

PORSCHE
TENNIS GRAND PRIX

MATCH NOTES

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STUTTGART, GERMANY
APRIL 15-21, 2024 | WTA 500 | \$922,573



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MATCH NOTES – DAY 4 – THURSDAY, APRIL 18

[4] Elena Rybakina (KAZ #4) vs. Veronika Kudermetova (#19)

Rybakina leads 3-0

Rybakina and Kudermetova are facing off for the fourth time on the Tour; their most recent previous encounter being at 2021 Chicago Fall Tennis Classic in straight sets... **Rybakina** making third main-draw appearance at Stuttgart, where she has previously fallen in the 2r twice in 2023 (l. Haddad Maia via ret.) and in 2022 (l. Badosa)... **Rybakina** is looking to play her seventh QF of the 2024 season following Brisbane, Adelaide, Abu Dhabi, Doha, Budai and Miami... **Kudermetova** has beaten Barbora Krejčíková in a three-set contest so far this week to reach R16 and equal her best result at Stuttgart since 2018... **Kudermetova** owns a title on clay court (d. Kovinic) at Charleston 2021... **Kudermetova** is looking for her seventeenth career win over Top 10 players, most recently defeating No.2 Iga Swiatek at Tokyo 2023

[1] Iga Swiatek (POL #1) vs. Elise Mertens (BEL #30)

First Meeting

Swiatek is making her third main-draw appearance at Stuttgart, where her best results were winning the titles back-to-back in 2023 and in 2022, both times defeating A. Sabalenka... **Swiatek** is No.1 seed this week, this being her 32nd tournament in her career at the top seed... **Swiatek** is looking to play her fourth QF of the 2024 season having reached such round at Doha, Dubai and Indian Wells... **Mertens** has beaten Tatjana Maria in a three-setter so far this week to reach her first-ever R16 at Stuttgart... **Mertens** owns 11 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently defeating No.3 Jessica Pegula at Roland Garros in 2023... **Mertens** is set to face the World No.1 for the third time in her career, having previously faced and fallen to then No.1 Halep at Madrid and Roland Garros in 2018

Jasmine Paolini (ITA #14) vs. [7] Ons Jabeur (TUN #9)

Jabeur leads 2-0

Paolini is seeking her fourth win over a Top 10 player...**Paolini** will reach a career-high of World No.13 after this week, regardless of the result today...**Paolini** is ranked second on Tour in break point conversion percentage (55.3%)...**Jabeur** snapped a five-game losing streak with her win over Alexandrova in the previous round...**Jabeur** has reached a clay-court final in each of her last three seasons (Charleston 2023, Madrid 2022, Charleston 2022, Charleston 250 2021)...With a win today, **Jabeur** will have her second Top 20 victory of the season, after defeating Alexandrova in the previous round

[WC] Emma Raducanu (GBR #303) vs. Linda Noskova (CZE #31)

Raducanu leads 1-0

Raducanu will reach her second career Stuttgart quarterfinal with a win over Noskova...Excluding Billie Jean King Cup qualification matches, a win today would give **Raducanu** her best win by ranking since defeating Dayana Yastremska at Indian Wells 2024...**Raducanu** won the pairs' only previous matchup at Roland Garros 2022...**Noskova** has hit 96 aces so far in 2024, 10th-most on Tour...**Noskova** is looking for her first quarterfinal appearance since the Australian Open 2024, where she lost to Dayana Yastremska...With a win today, **Noskova** will reach her first-ever quarterfinal on clay courts...

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[5] Zheng Qinwen (CHN #7) vs. Marta Kostyuk (UKR #27)

Zheng leads 1-0

Zheng will reach her third Tour-level clay court quarterfinal (after 2023 Rome and Palermo) with a win against **Kostyuk** ...**Zheng** is currently sixth on the Hologic WTA Tour with 108 aces struck, and is second in percentage of 1st serves won (75.1%)....**Zheng** is looking for her first quarterfinal appearance at Stuttgart...**Kostyuk** is seeking her fifth quarterfinal of the season after Adelaide, the Australian Open, San Diego, and Indian Wells...With a win today, **Kostyuk** will claim her fifth Top 10 win ...**Kostyuk** currently leads the Tour in double faults (138)



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4 **ELENA RYBAKINA**
KAZAKHSTAN

19 **VERONIKA KUDERMETOVA**

1999-06-17	Date of Birth	1997-04-24
	Residence	
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
6' 0" (1.84m)	Height	5' 8" (1.75m)
3	Career-High Ranking	9
\$13,325,930	Career Prize Money	\$6,863,661
\$1,471,535	Season Prize Money	\$328,734
2 / 7	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 2
38-16 (Champion: 2022 WIMBLEDON)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	18-19 (Quarter-Finalist: 2022 ROLAND GARROS)
0-0 / 2-2 (Round of 16: 2023, 2022)	YTD / Career STUTTGART W-L (best)	1-0 / 2-2 (Round of 16: 2024, 2018)
22-4 / 191-84	YTD / Career W-L	7-9 / 158-112
0-0 / 37-17	YTD / Career Clay W-L	3-1 / 45-25
9-1 / 54-40	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	2-2 / 62-35
3-5 / 52-43	YTD / Career TB W-L	2-1 / 45-37
1-1 / 10-12	YTD / Career TOP 5 W-L	0-0 / 10-8
5-1 / 39-32	YTD / Career TOP 20 W-L	1-1 / 24-37
Champion: ABU DHABI, BRISBANE	YTD Best Result	Quarter-Finalist: CHARLESTON



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2021	CHICAGO 500	HARD	3r	Elena Rybakina	7-6(4) 7-5	2h 0m
2021	OSTRAVA	HARD	1r	Elena Rybakina	6-1 6-3	1h 17m
2018	ST. PETERSBURG	HARD	Q	Elena Rybakina	3-6 6-3 6-2	1h 31m

RANKING HISTORY

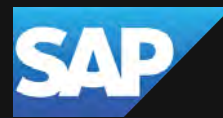
TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
3	-	2024	16	-
3	4	2023	9	19
12	22	2022	9	9
14	14	2021	28	31
17	19	2020	38	46
37	37	2019	41	41
182	191	2018	112	115
420	425	2017	174	257
612	616	2016	208	210
-	-	2015	282	400



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her third appearance at Stuttgart, where her best results were reaching R16 in 2023 (l. Haddad Maia via ret.) and 2022 (l. Badosa)
- Faces No.19 Veronika Kudermetova in R16 today; owns 39 wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently defeating No.18 Madison Keys at Miami 2024
- Looking to play her seventh QF of the 2024 season (Brisbane, Adelaide, Abu Dhabi, Doha, Dubai, Miami)
- Two of her seven career WTA singles titles have come on the surface: Rome (d. Kalinina) in 2023; and Bucharest (d. Tig) in 2019
- Only player from Kazakhstan to enter the Stuttgart tournament this year
- Best result by a player from Kazakhstan at Stuttgart was QF run by Yaroslava Shvedova in 2013
- Is currently ranked No.4; this time last year was ranked No.7 and reached her career-high of No.3 in June, 2023
- Has won 22 matches so far in 2024; she is ranked No.1 on tour for match wins
- Has been involved in 10 three-set matches in 2024

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. B. KREJCIKOVA (#24) 5-7 6-4 6-4 (3h 6m)

Total time on court: 3h 6m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her third appearance at Stuttgart, where her best result was reaching R16 as a qualifier in 2018 (l. Ka. Pliskova)
- In her 2023 appearance she fell in the 1r (l. Gauff)
- Has beaten Barbora Krejckova so far this week to make her second R16 appearance at Stuttgart
- Faces No.4 Elena Rybakina for the fourth time on the Tour; has fallen against today's opponent on all occasions with all meeting being on hard court
- Looking for her fourth overall career win against a player from Kazakhstan
- Owns 16 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently defeating No.2 Iga Swiatek at Tokyo 2023
- Owns 42-53 career record against seeds, with a record in 2024 standing at 1-2 (d. No.5 Haddad Maia at Charleston)
- Looking to play her second QF of the 2024 season, having made her first appearance at Charleston
- One of her two career WTA singles titles have come on clay court: Charleston (d. Kovinic) in 2021
- Is currently ranked No.19; this time last year was ranked No.13
- Has won 8 matches so far in 2024



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2023	Result	Rank: 7	Seed: 6
2r	L	B. HADDAD MAIA (#14) 6-1 3-1	
1r	W	J. NIEMEIER (#65) 7-5 6-3	

