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MATCH NOTES – FRIDAY – JUNE 20

[LL] Ons Jabeur (TUN #61) vs. Marketa Vondrousova (CZE #164)

Tied 4-4

Jabeur:

- Making her 4th appearance at Berlin, where her previous result was reaching QF in 2024
- The last time the Jabeur faced Vondrousova faced each other on grass was the Wimbledon 2023 final where Vondrousova claimed the title
- Best career result on Grass is Champion which she has reached 2 times: Berlin in 2022; Birmingham in 2021. She is also a two-time Wimbledon finalist in 2022 and 2023 (l. Rybakina in 2022, l. Vondrousova in 2023)
- Looking for her first win over Vondrousova on grass since Eastbourne 2021

Vondrousova:

- Making her 4th appearance at Berlin, where her best result is her current run to the QF; also made QF in 2023 (l. Sakkari)
- Has beaten No.6 Madison Keys and No.12 Diana Shnaider so far this week to reach her first QF since second QF of the season after Abu Dhabi
- The last time the two faced on grass was her title run at Wimbledon (d. Jabeur 64 64); also her best career result on grass

[8] Paula Badosa (ESP #10) vs. [Q] Xinyu Wang (CHN #49)

Badosa leads 1-0

Badosa:

- Making her debut appearance at Berlin
- Faces No.49 Xinyu Wang in QF today in their second meeting and first on grass
- Best career result on grass is Quarter-Finalist which she has reached once: Bad Homburg in 2024
- Has equaled Spain's best result at Berlin by reaching the QFs (previously Muguruza in 2021)

Wang:

- Making her 4th appearance at Berlin, where her best result is her current run at the tournament
- Through to her 11th QF of her career and second at a WTA 500 level or higher -also at 2024 Wuhan (SF) in 2024; Berlin in 2022
- Looking for her 4th win in career over a Top 10 player (most recently No.2 Coco Gauff in the previous round at Berlin 2025)
- Best career result on grass is R16 which she has reached twice: Wimbledon in 2024; Berlin in 2022

[1] Aryna Sabalenka (#1) vs. Elena Rybakina (KAZ #11)

Sabalenka leads 6-4

Sabalenka:

- After 1r bye, has beaten Rebeka Masarova to reach her 9th QF of 2025 season, owning 7-1 record in QF matches, with the only loss to Zheng at Rome
- With a win today would be through to her first SF at Berlin
- Record against opponents outside Top 10 is 33-5 in 2025, with the most recent loss coming against No. 24 Ostapenko at Stuttgart 2025
- Is No. 1 seed this week; has been top seed at 31 tournaments in her career
- Has won 42 matches so far in 2025; she is ranked No.1 on tour for match wins

Rybakina:

- Has beaten Ashlyn Krueger and Katerina Siniakova to reach back-to-back QFs at Berlin, after doing so last week at London (l. eventual champion Maria)
- With a win today would be through to her first SF at Berlin
- Can return to the Top 10 by winning the title this week
- Record against world No.1 stands at 6-4 (0-0 in 2025), playing today's opponent Sabalenka for the first time in 2025
- Best career result on grass is her Wimbledon 2022 title

Amanda Anisimova (USA #13) vs. Liudmila Samsonova (#20)

Anisimova leads 2-1

Anisimova:

- Has beaten Bianca Andreescu and Magdalena Frech to reach 5th QF of 2025 season
- Owns 5-1 record against Top 20 opponents in 2025, with the only loss to No. 1 Sabalenka at Roland Garros
- Best career result on grass court is R-Up which she has reached once: Queens in 2025 (l. champion Maria in F)
- Best result by United States of America at Berlin was Champion run by Jessica Pegula in 2024
- Is currently ranked at a career-high No.13 (just achieved on June 16); this time last year was ranked No.189

Samsonova:

- Has beaten Naomi Osaka and Jessica Pegula so far this week to reach her 4th QF of 2025 season (Strasbourg, Indian Wells, Adelaide)
- Owns 26 wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.3 Jessica Pegula here at Berlin 2025
- Has won two grass court titles: 's-Hertogenbosch in 2024; Berlin in 2021
- Is currently ranked No.20 (peak rank at No.12 in 2023); this time last year was ranked No.15

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61 **ONS**
JABEUR (LL)
TUNISIA

MARKETA
VONDROUSOVA **164**
CZECH REPUBLIC

1994-08-28	Date of Birth	1999-06-28
Tunis, Tunisia	Residence	Sokolov, CZE
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Left-handed, two-handed backhand
5' 6" (1.67m)	Height	5' 6" (1.72m)
2	Career-High Ranking	6
\$14,076,326	Career Prize Money	\$10,806,179
\$646,047	Season Prize Money	\$367,743
0 / 5	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 2
61-31 (Runner-Up: 2023 WIMBLEDON; 2022 US OPEN, WIMBLEDON)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	43-25 (Champion: 2023 WIMBLEDON)
0-0 / 7-2 (Champion: 2022)	YTD / Career BERLIN W-L (best)	0-0 / 3-3 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025, 2023)
13-11 / 220-150	YTD / Career W-L	8-5 / 158-99

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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2023	WTA FINALS	HARD	1r	Ons Jabeur	6-4 6-3	1h 29m
2023	WIMBLEDON	GRASS	F	Marketa Vondrousova	6-4 6-4	1h 20m
2023	INDIAN WELLS	HARD	3r	Marketa Vondrousova	7-6(5) 6-4	1h 31m
2023	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	2r	Marketa Vondrousova	6-1 5-7 6-1	1h 41m
2022	STUTTGART	CLAY	1r	Ons Jabeur	4-6 6-2 6-3	1h 40m
2021	EASTBOURNE	GRASS	1r	Ons Jabeur	6-3 7-6(4)	1h 30m
2016	SUNRISE	CLAY	2r	Ons Jabeur	6-3 6-3	0m
2015	PRAGUE	CLAY	Q	Marketa Vondrousova	6-3 3-0	50m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
6	42	2024	6	39
2	6	2023	6	7
2	2	2022	32	99
7	10	2021	20	35
31	31	2020	16	21
51	77	2019	14	16
62	62	2018	50	67
83	88	2017	61	67
170	193	2016	286	376
118	210	2015	429	429

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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. C. DOLEHIDE (#64) 7-6 5-1 (1h 25m)
2r: d. J. PAOLINI (#5) 6-1 6-3 (1h 16m)

