



Changelog:

Version	Date	Details
V1	16-04-2024	Initial
V1.1	17-04-2024	Incorporated review comments

Who can compete at MRT 2024?

- (1) ***Pre-rookie FRC teams**** can compete with no entry fee at as many MRT off-season events as they choose until there is a local regional in their home state
- (2) ***Current AUS FRC teams***** are eligible to attend MRT with no entry fee
- (3) ***Current AUS FRC teams*** are eligible to bring a second robot with no entry fee
- (4) ***Current overseas FRC teams*** are eligible to attend MRT with no entry fee, second robots can not be entered by overseas teams
- (5) ***Returning registered FRC teams****** are eligible to attend MRT with no entry fee
- (6) Pre-rookie and second robot team numbers will be designated by the MRT organising committee for the event
- (7) All teams need to be registered for the MRT event via the EOI form; have at least one adult mentor and a minimum drive team of 4 students present on each of the 3 event days

* ***Pre rookie teams*** is a school or an organisation that hasn't registered for an official FRC event before

** ***Current xxx FRC teams*** are teams listed on firstinspires.org for the current FRC season.

*** ***Returning registered FRC teams*** are teams which have previously registered for an FRC official season, but not for the current season



What are the constraints?

There are various constraints (e.g. venue size, limited unregistered team numbers supported by FMS) so team participation is not guaranteed for all teams who complete the EOI form.

The approach that the event organising committee will adopt to allocate slots for teams at MRT 2024 will be:

(i) We will allocate slots as soon as possible so that all teams have maximum time to prepare - we are targeting an 'MRT 2024 slot allocation date' of the 11-May-2024 to announce teams (and second robots) that have been allocated a slot - this date depends upon timely submission of EOI forms (EOI Closes 9th of May)

(ii) Pre-rookie teams will be prioritised

(iii) Teams registering two robots will have their first robot prioritised above their second robot

(iv) Teams with higher level of commitment in the EOI will be prioritised

(v) Teams submitting their EOI early will be higher on the waitlist

(vi) Teams that are not allocated a slot on 'MRT 2024 slot allocation day' will be added to a waitlist

(vii) The waitlist will be managed by the MRT 2024 event committee with the same priorities

(viii) Second robots will have the lowest priority, and will be allocated based on the number of remaining slots after the EOI close date

This process is subject to change based on unforeseen circumstances and changes in venue for future events.