/2006 ... Coach-Élson Miranda de Souza ... 1.72 tall In 2008: 5 Donyetsk; nh Bydgoszcz; 2 Aubière							
54	RYBOVÁ Pavla	CZE	29y	291d	1978	4.53	4.64 -07
(Née Hamáčková) ... 2005 World bronze ... former World Indoor Champion Outdoor pb: 4.60 -03. 5 EJC 97; =12 ECH 98; 3 ECP 99/2001; 1 WSG 99; =7 under-23 ECH 99; 1 EIC 2000 (2002/2005-6, 2007-4); 1 WIC 2001 (99-7, 2006-dnq); 11 OLY 2004 (2000-dnq); 3 WCH 2005 (99-6=, 2001-8, 2007-dnq); 10 ECH 2006. 1 Czech 2003/2005/2006 (1 indoor 2000/2001/2002/2005/2006/2008) ... ankle surgery in October 2003 ... 1.70 tall In 2008: 1 Prague; 1 Potsdam; nh Athens; 1 Czech indoor; 1 Bad Oeynhausen							
58	AGIRRE Naroa	ESP	28y	296d	1979	4.35	4.56 -07
2004 Olympic & 2005 World finalist ... Spanish record holder ... Outdoor pb: 4.50 -07. LJ pb: 6.36w -05, 6.35 -07. 5 Mediterranean Games 2001; =6 OLY 2004; 1 Ibero-American 2004; dnq EIC 2005/2007; 9 WCH 2005 (2003/2007-dnq); 6 WIC 2006 (2004-dnq); 4 ECP 2006 (2004-7); 6 WIC 2006 (2003-dnq); 7 ECH 2006 (2002-10). 1 Spanish 2006/2007 ... coach-Jon Karla Lizeaga ... 1.76 tall In 2008: 1 Spanish indoor							
84	DENNISON Kate	GBR	23y	303d	1984	4.40	4.40 -08
British #1 in 2006 & 2007 ... Outdoor pb: 4.35 -06. 3 European Youth 2001; 7 WJC 2002; =11 EJC 2003; 5 ECP 2006; dnq ECH 2006; dnq EIC 2007. 1 AAA under-17 2000; 1 AAA junior 2001/2002/2003; 1 AAA under-23 2004; 1 AAA indoor 2006. 1 UK indoors 2007/2008 & out 2007. 1 English Schools 2001. Ex-Gymnast ... her older brother Bruce was an international gymnast ... she has a degree in Psychology from Staffordshire University ... born-Durban, moved to Britain aged 4, lives-Alsager ... hobbies include rock-climbing ... coach-Steve Rippon ... 1.72 tall In 2008: 1 Oyonnax; 1 Vault Manchester; 3 Dresden; 2 Limoges; 1 UK indoor; 1 Prague							
94	BATTKE Anna	GER	23y	63d	1985	4.50	4.50 -08
Outdoor pb: 4.56 -07. 3 under-23 ECH 2007 In 2008: nh Pfalz indoor champs; 2 Rhein-Pf indoor champs; 1 Hamburg; 6 Dresden; nh German Universities indoor; 1 South German indoor; 3 Epinal; 2 German indoor							
97	HÜTTER Julia	GER	24y	224d	1983	4.60	4.60 -08
2005 World Student Games Champion ... Outdoor pb: 4.57 -07. 3 under-23 ECH 2005; 1 WSG 2005; =6 EIC 2007; dnq WCH 2007 In 2008: 1 Hessen indoor champs; 4 Wuppertal; 3 Valencia; 9 Donyetsk; 1 German indoor							
100	SPIEGELBURG Silke	GER	21y	355d	1986	4.52	4.52 -08
2001 World Youth Champion ... twice European Junior Champion ... 2004 Olympic finalist at age 18 Outdoor pb: 4.60 -07. 1 World Youth 2001; 8 WJC 2002; 1 EJC 2003/2005; =13 OLY 2004; 8 WIC 2006; 6 ECH 2006; 5 EIC 2007; 4 under-23 ECH 2007; nh WCH final 2007. 1 German 2006. Younger sister of Richard Spiegelburg (pb 5.85). On August 25, 2005 in Münster she broke the world junior record of Yelena Isinbayeva with 4.48 ... Coach/father Angsar Spiegelburg ... 1.73 tall In 2008: 1 Nordrhein indoor champs; 2 Dresden; 2 Valencia; 6 Donyetsk; 3 German indoor							
103	KIRIAKOPOÚLOU Nikoía	GRE	21y	351d	1986	4.40	4.40 -08
Greek record holder indoors ... Outdoor pb: 4.10 -07. 6 WJC 2004; 7 EJC 2005 ... 1.67 tall In 2008: 1 Athens (Jan 26); =3 Athens (Feb 2); 5 Balkan indoor; 6 Athens (Feb 13); 1 Greek indoor							
140	SAMSU Roslinda	MAS	25y	271d	1982	4.10	4.10 -08
Malaysian record holder indoor & out ... 2007 Asian Champion ... Outdoor pb: 4.40 -06. 2 Asian junior 2001; 1 South East Asian Games 2005; =4 COM 2006; 2 Asian Games 2006; 1 Asian Champs 2007 (2003-3); 5 WSG 2007; 2 Asian indoor 2008 ... 1.60 tall In 2008: 2 Asian indoor							
160	PYREK Monika	POL	27y	207d	1980	4.67	4.76 -06
(Pronounced "Pir-eck") ... 2005 World silver, 2003 world bronze ... 2001 European under-23 Champion ... has set 68 Polish records indoors or out though now supplanted by Anna Rogowska Outdoor pb: 4.75 -06/07. 10 EJC 97; 3 WJC 98; 1 under-23 ECH 2001; 3 EIC 2002 (2000-9); 3 WIC 2003 (99-11, 2004-5=, 2006-4); 4 OLY 2004 (2000-7); 2 WCH 2005 (2001-3, 2003-4=, 2007-4); 1 ECP 2006/2007 (2002-2, 2004-4); 2 ECH 2006 (98-7, 2002-dnq); 5 WCP 2006. 1 Polish 99-2002/2004/2005/2007 (1 indoor 99/2000/2002/2003/2004/2005) ... voted Polish woman athlete of 2003 ... coach-Vyacheslav Kalinichenko ... 1.70 tall In 2008: 1 Valencia; 3 Donyetsk; =2 Bydgoszcz; 1 Polish indoor							
161	ROGOWSKA Anna	POL	26y	290d	1981	4.62	4.80 -06
2004 Olympic bronze ... 2006 World indoor silver ... Polish record holder indoors & out Outdoor pb: 4.83 -05. dnq EIC 2002; =7 ECH 2002; 3 under-23 ECH 2003; 3 OLY 2004; 2 EIC 2005 (2007-3); 1 ECP 2005; =6 WCH 2005 (2003-7, 2007-8); 2 WIC 2006 (2003-6=) ... started at 100m hurdles ... coach/fiancée-Jacek Torlinski (his pb 4.85) ... 1.70 tall In 2008: 1 Wuppertal; 4 Valencia; 4 Donyetsk; 5 Bydgoszcz; 2 Polish indoor							
165	TAVARES Elisabete	POR	27y	364d	1980	4.40	4.40 -08
Portuguese record holder & 5x Champion ... Outdoor pb: 4.32 -07. dnq WJC 98; dnq EIC 2000/2005; 4 WSG 2003; dnq WCH 2005/2007; dnq ECH 2006. 1 Portuguese 2000/2003/2004/2005/2006. 1 French 2006 ... 1.69 tall In 2008: 2 Oyonnax; 1 Eaubonne; 1 Paris; 1 Portuguese Clubs div 1 indoor; 6 Epinal; 1 French indoor; 1 Portuguese indoor; 6 Aubière							
186	FEOFANOVA Svetlana	RUS	27y	233d	1980	4.71	4.85 -04
Has complete set of World Championship medals... total of 10 world records (9 in & 1 out) Outdoor pb: 4.88 -04. 1 ECP 2000/2001/2002; 1 EIC 2002/2007 (2000-dnq); 1 ECH 2002 (2006-4); 1 WIC 2003 (2001-2=, 2004/2006-3); 1 WCH 2003 (2001-2, 2007-3); 2 OLY 2004 (2000-dnq). 1 Russian 2001/2006/2007. No-heighted at Sydney Olympics ... started as a gymnast at age 6, stopped at 18 when she felt she was too old for that sport ... "gymnastics has helped me not to be afraid of high jumps", she once competed against multi Olympic & World Champion gymnast Svetlana Khorkina ... missed 2005 outdoor season due to a herniated disc ... coach-Vevgeniy Bondarenko ... 1.63 tall In 2008: 1 Russian indoor; 3 Athens; 1 Bydgoszcz (defeated Isinbayeva)							
188	ISINBAYEVA Yelena	RUS	25y	277d	1982	4.95	4.95 -07
DEFENDING IAAF WORLD INDOOR CHAMPION (going for her third in succession) Olympic, twice World, twice World Indoor, & European Champion ... has set 11 world records outdoors & 10 in ... scored 18/18 wins in 2007 Outdoor pb: 5.01 -05. 9 WJC 98; 1 World Youth 99; 6 EJC 99; 1 WJC 2000; 1 EJC 2001; 1 European under-23 2003; 1 WIC 2004/2006 (2001-7, 2003-2); 1 OLY 2004 (2000-dnq); 1 EIC 2005 (2000-7); 1 WCH 2005/2007 (2003-3); 1 ECH 2006 (2002-2); 1 WCP 2006. 1 Russian indoor 2000/2002 ... has pet cat named "Dasha" ... new coach-Vitaliy Petrov, she has a flat in Monaco and trains with Petrov in Formia ... she has a collection of toy dolphins ... 1.70/59kg In 2008: 1 Donyetsk (her 21st world record, 4.95); =2 Bydgoszcz (her win streak ended at 23 by arch-rival Svetlana Feofanova); 1 Aubière							
237	KUSHCH Nataliya	UKR	25y	2d	1983	4.52	4.52 -08
2005 European under-23 Champion ... Outdoor pb: 4.50 -04. =5 World Youth 99; 2 EJC 2001; 6 WJC 2002 (2000-dnq); dnq WIC 2003; 4 under-23 ECH 2003; dnq WCH 2003/2005; 1 under-23 ECH 2005; 2 ECP 2007 (2002-6=, 2005-3) ... 1.68 tall In 2008: 1 Donyetsk indoor champs; 4 Athens; 7 Donyetsk; 6 Bydgoszcz							

