MARGA Online Competition

Time schedule 2027/2028

All participants receive personal and active support from experienced MARGA trainers throughout every stage of the program.

1 Registration

Registration deadline: 10/31/2027
Access to online software
Kick Off: Nov 2 – 4, 2027
Onboarding & system setup

2 Test Round

Nov – Dec 2027
2 Periods | Initial situation I
All teams | Getting ready for the competition
Training, Online Course, Q&A & transfer

Deadlines

Period 1	11/17/2027
Period 2	12/08/2027

3 Main Round

Jan – Apr 2028
5 periods | Initial situation I
All Teams | Applying What You've Learned
Webinars, Q&A Sessions, Online Course

Deadlines

Period 1	01/19/2028
Period 2	02/09/2028
Period 3	03/01/2028
Period 4	03/22/2028
Period 5	04/12/2028

4 Final

May 2028 · Live: May 18 – 19, 2028
5 rounds, including the live final
Top 4 teams | Initial situation II
Competition, discussion and award ceremony

Deadlines

Period 1	05/03/2028
Period 2	05/10/2028
Period 3	05/15/2028
Period 4	05/17/2028
Live Final	May 18-19, 2028

Qualification
Top 4 Teams

Procedure and Qualification Mode of the Competition

The registration deadline for the Online Competition 2027/2028 is October 31, 2027.

After the registration deadline, all teams will get access to the **online software** and **virtual kick-offs**.

The **Online Course "Financial Basics"** provides basic business finance and managerial accounting which can be worked on individually, especially as a preparation. It is an integrated part of the program for all participants and accessible via the MARGA software.

During the **test round** it is possible to become familiar with the MARGA model without affecting the actual qualification process. After the **two test periods** all teams restart the simulation on the basis of the already known initial situation, but with new direct competitors.

Thereafter, the real qualification mode begins with the **main round**. The objective is to increase the **MARGA Value Added (MVA)** of your company over all periods of the main round and to leave your competitors behind. In the end, the **best 4 group winners** will qualify for the final.

For the **final** we will come up with a new and challenging initial situation. Another **five periods** will take place online as usual. The last period of the final round will be played and simulated during the **two-day online final**. The announcement of the winning team takes part on the second final day where also guests of honor will be invited.