



ROUND OF 16

ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM

DAY-8 MATCH-3 NIGHT SESSION

SEED	WOMEN'S SINGLES	RANK	NAT	SET-1	SET-2
[1]	IGA SWIATEK	1	POL	6	6
[16]	LIUDMILA SAMSONOVA	16		4	1

MATCH TIME 1:30

SET-1		
IGA SWIATEK	HOLD	1-0
LIUDMILA SAMSONOVA	HOLD	1-1
IGA SWIATEK	HOLD	2-1
LIUDMILA SAMSONOVA	HOLD	2-2
IGA SWIATEK	HOLD	3-2
LIUDMILA SAMSONOVA	HOLD	3-3
IGA SWIATEK	HOLD	4-3
LIUDMILA SAMSONOVA	HOLD	4-4
IGA SWIATEK	HOLD	5-4
IGA SWIATEK	BREAK	6-4

SET-2		
IGA SWIATEK	HOLD	1-0
IGA SWIATEK	BREAK	2-0
IGA SWIATEK	HOLD	3-0
IGA SWIATEK	BREAK	4-0
IGA SWIATEK	HOLD	5-0
LIUDMILA SAMSONOVA	HOLD	5-1
IGA SWIATEK	HOLD	6-1

HEAD TO HEAD

YEAR	RNK	WINNING PLAYER	RNK	LOSING PLAYER	ROUND	EVENT	CATEGORY	RESULT
2024	1	IGA SWIATEK	16	LIUDMILA SAMSONOVA	R4	US OPEN	GRAND SLAM	6-4 6-1
2023	2	IGA SWIATEK	22	LIUDMILA SAMSONOVA	F	BEIJING	WTA-1000	6-2 6-2
2023	1	IGA SWIATEK	13	LIUDMILA SAMSONOVA	R3	DUBAI	WTA-1000	6-1 6-0
2022	1	IGA SWIATEK	31	LIUDMILA SAMSONOVA	SF	STUTTGART	WTA-500	6-7(4) 6-4 7-5

THIS IS THE 4TH MEETING BETWEEN THESE TWO TOP TALENTS - FIRST AT A MAJOR. THEY'RE MOST RECENTLY CLASH WAS LAST OCTOBER, IN THE CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH OF THE WTA-1000 EVENT IN BEIJING. IGA SWIATEK REMAINS UNDEFEATED.

[1] Iga Swiatek -01- (POL)

2024 US OPEN ROAD TO QUARTERFINALS

ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
QUARTERFINAL	[6]	JESSICA PEGULA	6	USA	NEXT
ROUND 4	[16]	LIUDMILA SAMSONOVA	16		6-4 6-1
ROUND 3	[25]	ANASTASIA PAVLYUCHENKOVA	27		6-4 6-2
ROUND 2	[Q]	ENA SHIBAHARA	207	JPN	6-0 6-1
ROUND 1	[LL]	KAMILLA RAKHIMOVA	104		6-4 7-6(6)
DIRECT ENTRY					

[16] Liudmila Samsonova -16-

2024 US OPEN

ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
ROUND 4	[1]	IGA SWIATEK	1	POL	4-6 1-6
ROUND 3		ASHLYN KRUEGER	59	USA	6-1 6-1
ROUND 2		MARIE BOUZKOVA	45	CZE	3-6 7-6(1) 6-3
ROUND 1		QIANG WANG	438	CHN	6-2 7-5
DIRECT ENTRY					

PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

NOW A 5-TIME GRAND SLAM CHAMPION - EARLIER THIS YEAR, SHE CAPTURED HER 4TH ROLAND GARROS TITLE - THEN RETURNED TO THE CLAY IN PARIS THIS SUMMER, WHERE SHE CLAIMED OLYMPIC BRONZE. AT JUST 23-YEARS-OLD - SHE IS THE REIGNING WTA FINALS CHAMPION, HAS AMASSED 22 CAREER SINGLES TITLES, IS A 2-TIME YEAR-END WORLD #1 - AND EARLIER THIS YEAR, BECAME ONE OF ONLY 8 WOMEN IN HISTORY TO HOLD THE SPORT'S TOP-RANKING FOR OVER 100-WEEKS COMBINED. FROM POLAND - NEW YORK, WELCOME BACK 2022 US OPEN CHAMPION, AND THE #1 PLAYER IN THE WORLD, IGA SWIATEK.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
1	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Became World #1 for the first time on 4-April 2022 Now 118-weeks as sport's top-talent Over 100-weeks as the sport's top-ranked player / <i>Only 8 other women have achieved the feat</i> 2-time year-end World #1