253 **JOHNSON Chelsea** USA **24y** 77d 1983 **4.50** **4.50 -06/08**
 Twice US Collegiate Champion, representing the UCLA ... Outdoor pb: 4.57 -07. 1 NCAA 2004 & indoor 2006. Daughter of Jan Johnson, 1972 Olympic Pole Vault bronze medallist ... 1.75 tall
 In 2008: 2 Seattle; 4 Fayetteville; 3 US indoor

263 **SCHWARTZ Jillian** USA **28y** 169d 1979 **4.64** **4.64 -08**
 Fourth at 2004 World Indoor Championships ... Outdoor pb: 4.61 -06. 4 WIC 2004 (2006-dnq); dnq OLY 2004; 11 WCH 2005 (2003/2007-dnq). =2 NCAA 2001 (2000-3). Lives-Jonesboro, Arkansas ... graduate of Economics ... coach-Earl Bell ... 1.73 tall
 In 2008: 1 Reno; 1 Fresno; 2 Boston; 1 Millrose Games; 2 Fayetteville; 2 US indoor

265 **STUCZYNSKI Jenn** USA **26y** 29d 1982 **4.71** **4.72 -07**
 North American record holder ... vaulted 4.60 in 2006 just 13 months after taking up the event
 Outdoor pb: 4.88 -07. JT pb: 46.82 -05. nh WCP 2006; 10 WCH 2007. 1 US indoor 2005/2007/2008 & outdoor 2006/2007. Great-grandparents from Poland ... ex-basketball player, she graduated as her school's all-time leading scorer ... keen player of backgammon, she plays the game online with people around the world ... coach-Rick Suhr ... 1.83 tall
 In 2008: 1 Ithaca; 1 Toronto; 1 Boston; 2 Millrose Games; 1 Fayetteville; 1 US indoor

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST	2008 WORLD LIST
1..... 4.95..... Yelena Isinbayeva RUS..... 2008	1..... 4.95..... Yelena Isinbayeva RUS
2..... 4.85..... Svetlana Feofanova RUS..... 2004	2..... 4.75..... Yuliya Golubchikova RUS
3..... 4.81..... Stacy Dragila USA..... 2004	=3... 4.71..... Jenn Stuczynsk USA
4..... 4.80..... Anna Rogowska POL..... 2006 4.71..... Svetlana Feofanova RUS
5..... 4.76..... Monika Pyrek POL..... 2006	5..... 4.70..... Monika Pyrek POL
6..... 4.75..... Yuliya Golubchikova RUS..... 2008	6..... 4.65..... Carolin Hingst GER
=7... 4.72..... Jenn Stuczynski USA..... 2007	=7... 4.64..... Jillian Schwartz USA
..... 4.72..... Kym Howe AUS..... 2007 4.64..... Lacy Janson USA
9..... 4.71..... Tanya Polnova RUS..... 2004	9..... 4.62..... Anna Rogowska POL
10... 4.70..... Carolin Hingst GER..... 2007	10... 4.61..... Fabiana Murer BRA

