

4th Quadrennial HWCI FIFA World Cup Soccer Tournament Pool

Monday, May 31, 2010 (Rev A)

2010 HWCI WORLD CUP POOL

(NOTE: If you want to hand your picks and fee in person, please give to me (Scott Tamashiro) on the following match day: June 5).

Hello,

Welcome to the fourth-ever HWCI World Cup pool based on our successful HWCI NCAA pools. The 2010 World Cup will take place in South Africa from June 11 to July 11. You will choose the winners of the 48 round-robin games, the 16 teams who will advance to the Round of 16 and the winners of each match after that- 80 choices in all and all before the first match is played!

A World Cup schedule with dates and Round of 16 bracket can be found on FIFA's official website at <http://www.fifa.com/worldcup>. Rules on how to enter are on the next page. A list of everyone's picks and updated standings will soon be found on our website at <http://www.HWCI.com/worldcup>.

Here is a quick look at the pool:

- WHAT:** 4TH HWCI WORLD CUP SOCCER BETTING POOL
FEE: \$10.00 per entry
DEADLINE: 7:00 a.m. PDT on Friday, June 11, 2010
(if by mail, then postmarked by Thursday night)
WHO: Anyone with ten bucks! Invite friends! No more than three entries per person.
REFERRAL: If you participated last time, refer five people to enter and get a free entry with one paid
SOC STAT: Italy is the defending World Cup champion.
INFO: 1998 HWCI World Cup Pool: www.HWCI.com/worldcup/1998
2002 HWCI World Cup Pool: www.HWCI.com/worldcup/2002
2002 HWCI World Cup Pool: www.HWCI.com/worldcup/2006
PRIZES: All money from fees will go into pot for 1st through 4th place prizes and maybe a Bonus Prize. Winners will be determined by points, not correct number of games (see *Points* section).
POINTS:
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| 48 Round Robin matches= | 1 point each (ties and losses are 0 pts) |
| 16 Round of 16 picks= | 3 points each |
| 8 Quarterfinal picks= | 5 points each |
| 4 Semifinal picks= | 7 points each |
| 2 Final picks= | 9 points each |
| 1 World Cup champ pick= | 14 points |
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| Total possible points= | 196 (same as our NCAA pool) |
- PAYMENT:** If by eCheck or PayPal funds (must choose personal reason, such as "gift"), **PayPal** (send \$10.00 to "hwci@hotmail.com")
If by credit card, **PayPal** (send \$10.61 (\$10 plus 61¢ PayPal fees) to "smt0222@yahoo.com") [preferred]
Mail a \$10 check to: Scott Tamashiro, P.O. Box 121, Artesia, CA 90702-0121
Pay the person who referred you (or give to Sam Nishi)
Payment due June 14th unless prearranged earlier
ENTER: Via Web (www.HWCI.com/worldcup) [preferred]
Via Email (see instructions below) to worldcup@hwci.com
Via Fax (720-368-0816) using form below
Via Mail (Scott Tamashiro, P.O. Box 121, Artesia, CA 90702-0121)
CONTACT: Scott M Tamashiro (worldcup@hwci.com)
<http://www.HWCI.com/worldcup>

Scott M Tamashiro
Pool Administrator

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HOW TO ENTER

You will make 80 choices in this pool- all before the first match is played! You will pick the 48 winners of the round robin matches, the 16 teams who will advance to the Round of 16, the 8 teams who will make it to the Quarterfinals, the 4 teams who will make it to the Semifinals, the 2 teams in the Final Match, the 2010 World Cup champion, and a tiebreaker total goals prediction. Here is what we will need from you:

- NAME:** Your full name
EMAIL/PHONE #: Your email address (preferred) or your phone number... if you win we need a way to contact you! Also, there will be a periodic email update every other day or so.
NICKNAME: Something short, something sweet.... be forewarned- if you don't choose a nickname we will choose one for you!

(Now to your picks...)