Total time on court: 2h 41m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her 4th appearance at Berlin, where her previous result was reaching QF in 2024
- Has beaten Caroline Dolehide and Jasmine Paolini so far this week to reach her first QF since her QF run at Doha 2025
- Faces No.164 Marketa Vondrousova in QF today; the last time the two faced on grass was the Wimbledon 2023 final
- Owns 19-15 career record against players from Czech Republic, with record in 2025 standing at 1-0
- Best career result on Grass is Champion which she has reached 2 times: Berlin in 2022; Birmingham in 2021. She is also a two-time Wimbledon finalist in 2022 and 2023 (l. Rybakina in 2022, l. Vondrousova in 2023)
- Only player from Tunisia in the main draw
- Best result by Tunisia at Berlin was her Champion run in 2022
- Is currently ranked No.61; this time last year was ranked No.10
- During last year's European grass swing reached 3r at Wimbledon, QF at Berlin, QF at Nottingham
- Has won 13 matches so far in 2025
- Has been involved in 4 three-set matches in 2025

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. M. KEYS (#6) 7-5 7-6 (1h 46m)
2r: d. D. SHNAIDER (#12) 6-3 6-7 6-3 (2h 20m)

Total time on court: 4h 6m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her 4th appearance at Berlin, where her best result is her current run to the QF and her QF run in 2023
- Has beaten Madison Keys and Diana Shnaider so far this week to reach her first QF since Abu Dhabi 2025
- Faces No.61 Ons Jabeur in QF today; the last time the two faced on grass was her Champion run at Wimbledon (d. Jabeur 64 64)
- Owns 3-3 career record against players from Tunisia, with record in 2025 standing at 0-0
- Best career result on grass is Champion which she has reached one time: Wimbledon in 2023
- Only player from Czech Republic to reach QF
- Best result by Czech Republic at Berlin was the Champion run by Petra Kvitova in 2023
- Vondrousova is now the lowest-ranked player to reach the QF at Berlin
- Is currently ranked No.164; this time last year was ranked No.6
- During last year's European grass swing reached 1r at Wimbledon, 2r at Berlin
- Has won 7 matches so far in 2025
- Has been involved in 6 three-set matches in 2025

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2024	Result	Rank: 10	Seed: 8
QF	L	C. GAUFF (#2) 7-6(9)	
2r	W	L. NOSKOVA (#28) 6-7(5) 6-3 6-4	
1r	W	X. WANG (#40) 6-4 7-6(4)	
2023	Result	Rank: 6	Seed: 4
1r	L	J. NIEMEIER (#120) 7-6(4) 6-4	
2022	Result	Rank: 4	Seed: 1
F	W	B. BENCIC (#17) 6-3 2-1	
SF	W	C. GAUFF (#13) 7-6(4) 6-2	
QF	W	A. SASNOVICH (#38) 6-7(3) 6-2 6-2	
2r	W	A. PARKS (#169) 6-2 7-6(8)	
1r	W	K. MUCHOVA (#80) 6-3 6-3	

2024	Result	Rank: 6	Seed: 5
2r	L	A. KALINSKAYA (#24) 5-5	
1r	W	R. MASAROVA (#100) 6-4 6-3	
2023	Result	Rank: 53	Seed: -
QF	L	M. SAKKARI (#8) 7-6(7) 6-1	
2r	W	J. NIEMEIER (#120) 6-3 6-5	
1r	W	B. ANDREESCU (#35) 7-6(0) 7-5	
2021	Result	Rank: 41	Seed: -
1r	L	L. SAMSONOVA (#106) 6-4 7-6(6)	

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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Fell in 1r at Roland Garros (l. Frech)
- Made 3r at Rome (l. eventual champion Paolini)
- Played 2r at Madrid (l. Uchijima)
- Played 3r at Miami (l. Paolini, retired due to calf injury)
- Made 2r at Indian Wells (l. Yastremska)
- Played 1r at Dubai (l. Stearns)
- Reached QF at Doha(l. Ostapenko)
- Reached QF at Abu Dhabi (l. Rybakina)
- Reached 3r at Australian Open (l. Navarro)
- Made R16 at Adelaide (as a WC, l. Putintseva)
- Opened 2025 with QF at Brisbane (l. M.Andreeva)

- Made 3r at Roland Garros (l. Pegula)
- Played 1r at Dubai (l. eventual champion M. Andreeva)
- Played 1r at Doha (l. Svitolina)
- Reached QF at Abu Dhabi (as a WC, l. eventual champion Bencic)
- Made 2r at Adelaide (l. Shnaider, retired due to left thigh injury)

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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (5)

2023 - NINGBO, CHARLESTON

2022 - BERLIN, MADRID

2021 - BIRMINGHAM

Runner-Up (8)

2023 - WIMBLEDON

2022 - US OPEN, WIMBLEDON, ROME,
CHARLESTON

2021 - CHICAGO 500, CHARLESTON 250

2018 - MOSCOW

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (1)

2021 - BIRMINGHAM (w/Perez)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)

2023 - WIMBLEDON

2017 - BIEL

Runner-Up (4)

2021 - OLYMPICS

2019 - ROLAND GARROS, ISTANBUL, BUDAPEST

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (3)

2023 - BERLIN (w/Siniakova)

2022 - ADELAIDE 250 (w/Martincova)

2021 - ROME (w/Mladenovic)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
3r	1r			2025		3r		
2r	QF	3r		2024	1r	QF	1r	
2r	QF	RUP	4r	2023	3r	2r	WON	QF
	1r	RUP	RUP	2022	3r			
3r	4r	QF	3r	2021	4r	4r	2r	2r
QF	4r		3r	2020	1r	1r		2r
1r	1r	1r	3r	2019	2r	RUP	1r	
1r		2r	1r	2018	2r	1r	1r	4r
	3r	1r	2r	2017		2r	1r	1r
				2016				
1r				2015				
			1r	2014				

