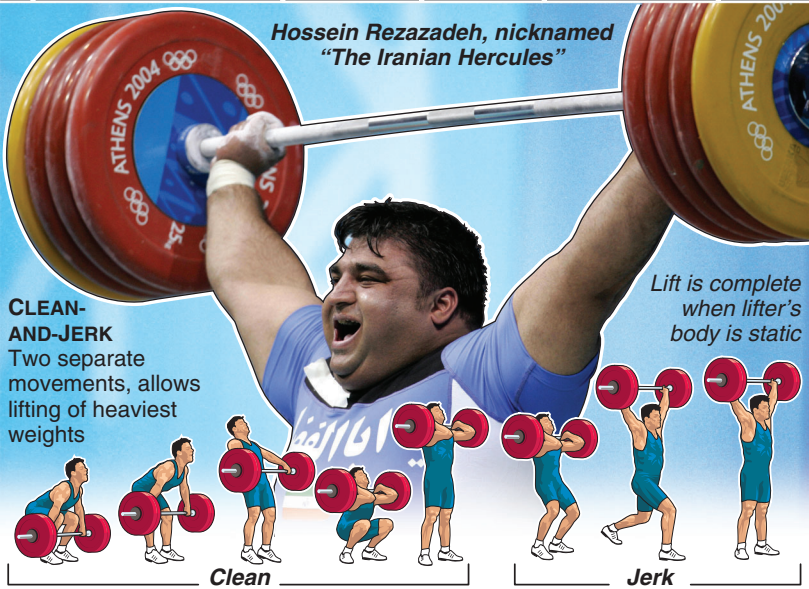


Weightlifter Rezazadeh aims for third gold

Iran's Hossein Rezazadeh can become only the fourth athlete to win three successive gold medals in a single weightlifting class. Halil Mutlu of Turkey could become the first man to win four golds but he only finished as the runner-up in the recent European Championships

WEIGHTLIFTING – MOST OLYMPIC GOLD MEDALS IN SINGLE EVENT

	Name	Date of birth	Nation	Edition	Event
3	Pyrros Dimas	13/10/71	GRE	1992, 96, 00, 04	85kg
3	Halil Mutlu	14/07/73	TUR	1996, 00, 04	56kg
3	Naim Suleymanoglu	23/01/67	TUR	1988, 92, 96	64kg
2	Hossein Rezazadeh	12/05/78	IRI	2000, 04	+105kg
2	Louis Hostin	21/04/08	FRA	1928, 32, 36	82.5kg
2	John Davis	12/01/21	USA	1948, 52	+90kg
2	Charles Vinci	28/03/33	USA	1956, 60	56kg
2	Arkady Vorobiev	03/10/24	URS	1956, 60	90kg
2	Leonid Zhabotinsky	28/01/38	URS	1964, 68	+90kg
2	Yoshinobu Miyake	24/11/39	JPN	1964, 68	60kg
2	Waldemar Baszanowski	15/08/35	POL	1964, 68	67.5kg
2	Vasili Alexeev	07/01/42	URS	1972, 76	+110kg
2	Alexander Kurlovich	28/07/61	URS, EUN	1988, 92	+110kg
2	Akakios Kakhiasvilis	13/07/69	EUN, GRE	1996, 00	94kg
2	Zhan Xugang	15/05/74	CHN	1996, 00	77kg



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1 Medal events	AUG	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
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