4th FIPS-Mouche World LADIES Fly Fishing Championship
Idaho falls, USA, 12-19.July 2025

RULE MODIFICATIONS

FIPS-Mouche has appointed the USA to be the host country for the 4th FIPS-Mouche World LADIES Fly Fishing Championship to be held in Idaho falls, USA. These Rule Modifications apply to the latest published FIPS-Mouche Competition Rules. (version 2023)

Article 2: General Information

2.2. Add: Three sectors will be on rivers, bank fishing, wading allowed, and two sectors on lakes, boat fishing.
Buffalo river will be prepared as the reserve sector in case of a flood competition rivers.

Article 9: Bank Fishing competitions

9.3. Add: The beats on the river Sec I will be an average of 180-200 m, 200+ m for Sec III and Sec V. There will be buffer zones of a length about 5-10 m on sector I and 10+ on Sec V.
9.7 Add: Wading is allowed on the river sectors and chest waders may be worn.

Article 10: Boat Fishing Competitions

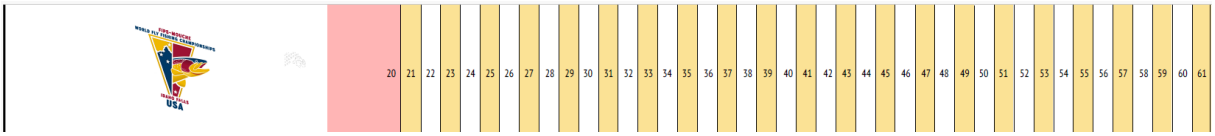
10.9 Fishing will be done from drifting boats equipped with drogues; boats will be by steered by boatmen; on sector II with engines/motors; on sector IV without engines/motors. Fishing will be in accordance with Annex B. Boats will be equipped with life-saving devices, however competitors are allowed to wear their own life vests.

Article 11: Duration of events, scoring and practice sessions

11.3. Add: Competition time will be the same for each sector (session duration will be 3 hours).
11.4. Add: All unofficial practice will be fished with barbless hooks, following catch and release.

Article 20: Controllers

20.2. Change: 20.2. Controllers will be responsible and accountable for accurately recording on the competitor's scorecard (FIPS-Mouche approved template shall be used) details of each eligible fish, including the length in centimetres over the minimal size limit (20 cm – red area) and the time of capture. If the length of the fish falls within the colored area, the size of the fish is rounded up to the next centimetres. Measuring gutter will be provided in centimetres see below:



Article 25: Eligible fish

Following fish species are eligible:
Brown trout (Salmo truta)
Rainbow trout (Oncorhynchus mykiss)
Brook trout (Salvelinus fontinalis)
Cutthroat trout (Oncorhynchus sp.)
Cutbow trout hybrid (Oncorhynchus clarkii mykiss)
Mountain whitefish (Prosopium williamsoni)
Arctic grayling (Thymallus arcticus)

Minimum size 20 cm. Measuring will be done from the tip of the nose to the extremities of the tail squeezed together.

Article 33: Awarding of points

33.1 points per fish: 100
33.2 points per centimeter of the fish's total length: 20

Annex A – Sectors and Rotation Matrix.

Sector **I** **:** Snake river - Henry's fork (river)
Sector **II** : Hebgen lake (boat fishing)
Sector **III** : Warm river (river)
Sector **IV** **:** Sheridan lake (boat fishing)
Sector **V** **:** Grey's river (river)

Reserve sectors: Buffalo river, Snake river, Warm river, Grey's river.

GROUPS	Monday 14/7	Tuesday 15/7	Wednesday 16/7	Thursday 17/7	Friday 18/7
A	I	II	III	IV	V
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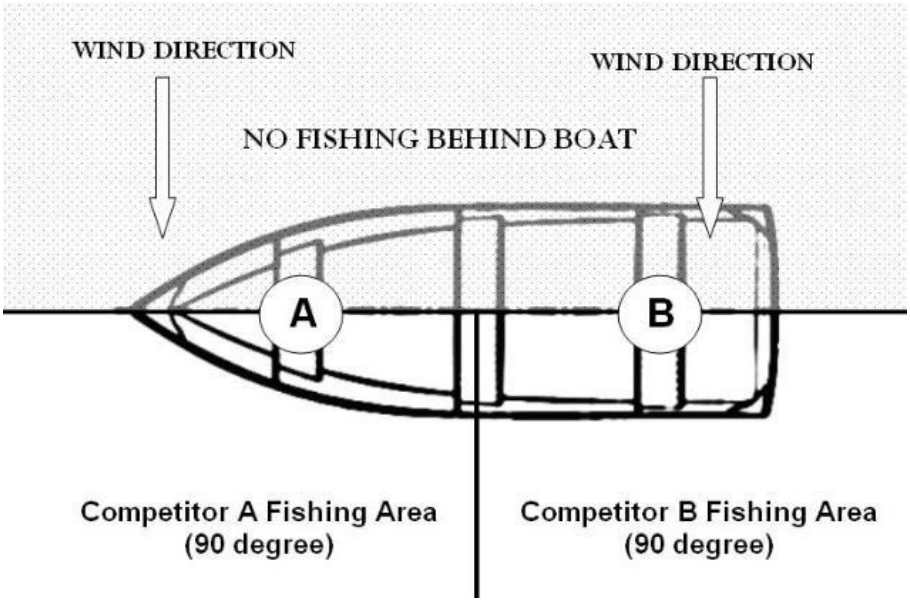
Annex B - Boat Fishing