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Based on results held from 01st to March 31st, 2018

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HEAVYWEIGHT		Over 200 Lbs / Over 90.71 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	ANTHONY JOSHUA	GBR
WORLD CHAMPION:	MANUEL CHARR	SYR
WBC: DEONTAY WILDER		
IBF: ANTHONY JOSHUA WBO: ANTHONY JOSHUA		
1. ALEXANDER POVETKIN		RUS
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15. KYOTARO FUJIMOTO		JPN
 SUPER BELT MUHAMMAD ALI		

CRUISERWEIGHT		200 Lbs / 90.71 Kgs
WBA-IBF UNIFIED CHAMPION:	MURAT GASSIEV	RUS
CHAMPION IN RECESS:	DENIS LEBEDEV	RUS
WBC: OLEKSANDR USYK		
WBO: OLEKSANDR USYK		
1. ARSEN GOULAMIRIAN	INTERIM CHAMP	ARM
2. BEIBUT SHUMENOV		KAZ
3. MAKSIM VLASOV	INT	RUS
4. KRZYSZTOF GLOWACKI		POL
5. YUNIER DORTICOS		CUB
6. MATEUSZ MASTERNAK		POL
7. NOEL GEVOR		GER
8. RUSLAN FAYFER		RUS
9. RYAD MERHY		CIV
10. KEVIN LERENA	PANAF	RSA
11. YURY KASHINSKY		RUS
12. ISSA AKBERBAYEV	ASIA	KAZ
13. ALEXEY ZUBOV		RUS
14. FIRAT ARSLAN		GER
15. MARK FLANAGAN	OCEANIA	AUS
 SUPER BELT EVANDER HOLYFIELD		

LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHT		175 Lbs / 79.38 Kgs
WORLD CHAMPION:	DMITRY BIVOL	RUS
WBC: ADONIS STEVENSON		
IBF: ARTUR BETERBIEV WBO: SERGEY KOVALEV		
1. BADOU JACK		SWE
2. ELEIDER ALVAREZ		COL
3. KARO MURAT		ARM
4. MARCUS BROWNE		USA
5. SULLIVAN BARRERA		CUB
6. SHEFAT ISUFI		SRB
7. JOE SMITH JR		USA
8. FELIX VALERA	LAC	DOM
9. JUERGEN BRAEHMER		GER
10. JEAN PASCAL		CAN
11. JOE FOURNIER	INT	GBR
12. MIKE LEE		USA
13. ISAAC CHILEMBA		MAW
14. JAKE BALL	CON	GBR
15. CHARLES FOSTER	NABA	USA
 SUPER BELT VIRGIL HILL		

SUPER MIDDLEWEIGHT		168 Lbs / 76.20 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	GEORGE GROVES	GBR
WORLD CHAMPION:	TYRON ZEUGE	GER
WBC: DAVID BENAVIDEZ		
IBF: CALEB TRUAX WBO: GILBERTO RAMIREZ		
1. FEDOR CHUDINOV	INT	RUS
2. VINCENT FEIGENBUTZ		GER
3. JOHN RYDER		GBR
4. ROCKY FIELDING		GBR
5. CALEB PLANT		USA
6. CHRIS EUBANK JR		GBR
7. AVNI YILDIRIM		TUR
8. ISAAC EKPO		NIG
9. ANDREY SIROTKIN	I/C	RUS
10. DAVID BROPHY		GBR
11. MIKE GRAVRONSKI	NABA	USA
12. BILAL AKKAWY	OCEANIA	AUS
13. MICKAEL DIALLO		FRA
14. PAUL SMITH		GBR
15. JAYDE MITCHELL		AUS
 SUPER BELT SUGAR RAY LEONARD		

MIDDLEWEIGHT		160 Lbs / 72.58 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	GENNADY GOLOVKIN	KAZ
WORLD CHAMPION:	RYOTA MURATA	JPN
WBC: GENNADY GOLOVKIN		
IBF: GENNADY GOLOVKIN WBO: BILLY JOE SAUNDERS		
1. SAUL ALVAREZ		MEX
2. DANIEL JACOBS		USA
3. DEMETRIUS ANDRADE		USA
4. ROB BRANT		USA
5. MACIEJ SULECKI		POL
6. EMANUEL BLANDAMURA		ITA
7. HASSAN NDAM NJKAM		FRA
8. DAVID PAPOT		FRA
9. GARY O'SULLIVAN	NABA	IRL
10. TOMMY LANGFORD		GBR
11. KAMIL SZEREMETA		POL
12. MATT KOROBOV		RUS
13. ESQUIVA FALCAO		BRA
14. MAGOMED MADIEV	ASIA	RUS
15. ALFONSO BLANCO		VEN
 SUPER BELT CARLOS MONZON		

