



MATCH NOTES

AUSTRALIAN OPEN MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA

JANUARY 17-30, 2022 | GRAND SLAM | A\$75,000,000



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DAY 7 MATCH-UPS

Head-to-Head		
[1] ASHLEIGH BARTY (AUS #1)	<u>1-0</u>	AMANDA ANISIMOVA (USA #60)

Barty: Recovered from 7-6 3-0 down to win previous encounter with Anisimova, in SF at 2019 Roland Garros... Since the start of the 2019 season, the Australian has advanced to the fourth round eight times at the majors, the joint most in that stretch (with Halep and Swiatek)... Lifted title at Adelaide 500 in the opening week of the season and has now won at least one title in six consecutive years (since 2017)... Has held in 58 straight service games, a streak dating back to Adelaide

Anisimova: Is making her 12th Grand Slam main draw appearance as one of a tournament-leading 19 Americans in the draw... Saved two match points in previous round to end the reign of defending champion Osaka... The young American won her second career singles title in the opening week of the season at Melbourne 250... By reaching the fourth round, has extended her winning streak to a career-best eight matches... Five of these contests have been decided in three sets

Head-to-Head		
[4] BARBORA KREJCIKOVA (CZE #4)	<u>0-1</u>	[24] VICTORIA AZARENKA (BLR #25)

Krejcikova: Still has a chance to move to No.1 in singles after the Australian Open but will need to win the title with other results going in her favor... Overcame 6-2 3-1 deficit to defeat Ostapenko in previous round... The Czech has won 37 of her last 46 matches in a sequence that included back-to-back titles at Strasbourg and Roland Garros, while also winning at Prague and reaching the Sydney in the second week of 2022... Through to third round of doubles draw here with Siniakova

Azarenka: Overcame losing the first set to beat Krejcikova when they met in Ostrava at the end of last season... Is competing in her 56th Grand Slam main draw, tied for sixth most among active players... The Belarusian owns 32 wins over Top-5 ranked opponents, although only two of these have happened at the majors... Since making her Australian Open debut in 2006, has compiled a 42-11 record; in that stretch of time, only S.Williams (68-9) has won more matches at the tournament

****Win-loss numbers are for main-draw matches at Grand Slams, Olympics and WTA 250, 500, 1000 tournaments****



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MADISON KEYS (USA #51)

Head-to-Head

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[8] PAULA BADOSA (ESP #6)

Keys: Has struck 72 aces across her 10 matches this season... Battled past Q.Wang in previous round to score her ninth win of the campaign, just two shy of her total for the whole of 2021... The American owns 19 career Top-10 wins, although only three of these have come at Slam level.... Attempting to advance to the QF at a major for the first time since 2019 Roland Garros

Badosa: Has compiled a 51-18 record since the start of the 2021 season, a stretch highlighted by winning three titles, including last week in Sydney... Following her success here in Melbourne, coupled with Muguruza's early exit, will become the top-ranked Spanish woman after the Australian Open... Is also closing in on a Top-5 debut, having been outside the Top 20 as recently as last October

[21] JESSICA PEGULA (USA #21)

Head-to-Head

0-2

[5] MARIA SAKKARI (GRE #8)

Pegula: All seven of her wins over Top-10 players have taken happened since the start of last season... Hard-fought first-round victory over Kalinina is the second-longest match of the tournament to date... Bidding to reach QF at Melbourne Park for the second year in a row... At least one American woman has advanced to the QF at the Australian Open every year since 2015

Sakkari: Saved six match points to beat Pegula last year in Miami... Bidding to become the first Greek woman to reach QF at Australian Open... One of three players in the top half yet to drop a set... Enjoying a Top-10 seeding at a Slam for the first time... Has reached SF at two of the past three majors... In her three matches so far, the 26-year-old has won 24 of her 27 service games

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UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA

ASHLEIGH
(1) BARTY

AUSTRALIA

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2001-08-31	Date of Birth		1996-04-24
Aventura, FL, USA	Residence		Ipswich, Australia
Right-handed	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	
5' 11" (1.8 m)	Height	5' 5" (1.66 m)	
21	Career-High Ranking	1	
\$2,524,454	Career Prize Money	\$21,665,850	
\$31,000	Season Prize Money	\$126,100	
1 / 2	Singles Titles YTD / Career		1 / 14
17-11 (Semi-Finalist: 2019 ROLAND GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	53-24 (Champion: 2021 WIMBLEDON; 2019 ROLAND GARROS)	
3-0 / 6-2 (Round of 16: 2022, 2019)	YTD / Career AUSTRALIAN OPEN W-L (best)	3-0 / 20-8 (Semi-Finalist: 2020)	
8-0 / 67-44	YTD / Career W-L	7-0 / 191-71	
5-0 / 16-23	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	1-0 / 62-23	
1-0 / 13-8	YTD / Career TB W-L	0-0 / 27-22	
0-0 / 1-6	YTD / Career TOP 5 W-L	0-0 / 7-14	
Champion: MELBOURNE 250 #2	YTD Best Result	Champion: ADELAIDE 500	



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2019	ROLAND GARROS	CLAY	SF	Ashleigh Barty	6-7(4) 6-3 6-3	1h 53m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
30	78	2021	1	1
22	30	2020	1	1
21	24	2019	1	1
92	95	2018	15	15
182	192	2017	17	17
760	764	2016	301	325
-	-	2015	220	-
-	-	2014	153	218
-	-	2013	129	164
-	-	2012	195	195
-	-	2011	544	669



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. A. HARTONO (#189) 2-6 6-4 6-3 (1h 44m)
2r: d. B. BENCIC (#22) 6-2 7-5 (1h 28m)
3r: d. N. OSAKA (#14) 4-6 6-3 7-6 (2h 15m)

Total time on court: 5h 27m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 3rd appearance at Australian Open, where best result was R16 showing on debut in 2019 (l. Kvitova)
- Missed Australian swing in 2021 after testing positive for COVID-19 on arrival at Abu Dhabi for season opening event
- This is her 12th Grand Slam main draw appearance, and best Grand Slam result was at Roland Garros 2019 where she reached SF (l. Barty)
- Enters Australian Open having won her first title on hard at Melbourne Summer Set 2 (d. Sasnovic in F). As a result and following progression to R16, is on an eight-match winning streak
- This is best winning streak of her professional career (across all levels). Five of her eight wins have come in three sets, dropping the opener in three of these
- Recovered from 6-2 4-2 down to beat qualifier Hartono in 1r
- Upset No.22 seed Bencic in 2r, then fended off 2MP to overcome No.13 seed and defending champion Osaka in 3r. Four of the past eight Australian Open champions have saved a match point on their way to the title (2014 Li Na; 2016 Kerber; 2018 Wozniacki; 2022 Osaka)
- Win over Osaka ended a nine-match losing streak against Top-20 players (stretching back to 2020 Cincinnati - d. No.19 Riske)
- Faces No.1 Ashleigh Barty in R16 today; lost their only career encounter, in SF at 2019 Roland Garros, having led 7-6 3-0
- Owns three wins in career over Top-10 players, over No.9 Kvitova (2018 Indian Wells), No.3 Halep (2019 Roland Garros) and No.7 Svitolina (2020 Doha)
- Is 1-1 in R16 matches at the majors, losing to Kvitova at 2019 Australian Open and beating Bolsova at 2019 Roland Garros
- One of a tournament-leading four players from United States to reach 3r - also Pegula, Keys, Collins - from 19 in starting field


CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. L. TSURENKO (#119) 6-0 6-1 (54m)
2r: d. L. BRONZETTI (#142) 6-1 6-1 (52m)
3r: d. C. GIORGI (#33) 6-2 6-3 (1h 1m)

Total time on court: 2h 47m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 9th appearance at Australian Open, where she has made at least QF on past three visits
- Best result was 2020's SF run (l. eventual champion Kenin)
- Was R-Up in doubles at Melbourne Park in 2013 (w/Dellacqua, l. Errani/Vinci)
- Is No.1 seed here for the third year in a row. The top seed at the Australian Open has claimed the title on 20 occasions, most recently S.Williams in 2015
- In the Open Era, the top seed has only once failed to make R16 at Australian Open (1979 - Ruzici l. Mary Sawyer)
- Beat qualifiers Lesia Tsurenko and Lucia Bronzetti for the loss of just three games in opening two rounds - fewest conceded en route to 3r since 2013 - then knocked out No.30 seed Giorgi. Is one of three players in top half yet to drop a set (also Azarenka and Sakkari)
- Faces No.60 Amanda Anisimova in R16 today; fought back from a set and a break down to beat the American during maiden Slam title run at 2019 Roland Garros
- Owns 28-14 career record against players from United States, while is 12-7 at the Slams (3-2 at Australian Open)
- Is final home representative in the draw for the fifth year in a row. Last Australian to reach final here was Wendy Turnbull in 1980, while the most recent champion was Chris O'Neil in 1978
- Is currently spending 111th and 112th non-consecutive week as World No.1 (eighth on all-time list), although if she fails to reach final here then place at the summit could come under threat from Krejčíková or Sabalenka
- Owns nine hard-court titles, most recently at 2022 season opener in Adelaide (d. Rybakina in F)
- This fortnight bidding to win third Slam on third different surface. S.Williams is the only active player to have won majors on hard, clay and grass

