

“Puyo Puyo Global Ranking Series 2025” Event
Agreement

This document outlines the participation rules for the “Puyo Puyo Global Ranking Series 2025,” operated by SEGA Corporation, its affiliates, and designated partners (hereinafter collectively referred to as “SEGA”). Only those who have entered through the prescribed method (hereinafter referred to as “Entrants”) may participate in the tournament. By entering, you are required to agree to these rules.

Eligibility

To participate in this tournament, you must meet the following eligibility requirements:

- You must be at least 6 years old at the time of the tournament.
 - You must be able to provide your own environment for playing the game and participating in online matches. *All costs associated with participating in the tournament, such as game platform fees and communication charges required for online matches, are the responsibility of the participant.*
 - You must be able to use the tournament tool “Discord” on a PC, smartphone, or similar device. You must also be able to use any tournament tools specified for each event.
 - You must follow the instructions of SEGA’s event staff during the tournament.
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For Minor Participants

- If the entrant is a minor, they must obtain prior consent from a parent or legal guardian before entering the tournament. SEGA will consider that minors have obtained such consent upon entry. Please note that SEGA may request written proof of consent from a parent or legal guardian if deemed necessary.
 - If there are age restrictions for tournament tools, the parent or legal guardian must provide the necessary arrangements. *The definition of a minor is based on the laws of each country.*
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Prohibited Acts

The following acts are prohibited during participation in the tournament. If SEGA determines that a participant has engaged in any prohibited acts, their participation may be revoked.

- Defamation or slander of third parties
- Acts that cause trouble to other participants or related parties
- Any promotional activities for specific companies, products, services, etc., without SEGA’s consent
- Infringement of third-party rights
- Fraudulent acts or gambling
- Any other acts that SEGA deems inappropriate

Prizes (Prize Money)

- All prizes, including prize money (“Prize Money”) and any rewards such as travel or accommodation expenses paid by SEGA to players, are collectively referred to as “Prizes.”
- Payment of prizes will be made at SEGA’s discretion and in accordance with applicable laws and regulations of the awarding country or the player’s country of residence, as well as SEGA’s or the organizer’s internal rules.
- Prize money may not be paid in full immediately; in such cases, players will be appropriately notified.
- Unless otherwise specified, amounts are listed in Japanese yen. However, official amounts may be subject to change.
- To receive prizes, players must submit application forms or documents specified by SEGA or the organizer. Players are responsible for all taxes on prize money or goods.
- If withholding tax applies to prize money, SEGA or the organizer will pay the amount after tax deduction.
- If a player declines to receive a prize or fails to submit the required documents within 30 business days, their right to the prize will be forfeited, and SEGA or the organizer will bear no further legal responsibility.

Affiliated Region

To participate in the “Puyo Puyo Global Ranking Series 2025,” you must register your “Affiliated Region.”

- The “Affiliated Region” is defined as a person who meets one of the following:
 1. Holds nationality of the target region
 2. Holds permanent residency in the target region *SEGA may confirm the affiliated region of entrants.*

SEGA Privacy Policy (Joint Use of Personal Information)

Entrants agree that SEGA may collect, use, and share personal information for the following purposes:

- Contacting players
- Operation of global finals and tournaments
- Payment of prizes and rewards
- Fulfilling legal obligations such as tax reporting
- Other tasks related to participation

To the extent necessary for these purposes, SEGA may share information with designated partners, affiliates, subcontractors, and sublicensees. The same applies if required by law or government agencies. For matters not specified in these rules, SEGA’s privacy policy applies (Japan: <https://www.sega.co.jp/privacypolicy/>)

Outside Japan: <https://www.sega.co.jp/en/privacypolicy/index.html>).

Other Special Notes

- For smooth tournament operation, please follow the instructions of SEGA event staff. If staff determine that a participant is interfering with the tournament, they may be disqualified.
- Only one entry per participant is allowed. Multiple entries will result in all entries being invalidated and disqualification.
- Only the entrant themselves may participate. The transfer or resale of eligibility is strictly prohibited.
- If any deficiencies or falsehoods are found in the entry information, or if SEGA deems a participant ineligible, participation may be revoked.
- If SEGA determines that a player name contains inappropriate words or infringes on third-party rights, a change will be requested. Failure to comply may result in disqualification.
- We cannot respond to individual inquiries regarding disqualification, revocation, or other specific reasons.
- During the tournament, participants may be asked for interviews, live internet broadcasts, appearances on official websites, or other media exposure by SEGA or media outlets. If you do not wish to be exposed, please refrain from entering. Photos, videos, and articles from interviews may be published through media or SEGA's promotional activities.
- The tournament may be broadcast live on the internet.
- Participants who are unwell or have medical conditions must participate at their own responsibility.
- Anyone found to be intoxicated on the day of the tournament will be refused participation.
- The tournament may be changed or canceled due to natural disasters, force majeure, or SEGA's circumstances. SEGA will not be liable for any damages arising from such events.
- To enter the tournament, you must comply with tournament regulations separately established by SEGA. By entering, you are deemed to have agreed to these regulations.
- SEGA is not responsible for any damages arising from participation or inability to participate in the tournament.
- Participants agree that SEGA will not be responsible for any trouble or accidents between themselves, other participants, or third parties.
- The contents and conditions of these rules may be changed without notice. SEGA will not be liable for any damages arising from such changes.

End.