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CAREER MILESTONES

- 2024 season highlights included five quarterfinals at Roland Garros, Madrid, Berlin, Abu Dhabi and Nottingham. Ended season after Toronto in August through shoulder injury
- Reached third Grand Slam final and second Wimbledon final in 2023 (l. Vondrousova). Also qualified for WTA Finals for second consecutive year to close out the season.
- In 2022, created history by becoming first African and Arab woman in Open Era to reach a Grand Slam final, finishing R-Up at first Wimbledon (l. Rybakina) and then US Open (l. Swiatek)
- Lifted biggest career title at WTA 1000 Madrid during 2022 clay-court season (d. Pegula in F)
- Broke into Top 10 on October 18, 2021, following SF run at Indian Wells (l. eventual champion Badosa)
- At 2021 Birmingham, became first Arab woman to win a WTA title (d. Kasatkina in F). Followed this with QF at Wimbledon (l. Sabalenka)
- In 2021, also finished R-Up at Charleston [250] (l. Sharma) and Chicago [500] (l. Muguruza)
- Reached maiden Grand Slam QF at 2020 Australian Open to become the first Arab woman to reach that stage at a major (l. eventual champion Kenin); made Top 50 debut at No.45 after breakthrough performance in Melbourne
- Made further QFs in 2020 at Doha (d. No.3 Ka.Pliskova, l. Kvitova), Lexington (l. Gauff), Western & Southern Open (l. eventual champion Azarenka) and Ostrava (l. Sakkari); posted career-high ranking of No.31 on August 31, 2020
- Season highlights in 2019 were 3r run at US Open and SF appearances at Eastbourne (l. eventual R-Up Kerber) and Tianjin (l. eventual champion Peterson)
- In 2018, defeated No.3 seed Stephens, No.8 seed Kontaveit and No.5 seed Sevastova en route to her first WTA final at 2018 Moscow, where she fell in three sets to No.6 seed Kasatkina. Was first Tunisian woman to advance beyond QF at a WTA tournament (Sfar was the only other Tunisian to reach a QF at this level)
- Scored first Top-10 win over No.7 Cibulkova at 2017 Roland Garros
- Reached maiden WTA QF at 2013 Baku. Also advanced to that stage at 2017 Taipei City and 2018 Bucharest
- Three-time member of Tunisian Olympic Team, first doing so at London games in 2012
- Contested first two WTA main draws in 2012, at Doha (as WC) and Olympics
- In 2024 reached QF at Roland Garros (l. eventual champion Swiatek); further highlights included semifinal at Stuttgart and quarterfinals at Strasbourg and Dubai. Ended her season after Wimbledon through shoulder injury
- Following injury issues in second half of 2022, bounced back in 2023 for best-ever season, winning debut Slam title at Wimbledon (d. Jabeur in F - becoming the first unseeded player in the open era to claim the Wimbledon title), making Top 10 debut and qualifying for first WTA Finals.
- Best result of 2022 season was SF run at Dubai (withdrew prior to match vs. w/right adductor injury). Missed most of second half of the season due to left wrist injury, returning in October to play a few ITF Circuit events and Billie Jean King Cup Finals
- Finished 2021 with SF runs at Luxembourg, Chicago [500] and Moscow
- Won silver medal in singles at Olympics in Tokyo (l. Bencic)
- Opened 2021 campaign with SF at Yarra Valley Classic before R16 showing at Australian Open
- Highlights of 2020 include defeating No.6 Svitolina to reach SFs at Rome (l. Ka.Pliskova) as well as a QF run to kick off the season at Adelaide (l. No.1 Barty)
- Enjoyed break-out season in 2019, reaching three finals across the year and posting career-high ranking of No.14 on July 1, 2019
- Finished R-Up at Budapest (l. Van Uytvanck) and Istanbul (l. Martic) before reaching championship match at Roland Garros (l. Barty); did not drop a set en route to final in Paris
- Ranked No.38, was joint-third lowest-ranked woman to reach Roland Garros final, and aged 19, was first teenager to reach title match there since Ivanovic in 2007
- Posted first win of career over a Top 2 player in 2019, defeating No.2 Halep at Indian Wells and then Rome
- Forced to end 2019 season down early due to left wrist injury - did not play again following 1r exit at Wimbledon
- In doubles, has reached SF at 2019 Australian Open (w/Strycova) and QF at 2017 Wimbledon (w/Bellis)
- At 2018 US Open, became the first teenager to reach the last 16 at Flushing Meadows since 2016 (Konjuh, QF - 18) and the youngest Czech player to advance to this stage in New York since 2005 (Vaidisova, R16 - 16)

- On ITF Circuit, has 11 singles and one doubles title
- Played first event of career at 2008 ITF/El Menzah-TUN
- Became first North African woman to win a junior Slam at 2011 Roland Garros (d. Puig in F), having also reached the final in 2010 (l. Svitolina in F)

- Was the biggest ranking mover on tour in 2017, moving from No.376 to No.67 (309 places)
- Made WTA breakthrough by winning International-level title at 2017 Biel/Bienne (d. Kontaveit in F), in just her second WTA main draw. At No.233, was the lowest-ranked title winner in 2017 and aged 17 years, 293 days was the youngest since Konjuh (17 years, 169 days) at 2015 Nottingham
- Advanced to 2r on tour-level debut at 2016 Prague - as wildcard
- Made professional debut at 2014 \$100k ITF/Prague-CZE (d. Suk, l. Brengle in 2r); on ITF Circuit, winner of seven singles and four doubles titles
- In juniors won doubles at Australian Open and Roland Garros in 2015 (both w/Kolodziejova). In singles, was semifinalist at both Roland Garros and Wimbledon and rose to No.1 on ITF junior rankings in 2015

OTHER INFORMATION

- Currently coached by Issam Jellali; fitness trainer is Karim Kammoun
- Mother's name is Samira; father's name is Ridha; has two brothers (Hatem and Marwen) and one sister (Yasmine)
- Started playing tennis at age 3; mother loved playing tennis and would take her with her to tennis club
- Favorite shots are forehand and volleys , likes slice and drop shots; likes all surfaces
- Speaks Arabic, English and French; learning Russian because husband is half-Russian
- Best tennis memory is winning Roland Garros juniors in 2011 (had operation on left wrist in November 2010 and missed five months, and was only her third or fourth event back)
- Favorite tournament is Roland Garros
- Player most admired is Andy Roddick for his serve and humor
- Supports Real Madrid and Juventus

- Coached by Jan Hernych
- Lives and trains in Prague; moved to the city on her own to train at 15 years old
- Began playing tennis at 4 years old with her father, David Voudrous, and by 10-years-old she was practicing in Prague. Mother, Jindriska Anderlova played volleyball in the top Czech league
- Married partner Stepan Simek in the summer of 2022
- Favorite surface is clay because she grew up on it, but believes her game is more suited for hard courts
- Chose tennis over soccer because she prefers the individual nature of the sport
- Tennis idol is Roger Federer
- Has a Sphynx cat named Frankie
- Describes herself as "quiet" and "calm"

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10 **PAULA
BADOSA (8)**
SPAIN

**XINYU
(Q) WANG 49**
CHINA

1997-11-15	Date of Birth	2001-09-26
Dubai, UAE	Residence	
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-Handed (Two-handed backhand)
5' 11" (1.80m)	Height	5' 11" (1.82m)
2	Career-High Ranking	32
\$9,009,538	Career Prize Money	\$4,047,645
\$1,148,329	Season Prize Money	\$485,501
0 / 4	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 0
40-21 (Semi-Finalist: 2025 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	14-16 (Round of 16: 2024 WIMBLEDON; 2023 US OPEN)
2-0 / 2-0 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025)	YTD / Career BERLIN W-L (best)	2-0 / 3-3 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025)
17-9 / 165-96	YTD / Career W-L	8-13 / 79-97