- An American has won the Australian Open title 18 times in Open Era, most recently Kenin in 2020
 - Kenin is currently ranked No.60 in the world, but is in the top half of the draw
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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2020	Result	Rank: 24	Seed: 21
1r	L	Z. DIYAS (#73) 6-3 4-6 6-3	

2019	Result	Rank: 87	Seed: -
4r	L	P. KVITOVA (#6) 6-2 6-1	
3r	W	A. SABALENKA (#11) 6-3 6-2	
2r	W	L. TSURENKO (#24) 6-0 6-2	
1r	W	M. NICULESCU (#99) 7-6(3) 6-4	

2021	Result	Rank: 1	Seed: 1
QF	L	K. MUCHOVA (#27) 1-6 6-3 6-2	
4r	W	S. ROGERS (#57) 6-3 6-4	
3r	W	E. ALEXANDROVA (#32) 6-2 6-4	
2r	W	D. SAVILLE (#387) 6-1 7-6(7)	
1r	W	D. KOVINIC (#82) 6-0 6-0	

2020	Result	Rank: 1	Seed: 1
SF	L	S. KENIN (#15) 7-6(6) 7-5	
QF	W	P. KVITOVA (#8) 7-6(6) 6-2	
4r	W	A. RISKE (#19) 6-3 1-6 6-4	
3r	W	E. RYBAKINA (#26) 6-3 6-2	
2r	W	P. HERCOG (#48) 6-1 6-4	
1r	W	L. TSURENKO (#120) 5-7 6-1 6-1	

2019	Result	Rank: 15	Seed: 15
QF	L	P. KVITOVA (#6) 6-1 6-4	
4r	W	M. SHARAPOVA (#30) 4-6 6-1 6-4	
3r	W	M. SAKKARI (#43) 7-5 6-1	
2r	W	Y. WANG (#65) 6-2 6-3	
1r	W	L. KUMKHUM (#67) 6-2 6-2	

2018	Result	Rank: 17	Seed: 18
3r	L	N. OSAKA (#72) 6-4 6-2	
2r	W	C. GIORGI (#71) 5-7 6-4 6-1	
1r	W	A. SABALENKA (#66) 6-7(2) 6-4 6-4	

2017	Result	Rank: 223	Seed: -
3r	L	M. BARTHEL (#181) 6-4 3-6 6-3	
2r	W	S. ROGERS (#52) 7-5 6-1	
1r	W	A. BECK (#50) 6-4 7-5	

2014	Result	Rank: 155	Seed: -
1r	L	S. WILLIAMS (#1) 6-2 6-1	

2013	Result	Rank: 174	Seed: -
1r	L	D. CIBULKOVA (#14) 3-6 6-0 6-1	

2012	Result	Rank: 670	Seed: -
1r	L	A. TATISHVILI (#83) 6-2 7-6(4)	



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SEASON 2022 HISTORY

- Lifted second career title at Melbourne Summer Set 2 (d. Sasnovich in F)
- Completed singles-doubles sweep in opening tournament of the season, at Adelaide (d. Rybakina in singles F); won doubles w/Sanders to claim third sweep of her career (also 2017 Kuala Lumpur and 2021 Stuttgart)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
14	27	Aces	32	6
65.6%	29	First serve %	64.0%	41
66.4%	45	First Serve points won %	75.3%	2
52.0%	17	Second serve points won %	59.2%	5
61.4%	23	Overall service points won %	69.5%	1
72.9%	38	Service games won %	93.0%	1
48.4%	72	Break points saved %	84.2%	1
39.2%	18	First serve return points won %	34.7%	51
54.5%	47	Second serve return points won %	55.6%	43
46.0%	49	Break points converted %	50.0%	33
40.4%	18	Return games won %	32.5%	44
44.9%	27	Return points won %	42.5%	45

Best win by ranking: No.14 vs Osaka in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 3r
Longest match: 2h 15m vs Osaka in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 3r
Shortest match: 56m vs Kasatkina in MELBOURNE 250 #2 SF
Match points saved: 2 vs Osaka in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 3r
Most aces in a match: 11 vs Osaka in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 3r

Best win by ranking: No.9 vs Swiatek in ADELAIDE 500 SF
Longest match: 2h 12m vs Gauff in ADELAIDE 500 2r
Shortest match: 52m vs Bronzetti in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 2r
Match points saved:
Most aces in a match: 17 vs Kenin in ADELAIDE 500 QF



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)
2022 - MELBOURNE 250 #2
2019 - BOGOTA
Runner-Up (1)
2018 - HIROSHIMA

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (14)
2022 - ADELAIDE 500
2021 - CINCINNATI, WIMBLEDON, STUTTGART,
MIAMI, MELBOURNE 500 YARRA VALLEY
2020 - ADELAIDE
2019 - WTA FINALS, BIRMINGHAM, ROLAND
GARROS, MIAMI
2018 - ZHUHAI, NOTTINGHAM
2017 - KUALA LUMPUR

Runner-Up (6)

2021 - MADRID
2019 - BEIJING, SYDNEY
2018 - SYDNEY
2017 - WUHAN, BIRMINGHAM

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (12)
2022 - ADELAIDE (w/Sanders)
2021 - STUTTGART (w/Brady)
2019 - ROME (w/Azarenka)
2018 - US OPEN (w/Vandeweghe), MONTREAL
(w/Schuurs), ROME (w/Schuurs), MIAMI
(w/Vandeweghe)
2017 - BIRMINGHAM (w/Dellacqua), STRASBOURG
(w/Dellacqua), KUALA LUMPUR (w/Dellacqua)
2014 - STRASBOURG (w/Dellacqua)
2013 - BIRMINGHAM (w/Dellacqua)

Runner-Up (9)

2020 - BRISBANE (w/Bertens)
2019 - US OPEN (w/Azarenka)
2017 - NEW HAVEN (w/Dellacqua), EASTBOURNE
(w/Dellacqua), ROLAND GARROS (w/Dellacqua)
2014 - BIRMINGHAM (w/Dellacqua)
2013 - US OPEN (w/Dellacqua), WIMBLEDON
(w/Dellacqua), AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Dellacqua)



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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
	1r	1r	2r	2021	QF	2r	WON	3r
1r	3r		3r	2020	SF			
4r	SF	2r		2019	QF	WON	4r	4r
			1r	2018	3r	2r	3r	4r
	1r			2017	3r	1r	1r	3r
				2016				
				2015				
				2014	1r	1r		1r
				2013	1r	2r		2r
				2012	1r	1r	1r	



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Ended last season with 3rd run at Indian Wells to secure her fourth consecutive Top-100 finish
- Best results of 2021 were QF runs at Parma and Bad Homburg
- Opened 2020 with SF showing at Auckland, going on to reach 3rd at US Open, Roland Garros and Doha
- During Doha run, earned third career Top 10 win over No.7 Svitolina (l. Kuznetsova in 3rd due to walkover)
- Finished 2019 ranked No.24 - the youngest of three teenagers in the Top 50 (also Andreescu and Yastremska)
- Posted career best Grand Slam result with SF run at 2019 Roland Garros - first player (man or woman) born in 2000s to advance to this stage of a major. Scored maiden win over a Top 5 player during 2019 Roland Garros, upsetting No.3 and defending champion Halep in QF
- Result boosted her into Top 50 for first time at No.26 on June 10, 2019
- Won maiden title at 2019 Bogotá (d. Sharma in F); at 17y 222d was the youngest American to win a title since S.Williams at 1999 Indian Wells (17y 169d)
- Made Top 100 debut at No.95 on September 17, 2018, after reaching first WTA final at Hiroshima (as qualifier, l. Hsieh)
- Also in 2018, upset No.9 Kvitova to become the joint-youngest player to reach R16 at Indian Wells, along with Majoli, who made SF in 1994 (both aged 16 years, 199 days)
- Played only two ITF tournaments before making WTA main draw debut at 2017 Miami (l. Townsend in 3rd), with Grand Slam bow coming at 2017 Roland Garros (l. Nara in 1st)
- Owns six Top 20 wins: No.9 Kvitova (2018 Indian Wells), No.11 Sabalenka (2019 Australian Open), No.11 Sabalenka (2019 Roland Garros), No.3 Halep (2019 Roland Garros), No.7 Svitolina (2020 Doha) and No.19 Riske (2020 Western & Southern Open)
- In juniors, won US Open girls' singles in 2017 (d. Gauff in F) and was R-Up at 2016 Roland Garros; reached No.2 in junior world rankings
- Owns one singles title on ITF Circuit
- Made professional debut at 2016 US Open qualifying (l. Hozumi in 2nd)
- Finished as year-end No.1 for third consecutive year (2019-21); has held the No.1 ranking since the week of September 9, 2019
- In 2021, posted a 42-8 record, while winning a Tour-leading five titles, highlighted by collecting her second Grand Slam title at Wimbledon
- Finished year-end No.1 in 2020, despite missing all tournaments held after the resumption of play in the summer. Went 12-3 to start 2020 season, results highlighted by first title on home soil, and eighth overall at Adelaide (d. Yastremska in F). Followed up with first SF run at Australian Open (l. eventual champion Kenin) and runner-up finish at Doha (l. Kvitova)
- Stellar season in 2019 brought four singles titles - including maiden major at Roland Garros (d. Vondrousova in F) and WTA Finals in Shenzhen (d. Svitolina in F); registered Tour-leading 57 match wins, with 11-6 record against Top 10 opponents
- Broke into Top 10 after defeating Ka.Pliskova in F at 2019 Miami (week of April 1) and became first Australian woman in 43 years to secure No.1 singles ranking after title run at Birmingham, where she defeated Goerges in F (June 24, 2019)
- Other highlights in 2019 included R-Up finishes at Sydney (scored first win over a reigning No.1, Halep, en route; l. Kvitova) and Beijing (l. Osaka) and reached SF at Cincinnati and Wuhan. In doubles, won Rome titles and was R-Up at US Open (both w/Azarenka)
- In 2019, spearheaded Australia to its first Billie Jean King Cup final since 1993, against France in Perth; went 1-1 in singles (d. Garcia, l. Mladenovic) and dropped decisive doubles (w/Stosur) as the French prevailed 3-2
- In 2018, won two singles titles and four doubles titles, finishing the season ranked No.15 in singles and No.7 in doubles; was one of only two players to finish the year in the Top 20 in both disciplines (along with Mertens)
- Captured first Grand Slam doubles trophy at 2018 US Open (w/Vandeweghe, d. No.1 seeds Krejčíková/Siniakova in SF and No.2 seeds Mladenovic/Babos in F)
- Clinched career first WTA singles title at 2017 Kuala Lumpur (as qualifier, d. Hibino in F). Made Top 20 debut and became Australia's No.1 on October 23, 2017
- Qualified for WTA Finals in doubles in 2017 (w/Dellacqua) and 2018 (w/Vandeweghe)
- After 2014 US Open, took a break from tennis that lasted almost two years. Returned to professional tennis in 2016, having enjoyed a