- GROUP A (6):** List the six winners in order of group play (see next page) (if you want to be safe, list the game number then winner; e.g., "1-South Africa, 2-Uruguay, 17-South Africa, 18-France, 33-Mexico, 34-France" instead of "RSA, URU, RSA, FRA, MEX, FRA" which is fine to do, if you have got them in the right order)
- GROUP B (6):** Same as above
GROUP C (6): Same as above
GROUP D (6): Same as above
GROUP E (6): Same as above
GROUP F (6): Same as above
GROUP G (6): Same as above
GROUP H (6): Same as above
- Round of 16 (16):** List the 16 teams advancing into the Round of 16 (top 2 teams in each Group) (**NOTE:** Does **not** matter how you picked round-robin matches)
- Quarterfinalists (8):** List the 8 teams who will reach the Quarterfinals (based on your R16 matchups)
Semifinalists (4): List the 4 teams who will reach the Semifinals (based on your R16 matchups)
Finalists (2): List the 2 teams who will play for the 2010 World Cup title
Champion (1): List the 1 team who will win it all
Tiebreaker
- Total Goals:** In case of a tie, predict the total number of goals scored in regulation or overtime in BOTH the 3rd place and Final matches (i.e., NOT including penalty kick tiebreaker goals). You can pick in ½ goal increments (i.e., 4.5 goals). The tiebreaker is just "closest to", so if one person guesses 3.5 goals and another 4.5 goals and the *actual* total is 4 goals, then there is a tie.

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The Schedule and Bracket (\$10 Entry Fee)

NAME: _____

ONLINE: <http://www.hwci.com/worldcup>
 FAX: (720) 368-0816, EMAIL: WORLDCUP@HWCI.COM, OR MAIL TO
 SCOTT TAMASHIRO, PO Box 121, ARTESIA, CA 90702-0121

E-MAIL: _____
 NICKNAME: _____
 REFERRED BY: _____

You can circle the winners here if you have a hardcopy of this sheet; otherwise, email the winners for each group in the order shown. Circle the teams in the round-robin matches and then fill in the bracket below - don't forget the tiebreaker: total combined goals in the 3rd Place and Final matches. Use this as your worksheet to enter your picks online at <http://www.HWCI.com/worldcup>.

<p>GROUP A South Africa (RSA) Mexico (MEX) Uruguay (URU) France (FRA)</p> <p><u>Round Robin Games</u> 01- RSA – MEX 02- URU – FRA 17- RSA – URU 18- FRA – MEX 33- MEX – URU 34- FRA – RSA</p>	<p>GROUP B Argentina (ARG) Nigeria (NGA) Korea Republic (KOR) Greece (GRE)</p> <p><u>Round Robin Games</u> 03- ARG – NGA 04- KOR – GRE 19- GRE – NGA 20- ARG – KOR 35- NGA – KOR 36- GRE – ARG</p>	<p>GROUP C England (ENG) United States (USA) Algeria (ALG) Slovenia (SVN)</p> <p><u>Round Robin Games</u> 05- ENG – USA 06- ALG – SVN 22- SVN – USA 23- ENG – ALG 37- SVN – ENG 38- USA – ALG</p>	<p>GROUP D Germany (GER) Australia (AUS) Serbia (SRB) Ghana (GHA)</p> <p><u>Round Robin Games</u> 07- GER – AUS 08- SRB – GHA 21- GER – SRB 24- GHA – AUS 39- GHA – GER 40- AUS – SRB</p>
<p>GROUP E Netherlands (NED) Denmark (DEN) Japan (JPN) Cameroon (CMR)</p> <p><u>Round Robin Games</u> 09- NED – DEN 10- JPN – CMR 25- NED – JPN 26- CMR – DEN 43- DEN – JPN 44- CMR – NED</p>	<p>GROUP F Italy (ITA) Paraguay (PAR) New Zealand (NZL) Slovakia (SVK)</p> <p><u>Round Robin Games</u> 11- ITA – PAR 12- NZL – SVK 27- SVK – PAR 28- ITA – NZL 41- SVK – ITA 42- PAR – NZL</p>	<p>GROUP G Brazil (BRA) Korea DPR (PRK) Côte d'Ivoire (CIV) Portugal (POR)</p> <p><u>Round Robin Games</u> 13- CIV – POR 14- BRA – PRK 29- BRA – CIV 30- POR – PRK 45- POR – BRA 46- PRK – CIV</p>	<p>GROUP H Spain (ESP) Switzerland (SUI) Honduras (HON) Chile (CHI)</p> <p><u>Round Robin Games</u> 15- HON – CHI 16- ESP – SUI 31- CHI – SUI 32- ESP – HON 47- CHI – ESP 48- SUI – HON</p>