2022	Result	Rank: 19	Seed: -
2r	L	P. BADOSA (#3) 6-2 4-6 7-6(4)	
1r	W	N. SCHUNK (#224) 7-6(3) 7-5	

2023	Result	Rank: 13	Seed: -
1r	L	C. GAUFF (#6) 6-2 4-6 7-6(3)	

2018	Result	Rank: 193	Seed: -
2r	L	K. PLISKOVA (#6) 7-6(4) 6-3	
1r	W	C. SUÁREZ NAVARRO (#25) 7-6(5) 6-2	



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SEASON 2024 HISTORY

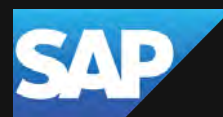
- Reached her fourth final of 2024 at WTA 1000 Miami (l. Collins)
 - Reached QF at Dubai, withdrawing prior to the match against Paolini through illness
 - Finished Runner-Up at Doha after falling against No.1 seed Swiatek
 - Won her second title of 2024 and her seventh title overall at Abu Dhabi, defeating Kasatkina in the final
 - Played 2r at Australian Open (l. Blinkova)
 - Made QF at Adelaide (l. Alexandrova)
 - Won the title in her 2024 season opener at Brisbane defeating No.1 seed Sabalenka in the final
- Made QF at Charleston (l. Sakkari)
 - Contested 2r at Miami (l. Wang Xinyu)
 - Fell in 3r at Indian Wells (l. Kerber)
 - Played 2r at Dubai (l. Cirstea)
 - Contested 1r at Abu Dhabi (l. Watson) and Doha (l. Collins)
 - Fell in opening round at Australian Open (l. Golubic)
 - Made R16 at Adelaide (l. Alexandrova)
 - Opened the 2024 season making R16 at Brisbane (l. Potapova)



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SEASON 2024 STATS

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
181	1	Aces	70	19
63.2%	43	First serve %	63.8%	37
73.0%	3	First Serve points won %	66.0%	27
48.9%	15	Second serve points won %	44.1%	55
64.2%	2	Overall service points won %	58.1%	34
80.8%	3	Service games won %	68.0%	38
61.0%	16	Break points saved %	49.1%	72
36.5%	41	First serve return points won %	33.4%	67
58.4%	15	Second serve return points won %	57.9%	19
41.8%	57	Break points converted %	45.8%	32
35.7%	32	Return games won %	31.4%	54
44.0%	30	Return points won %	42.1%	53

Best win by ranking: No.2 vs Sabalenka in BRISBANE F
Longest match: 2h 48m vs Sakkari in MIAMI QF
Shortest match: 32m vs Potapova in BRISBANE QF
Match points saved:
Most aces in a match: 16 vs Townsend in MIAMI 3r

Best win by ranking: No.13 vs Haddad Maia in CHARLESTON 3r
Longest match: 3h 25m vs Potapova in BRISBANE 3r
Shortest match: 1h 14m vs Schmiedlova in BRISBANE 2r
Match points saved:
Most aces in a match: 12 vs Schmiedlova in BRISBANE 2r



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (7)

2024 - 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)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)

2023 - TOKYO

2021 - CHARLESTON

Runner-Up (5)

2023 - S'HERTOGENBOSCH

2022 - ISTANBUL, DUBAI, MELBOURNE 250 #1

2021 - ABU DHABI

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (7)

2023 - ZHUHAI (w/Haddad Maia), DUBAI
(w/Samsonova)

2022 - WTA FINALS (w/Mertens), ROME
(w/Pavlyuchenkova), DUBAI (w/Mertens)

2021 - ISTANBUL (w/Mertens)

2019 - WUHAN (w/Duan)

Runner-Up (7)

2022 - S'HERTOGENBOSCH (w/Mertens), MIAMI
(w/Mertens), DOHA (w/Mertens)

2021 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Rybakina), WIMBLEDON
(w/Vesnina)

2019 - LUGANO (w/Voskoboeva), CHARLESTON
(w/Khromacheva)



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GRAND SLAMS

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



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Reached second Grand Slam final at 2023 Australian Open (l. Sabalenka in 3s); made Top-10 debut following tournament (January 30, 2023). Also in 2023 won first two WTA 1000 title at Indian Wells and Rome and finished R-Up at Miami. Qualified for first WTA Finals, going 1-2 in Group Stage.
- Lifted maiden major at 2022 Wimbledon (d. Jabeur in F)
- In 2022 also finished R-Up at Adelaide (l. Barty) and Portoroz (l. Siniakova)
- Best result of 2021 were SFs at Eastbourne, Olympics and Chicago [500], and QFs at Abu Dhabi, Roland Garros, San Jose and Ostrava
- Opened 2020 season by reaching the championship match at four of her first five tournaments, including a title run at Hobart (d. Zhang in F)
- Made first final appearance at a Premier-level tournament with R-Up finish at St. Petersburg (l. Bertens); was rewarded with Top 20 debut at No.19 following run in Russia (February 17, 2020)
- First win over a Top-5 ranked opponent came over No.3 Ka.Pliskova during R-Up finish at 2020 Dubai
- Won back-to-back Slam matches for the first time during 3r showing at 2020 Australian Open (l. Barty)
- Won maiden WTA singles title at 2019 Bucharest (d. Tig in F), breaking into Top 100 for the first time in the following week's rankings at No.65 (July 22, 2019)
- Also in 2019, went on to make Top 50 debut on September 16, 2019, after reaching second career final at Nanchang (l. Peterson), produced SF appearances at Luxembourg and 's-Hertogenbosch, and made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2019 Roland Garros, falling 1r (as qualifier, l. Siniakova)
- Finished 2019 campaign with 57-21 win-loss record (across all levels) to end season at No.37, up from 2018's final ranking of No.191. On the ITF Circuit in 2019, lifted silverware on three occasions: back-to-back at \$25k Moscow-RUS and \$25k Kazan-RUS, and at \$60k ITF/Launceston-AUS
- Highlights of 2018 included reaching maiden WTA QF at St. Petersburg (l. Goerges) and clinching title at \$15k ITF/Kazan-RUS
- 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)
- Won second career title at 2023 Tokyo (d. Pegula in F) and finished R-Up at 2023 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Alexandrova in F); ended year at No.19 for second straight Top 20 year-end ranking
- Also in 2023, reached SF at Adelaide 2, Doha, Madrid and Rome; qualified for WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai going 1-1 in group play
- In doubles, won titles in 2023 at Dubai with Liudmila Samsonova and Zhuhai with Beatriz Haddad Maia
- Made Top 10 debut in singles on October 24, 2022, following QF run at Guadalajara 1000 and Top 10 debut in doubles on January 31, 2022 ending the year at No.2
- Singles highlights in 2022 were R-Up finishes at Melbourne Summer Set 1 (l. Halep), Dubai (l. Ostapenko) and Istanbul (l. Potapova), and reached maiden Grand Slam QF at Roland Garros (l. Kasatkina)
- Won doubles title at 2022 WTA Finals in Fort Worth with partner Elise Mertens; also won title at Dubai and 's-Hertogenbosch with Mertens as well as Rome with Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova
- Appeared in maiden WTA final at Abu Dhabi in opening event of 2021 (l. Sabalenka) before securing first title at Charleston (d. Kovinic)
- In doubles won title at Istanbul with Elise Mertens and made final at Wimbledon (w/Vesnina) and Indian Wells (w/Rybakina) Scored first win over a Top-3 ranked opponent by upsetting No.3 Karolina Pliskova at 2020 Cincinnati. Other highlights in 2020 included SF run at Hobart and closing out season with back-to-back QFs at Ostrava and Linz
- Won 27 main-draw matches during 2019 – had previously won six across entire career - to rise over 60 places in the WTA rankings, making Top-100 debut on February 4 and Top-50 debut on September 9
- Singles highlights in 2019 included reaching SF at 's-Hertogenbosch, Hiroshima and Tianjin and 3r at Roland Garros where she defeated No.13 Caroline Wozniacki in 1r - her maiden Grand Slam main draw win and first over a Top-20 opponent)
- Also in 2019, won WTA 125K Series title at Guadalajara (d. Bouzkova in F) and entered Top 50 on Sept 9, 2019
- Posted first two Top 10 wins of career in final weeks of 2019, over No.10 Belinda Bencic at Wuhan and No.4 Elina Svitolina at Moscow

- Professional debut came at \$10k ITF/Antalya-TUR in 2014

- Fell 1r on Grand Slam main draw debut at 2019 Australian Open (as qualifier, l. Kenin)
- Won career first WTA doubles title at 2019 Wuhan with Yingying Duan (d. Mertens/Sabalenka in F); also in 2019 was R-Up at Charleston (w/Khromacheva) and Lugano (w/Voskoboeva)
- Posted maiden career WTA QF runs in 2018, first at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. eventual champion Krunić) and then Gstaad (l. Bouchard)
- Reached 2r on WTA main draw debut at 2018 Stuttgart as qualifier (d. No.25 Suárez Navarro, l. eventual champion Ka.Pliskova)
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2014 Moscow
- Made professional debut on ITF circuit in 2011; on ITF Circuit, owns four singles titles