SUPER WELTERWEIGHT		154 Lbs / 69.85 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	ERISLANDY LARA	CUB
WORLD CHAMPION:	BRIAN CARLOS CASTANO	ARG
WBC: JERMELL CHARLO		
IBF: JARRETT HURD WBO: SADAM ALI		
1. MICHEL SORO	OC	FRA
2. KANAT ISLAM	I/C	KAZ
3. KELL BROOK		GBR
4. CARLOS ADAMES		DOM
5. KHUSEYN BAYSANGUROV	CON	RUS
6. JOHN VERA		USA
7. MAGOMED KURBANOV		RUS
8. BRANDON COOK		CAN
9. YOSHIHIRO KAMEGAI		JPN
10. TERRELL GAUSHA		USA
11. WILKY CAMPFORT	LAC	HAI
12. MARK DELUCA	NABA	USA
13. DENNIS HOGAN		IRL
14. SEBASTIAN FORMELLA		GER
15. TAKESHI INOUE		JPN
 SUPER BELT THOMAS HEARNS		

WELTERWEIGHT		147 Lbs / 66.68 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	KEITH THURMAN	USA
WORLD CHAMPION:	LUCAS MARTIN MATTHYSSE	ARG
WBC: KEITH THURMAN		
IBF: ERROL SPENCE JR WBO: JEFF HORN		
1.	DANNY GARCIA	USA
2.	MANNY PACQUIAO	PHI
3.	JESSIE VARGAS	USA
4.	JAMAL JAMES	USA
5.	EGIDIJUS KAVALIAUSKAS	LTU
6.	JOSESITO LOPEZ	USA
7.	QUDRATILLO ABDUQAXOROV	UZB
8.	KERMAN LEJARRAGA	ESP
9.	FABIAN ANDRES MAIDANA	ARG
10.	SAMUEL VARGAS	NABA COL
11.	VALENTYN GOLOVKO	CON UKR
12.	ZHANKOZH TURAROV	KAZ
13.	ALEXANDER BESPUTIN	RUS
14.	KONSTANTIN PONOMAREV	RUS
15.	IVAN MATUTE	LAC VEN
 SUPER BELT SUGAR RAY ROBINSON		


SUPER LIGHTWEIGHT		140 Lbs / 63.50 Kgs
WORLD CHAMPION:	KIRYL RELIKH	BLR
WBC: JOSE CARLOS RAMIREZ		
IBF: MIKEY GARCIA WBO: VACANT		
1.	EDUARD TROYANOVSKY	RUS
2.	ALEX SAUCEDO	MEX
3.	HIROKI OKADA	JPN
4.	ALBERTO PUELLO	LAC DOM
5.	RANCES BARTHELEMY	CUB
6.	DARRAGH FOLEY	OCEANIA/NABA GBR
7.	MICHAL SYROWATKA	CON POL
8.	ISMAEL BARROSO	VEN
9.	SHOHJAHON ERGASHEV	UZB
10.	MARCELINO LOPEZ	ARG
11.	JAIDER PARRA	VEN
12.	SANDOR MARTIN	ESP
13.	DARLEYS PEREZ	COL
14.	STEVEN WILCOX	CAN
15.	ALEXANDER DURAN	PAN
 SUPER BELT ANTONIO CERVANTES		

LIGHTWEIGHT		135 Lbs / 61.23 Kgs
WORLD CHAMPION:	JORGE LINARES	VEN
WBC: MIKEY GARCIA		
IBF: ROBERT EASTER JR WBO: RAYMUNDO BELTRAN		
1.	EVENS PIERRE	LAC HAI
2.	ANTHONY CROLLA	GBR
3.	LUKE CAMPBELL	GBR
4.	ROMAN ADREEV	RUS
5.	GEORGE KAMBOSOS JR	OCEANIA AUS
6.	DAUD CINO YORDAN	INA
7.	EMILIANO MARSILI	ITA
8.	CARLOS DIAZ RAMIREZ	MEX
9.	CRISTIAN BAEZ	VEN
10.	MASAYOSHI NAKATANI	JPN
11.	TONY LUIS	NABA CAN
12.	RYAN MARTIN	I/C USA
13.	PAVEL MALIKOV	ASIA RUS
14.	NIHITO ARAKAWA	JPN
15.	TEOFIMO LOPEZ	USA
 SUPER BELT ROBERTO DURAN		

