



MATCH NOTES

MONTERREY - MEXICO | Mar 02 - Mar 08, 2020 | \$275,000 | INTERNATIONAL

[1] ELINA SVITOLINA (UKR #7) vs. LEYLAH FERNANDEZ (CAN #126)

Head to Head: First meeting

ELINA SVITOLINA	WTA RANKING	LEYLAH FERNANDEZ
7		126
64	PORSCHE RACE TO SHENZHEN LEADERBOARD	51
12-09-1994 (25)	DATE OF BIRTH (AGE)	06-09-2002 (17)
\$181,346	YTD PRIZE MONEY	\$84,553
\$19,416,306	CAREER PRIZE MONEY	\$140,901
0 / 13	SINGLES TITLES (YTD / CAREER)	0 / 0
0 / 2	DOUBLES TITLES (YTD / CAREER)	0 / 0
2-0	MONTERREY W-L (MD) *	2-0
6-6 / 271-152	YTD / CAREER W-L (MD) *	7-3 / 8-7
0-1 / 81-51	YTD / CAREER 3-SET W-L (MD) *	1-1 / 1-2
2-0 / 54-44	YTD / CAREER TIE-BREAK W-L (MD) *	3-2 / 4-3
6-6 / 202-105	YTD / CAREER HARD W-L (MD) *	7-3 / 8-6
1-0 / 22-21	YTD / CAREER Left Hander W-L (MD) *	0-1 / 0-2
0-0 / 19-18	YTD / CAREER TOP 5 W-L (MD & Q) *	1-0 / 1-0
0-0 / 33-38	YTD / CAREER TOP 10 W-L (MD & Q) *	1-0 / 1-0
0-0 / 59-68	YTD / CAREER TOP 20 W-L (MD & Q) *	1-0 / 1-0

* Updated entering 2020 Monterrey QF

ROAD TO THE QUARTERFINALS

[1] ELINA SVITOLINA (UKR #7)

R16: d. OLGA GOVORTSOVA (BLR #142) 6-3,6-4 (1h18)

R32: d. DANKA KOVINIC (MNE #88) 6-3,6-2 (1h00)

Total games: 36
Won/lost: 24-12
Sets won/lost: 4-0
Total time on court: 2h18
Average time on court: 1h09
Average rank of opponent: 115

LEYLAH FERNANDEZ (CAN #126)

R16: d. STEFANIE VOEGELE (SUI #108) 7-6(5),6-2 (1h40)

R32: d. [5] SLOANE STEPHENS (USA #37) 6-7(4),6-3,6-3 (2h08)

Total games: 52
Won/lost: 31-21
Sets won/lost: 4-1
Total time on court: 3h48
Average time on court: 1h54
Average rank of opponent: 73

FERNANDEZ:

- Making tournament debut where she is through to her second consecutive WTA QF (also finished R-Up last week at Acapulco)
- Won 13 points in a row during 2r upset of No.5 seed Stephens. Now owns five career Top 100 wins
- Faces Svitolina today in second career WTA QF; the Ukrainian, meanwhile, is through to this stage at a tour-level event for the 57th time
- Contesting the tournament at a career-high ranking of No.126
- Prior to last week's run through qualifying to the final at Acapulco, had never won back-to-back matches at tour-level. Other highlights in 2020 are qualifying for her maiden Grand Slam at Australian Open (l. Davis in 1r) and upsetting No.5 Bencic during 3-1 Fed Cup defeat to Switzerland
- Her run last week made Acapulco the eighth tournament since the start of 2018 in which a player 17 or younger has reached the final – in contrast, from 2008-2017, only seven times did a player 17 or younger advance to a WTA tour-level final. She was also the youngest Canadian to reach a WTA singles final in 34 years (since Helen Kelesi at 1986 Tokyo [Japan Open] won at 16y, 338d)
- Opened 2020 with qualifying loss in Auckland (l. Badosa)
- Played one WTA tournament in 2019 at Hiroshima (l. Hibino in 1r) ending year ranked No.209
- Also in 2019 on ITF circuit, won first title at ITF \$80k/Granby-CAN (d. Cabrera) and reached two further finals
- Played first WTA main draw and earned first main draw win of career at 2018 Québec City defeating countrywoman Dabrowski in 1r (l. Watson in 2r)
- Made professional debut on ITF Circuit in 2016. Fed Cup debut came in 2019
- As a junior, won girls' singles at Roland Garros in 2019 (d. Navarro in F) and was R-Up at 2019 Australian Open (l. Tauson)
- Trains in Florida
- Sister Bianca Jolie also plays tennis
- She is of Ecuadorean and Filipino descent and speaks English French and Spanish

