



PREVIEW NOTES

MUTUA MADRID OPEN
MADRID, SPAIN

April 25-May 7, 2023 | WTA 1000 | €7,705,780



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MUTUA MADRID OPEN – QUICK FACTS

Main draw dates: Tuesday, April 25 – Sunday, May 7, 2023
Singles Final: Saturday, May 6, Not Before 6:30pm
Doubles Final: Sunday, May 7, 3:30pm
Venue: Caja Magica
Status: WTA 1000
Staging: 14th year
Draw sizes: 96 singles / 32 doubles teams / 48 singles qualifying
Surface: Red Clay / Outdoors
Tennis Ball: Dunlop Fort Clay Court
2022 Singles Final: [8] Ons Jabeur (TUN) d. [12] Jessica Pegula (USA) 7-5 0-6 6-2
2022 Doubles Final: [3] D.Krawczyk/D.Schuurs (USA/NED) d. [1] S.Sanders/S.Zhang (AUS/CHN) 7-5 7-6(5)

SINGLES	€	RANK POINTS
Winner	1,105,265	1000
Runner-Up	580,000	650
Semifinalist	308,790	390
Quarterfinalist	161,525	215
Round of 16	84,900	120
Round of 32	48,835	65
Round of 64	27,045	35
Round of 96	16,340	10

TOURNAMENT TALKING POINTS

Wildcards: Elina Svitolina (UKR), Alexandra Eala (PHI), Rebeka Masarova (ESP), Marina Bassols Ribera (ESP), Victoria Jiménez Kasintseva (AND), Brenda Fruhvirtova (CZE), Camila Osorio (COL), Mirra Andreeva

Youngest singles player: Mirra Andreeva (15)

Oldest singles player: Kaia Kanepi (37)

- The Hologic WTA Tour returns to Madrid including all Top 10 players. Topping the draw is World No.1 **Iga Swiatek** coming off a defending title run in Stuttgart last week. The Polish player has won 22 of her last 23 matches on clay and is only making her second appearance at Caja Magica after withdrawing last year. The 2022 Roland Garros and US Open champion will start her campaign after a first round bye against 2021 US Open champion, **Emma Raducanu** or a qualifier.
- The 2022 Madrid champion, **Ons Jabeur** will return to defend the biggest title of her career. She already has a title on clay this year at Charleston but had to withdraw from her semifinal match in Stuttgart with a calf injury.
- Other former champions in the draw include 2021 champion, **Aryna Sabalenka** and three-time champion, **Petra Kvitova** who won in 2011, 2015 and 2018.



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- The tournament this week will also see some veteran players returning including 2019 Madrid doubles champion, **Barbora Strycova** playing her first match since 2021 Australian Open and since welcoming her first child in 2021. New mother, **Elina Svitolina**, will also be looking for her first WTA main draw win since returning to the Tour from maternity leave a few weeks ago.
- First round matches to watch include hard hitters **Kaia Kanepi** vs. **Shelby Rogers** and former Top 20 players **Anett Kontaveit** vs. **Karolina Muchova**.
- *One to watch* – **Mayar Sherif** won her first WTA title on clay last year at Parma defeating World No.7 Maria Sakkari in the final for her first career Top 10 win. She won an additional three WTA 125K titles on clay courts in 2022 at Marbella, ESP, Karlsruhe, GER and Colina, CHI. The Egyptian will look to get back to form as she makes her Madrid main draw debut on her favored surface after falling in the first round of her last three tournaments.