SUPER FEATHERWEIGHT		130 Lbs / 58.97 Kg
WORLD CHAMPION:	ALBERTO MACHADO	PUR
WBC: MIGUEL BERCHELT		
IBF: KENICHI OGAWA WBO: VASYL LOMACHENKO		
1.	JESUS ANDRES CUELLAR	ARG
2.	RAFAEL MENSAH	GHA
3.	GERVONTA DAVIS	USA
4.	JAMES TENNYSON	INT IRL
5.	RENE ALVARADO	NCA
6.	JEZREEL CORRALES	PAN
7.	CARLOS MORALES	NABA MEX
8.	RICARDO NUNEZ	PAN
9.	MASAYUKI ITO	JPN
10.	BRYAN VASQUEZ	LAC CRC
11.	YURIORKIS GAMBOA	CUB
12.	RYAN GARCIA	USA
13.	FRANCISCO VARGAS	MEX
14.	LEONARDO PADILLA	VEN
15.	GUILLAUME FRENOIS	FRA
 SUPER BELT GABRIEL ELORDE		

FEATHERWEIGHT		126 Lbs / 57.15 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	LEO SANTA CRUZ	MEX
WORLD CHAMPION:	ABNER MARES	MEX
WBC: GARY RUSSELL JR		
IBF: LEE SELBY WBO: OSCAR VALDEZ		
1.	JESUS M ROJAS	INTERIM CHAMP PUR
2.	CAN XU	CHN
3.	GENESIS SERVANIA	PHI
4.	JHACK TEPORA	PHI
5.	TYLER MCCREARY	USA
6.	CLAUDIO MARRERO	DOM
7.	SHUN KUBO	JPN
8.	JOEL BRUNKER	AUS
9.	EDIVALDO ORTEGA	MEX
10.	BRYAN DE GRACIA	PAN
11.	TOKA KHAN CLARY	NABA LBR
12.	HECTOR SARMIENTO	ARG
13.	JESSIE CRIS ROSALES	OCEANIA PHI
14.	ROBIN ZAMORA	LAC NCA
15.	NEHOMAR CERMEÑO	VEN
 SUPER BELT EUSEBIO PEDROZA		

SUPER BANTAMWEIGHT		122 Lbs / 55.34 Kgs
WORLD CHAMPION:	DANIEL ROMAN	USA
WBC: REY VARGAS		
IBF: RYOUSUKE IWASA WBO: JESSIE MAGDALENO		
1.	MOISES FLORES	INTERIM CHAMP MEX
2.	EMANUEL NAVARRETE	MEX
3.	TOMOKI KAMEDA	JPN
4.	GAVIN MCDONNELL	GBR
5.	DIEGO DE LA HOYA	MEX
6.	OLEKSANDR YEGOROV	CON UKR
7.	EVGENY GRADOVICH	RUS
8.	YUSAKU KUGA	JPN
9.	BELMAR PRECIADO	COL
10.	HIDENORI OTAKE	JPN
11.	RICO RAMOS	NABA USA
12.	JOSE SANMARTIN	COL
13.	ALEXANDER MEJIA	LAC NCA
14.	EDIXON PEREZ	VEN
15.	JHONY MORENO	VEN
 SUPER BELT WILFREDO GOMEZ		

BANTAMWEIGHT			118 Lbs / 53.42 Kgs
WBA-IBF UNIFIED CHAMPION: RYAN BURNETT IRL			
WORLD CHAMPION: JAMIE MCDONNELL GBR			
WBC: VACANT			
WBO: ZOLANI TETE			
1.	REYMART GABALLO	INTERIM CHAMP	PHI
2.	NAOYA INOUE		JPN
3.	LIBORIO SOLIS		VEN
4.	JASON MOLONEY	OCEANIA	AUS
5.	JUAN CARLOS PAYANO		DOM
6.	MIKHAIL ALOYAN	INT	ARM
7.	YONFREZ PAREJO		VEN
8.	STEPHON YOUNG		USA
9.	ZHANAT ZHAKIYANOV		KAZ
10.	PAUL BUTLER	CON	GBR
11.	KITTIPONG JAIGRAJANG		THA
12.	ALEXANDER ESPINOZA	LAC	NCA
13.	SHINGO WAKE		JPN
14.	GERARDO CASTILLO		MEX
15.	TASSANA SANPATTAN		THA
 SUPER BELT EDER JOFRE			

