



# MATCH NOTES

## Porsche Tennis Grand Prix STUTTGART, GERMANY

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### MATCH NOTES – QUARTERFINALS – SATURDAY, APRIL 19

#### **Ekaterina Alexandrova (#22) vs. [3] Jessica Pegula (USA #3)**

**Tied 2-2**

*The pair are facing each other for the third time this season, with Alexandrova taking the win in Doha quarterfinals, and Pegula winning their most recent encounter in Charleston semifinals*

##### **Alexandrova:**

- Making fifth main draw appearance where she is into QF for a second time also doing so in 2021
- Holds 4-2 record over Top 10 players this year; upset of No.7 Mirra Andreeva in 2r was 18th career Top 10 win
- Since start of 2024 season, has gone 8-1 in QF matches (3-0 this year)
- Has already reached SF on clay at Charleston this year; last year won only one match on the surface
- With a win, would tie best career result on clay with fourth SF appearance

##### **Pegula:**

- Making debut appearance in Stuttgart where she is into sixth QF of the year
- Won her 2r match in just under an hour; has now won 11 of her last 12 matches finishing R-Up in Miami and winning title in Charleston
- Has gone 4-1 in QF matches this year with sole loss coming to today's opponent at Doha
- Won both of their previous meetings on clay including a tight three-setter in the Charleston SFs earlier this year
- Leads the Tour with 26 matches won in 2025

#### **Jelena Ostapenko (LAT #24) v. [2] Iga Swiatek (POL #2)**

**Ostapenko leads 5-0**

##### **Ostapenko:**

- Her best result at WTA-500 events was title run at Linz 2024 (d. Alexandrova in F) and Eastbourne 2021 (d. Kontaveit in F)
- Has beaten Dayana Yastremska (via retirement) and Emma Navarro to reach her 2nd QF of 2025 season after Doha (en route to R-Up)
- Owns 22 wins in career over Top 10 players with 2 of them coming in 2025 - defeating No.2 Iga Swiatek and No.4 Jasmine Paolini at Doha 2025 en route to final
- Best career result on clay was title run at 2017 Roland Garros, also reached the final at 2017 Charleston (l. Kasatkina)
- Has defeated today's opponent Swiatek in all their 5 previous meetings

##### **Swiatek:**

- The two-time champion in 2023 and 2022 has beaten Jana Fett to reach her 7th QF of 2025 season
- Owns 17-2 record against opponents outside Top 20 this season, with the only two losses coming against No. 140 Eala at Miami and No. 37 Ostapenko at Doha



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- Looking to end her losing 0-5 streak to today's opponent Ostapenko in their first meeting on clay today
- Owns ten clay court titles: Roland Garros, Rome, Madrid in 2024; Roland Garros, Stuttgart in 2023; Roland Garros, Rome, Stuttgart in 2022; Rome in 2021; Roland Garros in 2020
- Has won 22 matches so far in 2025, behind only Pegula (26) and Sabalenka (23)

### [1] Aryna Sabalenka (#1) vs. Elise Mertens (BEL #29)

**Sabalenka leads 8-2**

#### ***Sabalenka:***

- Making fifth appearance as a three-time finalist finishing R-Up in 2021, 2022 and 2023
- With a 1r bye, and a walkover against Potapova, she will be playing her first match at Stuttgart this week
- Has gone 11-2 against players outside the Top 20 this year with losses to No.26 Ekaterina Alexandrova at Doha and No.38 Clara Tauson at Dubai
- Won 11 of her last 12 matches reaching the final at both Indian Wells (l. Andreieva) and Miami (d. Pegula)
- Holds 4-0 record in QF matches this year and has gone on to reach the final each time she has reached the final eight
- Has won last seven matches against today's opponent, last loss came at 2018 Montreal

#### ***Mertens:***

- Making third appearance at Stuttgart where she is into QF for the first time
- Is into third QF of the season; has also reached the final every time she has advanced to this stage so far this year
- Beat No.13 Diana Shnaider in 2r for first Top 20 win of the year
- Playing a World No.1 for the fourth time in career looking for her first win
- Most recent Top 10 win was over No.3 Jessica Pegula at 2023 Roland Garros

### [4] Coco Gauff (USA #4) v. [5] Jasmine Paolini (ITA #6)

**Gauff leads 2-0**

#### ***Gauff:***

- Making fourth appearance at Stuttgart, reaching 3<sup>rd</sup> QF of 2025 season equalling her previous best result of QF run 2024 (l. Kostyuk) at Stuttgart
- Best result at a WTA-500 event was title run at Washington DC 2023 (d. Sakkari in F)
- Owns 24 wins in career over Top 10 players with record in 2025 at 1-0, having defeated No.2 Iga Swiatek in final at United Cup 2025
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 24-17 and a 1-1 record in 2025
- Has won one title on clay at 2021 Parma; also finished R-Up at Roland Garros in 2022 (l. Swiatek)

#### ***Paolini:***

- Making 2nd appearance at Stuttgart, where her previous result was reaching QF in 2024 (l. eventual champion Rybakina) on tournament debut
- Has beaten Eva Lys and Jule Niemeier to reach her third QF of 2025 season, after Miami (en route to SF) and United Cup (l. Muchova)
- Looking to her first Top-10 win of 2025 season, having failed in her previous meeting with such opponents in 2025 (l. No. 1 Sabalenka at Miami)
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 13-12 (1-1 in 2025)

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JESSICA  
(3) PEGULA 3  
UNITED STATES OF  
AMERICA

1994-11-15	Date of Birth	1994-02-24
Prague, Czech Republic	Residence	Boca Raton, FL, USA
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 9" (1.75m)	Height	5' 7" (1.70m)
15	Career-High Ranking	3
\$7,650,274	Career Prize Money	\$17,917,964
\$661,911	Season Prize Money	\$1,347,913
1 / 5	Singles Titles YTD / Career	2 / 8
30-31 (Round of 16: 2023 WIMBLEDON)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	49-24 (Runner-Up: 2024 US OPEN)
2-0 / 5-4 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025, 2021)	YTD / Career STUTTGART W-L (best)	1-0 / 1-0 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025)
14-8 / 197-156	YTD / Career W-L	26-6 / 233-114



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2025	CHARLESTON	CLAY	SF	Jessica Pegula	6-2 2-6 7-5	2h 20m
2025	DOHA	HARD	QF	Ekaterina Alexandrova	4-6 6-1 6-1	1h 42m
2024	MIAMI	HARD	QF	Ekaterina Alexandrova	3-6 6-4 6-4	1h 58m
2021	ROME	CLAY	3r	Jessica Pegula	6-2 6-4	1h 12m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
15	28	2024	3	7
16	21	2023	3	5
19	19	2022	3	3
30	33	2021	18	18
25	33	2020	59	62
35	35	2019	55	76
73	93	2018	124	125
69	73	2017	165	632
132	133	2016	135	165
228	269	2015	150	151

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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. M. ANDREEVA (#7) 6-3 6-2 (1h 5m)  
1r: d. L. SAMSONOVA (#19) 6-3 6-3 (1h 16m)

*Total time on court: 2h 21m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making fifth main draw appearance at Stuttgart, where she is into QF for a second time also doing so in 2021 (l. Halep)
- Has beaten Liudmila Samsonova and No.7 seed Mirra Andreeva so far this week to reach her fourth QF of the year and second already on clay after advancing to SF at Charleston (l. Pegula)
- Faces No.3 Jessica Pegula in QF today; owns 18 wins in career over Top 10 players with 4-2 record so far this year
- Last three of the four encounters between today's opponents went to three sets, most recently at 2025 Charleston semifinal
- Owns 28-22 career record against players from United States, with record in 2025 standing at 2-3
- Since start of 2024 season, has gone 8-1 in QF matches (3-0 this year) with sole loss at 2024 Wuhan (l. Xinyu Wang)
- Best career result on clay are SF runs at Charleston in 2025 and 2022 as well as 2022 Madrid
- Is currently ranked No.22; this time last year was ranked No.16
- During last year's clay swing reached, won only one match reaching 2r at Strasbourg, dropped opening match at Charleston, Stuttgart, Madrid, Rome, Roland Garros and Paris Olympics

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. M. FRECH (#28) 6-1 6-1 (59m)

*Total time on court: 59m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making debut appearance at Stuttgart
- After 1r bye, beat Magdalena Frech in 59 minutes to reach sixth QF of the year
- Faces No.22 Ekaterina Alexandrova in QF today; has gone 25-3 against players outside the Top 20 this year with 11 straight wins, most recent loss came to No.23 Elina Svitolina at Indian Wells
- Has gone 4-1 in QF matches this year with sole loss coming to today's opponent at Doha
- Earned first career title on clay earlier this year at Charleston (d. Kenin in F); also reached Madrid final in 2022 (l. Jabeur)
- On her way to the Charleston title, defeated today's opponent in the SF, a win she secured following a three set and a 2:20h battle
- One of two players from United States to reach QF
- The most recent American to win the Porsche Tennis Grand Prix title is Lindsay Davenport in 2005 when it was held in Filderstadt; no American has won this title yet on the clay of Stuttgart
- Last time two players from United States reached QF at Stuttgart was 2004
- Leads the Tour with 26 matches won so far in 2025
- Is currently ranked No.3 as the No.1 American; this time last year was ranked No.5
- Currently sits at No.5 on the PIF Race to the WTA Finals leaderboard