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Stefano Vukov
- 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

- Coached by husband Sergey Demekhine
- Born in Kazan, Russia, now based in Moscow and trains at CSKA club
- Father, Eduard, was a Russian national ice hockey champion; teenage sister, Polina, is on the junior circuit
- She started playing tennis at the age of eight
- Off the court, has a passion for cooking and her specialty is roasted chicken with potatoes and garlic

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14 **JASMINE PAOLINI**
ITALY

ONS (7) JABEUR **9**
TUNISIA

1996-01-04	Date of Birth	1994-08-28
Bagni di Lucca, Italy	Residence	Tunis, Tunisia
Right-Handed	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 4" (1.63m)	Height	5' 6" (1.67m)
14	Career-High Ranking	2
\$3,840,246	Career Prize Money	\$12,629,927
\$1,190,845	Season Prize Money	\$250,620
1 / 2	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 5
7-17 (Round of 16: 2024 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	53-27 (Runner-Up: 2023 WIMBLEDON; 2022 US OPEN, WIMBLEDON)
1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 16: 2024)	YTD / Career STUTTGART W-L (best)	1-0 / 5-2 (Semi-Finalist: 2023)
13-7 / 91-93	YTD / Career W-L	3-6 / 194-131
1-0 / 29-33	YTD / Career Clay W-L	1-1 / 52-23
3-3 / 40-25	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	1-2 / 64-50
3-0 / 17-14	YTD / Career TB W-L	1-0 / 43-41
1-0 / 4-12	YTD / Career TOP 10 W-L	0-0 / 16-24
3-2 / 10-23	YTD / Career TOP 20 W-L	1-1 / 35-39
Champion: DUBAI	YTD Best Result	Quarter-Finalist: ABU DHABI



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YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2023	EASTBOURNE	GRASS	1r	Ons Jabeur	6-3 6-2	1h 6m
2022	MADRID	CLAY	1r	Ons Jabeur	7-6(9) 6-1	1h 22m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
14	-	2024	6	-
29	30	2023	2	6
44	59	2022	2	2
51	53	2021	7	10
93	95	2020	31	31
114	117	2019	51	77
130	190	2018	62	62
130	137	2017	83	88
244	245	2016	170	193
309	581	2015	118	210



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. S. ERRANI (#102) 6-1 6-0 (46m)

Total time on court: 46m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making Stuttgart debut
- Has beaten Sara Errani so far this week; recorded first 6-1 6-0 scoreline of her career
- Faces No.9 Ons Jabeur in 2r today; owns three wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.10 Caroline Garcia at Zhengzhou 2023
- Looking for first win against Jabeur, having previously fallen against her twice (Madrid in 2022 and Eastbourne in 2023)
- Owns 26-49 career record against seeds, with a record in 2024 standing at 4-4
- Best result on clay was a runner-up run at Palermo in 2023 (l. Zheng)
- Only player from Italy to reach 2r
- Best result by Italian players at Stuttgart were Semi-Finalist runs by Sara Errani in 2014, Flavia Pennetta in 2009, Raffaella Reggi in 1988
- Is currently ranked at a career-high No.14; this time last year was ranked No.66
- During last year's European clay swing reached runner-up at Palermo, 2r at Roland Garros and Rome and 1r at Hamburg and Madrid

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. E. ALEXANDROVA (#16) 2-6 6-3 7-6 (2h 0m)

Total time on court: 2h 0m

PLAYER NOTES

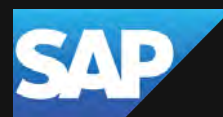
- Making third appearance at Stuttgart, where her previous and best result was reaching SF in 2023 (l. eventual champion Swiatek via retirement)
- Has beaten Ekaterina Alexandrova so far this week to snap a five-match losing streak
- Faces No.14 Jasmine Paolini in 2r today; owns 35 wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.16 Ekaterina Alexandrova in the previous round
- Owns 6-4 career record against players from Italy, with record in 2024 standing at 0-0
- Has won two clay court titles: Charleston in 2023 (d. Bencic in final); Madrid in 2022 (d. Pegula in final)
- Only player from Tunisia to enter the draw at Stuttgart this year
- Is currently ranked No.9; this time last year was ranked No.4
- During last year's European clay swing reached SF at Stuttgart, QF at Roland Garros, and 2r at Rome



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

2023	Result	Rank: 4	Seed: 3
SF	L	I. SWIATEK (#1) 3-0	
QF	W	B. HADDAD MAIA (#14) 6-3 6-0	
2r	W	J. OSTAPENKO (#22) 1-6 7-5 6-3	
2022	Result	Rank: 10	Seed: 7
QF	L	P. BADOSA (#3) 7-6(9) 1-6 6-3	
2r	W	D. KASATKINA (#26) 6-3 6-3	
1r	W	M. VONDROUSOVA (#32) 4-6 6-2 6-3	



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SEASON 2024 HISTORY

- Contested 3r at WTA 1000 Miami (l. Navarro)
- Reached R16 at WTA 1000 Indian Wells (l. Potapova)
- Won her second WTA singles career title after defeating Kalinskaya at Dubai; subsequently made her Top 20 debut at No.14
- Fell in opening round at Doha (l. Navarro)
- Contested 1r at Linz (l. Boulter)
- Reached R16 at Australian Open (l. Kalinskaya)
- Played 1r at Adelaide (l. Bucsa)
- Started the 2024 season representing Italy at the 2024 United Cup, going 1-1 in singles play (d. Kerber) (l. Garcia)

- After 1r byes, suffered 2r exits at Charleston (l. eventual champion, Collins), Miami (l. Avanesyan), Indian Wells (l. Volynets) and Doha (l. Tsurenko)
- Made QF at Abu Dhabi (l. Haddad Maia)
- Opened 2024 season at Australian Open, reaching 2r (l. Andreeva)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
28	64	Aces	34	52
68.5%	14	First serve %	54.4%	0
62.1%	54	First Serve points won %	65.0%	0
48.2%	20	Second serve points won %	44.8%	0
57.7%	38	Overall service points won %	55.8%	0
67.3%	41	Service games won %	61.1%	0
53.5%	56	Break points saved %	50.7%	0
40.0%	13	First serve return points won %	36.4%	0
57.0%	23	Second serve return points won %	48.7%	0
55.3%	2	Break points converted %	42.9%	0
39.1%	20	Return games won %	29.0%	0
45.7%	20	Return points won %	40.5%	0

Best win by ranking: No.11 vs Sakkari in DUBAI 3r
Longest match: 2h 13m vs Kalinskaya in DUBAI F
Shortest match: 46m vs Errani in STUTTGART 1r
Match points saved: 1 vs Cirstea in DUBAI SF
Most aces in a match: 3 vs Errani in STUTTGART 1r
3 vs Kalinskaya in INDIAN WELLS 3r

Best win by ranking: No.16 vs Alexandrova in STUTTGART 1r
Longest match: 2h 2m vs Collins in CHARLESTON 2r
Shortest match: 54m vs Andreeva in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 2r
Match points saved:
Most aces in a match: 8 vs Raducanu in ABU DHABI 2r



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)
2024 - DUBAI
2021 - PORTOROZ
Runner-Up (3)
2023 - MONASTIR, PALERMO
2022 - CLUJ-NAPOCA

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (3)
2024 - LINZ (w/Errani)
2023 - MONASTIR (w/Errani)
2021 - HAMBURG (w/Teichmann)

Runner-Up (1)
2022 - MELBOURNE 250 #1 (w/Errani)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (5)
2023 - NINGBO, CHARLESTON
2022 - BERLIN, MADRID
2021 - BIRMINGHAM

Runner-Up (8)
2023 - WIMBLEDON
2022 - US OPEN, WIMBLEDON, ROME,
CHARLESTON
2021 - CHICAGO 500, CHARLESTON 250
2018 - MOSCOW

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (1)
2021 - BIRMINGHAM (w/Perez)