Women's Long Jump

13 Entrants

			Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
16	COSTA Keila	BRA	25y	29d	1983	6.41	6.60 -07
2007 World finalist at both horizontal jumps ... multiple winner of South American titles at long & triple jump Outdoor LJ pb: 6.88 -07. TJ pb: 14.57 -07. 1 South American TJ 2000/2001/2002/2003/2007 (1 LJ 2001/2002/2003); 3 WJC TJ 2002 (dnq LJ); dnq WIC TJ 2006; 1 Ibero-American LJ 2006; 7 WCP LJ 2007; 2 Pan-Am Games LJ/TJ 2007; 7 WCH LJ 2007 (9 TJ). 1 Brazilian TJ 2003/2004/2005/2007 (1 LJ 2004/2005/2007) In 2008: 5 Valencia LJ							
19	MAGGI Maurren Higa	BRA	31y	254d	1976	6.87	6.87 -08
2004 American record holder at 100H & LJ ... was the only woman to defeat World #1 long jumper Tatyana Kotova in 2002 Outdoor LJ pb: 7.26 -99. TJ pb: 14.53 -03. 100H pb: 12.71 -01. 1 South American LJ 97/99/2001/2006/2007 (1 100H 99/2001); 1 Pan-American Games LJ 99/2007 (2 100H); 1 WSG LJ 2001 (99-3); 2 WCP LJ 2002; 3 WIC LJ 2003; 6 WCH LJ 2007 (99-8, 200-7). Originally competed in gymnastics ... IAAF doping suspension 2003-2005, though she was cleared by Brazilian Superior Sports Tribunal who upheld her claims that the test was caused by a hair removal project ... daughter Sophia born December 2004 In 2008: 1 Stuttgart LJ; 2 Valencia LJ							
47	SCERBOVÁ Denisa	CZE	21y	198d	1986	6.59	6.64 -05
2004 World Junior Long Jump Champion ... 2007 European indoor bronze Outdoor LJ pb: 6.68 -04 (6.59i -08). Hep pb: 6017 -07. 2 World Youth LJ 2003 (2001-10); dnq WIC LJ 2004; 1 WJC LJ 2004; dnq OLY LJ 2004; dnq EIC LJ 2005; 1 EJC LJ 2005 (2003-4); dnf ECH Heptathlon 2006; 3 EIC LJ 2007; 2 under-23 ECH LJ 2007; dnq WCH LJ 2007. 1 Czech LJ 2004/2007 & Czech indoor LJ 2004/2005. Coach-Ales Duda ... partner-2.36 high jumper Jaroslav Baba ... 1.75/58kg In 2008: 11 Hustopece HJ 'B'; 3 Otrokovice HJ; 1 GBR v CZE v ESP v FRA indoor Pentathlon (set Czech indoor record 4632); 6 Valencia LJ; 3 Birmingham Three-Event Challenge							
65	MONTANER Concepción	ESP	27y	52d	1981	6.66	6.78 -03
2007 European Indoor silver ... Outdoor pb: 6.92 -05. ht WJC 4x100 98; 2 EJC 99; 1 WJC 2000; 2 under-23 ECH 2001; 11 Mediterranean Games 2001; 2; 4 ECH 2002; 3 WCP 2002; 2 ECP 2003 (2004-8, 2007-3); 11 WCH 2005 (2003-12, 2007-dnq); 4 WIC 2006 (2003-9, 2004-7); dnq ECH 2006; 2 EIC 2007 (2002 -9, 2005-dnq). 1 Spanish TJ 2007 (1 indoor 2002-2008). Fouled out in qualifying round at 2000 Olympic Games ... coach-José Peiró In 2008: 1 Valencia; 5 Stuttgart; 3 Valencia; 2 European Indoor Cup; 1 Spanish indoor							
78	LESUEUR Eloyse	FRA	19y	234d	1988	6.84	6.84 -08
Outdoor pb: 6.47 -07. 2 World Youth LJ 2005 (7 100); dnf WJC Heptathlon 2006; 2 EJC LJ 2007. 1 French 2006 In 2008: 1 Chapel Hill LJ (Jan 19); 1 Gainesville LJ; 2 Chapel Hill 60 (Feb 2); 2 Karlsruhe LJ; 5 French indoor 60; 6 Stockholm LJ							
102	DEVETZÍ Chrisopiýí	GRE	32y	64d	1976	6.85	6.85 -08
2004 Olympic silver, 2005 World bronze ... Outdoor TJ pb: 15.32 -04 (14.89i -08). LJ pb: 6.83 -06. 5 Mediterranean Games TJ 2001; dnq EIC TJ 2002/2005; 7 ECH TJ 2002; 3 WIC TJ 2004 (2003-dnq); 2 ECP TJ 2004/2005 (2003-4); 2 OLY TJ 2004; 2 ECH TJ 2006 (10 LJ); 2 WCP TJ 2006 (3 LJ); 3 WCH TJ 2007 (2003-8, 2005-5). 1 Greek TJ 2002-2007 (1 LJ 2006/2007). First practised artistic gymnastics and volleyball before starting in athletics as a hurdler ... hobby-sketching ... superstition: she feels that birds give her good luck ... coach-Athandsios Siouðrís In 2008: 1 Balkan indoor LJ; 2 Athens TJ (Feb 13)							
123	IKEDA Kumiko	JPN	27y	56d	1981	-	6.54 -04
Japanese record holder at Long outdoors ... 2006 Asian Games Champion Outdoor pb: 6.86 -06. 100H pb: 13.02 -07. 3 WJC 2000; 11 WCH 2001 (2003/2005/2007-dnq); 3 WSG 2001; dnq WIC 2004; 3 Asian Champs LJ/100H 2005; 1 East Asian Games 2005; 1 Asian Games 2006. 1 Japanese 100H 2001/2004/2005 (1 LJ 2003/2005/2006)							
130	RADEVICA Ineta	LAT	26y	237d	1981	6.66	6.67 -07
Fifth at long jump in the 2005 European & 2006 World Indoor Championships Outdoor LJ pb: 6.80 -05. TJ pb: 14.12 -03/04. dnq WJC 2000; 3 under-23 ECH LJ/TJ 2003; dnq OLY 2004; 5 EIC 2005 (2007-8); dnq WCH 2005; 5 WIC 2006. 1 NCAA TJ 2003/2004 (2002-2). Was at University of Nebraska In 2008: 4 Krasnodar; 3 Moscow "Winter"; 4 Stuttgart; 3 Karlsruhe; 5 Stockholm							
164	GOMES Naide	POR	28y	107d	1979	6.93	6.93 -08
Twice European Indoor Champion at Long Jump ... 2004 World Indoor Pentathlon Champion Outdoor LJ pb: 7.01 -07. Hep pb: 6230 -05. 5 African Games Hep 99; 2 Ibero-American Hep 2000; ht OLY 100H 2000; 2 EIC Pen 2002; 18 ECH Hep 2002; 1 WIC Pen 2004 (2003-5); 13 OLY Hep 2004; 1 EIC LJ 2005/2007; 7 WCH Hep 2005 (dnq LJ); 2 WSG LJ 2005; 3 WIC LJ 2006; 2 ECH LJ 2006; 2 WCP LJ 2006; 4 WCH LJ 2007. Competed in 2000 Olympic Games for São Tomé & Príncipe as Enezenaide Gomes, acquired Portuguese citizenship on July 13, 2001 ... 1.75/62kg In 2008: 1 Portuguese Clubs indoor; 1 Valencia; 2 Stockholm; 1 Portuguese indoor; 1 Chemnitz; 1 WCH							
180	JOSEPHS Janice	RSA	25y	341d	1982	-	-
2007 African Games Champion at Long Jump ... South African record holder at Heptathlon Outdoor LJ pb: 6.79 -07 (6.63 -08). Hep pb: 6181 -05. ht WJC 200 2000; 2 African Champs Hep 2004; 19 OLY Hep 2004; dnf WCH Hep 2005; 5 COM Hep 2006; 1 African Games LJ 2007; dnq WCH LJ 2007. 1 South African 100 200/2003 (1 200 2003); 1 South African Heptathlon 2004/2006 ... 1.60/58kg In 2008: 1 Secunda LJ; 1 Durban LJ; 1 Germiston LJ							
191	KUCHERENKO Olga	RUS	22y	122d	1985	6.87	6.87 -08
Outdoor pb: 6.80w, 6.72 -06. 12 under-23 ECH 2007. 1 Russian under-23 indoor 2006 In 2008: 1 Krasnodar; 1 Volgograd; 5 Moscow "Winter"; 3 Stuttgart; 2 Russian indoor							
207	SIMAGINA Irina	RUS	25y	286d	1982	6.96	6.96 -08
2004 Olympic silver ... Outdoor pb: 7.27 -04. 5 World Youth 99; 6 WJC 2000; 4 EIC 2002; 2 under-23 ECH 2003; 1 WSG 2003; 1 ECP 2004/2005; 2 OLY 2004. 1 Russian indoor 2008. only woman further than 7m in 2005, but made a sudden withdrawal from the World Championships later that year In 2008: 1 Moscow indoor champs; 1 Moscow "Winter"; 1 Russian indoor; 1 Stockholm							
259	NELSON Lela	USA	24y	292d	1983	6.50	6.50 -08
Former US Indoor Pentathlon Champion ... pbs in Pentathlon events: 60H: 8.39i; HJ: 1.82; SP: 12.43; LJ: 6.78; 800: 2:22.35 Hep pb: 6022 -07. 1 US indoor Pentathlon 2006 In 2008: 1 Boston LJ; dnf Akron Pentathlon; 1 Boone 55H (2 400); 6 Birmingham Three-Event Challenge							

