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OFFICIAL RATINGS AS OF SEPTEMBER

Based on results held from 01st to September 30th, 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. TREVOR BRYAN	INTERIM CHAMP	USA
2. JARRELL MILLER		USA
3. FRES OQUENDO		PUR
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5. DERECK CHISORA	INT	GBR
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9. BOGDAN DINU		ROU
10. JOE JOYCE		GBR
11. GUILLERMO JONES	LAC	PAN
12. FILIP HRGOVIC		CRO
13. SERGEY KUZMIN	CON	RUS
14. ALEXANDER USTINOV		RUS
15. CHRISTOPHER LOVEJOY		USA
	SUPER BELT MUHAMMAD ALI	


CRUISERWEIGHT		200 Lbs / 90.71 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	OLEKSANDR USYK	UKR
WORLD CHAMPION:	BEIBUT SHUMENOV	KAZ
CHAMPION IN RECESS:	DENIS LEBEDEV	RUS
WBC: OLEKSANDR USYK		
IBF: OLEKSANDR USYK WBO: OLEKSANDR USYK		
1. ARSEN GOULAMIRIAN	INTERIM CHAMP	ARM
2. MAKSIM VLASOV		RUS
3. KRZYSZTOF GLOWACKI		POL
4. MATEUSZ MASTERNAK		POL
5. RUSLAN FAYFER		RUS
6. MURAT GASSIEV		RUS
7. YUNIER DORTICOS		CUB
8. TONY BELLEW		GBR
9. RYAD MERHY		CIV
10. MARK FLANAGAN		AUS
11. YURY KASHINSKY		RUS
12. MIKE WILSON	NABA	USA
13. ALEXEY EGOROV		RUS
14. ISSA AKBERBAYEV	ASIA	KAZ
15. LAWRENCE OKOLIE	CON	GBR
	SUPER BELT EVANDER HOLYFIELD	

LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHT		175 Lbs / 79.38 Kgs
WORLD CHAMPION:	DMITRY BIVOL	RUS
WBC: ADONIS STEVENSON		
IBF: ARTUR BETERBIEV WBO: ELEIDER ALVAREZ		
1. BADOU JACK		SWE
2. MARCUS BROWNE		USA
3. KARO MURAT		ARM
4. SULLIVAN BARRERA		CUB
5. SHEFAT ISUFI		SRB
6. FELIX VALERA	LAC	DOM
7. JOE SMITH JR		USA
8. MIKE LEE		USA
9. JEAN PASCAL		CAN
10. JOSHUA BUATSI	INT	GHA
11. JOE FOURNIER		GBR
12. PIERRE DIBOMBE	I/C	FRA
13. UMAR SALAMOV		RUS
14. CHARLES FOSTER	NABA	USA
15. REAGAN DESSAIX	OCEANIA	AUS
	SUPER BELT VIRGIL HILL	

SUPER MIDDLEWEIGHT		168 Lbs / 76.20 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	CALLUM SMITH	GBR
WORLD CHAMPION:	ROCKY FIELDING	GBR
WBC: DAVID BENAVIDEZ		
IBF: JOSE UZCATEGUI WBO: GILBERTO RAMIREZ		
1. FEDOR CHUDINOV	INT	RUS
2. VINCENT FEIGENBUTZ		GER
3. JOHN RYDER		GBR
4. ANDREY SIROTKIN	I/C	RUS
5. CHRIS EUBANK JR		GBR
6. GEORGE GROVES		GBR
7. TYRON ZEUGE		GER
8. AVNI YILDIRIM		TUR
9. BILAL AKKAWY	OCEANIA	AUS
10. ZACH PARKER		GBR
11. JAYDE MITCHELL		AUS
12. DAVID BROPHY		GBR
13. NADJIB MOHAMMEDI		FRA
14. JESSE HART		USA
15. VLADIMIR SHISHKIN	CON	RUS
	SUPER BELT SUGAR RAY LEONARD	


MIDDLEWEIGHT		160 Lbs / 72.58 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	SAUL ALVAREZ	MEX
WORLD CHAMPION:	RYOTA MURATA	JPN
WBC: SAUL ALVAREZ		
IBF: VACANT WBO: BILLY JOE SAUNDERS		
1. DAVID LEMIEUX		CAN
2. GENNADY GOLOVKIN		KAZ
3. ROB BRANT		USA
4. KAMIL SZEREMETA		POL
5. MAGOMED MADIEV	ASIA	RUS
6. ESQUIVA FALCAO		BRA
7. DAVID PAPOT		FRA
8. MACIEJ SULECKI		POL
9. JASON QUIGLEY		IRL
10. JASON WELBORN		GBR
11. GARY O'SULLIVAN	NABA	IRL
12. ANDREW FRANCILLETTE	INT	FRA
13. KHASAN BAYSANGUROV	I/C	RUS
14. DORMEDES POTES	LAC	COL
15. ALFONSO BLANCO		VEN
	SUPER BELT CARLOS MONZON	