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



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Finished 2023 by breaking into Top 30 for first time, achieving No. 29 on Oct 23, 2023 after becoming runner-up at Monastir (l. Mertens). Also achieved runner-up at Palermo and SF at Zhengzhou (l. Zheng both times) as well as QFs at Lyon (l. Garcia) and Cincinnati as a qualifier (l. eventual champion Gauff). Enjoyed two Top 10 wins (No.10 Garcia and No.4 Rybakina).
- In 2022, finished R-Up at Cluj-Napoca (l. Blinkova), while made back-to-back SF at Palermo (l. Bronzetti) and Warsaw (l. eventual champion Garcia)
- Also reached QF at Lyon (l. Yastremska), Portoroz (l. eventual champion Siniakova) and Parma (l. Kovinic)
- Broke into Top 50 on January 31, 2021
- Posted near-Top 50 season finish in 2021 after capturing first WTA singles title of career at Portoroz (d. Riske in F)
- Strong season finish also brought SF run at Courmayeur (l. eventual champion Vekic) and QF effort at Linz (l. Halep); posted best win of season over No.18 Mertens en route to 3r at Indian Wells (l. Pegula)
- Also in 2021 won the WTA 125K event in Bol, Croatia (d. Rus in F) and was R-Up at the same level in Saint Malo (l. Golubic) Captured first WTA doubles title in 2021, at Hamburg(w/Teichmann)
- In 2021, for first time in career, contested the full suite of all four Grand Slam events; reached 2r at Roland Garros and USOpen, equalling best previous Slam result
- In 2020, reached 2r four times at WTA tournaments, including Roland Garros (l. Kvitova)
- Highlights of 2019 included QF showings at Guangzhou and Palermo, a SF run at the WTA 125K Series event at Karlsruhe, lifting seventh, eighth and ninth ITF Circuit titles of her career, at \$60KBrescia-ITA, \$25K ITF/Curtiba-BRA and \$100K ITF/Tokyo-JPN, and qualifying for maiden Grand Slam main draw at Roland Garros (l. Kasatkina in 1r)
- Ended 2018 ranked No.180, with season highlight a maiden WTA singles QF at Prague (d. No.15 Kasatkina, l. Zhang)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2017 Bastad (l. Suarez Navarro in 1r) and also fell 1r at Guangzhou and in qualifying a further three times
- Part of Italy's Billie Jean King Cup team 2017-19
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2015 Rome
- Reached third Grand Slam final and second Wimbledon final in 2023 (l. Vondrousova). Also qualified for WTA Finals for second consecutive year to close out the season.
- In 2022, created history by becoming first African and Arab woman in Open Era to reach a Grand Slam final, finishing R-Up at first Wimbledon (l. Rybakina) and then US Open (l. Swiatek)
- Lifted biggest career title at WTA 1000 Madrid during 2022 clay-court season (d. Pegula in F)
- Broke into Top 10 on October 18, 2021, following SF run at Indian Wells (l. eventual champion Badosa)
- At 2021 Birmingham, became first Arab woman to win a WTA title (d. Kasatkina in F). Followed this with QF at Wimbledon (l. Sabalenka)
- In 2021, also finished R-Up at Charleston [250] (l. Sharma) and Chicago [500] (l. Muguruza)
- Reached maiden Grand Slam QF at 2020 Australian Open to become the first Arab woman to reach that stage at a major (l. eventual champion Kenin); made Top 50 debut at No.45 after breakthrough performance in Melbourne
- Made further QFs in 2020 at Doha (d. No.3 Ka.Pliskova, l. Kvitova), Lexington (l. Gauff), Western & Southern Open (l. eventual champion Azarenka) and Ostrava (l. Sakkari); posted career-high ranking of No.31 on August 31, 2020
- Season highlights in 2019 were 3r run at US Open and SF appearances at Eastbourne (l. eventual R-Up Kerber) and Tianjin (l. eventual champion Peterson)
- In 2018, defeated No.3 seed Stephens, No.8 seed Kontaveit and No.5 seed Sevastova en route to her first WTA final at 2018 Moscow, where she fell in three sets to No.6 seed Kasatkina. Was first Tunisian woman to advance beyond QF at a WTA tournament (Sfar was the only other Tunisian to reach a QF at this level)
- Scored first Top-10 win over No.7 Cibulkova at 2017 Roland Garros
- Reached maiden WTA QF at 2013 Baku. Also advanced to that stage at 2017 Taipei City and 2018 Bucharest
- Three-time member of Tunisian Olympic Team, first doing so at London games in 2012
- Contested first two WTA main draws in 2012, at Doha (as WC) and Olympics
- On ITF Circuit, has 11 singles and one doubles title

- Owns nine singles and one doubles title on ITF Circuit
- Made professional debut on ITF Circuit in Italy in 2011

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

OTHER INFORMATION

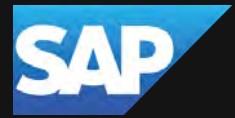
- Currently coached by Renzo Furlan
- Resides in Bagni di Lucca and trains in Forte dei Marmi, Italy
- Father is Ugo Paolini, mother is Jacqueline Gardiner and brother is William Paolini. Grandmother lives in Lodz, Poland. Mother is of Ghanaian/Polish descent
- Idolizes Roger Federer
- Favorite shot is her forehand and favorite surface is clay
- Speaks Italian, English and Polish

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



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BELGIUM

2001-05-31	Date of Birth	1995-11-17
Raszyn, Poland	Residence	Hamont-Achel, Belgium
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (Two-handed backhand)
5' 9" (1.76m)	Height	5' 10" (1.79m)
1	Career-High Ranking	12
\$27,169,071	Career Prize Money	\$13,689,080
\$2,576,308	Season Prize Money	\$893,228
2 / 19	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 8
70-16 (Champion: 2023 ROLAND GARROS; 2022 US OPEN, ROLAND GARROS; 2020 ROLAND GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	62-28 (Semi-Finalist: 2018 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)
0-0 / 8-0 (Champion: 2023, 2022)	YTD / Career STUTTGART W-L (best)	1-0 / 1-1 (Round of 16: 2024)
22-3 / 218-54	YTD / Career W-L	13-9 / 241-153
0-0 / 63-9	YTD / Career Clay W-L	3-1 / 59-31
3-1 / 40-23	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	4-3 / 69-58
2-1 / 26-19	YTD / Career TB W-L	0-2 / 44-46
2-0 / 15-9	YTD / Career TOP 5 W-L	0-2 / 7-18
Champion: INDIAN WELLS, DOHA	YTD Best Result	Runner-Up: HOBART



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
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First career meeting

RANKING HISTORY

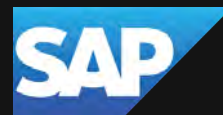
TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
1	-	2024	24	-
1	1	2023	26	29
1	1	2022	20	29
4	9	2021	14	21
17	17	2020	17	20
49	61	2019	12	17
174	175	2018	13	13
587	690	2017	35	35
903	903	2016	120	120
-	-	2015	157	157



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her third appearance at Stuttgart, where her best results were winning the titles in 2023 and in 2022; both times defeating A. Sabalenka in straight sets in the F
- Faces No.30 Elise Mertens in R16 today; owns 127 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently defeating No.31 Linda Noskova at Miami 2024
- Looking for her second overall career win against a player from Belgium
- Seven of her nineteen career WTA singles titles have come on clay court: Roland Garros (d. Muchova), Stuttgart (d. Sabalenka) in 2023; Roland Garros (d. Gauff), Rome (d. Jabeur), Stuttgart (d. Sabalenka) in 2022; Rome (d. Pliskova) in 2021; and Roland Garros (d. Kenin) in 2020
- Looking to play her fourth QF of the 2024 season (Doha, Dubai, Indian Wells)
- Is No. 1 seed this week; has been top seed at 32 tournaments in her career
- Only player from Poland to reach R16
- Is currently ranked No.1; a position she's holding for the 99th week
- Has won 17 matches so far in 2024; she is ranked No.5 on tour for match wins, behind Emma Navarro, Danielle Collins, Coco Gauff

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. T. MARIA (#66) 6-1 4-6 6-0 (1h 43m)

Total time on court: 1h 43m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her second appearance at Stuttgart, where her best result was playing 1r (l. Kasatkina) in 2019
- Has beaten Tatjana Maria in a three-set contest so far this week to reach her first 2r at the tournament
- Faces No.1 Iga Swiatek in 2r today; owns 11 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently defeating No.3 Jessica Pegula at Roland Garros 2023
- Is facing the World No.1 for the third time in her career, having lost to Halep at Madrid and Roland Garros in 2018
- Looking for her third overall career win against a player from Poland
- Owns 45-76 career record against seeds, with a record in 2024 standing at 1-4; only win coming in against Svitolina at Charleston
- Looking to play her fourth QF of the 2024 season (Hobart, Linz and Charleston)
- Has had great runs on clay court, where two of her eight career WTA singles titles have come on clay court: Rabat (d. Tomljanovic) and Lugano (d. Sabalenka) both in 2018
- Only player from Belgium to enter Stuttgart this year
- Best result by a player from Belgium at Stuttgart were Champion runs by Justine Henin in 2010 and in 2007, Kim Clijsters in 2002-2003
- Is currently ranked No.30; this time last year was ranked No.29
- Has won 14 matches so far in 2024; she is ranked No.12 on tour for match wins, behind Marta Kostyuk, Aryna Sabalenka, Anna Kalinskaya