SUPER FLYWEIGHT			115 Lbs / 52.16 Kgs
WORLD CHAMPION: KHALID YAFAI GBR			
WBC: WISAKSIL WANGEK			
IBF: JERWIN ANCAJAS WBO: VACANT			
1.	ROMAN GONZALEZ		NCA
2.	MIGUEL GONZALEZ	LAC	CHI
3.	IRAN DIAZ		MEX
4.	NORBERTO JIMENEZ		DOM
5.	LUIS CONCEPCION		PAN
6.	ANDREW MOLONEY	OCEANIA	AUS
7.	RAU'SHEE WARREN		USA
8.	HERNAN MARQUEZ		MEX
9.	SHO ISHIDA		JPN
10.	KOKI ETO		JPN
11.	VINCENT LEGRAND		FRA
12.	RYUICHI FUNAI		JPN
13.	TAKUMA INOUE		JPN
14.	ASTON PALICTE		PHI
15.	MAX ORNELAS		USA
 SUPER BELT KHAOSAI GALAXY			

FLYWEIGHT			112 Lbs / 50.80 Kgs
WORLD CHAMPION: ARTEM DALAKIAN UKR			
WBC: DAIGO HIGA			
IBF: DONNIE NIETES WBO: SHO KIMURA			
1.	SIRICHAH THAIYEN		THA
2.	MASAYUKI KURODA		JPN
3.	SARAWUT THAWORNKHAM		THA
4.	NOKNOI SITTHIPRASERT		THA
5.	BRIAN VILORIA		USA
6.	GREGORIO LEBRON		DOM
7.	YUTTHANA KAENSA	ASIA	THA
8.	JONATHAN GONZALEZ		PUR
9.	CHARLIE HOY	LAC	GBR
10.	KEIVER FERNANDEZ		VEN
11.	MAXIMINO FLORES		MEX
12.	MORUTI MTHALANE		RSA
13.	GIEMEL MAGRAMO		PHI
14.	FROILAN SALUDAR		PHI
15.	JOSBER PEREZ		VEN
 SUPER BELT PASCUAL PEREZ			

LIGHT FLYWEIGHT			108 Lbs / 48.99 Kgs
WBA-IBF UNIFIED CHAMPION: RYOICHI TAGUCHI JPN			
WORLD CHAMPION: CARLOS CANIZALES VEN			
WBC: KEN SHIRO			
WBO: ANGEL ACOSTA			
1.	TETSUYA HISADA		JPN
2.	JONATHAN TACONING		PHI
3.	ROBERT BARRERA		COL
4.	TIBO MONABESA		INA
5.	REIYA KONISHI		JPN
6.	JESSIE ESPINAS		PHI
7.	VINCE PARAS		PHI
8.	EDWARD HENO		PHI
9.	SAUL JUAREZ		MEX
10.	DANIEL MATELLON	LAC	CUB
11.	BRIAN VADO		MEX
12.	BIN LU		CHN
13.	CHRISTIAN ARANETA		PHI
14.	MIGUEL CARTAGENA		USA
15.	RANGSAN CHAYANRAM		THA
 SUPER BELT YOKO GUSHIKEN			

MINIMUM			105 Lbs / 47.63 Kgs
WORLD CHAMPION: THAMMANOON NIYOMTRON THA			
WBC: CHAYAPHON MOONSRI			
IBF: HIROTO KYOGUCHI WBO: RYUYA YAMANAKA			
1.	BYRON ROJAS		NCA
2.	CHAOZHONG XIONG	INT	CHN
3.	RICARDO ASTUVILCA		PER
4.	ALEXIS DIAZ		VEN
5.	REY LORETO		PHI
6.	AZAZEL VILLAR		PAN
7.	JULIO MENDOZA		NCA
8.	SIMPHIWE KHONCO		RSA
9.	TSUBASA KOURA		JPN
10.	PEDRO TADURAN		PHI
11.	DEEJAY KRIEL		RSA
12.	LEYMAN BENAVIDES	LAC	NCA
13.	XOLISA MAGUSHA		RSA
14.	ROBERT PARADERO		PHI
15.	BRYAN MOSINOS		MEX
 SUPER BELT LEO GAMEZ			

REFERENCES:

