

MATCH NOTES

VANDA PHARMACEUTICALS BERLIN TENNIS OPEN BERLIN, GERMANY

June 15-21, 2026 | WTA 500 | € 1,049,083

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DAY 3 - WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17

Donna Vekic (CRO #33) vs. [WC] Alexandra Eala (PHI #35)

Eala leads 1-0

Vekic:

- Making 4th appearance at Berlin, where her best tournament result was finishing runner-up in 2023 (I. Kvitova in F)
- Currently on a 5-match winning streak after claiming last week's title at Queen's Club as a lucky loser (d. Raducanu in final)
- 2 of her 5 career WTA singles titles are on grass; along with the title last week, she won the 2017 Nottingham title (d. Konta in final)
- She has reached 4 additional WTA finals on grass, and her career-best Grand Slam performance was on grass, making 2024 Wimbledon SF (I. eventual R-Up Paolini)
- Last week at Queen's Club was also her first career WTA 500 title, after 4 previous R-Up finishes at WTA 500 events
- Entered Queen's Club last week ranked No.76 – by winning that title, she moved up 43 spots to No.33 in this week's new rankings

Eala:

- Making her Berlin tournament debut
- Defeated Vekic in their only prior meeting at 2026 Auckland (which was both Eala and Vekic's first match of this year)
- Started her 2026 grass-court swing by winning the WTA 125 title in Birmingham (d. Bartunkova in F), then made 2r at Queen's Club (I. Jovic)
- Went 10-5 on grass last year (spanning all tournament levels and qualifying), including her first career WTA Tour singles final at Eastbourne (I. Joint in F in 3rd-set TB)
- Best tournament finish at Tour-level so far this year is SF at Auckland (I. eventual R-Up Wang Xinyu)
- Winner of this match to face No.2 seed Elena Rybakina in 2r

[3] Jessica Pegula (USA #4) vs. [Q] Katerina Siniakova (CZE #34)

Pegula leads 5-1

Pegula:

- Making 4th appearance at Berlin, where she was the 2024 champion (d. Kalinskaya in F in 3rd-set TB, saving 5 championship points)
- Seeking her first win since 2026 Rome R16 (0-2 since then, I. Swiatek in Rome QF and I. Birrell in Roland Garros 1r)
- Two of her 11 career WTA singles titles have come on grass: along with her 2024 title here, she also won the 2025 Bad Homburg title (d. Swiatek in F)
- Has won 2 WTA singles titles this year at WTA 1000 Dubai (d. Svitolina in F) and WTA 500 Charleston (d. Starodubtseva in F)
- Since this event started on grass in 2021, Pegula is the only American to have reached the final here

Siniakova:

- Making 5th appearance at Berlin, where her best tournament result is making QF in 2024 as a qualifier (I. eventual champion and today's opponent Pegula)
- Has defeated Pegula only once in their six meetings, but that victory was on grass, at 2021 Bad Homburg
- Owns 11 Tour-level wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.8 Mirra Andreeva at 2026 Indian Wells
- One of her other Top 10 wins came during her 2024 Berlin QF run, when she defeated No.8 Zheng Qinwen in 2r
- One of her 5 career WTA singles titles came on grass, at 2023 Bad Homburg (d. Bronzetti in F)
- Currently ranked No.34 in singles, and she is also World No.1 in the WTA Doubles Rankings (has been WTA Doubles World No.1 for 187 weeks in her career, third-most all-time)

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[WC] Paula Badosa (ESP #142) vs. [5] Coco Gauff (USA #7)

Badosa leads 4-3

Badosa:

- Making 2nd appearance at Berlin; she reached the QF last year in her tournament debut (l. eventual R-Up Wang Xinyu via retirement)
- Defeated Suzan Lamens in 1r, notching her first match-win since Charleston in April (ended a 5-match losing streak)
- Seeking her first Tour-level QF of the season
- Started her 2026 grass-court swing last week in 's-Hertogenbosch (as wild card, l. Snigur in 1r)
- Owns 15 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.9 Emma Navarro at this event last year
- 2 of her 4 career WTA singles titles have come at WTA 500-level: 2022 Sydney (d. Krejčíková in F) and 2024 Washington DC (d. Bouzková in F)

Gauff:

- Making 5th appearance at Berlin; her best tournament results are SFs in 2022 (l. eventual champion Jabeur) and 2024 (l. eventual champion Pegula)
- Has won her last 23 matches vs. players ranked outside the Top 100 (Gauff's most recent loss to a player ranked outside the Top 100 was to No.128 Kenin in 2023 Wimbledon 1r)
- Career-best results on grass are SFs at 2023 Eastbourne (l. eventual champion Keys), and at Berlin in 2022 and 2024
- Went 0-2 in last year's grass swing, falling in Berlin 2r (after 1r bye, l. eventual R-Up Wang Xinyu) and Wimbledon 1r (l. Yastremska)
- Her best tournament finishes so far this year are R-Ups at WTA 1000 events in Miami (l. Sabalenka in F) and Rome (l. Svitolina in F)

[1] Aryna Sabalenka (#1) vs. Ekaterina Alexandrova (#19)

Tied 4-4

Sabalenka:

- Making 6th appearance at Berlin, where her best tournament result is SF last year (l. eventual champion Vondroušová)
- Career-best results on grass are R-Up finishes at 2018 Eastbourne (l. Wozniacki in F) and 2022 's-Hertogenbosch (l. today's opponent Alexandrova in F)
- Went 7-2 during last year's grass swing, reaching SF here and SF at Wimbledon (l. eventual R-Up Anisimova)
- Holds a 12-1 record vs. Top 20 players this year (the one loss was to Rybakina in Australian Open final)
- Has won 31 Tour-level matches this year, trailing only Andreëva (36), Svitolina (33) and Rybakina (32)
- Has won 3 titles this year (Brisbane, Indian Wells and Miami), tied with Andreëva for the most Tour singles titles won this year
- She has spent 95 total weeks holding the World No.1 ranking (including the last 87 consecutively)

Alexandrova:

- Making 5th appearance at Berlin, where her best tournament result is SF in 2023 (l. eventual champion Kvitová)
- Advanced past Anastasia Potapova in 1r (via retirement) for her first match-win since 2026 Stuttgart in April (ending a 5-match losing streak)
- Owns 19 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.3 Jessica Pegula at 2025 Stuttgart (0-7 vs. Top 10 players since then)
- Holds 2-4 career record in meetings vs. reigning World No.1 players – and she has won her two most recent (d. Świątek at 2024 Miami; d. today's opponent Sabalenka at 2025 Doha in 3rd-set tiebreak)
- Went 8-3 during last year's grass swing, reaching 4r at Wimbledon, QF at Bad Homburg and SF at 's-Hertogenbosch
- 2 of her 5 career WTA singles titles have come on grass, back-to-back at 's-Hertogenbosch in 2022 (d. today's opponent Sabalenka in F) and 2023 (d. V. Kudrmetova in F in 3rd-set tiebreak)



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**DONNA
VEKIC**
CROATIA

**ALEXANDRA
(WC) EALA**
PHILIPPINES

35

1996-06-28	Date of Birth	2005-05-23
Monte Carlo, Monaco	Residence	
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Left-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 10" (1.79m)	Height	5' 9" (1.75m)
17	Career-High Ranking	29
\$10,829,609	Career Prize Money	\$2,150,540
\$612,574	Season Prize Money	\$799,186
1 / 5	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 0
55-50 (Semi-Finalist: 2024 WIMBLEDON)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	1-5 (Round of 64: 2025 US OPEN)
0-0 / 5-3 (Runner-Up: 2023)	YTD / Career BERLIN W-L (best)	0-0 / 0-0
10-7 / 245-235	YTD / Career W-L	17-14 / 32-41



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2026	AUCKLAND	HARD	1r	Alexandra Eala	4-6 6-4 6-4	2h 40m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
33	-	2026	29	-
17	72	2025	50	50
18	19	2024	143	158
20	23	2023	189	205
47	69	2022	214	219
29	67	2021	505	529
19	32	2020	-	-
19	19	2019	-	-
34	34	2018	-	-
45	56	2017	-	-