- successful stint as an all rounder for the Brisbane Heat cricket team in the 2015 16 Women's Big Bash League
- During doubles partnership alongside compatriot Dellacqua, reached three Grand Slam doubles finals in 2013 (Australian Open, Wimbledon, US Open) and was also R-Up at Roland Garros in 2017
- Presented with Tennis Australia's Newcombe Medal prize in 2018 and 2019
- Made WTA main draw debut as WC at 2012 Hobart
- Won 2011 Wimbledon girls' singles title; finished season as world No.2 ranked junior behind Khromacheva
- Played first ITF Circuit event in hometown of Ipswich, Queensland in April 2010

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Alex Kuznetsov
- Mother is Olga, who was born and raised in Moscow; sister is Maria Anisimova-Egee and lives in New York. Speaks English and Russian
- Born in New Jersey but moved to Miami at age 3. Started playing tennis after going to her sister's practices every day and eventually developed a passion for the sport
- Tennis idols growing up were Serena Williams and Maria Sharapova
- Off the court enjoys music, running, writing, jet skiing and going to the beach. Has one dog named Miley

- Coached by Craig Tyzzer
- Father is Robert, mother is Josie; sisters are Ali and Sara
- Started playing at age 5 when parents introduced her to the sport
- After 2014 US Open took break from tennis that lasted almost two years; returned in 2016, having enjoyed a successful stint at the Brisbane Heat cricket team in Women's Big Bash League
- Also enjoys watching other sports, especially supporting her beloved Richmond Tigers AFL team, playing golf, reading and fishing



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KREJČIKOVA (4)**
CZECH REPUBLIC

**VICTORIA
(24) AZARENKA** **25**
BELARUS

1995-12-18	Date of Birth		1989-07-31
Ivancice, Czech Republic	Residence		Monte Carlo, Monaco
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	
5' 10" (1.78 m)	Height	6' 0" (1.83 m)	
3	Career-High Ranking		1
\$6,685,882	Career Prize Money		\$33,798,851
\$68,750	Season Prize Money		\$24,935
0 / 3	Singles Titles YTD / Career		0 / 21
22-6 (Champion: 2021 ROLAND-GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	143-52 (Champion: 2013 AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2012 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	
3-0 / 5-2 (Round of 16: 2022)	YTD / Career AUSTRALIAN OPEN W-L (best)	3-0 / 42-11 (Champion: 2013, 2012)	
6-1 / 70-37	YTD / Career W-L	5-1 / 499-193	
2-1 / 25-17	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	0-1 / 96-80	
1-1 / 11-8	YTD / Career TB W-L	0-0 / 72-45	
0-0 / 1-7	YTD / Career TOP 5 W-L	0-0 / 32-44	
Runner-Up: SYDNEY	YTD Best Result	Quarter-Finalist: ADELAIDE 500	



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YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2020	OSTRAVA	HARD	2r	Victoria Azarenka	2-6 6-2 6-1	2h 13m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
3	5	2021	13	27
65	65	2020	13	13
115	135	2019	38	50
125	203	2018	51	51
121	126	2017	13	208
179	251	2016	5	13
140	187	2015	19	22
180	187	2014	2	32
368	376	2013	1	2
605	608	2012	1	1
895	895	2011	3	3
-	-	2010	6	10
-	-	2009	6	7
-	-	2008	14	15
-	-	2007	26	30
-	-	2006	92	92
-	-	2005	144	146
-	-	2004	495	506



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**VICTORIA
AZARENKA**

TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. A. PETKOVIC (#73) 6-2 6-0 (1h 7m)
2r: d. X. WANG (#139) 6-2 6-3 (1h 17m)
3r: d. J. OSTAPENKO (#27) 2-6 6-4 6-4 (2h 10m)

Total time on court: 4h 34m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 3rd main draw appearance at the Australian Open, where her best previous results were making the 2r in both 2020 (as qualifier, l. Alexandrova) and 2021 (l. Alexandrova again)
- Finished R-Up in doubles here in 2021 (w/Siniakova, l. Mertens/Sabalenka). Triumphed in mixed doubles on past three appearances w/Ram in 2019 and 2021 and Mekic in 2020
- Contesting her eighth Grand Slam singles main draw appearance - won 2021 Roland Garros on what was her fifth appearance at a major
- Seeded No.4 this fortnight, her highest seeding at a Slam (up from No.8 at 2021 US Open)
- Defeated Andrea Petkovic and Xiyu Wang in opening week, breaking serve 13 times across both matches
- Pushed far harder by fellow Roland Garros champion Jelena Ostapenko in R16, recovering from a 6-2 3-1 deficit
- Faces No.25 Victoria Azarenka in 4r today; lost their previous encounter, at 2020 Ostrava, having come through qualifying (ranked No.85)
- Owns 2-2 record in Grand Slam R16 matches, beating Stephens (2021 Roland Garros) and Muguruza (2021 US Open), losing to Podoroska (2020 Roland Garros) and Barty (2021 Wimbledon)
- Only woman representing Czech Republic to reach R16. Best result by a Czech woman at Australian Open was Mandlikova's title runs in 1980 and 1987
- Is currently ranked No.4 - one spot off her career-high of No.3 (first posted November 1, 2021). Could potentially claim No.1 ranking after the tournament, although would need Barty to fall prior to SF (for full scenarios, see Preview Notes)
- Best career result on hard is winning in Prague 2021. Also finished R-Up at 2022 Sydney and 2021 Dubai
- In doubles, is top seed this fortnight w/Siniakova (face Collins/Krawczyk in 3r)

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. P. UDVARDY (#95) 6-3 6-1 (1h 5m)
2r: d. J. TEICHMANN (#34) 6-1 6-2 (1h 13m)
3r: d. E. SVITOLINA (#17) 6-0 6-2 (1h 7m)

Total time on court: 3h 25m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 14th appearance at Australian Open, where she was champion in 2012 (d. Sharapova) and 2013 (d. Li Na) - is the last woman to defend the title here
- Also advanced to QF in 2010, 2014 and 2016
- Finished R-Up in doubles in 2008 (w/Peer) and 2011 (w/Kirilenko), and mixed doubles in 2007 (w/Mirnyi)
- Was junior champion here in both singles (d. Szavay in F) and doubles (w/Erakovic) in 2005. Is one of six girls' singles champions in women's draw this year (also Pavlyuchenkova, Rus, Konjuh, Kostyuk and Tauson)
- Eased past Grand Slam debutante Udvardy in 1r, Teichmann in 2r and No.15 seed Svitolina in 3r to register her 40th, 41st and 43rd Australian Open match wins - the most of any player in this year's draw
- Also moves on to 143 Grand Slam main-draw victories - is one of eight active players to reach the century
- Victory over Svitolina was first match against Top-20 opposition at Melbourne Park since losing to No.6 Kerber in 2016 QF
- Faces No.4 Barbora Krejckova in 4r today; most recent Top-10 win was over No.8 Badosa at 2022 Adelaide, while at a Slam it was over No.8 S.Williams at 2020 US Open
- Is 5-6 against Top-10 players at Australian Open, with most recent win over No.8 Wozniacki in 2015 2r. Overall, is 10-27 against the Top 10 at majors
- Owns 37-15 career record against players from Czech Republic, while is 15-5 at the majors (6-0 at Australian Open, including victory over Benesova in R16 during title run in 2012)
- Record in Grand Slam R16 matches is 17-8 and 5-3 at Melbourne Park
- One of two players from Belarus to reach R16 (also No.2 seed Sabalenka) from three in the starting field
- Twenty of her 21 career titles have come on hard courts, including five on Australian soil