SUPER WELTERWEIGHT		154 Lbs / 69.85 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	JARRETT HURD	USA
WORLD CHAMPION:	BRIAN CARLOS CASTANO	ARG
WBC: JERMELL CHARLO		
IBF: JARRETT HURD WBO: JAIME MUNGUIA		
1. MICHEL SORO	OC	FRA
2. KELL BROOK		GBR
3. ERISLANDY LARA		CUB
4. CARLOS ADAMES		DOM
5. KHUSEYN BAYSANGUROV	CON	UKR
6. MAGOMED KURBANOV		RUS
7. JOHN VERA		USA
8. WILKY CAMPFORT	LAC	HAI
9. GREG VENDETTI		USA
10. WALTER WRIGHT	NABA	USA
11. PATRICK TEIXEIRA		BRA
12. CURTIS STEVENS		USA
13. TAKESHI INOUE		JPN
14. MICHAEL ZERAFI	OCEANIA	AUS
15. TED CHEESEMAN	INT	GBR
	SUPER BELT THOMAS HEARNS	

WELTERWEIGHT		147 Lbs / 66.68 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	KEITH THURMAN	USA
WORLD CHAMPION:	MANNY PACQUIAO	PHI
WBC: SHAWN PORTER		
IBF: ERROL SPENCE JR WBO: TERENCE CRAWFORD		
1.	JOSE BENAVIDEZ	USA
2.	ALEXANDER BESPUTIN	RUS
3.	JESSIE VARGAS	USA
4.	JAMAL JAMES	USA
5.	EGIDIJUS KAVALIAUSKAS	LTU
6.	AMIR KHAN	GBR
7.	ADRIEN BRONER	USA
8.	JOSESITO LOPEZ	USA
9.	FABIAN ANDRES MAIDANA	ARG
10.	CONOR BENN	CON GBR
11.	JOSH KELLY	INT GBR
12.	SERGEY LUBKOVICH	RUS
13.	SAMUEL VARGAS	COL
14.	FRANK ROJAS	VEN
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: VACANT WBO: MAURICE HOOKER		
1.	EDUARD TROYANOVSKY	RUS
2.	MARIO BARRIOS	USA
3.	BATYR AHMEDOV	I/C RUS
4.	HIROKI OKADA	JPN
5.	ALBERTO PUELLO	LAC DOM
6.	DARRAGH FOLEY	OCEANIA/NABA GBR
7.	SHOHJAHON ERGASHEV	INT UZB
8.	ISA CHANIEV	RUS
9.	MARCELINO LOPEZ	ARG
10.	ROBBIE DAVIES JNR	CON GBR
11.	JAIDER PARRA	VEN
12.	SANDOR MARTIN	ESP
13.	YOMAR MEDINA	DOM
14.	SHAKHRAM GIYASOV	UZB
15.	SUBRIEL MATIAS	PUR
 SUPER BELT ANTONIO CERVANTES		

LIGHTWEIGHT		135 Lbs / 61.23 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	VASYL LOMACHENKO	UKR
WORLD CHAMPION:	VACANT	
WBC: MIKEY GARCIA		
IBF: MIKEY GARCIA WBO: JOSE PEDRAZA		
1.	JORGE LINARES	VEN
2.	DAUD CINO YORDAN	INA
3.	EVENS PIERRE	HAI
4.	ANTHONY CROLLA	GBR
5.	EMILIANO MARSILI	ITA
6.	RANCES BARTHELEMY	CUB
7.	ROBERT EASTER JR	USA
8.	DEVIN HANEY	USA
9.	JOSE ZEPEDA	I/C USA
10.	CRISTIAN BAEZ	VEN
11.	LEWIS RITSON	GBR
12.	TEOFIMO LOPEZ	USA
13.	JACKSON MARINEZ	LAC DOM
14.	ZAPIR RASULOV	RUS
15.	JOE CORDINA	INT GBR
 SUPER BELT ROBERTO DURAN		