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1..... 7.37..... Heike Drechsler GDR..... 1988	1..... 6.96..... Irina Simagina RUS
2..... 7.30..... Galina Chistyakova RUS..... 1989	2.... 6.93..... Naide Gomes POR
3..... 7.20..... Larisa Berezhnaya UKR..... 1989	=3... 6.87..... Olga Kucherenko RUS
4..... 7.17..... Yelena Khlopotnova UKR..... 1985 6.87..... Maurren Higa Maggi BRA
5..... 7.13..... Jack Joyner-Kersey USA..... 1994 6.87..... Brittney Reese USA
=6... 7.09..... Helga Radtke GDR..... 1985	=6... 6.85..... Chrisopiýí Devetzi GRE
..... 7.09..... Inessa Kravets UKR..... 1992 6.85..... Karin Mey RSA
=8... 7.05..... Iolanda Chen RUS..... 1989	8.... 6.84..... Eloyse Lesueur FRA
..... 7.05..... Tatayana Kotova RUS..... 2000	9.... 6.82..... Lyudmila Kolchanova RUS
10... 7.03..... Dawn Burrell USA..... 2001	10... 6.78..... Tatyana Kotova RUS

Women's Triple Jump

19 Entrants

			Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
16	COSTA Keila	BRA	25y	29d	1983	-	14.11 -06
2007 World finalist at both horizontal jumps ... multiple winner of South American titles at long & triple jump Outdoor LJ pb: 6.88 -07. TJ pb: 14.57 -07. 1 South American TJ 2000/2001/2002/2003/2007 (1 LJ 2001/2002/2003); 3 WJC TJ 2002 (dnq LJ); dnq WIC TJ 2006; 1 Ibero-American LJ 2006; 7 WCP LJ 2007; 2 Pan-Am Games LJ/TJ 2007; 7 WCH LJ 2007 (9 TJ). 1 Brazilian TJ 2003/2004/2005/2007 (1 LJ 2004/2005/2007) In 2008: 5 Valencia LJ							
17	da SILVA Tânia	BRA	21y	80d	1986	13.70	13.70 -08
2007 South American Champion at Triple Jump ... Outdoor pb: 14.11 -07. dnq WJC TJ 2004; 1 South American junior TJ 2005; 2 Pan-American junior TJ 2005; 1 South American under-23 & senior TJ 2006; dnq WCH TJ 2007. 1 Brazilian TJ 2007 In 2008: 2 Valladolid TJ							
33	XIE Limei	CHN	21y	253d	1986	14.30	14.30 -08
Asian record holder outdoors ... Outdoor pb: 14.90 -07. LJ pb: 6.41 -06. 1 Asian indoor 2004; 2 WJC 2004; 1 Asian Champs 2005; dnq WIC 2006; 1 Asian Games 2006; 8 WCH 2007. 1 Chinese 2003/2006/2007 In 2008: 1 Beijing							
45	SAVIGNE Yargelis	CUB	23y	113d	1984	14.77	14.80 -07
2007 World Champion Triple Jump preceded by silver in 2005 ... Outdoor TJ pb: 15.28 -07. LJ pb: 6.88w, 6.77 -05. dnq WJC LJ 2002; 3 Pan-Am Games LJ 2003/2007; 1 Central American & Caribbean LJ/TJ 2005; 2 WCH TJ 2005 (4 LJ); 5 WIC TJ 2006 (6 LJ); 1 Pan-Am Games TJ 2007; 1 WCH TJ 2007 In 2008: 1 Linz LJ; 7 Stuttgart LJ; 1 Düsseldorf TJ; 7 Karlsruhe LJ							
67	SARRAPIO Patricia	ESP	25y	111d	1982	13.94	14.00 -07
2006 Ibero-American Champion ... Outdoor pb: 13.89 -06. dnq WJC 2000; 8 Mediterranean Games 2005; 1 Ibero-American 2006; dnq ECH 2006; dnq EIC 2007; 6 WSG 2007; dnq WCH 2007. 1 Spanish under-23 2002/2003/2004 (1 indoor 2008) In 2008: 1 Spanish Clubs indoor; 1 Zaragoza; 8 Düsseldorf; 1 Valladolid; 1 Spanish indoor							
68	LEIBAK Kaire	EST	19y	289d	1988	14.26	14.26 -08
2006 World Junior Champion at Triple Jump ... Outdoor pb: 14.43 -06. 2 World Youth TJ 2005 (7 LJ); 1 WJC TJ 2006; 1 EJC TJ 2007 In 2008: 2 Tallinn LJ; 1 Estonian indoor TJ; 5 Athens TJ; 2 Tartu TJ; 5 Paris TJ							
79	NZOLA Teresa	FRA	24y	97d	1983	14.53	14.53 -08
French record holder ... 2007 European Cup winner ... 2007 European indoor bronze Outdoor pb: 14.69 -07. LJ pb: 6.32 -07. 8 under-23 ECH 2003; 9 ECH 2006; 3 EIC 2007 (2005-dnq); 1 ECP 2007 (2006-7); dnq WCH 2007. 1 French 2007. Ex-Angola In 2008: 1 Bourgoin-Jallieu; 1 Aubièrre; 4 Düsseldorf; 3 Athens; 1 French indoor; 2 Paris							
102	DEVETZÍ Chrisopiýi	GRE	32y	64d	1976	14.89	14.89 -08
2004 Olympic silver, 2005 World bronze ... Outdoor TJ pb: 15.32 -04. LJ pb: 6.85i -08, 6.83 -06. 5 Mediterranean Games TJ 2001; dnq EIC TJ 2002/2005; 7 ECH TJ 2002; 3 WIC TJ 2004 (2003-dnq); 2 ECP TJ 2004/2005 (2003-4); 2 OLY TJ 2004; 2 ECH TJ 2006 (10 LJ); 2 WCP TJ 2006 (3 LJ); 3 WCH TJ 2007 (2003-8, 2005-5). 1 Greek TJ 2002-2007 (1 LJ 2006/2007). First practised artistic gymnastics and volleyball before starting in athletics as a hurdler ... hobby-sketching ... superstition: she feels that birds give her good luck ... coach-Athandisios Sioudris In 2008: 1 Balkan indoor LJ; 2 Athens TJ (Feb 13)							
104	PÉRRA Athanasía	GRE	25y	33d	1983	14.24	14.27 -05
Greece's #2 triple jumper after Olympic silver medallist Chrisopiýi Devetzí Outdoor TJ pb: 14.39 -04/07. LJ pb: 6.48 -07. 10 WJC TJ 2002; 2 EJC TJ 2003; dnq OLY TJ 2004; dnq EIC TJ 2005; 3 under-23 ECH TJ 2005; dnq EIC TJ 2005/2007; 3 under-23 ECH TJ 2005; dnq WCH TJ 2005/2007. 1 Balkan Games TJ 2005. Coach-Sofia Bakatsáki In 2008: 1 Athens TJ (Jan 26); 3 Balkan indoor							
