



Marketing Guide 2023/24

Halfpipe | Slopestyle | Big Air



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2. General Marketing Information

2.1 Freeski & Snowboard World Cup Sponsors

FIS in agreement with the National Ski Associations (NSA) stages an annual World Cup Series in Freeski & Snowboard.

The events of the FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup are:

- Ski Halfpipe
- Ski Slopestyle
- Ski Big Air
- Snowboard Halfpipe
- Snowboard Slopestyle
- Snowboard Big Air

FIS in agreement with the NSA's have defined marketing guidelines for the World Cup. This document outlines the general marketing principles.

Branch Exclusivity of FIS Sponsors

The FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup Sponsors have branch exclusivity within their product category.

The NSA assures that no competing companies are present with their branding in any commercial or public area of the event.

Title Sponsor

The position of the Title Sponsor is open in the following Events:

- Ski/Snowboard Halfpipe
- Ski/Snowboard Slopestyle
- Ski/Snowboard Big Air

FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup sponsor rights

The FIS Sponsors have the right to promote their products and services on site during the events at no extra cost.

2. General Marketing Information

2.1 Freeski & Snowboard World Cup Sponsors

Data & Timing

SWATCH

Official Data & Timing Partner of the FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup
Official Data & Timing Partner of the FIS Park & Pipe World Cup

Exclusivities:

(i) manufacturer and/or distributor and/or a retailer of and/or any other person, company or entity whose business is focused entirely or partially on watches (including smartwatches and wrist wearable devices with time displaying function), clocks, timepieces, timing devices, sports timekeeping, countdowns or scoreboards (hereinafter the "Product Category") and/or other equipment which is directly or indirectly related to the Product Category or (ii) a provider of timekeeping services and/or of data handling and/or scoring and on-venue results systems, display services, including commentary information system, television graphics directly related to the timing and result data, and/or virtual television graphics services, associated with timekeeping/scoring systems and/or motion sensors, positioning systems and associated services such as installation, integration, testing, maintenance and operation (where such motion sensors, positioning systems and associated services relate to the official timekeeping and data handling services) except from SWISS TIMING LTD. And ST Sportservice GmbH or any third party, company or entity whose company name, trading name and/or associated trademark or logo or product is causing, or susceptible to cause, confusion with any of the products and/or services listed under points (i) and (ii) of this paragraph.

2.2 Responsibilities FIS

To define the advertising rules and guidelines for marketing and implementation of sponsor rights. FIS has an overview of all marketing related issues whereas at the event the Contest Director is the main contact person.

2.3 Responsibilities National Ski Association (NSA) / Local Organizing Committee (LOC)

The NSA / LOC has to provide the necessary preparation of the sponsor area inside the TV-range in prior consultation with the FIS Contest Director. In addition the NSA / LOC is responsible for a clean appearance of the sponsors outside of the TV-range.

3. FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup Venue

3.1 Start and Finish Area

The NSA must produce and provide all start and finish installations including the exit gate. The NSA is responsible to organize and set up the start and finish installations in collaboration with the Contest Director.

If there is a need for modification on the various start- and finish installations this has to be discussed with FIS.

The Title Sponsor has the exclusive right for the design of the frame and backdrop of all start- and finish installations including the exit gate.

3.1.1 Start Structure Design Overview

Example for Start installation:

Big Air, Slopestyle, Halfpipe



The advertising space is allocated as follows:

FIS Title Sponsor:	2x (1m x 0.5m)
NSA Sponsor:	2x (1m x 0.5m)
FIS Data and Timing Partner:	2x (1m x 0.5m)
Resort Logo:	1x (2m x 0.5m)
Official FIS WC Logo:	1x (2m x 0.5m)

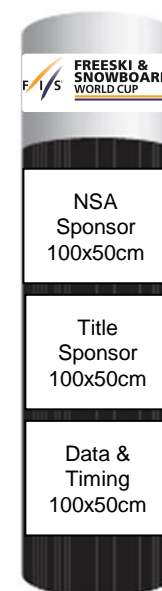
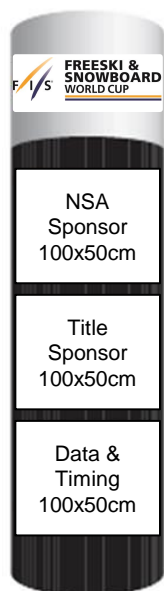
Technical Information:

Size: 5m wide x 3.5m high x 1.5m deep. Width inside: 2m

Requirements NSA:

- NSA is responsible for building up the start installation with the following specifications
- flat space of minimum 15m wide x 5m deep for start installation set up

3.1.2 Finish Structure Design Overview



The advertising space is allocated as follows:

Two logos on each column (one in front one on back)

FIS Title Sponsor:	4x (1m x 0.5m)
NSA Sponsor:	4x (1m x 0.5m)
Data and Timing Partner:	2x (1m x 0.5m)
Official FIS WC Logo:	2x (1m x 0.25m)

Technical Information:

Size per column: 3.5m high x 1.5m wide x 1.0m deep

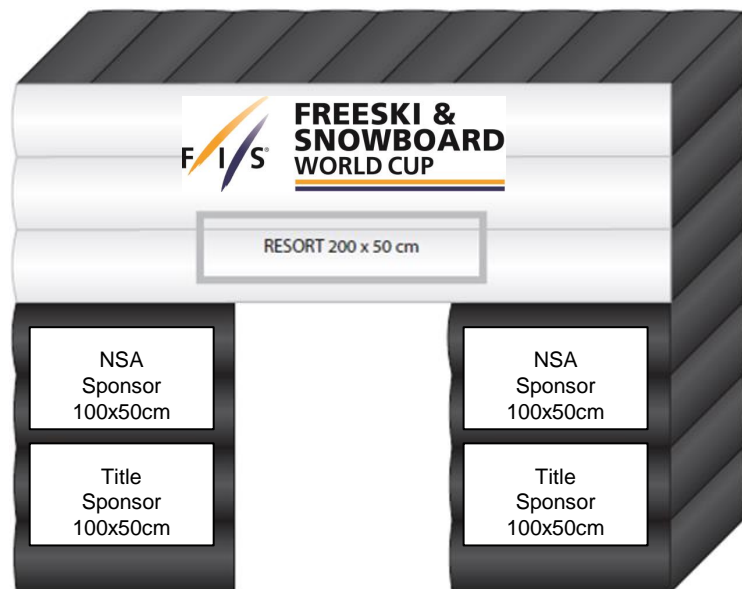
Requirements NSA:

NSA is responsible for building up the finish installation.
Define space between the columns with FIS Contest Director.

Ensure clean finish line area.

Please note that the columns cannot be affixed with ropes due to safety reasons.

3.1.3 Exit Gate



The advertising space is allocated as follows:

FIS Title Sponsor:	2x (1m x 0.5m)
NSA Sponsor:	2x (1m x 0.5m)
Resort Logo:	1x (2m x 0.5m)
Official FIS WC Logo:	1x (2m x 0.5m)

Technical Information:

Size: 5m wide x 3.5m high x 1.5m deep. Width inside: 2m

Requirements NSA:

NSA is responsible for building up the finish installation with the following specifications:

- Flat space of 15m wide x 5m deep in the finish area
- Multi electrical socket 220V close to the exit gate position

3.2 Banners

Banners on course

The bannering on course is allocated as follows:

- 100% NSA Sponsor

Advertising Banners may not exceed 8 meters in width and 1.5 meter in height.

Banners in finish area

The bannering in the finish area is allocated as follows:

- 100% NSA Sponsor

Advertising Banners may not exceed 5 meters with a width and 1 meter in height.

If there is a Platinum Circle, banners may be 1.3 meters in height.