(2009 Brisbane, 2012 Sydney, 2012 Australian Open, 2013 Australian Open and 2016 Brisbane)

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2021	Result	Rank: 59	Seed: -
2r	L	E. ALEXANDROVA (#32) 6-3 7-6(4)	
1r	W	S. ZHENG (#44) 6-3 2-6 6-2	
2020	Result	Rank: 128	Seed: -
2r	L	E. ALEXANDROVA (#28) 6-1 6-3	
1r	W	K. KANEPI (#101) 7-6(3) 2-6 6-3	

2021	Result	Rank: 13	Seed: 12
1r	L	J. PEGULA (#61) 7-5 6-4	
2019	Result	Rank: 53	Seed: -
1r	L	L. SIEGEMUND (#110) 6-7(5) 6-4 6-2	
2016	Result	Rank: 16	Seed: 14
QF	L	A. KERBER (#6) 6-3 7-5	
4r	W	B. STRYCOVA (#48) 6-2 6-4	
3r	W	N. OSAKA (#127) 6-1 6-1	
2r	W	D. KOVINIC (#54) 6-1 6-2	
1r	W	A. VAN UYTVANCK (#43) 6-0 6-0	
2015	Result	Rank: 44	Seed: -
4r	L	D. CIBULKOVA (#10) 6-2 3-6 6-3	
3r	W	B. STRYCOVA (#23) 6-4 6-4	
2r	W	C. WOZNIACKI (#8) 6-4 6-2	
1r	W	S. STEPHENS (#32) 6-3 6-2	
2014	Result	Rank: 2	Seed: 2
QF	L	A. RADWANSKA (#5) 6-1 5-7 6-0	
4r	W	S. STEPHENS (#13) 6-3 6-2	
3r	W	Y. MEUSBURGER (#49) 6-1 6-0	
2r	W	B. STRYCOVA (#84) 6-1 6-4	
1r	W	J. LARSSON (#91) 7-6(2) 6-2	
2013	Result	Rank: 1	Seed: 1
F	W	N. LI (#6) 4-6 6-4 6-3	
SF	W	S. STEPHENS (#25) 6-1 6-4	
QF	W	S. KUZNETSOVA (#75) 7-5 6-1	
4r	W	E. VESNINA (#47) 6-1 6-1	
3r	W	J. HAMPTON (#63) 6-4 4-6 6-2	
2r	W	E. DANIILIDOU (#94) 6-1 6-0	
1r	W	M. NICULESCU (#49) 6-1 6-4	
2012	Result	Rank: 3	Seed: 3
F	W	M. SHARAPOVA (#4) 6-3 6-0	
SF	W	K. CLIJSTERS (#14) 6-4 1-6 6-3	
QF	W	A. RADWANSKA (#8) 6-7(0) 6-0 6-2	



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SEASON 2022 HISTORY

- Finished R-Up at Sydney (l. Badosa)
 - Withdrew from Adelaide 500 in the opening week
- Reached QF at Adelaide [500] (l. Swiatek)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
21	11	Aces	11	36
66.3%	26	First serve %	64.3%	38
67.6%	34	First Serve points won %	70.6%	24
47.6%	40	Second serve points won %	42.4%	77
60.9%	26	Overall service points won %	60.5%	31
76.1%	27	Service games won %	74.2%	35
47.6%	74	Break points saved %	46.7%	76
38.5%	21	First serve return points won %	41.8%	7
55.1%	44	Second serve return points won %	57.1%	30
50.0%	35	Break points converted %	57.1%	22
37.0%	29	Return games won %	38.7%	22
45.7%	19	Return points won %	47.4%	10

Best win by ranking: No.7 vs Kontaveit in SYDNEY SF
Longest match: 2h 30m vs Kontaveit in SYDNEY SF
Shortest match: 1h 7m vs Petkovic in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 1r
Match points saved: 7 vs Kontaveit in SYDNEY SF
Most aces in a match: 8 vs Cristian in SYDNEY 2r

Best win by ranking: No.8 vs Badosa in ADELAIDE 500 1r
Longest match: 1h 57m vs Swiatek in ADELAIDE 500 QF
Shortest match: 1h 5m vs Udvardy in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 1r
Match points saved:
Most aces in a match: 5 vs Hon in ADELAIDE 500 2r



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)
2021 - PRAGUE, ROLAND-GARROS, STRASBOURG
Runner-Up (3)
2022 - SYDNEY
2021 - DUBAI
2017 - NÜRNBERG

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (11)
2021 - WTA FINALS (w/Siniakova), OLYMPICS (w/Siniakova), ROLAND-GARROS (w/Siniakova), MADRID (w/Siniakova), MELBOURNE 500 GIPPSLAND TROPHY (w/Siniakova)
2020 - SHENZHEN (w/Siniakova)
2019 - LINZ (w/Siniakova), TORONTO (w/Siniakova)
2018 - WIMBLEDON (w/Siniakova), ROLAND GARROS (w/Siniakova)
2015 - QUEBEC CITY (w/Mestach)

Runner-Up (9)

2021 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Siniakova)
2020 - DUBAI (w/Zheng)
2019 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Siniakova)
2018 - WTA FINALS (w/Siniakova), MIAMI (w/Siniakova), SHENZHEN (w/Siniakova)
2017 - BASTAD (w/Irigoyen)
2016 - ST. PETERSBURG (w/Dushevina)
2014 - LUXEMBOURG (w/Hradecka)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (21)
2020 - CINCINNATI (NYC)
2016 - MIAMI, INDIAN WELLS, BRISBANE
2013 - CINCINNATI, DOHA, AUSTRALIAN OPEN
2012 - LINZ, BEIJING, INDIAN WELLS, DOHA, AUSTRALIAN OPEN, SYDNEY
2011 - LUXEMBOURG, MARBELLA, MIAMI
2010 - MOSCOW, STANFORD
2009 - MIAMI, MEMPHIS, BRISBANE

Runner-Up (20)

2021 - INDIAN WELLS
2020 - OSTRAVA, US OPEN
2019 - MONTERREY
2015 - DOHA
2014 - BRISBANE
2013 - US OPEN, CARLSBAD, ROME
2012 - US OPEN, MADRID, STUTTGART
2011 - WTA CHAMPIONSHIPS, MADRID
2010 - EASTBOURNE, DUBAI
2008 - PRAGUE, GOLD COAST
2007 - TASHKENT, ESTORIL

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (9)
2021 - BERLIN (w/Sabalenka)
2019 - ROME (w/Barty), ACAPULCO (w/Zheng)
2011 - STANFORD (w/Kirilenko), MADRID (w/Kirilenko)
2010 - CINCINNATI (w/Kirilenko)
2009 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Zvonareva), MEMPHIS (w/Wozniacki)
2006 - TASHKENT (w/Poutchek)

Runner-Up (11)

2019 - US OPEN (w/Barty)
2011 - TORONTO (w/Kirilenko), AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Kirilenko)
2009 - FRENCH OPEN (w/Vesnina)
2008 - AMELIA ISLAND (w/Vesnina), AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Peer)
2007 - MOSCOW (w/Poutchek), LUXEMBOURG (w/Peer), SAN DIEGO (w/Chakvetadze), STANFORD (w/Chakvetadze)
2006 - MEMPHIS (w/Wozniacki)



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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
2r	WON	4r	QF	2021	1r	4r	2r	3r
2r	4r			2020		2r		RUP
				2019	1r	2r	3r	1r
	1r			2018		1r	2r	3r
				2017			4r	
				2016	QF	1r		
				2015	4r	3r	QF	QF
				2014	QF		2r	QF
				2013	WON	SF	2r	RUP
				2012	WON	4r	SF	RUP
				2011	4r	QF	SF	3r
				2010	QF	1r	3r	2r
				2009	4r	QF	QF	3r
				2008	3r	4r	3r	3r
				2007	3r	1r	3r	4r
				2006	1r	1r	1r	3r



