

MEN'S NATIONAL MARATHON RECORDS BY COUNTRY/TERRITORY

(as of April 26, 2009)

Country/Territory	Name	Time	Date	Location
Afghanistan.....	Waheed Karim.....	2:28:46.....	December 2, 1990	Sacramento
Albania.....	Remzi Laho	2:25:29.....	September 29, 1991	Burgas
Algeria	Rachid Ziar	2:09:54.....	April 7, 2002.....	Paris
American Samoa.....	Gary Fanelli	2:25:35.....	October 2, 1988	Seoul
Andorra.....	Antoni Bernadó.....	2:14:25.....	March 16, 2003	Barcelona
Angola	Joao N 'Tyamba	2:11:40	September 30, 2001	Berlin
Antigua	Cordoy Simon.....	2:31:49.....	August 28, 1994.....	Victoria
Argentina	Antonio Silio	2:09:57.....	April 30, 1995.....	Hamburg
Armenia	Ashik Mkhitarian	2:20:36.....	April 4, 1968.....	Uzhgorod
Aruba	Kimball Reynierse	2:13:43.....	September 10, 1989	Berchem
Australia	Rob De Castella	2:07:51	April 21, 1986.....	Boston
Austria	Gerhard Hartmann	2:12:22.....	April 13, 1986.....	Vienna
Azerbaijan.....	Boris Dergachov.....	2:19:45.....	August 29, 1968.....	Noginsk
Bahamas	Delroy Boothe.....	2:34:00.....	December 18, 1999	Jacksonville
Bahrain	Aadam Ismaeel Khamis	2:10:41.....	April 13, 2009.....	Utrecht
Bangladesh.....	Ali Mohammed	2:22:03.....	March 7, 1987	Dhaka
Barbados	Reuben McColin.....	2:29:40.....	December 4, 1988	Bridgetown
Belarus	Vladimir Kotov	2:10:58.....	May 24, 1980	Moscow
Belgium	Vincent Rousseau	2:07:20	September 24, 1995	Berlin
Belize.....	Patrick Fuller	2:22:01.....	February 8, 2003	Birmingham
Benin	Mamadou Lafia.....	2:55:52.....	December 4, 1994	Abidjan
Bermuda	Raymond Swan.....	2:26:37	April 20, 1981	Boston
Bhutan	Boney Boney.....	3:25:10.....	September 23, 1984	Kathmandu
Bolivia.....	Juan Camacho	2:17:49.....	April 7, 1984.....	Maasluis
Bosnia & Herzegovina..	Sead Kondo.....	2:15:55.....	May 3, 1975	Karl-Marx Stadt
Botswana.....	John James	2:14:57.....	July 25, 2004.....	Phikwe
Brazil.....	Ronaldo Da Costa	2:06:05	September 20, 1998	Berlin
Brunei	Sifli Anak Ahar.....	2:43:32.....	December 10, 2006	B.S. Begawan
Bulgaria	Khristo Stefanov	2:11:26.....	October 19, 1997	Sofia
Burkina Faso	Charles Neboue	2:36:29.....	November 26, 2005	Ouagadougou
Burundi	Patrick Ndayisenga	2:13:14.....	May 2, 1999	Turin
Cambodia	Hem Bunting.....	2:26:28.....	December 9, 2007	Nakhon Ratchasima
Cameroon.....	Paul Kuete.....	2:18:35.....	December 8, 1993	Palermo
Canada	Jerome Drayton.....	2:10:09.....	December 7, 1975	Fukuoka
Cape Verde Islands	Nelson Cruz.....	2:19:15.....	April 10, 2005.....	Rotterdam
Cayman Islands	Tony Keely	2:40:28	October 22, 2000	Chicago
Central Africa.....	Ernest Ndjissipou	2:18:06.....	August 30, 2003.....	Paris
Chad	Abdelkrim Abdoulaye	2:20:16.....	May 31, 2008	Stockholm
Chile	Omar Aguilar	2:12:19.....	April 17, 1988.....	Rotterdam
China	Ren Longyun	2:08:15.....	October 21, 2007	Beijing
Colombia	Carlos Grisales	2:11:17	April 15, 1996.....	Boston
Comoros.....	Youssouf Gagou.....	2:35:43.....	September 18, 1988	St. Paul
Congo.....	Bernard Tsati.....	2:26:01.....	September 16, 1990	Puteaux
Congo, DR.....	Mwenze Kalombo	2:08:40.....	April 4, 1999.....	Paris
Cook Islands.....	Muriaroa Ngaro	2:51:26.....	May 3, 1980	Avarua
Costa Rica	Jose Luis Molina.....	2:13:23.....	March 3, 1996	Los Angeles
Croatia	Dragon Paripovic.....	2:17:05.....	March 29, 1992	Bologna
Cuba	Ignacio Alberto Cuba.....	2:10:53.....	December 13, 1992	Merida
Cyprus	Marios Kassianidis	2:19:51.....	October 8, 1982	Brisbane
Czech Republic	Karel David.....	2:11:12.....	February 10, 1991	Tokyo
Denmark	Henrik Jorgensen	2:09:43	April 21, 1985.....	London
Djibouti.....	Ahmed Salah.....	2:07:07	April 17, 1988	Rotterdam
Dominican Republic	Pablo Arroyo.....	2:26:00	May 26, 1984	Santo Domingo
East Timor	Aries Jose Pareira	2:31:51.....	October 4, 2002	Bandung
Ecuador	Silvio Guerra	2:09:49	October 19, 1997	Chicago

