

PREVIEW MIXED TEAM EVENT TRONDHEIM – Saturday 16 Mar 2024

- This will be the third Nordic combined mixed team World Cup event, after events in Val di Fiemme on 7 January 2022 and Otepää on 6 January 2023.
- **Norway** (1st in Val di Fiemme, 1st in Otepää), **Austria** (2nd, 3rd) and **Germany** (3rd, 2nd) claimed the podium spots in the first two Nordic combined mixed team events in the World Cup.
- Jørgen Graabak, Gyda Westvold Hansen and Jens Lurås Oftebro were team members of both winning Norwegian teams in this event. Mari Leinan Lund (Val di Fiemme) and Ida Marie Hagen (Otepää) were also part of a winning Norwegian team in this event.
- Norway (G26-S10-B9) and Germany (G15-S23-B7) lead in most podium finishes in World Cup team events (45 each). Austria (G3-S10-B14) is third on 27 podium finishes in World Cup team events.
- Norway (26) won exactly half of the 52 team events in World Cup history, including the men's team sprint event in Lahti earlier this month (Jørgen Graabak and Jens Lurås Oftebro).
- Jørgen Graabak was part of 23 of Norway's 26 wins in World Cup team events (men's and mixed events), including each of the last 21.
- Graabak's 23 wins in World Cup team events are the most by any Nordic combined athlete. Eric Frenzel is next on 11 wins.
- **Finland** finished fourth in this event last season in Otepää. That Finnish team included then 15-year-old Minja Korhonen.
- Korhonen won the gold medal in the women's individual and in the mixed team event at the 2024 Youth Olympic Winter Games in Gangwon in January this year. She also won the women's individual event at the world junior championships in Planica last February.

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