



| SEED | SINGLES | RANK | NAT | SET-1 | SET-2 |
|------|----------------|------|-----|-------|-------|
| | JASON KUBLER | 74 | AUS | 7 | 1 |
| | ASLAN KARATSEV | 101 | | 6(4) | 0 RET |

MATCH TIME 1:01

| SET-1 | | |
|----------------|-------|-----|
| JASON KUBLER | HOLD | 1-0 |
| ASLAN KARATSEV | HOLD | 1-1 |
| JASON KUBLER | HOLD | 2-1 |
| ASLAN KARATSEV | HOLD | 2-2 |
| ASLAN KARATSEV | BREAK | 2-3 |
| JASON KUBLER | BREAK | 3-3 |
| JASON KUBLER | HOLD | 4-3 |
| ASLAN KARATSEV | HOLD | 4-4 |
| JASON KUBLER | HOLD | 5-4 |
| ASLAN KARATSEV | HOLD | 5-5 |
| JASON KUBLER | HOLD | 6-5 |
| ASLAN KARATSEV | HOLD | 6-6 |
| TIEBREAK | | |
| JASON KUBLER | | 7-4 |

| SET-2 | | |
|---|------|-----|
| JASON KUBLER | HOLD | 1-0 |
| ⬇️ ASLAN KARATSEV RETIRES WITH BACK INJURY | | |

HEAD TO HEAD

| YEAR | RNK | WINNING PLAYER | RNK | LOSING PLAYER | ROUND | EVENT | CATEGORY | RESULT |
|------|-----|----------------|-----|----------------|-------|-------|----------|----------------|
| 2023 | 74 | JASON KUBLER | 101 | ASLAN KARATSEV | R1 | DOHA | ATP-250 | 7-6(4) 1-0 RET |

THIS IS THE FIRST MEETING BETWEEN THESE TWO PLAYERS.

JASON KUBLER -74- (AUS)

2023 QATAR EXXONMOBIL OPEN

| ROUND | SEED | OPPONENT | RANK | NAT | RESULT |
|--------------|------|-----------------------|------|-----|-----------------------|
| ROUND 2 | [2] | FELIX AUGER-ALIASSIME | 9 | CAN | TBD |
| ROUND 1 | | ASLAN KARATSEV | 101 | | 7-6(4) 1-0 RET 1:01 |
| DIRECT ENTRY | | | | | |

ASLAN KARATSEV -101-

2023 QATAR EXXONMOBIL OPEN

| ROUND | SEED | OPPONENT | RANK | NAT | RESULT |
|--------------|------|--------------|------|-----|-----------------------|
| ROUND 1 | | JASON KUBLER | 74 | AUS | 6-7(4) 0-1 RET 1:01 |
| DIRECT ENTRY | | | | | |

PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

THIS MORNING, HE WOKE TO THE NEWS THAT FOR THE FIRST TIME - HE CRACKED THE ATP'S TOP-75 - AND TODAY, MAKES HIS DOHA DEBUT ON CENTER COURT, WITH A CAREER-HIGH RANKING OF WORLD #74. LAST MONTH IN MELBOURNE, HE CELEBRATED THE MOST MEMORABLE GRAND SLAM FORTNIGHT OF HIS CAREER - WHERE HE AND RINKY HIJIKATA (AS WILD CARDS) CAPTURED THE AUSTRALIAN OPEN DOUBLES TITLE. OVER THE YEARS, HE'S AMASSED 7 CHALLENGER TOUR SINGLES TITLES, 13 FUTURES TITLES...AND NOW - AT 29-YEARS-OLD - HAS PLANTED HIS STAKE IN THE SPORT'S TOP-TOUR, GOING TOE-TO-TOE WITH THE BEST IN THE SPORT, AND WINNING. LAST SUMMER, HE UPSET FELIX AUGER-ALIASSIME IN NEWPORT EN-ROUTE TO HIS FIRST TOUR-LEVEL SEMIFINAL. FROM AUSTRALIA, PLEASE WELCOME JASON KUBLER.

| CURRENT RANK | CAREER-HIGH | DETAIL |
|--------------|-------------|--|
| 74 | 74 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feb-2023 First main draw AO singles match win -- First Grand Slam Doubles title 2023 Australian Open Monday (Today) - Jumped 5-spots to career-high ranking of World #74 . |