Egypt	Aissa Rezah Abou Daif	2:19:39.....	December 25, 1997	El Arish
El Salvador	Victor Vasquez	2:26:57.....	January 13, 1990	Tegucigalpa
England*	Charles Spedding	2:08:33	April 21, 1985	London
Eritrea	Yonas Kifle	2:07:34.....	October 21, 2007	Amsterdam
Estonia.....	Pavel Loskutov	2:08:53.....	April 7, 2002.....	Paris
Ethiopia	Haile Gebrselassie	2:03:59	September 28, 2008	Berlin
Falkland Islands.....	Hugh Marsden.....	2:43:31.....	August 28, 1994.....	Victoria
Faroe Island.....	Absalon Hansen	2:27:53.....	April 24, 1988.....	Hamburg
Fiji	Binesh Prasad	2:23:33.....	February 4, 1989	Las Vegas
Finland.....	Janne Holman	2:10:38.....	April 13, 2008.....	Rotterdam
France	Benoit Zwierzchiewski.....	2:06:36.....	April 6, 2003.....	Paris
Gabon	Jean-Marc Leandro	2:26:21	November 6, 2005	New York
Gambia.....	Baba Nije	2:23:10.....	December 12, 1993	Banjul
Georgia.....	Vitaliy Gedevanishvili	2:19:12.....	May 24, 1987	Tbilisi
Germany.....	Jorg Peter	2:08:47.....	February 14, 1988	Tokyo
Ghana.....	Emmanuel Amoo.....	2:18:43.....	November 11, 1990	Lagos
Gibraltar.....	Jimmy Parodi.....	2:32:02.....	April 6, 1985.....	Gibraltar
Great Britain/Wales* ...	Steve Jones	2:07:13	October 20, 1985	Chicago
Greece	Spiridon Andriopoulos	2:12:04	October 9, 1988	West Berlin
Greenland.....	Janus Elgaard	2:24:53.....	May 21, 2000	Copenhagen
Grenada.....	Findlay O'Neal.....	2:46:50.....	June 4, 1995	Port-of-Spain
Guadelope	Jean-Claude Louison	2:35:37	April 20, 1980.....	Annency
Guam.....	Joe Taitano.....	2:41:26.....	March 28, 1983.....	Mangilao
Guatemala	Alfredo Arevalo.....	2:12:53.....	May 30, 2004	Ottawa
Guineau	Alhassane Bah	2:56:20.....	June 26, 1987	Warendorf
Guineau-Bissau	Joaquim Moreira da Silva.....	2:29:04.....	November 8, 1987	Lisbon
Guyana	Andrew Smith.....	2:25:02.....	May 29, 2004	Louisville
Haiti	Dieudonné Lamothe	2:14:22.....	April 16, 1988.....	Gagny
Honduras	Clovis Morales.....	2:17:49.....	April 24, 1977.....	Porz
Hong Kong.....	Ng Fai Yeung	2:24:51.....	February 9, 1992	Shenzhen
Hungary	Csaba Szucs	2:12:10.....	April 25, 1993.....	Paris
Iceland	Sigurdur Sigmundsson	2:19:46	September 29, 1985	West Berlin
India.....	Shivnath Singh	2:12:00.....	May 28, 1978	Jullunder
Indonesia	Edwardus Nabunome	2:19:18.....	September 12, 1993	Jakarta
Iran	Hossein Behdouj	2:28:23.....	August 22, 2002.....	Mashad
Iraq	Sadoun Nassir.....	2:21:54.....	January 3, 1982	Baghdad
Ireland	John Treacy	2:09:15	April 18, 1988	Boston
Israel.....	Haile Satain	2:14:21.....	October 26, 2003	Venice
Italy	Stefano Baldini	2:07:22	April 23, 2006	London
Ivory Coast	Bassirima Soro	2:22:19.....	February 2, 2003	Miami
Jamaica	Derrick Adamson.....	2:16:39.....	November 25, 1984	Philadelphia
Japan	Toshinari Takaoka	2:06:16	October 13, 2002	Chicago
Jordan.....	Ahmed Al-Hamshari	2:18:15.....	December 10, 1989	Calvia
Kazakhstan.....	Nikolay Penzin.....	2:11:59.....	September 3, 1978	Prague
Kenya	Duncan Kibet/James Kwalia ..	2:04:27.....	April 5, 2009.....	Rotterdams
Kuwait.....	Ateya Soud Khalifa.....	2:34:25.....	December 17, 1978	Bangkok
Kyrgyzstan.....	Satymkul Dzhumanazarov	2:11:16.....	May 24, 1980	Moscow
Laos.....	Somphavang Louanglath	3:06:33.....	December 9, 2007	Nakhon Ratchasima
Latvia	Aleksandr Prokopcuka	2:15:56.....	September 17, 1995	Karlsruhe
Lebanon	Hussein Awada	2:20:36	September 28, 2008	Berlin
Lesotho	Thabiso Moqhali	2:10:55	April 12, 1992	London
Liberia.....	Nimley Twegbe.....	3:08:22.....	May 19, 1985	Monrovia
Libya	Ali Zayed Mabrouk	2:13:33.....	November 23, 2008	Milan
Liechtenstein	Marcel Tschopp.....	2:24:11.....	April 20, 2008.....	Vienna
Lithuania	Ceslovas Kundrotas	2:12:35.....	October 26, 1997	Frankfurt
Luxembourg.....	Justin Gloden	2:14:03.....	May 19, 1985	Frankfurt
Macau.....	Lam Weng Hei.....	2:28:22.....	June 5, 1994	Melbourne
Macedonia	Milan Madzgalj	2:30:04.....	March 23, 1986	Varazdin
Madagascar.....	Jules Randrianarivelo	2:17:14.....	July 29, 1979.....	Moscow

