



# **ROUND OF 16**

# DOHA, QATAR

DAY-4 MATCH-3 CENTER COURT

SEED	SINGLES	RANK	NAT	SET-1	SET-2
	ONS JABEUR	35	TUN	6	6
[WC]	SOFIA KENIN	73	USA	3	4

MATCH TIME 1:06

SET-1		
ONS JABEUR	HOLD	1-0
ONS JABEUR	BREAK	2-0
ONS JABEUR	HOLD	3-0
SOFIA KENIN	HOLD	3-1
ONS JABEUR	HOLD	4-1
SOFIA KENIN	HOLD	4-2
ONS JABEUR	HOLD	5-2
SOFIA KENIN	HOLD	5-3
ONS JABEUR	HOLD	6-3

	SET-2	
SOFIA KENIN	HOLD	0-1
ONS JABEUR	HOLD	1-1
SOFIA KENIN	HOLD	1-2
ONS JABEUR	HOLD	2-2
ONS JABEUR	BREAK	3-2
SOFIA KENIN	BREAK	3-3
ONS JABEUR	BREAK	4-3
ONS JABEUR	HOLD	5-3
SOFIA KENIN	HOLD	5-4
ONS JABEUR	HOLD	6-4

HEAD TO	HEAD					
YEAR	RNK WINNING PLAYER	RNK LOSING PLAYER	ROUND	EVENT	CATEGORY	RESULT
2025	35 ONS JABEUR	73 SOFIA KENIN	R16	DOHA	WTA 1000	6-3 6-4
2024	58 SOFIA KENIN	9 ONS JABEUR	R1	ROME	WTA 1000	7-5 2-6 6-4
2021	30 ONS JABEUR	4 SOFIA KENIN	R3	MIAMI	WTA 1000	6-4 4-6 6-4
2020	4 SOFIA KENIN	31 ONS JABEIUR	R3	US OPEN	GRAND SLAM	7-6(4) 6-3
2020	15 SOFIA KENIN	78 ONS JABEUR	QF	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	GRAND SLAM	6-4 6-4
2019	30 SOFIA KENIN	63 ONS JABEUR	R16	MALLORCA	WTA 250	6-2 6-0 ret
2019	56 SOFIA KENIN	58 ONS JABEUR	R16	HOBART	WTA 250	7-6(6) 6-3
2017	119 ONS JABEUR	197 SOFIA KENIN	R16	INDIAN HARBOUR	ITF/USTA \$80k	6-3 6-1
2016	622 SOFIA KENIN	224 ONS JABEUR	R16	WESLEY CHAPEL	ITF/USTA \$25k	6-4 6-1

TONIGHT - MARKS THE 7TH TOUR-LEVEL MEETING BETWEEN THESE TWO FORMER TOP-5 TALENTS. SOFIA KENIN HAS WON FIVE OF THEIR PREVIOUS MATCHES . . . INCLUDING THEIR MOST RECENT - LAST YEAR - IN A DECIDING-SET BATTLE ON THE CLAY IN ROME.

ONS JABEUR -35				2025 QATAR TOTALENERGIES OPEN	
ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
FINAL					
SEMIFINAL					
QUARTERFINAL		JELENA OSTAPENKO	37	LAT	0-0 0-0 0-0   0:00
ROUND 3	[WC]	SOFIA KENIN	73	USA	6-3 6-4   1:03
ROUND 2	[7]	QINWEN ZHENG	8	CHN	6-4 6-2   1:29
ROUND I		McCARTNEY KESSLER	55	USA	6-2 6-0   0:56
DIRECT ENTRY					

[WC] SOFIA KENIN -73- (USA)					2025 QATAR TOTALENERGIES OPEN
ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
ROUND 3		ONS JABEUR	35	TUN	3-6 4-6   1:03
ROUND 2	[Q]	ALYCIA PARKS	90	USA	7-6(3) 3-6 6-2   2:14
ROUND I		ASHLYN KRUEGER	40	USA	6-4 6-4   1:12
DIRECT ENTRY					

ONS JABEUR -35- (TUN)
AGE: 30

#### **PLAYER BIOGRAPHY**

NOW A 3-TIME GRAND SLAM FINALIST - OVER THE PAST FOUR YEARS, WITH UNRELENTING DETERMINATION, THIS TUNISIAN TRAILBLAZER HAS CEMENTED HER SPOT AT THE TOP OF THE SPORT - CAPTURING 5 TITLES, REACHING 13 FINALS, CLIMBING ALL THE WAY TO A CAREER-HIGH RANKING OF WORLD #2. IN 2012, SHE MADE HER DOHA DEBUT AS A 17-YEAR-OLD WILD CARD . . . ONCE AGAIN TONIGHT - 13-YEARS-LATER - SHE RETURNS AS A 2-TIME WIMBLEDON FINALIST, A US OPEN FINALIST - AND THE ONLY ARAB WOMAN EVER TO CONTEST A MAJOR FINAL AND CRACK THE SPORT'S TOP-10. THROUGH TO THE ROUND OF 16 AFTER A STRAIGHT-SETS TRIUMPH LAST NIGHT OVER OLYMPIC GOLD MEDALIST ZHENG QINWEN . . . FROM TUNISIA - PLEASE WELCOME, ONS JABEUR.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
2.2	_	• Jun-22   After becoming the first Arab Player in tennis history to reach the Wimbledon Final
33	2	Sep-22   Returned to the World #2 ranking after reaching her first US Open Final
		• 2024 SHOULDER INJURY Ended season after R1 loss in Toronto-1000 dropped outside top-40 by start of 2025

