



ROUND 2

ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM

DAY-3 MATCH-3 NIGHT SESSION

SEED	WOMEN'S SINGLES	RANK	NAT	SET-1	SET-2	SET-3
[PR]	SERENA WILLIAMS	605	USA	7	2	6
[2]	ANETT KONTAVEIT	2	EST	6 (4)	6	2

MATCH TIME 2:27

SET 1		
ANETT KONTAVEIT	HOLD	0-1
SERENA WILLIAMS	HOLD	1-1
ANETT KONTAVEIT	HOLD	1-2
SERENA WILLIAMS	HOLD	2-2
ANETT KONTAVEIT	HOLD	2-3
SERENA WILLIAMS	HOLD	3-3
ANETT KONTAVEIT	HOLD	3-4
SERENA WILLIAMS	HOLD	4-4
SERENA WILLIAMS	BREAK	5-4
ANETT KONTAVEIT	BREAK	5-5
ANETT KONTAVEIT	HOLD	5-6
SERENA WILLIAMS	HOLD	6-6

SET 2		
ANETT KONTAVEIT	BREAK	0-1
ANETT KONTAVEIT	HOLD	0-2
ANETT KONTAVEIT	BREAK	0-3
SERENA WILLIAMS	BREAK	1-3
ANETT KONTAVEIT	BREAK	1-4
ANETT KONTAVEIT	HOLD	1-5
SERENA WILLIAMS	HOLD	2-5
ANETT KONTAVEIT	HOLD	2-6

SET 3		
SERENA WILLIAMS	HOLD	1-0
SERENA WILLIAMS	BREAK	2-0
ANETT KONTAVEIT	BREAK	2-1
SERENA WILLIAMS	BREAK	3-1
SERENA WILLIAMS	HOLD	4-1
ANETT KONTAVEIT	HOLD	4-2
SERENA WILLIAMS	HOLD	5-2
SERENA WILLIAMS	BREAK	6-2

SET 1	
SERENA WILLIAMS	7-4

HEAD TO HEAD								
YEAR	RNK	WINNING PLAYER	RNK	LOSING PLAYER	ROUND	EVENT	CATEGORY	RESULT
2022	2	ANETT KONTAVEIT	605	SERENA WILLIAMS	R2	US OPEN	GRAND SLAM	7-6(4) 2-6 6-2

THIS IS THE FIRST MEETING BETWEEN THESE TWO PLAYERS.

SERENA WILLIAMS -605- (USA)					2022 US OPEN ROAD TO ROUND-2		
ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT		
ROUND 3		AJLA TOMLJANOVIC	46	AUS			
ROUND 2	[2]	ANETT KONTAVEIT	2	EST	7-6(4) 2-6 6-2		
ROUND 1		DANKA KOVINIC	80	MNE	6-3 6-3		
DIRECT ENTRY							

ANETT KONTAVEIT -02- (EST)					2022 US OPEN ROAD TO ROUND-2		
ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT		
ROUND 2	[PR]	SERENA WILLIAMS	605	USA	6-7(4) 6-2 2-6		
ROUND 1		JAQUELINE CRISTIAN	77	ROU	6-3 6-0		
DIRECT ENTRY							

PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

MONDAY NIGHT, IN FRONT OF A RECORD SHATTERING 29,402 FANS - SHE PUT HER EVOLUTION...ON HOLD - DEFEATING DANKA KOVINIC IN THE 1ST-ROUND. TONIGHT, SHE RETURNS TO THE SPORT'S BIGGEST STAGE - WHERE 23-YEARS-AGO, SHE CAPTURED HER FIRST GRAND SLAM SINGLES TITLE. HER ACCOMPLISHMENTS...ARE LEGENDARY - AND WILL ECHO FOR GENERATIONS. 23 GRAND SLAM SINGLES TITLES - THE CAREER GRAND SLAM - 4 OLYMPIC GOLD MEDALS - 319 WEEKS AS THE WORLD #1. BUT MOST NOTABLY - WITH RAW PASSION, POISE AND RELENTLESS DETERMINATION - SHE HAS INSPIRED MILLIONS BEYOND THE SPORT ITSELF, BECOMING ONE OF MOST INFLUENTIAL ATHLETES THE WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN. FROM PALM BEACH GARDENS, FLORIDA - PLEASE WELCOME 6-TIME US OPEN CHAMPION, SERENA WILLIAMS.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
605	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 319 weeks as the sport's top ranked player (over 6-years combined) • Shares record with Stefi Graf - 186 consecutive weeks as World #1 •

US OPEN (HER 21st) 6-TIME US OPEN CHAMPION / 10-TIME US OPEN FINALIST SINGLES RESULTS: 107-14

YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL
2019	8	F	• Biana Andreescu
2018	26	F	• Naomi Osaka
2014	1	W	• Caroline Wozniacki
2013	1	W	• Victoria Azarenka
2012	4	W	• Victoria Azarenka
2011	27	F	• Sam Stosur
2008	3	W	• Jelena Jankovic
2002	1	W	• Venus Williams
2001	10	F	• Venus Williams
1999	6	W	• Martina Hingis

