



MATCH NOTES

BNP PARIBAS OPEN

INDIAN WELLS, CA, USA



March 4-15, 2026 | WTA 1000 | \$9,415,725

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FINAL – SUNDAY, MARCH 15

[1] Aryna Sabalenka (#1) vs. [3] Elena Rybakina (KAZ #3)

Sabalenka leads 8-7

Rematch of the 2023 Indian Wells final and this year's Australian Open final, both of those won by Rybakina ... This is the first Indian Wells women's singles final between two players ranked in the Top 3 since No.1 Victoria Azarenka defeated No.2 Maria Sharapova in 2012

Sabalenka:

- Making 7th appearance at Indian Wells and is into the final for the third time
- She finished runner-up last year (I. Andreieva) and in 2023 (I. today's opponent Rybakina)
- Has become the first World No.1 to reach Indian Wells final in consecutive years since the inception of the tournament in 1989
- Has also become the 2nd active player to reach the Indian Wells final on 3 occasions, joining Victoria Azarenka
- Has won 9 career WTA 1000 titles, including two last year at Madrid (d. Gauff in final) and Miami (d. Pegula in final); only Serena Williams (13), Iga Swiatek (11) and Victoria Azarenka (10) have won more WTA 1000 titles
- Holds a 16-1 win-loss record in 2026 and has made the final at all 3 events she has played this year - won Brisbane title (d. Kostyuk in final) and finished runner-up at Australian Open (I. Rybakina in final)
- Sabalenka is 7-1 vs. Top 20 players this year; the one loss was to Rybakina in the Australian Open final
- 19 of her 22 career WTA singles titles have come on hard court, including each of her 4 Grand Slam titles
- Will hold onto the World No.1 ranking after Indian Wells

Rybakina:

- Making 5th Indian Wells appearance; she won the 2023 title, defeating today's opponent Sabalenka in the final
- Contesting her 44th career WTA 1000 main draw; she has won two WTA 1000 titles at 2023 Indian Wells and 2023 Rome (d. Kalinina in final)
- This is her first WTA 1000 final since 2024 Miami (I. Collins in final)
- Has won her last 12 matches against Top 10 players (5-0 record vs. Top 10 players in 2026)
- Holds a 9-6 career record vs. players ranked World No.1 at the time of their meeting, including wins over Sabalenka in their last 2 meetings (2025 WTA Finals Riyadh final and 2026 Australian Open final)
- Since the WTA Rankings were first published in 1975, Rybakina (9-6, 60.0%) holds the best winning percentage of any player against the WTA World No.1 (minimum 10 matches)
- Could become the first woman to claim titles at the Australian Open and Indian Wells in the same season since Victoria Azarenka in 2012
- Has hit the most winners (516) and the most aces (136) of any player at Tour-level so far in 2026 (excluding team events)
- Is set to achieve a new career-high ranking of No.2 in the PIF WTA Rankings next week



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A CLOSER LOOK AT THE FINALISTS

FINALISTS	RANK	IW W-L	YTD W-L	CAREER W-L	YTD TITLES	CAREER TITLES	2026 PRIZE \$	CAREER PRIZE \$
[1] Aryna Sabalenka	1	20-6	16-1	384-137	1	22	\$1,614,297	\$46,789,918
[3] Elena Rybakina	3	16-3	17-3	284-113	1	12	\$2,872,182	\$27,310,899

WTA 1000 TOURNAMENTS – ROUND BY ROUND RESULTS

FINALISTS	R128	R64	R32	R16	QF	SF	R-UP	WON	APPEARANCES*
[1] Aryna Sabalenka	-	12	7	10	11	6	4	9	60*
[3] Elena Rybakina	-	6	10	9	7	6	3	2	44*