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(Q) WANG**

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YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2025	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	1r	Paula Badosa	6-3 7-6(5)	1h 27m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
11	12	2024	32	37
11	66	2023	32	32
2	13	2022	68	97
8	8	2021	99	99
69	70	2020	135	153
86	97	2019	142	150
143	143	2018	306	306
242	247	2017	975	983
222	314	2016	-	-
193	220	2015	-	-

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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. E. LYS (#62) 6-1 6-3 (1h 0m)
2r: d. E. NAVARRO (#9) 7-6 6-3 (1h 48m)

Total time on court: 2h 48m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her 1st appearance at Berlin
- Has beaten Eva Lys and Emma Navarro so far this week to reach her first QF since her QF run at Strasbourg 2025
- Faces No.49 Xinyu Wang in QF today in their second meeting
- Owns 5-3 career record against players from China, with record in 2025 standing at 1-0
- Owns 20-9 career record against qualifiers, with a record in 2025 standing at 1-1
- Best career result on grass is Quarter-Finalist which she has reached once: Bad Homburg in 2024
- Only player from Spain to reach QF
- Best result by Spain at Berlin was Quarter-Finalist run by Garbiñe Muguruza in 2021
- Is currently ranked No.10; this time last year was ranked No.115
- During last year's European grass swing reached 4r at Wimbledon, QF at Bad Homburg

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. D. KASATKINA (#16) 6-3 6-2 (1h 7m)
2r: d. C. GAUFF (#2) 6-3 6-3 (1h 15m)

Total time on court: 2h 22m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her 4th appearance at Berlin, where her best result is her current run at the tournament
- Has beaten Daria Kasatkina and Coco Gauff so far this week to reach her first QF since her SF run at Singapore 2025
- Through to her 11th QF of her career and second at a WTA 500 level or higher -also at 2024 Wuhan (SF)
- Faces No.10 Paula Badosa in QF today; owns 3 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.2 Coco Gauff at in the previous round at Berlin 2025
- Owns 2-5 career record against players from Spain, with record in 2025 standing at 0-1
- Owns 16-42 career record against seeds, with a record in 2025 standing at 2-4
- This is her first grass-court QF; best previous result on grass is Round of 16 which she has reached 2 times: Wimbledon in 2024; Berlin in 2022
- First Chinese player to reach the QF at the tournament
- Best result by a qualifier at Berlin was Champion run by Liudmila Samsonova in 2021
- Is currently ranked No.49; this time last year was ranked No.40
- During last year's European grass swing reached 4r at Wimbledon, 1r at Eastbourne, 1r at Berlin

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(Q) WANG**

RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

2024	Result	Rank: 40	Seed: -
1r	L	O. JABEUR (#10) 6-4 7-6(4)	
2023	Result	Rank: 69	Seed: -
1r	L	J. FOURLIS (#218) 3-6 7-5	
2022	Result	Rank: 76	Seed: -
2r	L	C. GAUFF (#13) 6-0 6-4	
1r	W	T. KORPATSCH (#105) 3-6 6-3 6-4	

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**PAULA
BADOSA**

**XINYU
(Q) WANG**

SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Reached 3r at Roland Garros (l. Kasatkina)
- Made QF at Strasbourg (l. eventual R-Up Samsonova)
- Reached 4r at Miami (l. Eala)
- Made QF at Merida (l. Saville, retired due to lower back injury)
- Reached R16 at Dubai (l. Rybakina)
- Played 2r at Doha (l. eventual champion Anisimova)
- Reached 2r at Abu Dhabi (l. Noskova)
- Reached SF at Australian Open (l. eventual R-Up Sabalenka)
- Made 2r at Adelaide (l. Krueger)
- Opened season playing R32 at Brisbane (l. Avanesyan)

- Fell in 1r at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Birrell)
- Played 1r at Roland Garros (l. Raducanu)
- Made 2r at Strasbourg (l. eventual champion Rybakina)
- Reached QF at Parma 125 (as WC, l. eventual R-Up Mboko)
- Fell in 1r at Rome (l. Rakhimova)
- Played 1r at Madrid (l. Sakkari)
- Fell in 1r at Miami (l. Kudermetova)
- Reached 3r at Indian Wells (l. Pegula)
- Played 1r at Dubai (l. Parks)
- Played 1r at Doha (l. Avanesyan)
- Reached SF at Singapore (l. eventual champion Mertens)
- Played 1r at Australian Open (l. Badosa)
- Fell in 1r at Adelaide (as qualifier, l. Jones)
- Opened 2025 playing 1r at Brisbane (l. Kudermetova)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
117	17	Aces	62	41
60.1%	53	First serve %	62.5%	32
69.9%	7	First Serve points won %	66.6%	22
47.2%	29	Second serve points won %	44.3%	56
60.9%	7	Overall service points won %	58.2%	23
73.8%	11	Service games won %	69.7%	24
58.6%	22	Break points saved %	60.8%	10
37.0%	37	First serve return points won %	31.4%	80
54.6%	46	Second serve return points won %	53.6%	59
43.0%	53	Break points converted %	39.3%	76
34.3%	42	Return games won %	23.9%	80
43.6%	40	Return points won %	39.2%	80

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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (4)
2024 - WASHINGTON DC
2022 - SYDNEY
2021 - INDIAN WELLS, BELGRADE

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (4)
2024 - BERLIN (w/Zheng)
2023 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Hsieh)
2021 - COURMAYEUR (w/Zheng)
2019 - NANCHANG (w/Zhu)

Runner-Up (5)
2025 - SINGAPORE (w/Zheng)
2023 - MÉRIDA (w/Wu), HUA HIN (w/Zhu)
2022 - GUADALAJARA (w/Zhu)
2021 - LINZ (w/Zheng)