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 4th appearance at Berlin, where her best tournament result was finishing R-Up in 2023 (l. Kvitova in F)
- Faces No.35 Alexandra Eala in 1r today; Vekic is currently on a 5-match winning streak after claiming last week's title at Queen's Club as a lucky loser (d. Raducanu in F)
- Owns 0-1 career record against players from Philippines - lost to today's opponent Eala in 2026 Auckland 1r
- 2 of her 5 career WTA singles titles are on grass; along with Queen's last week, she won the 2017 Nottingham title (d. Konta in F)
- She has reached 4 further WTA finals on grass, and her career-best Grand Slam performance was on grass, making 2024 Wimbledon SF (l. eventual R-Up Paolini)
- Last week at Queen's was also her first career WTA 500 title, after 4 previous R-Up finishes at WTA 500 events
- Only player from Croatia in the main draw; the best result by Croatia at this event was Vekic's R-Up finish in 2023
- Is currently ranked No.33; this time last year was ranked No.22. Reached career-high ranking of No.17 in January 2025
- Entered Queen's last week ranked No.76 - as a result of that title, moved up 43 spots in this week's updated rankings
- Last week was her first title since 2023 Monterrey, and her first final since her silver medal run at 2024 Paris Olympics

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Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her Berlin tournament debut
- Faces No.33 Donna Vekic in 1r today; Eala owns 14 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.33 Wang Xinyu at 2026 Rome
- Owns 2-0 career Tour-level record against players from Croatia, both of those wins during SF run at 2026 Auckland (d. today's opponent Vekic in 1r and Marcinko in 2r - Eala's first 2 matches of this year)
- Started her 2026 grass-court swing by winning WTA 125 title in Birmingham (d. Bartunkova in F), then made 2r at Queen's Club (l. Jovic)
- Went 10-5 on grass last year (spanning all tournament levels and qualifying), including her first career WTA Tour singles final at Eastbourne (l. Joint in F in 3rd-set TB)
- First player from Philippines to contest this event
- One of 4 main draw wild cards (along with Lys, Badosa and Bartunkova, who all won their 1r matches)
- Her career-best performance at a WTA 500 event is QF at 2026 Abu Dhabi (l. eventual R-Up Alexandrova)
- Best tournament finish at Tour-level so far this year is SF at Auckland (l. eventual R-Up Wang Xinyu)
- Is currently ranked No.35; this time last year was ranked No.77. Reached career-high ranking of No.29 in March of this year
- Winner of this match to face No.2 seed Elena Rybakina in 2r



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2025	Result	Rank: 22	Seed: -
1r	L	D. SHNAIDER (#12) 6-2 6-4	

2024	Result	Rank: 39	Seed: -
2r	L	J. PEGULA (#5) 6-4 7-5	
1r	W	J. NIEMEIER (#88) 1-6 6-1 6-3	

2023	Result	Rank: 23	Seed: -
F	L	P. KVITOVA (#9) 6-2 7-6(6)	
SF	W	M. SAKKARI (#8) 6-4 7-6(8)	
QF	W	E. AVANESYAN (#81) 6-2 7-6(0)	
2r	W	E. RYBAKINA (#3) 6-7(1) 6-3 6-4	
1r	W	V. GRACHEVA (#43) 6-3 6-2	

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles



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SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Won title at London (d. Raducanu)
- Made 2r at Roland Garros (l. Osaka)
- Finished R-Up at WTA 125 Istanbul (l. Timofeeva in F)
- Reached SF at Linz (as qualifier, l. eventual R-Up Potapova)
- Played 2r at Charleston (as qualifier, l. Keys)
- Made 2r at Indian Wells (as WC, l. Pegula)
- Played 1r at Merida (l. eventual champion Bucsa)
- Fell in 1r at Australian Open (l. M.Andreeva)
- Played 1r at Auckland (l. Eala)

- Made 2r at London (l. Jovic)
- Won title at WTA 125 Birmingham (d. Bartunkova in F)
- Fell 1r at Strasbourg (l. Oliynynkova) and Roland Garros (l. Jovic)
- Played 3r at Rome (l. Rybakina)
- Made 2r at Madrid (l. Mertens)
- Fell in 1r at Stuttgart (l. Fernandez)
- Played 2r at Linz (l. Ostpenko)
- Made 4r at Miami (l. Muchova)
- Reached 4r at Indian Wells (l. Noskova)
- Made 2r at Indian Wells (l. Gibson)
- Reached QF at Dubai (l. Gauff)
- Played 1r at Doha (l. Valentova)
- Made QF at Abu Dhabi (l. eventual R-Up Alexandrova)
- Fell in 1r at Australian Open (l. Parks)
- Reached SF at Auckland (l. eventual R-Up, X.Wang)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
57	44	Aces	27	83
58.4%	73	First serve %	65.0%	31
68.1%	13	First Serve points won %	60.6%	66
44.2%	56	Second serve points won %	46.5%	32
58.2%	30	Overall service points won %	55.7%	59
71.3%	20	Service games won %	63.0%	61
56.8%	34	Break points saved %	51.9%	65
34.0%	70	First serve return points won %	36.6%	43
58.1%	10	Second serve return points won %	56.1%	29
39.0%	77	Break points converted %	42.2%	64
30.6%	66	Return games won %	35.6%	39
42.2%	57	Return points won %	44.1%	37



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (5)

2026 - QUEENS
2023 - MONTERREY
2021 - COURMAYEUR
2017 - NOTTINGHAM
2014 - KUALA LUMPUR

Runner-Up (10)

2024 - OLYMPICS, BAD HOMBURG
2023 - BERLIN
2022 - SAN DIEGO
2019 - NOTTINGHAM, ST. PETERSBURG
2018 - WASHINGTON DC
2015 - TASHKENT
2013 - BIRMINGHAM
2012 - TASHKENT

SINGLES FINALS

Runner-Up (1)

2025 - EASTBOURNE

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
1r	2r			2026	1r	1r		
4r	2r	2r	2r	2025		1r	1r	2r
1r	3r	SF	4r	2024				
QF	2r	3r	1r	2023				
1r	2r	1r	1r	2022				
4r	1r	2r	1r	2021				
3r	1r		3r	2020				
2r	4r	1r	QF	2019				
2r	2r	4r	1r	2018				
2r	1r	2r	3r	2017				
1r	1r	1r		2016				
1r	3r			2015				
1r	1r	2r	1r	2014				
2r	1r	1r	2r	2013				



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CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2025, hit new career-high ranking of No.17 on January 27, after R16 run at Australian Open (l. Pavlyuchenkova); also made Chennai QF (l. eventual R-Up Birrell) and posted R16 finishes at WTA 1000 events in Indian Wells and Madrid (l. Keys at both)
- During 2024, achieved best Grand Slam result reaching SF at Wimbledon (l. Paolini), and won silver medal at Paris Olympics (l. Zheng in F), the first Olympic medal in women's singles for Croatia. Finished R-Up at Bad Homburg (l. Shnaider in F) and made Linz SF (l. Alexandrova). Reached new career-high ranking of No.18 on Oct. 7
- In 2023, posted best Australian Open result with QF (l. eventual champion Sabalenka), equaling best Grand Slam result (QF finish at 2019 US Open). Won 4th career title at Monterrey (d. Garcia) and was R-Up at Berlin (l. Kvitova). Returned to Top 20 for first time since 2019 and qualified for Zhuhai Elite Trophy
- 2022's highlight was R-Up finish at San Diego (as qualifier, l. Swiatek). Elsewhere, made QF at Birmingham and Tallinn
- Lifted third WTA title of her career at Courmayeur in October 2021 (d. Tauson in F)
- Underwent knee surgery at start of 2021, and experienced setbacks in her return to Tour afterwards, tearing plantar fascia and suffering from knee and foot injuries in spring 2022
- In 2020, contested the first match of the WTA Tour's resumption following the hiatus, defeating Rus in the Palermo 1r
- Reached first Grand Slam QF at 2019 US Open (l. Bencic); ended 2019 ranked No.19 for career-best year-end finish (up from No.34 in 2018), having cracked the Top 20 for the first time on October 21
- Also in 2019, finished R-Up at St. Petersburg (l. Bertens); en route to final, posted best win of career by ranking (third over a Top 5 opponent) with defeat of No.2 Kvitova in QF. Also made final at Nottingham (l. Garcia in third set tie-break) and ended 2019 by qualifying for WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai (fell RR)
- Ended 2018 at then-career-high ranking of No.34, after registering 31 Tour-level wins. Campaign highlighted by R-Up finish at Washington, DC (l. Kuznetsova after holding 4mp), SF showings at Nottingham and Tokyo [PPO], and first Grand Slam R16 at Wimbledon (l. Goerges)
- Breakout 2025 season saw her break into the Top 100 after SF run at WTA 1000 Miami; as a wild card she registered back-to-back Top 10 wins over No.5 Keys and No.2 Swiatek. Went on to reach maiden Tour final at Eastbourne and then won her first WTA 125 title Guadalajara. Her year-end ranking was a career high No.50
- Following her Miami 2025 result, she made history by becoming the first player from the Philippines to reach a WTA 1000 semifinal and the first to enter the WTA World Top 100 ranking
- In 2024 made 2r at WTA 1000 Madrid (l. Cirstea) as well as playing main draw at Abu Dhabi, Guadalajara, Wuhan, Guangzhou and Jiujiang. Earned fourth ITF career title at W100 Vitoria-Gasteiz and reached a career high ranking of No.143 in July
- Entered first Grand Slam in 2023 at Australian Open qualifying (l. Doi in Q1). As a qualifier reached main draw at Hua Hin (l. Maria), Osaka (l. Sakatsume), Guangzhou (l. Maria) and Monastir (l. Mertens) taking her ranking into Top 200 for first time
- Claimed first ITF title in 2022 at Chiang Rai \$25K and also played WTA Miami opening main draw match (l. Brengle) and qualifying at Madrid (l. Bondar).
- In 2021 played first Tour level match at Miami qualifying (l. Kuzmova) and reached 2r at Cluj Napoca on clay (l. Sherif).
- Best result of 2021 was reaching QF at Grenoble \$25K
- Began on the ITF circuit in 2020 at the age of 14