SUPER FEATHERWEIGHT		130 Lbs / 58.97 Kg
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	GERVONTA DAVIS	USA
WORLD CHAMPION:	ALBERTO MACHADO	PUR
WBC: MIGUEL BERCHELT		
IBF: TEVIN FARMER WBO: MASAYUKI ITO		
1.	RENE ALVARADO	NCA
2.	RICARDO NUNEZ	PAN
3.	BRYAN VASQUEZ	CRC
4.	RYAN GARCIA	USA
5.	ABNER MARES	MEX
6.	FRANCISCO VARGAS	MEX
7.	RAFAEL MENSAH	GHA
8.	JESUS ANDRES CUELLAR	ARG
9.	YUANDALE EVANS	USA
10.	CARLOS MORALES	NABA MEX
11.	JEZREEL CORRALES	PAN
12.	BILLEL DIB	OCEANIA AUS
13.	ANDREW CANCIO	I/C USA
14.	AKZHOL SULAIMANBEK	ASIA RUS
15.	MUHAMMADKHUJA YAQUBOV	TJK
 SUPER BELT GABRIEL ELORDE		

FEATHERWEIGHT		126 Lbs / 57.15 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	LEO SANTA CRUZ	MEX
WORLD CHAMPION:	JESUS M ROJAS	PUR
WBC: GARY RUSSELL JR		
IBF: JOSH WARRINGTON WBO: OSCAR VALDEZ		
1.	JHACK TEPORA	PHI
2.	CAN XU	CHN
3.	GENESIS SERVANIA	PHI
4.	TYLER MCCREARY	USA
5.	TOMOKI KAMEDA	JPN
6.	CLAUDIO MARRERO	DOM
7.	BRYAN DE GRACIA	PAN
8.	SHUN KUBO	JPN
9.	EDIVALDO ORTEGA	MEX
10.	TOKA KHAN CLARY	NABA LBR
11.	JOSEPH DIAZ	USA
12.	ROBIN ZAMORA	LAC NCA
13.	DUARN VUE	I/C USA
14.	HECTOR SARMIENTO	ARG
15.	JEAN CARLOS RIVERA	PUR
 SUPER BELT EUSEBIO PEDROZA		

SUPER BANTAMWEIGHT		122 Lbs / 55.34 Kgs
WORLD CHAMPION:	DANIEL ROMAN	USA
WBC: REY VARGAS		
IBF: TJ DOHENY WBO: ISAAC DOGBOE		
1.	EMANUEL NAVARRETE	MEX
2.	GAVIN MCDONNELL	GBR
3.	DIEGO DE LA HOYA	MEX
4.	MOISES FLORES	MEX
5.	CESAR JUAREZ	MEX
6.	MURODJON AKHMADALIEV	I/C UZB
7.	BRANDON FIGUEROA	USA
8.	ALBERTO MELIAN	ARG
9.	OLEKSANDR YEGOROV	UKR
10.	BELMAR PRECIADO	COL
11.	FRANKLIN MANZANILLA	VEN
12.	ALEXANDER MEJIA	LAC NCA
13.	RICO RAMOS	USA
14.	EDIXON PEREZ	VEN
15.	NESLAN MACHADO	CUB
 SUPER BELT WILFREDO GOMEZ		

BANTAMWEIGHT		118 Lbs / 53.42 Kgs
WBA UNIFIED CHAMPION:	RYAN BURNETT	IRL
WORLD CHAMPION:	NAOYA INOUE	JPN
WBC: VACANT		
IBF: EMMANUEL RODRIGUEZ WBO: ZOLANI TETE		
1.	REYMART GABALLO	INTERIM CHAMP PHI
2.	JASON MOLONEY	OCEANIA AUS
3.	LIBORIO SOLIS	VEN
4.	JUAN CARLOS PAYANO	DOM
5.	MIKHAIL ALOYAN	ARM
6.	NONITO DONAIRE	PHI
7.	SHINGO WAKE	JPN
8.	JAMIE MCDONNELL	GBR
9.	YONFREZ PAREJO	VEN
10.	STEPHON YOUNG	USA
11.	ALEXANDER ESPINOZA	NCA
12.	TENTA KIOSE	JPN
13.	LEOSDAN NUNEZ	LAC CUB
14.	NORDINE OUBAALI	FRA
15.	LORENZO PARRA GARCIA	VEN
 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.	NORBERTO JIMENEZ	DOM
2.	KAZUTO IOKA	JPN
3.	MIGUEL GONZALEZ	LAC CHI
4.	ANDREW MOLONEY	OCEANIA AUS
5.	ROMAN GONZALEZ	NCA
6.	SHO ISHIDA	JPN
7.	KOKI ETO	JPN
8.	VINCENT LEGRAND	FRA
9.	CHARLIE EDWARDS	CON GBR
10.	ELTON DHARRY	GUY
11.	RYUICHI FUNAI	JPN
12.	YUTTHANA KAENSA	ASIA THA
13.	ISRAEL GONZALEZ	MEX
14.	DAMIEN VAZQUEZ	MEX
15.	MAX ORNELAS	USA
 SUPER BELT KHAOSAI GALAXY		