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Lifted maiden WTA title at 2021 Strasbourg, followed by sweep of singles and doubles titles at Roland-Garros. Roland Garros was just her fifth Slam main draw in singles; only two women have won a major with fewer main draw appearances to their name
- Also won Prague title (d. Martincova in F), reached final at Dubai (l. Muguruza) and qualified for WTA Finals in singles for the first time. Recorded best results at US Open (QF) and Wimbledon (R16) last year
- Posted another record-breaking year in doubles across 2021 - in addition to singles title at Roland Garros, won doubles title too in Paris, along with Madrid, Gipsland Trophy, WTA Finals and the gold medal at Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games (all w/Siniakova)
- Enjoyed breakout year in singles in 2020, posting career-high ranking of No.65 (November 16) and making R16 at Roland Garros and reaching second WTA SF at Linz
- Also reached two doubles finals last year, finishing R-Up at Dubai (w/Zheng) and winning Shenzhen (w/Siniakova)
- In Mixed Doubles, defended Australian Open title (w/Pavic), having triumphed in Melbourne a year earlier with w/Ram
- In 2019, advanced to QF at Bucharest in addition to winning four ITF Circuit singles titles on clay in North America and Europe, winning 20 of her 21 matches during this stretch
- Also in 2019, posted second Top 20 doubles season highlighted by titles at Toronto and Linz, and R-Up finish at Indian Wells (all w/Siniakova). Won Australian Open mixed doubles title w/Ram
- In 2018, won first two Grand Slam trophies at Roland Garros (d. Hozumi/ Ninomiya in F) and Wimbledon (d. Melichar/Peschke in F) both w/Siniakova, the first pairing to complete the Roland Garros-Wimbledon double since Kim Clijsters and Ai Sugiyama in 2003; also became the first team ever to win the girls' (2013) and ladies' doubles title at SW19
- Rose to WTA doubles World No.1 on October 22, 2018
- Highlight of 2017 was R-Up finish in first WTA singles final at Nürnberg (l. Bertens in F). Also made QF as qualifier at Bastad (l. Garcia). Only other tour-level appearances were 1r exits at Bucharest and Québec City
- Contested five WTA main draws in 2016, progressing to 2r at two events: Kuala Lumpur and Prague
- Best result last season came in final event when she finished R-Up at Indian Wells (l. Badosa on third set tie-break). Also made SFs at Doha and Bad Homburg
- Finished 2020 ranked No.13 - her best season-end ranking since 2013 (No.2)
- One of five players to reach three or more finals in 2020, lifting one trophy at the Western & Southern Open - her first title since 2016
- Advanced to her fifth career Grand Slam final at 2020 US Open, which helped her return to the Top 20 for the first time since March 2017
- Winner of the 2020 WTA Comeback Player of the Year Award, as voted on by members of the international media
- Last tournament of 2019 was the US Open, where she fell to Sabalenka in 1r; also reached the doubles final w/Barty (l. Mertens/Sabalenka)
- Highlight of 2019 was 37th singles final at Monterrey (d. No.5 Kerber in SF, l. Muguruza in F via ret. w/leg injury). Also made QFs at Acapulco (l. Kenin), Stuttgart (l. Kontaveit via ret.) and Rome (l. Ka.Pliskova)
- On February 2, 2019 returned to Top 50 for first time following the birth of her child, Leo
- Highlights of 2018 season included SF at Miami (l. Stephens) and QF at San Jose and Tokyo
- Made return to tennis in June 2017 following birth of first child in December 2016
- Comeback tournament was Mallorca, reaching 2r (d. Ozaki, l. Konjuh). Prior to 2017 Mallorca, last tournament contested was 2016 Roland Garros (1r)
- Followed this with R16 at Wimbledon (l. Halep). Did not play after Wimbledon due to personal reasons
- Ended 2016 ranked No.13, despite missing second half of season after going on maternity leave (announced pregnancy mid-July). Lifted three titles, at Brisbane and 'Sunshine Double' of Indian Wells and Miami - third woman to achieve feat after Graf in 1994 and 1996 and Clijsters in 2005
- Posted 26-3 record for first six months of 2016 with losses coming at the Australian Open (QF, l. Kerber), Rome (2r, l. Begu) and Roland Garros (ret. vs. Knapp w/right knee injury)
- Limited to total of 23 events over 2014-15 seasons due to variety of injuries
- Posted five consecutive Top 10 finishes between 2009 and 2013, qualifying for the WTA Finals on each occasion (l. Kvitova in 2011 final in Istanbul)

- Lifted maiden WTA doubles title at 2015 Québec City (w/Mestach)
- Advanced to first WTA doubles final at 2014 Luxembourg (w/Hradecka, l. Bacsinszky/Barrois)
- Reached 2r on WTA debut as qualifier at 2014 Québec City (l. Hradecka)
- On ITF Circuit, owns 14 singles and 19 doubles titles
- Made professional debut at \$10K ITF/Piestany-SVK in 2010

- Ascended to World No.1 after 2012 Australian Open and held top spot for a total of 51 weeks
- Began 2012 with 26-match win streak - best start since Hingis went 37-0 in 1997. Went on to win Tour-leading 69 matches in 2012, season highlighted by six titles, finishing as WTA's year-end No.1
- Belarusian Fed Cup Team, 2005, 2007, 2009-11, 2015-16, 2019; Belarusian Olympic Team, 2008, 2012
- Won two medals for Belarus at 2012 Olympics - bronze in singles and mixed doubles gold (w/Mirnyi)
- Made her Top 100 debut on July 10, 2006 (No.99) and Top 50 debut on May 14, 2007 (No.49)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2005 Kolkata
- ITF Junior World Champion for 2005 - reached first tour-level semifinal at Guangzhou the same year

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Ales Kartus
- Started playing tennis aged 6 and was later coached and mentored by WTA legend Jana Novotna
- Highly ranked junior, won the Roland Garros, Wimbledon and US Open girls' doubles titles with Katerina Siniakova.

- Coached by Maxime Tchoutakian
- Mother's name is Alla; father's name is Fedor; has one brother, Max
- Introduced to tennis at age 7 by her mother. Favorite shot is her backhand; favorite surface is hardcourts
- Speaks Belarusian, English and Russian
- Enjoys music (rock, club hip-hop, R&B), seeing friends, surfing, paddle boarding, cooking, comedy and karaoke
- Has a young son named Leo
- Favorite cities are hometown of Minsk and New York City
- Admires Roger Federer for his professionalism on and off of the court



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PAULA
BADOSA (8)

SPAIN

MADISON
KEYS

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UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA

1997-11-15	Date of Birth	1995-02-17
Barcelona, Spain	Residence	Orlando, FL, USA
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 11" (1.80 M)	Height	5' 10" (1.78 m)
6	Career-High Ranking	7
\$3,646,520	Career Prize Money	\$13,254,573
\$121,000	Season Prize Money	\$34,675
1 / 3	Singles Titles YTD / Career	1 / 6
15-10 (Quarter-Finalist: 2021 ROLAND-GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	83-35 (Runner-Up: 2017 US OPEN)
3-0 / 4-3 (Round of 16: 2022)	YTD / Career AUSTRALIAN OPEN W-L (best)	3-0 / 23-8 (Semi-Finalist: 2015)
8-1 / 69-40	YTD / Career W-L	9-1 / 231-138
3-0 / 26-8	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	3-1 / 59-55
3-0 / 17-10	YTD / Career TB W-L	1-1 / 49-50
1-0 / 7-8	YTD / Career TOP 10 W-L	0-0 / 19-31
Champion: SYDNEY	YTD Best Result	Champion: ADELAIDE 250



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
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First career meeting

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
8	8	2021	16	56
69	70	2020	11	16
86	97	2019	9	13
143	143	2018	10	17
242	247	2017	8	19
222	314	2016	7	8
193	220	2015	16	18
366	366	2014	27	31
666	678	2013	36	37
-	-	2012	149	149
-	-	2011	293	315
-	-	2010	483	483
-	-	2009	621	621



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CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. A. TOMLJANOVIC (#43) 6-4 6-0 (1h 22m)
2r: d. M. TREVISAN (#111) 6-0 6-3 (1h 11m)
3r: d. M. KOSTYUK (#66) 6-2 5-7 6-4 (2h 19m)

Total time on court: 4h 52m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 4th appearance at Australian Open, where she is through to R16 for the first time
- Previously, reached 2r in 2020 (l. Kvitova) and fell 1r in 2019 (as qualifier, l. Birrell) and 2021 (l. Samsonova)
- Overall this is her 11th Grand Slam main draw, and best result across the majors is making QF at 2021 Roland Garros
- Defeated No.43 Ajla Tomljanovic in 1r on Monday, winning the second set to love - was third time winning a set 6-0 at a Grand Slam. Also beat the Australian during last week's Sydney title run
- Won all seven service games to help her inflict another 6-0 set in 2r, against qualifier Martina Trevisan
- Battled past teenager Marta Kostyuk in 3r, thus extending winning streak to eight matches. Last year, went eight matches unbeaten during run to Indian Wells title (6) and WTA Finals (2) and nine in the spring, when she claimed Belgrade title (5) and made Roland Garros QF (4)
- Faces No.51 Madison Keys in 4r today; owns 5-1 win-loss record against Americans in main-draw matches (2-0 at Grand Slams)
- Owns 1-2 record in Grand Slam R16 matches, beating Vondrousova (2021 Roland Garros) and losing to Siegemund (2020 Roland Garros) and Muchova (2021 Wimbledon)
- Only player from Spain to reach R16. Three Spanish women have reached the Australian Open final, with Garbiñe Muguruza (2020), Conchita Martínez (1998) and Arantxa Sanchez-Vicario (1994-95) all finishing R-Up
- Is currently ranked at a career-high No.6, having first broken into Top 10 on November 8, 2021. Began last season ranked No.70
- Last season ranked fifth for main-draw wins (43), first for clay-court wins (17), joint second for three-set wins (16), joint first for tie-break wins (11) and third for wins over Top-20 opponents (12)

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. S. KENIN (#13) 7-6 7-5 (1h 31m)
2r: d. J. CRISTIAN (#69) 6-2 7-5 (1h 30m)
3r: d. Q. WANG (#110) 4-6 6-3 7-6 (2h 21m)

