

# Brazilian International Olympiads 2026

## BIOECON REGULATIONS

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### I Preliminary Provisions

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- i) The Brazilian International Olympiads are organized by the Núcleo Olímpico de Incentivo ao Conhecimento (NOIC) through its team of collaborators. NOIC is a non-profit initiative created in 2013 by students experienced in scientific olympiads with the purpose of helping students prepare for these competitions. With 13 years of history, it maintains a platform containing study guides, theoretical courses, mock exams, among other resources, having already surpassed 7 million views.
- ii) In 2026, NOIC launched the Brazilian International Olympiads (BIOs) project and is currently the coordinating body of BIOA, BIOArt, BIOB, BIOS, BIOEcon, BIOPh, BIOEPh, BIOI, BIOL, BIOM, BIOCh and BIOR.
- iii) NOIC is responsible for the preparation and administration of the examinations, as well as their grading and the distribution of awards. The NOIC departments are responsible for preparing and grading the examinations, while the BIOs Board is responsible for the administration of the competitions, the delivery of awards and communication with partners.
- iv) This regulation presents the specific rules and information for BIOB.
- v) General rules applicable for all BIOs can be found on our website under General Regulations. **PLEASE READ BOTH.**
- vi) Individual registration can exclusively be performed through: <https://tally.so/r/2EZGd9>
- vii) BIOEcon will be realised in two rounds.
- viii) There is one single level open to all.
- ix) During the BIOEcon exams, the **use of scientific calculators is allowed.**

### II 1<sup>st</sup> round

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- i) The first round is comprised of 20 multiple-choice questions and 6 free-response questions.
- ii) The exam will be divided in two sections of duration of 1 hour and 30 minutes and 2 hours and 30 minutes, timed independently.
- iii) Only after finalizing the first section, the student will be able to access the second one.

- iv) The examination period is from 02/11-08/11.
- v) During this week, the competitors will realise the exam during a continuous 4 hour period.
- vi) The FRQ will only be corrected for students ranking among the top 100 or obtaining more than 50% on the MCQ section.
- vii) More information will be provided by e-mail soon.

### III 2<sup>nd</sup> round

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- i) From the scores of the first round, students will receive an e-mail to confirm their participation in the second round.
- ii) Among those who confirm their participation, the organising committee will sort them in **groups of 3**
- iii) From days 28/11 to 29/11, teams will have a continuous 24h period to answer to a **business case** proposal. After this period, the team will prepare a 10min presentation and will answer the committee's questions during 10min.
- iv) Scores will be attributed based on the criterion of the organising committee.
- v) Further details will be sent via e-mail soon.

### IV Contact

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- i) Any questions regarding the BIOs should be sent to [obonline@noic.com.br](mailto:obonline@noic.com.br).