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Summary

The following table provides a summary of the event participation and Merited Increases Rules detailed in sub-Sections 2 and 4 above. Note that Grand Slam events and Commitment Tournaments may impose additional regulations and/or restrictions on players subject to the AER. (See sub-Section A.2.f above for further details.)

Age	AER Tournament Allotment [^]	Maximum Tournament Merited Increases [§]	Maximum Professional Tournaments (AER Tournament Allotment plus Tournament Merited Increases)	AER Wild Card Allotment [±] √	Maximum Wild Card Merited Increases [§]	Maximum Wild Cards (AER Wild Card Allotment plus Wild Card Merited Increases)*
18 [‡]	Unlimited	Not Applicable	Unlimited	According to WTA & ITF Rules	Not Applicable	According to WTA & ITF Rules
17 [‡]	16	4	20 + WTA Finals or WTA Elite Trophy if direct acceptance, BJK Cup, Olympics, Exhibition/ Non-WTA Events	According to WTA & ITF Rules	Not Applicable	According to WTA & ITF Rules
16	12	4	16 + WTA Finals or WTA Elite Trophy if direct acceptance, BJK Cup, Olympics, Exhibition/ Non-WTA Events	4	2	6
15	10	4	14 + WTA Finals or WTA Elite Trophy if direct acceptance, BJK Cup, Olympics, Exhibition/ Non-WTA Events	3	3	6
14	0 WTA Tournaments, except by Wild Card 8 ITF events [#]	0 [†]	8 [#] + BJK Cup, Exhibition/Non-WTA Events	3	0 [†]	3
13	0	0	0	0	0	0

[^] See Sections X.A.1.a – Competition in a Professional Tennis Tournament and X.A.2 – Event Participation.

[§] See Section X.A.4 – Merited Increases.

[±] See Section X.A.2 – Event Participation.

[√] For Rules regarding Wild Card usage, including treatment of singles and doubles Wild Cards, see Section X.A.3 – Wild Cards.