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DEC 29 - JAN 5, 2025 | WTA 500

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# MATCH NOTES - THURSDAY, 2 JANUARY 2025

### Anastasia Potapova (#35) vs. [WC] Kimberly Birrell (AUS #113)

First meeting

### Potapova:

- Last time she was defeated by a player outside Top 100 was in SF at Birmingham 2024 by No.190 Ajla Tomljanovic; also her most recent match against a player from Australia
- In 2024 had a match record of 2-1 against wild cards, most recently defeating Katie Volynets at Wuhan 2024
- One of her two career titles came on hard court: Linz in 2023 (also won 2022 Istanbul on clay)
- Reached QF at this tournament in 2024 (I. eventual champion Rybakina)

#### Birrell:

- Defeated No.2 seed Emma Navarro in the 2r to reach her first WTA 500 3r
- Her win over No.8 Navarro is her second career Top 10 win, after defeating No.10 Daria Kasatkina here in 2019
- Best career result on hard courts is runner-up which she reached at Osaka 2024 in her first and only WTA final appearance
- Is the only player from Australia and only wild card to reach 3r

# [Q] Polina Kudermetova (#107) vs. [3] Daria Kasatkina (#9)

First meeting

#### Kudermetova:

- Faces a Top 10 player for the second time in her career after falling to No.3 Elena Rybakina at 2023 Berlin
- This is the third Tour-level main draw R16 match of her career after reaching SF at Merida and QF at Seoul in 2024
- Is currently ranked No.107, close to her career high of No.106 reached on Dec 09, 2024
- The only qualifier to reach the round of 16

### Kasatkina:

- A win today would equal her 2024 quarterfinal result at the tournament (I. Sabalenka)
- In 2024 had a 7-3 match record against opponents ranked outside Top 100, most recently losing to No.155 Sofia Kenin at 2024 Tokyo in QF (also her most recent QF appearance)
- Most recent loss to a qualifier was Taylor Townsend at 2024 Cincinnati



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### [1] Aryna Sabalenka (#1) vs. [15] Yulia Putintseva (KAZ #29)

Tied 1-1

#### Sabalenka:

- Has faced Putintseva twice before, both on hard court with Sabalenka winning the most recent at 2024 Wuhan on the way to securing the title
- Has won 19 out of her last 22 meetings against Top 50 opponents the last time she was defeated by an opponent with a lower ranking that Putintseva was by No.49 Karolina Muchova at Beijing 2024
- Fifteen of her 17 career singles titles have been won on hard court
- Is currently ranked No.1, having achieved year end No.1 of 2024 season for the first time in her career

#### Putintseva:

- Owns 13 career wins over Top 10 players, most recently No.2 Coco Gauff at 2024 Cincinnati
- This is her tenth meeting against a World No.1. She owns two wins against such opponents: Iga Swiatek at 2024 Wimbledon in R32 and Naomi Osaka at 2019 Birmingham in R16
- Best result on hard court remains runner-up which she has reached three times: Nur-Sultan in 2021; Guangzhou in 2018; St. Petersburg in 2017
- Is currently ranked No.29 close to her career high ranking of No.27 achieved on Feb 06, 2017

### [12] Linda Noskova (CZE #26) vs. [8] Mirra Andreeva (#16)

Tied 1-1

### Noskova:

- This is a rematch of last year's Brisbane quarterfinals, where Noskova defeated Andreeva in straight sets
- Holds a 9-2 main-draw win-loss record at this tournament, reaching the final in 2023 as a qualifier (when it was held in Adelaide) and making last year's semifinals
- Owns one career WTA singles title at 2024 Monterrey, which is her career-best result at both WTA 500-level and on hard court
- Seeking her 9th career win vs. a Top 20 player; her most recent Top 20 win came over Emma Navarro en route to Monterrey title

### Andreeva:

- Making her 2nd appearance at Brisbane; her previous tournament result was reaching QF last year, where she lost to today's opponent Noskova
- Reached her first two WTA singles finals last year, claiming the lasi title and finishing runner-up at Ningbo
- Her Ningbo performance is her career-best tour-level result on hard court, and it is also her career-best result at a WTA 500 event
- Youngest player in the main draw at 17 years old, and is contesting the event at a career-high ranking of No.16



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### [10] Victoria Azarenka (#20) vs. Marie Bouzkova (CZE #44)

### First meeting

### Azarenka:

- Boasts a 21-4 career win-loss record at this event, winning the title in 2009 and 2016 and finishing runner-up in 2013 (2009 Brisbane was her first career WTA singles title)
- Defeated Maya Joint in the 2nd round for her first match-win since the 2024 US Open
- 20 of her 21 career singles titles have come on hard courts, most recently at Cincinnati (NYC) in 2020
- Is currently ranked No.20; peaked at World No.1 and held that position for 51 weeks during 2012 and 2013

### Bouzkova:

- Owns 17 wins in career over Top 20 players, with her most recent Top 20 win coming over No.15 Jelena Ostapenko in the previous round
- Needed just under 3 hours to defeat wild card Talia Gibson in this week's opening round
- One of 2 players from the Czech Republic to reach this week's 3rd round (also Noskova); Czech women who have won this title include Karolina Pliskova (3 times) and Petra Kvitova
- Career-best result at a WTA 500 event was runner-up showing at Washington DC last year (I. Badosa in F)



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2001-03-30	Date of Birth	1998-04-29
Dubai, United Arab Emirates	Residence	Gold Coast, Australia
Right-Handed	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 7" (1.75m)	Height	5' 7" (1.70m)
21	Career-High Ranking	100
\$4,285,519	<b>Career Prize Money</b>	\$1,328,434
\$0	<b>Season Prize Money</b>	\$0
0 / 2	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 0
16-20 (Round of 16: 2024 ROLAND GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	3-8 (Round of 32: 2019 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)
2-0 / 4-2 (Quarter-Finalist: 2024)	YTD / Career BRISBANE W-L (best)	2-0 / 3-2 (Round of 16: 2025, 2019)
2-0 / 121-102	YTD / Career W-L	2-0 / 24-26
2-0 / 75-71	YTD / Career Hard W-L	2-0 / 20-22
1-0 / 52-37	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	1-0 / 8-3
0-0 / 25-28	YTD / Career TB W-L	0-0 / 4-7
Round of 16: BRISBANE	YTD Best Result	Round of 16: BRISBANE



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### **HEAD TO HEAD RECORD**

YEAR TOURNAMENT SURFACE ROUND WINNER SCORE/ RESULT TIME

First career meeting

# **RANKING HISTORY**

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
27	35	2024	110	115
21	28	2023	100	113
43	43	2022	167	167
67	69	2021	692	734
81	100	2020	242	735
64	93	2019	154	245
93	94	2018	259	285
231	237	2017	351	356
-	-	2016	275	506
-	-	2015	361	361



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### **TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

1r: d. A. BOGDAN (#114) 2-6 6-4 2-0 (2h 28m) 2r: d. D. YASTREMSKA (#33) 7-5 6-4 (1h 38m)

Total time on court: 4h 6m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making third tournament appearance, with a best result of QF in 2024 (l. Rybakina)
- Has beaten Ana Bogdan and Dayana Yastremska so far this week to reach 3r
- · Faces No.113 Kimberly Birrell in 3r today
- Last time she was defeated by a player outside Top 100 was in SF at Birmingham 2024 by No.190 Ajla Tomljanovic; also her most recent match against a player from Australia
- In 2024 had a match record of 2-1 against wild cards, most recently defeating Katie Volynets at Wuhan 2024
- Owns one career hard court title: Linz in 2023
- Is currently ranked No.35; this time last year was ranked No.28
- Winner today will face either Yuan or Kalinina in QF

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

1r: d. P. HON (#167) 3-6 7-5 6-2 (2h 8m) 2r: d. E. NAVARRO (#8) 7-5 7-5 (2h 1m)

Total time on court: 4h 9m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making third main draw appearance at Brisbane (fourth overall), where her previous best result was 2r in 2019 (as WC beat No.10 Daria Kasatkina in 1r, l. Tsurenko) which is also her best run at a WTA 500 event
- Defeated qualifier and fellow Australian Priscilla Hon in 1r before winning against No.2 seed Emma Navarro in 2r
- Her win over No.8 Navarro is her second career Top 10 win (after defeating No.10 Kasatkina here in 2019)
- Faces No.35 Anastasia Potapova in 3r today; owns 4 main draw wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently prior to Navarro was No.28 Elise Mertens at Osaka 2024
- Best career result on hard courts is Runner-Up run at Osaka 2024 in first and only WTA final appearance
- Only player from Australia to reach 3r
- Only wild card to reach 3r
- Is currently ranked No.113; this time last year was ranked No.115