SVITOLINA:

- Making tournament debut, where she is top seed. Has been top seed on 13 previous occasions at a WTA event in her career, going on to win the title at three of these (2017 Taipei City, 2017 Istanbul and 2018 Dubai)
- Snapped three-match losing streak with 1r win over Kovinic. Beat qualifier Govortsova in 2r to reach first QF since R-Up finish at 2019 WTA Finals in Shenzhen
- Faces teenager Fernandez in QF; lost to 18-year-old Anisimova at her most recent tournament in Doha
- Meanwhile most recent loss to a player outside Top 100 came at hands of No.102 Giorgi at 2017 Birmingham
- Best results this season were QF run at Hua Hin (l. Hibino) and 3r showing at Australian Open (l. Muguruza). Fell 1r at Brisbane (l. Collins), Dubai (l. Brady) and Doha (l. Anisimova)
- Finished 2019 at No.6, her third consecutive Top 10 finish
- Season highlight was reaching the title match as defending champion at the Shiseido WTA Finals (l. Barty)
- Loss to Barty ended her nine-match unbeaten run at the year-end championship having gone undefeated in the RR stage from 2018-19

- In 2018, won 13th – and most prestigious – career title at 2018 WTA Finals (d. Stephens in F), after going 3-0 during round robin stage. Ended year ranked No.4. Also won titles at Rome (as defending champion, d. No.1 Halep in F), Dubai (as defending champion, d. Kasatkina in F) and Brisbane (d. Sasnovich in F); career record in finals now stands at 13-2, including a current nine match win streak
- Enjoyed stand-out 2017, finishing year at No.6, winning a tour-leading five titles and posting second-most wins (53, behind Wozniacki with 60)
- Season culminated by qualifying for WTA Finals in Singapore, becoming first Ukrainian woman to qualify for the season-ending tournament in singles (fell at round robin stage with 1-2 record)
- In 2017, became first player to win three Premier 5 titles in a single season (Dubai, Rome, Toronto), since such tournaments were introduced in 2009
- One of five players to make Top 10 debut in 2017, after winning Dubai in February (also Ostapenko, Garcia, Mladenovic and Vandeweghe). Peaked in rankings at No.3 on September 11, 2017
- On four occasions could have reached World No.1 spot – at 2017 US Open, then needed to win 2017 Beijing (fell in QF), then needed to triumph at 2017 WTA Finals (failed to progress from group stage), or reach final at 2018 Australian Open (fell in QF)
- End to 2016 season also saw her reach first SF at Premier Mandatory level at Beijing (l. A.Radwanska) Qualified for 2016 WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai for the second time (l. Kvitova in F)
- Reached three finals in 2016, at Kuala Lumpur (d. Bouchard in F) and advancing to finals at New Haven (l. A.Radwanska) and Zhuhai (l. Kvitova)
- Other 2016 season highlights included SFs at Dubai, Tokyo [PPO] and Moscow, and QF at Rio Olympics
- Owns two career doubles titles: 2014 Istanbul (w/Doi) and 2015 Istanbul (w/Gavrilova)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2012 Baku (lost in 1r but went on to win title there in both 2013 and 2014)
- Played first ITF Circuit events of career in 2008
- Ukrainian Fed Cup Team, 2012-15, 2017, 2020



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ARANTXA RUS (NED #76) vs. [6] REBECCA PETERSON (SWE #45)