Malawi	Smartex Tambala	2:17:18.....	February 2, 1991	Las Vegas
Malaysia	Kuppusamy Baskaran	2:29:27.....	December 2, 2001	Singapore
Maldives	Hussain Haleem	2:45:03.....	October 24, 1989	Islamabad
Mali	Abdoulaye Coulibaly.....	2:51:49.....	December 4, 1994	Abidjan
Malta	Jonathan Balzan.....	2:26:29.....	February 24, 2008	Sliema
Mauritania.....	Majid Toure	2:53:04.....	April 15, 2007.....	Paris
Mauritius	Ajay Chuttoo	2:23:07.....	July 9, 1995.....	Grand Baie
Mexico	Andres Espinosa	2:07:19	April 18, 1994.....	Boston
Micronesia	Elias Rodriguez	2:52:29.....	July 14, 1990.....	Saipan
Moldova	Jaroslav Mushinski	2:11:43.....	October 26, 2008	Istanbul
Monaco.....	Pierre Maccario	2:59:26.....	March 23, 1989	Nice
Mongolia	Ser-od Bat-Ochir	2:14:15.....	April 20, 2008.....	Beijing
Montenegro	Drago Music	2:24:18.....	October 4, 1998	Podgorica
Morocco.....	Jaouad Gharib	2:05:27	April 26, 2009.....	London
Mozambique	Antonio Repinga	2:38:32.....	June 1964	Bulawayo
Myanmar.....	Aung Soe Khin	2:19:57.....	December 17, 1978	Bangkok
Namibia.....	Lucketz Swartbooi	2:09:08	April 18, 1994.....	Boston
Nepal	Baikuntha Manandhar	2:15:03.....	November 22, 1987	Calcutta
Netherlands	Kamiel Maase.....	2:08:21.....	October 21, 2007	Amsterdam
New Caledonia	Alain Lazare	2:11:59.....	February 12, 1984	Tokyo
New Zealand.....	Rod Dixon	2:08:59	October 23, 1983	New York
Nicaragua	William Aguirre	2:20:39	January 13, 1990	Tegucigalpa
Niger.....	Abdou Manzo	2:25:05.....	October 2, 1988	Seoul
Nigeria	Mohamed Abbas	2:16:06.....	November 11, 1990	Lagos
Niue	Simpson Ikimau.....	3:30:00.....	October 19, 1982	Paliati
North Korea	Kim Jung-wong.....	2:10:50.....	March 10, 1996.....	Pyongyang
Northern Ireland *	Greg Hannon.....	2:13:06.....	May 12, 1979	Coventry
North Mariana Islands ..	Yong Choi.....	2:55:31.....	July 14, 1990.....	Saipan
Norway.....	Geir Kvernmo.....	2:10:17	May 10, 1987	London
Oman.....	Awad Shabban Fateh.....	2:46:59.....	October 2, 1988	Seoul
Pakistan.....	Naseer Ahmad	2:14:11.....	December 19, 2003	Rawalpindi
Palestine*	Ihab Salama	2:29:28	April 16, 2000.....	Rotterdam
Panama	Juan Solis.....	2:22:51.....	August 24, 1985	Panama City
Papua New Guinea	Tau John Tokwepota.....	2:28:13.....	December 7, 1980	Honolulu
Paraguay	Eusebio Cardozo.....	2:18:00.....	August 4, 1977	Asuncion
Peru.....	Miguel Mallqui.....	2:11:36	October 11, 1998	Chicago
Philippines	Eduardo Buenavista.....	2:18:44.....	February 1, 2004	Oita
Poland	Grzegorz Gajdus	2:09:23	October 12, 2003	Eindhoven
Portugal.....	Antonio Pinto.....	2:06:36	April 16, 2000.....	London
Puerto Rico.....	Jorge Gonzales	2:12:43.....	August 28, 1983.....	Caracas
Qatar.....	Mubarak Hassan Shami.....	2:07:19.....	April 15, 2007	Paris
Reunion Islands.....	Jean-Jacques Prianon.....	2:19:17	May 1, 1977	Val de Marne
Romania	Catalin Andreica	2:12:30.....	September 3, 1978	Prague
Russia.....	Aleksey Sokolov	2:09:07.....	October 29, 2007	Dublin
Rwanda.....	Mathias Ntawulikura.....	2:09:55	April 16, 2000.....	London
St. Kitts & Nevis.....	Jesse Mulcaire.....	2:38:48	November 5, 1989	New York
St. Lucia.....	Zepherinus Joseph.....	2:16:06.....	October 5, 2003	St. Paul
St. Pierre & Miquelon ..	Claudio Arthur	2:26:43	September 24, 1995	Berlin
St. Vincent	Pamenos Ballantyne	2:15:30.....	January 26, 2003	Port-of-Spain
Samoa	Amani Tapusoa	2:41:50.....	March 22, 1969.....	Apia
San Marino	Gian Luigi Macina.....	2:21:19.....	October 27, 1991	Carpi
Sao Tomé	Mario Pitra	2:38:32.....	June 29, 1980	Brazzaville
Saudi Arabia	Abdullah Al-Sadiq	2:20:35.....	September 30, 2001	Budapest
Scotland*	Allister Hutton.....	2:09:16	April 21, 1985.....	London
Senegal	Cheikh Ndiaye	2:30:44.....	March 17, 2002	Seoul
Serbia	Borislav Devic.....	2:13:57.....	January 16, 1995	Houston
Seychelles	Albert Marie	2:25:48.....	October 23, 1988	Victoria
Sierra Leone	Baba Ibrahim Suma-Keita	2:41:20.....	August 1, 1980.....	Moscow
Singapore	Murugiah Rameshon	2:24:22.....	December 13, 1995	Lamphun