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# **RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

2024	Result	Rank: 28 Seed: 11
QF	L	E. RYBAKINA (#4) 6-1
3r	W	V. KUDERMETOVA (#16) 7-5 6-7(7) 6-4
2r	W	D. SAVILLE (#209) 6-4 3-6 6-4
2019	Result	Rank: 93 Seed: -
1r	L	A. SASNOVICH (#30) 6-4 7-5

2024	Result	Rank: 115 Seed: -
1r	L	O. GADECKI (#124) 4-6 6-0 6-4
2019	Result	Rank: 283 Seed: -
2r	L	L. TSURENKO (#27) 6-4 6-3



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## **SEASON 2025 HISTORY**

• No notes have been added for this player

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VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
6	16	Aces	4	31
56.9%	70	First serve %	66.4%	25
66.2%	32	First Serve points won %	64.4%	42
46.4%	40	Second serve points won %	49.0%	29
57.7%	36	Overall service points won %	59.2%	30
63.6%	47	Service games won %	65.4%	44
33.3%	69	Break points saved %	43.8%	55
46.8%	8	First serve return points won %	42.3%	11
55.2%	35	Second serve return points won %	63.6%	10
40.0%	48	Break points converted %	59.1%	18
47.6%	10	Return games won %	48.1%	8
50.0%	8	Return points won %	50.6%	6

Best win by ranking: No.33 vs Yastremska in BRISBANE 2r Longest match: 2h 28m vs Bogdan in BRISBANE 1r Shortest match: 1h 38m vs Yastremska in BRISBANE 2r Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 5 vs Bogdan in BRISBANE 1r

Best win by ranking: No.8 vs Navarro in BRISBANE 2r Longest match: 2h 8m vs Hon in BRISBANE 1r Shortest match: 2h 1m vs Navarro in BRISBANE 2r Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 3 vs Hon in BRISBANE 1r



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### TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

#### **SINGLES FINALS**

Champion (2)

2023 - LINZ

2022 - ISTANBUL

Runner-Up (3)

2022 - PRAGUE

2018 - TASHKENT, MOSCOW INTERNATIONAL

#### **DOUBLES FINALS**

Champion (3)

2022 - PRAGUE (w/Sizikova)

2019 - LAUSANNE (w/Sizikova)

2018 - MOSCOW INTERNATIONAL (w/Zvonareva)

Runner-Up (1)

2021 - MELBOURNE 250 (w/Blinkova)

#### **SINGLES FINALS**

Runner-Up (1) 2024 - OSAKA

**DOUBLES FINALS** 

Runner-Up (2)

2023 - MONTERREY (w/Contreras)

2016 - HOBART (w/Wolfe)

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



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### **CAREER MILESTONES**

- Posted best Grand Slam result in 2024 by reaching R16 at Roland-Garros. Also made SF of Birmingham and Cleveland and her first WTA 1000 QF at Indian Wells
- A successful 2023 season saw her lift her second career title in Linz (d. Martic), she also reached semifinals at Stuttgart (l. Sabalenka) and Birmingham (l. eventual champion Ostapenko) and quarterfinals at Lyon (l. Zanevska), Miami (l. Pegula) and San Diego (l. Kenin). Equalled her best Grand Slam result with 3r at Roland Garros (also 3r at Australian Open in 2021) and moved up ranking to peak at No. 21 on Jun 19, 2023.
   Had a breakthrough year in 2022, where she won her first title at Istanbul (d. Kudermetova) and finished R-Up at Prague (l. Bouzkova); broke
- In 2021 reached QFs at Dubai (l. Krejcikova), Birmingham (l. Jabeur) and Nur-Sultan (l. Peterson)
- Posted three straight QFs in 2020, at Acapulco, St. Petersburg and Monterrey; did not play after the tour's resumption in August

into Top 50 following Prague (August 1, 2022)

- Finished 2019 season ranked No.93 after a season highlighted by SF at Budapest (l. Vondrousova) and Jurmala (l. Sevastova)
- Scored first Top-10 win over No.5 Kerber in 1r at 2019 Roland Garros
- In doubles, won titles at 2018 Moscow [River Cup] (w/Zvonareva) and 2019 Lausanne (w/Sizikova)
- Highlights of 2018 season were R-Up finishes at Tashkent (as qualifier, l. Gasparyan) and at Moscow [River Cup] (l. Danilovic)
- Made Billie Jean King Cup debut during 2018's defeat to Slovakia in February (l. Kuzmova)
- Reached 2r at St. Petersburg in February 2018 (l. Wozniacki). Win over Maria in 1r was first at tour level
- On ITF Circuit owns one singles and two doubles titles
- Fell 1r on Grand Slam main draw debut at 2017 Wimbledon (as qualifier, l. Maria); at 16 years and three months, became youngest player to successfully navigate Slam qualifying since Ana Konjuh, who had just turned 16 when she did it at 2014 Australian Open
- Captured 2016 Wimbledon girls junior title, having to win final point three separate times after two challenge overrules - title lifted her to Junior World No.1. In junior doubles, posted two

- Highlight of 2024 season was reaching first Tour level singles final, finishing R-Up at Osaka (as qualifier). Also enjoyed QF run at Nottingham
- Advanced to maiden WTA QF at 2023 Merida (as qualifier, l. McNally). Also reached QF at Seoul (l. Bektas) and cracked into Top 100 for first time.
- Reached three ITF Circuit finals in 2022, including third title at this level at W60 event in Playford, Australia. At Tour level, reached 2r at Seoul (l. Maria) and contested qualifying on eight occasions
- Missed the second half of 2019 and entire 2020 season to undergo elbow surgery
- In only her second career Grand Slam main draw appearance, reached 3r at 2019 Australian Open upsetting No.29 Vekic in 2r (as WC, l. Kerber)
- Followed up Melbourne run by reaching a career-high ranking of No.154 on May 6, 2019
- Opened 2019 season with 2r showing at Brisbane (as WC, d. No.10 Kasatkina, l. eventual R-Up Tsurenko)
- Win over Kasatkina remains her best by-ranking win of her career and only victory over a Top 20 player
- Posted career-best year-end finish of No.285 in 2018 (up from No.356 in 2017). During 2018 season, fell in qualifying at Brisbane, Hobart, Australian Open, Istanbul and Eastbourne
- Also won biggest ITF Circuit title of career in 2018, at \$60k/Darwin-AUS
- Posted a then career-high ranking of No.259 in week of October 1, 2018
- Reached 2r on WTA main draw debut as wildcard at 2016 Hobart (l. Cibulkova)
- Also at 2016 Hobart, finished R-Up in doubles w/Wolfe (l. Han/Mchale)
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2014 Hobart
- Played first professional events of career on ITF Circuit in Australia in 2012

# **OTHER INFORMATION**

- Coached by Dorian Descloix
- Trains at Alexander Ostrovsky Acadamy in Khimki
- Grandmother, and former Russian national team coach, inspired her to start playing tennis
- Enjoys playing basketball

- Mother is Ros; brother is Cade
- Started playing at age 4; baseliner whose favorite shot is forehand; favorite surface is hard
- Enjoys reading, watching movies, hanging out with friends, the beach and spending time with her dogs and fish



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WIN







# DARIA (3) KASATKINA

2003-06-04	Date of Birth	1997-05-07
	Residence	Togliatty, Russia
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
	Height	5' 7" (1.70m)
106	Career-High Ranking	8
\$431,749	<b>Career Prize Money</b>	\$12,703,241
\$0	Season Prize Money	\$0
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 8
0-1 (Round of 128: 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	52-35 (Semi-Finalist: 2022 ROLAND GARROS)
2-0 / 2-0 (Round of 16: 2025)	YTD / Career BRISBANE W-L (best)	1-0 / 4-5 (Quarter-Finalist: 2024)
2-0 / 10-9	YTD / Career W-L	1-0 / 289-194
2-0 / 9-4	YTD / Career Hard W-L	1-0 / 181-131
1-0 / 3-3	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	1-0 / 108-65
0-1 / 0-1	YTD / Career TB W-L	1-0 / 46-46
0-0 / 0-1	YTD / Career TOP 10 W-L	0-0 / 22-44
Round of 16: BRISBANE	YTD Best Result	Round of 16: BRISBANE



