

## 2020-21 NCAA DIVISION I WRESTLING PRE-ALLOCATION FORMULA

### 1. Scenario #1 (100% of traditional brackets).

330 wrestlers (33 wrestlers per weight class).

- **Pre-allocations.** The champion at each weight class for all conference tournaments.
  - (1)  $10 \times 7 = 70$  (21% of field)
  - (2) Historical data to pre-allocate 220 (66% of field) other spots across the conferences.
  - (3) Committee uses selection criteria to select 40 at-large (13% of field).
    - Brackets need to be balanced so allocations will need to be by weight class.

### 2. Scenario #2 (Approximately 75% of traditional brackets).

240 wrestlers (24 wrestlers per weight class).

- **Pre-Allocations.** The champion at each weight class for all conference tournaments.
  - (1)  $10 \times 7 = 70$  (29% of field).
  - (2) Historical data to pre-allocate 130 (54% of field) other spots across the conferences.
  - (3) Committee use selection criteria to select 40 (17% of field) at-large.
    - Brackets need to be balanced so allocations will need to be by weight class.

### 3. Scenario #3 (Approximately 50% of traditional brackets).

160 wrestlers (16 wrestlers per weight class).

- **Pre-Allocations.** The champion at each weight class for all conference tournaments.
  - (1)  $10 \times 7 = 70$  (45% of field).
  - (2) Historical data to pre-allocate 50 (30% of field) other spots across the conferences.
  - (3) Committee uses selection criteria to select 40 at-large (25% of field).
    - Brackets need to be balanced so allocations will need to be by weight class.