Platinum Circle

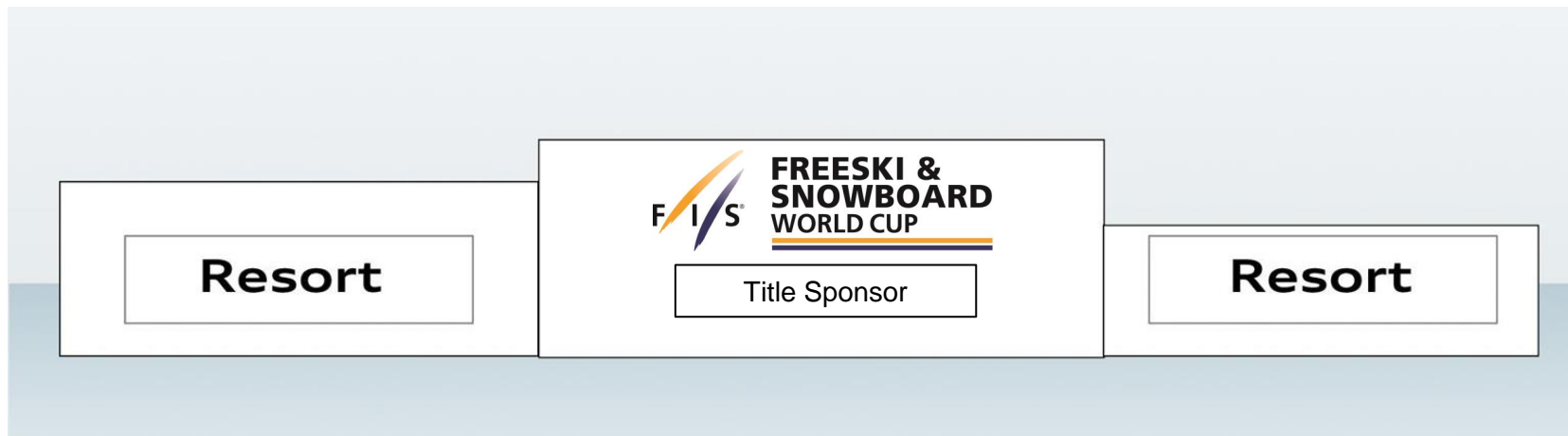
- 100% NSA
- Max height 0.3m

Banners on functional buildings

Advertising on the functional buildings is allocated as follows:

- 100% NSA

3.3 Award Ceremony



The advertising on the podium is allocated as follows:

1 st Position: FIS Title Sponsor:	1x (0,8m x 0.2m)
1 st Position Official FIS WC logo:	1x (0,8m x 0.2m)
2 nd and 3 rd Position Resort identification:	2x (0.8m x 0.2m)

Technical Information:

The podium for the top 3 athletes will be provided and installed by the NSA.

The dimension of the podium should be:
1m deep x 1m (2nd and 3rd place) x 1.5m (1st place)

3.3 Award Ceremony

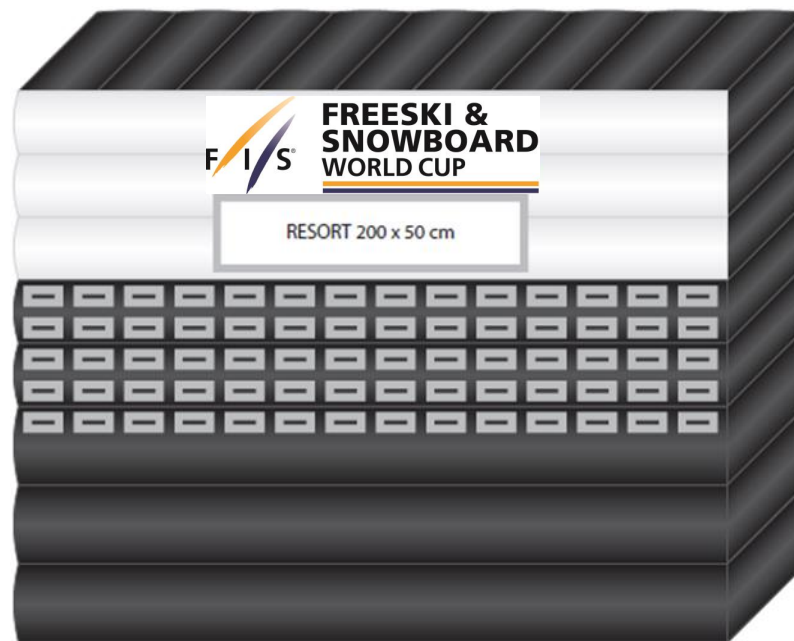
Award Ceremony Backdrop

The backdrop for the award ceremony will be provided and installed by NSA.