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# **RANKING HISTORY**

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
114	117	2024	9	9
139	157	2023	8	18
218	218	2022	8	8
564	571	2021	24	26
774	791	2020	66	71
946	958	2019	10	69
-	-	2018	10	10
-	-	2017	24	24
-	-	2016	24	27
-	-	2015	71	72



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### **TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

1r: d. X. WANG (#37) 6-1 6-3 (1h 11m) 2r: d. L. SAMSONOVA (#27) 6-7 6-3 6-2 (2h 19m)

Total time on court: 3h 30m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- · Making tournament debut
- Has beaten Wang Xinyu and No.13 seed Liudmila Samsonova, as well as Zeynep Sonmez and Astra Sharma in qualifying to reach 3r
- Faces No.9 Daria Kasatkina in 3r today; this is her second meeting against a Top 10 player after falling to No.3 Rybakina at 2023 Berlin
- Best career result on hard court is SF which she has reached once: Merida in 2024
- This is the third Tour level main draw R16 of her career after Merida and Seoul in 2024
- The only qualifier to reach R16
- Is currently ranked No.107 (close to her career high ranking of No.106 reached on Dec 09, 2024); this time last year was ranked No.187
- · Winner today will face Krueger or Lamens in QF

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

2r: d. P. STEARNS (#47) 7-6 4-6 7-5 (3h 21m)

Total time on court: 3h 21m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making sixth appearance at this event, where her previous and best result was reaching QF in 2024 (l. Sabalenka)
- As No.3 seed received a 1r bye before defeating Peyton Stearns in 2r
- Faces No.107 Polina Kudermetova in 3r today
- In 2024 had a 7-3 match record against opponents ranked outside Top 100, most recently losing to No.155 Sofia Kenin at 2024 Tokyo in QF (also her most recent QF appearance)
- Most recent loss to a qualifier was Taylor Townsend at 2024 Cincinnati
- Owns six singles titles at WTA 500 events -Ningbo, Eastbourne in 2024; San Jose in 2022; St. Peterburg, Moscow in 2021; and Charleston in 2017
- Is currently ranked No.9 (career best at No.8,achieved in Oct 2022); this time last year was ranked No.18
- In 2024 had a 24-17 match record on hard court



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## **RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

• Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

2024	Result	Rank: 18	Seed: 5
QF	L	A. SABALENK	A (#2) 6-1 6-4
3r	W	M. LINETTE (	#22) 6-4 6-2
2r	W	M. KOSTYUK	(#38) 6-3 6-4
2023	Result	Rank: 8	Seed: 3
1r	L	L. NOSKOVA (	#102) 6-3 6-7(2) 6-3
2019	Result	Rank: 10	Seed: 7
1r	L	K. BIRRELL (#	283) 5-7 6-4 7-6(3)
1r <b>2018</b>	L <b>Result</b>	K. BIRRELL (#	
	_	·	Seed: -
2018	Result	Rank: 24	<b>Seed: -</b> 99) 6-2 6-2
<b>2018</b> 1r	Result	Rank: 24 K. KANEPI (#\$	<b>Seed: -</b> 99) 6-2 6-2



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POLINA KUDERMETOVA (Q)

DARIA KASATKINA

# **SEASON 2025 HISTORY**

• No notes have been added for this player

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VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
10	7	Aces	4	32
58.1%	63	First serve %	67.9%	17
77.9%	4	First Serve points won %	59.6%	55
45.2%	43	Second serve points won %	38.1%	63
64.2%	11	Overall service points won %	52.7%	62
86.4%	10	Service games won %	52.9%	66
76.9%	6	Break points saved %	65.2%	24
39.0%	30	First serve return points won %	39.6%	26
60.7%	17	Second serve return points won %	66.7%	7
73.3%	7	Break points converted %	36.4%	59
47.8%	9	Return games won %	47.1%	12
47.8%	12	Return points won %	48.5%	11

Best win by ranking: No.27 vs Samsonova in BRISBANE 2r Longest match: 2h 19m vs Samsonova in BRISBANE 2r Shortest match: 1h 11m vs Wang in BRISBANE 1r Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 5 vs Samsonova in BRISBANE 2r 5 vs Wang in BRISBANE 1r Best win by ranking: No.47 vs Stearns in BRISBANE 2r Longest match: 3h 21m vs Stearns in BRISBANE 2r Shortest match: 3h 21m vs Stearns in BRISBANE 2r Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 4 vs Stearns in BRISBANE 2r



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# TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

#### **SINGLES FINALS**

Champion (8)

2024 - NINGBO, EASTBOURNE

2022 - GRANBY, SAN JOSE

2021 - ST. PETERSBURG, MELBOURNE 250

2018 - MOSCOW

2017 - CHARLESTON

Runner-Up (11)

2024 - SEOUL, CHARLESTON, ABU DHABI,

**ADELAIDE** 

2023 - EASTBOURNE, ADELAIDE #2

2021 - SAN JOSE, BIRMINGHAM

2018 - INDIAN WELLS, DUBAI

2017 - MOSCOW

#### **DOUBLES FINALS**

Champion (1)

2015 - MOSCOW (w/Vesnina)

Runner-Up (2)

2017 - TOKYO (w/Saville)

2016 - MOSCOW (w/Saville)

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



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POLINA KUDERMETOVA (Q)

DARIA KASATKINA

### **CAREER MILESTONES**

- Finished 2024 season ranked No.106, her highest finish in the WTA year-end Rankings to date; in three Tour-level main draw appearances, reached the QF stage twice - Seoul (QF) and Merida (SF); also reached the QF four times at the WTA 125 level
- 2023 saw her compete in first Tour-level main draw reaching 1r at Australian Open (as qualifier, l. Gadecki) – also her Grand Slam debut. Strongest result was quarterfinal achieved at Seoul (l. Wickmayer) and also made 2r at s'Hertogenbosch (l. Samsonova).
- Began competing in \$25K \$80K ITF tournaments in 2022, reaching the final at San Bartolome \$60K (l. Rus) and breaking into Top 200.
- Continued on ITF circuit in 2020 and 2021 claiming two further titles at Antalya \$15K and Kazan \$15K.
- In 2019, played first WTA Tour matches in qualifying at Moscow (l. Gracheva in Q2). Won her first ITF title that year at Antalya \$15K.
- Made ITF circuit debut in 2018, reaching QF at Kazan \$15K.

- Finished the 2024 season ranked No.9 (2nd career Top 10 finish) in a season highlighted by winning titles at Ningbo and Eastbourne, while also finishing as runner-up at Seoul, Adelaide, Abu Dhabi and Charleston; won a Tour-best 26 matches at the WTA 500 level (next most was 15 (Rybakina); as an alternate at WTA Finals, lost one match in group play (l. Swiatek)
- Finished R-Up at two tournaments in 2023 at Adeliade 2 (l. Bencic) and Eastbourne (l. Keys); reached SFs at Charleston, Zhengzhou, and WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai
- In 2022, reached maiden Grand Slam SF at Roland Garros (l. eventual champion Swiatek) and won titles at San Jose (d. Rogers in F) and Granby (d. Saville in F); returned to Top 10 on August 8, after San Jose run
- Qualified for WTA Finals for the first time at Fort Worth in 2022 going 1-2 in group play
- Broke back into Top 50 in early 2021, after lifting first titles since 2018, at the Phillip Island Trophy in Melbourne (d. Bouzkova in F) and then St. Petersburg (d. Gasparyan in F)
- Reached two additional finals in 2021, at Birmingham (l. Jabeur) and San Jose (l. Collins)
- Highlight of truncated 2020 season was SF showing at Lyon (l. Friedsam) - her first run to the last four at a WTA event since lifting title at 2018 Moscow [500]
- Won consecutive matches only twice in difficult 2019 campaign, with best result a QF run at Beijing (l. Wozniacki) and St. Petersburg (l. Zvonareva)
- Ended 2018 season by lifting her second WTA singles title at Moscow [500] (d. Jabeur in F); broke into Top 10 following the tournament, on October 22, 2018
- Also finished R-Up at 2018 Dubai (l. Svitolina) and 2018 Indian Wells (l. Osaka); Indian Wells was biggest final of career having upset No.2 Caroline Wozniacki, No.10 Angelique Kerber and No.8 Venus Williams en route
- Made Top 20 debut on February 26, 2018, following R-Up finish at Dubai (d. No.3 Muguruza, l. Svitolina)
- Made first Grand Slam QFs at 2018 Roland Garros (l. Stephens) and 2018 Wimbledon (l. Kerber) and qualified for WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai going 1-1 in group play
- Upset No.1 Caroline Wozniacki during SF run at 2018 St. Petersburg
- Captured maiden WTA singles title in debut final at 2017 Charleston, defeating fellow teenager