QATAR EXXONMOBIL OPEN DOHA DEBUT SINGLES RESULTS: 1-0

| YEAR | RANK | RESULT | DETAIL |
|------|------|--------|---|
| 2023 | 79 | R2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> R1: Aslan Karatsev (101) 76(4) 10 RET |

2023 SEASON REIGNING AUSTRALIAN OPEN DOUBLES CHAMPION | HE AND HIJIKATA WERE WILD CARDS SINGLES RESULTS: 5-2

| EVENT | RESULT | DETAIL |
|-----------------|--------|---|
| DOHA | R2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> R1: Aslan Karatsev (101) 76(4) 10 RET |
| AUSTRALIAN OPEN | R2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SINGLES: Granted Wild Card, won first-ever main draw AO match, fell to Karen Khachanov (20) 46 75 46 26 |
| | W | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DOUBLES: First Grand Slam Doubles title Partner: Rinky Hijikata (Upset Polish tandem Nys and Zielinski) |
| ADELAIDE2-250 | R2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Miomir Kecmenovic (28) 75 67(1) 46 |
| UNITED CUP | RR | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Earned two upset wins for Team Australia - defeated Dan Evans and Albert Ramos Vinolas |

GRAND SLAM * 2023 AO DOUBLES CHAMPION, 2022 AO MIXED DOUBLES FINALIST SINGLES RESULTS: 7-9

| YEAR | AUSTRALIAN OPEN | ROLAND GARROS | WIMBLEDON | US OPEN | DETAILS |
|------|-----------------|---------------|-----------|---------|--|
| 2023 | R2 | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> . |
| 2022 | Q2 | R2 | R4 | R2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> W: R16 as qualifier (won 6 consecutive matches) |
| 2021 | Q2 | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> . |
| 2020 | Q1 | | Not Held | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> . |
| 2019 | R1 | Q2 | Q3 | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> . |
| 2018 | R1 | Q1 | R1 | R2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> US: First Major main draw win (Bautista Agut - 22) |
| 2010 | R1 | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> AO: Fresh off Juniors, Wild Card, fell to Ljubicic |

ATP TOUR * 2022: FIRST 2 ATP DOUBLES FINALS | 2023: WON AUSTRALIAN OPEN DOUBLES TITLE SINGLES RECORD: 19-19

TITLES: 0 FINALS: 0 7 ATP CHALLENGER TOUR SINGLES TITLES | 13 ITF FUTURES SINGLES TITLES

TEAM EVENTS

| EVENT | DETAIL |
|------------|--|
| OLYMPICS | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> N/A |
| DAVIS CUP | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TEAM AUSTRALIA: Debut in 2022 (1-1) Won first match, then fell to Gasquet versus France |
| UNITED CUP | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TEAM AUSTRALIA: Did not advance. Kubler won both of his matches - Upset Dan Evans and Albert Ramos Vinolas |

NOTABLE ACCOMPLISHMENTS / ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

| YEAR | DETAIL |
|------|--|
| 2023 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upset top seeds Koolhof/Skupski en-route to the 2023 Australian Open doubles title |
| 2022 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> First ATP-Tour QF and SF in Newport - saved match points to defeat Felix Auger-Aliassime in Round-2 |
| 2017 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unranked following string of knee surgeries Before surgery, spent several years playing exclusive on clay to protect the knees |
| 🏆 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wins over Top-10 opponents: (1) Upset Felix Auger-Aliassime (9) on the grass at Newport last Summer 46 63 76(4) |

PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

TWO YEARS AGO, HE CAPTURED HIS FIRST ATP TOUR TITLE RIGHT HERE IN DOHA, TEAMING WITH ANDREY RUBLEV TO LIFT THE DOUBLES TROPHY. IT WAS AN UNFORGETTABLE SEASON - THAT ALL STARTED WITH HIS MIND-BLOWING RUN TO THE SEMIFINALS OF THE AUSTRALIAN OPEN (AS A QUALIFIER RANKED OUTSIDE THE TOP-100). THEN - AFTER WINNING THE DOUBLES TITLE HERE IN DOHA - HE WENT-ON TO EARN HIS FIRST TWO CAREER SINGLES TITLES, WON MIXED DOUBLES OLYMPIC SILVER IN TOKYO, CRACKED THE ATP'S TOP-20, AND FINISHED THE SEASON AS DAVIS CUP CHAMPION. IN ALL, HE NOW OWNS 3 ATP SINGLES TITLES, IS A 4-TIME FINALIST - AND HAS BEEN RANKED AS HIGH AS WORLD #14. BACK IN DOHA FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE WINNING THE DOUBLES TITLES, PLEASE WELCOME ASLAN KARATSEV.