Slovakia	Robert Stefko	2:09:53	April 26, 1998	London
Slovenia	Roman Kejzar	2:11:50	March 26, 2000	Turin
Solomon Islands	Mackay Talasasa	2:36:16	October 8, 1982	Brisbane
Somalia	Ahmed Mohamed Ismail	2:17:24	October 19, 1986	Detroit
South Africa	Gert Thys	2:06:33	February 14, 1999	Tokyo
South Korea	Lee Bong-ju	2:07:20	February 13, 2000	Tokyo
Spain	Julio Rey	2:06:52	April 23, 2006	Hamburg
Sri Lanka	Lucian Rosa	2:14:31	December 7, 1975	Fukuoka
Sudan	John Narat	2:19:51	March 10, 1977	Khartoum
Suriname	Radjinder Patan	2:39:11	November 27, 2005	Paramaribo
Swaziland	Richard Mabuza	2:12:55	January 31, 1974	Christchurch
Sweden	Kjell-Erik Stahl	2:10:38	August 14, 1983	Helsinki
Switzerland	Viktor Röthlin	2:07:23	February 17, 2008	Tokyo
Syria	Ahmed Saker	2:26:27	December 6, 1985	Latakia
Tahiti	Jean-Louis Bounhoure	2:25:28	August 7, 1983	Apia
Taiwan	Hsu Gisheng	2:14:35	February 5, 1995	Oita
Tajikistan	Anatoliy Belogurov	2:18:40	June 20, 1980	Moscow
Tanzania	Juma Ikangaa	2:08:01	November 5, 1989	New York
.....	Samson Ramadhani	2:08:01	April 13, 2003	London
Thailand	Jirattikarn Boonma	2:19:33	March 29, 1995	Chiangmai
Togo	Outcha Amewouho	2:30:17	November 11, 1990	Lomé
Tonga	Fonua Pulu	3:15:21	September 8, 1979	Suva
Trinidad & Tobago	Ronnie Holassie	2:13:03	April 29, 2001	Cleveland
Tunisia	Tahar Mansouri	2:12:36	January 14, 1996	Marrakech
Turkey	Mehmet Terzi	2:10:25	May 10, 1987	London
Turkmenistan	Rashid Kakadzhanov	2:15:53	October 5, 1980	Uzhgorod
Uganda	Alex Malinga	2:12:12	August 13, 2005	Helsinki
Ukraine	Dmytro Baranovskiy	2:07:15	December 3, 2006	Fukuoka
United Arab Emirates ..	Jassim Abbas Ali	2:23:42	January 11, 2002	Dubai
United States	Khalid Khannouchi	2:05:38	April 14, 2002	London
Uruguay	Nestor Garcia	2:12:48	October 24, 1999	Chicago
Uzbekistan	Vladimir Beloborodov	2:13:28	June 15, 1985	Mogilev
Venezuela	Carlos Tarazona	2:11:25	April 30, 2000	Cleveland
Vietnam	Nguyen Chi Dong	2:21:51	December 12, 2003	Hanoi
Virgin Islands	Calvin Dallas	2:27:23	May 22, 1988	Port-of-Spain
W New Guinea	Jacob Atarury	2:30:51	December 19, 1982	Wonogiri
Yemen	Mohamed Al Saadi	2:40:41	August 4, 1996	Atlanta
Zambia	Sebio Sikanyika	2:15:11	October 13, 1991	Eindhoven
Zimbabwe	Tendai Chimusasa	2:10:57	April 19, 1998	Hamburg