US OPEN **2022 US OPEN CHAMPION** SINGLES RESULTS: 20-4

YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL
2024	1	QF	• R1: Rakhimova-104, R2 Shibahara-207, R3 Pavlyuchenkova-27, R4 Samsonova-16, QF Pegula-6
2023	1	R4	• 2 SF runs leading into the Open. Fell to Jelena Ostapenko -20- (LAT) in R16. <i>Has never beaten the Latvian 0-4.</i>
2022	1	W	• 3rd Grand Slam title - first in New York. First woman from Poland to win the US Open Singles Final
2021	8	R4	• Fell to Belinda Bencic -12- (SUI)
2020	53	R3	• Fell to Finalist Victoria Azarenka -27- (BLR)
2019	49	R2	• (18-years-old) - Fell to Anastasia Sevastova -11- (LAT)

GRAND SLAM **5-TIME GRAND SLAM CHAMPION | HAS NEVER LOST A MAJOR FINAL** SINGLES RESULTS: 83-17

YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
2024	R3	W	R3		• 2024: 3rd successive RG title
2023	R16	W	QF	R4	• 2023: RG champion
2022	SF	W	R3	W	• 2022: RG and USO champion
2021	R4	QF	R4	R4	•
2020	R4	W	(Not Held)	R3	• 2020: RG champion (1st Major title, 19-years-old)
2019	R2	R4	R1	R2	•
2018			W-Junior		•

WTA TOUR **SINGLES RECORD: 335-72**

TITLES: 22 FINALS: 26 **2023 WTA FINALS CHAMPION (3 WTA FINALS) | 10 WTA-1000 TITLES (4 this year alone)**

YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL
2024	5	0	• Titles: Doha-1000, Indian Wells-1000, Madrid-1000, Rome-1000, Roland Garros 21-match win-streak Madrid-Wimb • OLYMPIC BRONZE MEDALIST IN PARIS
2023	6	2	• T: Doha-500, Stuttgart-500, Roland Garros, Warsaw-250, Beijing-1000, WTA-Finals F: Dubai-1000, Madrid-1000
2022	8	1	• 6 consecutive Titles: Doha, IW, Miami, Stuttgart, Rome, Roland-Garros. Then, she won US Open and San Diego • <i>37 match win streak from Doha title through Round-2 at Wimbledon - longest since 1990</i>
2021	2	0	• Adelaide-250, Rome-1000 - Qualified for the WTA Finals for the first time (Fell in the Group Stage)
2020	1	0	• First Grand Slam Singles title: Roland-Garros (19-years-old)
2019	0	1	• Finalist: Lugano-250

TEAM EVENTS

YEAR	DETAIL
BJK CUP	• Since 2018. 10 Ties. (9-2) Singles. (11-3) Overall 2024: Lifted Poland back to the BJK Cup Finals this November in Malaga, Spain
OLY	• Tokyo: Singles Round-2 (Fell to Paola Badosa) -- Paris: Singles Bronze
2018	• Junior Olympics -- Doubles Gold Medalist
2016	• Junior Fed Cup Champion -- Helped Poland defeat the United States in the Junior Fed Cup Final

ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
2023	• Swiatek named one of TIME Magazine's "100 most influential people in the world"
2022	• Longest win streak of the 21st century -- From Feb-May, she won 37 consecutive matches, capturing 6-titles, including second Major at RG
2022	• In March -- became the youngest player in WTA history to capture the Sunshine Double (IW and Miami back to back) at 20-years-old
2022	• 'Iga Swiatek and friends for Ukraine' -- Raised more than half a million Euros for Ukrainian children and teenagers affected by the war
CAREER	• 42 career victories over top-10 opponents Including 10 this year

PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

IN 2020, THIS 25-YEAR-OLD MADE HER US OPEN MAIN-DRAW DEBUT RANKED OUTSIDE THE TOP-100. TONIGHT, 4-YEARS LATER, SHE STEPS INTO THE SPOTLIGHT ON THE SPORT'S BIGGEST STAGE - AS A TOP-20 TALENT - WITH ANOTHER SHOT AT THE #1 PLAYER IN THE WORLD. SINCE HER NEW YORK DEBUT, SHE'S CAPTURED 5 WTA SINGLES TITLES, IS AN 8-TIME TOUR-LEVEL FINALIST, AND HAS BEEN RANKED AS HIGH AS WORLD #12. THROUGH TO ROUND-4 OF A MAJOR FOR A 3RD-TIME - TONIGHT, SHE'S IN PURSUIT OF HER FIRST GRAND SLAM QUARTERFINAL. MAKING HER ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM DEBUT, PLEASE WELCOME LIUDMILA SAMSONOVA.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
16	12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feb-2023 After reaching 2023 Final in Abu Dhabi-500

US OPEN US OPEN ROUND OF 16 (2022, 2024) SINGLES RESULTS: 9-5

YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL
2024	16	R4	• R1 Wang-438, R2 Bouzkova-45, R3 Krueger-59, R4 fell to Swiatek-1
2023	15	R3	• R1 Liu-69, R2 Korpatsch-75, R3 fell to Keys-17
2022	35	R4	• R1 Bejlek-209, R2 Fernandez-14, R3 Krunic-96, R4 fell to Tomljanovic
2021	52	R2	• R1 Boulter-190, R2 fell to (LL) Minnen-104
2020	120	R1	• R1 fell to Pironkova-NR
2019	133	Q2	• Q1 Marcinkevica-205, fell to Q2 Furlis-252

GRAND SLAM SINGLES RESULTS: 20-18

YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
2024	R1	R3	R3	R4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> US: 2nd US Open Round of 16
2023	R2	R2	R1	R3	
2022	R2	R1	NOT WELCOME	R4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> US: 1st US Open Round of 16
2021	R2	Q1	R4	R2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AO: Qualified W: 1st Round of 16 run at a Major
2020	R1	R1	NOT HELD	R1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AO: Qualified US, RG: Main Draw
2019	Q2	R1	Q3	Q2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RG: 1st qualify at a Major

WTA TOUR 5 WTA SINGLES TITLES | 8 FINALS, INCLUDING 2 WTA-1000 FINALS

TITLES: 5 FINALS: 8 WTA FINALS: 0 WTA ELITE TROPHY: 1 (RR-2023)

YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL
2024	1	0	• W: s'Hertogenbosch-250
2023	0	3	• F: Abu Dhabi-500, Montreal-1000, Beijing-1000
2022	3	0	• W: Washington DC-500, Cleveland-250, Tokyo-500
2021	1	0	• W: Berlin-500, Billie Jean King Cup Champion
2014-2020	0	0	• 4 ITF Women's Circuit Singles titles in 11 Finals

TEAM EVENTS

EVENT	DETAIL
OLYMPICS	• N/A
BILLIE JEAN KING CUP	• 2020/2021 BILLIE JEAN KING CUP CHAMPION (4-Ties) Undefeated (5-0) overall Clinched title for Russia by defeating Bencic
UNITED CUP	• N/A

NOTABLE ACCOMPLISHMENTS / ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
🌟	• 6 top-10 wins Including victories over Sabalenka-2 and Rybakina-4 to reach first WTA-1000 Final at 2023 Montreal-1000
2023	• WTA-1000 BREAKTHROUGH: First 2 WTA-1000 Finals in Montreal and Beijing (also reached Final of Abu Dhabi-500 early in season)
2022	• SUMMER: 13-match win streak Won Washington DC title, Cleveland title, reached US Open R4 for the first time
2021	• BERLIN-500 Captured first title as a qualifier, ranked outside the top-100 - wins over Vondousova, Keys, Azarenka, Bencic
2014-2018	• Represented Italy for four years (father was a table tennis athlete) Still lives and trains outside Russia