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2024	Result	Rank: 16	Seed: -
1r	L	O. JABEUR (#9) 2-6 6-3 7-6(1)	
2023	Result	Rank: 18	Seed: -
1r	L	D. VEKIC (#23) 7-6(7) 7-6(5)	
2022	Result	Rank: 39	Seed: -
2r	L	A. KONTAVEIT (#6) 2-6 6-3 7-6(5)	
1r	W	S. ZHANG (#40) 7-6(5) 7-6(6)	
2021	Result	Rank: 34	Seed: -
QF	L	S. HALEP (#3) 6-1 6-4	
2r	W	B. BENCIC (#12) 6-1 7-5	
1r	W	K. MUCHOVA (#22) 4-6 6-2 6-3	

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Reached SF at Charleston (l. eventual champion Pegula)
- Played 2r at Miami (l. Linette)
- Made 2r at Indian Wells (l. Kudermetova)
- Played 1r at Dubai (l. V. Kudermetova)
- Reached SF at Doha (l. eventual champion Anisimova)
- Champion run at Linz (d. Yastremska in F)
- Played 1r at Australian Open (l. Raducanu)
- Opened 2025 with 2r at Brisbane (l. Jabeur) and also made 2r at Adelaide (l. Navarro)

- Won at Charleston (d. Kenin in F)
- R-Up finish at Miami (l. Sabalenka in F)
- Reached 4r at Indian Wells (l. Svitolina)
- Won at Austin (d. Kessler in F)
- Reached R16 at Dubai (l. Noskova)
- Made QF at Doha (l. Alexandrova)
- Reached 3r at Australian Open (l. Danilovic)
- Opened 2025 with a R-Up finish at Adelaide (l. Keys in F)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
94	9	Aces	75	15
63.3%	28	First serve %	63.8%	23
67.9%	15	First Serve points won %	67.0%	20
43.9%	59	Second serve points won %	52.0%	5
59.1%	20	Overall service points won %	61.6%	6
70.2%	24	Service games won %	73.9%	9
63.7%	4	Break points saved %	58.7%	20
38.9%	18	First serve return points won %	40.5%	8
54.7%	42	Second serve return points won %	55.2%	33
44.9%	42	Break points converted %	46.6%	31
35.9%	30	Return games won %	40.2%	10
45.1%	17	Return points won %	46.0%	12

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## TITLES

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (5)

2025 - LINZ

2023 - 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH

2022 - SEOUL, 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH

2020 - SHENZHEN

Runner-Up (4)

2024 - LINZ

2023 - CLEVELAND

2021 - MOSCOW

2018 - LINZ

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (1)

2019 - BUDAPEST (w/Zvonareva)

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (8)

2025 - CHARLESTON, AUSTIN

2024 - TORONTO, BERLIN

2023 - SEOUL, MONTREAL

2022 - GUADALAJARA

2019 - WASHINGTON DC

Runner-Up (11)

2025 - MIAMI, ADELAIDE

2024 - US OPEN, CINCINNATI

2023 - WTA FINALS, TOKYO, DOHA, UNITED CUP

2022 - MADRID

2020 - AUCKLAND

2018 - QUEBEC CITY

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (7)

2023 - MIAMI (w/Gauff), DOHA (w/Gauff)

2022 - SAN DIEGO (w/Gauff), TORONTO (w/Gauff),

WASHINGTON DC (w/Routliffe), DOHA (w/Gauff),

MELBOURNE 250 #1 (w/Muhammad)

Runner-Up (5)

2024 - WUHAN (w/Muhammad), SAN DIEGO  
(w/Krawczyk)

2023 - ROME (w/Gauff), MADRID (w/Gauff)

2022 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Gauff)





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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
1r				2025	3r			
1r	1r		3r	2024	2r		2r	RUP
3r	3r	4r	3r	2023	QF	3r	QF	4r
1r	2r		2r	2022	QF	QF	3r	QF
3r	2r	2r	2r	2021	QF	3r	2r	3r
3r	3r		2r	2020	1r	1r		3r
1r	3r	1r	2r	2019		1r	1r	1r
2r	1r	1r	1r	2018				
1r	2r	1r	2r	2017				
		2r		2016				1r
				2015				2r

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## CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2024, highlights included reaching the final at Linz (l. Ostapenko in Final) and semifinals at Adelaide (l. eventual champion Ostapenko), Miami (l. eventual champion Collins), 's-Hertogenbosch (l. eventual champion Samsonova) and Monterrey (l. Sun); also made quarterfinals at Wuhan (l. Xin. Wang) and her best Grand Slam result of the season came during a 3r run at US Open (l. eventual champion Sabalenka)
- In 2023, won fourth career singles title at 's-Hertogenbosch, successfully defending the title and defeating top seed, Kudermetova in the final. A run of successful results followed with SF at Berlin (l. eventual champion, Kvitova), 4r at Wimbledon (l. Sabalenka) - a career best result at any of the majors and runner-up at Cleveland (l. Sorribes Tormo).
- Reached a 2023 peak ranking of No. 16 on February 20, 2023 following a 3r finish at Australian Open (l. Linette), before posting two QF results at Miami (l. eventual champion Kvitova) and Charleston (l. Bencic). Another QF then came in the Asian Swing at Tokyo (l. Pavlyuchenkova).
- In 2022, won titles at 's-Hertogenbosch (d. Sabalenka in F) and Seoul (d. Ostapenko in F). Also advanced to SF at Charleston, Madrid and Ostrava, making Top-20 debut on October 10, 2022
- Reached third WTA singles final in 2021, enjoying run to final at home tournament of Moscow (l. Kontaveit). Other key result was SF run at Gippsland Trophy (l. Kanepi)
- Posted two best wins-by-ranking of career in 2021, defeating No.2 Halep (Gippsland Trophy) and No.2 Sabalenka (Moscow)
- Reached 2r on Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020
- Opened 2020 season by lifting her maiden WTA singles title, at Shenzhen (d. Rybakina in F)
- Won both singles rubbers on Billie Jean King Cup debut in 3-2 win over Romania in February 2020
- Made Top-50 debut on June 17, 2019 after QF run at 's-Hertogenbosch
- Registered 30 Tour-level match wins during 2019, in which she reached SF at Budapest, Seoul and Linz and made QF at St. Petersburg, 's-Hertogenbosch, Eastbourne and Moscow. Also advanced to 3r at a major for the first time, at Roland Garros
- Won sole WTA doubles title at 2019 Budapest (w/Zvonareva)

- In 2024, won two singles titles - Toronto (WTA 1000) and Berlin - en route to year-end ranking of No.7, her third-straight year-end Top 10 finish; two-time runner-up at Cincinnati and US Open; joined Rosie Casals (1970), Evonne Goolagong Cawley (1973) and Serena Williams (2013) as the only women in the Open Era to make the final at the Canadian Open, Cincinnati Open and US Open in the same season
- Also qualified for the 2024 WTA Finals (withdrew during round-robin play due to left knee injury)
- Won two titles in 2023, her second WTA 1000 tournament at Montreal and also WTA 250 Seoul. Also finished R-Up at Doha, Tokyo and at the WTA Finals in Cancun.

In doubles ascended to No.1 ranking (co-ranked with Coco Gauff) after 2023 US Open.

- Achieved career-high No. 3 in October 2022 after defeating four Grand Slam champions at Guadalajara, en route to ending three-year wait for second WTA title (d. Sakkari in F)
- Qualified for WTA Finals Fort Worth in both singles and doubles (w/Gauff), thus becoming the first Americans to debut in singles and doubles at the season-ending showpiece since Davenport in 1994
- Reached QF at three of the four majors in 2022, breaking into Top 10 after doing so at Roland Garros (June 6, 2022)
- One of seven players to win 40 or more matches in 2022, alongside Swiatek, Jabeur, Garcia, Sakkari, Kasatkina and Bencic
- 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)
- 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

- Came through qualifying to make maiden WTA final appearance at 2018 Linz (l. Giorgi)
- Advanced to first WTA QF at 2018 Seoul, scoring maiden Top 10 win of her career en route, over No.10 Ostapenko
- Made Top-100 debut at No.93 on March 20, 2017 after winning title at \$60K ITF/Shenzhen-CHN
- At 2016 Wimbledon, ranked No.223, won her way through qualifying on her maiden Slam appearance, going on to reach 2r (upset No.23 seed Ivanovic in 1r)
- Won WTA 125K Series title at Limoges in 2016, 2018-19
- Reached 2r on WTA main draw debut at 2016 Katowice (as qualifier, l. eventual R-Up Giorgi)
- Contested qualifying for the first time at a WTA-level tournament at 2014 Bad Gastein
- Played first professional events of career on ITF Circuit in Europe in 2011

- WTA 125K Series event at Newport Beach and W100 ITF Circuit tournament in Midland-MI, USA
- Highlights of 2018 included finishing R-up as a qualifier at Quebec City (l. Parmentier in F), recording SF finish at Houston WTA 125K Series tournament (l. S.Peng) and reaching QF or better at 10 ITF events
- Did not play between January and August 2017 after undergoing hip surgery. Primarily played at ITF Circuit 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 her father, Evgeny. Was previously coached by Vojta Flegl
- Mother is Julia, also has sister, Anna, and brother Jury. Began playing tennis at age 6
- Favorite shot is forehand; favorite surface is hard
- Speaks Russian, English and Czech
- Likes to cook, especially making cakes
- Admires Serena Williams