- Enjoyed a resurgent year in 2017, breaking the Top 50 on July 24 and finishing campaign ranked No.54. Grass court season saw her lift a second WTA singles title of career, at Nottingham (d. No.8 Konta in final) - prior to this run had not posted back-to-back main draw wins since September 2015 (R-Up at Tashkent)
- Posted just four tour-level wins across 2016, but closed the campaign by reaching two ITF finals, winning her fifth and most recent title at this level at \$100k ITF/Sharm El Sheikh-EGY
- Highlights in 2015 included reaching final at Tashkent (l. Hibino) and QF at Baku
- Ranked No.95, lifted maiden WTA singles title at 2014 Kuala Lumpur (d. No.10 Cibulkova in final); aged 17 y 10 m, became youngest player to win a WTA singles title since 2006 Bangkok (Vania King)
- Reached first career WTA Tour final at 2012 Tashkent (l. Begu) on her WTA main draw debut, and in doing so became youngest WTA finalist since 15-year-old Paszek won Portoroz in 2005
- Broke into Top 100 (at No.93) on January 28, 2013
- On the ITF Circuit, has won five singles titles and one doubles title

OTHER INFORMATION

- Both parents played professional sports: mother, Brankica (track hurdler) and father, Igor (soccer goalkeeper)
- Favorite surface is hard
- Speaks Croatian, English and Italian
- Self-described as strong-willed, determined and extremely competitive
- Coached by Joan Bosch
- Started playing tennis aged four
- Competed in the WTA Future Stars event in 2016 and 2017 in Singapore (first time at age 11 and won the Li Na Inspiration Award)
- Made WTA Tour debut at 2021 Miami in qualifying
- Trains at the Rafael Nadal Academy in Mallorca
- Preferred surface is hard
- Parents are Mike and Rizza (who was a professional swimmer who competed at the 1985 Southeast Asian Games); brother is also a budding tennis player
- Enjoys upbeat Spanish music and watching comedy and horror movies
- Loves ice cream, rice and milk tea



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4 **JESSICA PEGULA (3)**
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

KATERINA (Q) SINIAKOVA 34
CZECH REPUBLIC

1994-02-24	Date of Birth	1996-05-10
Boca Raton, FL, USA	Residence	Hradec Kralove, Czech Republic
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 7" (1.70m)	Height	5' 9" (1.74m)
3	Career-High Ranking	27
\$24,570,569	Career Prize Money	\$16,641,238
\$2,702,934	Season Prize Money	\$1,696,888
2 / 11	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 5
62-29 (Runner-Up: 2024 US OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	31-46 (Round of 16: 2019 ROLAND GARROS)
0-0 / 6-2 (Champion: 2024)	YTD / Career BERLIN W-L (best)	1-0 / 4-4 (Quarter-Finalist: 2024)
28-7 / 283-135	YTD / Career W-L	11-10 / 222-241



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2025	WUHAN	HARD	QF	Jessica Pegula	2-6 6-0 6-3	1h 39m
2025	BAD HOMBURG	GRASS	2r	Jessica Pegula	6-2 6-3	1h 6m
2024	BERLIN	GRASS	QF	Jessica Pegula	7-6(2) 3-6 6-3	2h 36m
2022	DOHA	HARD	1r	Jessica Pegula	6-3 6-2	1h 8m
2021	BAD HOMBURG	GRASS	2r	Katerina Siniakova	6-3 5-7 6-4	2h 10m
2019	WASHINGTON DC	HARD	1r	Jessica Pegula	6-4 6-3	1h 19m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
4	-	2026	32	-
3	6	2025	45	49
3	7	2024	27	46
3	5	2023	32	45
3	3	2022	44	47
18	18	2021	49	49
59	62	2020	53	64
55	76	2019	31	58
124	125	2018	31	31
165	632	2017	36	49



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- This is her first grass-court event of the season
- After 1r bye, faces No.34 Katerina Siniakova in 2r today; Pegula is seeking first win since 2026 Rome R16 (0-2 since then, l. Swiatek in Rome QF and l. Birrell in Roland Garros 1r)
- Owns 21-15 career Tour-level record against players from Czech Republic (0-0 in 2026)
- 2 of her 11 career WTA singles titles have come on grass: along with her 2024 title here, she also won 2025 Bad Homburg title (d. Swiatek in F)
- One of 3 players from United States in main draw (Keys and Gauff also contesting 2r)
- Since this event started on grass in 2021, the 2024 champion Pegula is the only American to reach the final here
- During last year's grass swing, made 2r at Berlin, won Bad Homburg title and fell 1r at Wimbledon
- Has won 2 WTA singles titles already this year at WTA 1000 Dubai (d. Svitolina in F) and WTA 500 Charleston (d. Starodubtseva in F)
- She is a 4-time titlist at WTA 500-level, most recently Charleston this year
- Is currently ranked No.4; this time last year was ranked a career-high No.3 (reached No.3 for the first time in October 2022)

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. R. MASAROVA (#141) 6-2 6-4 (1h 14m)

Total time on court: 1h 14m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 5th appearance at Berlin, where her best tournament result is making QF in 2024 as a qualifier (l. eventual champion and today's opponent Pegula)
- This is her first grass-court event of the season
- After qualifying again for this year's main draw, defeated fellow qualifier Rebeka Masarova to reach 2r
- Faces No.4 Jessica Pegula in 2r today; Siniakova owns 11 Tour-level wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.8 Mirra Andreeva at 2026 Indian Wells
- One of her other Top 10 wins came during her 2024 Berlin QF run, where she defeated No.8 Zheng Qinwen in 2r
- Owns 30-30 career Tour-level record against players from United States (2-2 in 2026)
- 1 of her 5 career WTA singles titles came on grass, at 2023 Bad Homburg (d. Bronzetti in F)
- One of 4 players from Czech Republic in the main draw, along with Bartunkova, Muchova and Noskova - all 4 won their 1r matches
- Since event started on grass in 2021, 2 Czechs have won this title: Kvitova in 2023 (d. Vekic in F) and Vondrousova last year (d. Wang Xinyu in F)
- Best result by a qualifier at this event, since it started on grass in 2021, was title run by Liudmila Samsonova in 2021 (d. Bencic in F)
- During last year's grass swing reached 2r at Wimbledon, 2r at Bad Homburg, 2r at Berlin and 1r at 's-Hertogenbosch
- Is currently ranked No.34; this time last year was ranked No.74. Reached career-high ranking of No.27 in June 2024
- Currently ranked World No.1 in doubles



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2025	Result	Rank: 3	Seed: 3
2r	L	L. SAMSONOVA (#20) 6-7(8) 7-5 7-6(5)	

2024	Result	Rank: 5	Seed: 4
F	W	A. KALINSKAYA (#24) 6-7(0) 6-4 7-6(3)	
SF	W	C. GAUFF (#2) 7-5 7-6(2)	
QF	W	K. SINIAKOVA (#30) 7-6(2) 3-6 6-3	
2r	W	D. VEKIC (#39) 6-4 7-5	

2021	Result	Rank: 26	Seed: -
QF	L	V. AZARENKA (#16) 6-2 5-7 6-4	
2r	W	K. PLISKOVA (#10) 7-5 6-2	
1r	W	H. BAPTISTE (#166) 6-6	

2025	Result	Rank: 74	Seed: -
2r	L	E. RYBAKINA (#11) 6-4 7-6(5)	
1r	W	V. TOMOVA (#83) 6-1 6-2	

2024	Result	Rank: 30	Seed: -
QF	L	J. PEGULA (#5) 7-6(2) 3-6 6-3	
2r	W	Q. ZHENG (#8) 6-4 6-4	
1r	W	E. NAVARRO (#17) 6-4 6-3	