Placement

The placement of the podium and the backdrop shall be determined by the FIS Contest Director in cooperation with the Local Organizing Committee based on the best possible TV exposure.

3.3 Award Ceremony



Ceremony backdrop sponsor identifications:

Title Sponsor	40% 28x (0.25m x 0.13m) to be shared with Data & Timing
NSA Sponsor	40% 28x (0.25m x 0.13m)
Resort	20% 14x (0.25m x 0.13m) and 1x (2m x 0.5)

Technical Information:

Size: 4m wide x 3.5m high x 1.5m deep

Requirements NSA:

- NSA is responsible to prepare for constructing and building up the award Ceremony backdrop.
 - Production of all NSA Logo spaces (NSA & Resort) on installation
- Material specifications: magnetic board (ca. 1mm) matt finished print to adhere on metal sheet

3.4 Presentation / Interview Backdrop



Presentation / Interview backdrop sponsor identifications:

Title Sponsor	40% 12x (0.25m x 0.13m) to be shared with Data & Timing
NSA Sponsor	40% 12x (0.25m x 0.13m)
Resort	20% 6x (0.25m x 0.13m) and 1x (1.20m x 0.3m)

Technical Information:

Size: 2m wide x 2.4m high; deep: approx.: 0.75m
Material specifications: magnetic board (ca. 1mm) matt finished print to adhere on metal sheet

Requirements NSA:

Availability of an appropriate position in the finish area in consultation with the Contest Director

Athletes must have a clear view on the video wall

Electrical socket 220V close to the presentation wall

3.5 Leader Chair



Leader Chair:

Subject to the agreement of the NSA / marketing rights holder, a leader chair can be positioned in front of the leader board.

Technical Information:

The maximum dimensions of the leader chair are 50 cm in width and 140 cm in height.

It is granted to display one (1) logo and/or brand identification of an NSA / Event sponsor or the FIS Cup Series title / presenter on the leader chair, with a maximum height of 15 cm.

Requirements NSA:

NSA is responsible for the production and provision of the leader chair. The costs for production have to be borne by NSA.

3.6 Winner Presentation Banner

Winner Presentation Banner:

This winner presentation banner may be used for the presentation of the top three athletes in the finish area before the official winner's presentation.*

It is placed in accordance with the FIS Race Director.

*Only on a trial basis for season 2021/22 for all disciplines except Alpine (where it is already in use), provided approval is granted by the respective NSA, as various contracts are still in place. Decision about permanent use in spring meeting 2022.

Technical Information:

A winner presentation banner with the maximum dimensions of 600 cm width and 40 cm height may be used.

The advertising space on the side of the winner presentation banner facing the TV camera is allocated as follows:

- One (1) logo or name of the region/locality or skiing area in the centre of the banner.
- One (1) or two (2) logos and/or brand identifications of the FIS Cup Series title / presenter on the left and/or right side.
- One (1) or two (2) logos and/or brand identifications of an NSA / Event sponsor on the left and/or right side.

→ The maximum height of each logo or name is 15 cm.

Requirements NSA:

NSA is responsible for the production and provision of the winner presentation banner. The costs for production have to be borne by NSA.

3.5 Video Wall



Advertising Spot on big screen

The Title Sponsor and the Data and Timing Partner each shall have the possibility to show a 30 second advertisement spot on the big screen at the FIS Freestyle Ski/Freeski/Snowboard World Cup event. The advertisement spots of the sponsor shall be shown several times before, in between and after the races (aired at least 5 times per event day with at most 2 hours between airings).

Please communicate specifics about the necessary video spot format to FIS **20 days** prior to the event.