125	RYPAKOVA Olga	KAZ	23y	96d	1984	14.35	14.35 -08
(Née Alexeyeva) ... 2007 Asian Champion in both horizontal jumps ... then World Student Games Champion at LJ Hep pb: 6122 -06. TJ pb: 14.69 -07. 4 World Youth Hep 2001; 2 WJC Hep 2002; 1 Central Asian Hep 2003; 1 Asian Indoor Games Pen 2005; 1 Asian Indoor Champs Pen 2006; 7 WIC Pen 2006; 8 WCP LJ 2006; 1 Asian Champs LJ/TJ 2007; 1 WSG LJ 2007; 11 WCH TJ 2007 ... 1.78/53kg In 2008: 1 Kazak indoor TJ; 1 Samara TJ; 1 Asian indoor TJ							
168	BUJIN Cristina	ROU	19y	328d	1988	14.07	14.07 -08
World Youth & European Junior medallist at Triple Jump ... Outdoor pb: 13.72 -05. 5 World Youth LJ 2003; 2 EJC TJ 2005 (dnq LJ); 3 World Youth TJ 2005; 6 WJC TJ 2006 (2004-9); dnq EIC TJ 2007; 3 EJC TJ 2007 In 2008: 1 Romanian Universities indoor LJ/TJ; 2 Bucharest TJ (Jan 26); 3 Bucharest TJ (Feb 2); 1 Romanian indoor LJ (2 TJ)							
170	GAVRILA Adelina	ROU	29y	101d	1978	14.78	14.78 -08
1996 World junior bronze ... twice Balkan Champion ... Outdoor pb: 14.75 -03. 3 WJC 96; 1 EJC 97 (95-4); 1 Balkan 99/2001; 3 WSG 99 (2001-8); 3 under-23 ECH 99; 3 ECP 2003/2006 (2000-4); 9 WCH 2003 (99-11, 2001/2007-dnq); 7 WIC 2004 (99-12, 2001/2003-8), 15 OLY 2004; 5 EIC 2005/2007 (2000-8, 2002-dnq); 7 ECH 2006 (98-11) In 2008: 1 Bucharest (Jan 26); 1 Bucharest (Feb 2); 1 Balkan indoor; 1 Romanian indoor							
184	BUFALOVA Olesya	RUS	25y	152d	1982	14.54	14.54 -08
Former 400m hurdler, at triple jump she progressed from 13.67 to 14.50 in 2006 ... 2007 European indoor silver Outdoor pb: 14.50 -06. 5 World Youth 400H 99; 5 ECH 2006; 2 EIC 2007; 10 WCH 2007. Best before 2006 was only 13.67 ... coach-Konstantin Chadin In 2008: 1 Krasnodar; 2 Samara; Russian indoor; 2 Russian indoor							
196	PYATYKH Anna	RUS	26y	337d	1981	14.51	14.93 -06
4th-3rd-4th at past three World Championships ... Outdoor pb: 15.17w, 15.02 -06. 3 EJC 99; 2 WJC 2000; 1 ECP 2002/2003/2004/2005; 8 ECH 2002; 1 World Military 2002; 8 OLY 2004; 3 WCH 2005 (2003/2007-4); 2 WIC 2006 (2003-4); 3 ECH 2006. 1 Russian 2007 & indoor 2006/2008 ... coach-Yevgenit Ter-Avaensov In 2008: 3 Krasnodar; 3 Moscow indoor champs; 3 Gothenburg; 1 Russian indoor; 7 Athens							
211	SESTAK Marija	SLO	28y	324d	1979	15.08	15.08 -08
Slovenian record holder indoors & out ... Outdoor pb: 14.92 -07. dnq WCH 97; 2 EJC 97; 3 WJC 98 (96-dnq); dnq OLY 2000; 2 under-23 ECH 2001; 2 Mediterranean Games 2001; dnq ECH 2002; 6 EIC 2002; 8 WSG 2003; 5 WCH 2007. 1 Slovenian 2007. Ex-Serbia ... husband is Matija Sestak, Slovenian record holder at 400m In 2008: 1 Bratislava TJ; 1 Budapest LJ; 2 Düsseldorf TJ; 1 Athens TJ (15.08, third on world all-time list indoors)							
215	TOPIC Biljana	SCG	30y	141d	1977	14.17	14.17 -08
(Née Mitrovic) ... Outdoor pb: 13.90 -07. qf WJC 200 96; ht OLY 4x100 2000; dnq ECH 2002. Husband-High Jumper Dragutin Topic In 2008: 1 Budapest indoor champs; 2 Bratislava; 2 Balkan indoor							
217	ALDAMA Yamilé	SUD	35y	204d	1972	14.20	14.90 -04
Unique treble of Central American, Pan-American and African titles ... 1999 World silver ... 4th in Sydney Olympics for Cuba, 5th in Athens for Sudan Outdoor pb: 15.29 -03. 1 Ibero-American 96/98; 1 Central American & Caribbean 98; 3 WCP 98/2006; 1 Pan-Am Games 99; 2 WCH 99 (97/2007-dnq, 2005-4); 4 OLY 2000 (2004-5); 2 WIC 2004 (97-6, 99-7, 2006-3); 1 African Champs 2004/2006; 1 African Games 2007. 1 Cuban 97/98/99/2000; 1 AAA 2003 ... son Amil born September 17, 2001 ... has high jumped 1.88 ... Cuban origin, tried in vain to gain a British passport in 2001-2003 then was given the chance to compete for Sudan from January 26, 2004 ... coach-Frank Attoh In 2008: 3 Paris							

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SALADUKHA Olga UKR

24y 276d 1983

14.52

14.52 -08

Outdoor pb: 14.79 -07. 9 EJC 2001; 5 WJC 2002; 4 under-23 ECH 2005; 1 ECP 2006; 4 ECH 2006; 4 ECH 2006; 6 WCP 2006; 1 WSG 2007 (2005-2); 7 WCH 2007

In 2008: 1 Donyetsk indoor champs; 2 Gothenburg; 3 Düsseldorf; 4 Athens; 1 Ukrainian indoor

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MARKS Shani USA

27y 194d 1980

13.87

13.87 -08

US Champion indoors & out in 2007 ... Outdoor pb: 14.08 -07. 400H pb: 58.53 -03. 7 WCP 2007; 5 Pan-Am Games 2007; dnq WCH 2007. 1 US indoor 2005/2007 & outdoor 2006/2007. 2 NCAA 2003. Was at University of Minnesota