Total time on court: 5h 22m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 9th appearance at Australian Open, where her deepest run was to SF in 2015 (l. eventual champion S.Williams)
- Best result across all Slams was R-Up finish at 2017 US Open (l. Stephens)
- Upset 2020 champion Sofia Kenin in 1r, then beat Grand Slam debutante Jaqueline Cristian in 2r and Wang Qiang in 3r to score her seventh, eighth and ninth victories of the season; by contrast, won just 11 in the whole of 2021
- Was pushed hard by Q.Wang, twice serving to stay in the match in the deciding set. Result extends her winning streak to eight matches - longest since 2019, when she posted nine in a row during run to Cincinnati title and R16 showing at US Open
- Faces No.6 Paula Badosa in R16 today; owns 19 wins in career over Top-10 players, most recently No.4 Aryna Sabalenka at 2021 Berlin
- Record against Top 10 at the majors is 3-9 (2-3 at Australian Open). Victories at this level came over No.4 Kvitova (2015 Australian Open), No.4 Svitolina (2017 US Open) and No.8 Garcia (2018 Australian Open)
- Owns 10-4 career record against players from Spain (1-0 at majors: d. Suarez Navarro at 2018 US Open)
- One of a tournament-leading four American players to reach R16 (from 19 in starting field). In the Open Era an American woman has won this title on 18 occasions
- Having won Adelaide [250] last week, now owns three hard-court titles (also 2017 Stanford and 2019 Cincinnati)
- Entered the Australian Open as the tour's ace leader with 51 and has increased this total to 72 across the opening three rounds in Melbourne



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2021	Result	Rank: 70	Seed: -
1r	L	L. SAMSONOVA (#130) 6-7(4) 7-6(4) 7-5	
2020	Result	Rank: 97	Seed: -
2r	L	P. KVITOVA (#8) 7-5 7-5	
1r	W	J. LARSSON (#215) 6-1 6-0	
2019	Result	Rank: 141	Seed: -
1r	L	K. BIRRELL (#240) 6-4 6-2	

2020	Result	Rank: 11	Seed: 10
3r	L	M. SAKKARI (#23) 6-4 6-4	
2r	W	A. RUS (#93) 7-6(3) 6-2	
1r	W	D. KASATKINA (#69) 6-3 6-1	
2019	Result	Rank: 17	Seed: 17
4r	L	E. SVITOLINA (#7) 6-2 1-6 6-1	
3r	W	E. MERTENS (#14) 6-3 6-2	
2r	W	A. POTAPOVA (#89) 6-3 6-4	
1r	W	D. AIAVA (#191) 6-2 6-2	
2018	Result	Rank: 20	Seed: 17
QF	L	A. KERBER (#16) 6-1 6-2	
4r	W	C. GARCIA (#8) 6-3 6-2	
3r	W	A. BOGDAN (#104) 6-3 6-4	
2r	W	E. ALEXANDROVA (#92) 6-0 6-1	
1r	W	Q. WANG (#45) 6-1 7-5	
2016	Result	Rank: 17	Seed: 15
4r	L	S. ZHANG (#133) 3-6 6-3 6-3	
3r	W	A. IVANOVIC (#23) 4-6 6-4 6-4	
2r	W	Y. SHVEDOVA (#70) 6-7(4) 6-3 6-3	
1r	W	Z. DIYAS (#57) 7-6(5) 6-1	
2015	Result	Rank: 35	Seed: -
SF	L	S. WILLIAMS (#1) 7-6(5) 6-2	
QF	W	V. WILLIAMS (#18) 6-3 4-6 6-4	
4r	W	M. BRENGLE (#64) 6-2 6-4	
3r	W	P. KVITOVA (#4) 6-4 7-5	
2r	W	C. DELLACQUA (#29) 2-6 6-1 6-1	
1r	W	L. TSURENKO (#90) 6-3 7-5	
2014	Result	Rank: 36	Seed: -
2r	L	J. ZHENG (#56) 7-6(5) 1-6 7-5	
1r	W	P. MAYR-ACHLEITNER (#85) 6-2 6-7(8) 9-7	
2013	Result	Rank: 105	Seed: -
3r	L	A. KERBER (#5) 6-2 7-5	
2r	W	T. PASZEK (#30) 6-2 6-1	



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SEASON 2022 HISTORY

- Won third career singles title at Sydney, defeating No.4 Krejcikova in the championship match for her 5th career win over a Top 5 ranked opponent Fell 1r at Adelaide (l. Azarenka)
- Coming off lifting her sixth career title - and first since 2019 - at Adelaide [250] (d. Riske in F); upset No.16 Svitolina and No.19 Gauff en route
 - Made 2r at Melbourne Summer Set 2 (l. Kasatkina)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
38	4	Aces	52	1
60.6%	61	First serve %	67.2%	22
66.7%	41	First Serve points won %	72.8%	12
38.6%	89	Second serve points won %	56.3%	10
55.6%	68	Overall service points won %	67.4%	4
65.6%	60	Service games won %	87.2%	4
40.5%	92	Break points saved %	73.7%	7
40.8%	9	First serve return points won %	36.2%	37
62.9%	11	Second serve return points won %	57.6%	26
46.9%	45	Break points converted %	37.1%	82
44.1%	12	Return games won %	33.8%	38
48.8%	4	Return points won %	44.3%	32

Best win by ranking: No.4 vs Krejcikova in SYDNEY F
Longest match: 2h 35m vs Bencic in SYDNEY QF
Shortest match: 1h 11m vs Trevisan in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 2r
Match points saved:
Most aces in a match: 12 vs Krejcikova in SYDNEY F

Best win by ranking: No.13 vs Kenin in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 1r
Longest match: 2h 21m vs Wang in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 3r
Shortest match: 1h 3m vs Martincova in ADELAIDE 250 2r
Match points saved:
Most aces in a match: 14 vs Svitolina in ADELAIDE 250 1r



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)

2022 - SYDNEY

2021 - INDIAN WELLS, BELGRADE

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (6)

2022 - ADELAIDE 250

2019 - CINCINNATI, CHARLESTON

2017 - STANFORD

2016 - BIRMINGHAM

2014 - EASTBOURNE

Runner-Up (5)

2020 - BRISBANE

2017 - US OPEN

2016 - MONTREAL, ROME

2015 - CHARLESTON



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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
1r	QF	4r	2r	2021		3r	4r	1r
2r	4r		1r	2020	3r	1r		3r
1r		1r	1r	2019	4r	QF	2r	4r
				2018	QF	SF	3r	SF
				2017		2r	2r	RUP
				2016	4r	4r	4r	4r
				2015	SF	3r	QF	4r
				2014	2r	1r	3r	2r
				2013	3r	2r	3r	1r
				2012	1r			
				2011				2r



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CAREER MILESTONES


- Captured the first two WTA singles titles of her career in 2021 at Belgrade (d. Konjuh in F) and Indian Wells (d. Azarenka in F)
- Qualified for AKRON WTA Finals Guadalajara, where she advanced to the SF stage
- Broke into the WTA Top 20 on October 18, 2021 after winning the Indian Wells title and reached the Top 10 on November 8, 2021
- Nominated for 2021 WTA Most Improved Player of the Year (won by Krejčíková), as voted on by members of the media
- Last season also advanced to SF at Madrid, Charleston and Lyon and QFs at Roland-Garros, Cincinnati and Olympics
- At 2020 Roland Garros, upset former finalist Stephens and 2017 champion Ostapenko en route to reaching R16 for the first time at a major; posted career-high singles ranking of No.69 (October 12, 2020) following Paris run
- Also in 2020, reached SF at Istanbul (l. Bouchard)
- Campaign in 2019 highlighted by SF run at Palermo (l. Bertens) and QF run in Seoul (l. Y.Wang); also made Grand Slam main draw debut at Australian Open (l. 1r)
- Finished 2018 inside Top 200 for the first time (at No.143); picked up three ITF titles at \$25k ITF/Glasgow-UK, ITF/\$25k Les Franqueses del Valles - FRA and ITF/\$60k Valencia-ESP
- Fell in qualifying at 2018 Wimbledon, Madrid and US Open
- Claimed third title on ITF Circuit in 2017 at ITF/\$25k El Espinar; Fell 1r at Miami and in qualifying at Madrid
- In 2016, fell 1r at Miami, Madrid and Mallorca and in qualifying at Rio de Janeiro
- As wildcard, made breakthrough on WTA Tour with 3r run at 2015 Miami Open (l. Ka.Pliskova)
- Came through qualifying at 2015 Madrid, fell 1r to Errani via ret. w/left leg injury
- Continued at ITF Circuit level during 2013-2014 before playing second WTA qualifying draw at 2015 Antwerp, where she advanced to 2r (l. Bodarenko)
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2013 Palermo, winning one match via retirement before falling in 2r (l.Gatto-Monticone) Won first title on ITF Circuit at \$10k ITF/Sant Jordi-ESP in 2012; now owns seven singles titles at this level
- Played first pro tournament of career at \$10k ITF/Gexto-ESP in 2012 (l. in 1r)
- Won girls' Singles title at 2015 Roland Garros (d. Kaliskaya in F) and reached QF at 2014 Roland
- Posted ninth successive Top 100 season in 2021, but first non-Top 20 campaign since 2014
- In Grand Slam play, 2021 season was highlighted by R16 run at Wimbledon (l. Golubic)
- Finished 2020 campaign ranked No.16 in the world, with best result being runner-up finish at Brisbane (l. Ka.Pliskova in 3s)
- Lifted biggest title of career during 2019 season at WTA Premier-5 level Cincinnati (d. Kuznetsova in F); afterwards returned to Top 10 for first time since week of June 25, 2018
- Reached QF at Roland Garros (l. Barty). One of three Americans to make last eight (also Anisimova and Stephens) - the first time since 2004 (Capriati, S.Williams and V.Williams)
- Reached first Grand Slam final in 2017 in New York, losing out to Stephens in 10th all-American US Open final in the Open Era. At 22, became the youngest Flushing Meadows finalist since 19-year-old Wozniacki lost to Clijsters in 2009
- Enjoyed first Top 10 year-end finish in 2016 (at No.8), as youngest player in the year-end Top 25
- Broke into Top 10 on June 20, 2016, becoming 118th player to reach the elite bracket since computer rankings were introduced. Became first American to make Top 10 debut since S.Williams in 1999
- Made WTA Finals debut at Singapore in 2016, going 1-2 in round robin play
- Represented USA at 2016 Rio Olympics, reaching SF (lost Bronze medal match against Kvitová)
- Qualified for WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai in 2015 (went 1-1 in round robin stage on all three appearances); advanced to SF stage in 2018 however withdrew before match due to a left knee injury
- Cracked Top 20 on February 2, 2015
- Was second-youngest player to win a WTA title in 2014, at Eastbourne (after Vekic at Kuala Lumpur); also, youngest American to win a title since Vania King in October 2006 (17 years, 254 days, Bangkok)
- Made tour-level debut at 2009 Ponte Vedra Beach at 14 years old (as WC, d. Kudryavtseva); was seventh youngest player to win a WTA main draw match at 14 years, 48 days, and youngest since Hingis in 1994

