



QUARTERFINAL

DOHA, QATAR

DAY-4 MATCH-1 CENTER COURT

SEED	SINGLES	RANK	NAT	SET-1	SET-2
	ALEXEI POPYRIN	46	AUS	6	6
[4]	ALEXANDER BUBLIK	21	KAZ	4	4

MATCH TIME 1:17

SET-1		
ALEXANDER BUBLIK	HOLD	0-1
ALEXEI POPYRIN	HOLD	1-1
ALEXEI POPYRIN	BREAK	2-1
ALEXEI POPYRIN	HOLD	3-1
ALEXANDER BUBLIK	HOLD	3-2
ALEXEI POPYRIN	HOLD	4-2
ALEXANDER BUBLIK	HOLD	4-3
ALEXEI POPYRIN	HOLD	5-3
ALEXANDER BUBLIK	HOLD	5-4
ALEXEI POPYRIN	HOLD	6-4

SET-2		
ALEXEI POPYRIN	BREAK	1-0
ALEXEI POPYRIN	HOLD	2-0
ALEXANDER BUBLIK	HOLD	2-1
ALEXEI POPYRIN	HOLD	3-1
ALEXANDER BUBLIK	HOLD	3-2
ALEXEI POPYRIN	HOLD	4-2
ALEXEI POPYRIN	BREAK	5-2
ALEXANDER BUBLIK	BREAK	5-3
ALEXANDER BUBLIK	HOLD	5-4
ALEXEI POPYRIN	HOLD	6-4

HEAD TO HEAD

YEAR	RNK	WINNING PLAYER	RNK	LOSING PLAYER	ROUND	EVENT	CATEGORY	RESULT
2024	46	ALEXEI POPYRIN	21	ALEXANDER BUBLIK	QF	DOHA	ATP-250	6-4 6-4
2021	114	ALEXEI POPYRIN	46	ALEXANDER BUBLIK	FF	SINGAPORE	ATP-250	4-6 6-0 6-2
2018	376	ALEXEI POPYRIN	151	ALEXANDER BUBLIK	R1	ASTANA	CHALLENGER	5-7 6-3 6-4

THIS IS THE SECOND TOUR-LEVEL MEETING BETWEEN THESE TWO TALENTS. THEY LAST MET 3-YEARS-AGO IN THE SINGAPORE FINAL, WHERE ALEXEI POPYRIN CAME BACK FROM A SET-DOWN TO CAPTURE HIS FIRST CAREER SINGLES TITLE.

ALEXEI POPYRIN -46- (AUS) 2023 QATAR EXXONMOBIL OPEN

ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
SEMIFINAL	[2]	KAREN KHACHANOV	17		TBD
QUARTERFINAL	[4]	ALEXANDER BUBLIK	21	KAZ	6-4 6-4 1:17
ROUND 2	[Q]	HUGO GRENIER	151	FRA	7-6(3) 6-7(8) 6-1 2:29
ROUND 1	[WC]	ABDULLAH SHELBYH	230	JOR	3-6 6-3 6-4 2:00
DIRECT ENTRY					

[4] ALEXANDER BUBLIK -21- (KAZ) 2024 QATAR EXXONMOBIL OPEN

ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
QUARTERFINAL		ALEXEI POPYRIN	46	AUS	4-6 4-6 1:17
ROUND 2		MARTON FUCSOVICS	80	HUN	2-6 6-3 6-4 2:07
ROUND 1 BYE					
DIRECT ENTRY					

PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

LAST SUMMER, HE DEFEATED 3-TIME MAJOR CHAMPION STAN WAWRINKA ON THE CLAY IN UMAG, CAPTURING HIS 2ND ATP SINGLES TITLE. THEN, HE HIT THE HARD COURTS IN CINCINNATI - AND AS A LUCKY LOSER, REACHED HIS FIRST MASTERS-1000 QUATERFINAL. BY SEASON'S END, HE CRACKED THE ATP'S TOP-40, AND HELPED LIFT HIS COUNTRY BACK TO THE DAVIS CUP FINAL. 4-YEARS-AGO, HE MADE HIS QATAR EXXONMOBIL OPEN DEBUT AS A 20-YEAR-OLD QUALIFIER. THIS AFTERNOON, HE RETURNS TO CENTER COURT AS A DOHA QUARTERFINALIST, AND AS ONE OF THE SPORT'S TOP-50 TALENTS. IN PURSUIT OF 3RD TOUR-LEVEL SEMIFINAL - FROM AUSTRALIA, PLEASE WELCOME ALEXEI POPRYIN.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
46	39	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oct-23 SUMMER: Won title in Umag-250, QF run in Cincinnati-1000

QATAR EXXONMOBIL OPEN

SINGLES RESULTS: 3-0

YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL
2024	46	SF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> R1 [WC] Shelbyh-230 R2 [Q] Grenier-151 QF [4] Bublik-21 SF [2] Khachanov-17
2020	94	Q2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Q1 Dzumhur-91 Q2 Moutet-81 (Moutet qualified, reached Final)

20-years-old

2024 SEASON

SINGLES RESULTS: 5-2

EVENT	RESULT	DETAIL
AUSTRALIAN OPEN	R2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> R1 Polmans-154 R2 Djokovic-1 (4-sets)
ADELAIDE-250		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> withdrew - left glute injury
BRISBANE-250	R2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> R1 O'Connell-68, 64 67(5) 76(4) R2 Safiullin-39, 76(9) 46 67(3)