- Working with the coaching team of Mark Knowles and Mark Merklein
- Recently parted ways with coach David Witt; formerly with Michael Joyce
- Parents are Terrence (works in oil and gas) and Kim (business owner); her parents are principal owners of the Buffalo Bills (NFL), while Terry Pegula also owns hockey team the Buffalo Sabres (NHL)
- 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
- Married Taylor Gahagen in October 2021
- Passionate about new charity with her husband called A Lending Paw

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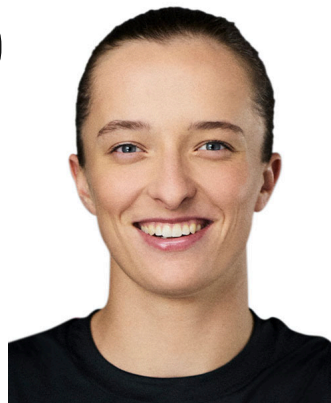
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**OSTAPENKO**  
LATVIA

**IGA**  
**(2) SWIATEK** **2**  
POLAND

1997-06-08	Date of Birth		2001-05-31
Riga, Latvia	Residence		Raszyn, Poland
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	
5' 10" (1.77m)	Height	5' 9" (1.76m)	
5	Career-High Ranking	1	
\$17,148,983	Career Prize Money	\$35,224,252	
\$879,629	Season Prize Money	\$2,683,161	
0 / 8	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 22	
56-35 (Champion: 2017 ROLAND GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	88-19 (Champion: 2024 ROLAND GARROS; 2023 ROLAND GARROS; 2022 US OPEN, ROLAND GARROS; 2020 ROLAND GARROS)	
2-0 / 5-6 (Quarter-Finalist: 2018)	YTD / Career STUTTGART W-L (best)	1-0 / 11-1 (Champion: 2023, 2022)	
9-9 / 260-191	YTD / Career W-L	22-6 / 284-67	

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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2025	DOHA	HARD	SF	Jelena Ostapenko	6-3 6-1	1h 10m
2023	US OPEN	HARD	4r	Jelena Ostapenko	3-6 6-3 6-1	1h 48m
2022	DUBAI	HARD	2r	Jelena Ostapenko	4-6 6-1 7-6(4)	2h 29m
2021	INDIAN WELLS	HARD	4r	Jelena Ostapenko	6-4 6-3	1h 33m
2019	BIRMINGHAM	GRASS	1r	Jelena Ostapenko	6-0 6-2	51m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
9	15	2024	1	2
12	13	2023	1	1
11	18	2022	1	1
28	28	2021	4	9
40	44	2020	17	17
22	44	2019	49	61
5	22	2018	174	175
7	7	2017	587	690
34	44	2016	903	903
77	79	2015	-	-

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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. E. NAVARRO (#11) 5-7 6-3 2-6 (2h 18m)  
1r: d. D. YASTREMSKA (#46) 6-3 3-0 (1h 4m)

*Total time on court: 3h 22m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making seventh appearance at Stuttgart, where her best result was reaching QF as No.4 seed in 2018 (l. Ka.Pliskova); most recent finish was falling 1r last year as No.8 seed to Linda Noskova
- Her best result at WTA-500 events was title run at Linz 2024 (d. Alexandrova in F) and Eastbourne 2021 (d. Kontaveit in F)
- Has beaten Dayana Yastremska (via ret.) and Emma Navarro to reach her 2nd QF of 2025 season after Doha (en route to R-Up)
- Faces No.2 Iga Swiatek in QF today; owns 22 wins in career over Top 10 players with 2 of them coming in 2025 - defeating No.2 Iga Swiatek and No.4 Jasmine Paolini at Doha 2025 en route to final
- Owns 8-3 career record against players from Poland (2-0 in 2025), having met and defeated today's opponent Swiatek in all of their 5 previous meetings; today is their first meeting on clay
- Owns 59-69 career record against seeded opponents (3-2 in 2025)
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 27-18 (1-0 in 2025)
- Best career result on clay was title run at 2017 Roland Garros, also reached the final at 2017 Charleston (l. Kasatkina)
- Only player from Latvia in main draw
- Is currently ranked No.24; this time last year was ranked No.10
- So far on clay this year, reached 3r at Charleston (l. Collins), also won doubles title at Charleston w/Erin Routliffe; last year reached QF at Rome, R16 at Madrid, 2r at Roland Garros and fell 1r at Stuttgart and the Paris Olympics

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. J. FETT (#153) 6-2 6-2 (1h 16m)

*Total time on court: 1h 16m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making 4th appearance at Stuttgart, where she is a two-time champion in 2022 and 2023
- Last season she also made SF at Stuttgart (l. eventual champion Rybakina)
- After 1r bye, has beaten Jana Fett to reach her 7th QF of 2025 season
- Faces No.24 Jelena Ostapenko in QF today; owns 17-2 record against opponents outside Top 20 this season, with the only two losses coming against No. 140 Eala at Miami and No. 37 Ostapenko at Doha
- Owns 0-5 career record against players from Latvia, all losing to today's opponent Ostapenko; first meeting on clay
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 40-8 (4-2 in 2025)
- Owns ten clay court titles: Roland Garros, Rome, Madrid in 2024; Roland Garros, Stuttgart in 2023; Roland Garros, Rome, Stuttgart in 2022; Rome in 2021; Roland Garros in 2020
- Only player from Poland to reach QF
- Best result by a Polish player at Stuttgart was Champion run by Iga Swiatek herself in 2023 and 2022
- During last year's European clay swing captured the titles at Roland Garros, Rome, and Madrid; reached the semifinal at Stuttgart
- Has won 22 matches so far in 2025, behind only Pegula (26) and Sabalenka (23)
- Is ranked No.2 on the PIF WTA Rankings, and currently sits at No.4 on the PIF Race to the WTA Finals leaderboard

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2024	Result	Rank: 10	Seed: 8
1r	L	L. NOSKOVA (#31) 6-3 6-1	
2023	Result	Rank: 22	Seed: -
2r	L	O. JABEUR (#4) 1-6 7-5 6-3	
1r	W	E. RADUCANU (#68) 6-2 6-1	
2021	Result	Rank: 52	Seed: -
2r	L	K. PLISKOVA (#9) 6-7(7) 6-4 6-3	
1r	W	S. VOEGELE (#129) 6-4 7-5	
2019	Result	Rank: 29	Seed: -
1r	L	A. SEVASTOVA (#13) 6-2 4-6 6-0	
2018	Result	Rank: 5	Seed: 4
QF	L	K. PLISKOVA (#6) 5-7 7-5 6-4	
2r	W	Z. DIYAS (#52) 6-3 6-0	

2024	Result	Rank: 1	Seed: 1
SF	L	E. RYBAKINA (#4) 6-3 4-6 6-3	
QF	W	E. RADUCANU (#303) 7-6(2) 6-3	
2r	W	E. MERTENS (#30) 6-3 6-4	
2023	Result	Rank: 1	Seed: 1
F	W	A. SABALENKA (#2) 6-3 6-4	
SF	W	O. JABEUR (#4) 3-0	
QF	W	K. PLISKOVA (#17) 4-6 6-1 6-2	
2r	W	Q. ZHENG (#25) 6-1 6-4	
2022	Result	Rank: 1	Seed: 1
F	W	A. SABALENKA (#4) 6-2 6-2	
SF	W	L. SAMSONOVA (#31) 6-7(4) 6-4 7-5	
QF	W	E. RADUCANU (#12) 6-4 6-4	
2r	W	E. LYS (#342) 6-1 6-1	

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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Reached 3r at Charleston (l. Collins)
  - Played 2r at Miami (l. Eala)
  - Made 2r at Indian Wells (l. Xinyu Wang)
  - Played 1r at Dubai (l. Uchijima)
  - Finished R-Up at Doha (l. Anisimova in F)
  - Played 1r at Abu Dhabi (l. Jabeur)
  - Played 1r at Australian Open (l. Bencic)
  - Made R16 at Adelaide (l. eventual champion Keys)
  - Opened 2025 playing R32 at Brisbane (l. Bouzkova)
- Reached QF at Miami (l. Eala)
  - Reached SF at Indian Wells (l. eventual champion Mirra Andreeva)
  - Reached QF at Dubai (l. eventual champion M. Andreeva)
  - Reached SF at Doha (l. Ostapenko)
  - Reached SF at Australian Open (l. eventual champion Keys)
  - Opened 2025 representing Poland at United Cup achieving R-Up (4-1 in singles play)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
0	0	Aces	0	0
0.0%	0	First serve %	0.0%	0
0.0%	0	First Serve points won %	0.0%	0
0.0%	0	Second serve points won %	0.0%	0
0.0%	0	Overall service points won %	0.0%	0
0.0%	0	Service games won %	0.0%	0
0.0%	0	Break points saved %	0.0%	0
0.0%	0	First serve return points won %	0.0%	0
0.0%	0	Second serve return points won %	0.0%	0
0.0%	0	Break points converted %	0.0%	0
0.0%	0	Return games won %	0.0%	0
0.0%	0	Return points won %	0.0%	0



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## TITLES

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (8)

2024 - LINZ, ADELAIDE  
2023 - BIRMINGHAM  
2022 - DUBAI  
2021 - EASTBOURNE  
2019 - LUXEMBOURG  
2017 - SEOUL, ROLAND GARROS

Runner-Up (9)

2025 - DOHA  
2022 - SEOUL, EASTBOURNE  
2021 - LUXEMBOURG  
2019 - LINZ  
2018 - MIAMI  
2017 - CHARLESTON  
2016 - DOHA  
2015 - QUEBEC CITY

