

Procedures for the Beach Soccer Africa Cup of Nations Egypt 2024 Qualifiers

Engaged Teams: 14

Angola, Burundi, Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana, Guinea, Malawi, Morocco, Mauritania, Mozambique, Nigeria, Senegal, Seychelles, Tanzania & Uganda

We need to qualify seven teams to join the host, Egypt, in the final tournament. The qualification process involves one round, played on a home-and-away basis.

Ranking and Draw Procedure

CAF has created a ranking based on the results of the last three editions of the final tournament (attached).

The draw procedures will take into account the mentioned rankings and the geographical proximity as much as possible, to maintain fairness and reduce travel distances/costs.

Qualifying round Dates: 1st Leg: 19-21 July & 2nd Leg: 26-28 July 2024

<u>Geographical Division by Rank</u>: The following pots have been divided into East & West Africa, to minimize travel distance.

- West (Lower Ranked): **Pot 1** (Ghana, Angola, Guinea, Mauritania)
- West (Higher Ranked): Pot 2 (Senegal, Morocco, Nigeria, CIV)
- East (Lower Ranked): Pot 3 (Tanzania, Seychelles, Burundi)
- East (Higher Ranked): **Pot 4** (Mozambique, Uganda, Malawi)

POT 1	POT 2	POT 3
GHANA	SENEGAL	TANZANIA
ANGOLA	MOROCCO	SEYCHELLES
GUINEA	NIGERIA	BURUNDI
MAURITANIA	CIV	

The draw procedure for each set of pots is as follows:

1. Pots 1 and 2:

- Draw one ball from Pot 1 and match it with one ball from Pot 2.
- The higher-ranked team from Pot 2 will play the second leg at home.
- Repeat this process for all teams in Pots 1 and 2.

2. Pots 3 and 4:

- Draw one ball from Pot 3 and match it with one ball from Pot 4.
- The higher-ranked team from Pot 4 will play the second leg at home.
- Repeat this process for all teams in Pots 3 and 4.