GRAND SLAM

SINGLES RESULTS: 15-20

YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
2024	R2				•
2023	R3	R1	R1	R1	•
2022	R1	R1	R1	R2	•
2021	R2	R1	R1	R3	•
2020	R3	R1	(Not Held)		•
2019	R3	R2	R2	R3	• AO: 1st main draw wins WM: 1st Major Qualify
2018	R1				• AO: Wild Card (550)
2017					•

ATP TOUR

2 ATP SINGLES TITLES | 2 CHALLENGER TITLES

SINGLES RECORD: 70-92

TITLES: 2 FINALS: 2 ATP FINALS: 0 APPEARANCES

YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL
2024	0	0	•
2023	1	0	• W: Umag-250
2022	0	0	• 2nd CHALLENGER TITLE
2021	1	0	• W: Singapore-250
2020	0	0	•
2019	0	0	•
2018	0	0	• 1st CHALLENGER TITLE

TEAM EVENTS

EVENT	DETAIL
OLYMPICS	• N/A
DAVIS CUP	• 2023 FINALIST Australia fell to Italy - Since 2019 4 TIES (2-2) Record overall
UNITED CUP	• N/A

NOTABLE ACCOMPLISHMENTS / ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
🏆	• 5 top-10 wins, including 3 in 2023: (Adelaide-250 Auger-Aliassime-6) (Australian Open Fritz-9) (Rome-1000 Auger-Aliassime-10)

PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

THIS YEAR'S NUMBER-4 SEED - YESTERDAY, HE CAME-BACK FROM A SET-DOWN TO KNOCK-OUT MARTON FUCSOVICS - AND THIS AFTERNOON, RETURNS TO CENTER COURT WITH A CAREER-HIGH RANKING OF WORLD #21, COMPETING HIS FIRST DOHA QUARTERFINAL. NOW A 10-TIME FINALIST ON TOUR - JUST 2-WEEKS-AGO, HE CAPTURED HIS 4TH ATP SINGLES TITLE IN MONTPELLIER -- WEEK-1, HE REACHED THE SEMI'S IN ADELAIDE -- AND LAST SEASON, EARNED THE BIGGEST TITLE OF HIS CAREER ON THE GRASS IN HALLE - DEFEATING WORLD #7 ANDREY RUBLEV TO HOIST HIS MAIDEN ATP-500 TROPHY. SINCE THE START OF LAST YEAR, HE'S 5-0 IN TOUR-LEVEL QUARTERFINALS. A WIN TODAY, LANDS HIM IN HIS 16TH CAREER SEMIFINAL. FROM KAZAKHSTAN, PLEASE WELCOME ALEXANDER BUBLIK.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
21	21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feb-24 Started season with SF run Adelaide-250, captured 4th career title Montpellier-250

QATAR EXXONMOBIL OPEN

2024 QUARTERFINALIST

SINGLES RESULTS: 4-4

YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL
2024	21	QF	• R1 BYE R2 Fucovic-80 QF Popyrin-46
2022	31	R2	• R1 Kavalik-183 R2 Rinderknech-61
2021	44	R2	• R1 Ramanathan-201 R2 Bautista-Agut-13 (eventual Finalist)
2020	55	R2	• R1 Mannarino-43 Bedene-58
2016	773		• <i>Captured a Futures title in 2 Futures Finals here in April of 2016</i>

2024 SEASON

SINGLES RESULTS: 9-4

EVENT	RESULT	DETAIL
ROTTERDAM-500	R2	• R1 Coric-31 R2 Raonic-309
MONTPELLIER-250	W	• R1 BYE R2 Shapovalov-137 QF Shevchenko-59 SF Auger-Aliassime-30 FF Coric-37
AUSTRALIAN OPEN	R1	• R1 Nagal-137
ADELAIDE-250	SF	• R1 McCabe-278 R2 Evans-40 QF Musetti-25 SF Draper-62

GRAND SLAM

R16 2024 WIMBLEDON | 2021 ROLAND GARROS DOUBLES FINALIST

SINGLES RESULTS: 17-21

YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
2024	R1				•
2023	R1	R1	R4	R1	• W: 1st R4 Major
2022	R2	R2	R2	R2	•
2021	R2	R1	R3	R2	•
2020	R2	R2	(Not Held)	R1	•
2019	Q1	R2	R1	R3	•
2018	Q2	Q1	Q2		•
2017	R2	Q3	R1	Q1	• AO: Qualified GS debut R1 def Puoille-16

ATP TOUR

4 ATP SINGLES TITLES, 10 CAREER FINALS - 2 MASTERS-1000 QUARTERFINALS

SINGLES RECORD: 136-129

TITLES: 4 FINALS: 10 ATP FINALS: 0 APPEARANCES

YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL
2024	1	0	• W: Montpellier-250
2023	2	0	• W: Halle-500 (SF Zverev-22, FF Rublev-7), Antwerp-250
2022	1	2	• W: Montpellier-250 (FF Zverev-3) F: Newport-250, Metz-250
2021	0	2	• F: Antalya-250, Singapore-250
2020	0	0	•
2019	0	2	• F: Newport-250, Chengdu-250

TEAM EVENTS

EVENT	DETAIL
OLYMPICS	• TOKYO2020/21 - Olympic debut, fell to Medvedev in R1
DAVIS CUP	• Since 2019 8 TIES (14-9) Record overall
UNITED CUP	• N/A

NOTABLE ACCOMPLISHMENTS / ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
🏆	• 8 top-10 wins Biggest: Zverev-3 to capture first title (2022 Montpellier-250) Latest: Rublev-7 to capture biggest title (2023 Halle-500)
2020	• Upset Monfils-9 to reach R2 at Roland Garros
FAMILY	• Became a Dad in 2022, son Vasily
2016	• Switched representation from Russia to Kazakhstan to receive better financial backing
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