Head to Head: ARANTXA RUS leads 1-0

2012 BASTAD CLAY O R1 ARANTXA RUS 6-1 6-2 57 mins

ARANTXA RUS	WTA RANKING	REBECCA PETERSON
76		45
39	PORSCHE RACE TO SHENZHEN LEADERBOARD	460
13-12-1990 (29)	DATE OF BIRTH (AGE)	06-08-1995 (24)
\$105,718	YTD PRIZE MONEY	\$66,953
\$1,545,717	CAREER PRIZE MONEY	\$1,529,489
0 / 0	SINGLES TITLES (YTD / CAREER)	0 / 2
0 / 1	DOUBLES TITLES (YTD / CAREER)	0 / 1
2-1	MONTERREY W-L (MD) *	2-1
3-4 / 46-90	YTD / CAREER W-L (MD) *	2-3 / 46-51
1-1 / 21-25	YTD / CAREER 3-SET W-L (MD) *	1-0 / 18-12
0-1 / 8-16	YTD / CAREER TIE-BREAK W-L (MD) *	2-2 / 11-17
3-2 / 13-38	YTD / CAREER HARD W-L (MD) *	2-3 / 32-26
0-0 / 3-2	YTD / CAREER Left Hander W-L (MD) *	0-0 / 0-5
0-0 / 2-4	YTD / CAREER TOP 5 W-L (MD & Q) *	0-0 / 0-4
0-0 / 2-7	YTD / CAREER TOP 10 W-L (MD & Q) *	0-0 / 1-5
0-2 / 2-15	YTD / CAREER TOP 20 W-L (MD & Q) *	0-0 / 2-9

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ROAD TO THE QUARTERFNALS

ARANTXA RUS (NED #76)

R16: d. [10] LAUREN DAVIS (USA #61) 7-5,6-0 (1h48)

R32: d. VARVARA FLINK (RUS #149) 4-3 Ret'd (0h32)

Total games: 25
Won/lost: 17-8
Sets won/lost: 3-0
Total time on court: 2h20
Average time on court: 1h10
Average rank of opponent: 105

[6] REBECCA PETERSON (SWE #45)

R16: d. KATERYNA BONDARENKO (UKR #404) 7-6(2),7-5 (2h04)

R32: d. KATERYNA KOZLOVA (UKR #99) 3-6,7-6(1),6-4 (2h28)

Total games: 57
Won/lost: 30-27
Sets won/lost: 4-1
Total time on court: 4h32
Average time on court: 2h16
Average rank of opponent: 252



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MONTERREY Tournament History

"-Q" Qualifying match

ARANTXA RUS

2009

R1 L - ROBERTA VINCI (ITA #69) 6-4 2-6 6-2

REBECCA PETERSON

2018

R1 L - ANNA BLINKOVA (RUS #119) 7-6(7) 5-7 6-4

2016

R1-Q L - ALLA KUDRYAVTSEVA (RUS #192) 6-3 7-5

RUS:

- Playing Abierto GNP Seguros for the second time, where she is through to her first WTA QF since 2019 Palermo
- Advanced this week when lucky loser Flink retired from 1r match w/right hip injury, then upset No.10 seed Davis in 2r
- Faces No.45 Peterson today; bidding for her second Top 50 win of the season, having also upset No.43 Linette at Australian Open
- Owns 0-6 record in WTA QF matches, falling at this stage previously at 2008 Guangzhou, 2010 Estoril, 2013 Bad Gastein, 2017 's-Hertogenbosch, 2018 Istanbul and 2019 Palermo
- Across entire career, best wins, in terms of ranking, were over No.2 Clijsters at 2011 Roland Garros and No.5 Stosur at 2012 Wimbledon
- Monterrey is her seventh event of the season; including her results this week her win-loss record (including Fed Cup and ITF events) is 11-7, with her best results as R-up showing at \$60K ITF/Andrezieux-Boutheon-FRA, SF at \$100K ITF/Cairo-EGY and 2r showing at Australian Open (d. Linette – her first Grand Slam main draw win since 3r run at 2012 US Open – l. Keys)
- After Australian Open (February 3), returned to Top 80 for the first time since March 2013; career-high ranking is No.61 (August 13, 2012)
- In 2019, won 10 singles titles on ITF circuit and ended the year ranked No.103. In total, played 98 matches in 2019 (including qualifying and ITF level tournaments)
- Made first Grand Slam main draw appearances since 2013 with 1r exits at 2018 Roland Garros (l. Stephens), Wimbledon (l. S.Williams) and US Open (l. Cibulkova)
- Best result to date has come at Roland Garros where she reached R16 in 2012 and 3r in 2011 (d. No.2 Clijsters in 2r, for career-best win). Also reached 3r at 2012 Wimbledon
- Returned to Top 100 on June 11, 2018 after Roland Garros
- Ended 2017 ranked No.160 (up from No.174 in 2016). Season highlights in 2017 included reaching QF on home soil at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Vikhlyantseva) and finishing R-Up at WTA 125K Series event at Taipei (l. Bencic). On ITF Circuit, won 13th and 14th career titles at \$25K ITF/Middelburg-NED and \$25K ITF/Hua Hin-THA
- In doubles, won first career WTA title at 2017 Bastad (w/Lemoine, d. Irigoyen/Krejciikova in F)
- Five-time WTA singles quarterfinalist, at 2008 Guangzhou, 2010 Estoril, 2013 Bad Gastein, 2017 's-Hertogenbosch and 2018 Istanbul
- Played first two WTA main draws at 2007 and 2008 's-Hertogenbosch (fell 1r both times)
- Cracked Top 100 on April 4, 2011 and finished season at No.84; duly reached career-high ranking of No.61 on August 13, 2012 and finished that year at No.68 – her second Top 100 finish
- Struggled with results from 2013, at one point losing 17 matches in a row at WTA level before reaching QF at Bad Gastein. Dropped to No.160 by end of 2013 and was ranked outside Top 200 at end of 2014 and 2015
- Played full seasons in 2015 and 2016 (clawed way back into Top 200 by season's end, at No.174) but was absent from Grand Slam action altogether during these two years
- Former world No.1-ranked junior and 2008 Australian Open girls' singles champion and R-Up in doubles (w/Kerkhove)
- Member of Dutch Fed Cup Team, 2010-11, 2013-18, 2020; nominated for a Fed Cup Heart Award in 2015 when she helped Netherlands progress to World Group for first time since 1998
- Coached by Ralph Kok

PETERSON:

- Playing Monterrey for the second time in her career. Has enjoyed previous success in Mexico, reaching her maiden WTA SF at 2018 Acapulco (l. Voegele)
- Recovered from 6-3 3-1 down to beat Kozlova in 1r before seeing off Ka.Bondarenko to reach her first WTA QF since lifting the title at Tianjin in October 2019; overall record in WTA QF matches is 3-3
- Run this week snapped a three-match losing streak, which stretched back to her title run in Tianjin; opened season with 1r exits at Auckland (l. Zidasek), Hobart (ret. vs. Ferro w/back injury) and Australian Open (l. Hercog)
- Won first two career WTA titles in 2019 at Tianjin (d. Watson in F) defeating V.Williams in 1r and Nanchang (d. Rybakina in F)
- Broke into Top 50 for first time in October of last year to end year at No. 43 – posted 25-19 main draw record in 2019, entered the year with only 19 main draw wins in her career
- Began 2019 season with first main draw appearance at Australian Open (l. Sharapova in 2r)
- Defeated No.8 Stephens in 1r of Washington DC for first career Top 10 win
- Other 2019 highlights include QF at Rabat (l. Tomljanovic) and R16 at Eastbourne (l. Kerber) and Cincinnati as a qualifier (l. Ka.Pliskova)
- Finished 2018 at No.55 for debut Top 100 season
- Advanced to 3r at 2018 US Open, first time at that stage of a Grand Slam (l. Kanepi)
- Missed first half of 2017 season with shoulder injury
- Won one doubles title at 2015 Rio de Janeiro (w/Bonaventure)
- Played first WTA main draw at Bastad in 2012, falling 1r (as WC)
- Contested WTA qualifying for the first time at Bastad in 2010
- Winner of 11 singles titles and six doubles titles on ITF Circuit
- Played first senior tournament in 2009, in doubles at ITF/Stockholm 2-SWE
- Trains in Stockholm; father is Mart Peterson, mother's name is Annelie; has one sister, Berit



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[8] YAFAN WANG (CHN #84) vs. [9] MARIE BOUZKOVA (CZE #57)