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2023	Result	Rank: 1	Seed: 1
F	W	A. SABALENKA (#2)	6-3 6-4
SF	W	O. JABEUR (#4)	3-0
QF	W	K. PLISKOVA (#17)	4-6 6-1 6-2
2r	W	Q. ZHENG (#25)	6-1 6-4

2022	Result	Rank: 1	Seed: 1
F	W	A. SABALENKA (#4)	6-2 6-2
SF	W	L. SAMSONOVA (#31)	6-7(4) 6-4 7-5
QF	W	E. RADUCANU (#12)	6-4 6-4
2r	W	E. LYS (#342)	6-1 6-1

2019	Result	Rank: 18	Seed: -
1r	L	D. KASATKINA (#22)	7-6(8) 7-5



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SEASON 2024 HISTORY

- Made R16 at WTA 1000 Miami (l. Alexandrova)
- Won her second title in 2024 after defeating Sakkari in the final at WTA 1000 Indian Wells
- Contested SF at Dubai (l. Kalinskaya)
- Won her first title of the 2024 season after defeating Rybakina at Doha
- Made 3r at Australian Open (l. Noskova)
- Started the 2024 season representing Poland at the 2024 United Cup, reaching the F round with an overall record of 5-0 in singles play (d. Haddad Maia) (d. Sorribes Tormo) (d. Zheng) (d. Garcia) (d. Kerber)

- Reached QF at Charleston (l. eventual champion Collins)
- Player 2r at Miami (l. Townsend)
- Contested R16 at Indian Wells (l. Gauff)
- Fell in opening round at Dubai (l. Cocciaretto)
- Made 2r at Doha (l. Navarro)
- Contested QF at Linz (l. Pavlyuchenkova)
- Played 2r at Australian Open (l. Kostyuk)
- Reached the final at Hobart (l. Navarro)
- Opened 2024 at Brisbane, reaching 3r (l. eventual champion Rybakina)



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64.1%	4	Overall service points won %	58.7%	26
83.1%	1	Service games won %	69.0%	33
69.3%	1	Break points saved %	55.3%	44
42.0%	4	First serve return points won %	35.1%	54
60.6%	4	Second serve return points won %	58.5%	14
48.9%	14	Break points converted %	49.4%	13
47.3%	2	Return games won %	37.1%	26
49.3%	2	Return points won %	43.4%	38

Best win by ranking: No.4 vs Rybakina in DOHA F
Longest match: 3h 14m vs Collins in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 2r
Shortest match: 1h 1m vs Cirstea in DOHA 2r
Match points saved:
Most aces in a match: 5 vs Kalinskaya in DUBAI SF
5 vs Alexandrova in DOHA 3r

Best win by ranking: No.17 vs Svitolina in CHARLESTON 3r
Longest match: 2h 58m vs Saville in HOBART SF
Shortest match: 56m vs Rybakina in BRISBANE 3r
Match points saved:
Most aces in a match: 10 vs Bronzetti in LINZ 2r



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (19)

2024 - INDIAN WELLS, DOHA
2023 - WTA FINALS, BEIJING, WARSAW, ROLAND
GARROS, STUTTGART, DOHA
2022 - SAN DIEGO, US OPEN, ROLAND GARROS,
ROME, STUTTGART, MIAMI, INDIAN WELLS, DOHA
2021 - ROME, ADELAIDE 500
2020 - ROLAND GARROS

Runner-Up (5)

2024 - UNITED CUP
2023 - MADRID, DUBAI
2022 - OSTRAVA
2019 - LUGANO

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (1)

2021 - ROLAND-GARROS (w/Mattek-sands)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (8)

2023 - MONASTIR
2022 - MONASTIR
2021 - MELBOURNE 500 GIPPSLAND TROPHY
2019 - DOHA
2018 - RABAT, LUGANO, HOBART
2017 - HOBART

Runner-Up (5)

2024 - HOBART
2021 - ISTANBUL
2020 - LINZ, PRAGUE
2017 - ISTANBUL

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (20)

2024 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Hsieh), AUSTRALIAN
OPEN (w/Hsieh)
2023 - GUADALAJARA (w/Hunter), ROME
(w/Hunter)
2022 - WTA FINALS (w/Kudermetova), DUBAI
(w/Kudermetova)
2021 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Hsieh), WIMBLEDON
(w/Hsieh), ISTANBUL (w/Kudermetova),
AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Sabalenka)
2020 - OSTRAVA (w/Sabalenka)
2019 - US OPEN (w/Sabalenka), MIAMI
(w/Sabalenka), INDIAN WELLS (w/Sabalenka)
2018 - WUHAN (w/Schuurs), 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH
(w/Schuurs), LUGANO (w/Flipkens), HOBART
(w/Schuurs)
2017 - GUANGZHOU (w/Schuurs)
2016 - AUCKLAND (w/Mestach)

Runner-Up (12)

2023 - WIMBLEDON (w/Hunter)
2022 - WIMBLEDON (w/Zhang), BIRMINGHAM
(w/Zhang), 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH (w/Kudermetova),
MIAMI (w/Kudermetova), DOHA (w/Kudermetova)
2021 - WTA FINALS (w/Hsieh)
2019 - WUHAN (w/Sabalenka)
2018 - CINCINNATI (w/Schuurs), BIRMINGHAM
(w/Schuurs)
2017 - BUCHAREST (w/Schuurs), ISTANBUL
(w/Melichar-martinez)



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GRAND SLAMS

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



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Won six titles across 2023, including winning fourth Grand Slam title at Roland-Garros (d. Muchova in F) and going undefeated at the WTA Finals in Cancun (d. Pegula in F). Finished season as WTA World No.1 player for second consecutive year.
- In 2022, lifted second and third Grand Slam titles, at Roland-Garros (d. Gauff in F) and US Open (d. Jabeur in F)
- Triumph in Paris was the last of six straight titles during 37-match winning streak - joint-longest unbeaten run on Tour since 1990
- Won two titles in 2021, at Adelaide and Rome. Other highlights included QF at Roland-Garros and SF at Ostrava and qualifying for WTA Finals Guadalajara (fell in group stage)
- Also finished doubles R-Up at 2021 Roland-Garros (w/Mattek-Sands, l. Krejčíková/Siniakova)
- Won her maiden Tour-level title at 2020 Roland-Garros without dropping a set, becoming the first player from Poland - man or woman - to win a Grand Slam singles title and first from her country to reach a major final since A.Radwanska at 2012 Wimbledon
- Ranked No.54, she became the lowest-ranked woman to win the Roland-Garros title in the Open Era and the lowest-ranked finalist since 1977 (No.56 Mihai). At 19y 132d, is the youngest champion in Paris since Monica Seles (18y 187d) in 1992
- Also became the first player to win her debut Tour-level title at a Grand Slam since Jelena Ostapenko at 2017 Roland-Garros
- Won WTA Most Improved Player of the Year for 2020, as voted on by members of the media. Also won the 2020 WTA Fan Favorite Award
- Ended 2019 season ranked No.61 after a campaign highlighted by R-Up finish at Lugano (l. Hergog) and R16 run at Roland-Garros (l. Halep). That year also reached 3r at Toronto (l. Osaka) and made 2r five times (incl. Australian and US Open)
- Broke into Top 100 at No.88 after R-Up finish at 2019 Lugano
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2019 Auckland
- Ended 2018 season ranked No.175 (up from No.690 in 2017), after posting 42-6 record and winning four titles on ITF Circuit
- Member of Poland's Billie Jean King Cup team, 2018-20, 2021-22
- On professional debut, came through qualifying to win title at \$10k ITF/Stockholm-SWE in 2016; owns seven singles titles at this level
- Ended 2023 as only Top 100 player to finish year exactly where she started, at No. 29. Strongest singles results came at Monastir, successfully defending her title (d. Paolini), and SF at Monterrey (l. Garcia). Achieved a year-end doubles ranking of No. 2 after lifting two titles at Guadalajara and Rome (w/Hunter) and SF at WTA Finals Cancun (l. eventual champions Siegemund/Zvonareva).
- Finished 2022 ranked No.29 in singles, her sixth consecutive Top 50 finish; also finished No.5 in doubles for her fourth consecutive Top 10 finish in doubles and second consecutive Top 5 finish
- Lifted seventh WTA title, at 2022 Monastir (d. Cornet in F), while in doubles alongside partner Kudermetova won Dubai and WTA Finals, as well as finished R-Up at Wimbledon
- Enjoyed a productive start to 2021 season in Melbourne, triumphing at the Gippstand Trophy (d. Kanepi in F) to lift sixth WTA singles title, then teamed up w/Sabalenka at Australian Open to claim second Grand Slam doubles title (d. Krejčíková/Siniakova in F). Later in the year, won third career Grand Slam doubles title, at Wimbledon w/Hsieh
- Won the most matches on Tour in 2020, going 34-13 across the season and finishing as R-Up at both Prague (l. Halep) and Linz (l. Sabalenka)
- Earned her milestone 200th career main draw win with victory over Kalinina in 1r at 2020 Linz
- Singles highlights in 2019 were winning biggest title of career at Doha (d. No.3 Halep in final) and advancing to QF at US Open for the first time (l. eventual champion Andreescu in 3s)
- Enjoyed standout season in doubles in 2019 - won maiden major doubles title at US Open w/Sabalenka (d. Azarenka/Barty in F). Also Completed 'Sunshine Double' in doubles (w/Sabalenka), lifting the back-to-back titles at Indian Wells (d. Krejčíková/Siniakova) and Miami (d. Stosur/Zhang), and qualified for Shiseido WTA Finals Shenzhen (went 1-2 in RR)
- Advanced to first Grand Slam SF of career at 2018 Australian Open (l. eventual champion Wozniacki)
- During 2018, lifted titles at Hobart, Rabat and Lugano, finishing with 46 main-draw match wins across the campaign - only Ka.Pliskova (49) and Kvitova (47) registered more. By contrast, prior to 2018 season owned only 36 wins at this level across entire career
- In doubles in 2018, won four titles and reached QF at WTA Finals (w/Schuurs)