*not an independent nation

Notes:

Botswana: Possible irregularities at Phikwe 2004. Alternate record 2:17:04, Tiapo Maso, March 5, 2000, Cape Town

Cape Verde Islands: On course with 110m drop, 2:17:39, Nelson Cruz, April 16, 2006, Lisbon

Cuba: Federation record, although maybe short. Alternate record 2:13:08, Radames Gonzalez, Dec. 11, 1998, Calvia

Guam: Fred Schumann, 2:37:06 at Mangilao, March 28, 1992 but not ratified as citizen eligibility status unclear.

Ivory Coast: On course with 580m drop, 2:18:32, Soro, December 3, 2000, Tucson

Mexico: Strong tailwind at Boston 1994. Alternate record 2:08:30, Dionicio Ceron, April 2, 1995, London

Namibia: Strong tailwind at Boston 1994. Alternate record, 2:10:01, Lucketz Swartbooi, October 10, 1982, Swakopmund

Nepal: Federation record, although maybe short. Alternate record 2:19:38, Tika Banadur, December 24, 1995, Madras

North Korea: The federation record, although probable short course, is 2:09:26, Hyong Lijong, Oct. 19, 1983, Pyongyang

Serbia: On course with 137m drop, 2:12:40, Sreten Ninkovic, February 17, 2002, Austin