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DAY 3 – TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

[WC] Thea Frodin (USA #585) vs. [2] Elena Rybakina (KAZ #2)

First meeting

FRODIN				RYBAKINA			
Right-Handed		PLAYS		Right-Handed			
December 17, 2008 (17)		BIRTHDAY (AGE)		June 17, 1999 (27)			
0-0		CAREER GRAND SLAM RECORD (best result)		69-24 (x2 titles)			
0-0		US OPEN RECORD (best result)		8-6 (x1 4r)			
0-0		2026 RECORD (best result)		42-13 (x2 titles)			
AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
			2026	WON	2r	3r	
			2025	4r	4r	3r	4r
			2024	2r	QF	SF	2r
			2023	RUP	3r	QF	3r
			2022	2r	3r	WON	1r
			2021	2r	QF	4r	3r
			2020	3r	2r		2r
			2019		1r		1r

Frodin:

- Making her WTA Tour and Grand Slam main draw debuts at this year's US Open
- Has contested one Tour-level qualifying draw in her career, at 2026 Miami (l. Golubic in Q1)
- Made her Tour-level doubles debut at last year's US Open (as wild cards, l. Brantmeier/Hamilton in 1r)
- Reached her first World Tennis final earlier this season on hard court at W35 Arcadia CA
- This is her second career meeting against a player ranked inside the Top 100, after a loss to No.84 Golubic at 2026 Miami qualifying
- Frodin is one of seven teenagers contesting this year's main draw, alongside Liutova, Tagger, Jovic, Korneeva, M. Andreeva and Valentova
- She is one of 10 players making their Grand Slam main draw debut at this year's US Open
- Best result by a wild card at US Open is title run by Kim Clijsters in 2009 (d. Wozniacki in F)



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Rybakina:

- Making her 8th main draw appearance at US Open, her best result at the event is R16 last year (I. Vondrousova)
- Contesting her 29th Grand Slam main draw; she owns two Grand Slam titles, winning 2022 Wimbledon (d. Jabeur in F) and 2026 Australian Open (d. Sabalenka in F). She also finished runner-up at 2023 Australian Open (I. Sabalenka in F)
- Since the start of the 2020 season, Rybakina has won 25 of her last 26 Grand Slam 1r matches, with her only loss coming to Burel at 2022 US Open
- In addition to her Australian Open title earlier this season, Rybakina also triumphed on clay at Stuttgart (d. Muchova in F)
- At Grand Slams this year, as well as her title run at Australian Open, she made 2r at Roland Garros (I. Starodubtseva) and 3r at Wimbledon (I. Mertens)
- She is 7-0 in her career vs. wild cards at Grand Slams, most recently defeating Pareja in 1r at 2025 US Open
- Owns a 29-7 record on hard court this season, she leads the Tour alongside Pegula for most hard court wins this year
- This is her fifth contest against an American at the US Open, owns a 3-1 record with sole loss coming to Rogers in 2020
- So far during this year's North American hard court swing, reached her 25th career Tour-level final at Toronto (I. Swiatek in F), and made QF at Cincinnati (I. Swiatek via ret.)



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Zeynep Sonmez (TUR #53) vs. [4] Coco Gauff (USA #4)

First meeting

SONMEZ					GAUFF			
Right-Handed		PLAYS			Right-Handed			
April 30, 2002 (24)		BIRTHDAY (AGE)			March 13, 2004 (22)			
6-8 (x2 3r)		CAREER GRAND SLAM RECORD (best result)			85-26 (x2 titles)			
1-1 (x1 2r)		US OPEN RECORD (best result)			20-6 (x1 title)			
18-18 (x3 QF)		2026 RECORD (best result)			40-13 (x1 title)			
AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
3r	1r	2r	2026		QF	3r	SF	
1r	1r	3r	2025		QF	WON	1r	4r
	1r		2024		SF	SF	4r	4r
			2023		4r	QF	1r	WON
			2022		1r	RUP	3r	QF
			2021		2r	QF	4r	2r
			2020		4r	2r		1r
			2019				4r	3r

Sonmez:

- Making her 2nd appearance at US Open; she made 2r on her debut last year (d. Volynets in 1r, I. Kostyuk in 2r)
- Competing in her ninth career Grand Slam main draw; her best career Grand Slam results are 3r finishes at 2026 Australian Open (I. Putintseva) and 2025 Wimbledon (I. Alexandrova)
- Her 3r run at 2025 Wimbledon saw her become the first player from Turkey in the Open Era to reach the 3r at a Grand Slam
- Sonmez owns one Tour-level title which came on hard court at 2024 Merida (d. Li in F)
- She is 1-3 in her career vs. Top 10 players, with sole win coming over No.8 Paolini at 2026 Stuttgart
- Owns 9-10 record on hard court this season, with her best result on the surface being QF at Merida (I. eventual champion Bucsa); she has also reached QFs on grass at Eastbourne and 's-Hertogenbosch, with all three QF appearances representing her best results of 2026
- So far during this year's North American hard court swing, made second rounds at Toronto (I. Sakkari) and Cincinnati (I. Anisimova)
- Best results by Turkey at US Open are 2r runs by Zeynep Sonmez in 2025 and Cagla Buyukakcay in 2016
- Currently ranked No.53, broke into the Top 50 for the first time (career-high of No.48) in July this year