Head to Head: YAFAN WANG leads 1-0

2019 ACAPULCO HARD O R1 YAFAN WANG 6-2 6-2 90 mins

YAFAN WANG	WTA RANKING	MARIE BOUZKOVA
84		57
218	PORSCHE RACE TO SHENZHEN LEADERBOARD	175
30-04-1994 (25)	DATE OF BIRTH (AGE)	21-07-1998 (21)
\$87,123	YTD PRIZE MONEY	\$92,946
\$1,929,669	CAREER PRIZE MONEY	\$780,954
0 / 1	SINGLES TITLES (YTD / CAREER)	0 / 0
0 / 3	DOUBLES TITLES (YTD / CAREER)	0 / 0
2-0	MONTERREY W-L (MD) *	2-1
3-5 / 51-55	YTD / CAREER W-L (MD) *	2-4 / 12-20
2-2 / 16-15	YTD / CAREER 3-SET W-L (MD) *	0-2 / 2-7
1-3 / 15-14	YTD / CAREER TIE-BREAK W-L (MD) *	0-1 / 1-1
3-5 / 46-44	YTD / CAREER HARD W-L (MD) *	2-4 / 11-16
0-0 / 4-6	YTD / CAREER Left Hander W-L (MD) *	0-0 / 0-1
0-0 / 1-4	YTD / CAREER TOP 5 W-L (MD & Q) *	0-1 / 2-1
0-0 / 1-7	YTD / CAREER TOP 10 W-L (MD & Q) *	0-1 / 3-3
0-1 / 2-17	YTD / CAREER TOP 20 W-L (MD & Q) *	0-2 / 3-6

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ROAD TO THE QUARTERFINALS

[8] YAFAN WANG (CHN #84)

R16: d. ASTRA SHARMA (AUS #127) 7-6(5),4-6,6-3 (2h52)

R32: d. LARA ARRUBARRENA (ESP #159) 6-4,6-4 (1h26)

Total games: 52
Won/lost: 29-23
Sets won/lost: 4-1
Total time on court: 4h18
Average time on court: 2h09
Average rank of opponent: 143

[9] MARIE BOUZKOVA (CZE #57)

R16: d. ANNA KAROLINA SCHMIEDLOVA (SVK #199) 6-4,6-1 (1h22)

R32: d. KRISTINA KUCOVA (SVK #170) 6-4,6-2 (1h41)

Total games: 35
Won/lost: 24-11
Sets won/lost: 4-0
Total time on court: 3h03
Average time on court: 1h32
Average rank of opponent: 185



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MONTERREY Tournament History

"-Q" Qualifying match

MARIE BOUZKOVA

2019

R1-Q L - HIROKO KUWATA (JPN #252) 3-6 6-4 6-4

2018

R1 L - TIMEA BABOS (HUN #44) 6-3 6-4

Y.WANG:

- Playing at Monterrey for the first time. Owns fond memories of Mexico having won her maiden WTA title at Acapulco last year
- Victory here in 1r over qualifier Arruabarrena ended a run of five straight defeats and marked just her second match-win of 2020. Then overcame lucky loser Sharma in 3s in a match lasting 2 hours 52 minutes in 2r to reach first QF of the year
- Faces Bouzkova today. Defeated Czech en route to lifting sole WTA title in Acapulco last year in their only previous meeting
- Through to the doubles QF with Kato. Will play top seeds Garcia Perez/Sorribes Tormo for a place in SF
- Reached 2r in first tournament of the year at Shenzhen (l. eventual runner-up Rybakina) but lost in 1r of next four tournaments including to finalist Muguruza at the Australian Open
- Reached first WTA singles final in 2019, defeating Kenin to lift title at Acapulco
- Other highlights in 2019 were SF runs at Shenzhen and Seoul, and QF showings at Hua Hin, Mallorca and Tianjin
- Also in 2019 finished R-Up in doubles at Hua Hin (w/Blinkova). Own three doubles titles, at 2018 Taipei City (w/Duan) and 2015 Kuala Lumpur and Zhuhai (both w/Liang)
- Contested the main draw of each Grand Slam in a calendar year for the first time in 2019, reaching 2r at both Australian Open and Wimbledon (also made this stage at 2016 and 2018 US Open)
- Matched best result at WTA Premier Mandatory level by making R16 at 2019 Miami (also reached this stage in 2018 at same event, as qualifier)
- During Miami run defeated No.5 Svitolina for best win by-ranking of career (bettering defeat of No.20 Stosur at 2014 Guangzhou)
- Season highlight in 2018 was reaching SF at Taipei City (l. eventual champion Babos), where she also won doubles title w/Duan
- Strong performances at WTA 125K Series events in 2018 highlighted by R-Up finish at Zhengzhou (l. S.Zheng)
- Season highlight in 2017 was reaching SF at Nanchang. Missed first half of 2017 due to illness
- Made Fed Cup debut for China in 2016
- Having fallen in qualifying at all four Grand Slam events in 2015, made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2016 Australian Open (l. Sakkari in 1r)
- Made WTA singles main draw debut at 2014 Guangzhou, advancing to SF (l. Niculescu). Defeated No.20 Stosur en route to register first Top 20 win
- Contested WTA qualifying for the first time at 2012 Beijing
- Played first event of career at ITF/Quanzhou-CHN in 2009

