



SEED	WOMEN'S SINGLES	RANK	NAT	SET-1	SET-2
[6]	ARYNA SABALENKA	6	BTF	6	7
[22]	KAROLINA PLISKOVA	22	CZE	1	6 (4)

MATCH TIME 1:22

SET-1		
ARYNA SABALENKA	BREAK	1-0
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	2-0
ARYNA SABALENKA	BREAK	3-0
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	4-0
KAROLINA PLISKOVA	HOLD	4-1
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	5-1
ARYNA SABALENKA	BREAK	6-1

SET-2		
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	1-0
KAROLINA PLISKOVA	HOLD	1-1
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	2-1
KAROLINA PLISKOVA	HOLD	2-2
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	3-2
KAROLINA PLISKOVA	HOLD	3-3
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	4-3
KAROLINA PLISKOVA	HOLD	4-4
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	5-4
KAROLINA PLISKOVA	HOLD	5-5
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	6-5
KAROLINA PLISKOVA	HOLD	6-6

SET-2 TIEBREAK	
ARYNA SABALENKA	7-4

#### HEAD TO HEAD

YEAR	RNK	WINNING PLAYER	RNK	LOSING PLAYER	ROUND	EVENT	CATEGORY	RESULT
2022	6	ARYNA SABALENKA	22	KAROLINA PLISKOVA	QF	US OPEN	GRAND SLAM	6-1 7-6(4)
2021	6	KAROLINA PLISKOVA	3	ARYNA SABALENKA	SF	MONTREAL	WTA 1000	6-3 6-4
2021	13	KAROLINA PLISKOVA	4	ARYNA SABALENKA	SF	WIMBLEDON	GRAND SLAM	5-7 6-4 6-4
2018	34	ARYNA SABALENKA	8	KAROLINA PLISKOVA	R2	CINCINNATI	WTA 1000	2-6 6-3 7-5
2018	45	ARYNA SABALENKA	7	KAROLINA PLISKOVA	QF	EASTBOURNE	WTA 500	6-3 2-6 7-6(5)

THIS IS THE FIFTH MEETING BETWEEN THESE TWO PLAYERS. ARYNA SABALENKA WON THEIR FIRST TWO ENCOUNTERS, 3-YEARS AGO. KAROLINA PLISKOVA WON THEIR TWO MOST RECENT MEETINGS - LAST YEAR AT WIMBLEDON AND CINCINNATI.

#### [6] ARYNA SABALENKA -06- (BTF)

#### 2022 US OPEN ROAD TO ROUND-4

ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
SEMIFINAL	[1]	IGA SWIATEK	1	POL	
QUARTERFINAL	[22]	KAROLINA PLISKOVA	22	CZE	6-1 7-6(4)
ROUND 4	[19]	DANIELLE COLLINS	19	USA	3-6 6-3 6-2
ROUND 3	[Q]	CLARA BUREL	131	FRA	6-0 6-2
ROUND 2		KAIA KANEPI	34	EST	2-6 7-6(8) 6-4
ROUND 1	[Q]	CATHERINE HARRISON	89	USA	6-1 6-3
DIRECT ENTRY					

#### [22] KAROLINA PLISKOVA -22- (CZE)

#### 2022 US OPEN ROAD TO THE QUARTERFINALS

ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
QUARTERFINAL	[6]	ARYNA SABALENKA	6	BTF	1-6 6-7(4)
ROUND 4	[26]	VICTORIA AZARENKA	26	BTF	7-5 6-7(5) 6-2
ROUND 3	[13]	BELINDA BENCIC	13	SUI	5-7 6-4 6-3
ROUND 2		MARIE BOUZKOVA	41	CZE	6-3 6-2
ROUND 1		MAGDA LINETTE	73	POL	6-2 4-6 7-6(8)
DIRECT ENTRY					

## PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

POWER AND INTENSITY PROPELLED THIS 24-YEAR-OLD TO THE US OPEN SEMIFINALS FOR THE FIRST TIME LAST YEAR. THIS AFTERNOON, SHE'S BACK ON THE SPORT'S BIGGEST STAGE, HUNGRY TO RETURN TO THE FINAL-FOUR. NOW A 3-TIME GRAND SLAM QUARTERFINALIST - IN ALL, SHE OWNS 10 WTA SINGLES TITLES, IS A 17-TIME FINALIST - AND LAST YEAR, FINISHED THE SEASON AS THE YEAR-END WORLD #2...AT THE WTA FINALS. SHE'S ALSO A 2-TIME GRAND SLAM *DOUBLES* CHAMPION - AND IN 2019, LIFTED HER FIRST GRAND SLAM DOUBLES TROPHY RIGHT HERE IN ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM. THROUGH TO THE US OPEN QUARTERFINALS FOR THE SECOND YEAR-IN-A-ROW -- PLEASE WELCOME THE #6 PLAYER IN THE WORLD - ARYNA SABALENKA.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
6	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Aug-21   Just before last year's US Open, where she reached the Semifinals</li> <li>• Finished the 2021 season as the World #2</li> <li>• Former World #1 in Doubles - After capturing second Major Doubles title at 2021 Australian Open</li> </ul>

## US OPEN DEFENDING US OPEN CHAMPION SINGLES RESULTS: 14-4

YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL
2022	6	R4	• <i>Survived tough R2 battle with Kanepi (down a set, won second set 10-8 in tiebreak, won match in the 3rd)</i>
2021	2	SF	• Second consecutive Grand Slam Semifinal (also Wimbledon 2021)
2020	11	R2	• Fell to eventual Finalist Victoria Azarenka
2019	13	R2	• Yulia Putintseva
2018	20	R4	• Upset World #5 Kvitova in R3, fell to eventual champion Naomi Osaka
2017	111	Q1	• Camilla Rosatello
2016	178	Q2	• Mandy Minella