- Jelena Ostapenko in the final the first allteenage final on tour since 2009 Linz (Wickmayer d. Kvitova)
- Also in 2017 reached final at Moscow (l. Goerges) and QF at Sydney, Doha and Beijing
- Ended 2016 as the highest-ranked teenager on tour, at No.27, after a campaign in which she reached SF, at St. Petersburg and QF at Indian Wells, Charleston, Montreal, Rio Olympics and Moscow. Made Top 50 debut on February 15, 2016 following St. Petersburg run
- Upset No.7 Venus Williams in opening match of 2016 season at Auckland to register first Top 10 win of career
- Reached first WTA SF at 2015 Moscow (as qualifier, l. Pavlyuchenkova) recorded first Top-20 win over No.14 Suárez Navarro in QF; following the tournament made Top-100 debut at No.73 (October 26, 2015)
- Reached 3r at 2015 US Open (as LL, l. Mladenovic) on Grand Slam debut (main draw and qualifying). reached QF at Bad Gastein (as qualifier, l. Errani)
- Also in 2015, won maiden WTA doubles title at 2015 Moscow (w/Vesnina), lifted fi ve singles titles on ITF Circuit and was nominated for WTA Newcomer of the Year in 2015
- Fell 1r on WTA main draw debut at 2014 Moscow (as WC, l. Riske)
- Made professional debut at in qualifying debut at 2013 Moscow
- · Owns seven titles on ITF circuit

### OTHER INFORMATION

- · Younger sister of Veronika Kudermetova
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- · Coached by Flavio Cipolla
- Parents are Sergey and Tatiana; brother is Alexsandr, who also serves as her fitness trainer; introduced to tennis by brother at age 6
- Baseliner whose favorite surface is clay; favorite shot is forehand
- Loves soccer (favorite team is FC Barcelona)
- Best tennis memory is winning Roland Garros juniors and 2015 US Open run



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ARYNA SABALENKA (1)

# YULIA (15) PUTINTSEVA KAZAKHSTAN

1998-05-05	Date of Birth	1995-01-07
	Residence	
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 11" (1.82m)	Height	5' 4" (1.63m)
1	Career-High Ranking	27
\$30,106,823	<b>Career Prize Money</b>	\$8,332,221
\$0	<b>Season Prize Money</b>	\$0
0 / 17	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 3
77-23 (Champion: 2024 US OPEN, AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	47-43 (Quarter-Finalist: 2020 US OPEN; 2018 ROLAND GARROS; 2016 FRENCH OPEN)
1-0 / 9-1 (Champion: 2023)	YTD / Career BRISBANE W-L (best)	1-0 / 2-3 (Round of 16: 2025, 2020)
1-0 / 306-124	YTD / Career W-L	1-0 / 240-226
1-0 / 213-80	YTD / Career Hard W-L	1-0 / 139-149
0-0 / 90-65	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	0-0 / 81-81
0-0 / 63-44	YTD / Career TB W-L	0-0 / 55-53
0-0 / 19-21	YTD / Career TOP 5 W-L	0-0 / 9-29
Round of 16: BRISBANE	YTD Best Result	Round of 16: BRISBANE



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# **HEAD TO HEAD RECORD**

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2024	WUHAN	HARD	3r	Aryna Sabalenka	1-6 6-4 6-0	2h 1m
2019	US OPEN	HARD	2r	Yulia Putintseva	6-3 7-6(3)	1h 57m

# **RANKING HISTORY**

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
1	1	2024	28	29
1	2	2023	40	69
2	5	2022	32	51
2	2	2021	28	42
10	10	2020	27	28
9	11	2019	28	34
11	11	2018	45	45
76	78	2017	27	53
154	159	2016	33	34
539	548	2015	70	74



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### TOURNAMENT HISTORY

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

2r: d. R. ZARAZUA (#75) 6-4 6-0 (1h 4m)

Total time on court: 1h 4m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making third appearance at event: won title when event was held in Adelaide in 2023 and finished Runner-Up here in 2024 (l. Rybakina in F)
- As No.1 seed with a 1r bye, has beaten Renata Zarazua so far this week to reach R16
- Faces No.29 Yulia Putintseva in 3r today
- Has a match record of 37-13 against Top 50 opponents in 2024, winning 19 of her last 22 such meetings
- Owns four WTA 500 titles most recently Adelaide in 2023
- 15 out of her 17 career singles titles have come on hard courts, most recently Wuhan 2024
- Is No. 1 seed this week (was also No.1 seed here last year); has been top seed at 21 tournaments in her career and has won the title three times when on top of the draw, most recently Wuhan 2024
- Is currently ranked No.1, having achieved year end No.1 of 2024 season for the first time in her career; this time last year was ranked No.2

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

2r: d. M. KESSLER (#67) 6-2 7-5 (1h 42m)

Total time on court: 1h 42m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making 4th appearance at the tournament, where her best results were making R16 in 2024 and 2020
- Has beaten Mccartney Kessler so far this week to reach R16
- Faces No.1 Aryna Sabalenka in 3r today; owns 13 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.2 Coco Gauff at Cincinnati 2024
- This is her tenth meeting against a World No.1.
   She owns two wins against such opponents: Iga
   Swiatek at 2024 Wimbledon in R32 and over
   Naomi Osaka at 2019 Birmingham in R16
- Best career result on hard court is R-Up which she achieved on 3 occasions: Nur-Sultan in 2021; Guangzhou in 2018; St. Petersburg in 2017
- · Only player from Kazakhstan in the main draw
- Best result by Kazakhstan at Brisbane was champion run by Elena Rybakina in 2024
- Is currently ranked No.29 (close to her career high ranking of No.27 achieved on Feb 06, 2017); this time last year was ranked No.63



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# **RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

2024	Result	Rank: 2 Seed: 1
F	L	E. RYBAKINA (#4) 6-0 6-3
SF	W	V. AZARENKA (#23) 6-2 6-4
QF	W	D. KASATKINA (#18) 6-1 6-4
3r	W	L. ZHU (#33) 6-1 6-0
2r	W	L. BRONZETTI (#52) 6-3 6-0
2023	Result	Rank: 5 Seed: 2
F	W	L. NOSKOVA (#102) 6-3 7-6(4)
SF	W	I. BEGU (#34) 6-3 6-2
		` '
QF	W	M. VONDROUSOVA (#92) 6-3 7-5

2020	Result	Rank: 32 Seed: -
2r	L	D. COLLINS (#27) 6-1 6-0
1r	W	D. VEKIC (#20) 6-3 3-6 7-5
2019	Result	Rank: 44 Seed: -
1r	L	K. PLISKOVA (#8) 4-6 6-3 6-4
2017	Result	Rank: 33 Seed: -
1r	L	K. PLISKOVA (#6) 6-3 6-1



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### **SEASON 2025 HISTORY**

· No notes have been added for this player

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VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
5	20	Aces	3	32
61.9%	42	First serve %	73.8%	5
80.8%	2	First Serve points won %	75.6%	9
56.3%	16	Second serve points won %	62.5%	10
71.4%	5	Overall service points won %	72.1%	4
87.5%	8	Service games won %	100.0%	2
75.0%	7	Break points saved %	100.0%	2
47.1%	8	First serve return points won %	41.7%	14
66.7%	7	Second serve return points won %	40.6%	60
83.3%	2	Break points converted %	30.0%	57
62.5%	3	Return games won %	30.0%	39
51.2%	7	Return points won %	41.2%	38

Best win by ranking: No.75 vs Zarazua in BRISBANE 2r Longest match: 1h 4m vs Zarazua in BRISBANE 2r Shortest match: 1h 4m vs Zarazua in BRISBANE 2r Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 5 vs Zarazua in BRISBANE 2r

Best win by ranking: No.67 vs Kessler in BRISBANE 2r Longest match: 1h 42m vs Kessler in BRISBANE 2r Shortest match: 1h 42m vs Kessler in BRISBANE 2r Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 3 vs Kessler in BRISBANE 2r



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### **TITLES**

#### **SINGLES FINALS**

#### Champion (17)

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 (14)

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 (3)

2024 - BIRMINGHAM

2021 - BUDAPEST

2019 - NÜRNBERG

#### Runner-Up (3)

2021 - NUR-SULTAN

2018 - GUANGZHOU

2017 - ST. PETERSBURG

#### **DOUBLES FINALS**

#### Runner-Up (2)

2024 - CINCINNATI (w/Fernandez)