INDIAN WELLS - ROUND BY ROUND RESULTS

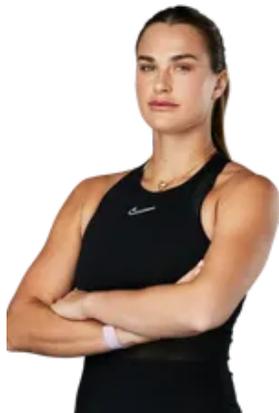
FINALISTS	R128	R64	R32	R16	QF	SF	R-UP	WON	APPEARANCES*
[1] Aryna Sabalenka	-	1	1	2	-	-	2	-	7*
[3] Elena Rybakina	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	5*

*Includes 2026 Indian Wells



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1 **ARYNA SABALENKA (1)**

ELENA (3) RYBAKINA (3)
KAZAKHSTAN

1998-05-05	Date of Birth	1999-06-17
	Residence	
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 11" (1.82m)	Height	6' 0" (1.84m)
1	Career-High Ranking	3
\$46,789,918	Career Prize Money	\$27,310,899
\$1,614,297	Season Prize Money	\$2,872,182
1 / 22	Singles Titles YTD / Career	1 / 12
106-27 (Champion: 2025 US OPEN; 2024 US OPEN, AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	66-22 (Champion: 2026 AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2022 WIMBLEDON)
5-0 / 20-6 (Runner-Up: 2026, 2025, 2023)	YTD / Career INDIAN WELLS W-L (best)	5-0 / 16-3 (Champion: 2023)
16-1 / 384-137	YTD / Career W-L	17-3 / 284-113



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2026	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	F	Elena Rybakina	6-4 4-6 6-4	2h 18m
2025	WTA FINALS	HARD	F	Elena Rybakina	6-3 7-6(0)	1h 47m
2025	WUHAN	HARD	QF	Aryna Sabalenka	6-3 6-3	1h 25m
2025	CINCINNATI	HARD	QF	Elena Rybakina	6-1 6-4	1h 15m
2025	BERLIN	GRASS	QF	Aryna Sabalenka	7-6(6) 3-6 7-6(6)	2h 42m
2024	WTA FINALS	HARD	GRP	Elena Rybakina	6-4 3-6 6-1	1h 41m
2024	MADRID	CLAY	SF	Aryna Sabalenka	1-6 7-5 7-6(5)	2h 17m
2024	BRISBANE	HARD	F	Elena Rybakina	6-0 6-3	1h 13m
2023	WTA FINALS	HARD	1r	Aryna Sabalenka	6-2 3-6 6-3	2h 27m
2023	BEIJING	HARD	QF	Elena Rybakina	7-5 6-2	1h 34m
2023	INDIAN WELLS	HARD	F	Elena Rybakina	7-6(11) 6-4	2h 3m
2023	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	F	Aryna Sabalenka	4-6 6-3 6-4	2h 28m
2021	WIMBLEDON	GRASS	4r	Aryna Sabalenka	6-3 4-6 6-3	1h 49m
2021	ABU DHABI	HARD	QF	Aryna Sabalenka	6-4 4-6 6-3	1h 58m
2019	WUHAN	HARD	QF	Aryna Sabalenka	6-3 1-6 6-1	1h 42m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
1	-	2026	3	-
1	1	2025	5	5
1	1	2024	3	6
1	2	2023	3	4
2	5	2022	12	22
2	2	2021	14	14
10	10	2020	17	19
9	11	2019	37	37
11	11	2018	182	191
76	78	2017	420	425



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. H. SAKATSUME (#136) 6-4 6-2 (1h 10m)
3r: d. J. CRISTIAN (#35) 6-4 6-1 (1h 11m)
4r: d. N. OSAKA (#16) 6-2 6-4 (1h 20m)
QF: d. V. MBOKO (#10) 7-6 6-4 (1h 49m)
SF: d. L. NOSKOVA (#14) 6-3 6-4 (1h 28m)