In 2008: 1 Minneapolis (Jan 12); 1 Minneapolis (Jan 26); 2 US indoor

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST

1..... 15.36..... Tatyana Lebedeva RUS..... 2004
 2..... 15.16..... Ashia Hansen GBR..... 1998
 3..... 15.08..... Marija Sestak SLO..... 2008
 4..... 15.03..... Iolanda Chen RUS..... 1995
 5..... 15.01..... Inna Lasvoskaya RUS..... 1997
 =6... 14.94..... Iva Prandzheva BUL..... 1999
 14.94..... Cristina Nicolau ROU..... 2000
 14.94..... Oksana Udmurtova RUS..... 2008
 9..... 14.93..... Anna Pyatykh RUS..... 2006
 =10. 14.91..... Rodica Mateescu ROU..... 1997
 14.91..... Tereza Marinova BUL..... 2001

2008 WORLD LIST

1..... 15.08..... Marija Sestak SLO
 2..... 14.94..... Oksana Udmurtova RUS
 3..... 14.89..... Chrisopiyl Devetzi GRE
 4..... 14.78..... Adelina Gavrilă ROU
 5..... 14.77..... Yargelis Savigne CUB
 6..... 14.54..... Olesya Bufalova RUS
 7..... 14.53..... Teresa Nzola FRA
 8..... 14.52..... Olga Saladuhka UKR
 9..... 14.51..... Anna Pyatykh RUS
 10... 14.35..... Olga Rypakova KAZ

Women's Shot Put

19 Entrants

		Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
12	OSTAPCHUK Nadezhda BLR	27y	145d	1980	20.35	20.86 -06
<p>2005 World Champion and unbeaten that year ... world silvers in 2003 & 2007 Outdoor pb: 21.09 -05. 1 WJC 98; 1 EJC 99; 2 WIC 2001/2003 (2004-7, 2006-3); 1 under-23 ECH 2001; 5 ECH 2002; 4 OLY 2004; 1 EIC 2005 (2000-6); 1 WCH 2005 (99-dnq, 2001-7, 2003/2007-2); 2 ECH 2006; 3 ECP 2007. 1 Belarus 99/2000/2005/2007 ... 19.69 in 2004 Olympic qualifying, which would have won gold had she reproduced it in the final ... 1.80/90kg</p> <p>Won her 2005 world title on August 13, she says 13 is her lucky number</p> <p>In 2008: 1 Minsk; 1 Belarus indoor</p>						
31	LI Ling CHN	23y	28d	1985	18.77	18.77 -08
<p>Fourth at 2007 World Championships with her outdoor best ... Outdoor pb: 19.38 -07. 3 Asian Champs 2005; 1 Asian Indoor Games 2005; dnq WIC 2006; 5 WCP 2006; 1 Asian Games 2006; 4 WCH 2007. 1 Chinese junior 2004 & senior 2006 ... 1.79/85kg In 2008: 1 Beijing</p>						
32	LI Meiju CHN	28y	155d	1979	18.55	18.76 -04
<p>Twice Asian Champion ... Outdoor pb: 19.09 -07. 2 WJC 2000; 1 Asian Games 2002 (2006-2); 1 Asian Champs 2003/2005; 1 Afro-Asian Games 2003; 5 WIC 2004 (2003-dnq); 9 OLY 2004; 2 WSG 2005; 6 WCH 2007 (2003-11, 2005-7). 1 Chinese National Games 2001. 1 Chinese 2002/2004/2005... 1.73/92kg In 2008: 1 Shanghai</p>						
43	CUMBÁ Yumileidi CUB	33y	24d	1975	18.16	19.31 -04
<p>Gradual progression across a decade to become Olympic Champion in 2004, but not yet further than 20m Outdoor pb: 19.97 -04. 2 WJC 94; 1 Central American & Caribbean 98/2005/2006; 1 WSG 99/2001; 6 WCH 99/2005 (95/2003-dnq, 2001-8, 2007-12); 1 Ibero-American 2002/2004; 2 WCP 2002 (98-4); 1 Pan-Am Games 2003 (95-3, 99/2007-2); 2 WIC 2004 (99/2003-6, 2001/2006-5); 1 OLY 2004 (96-dnq, 2000-6); 3 WCP 2006. 1 Cuban 95/98/2000-2006 ... 1.82/85kg In 2008: 3 Chemnitz</p>						
44	GONZALEZ Misleidis CUB	29y	261d	1978	-	18.56 -04
<p>2007 Pan-American Champion ... Outdoor pb: 19.10 -06. 1 Central American & Caribbean 2001/2003; 6 WIC 2004; 7 OLY 2004; 10 WCH 2005 (2007-11); 3 WSG 2005; 1 Pan-Am Games 2007 ... 1.78/80kg</p>						
96	HINRICHS Denise GER	20y	273d	1987	18.81	18.81 -08
<p>2005 European Junior Champion ... Outdoor pb: 18.08 -07. 4 World Youth 2003; 1 EJC 2005; 2 WJC 2006; 2 under-23 ECH 2007 In 2008: 3 Nordhausen; 1 Westfalen indoor champs; 1 European Indoor Cup; 1 German indoor; 4 Chemnitz</p>						
99	SCHWANITZ Christina GER	22y	73d	1985	19.68	19.68 -08
<p>2004 World Junior bronze ... Outdoor pb: 18.84 -05. 3 WJC 2004; 2 under-23 ECH 2005; 9 WCH 2005 ... discovered her event when she won her first ever shot competitions in 2000 by a margin of five metres ... coach-Hans-Peter Ogiolda ... 1.85/109kg In 2008: 1 Sindelfingen; 1 Baden-Württ indoor; 1 South German indoor; 3 German indoor; 1 Chemnitz</p>						
113	LEGNANTE Assunta ITA	29y	297d	1978	18.56	19.20 -02
<p>2007 European Indoor Champion ... Outdoor pb: 19.04 -06. dnq WJC 96; 3 EJC 97; 3 ECP 2001/2005 (2002-5); 1 Mediterranean Games 2001; 8 WIC 2003 (2004-dnq); 8 WCH 2003 (2005-12, 2007-dnq); 4 WSG 2005 (2001-11); 5 ECH 2006 (2002-8); 1 EIC 2007 (2000-dnq, 2002-2, 2005-6). 1 Italian 2002/2003/2004 (1 indoor 2002/2004/2005). Born-Naples ... 1.87/115kg In 2008: 1 Schio; 1 Padova; 2 European Indoor Cup; 2 Italian indoor</p>						
114	ROSA Chiara ITA	25y	38d	1983	18.63	18.63 -08
<p>Italian record holder outdoors ... eighth at 2007 World Championships Outdoor pb: 19.15 -07. 4 WJC 2002 (2000-12); 3 under-23 ECH 2005 (2003-3); 5 WSG 2005; dnq WIC 2006; 8 ECH 2006; dnq EIC 2007 8 WCH 2007 (2005-dnq). 1 Italian 2005-2007 (1 indoors 2006/2008) ... 1.76/80kg In 2008: 1 Padova; 1 Italian indoor</p>						
154	VILI Valerie NZL	23y	151d	1984	-	18.22 -04
<p>(Née Adams) ... 2007 World Champion with pb 20.54, her 18th New Zealand record Outdoor pb: 20.54 -07 (19.78 -08). DT pb: 58.12 -04. HT pb: 58.32 -02. 1 World Youth 2001 (99-10); 1 WJC 2002; 6 WCP 2002; dnq WIC 2004; 8 OLY 2004; 1 COM 2006 (2002-2); 1 WCP 2006; 1 WCH 2007 (2003-5, 2005-3). 1 AAA junior 99 (at age 14). 1 New Zealand 2001-2007. 1 Australian 2004/2005/2008 ... her late father-Sydney Adams was born in Bristol, mother Lilika Ngauamo-Tongan ... husband-Bertard Vili threw Discus for France when they won 2007 European Cup in Munich ... coach-Kirsten Hellier ... 1.90/110kg In 2008: 1 Canberra; 1 Hamilton; 1 Sydney; 1 Australian</p> <p>This is her first indoor contest since 2004; the long-standing Commonwealth indoor record 19.06 by Venissa Head WAL from 1984 should be broken, it was set before Vili was born</p>						
171	HELTNE Anca ROU	30y	65d	1978	18.81	18.81 -08
<p>Outdoor pb: 17.51 -99. 7 WSG 2005; 8 ECP 2006; dnq EIC 2007; 1 Balkan 2007; dnq WCH 2007. 1 Romanian 2007 ... 1.75/76kg In 2008: 1 Bacau; 1 Bucharest; 1 Balkan indoor; 1 Romanian indoor</p>						
182	AVDEYEVA Anna RUS	22y	335d	1985	18.88	18.88 -08
<p>Former European Junior Champion ... Outdoor pb: 19.11 -07. 2 WJC 2004 (2002-8); 1 EJC 2003; 8 WSG 2005; 3 under-23 ECH 2007 (2005-6); dnq WCH 2007. 1 Russian under-23 2004/2005/2006/2007 ... coach-Anatoli Prokhorov ... 1.70/85kg In 2008: 2 Russian indoor</p>						
194	OMAROVA Anna RUS	26y	155d	1981	19.09	19.09 -08
<p>2007 European Cup winner ... Outdoor pb: 19.69 -07. 6 EIC 2007; 1 ECP 2007; 9 WCH 2007. 1 Russian under-23 2003 & senior 2007 & indoor 2008 ... from Stavropol region ... coach-Aleksandr Krokhmalev ... 1.80/103kg In 2008: 2 Volgograd; 1 Russian indoor</p>						
221	ENGMAN Helena SWE	31y	263d	1976	18.13	18.13 -08
<p>Swedish record holder indoors & out ... Outdoor pb: 17.72 -07. 6 WSG 2003 (97-13, 99-11); 9 ECP 2006; dnq ECH 2006; 8 EIC 2006; dnq WCH 2007. 1 Swedish 2003/2005/2006/2007 (1 indoor 2003-2008). 1 AAA indoor 2002. Coach-Kurt Engman</p> <p>Uses rotational technique – rare among women</p> <p>In 2008: 1 Piteå; 1 Nordhausen; 1 Västerås; 1 Bollnäs; 1 Sättra; 1 Swedish indoor</p>						
230	LIN Chia-Ying TPE	25y	122d	1982	-	16.38 -07
<p>Chinese Taipei record holder indoors & out ... Outdoor pb: 16.76 -06. 2 Asian junior 2001; 3 Asian Games 2006; 3 Asian Champs 2007 (2005-8); 6 WSG 2007 (2005-9); dnq WCH 2007 ... 1.68/82kg</p>						
231	BOREL-BROWN Cleopatra TRI	28y	155d	1979	18.26	19.48 -04
<p>2004 Olympic finalist ... Trinidad record holder ... Outdoor pb: 18.91 -07. 2 Central American & Caribbean 2003/2005; 10 OLY 2004; dnq WCH 2005/2007; 8 WIC 2006 (2004-dnq); 3 COM 2006 (2002-4); 3 Pan-Am Games 2007 (2003-6). 1 NCAA indoor 2002, representing the University of Maryland Baltimore County ... her father Raymond was also a thrower ... 1.68/93kg In 2008: 1 Blacksburg (Jan 11); 1 Blacksburg (Feb 9)</p>						

