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# History of the Winter Olympic Games

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# Topicality:

- o* the Olympic Movement;
- o* the XXIII Winter Olympic Games in South Korea;
- o* the great interest to our sportsmen because of the accusation in doping;



My aim is to find and learn information and interesting facts about Winter Olympic Games. So I want to know:

- when and where was the first Winter Olympic Games;
- what kinds of sports were represented in the first and in modern Olympic Games;
- how many countries took part in the first Winter Olympic Games;
- were the Winter Olympic games in our country;
- what country was the host of the latest Winter Olympic Games.

On January 25, 1924, the first Winter Olympics took place at Chamonix in the French Alps.





## Kinds of sports, which were represented during the first Winter Olympic Games

- 0 Bobsled (1)
- 0 Curling (1)
- 0 speed skating (5)
- 0 Nordic combined (1),
- 0 skiing (2)
- 0 ski jumping (1)
- 0 military patrol (1)
- 0 figure skating (3)
- 0 hockey (1)



In games attended by athletes from 16 countries, with a total of 258 people. of which was 245 men and 13 women.

- Austria (4),
- Belgium (18),
- United Kingdom (44),
- Hungary (4),
- Italy (23),
- Canada (12),
- Latvia (2),
- Norway (14),
- Poland (7),
- United States (24),
- Czechoslovakia (27)
- Finland (17),
- France (43),
- Switzerland (30),
- Sweden (31),
- Yugoslavia (4)



## Medal table of the first Winter Olympic Games

P l a c e	Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
1	Norway (NOR)	4	7	6	17
2	Finland (FIN)	4	4	3	11
3	Austria (AUT)	2	1	0	3
4	Switzerland (SUI)	2	0	1	3
5	UNITED STATES (USA)	1	2	1	4
6	United Kingdom (GBR)	1	1	2	4
7	Sweden (SWE)	1	1	0	2
8	Canada (CAN)	1	0	0	1
9	France (FRA)	0	0	3	3
10	Belgium (BEL)	0	0	1	1
Total		16	16	17	49



**Sochi** was selected as the host city in **July 2007**, during the 119th IOC Session held in Guatemala City.





**The 2014 Winter Olympics**, officially known as the XXII Olympic Winter Games, were a major international multi-sport event held in **Sochi, Russia**, in the tradition of the Winter Olympic Games.





# Opening ceremony





# Here are the 15 major sport categories for the 2014 Winter Olympics in Sochi

- o Bobsled
- o Luge
- o Skeleton
- o Ice Hockey
- o Figure Skating (including Ice Dancing)
- o Speed Skating
- o Short Track Speed Skating
- o Curling
- o Alpine Skiing
- o Freestyle Skiing - Aerials, Moguls, Ski Cross, Ski halfpipe and Ski slopestyle
- o Snowboarding - Parallel Giant Slalom, Halfpipe and Snowboard Cross and Slopestyle
- o Biathlon - cross-country skiing and target shooting
- o Cross-Country Skiing
- o Ski Jumping
- o Nordic Combined - ski jumping and cross-country skiing

## New Sports:

- o Figure skating team event
- o Women's ski jumping
- o Mixed relay biathlon
- o Ski half-pipe
- o Team relay luge
- o Ski slopestyle
- o Snowboard slopestyle

# Participating National Olympic Committees

A record **88** nations qualified to compete, Seven nations—Dominica, Malta, Paraguay, Timor-Leste, Togo, Tonga, and Zimbabwe—are making their Winter Olympics debut.





# Medal table

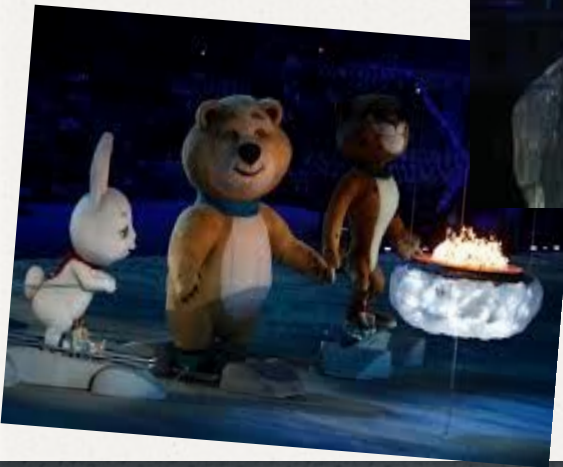
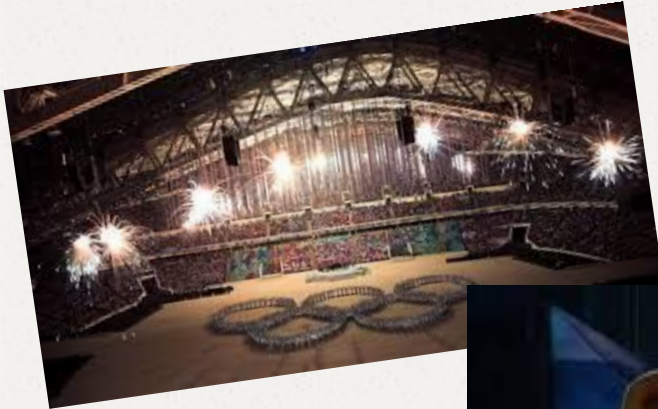


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★ 1  RUS	13	11	9	33	>
2  NOR	11	5	10	26	>
3  CAN	10	10	5	25	>
4  USA	9	7	12	28	>
5  GER	8	6	5	19	>
6  NED	8	7	9	24	>
7  SUI	6	3	2	11	>
8  BLR	5	0	1	6	>
9  AUT	4	8	5	17	>
10  FRA	4	4	7	15	>

# The Closing Ceremony














# The XXIII Winter Olympic Games in PyeongChang 2018



# Medal table

#	Country				Total	
1	 Norway	14	14	11	39	▼
2	 Germany	14	10	7	31	▼
3	 Canada	11	8	10	29	▼
4	 United States	9	8	6	23	▼
5	 Netherlands	8	6	6	20	▼
6	 Sweden	7	6	1	14	▼
7	 South Korea	5	8	4	17	▼
8	 Switzerland	5	6	4	15	▼
9	 France	5	4	6	15	▼
10	 Austria	5	3	6	14	▼
11	 Japan	4	5	4	13	▼
12	 Italy	3	2	5	10	▼
13	 Olympic Athletes from Russia	2	6	9	17	▼
14	 Czech Republic	2	2	3	7	▼
15	 Belarus	2	1	0	3	▼
16	 China	1	6	2	9	▼
17	 Slovakia	1	2	0	3	▼
18	 Finland	1	1	4	6	▼
19	 Great Britain	1	0	4	5	▼



# Our pride



## Main conclusions

- o the first Winter Olympic Games were in Chamonix in the French Alps on the 25<sup>th</sup> of January in 1924;
- o there were 9 kinds of sports and in Sochi there were 15;
- o in Chamonix there were 16 countries, in Sochi – 88 countries and in PyeongChang - 93 countries;
- o in 2014 the XXII Winter Olympic Games were in Sochi;
- o the latest Winter Olympic Games were in South Korea.



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