



Advancing to the Championship

1. Each division offered at a regional contest will have its own quota for the number teams advancing to the Championship.
2. Quotas are based on the actual number of teams that compete in a division at a regional contest, not the number that register.
3. If a qualifying team is unable to attend the Championship, the opportunity to advance is awarded to the next highest scoring team in that division.
4. The wildcard teams are identified at the discretion of the Regional Contest Organizer. A wildcard team could be chosen by whichever team receives the People Choice Award or selected by a Judges Panel. The Regional Contest Organizer has final say in the team(s) selected for wildcard spots.
5. Regional Contest Quotas:

Number of Teams Competing in Regional Contest Division	Number of Teams Advancing to Championship
Up to 10 Teams	Top 3 Teams
11 to 20 Teams	Top 4 Teams + 1 Wildcard Team
21 to 30 Teams	Top 5 Teams + 2 Wildcard Team
31 or More Teams	Top 6 Teams + 3 Wildcard Team

6. The Regional Contest Organizer is responsible for completing and submitting the Regional Contest Advancing Team Forms within two weeks of completing the regional contest.
7. After receiving the Regional Contest Advancing Team Forms, the Minnesota State Engineering Center of Excellence will contact the teams qualifying for the Championship and provide them with relevant information.