- Enjoyed stellar junior career, including winning girls' singles at 2018 Wimbledon (d. Küng in F) and leading Poland to Junior Fed Cup in 2016

- Finished 2017 season at No.35, up from No.120 in 2016 - first Top 50 and Top 100 year-end finish. Season highlighted by first career singles title at Hobart (as a qualifier, d. Niculescu in F)
- Registered first Top-10 win of career over No.10 Cibulkova in 1r at 2017 Beijing
- Made WTA singles main draw debut at 2016 's-Hertogenbosch - made QF (as qualifier, l. Mladenovic)
- Won first WTA title of any kind in doubles at 2016 Auckland (w/Mestach)
- Played first Tour-level event of career at 2015 Antwerp (fell in qualifying)
- Played first events of career on ITF Circuit in Belgium in 2010; owns 11 singles and 14 doubles titles on ITF Circuit

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Tomasz Wiktorowski. previously worked with Piotr Sierzputowski
- Father is former Olympic rower Tomasz Swiatek, who competed in the men's quadruple sculls event at the 1988 Summer Olympics in Seoul
- In summer 2022 organised 'Iga Swiatek and friends for Ukraine' event in Krakow, which featured a mixed doubles match between Agnieszka Radwanska, Sergiy Stakhovsky, Polish junior Martyn Pawelski and herself, and was attended by Poland's First Lady, Agata Kornhauser-Duda, Elina Svitolina and Andriy Shevchenko. The occasion was watched by almost 15,000 people live and a further one million on television, raising more than half a million Euros for Ukrainian children and teenagers affected by the war
- Started playing tennis because her older sister was playing and wanted to beat her
- Enjoys rock music, including AC/DC and Pink Floyd
- Includes PZU, On, Tecnifibre, Rolex and Xiaomi in her endorsement portfolio

- Formerly worked with Alexander Kneepkens, Robbie Ceyskens, Dieter Kindlmann, Daniel Goffin and Philippe Dehaes
- Previously trained under Belgian Federation until early teens, also spent a year at the Mouratoglou Academy in Paris
- Mother is Liliane Barbe (teaches languages and history); father is Guido Mertens (makes furniture for churches). Began playing tennis at age 4, introduced to game by older sister Lauren, an airline pilot with KLM
- First tennis memory is watching Kim Clijsters playing live
- Was home schooled, enjoyed studying languages; speaks English, Dutch/Flemish and French
- Loves animals and has lots of pets at home
- In 2021, launched a charitable initiative to support the Virunga National Park's efforts to save the gorilla population in the Democratic Republic of Congo. During 2021 season she will be wearing a Virunga Ranger necklace and sporting a badge on her bag to help raise awareness



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**EMMA
RADUCANU**
UNITED KINGDOM

**LINDA
NOSKOVA** 31
CZECH REPUBLIC

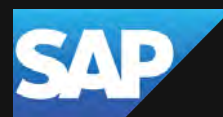
2002-11-13	Date of Birth	2004-11-17
London, Great Britain	Residence	Prerov, Czech Republic
Right handed (two handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 7" (1.75m)	Height	5' 10" (1.79m)
10	Career-High Ranking	28
\$3,986,750	Career Prize Money	\$1,647,757
\$210,215	Season Prize Money	\$710,648
0 / 1	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 0
15-7 (Champion: 2021 US OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	6-6 (Quarter-Finalist: 2024 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)
1-0 / 3-2 (Quarter-Finalist: 2022)	YTD / Career STUTT GART W-L (best)	1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 16: 2024)
6-5 / 39-34	YTD / Career W-L	13-6 / 40-26
1-0 / 6-5	YTD / Career Clay W-L	1-0 / 3-3
1-2 / 8-12	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	6-3 / 16-10
1-2 / 7-6	YTD / Career TB W-L	5-1 / 14-9
Round of 16: ABU DHABI, AUCKLAND, STUTT GART	YTD Best Result	Semi-Finalist: BRISBANE



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2022	ROLAND GARROS	CLAY	1r	Emma Raducanu	6-7(4) 7-5 6-1	2h 37m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
250	-	2024	28	-
68	285	2023	40	41
10	75	2022	87	91
19	19	2021	315	317
333	343	2020	1019	1027
459	503	2019	-	-
692	692	2018	-	-



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. A. KERBER (#332) 6-2 6-1 (1h 24m)

Total time on court: 1h 24m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making third appearance at Stuttgart, where her best result was reaching the quarterfinals in 2022 (l. eventual champion Swiatek)
- Has beaten Angelique Kerber so far this week to reach her first 2r since Abu Dhabi 2024
- Faces No.31 Linda Noskova in 2r today; owns 14 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.31 Dayana Yastremska at Indian Wells 2024
- Owns 5-1 career record against players from Czech Republic, with record in 2024 standing at 1-0 (d. Bouzkova at Abu Dhabi)
- Her previous best result on clay came at Stuttgart 2022, where she reached the quarterfinals; was also the best run ever at the tournament by a British athlete
- Only player from United Kingdom to reach 2r
- Best result by wildcards at Stuttgart were Champion runs by Laura Siegemund in 2017, Justine Henin in 2010
- Is currently ranked No.303; this time last year was ranked No.68
- Recently helped Great Britain reach the Billie Jean King Cup finals, defeating both Caroline Garcia and Diane Parry in three sets (on clay)

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. J. OSTAPENKO (#10) 6-3 6-1 (1h 7m)

Total time on court: 1h 7m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making Stuttgart debut
- Has beaten Jelena Ostapenko so far this week to reach her first 2r since she reached 3r at Doha 2024
- Faces No.303 Emma Raducanu in 2r today, lost their only previous meeting at Roland Garros 2022
- Owns 3-1 career record against wildcards, with a record in 2024 standing at 1-0 (d. Kessler at Australian Open)
- One of two players from Czech Republic to reach 2r (w/ Vondrousova)
- Best results by Czech players at Stuttgart were Champion runs by Petra Kvitova in 2019, Karolina Pliskova in 2018
- Is currently ranked No.31; this time last year was ranked No.53. Reached her career high ranking of No.28 earlier this year
- Looking for her first quarterfinal since reaching that stage at the 2024 Australian Open
- During last year's European clay swing reached 2r at Roland Garros and Rome



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2023	Result	Rank: 68	Seed: -
1r	L	J. OSTAPENKO (#22) 6-2 6-1	

2022	Result	Rank: 12	Seed: 8
QF	L	I. SWIATEK (#1) 6-4 6-4	
2r	W	T. KORPATSCH (#118) 6-0 2-6 6-1	
1r	W	S. HUNTER (#197) 6-1 6-2	

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles



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SEASON 2024 HISTORY

- Played 3r at Indian Wells (l. Sabalenka)
- Fell in opening round at Doha (l. Kalinina)
- Contested R16 at Abu Dhabi (l. Jabeur)
- Played 2r at Australian Open (l. Y. Wang)
- Opened the 2024 season making R16 at Auckland (l. Svitolina)