| CURRENT RANK | CAREER-HIGH | DETAIL |
|--------------|-------------|--|
| 101 | 14 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feb-2022 1-year after he stunned the tennis world at the Australian Open , reached SF as qualifier RANKINGS PLUMMET: Started in February last year - has dropped over 80-points in the rankings |

QATAR EXXONMOBIL OPEN CAPTURED HIS FIRST ATP TITLE HERE IN DOHA 2-YEARS-AGO (DOUBLES TITLE) **SINGLES RESULTS: 1-3**

| YEAR | RANK | RESULT | DETAIL |
|------|------|--------|---|
| 2023 | 98 | R1 | • Retires after dropping first set to Jason Kubler (74) - Back injury |
| 2021 | 45 | R2 | • Defeated Qatari Wild Card Fell to Dominic Thiem (4) 76(5) 36 26 |
| | 447 | W | • Captured first career title (singles or doubles) on the ATP Tour He and Andrey Rublev won the Doubles title |
| 2016 | 195 | R1 | • Qualified Fell to Robin Haase (66) 75 16 57 |
| 2015 | 216 | QR1 | • Niels Desein (203) 46 76(1) 46 |

2023 SEASON * ROUND-1 LOSS IN MELBOURNE, HE'S DROPPED FROM WORLD #59 TO #98 **SINGLES RESULTS: 3-4**

| EVENT | RESULT | DETAIL |
|-----------------|--------|---|
| DOHA | R1 | • Retires after dropping first set to Jason Kubler (74) - Back injury |
| MONTPELLIER-250 | R1 | • Filip Krajinovic (71) 63 67(7) 26 |
| AUSTRALIAN OPEN | R1 | • Grigor Dimitrov (28) 67(3) 57 26 -- |
| PUNE-250 | SF | • Started the year with three match victories, then fell to Tallon Griekspoor (95) 67(4) 16 |

GRAND SLAM * 2021 AUSTRALIAN OPEN: QUALIFIED AT A MAJOR FOR FIRST TIME, REACHED SEMIFINALS **SINGLES RESULTS: 10-8**

| YEAR | AUSTRALIAN OPEN | ROLAND GARROS | WIMBLEDON | US OPEN | DETAILS |
|------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|---------|---------|
| 2023 | R1 | | | | • |
| 2022 | R3 | R1 | Not Welcome | R1 | • |
| 2021 | SF | R2 | R1 | R3 | • |

* Since 2014, played qualifying at Grand Slams, but didn't breakthrough until his "out of nowhere" Semifinal-run at the 2021 Australian Open

ATP TOUR * FIRST CAREER TITLE IN DOHA (2021) - A WEEK LATER, FIRST SINGLES TITLE IN DUBAI **SINGLES RECORD: 57-63**

TITLES: 3 FINALS: 4 ATP FINALS:

| YEAR | TITLE | FINAL | DETAIL |
|------|-------|-------|--|
| 2023 | 0 | 0 | • |
| 2022 | 1 | 0 | • W: Sydney-250 (defeated Andy Murray to capture 3rd career title) |
| 2021 | 2 | 1 | • W: Dubai-500 FF: Belgrade-250 W: Moscow-250 |

TEAM EVENTS

| EVENT | DETAIL |
|------------|---|
| OLYMPICS | • Silver Medalist (Mixed Doubles) Tokyo 2020 (2021) alongside Elena Vesnina Fell to Rublev / Pavlyuchenkova |
| DAVIS CUP | • Champion 2020/21 |
| UNITED CUP | • N/A |

NOTABLE ACCOMPLISHMENTS / ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

| YEAR | DETAIL |
|------|---|
| 2021 | • AO-SF, 1st title in Doha, 1st singles title Dubai, Mixed Olympic Silver Tokyo, 2nd singles title in Moscow, cracked top-20, Davis Cup Champ |
| 2021 | • World #114 at the start of the season. Top-20 talent by season's end |
| 🏆 | • Wins over Top-10 opponents: (5) Latest: Daniil Medvedev, 2022 Rome-1000 in the second round |