Garros and Wimbledon; finished 2015 as No.8 in
ITF World Junior rankings

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Jorge García
- Born in New York City but lives and trains in Barcelona, near her hometown Begur in the Costa Brava
- Aggressive baseliner whose favorite shot is serve. Favorite tournament is US Open
- Childhood idol was Maria Sharapova, whose dedication, work ethic and values inspired her to become a pro
- Enjoys reading, always travels with books and her favorite is Tuesdays with Morrie (Mitch Albom)
- Professional goals are to reach her full potential
- Speaks English, Spanish and Catalan, and would like to learn more languages


- Currently coached by Georgi Rumenov; fitness trainer is Rodney Marshall
- Mother is Christine; siblings are Sydney, Montana and Hunter. Was introduced to tennis by watching it on television as a little girl
- Favorite shot is serve; favorite surface is hard
- Favorite food is tacos; favorite movie is Imitation Game; favorite singer is Beyoncé; favorite types of music are hip-hop, pop, rap and country
- Favorite places are Charleston and Rome
- Also enjoys interior design, plants, baking, friends and family, watching TV and shopping
- Most memorable experience is playing a match in an earthquake in Costa Rica
- Goal is to work hard and be the best she can be
- Very passionate about her charity, Kindness Wins, which is a platform for kindness, with special emphasis on kindness to self, kindness to youth and kindness to others in times of struggle.

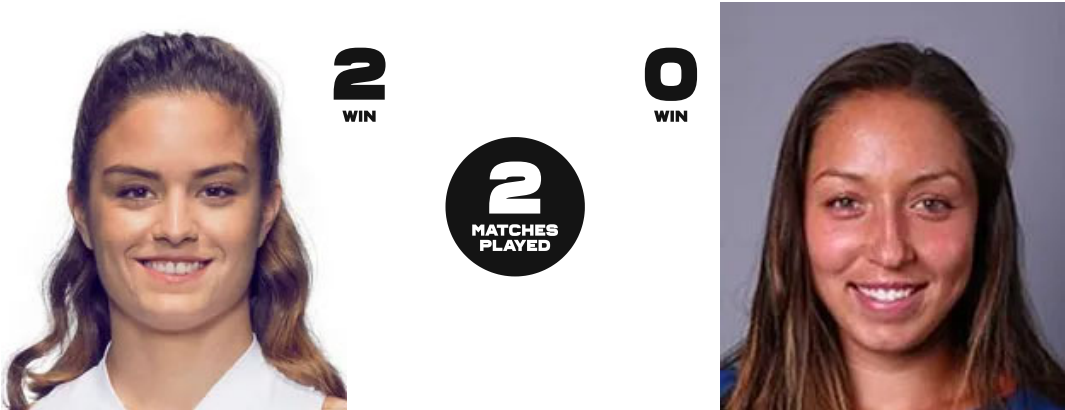


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MARIA SAKKARI (5)

GREECE

JESSICA (21) PEGULA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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1995-07-25	Date of Birth	1994-02-24
Monte Carlo, Monaco	Residence	Boca Raton, FL, USA
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 8" (1.72 m)	Height	5' 7" (1.70 m)
6	Career-High Ranking	18
\$5,580,609	Career Prize Money	\$2,818,465
\$10,000	Season Prize Money	\$14,825
0 / 1	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 1
40-23 (Semi-Finalist: 2021 US OPEN, ROLAND-GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	15-12 (Quarter-Finalist: 2021 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)
3-0 / 11-6 (Round of 16: 2022, 2020)	YTD / Career AUSTRALIAN OPEN W-L (best)	3-0 / 7-2 (Quarter-Finalist: 2021)
4-1 / 134-107	YTD / Career W-L	3-2 / 71-55
1-1 / 39-48	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	1-0 / 21-19
0-1 / 32-22	YTD / Career TB W-L	0-2 / 15-13
0-0 / 19-19	YTD / Career TOP 10 W-L	0-0 / 7-10
Round of 16: ADELAIDE 500, AUSTRALIAN OPEN	YTD Best Result	Round of 16: AUSTRALIAN OPEN



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2021	MIAMI	HARD	4r	Maria Sakkari	6-4 2-6 7-6(6)	2h 38m
2019	EASTBOURNE	GRASS	1r	Maria Sakkari	6-2 6-1	1h 0m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
6	6	2021	18	18
20	22	2020	59	62
22	23	2019	55	76
29	41	2018	124	125
48	52	2017	165	632
89	89	2016	135	165
184	188	2015	150	151
284	301	2014	198	775
587	610	2013	123	206
568	627	2012	147	147
702	702	2011	288	288
-	-	2010	844	855
-	-	2009	922	922



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. T. MARIA (#287) 6-4 7-6 (1h 45m)
2r: d. Q. ZHENG (#108) 6-1 6-4 (1h 29m)
3r: d. V. KUDERMETOVA (#32) 6-4 6-1 (1h 22m)

Total time on court: 4h 36m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 7th main draw appearance at the Australian Open
- Best result was 2020's R16 run (l. Kvitova) - the first time she had reached that stage of a major in her career
- In 2020, became first Greek woman to reach R16 here since Daniilidou in 2003 (l. eventual champion S.Williams). No Greek woman has ever reached an Australian Open singles QF
- Returns this year ranked No.8 and seeded in the Top 10 (No.5) for the first time at a Slam
- Overall this is her 24th Grand Slam main draw appearance, and best run at the majors were SF showings at Roland Garros and US Open last year
- Has beaten Tatjana Maria, Qinwen Zheng and Veronika Kudermetova in straight sets during opening week. Is one of three players in top half yet to drop a set (also Azarenka and Barty)
- Has won 24 of her 27 service games across those three matches
- Having made 2021 US Open SF, now posted back-to-back R16s at the Slams for the first time
- Faces No.21 Jessica Pegula in 4r today; beat the American during SF showing at 2021 Miami, recovering from 5-3 in the final set and saving 6MP
- Owns 21-13 career record against players from United States, while is 6-6 at majors (1-0 at Australian Open)
- Is the only Greek woman in Top 150, followed by No.181 Papamichail and No.187 Grammatikopolou (both fell in opening round of qualifying)
- Last year, ranked first on Tour for Top-10 wins (nine), joint-fifth for hard-court wins (28) and seventh for aces hit (254)
- Best career results on hard courts are R-Up finishes at 2018 San Jose (outdoors) and 2021 Ostrava (indoors)

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. A. KALININA (#49) 4-6 7-6 7-5 (2h 52m)
2r: d. B. PERA (#105) 6-4 6-4 (1h 23m)
3r: d. N. PARRIZAS DIAZ (#63) 7-6 6-2 (1h 31m)

Total time on court: 5h 46m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 3rd appearance at Australian Open, where she produced her Grand Slam breakthrough in 2021 by reaching QF (l. Brady)
- Overall, seven wins at Australian Open accounts for almost half her main-draw Slam wins (15) across 13 majors. Next most successful is US Open, where she has reached 3r twice, winning five matches in total
- Battled past Anhelina Kalinina in 1r - at 2h52m it is the second longest match of the tournament (after Kovinic d. Jang 3h9m)
- Saw off Bernarda Pera in 2r to register her first win over a fellow American in the main draw at a major, then beat Melbourne Park debutante Nuria Parrizas Diaz in 3r
- Faces No.8 Maria Sakkari in 4r today; owns seven wins in career over Top-10 players, all of which came last season (the joint second most on Tour in 2021, behind today's opponent Sakkari, who scored nine)
- Is 1-3 against Top-10 opponents at the majors, beating No.5 Svitolina (2021 Australian Open) and losing to No.4 A.Radwanska (2016 US Open), No.8 Barty (2019 Roland Garros) and No.5 Kenin (2021 Roland Garros)
- One of four American women to make R16 - also Anisimova, Collins and Keys - from 19 in the starting field. In the Open Era, an American has won the title here 18 times, most recently Kenin in 2020
- Is currently ranked No.21, having begun last year outside Top 50. Peaked in rankings at No.18 at the end of 2021 (November 18)
- Best career result on hard is title run at 2019 Washington DC