2023 - OSAKA (w/Kalinskaya)



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# **GRAND SLAMS**

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
WON	QF		WON	2024	1r	2r	4r	3r
WON	SF	SF	RUP	2023	2r	3r	1r	1r
4r	3r		SF	2022	1r	2r	1r	2r
4r	3r	SF	SF	2021	3r	1r	2r	1r
1r	3r		2r	2020	3r	2r		QF
3r	2r	1r	2r	2019	2r	1r	2r	3r
1r	1r	1r	4r	2018	2r	QF	2r	1r
		2r		2017	2r	3r	1r	2r
				2016	3r	QF	2r	2r
				2015	1r	2r	2r	1r
				2014	1r			
				2013	2r	2r	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. Krejcikova/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. Krejcikova/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. Suárez Navarro in F) and

- In 2024, won her third career title at Birmingham (d. Tomljanovic in final) - her first title win in three years. She also reached QF at Hobart (l. Yuan) and Ningbo (l. eventual champion Kasatkina); found success at Grand Slam level with R16 run at Wimbledon (l. Ostapenko) and 3r run at US Open (l. Paolini)
- 2023 saw Putintseva reach SF at Guangzhou (l. Linette) and QF at Rabat (l. Riera) and Hobart (l. Blinkova)
- Reached two SFs in 2022, at Istanbul (l. eventual champion Potapova) and Budapest (l. Krunic), while made QF at Toronto (l. Pegula)
- Highlight of 2021 campaign was lifting second career title, at Budapest (d. Kalinina in F)
- Also last season was R-Up at Nur-Sultan (l. Van Uytvanck), advanced to SF at Portoroz and made QFs at Charleston [500], Strasbourg and San Jose
- Recorded 300th career win (at all levels) with 1r triumph over Flipkens at 2020 Roland Garros
- Standout results of 2020 were QF runs at US Open (l. Brady) - first Kazakh woman to reach last eight in New York - and Rome (l. Halep)
- Owns one win over a reigning World No.1, upsetting Osaka on grass at 2019 Birmingham
- Won first career title at 2019 Nürnberg (d. Zidansek in F); afterwards rose to No.28 in rankings - one spot off career best No.27 (achieved February 6, 2017)
- Best result of 2018 was QF run at Roland Garros (l. Keys)
- Reached maiden WTA final in 2017 at St Petersburg (l. Mladenovic) after notching two Top 10 wins over No.8 Kuznetsova and No.5 Cibulkova - first over a Top 5 player - (l. Mladenovic in F); first woman from Kazakhstan to reach a WTA final since Shvedova at 2015 Bogotá (l. Pereira)
- Rose to new career-high ranking of No.27 on February 6, 2017 following St Petersburg
- In 2016 became first Kazakh to reach the quarterfinals at Roland Garros - or at any major - since Shvedova in 2012, eventually losing to S.Williams in 3s
- Defeated No.14 V.Williams en route to first Premier-level quarterfinal of career at 2016 Charleston
- First Top 10 win came over No.10 Petkovic at 2015 Nürnberg (via ret.)
- Progressed to maiden WTA SF at 2015 Bastad (l. eventual champion Larsson)

- 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

- In 2014, reached first two WTA QFs, first on clay at Bastad (as qualifier, l. Cepelova) and then on hard at Osaka (l. eventual champion Stosur). Between these two results, scored first Top 20 win - over No.14 Pennetta - during run through qualifying to 2r at Montréal
- Made it through to 2r on Grand Slam main draw debut at 2013 Australian Open (d. McHale, l. Suárez Navarro)
- Advanced to 2r on WTA main draw debut at 2012 Copenhagen (as WC, d. Barbat, l. Jankovic)
- On ITF Circuit, winner of six singles titles and six doubles titles
- Kazakhstan Billie Jean King Cup Team, 2014-19, 2021-22
- Professional debut at 2009 Luxembourg ended with defeat to Flipkens in final round of qualifying

### 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"

- · Coached by Matteo Donati
- Father's name is Anton; mother's name is Anna; younger brother's name is Ilya (plays ice hockey). Introduced to sport by father; liked it and was soon practicing at Spartak Club in Moscow
- Moved to Paris to attend Mouratoglou Academy after winning a big Under 14s event; has trained there ever since
- Baseliner whose favorite shot is forehand; favorite surface is clay. Australian Open and US Open are favorite tournaments
- Tennis idols were Martina Hingis and Justine Henin - still watches videos of Henin on YouTube
- Also enjoys dancing, music, singing, Sudoku, playing cards and chess
- Person she would most like to meet is Eminem
- Changed representation from Russia to Kazakhstan in May 2012



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2004-11-17	Date of Birth	2007-04-29
Prerov, Czech Republic	Residence	
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 10'' (1.79m)	Height	5' 9'' (1.75m)
25	Career-High Ranking	16
\$2,292,904	<b>Career Prize Money</b>	\$2,700,947
\$0	<b>Season Prize Money</b>	\$0
0 / 1	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 1
8-9 (Quarter-Finalist: 2024 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	15-7 (Semi-Finalist: 2024 ROLAND GARROS)
1-0 / 9-2 (Runner-Up: 2023)	YTD / Career BRISBANE W-L (best)	1-0 / 4-1 (Quarter-Finalist: 2024)
1-0 / 54-37	YTD / Career W-L	1-0 / 49-25
1-0 / 42-22	YTD / Career Hard W-L	1-0 / 24-14
0-0 / 17-14	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	0-0 / 13-12
0-0 / 22-13	YTD / Career TB W-L	0-0 / 9-4
0-0 / 8-17	YTD / Career TOP 20 W-L	0-0 / 13-11
Round of 16: BRISBANE	YTD Best Result	Round of 16: BRISBANE



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LINDA NOSKOVA MIRRA ANDREEVA

# **HEAD TO HEAD RECORD**

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2024	MADRID	CLAY	2r	Mirra Andreeva	4-6 6-3 6-3	1h 52m
2024	BRISBANE	HARD	QF	Linda Noskova	7-5 6-3	1h 40m

# **RANKING HISTORY**

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
25	26	2024	16	16
40	41	2023	46	46
87	91	2022	405	405
315	317	2021	-	-
1019	1027	2020	-	-



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### **TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

2r: d. A. TODONI (#118) 6-1 6-4 (1h 15m)

Total time on court: 1h 15m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making third appearance at the event, finishing runner-up in 2023 when the event was held in Adelaide (as qualifier, l. Sabalenka) and reaching SF here last year (l. eventual champion Rybakina)
- After 1r bye, defeated Anca Todoni in 2r; this was her first match-win since she claimed her first WTA singles title at Monterrey in August
- Faces No.16 Mirra Andreeva in 3r today; this is a rematch of last year's Brisbane QF, which Noskova won
- Owns 8 wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.13 Emma Navarro at 2024 Monterrey
- Sole career title came on hard courts at WTA 500 Monterrey last year
- One of 2 players from Czech Republic to reach this week's 3r (also Bouzkova)
- Best result by a Czech player at this event were title runs by Karolina Pliskova in 2020, 2019 and 2017; and Petra Kvitova in 2011
- Is currently ranked No.26 (hit career-high of No.25 on Aug 26, 2024); this time last year was ranked No.40

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

2r: d. A. BLINKOVA (#77) 6-4 6-4 (1h 24m)

Total time on court: 1h 24m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making 2nd appearance at Brisbane; her previous tournament result was reaching QF last year, where she lost to today's opponent Noskova
- After 1r bye, defeated Anna Blinkova in 2r; this was her first match-win since October, where she made the Ningbo final in her most recent event
- Faces No.26 Linda Noskova in 3r today; owns 20 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.29 Karolina Muchova at 2024 Ningbo
- Owns 7-3 career record against players from Czech Republic (0-0 in 2025)
- Best career tour-level result on hard court is reaching last year's WTA 500 Ningbo final (l. Kasatkina in F); that is also her career-best result at a WTA 500 event
- Last year on hard court, she also made QFs at WTA 1000 Beijing (l. Q. Zheng), WTA 1000 Cincinnati (l. Swiatek) and WTA 500 Brisbane
- Is currently playing at a career-high ranking of No.16 which she reached on Oct 28, 2024; this time last year was ranked No.58
- Youngest player in the main draw at 17 years old



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LINDA NOSKOVA MIRRA ANDREEVA