2023	Result	Rank: 54	Seed: -
1r	L	C. GAUFF (#7) 6-3 6-4	

2022	Result	Rank: 63	Seed: -
1r	L	B. ANDREESCU (#69) 6-4 4-6 6-4	



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SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Fell 1r at Roland Garros (l. Birrell)
- Reached QF at Rome (l. Swiatek)
- Made 3r at Madrid (l. Kostyuk)
- Won the title at Charleston (d. Starodubtseva in F)
- Made QF at Miami (l. Rybakina)
- Reached QF at Indian Wells (l. eventual R-Up Rybakina)
- Champion run at Dubai (d. Svitolina in F)
- Reached SF at Australian Open (l. eventual champion Rybakina)
- Reached SF at Brisbane (l. eventual R-Up Kostyuk)

- Made 2r at Roland Garros (l. Mboko)
- Played 1r at Strasbourg(l. Bouzkova)
- Fell 2r at Rome (l. Kalinskaya)
- Made 3r at Madrid (l. McNally)
- Played 1r at Miami (l. Osorio)
- Reached 4r at Indian Wells (l. Svitolina, retired due to right hip injury)
- Fell in 1r at Dubai (l. Badosa)
- Played 2r at Doha (l. Osorio)
- Made 2r at Australian Open (l. Anisimova)
- Began 2026 season at Adelaide reaching 2r as a qualifier (l. Shnaider)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
150	6	Aces	30	76
63.0%	42	First serve %	63.8%	39
70.6%	5	First Serve points won %	62.8%	51
51.1%	6	Second serve points won %	46.7%	30
63.4%	3	Overall service points won %	57.0%	40
78.4%	3	Service games won %	68.0%	36
60.5%	14	Break points saved %	63.9%	6
38.8%	16	First serve return points won %	38.9%	15
55.9%	31	Second serve return points won %	54.5%	45
40.9%	70	Break points converted %	42.8%	62
37.5%	27	Return games won %	36.9%	31
45.2%	20	Return points won %	44.7%	32



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (11)

2026 - CHARLESTON, DUBAI
2025 - BAD HOMBURG, CHARLESTON, AUSTIN
2024 - TORONTO, BERLIN
2023 - SEOUL, MONTREAL
2022 - GUADALAJARA
2019 - WASHINGTON DC

Runner-Up (1)

2025 - WUHAN, MIAMI, ADELAIDE
2024 - US OPEN, CINCINNATI
2023 - WTA FINALS, TOKYO, DOHA
2022 - MADRID
2020 - AUCKLAND
2018 - QUEBEC CITY

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (7)

2023 - MIAMI (w/Gauff), DOHA (w/Gauff)
2022 - SAN DIEGO (w/Gauff), TORONTO (w/Gauff),
WASHINGTON DC (w/Routliffe), DOHA (w/Gauff),
MELBOURNE 250 #1 (w/Muhammad)

Runner-Up (5)

2024 - WUHAN (w/Muhammad), SAN DIEGO
(w/Krawczyk)
2023 - ROME (w/Gauff), MADRID (w/Gauff)
2022 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Gauff)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (5)

2023 - NANCHANG, BAD HOMBURG
2022 - PORTOROZ
2017 - BASTAD, SHENZHEN

Runner-Up (5)

2023 - HONG KONG
2021 - BAD HOMBURG
2018 - SHENZHEN
2016 - TOKYO INTERNATIONAL, BASTAD

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (37)

2026 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Townsend), MADRID
1000 (w/Townsend), MIAMI (w/Townsend), INDIAN
WELLS (w/Townsend), ADELAIDE (w/Zhang)
2025 - WUHAN (w/Hunter), SEOUL (w/Krejckikova),
DUBAI (w/Townsend), AUSTRALIAN OPEN
(w/Townsend)
2024 - GUANGZHOU (w/Zhang), PRAGUE
(w/Krejckikova), WIMBLEDON (w/Townsend),
ROLAND GARROS (w/Gauff), DUBAI (w/Hunter)
2023 - SAN DIEGO (w/Krejckikova), INDIAN WELLS
(w/Krejckikova), AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Krejckikova)
2022 - MONASTIR (w/Mladenovic), US OPEN
(w/Krejckikova), WIMBLEDON (w/Krejckikova),
BERLIN (w/Hunter), AUSTRALIAN OPEN
(w/Krejckikova), MELBOURNE 250 #2 (w/Pera)
2021 - WTA FINALS (w/Krejckikova), MOSCOW
(w/Ostapenko), OLYMPICS (w/Krejckikova),
ROLAND-GARROS (w/Krejckikova), MADRID
(w/Krejckikova), MELBOURNE 500 GIPPSLAND
TROPHY (w/Krejckikova)
2020 - SHENZHEN (w/Krejckikova)
2019 - LINZ (w/Krejckikova), TORONTO
(w/Krejckikova), SYDNEY (w/Krunic)
2018 - WIMBLEDON (w/Krejckikova), ROLAND
GARROS (w/Krejckikova)
2015 - PRAGUE (w/Bencic)
2014 - TASHKENT (w/Krunic)

Runner-Up (19)

2025 - US OPEN (w/Townsend)
2024 - WTA FINALS (w/Townsend), INDIAN WELLS
(w/Hunter)
2023 - BERLIN (w/Vondrousova), ADELAIDE #1
(w/Hunter)
2022 - WTA FINALS (w/Krejckikova)
2021 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Krejckikova)



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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
SF	1r			2026	2r	2r		
3r	4r	1r	SF	2025	1r	1r	2r	1r
2r		2r	RUP	2024	2r	2r	2r	1r
QF	3r	QF	4r	2023	1r	1r	2r	1r
QF	QF	3r	QF	2022	1r	2r	1r	2r
QF	3r	2r	3r	2021	1r	3r	3r	2r
1r	1r		3r	2020	1r	3r		1r
	1r	1r	1r	2019	1r	4r	2r	1r
				2018	2r	3r	3r	3r
				2017	1r	1r	1r	1r
			1r	2016	1r	1r	3r	2r
			2r	2015	2r	1r	1r	1r
				2014	1r			



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Won three singles titles in 2025 across all three surfaces - Bad Homburg (grass), Charleston (clay) and Austin (hard); also had runner-up finishes at Wuhan, Miami and Adelaide
- Qualified for the 2025 WTA Finals for a fourth consecutive year and reached the semifinals for the second time after 2023
- In 2024, won two singles titles - Toronto (WTA 1000) and Berlin - en route to year-end ranking of No.7, her third-straight year-end Top 10 finish; two-time runner-up at Cincinnati and US Open; joined Rosie Casals (1970), Evonne Goolagong Cawley (1973) and Serena Williams (2013) as the only women in the Open Era to make the final at the Canadian Open, Cincinnati Open and US Open in the same season
- Also qualified for the 2024 WTA Finals (withdrew during round-robin play due to left knee injury)
- Won two titles in 2023, her second WTA 1000 tournament at Montreal and also WTA 250 Seoul. Also finished R-Up at Doha, Tokyo and at the WTA Finals in Cancun
- In doubles ascended to No.1 ranking (co-ranked with Coco Gauff) after 2023 US Open
- Achieved career-high No.3 in October 2022 after defeating four Grand Slam champions at Guadalajara, en route to ending three-year wait for second WTA title (d. Sakkari in F)
- Qualified for WTA Finals in both singles and doubles (w/Gauff), thus becoming the first Americans to debut in singles and doubles at the season-ending showpiece since Davenport in 1994
- Reached QF at three of the four majors in 2022, breaking into Top 10 after doing so at Roland Garros (June 6, 2022)
- One of seven players to win 40 or more matches in 2022, alongside Swiatek, Jabeur, Garcia, Sakkari, Kasatkina and Bencic
- In 2021, reached the QF or better on seven occasions, including at the Australian Open
- Broke into Top 20 on November 1, 2021
- Began 2020 with runner-up finish at Auckland (l. S.Williams), other standout results were a QF at Western & Southern Open (as qualifier, l. Mertens) and a 3r showing at US Open (l. Kvitova)
- On the doubles court in 2020, reached QFs of Roland Garros (w/Muhammad) and Cincinnati (w/Rogers)
- Won her first WTA title at 2019 Washington DC (d. Giorgi in F)
- Singles highlights of 2025 included semifinals at Cluj-Napoca and Seoul as well as quarterfinals at WTA 1000 Wuhan (as a qualifier) and Prague; at WTA 125 level earned a title at Warsaw
- In doubles in 2025 won a 10th Grand Slam trophy at Australian Open (w/Townsend), followed by a maiden Grand Slam mixed doubles title at Wimbledon (w/Verbeek). Also won trophies at Wuhan (w/Hunter), Seoul (w/Krejciikova) and Dubai (w/Townsend). Finished the 2025 season ranked PIF Doubles World No.1 for a fifth time (2018, 2021, 2022, 2024), now equal Martina Navratilova for the most year-end No.1 finishes in WTA history
- Reached two WTA singles finals in 2024, at Cleveland and Guangzhou; additionally, champion at WTA 125 event at Lleida (d. Sherif in F). In doubles, finished year-end No.1 for fourth time after winning five titles: Dubai (w/Hunter); an eighth Grand Slam at Roland Garros (w/Gauff) and ninth at Wimbledon (w/Townsend); Prague (w/Krejciikova); and Guangzhou (w/Zhang). Additionally, R-Up at WTA Finals (w/Townsend). Also won gold medal in mixed doubles at Paris Olympics (w/Machac)
- In 2023, won fourth and fifth WTA career singles titles at Bad Homburg (d. Bronzetti in F) and Nanchang (d. Bouzkova in F). Also reached final at Hong Kong (l. Fernandez) and advanced to SF at Merida (l. eventual champion Giorgi)
- In doubles in 2023 won titles at Australian Open, Indian Wells and San Diego (all w/Krejciikova). Also achieved R-Up at Adelaide 1 (w/Hunter) and Berlin (w/Vondrousova)
- At 2022 Portoroz, lifted first WTA singles title in over five years (d. Rybakina in F). Also made QF at Hamburg (l. eventual champion Pera)
- Finished her second consecutive season as WTA Doubles World No.1 after winning six titles in 2022 (Melbourne Summer Set #2, Australian Open, Berlin, Wimbledon, US Open, Monastir); with her title at the US Open with partner Krejciikova, completed the career Golden Slam (winning all four Grand Slams and the Olympics) in Doubles
- Singles highlight in 2021 was R-Up finish at Bad Homburg (l. Kerber) - her first singles final since the start of 2018. Also made SF at Parma and reached three further QFs
- Finished 2021 as WTA Doubles World No.1 after winning a Tour-leading five titles, including Roland Garros and Olympics (both w/Krejciikova)