WBA INT.CHAMP: WBA INTERIM CHAMPION

NABA: WBA NORTH AMERICA CHAMPION

LAC: WBA LATIN AMERICAN CHAMPION

PANAF: WBA PAN AFRICAN CHAMPION

OCEANIA: WBA OCEANIA

WBA CON: WBA CONTINENTAL

WBA INT: WBA INTERNATIONAL

WBA I/C: WBA INTERCONTINENTAL

ASIA: WBA ASIA

OC: OFFICIAL CHALLENGER VACANT

(*) STATUS UNDER REVIEW

(1) BOXER WON TITLE AGAINST LATIN CONTENDER

(2) BOXER RESIDES IN LATIN REGION

CHAMPIONSHIP FIGHTS HELD FROM 01ST TO MARCH 31ST, 2018

#	PROMOTER	PLACE	DATE	WEIGHT	DEFENSE #	TYPE OF FIGHT	WINNER	RESULT	LOSER	JUDGES - REFEREE	SUPERVISOR
7	MAIN EVENTS	NEW YORK, USA	Mar, 03	LIGHT HEAVY	4	MANDATORY	DMITRY BIVOL	TKO 12	SULLIVAN BARRERA	JULIE LEDERMAN - JOSEPH PASQUALE STEVE WEISFELD - HARVEY DOCK	THOMAS PUETZ
8	PETCHYINDEE BOXING	CHONBURI, THAILAND	Mar, 06	MINIMUM	6	OPTIONAL	THAMMANOON NIYOMTRONG	UD 12	TOTO LANDERO	OCTAVIO RODRIGUEZ - FERLIN MARSH TAKESHI SHIMAKAWA - RAFAEL RAMOS	TSUYOSHI YASUKOCHI
9	RING STAR SPORTS	HAUTS-DE-SEINE, FRANCE	Mar, 10	SUPER WELTER	1		BRIAN CARLOS CASTANO	TKO 12	CEDRIC VITU	INGO BARRABAS - GIUSEPPE QUARTARONE ROBERT HOYLE - GUSTAVO PADILLA	CARLOS CHAVEZ
10	TGB PROMOTIONS	SAN ANTONIO	Mar, 10	SUPER LIGHT		VACANT	KIRYL RELIKH	UD 12	RANCES BARTHELEMY	ALFREDO POLANCO - CESAR RAMOS RAFAEL RAMOS - LUIS PABON	JOSE OLIVER GOMEZ
11	SHINSEI PROMOTIONS	HYOGO, JAPAN	Mar, 18	LIGHT FLY			CARLOS CAÑIZALES	UD 12	REIYA KONISHI	FERLIN MARSH - STANLEY CHRISTODOLOU STEFANO CAROZZA - PINIT PRAYADSAB	ALAN KIM
12	THE HEAVYWEIGHT UNIVENT PRODUCTION	HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA MARSEILLE, FRANCE	Mar, 23 Mar, 24	BANTAM CRUISER		INTERIM INTERIM	REYMART GABALLO ARSEN GOULAMIRIAN	UD 12 TKO 11	STEPHON YOUNG RYAD MERHY	ROCKY YOUNG - CARLOS SUCRE GLORIA MARTINEZ RIZZO - JAMES WARRING LEVI MARTINEZ - JOSE ROBERTO TORRES JEREMY HAYES - GUILLERMO PEREZ PINEDA	GEORGE MARTINEZ RENZO BAGNARIOL
14	SAUERLAND EVENT	HAMBURG, GERMANY	Mar, 24	SUPER MIDDLE	4	MANDATORY	TYRON ZEUGE	TKO 2	ISAAC EKPO	URIEL AGUILERA - LYNNE CARTER MANUEL OLIVER PALOMO - MARK NELSON	CARLOS CHAVEZ
15	MATCHROOM BOXING	WALES, UNITED	Mar, 31	HEAVY	2	SUPER	ANTHONY JOSHUA	UD 12	JOSEPH PARKER	STEVE GRAY - IAN SCOTT STEVE WEISFELD - GIUSEPPE QUARTARONE	GILBERTO JESUS MENDOZA
16	MATCHROOM BOXING	WALES, UNITED	Mar, 31	BANTAM	1	SUPER	RYAN BURNETT	UD 12	YONFREZ PAREJO	HOWARD JOHN FOSTER - NELSON VAZQUEZ PAWEL KARDYNI - TERRY O'CONNOR	MARIANA BORISSOVA

BOXER OF THE MONTH

ANTHONY JOSHUA

HONORABLE MENTION

DMITRY BIVOL

The WBA Ratings Committee follows the norm of its rating guidelines for the publication of this report. All results and movements are correspondent to the month indicated in the sub-headline "OFFICIAL RATING AS OF ..." THIS

"OFFICIAL RATINGS AS OF MARCH 2018" reflects the results and movements from 01st to March 31st, 2018 regardless of the date of publication.

In general terms, though always at the discretion of the Ratings Committee, the WBA Ratings are based (in no special order) on the boxers' own caliber, their level of activity, and their level of opponents.

-Country abbreviation based on IOC List