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Gauff:

- Making her 8th appearance at US Open; she won the title here in 2023, becoming the first American teenager to win the US Open since Serena Williams in 1999
- Contesting her 29th Grand Slam main draw, having won two major titles: the 2023 US Open (d. Pegula in F) and 2025 Roland Garros (d. Paolini in F)
- Owns 24-4 career record in Grand Slam 1r matches (6-1 at US Open), with her most recent loss coming at 2025 Wimbledon (I. Yastremska). Her sole US Open 1r exit came in 2020 (I. Sevastova)
- 10 of her 12 career WTA titles have come on hard court, most recently at 2026 Cincinnati (d. Pegula in F). When she last won the Cincinnati title in 2023, she went on to capture the US Open title
- At Grand Slams this year, made QF at Australian Open (I. Svitolina), 3r at Roland Garros (I. Potapova) and reached SF at Wimbledon (I. Muchova)
- So far during this year's North American hard court swing, reached SF at Toronto (I. Rybakina) and won her 12th career title at Cincinnati (d. Pegula in F)



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[5] Mirra Andreeva (#5) vs. Janice Tjen (INA #36)
2026 CINCINNATI HARD R32 ANDREEVA 6-17-6(5)

Andreeva leads 1-0

ANDREEVA				TJEN			
Right-Handed		PLAYS		Right-Handed			
April 29, 2007 (19)		BIRTHDAY (AGE)		May 6, 2002 (24)			
39-13 (x1 title)		CAREER GRAND SLAM RECORD (best result)		3-4 (x3 2r)			
4-3 (x1 3r)		US OPEN RECORD (best result)		1-1 (x1 2r)			
40-13 (x3 titles)		2026 RECORD (best result)		11-22 (x2 3r)			
AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
4r	WON	2r	2026	2r	1r	2r	
4r	QF	QF	3r	2025			2r
4r	SF	1r	2r	2024			
	3r	4r	2r	2023			

Andreeva:

- Making her 4th appearance at US Open; her best result at the event is R32 last year (l. Townsend)
- Contesting her 15th Grand Slam main draw; she won her maiden Grand Slam title earlier this season at Roland Garros (d. qualifier Chwalinska in F)
- Born in 2007, Andreeva became the first player born after 2005 to reach a Grand Slam singles final, and win a Grand Slam (including women's and men's events)
- Owns 13-1 career record in Grand Slam 1r matches, with her sole loss coming against B. Fruhvirtova at 2024 Wimbledon
- Three of her six career WTA titles have come on hard court, most recently at 2026 Adelaide (d. Mboko in F)
- Andreeva is one of only two players on Tour to have won three titles this season (Adelaide, Linz, Roland Garros) alongside Sabalenka (Brisbane, Indian Wells, Miami)
- At Grand Slams this year, made R16 at Australian Open (l. Svitolina), won the title at Roland Garros (d. Chwalinska in F) and played 2r at Wimbledon (l. Krejčíková)
- So far during this year's North American hard court swing, made 3r at Toronto (l. Fernandez) and 4r at Cincinnati (l. Kostyuk)

Tjen:

- Making her 2nd appearance at the US Open; she reached 2r last year as a qualifier, which was also her Grand Slam debut (d. V.Kudermetova for first career Grand Slam main draw win; l. Raducanu)
- This is her 5th career Grand Slam main draw appearance; at the Slams, she has posted 2nd round finishes on three occasions and lost first round once (2026 Roland Garros)
- Has won one career WTA title, which came on hard court at 2025 Chennai (d. Birrell in final)
- She has reached one further WTA final, finishing runner-up at 2025 Sao Paulo on hard court (l. Rakotomanga Rajaonah in final)
- Eight of her 11 Tour-level match-wins this year have been on hard court
- Owns 0-3 career record against Top 10 players (all coming this season), with losses to No.5 Andreeva at Cincinnati, No.6 Anisimova at Dubai and No.2 Swiatek at Doha
- Reached her career-high ranking of No.35 on August 24 of this year



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Yulia Putintseva (KAZ #84) vs. [12] Belinda Bencic (SUI #12)