- Also in 2019, fell in 1r on main draw debut at Roland-Garros (l. eventual champion Barty) and Wimbledon (l. Buzarnescu) and Miami (as a qualifier, l. Konta)
- Broke into Top 100 for the first time on February 4, 2019 following back-to-back R-Up finishes at WTA 125K Series event at Newport Beach and W100 ITF Circuit tournament in Midland-MI, USA
- Highlights of 2018 included finishing R-Up as a qualifier at Quebec City (l. Parmentier in F), recording SF finish at Houston WTA 125K Series tournament (l. S.Peng) and reaching QF or better at 10 ITF events
- Did not play between January and August 2017 after undergoing hip surgery. Primarily played at ITF Circuit events for the rest of the year, winning two doubles titles with Townsend
- Played a mixture of WTA and ITF Circuit events in 2016 with highlight coming at Washington DC, where she defeated No.14 Stosur for first Top 20 win of career on her way to a SF finish (l. Davis)
- Reached 2r in Grand Slam main draw debut at 2015 US Open (as qualifier, d. Van Uytvanck, l. Cibulkova)
- Sidelined from tennis for a year and a half between 2013 and 2015 due to a right knee injury
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2009 Ponte Vedra Beach and WTA main draw debut at 2012 Indian Wells
- Reached two doubles finals in 2020, winning her first event of the season (Shenzhen w/Krejčíková) and finishing R-Up in the last (Linz w/Hradecká); also reached SF at Australian Open and Roland Garros (both w/Krejčíková)
- Best singles results of 2020 were QF at Strasbourg (l. Sabalenka) and 3r run at Roland Garros (l. Bertens)
- Produced career-best Slam singles result with R16 run at 2019 Roland Garros (d. No.1 Osaka in 3r, l. Keys)
- Finished 2018 ranked No.1 in doubles after winning first two Grand Slam trophies at Roland Garros (d. Hozumi/ Ninomiya in F) and Wimbledon (d. Melichar/Peschke in F) both w/Krejčíková, the first pairing to complete the Roland Garros-Wimbledon double since Kim Clijsters and Ai Sugiyama in 2003; also became the first team ever to win the girls' (2013) and ladies' doubles title at SW19
- Also R-Up w/Krejčíková at 2018 WTA Finals Singapore (l. Babos/Mladenovic)
- Has three Top 5 career wins in singles - against No.4 Halep at 2017 Shenzhen, No.4 Garcia at Wuhan, and No.1 Osaka at 2019 Roland Garros
- Won both singles rubbers during Czech Republic's 3-0 victory over USA in final of 2018 Billie Jean King Cup
- Won two career singles titles in 2017, first at Shenzhen (d. No.4 Halep in 2r, No.10 Konta in SF - the first Top 10 wins of her career - and Riske in F) and then Bastad (d. No.17 Sevastova in QF, No.20 Garcia in SF and No.6 Wozniacki in F)
- Reached doubles final at 2017 US Open (w/Hradecká, l. Chan/Hingis)
- Made Top 50 debut on October 24, 2016
- In 2016, advanced to first two WTA finals of career, at Bastad (as qualifier, l. Siegemund) and Tokyo (l. McHale)
- Won back-to-back Grand Slam matches for the first time during 3r showing at 2016 Wimbledon (l. A.Radwanska)
- Notched first Top 20 win by upsetting No.14 Petkovic during QF run at 2015 Birmingham
- Broke into Top 100 for the first time on October 20, 2014 following breakthrough SF run at Moscow (as qualifier, l. eventual champion Pavlyuchenkova)
- Fell in 1r on Grand Slam main draw debut at 2014 Australian Open (as qualifier, l. Diyas)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2013 Miami (l. Muguruza)
- Played first events of career on ITF Circuit in 2012
- Ranked world No.2 in ITF junior rankings in December 2012; won the girls' doubles titles at Roland Garros, Wimbledon and US Open in 2013

OTHER INFORMATION

- Working with the coaching team of Mark Knowles and Mark Merklein
- Recently parted ways with coach David Witt; formerly with Michael Joyce
- Parents are Terrence (works in oil and gas) and Kim (business owner); her parents are principal owners of the Buffalo Bills (NFL), while Terry Pegula also owns hockey team the Buffalo Sabres (NHL)
- Brothers are Michael and Matthew, sisters are Laura and Kelly; also has three pets - Laura
- Coached by Peter Huber. Also works with father, Dmitri Siniakov (also a businessman), Formerly coached by Evgeniia Maniukova
- Mother's name is Hana Siniakova (accountant); younger brother is Daniel
- Mentored by WTA legend Helena Sukova, who is now a sports psychologist
- Started playing tennis at age 5. Favorite surface is hardcourt; favorite tournament is Australian Open
- Favorite city is Paris
- Tennis idol growing up was Maria Sharapova

played Division I college tennis at the University of Pittsburgh

- Introduced to tennis by family at age 7
- Nickname is JP
- Favorite shot is backhand down the line; favorite tournament is the US Open
- Tennis idol was Martina Hingis
- One word to describe her would be "Determined"
- Owns her own skincare company called 'Ready 24'
- Also enjoys golf, sports, and design
- Married Taylor Gahagen in October 2021
- Passionate about new charity with her husband called A Lending Paw

- Enjoys listening to music and reading, especially detective books and sci-fi. Would like to meet the singer Taylor Swift



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BADOSA (WC)**
SPAIN

**COCO
(5) GAUFF** **7**
UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA

1997-11-15	Date of Birth	2004-03-13
Dubai, UAE	Residence	Delray Beach, FL, USA
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 11" (1.80m)	Height	5' 9" (1.75m)
2	Career-High Ranking	2
\$9,640,421	Career Prize Money	\$32,640,670
\$361,498	Season Prize Money	\$2,881,549
0 / 4	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 11
41-23 (Semi-Finalist: 2025 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	80-25 (Champion: 2025 ROLAND GARROS; 2023 US OPEN)
1-0 / 3-1 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025)	YTD / Career BERLIN W-L (best)	0-0 / 6-4 (Semi-Finalist: 2024, 2022)
7-12 / 172-111	YTD / Career W-L	26-10 / 271-110



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GAUFF**

HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2025	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	QF	Paula Badosa	7-5 6-4	1h 43m
2024	BEIJING	HARD	SF	Coco Gauff	4-6 6-4 6-2	2h 20m
2024	ROME	CLAY	4r	Coco Gauff	5-7 6-4 6-1	2h 27m
2023	MADRID	CLAY	3r	Paula Badosa	6-3 6-0	1h 11m
2022	SAN JOSE	HARD	QF	Paula Badosa	7-6(4) 6-2	1h 26m
2022	DOHA	HARD	3r	Coco Gauff	6-2 6-3	1h 17m
2021	INDIAN WELLS	HARD	3r	Paula Badosa	6-2 6-2	55m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
25	-	2026	3	-
9	25	2025	2	3
11	12	2024	2	3
11	66	2023	3	3
2	13	2022	4	7
8	8	2021	19	22
69	70	2020	47	48
86	97	2019	68	68
143	143	2018	874	875
242	247	2017	-	-