## GRAND SLAM 2-TIME GRAND SLAM SEMIFINALIST | 2 GRAND SLAM DOUBLES TITLES SINGLES RESULTS: 35-18

YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
2022	R4	R3	Not Welcome	<b>QF</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• US: 3rd Grand Slam QF</li> <li>•</li> <li>•</li> <li>•</li> <li>• US: Upset #5 Kvitova to reach 1st Major R4</li> <li>• Wimbledon: World #136, 1st Major qualification</li> <li>• US: Grand Slam Qualifying debut (18 years old)</li> </ul>
2021	R4	R3	SF	SF	
2020	R1	R3	Not Held	R2	
2019	R3	R2	R1	R2	
2018	R1	R1	R1	R4	
2017	Q2	Q1	R2	Q1	
2016				Q2	

\* 2-time Grand Slam Doubles Champion with Elise Mertens - 2019 US Open, 2021 Australian Open

## WTA TOUR SINGLES RECORD: 300-155

TITLES: 10 FINALS: 17 OWNS 4 WTA-1000 SINGLES TITLES | QUALIFIED FOR THE 2021 WTA FINALS

YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL
2022	0	2	• Finals: Stuttgart, s'Hertogenbosch
2021	2	1	• Titles: Abu Dhabi, Madrid Final: Stuttgart
2020	3	0	• Titles: Ostrava, Doha, Linz
2019	3	1	• Titles: Shenzhen, Wuhan, Zhuhai Final: San Jose
2018	2	2	• Titles: New Haven, Wuhan Final: Lugano Eastbourne
2017	0	1	• Final: Tianjin

## TEAM EVENTS

YEAR	DETAIL
CAREER	• BILLIE JEAN KING CUP: Member of Team Belarus since 2016   2017 Finalist (10-6 overall in Singles Rubbers)
CAREER	• OLYMPICS: Debut Tokyo 2020 (2021) - Singles: Fell in R2 (Vekic), Doubles:

## ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
CAREER	• 18 wins over top-10 opponents - including wins over Kontaveit and Badosa this year en-route to the Stuttgart Final
CAREER	• 2 career victories over World #1 Ashleigh Barty - 2019-Wuhan, 2021-Madrid

## PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

8-YEARS-AGO - RIGHT HERE IN ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM - THIS 30-YEAR-OLD DEFEATED BOTH VENUS WILLIAMS, AND WORLD #1 SERENA WILLIAMS, EN ROUTE TO HER FIRST GRAND SLAM FINAL. LAST YEAR, SHE REACHED HER SECOND MAJOR FINAL ON THE HALLOWED GRASS AT WIMBLEDON. A 3-TIME BILLIE JEAN KING CUP CHAMPION - WITH A HIGH-POWERED CANNON ON SERVE - OVER THE PAST DECADE, SHE'S AMASSED 16 WTA SINGLES TITLES, IS A 32-TIME FINALIST, AND SPENT 8-WEEKS AS THE #1 PLAYER IN THE WORLD. BACK IN ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM, COMPETING IN HER 4TH US OPEN QUARTERFINAL - FROM THE CZECH REPLUBLIC - PLEASE WELCOME, 2016 US OPEN FINALIST KAROLINA PLISKOVA.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
22	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Jul-17   Spent 8-weeks as the sport's top-ranked player</li> <li></li> <li></li> </ul>

## US OPEN DEFENDING US OPEN CHAMPION SINGLES RESULTS: 28-9

YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL
2022	22	QF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This is Pliskova's 5th US Open Quarterfinal appearance.</li> </ul>
2021	4	QF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
2020	3	R2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
2019	3	R4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
2018	8	QF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
2017	1	QF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
2016	11	FF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First Grand Slam Final - defeated top-10's Venus and Serena Williams to get to the Final, fell to Angelique Kerber</li> </ul>
2015	8	R1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
2014	42	R3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
2013	72	R1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>After 3 seasons failing to qualify, finally got into the main draw basead on her ranking</li> </ul>

## GRAND SLAM SINGLES RESULTS: 82-39

RESULT	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
W	0	0	0	0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2021 WIMBLEDON FINALIST</li> </ul>
F	0	0	1	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2016 US OPEN FINALIST</li> </ul>
SF	1	1	1	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SF or better at all four Majors</li> </ul>
QF	3	1	1	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9th career Grand Slam Quarterfinal</li> </ul>
R4	3	1	3	6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
R3	7	3	3	7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
R2	8	8	9	8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
R1	9	11	10	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>

## WTA TOUR SINGLES RECORD: 597-330

TITLES: 16 FINALS: 32 WTA FINALS: (3-TIME SEMIFINALIST, 5 CONS. APPEARANCES) OWNS 2 WTA 1000 TITLES, 7 FINALS

YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL
2022	0	0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reached the SF in Toronto before that start of the US Open.</li> </ul>

## TEAM EVENTS

YEAR	DETAIL
CAREER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BILLIE JEAN KING CUP: 3-time Champion   2016, 2017, 2018</li> </ul>
2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>OLYMPICS: R3 Tokyo 2020 (2021) -- SINGLES fell to Camila Giorgi, DOUBLES fell in R2</li> </ul>

## ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
CAREER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>37 wins over top-10 opponents, including World #1 Serena Williams (US OPEN SF-2016)</li> </ul>