# **RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

2024	Result	Rank: 40 Seed: -
SF	L	E. RYBAKINA (#4) 6-3 6-2
QF	W	M. ANDREEVA (#58) 7-5 6-3
3r	W	J. RIERA (#137) 6-1 6-7(4) 6-3
2r	W	S. CIRSTEA (#26) 6-4 4-6 6-4
1r	W	T. BABOS (#192) 5-7 7-6(8) 7-6(2)
2023	Result	Rank: 102 Seed: -
<b>2023</b> F	<b>Result</b>	Rank: 102 Seed: -  A. SABALENKA (#5) 6-3 7-6(4)
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F	L	A. SABALENKA (#5) 6-3 7-6(4)
F SF	L W	A. SABALENKA (#5) 6-3 7-6(4)  O. JABEUR (#2) 6-3 1-6 6-3  V. AZARENKA (#26) 6-4 6-7(3) 7-

2024	Result	Rank: 58 Seed: -
QF	L	L. NOSKOVA (#40) 7-5 6-3
3r	W	A. RODIONOVA (#113) 6-1 6-1
2r	W	L. SAMSONOVA (#15) 6-2 6-1
1r	W	D. SHNAIDER (#97) 6-2 6-3



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LINDA NOSKOVA

MIRRA ANDREEVA

## **SEASON 2025 HISTORY**

• No notes have been added for this player

No notes have been added for this player

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
6	14	Aces	3	45
57.1%	68	First serve %	62.9%	42
82.1%	2	First Serve points won %	69.2%	24
71.4%	2	Second serve points won %	52.2%	24
77.6%	1	Overall service points won %	62.9%	14
100.0%	1	Service games won %	80.0%	16
0.0%	0	Break points saved %	50.0%	49
47.2%	5	First serve return points won %	50.0%	3
43.5%	62	Second serve return points won %	36.4%	73
50.0%	25	Break points converted %	57.1%	19
37.5%	26	Return games won %	40.0%	22
45.8%	24	Return points won %	45.2%	27

Best win by ranking: No.118 vs Todoni in BRISBANE 2r Longest match: 1h 15m vs Todoni in BRISBANE 2r Shortest match: 1h 15m vs Todoni in BRISBANE 2r Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 6 vs Todoni in BRISBANE 2r

Best win by ranking: No.77 vs Blinkova in BRISBANE 2r Longest match: 1h 24m vs Blinkova in BRISBANE 2r Shortest match: 1h 24m vs Blinkova in BRISBANE 2r Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 3 vs Blinkova in BRISBANE 2r



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LINDA

**NOSKOVA** 

MIRRA ANDREEVA

# **TITLES & GRAND SLAMS**

#### **SINGLES FINALS**

Champion (1) 2024 - MONTERREY Runner-Up (2) 2023 - PRAGUE, ADELAIDE #1

#### **DOUBLES FINALS**

Runner-Up (1) 2024 - ABU DHABI (w/Watson)

#### **SINGLES FINALS**

Champion (1) 2024 - IASI 250

Runner-Up (1) 2024 - NINGBO

#### **DOUBLES FINALS**

Runner-Up (1) 2024 - OLYMPICS (w/Shnaider)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
QF	2r	2r	1r	2024	4r	SF	1r	2r
	2r	1r	2r	2023		3r	4r	2r
	1r		1r	2022				



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LINDA NOSKOVA MIRRA Andreeva

### **CAREER MILESTONES**

- In 2024, achieved first Grand Slam singles quarterfinal at the Australian Open (l. Yastremska), where she also defeated then-World No.1 Iga Swiatek in the 3r; won her first singles title at Monterrey (d. Sun in F); reached SF at Prague (l. eventual champion Linette) and Brisbane (l. eventual champion Rybakina); earned a new career-high ranking of No.25 on August 26, 2024
- Breakthrough year in 2023, achieving runner-up twice; Adelaide 1 (as qualifier, l. Sabalenka) and Prague (l. Hibino). Also reached quarterfinals at Lyon (l. Osorio) and 3r at Indian Wells (l. Gauff) and Cincinnati (as qualifier, l. Gauff). Broke into Top 40 on October 9, 2023.
- Made Top-100 debut on August 1, 2022, following SF run at Prague (l. eventual champion Bouzkova); overtook Gauff at the youngest player in Top 100
- Also reached 2r at Tallinn (as qualifier, l. Haddad Maia) and fell 1r at both Roland Garros (as qualifier, l. Raducanu) and US Open (as qualifier, l. Bouzkova). On ITF Circuit, lifted fifth and sixth titles at this level, winning W60 tournament in Croissy-Beaubourg, France and W100 event in Versmold, Germany
- Finished 2021 campaign with 38-9 win-loss record, winning four ITF Circuit titles, including at W60 event in Prerov, Czech Republic
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2020 Prague
- On ITF Circuit, owns six titles in singles and one in doubles.
- As a junior, won 2021 girls' singles at Roland Garros.

- Reached first two WTA finals of career in 2024 winning the title at Iasi and finishing runner-up at Ningbo
- Made first Grand Slam semifinal at 2024 Roland Garros beating World No.2 Aryna Sabalenka in the quarterfinals
- Made Top 20 debut on October 8, 2024 finishing the year at World No.16. Also won 2024 Paris Olympic silver medal in women's doubles with Diana Shnaider
- Opened 2023 season in April by winning 13
  matches straight to claim back-to-back ITF
  titles in Switzerland; as WC, advanced to R16 at
  Madrid with wins over Fernandez, Haddad Maia
  and Linette (l. Sabalenka); subsequently made
  debut at Roland Garros (as qualifier, l. Gauff in
  3r), Wimbledon (as qualifier, l. Keys in R16) and
  US Open (l. eventual champion Gauff in 2r)
- Also in 2023 reached R16 at Beijing (l. Rybakina), leading to Top 50 debut (started season just inside Top 300); voted WTA Newcomer of the Year
- In 2022, posted 39-9 win-loss record on ITF Circuit, winning first four titles at this level
- Fell 1r on WTA main-draw debut at 2022 Monastir (as WC, l. Potapova)
- Made professional debut at W15 ITF Circuit event at Sharm El-Sheikh in February 2022
- Owns six ITF Circuit singles titles
- As a junior, finished R-Up at 2023 Australian Open (l. Korneeva)

### OTHER INFORMATION

- · Currently coached by Tomas Kupa
- Mother's name is Ivana Noskova; Father's name is Drahos Nosek
- Like listening to Maneskin, Lil Nas X, Lizzo
- · Enjoys watching Wrestling and streaming Netflix
- Also like to swim, run, and spend time with pets
- · Favorite player is Serena Williams

- · Coached by Conchita Martinez
- Sister Erika is also a professional player
- Originally from Krasnoyarsk and began playing aged six, but moved to Sochi and then Cannes, France, with sister to set uptraining base with coaches Jean-René Lisnard and Jean-Christophe Faurel
- Favorite surface is clay
- Represented by IMG



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1989-07-31	Date of Birth	1998-07-21
Monte Carlo, Monaco	Residence	Bradenton, FL, USA
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-Handed (two-handed backhand)
6' 0" (1.83m)	Height	5' 11" (1.80m)
1	Career-High Ranking	24
\$38,063,787	<b>Career Prize Money</b>	\$5,271,193
\$0	Season Prize Money	\$0
0 / 21	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 1
163-62 (Champion: 2013 AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2012 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	17-22 (Quarter-Finalist: 2022 WIMBLEDON)
1-0 / 21-4 (Champion: 2016, 2009)	YTD / Career BRISBANE W-L (best)	2-0 / 3-2 (Round of 16: 2025, 2019)
1-0 / 572-239	YTD / Career W-L	2-0 / 114-103
1-0 / 396-148	YTD / Career Hard W-L	2-0 / 88-74
1-0 / 122-99	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	1-0 / 32-38
0-1 / 92-67	YTD / Career TB W-L	2-0 / 22-31
0-0 / 145-124	YTD / Career TOP 20 W-L	1-0 / 17-33
Round of 16: BRISBANE	YTD Best Result	Round of 16: BRISBANE



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### **HEAD TO HEAD RECORD**

YEAR TOURNAMENT SURFACE ROUND WINNER SCORE/ RESULT TIME

First career meeting

# **RANKING HISTORY**

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
16	20	2024	34	45
14	22	2023	24	34
15	27	2022	26	26
13	27	2021	46	89
13	13	2020	46	51
38	50	2019	53	57
51	51	2018	142	142
13	208	2017	169	187
5	13	2016	260	260
19	22	2015	311	378