Total time on court: 6h 58m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 7th appearance at Indian Wells; she has now reached 3 finals here, finishing runner-up last year (L. Andrejeva) and in 2023 (L. Rybakina)
- Has become the 2nd active player to reach the Indian Wells final on 3 occasions after Victoria Azarenka
- Has also become the first World No.1 to reach the final at Indian Wells in consecutive years since the inception of the tournament in 1989
- Contesting her 60th career WTA 1000 main draw
- Has won 9 career WTA 1000 titles, including two last year at Madrid (d. Gauff in F) and Miami (d. Pegula in F)
- Since the WTA 1000 format began in 2009, only 4 players have reached more WTA 1000 finals than Sabalenka (14): S.Williams (18), Halep (18), Sharapova (16) and Azarenka (15)
- This is her 43rd career WTA Tour singles final, and she is seeking her 23rd career WTA title
- Has won 1 title already this year at Brisbane (d. Kostyuk in F); she is 16-1 this year
- Has made the final at all 3 events she has played this year - won Brisbane title and finished R-Up at Australian Open (L. Rybakina)
- After 1r bye, defeated Himeno Sakatsume, Jaqueline Cristian, No.16 seed Naomi Osaka, No.10 seed Victoria Mboko and No.14 seed Linda Noskova this fortnight
- Faces No.3 Elena Rybakina in today's final; owns 57 wins in career over Top 10 players and is 2-1 vs. Top 10 players this year (the loss was to today's opponent Rybakina in Australian Open F)
- Owns 10-8 career Tour-level record against players from Kazakhstan (0-1 this year, L. Rybakina in Australian Open F)
- 19 of her 22 career Tour-level titles have come on hard court, including each of her 4 Grand Slam titles
- Is currently ranked World No.1; she has spent 81 weeks at the top spot and has held the No.1 ranking for 72 consecutive weeks, since October 21, 2024

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. H. BAPTISTE (#43) 7-6 2-6 6-2 (2h 16m)
3r: d. M. KOSTYUK (#28) 6-4 6-4 (1h 27m)
4r: d. S. KARTAL (#54) 6-4 4-3 (1h 17m)
QF: d. J. PEGULA (#5) 6-1 7-6 (1h 28m)
SF: d. E. SVITOLINA (#9) 7-5 6-4 (1h 46m)

Total time on court: 8h 14m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 5th appearance at Indian Wells; she is a former champion here, winning the title in 2023 (d. Sabalenka in F)
- Contesting her 44th career WTA 1000 main draw; she has won two WTA 1000 titles at 2023 Indian Wells and 2023 Rome (d. Kalinina in F)
- This is her 24th career WTA Tour singles final; she is seeking her 13th career WTA title and 2nd of the year (won her 2nd career Grand Slam title at 2026 Australian Open, d. Sabalenka in F)
- After 1r bye, defeated Hailey Baptiste, No.28 seed Marta Kostyuk, Sonay Kartal, No.5 seed Jessica Pegula and No.9 seed Elina Svitolina to make her 2nd final of the year
- Faces No.1 Aryna Sabalenka in today's final; owns 35 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.9 Elina Svitolina in the SF
- Rybakina has won her last 12 matches against Top 10 players (including 5-0 record vs. Top 10 players this year)
- Holds a 9-6 career record vs. players ranked World No.1 at the time of their meeting, including wins over Sabalenka in their last 2 meetings (2025 WTA Finals Riyadh F and 2026 Australian Open F)
- 7 of her 12 career WTA titles have come on hard court, most recently 2026 Australian Open
- Best result by Kazakhstan at Indian Wells was her own title run in 2023
- Is currently ranked at a career-high No.3 (first achieved in June 2023); this time last year was ranked No.7
- Is set to achieve a new career-high ranking of No.2 in the PIF WTA Rankings next week
- In the last 52 weeks, Rybakina is the player with the joint-most WTA titles won (4: Strasbourg, Ningbo and WTA Finals in 2025, and Australian Open in 2026), level with today's opponent Sabalenka
- Has hit the most winners (516) and the most aces (136) of any player at Tour-level so far in 2026 (excluding team events)