QATAR T	QATAR TOTAL OPEN 12TH DOHA APPEARANCE   2-TIME QUARTERFINALIST (2022, 2020) SINGLES		RESULTS: 9-11	
YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL	
2025	33	QF	• R1 Kessler-55 (6-2, 6-0)   R2 [7] Zheng-8 (2-sets)   R16 [WC] Sofia Kenin-73- (2-sets)   QF Ostapenko-37	
2024	6	R2	• R1 BYE   R2 fell to Tsurenko-37 (2-sets) Tsurenko then withdrew from her R16 match vs. Naomi Osaka	KNEE INJURY
2022	10	QF	R1 BYE   R2 [Q] Sasnovich-61 (3-sets)   R3 Martincova-42 (3-sets)   QF Kontaveit-7 (2-sets)	
2021	31	R2	• R1 [Q] Blinkova-69 (2-sets)   R2 fell to Pliskova-6 (3-sets)	
2020	44	QF	• R1 [Q] Sinakova-55 (2-sets)   R2 Brady-45 (2-sets)   R3 Kar.Pliskova-03* (3-sets)   QF fell to Kvitova-11 *3rd top-10 wi	n WILD CARD
2019	56	R1	• R1 fell to Suarez Navarro-2 6   2-sets	WILD CARD
2018	112	R1	• R1 fell to [Q] Duan-105   2-sets	WILD CARD
2017	172	QR1	QR1 fell to McHale-43   2-sets second-set tiebreak	[Q] WILD CARD
2016	187	QR1	QR1 fell to Vesnina-118   2-sets	QUALIFIER
2015	126	R1	• R1 fell to Diyas-31   2-sets	WILD CARD
2013	260	R1	• R1 fell to Cirstea-31   3-sets	WILD CARD
2012	1204	R1	• R1 fell to [Q] Razzano-103   3-sets	WILD CARD

EVENT	RESULT	DETAIL
DOHA	QF	• R1 Kessler-55 (6-2, 6-0)   R2 [7] Zheng-8 (2-sets)   R16 [WC] Sofia Kenin-73- (2-sets)   QF Ostapenko-37
ABU DHABI-500	QF	• R1 [7] Ostapenko-35 (7-6(4), 7-5)   R2 Sonobe-464 (6-3, 6-3)   R3 fell to Rybakina-5 (2-6, 6-4, 6(4)-7)
AUSTRALIAN OPEN	USTRALIAN OPEN R3 • R1 Kalinina-48 (2-sets)   R2 Osorio-59 (2-sets)   R3 fell to Navarro-8 (deciding set)	
ADELAIDE-500	R16	• R1 Collins-11 7-6(6), 6-2   R2 fell to Putintseva-25 (2-sets)
BRISBANE-500	QF	• R1 SaiSai Zheng-692 (2-sets)   R2 Alexandrova-28 (2-sets)   R3 Avanesyan-43 (3-sets)   QF fell to Andreeva-16 4-6, 6(2)-7

#### GRAND SLAM 3-TIME GRAND SLAM FINALIST | 7-TIME GRAND SLAM QUARTERFINALIST SINGLES RESULTS: 61-30

YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
2025	R3				•
2024	R2	QF	R3	SHOULDER INJURY	•
2023	R2	QF	F	R4	W: 3rd Major Final
2022	BACK INJURY	R1	F	F	W: 1st Major Final US: 2nd Major Final
2021	R3	R4	QF	R3	•
2020	QF	R4	(Not Held)	R3	•
2019	R1	R1	R1	R3	•
2018	R1	Q2	R2	R1	•
2017	Q3	R3	R1	R2	•
2016			Q1	Q1	•
2015	R1	Q2		Q1	•
2014		Q1	Q3	R1	•
2013			Q1	Q1	•
2012		Q2			•

#### WTA TOUR 5 SINGLES TITLES, 13 FINALS | 1 WTA-1000 SINGLES TITLE, 2 FINALS

SINGLES RECORD: 456-250

TITLES: 5 FINALS: 13 WTA FINALS -- 2 APPEARANCES: 2023-RR, 2022-RR

YEAR	IIILE	FINAL	DETAIL	
2024	0	0	•	
2023	2	1	• W: Charleston-500, Ningbo-250	F: Wimbledon
2022	2	4	• W: Madrid-1000, Berlin-500	F: Charleston-500, Rome-1000, Wimbledon, US Open
2021	1	2	W: Birmingham-250	F: Charleston-250, Chicago-500
2020	0	0	•	
2019	0	0	•	
2018	0	1	•	F: Moscow-500   Qualifier. Won 7 matches to reach Final