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VICTORIA AZARENKA

MARIE BOUZKOVA

### **TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

2r: d. M. JOINT (#116) 6-7 6-2 6-4 (2h 34m)

Total time on court: 2h 34m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making 8th appearance at this event, where she won the title in 2009 and 2016 and also finished runner-up in 2013; reached SF on most recent appearance last year (l. Sabalenka)
- Her first career WTA singles title came at 2009 Brisbane
- After 1r bye, defeated Maya Joint in 2r for her first match-win since the 2024 US Open
- Faces No.44 Marie Bouzkova in 3r today; owns 315 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.29 Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova at 2024 Toronto
- Owns 39-20 career tour-level record against players from Czech Republic (0-0 in 2025)
- 20 of her 21 career singles titles have come on hard courts, most recently at Cincinnati (NYC) in 2020
- Owns 4 singles titles at WTA 500 events: Stanford 2010, Moscow 2010, Sydney 2012 and Brisbane 2016
- Is currently ranked No.20; this time last year was ranked No.23. Peaked at World No.1 and held that position for 51 weeks during 2012 and 2013

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

1r: d. T. GIBSON (#140) 7-6 3-6 6-3 (2h 57m) 2r: d. J. OSTAPENKO (#15) 7-6 6-4 (2h 14m)

Total time on court: 5h 11m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making 3rd appearance at this event, where her previous best result was reaching 2r in 2019 (as qualifier, l. Ka.Pliskova)
- Has beaten Talia Gibson and No.7 seed Jelena Ostapenko so far this week to reach the 3r
- Faces No.20 Victoria Azarenka in 3r today; owns 17 wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.15 Ostapenko in the previous round
- Her sole career singles title came on hard court at 2022 Prague
- Best career result at a WTA 500 event was runner-up showing at 2024 Washington DC (l. Badosa in F)
- One of 2 players from Czech Republic to reach 3r (also Noskova)
- Best result by a Czech player at this event were title runs by Karolina Pliskova in 2017, 2019 and 2020; and Petra Kvitova in 2011
- Is currently ranked No.44; this time last year was ranked No.36. Hit career-high ranking of No.24 in 2022



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# **RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

2024	Result	Rank: 23 Seed: 8
SF	L	A. SABALENKA (#2) 6-2 6-4
QF	W	J. OSTAPENKO (#12) 6-3 3-6 7-5
3r	W	C. BUREL (#56) 7-5 6-2
2r	W	A. KALINSKAYA (#80) 6-1 7-6(8)
2023	Result	Rank: 26 Seed: -
QF	L	L. NOSKOVA (#102) 6-4 6-7(3) 7- 6(6)
2r	W	Q. ZHENG (#28) 6-2 7-5
1r	W	A. KALININA (#39) 7-6(9) 7-6(5)
2016	Result	Rank: 22 Seed: -
F	W	A. KERBER (#10) 6-3 6-1
SF	W	S. CRAWFORD (#142) 6-0 6-3
QF	W	R. VINCI (#15) 6-1 6-2
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2r	W	Y. BONAVENTURE (#170) 6-3 6-2
2r 1r	w w	Y. BONAVENTURE (#170) 6-3 6-2 E. VESNINA (#115) 6-2 6-0
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1r	W	E. VESNINA (#115) 6-2 6-0
1r 2015	w Result	E. VESNINA (#115) 6-2 6-0  Rank: 42 Seed: -
1r <b>2015</b> 1r	W Result	E. VESNINA (#115) 6-2 6-0  Rank: 42 Seed: -  K. PLISKOVA (#23) 4-6 7-6(7) 6-4
1r 2015 1r 2014	W Result L Result	E. VESNINA (#115) 6-2 6-0  Rank: 42 Seed: -  K. PLISKOVA (#23) 4-6 7-6(7) 6-4  Rank: 2 Seed: 2
1r 2015 1r 2014	Result  Result  L	E. VESNINA (#115) 6-2 6-0  Rank: 42 Seed: -  K. PLISKOVA (#23) 4-6 7-6(7) 6-4  Rank: 2 Seed: 2  S. WILLIAMS (#1) 6-4 7-5

2020	Result	Rank: 60 Seed: -
1r	L	M. KEYS (#13) 6-3 6-2
2019	Result	Rank: 139 Seed: -
2r	L	K. PLISKOVA (#8) 7-5 6-2
1r	W	S. STOSUR (#74) 4-6 6-2 6-2



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## **SEASON 2025 HISTORY**

· No notes have been added for this player

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VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
4	33	Aces	14	3
62.2%	45	First serve %	63.2%	37
65.6%	35	First Serve points won %	65.0%	38
54.1%	18	Second serve points won %	42.6%	52
61.2%	23	Overall service points won %	56.8%	44
73.3%	26	Service games won %	57.7%	60
66.7%	20	Break points saved %	62.1%	28
49.3%	4	First serve return points won %	33.6%	45
47.5%	56	Second serve return points won %	71.4%	1
46.7%	36	Break points converted %	48.0%	34
46.7%	13	Return games won %	46.2%	15
48.6%	10	Return points won %	50.0%	9

Best win by ranking: No.116 vs Joint in BRISBANE 2r Longest match: 2h 34m vs Joint in BRISBANE 2r Shortest match: 2h 34m vs Joint in BRISBANE 2r Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 4 vs Joint in BRISBANE 2r

Best win by ranking: No.15 vs Ostapenko in BRISBANE 2r Longest match: 2h 57m vs Gibson in BRISBANE 1r Shortest match: 2h 14m vs Ostapenko in BRISBANE 2r Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 9 vs Gibson in BRISBANE 1r



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### **TITLES**

#### **SINGLES FINALS**

#### Champion (21)

2020 - CINCINNATI (NYC)

2016 - MIAMI, INDIAN WELLS, BRISBANE

2013 - CINCINNATI, DOHA, AUSTRALIAN OPEN

2012 - LINZ, BEIJING, INDIAN WELLS, DOHA,

AUSTRALIAN OPEN, SYDNEY

2011 - LUXEMBOURG, MARBELLA, MIAMI

2010 - MOSCOW, STANFORD

2009 - MIAMI, MEMPHIS, BRISBANE

Runner-Up (20)

2021 - INDIAN WELLS

2020 - OSTRAVA, US OPEN

2019 - MONTERREY

2015 - DOHA

2014 - BRISBANE

2013 - US OPEN, CARLSBAD, ROME

2012 - US OPEN, MADRID, STUTTGART

2011 - WTA CHAMPIONSHIPS, MADRID

2010 - EASTBOURNE, DUBAI

2008 - PRAGUE, GOLD COAST

2007 - TASHKENT, ESTORIL

### **DOUBLES FINALS**

#### Champion (10)

2023 - MADRID (w/Haddad Maia)

2021 - BERLIN (w/Sabalenka)

2019 - ROME (w/Barty), ACAPULCO (w/Zheng)

2011 - STANFORD (w/Kirilenko), MADRID

(w/Kirilenko)

2010 - CINCINNATI (w/Kirilenko)

2009 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Zvonareva), MEMPHIS

(w/Wozniacki)

2006 - TASHKENT (w/Poutchek)

#### Runner-Up (11)

2019 - US OPEN (w/Barty)

2011 - TORONTO (w/Kirilenko), AUSTRALIAN OPEN

(w/Kirilenko)

2009 - FRENCH OPEN (w/Vesnina)

2008 - AMELIA ISLAND (w/Vesnina), AUSTRALIAN

OPEN (w/Peer)

2007 - MOSCOW (w/Poutchek), LUXEMBOURG

(w/Peer), SAN DIEGO (w/Chakvetadze), STANFORD

(w/Chakvetadze)

2006 - MEMPHIS (w/Wozniacki)

#### **SINGLES FINALS**

Champion (1)

2022 - PRAGUE

Runner-Up (6)

2024 - WASHINGTON DC, BOGOTA

2023 - NANCHANG

2022 - GUADALAJARA

2021 - MELBOURNE 250

2020 - MONTERREY

#### **DOUBLES FINALS**

#### Champion (5)

2023 - SEOUL (w/Mattek-sands), BEIJING

(w/Sorribes Tormo)

2022 - ISTANBUL (w/Sorribes Tormo)

2021 - PRAGUE (w/Hradecka), BIRMINGHAM

(w/Hradecka)

Runner-Up (3)

2024 - AUCKLAND (w/Mattek-sands)

2021 - CHARLESTON (w/Hradecka)