Tied 3-3

2011 LUXEMBOURG	HARD	Q-R32	PUTINTSEVA	6-1, 1-6, 6-2
2017 SYDNEY	HARD	R32	PUTINTSEVA	6-4, 2-3, ret.
2019 AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	R64	BENCIC	7-5, 4-6, 6-2
2019 MIAMI	HARD	R64	PUTINTSEVA	6-3, 7-5
2020 DOHA	HARD	R16	BENCIC	6-4, 6-3
2023 UNITED CUP	HARD	Group	BENCIC	7-6(0), 6-3

PUTINTSEVA

BENCIC

Right-Handed	PLAYS	Right-Handed
January 7, 1995 (31)	BIRTHDAY (AGE)	March 10, 1997 (29)
56-50 (x3 QF)	CAREER GRAND SLAM RECORD (best result)	73-39 (x2 SF)
12-11 (x1 QF)	US OPEN RECORD (best result)	22-9 (x1 SF)
13-15 (x1 QF)	2026 RECORD (best result)	26-10 (x3 QF)

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

Putintseva:

- Making her 12th main draw appearance at the US Open; her best tournament result is reaching quarterfinals in 2020 (l. Brady)
- She has posted 3 Grand Slam quarterfinal finishes in her career, at 2016 Roland Garros (l. eventual runner-up S. Williams), 2018 Roland Garros (l. Keys) and 2020 US Open (l. Brady)
- By reaching the 4th round at this year's Australian Open, she has now reached the 4th round or better at all four Grand Slam tournaments during her career
- Contesting her 47th consecutive Grand Slam main draw – the longest active streak (tied with Siniakova)
- She is a three-time WTA titlist but has yet to win a hard court WTA title (2 titles on clay and 1 on grass) – however she is a three-time WTA runner-up on hard court



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- Holds a 34-16 career record in Grand Slam 1r matches (7-4 in US Open 1r matches)
- Owns 35 career Tour-level wins over Top 20 players, most recently No.13 Shnaider at 2025 Adelaide (she is 0-11 vs. Top 20 players since that victory)
- Reached career-high ranking of No.20 in January 2025, making her Top 20 debut shortly after her 30th birthday

Bencic:

- Making her landmark 10th main draw appearance at US Open, with joint-best Slam result coming here when she reached the SF in 2019 (l. eventual champion Andreescu, defeated No.1 Osaka in R16)
- Other Grand Slam SF came at 2025 Wimbledon (l. eventual champion Swiatek)
- Also here in New York made the QFs in 2014 (l. Peng) and 2021 (l. eventual champion Raducanu)
- Overall this is her 40th Grand Slam main draw appearance – has reached the R16 at both Australian Open (2016, 2023 and 2026) and Roland Garros (2026)
- Enters 2026 US Open with a Slam w/l record at 73-39, with a 1r record standing at 32-7. Last opening match loss at a Slam came at 2023 Roland Garros (l. Avaneysan)
- Entered US Open mixed doubles event earlier this week with Cobolli, reaching the final (l. Muchova/Mensik)
- Owns eight hard court titles, including 2021 Olympic gold medal from Tokyo
- Best US Open result by Switzerland in women's singles is 1997 title run by Martina Hingis (d. V.Williams in final)
- Reached career-high ranking of No.4 in February 2020
- Has split her six meetings with today's opponent Putintseva, but Bencic has won the last two, most recently in the group stage at 2023 United Cup (all six of their meetings have been on hard court)



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[14] Iva Jovic (USA #14) vs. Magdalena Frech (POL #41)

First meeting

JOVIC				FRECH			
Right-Handed		PLAYS		Right-Handed			
December 6, 2007 (18)		BIRTHDAY (AGE)		December 15, 1997 (28)			
13-8 (x1 QF)		CAREER GRAND SLAM RECORD (best result)		15-21 (x1 4r)			
2-2 (x2 2r)		US OPEN RECORD (best result)		3-5 (x1 3r)			
31-16 (x1 final)		2026 RECORD (best result)		14-18 (x1 R-Up)			

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

Jovic:

- Making her third main draw appearance at the US Open, where she has reached the 2r on both previous outings, in 2024 (l. Alexandrova) and 2025 (l. Paolini)
- Overall this is her ninth Slam main draw appearance, with best return coming earlier this year at the Australian Open when she made the QFs (l. eventual R-Up Sabalenka, d. No.8 Paolini in 3r)
- Made R16 at 2026 Wimbledon (l. Pegula) and at Roland Garros made the 3r this year also (l. Osaka)
- Coming off back-to-back 3r runs at Toronto and Cincinnati
- Currently at a career-high ranking of No.14 (posted August 24)
- Reached a hard court final earlier this year at Hobart (l. Cocciaretto in F)
- Owns one hard court title at 2025 Guadalajara (d. Arango in F)
- She is 5-0 in her career vs. players from Poland; 3-0 this season with all three wins coming over Linette at Toronto, Madrid and Hobart



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Frech:

- Making 6th appearance at US Open, where her best result is 3r in 2025 (I. Gauff)
- Best result at a Grand Slam is R16 run at Australian Open 2024 (I. Gauff)
- Owns 8 wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently defeating No.17 Liudmila Samsonova at Doha 2026; has lost her last 5 consecutive matches against such players
- Owns 12-24 career record against players from United States of America; 1-5 this season with her sole win coming over Li at Washington DC
- She's 12-10 so far this season on hard court; includes reaching her third career Tour-level final at Merida (I. Bucsa in F)
- Owns 1 career WTA title which came on hard court at Guadalajara 500 in 2024 (d. Gadecki in F)
- So far during this year's North American hard court swing, reached 2r at Washington DC (I. eventual R-Up Pegula) and Toronto (I. Pegula), and 3r at Cincinnati (I. Rybakina)
- Best result by Poland at US Open was champion run by Iga Swiatek in 2022
- Reached career-high ranking of No.22 in October 2024



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[Q] Mary Stoiana (USA #122) vs. [17] Alexandra Eala (PHI #18)
2024 LANDISVILLE HARD R16 EALA 7-5 6-2

Eala leads 1-0

STOIANA				EALA			
Right-Handed		PLAYS		Left-Handed			
May 6, 2003 (23)		BIRTHDAY (AGE)		May 23, 2005 (21)			
0-0		CAREER GRAND SLAM RECORD (best result)		4-6 (x1 4r)			
0-0		US OPEN RECORD (best result)		1-1 (x1 2r)			
0-4 (x4 1r)		2026 RECORD (best result)		31-19 (x1 title)			
AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
			2026	1r	1r	4r	
			2025		1r	1r	2r

Stoiana:

- Making her Grand Slam main draw debut at this year's US Open, she fell in qualifying at US Open from 2023-2025
- Defeated Harmony Tan, Katie Swan and Yuan Yue in qualifying to reach maiden Grand Slam main draw
- Has contested Grand Slam qualifying at all three majors so far this season, reaching Q2 at Australian Open (l. Bronzetti), Q3 at Roland Garros (l. Krueger) and Q2 at Wimbledon (l. Sawangkaew)
- Contesting just her fifth career Tour-level main draw; she made her Tour-level debut at 2026 Austin
- She is 0-4 in Tour-level career matches (all coming this season), with 1r exits at Austin (as a WC, l. Zakharova), Charleston (as a qualifier, l. Parks), Memphis (l. Stearns) and Cincinnati (as a qualifier, l. Valentova)
- This is her first career meeting against a Top 20 player
- Best result by a qualifier at US Open is title run by Emma Raducanu in 2021 (d. Fernandez in F)
- Currently ranked at her new career-high of No.122 (achieved August, 24 2026)

Eala:

- Making her 2nd main draw appearance at the US Open – defeated No.14 Tauson in 2025 1r before falling to Bucsa in 2r
- Contested US Open qualifying in 2024, falling to Ruse in final round
- Entered US Open mixed doubles event with Auger Aliassime earlier this week (l. opening match to Monfils/Svitolina)
- Overall this is her 7th Grand Slam main draw appearance – best result came with R16 run at 2026 Wimbledon (defeated defending champion Swiatek in 3r, l. Paolini in R16)
- First player from the Philippines to reach the R16 of a Grand Slam
- This is her first career meeting against a qualifier at a Grand Slam; she is 2-2 on Tour this year against qualifiers, most recent was her win over Zhang Shuai at London
- Currently on a career-high ranking of No.18 (posted August 24)
- Won first WTA title of career at WTA 500 Washington DC in August (d. Pegula in F)



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[22] Madison Keys (USA #24) vs. Alina Korneeva (#69)

First meeting

KEYS

Right-Handed	PLAYS	Right-Handed
February 17, 1995 (31)	BIRTHDAY (AGE)	June 23, 2007 (19)
131-51 (x1 title)	CAREER GRAND SLAM RECORD (best result)	2-3 (x2 2r)
33-14 (x1 R-Up)	US OPEN RECORD (best result)	0-0
29-13 (x1 title)	2026 RECORD (best result)	7-7 (x2 SF)

KORNEEVA

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
4r	4r	4r	2026		2r	1r	
WON	QF	3r	1r	2025			
	3r	4r	3r	2024	2r		
3r	2r	QF	SF	2023			
SF	4r		3r	2022			
	3r	4r	1r	2021			
3r	1r		3r	2020			
4r	QF	2r	4r	2019			
QF	SF	3r	SF	2018			
	2r	2r	RUP	2017			
4r	4r	4r	4r	2016			
SF	3r	QF	4r	2015			
2r	1r	3r	2r	2014			
3r	2r	3r	1r	2013			
1r				2012			
			2r	2011			

Keys:

- Making her 15th main draw appearance at the US Open (53rd Major appearance); her best tournament result is finishing runner-up in 2017 (l. Stephens in all-American final)
- She has also reached an additional two semifinals at the US Open, in 2018 (l. eventual champion Osaka) and 2023 (l. eventual runner-up Sabalenka)
- Has won one Grand Slam title at 2025 Australian Open (d. Sabalenka in final) – that was her second Grand Slam final after 2017 US Open (she is the player with the longest gap between their first two Slam finals in Open Era)
- Five of her 11 career Tour-level titles have come on hard court, including her 2025 Australian Open crown
- Her top performance so far this year is winning the grass court title at Eastbourne (d. Maria in final) - this was the 3rd time in her career that she has won the Eastbourne title (also 2014 and 2023)
- Holds a 46-6 career record in Grand Slam 1r matches – her most recent loss in a Grand Slam 1r match was here at the US Open last year (l. Zarazua)
- Reached career-high ranking of No.5 in February 2025, shortly after winning the 2025 Australian Open



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- Holds a Tour-level record of 18-4 in 2026 against opponents ranked outside the Top 50 (7-0 at Grand Slams)
- Has won 29 Tour-level matches so far in 2026 (12 on hard court); with a victory, would reach 30 Tour-level wins for sixth time in her career and fourth time in the last five years
- She is 12-8 so far this season on hard court; with her best result on the surface being QF runs at Cincinnati, Adelaide and Brisbane

Korneeva:

- Making her main draw debut at US Open and her 4th Major appearance (l. Birrell in 1r at Wimbledon 2026, l. Kalinskaya in 2r at Roland Garros 2026, l. Haddad Maia in 2r at Australian Open 2024)
- Her two career Grand Slam victories came against Top 100 opponents (d. No.38 Cocciaretto at Roland Garros 2026, d. No.52 Sorribes Tormo at Australian Open 2024)
- Holds a record of 5-4 in her Tour-level career versus Top 50 players (all five wins have come in 2026, with four of the five coming on hard court)
- Highest ranked opponent she has defeated in her Tour-level career is No.16 Jovic in 3r at Toronto 2026
- Owns a 4-1 career Tour-level record against players from United States of America (l. Gauff in 4r at Toronto 2026)
- Best career Tour-level result is a pair of SF appearances (l. Sakkari at Athens 2026, l. eventual champion Sonmez at Merida 2024)
- Has won the first set in 11 of her 12 career Tour-level victories (nine of the wins came in straight sets)
- Currently ranked No.69; reached a career-high ranking of No.67 last week
- Has won seven Tour-level matches so far in 2026 (six in straight sets, one via retirement)



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Kaitlin Quevedo (ESP #107) vs. [23] Elise Mertens (BEL #20)

First meeting

QUEVEDO				MERTENS			
Right-Handed		PLAYS		Right-Handed			
February 13, 2006 (20)		BIRTHDAY (AGE)		November 17, 1995 (30)			
1-1 (x1 2r)		CAREER GRAND SLAM RECORD (best result)		82-38 (x1 SF)			
0-0		US OPEN RECORD (best result)		21-10 (x2 QF)			
4-6 (x4 2r)		2026 RECORD (best result)		27-17 (x1 R-Up)			
AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
2r			2026	4r	2r	QF	
			2025	2r	1r	4r	3r
			2024	2r	3r	2r	4r
			2023	3r	4r	2r	3r
			2022	4r	4r	4r	1r
			2021	4r	3r	3r	4r
			2020	4r	3r		QF
			2019	3r	3r	4r	QF
			2018	SF	4r	3r	4r
			2017		3r	1r	1r
			2016				1r

Quevedo:

- Making tournament debut at US Open
- Contesting her 2nd career Grand Slam main draw; reached 2r at Roland Garros earlier this year (as a qualifier, I. Svitolina)
- Looking to earn first career win over a Top 50 player today
- Best career result on hard court is reaching R16 at Auckland 2026 (I. Costoulas)
- Best result by Spain at US Open was Champion run by Arantxa Sanchez-Vicario in 1994
- Best results of 2026 season so far are 2r finishes at Auckland (I. Costoulas), Madrid (I. Baptiste), Roland Garros (I. Svitolina) and Iasi (I. eventual Champion Sherif)
- Recently achieved career-high ranking of No.94 on August 3, 2026



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Mertens:

- Making her 11th main draw appearance at the US Open; her best tournament results are two quarterfinal showings in 2019 (l. eventual champion Andreescu) and 2020 (l. eventual runner-up Azarenka)
- Her best Grand Slam result of career is semifinals at 2018 Australian Open (l. eventual champion Wozniacki)
- Her top result of this year is reaching a 17th career Tour-level final at Monterrey last week (l. Parry in F)
- Also made her 4th career Grand Slam quarterfinal at Wimbledon (l. eventual champion Noskova) – that was her first Grand Slam quarterfinal since the 2020 US Open
- 7 of her 10 career WTA titles have come on hard court; her most recent hard court title is 2025 Singapore (d. A.Li in final)
- Holds a 33-5 career record in Grand Slam 1r matches – 3 of those 5 losses have been at the US Open
- Reached career-high ranking of No.12 in November of 2018
- She is also a former WTA Doubles World No.1, who won the US Open women's doubles title in 2019 (w/Sabalenka, d. Azarenka/Barty in final)



