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THE 2008 TOUR : TWENTY TEAMS INVITED

The Tour de France organisers have chosen the teams that will constitute this year's field. Twenty teams, of which each will nominate nine riders, are invited for the 2008 Tour de France, which will begin in Brittany on July 5 and conclude on the Champs-Élysées on July 27, three weeks later.

However, this selection is being announced subject to each of the teams respecting the ethics and honesty that must prevail in cycling.

The 20 teams invited

Germany

Gerolsteiner (GST)
Team Milram (MRM)

Belgium

Quick Step (QST)
Silence - Lotto (SIL)

Denmark

Team CSC (CSC)

Spain

Caisse d'Épargne (GCE)
Euskaltel - Euskadi (EUS)
Saunier Duval - Scott (SDV)

United States

High Road (THR)
Slipstream Chipotle (TSL)

France

Bouygues Telecom (BTL)
Crédit Agricole (C.A)
Cofidis Le crédit par téléphone (COF)
Française des Jeux (FDJ)
AG2R - La Mondiale (ALM)
Agritubel (AGR)

Great Britain

Barloworld (BAR)

Italy

Lampre (LAM)
Liquigas (LIQ)

Netherlands

Rabobank (RAB)

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