



ROUND FOUR

ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM

DAY-8 MATCH-4 NIGHT SESSION

SEED	WOMEN'S SINGLES	RANK	NAT	SET-1	SET-2
[2]	ARYNA SABALENKA	2	---	6	6
[13]	DARIA KASATKINA	14	---	1	3

MATCH TIME 1:14

SET-1		
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	1-0
ARYNA SABALENKA	BREAK	2-0
DARIA KASATKINA	BREAK	2-1
ARYNA SABALENKA	BREAK	3-1
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	4-1
ARYNA SABALENKA	BREAK	5-1
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	6-1

SET-2		
ARYNA SABALENKA	BREAK	1-0
DARIA KASATKINA	BREAK	1-1
ARYNA SABALENKA	BREAK	2-1
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	3-1
DARIA KASATKINA	HOLD	3-2
ARYNA SABALENKA	HOLD	4-2
ARYNA SABALENKA	BREAK	5-2
DARIA KASATKINA	BREAK	5-3
ARYNA SABALENKA	BREAK	6-3

HEAD TO HEAD

YEAR	RNK	WINNING PLAYER	RNK	LOSING PLAYER	ROUND	EVENT	CATEGORY	RESULT
2023	2	ARYNA SABALENKA	14	DARIA KASATKINA	R16	US OPEN	GRAND SLAM	6-1 6-3
2023	2	ARYNA SABALENKA	13	DARIA KASATKINA	R16	CINCINNATI	WTA-1000	6-3 6-3
2022	12	DARIA KASATKINA	6	ARYNA SABALENKA	QF	SAN JOSE	WTA-500	4-6 7-5 6-0
2021	7	ARYNA SABALENKA	37	DARIA KASATKINA	R2	MADRID	WTA-1000	6-3 6-3
2021	7	ARYNA SABALENKA	75	DARIA KASATKINA	R2	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	GRAND SLAM	7-6(5) 6-3
2020	12	ARYNA SABALENKA	71	DARIA KASATKINA	R2	ROLAND GARROS	GRAND SLAM	7-6(6) 6-0
2019	45	DARIA KASATKINA	14	ARYNA SABALENKA	R2	BEIJING	WTA-1000	6-4 7-6(5)

THIS IS THE 7TH MEETING BETWEEN THESE TWO TOP TALENTS. ARYNA SABALENKA HAS WON FOUR OF THEIR PREVIOUS MATCHES, INCLUDING THEIR MOST RECENT - LAST MONTH - IN CINCINNATI'S 3RD-ROUND.

[2] ARYNA SABALENKA -02-

2023 US OPEN ROAD TO THE QUARTERFINALS

ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
QUARTERFINAL	[23]	QINWEN ZHENG	23	CHN	
ROUND 4	[13]	DARIA KASATKINA	14	---	6-1 6-3
ROUND 3		CLARA BUREL	62	FRA	6-1 6-1
ROUND 2		JODIE BURRAGE	96	GBR	6-3 6-1
ROUND 1		MARYNA ZANEVSKA	112	BEL	6-3 6-2
DIRECT ENTRY					

[13] DARIA KASATKINA -14-

2023 US OPEN ROAD TO ROUND-4

ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
ROUND 4	[2]	ARYNA SABALENKA	2	---	1-6 3-6
ROUND 3		GREET MINNEN	97	BEL	6-3 6-4
ROUND 2		SOFIA KENIN	101	USA	2-6 6-4 6-4
ROUND 1		ALYCIA PARKS	42	USA	2-6 6-4 6-2
DIRECT ENTRY					

PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

BACK UNDER THE LIGHTS, ON THE SPORT'S BIGGEST STAGE - TONIGHT, THIS 25-YEAR-OLD RETURNS TO ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM AS THE REIGNING AUSTRALIAN OPEN CHAMPION. IN ALL, SHE OWNS 13 CAREER SINGLES TITLES, 6 DOUBLES TITLES, REACHED THE CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH OF LAST YEAR'S WTA FINALS - AND WITH TRADEMARK POWER AND INTENSITY, HAS BEEN AN UNRELENTING TOP-10 TALENT FOR NEARLY 3-YEARS. A SEMIFINALIST THIS YEAR AT BOTH ROLAND GARROS AND WIMBLEDON - THIS EVENING, SHE BATTLES FOR A SPOT IN HER 3RD CONSECUTIVE US OPEN QUARTERFINAL. PLEASE WELCOME THE #2 PLAYER IN THE WORLD, ARYNA SABALENKA.

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

US OPEN		DEFENDING US OPEN CHAMPION		SINGLES RESULTS: 19-5
YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL	
2023	2		<ul style="list-style-type: none">•	
2022	6	SF	• Fell to eventual Champion Iga Swiatek, after capturing the first set. Score: 3-6 6-1 6-4	
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		1 GRAND SLAM SINGLES TITLE 2-TIME GRAND SLAM DOUBLES CHAMPION			SINGLES RESULTS: 57-21
YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
2023	W	SF	SF		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• AO: First Major Singles Final. Rybakina deciding set•••
2022	R4	R3	Not Welcome	SF	
2021	R4	R3	SF	SF	
2020	R1	R3	Not Held	R2	
2019	R3	R2	R1	R2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• US: Upset #5 Kvitova to reach 1st Major R4• Wimbledon: World #136, 1st Major qualification• US: Grand Slam Qualifying debut (18 years old)
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: 350-170
TITLES: 13		FINALS: 23	2 WTA FINALS APPEARANCES (LAST YEAR'S FINALIST) 5 WTA-1000 SINGLES TITLES (6 FINALS)	
YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL	
2023	3	2	• Titles: Adelaide-500, Australian Open, Madrid-1000	Finals: Indian Wells-1000, Stuttgart-500
2022	0	3	•	Finals: Stuttgart, s'Hertogenbosch, WTA Finals
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)

ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
CAREER	• 27 wins over top-10 opponents - including defeat of World #1 Swiatek to win 2023 Madrid title (4th career win over a World #1)
CAREER	• 2 wins over World #1 Ashleigh Barty (2019-Wuhan, 2021-Madrid) 2 wins over World #1 Iga Swiatek (2022-WTA Finals, 2023-Madrid)

PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

IN 2015, AT JUST 18-YEARS-OLD, SHE MADE HER US OPEN DEBUT AS A QUALIFIER, AND REACHED THE 3RD ROUND IN THE FIRST MAJOR TOURNAMENT OF HER CAREER. TODAY, 8 YEARS LATER - SHE NOW OWNS 6 WTA SINGLES TITLES, IS A 12-TIME FINALIST, AND A BILLIE JEAN KING CUP CHAMPION. LAST YEAR, SHE CAPTURED 2 TITLES, REACHED HER FIRST GRAND SLAM SEMIFINAL AT ROLAND GARROS, MADE HER YEAR-END CHAMPIONSHIP DEBUT AT THE WTA FINALS - AND ENDED THE SEASON WITH A CAREER-HIGH RANKING OF WORLD #8. TONIGHT, SHE RETURNS TO ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM, BATTLING FOR A SPOT IN HER FIRST US OPEN QUARTERFINAL. NEW YORK, WELCOME BACK DARIA KASATKINA.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
14	8	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Oct-2022 Captured 2 titles last season, reached her first Grand Slam Semifinal at Roland GarrosQualified for the WTA Finals for the first time (<i>Alternate in 2018</i>)Started 2022 ranked outside the top-25 - then RG-SF, titles in San Jose and Granby (cracked top-10)

US OPEN		R16 IN 2017, 2023 EARNED 1ST TWO GRAND SLAM SINGLES VICTORIES IN NYC		SINGLES RESULTS: 11-9
YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL	
2023	14	R4	• Aryna Sabalenka -02- 2-sets	
2022	9	R1	• Harriet Dart -88- (GBR) 3-sets	
2021	27	R3	• Elina Svitolina -05- (UKR) 2-sets	
2020	70	R1	• Marta Kostyuk -137- (UKR) 2-sets	
2019	42	R1	• Jo Konta -16- (GBR) 3-sets	
2018	11	R2	• Aliaksandra Sanovich -33- 2-sets	
2017	38	R4	• [Q] Kaia Kanepi -418- (EST) 2-sets	First R16 run at a Major
2016	24	R1	• Qiang Wang -62- (CHN) 3-sets	
2015	133	R3	• 18-year-old LUCKY LOSER 1st two Major singles victories in her Grand Slam debut. Kristina Mladenovic -40- (FRA)	

GRAND SLAM		2022 ROLAND GARROS SEMIFINALIST		SINGLES RESULTS: 47-31	
YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
2023	R1	R4	R3	R4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• First Major SF (5 straight-sets wins until Swiatek)• • • •
2022	R3	SF	Not Welcome	R1	
2021	R2	R3	R2	R3	
2020	R1	R2	Not Held	R1	
2019	R1	R2	R1	R1	
2018	R2	QF	QF	R2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• First two Grand Slam Quarterfinals• •
2017	R1	R3	R2	R4	
2016	R3	R3	R3	R1	
2015				R3	• Age 18. Rank 133. Qualified and R3 in Major debut

WTA TOUR		6 SINGLES TITLES, 12-TIME FINALIST OWNS 1 DOUBLES TITLE, 3-TIME FINALIST		SINGLES RESULTS: 334-190
TITLES: 6		FINALS: 12	WTA FINALS (1): 2022-RR DEBUT IN FORT WORTH ALTERNATE IN 2018	

YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL
2023	0	1	• Final: Adelaide2-500 (week-2 of the season)
2022	2	0	• Titles: San Jose-500, Granby-250
2021	2	2	• Titles: Philip Island Trophy-250, St. Petersburg-500 -- Finals: Birmingham-250, San Jose-500
2020	0	0	•
2019	0	0	•
2018	1	2	• Title: Kremlin Cup in Moscow-500 -- Finals: Dubai-500, Indian Wells-1000
2017	1	1	• Title: Charleston-500 19-years-old -- 2nd Singles Final at Kremlin Cup in Moscow-500 20-years-old

TEAM EVENTS

EVENT	DETAIL
OLYMPICS	• Quarterfinalist in both Singles and Doubles at the 2016 Summer Games in Rio (Teamed with Kuznetsova in Doubles)
BILLIE JEAN KING CUP	• CHAMPION 2021 Member of her nation's team since 2016, helped lift team to the title in November 2021

ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
2022	• Came out publicly as lesbian. Bravely condemned war in Ukraine. Anxious about what will happen if she ever returns to her home country.
CAREER	• Excels on slower courts. Always looking to dictate play by changing speed and pace of the rally. Leans on tactics over athleticism.
☺	• Wins over Top-10 opponents: 19 Including two World #1 victories - Kerber in Sydney-2017, and Wozniacki in St. Petersburg-2018