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BADOSA (WC)**

**COCO
GAUFF**

TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. S. LAMENS (#134) 6-3 6-2 (1h 13m)

Total time on court: 1h 13m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 2nd appearance at Berlin; she reached the QF last year in her tournament debut (l. eventual R-Up Wang Xinyu via retirement)
- Defeated Suzan Lamens so far this week, notching her first match-win since Charleston in April (ended a 5-match losing streak)
- Faces No.7 Coco Gauff in 2r today; Badosa owns 15 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.9 Emma Navarro at this event last year
- Seeking her first Tour-level QF of the season
- Owns 24-16 career Tour-level record against players from United States (1-1 in 2026: l. Jovic at Miami; d. Day at Charleston)
- Started her 2026 grass-court swing last week in 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Snigur in 1r)
- Career-best Tour-level results on grass are QFs at 2024 Bad Homburg (l. eventual champion Shnaider) and 2025 Berlin
- Only player from Spain in this week's main draw
- Since this event started on grass in 2021, best results by Spain at Berlin are QFs by Badosa in 2025 and Garbiñe Muguruza in 2021 (l. Cornet)
- One of 4 wild cards in the main draw (also Lys, Eala and Bartunkova)
- 2 of her 4 career WTA singles titles have come at WTA 500-level: 2022 Sydney (d. Krejčíková in F) and 2024 Washington DC (d. Bouzková in F)
- Is currently ranked No.142; this time last year was ranked No.10. Reached career-high ranking of No.2 in April 2022
- In 2025, played only 3 Tour-level matches after Berlin QF due to injuries

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 5th appearance at Berlin; her best tournament results are SFs in 2022 (l. eventual champion Jabeur) and 2024 (l. eventual champion Pegula)
- After 1r bye, faces No.142 Paula Badosa in 2r today - Gauff has won her last 23 matches vs. players ranked outside the Top 100 (last loss to a player ranked outside Top 100 was to No.128 Kenin in 2023 Wimbledon 1r)
- Owns 5-6 career Tour-level record against players from Spain (0-1 in 2026: l. Bouzas Maneiro at United Cup)
- Career-best Tour-level results on grass are SFs at 2023 Eastbourne (l. eventual champion Keys), and Berlin in 2022 and 2024
- Went 0-2 in last year's grass swing, falling Berlin 2r (after 1r bye, l. eventual R-Up Wang Xinyu) and Wimbledon 1r (l. Yastremska)
- One of 3 players from United States in main draw (Keys and Pegula also contesting 2r)
- Since this event started on grass in 2021, the best result by United States at Berlin was title run by Jessica Pegula in 2024 (d. Kalinskaya in F in 3rd-set TB, saving 5 championship points)
- Gauff's best tournament finishes so far this year are R-Ups at WTA 1000 events in Miami (l. Sabalenka in F) and Rome (l. Svitolina in F)
- Career-best result at a WTA 500 event is winning the title at 2023 Washington DC (d. Sakkari in F)
- Is currently ranked No.7; this time last year was ranked a career-high No.2 (reached No.2 for the first time in June 2024)
- Contesting her first grass event of 2026



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**PAULA
BADOSA (WC)**

**COCO
GAUFF**

RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2025	Result	Rank: 10	Seed: 8
QF	L	X. WANG (#49)	6-1
2r	W	E. NAVARRO (#9)	7-6(2) 6-3
1r	W	E. LYS (#62)	6-1 6-3

2025	Result	Rank: 2	Seed: 2
2r	L	X. WANG (#49)	6-3 6-3

2024	Result	Rank: 2	Seed: 1
SF	L	J. PEGULA (#5)	7-5 7-6(2)
QF	W	O. JABEUR (#10)	7-6(9)
2r	W	E. ALEXANDROVA (#20)	7-6(6) 6-2

2023	Result	Rank: 7	Seed: 5
2r	L	E. ALEXANDROVA (#22)	6-4 6-0
1r	W	K. SINIAKOVA (#54)	6-3 6-4

2022	Result	Rank: 13	Seed: 7
SF	L	O. JABEUR (#4)	7-6(4) 6-2
QF	W	K. PLISKOVA (#7)	7-5 6-4
2r	W	X. WANG (#76)	6-0 6-4
1r	W	A. LI (#66)	6-2 7-6(2)



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SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Made 1r at 's-Hertogenbosch (as a WC, l. Snigur)
- Fell in 1r at Madrid (as WC, l. Grabher)
- Played 1r at Stuttgart (as WC, l. Lys)
- Fell in 1r at Linz (as WC, l. Tagger)
- Reached 3r at Charleston (as WC, l. Kalinskaya)
- Made 2r at Miami (l. Jovic)
- Played 1r at Indian Wells (l. Putintseva)
- Made 2r at Dubai (l. eventual R-Up Svitolina, retired)
- Fell in 1r at Abu Dhabi (l. Sasnovich)
- Made 2r at Australian Open (l. Selekhmeteva)
- Played 1r at Adelaide (l. Bouzkova)
- Reached 3r at Brisbane (l. Rybakina)

- Made 3r at Roland Garros (as defending champion, l. Potapova)
- Finished R-Up at Rome (l. Svitolina)
- Made 4r at Madrid (l. Noskova)
- Reached QF at Stuttgart (l. eventual R-Up Muchova)
- Achieved R-Up at Miami (l. Sabalenka in F)
- Made 3r at Indian Wells (l. Eala, retired due to left arm injury)
- Reached SF at Dubai (l. eventual R-Up Svitolina)
- Played 2r at Doha (l. Cocciaretto)
- Reached QF at Australian Open (l. Svitolina)
- Went 3-1 in singles during Team USA's run to the 2026 United Cup SF

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
89	27	Aces	77	33
55.8%	81	First serve %	64.9%	33
68.8%	10	First Serve points won %	66.6%	26
38.3%	81	Second serve points won %	39.5%	80
55.3%	63	Overall service points won %	57.1%	39
62.4%	62	Service games won %	65.3%	43
52.2%	63	Break points saved %	53.5%	51
36.9%	41	First serve return points won %	43.4%	1
54.0%	54	Second serve return points won %	56.4%	26
38.4%	80	Break points converted %	45.8%	37
34.0%	47	Return games won %	47.1%	3
42.9%	47	Return points won %	48.4%	3



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (4)

2024 - WASHINGTON DC

2022 - SYDNEY

2021 - INDIAN WELLS, BELGRADE

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (11)

2025 - WUHAN, ROLAND GARROS

2024 - WTA FINALS, BEIJING, AUCKLAND

2023 - US OPEN, CINCINNATI, WASHINGTON DC,
AUCKLAND

2021 - PARMA

2019 - LINZ

Runner-Up (5)

2026 - ROME, MIAMI

2025 - ROME, MADRID

2022 - ROLAND GARROS

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (10)

2025 - MONTREAL (w/Kessler)

2024 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Siniakova)

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

2022 - SAN DIEGO (w/Pegula), TORONTO

(w/Pegula), DOHA (w/Pegula)

2021 - PARMA (w/Mcnally)

2019 - LUXEMBOURG (w/Mcnally), WASHINGTON
DC (w/Mcnally)

Runner-Up (6)

2024 - ROME (w/Routliffe)

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

2022 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Pegula), STUTTGART
(w/Zhang)

2021 - US OPEN (w/Mcnally)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
2r				2026	QF	3r		
SF	3r	1r		2025	QF	WON	1r	4r
3r	3r	4r	QF	2024	SF	SF	4r	4r
		2r		2023	4r	QF	1r	WON
4r	3r	4r	2r	2022	1r	RUP	3r	QF
1r	QF	4r	2r	2021	2r	QF	4r	2r
2r	4r		1r	2020	4r	2r		1r
1r		1r	1r	2019			4r	3r