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

**PAULA
BADOSA**

**XINYU
(Q) WANG**

CAREER MILESTONES

- Voted 2024 WTA Comeback Player of the Year after finishing the year at No.12 (after finishing 2023 at No.66); won 4th career title at Washington DC and also reached SF at Cincinnati, Beijing and Ningbo; also advanced to QF at US Open
 - 2023 was a difficult season for Badosa; while she made the SF at Adelaide #2, reached back-to-back QF at Charleston and Stuttgart and an additional QF at Rome, she withdrew from Roland Garros with a back injury. Her last match of the year was at Wimbledon, where she fell in the R64. She ended her season afterwards due to continuing injury
 - In 2022, Badosa rose to career-high ranking of No.2 (April 25), won one title, at Sydney and advanced to SF at Indian Wells, Stuttgart and San Jose
 - 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
 - In 2021 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. That year also reached SF at Istanbul (l. Bouchard)
 - Campaign in 2019 highlighted by SF run at Palermo (l. Bertens) and QF showing at Seoul (l. Y.Wang); also fell 1r on Grand Slam main draw debut at Australian Open (as qualifier, l. Birrell)
 - 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)
 - In 2024, made her best to date run at a Grand Slam by reaching R16 at Wimbledon; also made her first WTA 1000 semifinal at Wuhan and a second semifinal at WTA 250 Hua Hin
 - Dramatically improved her ranking across 2023 season, making Top 50 debut in September and hitting No.32 in October. Posted best result at three of the four Slams, including R16 run at Roland Garros. Also reached semifinals at Hua Hin and Osaka (l. Zhu both times).
- In doubles, claimed Roland Garros title (w/Hsieh) and runner-up at Hua Hin (w/Zhu) and Merida (w/Wu), with her doubles ranking peaking at No. 18 on September 11, 2023.
- Reached 2r on six occasions in 2022, including at Australian Open (l. Sabalenka). Also won sixth career ITF Circuit title, at W60 event in Tokyo in November
 - Made Top 100 debut on November 15, 2021
 - Highlight of 2021 was SF at Prague (l. eventual champion Krejčíková). Also advanced to QF at Courmayeur (l. Vekic) and Linz (as qualifier, l. eventual champion Riske)
 - In 2020, fell 1r at Shenzhen (l. Muguruza) and Hua Hin (l. Liang)
 - Opened 2019 season with maiden Tour-level main draw win at Shenzhen Open (d. F.Xun, l. Sharapova), went on to post two more 2r runs at Nanchang (l. Rybakina) and Tianjin (as qualifier, l. Peterson)
 - Lifted maiden WTA doubles title at 2019 Nanchang w/L.Zhu (d. Peng/Zhang in F)
 - Won three consecutive ITF titles in 2019, at \$25K ITF/Shenzhen 2-CHN (d. F.Xun in F), \$25K ITF/Hengyang-CHN (d. Z.Sun in F) and \$25K ITF/Tianjin-CHN (d. Jovic in F)
 - In 2018, won maiden title of career at \$25K ITF/Nonhaburi 4-THA (d. Wang Xiyu in F)
 - Made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2018 Australian Open (l. Cornet in 1r)
 - Also in 2018, contested qualifying on WTA Tour for the first time at Shenzhen Open and competed in maiden WTA main draw at Guangzhou (l. Khazaniuk)
 - Advanced to 2r on professional debut at \$10K ITF/Prokuplje 2-SRB in 2016 (as qualifier, l. Zakarlyuk)

- 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 professional tournament of career at \$10k ITF/Gexto-ESP in 2012 (l. in 1r)
- Won girls' singles title at 2015 Roland Garros (d. Kalinskaya in F) and reached QF at Roland Garros and Wimbledon in 2014; finished 2015 as No.8 in ITF World Junior rankings

OTHER INFORMATION

- Currently coached by Pol Toledo; Previously worked with Jorge García
- Born in New York City, often trains in Barcelona, near her hometown Begur in the Costa Brava, but lives in Dubai
- 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
- Father, Peng Wang, is a former professional player and Fed Cup captain, mother is Jinghui Zhou
- Started playing tennis with father at the age of six. Describes her game as "aggressive and decisive"
- Best moment in tennis to date was playing Maria Sharapova at Shenzhen in 2019
- Favorite surface is hard and favorite tournaments are the Australian and US Opens
- Li Na was her role model growing up
- Long-term goal is to win a Grand Slam
- Passions away from the court are yoga and food. Favorite book is Little Women, movie is The Hunger Games and musician is Jay Chou
- Words she would use to describe herself are "peace and love".

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1 **ARYNA
SABALENKA (1)**

**ELENA
RYBAKINA** **11**
KAZAKHSTAN

1998-05-05	Date of Birth	1999-06-17
	Residence	
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 11" (1.82m)	Height	6' 0" (1.84m)
1	Career-High Ranking	3
\$36,023,711	Career Prize Money	\$17,450,937
\$5,916,888	Season Prize Money	\$2,137,297
3 / 20	Singles Titles YTD / Career	1 / 9
89-25 (Champion: 2024 US OPEN, AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	54-20 (Champion: 2022 WIMBLEDON)
1-0 / 3-4 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025, 2024)	YTD / Career BERLIN W-L (best)	2-0 / 5-3 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025, 2024)
41-7 / 346-131	YTD / Career W-L	27-11 / 238-102

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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2024	WTA FINALS	HARD	GRP	Elena Rybakina	6-4 3-6 6-1	1h 41m
2024	MADRID	CLAY	SF	Aryna Sabalenka	1-6 7-5 7-6(5)	2h 17m
2024	BRISBANE	HARD	F	Elena Rybakina	6-0 6-3	1h 13m
2023	WTA FINALS	HARD	1r	Aryna Sabalenka	6-2 3-6 6-3	2h 27m
2023	BEIJING	HARD	QF	Elena Rybakina	7-5 6-2	1h 34m
2023	INDIAN WELLS	HARD	F	Elena Rybakina	7-6(11) 6-4	2h 3m
2023	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	F	Aryna Sabalenka	4-6 6-3 6-4	2h 28m
2021	WIMBLEDON	GRASS	4r	Aryna Sabalenka	6-3 4-6 6-3	1h 49m
2021	ABU DHABI	HARD	QF	Aryna Sabalenka	6-4 4-6 6-3	1h 58m
2019	WUHAN	HARD	QF	Aryna Sabalenka	6-3 1-6 6-1	1h 42m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
1	1	2024	3	6
1	2	2023	3	4
2	5	2022	12	22
2	2	2021	14	14
10	10	2020	17	19
9	11	2019	37	37
11	11	2018	182	191
76	78	2017	420	425
154	159	2016	612	616
539	548	2015	-	-

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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. R. MASAROVA (#112) 6-2 7-6 (1h 48m)