TOP 8 SEEDS' TOURNAMENT HISTORY*

PLAYER	TOURNAMENT HISTORY	W/L	WIN %
[1] Iga Swiatek (POL)	3r (1): 2021 (l. Barty)	2-1	.667
[2] Aryna Sabalenka	WON (1): 2021 (d. Barty in F) 1r (3): 2018 (as qualifier, l. Pera), 2019 (l. Kuznetsova), 2022 (l. Anisimova)	6-3	.667
[3] Jessica Pegula (USA)	R-Up (1): 2022 (l. Jabeur) 3r (1): 2021 (l. Sabalenka)	6-2	.750
[4] Ons Jabeur (TUN)	WON (1): 2022 (d. Pegula in F) 3r (1): 2021 (l. Bencic via ret.)	8-1	.889
[5] Caroline Garcia (FRA)	SF (1): 2018 (l. Bertens) QF (1): 2014 (as qualifier, l. Radwanska) 3r (2): 2019 (l. Kvitova), 2015 (l. Sharapova) 2r (1): 2016 (l. Cibulkova) 1r (1): 2017 (l. Q.Wang)	12-6	.667
[6] Coco Gauff (USA)	3r (1): 2022 (l. Halep) 1r (1): 2021 (l. Ka.Pliskova)	2-2	.500
[7] Elena Rybakina (KAZ)	3r (1): 2022 (l. Teichmann) 2r (1): 2021 (l. Mertens)	3-2	.600
[8] Daria Kasatkina	QF (1): 2018 (l. Kvitova) 3r (1): 2022 (l. Sorribes Tormo) 2r (1): 2021 (l. Sabalenka) 1r (3): 2019 (l. Azarenka), 2017 (l. Vinci), 2016 (l. Tig)	6-6	.500

*Main draw matches only



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TOURNAMENT HONOR ROLL

This is the 14th year of the WTA tournament at Madrid. Here are some facts and figures since 2009:

Youngest champion	2011, Petra Kvitova (21 years, 2 months)
Oldest champion	2013, Serena Williams (31 years, 7 months)
Lowest ranked champion	2010, Aravane Rezaï (No.22)
Last champion ranked outside Top 10	2011, Petra Kvitova (No.19)
Last 3-Set final	2022, Ons Jabeur d. Jessica Pegula 7-5 0-6 6-2
Most singles titles	Petra Kvitova: 3 (2011, 2015, 2018)
Previous champions in field	Petra Kvitova (2011, 2015, 2018), Aryna Sabalenka (2021), Ons Jabeur (2022)

- Nine different players have won the singles title at Madrid. Simona Halep (2016-17), Petra Kvitova (2011, 2015, 2018) and Serena Williams (2012-13) are the only multiple winners.
- The title has been won twice by the current WTA No.1 (Dinara Safina in 2009 and Serena Williams in 2013) and two other times by a player who has at one point in their career held the No.1 ranking (Maria Sharapova and Simona Halep).
- The final has featured the Top 2 seeds only once – in 2013 No.1 seed Serena Williams defeated No.2 seed Maria Sharapova.

YEAR	CHAMPION	RUNNER-UP	SCORE	DOUBLES CHAMPIONS
2009	Dinara Safina (#1)	Caroline Wozniacki (DEN #11)	6-2 6-4	Black/Huber
2010	Aravane Rezaï (FRA #22)	Venus Williams (USA #4)	6-2 7-5	S.Williams/V.Williams
2011	Petra Kvitova (CZE #19)	Victoria Azarenka (#5)	7-6 (3) 6-4	Kirilenko/Azarenka
2012	Serena Williams (USA #9)	Victoria Azarenka (#1)	6-1 6-3	Vinci/Errani
2013	Serena Williams (USA #1)	Maria Sharapova (#2)	6-1 6-4	Safarova/Pavlyuchenkova
2014	Maria Sharapova (#9)	Simona Halep (ROU #5)	1-6 6-2 6-3	Vinci/Errani
2015	Petra Kvitova (CZE #4)	Svetlana Kuznetsova (#29)	6-1 6-2	Dellacqua/Shvedova
2016	Simona Halep (ROU #7)	Dominika Cibulkova (SVK #38)	6-2 6-4	Garcia/Mladenovic
2017	Simona Halep (ROU #8)	Kristina Mladenovic (FRA #17)	7-5 6-7(5) 6-2	L.Chan/Hingis
2018	Petra Kvitova (CZE #10)	Kiki Bertens (NED #20)	7-6(6) 4-6 6-3	Makarova/Vesnina
2019	Kiki Bertens (NED #7)	Simona Halep (ROU #3)	6-4 6-4	S.Hsieh/B.Strycova
2020	Tournament not held			
2021	Aryna Sabalenka (#7)	Ashleigh Barty (AUS #1)	6-0 3-6 6-4	B.Krejciikova/K.Siniakova
2022	Ons Jabeur (TUN #10)	Jessica Pegula (USA #14)	7-5 0-6 6-2	D.Krawczyk/D.Schuurs



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COUNTRY & REGION BREAKDOWN

Excluding qualifiers, a total of 28 countries and regions are represented in the main draw led by the United States with 12 players:

Andorra (1)	Victoria Jiménez Kasintseva
Argentina (1)	Nadia Podoroska
Belgium (2)	Elise Mertens, Maryna Zanevska
Brazil (1)	Beatriz Haddad Maia
Canada (3)	Bianca Andreescu, Leylah Fernandez, Rebecca Marino
China (4)	Wang Xinyu, Wang Xiyu, Zheng Qinwen, Zhu Lin
Colombia (1)	Camila Osorio
Croatia (2)	Petra Martić, Donna Vekić
Czech Republic (7)	Marie Bouzková, Brenda Fruhvirtová, Linda Fruhvirtová, Barbora Krejčíková, Petra Kvitová, Karolína Muchová, Barbora Strýcová
Egypt (1)	Mayar Sherif
Estonia (2)	Kaia Kanepi, Anett Kontaveit
France (2)	Alizé Cornet, Caroline Garcia
Germany (2)	Tatjana Maria, Jule Niemeier
Great Britain (1)	Emma Raducanu
Greece (1)	Maria Sakkari
Hungary (2)	Anna Bondar, Dalma Gálfi
Italy (5)	Lucia Bronzetti, Elisabetta Cocciaretto, Camila Giorgi, Jasmine Paolini, Martina Trevisan
Kazakhstan (2)	Yulia Putintseva, Elena Rybakina
Latvia (1)	Jelena Ostapenko
Montenegro (1)	Danka Kovinić
Philippines (1)	Alexandra Eala
Poland (2)	Magda Linette, Iga Świątek
Romania (4)	Irina-Camelia Begu, Ana Bogdan, Sorana Cîrstea, Jaqueline Cristian
Spain (4)	Paula Badosa, Cristina Bucsa, Marina Bassols Ribera, Rebeka Masarova
Switzerland (1)	Jil Teichmann
Tunisia (1)	Ons Jabeur
Ukraine (4)	Anhelina Kalinina, Marta Kostyuk, Elina Svitolina, Lesia Tsurenko
United States (12)	Amanda Anisimova, Lauren Davis, Coco Gauff, Sofia Kenin, Claire Liu, Caty McNally, Alycia Parks, Jessica Pegula, Bernarda Pera, Shelby Rogers, Sloane Stephens, Katie Volynets
	Ekaterina Alexandrova, Mirra Andreeva, Victoria Azarenka, Anna Blinkova, Varvara Gracheva, Anna Kalinskaya, Daria Kasatkina, Veronika Kudermetova, Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova, Anastasia Potapova, Aryna Sabalenka, Liudmila Samsonova, Aliaksandra Sasnovich



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A SNAPSHOT OF 2023 SO FAR

- **Top-10 debuts (1):** Elena Rybakina (January 30)
- **Match wins leaders:** Aryna Sabalenka (23-4), Elena Rybakina (22-6), Jessica Pegula (22-7)
- **Aces leaders:** Elena Rybakina (236), Caroline Garcia (193), Aryna Sabalenka (176), Zheng Qinwen (130)
- **Most aces in a match (20):** Veronika Kudermetova (d. Victoria Azarenka at Adelaide 2)
- **Most singles titles (2):** Aryna Sabalenka (Adelaide 1, Australian Open), Belinda Bencic (Adelaide 2, Abu Dhabi), Iga Swiatek (Doha, Stuttgart)
- **Fewest games dropped en route to a title (5):** Iga Swiatek (Doha)
- **Lowest-ranked title winner (No.84):** Lauren Davis (Hobart)
- **Youngest title winner (18):** Coco Gauff (Auckland)
- **Oldest title winner (33):** Petra Kvitova (Miami)
- **Most doubles titles (2):** Coco Gauff (Doha, Miami), Desirae Krawczyk (Charleston, Stuttgart), Barbora Krejčíková (Australian Open, Indian Wells), Jessica Pegula (Doha, Miami) Luisa Stefani (Adelaide 2, Abu Dhabi), Katerina Siniakova (Australian Open, Indian Wells), Taylor Townsend (Adelaide 1, Adelaide 2)
- **Longest Match (3h 32m):** Camila Giorgi d. Kaia Kanepi 7-6(4) 6-7(4) 7-6(4) (Miami); Erika Andrejeva d. Harriet Dart 7-6(4) 3-6 7-6(3) (Austin)

