



PREVIEW NOTES

ABIERTO GNP SEGUROS
MONTERREY, MEXICO

FEBRUARY 27–MARCH 5, 2023 | WTA 250 | \$259,303



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ABIERTO GNP SEGUROS – QUICK FACTS

Main draw dates: Monday, February 27 – Sunday, March 5, 2023
Singles Final: Sunday, March 5, Not Before 4:30pm
Doubles Final: Sunday, March 5, 2pm (TBC)
Venue: Club Sonoma
Status: WTA 250
Staging: Tournament's 15th year
Draw sizes: 32 singles / 16 doubles teams / 24 singles qualifying
Surface: Hard (DecoTurf) / Outdoors
Tennis Ball: Dunlop Australian Open
2022 Singles Final: [2] Leylah Fernandez d. [5] Camila Osorio 6-7(5) 6-4 7-6(3)
2022 Doubles Final: Catherine Harrison/Sabrina Santamaria d. Han Xinyu/Yana Sizikova 1-6 7-5 10-6

SINGLES	\$	RANK POINTS
Winner	34,228	280
Runner-Up	20,226	180
Semifinalist	11,276	110
Quarterfinalist	6,418	60
Round of 16	3,920	30
Round of 32	2,804	1

MAIN DRAW QUICK-HITS

Wildcards: Marie Bouzkova, Fernanda Contreras Gómez, Emma Navarro

Youngest singles player: Diana Shnaider (18)

Oldest singles player: Tatjana Maria (35)

- The 15th edition of the tournament features six of the Top 50, including 2015 runner-up and World No.5 **Caroline Garcia**
- The draw paired Garcia with **Kaja Juvan** in the first round, while No.2 seed **Marie Bouzkova** takes on **Anna Karolina Schmiedlova**. **Donna Vekic**, the No.3 seed, will play a qualifier, while No.4 seed **Elise Mertens** meets teenager **Diana Shnaider**
- Like Garcia, Bouzkova is a former Monterrey finalist, while last year's runner-up **Camila Osorio**, who held five championship points against Leylah Fernandez, is also in the field
- *One to Watch* – **Diana Shnaider**. In the past 12 months, Shnaider has risen over 700 places in the WTA rankings to her current career-high position of No.90. In this time, the 18-year-old has won 58 matches across all levels and arrives in Mexico looking to build on her impressive run through qualifying to the second round at the Australian Open, where she stretched No.6 seed Maria Sakkari to three sets



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TOP 4 SEEDS' TOURNAMENT HISTORY*

PLAYER	TOURNAMENT HISTORY	W/L	WIN %
[1] Caroline Garcia (FRA)	R-Up (1): 2015 (l. Bacsinszky) SF (2): 2016 (l. Watson), 2017 (l. Pavlyuchenkova)	10-3	.769
[2] Marie Bouzkova (CZE)	R-Up (1): 2020 (l. Svitolina) QF (1): 2022 (l. Haddad Maia) 1r (1): 2018 (as qualifier, l. Babos)	6-3	.667
[3] Donna Vekic (CRO)	2r (3): 2013 (l. U.Radwanska), 2014 (l. Ka.Pliskova), 2017 (l. Cornet)	3-3	.500
[4] Elise Mertens (BEL)	Tournament debut	-	-

**Main draw matches only*

COUNTRY & REGION BREAKDOWN

Not including qualifiers, a total of 17 countries and regions are represented in the main draw led by China and Italy with three players each:

Belgium (2)	Ysaline Bonaventure, Elise Mertens
Canada (1)	Rebecca Marino
China (3)	Wang Xinyu, Wang Xiyu, Zhu Lin
Colombia (1)	Camila Osorio
Croatia (1)	Donna Vekic
Czech Republic (2)	Marie Bouzkova, Katerina Siniakova
Egypt (1)	Mayar Sherif
France (2)	Caroline Garcia, Leolia Jeanjean
Germany (2)	Tatjana Maria, Jule Niemeier
Hungary (1)	Anna Bondar
Italy (3)	Lucia Bronzetti, Elisabetta Cocciaretto, Camila Giorgi
Mexico (1)	Fernanda Contreras Gómez
Slovakia (1)	Anna Karolina Schmiedlova
Slovenia (1)	Kaja Juvan
Spain (1)	Nuria Párrizas Díaz
Sweden (1)	Rebecca Peterson
United States (1)	Emma Navarro
	Diana Shnaider



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A SNAPSHOT OF 2023 SO FAR

- **Top-10 debuts (1):** Elena Rybakina (January 30)
- **Match wins leaders:** Belinda Bencic (15-3), Aryna Sabalenka (13-1), Jessica Pegula (13-4), Iga Swiatek (12-3)
- **Aces leaders:** Elena Rybakina (116), Caroline Garcia (103), Aryna Sabalenka (102), Zheng Qinwen (93)
- **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)
- **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 (29):** Lauren Davis (Hobart)
- **Longest Match (3h 29m):** Sorana Cirstea d. Beatriz Haddad Maia 4-6 7-6(7) 7-5 (Dubai)

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] Muhammad/Townsend d [1] Hunter/Siniakova 62 76(2) [2] Kato/Sutjiadi d Fernandez/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. Cocciareto 76(0) 62	Stefani/Townsend d Pavlyuchenkova/Rybakina 75 76(3) [1] Flipkens/Siegemund d. Golubic/Udvardy 64 75
January 16	GS	Australian Open	[5] A. Sabalenka d [22] E. Rybakina 46 63 64	[1] Krejckova/Siniakova d [10] Aoyama/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. Martic 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. Krejckova d. [1] I. Swiatek 6-4 6-2 C. Giorgi vs. [Q] R. Peterson	V. Kudermetova/L. Samsonova d. H. Chan/L. Chan 6-4 6-7(4) 10-1 C. McNally/D. Parry vs. X. Wang/F. Wu