BOUZKOVA:

- Making second main draw appearance at Monterrey (third overall). Lost to Babos in 1r here in 2018 and failed to qualify last year
- Defeated lucky loser Kucova and qualifier Schmieidlova for loss of just 11 games in opening two rounds to record first WTA main draw wins of the year
- Faces No.84 Y.Wang today; only Top 100 win of the season came over No.42 Kudermetova in qualifying at Brisbane
- Faces Bondarenko/Fichman doubles SF w/Voracova after their QF opponents Konta/Svitolina gave a walkover (Konta: right knee injury)
- Lost in 1r in first four WTA tournaments of 2020. Reached QF at ITF \$100k Nashville (l. Abanda) in February
- Ended 2019 ranked No.57 for career-best year-end finish and first inside the Top 100
- Posted career-high ranking of No.53 on August 12, 2019
- Standout performance of 2019 season was a SF run in her first Premier 5 appearance at Toronto (as qualifier, l. S.Williams in 3s)
- Also in 2019, made QF at Guangzhou and was R-Up at WTA 125K Series event at Guadalajara. Lifted 12th and biggest title of career on ITF Circuit, at \$80K Nur-Sultan-KAZ (d. Kostic in F); broke into the Top 100 for the first time at No.92 following the tournament (on July 22)
- Scored first three career Top 10 wins in 2019, against No.8 Stephens and No.4 Halep (both Toronto), and No.3 Svitolina (Guangzhou)
- Won first Slam main draw match during 2r showing at Wimbledon (as qualifier, d. Barthel, l. Sakkari)
- Highlights of 2018 season were 2r showing at Québec City (as qualifier, l. Lepchenko) and qualifying for first Grand Slam at US Open (l. Bogdan in 1r)
- Also in 2018, fell 1r at Monterrey, in qualifying at Australian Open, Roland Garros, Wimbledon, Acapulco, Lugano, Stuttgart and Prague, while on ITF Circuit, won one title at \$25k Irapuato-MEX and reached four further SF
- Has won 12 titles in singles and one in doubles on ITF Circuit
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2015 Acapulco (as wildcard, l. Karatantcheva)
- Professional debut was opening round loss in qualifying at 2013 Katowice
- Coached by Cristian Requeni
- Studying Business Administration online at Indiana University East



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ANASTASIA POTAPOVA (RUS #89) vs. [2] JOHANNA KONTA (GBR #16)