FLYWEIGHT		112 Lbs / 50.80 Kgs
WORLD CHAMPION:	ARTEM DALAKIAN	UKR
WBC: CRISTOFER ROSALES		
IBF: MORUTI MTHALANE WBO: KOSEI TANAKA		
1.	SARAWUT THAWORNKHAM	THA
2.	NARE YIANLEANG	THA
3.	GREGORIO LEBRON	DOM
4.	JONATHAN GONZALEZ	PUR
5.	CHARLIE HOY	LAC GBR
6.	LUIS CONCEPCION	PAN
7.	ROBERT BARRERA	COL
8.	SIRICHAJ THAIYEN	THA
9.	GIEMEL MAGRAMO	PHI
10.	FROILAN SALUDAR	PHI
11.	JAYSEVER ABCEDE	ASIA PHI
12.	JOSBER PEREZ	VEN
13.	KEIVER FERNANDEZ	VEN
14.	GIDEON BUTHELEZI	RSA
15.	MOHAMMED OBBADI	MAR
 SUPER BELT PASCUAL PEREZ		

LIGHT FLYWEIGHT		108 Lbs / 48.99 Kgs
WBA SUPER CHAMPION:	HEKKIE BUDLER	RSA
WORLD CHAMPION:	CARLOS CANIZALES	VEN
WBC: KEN SHIRO		
IBF: VACANT WBO: ANGEL ACOSTA		
1.	TETSUYA HISADA	JPN
2.	HIROTO KYOGUCHI	JPN
3.	JONATHAN TACONING	PHI
4.	RYOICHI TAGUCHI	JPN
5.	REIYA KONISHI	JPN
6.	EDWARD HENO	PHI
7.	AKIRA YAEGASHI	JPN
8.	DANIEL MATELLON	LAC CUB
9.	SAUL JUAREZ	MEX
10.	CHRISTIAN ARANETA	PHI
11.	BRIAN VADO	MEX
12.	JESSIE ESPINAS	PHI
13.	RODRIGO RAMIREZ	VEN
14.	TIBO MONABESA	INA
15.	TANAWAT NAKOON	THA
 SUPER BELT YOKO GUSHIKEN		

MINIMUM		105 Lbs / 47.63 Kgs
WORLD CHAMPION:	THAMMANOON NIYOMTRON	THA
WBC: CHAYAPHON MOONSRI		
IBF: VACANT WBO: VIC SALUDAR		
1.	BYRON ROJAS	NCA
2.	RICARDO ASTUVILCA	PER
3.	ALEXIS DIAZ	VEN
4.	JULIO MENDOZA	NCA
5.	REY LORETO	PHI
6.	JERSON ORTIZ	NCA
7.	CHAOZHONG XIONG	CHN
8.	MARK ANTHONY BARRIGA	PHI
9.	TSUBASA KOURA	JPN
10.	DEEJAY KRIEL	RSA
11.	LEYMAN BENAVIDES	LAC NCA
12.	SHIN ONO	JPN
13.	AYANDA DULANI	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 SEPTEMBER 30TH, 2018

#	PROMOTER	PLACE	DATE	WEIGHT	DEFENSE #	TYPE OF FIGHT	WINNER	RESULT	LOSER	JUDGES - REFEREE	SUPERVISOR
39	GOLDEN BOY	LAS VEGAS, USA	Sep, 15	MIDDLE	20	SUPER	SAUL ALVAREZ	MD 12	GENNADY GOLOVKIN	DAVE MORETTI - GLENN FELDMAN STEVE WEISFELD - BENJY ESTEVES JR	MARIANA BORISSOVA
40	MATCHROOM BOXING	LONDON. U. K.	Sep, 22	HEAVY	3	SUPER	ANTHONY JOSHUA	TKO 7	ALEXANDER POVETKIN	CARLOS SUCRE - JEAN ROBERT LAINE MATTEO MONTELLA - STEVE GRAY	FRANCISCO PINA
41	SAUERLAND EVENT	JEDDAH	Sep, 28	SUPER MIDDLE	2	SUPER	CALLUM SMITH	KO 7	GEORGE GROVES	OLIVER BRIEN - JAN CHRISTENSEN MAURO DI FIORE - LUIS PABON	JOSE OLIVER GOMEZ

BOXER OF THE MONTH

SAUL ALVAREZ / ANTHONY JOSHUA

HONORABLE MENTION

CALLUM SMITH

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 SEPTEMBER 2018" reflects the results and movements from 01st to September 30th, 2018 regardless of the date of publication.

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-Country abbreviation based on IOC List