

The FIBA Competition System: The 2017-2021 Cycle

2017

will be the start of the new FIBA Competition System & Calendar

- Over a **four-year** cycle (2017-2021), national teams will play **regular home and away games** to qualify for the 2019 FIBA Basketball World Cup and the 2021 FIBA Asia Cup
- The teams in the **Asia region**, which includes teams from **Oceania**, will be classified into **Division A and Division B** to qualify for both the 2019 FIBA Basketball World Cup and the 2021 FIBA Asia Cup
- Division B teams will play at the same time as Division A teams to qualify for the Qualifiers of the 2021 FIBA Asia Cup which start in November 2019

2019

FIBA Basketball World Cup in China



- For the 2019 FIBA Basketball World Cup Qualifiers, there will be 80 teams from the four regions of Africa, Americas, Europe and Asia which will include Oceania
- Home and away games will be played in six windows to qualify for the 2019 FIBA Basketball World Cup
- Each window will be 9 days long, starting on a Monday and finishing on the Tuesday of the following week
- **FIBA Basketball World Cup:**
32 teams: China (Host Country) + 7 from Asia region + 5 teams from Africa + 7 from the Americas + 12 from Europe

The FIBA Basketball World Cup will qualify teams for the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games directly or through 4 Olympic Qualifying Tournaments.

2021

FIBA Continental Cups



- Qualification for the 2021 FIBA Continental Cups will begin in the Africa, Americas, Europe and Asia regions immediately after the 2019 FIBA Basketball World Cup
- Four windows to qualify for the 2021 FIBA Continental Cups - November 2019, February and November 2020, and February 2021

After the 2021 FIBA Continental Cups, the four-year cycle (2021-2025) begins once again with the 2023 FIBA Basketball World Cup Qualifiers starting in November 2021.



Road to 2019 FIBA Basketball World Cup

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2021 FIBA Asia Cup



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Asia Region

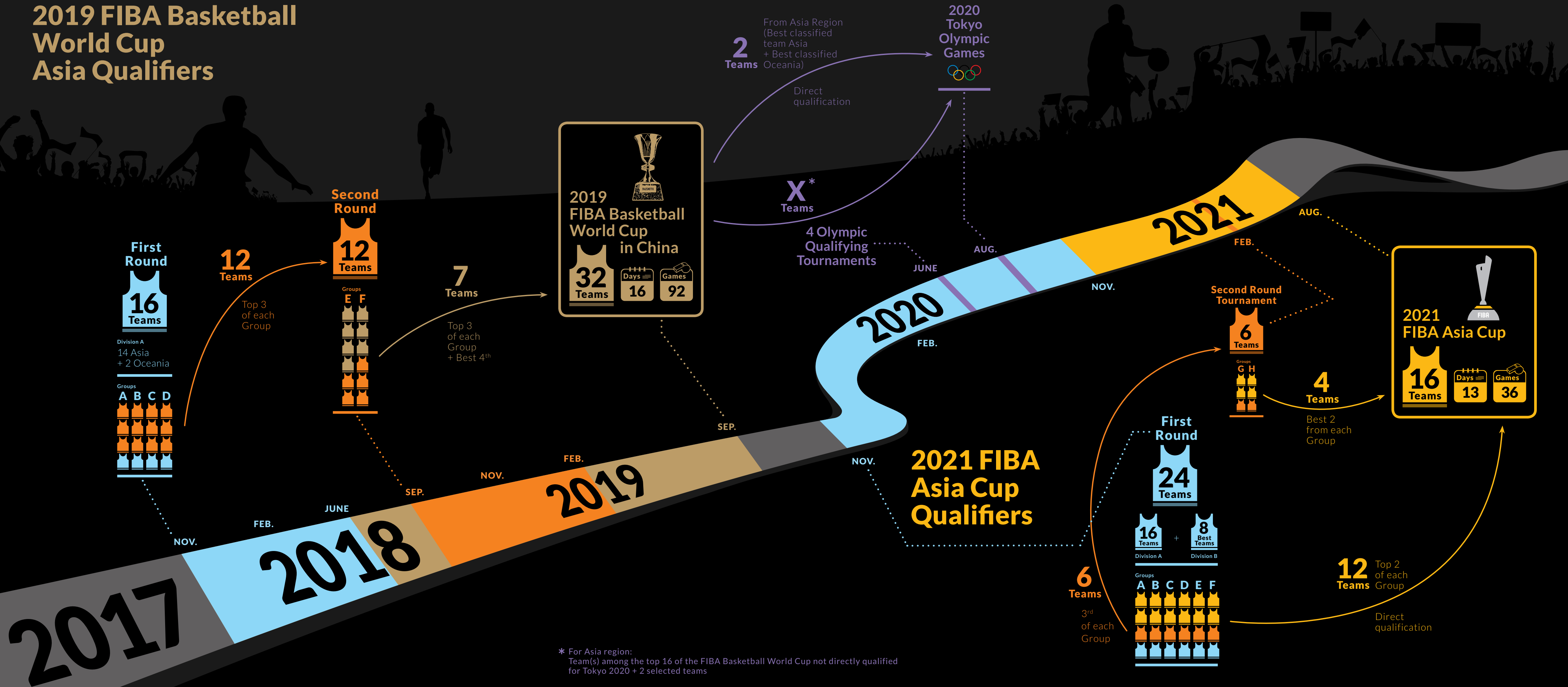


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2019 FIBA Basketball World Cup Asia Qualifiers



* For Asia region:
 Team(s) among the top 16 of the FIBA Basketball World Cup not directly qualified for Tokyo 2020 + 2 selected teams