- Reached 3r at Miami and Indian Wells, defeated by Swiatek both times
- Made R16 at Doha (l. Ka. Pliskova)
- As a qualifier, made 1r at Abu Dhabi (l. Sorribes Tormo)
- Achieved her best career Grand Slam result to date on her Australian Open debut with QF (l. Yastremska)
- Opened the 2024 season with SF run at Brisbane (l. eventual champion Rybakina)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
28	63	Aces	96	10
65.3%	29	First serve %	60.8%	53
63.3%	44	First Serve points won %	69.8%	14
47.6%	25	Second serve points won %	49.0%	13
57.9%	36	Overall service points won %	61.6%	7
66.7%	43	Service games won %	77.1%	6
60.0%	18	Break points saved %	63.8%	8
38.1%	25	First serve return points won %	34.3%	62
56.4%	30	Second serve return points won %	50.5%	75
40.6%	64	Break points converted %	41.0%	60
38.7%	21	Return games won %	26.5%	74
44.8%	24	Return points won %	40.2%	73

Best win by ranking: No.31 vs Yastremska in INDIAN WELLS 2r
Longest match: 2h 54m vs Wang in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 2r
Shortest match: 21m vs Yastremska in INDIAN WELLS 2r
Match points saved:
Most aces in a match: 6 vs Svitolina in AUCKLAND 2r

Best win by ranking: No.1 vs Swiatek in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 3r
Longest match: 3h 6m vs Babos in BRISBANE 1r
Shortest match: 1h 3m vs Rybakina in BRISBANE SF
Match points saved: 1 vs Sakkari in DOHA 2r
3 vs Pera in DOHA 1r
1 vs Babos in BRISBANE 1r
Most aces in a match: 11 vs Pera in DOHA 1r



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (1)
2021 - US OPEN

SINGLES FINALS

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

DOUBLES FINALS

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

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
2r				2024	QF			
2r				2023		2r	1r	2r
2r	2r	2r	1r	2022		1r		1r
		4r	WON	2021				



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CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2023 made fourth round of Indian Wells (l. Swiatek) before falling in opening rounds at Miami and Stuttgart. Ended her season after Stuttgart and took time away to undergo minor surgery on both hands and ankle in May 2023.
- Struggled with injuries and form throughout 2022 dropping as low as No.83 after 1r exit at US Open
- Best performance came late in the year with SF run in Seoul (l. Ostapenko via ret. w/left glute injury). Also made QF at Stuttgart (l. eventual champion Swiatek) and Washington DC (l. eventual champion Samsonova) with best win-by-ranking coming over No.22 Azarenka during 3r run at Cincinnati
- Earned a career best year in 2021 jumping over 300 ranking spots and finishing the season inside the Top 20 at a career high of No.19 earning her the 2021 WTA Newcomer of the Year Award
- Reached QF at Cluj-Napoca 2 (l. Kostyuk) and made appearances at Indian Wells and Linz
- Won the US Open in only her fourth Tour-level appearance (d. fellow teenager Fernandez in F); did not drop a set and upset No.12 Bencic and No.18 Sakkari along the way to become the first qualifier to lift a Grand Slam title
- Fell 1r at San Jose (as WC, l. Zhang) and finished R-Up at WTA 125K Series event in Chicago (l. Tauson)
- At Wimbledon, became the youngest British woman in the Open Era to reach R16 (l. Tomljanovic via ret.); upset Top-50 players Vondrousova and Cirstea en route
- Made debut WTA main draw appearance at 2021 Nottingham (as WC, l. Dart in 1r)
- Ended 2020 by finishing R-Up at \$25k ITF/Sunderland-GBR
- Won title at \$25k ITF/Pune-IND in 2019
- Lifted first two ITF Circuit titles in 2018, at \$15k ITF/Antalya-TUR and \$15k ITF/Tiberias-GRE
- Owns three singles titles on ITF Circuit
- In Juniors she reached back-to-back quarter finals of Wimbledon and US Open in 2018
- Breakthrough year in 2023, achieving runner-up twice; Adelaide 1 (as qualifier, l. Sabalenka) and Prague (l. Hibino). Also reached quarterfinals at Lyon (l. Osorio) and 3r at Indian Wells (l. Gauff) and Cincinnati (as qualifier, l. Gauff). Broke into Top 40 on October 9, 2023.
- Made Top-100 debut on August 1, 2022, following SF run at Prague (l. eventual champion Bouzkova); overtook Gauff at the youngest player in Top 100
- Also reached 2r at Tallinn (as qualifier, l. Haddad Maia) and fell 1r at both Roland Garros (as qualifier, l. Raducanu) and US Open (as qualifier, l. Bouzkova). On ITF Circuit, lifted fifth and sixth titles at this level, winning W60 tournament in Croissy-Beaubourg, France and W100 event in Vermold, Germany
- Finished 2021 campaign with 38-9 win-loss record, winning four ITF Circuit titles, including at W60 event in Prerov, Czech Republic
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2020 Prague
- On ITF Circuit, owns six titles in singles and one in doubles
- As a junior, won 2021 girls' singles at Roland Garros.

OTHER INFORMATION

- Currently working with Nick Cavaday
- Currently coached by Tomas Kupa

- Only child, parents are Ian (Romanian) and Renee (Chinese). Born in Toronto and moved to Bromley, south of London, at the age of two
- Favorite shot is forehand and favorite surface is hard
- Started playing tennis aged five
- In the summer of 2021, completed her A-level exams in maths and English
- Has a wide variety of interests in sports such as go-karting, horse riding, tap dancing, golf, skiing and basketball

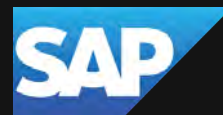
- Mother's name is Ivana Noskova; Father's name is Drahos Nosek
- Like listening to Maneskin, Lil Nas X, Lizzo
- Enjoys watching Wrestling and streaming Netflix
- Also like to swim, run, and spend time with pets
- Favorite player is Serena Williams



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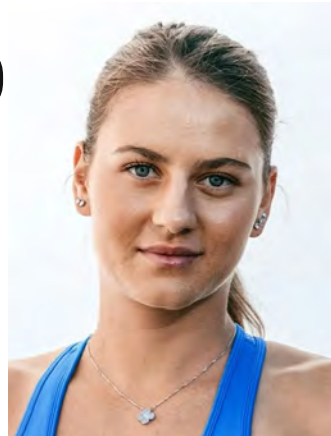
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7 **QINWEN ZHENG (5)**
CHINA

MARTA KOSTYUK (27)
UKRAINE

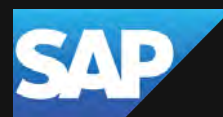
2002-10-08	Date of Birth	2002-06-28
Barcelona, Spain	Residence	Chaiky, Ukraine
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-Handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 10" (1.78m)	Height	5' 9" (1.75m)
7	Career-High Ranking	26
\$4,287,181	Career Prize Money	\$4,085,943
\$1,540,263	Season Prize Money	\$891,124
0 / 2	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 1
20-9 (Runner-Up: 2024 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	20-16 (Quarter-Finalist: 2024 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)
1-0 / 2-1 (Round of 16: 2024, 2023)	YTD / Career STUTTGART W-L (best)	1-0 / 2-1 (Round of 16: 2024, 2018)
13-6 / 71-45	YTD / Career W-L	16-6 / 81-74
1-0 / 17-8	YTD / Career Clay W-L	1-0 / 12-16
7-0 / 32-15	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	8-2 / 31-30
1-1 / 17-12	YTD / Career TB W-L	4-2 / 23-17
1-3 / 6-12	YTD / Career TOP 10 W-L	1-2 / 4-17
Runner-Up: AUSTRALIAN OPEN	YTD Best Result	Runner-Up: SAN DIEGO



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**MARTA
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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2023	MONTREAL	HARD	1r	Qinwen Zheng	6-2 1-6 6-3	2h 8m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
7	-	2024	26	-
15	15	2023	32	39
25	25	2022	49	70
143	143	2021	50	50
324	324	2020	97	98
633	649	2019	116	155
933	933	2018	118	118
-	-	2017	491	518



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**MARTA
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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. S. CIRSTEA (#29) 6-2 6-3 (1h 16m)

Total time on court: 1h 16m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making second appearance at Stuttgart, where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2023 (l. eventual champion Swiatek)
- Has beaten Sorana Cirstea so far this week
- Faces No.27 Marta Kostyuk in 2r today; owns 26 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.29 Sorana Cirstea in the previous round
- Owns 4-1 career record against players from Ukraine, with record in 2024 standing at 1-0 (d. Yastremska at Australian Open to reach the final)
- Has won one title on clay, at Palermo 2023 (d. Paolini in final)
- Only player from China to reach 2r
- Best result by China at Stuttgart was a Runner-Up run by Li Na in 2013
- Is currently ranked No.7, her career-high ranking; this time last year was ranked No.25
- During last year's European clay swing she won Palermo, and reached QF at Rome, 3r at Madrid, 2r at Stuttgart
- Has won 11 matches so far in 2024; she is ranked No.21 on tour for match wins, behind Maria Sakkari, Elina Svitolina, Jasmine Paolini