* Serena also owns 2 US OPEN Doubles titles with Venus - and 1 US OPEN Mixed Doubles title with Max Mirnyi

GRAND SLAM 23 SINGLES TITLES (33 FINALS) | 14 DOUBLES TITLES (UNDEFEATED) | 2 MIXED TITLES (4 FINALS) SINGLES RESULTS: 366-55

	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
TITLES	7	3	7	6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only two players have won 23 or more Majors ^ Margaret Court and Serena Williams • Serena & Evert only players to win 6 US Opens

WTA TOUR SINGLES RECORD: 857-154

TITLES: 73 FINALS: 98 SERENA IS A 5-TIME WTA FINALS CHAMPION, AND A 5-TIME YEAR-END WORLD #1

TEAM EVENTS

YEAR	DETAIL
1999	• Billie Jean King Cup Champion (3-time Billie Jean King Cup Finalist)
OLY	• Owns 4 Olympic Gold Medals - 3 Doubles Gold with Venus, and 2012 Singles Gold (London Games)

ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
CAREER	• Prize Money: Highest earning female athlete of all-time, across all sports
CAREER	• Owns the most combined major titles in singles, doubles, and mixed doubles among active players, with 39
CAREER	• 17 career victories over World #1's. 177-72 versus top-10 opponents during her career.

PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

IN 2015, AS A 19-YEAR-OLD QUALIFIER RANKED OUTSIDE THE TOP-150, SHE REACHED THE 4TH-ROUND IN HER US OPEN DEBUT. NOW, 7-YEARS-LATER, SHE'S BACK IN NEW YORK AS THE #2 PLAYER IN THE WORLD. AND LAST SEASON - WAS EXTRAORDINARY: SHE CAPTURED 4 TITLES IN 6 FINALS, CRACKED THE WTA'S TOP-10 FOR THE FIRST TIME, WON A TOUR-BEST 48 MATCHES, AND FINISHED THE SEASON AS A FINALIST IN THE WTA FINALS YEAR-END CHAMPIONSHIP. A QUARTERFINALIST AT THE 2020 AUSTRALIAN OPEN - IN ALL, SHE OWNS 6 WTA SINGLES TITLES AND IS A 15-TIME FINALIST ON TOUR. FROM ESTONIA - PLEASE WELCOME, ANETT KONTAVEIT.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
2	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jun-22 Jumped to a career-high ranking of World #2 Last four months of 2021 was tremendous: (Won 4 titles, reached championship match of WTA Finals)

US OPEN DEFENDING US OPEN CHAMPION SINGLES RESULTS: 12-6

YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL
2021	28	R3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Iga Swiatek
2020	21	R4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Naomi Osaka (Champion)
2019	21	R3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Belinda Bencic
2018	27	R1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ekaterina Siniakova
2017	29	R1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lucie Safarova
2016	90	R1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elena Vesnina
2015	152	R4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Qualified in her US Open debut, advanced to the Round of 16, fell to Venus Williams

GRAND SLAM SINGLES RESULTS: 35-28

YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
2022	R2	R1	R2		<ul style="list-style-type: none">
2021	R3	R3	R1	R3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
2020	QF	R1	Not Held	R4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AO: First Grand Slam Quarterfinal
2019	R2	R1	R3	R3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
2018	R4	R4	R3	R1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
2017	R1	R2	R3	R1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
2016	R1	R1	R1	R1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
2015	Q2	Q2	R1	R4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> US: Qualified, reached R16 (won 6 matches)
2014		Q3	R1		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> W: Qualified to first GS main draw

WTA TOUR SINGLES RECORD: 382-193

TITLES: 6 FINALS: 15 FINALST AT THE 2021 WTA FINALS IN GUADALAJARA

YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL
2022	1	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Titles: St. Petersburg (WTA500) Finalist: Doha (WTA1000), Hamburg (WTA250)
2021	4	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Titles: Cleveland, Ostrava, Moscow, Transylvania Open Finalist: Grampians Trophy, Eastbourne
2020	0	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Finalist: Palermo
2019	0	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Finalist: Stuttgart
2018	0	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Finalist: Wuhan (WTA1000)
2017	1	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Title: s'Hertogenbosch Finalist: Bien/Bienne, Gstaad

TEAM EVENTS

YEAR	DETAIL
CAREER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> BILLIE JEAN KING CUP: Member of Team Estonia since 2011
2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OLYMPICS: Fell to Maria Sakkari in her Olympic debut in Tokyo

ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
CAREER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 21 career victories over Top-10 opponents - including a win over World #1 Angelique Kerber in Round-2 of the 2017 Italian Open
2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> She and Ons Jabeur each earned a WTA Tour leading 48 victories over the course of the season