247 **CAMARENA Jill** USA **25y** 217d 1982 **18.11** **19.26 -06**
 4x US Indoor Champion ... Outdoor pb: 19.02 -06. DT pb: 52.52 -03. 1 Pan-Am Junior 2001; 7 WIC 2006; 6 WCP 2006; 4 Pan-Am Games 2007; dnq WCH 2007. 1 US indoors 2005/2006/2007/2008 & out 2006. At Stanford University ... 1.80/91kg
 In 2008: 1 Lincoln; 1 Flagstaff; 1 US indoor

262 **RUSTON Abby** USA **24y** 338d 1983 **18.03** **18.03 -08**
 Outdoor pb: 17.47 -07. 2 NCAA 2007. 2 US indoor 2008. At Texas A&M University
 In 2008: 1 Houston (Jan 18); 1 Fayetteville; 2 Houston (Feb 2); 1 Houston (Feb 9); 1 Fayetteville; 2 US indoor

272 **WANLESS Liz** USA **26y** 109d 1981 **18.45** **18.55 -07**
 Outdoor pb: 18.59 -06. dnq WCH 2005. 1 NCAA Division 3 indoor 2004. Was a student of Philosophy at Bates College, Maine ... also a volleyball player
 In 2008: 1 Champaign; 1 Indiana Relays indoor; 3 US indoor (7 Weight Throw)

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST	2008 WORLD LIST
1..... 22.50..... Helena Fibingerová TCH..... 1977	1..... 20.35..... Nadyezda Ostapchuk BLR
2..... 22.14..... Natalya Lisovskaya RUS..... 1987	2..... 19.68..... Christina Schwanitz GER
3..... 21.60..... Val. Fedyushina RUS..... 1991	3..... 19.09..... Anna Omarova RUS
4..... 21.59..... Ilona Briesenick GDR..... 1979	4..... 18.93..... Nadine Kleinert GER
5..... 21.46..... Claudia Losch FRG..... 1986	5..... 18.88..... Anna Avdeyeva RUS
=6... 21.26..... Ines Müller GDR..... 1985	6..... 18.81..... Anca Heltne ROU
..... 21.26..... Natalya Akhremenko RUS..... 1987	7..... 18.81..... Denise Hinrichs GER
8..... 21.23..... Margitta Pufe GDR..... 1978	8..... 18.77..... Li Ling CHN
9..... 21.15..... Irina Korzhanenko RUS..... 1999	9..... 18.63..... Chiara Rosa ITA
10... 21.10..... Sui Xinmei CHN..... 1990	10... 18.63..... Petra Lammert GER