Head to Head: First meeting

ANASTASIA POTAPOVA	WTA RANKING	JOHANNA KONTA
89		16
50	PORSCHE RACE TO SHENZHEN LEADERBOARD	459
30-03-2001 (18)	DATE OF BIRTH (AGE)	17-05-1991 (28)
\$108,703	YTD PRIZE MONEY	\$92,953
\$836,595	CAREER PRIZE MONEY	\$9,447,317
0 / 0	SINGLES TITLES (YTD / CAREER)	0 / 3
0 / 2	DOUBLES TITLES (YTD / CAREER)	0 / 0
2-0	MONTERREY W-L (MD) *	4-2
6-3 / 28-25	YTD / CAREER W-L (MD) *	2-3 / 166-104
3-0 / 14-10	YTD / CAREER 3-SET W-L (MD) *	0-1 / 43-43
2-1 / 8-3	YTD / CAREER TIE-BREAK W-L (MD) *	1-0 / 36-29
6-3 / 17-17	YTD / CAREER HARD W-L (MD) *	2-3 / 103-59
0-0 / 4-3	YTD / CAREER Left Hander W-L (MD) *	0-0 / 13-13
0-0 / 1-1	YTD / CAREER TOP 5 W-L (MD & Q) *	0-0 / 7-11
0-2 / 1-3	YTD / CAREER TOP 10 W-L (MD & Q) *	0-0 / 21-22
0-2 / 2-6	YTD / CAREER TOP 20 W-L (MD & Q) *	0-0 / 38-36

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ANASTASIA POTAPOVA (RUS #89)

R16: d. TAMARA ZIDANSEK (SLO #71) 1-6,7-6(3),6-1 (2h04)

R32: d. GIULIA GATTO-MONTICONE (ITA #148) 6-4,4-6,6-4 (2h17)

Total games: 57
 Won/lost: 30-27
 Sets won/lost: 4-2
 Total time on court: 4h21
 Average time on court: 2h11
 Average rank of opponent: 110

[2] JOHANNA KONTA (GBR #16)

R16: d. TATJANA MARIA (GER #91) 7-6(4),6-3 (1h47)

R32: d. KIM CLIJSTERS (BEL #0) 6-3,7-5 (1h25)

Total games: 43
 Won/lost: 26-17
 Sets won/lost: 4-0
 Total time on court: 3h12
 Average time on court: 1h36
 Average rank of opponent: 46



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MONTERREY Tournament History

JOHANNA KONTA

2016

QF L - KIRSTEN FLIPKENS (BEL #73) 6-3 6-7(2) 6-1

2014

R1 L - KRISTINA MLADENOVIC (FRA #90) 6-4 6-2

POTAPOVA:

- Making tournament debut in Monterrey, where she is through to her second QF of the year – also Acapulco (I. Fernandez)
- Survived a late wobble, having led 5-0 in final set of 1r against Gatto-Monticone. Was broken in first eight service games of 2r match against Zidansek before saving three match points to reach QF
- Faces No.16 Konta today – owns two career Top 20 wins: No.5 Kerber at 2019 Roland Garros and No.13 Sevastova at 2019 Prague
- Has now reached QF at past three tournaments – also Acapulco, St. Petersburg
- First time in her career she has reached three or more QF in one season
- Owns 4-3 record in career QF matches – last advanced to SF at Jurmala (I. No.11 and eventual champion Sevastova in SF)
- One of three teenagers to start the main draw – also Hernandez -17 and Navarro -18 (I. Stephens in 1r)
- Coming off QF appearance in Acapulco (I. Fernandez)
- Reentered Top 100 by making QF at her first Premier-level event at St. Petersburg after coming through qualifying
- At Australian Open this year, made 1r exit to S.Williams after falling in qualifying at Adelaide and Brisbane to begin 2020 season
- Finished last season ranked No.93 after a season highlighted by SF at Budapest (I. Vondrousova) and Jurmala (I. Sevastova). Posted career-high ranking of No.64 on July 22, 2019
- Also in 2019, reached 2r on seven occasions, including at Australian Open, Roland Garros and Wimbledon. Scored first Top 10 win over No.5 Kerber at Roland Garros
- In doubles, won title at 2019 Lausanne w/Sizikova
- Ended 2018 ranked No.94 for first finish inside Top 100
- Season highlighted by R-Up finishes at Tashkent (as qualifier, I. Gasparyan) and at Moscow [River Cup] (I. Danilovic)
- Also won doubles title at Moscow [River Cup] w/Zvonareva (d. Panova/Voskoboeva in F)
- Made Fed Cup debut during defeat to Slovakia in February (I. Kuzmova)
- Reached 2r at St. Petersburg in February (I. Wozniacki). Win over Maria in 1r was first at tour level
- On ITF Circuit owns one singles and two doubles titles
- Climbed to No.1 in the junior world rankings following 2016 junior Wimbledon title
- Best Grand Slam results are 2r showings at Australian Open (I. Keys), Roland Garros (I. Vondrousova) and Wimbledon (I. Martic) in 2019
- At 16 years and three months, became youngest player to successfully navigate Slam qualifying since Ana Konjuh, who had just turned 16 when she did it at 2014 Australian Open