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (11)

2025 - CHARLESTON (w/Routliffe), ABU DHABI (w/Perez)  
2024 - US OPEN (w/Kichenok), EASTBOURNE (w/Kichenok), BRISBANE (w/Kichenok)  
2022 - CINCINNATI (w/Kichenok), BIRMINGHAM (w/Kichenok)  
2021 - MOSCOW (w/Siniakova)  
2018 - DOHA (w/Dabrowski)  
2017 - STUTTGART (w/Atawo), ST. PETERSBURG (w/Rosolska)

Runner-Up (10)

2025 - DUBAI (w/Hsieh), AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Hsieh)  
2024 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Kichenok)  
2023 - DOHA (w/Kichenok)  
2022 - EASTBOURNE (w/Kichenok), DUBAI (w/Kichenok)  
2021 - DOHA (w/Niculescu)  
2020 - DOHA (w/Dabrowski)  
2019 - BEIJING (w/Yastremska), JURMALA (w/Voskoboeva)

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (22)

2024 - ROLAND GARROS, ROME, MADRID, INDIAN WELLS, DOHA  
2023 - WTA FINALS, BEIJING, WARSAW, ROLAND GARROS, STUTTGART, DOHA  
2022 - SAN DIEGO, US OPEN, ROLAND GARROS, ROME, STUTTGART, MIAMI, INDIAN WELLS, DOHA  
2021 - ROME, ADELAIDE 500  
2020 - ROLAND GARROS

Runner-Up (7)

2025 - UNITED CUP, UNITED CUP  
2024 - UNITED CUP  
2023 - MADRID, DUBAI  
2022 - OSTRAVA  
2019 - LUGANO

### DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (1)

2021 - ROLAND-GARROS (w/Mattek-sands)

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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
1r				2025	SF			
3r	2r	QF	1r	2024	3r	WON	3r	QF
QF	2r	2r	QF	2023	4r	WON	QF	4r
3r	2r	4r	1r	2022	SF	WON	3r	WON
1r	1r	3r		2021	4r	QF	4r	4r
2r	3r			2020	4r	WON		3r
1r	1r	1r	3r	2019	2r	4r	1r	2r
3r	1r	SF	3r	2018				
3r	WON	QF	3r	2017				
1r	1r	1r	1r	2016				
		2r	2r	2015				

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## CAREER MILESTONES

- Won seventh and eighth titles of career in 2024 at Adelaide and Linz. In doubles won first Grand Slam title at 2024 Australian Open and qualified for 2024 WTA Finals Riyadh (both with Lyudmyla Kichenok)
- Won sixth career title at 2023 Birmingham (d. Krejcikova in F) and reached SF at Rome; in doubles achieved R-Up at Doha (w/L.Kichenok)
- At 2022 Dubai, lifted fifth career singles title (d. Kudermetova in F); finished R-Up at Eastbourne (l. Kvitova) and Seoul (l. Alexandrova) as well as SF at St. Petersburg and Doha
- Won two doubles titles in 2022 at Birmingham and Cincinnati (both w/L.Kichenok); qualified for WTA Finals reaching SF Lifted first grass court title at 2021 Eastbourne (as WC, d. Kontaveit in F)
- In 2021, also finished R-Up at Luxembourg (l. Tauson), made SF at Indian Wells (l. Azarenka), reached QF at Rome and represented Latvia at the Tokyo Olympics (l. Vesnina in 1r)
- Won doubles title at 2021 Moscow (w/Siniakova)
- Highlights of 2020 season included three Top 10 wins and reaching QF at Strasbourg
- Finished R-Up in doubles w/Dabrowski at 2020 Doha (l. Hsieh/Strycova)
- 2019 season saw her capture third career title at Luxembourg (d. Goerges in F) right after finishing R-Up at Linz (l. Gauff)
- Also R-Up in mixed doubles at 2019 Wimbledon w/Lindstedt
- 2018 campaign highlighted by finishing R-Up at Miami (l. Stephens); beat No.9 Petra Kvitova and No.4 Elina Svitolina to register multiple Top 10 wins in the same tournament for the first time
- Reached SF at 2018 Wimbledon (l. eventual champion Kerber) to become first Latvian woman to reach final four at All England Club
- Achieved career-high ranking of No.5 on March 19, 2018
- In doubles won title at 2018 Doha (w/Dabrowski)
- Enjoyed career-best season in 2017, finishing the year in the Top 10 for the first time (at No.7); was No.44 at end of 2016 (first Top 50 finish) and No.79 at end of 2015 (first Top 100 finish)
- Champion at 2017 Roland Garros (d. Halep in F) becoming first woman to win first tour-level title at a Grand Slam since Barbara Jordan at 1979 Australian Open. Also became the first unseeded player to lift the trophy in the Open Era and the first Latvian player to reach the championship match at a Grand Slam
- Claimed five titles in 2024, making it a three-peat at Roland-Garros and also winning Doha, Indian Wells, Madrid and Rome. Crossed \$30m in prize money and qualified for her fourth WTA Finals
- Won six titles across 2023, including winning fourth Grand Slam title at Roland-Garros (d. Muchova in F) and going undefeated at the WTA Finals in Cancun (d. Pegula in F). Finished season as WTA World No.1 player for second consecutive year.
- In 2022, lifted second and third Grand Slam titles, at Roland-Garros (d. Gauff in F) and US Open (d. Jabeur in F)
- Triumph in Paris was the last of six straight titles during 37-match winning streak - joint-longest unbeaten run on Tour since 1990
- Won two titles in 2021, at Adelaide and Rome. Other highlights included QF at Roland-Garros and SF at Ostrava and qualifying for WTA Finals Guadalajara (fell in group stage)
- Also finished doubles R-Up at 2021 Roland-Garros (w/Mattek-Sands, l. Krejcikova/Siniakova)
- Won her maiden Tour-level title at 2020 Roland-Garros without dropping a set, becoming the first player from Poland - man or woman - to win a Grand Slam singles title and first from her country to reach a major final since A.Radwanska at 2012 Wimbledon
- Ranked No.54, she became the lowest-ranked woman to win the Roland-Garros title in the Open Era and the lowest-ranked finalist since 1977 (No.56 Mihai). At 19y 132d, is the youngest champion in Paris since Monica Seles (18y 187d) in 1992
- Also became the first player to win her debut Tour-level title at a Grand Slam since Jelena Ostapenko at 2017 Roland-Garros
- Won WTA Most Improved Player of the Year for 2020, as voted on by members of the media. Also won the 2020 WTA Fan Favorite Award
- Ended 2019 season ranked No.61 after a campaign highlighted by R-Up finish at Lugano (l. Hercog) and R16 run at Roland-Garros (l. Halep). That year also reached 3r at Toronto (l. Osaka) and made 2r five times (incl. Australian and US Open)
- Broke into Top 100 at No.88 after R-Up finish at 2019 Lugano
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2019 Auckland
- Ended 2018 season ranked No.175 (up from No.690 in 2017), after posting 42-6 record and winning four titles on ITF Circuit

- Followed up title run with QF appearance at 2017 Wimbledon; also won title at Seoul (d. Haddad Maia in F) and reached final at Charleston (l. Kasatkina)
- Qualified for debut WTA Finals in 2017 went 1-2 in group stage
- Made Top 10 debut at No.10 on September 11, 2017
- In doubles, won first and second career titles in 2017, at St. Petersburg (w/Rosolska) and Stuttgart (w/Atawo) Breakthrough result of 2016 season was reaching final at Doha launching her into Top 50 at No.40 (l. Suárez Navarro); also in 2016 reached SF at Katowice and QF at Birmingham and Florianopolis ending year at No.44
- Ended 2015 at No.79 for first Top 100 finish (up from No.308 in 2014). Having leapt 229 spots, was second highest year-end rankings jump, after Kasatkina who went from No.370 to No.72 (298 spots)
- Highlights of 2014 were reaching first career WTA final at Quebec City (l. Beck) and 2r at Wimbledon and US Open
- Scored first Top 10 win over No.9 Carla Suárez Navarro in 1r at 2015 Wimbledon
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2014 Tashkent as WC advancing to 2r (l. Pervak)
- Played qualifying at Moscow in 2012
- Member of Latvian Billie Jean King Cup team in 2013-2022
- Began professional career playing ITF in 2012 winning first career title at \$10k/ITF Stockholm, SWE; owns seven career ITF titles

- Member of Poland's Billie Jean King Cup team, 2018-20, 2021-22
- On professional debut, came through qualifying to win title at \$10k ITF/Stockholm-SWE in 2016; owns seven singles titles at this level
- Enjoyed stellar junior career, including winning girls' singles at 2018 Wimbledon (d. Kung in F) and leading Poland to Junior Fed Cup in 2016

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Formerly worked with David Taylor, Glen Schaap and Marion Bartoli
- Mother is Jelena Jakovleva, while father, Jevgenijs Ostapenko, is a former football player; half-brother's name is Maksim Ostapenko (graduated from art academy in California and lives there now); also has a dog named Juljeta
- Introduced to tennis at age 5 by mother (who was also her first coach)
- Favorite shots are serve and backhand; favorite surfaces are grass and hard; favorite tournament is Wimbledon
- Speaks Russian, Latvian and English
- Tennis idols are Serena Williams
- Enjoys spending time with parents and dog, listening to music and going out with friends. Was a ballroom dancer for seven years