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[24] Anastasia Potapova (AUT #25) vs. Tereza Valentova (CZE #50)

First meeting

POTAPOVA				VALENTOVA			
Right-Handed		PLAYS		Right-Handed			
March 30, 2001 (25)		BIRTHDAY (AGE)		February 20, 2007 (19)			
24-26 (x2 4r)		CAREER GRAND SLAM RECORD (best result)		4-5 (x1 3r)			
4-6 (x1 3r)		US OPEN RECORD (best result)		1-1 (x1 2r)			
23-16 (x1 R-Up)		2026 RECORD (best result)		14-16 (x1 SF)			

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

Potapova:

- Making 7th main draw appearance at the US Open; her best result at the tournament is 3r in 2024 (l. Muchova)
- Her best career performances at Grand Slam events are 4r finishes at 2024 Roland Garros (l. eventual champion Swiatek) and 2026 Roland Garros (l. Kalinskaya)
- Two of her 3 career WTA titles have come on hard court: 2023 Linz (d. Martic in final) and 2025 Cluj-Napoca (d. Bronzetti in final)
- Her top results this year have been on clay, finishing R-Up at Linz (l. M.Andreeva in final) and making semifinals at WTA 1000 Madrid (as a lucky loser, l. eventual champion Kostyuk)
- In April of this year, was ranked as low as No.97 – by August 10, she had returned to the Top 25 of the PIF WTA Rankings for the first time since 2023
- Holds 15-11 career record in Grand Slam 1r matches
- Reached career-high ranking of No.21 in June 2023



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Valentova:

- Making her 2nd career appearance at US Open; on her debut last year she reached 2r as a qualifier (l. Rybakina)
- Competing in her sixth career Grand Slam main draw; her best result is 3r run at 2026 Australian Open (l. eventual champion Rybakina)
- Has fallen in the 1r on her last two Grand Slam appearances; losing to Pliskova at Wimbledon and Linette at Roland Garros earlier this season
- Her best career Tour-level result on hard court is runner-up run at 2025 Osaka (l. Fernandez in F)
- Owns an 11-10 record on hard court this season, with her best result on the surface coming at Prague, where she reached the SF on home soil (l. Snigur); this also marks her best result of the season across all surfaces
- Is one of seven teenagers contesting this year's main draw alongside Liutova, Frodin, Tagger, Jovic, Korneeva and M. Andreeva
- So far during this year's North American hard court swing, fell in 1r at Toronto (l. Townsend) and made 2r at Cincinnati (d. Stoiana in 1r, l. Svitolina in 2r)
- Best results by Czech Republic at US Open are runner-up runs by Karolina Pliskova in 2016 and Helena Sukova in 1993 and 1986
- Reached her fourth career WTA 125 final at Philadelphia last week (l. Volynets)
- Currently ranked No.50, reached a career-high ranking of No.42 in May this year



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[32] Maria Sakkari (GRE #35) vs. [Q] Robin Montgomery (USA #187)

First meeting

SAKKARI

Right-Handed	PLAYS	Left-Handed
July 25, 1995 (31)	BIRTHDAY (AGE)	September 5, 2004 (21)
57-42 (x2 SF)	CAREER GRAND SLAM RECORD (best result)	2-5 (x2 2r)
16-11 (x1 SF)	US OPEN RECORD (best result)	0-2 (x2 1r)
19-17 (x1 R-Up)	2026 RECORD (best result)	4-3 (x1 title)

MONTGOMERY

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

Sakkari:

- Making 12th appearance at the US Open; her best result at the tournament is reaching the semifinals in 2021 (l. eventual champion Raducanu)
- Her best Grand Slam results of career are semifinal runs at 2021 Roland Garros (l. eventual champion Krejčíková) and 2021 US Open (l. eventual champion Raducanu)
- One of her 2 career WTA titles has come on hard court, at WTA 1000 Guadalajara in 2023 (d. Dolehide in final)
- Her top results this season have been on hard court, finishing runner-up on home soil at Athens (l. Krejčíková in final) and making semifinals at WTA 1000 Doha (l. eventual champion Muchova)
- 14 of her 19 Tour-level wins this year have occurred on hard court
- Holds a 29-13 career record in Grand Slam 1r matches; has won her last five consecutive Grand Slam 1r matches
- Owns a 5-2 record in her career against qualifiers at Grand Slams, her two losses have come against Raducanu at 2021 US Open and Trevisan at 2020 Roland Garros
- She is 3-3 in her career against American players at the US Open, most recent was a loss to S. Williams in 2020
- Reached career-high ranking of No.3 for the first time in March 2022