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2025	Result	Rank: 1	Seed: 1
F	L	M. ANDREEVA (#11)	2-6 6-4 6-3
SF	W	M. KEYS (#5)	6-0 6-1
QF	W	L. SAMSONOVA (#25)	6-2 6-3
4r	W	S. KARTAL (#83)	6-1 6-2
3r	W	L. BRONZETTI (#62)	6-1 6-2
2r	W	M. KESSLER (#48)	7-6(4) 6-3
2024	Result	Rank: 2	Seed: 2
4r	L	E. NAVARRO (#23)	6-3 3-6 6-2
3r	W	E. RADUCANU (#250)	6-3 7-5
2r	W	P. STEARNS (#64)	6-7(2) 6-2 7-6(6)
2023	Result	Rank: 2	Seed: 2
F	L	E. RYBAKINA (#10)	7-6(11) 6-4
SF	W	M. SAKKARI (#7)	6-2 6-3
QF	W	C. GAUFF (#6)	6-4 6-0
4r	W	B. KREJCIKOVA (#16)	6-3 2-6 6-4
2r	W	E. RODINA (#427)	6-2 6-0
2022	Result	Rank: 3	Seed: 2
2r	L	J. PAOLINI (#46)	2-6 6-3 6-3
2019	Result	Rank: 9	Seed: 9
4r	L	A. KERBER (#8)	6-1 4-6 6-4
3r	W	L. TSURENKO (#28)	6-2 7-5
2r	W	A. TOMLJANOVIC (#44)	6-3 4-6 6-0

2025	Result	Rank: 7	Seed: 7
4r	L	M. ANDREEVA (#11)	6-1 6-2
3r	W	K. BOULTER (#38)	6-0 7-5
2r	W	S. LAMENS (#64)	6-3 6-3
2023	Result	Rank: 10	Seed: 10
F	W	A. SABALENKA (#2)	7-6(11) 6-4
SF	W	I. SWIATEK (#1)	6-2 6-2
QF	W	K. MUCHOVA (#76)	7-6(4) 2-6 6-4
4r	W	V. GRACHEVA (#66)	6-3 6-0
3r	W	P. BADOSA (#22)	6-3 7-5
2r	W	S. KENIN (#170)	7-6(6) 7-6(5)
2022	Result	Rank: 20	Seed: 17
QF	L	M. SAKKARI (#6)	7-5 6-4
4r	W	V. GOLUBIC (#51)	7-6(5) 6-2
3r	W	V. AZARENKA (#15)	6-3 6-4
2r	W	A. VAN UYTVANCK (#58)	6-1 7-5
2021	Result	Rank: 16	Seed: 13
2r	L	Y. PUTINTSEVA (#43)	6-2 7-6(5)



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SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- 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 3r at Dubai (l. Ruzic, retired)
- Reached QF at Doha (l. eventual R-Up Mboko)
- Champion finish at Australian Open (d. R-Up Sabalenka in F)
- Made QF at Brisbane (l. Muchova)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
81	9	Aces	136	1
66.7%	18	First serve %	58.8%	79
74.1%	3	First Serve points won %	73.3%	4
56.2%	1	Second serve points won %	51.6%	6
68.1%	1	Overall service points won %	64.4%	3
89.0%	1	Service games won %	82.2%	3
71.9%	1	Break points saved %	68.5%	3
38.0%	25	First serve return points won %	34.0%	76
58.8%	12	Second serve return points won %	57.5%	24
41.1%	75	Break points converted %	55.1%	4
38.7%	21	Return games won %	35.8%	42
46.5%	9	Return points won %	43.2%	49



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (22)

2026 - 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,
STUTTGART, INDIAN WELLS, AUSTRALIAN OPEN
2024 - ROME, MADRID, BRISBANE
2023 - US OPEN, STUTTGART, INDIAN WELLS
2022 - WTA FINALS, 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH,
STUTTGART
2021 - STUTTGART
2019 - SAN JOSE
2018 - EASTBOURNE, LUGANO
2017 - TIANJIN

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (6)

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

Runner-Up (2)

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

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (12)

