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04.-08.NOVEMBER 2026
MERKUR EISSTADION

TEAM INFORMATION

WELCOME TO GRAZ

On behalf of the Organizing Team and the Grazer Eislaufverein, we warmly welcome you in Graz, Merkur Eisstadion.
The OC Team is thrilled to hostIcechallenge S 2026, conducted under ISU rules.
We wish the very best to all teams and hope you will enjoy Graz.
All Information for teams will be published on the website and on sportity app!



VENUE

MERKUR EISSATDION

The competition venue Merkur Eisstadion and Eishalle B which was opended 2019.
Both Icerinks are indoor and heated with a temperature of 11 degrees celsius. The Merkur Eisstadion can be easily reached by is by tram - about 10 minutes to the city center and 3 minutes to a shopping mal.





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GRAZ

Hardly any other city offers so much variety in such a small space and the sunny flair of the south: futuristic architecture right next to medieval houses, alleys and squares; Exclusive boutiques next to colorful farmers markets, cultural and culinary delicacies on every corner.

It is not for nothing that the “best-preserved city center in Central Europe” was declared a world cultural heritage by UNESCO. Renaissance, Gothic and Baroque live side by side and the future is only a three-minute walk away: the bizarre art house “Friendly Alien” has made itself comfortable between the old houses.
Graz also definitely deserves the title of “Austria’s Capital of Pleasure”. Delicious, regional products and excellent gastronomy make Graz simply unsurpassable!

Graz is worth visting not just because of figure skating!



SHORT INFORMATION

Opening hours Registration

TWednesday 04.11.2026 Arrival of Teams & Practice
Registration will start at 12:00 am at the registartion point MERKUR EISSTADION!

On Competition Days the rink will open 1 hour before the first practice

Good to know

Tab Water
In Graz we have excellent water - that you can drink from the tap at any time! **So please bring your own bottles to refill** 😊

Currency
The Austrian currency unit is Euro (EUR) divided in 100 cents.

Electricity
The electricity current in Austria is 220 Volt. A two pin plug system is used.

Bank ATM´s
Banks are opened Monday to Friday from about 8:30 – 12:30 and 14:30 – 16:00. Cash counters are at nearly every bank and on public places. The next cash counter to the ice rink is located in the Stadion Office Cente, which is located 5 minutes walk at the soccer stadium.

Non-Smoking
Smoking is not permitted indoors in public buildings. In restaurants you will find smoking zones.

The Venue
The competition venue Merkur Eisstadion capacity of 4000 people and was refurbed in 2016. The main arena is indoor and heated with a size of 30 meters x 60.

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OFFICIAL HOTELS

Password for all hotel bookings: **Icechallenge Graz 2026**



HOTEL NED GRAZ

Triester Straße 439
8055 Graz, Austria

office@nedhotelgraz.com

Room Type	Price per Night
Single Room	EUR 85
Double Room	EUR 120
Triple Room	EUR 130

Breakfast included | Parking included



AUSTRIA TREND HOTEL EUROPA GRAZ

Bahnhofgürtel 89
8020 Graz, Austria

reservierung.europa.graz@austria-trend.at

Room Type	Price per Night
Single Room	EUR 110
Double Room	EUR 142

Breakfast included



PLAZA INN GRAZ CITY

Conrad-von-Hötzendorf-Straße 60
8010 Graz, Austria

graz@plazahotels.de

Room Type	Price per Night
Single Room	EUR 109
Double Room	EUR 129

Breakfast included