2023 WTA TOUR FINALS

Week of	Level	Tournament	Singles Final	Doubles Final
January 2	WTA 500 WTA 250	Adelaide 1 Auckland Open	[2] A. Sabalenka d [Q] L. Noskova 63 76(4) [1] C. Gauff d [Q] R. Masarova 61 61	[6] A. Muhammad/T. Townsend d [1] S. Hunter/K. Siniakova 62 76(2) [2] M. Kato/A. Sutjiadi d L. Fernandez/B. Mattek-Sands 16 75 10-4
January 9	WTA 500 WTA 250	Adelaide 2 Hobart	[8] B. Bencic d [5] D. Kasatkina 60 62 [Q] L. Davis d E. Cocciaretto 76(0) 62	L. Stefani/T. Townsend d A. Pavlyuchenkova/E. Rybakina 75 76(3) [1] K. Flipkens/L. Siegemund d V. Golubic/P. Udvardy 64 75
January 16	GS	Australian Open	[5] A. Sabalenka d [22] E. Rybakina 46 63 64	[1] B. Krejčíková/K. Siniakova d [10] S. Aoyama/E. Shibahara 64 63
January 30	WTA 250 WTA 250	Hua Hin Lyon	L. Zhu d L. Tsurenko 64 64 A. Parks d [1] C. Garcia 76(7) 75	H. Chan/F. Wu d X. Wang/L. Zhu 61 76(6) C. Bucsa/B. Schoofs d O. Danilovic/A. Panova 76(5) 63
February 6	WTA 500 WTA 250	Abu Dhabi Linz	[2] B. Bencic d [8] L. Samsonova 16 76(8) 64 [8] A. Potapova d [6] P. Martić 63 61	L. Stefani/S. Zhang d S. Aoyama/H. Chan 36 62 10-8 N. Dzalamidze/V. Kuzmova d A. Friedsam/N. Kichenok 46 75 12-10
February 13	WTA 500	Doha	[1] I. Swiatek d [2] J. Pegula 6-3 6-0	[1] C. Gauff/J. Pegula d L. Kichenok/J. Ostapenko 6-4 2-6 10-7
February 20	WTA 1000 WTA 250	Dubai Merida	B. Krejčíková d [1] I. Swiatek 6-4 6-2 C. Giorgi d [Q] R. Peterson 7-6(3) 1-6 6-2	V. Kudermetova/L. Samsonova d H. Chan/L. Chan 6-4 6-7(4) 10-1 C. McNally/D. Parry d X. Wang/F. Wu 6-0 7-5
February 27	WTA 250 WTA 250	Austin Monterrey	[8] M. Kostyuk d V. Gracheva 6-3 7-5 [3] D. Vekić d [1] C. Garcia 6-4 3-6 7-5	[2] E. Routliffe/A. Sutjiadi d [1] N. Melichar-Martinez/E. Perez 6-4 3-6 10-8 Y. Lizarazo/M. Garcia d [WC] K. Birrell/F. Contreras Gómez 6-3 5-7 10-5
March 6	WTA 1000	Indian Wells	[10] E. Rybakina d [2] A. Sabalenka 7-6(11) 6-4	[1] B. Krejčíková/K. Siniakova d B. Haddad Maia/L. Siegemund 6-1 6-7(3) 10-7
March 20	WTA 1000	Miami	[15] P. Kvitova d [10] E. Rybakina 7-6(14) 6-2	[2] C. Gauff/J. Pegula d L. Fernandez/T. Townsend 7-6(6) 6-2
April 3	WTA 500 WTA 250	Charleston Bogotá	[2] O. Jabeur d [4] B. Bencic 7-6(6) 6-4 [2] T. Maria d P. Stearns 6-3 2-6 6-4	D. Collins/D. Krawczyk d [1] G. Olmos/E. Shibahara 0-6 6-4 14-12 I. Khromacheva/I. Shymanovich d O. Kalshnikova/K. Piter 6-1 3-6 10-6
April 17	WTA 500	Stuttgart	[1] I. Swiatek d [2] A. Sabalenka 6-3 6-4	[2] D. Krawczyk/D. Schuurs d [3] N. Melichar-Martinez/G. Olmos 6-4 6-1