



Athletics

World Record progression

Men

Discus Throw

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|-----------|----------------------|------------|--------------|--------------------|----------------------------|
| 40 | Jürgen SCHULT | GDR | 74.08 | 06 Jun 1986 | Neubrandenburg, GDR |
| 39 | Yuriy DUMCHEV | URS | 71.86 | 29 May 1983 | Moscow, URS |
| 38 | Wolfgang SCHMIDT | GDR | 71.16 | 09 Aug 1978 | East Berlin, GDR |
| 37 | Mac WILKINS | USA | 70.86 | 01 May 1976 | San Jose, CA, USA |
| 36 | Mac WILKINS | USA | 70.24 | 01 May 1976 | San Jose, CA, USA |
| 35 | Mac WILKINS | USA | 69.80 | 01 May 1976 | San Jose, CA, USA |
| 34 | Mac WILKINS | USA | 69.18 | 24 Apr 1976 | Walnut, USA |
| 33 | John POWELL | USA | 69.08 | 04 May 1975 | Long Beach, CA, USA |
| 32 | John VAN REENEN | SAF | 68.48 | 14 Mar 1975 | Stellenbosch, SAF |
| 31 | Jay SILVESTER | USA | 68.40 | 18 Sep 1968 | Reno, NV, USA |
| 30 | Jay SILVESTER | USA | 66.54 | 25 May 1968 | Modesto, CA, USA |
| 29 | Ludvík DANEK | TCH | 65.22 | 12 Oct 1965 | Sokolov, TCH |
| 28 | Ludvík DANEK | TCH | 64.55 | 02 Aug 1964 | Turnov, TCH |
| 27 | Al OERTER | USA | 62.94 | 25 Apr 1964 | Walnut, USA |
| 26 | Al OERTER | USA | 62.62 | 27 Apr 1963 | Walnut, USA |
| 25 | Al OERTER | USA | 62.45 | 01 Jul 1962 | Chicago, IL, USA |
| 24 | Vladimir TRUSENYEV | URS | 61.64 | 04 Jun 1962 | St Petersburg, FL, USA |
| 23 | Al OERTER | USA | 61.10 | 18 May 1962 | Los Angeles, CA, USA |
| 22 | Jay SILVESTER | USA | 60.72 | 20 Aug 1961 | Brussels, BEL |
| 21 | Jay SILVESTER | USA | 60.56 | 11 Aug 1961 | Frankfurt am Main, FRG |
| 20 | Edmund PIATKOWSKI | POL | 59.91 | 14 Jun 1959 | Warsaw, POL |
| 19 | Fortune GORDIEN | USA | 59.28 | 22 Aug 1953 | Pasadena, CA, USA |
| 18 | Fortune GORDIEN | USA | 58.10 | 11 Jul 1953 | Pasadena, CA, USA |
| 17 | Sim INESS | USA | 57.93 | 20 Jun 1953 | Lincoln, ENG |
| 16 | Fortune GORDIEN | USA | 56.97 | 14 Aug 1949 | Hämeenlinna, FIN |
| 15 | Fortune GORDIEN | USA | 56.46 | 09 Jul 1949 | Lisbon, POR |
| 14 | Adolfo CONSOLINI | ITA | 55.33 | 10 Oct 1948 | Milan, ITA |
| 13 | Robert FITCH | USA | 54.93 | 08 Jun 1946 | Minneapolis, MN, USA |
| 12 | Adolfo CONSOLINI | ITA | 54.23 | 14 Apr 1946 | Milan, ITA |
| 11 | Adolfo CONSOLINI | ITA | 53.34 | 26 Oct 1941 | Milan, ITA |
| 10 | Archie HARRIS | USA | 53.26 | 20 Jun 1941 | Palo Alto, CA, USA |
| 9 | Willi SCHRÖDER | GER | 53.10 | 28 Apr 1935 | Magdeburg, GER |
| 8 | Harald ANDERSSON | SWE | 52.42 | 25 Aug 1934 | Oslo, NOR |
| 7 | Paul JESSUP | USA | 51.73 | 23 Aug 1930 | Pittsburgh, PA, USA |
| 6 | Eric KRENZ | USA | 51.03 | 17 May 1930 | Palo Alto, CA, USA |
| 5 | Eric KRENZ | USA | 49.90 | 09 Mar 1929 | Palo Alto, CA, USA |
| 4 | Bud HOUSER | USA | 48.20 | 03 Apr 1926 | Palo Alto, CA, USA |
| 3 | Glenn HARTRANFT | USA | 47.89 | 02 May 1925 | San Francisco, CA, USA |
| 2 | Thomas LIEB | USA | 47.61 | 14 Sep 1924 | Chicago, IL, USA |

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| 1 | James DUNCAN | USA | 47.58 | 27 May 1912 | New York, NY, USA |

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