- Captured 2016 Wimbledon girls junior title, having to win final point three separate times after two challenge overrules – title lifted her to Junior World No.1
- In junior doubles, posted two runner-up finishes at 2015 US Open and 2016 Roland Garros
- Grandmother, and former Russian national team coach, inspired her to start playing tennis
- Trains at her agent Alexander Ostrovsky's Academy in Khimki
- Currently coached by Iain Hughes
- Enjoys playing basketball

KONTA:

- Making third appearance at Abierto GNP Seguros tying best previous result by reaching QF; also reached this stage in 2016 (l. Flipkens)
- Defeated four-time Grand Slam Champion Clijsters in 1r to record first win since upsetting No.3 Ka.Pliskova in R16 of last year's US Open
- Reached first QF of season with win over Maria; only faced two break points and saved them both
- Faces Potapova today attempting to reach first SF since 2019 Roland Garros
- Lost opening match at previous three tournaments this season: Brisbane (l.Strycova), Australian Open (l. Jabeur) and St. Petersburg (after 1r bye, l. Dodin)
- Missed last few months of 2019 due to knee injury
- Last season was highlighted by historic run at Roland Garros in 2019, recording first ever main draw win in Paris before becoming the first British woman to reach SF since Jo Durie's run to the same stage in 1983
- Re-entered Top 20 on June 10, 2019 for first time since March 2018 (dropped as low as No.50)
- Other highlights in 2019 included QF run at Wimbledon (d. No.9 Stephens and No.6 Kvitova; l. Strycova) and US Open (l. Svitolina), R-Up finish in Rome (l. Ka.Pliskova) and Rabat (l. Sakkari, after leading by a set and a break)
- Highlights in 2018 included a second successive R-Up finish at Nottingham (l. Barty) and SF at Moscow [Kremlin Cup] (l. eventual champion Kasatkina)
- Began 2017 season by lifting title at Sydney (d. A. Radwanska in F), before landing biggest title of career at Miami (d. Wozniacki in F)
- At 2017 Wimbledon became first British player since Virginia Wade in 1978 to reach Wimbledon SF (l. eventual R-Up V.Williams)
- Reached third final of 2017 season at Nottingham (l. Vekic). Also in 2017, reached SF for second year in a row at home event of Eastbourne – QF defeat of World No.1 Kerber was first by a British woman over a reigning No.1 since Barker d. Evert at 1979 Boston
- Reached first Premier Mandatory final of career at 2016 Beijing (l. A.Radwanska)
- Was the non-playing alternate for WTA Finals in Singapore in 2016, narrowly missing qualification in the Top 8
- By virtue of reaching 2016 Beijing final, made WTA Top 10 debut – becoming the first British woman to feature in the elite group since Durie in 1984, and the fourth British woman overall to do so (also Wade and Barker)
- Won career-first singles title at 2016 Stanford in maiden final (d. V.Williams in F). First British woman to reach final of a Premier event since WTA Roadmap was introduced in 2009
- Broke into Top 20 on June 6, 2016 (at No.18) – first British woman in Top 20 for nearly 30 years (the week of October 13, 1986, with Durie at No.20)
- Was voted WTA Most Improved Player in 2016 by international media and fans
- Made tour-level main draw debut at 2011 Copenhagen

- Born in Sydney, Australia; became a British citizen in May 2012. Parents are Gabor (hotelier) and Gabriella (dentist); older sister is Eva (works in fashion)
- Grandfather Tamas Kertesz played football for the Hungarian 'Golden Team' with Ferenc Puskas in 1955
- Switched clothing sponsor from Asics to Ellesse at end of 2018
- Currently working with Dimitri Zavaloff, having parted ways with Michael Joyce at the end of 2018 season