Total time on court: 1h 48m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making fifth appearance at Berlin, where her previous and best result was reaching QF in 2024 (l. via retirement to eventual runner-up Kalinskaya)
- After 1r bye, has beaten Rebeka Masarova to reach her 9th QF of 2025 season, owning 7-1 record in QF matches, with the only loss to Zheng at Rome
- With a win today would be through to her first SF at Berlin
- Faces No.11 Elena Rybakina in QF today; record against opponents outside Top 10 is 33-5 in 2025, with the most recent loss coming against No. 24 Ostapenko at Stuttgart 2025
- Owns 8-5 career record against players from Kazakhstan (1-0 in 2025); is playing today's opponent Rybakina for the 11th time (6-4) and first time in 2025
- Best career result on grass is Runner-Up at 's-Hertogenbosch in 2022 (l. Alexandrova in final) and Eastbourne in 2018 (l. Wozniacki in final); also reached SF twice at Wimbledon 2018 (l. Ka. Pliskova) and 2023 (l. Jabeur)
- Is No. 1 seed this week; has been top seed at 31 tournaments in her career
- Is currently ranked No.1; this time last year was ranked No.3
- During last year's European grass swing reached QF at Berlin; then skipped Wimbledon due to injury

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. A. KRUEGER (#33) 6-3 7-6 2-3 (1h 36m)
2r: d. K. SINIAKOVA (#74) 6-4 7-6 (1h 42m)

Total time on court: 3h 18m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her fourth appearance at Berlin, where her previous result was reaching QF in 2024 (l. Azarenka)
- Has beaten Ashlyn Krueger and Katerina Siniakova to reach back-to-back QFs at Berlin, after doing so last week at Queens (l. eventual champion Maria)
- With a win today would be through to her first SF at Berlin
- Faces No.1 Aryna Sabalenka in QF today - record against world No.1 stands at 6-4 (0-0 in 2025)
- Owns 65-53 career record against seeded opponents (9-7 in 2025)
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 32-17 (4-2 in 2025)
- Best career result on Grass is Champion run at Wimbledon 2022
- Best result by Kazakhstan at Berlin was Rybakina's own QF run in 2024
- Is currently ranked No.11; this time last year was ranked No.4
- During last year's European grass swing reached SF at Wimbledon, QF at Berlin
- Has won 27 matches so far in 2025

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2024	Result	Rank: 3	Seed: 2
QF	L	A. KALINSKAYA (#24) 5-1	
2r	W	D. KASATKINA (#14) 6-1 6-4	

2023	Result	Rank: 2	Seed: 1
2r	L	V. KUDERMETOVA (#13) 6-2 7-6(2)	
1r	W	V. ZVONAREVA (#1243) 6-3 6-2	

2022	Result	Rank: 5	Seed: 3
1r	L	V. KUDERMETOVA (#24) 2-6 7-5 6-4	

2021	Result	Rank: 4	Seed: 1
2r	L	M. KEYS (#28) 6-4 1-6 7-5	

2024	Result	Rank: 4	Seed: 3
QF	L	V. AZARENKA (#19) 3-1	
2r	W	V. KUDERMETOVA (#35) 6-4 7-5	

2023	Result	Rank: 3	Seed: 2
2r	L	D. VEKIC (#23) 6-7(1) 6-3 6-4	
1r	W	P. KUDERMETOVA (#139) 6-4 6-2	

2021	Result	Rank: 21	Seed: -
2r	L	G. MUGURUZA (#13) 6-4 6-3	
1r	W	S. ROGERS (#46) 2-6 6-3 6-4	

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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- R-Up finish at Roland Garros (l. champion Gauff)
- Reached QF at Rome (l. Zheng)
- Became champion at Madrid (d. Gauff in F)
- Finished R-Up at Stuttgart (l. Ostapenko in F)
- 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 QF at London (l. eventual champion Maria)
- Made 4r at Roland Garros (l. Swiatek)
- Won at Strasbourg (d. Samsonova in F)
- Made 3r at Rome (l. Andreescu)
- Reached 3r at Madrid (l. Svitolina)
- Played 2r at Miami (l. Krueger)
- Made 4r at Indian Wells (l. eventual champion Mirra Andreeva)
- Reached SF at Dubai (l. eventual champion M. Andreeva)
- Made QF at Doha (l. Swiatek)
- As defending champion and No.1 seed, reached SF at Abu Dhabi (l. eventual champion Bencic)
- Reached 4r at Australian Open (l. eventual champion Keys)
- Opened 2025 representing Kazakhstan at United Cup, with a 3-1 result in singles (l. Swiatek)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
161	4	Aces	220	1
63.3%	25	First serve %	59.4%	59
67.6%	17	First Serve points won %	72.6%	2
51.0%	4	Second serve points won %	48.9%	14
61.5%	4	Overall service points won %	63.0%	2
76.7%	3	Service games won %	79.5%	1
65.5%	1	Break points saved %	63.5%	2
40.0%	10	First serve return points won %	36.4%	46
60.9%	2	Second serve return points won %	54.8%	42
48.7%	18	Break points converted %	40.7%	70
44.3%	3	Return games won %	33.1%	48
47.9%	2	Return points won %	43.4%	42

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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (20)

2025 - MADRID, 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 (18)

2025 - ROLAND GARROS, STUTTGART, 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 - STRASBOURG
2024 - STUTTGART, ABU DHABI, BRISBANE
2023 - ROME, INDIAN WELLS
2022 - WIMBLEDON
2020 - HOBART
2019 - BUCHAREST

Runner-Up (11)

2024 - MIAMI, DOHA
2023 - MIAMI, AUSTRALIAN OPEN
2022 - PORTOROZ, ADELAIDE 500
2020 - STRASBOURG, DUBAI, ST. PETERSBURG,
SHENZHEN
2019 - NANCHANG

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (2)

2023 - ADELAIDE #2 (w/Pavlyuchenkova)
2021 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Kudermetova)