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CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2025, reached first Grand Slam SF at Australian Open (l. No.1 Sabalenka), which sent her into the Top 10 for the first time since October 2022; made 3 more QFs (Merida, Strasbourg and Berlin) but was affected by injuries, contesting only one event after Wimbledon (Beijing 3r)
- 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
- In 2023, made SF at Adelaide #2, reached back-to-back QF at Charleston and Stuttgart and an additional QF at Rome, but withdrew from Roland Garros with a back injury. Her last match of the year was at Wimbledon, where she fell in R64 then ended her season due to continuing injury
- In 2022, Badosa rose to career-high ranking of No.2 (April 25), won the 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 2021 WTA Finals in 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
- 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
- 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
- In 2025, won her second Grand Slam title of career at Roland Garros (d. Sabalenka in final) and her third career WTA 1000 title at Wuhan; also made WTA 1000 finals at Madrid and Rome, becoming the first American to reach three WTA 1000 finals in a calendar year since Serena Williams in 2014
- Went three for three in finals in 2024, winning Auckland, Beijing and a historic first WTA Finals Riyadh title. Success in Saudi Arabia saw her win a record \$4.8m in prize money, the most ever awarded in women's professional sports, and defeat the World No.1 and No.2 at the same event. Posted a new career-high of No.2 in June
- Won debut Grand Slam singles crown in 2023 lifting title on home soil at US Open (d. Sabalenka in F). Picked up another three titles in 2023, marking first WTA 1000 title at Cincinnati and debut WTA 500 title at Washington DC, in addition to WTA 250 Auckland. In doubles was co-ranked No.1 with Pegula after US Open.
- In 2022, reached maiden Grand Slam final at Roland-Garros (l. Swiatek); was the youngest major finalist since Sharapova won 2004 Wimbledon
- Made Top 10 debut on September 12, 2022, following QF run at US Open (l. Garcia)
- Highlight of 2021 campaign was completing singles-doubles title sweep at Parma; defeated Wang Qiang in singles final and teamed up w/McNally to win doubles
- In 2021 also reached SF at Adelaide and Rome, while at the Slams made QF at Roland-Garros and R16 at Wimbledon. Finished R-Up in doubles at 2021 US Open (w/McNally, l. Stosur/Zhang)
- First cracked the Top 50 on February 24, 2020 at No.49, following a R16 appearance at Australian Open to tie her career best Grand Slam result - during run, defeated V.Williams in 1r and her first Top-5 opponent in No.4 Osaka in 3r (l. eventual champion Kenin in 3s)
- Enjoyed breakout season in 2019, highlighted by maiden WTA singles title at Linz (as lucky loser, d. Ostapenko in F) - earned her first Top-10 win en route to title over No.8 Bertens in QF. At 15y 214d, her title run in Linz made her youngest to win a Tour-level title since Vaidisova (15y 177d) won Tashkent in 2004
- Also claimed maiden WTA doubles titles at Washington, DC (w/McNally, d. Sanchez/Stollar in F) and Luxembourg (w/McNally, d. Christian/Guarachi in F). By winning the doubles

- As wildcard, made breakthrough on WTA Tour with 3r run at 2015 Miami Open (l. Ka.Pliskova); also 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. Bondarenko)
- 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 ITF level
- Played first professional tournament of career at \$10k ITF/Gexto-ESP in 2012 (l. 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

title at Washington, DC at 15y 144d, became the youngest player to win a doubles title since May 1995 (Hingis won Hamburg at 14y 219d)

- Reached R16 at 2019 Wimbledon on Grand Slam main draw debut defeating V.Williams in 1r (l. eventual champion Halep) - followed with 3r showing at US Open (as WC, l. Osaka)
- Made WTA main draw debut as a wildcard at 2019 Miami where she earned her first WTA main draw win over good friend McNally (l. Kasatkina in 2r)
- Made professional debut in May 2018 as a qualifier into the \$25K ITF/Osprey, FL-USA
- Former Junior World No.1 (July 2018); won 2018 Roland-Garros girls' title (d. McNally in F) and 2018 US Open doubles title (w/McNally), while finished R-Up at 2017 US Open girls' event (l. Anisimova) becoming the youngest girls' singles finalist in tournament history at 13-years-old

OTHER INFORMATION

- Currently coached by Pol Toledo; Previously worked with Jorge Garcia
- 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

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



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1 **ARYNA
SABALENKA (1)**

**EKATERINA
ALEXANDROVA 19**

1998-05-05	Date of Birth	1994-11-15
	Residence	Prague, Czech Republic
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 11" (1.82m)	Height	5' 9" (1.75m)
1	Career-High Ranking	10
\$49,791,607	Career Prize Money	\$10,367,337
\$4,615,986	Season Prize Money	\$677,334
3 / 24	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 5
110-28 (Champion: 2025 US OPEN; 2024 US OPEN, AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	39-36 (Round of 16: 2025 US OPEN, WIMBLEDON, ROLAND GARROS; 2023 WIMBLEDON)
0-0 / 4-5 (Semi-Finalist: 2025)	YTD / Career BERLIN W-L (best)	1-0 / 7-4 (Semi-Finalist: 2023)
31-4 / 399-140	YTD / Career W-L	7-14 / 237-188



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ALEXANDROVA**

HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2025	DOHA	HARD	2r	Ekaterina Alexandrova	3-6 6-3 7-6(5)	2h 36m
2024	US OPEN	HARD	3r	Aryna Sabalenka	2-6 6-1 6-2	1h 40m
2023	WIMBLEDON	GRASS	4r	Aryna Sabalenka	6-4 6-0	1h 11m
2022	'S-HERTOGENBOSCH	GRASS	F	Ekaterina Alexandrova	7-5 6-0	1h 17m
2021	MOSCOW	HARD	QF	Ekaterina Alexandrova	6-3 6-4	1h 13m
2019	ST. PETERSBURG	HARD	QF	Aryna Sabalenka	6-3 6-4	1h 27m
2019	SHENZHEN	HARD	2r	Aryna Sabalenka	6-3 6-3	1h 13m
2017	SHENZHEN	HARD	F	Ekaterina Alexandrova	6-2 7-5	0m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
1	-	2026	10	-
1	1	2025	10	10
1	1	2024	15	28
1	2	2023	16	21
2	5	2022	19	19
2	2	2021	30	33
10	10	2020	25	33
9	11	2019	35	35
11	11	2018	73	93
76	78	2017	69	73



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 6th appearance at Berlin, where her best tournament result is SF last year (l. eventual champion Vondrousova)
- Contesting her first grass-court event of the season
- After 1r bye, faces No.19 Ekaterina Alexandrova in 2r today; Sabalenka is 12-1 vs. Top 20 players this year (the 1 loss was to Rybakina in Australian Open F)
- Career-best results on grass are R-Up finishes at 2018 Eastbourne (l. Wozniacki in F) and 2022 's-Hertogenbosch (l. today's opponent Alexandrova in F)
- Is currently ranked No.1; this time last year was ranked No.1
- She has spent 95 total weeks holding the World No.1 ranking (including the last 87 consecutively)
- During last year's grass swing, she reached SF here and SF at Wimbledon (l. eventual R-Up Anisimova)
- Has won 31 Tour-level matches this year, trailing only Andreeva (36), Svitolina (33) and Rybakina (32)
- Has won 3 titles this year (Brisbane, Indian Wells and Miami), tied with Andreeva for the most Tour singles titles this year
- 6 of her 24 career WTA singles titles have been at WTA 500-level, most recently Brisbane this year (d. Kostyuk in F)

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. A. POTAPOVA (#26) 6-1 (29m)

Total time on court: 29m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 5th appearance at Berlin, where her best tournament result is reaching SF in 2023 (l. eventual champion Kvitova)
- Defeated Anastasia Potapova so far this week (via ret.) for her first match-win since 2026 Stuttgart in April (ending 5-match losing streak)
- Faces No.1 Aryna Sabalenka in 2r today; Alexandrova owns 19 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.3 Jessica Pegula at 2025 Stuttgart (0-7 vs. Top 10 players since)
- Holds 2-4 career record in meetings vs. reigning World No.1 players - winning her two most recent (d. Swiatek at 2024 Miami; d. today's opponent Sabalenka at 2025 Doha)
- 2 of her 5 career WTA singles titles have come on grass, back-to-back at 's-Hertogenbosch in 2022 (d. today's opponent Sabalenka in F) and 2023 (d. V.Kudermetova in F)
- So far in this year's grass-court swing, fell 1r at 's-Hertogenbosch (as No.1 seed, l. Udvardy)
- Her best performance at a WTA 500 event is winning the Linz title last year (d. Yastremska in F)
- Is currently ranked No.19; this time last year was ranked No.18. Reached career-high ranking of No.10 in October 2025
- During last year's grass swing, reached 4r at Wimbledon, QF at Bad Homburg and SF at 's-Hertogenbosch (8-3 on grass in 2025)



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2025	Result	Rank: 1	Seed: 1
SF	L	M. VONDROUSOVA (#164)	6-2 6-4
QF	W	E. RYBAKINA (#11)	7-6(6) 3-6 7-6(6)
2r	W	R. MASAROVA (#112)	6-2 7-6(6)

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: 20	Seed: -
2r	L	C. GAUFF (#2)	7-6(6) 6-2
1r	W	B. HADDAD MAIA (#18)	6-4 6-4

