

PREVIEW WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS MEN'S TEAM SKI FLYING - 13 Mar 2022

Norway

- Norway won each of the last three world titles in the ski flying team event (2016, 2018, 2020). It also won the first two world titles, in 2004 and 2006.
- Norway (G5-S1-B1) only failed to finish on the podium of the ski flying team event in 2012 (4th place), the only previous time the team event was held in Vikersund.
- Daniel-André Tande and Johann André Forfang could win a record fourth world title in the team event in ski flying.

Germany

- Germany hopes to win its first world title in the team event in ski flying. This event has been won by Norway (5) and Austria (3).
- Germany has finished on the podium four times: G0-S3-B1, including silver in 2020.
- Germany could join Norway and Austria as the only teams to have won the team event at the Olympic Winter Games, ski jumping world championships and ski flying world championships.
- Germany also finished second in this event when it was held in Vikersund in 2012.

Other contenders

- Austria has won the team event at the ski flying world championships three times (2008, 2010 and in Vikersund in 2012). Norway won all of the other five world titles in this event.
- Austria failed to claim a podium finish in the team event at the last two ski flying world championships: fifth in 2018 and sixth in 2020. These are Austria's worst results in this event.
- Stefan Kraft holds the world record for longest jump 253.5 metres, set at the Vikersundbakken on 18 March 2017.
- Austria won gold in the team large hill event in ski jumping at the Beijing 2022 Olympic Winter Games on 14 February. Austria (2010) and Norway (2018) have won the team event in ski jumping at the Winter Games and the ski flying world championships in the same year.
- **Slovenia** hopes to win its first world title in the ski flying team event, after a second place in 2018 and a third place in 2012 in Vikersund.
- Poland finished third in the team event at the last two ski flying world championships. These are its only podium finishes in this event. Poland also finished third in the team large hill event at the most recent ski jumping world championships.
- **Japan** has yet to claim its first medal in the team event at the ski flying world championships.

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