

## WORLD CUP

### 1. INTRODUCTION

Until the World Squash Federation initiated this mixed team event in 1996, there had not been a world championship title for national teams comprising both men and women (2 and 1). Indeed, this Championship signalled the first team event in which prize money was played for (\$70,000 in 1996).

### 2. ROLL OF HONOUR

#### 1996 MALAYSIA

##### POOL A:

Australia beat Hong Kong 3-0, Germany 3-0, Singapore 3-0  
Germany beat Singapore 3-0, Hong Kong 3-0  
Hong Kong beat Singapore 3-0

**POSITIONS:** 1. Australia      2. Germany      3. Hong Kong      4. Singapore

##### POOL B:

England beat Netherlands 3-0, Malaysia 3-0, Finland 3-0  
Netherlands beat Finland 2-1, Malaysia 2-1  
Finland beat Malaysia 2-1

**POSITIONS:** 1. England      2. Netherlands      3. Finland      4. Malaysia

##### POOL C:

South Africa beat Brazil 3-0, New Zealand 3-0, Sweden 2-1  
New Zealand beat Sweden 2-1, Brazil 3-0  
Sweden beat Brazil 2-1

**POSITIONS:** 1. South Africa      2. New Zealand      3. Sweden      4. Brazil

##### POOL D:

Egypt beat Italy 3-0, Wales 3-0, Canada 2-1  
Canada beat Italy 2-1, Wales 2-1  
Wales beat Italy 2-1

**POSITIONS:** 1. Egypt      2. Canada      3. Wales      4. Italy

**STAGE 2:**

**POSITIONS 1-4**

**1-4 SEMI-FINALS:**

Australia beat South Africa 3-0

England beat Egypt 3-0

**FINAL:**

Australia beat England 3-0

**3/4 PLAY OFF:**

Egypt beat South Africa 2-1

**POSITIONS 5-8**

**5-8 PLAY OFFS:**

Germany beat Canada 3-0

New Zealand beat Netherlands 3-0

**5/6 PLAY OFFS:**

Germany beat New Zealand 2-1

**7/8 PLAY OFFS:**

Netherlands beat Canada 3-0

**POSITIONS 9-12**

**9-12 PLAY OFFS:**

Wales beat Hong Kong 2-1

Sweden beat Finland 2-1

**9/10 PLAY OFFS:**

Sweden beat Wales 2-1

**11/12 PLAY OFFS:**

Finland beat Hong Kong 2-1

**POSITIONS 13-16**

**13-16 PLAY OFFS:**

Brazil beat Singapore 2-1

Malaysia beat Italy 3-0

**13/14 PLAY OFFS:**

Malaysia beat Brazil 2-1

**15/16 PLAY OFFS:**

Italy beat Singapore 3-0

**1999 NETHERLANDS**

**POOL A:**

Australia beat France 2/1, New Zealand 3/0, Austria 3/0  
France beat Austria 3/0, New Zealand 2/1  
New Zealand beat Austria 3/0

**POSITIONS:** 1. Australia      2. France      3. New Zealand      4. Austria

**POOL B:**

Scotland beat Belgium 3/0, Pakistan 2/1, Denmark 2/1  
Pakistan beat Denmark 2/1, Belgium 2/1  
Belgium beat Denmark 2/1

**POSITIONS:** 1. Scotland      2. Pakistan      3. Belgium      4. Denmark

**POOL C:**

Egypt beat Netherlands 2/1, South Africa 2/1, Canada 2/1  
South Africa beat Canada 2/1, Netherlands 2/1  
Canada beat Netherlands 2/1

**POSITIONS:** 1. Egypt      2. South Africa      3. Canada      4. Netherlands

**POOL D:**

England beat Germany 3/0, Ireland 3/0, Wales 3/0  
Wales beat Ireland 3/0, Germany 3/0  
Germany beat Ireland 2/1

**POSITIONS:** 1. England      2. Wales      3. Germany      4. Ireland

**STAGE 2:**

**POSITIONS 1-4**

**1-4 SEMI-FINALS:**

Scotland beat Egypt 2/1  
England beat Australia 2/1

**FINAL:**

England beat Scotland 3/0

**3/4 PLAY OFF:**

Australia beat Egypt 2/1

## POSITIONS 5-8

### 5-8 PLAY OFFS:

South Africa beat Pakistan 2/1

Wales beat France 2/1

### 5/6 PLAY OFFS:

South Africa beat Wales 2/1

### 7/8 PLAY OFFS:

France beat Pakistan 2/1

## FINAL POSITIONS - SEE SUMMARY

### 3. SUMMARY OF WINNERS

Australia 1996

England 1999

### 4. SUMMARY OF RUNNERS UP

England 1996

Scotland 1999

### 5. FINAL POSITIONS

<b>1996</b>	1. Australia	2. England	3. Egypt	4. South Africa
	5. Germany	6. New Zealand	7. Netherlands	8. Canada
	9. Sweden	10. Wales	11. Finland	12. Hong Kong
	13. Malaysia	14. Brazil	15. Italy	16. Singapore
<b>1999</b>	1. England	2. Scotland	3. Australia	4. Egypt
	5. South Africa	6. Wales	7. France	8. Pakistan
	9/16 (not played out) - Alphabetical: Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Germany, Ireland, Netherlands, New Zealand			

### 6. SUMMARY OF VENUES

**1996** Petaling Jaya, Malaysia

**1999** s'Hertogenbosch, Netherlands

### 7. NUMBER OF TEAMS PARTICIPATING

**1996** 16

**1999** 16

**8. NATIONS - YEARS OF PARTICIPATION**

Australia	1996	1999
Austria	1999	
Belgium	1999	
Brazil	1996	
Canada	1996	1999
Denmark	1999	
Egypt	1996	1999
England	1996	1999
Finland	1996	
France	1999	
Germany	1996	1999
Hong Kong	1996	
Ireland	1999	
Italy	1996	
Malaysia	1996	
Netherlands	1996	1999
New Zealand	1996	1999
Pakistan	1999	
Scotland	1999	
Singapore	1996	
South Africa	1996	1999
Sweden	1996	
Wales	1996	1999