- Coached by Wim Fissette
- Previously worked with Tomasz Wiktorowski and Piotr Sierzputowski
- Father is former Olympic rower Tomasz Swiatek, who competed in the men's quadruple sculls event at the 1988 Summer Olympics in Seoul
- In summer 2022 organised 'Iga Swiatek and friends for Ukraine' event in Krakow, which featured a mixed doubles match between Agnieszka Radwanska, Sergiy Stakhovsky, Polish junior Martyn Pawelski and herself, and was attended by Poland's First Lady, Agata Kornhauser-Duda, Elina Svitolina and Andriy Shevchenko. The occasion was watched by almost 15,000 people live and a further one million on television, raising more than half a million Euros for Ukrainian children and teenagers affected by the war
- Started playing tennis because her older sister was playing and wanted to beat her
- Enjoys rock music, including AC/DC and Pink Floyd
- Includes PZU, On, Tecnifibre, Rolex and Xiaomi in her endorsement portfolio

# MATCH NOTES

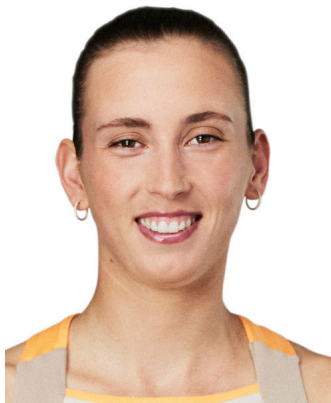
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1 **ARYNA  
SABALENKA (1)**

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MERTENS** 29  
BELGIUM

1998-05-05	Date of Birth	1995-11-17
	Residence	Hamont-Achel, Belgium
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (Two-handed backhand)
5' 11" (1.82m)	Height	5' 10" (1.79m)
1	Career-High Ranking	12
\$33,287,633	Career Prize Money	\$16,042,555
\$3,180,810	Season Prize Money	\$462,184
2 / 19	Singles Titles YTD / Career	1 / 9
83-24 (Champion: 2024 US OPEN, AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	69-32 (Semi-Finalist: 2018 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)
0-0 / 11-4 (Runner-Up: 2023, 2022, 2021)	YTD / Career STUTTGART W-L (best)	2-0 / 3-2 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025)
23-4 / 328-128	YTD / Career W-L	18-7 / 274-177



MATCH NOTES

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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2024	US OPEN	HARD	4r	Aryna Sabalenka	6-2 6-4	1h 37m
2023	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	3r	Aryna Sabalenka	6-2 6-3	1h 14m
2021	US OPEN	HARD	4r	Aryna Sabalenka	6-4 6-1	1h 11m
2021	MADRID	CLAY	QF	Aryna Sabalenka	6-1 4-0	58m
2020	LINZ	HARD	F	Aryna Sabalenka	7-5 6-2	1h 43m
2020	DUBAI	HARD	2r	Aryna Sabalenka	6-4 6-3	1h 31m
2019	ZHUHAI	HARD	1r	Aryna Sabalenka	6-4 3-6 7-5	2h 20m
2018	MONTREAL	HARD	3r	Elise Mertens	2-6 7-6(1) 6-0	2h 13m
2018	EASTBOURNE	GRASS	3r	Aryna Sabalenka	7-5 2-6 7-6(4)	2h 41m
2018	LUGANO	CLAY	F	Elise Mertens	7-5 6-2	1h 25m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
1	1	2024	24	34
1	2	2023	26	29
2	5	2022	20	29
2	2	2021	14	21
10	10	2020	17	20
9	11	2019	12	17
11	11	2018	13	13
76	78	2017	35	35
154	159	2016	120	120
539	548	2015	157	157

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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. A. POTAPOVA (#38) W/O (0m)

*Total time on court: 0m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making fifth appearance at Stuttgart where she has reached the final three times: 2021 (l. Barty), 2022 (l. Swiatek) and 2023 (l. Swiatek) - fell QF in most recent appearance in 2024 (l. Vondrousova)
- After 1r bye, received a walkover after opponent Anastasia Potapova withdrew and is now set to play her first match at Stuttgart this week
- Faces No.29 Elise Mertens in QF today
- Holds 4-0 record in QF matches this year; has gone on to reach the final each time she has reached the final eight at Brisbane (WON), Australian Open (R-Up), Indian Wells (R-Up) and Miami (WON)
- Owns 11-4 career record against players from Belgium
- Has gone 11-2 against players outside the Top 20 this year with losses to No.26 Ekaterina Alexandrova at Doha and No.38 Clara Tauson at Dubai
- Two of her 19 titles have come on clay courts both at Madrid (2021 and 2023)
- Is No. 1 seed this week; has been top seed at 27 tournaments in her career
- Is currently ranked No.1; this time last year was ranked No.2
- Playing first event on clay this year; last year on the surface finished R-Up at Madrid and Rome and reached QF at Stuttgart and Roland Garros
- Is currently on a 6-match winning streak after winning Miami; longest winning streak of her career was 16 matches in 2024
- Has won 11 of her last 12 matches reaching the final at both Indian Wells (l. Andreeva) and Miami (d. Pegula)
- Has won 23 matches so far in 2025; she is ranked No.2 on tour for match wins, behind Jessica Pegula (26)
- Is the World No.1 and has held this position for a total of 33 weeks, she also currently sits at No.1 on the PIF Race to the WTA Finals leaderboard

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. D. SHNAIDER (#13) 6-2 7-6 (1h 48m)

1r: d. A. SASNOVICH (#111) 7-6 6-2 (1h 45m)

*Total time on court: 3h 33m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making third appearance at Stuttgart, where she is into QF for the first time; previous best result was 2r last year (l. Swiatek)
- Has beaten Aliaksandra Sasnovich and No.8 seed Diana Shnaider so far this week to reach her third QF of the year; has gone on to reach final each time she has reached this stage at Hobart (R-Up) and Singapore (WON)
- Win over No.13 Shnaider in 2r was first Top 20 win of the year, was previously 0-5 this year
- Faces No.1 Aryna Sabalenka in QF today; owns 11 wins in career over Top 10 players including two on clay
- Has lost her last 12 matches (0-5 so far this year) against Top 10 players with most recent win coming over No.3 Jessica Pegula at 2023 Roland Garros
- Has faced a World No.1 three times in career with 0-3 record most recently falling to No.1 Swiatek here last year; best by-ranking win of career was over a World No.3 which she has done four times most recently that win over Pegula at 2023 Roland Garros
- Lost last seven matches against today's opponent; last defeated her at 2018 Montreal
- Has won two clay court titles at 2018 Lugano (beat today's opponent in final) and 2018 Rabat; also reached final at Istanbul in 2017 and 2021
- Only player from Belgium to reach QF
- Best result by Belgium at Stuttgart were title runs by Justine Henin in 2010 and 2007 and Kim Clijsters in 2003 and 2002
- The last time a player from Belgium reached QF at Stuttgart was 2010
- Is currently ranked No.29; this time last year was ranked No.30
- So far on clay, reached 3r at Charleston (l. Q.Zheng); last year reached QF at Charleston, 3r at Roland Garros and Rome and 2r at Stuttgart and Madrid

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2024	Result	Rank: 2	Seed: 2
QF	L	M. VONDROUSOVA (#8) 3-6 6-3 7-5	
2r	W	P. BADOSA (#93) 7-6(4) 4-6 3-3	
2023	Result	Rank: 2	Seed: 2
F	L	I. SWIATEK (#1) 6-3 6-4	
SF	W	A. POTAPOVA (#24) 6-1 6-2	
QF	W	P. BADOSA (#31) 4-6 6-4 6-4	
2r	W	B. KREJCIKOVA (#12) 6-2 6-3	
2022	Result	Rank: 4	Seed: 3
F	L	I. SWIATEK (#1) 6-2 6-2	
SF	W	P. BADOSA (#3) 7-6(5) 6-4	
QF	W	A. KONTAVEIT (#6) 6-4 3-6 6-1	
2r	W	B. ANDREESCU (#121) 6-1 3-6 6-2	
2021	Result	Rank: 7	Seed: 5
F	L	A. BARTY (#1) 3-6 6-0 6-3	
SF	W	S. HALEP (#3) 6-3 6-2	
QF	W	A. KONTAVEIT (#27) 7-5 4-6 6-1	
2r	W	A. FRIEDSAM (#125) 6-4 6-2	
1r	W	S. ZHANG (#40) 6-2 6-2	

2024	Result	Rank: 30	Seed: -
2r	L	I. SWIATEK (#1) 6-3 6-4	
1r	W	T. MARIA (#66) 6-1 4-6 6-0	
2019	Result	Rank: 18	Seed: -
1r	L	D. KASATKINA (#22) 7-6(8) 7-5	