Women's Pentathlon

8 Entrants

		Age	(Days)	Born	Season's Best	Personal Best
6	HELLEBAUT Tia BEL (Pronounced "Hella-bout") ... reigning European High Jump Champion indoors & out pbs in Pentathlon events: 60H: 8.34i; HJ: 2.06 (2.00i); SP: 13.62i; LJ: 6.42i; 800: 2:14.86 (2:15.13i) Outdoor HJ pb: 2.03-06. Hep pb: 6201 -06. 7 under-23 ECH Hep 99; 14 WCH Hep 2001 (2003-dnf); 5 WIC HJ 2004; 12 OLY HJ 2004; 6 WCH HJ 2005 (2007-14); 1 ECH HJ 2006; 2 WCP HJ 2006; 1 EIC HJ 2007. 1 Belgian Hep 99/2000/2002 (1 HJ 2000/2002/2003/2005/2006) ... born-Antwerp, Graduate of Chemistry ... 1.82 tall In 2008: 1 Belgian indoor Pentathlon (4 60H); 1 Belgian indoor LJ/Pentathlon (4 60H) Unusual among athletes that she usually competes in conventional glasses (as opposed to contact lenses or sunglasses)	30y	19d	1978	4745	4877 -07
92	SOTHERTON Kelly GBR Quite near (17 points) to defeating Carolina Klüft at 2007 European Indoor Championships pbs in Pentathlon events: 60H: 8.17i; HJ: 1.88i; SP: 14.57i; LJ: 6.68 (6.53i); 800: 2:07.94 (2:12.54i) Hep pb: 6547 -05. 8 ECP SP 2003; 3 OLY 2004; 2 EIC 2005/2007; 5 WCH 2005 (8 LJ); 1 COM 2006 (2002-7); 7 ECH 2006 (dnq LJ); 2 ECP 2007; 3 WCH 2007. As a teenager she represented Hampshire at Netball ... born-Isle of Wight, lives-Birmingham ... her coaches: Aston Moore (LJ), Graham Knight (hurdles), Fayyaz Ahmed (HJ), Mike McNeill (JT), Arun Singh (strength), Shaun Pickering (SP) ... 1.79/67kg In 2008: 1 UK indoor LJ (3 HJ, 4 60H, 6 SP); 2 Birmingham Three-Event Challenge (6.27 LJ, 8.17 60H & 52.47 400) – just 18 points behind Carolina Klüft	31y	113d	1976	-	4927 -07
134	SKUJYTÉ Austra LTU 2004 Olympic silver ... world record holder at Decathlon ... pbs in Pentathlon events: 60H: 8.69i; HJ: 1.89i; SP: 17.05i; LJ: 6.39i; 800: 2:15.92 Hep pb: 6435 -04. Dec pb: 8358 -05. 6 WJC 98; 3 under-23 ECH 2001 (99-6); 4 ECH 2002; 3 WIC 2004; 2 OLY 2004 (2000-12); 4 WCH 2005 (2003-10, 2007-6); 4 EIC 2007 (2000-10). 1 NCAA 2001/2002 (representing Kansas State University) ... 1.88/76kg In 2008: 1 Lituianian Clubs indoor SP (2 HJ); 1 Lithuanian indoor Pentathlon	28y	207d	1979	4492	4740 -07
162	TYMINSKA Karolina POL Completed seven heptathlons in 2006 and six in 2007 ... pbs in Pentathlon events: 60H: 8.50i; HJ: 1.74; SP: 15.11i; LJ: 6.59; 800: 2:05.53 Hep pb: 6402 -06. 8 World Youth 2004; dnf under-23 ECH 2005; 2 ECP 2006 (2007-4); dnf ECH 2006 (dnq LJ); 7 EIC 2007 (2005-8); 15 WCH 2007. 1 Polish indoors 2006/2008 & out 2006. Coach-Slawomir Nowak ... 1.72/68kg In 2008: 2 Belgian indoor Pentathlon; 1 Polish indoor Pentathlon	23y	153d	1984	4769	4769 -08
183	BOGDANOVA Anna RUS Russian Champion indoors & out in 2007 ... pbs in Pentathlon events: 60H: 8.32i; HJ: 1.86; SP: 14.15i; LJ: 6.51i; 800: 2:10.98 Hep pb: 6289 -07. 13 EIC 2007; 10 WCH 2007. 1 Russian indoor 2007; 1 Russian 2007 In 2008: 1 Moscow indoor champs Pentathlon; 1 Russian indoor Pentathlon	23y	136d	1984	4762	4762 -08
185	CHERNOVA Tatyana RUS 2005 World Youth Champion ... 2006 World Junior Champion ... pbs in Pentathlon events: 60H: 8.38i; HJ: 1.87; SP: 13.57; LJ: 6.61; 800: 2:10.10 400H pb: 56.14 -07. Hep pb: 6768w -07, 6227 -06. 1 World Youth 2005; 1 WJC 2006; dnf WCH 2007. 1 Russian under-23 2006. She was the star women's performer at the 2006 World Junior Championships with pbs in 4/7 events in the heptathlon ... her mother Lyudmila Chernova was an Olympic semi-finalist at 400m in 1980 and ran in the heat of 4x400 ... coaches-Vladimir Kudriavtsev & father Sergei Chernov ... 1.89 tall 69kg In 2008: 1 Krasnodar Pentathlon; 3 Tallinn Pentathlon; 5 Moscow under-23 champs indoor HJ	20y	37d	1988	4717	4717 -08
235	BLONSKA Lyudmyla UKR DEFENDING IAAF WORLD INDOOR CHAMPION 2007 World Heptathlon silver pbs in Pentathlon events: 60H: 8.26i; HJ: 1.92 (1.85i); SP: 14.77 (14.31i); LJ: 6.88 (6.57i); 800: 2:12.18 (2:16.00i) Hep pb: 6832 -07. 5 under-23 ECH 97; 9 ECP 2000 (2002-10); 23 OLY 2000; 1 WSG 2005 (97-dnf); 1 WIC 2006; 5 ECH 2006 (2002-13); 2 WCH 2007. 1 Ukrainian 98/2000. Sports instructor ... doping violation at 2003 Arles meeting, she was suspended for two years from June 8, 2003; her 2003 European Cup victory was annulled ... coach/husband-Sergey Blonskiy ... 1.75/62kg She was named as Ukrainian woman athlete of the year in 2007 and her husband was coach of the year In 2008: 2 Ukrainian Indoor Cup 60H (4 LJ); 1 Tallinn Pentathlon; 2 Ukrainian indoor 60H/LJ	30y	118d	1977	4771	4771 -08
236	DOBRYNSKA Nataliya UKR 2004 World Indoor silver ... former shot putter ... pbs in Pentathlon events: 60H: 8.39i; HJ: 1.86; SP: 17.06i; LJ: 6.56; 800m: 2:15.38 Hep pb: 6387 -04. dnf World Youth SP 99; 10 EJC 2001; 12 WSG 2003; 5 under-23 ECH 2003; 2 WIC 2004; 8 OLY 2004; 3 EIC 2005 (2007-5); 6 ECH 2006; 8 WCH 2007 (2005-9). 1 Ukrainian indoor 2003/2004/2005 ... 1.82/77kg In 2008: 8 Krasnodar LJ; 2 Tallinn Pentathlon	25y	282d	1982	4758	4758 -08

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST

1..... 4991..... Irina Belova RUS..... 1992
2..... 4948..... Carolina Klüft SWE..... 2005
3..... 4927..... Kelly Sotherton GBR..... 2007
4..... 4877..... Tia Hellebaut BEL..... 2007
5..... 4866..... Svetlana Moskalets RUS..... 1995
6..... 4850..... Natalya Sazanovich BLR..... 2001
7..... 4808..... Urszula Włodarczyk POL..... 1998
8..... 4801..... Larisa Turchinskaya RUS..... 1994
9..... 4780..... Sabine Braun GER..... 1997
10... 4775..... Rita Ináncsi HUN..... 1994

2008 WORLD LIST

1..... 4771..... Lyudmyla Blonska UKR
2..... 4769..... Karolina Tyminska POL
3..... 4762..... Anna Bogdanova RUS
4..... 4758..... Nataliya Dobrynska UKR
5..... 4745..... Tia Hellebaut BEL
6..... 4717..... Tatyana Chernova RUS
7..... 4641..... Lilli Schwarzkopf GER
8..... 4632..... Denisa Serbova CZE
9..... 4617..... Olga Kurban RUS
10... 4566..... Claudia Tonn GER