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GRAND SLAMS

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

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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. Krejčíková/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. Kvitová 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. Krejčíková/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 Wuhan (d. Kontaveit in F), winning 46 matches and finishing at No.11 in the rankings
- Won three titles from five finals in 2024, tasting success at Brisbane, Abu Dhabi and Stuttgart and finishing R-Up at Doha and Miami. Qualified for her second WTA Finals and defeated WTA World No.1 Sabalenka in the group stage
- Reached second Grand Slam final at 2023 Australian Open (l. Sabalenka in 3s); made Top-10 debut following tournament (January 30, 2023). Also in 2023 won first two WTA 1000 title at Indian Wells and Rome and finished R-Up at Miami. Qualified for first WTA Finals, going 1-2 in group stage.
- Lifted maiden major at 2022 Wimbledon (d. Jabeur in F)
- In 2022 also finished R-Up at Adelaide (l. Barty) and Portoroz (l. Siniakova)
- Best result of 2021 were SFs at Eastbourne, Olympics and Chicago [500], and QFs at Abu Dhabi, Roland Garros, San Jose and Ostrava
- Opened 2020 season by reaching the championship match at four of her first five tournaments, including a title run at Hobart (d. Zhang in F)
- Made first final appearance at a Premier-level tournament with R-Up finish at St. Petersburg (l. Bertens); was rewarded with Top 20 debut at No.19 following run in Russia (February 17, 2020)
- First win over a Top-5 ranked opponent came over No.3 Ka.Pliskova during R-Up finish at 2020 Dubai
- Won back-to-back Slam matches for the first time during 3r showing at 2020 Australian Open (l. Barty)
- Won maiden WTA singles title at 2019 Bucharest (d. Tig in F), breaking into Top 100 for the first time in the following week's rankings at No.65 (July 22, 2019)
- Also in 2019, went on to make Top 50 debut on September 16, 2019, after reaching second career final at Nanchang (l. Peterson), produced SF appearances at Luxembourg and 's-Hertogenbosch, and made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2019 Roland Garros, falling 1r (as qualifier, l. Siniakova)
- Finished 2019 campaign with 57-21 win-loss record (across all levels) to end season at No.37, up from 2018's final ranking of No.191. On the ITF Circuit in 2019, lifted silverware on three occasions: back-to-back at \$25k Moscow-RUS and \$25k Kazan-RUS, and at \$60k ITF/Launceston-AUS
- Highlights of 2018 included reaching maiden WTA QF at St. Petersburg (l. Goerges) and clinching title at \$15k ITF/Kazan-RUS

- 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

- First Top 10 win came over No.7 Garcia at 2018 St. Petersburg
- Made WTA qualifying and main draw debut at 2017 Moscow (as qualifier, l. Begu in 1r)
- Professional debut came at \$10k ITF/Antalya-TUR in 2014

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"

- Trained at Spartak Club in Moscow as a junior; previous coaches included Andrei Cheshnokov (Elena Vesnina's former coach) and Evgenia Kulikovskaya
- Nominated for 2019 WTA Newcomer of the Year Award
- Started playing tennis aged five and favorite surface is hard

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**LIUDMILA
SAMSONOVA** **20**

2001-08-31	Date of Birth	1998-11-11
Aventura, FL, USA	Residence	
Right-handed	Plays	Right-Handed
5' 11" (1.80m)	Height	5' 11" (1.82m)
13	Career-High Ranking	12
\$6,517,266	Career Prize Money	\$6,894,436
\$1,398,317	Season Prize Money	\$1,046,989
1 / 3	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 5
32-21 (Semi-Finalist: 2019 ROLAND GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	24-20 (Round of 16: 2025 ROLAND GARROS; 2024 US OPEN; 2022 US OPEN; 2021 WIMBLEDON)
2-0 / 2-1 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025)	YTD / Career BERLIN W-L (best)	2-0 / 8-3 (Champion: 2021)
23-10 / 134-85	YTD / Career W-L	19-14 / 136-107

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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2024	ROLAND GARROS	CLAY	2r	Liudmila Samsonova	6-2 6-1	58m
2024	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	1r	Amanda Anisimova	6-3 6-4	1h 24m
2023	ADELAIDE #2	HARD	1r	Amanda Anisimova	7-5 6-3	1h 26m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
36	36	2024	13	27
23	359	2023	12	16
22	23	2022	19	20
30	78	2021	39	39
22	30	2020	114	127
21	24	2019	123	139
92	95	2018	177	180
182	192	2017	520	552
760	764	2016	1076	1078
-	-	2015	837	-

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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. B. ANDREESCU (#148) 6-4 6-3 (1h 5m)
2r: d. M. FRECH (#25) 6-2 4-6 6-3 (2h 5m)

Total time on court: 3h 10m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 2nd appearance at Berlin, where her best result was reaching 1r in 2021 (l. Cornet)
- Has beaten Bianca Andreescu and Magdalena Frech to reach 5th QF of 2025 season
- Faces No.20 Liudmila Samsonova in QF today; owns 5-1 record against Top 20 opponents in 2025, with the only loss to No. 1 Sabalenka at Roland Garros
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 10-11 (3-1 in 2025)
- Best career result on grass court is R-Up which she has reached once: Queens in 2025 (l. champion Maria in F)
- Only player from United States of America to reach QF
- Best result by United States of America at Berlin was Champion run by Jessica Pegula in 2024
- Is currently ranked at a career-high No.13 (just achieved on June 16); this time last year was ranked No.189
- Has won 23 matches so far in 2025

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. N. OSAKA (#57) 3-6 7-6 6-4 (2h 36m)
2r: d. J. PEGULA (#3) 6-7 7-5 7-6 (3h 21m)

Total time on court: 5h 57m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making fifth appearance at Berlin, where she is a former champion in 2021 (as a qualifier, defeated Bencic in final)
- Has beaten Naomi Osaka and Jessica Pegula so far this week to reach her 4th QF of 2025 season (Strasbourg, Indian Wells, Adelaide)
- Faces No.13 Amanda Anisimova in QF today; owns 26 wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.3 Jessica Pegula here at Berlin 2025
- Owns 19-18 career record against players from United States of America (5-3 in 2025)
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 17-7 (2-1 in 2025)
- Has won two grass court titles: 's-Hertogenbosch in 2024; Berlin in 2021
- Is currently ranked No.20 (peak rank at No.12 in 2023); this time last year was ranked No.15
- During last year's European grass swing she won 's-Hertogenbosch and reached 3r at Wimbledon, 2r at Bad Homburg, and 1r at Berlin
- Has won 19 matches so far in 2025

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2021	Result	Rank: 79	Seed: -
1r	L	A. CORNET (#63) 6-3 6-1	

2024	Result	Rank: 15	Seed: -
1r	L	V. KUDERMETOVA (#35) 3-6 6-4 6-4	

2023	Result	Rank: 15	Seed: -
1r	L	E. ALEXANDROVA (#22) 6-4 6-3	

2022	Result	Rank: 29	Seed: -
2r	L	V. KUDERMETOVA (#24) 6-3 6-7(5) 6-1	
1r	W	T. ZIDANSEK (#58) 7-5 6-1	

2021	Result	Rank: 106	Seed: -
F	W	B. BENCIC (#12) 1-6 6-1 6-3	
SF	W	V. AZARENKA (#16) 6-4 6-2	
QF	W	M. KEYS (#28) 7-6(4) 2-6 7-6(0)	
2r	W	V. KUDERMETOVA (#32) 6-4 6-3	
1r	W	M. VONDROUSOVA (#41) 6-4 7-6(6)	