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2021	Result	Rank: 23	Seed: 20
1r	L	K. MLADENOVIC (#52) 6-2 0-6 6-3	
2020	Result	Rank: 23	Seed: 22
4r	L	P. KVITOVA (#8) 6-7(4) 6-3 6-2	
3r	W	M. KEYS (#11) 6-4 6-4	
2r	W	N. HIBINO (#103) 7-6(4) 6-4	
1r	W	M. GASPARYAN (#100) 6-2 6-2	
2019	Result	Rank: 43	Seed: -
3r	L	A. BARTY (#15) 7-5 6-1	
2r	W	A. SHARMA (#232) 6-1 6-4	
1r	W	J. OSTAPENKO (#22) 6-1 3-6 6-2	
2018	Result	Rank: 55	Seed: -
1r	L	K. SINIAKOVA (#59) 6-2 6-7(5) 6-4	
2017	Result	Rank: 94	Seed: -
3r	L	M. LUCIC-BARONI (#79) 3-6 6-2 6-3	
2r	W	A. CORNET (#43) 7-5 4-6 6-1	
1r	W	A. KONTAVEIT (#121) 6-0 6-4	
2016	Result	Rank: 170	Seed: -
2r	L	C. SUÁREZ NAVARRO (#11) 6-7(5) 6-2 6-2	
1r	W	Y. WANG (#138) 6-4 1-6 6-3	

2021	Result	Rank: 61	Seed: -
QF	L	J. BRADY (#24) 4-6 6-2 6-1	
4r	W	E. SVITOLINA (#5) 6-4 3-6 6-3	
3r	W	K. MLADENOVIC (#52) 6-2 6-1	
2r	W	S. STOSUR (#112) 6-0 6-1	
1r	W	V. AZARENKA (#13) 7-5 6-4	
2020	Result	Rank: 66	Seed: -
1r	L	T. TOWNSEND (#79) 6-4 7-6(5)	



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SEASON 2022 HISTORY

- Fell 2r at Adelaide (l. Rogers)
- Fell 1r at Melbourne Summer Set 2 (l. Begu) and Sydney (l. Garcia)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
19	12	Aces	7	55
69.0%	16	First serve %	66.2%	27
64.4%	59	First Serve points won %	70.8%	21
47.2%	44	Second serve points won %	44.9%	63
59.1%	42	Overall service points won %	62.1%	19
70.4%	47	Service games won %	76.2%	26
61.9%	35	Break points saved %	68.8%	17
35.8%	41	First serve return points won %	24.4%	94
61.8%	14	Second serve return points won %	41.7%	104
37.5%	78	Break points converted %	30.0%	93
33.3%	43	Return games won %	13.6%	93
45.2%	25	Return points won %	31.7%	103

Best win by ranking: No.30 vs Zidansek in ADELAIDE 500 1r

Longest match: 2h 18m vs Rogers in ADELAIDE 500 2r

Shortest match: 1h 22m vs Kudermetova in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 3r

Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 10 vs Zidansek in ADELAIDE 500 1r

Best win by ranking: No.49 vs Kalinina in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 1r

Longest match: 2h 52m vs Kalinina in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 1r

Shortest match: 1h 23m vs Pera in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 2r

Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 7 vs Parrizas Diaz in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 3r



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS					SINGLES FINALS				
Champion (1)					Champion (1)				
2019 - RABAT					2019 - WASHINGTON DC				
Runner-Up (2)					Runner-Up (2)				
2021 - OSTRAVA					2020 - AUCKLAND				
2018 - SAN JOSE					2018 - QUEBEC CITY				

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
1r	SF	2r	SF	2021	QF	3r	2r	3r
4r	3r		4r	2020	1r	1r		3r
3r	2r	3r	3r	2019		1r	1r	1r
1r	3r	1r	2r	2018				
3r	1r	3r	3r	2017				
2r		2r	1r	2016				1r
			1r	2015				2r



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Historic 2021 season was highlighted by her becoming first Greek woman to break into the Top 10 (at No.10, September 27) as well as the first from her country to qualify for the WTA Finals (made SF)
- Reached her third WTA singles final at Ostrava (l. Kontaveit) and made the SF at Roland-Garros and US Open, defeating three Top 20 ranked opposed at both event
- Posted most Top 10 wins in 2021 (nine), including two wins over the World No.2 (Osaka at Miami and No.2 Sabalenka at WTA Finals)
- Secured best year-end ranking of No.22 in 2020; broke into Top 20 on February 24 for first time, at No.20
- Scored third and fourth Top 5 wins of her career last season, over No.5 Svitolina at Ostrava and No.5 Bencic (2020 St. Petersburg). Previous wins came over No.5 Ka.Pliskova (2018 Rome) and No.5 Kvitova (2019 Rome, via ret.)
- Upset No.10 seed Keys to reach the R16 for the first time at one of the four Slams, at 2020 Australian Open (l. Kvitova)
- Qualified for WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai in 2019 for first time in career (fell in RR stage). That season won maiden WTA title at Rabat, recovering from a set and break down to defeat Konta in final
- Highlights of 2018 were reaching her first tour-level final at San Jose (l. Buzarnescu) and scoring maiden Top 5 win over No.5 Ka.Pliskova in 2r at Rome
- Notched first Top 10 victory of career over No.6 Wozniacki en route to first WTA SF of career at 2017 Wuhan Open
- Broke into Top 50 for first time at No.49 on October 9, 2017
- At 2016 Australian Open, by reaching 2r (d. Y.Wang, l. Suárez Navarro) became the first woman from Greece to win a main draw match at a Slam since Daniilidou d. Ka.Pliskova at 2013 Australian Open
- Reached first career WTA QF at 2016 Istanbul (as qualifier, l. Kovinic)
- Fell 1r on WTA main draw debut at 2015 US Open (as qualifier, l. Q.Wang)
- WTA qualifying debut came at 2012 Palermo
- Made debut on ITF Circuit in 2010; owns seven ITF Circuit singles titles and five in doubles
- In 2021, reached the QF or better on seven occasions, including at the Australian Open
- Broke into Top 20 on November 1, 2021
- Began 2020 with runner-up finish at Auckland (l. S.Williams), other standout results were a QF at Western & Southern Open (as qualifier, l. Mertens) and a 3r showing at US Open (l. Kvitova)
- On the doubles court in 2020, reached QFs of Roland Garros (w/Muhammad) and Cincinnati (w/Rogers)
- Won her first WTA title at 2019 Washington DC (d. Giorgi in F) to reach a career high ranking of No.55 (August 5, 2019)
- Also in 2019, fell 1r on main draw debut at Roland Garros (l. eventual champion Barty) and Wimbledon (l. Buzarnescu) and Miami (as a qualifier, l. Konta)
- Broke into Top 100 for the first time on February 4, 2019 following back-to-back R-Up finishes at WTA 125K Series event at Newport Beach and \$100K ITF/Midland-MI, USA
- Highlights of 2018 included finishing runner-up as a qualifier at Quebec City (l. Parmentier in F), recording SF finish at Houston WTA 125K (l. S.Peng) and reaching QF or better at 10 ITF events
- Won doubles title w/Manasse at 2018 Houston 125K (d. Krawczyk/Olmos in F)
- Did not play between January and August 2017 after undergoing hip surgery. Primarily played at ITF events for the rest of the year, winning two doubles titles with Townsend
- Played a mixture of WTA and ITF Circuit events in 2016 with highlight coming at Washington DC, where she defeated No.14 Stosur for first Top 20 win of career on her way to a SF finish (l. Davis)
- Reached 2r on Grand Slam main draw debut at 2015 US Open (as qualifier, d. Van Uytvanck, l. Cibulkova)
- Sidelined from tennis for a year and a half between 2013 and 2015 due to a right knee injury
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2009 Ponte Vedra Beach and WTA main draw debut at 2012 Indian Wells

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Tom Hill
- Parents are Konstantinos and Angeliki; brother is Yannis (studies at Boston University) and sister is Amanda. Introduced to tennis by parents at age 6; mother played on WTA; achieved a Top 50 singles ranking
- Born and raised in Athens; moved to Barcelona at age 18 to train
- Favorite surfaces are hard and clay; favorite shot is serve
- Tennis idols are Serena Williams, Rafael Nadal and Roger Federer
- During free time enjoys going back to Greece and seeing friends.

- Coached by David Witt, formerly with Michael Joyce
- Parents are Terrence (works in oil and gas) and Kim (business owner); brothers are Michael and Matthew, sisters are Laura and Kelly; also has three pets - Laura played Division I college tennis at the University of Pittsburgh
- Introduced to tennis by family at age 7
- Nickname is JP
- Favorite shot is backhand down the line; favorite tournament is the US Open
- Tennis idol was Martina Hingis
- One word to describe her would be "Determined"
- Owns her own skincare company called 'Ready 24'
- Also enjoys golf, sports, and design
- Passionate about new charity with her fiancé called A Lending Paw