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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Won at Miami (d. Pegula in F)
  - Finished as R-Up at Indian Wells (l. champion Mirra Andreeva in F)
  - Reached R16 at Dubai (l. Tauson)
  - Played 2r at Doha (after 1r bye, l. Alexandrova)
  - Finished R-Up at Australian Open (l. champion Keys in F)
  - Opened 2025 as champion at Brisbane (d. R-Up Kudermetova)
- Reached 3r at Charleston (l. Q. Zheng)
  - Played 3r at Miami (l. Swiatek)
  - Reached 3r at Indian Wells (l. Keys)
  - Made 2r at Dubai (l. Badosa)
  - Reached 3r at Doha (l. Alexandrova)
  - Champion run at Singapore (d. A. Li in F)
  - Made 2r at Australian Open (l. Pegula)
  - Opened 2025 with a R-Up finish at Hobart (l. champion Kessler)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
86	13	Aces	104	7
65.0%	15	First serve %	58.5%	60
68.2%	13	First Serve points won %	69.8%	8
52.7%	2	Second serve points won %	46.4%	36
62.8%	3	Overall service points won %	60.1%	14
78.7%	2	Service games won %	69.4%	26
65.0%	2	Break points saved %	58.9%	20
41.1%	4	First serve return points won %	39.3%	13
61.6%	2	Second serve return points won %	55.7%	29
51.3%	10	Break points converted %	45.5%	38
45.7%	3	Return games won %	39.0%	16
48.4%	2	Return points won %	45.5%	14

# MATCH NOTES

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## TITLES

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (19)

2025 - MIAMI, BRISBANE  
2024 - WUHAN, US OPEN, CINCINNATI,  
AUSTRALIAN OPEN  
2023 - MADRID, AUSTRALIAN OPEN, ADELAIDE #1  
2021 - MADRID, ABU DHABI  
2020 - LINZ, OSTRAVA, DOHA  
2019 - ZHUHAI, WUHAN, SHENZHEN  
2018 - WUHAN, NEW HAVEN

Runner-Up (16)

2025 - INDIAN WELLS, AUSTRALIAN OPEN  
2024 - ROME, MADRID, BRISBANE  
2023 - US OPEN, STUTTGART, INDIAN WELLS  
2022 - WTA FINALS, 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH,  
STUTTGART  
2021 - STUTTGART  
2019 - SAN JOSE  
2018 - EASTBOURNE, LUGANO  
2017 - TIANJIN

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (6)

2021 - BERLIN (w/Azarenka), AUSTRALIAN OPEN  
(w/Mertens)  
2020 - OSTRAVA (w/Mertens)  
2019 - US OPEN (w/Mertens), MIAMI (w/Mertens),  
INDIAN WELLS (w/Mertens)

Runner-Up (2)

2019 - WUHAN (w/Mertens)  
2018 - LUGANO (w/Lapko)

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (9)

2025 - SINGAPORE  
2023 - MONASTIR  
2022 - MONASTIR  
2021 - MELBOURNE 500 GIPPSLAND TROPHY  
2019 - DOHA  
2018 - RABAT, LUGANO, HOBART  
2017 - HOBART

Runner-Up (6)

2025 - HOBART  
2024 - HOBART  
2021 - ISTANBUL  
2020 - LINZ, PRAGUE  
2017 - ISTANBUL

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (21)

2024 - BIRMINGHAM (w/Hsieh), INDIAN WELLS  
(w/Hsieh), AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Hsieh)  
2023 - GUADALAJARA (w/Hunter), ROME  
(w/Hunter)  
2022 - WTA FINALS (w/Kudermetova), DUBAI  
(w/Kudermetova)  
2021 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Hsieh), WIMBLEDON  
(w/Hsieh), ISTANBUL (w/Kudermetova),  
AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Sabalenka)  
2020 - OSTRAVA (w/Sabalenka)  
2019 - US OPEN (w/Sabalenka), MIAMI  
(w/Sabalenka), INDIAN WELLS (w/Sabalenka)  
2018 - WUHAN (w/Schuurs), 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH  
(w/Schuurs), LUGANO (w/Flipkens), HOBART  
(w/Schuurs)  
2017 - GUANGZHOU (w/Schuurs)  
2016 - AUCKLAND (w/Mestach)

Runner-Up (12)

2023 - WIMBLEDON (w/Hunter)  
2022 - WIMBLEDON (w/Zhang), BIRMINGHAM  
(w/Zhang), 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH (w/Kudermetova),  
MIAMI (w/Kudermetova), DOHA (w/Kudermetova)  
2021 - WTA FINALS (w/Hsieh)  
2019 - WUHAN (w/Sabalenka)  
2018 - CINCINNATI (w/Schuurs), BIRMINGHAM  
(w/Schuurs)  
2017 - BUCHAREST (w/Schuurs), ISTANBUL  
(w/Melichar-martinez)



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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
RUP				2025	2r			
WON	QF		WON	2024	2r	3r	2r	4r
WON	SF	SF	RUP	2023	3r	4r	2r	3r
4r	3r		SF	2022	4r	4r	4r	1r
4r	3r	SF	SF	2021	4r	3r	3r	4r
1r	3r		2r	2020	4r	3r		QF
3r	2r	1r	2r	2019	3r	3r	4r	QF
1r	1r	1r	4r	2018	SF	4r	3r	4r
		2r		2017		3r	1r	1r
				2016				1r

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## CAREER MILESTONES

- Reached seven finals across 2024, defending her Australian Open crown, winning the US Open and also won titles at Cincinnati and Wuhan. Recaptured the No.1 ranking in October and finished the season as the WTA Year-End No.1 for the first time in her career
- Outstanding 2023 saw her win debut Grand Slam title at Australian Open (d. Rybakina in F), reach second Major final at US Open (l. Gauff in F) and become the WTA World No.1 player for the first time in career (after US Open). In addition won titles at Adelaide and Madrid.
- Highlight of 2022 season was R-Up finish at WTA Finals in Fort Worth (l. Garcia in F); upset No.1 Swiatek, No.2 Jabeur and No.3 Pegula en route to final - only the fourth woman in history to beat the No.1, No.2 and No.3 at the same tournament
- Lifted two titles during 2021 campaign, at Abu Dhabi and Madrid, while was R-Up at Stuttgart. Also reached a further three SFs, including at Wimbledon and US Open
- Rose to career-high No.2 in rankings on August 23, 2021
- In doubles, lifted second major at 2021 Australian Open (w/Mertens, d. Krejckova/Siniakova in F)
- Won final nine matches of 2020 to end the year with back-to-back titles - at Ostrava (d. Azarenka in F) and Linz (d. Mertens in F) - and ranked at No.10
- Having also taken home the silverware at Doha (d. Kvitova in F), was one of two players (also Halep) to lift three singles titles during disrupted 2020 season
- Ended as World No.11 for the second straight year in 2019 after capturing three WTA singles titles at Shenzhen (d. Riske in F), Wuhan (d. Riske in F) and Zhuhai (d. Bertens in F)
- Made Top-10 debut on January 28, 2019 following 3r run at 2019 Australian Open
- Ended 2019 at No.2 in WTA doubles rankings after capturing first Grand Slam doubles trophy at US Open (w/Mertens, d. Azarenka/Barty in F). Earlier in the season, the pair claimed the 'Sunshine Double' by winning back-to-back titles at Indian Wells (d. Krejckova/Siniakova in F) and Miami (d. Stosur/ Zhang in F)
- Qualified for WTA Finals Shenzhen in doubles (w/Mertens), going 1-2 in the round-robin stage
- Enjoyed breakthrough season in 2018, lifting two titles, at New Haven (d. Suarez Navarro in F) and
- Kicked off 2024 season with R-Up finish at Hobart (l. Navarro) which marked her 13th WTA singles final. In doubles won Australian Open, Indian Wells and Birmingham all w/ Hsieh Su-Wei and qualified for WTA Finals for sixth consecutive time
- Ended 2023 as only Top 100 player to finish year exactly where she started, at No. 29. Strongest singles results came at Monastir, successfully defending her title (d. Paolini), and SF at Monterrey (l. Garcia). Achieved a year-end doubles ranking of No. 2 after lifting two titles at Guadalajara and Rome (w/Hunter) and SF at WTA Finals Cancun (l. eventual champions Siegemund/Zvonareva).
- Finished 2022 ranked No.29 in singles, her sixth consecutive Top 50 finish; also finished No.5 in doubles for her fourth consecutive Top 10 finish in doubles and second consecutive Top 5 finish
- Lifted seventh WTA title, at 2022 Monastir (d. Cornet in F), while in doubles alongside partner Kudermetova won Dubai and WTA Finals, as well as finished R-Up at Wimbledon
- Enjoyed a productive start to 2021 season in Melbourne, triumphing at the Gippsland Trophy (d. Kanepi in F) to lift sixth WTA singles title, then teamed up w/Sabalenka at Australian Open to claim second Grand Slam doubles title (d. Krejckova/Siniakova in F). Later in the year, won third career Grand Slam doubles title, at Wimbledon w/Hsieh
- Won the most matches on Tour in 2020, going 34-13 across the season and finishing as R-Up at both Prague (l. Halep) and Linz (l. Sabalenka)
- Earned her milestone 200th career main draw win with victory over Kalinina in 1r at 2020 Linz
- Singles highlights in 2019 were winning biggest title of career at Doha (d. No.3 Halep in final) and advancing to QF at US Open for the first time (l. eventual champion Andreescu in 3s)
- Enjoyed standout season in doubles in 2019 - won maiden major doubles title at US Open w/Sabalenka (d. Azarenka/Barty in F). Also Completed 'Sunshine Double' in doubles (w/Sabalenka), lifting the back-to-back titles at Indian Wells (d. Krejckova/Siniakova) and Miami (d. Stosur/Zhang), and qualified for Shiseido WTA Finals Shenzhen (went 1-2 in RR)
- Advanced to first Grand Slam SF of career at 2018 Australian Open (l. eventual champion Wozniacki)
- During 2018, lifted titles at Hobart, Rabat and Lugano, finishing with 46 main-draw match wins