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. L. SIEGEMUND (#84) 6-3 6-7 6-4 (3h 9m)

Total time on court: 3h 9m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making second appearance at Stuttgart, where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2018 (l. Garcia)
- Has beaten home favorite Laura Siegemund so far this week to reach her the 2r
- Faces No.7 Qinwen Zheng in 2r today; owns 4 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.5 Jessica Pegula at San Diego 2024
- Owns 4-2 career record against players from China
- Owns 19-43 career record against seeds, with a record in 2024 standing at 5-4
- Best career result on clay came during a semifinalist run at Istanbul in 2021
- Only player from Ukraine to reach 2r
- Best result by Ukraine at Stuttgart was Semi-Finalist run by Elina Svitolina in 2021
- Is currently ranked No.27, one spot off of her career-high; this time last year was ranked No.38
- During last year's European clay swing reached 3r at Rome, 2r at Madrid, 1r at Roland Garros
- Has won 16 matches so far in 2024



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KOSTYUK**

RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2023	Result	Rank: 25	Seed: -
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2r	L	I. SWIATEK (#1)	6-1 6-4
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1r	W	A. PARKS (#55)	6-4 6-4
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2018	Result	Rank: 158	Seed: -
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2r	L	C. GARCIA (#7)	6-1 3-6 7-5
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1r	W	A. LOTTNER (#155)	6-4 6-1
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**MARTA
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SEASON 2024 HISTORY

- Contested 3r at WTA 1000 Miami Open (l. Azarenka)
- After a first round bye, fell against Yuan Yue in 2r at WTA 1000 Indian Wells
- Made QF at Dubai (l. Swiatek)
- Contested R16 at Doha (l. Fernandez)
- Reached her first Grand Slam F at the Australian Open (l. Sabalenka)
- Started the 2024 season representing China in the 2024 United Cup, reaching the QF and going 2-1 in singles play (d. Vondrousova) (d. Danilovic) (l. Swiatek)

- Reached her first WTA 1000 SF at Indian Wells (l. Swiatek)
- Achieved R-Up at San Diego (l. Boulter in F); also earning her first victory over a Top 5 player, beating No.5 Pegula in the semifinal
- Retired during 2r match at Doha against Pavlychenkova through illness
- Achieved her best Grand Slam career result to date with QF at Australian Open (l. Gauff)
- Made QF at Adelaide (l. eventual champion Ostapenko)
- Opened her season with a 2r run at Brisbane (l. Kasatkina)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
108	6	Aces	67	21
53.3%	78	First serve %	58.8%	61
75.1%	2	First Serve points won %	65.7%	28
44.5%	47	Second serve points won %	43.7%	56
60.8%	9	Overall service points won %	56.6%	49
74.5%	12	Service games won %	66.3%	45
56.9%	35	Break points saved %	59.1%	22
36.7%	38	First serve return points won %	41.1%	8
54.5%	45	Second serve return points won %	59.2%	10
46.6%	24	Break points converted %	50.5%	9
34.2%	43	Return games won %	42.9%	9
43.3%	41	Return points won %	47.4%	6

Best win by ranking: No.29 vs Cirstea in STUTTGART 1r
Longest match: 2h 40m vs Wang in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 3r
Shortest match: 59m vs Dodin in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 4r
Match points saved:
Most aces in a match: 7 vs Azarenka in MIAMI 3r
7 vs Linette in DOHA 2r

Best win by ranking: No.5 vs Pegula in SAN DIEGO SF
Longest match: 3h 9m vs Siegemund in STUTTGART 1r
Shortest match: 15m vs Pavlyuchenkova in DOHA 2r
Match points saved:
Most aces in a match: 10 vs Kalinina in ADELAIDE 1r



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)

2023 - ZHENGZHOU, PALERMO

Runner-Up (3)

2024 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN

2023 - ZHUHAI

2022 - TOKYO

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (1)

2023 - AUSTIN

Runner-Up (1)

2024 - SAN DIEGO

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (2)

2023 - BIRMINGHAM (w/Krejcikova)

2022 - PORTOROZ (w/Martincova)

Runner-Up (1)

2021 - TENERIFE (w/Kichenok)

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



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Earned 2023 WTA Most Improved Player of year ending the season at No.15 and inside the Top 20 for the first time
- Won maiden WTA titles in 2023 at Palermo (d. Paolini in F) and Zhengzhou (d. Krejčíková in F); also reached final at WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai (l. Haddad Maïa), SF at Abu Dhabi and first career Grand Slam QF at US Open (l. Sabalenka)
- Broke into Top 20 for the first time on May 22, 2023
- Won WTA Newcomer of the Year in 2022; reached first WTA final at Tokyo (l. Samsonova) and also made SF at Melbourne Summer Set 1, as qualifier, QF at Toronto and R16 at Roland Garros
- Broke into Top 50 at No.46 after run to fourth round in Paris that year
- Scored first Top 20 win over No.19 Simona Halep at 2022 Roland Garros then earned two Top 10 wins over No.5 Ons Jabeur at Toronto and No.4 Paula Badosa at Tokyo
- Broke into Top 100 on January 31, 2022, following run through qualifying to 2r at Australian Open
- Also won title at WTA 125K event in Valencia in June 2022
- Ended 2021 at No.143, her first Top 150 finish
- Reached 2r on WTA main draw debut in 2021 at Palermo (as qualifier, l. Cristian)
- Made further main draw appearances in 2021 at Moscow (as qualifier, l. Tsurenko in 1r) and Courmayeur (as qualifier, l. Vekic in 1r); also contested qualifying in Strasbourg
- Made WTA debut in 2019, appearing in qualifying at Miami, Tianjin and Wuhan
- Made ITF debut in 2018; gone on to amass nine ITF singles titles with 9-0 record in finals
- In 2023, won maiden singles title at Austin (d. Gracheva) and doubles title at Birmingham (w/Krejčíková).
- Reached QF at two WTA 500 events; Adelaide 1 (l. Jabeur) and Washington (l. Samsonova). Achieved a peak singles ranking of No. 32 on August 7, 2023 and No. 27 in doubles on May 8, 2023
- Best result of 2022 was SF showing at Granby (l. Saville). Also made 3r at Australian Open and Eastbourne
- Highlights of second half of 2021 were QF at Chicago [250] (l. Gracheva) and SF at Cluj-Napoca (l. Halep); broke into Top 50 on November 1, 2021, after Cluj-Napoca
- On clay, enjoyed career-best R16 run at Roland Garros (l. Swiatek) and advanced to SF at Istanbul (l. eventual champion Cirstea)
- Opened 2021 by reaching first career WTA SF, at Abu Dhabi (l. Kudermetova)
- Broke into Top 100 at No.97 on November 2, 2020, after reaching back-to-back finals on ITF Circuit in US
- Made 3r at 2020 US Open (l. eventual champion Osaka in 3s)
- In February 2020, picked up third ITF singles title of career, at a \$60k event in Cairo
- Season highlight in 2019 was reaching first WTA QF, at Strasbourg (l. Garcia)
- Made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2018 Australian Open and reached 3r, having received a WC into the qualifying event by virtue of winning the junior title there in 2017 (d. Masarova in F). Was first player born in 2002 to play in a Grand Slam main draw. Was also youngest player to reach the 3r at a major since 1997 US Open when Mirjana Lucic-Baroni (15 years, 182 days) reached this stage
- Scored two Top 50 wins in 2018, over No.27 Peng (Australian Open), No.26 Gavrilova (Fed Cup)
- Won first ITF Circuit title of career at \$25k ITF/Dunakeszi-HUN in 2017 (d. Pera in F)
- Played first WTA qualifying at 2017 Mallorca (l. Kalinskaya in 1r)
- Ukrainian Fed Cup Team 2018-20
- Won 2017 Australian Open girls' singles title (d. Masarova in F) and ITF Junior Masters event in Chengdu, China in October 2017; rose as high as No.3 in junior rankings in June 2017
- Played first professional event at \$10k ITF/Kharkiv-UKR in August 2016 (fell in 1r)

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Pere Riba; previously coached by Wim Fissette
 - Trains in Barcelona
 - Parents encouraged her to play multiple sports in her childhood, including table tennis
 - Short-term goal is to break into Top 30 by end of 2022
 - Tennis idol is Roger Federer
- Currently coached by Sandra Zaniewska. Previously coached by Andrea Volpini. Consistently works with her mother Talina (a former professional)
 - Currently trains in both Monaco and Kiev
 - Father is Oleg; has two sisters, Zoryana and Mariya. Began playing tennis at age five
 - One of first coaches was her uncle Taras Beyko, a respected player for the USSR and Ukraine in the late 1980s and early 1990s
 - Currently managed by former ATP player Ivan Ljubicic
 - Favorite shot is her serve