The video wall must be organized and provided by the NSA / LOC

Advertising possibilities on the video wall are allocated as follows:

- 100% NSA

3.6 Inflatables



Inflatables

Inflatables are allowed within the TV area and the surrounding venue areas.

Advertising possibilities are allocated as follows:

100% NSA

The number of inflatables are restricted to a maximum of 6 per competition in Slopestyle, Halfpipe and Big Air events.

Technical Information:

PVC-inflatable

Size: max. height 6m and max. width 5m

Requirements NSA:

Electrical socket 220V, in position TBD together with the Race Director.

3.7 Beach Flags



Beach Flags

Beach flags are allowed within the TV area and the surrounding venue areas.

Advertising possibilities are allocated as follows:

25% Title Sponsor

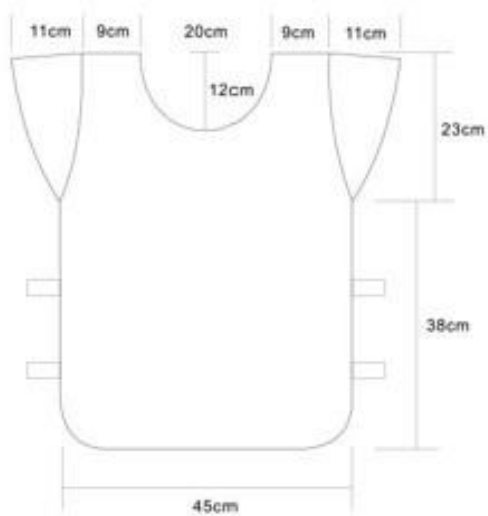
75% NSA

Requirements NSA:

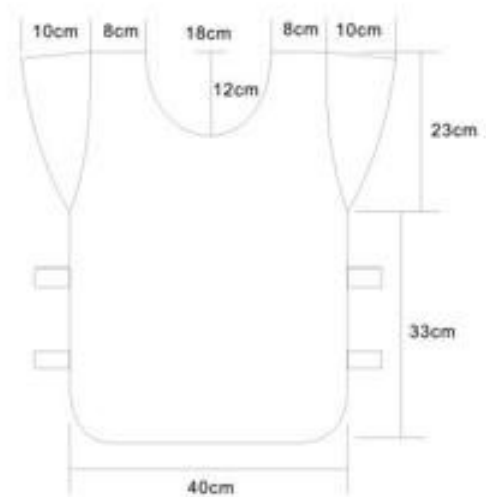
Although there is not a limitation in the amount of beach flags this should not lead to an overload both on the course and in the finish area. The setup of beach flags should follow high-quality and premium criteria.

4. Jersey

4.1 General Information



Halfpipe, Slopestyle, Big Air -
Men



Halfpipe, Slopestyle, Big Air -
Woman

4.2 Competition Jersey



The advertising on the starting Jersey is allocated as follows:

- Official FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup logo on the upper left side (when wearing the Jersey) max. size of logo: 6cm x 6cm
- Official FIS logo on the upper right side (when wearing the Jersey) max size of logo: 6cm x 6cm
- Title Sponsor upper part of Jersey: maximum height of the logo is 20 cm
- NSA Sponsor: below the resort on the bottom of Jersey. Maximum Height 7cm
- Resort: the maximum height of the resort logo is 10cm
- Height of number: Max. 10cm

Technical Information:

The Jerseys are produced and provided by the NSA
The costs have to be borne by the NSA

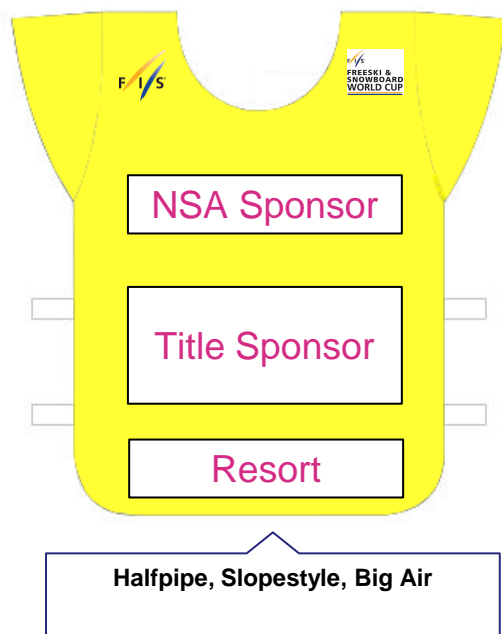
The NSA is responsible for producing and providing the Starting Jersey.

