

Playing Format for 2019-2020 Season

Division	No. of Teams	Playing Format		No. of games	Total	Average game played per team	Promotion / Relegation
MA-Super	5	Round Robin	All teams - Triple Round Robin -- The team with highest ranking in round robins will be the MA-Super Division Champion. -- The team with lowest ranking in round robins will be relegated to MA Division in next season.	30	30	12	-1
MA	7	Round Robin	All teams - Double Round Robin -- The team with highest ranking in round robins will be the MA Division Champion and will be promoted to MA-Super Division in next season. -- The bottom team ranked in round robins will be relegated to MB Division in next season.	42	42	12	+1 -1 (9 teams in 20-21 season)
MB	10	Preliminary Round	All teams - Single Round Robin	45	55		
		Playoff	Teams will be allocated into two Groups (A) and (B) according to the rankings in Preliminary Round Group (A) Rank 1st to Rank 5th -- Page Playoff System (Game 1) Rank 1st Vs Rank 2nd (Game 2) Rank 4th Vs Rank 5th -- Loser Rank 5th (Game 3) Rank 3rd Vs Winner of Game 2 -- Loser Rank 4th (Game 4) Winner Game 3 Vs Loser of Game 1 -- Loser Rank 3rd (Game 5) Winner Game 4 Vs Winner Game 1 -- Winner Rank 1st; Loser Rank 2nd -- The team ranked 1st in Playoff series will be the MB Division Champion. -- Final Ranking 1st, 2nd and 3rd will be promoted to MA Division.	5		10-13	+3
			Group (B) Rank 6th to Rank 10th -- Playoff System (Game 1) Rank 6th Vs Rank 7th (Game 2) Rank 9th Vs Rank 10th -- Loser Rank 10th (Game 3) Rank 8th Vs Winner of Game 2 -- Loser Rank 9th (Game 4) Winner of Game 3 Vs Loser of Game 1 -- Loser Rank 8th (Game 5) Winner of Game 4 Vs Winner Game 1 -- Winner Rank 6th; Loser Rank 7th -- Final rankings 10th will be relegated to MC Division.	5		10-13	-1
MC	10	Preliminary Round	All teams - Single Round Robin	45	55		
		Playoff	Teams will be allocated into two Groups (A) and (B) according to the rankings in Preliminary Round Group (A) Rank 1st to Rank 5th -- Page Playoff System (Game 1) Rank 1st Vs Rank 2nd (Game 2) Rank 4th Vs Rank 5th -- Loser Rank 5th (Game 3) Rank 3rd Vs Winner of Game 2 -- Loser Rank 4th (Game 4) Winner Game 3 Vs Loser of Game 1 -- Loser Rank 3rd (Game 5) Winner Game 4 Vs Winner Game 1 -- Winner Rank 1st; Loser Rank 2nd -- The team ranked 1st in Playoff series will be the MC Division Champion. -- Final Ranking 1st, 2nd and 3rd will be promoted to MB Division.	5		10-13	+3
			Group (B) Rank 6th to Rank 10th -- Playoff System (Game 1) Rank 6th Vs Rank 7th (Game 2) Rank 9th Vs Rank 10th -- Loser Rank 10th (Game 3) Rank 8th Vs Winner of Game 2 -- Loser Rank 9th (Game 4) Winner of Game 3 Vs Loser of Game 1 -- Loser Rank 8th (Game 5) Winner of Game 4 Vs Winner Game 1 -- Winner Rank 6th; Loser Rank 7th -- Final rankings 10th will be relegated to MD Division.	5		10-13	-1
MD	27	Preliminary Round	Divide the teams into 3 Groups MD1, MD2 and MD3, each group will play a single round robin. -- Group distribution: The top 2 teams in each group is based on the rankings in 2018-2019 season. Other teams and new entries will be decided by a draw.	108	144		
		Playoff	Teams will be allocated into two Groups (A) and (B) according to the rankings in Preliminary Round Group (A) The 2 top teams in each group will play a single round robin. -- The team with highest ranking in Playoff Round will be the MD Division Champion. -- The 3 top teams in playoff round will be promoted to MC Division in next season.	15		10-13	
			Group (B) The same ranking teams in each group will play a single round robin. -- i.e. Rank 3rd (MD1) Vs Rank 3rd (MD2) Rank 3rd (MD2) Vs Rank 3rd (MD3) Rank 3rd (MD1) Vs Rank 3rd (MD3) -- Rank 4th to Rank 9th in each group will also play against the same ranking teams in other groups. -- The overall rankings in MD will be determined.	21			
WA	7	Round Robin	All teams - Double Round Robin -- The top team ranked in round robins will be the WA Division Champion. -- The bottom team in round robins will be relegated to WB Division in next season.	42	42	12	-1 (9 teams in 20-21 season)
WB	12	Round Robin	All teams - Single Round Robin -- The top team ranked in this round will be the WB Division Champion. -- The 3 top teams ranked in this round will be promoted to WA Division in next season. -- The 2 bottom teams ranked in this round will be relegated to WC Division in next season.	66	66	11	+3 -2 (10 teams in 20-21 season)
WC	11	Round Robin	All teams - Single Round Robin -- The top team ranked in this round will be the WC Division Champion. -- The 2 top teams in this round will be promoted to WB Division in next season.	55	55	10	+2
Estimated nos. of teams in 2019-2020 season	89	Estimated total no. of games =		489			