2020 - LEXINGTON (w/Teichmann)



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# **GRAND SLAMS**

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
4r	2r		3r	2024	1r	3r	2r	2r
SF	1r	4r	2r	2023	1r	1r	4r	3r
4r	3r		4r	2022	2r	2r	QF	2r
1r	4r	2r	3r	2021	1r	1r	1r	1r
	2r		RUP	2020	1r	1r		1r
1r	2r	3r	1r	2019		1r	2r	1r
	1r	2r	3r	2018				1r
		4r		2017				
QF	1r			2016				
4r	3r	QF	QF	2015				
QF		2r	QF	2014				
WON	SF	2r	RUP	2013				
WON	4r	SF	RUP	2012				
4r	QF	SF	3r	2011				
QF	1r	3r	2r	2010				
4r	QF	QF	3r	2009				
3r	4r	3r	3r	2008				
3r	1r	3r	4r	2007				
1r	1r	1r	3r	2006				



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### **CAREER MILESTONES**

- Best results in 2024 were reaching SF at Brisbane (l. Sabalenka), Miami (l. Rybakina) and Berlin (l. Kalinskaya). Made 4r at Australian Open (l. Yastremska). In addition, reached QF another four times at Doha (l. eventual champion Swiatek), Rome (l. Collins), Charleston (l. Pegula) and Washington DC (l. Sabalenka).
- Opened 2023, with QF at Adelaide 1 (l. Noskova) before reaching semifinal at Australian Open (l. Rybakina). Made 4r at Wimbledon (l. Svitolina) and 2r at US Open before earning a QF finish at Guadalajara (l. Garcia)
- Standout result in 2022 was SF in last tournament of her season, at Guadalajara (l. eventual champion Pegula). Also reached QFs at Washington DC and Adelaide, while made R16 at Australian Open and US Open
- Best result in 2021 came in final event when she finished R-Up at Indian Wells (l. Badosa on third set tie-break). Also made SFs at Doha and Bad Homburg
- One of five players to reach three or more finals in 2020, lifting one trophy at the Western & Southern Open - her first title since 2016.
   Finished year ranked No.13 - her best seasonend ranking since 2013 (No.2)
- Advanced to her fifth career Grand Slam final at 2020 US Open, which helped her return to the Top 20 for the first time since March 2017
- Winner of the 2020 WTA Comeback Player of the Year Award, as voted on by members of the international media
- Last tournament of 2019 was the US Open, where she fell to Sabalenka in 1r; also reached the doubles final w/Barty (l. Mertens/Sabalenka)
- Highlight of 2019 was 37th singles final at Monterrey (l. Muguruza in F via ret. w/leg injury).
   On February 2, 2019 returned to Top 50 for first time following the birth of her child, Leo
- Made return to tennis in June 2017 following birth of first child in December 2016, reaching 2r of comeback event at Mallorca (d. Ozaki, l. Konjuh)
- Ended 2016 ranked No.13, despite missing second half of season after going on maternity leave (announced pregnancy mid-July). Lifted three titles, at Brisbane and 'Sunshine Double' of Indian Wells and Miami - third woman to achieve feat after Graf in 1994 and 1996 and Cliisters in 2005
- Posted 26-3 record for first six months of 2016 with losses coming at the Australian Open (QF, l.

- Reached two WTA singles finals in 2024, at Bogotá (l. Osorio) and Washington, DC (l. Badosa); finished season with SF run at Jiujiang (l. Golubic). In Grand Slam play, achieved best result at Roland Garros to date, advancing to 3r (l. Swiatek).
- Enjoyed better success in second half of 2023 season with 4r at Wimbledon (l. eventual champion Vondrousova) and 3r at US Open (l. Jabeur); also achieved QF at Cincinnati (retired during match against Muchova with right thigh injury), QF at Seoul (l. Yuan Yue) and R-Up at Nanchang (l. Siniakova).
- Lifted two more doubles trophies in 2023 at Beijing (w/Sorribes Tormo) and Seoul (w/Mattek Sands).
- Finished 2022 season on career-high ranking of No.25, having started it only just inside Top 100
- Lifted career maiden singles champion trophy at Prague (d. Potapova in F). Also won third doubles title at Istanbul 2022 (w/Sorribes Tormo)
- Other notable results from 2022 season included R-Up at WTA 250 event in Guadalajara (l. Stephens in F) and SF run later in the year at WTA 1000 event in the same city (l. Sakkari)
- Reached QF at 2022 Wimbledon (l. Jabeur) her best career Slam result
- Scored two Top-10 wins over No. 8 Collins at Wimbledon and No. 7 Ka.Pliskova at Madrid in 2022
- Advanced to second WTA final in 2021 at the Phillip Island Trophy in Melbourne defeating No.8 Andreescu in SF (l. Kasatkina in F), followed it up with SF in Guadalajara(l. Sorribes Tormo)
- Also reached QFs in Birmingham (l. Vandeweghe) and Luxembourg (l. Tauson)
- In doubles in 2022, won first titles of career both w/Hradecka at Birmingham (d.Jabeur/Perez in F) and Prague (d. Stojanovic/Kuzmova in F) and reached an additional final at Charleston w/Hradecka (l. Melichar/Schuurs); also reached QFs at Wimbledon and US Open
- Before tour's hiatus in March 2020, advanced to first career WTA final at Monterrey where she finished R-Up to Svitolina - broke into Top 50 at career-high ranking of No.47 following the tournament (March 9, 2020)
- Other highlight of 2020 came at Lexington, where she made the fourth tour-level QF of her career (l. eventual champion Brady) and reached

- Kerber), Rome (2r, l. Begu) and Roland Garros (ret. vs. Knapp w/right knee injury)
- Limited to total of 23 events over 2014-15 seasons due to variety of injuries
- Posted five consecutive Top-10 finishes between 2009 and 2013, qualifying for the WTA Finals on each occasion (l. Kvitova in 2011 final in Istanbul)
- Ascended to World No.1 after 2012 Australian
   Open and held top spot for a total of 51 weeks
- Began 2012 with 26-match win streak best start since Hingis went 37-0 in 1997. Went on to win Tour-leading 69 matches in 2012, season highlighted by six titles, finishing as WTA's yearend No.1
- Belarusian Fed Cup Team, 2005, 2007, 2009-11, 2015-16, 2019; Belarusian Olympic Team, 2008, 2012
- Won two medals for Belarus at 2012 Olympics bronze in singles and mixed doubles gold (w/Mirnyi)
- Made her Top 100 debut on July 10, 2006 (No.99) and Top 50 debut on May 14, 2007 (No.49)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2005 Kolkata
- ITF Junior World Champion for 2005 reached first tour-level semifinal at Guangzhou the same year

- maiden WTA doubles final (w/Teichmann, l. Carter/Stefani)
- Standout performance of 2019 season was a SF run in her first Premier 5 appearance at Toronto (as qualifier, l. S.Williams in 3s); upset No.4 Halep and No.8 Stephens en route - her first career wins over players inside Top 20
- Also in 2019, made QF at Guangzhou and was R-Up at WTA 125K Series event at Guadalajara.
   Lifted 12th and biggest title of career on ITF
   Circuit, at \$80K Nur-Sultan-KAZ (d. Kostic in F);
   broke into the Top 100 for the first time at No.92
   following the tournament (on July 22)
- Won first Slam main draw match during 2r showing at 2019 Wimbledon (as LL, d. Barthel, l. Sakkari)
- Highlights of 2018 season were winning maiden tour-level match during 2r showing at Québec City (as qualifier, l. Lepchenko) and qualifying for first Grand Slam at US Open, where she fell in 1r (l. Bogdan)
- Fell 1r on WTA main draw debut at 2015 Acapulco (as wildcard, l. Karatantcheva)
- Professional debut was opening round loss in qualifying at 2013 Katowice
- Girls' singles champion at 2014 US Open (d. Kalinina in F)

### OTHER INFORMATION

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

- Mother is Kveta. Has a younger brother, Benjamin Milan
- Began playing tennis at club owned by her parents in Prague. Moved to Florida at age 10 initially trained at Bollietieri Academy for two years, continued to work with her dad and then Requeni from 2014
- Admires the play of Serena Williams and Rafael Nadal
- Has memorably played with the same type of giant water bottle courtside for more than 10 years
- Speaks Czech, English, Spanish and some German
- Favorite music is from Queen, ABBA, Roxette and Beatles, while favorite movies are Czech comedy classics
- Currently pursuing a degree in business administration through Indiana University East