The Starting Jersey must be conform to the guidelines.

Please send the layout of the competition Jersey to FIS for approval at least 10 days before production.

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4.3 Leader Jersey



Leader Jersey

The leader of the overall FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup will wear a yellow leader Jersey:

This Jersey will be produced by the NSA.

The advertising on the leader Jersey is allocated as follows:

- Official FIS Freestyle Ski/Freeski/Snowboard World Cup logo on the upper left side (when Jersey is worn)
max. size of logo: 6cm x 6cm
- Official FIS logo on the upper right side (when Jersey is worn)
max. size of logo: 6cm x 6cm
- NSA Sponsor: maximum height 20 cm
- Title Sponsor logo in the middle of the Jersey
the maximum height of the logo is 12cm
- Resort the maximum height of the logo is 10cm

If there is no Title Sponsor the FIS logo is placed in that position

Technical Information:

The layout of the Jersey must be in accordance with the FIS Advertising Rules. The size of the Jerseys must be in accordance with the guidelines set forth in the FIS Specifications for Equipment rules.

The Jerseys are produced and provided by the NSA
The costs have to be borne by the NSA

5. TV, Web and Print Material

5.1 Use of the FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup Logo



The use of the official FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup logo is subject to a set of guidelines as outlined on the next page. This logo is part of the corporate identity of the International Ski Federation (FIS). The FIS Freeski World Cup logo is a registered trademarks of FIS.



The NSA /LOC is not allowed to bring the official World Cup logo in connection with any other sponsor other than the FIS World Cup Title Sponsor.



5.1.1 General Guidelines for the use of Logo

Size

As a rule of thumb the official FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup logo must cover 5% of the overall surface of any promotional tool it is placed on. In any case the size of the logo may not be smaller than 30 mm (width for the portrait) version of the logo.

Logo context , frame, position, dimension

The integrity of the official logo must be secured through appropriate context. The official logo may not be overshadowed by other word marks or logos. Similar but unrelated marks may not be used in the same context to avoid establishing an inappropriate relationship.

In general use, the logo is without a frame and should be positioned horizontally. As a rule, the logo is two-dimensional. The colored logo should be used on a white background. In case the logo needs to be positioned on a colored background, the solid white version must be used.

5.1.2 Official FIS Freestyle World Cup Titles

English: FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup

German: FIS Freeski & Snowboard Weltcup

5.2 FIS Freestyle Ski/Freeski & Snowboard World Cup Promotional Material

Event advertising material and roll-ups

The following must be included on all event advertising/promotional material:

- Official FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup logo
- Official World Cup title “FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup”

Event related promotional materials include, but are not limited to:

- Posters
- Programs
- Invitations
- Accreditation
- Start and result lists

Approval

All event related print materials must be sent to FIS a minimum of 10 days before production for approval. Please send to:

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5.3 TV and Web

TV Graphics

The FIS Title Sponsor and Data and Timing Partner is entitled to have its logo included in the FIS Freestyle Ski/Freeski/Snowboard World Cup TV Graphics.

Local Organizer's Website

All FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup Organizers are obliged to include the FIS Freestyle Ski/Freeski/Snowboard World Cup logo and official WC title "FIS Freeski & Snowboard World Cup" on their website.

FIS Website

The FIS website gives each Organizing Committee the opportunity to promote their World Cup event and activities. Please see:

<http://www.fis-ski.com>

If you would like to promote your event or have information to contribute to the website please contact:

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6. Hospitality

6.1 Promotional and Hospitality Activities

The Title Sponsor has the opportunity for promotional and hospitality activities at all events. Details are to be communicated by FIS.