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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Finished R-Up at London (l. champion Maria in F)
- Made 4r at Roland Garros (l. eventual R-Up Sabalenka)
- Reached QF at Paris 125 (as WC, l. eventual R-Up Paquet)
- Played 2r at Rome (l. V. Kudermetova)
- Made 2r at Madrid (Stearns)
- Reached SF at Charleston (l. eventual R-Up Kenin, retired due to right hip injury)
- Reached 4r at Miami (l. Raducanu)
- Made 2r at Indian Wells (l. Bencic)
- Played 1r at Dubai (l. Kessler)
- Won first WTA-1000 singles title at Doha (d. Ostapenko in F)
- Made 2r at Australian Open (l. Raducanu)
- Reached QF at Hobart (l. Avanesyan)
- Opened 2025 playing R32 at Auckland (l. Parks)

- Played 1r at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Branstine)
- Reached 4r at Roland Garros (l. Qinwen Zheng)
- Finished R-Up at Strasbourg (l. Rybakina in F)
- Made 2r at Rome (l. Baptiste)
- Reached 3r at Madrid (l. Starodubtseva)
- Played 1r at Stuttgart (l. Alexandrova)
- Made 2r at Miami (l. Osaka)
- Reached QF at Indian Wells (l. eventual R-Up Sabalenka)
- Played 2r at Dubai (l. Pegula)
- Played 2r at Doha (l. Ostapenko)
- Played 1r at Abu Dhabi (l. V. Kudermetova)
- Made 2r at Australian Open (l. Danilovic)
- Reached SF at Adelaide (l. eventual champion Keys, retired due to abdominal injury)
- Opened year with R32 at Brisbane (l. eventual R-Up P.Kudermetova)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
96	23	Aces	128	12
63.6%	23	First serve %	60.8%	48
64.0%	43	First Serve points won %	68.8%	9
49.1%	13	Second serve points won %	44.2%	57
58.6%	21	Overall service points won %	59.1%	18
70.1%	20	Service games won %	70.2%	18
60.2%	13	Break points saved %	57.6%	28
38.5%	21	First serve return points won %	34.7%	62
58.3%	9	Second serve return points won %	53.8%	55
46.4%	28	Break points converted %	44.6%	43
40.5%	15	Return games won %	31.7%	56
45.8%	18	Return points won %	42.1%	58

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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)
2025 - DOHA
2022 - MELBOURNE 250 #2
2019 - BOGOTA
Runner-Up (3)
2025 - QUEENS
2024 - TORONTO
2018 - HIROSHIMA

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (5)
2024 - 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH
2022 - TOKYO, CLEVELAND, WASHINGTON DC
2021 - BERLIN
Runner-Up (4)
2025 - STRASBOURG
2023 - BEIJING, MONTREAL, ABU DHABI

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (2)
2024 - SEOUL (w/Melichar-martinez)
2023 - DUBAI (w/Kudermetova)
Runner-Up (1)
2025 - 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH (w/Melichar-martinez)

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

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CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2024 made first WTA 1000 final of career at Toronto, finishing R-Up to Pegula (defeated No.3 Sabalenka en route). Also enjoyed run to R16 at Australian Open, her third time reaching that stage in Melbourne
 - Played a small number of tournaments in 2023 before taking a break away from the sport after Madrid in April
 - Lifted second career title at Melbourne Summer Set 2 (d. Sasnovich in F) in January 2022
 - In 2022, also made SF at Charleston (l. Jabeur) and five further QFs, including at Wimbledon (l. Halep)
 - Ended 2021 season with 3r run at Indian Wells to secure her fourth consecutive Top-100 finish. Best results were QF runs at Parma and Bad Homburg
 - Opened 2020 with SF showing at Auckland, going on to reach 3r at US Open, Roland Garros and Doha; during Doha run, earned third career Top 10 win over No.7 Svitolina (l. Kuznetsova in 3r 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 Bogota (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 3s), with Grand Slam bow coming at 2017 Roland Garros (l. Nara in 1r)
 - 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 2024, won one title at 's-Hertogenbosch (d. Andreescu in final); also reached SF at Abu Dhabi (l. eventual champion Rybakina); notably reached the QF at Cincinnati (l. eventual champion Sabalenka) and 4r at US Open (l. Swiatek)
 - Won one doubles title in 2024 at Seoul (w/ partner Melichar-Martinez)
- Ended 2023 ranked No.16; reached three finals at Abu Dhabi (l. Bencic in F), Montreal (l. Pegula in F) and Beijing (l. Swiatek)
- Also in 2023, reached SF at Washington DC and qualified for WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai going 1-1 in group play
 - In doubles in 2023, won title at Dubai w/Veronika Kudermetova
 - Lifted three titles in 2022, at Washington DC (d. Kanepi in F), Cleveland (d. Sasnovich in F) and Tokyo (d. Q.Zheng in F) ending year at No.20, her first Top 20 year-end ranking
 - Also made SF at Stuttgart, QF at Adelaide 250, R16 at US Open and made Top-20 debut on October 24
 - Earned first Top 10 win of career over No.7 Karolina Pliskova at Stuttgart
 - Highlight of 2021 was coming through qualifying to lift maiden WTA title at Berlin (d. Bencic in F) and breaking into Top 50 on September 13 finishing the year at No.39, her first year-end Top 100 ranking
 - Reached two further SFs in 2021, at Luxembourg and Courmayeur and reached R16 at Wimbledon
 - Earned first Top 20 win of career over No.11 Kiki Bertens at 2021 Miami
 - In 2020 reached 2r at Brisbane (as qualifier, d.No.24 Stephens, l. No.7 Kvitova) and Palermo (as qualifier, l. Martic), and fell 1r four times (including Australian Open, US Open and Roland Garros)
 - Appeared in the first WTA main draws of her career in 2019, highlighted by SF run at Palermo (as LL, l. eventual champion Teichmann), 2r showing at Lausanne (l. Han) and falling 1r on Grand Slam main draw debut at Roland Garros (as qualifier, l. Vekic)
 - Contested qualifying at a WTA event for the first time at 2019 Australian Open
 - Made professional debut on ITF circuit in 2013; owns four singles titles on the ITF Circuit

- 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 2r)

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Rob Brandsma and Rick Vleeshouwers
- 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
- Current coach is Danilo Pizzorno; Previously trained in Rome with Alessandro Dumitrache and worked with Alessandro Piccari
- Parents are Dmitry Samsonov and Svetlana Samsonova
- Hobbies include listening to and playing music, attending concerts and watching films
- Idolizes Maria Sharapova
- Favorite shot is her forehand and favorite surface to play on is hard court