2023	Result	Rank: 22	Seed: -
SF	L	P. KVITOVA (#9)	6-3 6-4
2r	W	C. GAUFF (#7)	6-4 6-0
1r	W	L. SAMSONOVA (#15)	6-4 6-3

2022	Result	Rank: 27	Seed: -
2r	L	D. KASATKINA (#12)	5-7 6-1 6-1
1r	W	M. ZANEVSKA (#67)	6-3 6-4

2021	Result	Rank: 34	Seed: -
QF	L	B. BENCIC (#12)	6-4 4-6 7-6(4)
2r	W	E. SVITOLINA (#6)	6-4 7-5
1r	W	A. KALINSKAYA (#108)	6-3 6-2



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SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Reached QF at Roland Garros (l. Shnaider)
- Played 3r at Rome (l. Cirstea)
- Made QF at Madrid (l. Baptiste)
Won back-to-back titles at Miami(d. Gauff in F) and Indian Wells (d. Rybakina in F)
- R-Up finish at Australian Open (l. champion Rybakina in F)
- Claimed Brisbane title in her 2026 season opener (d. eventual R-Up Kostyuk in F)

- Made 1r at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Udvardy)
- Fell 1r at Roland Garros (l. Osorio)
- Played 2r at Strasbourg (l. Li)
- Played 2r at Stuttgart (l. Noskova) and Rome (l. Siegemund)
- Made 2r at Linz (l. Pliskova)
- Reached 3r at Miami (l. Cristian)
- Played 2r at Dubai (l. Linette)
- Made 2r at Doha (l. Ostapenko)
- Finished R-Up at Abu Dhabi (l. champion Bejlek in F)
- Played 1r at Australian Open (l. Sonmez)
- Fell in 1r at Adelaide (l. Cristian)
- Opened season with 3r at Brisbane (l. Muchova)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
155	5	Aces	87	27
65.7%	22	First serve %	58.8%	69
71.2%	4	First Serve points won %	65.8%	32
54.3%	1	Second serve points won %	43.5%	64
65.4%	1	Overall service points won %	56.6%	43
83.6%	1	Service games won %	63.8%	57
65.1%	2	Break points saved %	49.7%	75
37.3%	37	First serve return points won %	34.9%	59
57.0%	21	Second serve return points won %	52.7%	69
43.3%	58	Break points converted %	39.6%	74
38.5%	22	Return games won %	28.6%	74
45.4%	18	Return points won %	41.9%	62



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (24)

2026 - MIAMI, INDIAN WELLS, BRISBANE
2025 - US OPEN, 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 (20)

2026 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN
2025 - WTA FINALS, ROLAND GARROS,
STUTT GART, INDIAN WELLS, AUSTRALIAN OPEN
2024 - ROME, MADRID, BRISBANE
2023 - US OPEN, STUTT GART, INDIAN WELLS
2022 - WTA FINALS, 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH,
STUTT GART
2021 - STUTT GART
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 (5)

2025 - LINZ
2023 - 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH
2022 - SEOUL, 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH
2020 - SHENZHEN

Runner-Up (8)

2026 - ABU DHABI
2025 - NINGBO, SEOUL, MONTERREY
2024 - LINZ
2023 - CLEVELAND
2021 - MOSCOW
2018 - LINZ

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (2)

2026 - ABU DHABI (w/Joint)
2019 - BUDAPEST (w/Zvonareva)

Runner-Up (1)

2025 - STUTT GART (w/Zhang)



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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
RUP	QF			2026	1r	1r		
RUP	RUP	SF	WON	2025	1r	4r	4r	4r
WON	QF		WON	2024	1r	1r		3r
WON	SF	SF	RUP	2023	3r	3r	4r	3r
4r	3r		SF	2022	1r	2r		2r
4r	3r	SF	SF	2021	3r	2r	2r	2r
1r	3r		2r	2020	3r	3r		2r
3r	2r	1r	2r	2019	1r	3r	1r	2r
1r	1r	1r	4r	2018	2r	1r	1r	1r
		2r		2017	1r	2r	1r	2r
				2016			2r	



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Won a Tour leading four titles in 2025, including her 4th career Grand Slam title at US Open (d. Anisimova in final) as well as Madrid, Miami and Brisbane; also finished runner-up at WTA Finals, Australian Open, Roland Garros, Indian Wells and Stuttgart for a Tour leading nine finals overall
- Ended 2025 by finishing at World No.1 for the second straight year, posting the most Tour match wins of any player with 63 and setting a new WTA single-season record in prize money with \$15,008,519
- 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
- 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).
- In 2025 claimed first career WTA 500 title at Linz and reached three additional finals all at 500 events; Monterrey, Seoul and Ningbo. Made her Top 10 debut on October 13 and finished the season inside the Top 10
- Played WTA Finals debut match at the 2025 WTA Finals as an alternate in the round robin stage, lost to eventual champion Elena Rybakina
- In 2024, highlights included reaching the final at Linz (l. Ostapenko in Final) and semifinals at Adelaide (l. eventual champion Ostapenko), Miami (l. eventual champion Collins), 's-Hertogenbosch (l. eventual champion Samsonova) and Monterrey (l. Sun); also made quarterfinals at Wuhan (l. Xin. Wang) and her best Grand Slam result of the season came during a 3r run at US Open (l. eventual champion Sabalenka)
- In 2023, won fourth career singles title at 's-Hertogenbosch, successfully defending the title and defeating top seed, Kudrmetova in the final. A run of successful results followed with SF at Berlin (l. eventual champion, Kvitová), 4r at Wimbledon (l. Sabalenka) - a career best result at any of the majors and runner-up at Cleveland (l. Sorribes Tormo).
- Reached a 2023 peak ranking of No. 16 on February 20 following a 3r finish at Australian Open (l. Linette), before posting two QF results at Miami (l. eventual champion Kvitová) and Charleston (l. Bencic). Another QF then came in the Asian Swing at Tokyo (l. Pavlyuchenkova).
- In 2022, won titles at 's-Hertogenbosch (d. Sabalenka in F) and Seoul (d. Ostapenko in F). Also advanced to SF at Charleston, Madrid and Ostrava, making Top 20 debut on October 10, 2022
- Reached third WTA singles final in 2021, enjoying run to final at home tournament of Moscow (l. Kontaveit). Other key result was SF run at Gippsland Trophy (l. Kanepi)
- Posted two best wins-by-ranking of career in 2021, defeating No.2 Halep (Gippsland Trophy) and No.2 Sabalenka (Moscow)
- Reached 2r on Olympic debut at Tokyo 2020
- Opened 2020 season by lifting her maiden WTA singles title, at Shenzhen (d. Rybakina in F)
- Made Top 50 debut on June 17, 2019 after QF run at 's-Hertogenbosch
- Registered 30 Tour-level match wins during 2019, in which she reached SF at Budapest, Seoul and Linz and made QF at St. Petersburg, 's-Hertogenbosch, Eastbourne and Moscow. Also

- 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)
- 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. Entered Top 50 on April 16 after run to Lugano final, and Top 20 on August 27 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 lifted WTA 125k Series title at Mumbai (d. Jakupovic)
 - Made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2017 Wimbledon, falling in 2r (as qualifier, d. Khromacheva, l. Witthoef)
 - Fell 1r on main draw debut at 2017 Dubai (as qualifier, l. Ka.Bondarenko). 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, winning back-to-back trophies in Antalya, Turkey
 - Made debut on ITF Circuit in Minsk in 2012

advanced to 3r at a major for the first time, at Roland Garros

- Won sole WTA doubles title at 2019 Budapest (w/Zvonareva)
- Came through qualifying to make maiden WTA final appearance at 2018 Linz (l. Giorgi)
- Advanced to first WTA QF at 2018 Seoul, scoring maiden Top 10 win of her career en route, over No.10 Ostapenko
- Made Top 100 debut at No.93 on March 20, 2017 after winning title at \$60K ITF/Shenzhen-CHN
- At 2016 Wimbledon, ranked No.223, won her way through qualifying on her maiden Slam appearance, going on to reach 2r (upset No.23 seed Ivanovic in 1r)
- Won WTA 125K Series title at Limoges in 2016, 2018-19
- Reached 2r on WTA main draw debut at 2016 Katowice (as qualifier, l. eventual R-Up Giorgi)
- Contested qualifying for the first time at a WTA-level tournament at 2014 Bad Gastein
- Played first professional events of career on ITF Circuit in Europe in 2011

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 Igor Andreev
- Worked with her father, Evgeny. Was previously coached by Vojta Flegl
- Mother is Julia, also has sister, Anna, and brother Jury. Began playing tennis at age 6
- Favorite shot is forehand; favorite surface is hard
- Speaks Russian, English and Czech
- Likes to cook, especially making cakes
- Admires Serena Williams