2026 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN
2025 - WTA FINALS, NINGBO, STRASBOURG
2024 - STUTTGART, ABU DHABI, BRISBANE
2023 - ROME, INDIAN WELLS
2022 - WIMBLEDON
2020 - HOBART
2019 - BUCHAREST

Runner-Up (11)

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

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (2)

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



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GRAND SLAMS

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



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CAREER MILESTONES

- 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). Earlier in the season, the pair claimed the
- In 2025, won her first WTA Finals title, where she posted a perfect round robin record before topping World No.1 Sabalenka in the final; by going undefeated (5-0) at 2025 WTA Finals Riyadh, she earned \$5.235m, the biggest prize money payout in women's sporting history
- Overall, won three titles in 2025, adding Strasbourg and Ningbo crowns to her Riyadh triumph; finished at No.5 in the rankings and as the year's Tour leader in total aces (516)
- Won three titles from five finals in 2024, tasting success at Brisbane, Abu Dhabi and Stuttgart and finishing R-Up at Doha and Miami. Qualified for her second WTA Finals and defeated WTA World No.1 Sabalenka in the group stage
- Reached second Grand Slam final at 2023 Australian Open (l. Sabalenka in 3s); made Top-10 debut following tournament (January 30, 2023). Also in 2023 won first two WTA 1000 titles at Indian Wells and Rome and finished R-Up at Miami. Qualified for first WTA Finals, going 1-2 in group stage.
- Lifted maiden Grand Slam title at 2022 Wimbledon (d. Jabeur in F); also finished R-Up at Adelaide (l. Barty) and Portoroz (l. Siniakova)
- Best results of 2021 were SFs at Eastbourne, Olympics and Chicago [500], and QFs at Abu Dhabi, Roland Garros, San Jose and Ostrava
- Opened 2020 by reaching the championship match at four of her first five tournaments, including a title run at Hobart (d. Zhang in F), and made Top 20 debut at No.19 on February 17, after reaching St. Petersburg final. First Top-5 win came over No.3 Ka. Pliskova during R-Up finish at 2020 Dubai
- Won maiden WTA singles title at 2019 Bucharest (d. Tig in F), breaking into Top 100 for the first time in the following week's rankings at No.65 (July 22). Went on to make Top 50 debut on September 16 after reaching second career Tour final at Nanchang (l. Peterson)
- Highlights of 2018 included reaching maiden WTA QF at St. Petersburg (l. Goerges) and clinching title at \$15K ITF/Kazan. First Top 10 win came over No.7 Garcia at 2018 St. Petersburg
- Made WTA qualifying and main draw debut at 2017 Moscow (as qualifier, l. Begu in 1r)
- Professional debut came at \$10k ITF/Antalya-TUR in 2014

- 'Sunshine Double' by winning back-to-back titles at Indian Wells (d. Krejčíková/Siniaková in F) and Miami (d. Stosur/ Zhang in F)
- Enjoyed breakthrough season in 2018, lifting two titles, at New Haven (d. Suárez 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. Jakupović)
 - Made Grand Slam main draw debut at 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). WTA qualifying debut came at 2016 Rabat
 - Lifting 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

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Anton Dubrov
 - Previously coached by Dmitry Tursunov and Didi Kindlmann
 - Started playing tennis when she was 6 by an accident when her father Sergey drove by the tennis courts and decided to give it a try
 - Has a sweet tooth and considers something sweet as a perfect present
 - Loves her grandmother's cooking, and looks forward to her pancakes when she is away from home
 - Has a tiger tattoo on her left arm, which earned her the nickname "The Tiger"
 - She spends her time off with family, catching up with friends, or reading; her favorite book is "The Count of Monte Cristo"
- Trained at Spartak Club in Moscow as a junior; previous coaches included Andrei Cheshnokov (Elena Vesnina's former coach) and Evgenia Kulikovskaya
 - Nominated for 2019 WTA Newcomer of the Year Award
 - Started playing tennis aged five and favorite surface is hard