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Montgomery

- Making her third main draw appearance at US Open having won through qualifying this year
- Defeated Cross, Vandromme and Branstine dropping only one set to reach the main draw
- Bidding for first US Open main draw win today, having fallen 1r in 2020 (I. Putintseva) and 2023 (I. Lys)
- Overall this is her sixth Grand Slam main draw – made the 2r at 2025 Roland Garros (I. Bouzas Maneiro) and 2024 Wimbledon (I. Jabeur). Fell in 2023 and 2026 Australian Open qualifying
- Bidding for her third Grand Slam main draw win today, following victories over Gadecki (2024 Wimbledon) and Parry (2025 Roland Garros)
- Best win by ranking of her career came of No.28 Boulter at 2024 Madrid
- Her best hard court result on Tour was making the QF at 2024 Washington DC
- Won her first WTA title earlier this year at 's-Hertogenbosch (as a qualifier ranked No.484, won the final via walkover vs. Krejčíková)
- Her four Tour-level wins this season all came during title run on the grass at 's-Hertogenbosch
- Reached a career-high ranking of No.95 in June 2025



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Oleksandra Oliynykova (UKR #46) vs. [WC] Reese Brantmeier (USA #431)

First meeting

OLIYNYKOVA				BRANTMEIER			
Right-Handed		PLAYS		Right-Handed			
January 3, 2001 (25)		BIRTHDAY (AGE)		October 5, 2004 (21)			
2-3 (x1 3r)		CAREER GRAND SLAM RECORD (best result)		0-0			
0-0		US OPEN RECORD (best result)		0-0			
16-13 (x2 SF)		2026 RECORD (best result)		0-1 (x1 1r)			
AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
1r	3r	1r	2026				

Oliynykova:

- Making her US Open main draw debut; she fell in the first round of qualifying here last year (l. Cabrera)
- This is her 4th career Grand Slam main draw; her best Grand Slam result is 3r at 2026 Roland Garros (l. Shnaider)
- Made her Grand Slam main draw debut at 2026 Australian Open (l. defending champion Keys in 1r), which doubled as her Tour-level main draw debut
- Her best Tour-level results this season are semifinal finishes at Cluj-Napoca on hard court (l. eventual runner-up Raducanu) and Iasi on clay (l. eventual champion Sherif)
- Holds an 8-1 record at Tour-level this year vs. players ranked outside the Top 100; her last such loss was to No.156 P. Kudermetova at 2026 Charleston
- Made her Top 50 debut in the PIF WTA Rankings on June 22 of this year
- Reached career-high ranking of No.44 on July 27 of this year

Brantmeier:

- Making her Grand Slam main draw debut at this year's US Open
- Contested in qualifying at US Open in 2021 (reached Q3) and 2019 (fell in Q1)
- Contesting just her second career Tour-level main draw after 1r exit at 2026 Memphis (as a wild card, l. Shymanovich)
- Played college tennis at North Carolina Tar Heels from 2023-2026, in the spring of 2023 she helped North Carolina win their first national team Championships
- Seeking her first career win over a Top 100 player
- Best result by a wild card at US Open is title run by Kim Clijsters in 2009 (d. Wozniacki in F)
- Currently ranked No.431; reached a career-high ranking of No.411 in August 2022



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Daria Kasatkina (AUS #61) vs. Paula Badosa (ESP #87)

Kasatkina leads 4-3

2022 SYDNEY	HARD	SF	BADOSA	6-2, 6-2
2022 ROME	CLAY	R16	KASATKINA	6-4, 6-4
2022 SAN JOSE	HARD	SF	KASATKINA	6-2, 6-4
2023 STUTTGART	CLAY	R32	BADOSA	6-1, 6-1
2024 WIMBLEDON	GRASS	R32	BADOSA	7-6(6), 4-6, 6-4
2024 NINGBO	HARD	SF	KASATKINA	6-4, RET.
2025 ROLAND GARROS	CLAY	R32	KASATKINA	6-1, 7-5

KASATKINA	PLAYS	BADOSA
Right-Handed		Right-Handed
May 7, 1997 (29)	BIRTHDAY (AGE)	November 15, 1997 (28)
66-42 (x1 SF)	CAREER GRAND SLAM RECORD (best result)	41-24 (x1 SF)
14-11 (x2 4r)	US OPEN RECORD (best result)	6-5 (x1 QF)
11-16 (x1 QF)	2026 RECORD (best result)	14-16 (x1 R-Up)

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

Kasatkina:

- Making her 12th consecutive main draw appearance at US Open (43rd Major appearance), where her best result was reaching 4r in 2022 (l. eventual R-Up Sabalenka) and 2017 (l. Kanepi)
- Best career result at a Grand Slam was SF at Roland Garros 2022 (l. eventual champion Swiatek)
- Since the start of the 2021 season, she is 19-3 in opening round matches at Grand Slams with 13 of her victories coming in straight sets
- Is 7-4 in her career in 1r matches at US Open; last defeat was in 2022 (l. Dart in three sets)
- Seeking her 15th career win at US Open, would become her third Grand Slam with 15-plus victories (Roland Garros (26), Wimbledon (16))



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- Has won the first set in 59 of her 66 career Grand Slam victories
- Holds a 4-3 Tour-level record in matches against Badosa, with the pair splitting their two Grand Slam meetings (d. Badosa in 3r at Roland Garros 2025, l. Badosa in 3r at Wimbledon 2024)
- Owns a 46-15 record at Grand Slams against opponents ranked outside the Top 50
- Since 2025, she is 11-1 at Grand Slams versus players ranked outside the Top 50 (l. Bartunkova in 1r at Australian Open)
- For her Tour-level career, she is 14-8 against players from Spain and is 2-1 at Grand Slams in such matches (l. Badosa in 3r at Wimbledon 2024)
- Six of her eight career Tour-level titles have come on hard court (Ningbo 2024, Granby 2022, San Jose 2022, St. Petersburg 2021, Melbourne 2021, Moscow 2018)
- One of six players from Australia in the main draw, joining Kimberly Birrell, Talia Gibson, Storm Hunter, Maya Joint and Taylah Preston
- Has won 11 Tour-level matches so far in 2026 with five of her victories coming on hard court

Badosa:

- Making her 6th main draw appearance at US Open (25th Major appearance), where her best result was reaching QF in 2024 (l. Navarro). Withdrew from 2025 US Open due to back injury
- Playing in her first Tour-level event since Hamburg in July (l. Sherif in QF) and first hard court match since Miami in March (l. Jovic in 2r)
- Top Tour-level result this year is a R-Up finish at Iasi (l. Sherif in F); won a WTA 125 title at Bastad in July (d. WALTERT in F)
- Best career result at a Grand Slam was SF at Australian Open 2025 (l. Sabalenka)
- Holds a record of 17-7 in 1r matches for her career at Grand Slams (won 14 consecutive opening round matches at Grand Slams from Roland Garros 2021 to Roland Garros 2025)
- Is 3-2 in 1r matches at US Open and has won her last three (2024, 2022, 2021)
- US Open is the Grand Slam where she has the fewest wins (six); Roland Garros (13), Australian Open (12), Wimbledon (10)
- Looking for her first win over Kasatkina since 3r at Wimbledon 2024 (three sets)
- Winner of the first set has won all seven head-to-heads between Badosa and Kasatkina
- Has won 16 out of her last 20 Grand Slam matches against opponents ranked outside the Top 50
- Last defeat versus a player ranked outside the Top 50 at US Open was in 2022 (l. Martić in 2r)
- Three of four career Tour-level titles have come on hard court (Washington D.C. 2024, Sydney 2022, Indian Wells 2021)
- One of five players from Spain to appear in the main draw, joining Jessica Bouzas Maneiro, Cristina Bucsa, Kaitlin Quevedo and Oksana Selekhmeteva
- Best result by Spain at US Open was Champion run by Arantxa Sanchez-Vicario in 1994 (d. Graf in F)
- Has won 14 Tour-level matches so far in 2026 (four on hard court), with 10 of the victories coming in straight sets



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ADDITIONAL HEAD-TO-HEADS

Tatjana Maria (GER #83) vs. [30] Jelena Ostapenko (LAT #32)
2022 WIMBLEDON GRASS R16 MARIA 5-7, 7-5, 7-5
2026 EASTBOURNE GRASS SF MARIA 6-1, 1-2 RET.

Maria leads 2-0

Nikola Bartunkova (CZE #34) vs. Mayar Sherif (EGY #52)

First meeting

Yuliia Starodubtseva (UKR #58) vs. Ella Seidel (GER #123)
2024 OEIRAS CLAY QF STARODUBTSEVA 6-3, 6-1

Starodubtseva leads 1-0

[Q] Lucie Havlickova (CZE #226) vs. Anna Bondar (HUN #73)
2023 MONTREUX CLAY SF BONDAR 6-2, 6-4

Bondar leads 1-0

Darja Vidmanova (CZE #75) vs. Jessica Bouzas Maneiro (ESP #105)

First meeting

Magda Linette (POL #82) vs. [Q] Francesca Jones (GBR #104)

First meeting

[Q] Gabriela Knutson (CZE #184) vs. Eva Lys (GER #98)
2024 US OPEN HARD Q-R128 LYS 6-2, 7-6(4)

Lys leads 1-0

[Q] Arantxa Rus (NED #204) vs. [WC] Leolia Jeanjean (FRA #127)

First meeting