Wuhan (d. Kontaveit in F), winning 46 matches and finishing at No.11 in the rankings

- Also in 2018, was R-Up at Lugano (l. Mertens) and Eastbourne (l. Wozniacki), made SF at Cincinnati, reached five QFs and produced a career-best Grand Slam run to R16 at US Open
- Entered Top 50 on April 16, 2018, after Lugano run, and Top 20 on August 27 of the same year, following New Haven title
- Broke into Top 100 at No.76 on October 16, 2017 after reaching first Tour-level final at Tianjin (l. Sharapova). Also in 2017 made SF at Tashkent (l. Babos) and lifting WTA 125k Series title at Mumbai (d. Jakupovic)
- Made Grand Slam main draw debut 2017 Wimbledon, falling in 2r (as qualifier, d. Khromacheva, l. Witthoeft)
- Fell 1r on main draw debut at 2017 Dubai (as qualifier, l. Ka.Bondarenko)
- Member of Belarus Billie Jean King Cup team that lost to USA in 2017 final - scored first Top-20 win of career with defeat of No.13 Stephens during final in Minsk
- WTA qualifying debut came at 2016 Rabat
- Lifted first three ITF Circuit titles in 2015, including a 13-match win streak towards the year's end, bringing back-to-back trophies in Antalya, Turkey
- Made debut on ITF Circuit in Minsk in 2012

across the campaign - only Ka.Pliskova (49) and Kvitova (47) registered more. By contrast, prior to 2018 season owned only 36 wins at this level across entire career

- In doubles in 2018, won four titles and reached QF at WTA Finals (w/Schuurs)
- Finished 2017 season at No.35, up from No.120 in 2016 - first Top 50 and Top 100 year-end finish. Season highlighted by first career singles title at Hobart (as a qualifier, d. Niculescu in F)
- Registered first Top-10 win of career over No.10 Cibulkova in 1r at 2017 Beijing
- Made WTA singles main draw debut at 2016 's-Hertogenbosch - made QF (as qualifier, l. Mladenovic)
- Won first WTA title of any kind in doubles at 2016 Auckland (w/Mestach)
- Played first Tour-level event of career at 2015 Antwerp (fell in qualifying)
- Played first events of career on ITF Circuit in Belgium in 2010; owns 11 singles and 14 doubles titles on ITF Circuit

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Anton Dubrov
- Previously coached by Dmitry Tursunov and Didi Kindlmann
- Started playing tennis when she was 6 by an accident when her father Sergey drove by the tennis courts and decided to give it a try
- Has a sweet tooth and considers something sweet as a perfect present; loves her grandmother's cooking, and looks forward to her pancakes when she is away from home
- Has a tiger tattoo on her left arm, which earned her the nickname "The Tiger"
- She spends her time off with family, catching up with friends, or reading; her favorite book is "The Count of Monte Cristo"

- Formerly worked with Alexander Kneepkens, Robbie Ceyssens, Dieter Kindlmann, Daniel Goffin and Philippe Dehaes
- Previously trained under Belgian Federation until early teens, also spent a year at the Mouratoglou Academy in Paris
- Mother is Liliane Barbe (teaches languages and history); father is Guido Mertens (makes furniture for churches). Began playing tennis at age 4, introduced to game by older sister Lauren, an airline pilot with KLM
- First tennis memory is watching Kim Clijsters playing live
- Was home schooled, enjoyed studying languages; speaks English, Dutch/Flemish and French
- Loves animals and has lots of pets at home
- In 2021, launched a charitable initiative to support the Virunga National Park's efforts to save the gorilla population in the Democratic Republic of Congo. During 2021 season she will be wearing a Virunga Ranger necklace and sporting a badge on her bag to help raise awareness

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(5) PAOLINI 6  
ITALY

2004-03-13	Date of Birth	1996-01-04
Delray Beach, FL. USA	Residence	Bagni di Lucca, Italy
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-Handed
5' 9" (1.75m)	Height	5' 4" (1.63m)
2	Career-High Ranking	4
\$23,162,470	Career Prize Money	\$9,631,944
\$1,580,481	Season Prize Money	\$1,488,757
1 / 10	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 2
64-21 (Champion: 2023 US OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	24-21 (Runner-Up: 2024 WIMBLEDON, ROLAND GARROS)
1-0 / 3-3 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025, 2024)	YTD / Career STUTTGART W-L (best)	2-0 / 4-1 (Quarter-Finalist: 2024)
14-5 / 214-90	YTD / Career W-L	13-7 / 131-114



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2023	CINCINNATI	HARD	QF	Coco Gauff	6-3 6-2	1h 12m
2021	ADELAIDE 500	HARD	1r	Coco Gauff	6-4 6-7(4) 6-2	2h 33m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
2	3	2024	4	4
3	3	2023	29	30
4	7	2022	44	59
19	22	2021	51	53
47	48	2020	93	95
68	68	2019	114	117
874	875	2018	130	190
-	-	2017	130	137
-	-	2016	244	245
-	-	2015	309	581

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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. E. SEIDEL (#124) 6-1 6-1 (57m)

*Total time on court: 57m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making fourth appearance at Stuttgart, where her previous and best result was reaching QF in 2024 (l. Kostyuk)
- Best result at a WTA-500 event was title run at Washington DC 2023 (d. Sakkari in F)
- After 1r bye, has beaten Ella Seidel to reach her 3rd QF of 2025 season, after Australian Open (l. Badosa) and United Cup (en route to title)
- Faces No.6 Jasmine Paolini in QF today; owns 24 wins in career over Top 10 players (1-0 in 2025), having defeated No.2 Iga Swiatek in final at United Cup 2025
- Owns 10-2 career record against players from Italy (0-0 in 2025), having won both of their previous meetings against today's opponent Paolini at Cincinnati 2023 and Adelaide 500 in 2021
- Owns 61-60 career record against seeded opponents (8-1 in 2025)
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 24-17 (1-1 in 2025)
- Has won one title on clay at 2021 Parma; also finished R-Up at Roland Garros in 2022 (l. Swiatek)
- One of 2 players from United States of America to reach QF (along with Pegula)
- The most recent American to win the Porsche Tennis Grand Prix title is Lindsay Davenport in 2005 when it was held in Filderstadt; no American has won this title yet on the clay of Stuttgart
- Last time 2 players from United States of America reached QF at Stuttgart was 2004
- Is currently ranked No.4 on the PIF WTA Rankings; this time last year was ranked No.3

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. J. NIEMEIER (#121) 6-1 7-5 (1h 26m)

1r: d. E. LYS (#68) 6-2 6-1 (1h 4m)

*Total time on court: 2h 30m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making 2nd appearance at Stuttgart, where her previous result was reaching QF in 2024 (l. eventual champion Rybakina) on tournament debut
- Has beaten Eva Lys and Jule Niemeier to reach her third QF of 2025 season, after Miami (en route to SF) and United Cup (l. Muchova)
- Faces No.4 Coco Gauff in QF today; owns 6 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.5 Elena Rybakina at WTA Finals 2024
- Looking to her first Top 10 win of 2025 season, having failed in her previous meeting with such opponents in 2025 (l. No. 1 Sabalenka at Miami)
- Owns 9-16 career record against players from United States of America (1-1 in 2025), having played and lost to today's opponent Gauff in both of their previous meetings at Cincinnati 2023 and Adelaide 500 in 2021
- Owns 36-61 career record against seeded opponents (3-4 in 2025)
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 13-12 (1-1 in 2025)
- Best career result on clay Runner-Up which she has reached 2 times: Roland Garros in 2024; Palermo in 2023
- Only player from Italy to reach QF
- Best result by Italy at Stuttgart was SF by Sara Errani in 2014, Flavia Pennetta in 2009, Raffaella Reggi in 1988
- Is currently ranked No.6 on the PIF WTA Rankings; this time last year was ranked No.14





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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2024	Result	Rank: 3	Seed: 3
QF	L	M. KOSTYUK (#27) 3-6 6-4 7-6(6)	
2r	W	S. VICKERY (#134) 6-3 4-6 7-5	
2023	Result	Rank: 6	Seed: 5
2r	L	A. POTAPOVA (#24) 6-2 6-3	
1r	W	V. KUDERMETOVA (#13) 6-2 4-6 7-6(3)	
2022	Result	Rank: 16	Seed: -
1r	L	D. KASATKINA (#26) 6-4 6-2	

2024	Result	Rank: 14	Seed: -
QF	L	E. RYBAKINA (#4) 6-3 5-7 6-3	
2r	W	O. JABEUR (#9) 7-6(8) 6-4	
1r	W	S. ERRANI (#102) 6-1 6-0	

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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Reached 4r at Miami (l. Linette)
  - Reached 4r at Indian Wells (l. Bencic)
  - Made 2r at Dubai (after 1r Bye, l. Kessler)
  - Played 2r at Doha (after 1r Bye, l. Kostyuk)
  - Reached QF at Australian Open (l. Badosa)
  - Opened 2025 becoming United Cup Champion representing the US (5-0 in singles play)
- Reached SF at Miami (l. eventual champion Sabalenka)
  - Reached 4r at Indian Wells (l. Samsonova)
  - Played 3r at Dubai (l. Kenin)
  - Made 3r at Doha (l. Ostapenko)
  - Reached 3r at Australian Open (l. Svitolina)
  - Opened 2025 representing Italy at United Cup with a 2-1 result in singles play (l. Muchova)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
74	16	Aces	29	65
63.4%	27	First serve %	65.3%	12
73.2%	2	First Serve points won %	62.6%	53
38.9%	78	Second serve points won %	46.3%	37
60.6%	11	Overall service points won %	57.0%	45
74.2%	11	Service games won %	66.7%	41
55.6%	40	Break points saved %	55.0%	43
42.5%	1	First serve return points won %	39.9%	10
53.2%	57	Second serve return points won %	52.6%	65
57.5%	1	Break points converted %	49.3%	17
39.9%	13	Return games won %	39.5%	14
46.5%	9	Return points won %	44.8%	24

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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (10)  
2025 - UNITED CUP  
2024 - WTA FINALS, BEIJING, AUCKLAND  
2023 - US OPEN, CINCINNATI, WASHINGTON DC, AUCKLAND  
2021 - PARMA  
2019 - LINZ  
Runner-Up (1)  
2022 - ROLAND GARROS

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (9)  
2024 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Siniakova)  
2023 - MIAMI (w/Pegula), DOHA (w/Pegula)  
2022 - SAN DIEGO (w/Pegula), TORONTO (w/Pegula), DOHA (w/Pegula)  
2021 - PARMA (w/Mcnally)  
2019 - LUXEMBOURG (w/Mcnally), WASHINGTON DC (w/Mcnally)  
  
Runner-Up (6)  
2024 - ROME (w/Routliffe)  
2023 - ROME (w/Pegula), MADRID (w/Pegula)  
2022 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Pegula), STUTTGART (w/Zhang)  
2021 - US OPEN (w/Mcnally)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)  
2024 - DUBAI  
2021 - PORTOROZ  
  
Runner-Up (5)  
2024 - WIMBLEDON, ROLAND GARROS  
2023 - MONASTIR, PALERMO  
2022 - CLUJ-NAPOCA

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (7)  
2025 - DOHA (w/Errani)  
2024 - BEIJING (w/Errani), OLYMPICS (w/Errani), ROME (w/Errani), LINZ (w/Errani)  
2023 - MONASTIR (w/Errani)  
2021 - HAMBURG (w/Teichmann)  
  
Runner-Up (2)  
2024 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Errani)  
2022 - MELBOURNE 250 #1 (w/Errani)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
QF				2025	3r			
SF	SF	4r	4r	2024	4r	RUP	RUP	4r
4r	QF	1r	WON	2023	1r	2r	1r	1r
1r	RUP	3r	QF	2022	1r	1r	1r	1r
2r	QF	4r	2r	2021	1r	2r	1r	2r
4r	2r		1r	2020	1r	2r		1r
		4r	3r	2019		1r		

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## CAREER MILESTONES

- Went three for three in finals in 2024, winning Auckland, Beijing and a historic first WTA Finals Riyadh title. Success in Saudi Arabia saw her win a record \$4.8m in prize money, the most ever awarded in women's professional sports, and defeat the World No.1 and No.2 at the same event. Posted a new career-high of No.2 in June
- Won debut Grand Slam singles crown in 2023 lifting title on home soil at US Open (d. Sabalenka in F). Picked up another three titles in 2023, marking first WTA 1000 title at Cincinnati and debut WTA 500 title at Washington DC, in addition to WTA 250 Auckland. In doubles was co-ranked No.1 with Pegula after US Open.
- In 2022, reached maiden Grand Slam final at Roland-Garros (l. Swiatek); was the youngest major finalist since Sharapova won 2004 Wimbledon
- Made Top-10 debut on September 12, 2022, following QF run at US Open (l. Garcia)
- Highlight of 2021 campaign was completing singles-doubles title sweep at Parma; defeated Q.Wang in singles final and teamed up w/McNally to win doubles
- In 2021 also reached SF at Adelaide and Rome, while at the Slams made QF at Roland-Garros and R16 at Wimbledon
- Finished R-Up in doubles at 2021 US Open (w/McNally, l. Stosur/Zhang)
- First cracked the Top 50 on February 24, 2020 at No.49, following a R16 appearance at Australian Open to tie her career best Grand Slam result - during run, defeated V.Williams in 1r and her first Top-5 opponent in No.4 Osaka in 3r (l. eventual champion Kenin in 3s)
- Enjoyed breakout season in 2019, highlighted by maiden WTA singles title at Linz (as lucky loser, d. Ostapenko in F) - earned her first Top-10 win en route to title over No.8 Bertens in QF
- At 15y 214d, her title run in Linz made her youngest to win a WTA tour-level title since Vaidisova (15y 177d) won Tashkent in 2004
- Also claimed maiden WTA doubles titles at Washington, DC (w/McNally, d. Sanchez/Stollar in F) and Luxembourg (w/McNally, d. Christian/Guarachi in F)
- By winning the doubles title at Washington, DC at 15y 144d, became the youngest player to win a doubles title since May 1995 (Hingis won Hamburg at 14y 219d)
- Reached R16 at 2019 Wimbledon on Grand Slam main draw debut defeating V.Williams in 1r (l. Breakout 2024 season saw her win the biggest title of her career at WTA 1000 Dubai and also reach her first Grand Slam finals, finishing R-Up at Roland-Garros and Wimbledon. Qualified for her first WTA Finals in singles and doubles, broke into the Top 10 for the first time in her career and finished the season as the World No.4
- Finished 2023 by breaking into Top 30 for first time, achieving No. 29 on Oct 23, 2023 after becoming runner-up at Monastir (l. Mertens). Also achieved runner-up at Palermo and SF at Zhengzhou (l. Zheng both times) as well as QFs at Lyon (l. Garcia) and Cincinnati as a qualifier (l. eventual champion Gauff). Enjoyed two Top 10 wins (No.10 Garcia and No.4 Rybakina).
- In 2022, finished R-Up at Cluj-Napoca (l. Blinkova), while made back-to-back SF at Palermo (l. Bronzetti) and Warsaw (l. eventual champion Garcia)
- Also reached QF at Lyon (l. Yastremska), Portoroz (l. eventual champion Siniakova) and Parma (l. Kovinic)
- Broke into Top 50 on January 31, 2021
- Posted near-Top 50 season finish in 2021 after capturing first WTA singles title of career at Portoroz (d. Riske in F)
- Strong season finish also brought SF run at Courmayeur (l. eventual champion Vekic) and QF effort at Linz (l. Halep); posted best win of season over No.18 Mertens en route to 3r at Indian Wells (l. Pegula)
- Also in 2021 won the WTA 125K event in Bol, Croatia (d. Rus in F) and was R-Up at the same level in Saint Malo (l. Golubic) Captured first WTA doubles title in 2021, at Hamburg (w/Teichmann)
- In 2021, for first time in career, contested the full suite of all four Grand Slam events; reached 2r at Roland Garros and US Open, equalling best previous Slam result
- In 2020, reached 2r four times at WTA tournaments, including Roland Garros (l. Kvitova)
- Highlights of 2019 included QF showings at Guangzhou and Palermo, a SF run at the WTA 125K Series event at Karlsruhe, lifting seventh, eighth and ninth ITF Circuit titles of her career, at \$60KBrescia-ITA, \$25K ITF/Curtiba-BRA and \$100K ITF/Tokyo-JPN, and qualifying for maiden Grand Slam main draw at Roland Garros (l. Kasatkina in 1r)

- eventual champion Halep) - followed with 3r showing at US Open (as WC, l. Osaka)
- Made WTA main draw debut as a wildcard at 2019 Miami where she earned her first WTA main draw win over good friend McNally (l. Kasatkina in 2r)
- Made professional debut in May 2018 as a qualifier into the \$25K ITF/Osprey, FL-USA
- Member of US Billie Jean King Cup team in 2022
- Former Junior World No.1 (July 2018); won 2018 Roland-Garros girls' title (d. McNally in F) and 2018 US Open doubles title (w/McNally), while finished R-Up at 2017 US Open girls' event (l. Anisimova) becoming the youngest girls' singles finalist in tournament history at 13-years-old

- Ended 2018 ranked No.180, with season highlight a maiden WTA singles QF at Prague (d. No.15 Kasatkina, l. Zhang)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2017 Bastad (l. Suarez Navarro in 1r) and also fell 1r at Guangzhou and in qualifying a further three times
- Part of Italy's Billie Jean King Cup team 2017-19
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2015 Rome
- Made professional debut on ITF Circuit in Italy in 2011

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Jean Christophe Faurel and Matt Daly
- Father, Corey, played basketball at Georgia State; mother, Candi, excelled in gymnastics before competing in a track and field at Florida State University
- Previously worked with Diego Moyano
- Started playing tennis at six
- Favorite surface is hard, describes her playing style as aggressive as possible with a big serve; depends on her quickness and athleticism to keep her in any point - describes herself as a "fighter"
- Tennis idols growing up were the Williams sisters whose tenacity and fearlessness made her want to become a professional tennis player
- Enjoys hanging out with her brother and family, watching superhero movies and making TikTok videos
- Does not have any pets but has been trying to convince her mom to get a dog
- Favorite city is Paris because of the history, food and architecture. Favorite celebrity is Beyonce because she is an incredible performer

- Resides in Bagni di Lucca and trains in Forte dei Marmi, Italy
- Father is Ugo Paolini, mother is Jacqueline Gardiner and brother is William Paolini. Grandmother lives in Lodz, Poland. Mother is of Ghanaian/Polish descent
- Idolizes Roger Federer
- Favorite shot is her forehand and favorite surface is clay
- Speaks Italian, English and Polish