## TEAM EVENTS

EVENT	DETAIL
OLYMPICS	Represented Tunisia in London, Rio and Tokyo   all R1 losses
BILLIF IFAN KING CUP	Team Tunisia since 2011

## NOTABLE ACCOMPLISHMENTS / ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
©	• 18 victories over top-10 opponents   Lastest: [7] Qinwen Zheng-8 (R2 2024 Doha-1000)
HISTORY	First Arab and African talent to reach the top-10 in tennis history (men and women)
HISTORY	• First African woman, and the first Arab or North African player in the Open Era to reach a Grand Slam singles final (Wimbledon)

#### PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

RANKED AS HIGH AS WORLD #4 - IN 2020, SHE CAPTURED HER FIRST GRAND SLAM SINGLES TITLE AT THE AUSTRALIAN OPEN, DEFEATING WORLD #1 ASHLEIGH BARTY EN-ROUTE TO THE TITLE. LATER THAT FALL, SHE REACHED HER SECOND MAJOR FINAL ON THE CLAY AT ROLAND GARROS - ENDING THE SEASON AS A TOP-5 TALENT AND THE WTA'S PLAYER OF THE YEAR. TODAY, 5-YEARS-LATER - SHE NOW OWNS 5 CAREER SINGLES TITLES - AND THIS PAST OCTOBER, REACHED HER 9TH TOUR-LEVEL SINGLES FINAL IN TOKYO. THROUGH TO THE ROUND OF 16 WITH WINS OVER ASHLYN KRUEGER AND QUALIFIER ALYCIA PARKS - BATTLING FOR A SPOT IN HER 4TH QTA-1000 QUARTERFINAL - FROM THE UNITED STATES, PLEASE WELCOME SOFIA KENIN.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
73	4	Mar-2020   Captured 1st Major Singles title at Australian Open

QATAR TOTAL OPEN			5TH DOHA APPEARANCE   BEST: ROUND OF 16	SINGLES RESULTS: 3-5			
YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL				
2025	73	R16	• R1 Krueger-40 (2-sets)   R2 [Q] Parks-90 (7-6(3), 3-6, 6-2)   R16 fell to Jabeur-35 (3-6, 4-6)				
2024	45	R1	• R1 fell to Bouzkova-35 (3-sets)				
2023	210	R16	• R1 Samsonova-15 (2-sets)   R16 fell to V.Kudermetova-11 (2-sets)				
2022	89	R1	• R1 fell to Li-58 (3-sets)				
2020	5	R2	R1 BYE   R2 fell to Yastremska-25 (2-sets)				

2025 SEASON		Singles results: 5-5
EVENT	RESULT	DETAIL
DOHA	R16	• R1 Krueger-40 (2-sets)   R2 [Q] Parks-90 (7-6(3), 3-6, 6-2)   R16 fell to Jabeur-35 (3-6, 4-6)
ABU DHABI-500	R1	• Q1 lto-114 (2-sets)   Q2 V.Kudermetova-52 (2-sets)   R1 fell to Pavlyuchenkova-26 (2-sets)
AUSTRALIAN OPEN	R1	• R1 fell to Gauff-3 (2-sets)
HOBART-250	QF	• R1 Sun-43 (3-sets)   R16 Blinkova-75 (3-sets)   QF fell to [WC] Joint-118 (2-sets)
AUCKLAND-250	R16	• R1 Wang-98 (2-sets)   R16 fell to Tauson-50 (deciding set Tiebreak)

GRAND	SLAM	2020 AUSTRALIAN OP	EN CHAMPION, 2020	ROLAND GARROS F	NALIST SINGLES RESULTS: 38-26
YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
2025	R1				•
2024	R1	R3	R1	R2	•
2023	R1	Q1	R3	R2	•
2022	R1			R1	•
2021	R2	R4	R2		•
2020	W	F	NOT HELD	R4	AO: 1st major Title (upset Barty-1 in SF)   RG: 2nd Final
2019	R2	R4	R2	R3	•
2018	R1	R1	R2	R3	•
2017				R3	•
2016				R1	•
2015				R1	•

WTA TO	UR		5 SINGLES	SINGLES RECORD: 282-198		
TITLES: 5 FINALS: 9		WTA FINALS: (RR-2019)	WTA ELITE TROPHY ZHUHAI: (RR-2019)	3 WTA-1000 SEMIFINALS		
YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL			
2025	0	0	•			
2024	0	1	•		F: To	kyo-500
2023	0	1	•	F: San Diego-500		n Diego-500
2022	0	0	•			
2021	0	0	•			
2020	2	1	• W: Aust	ralian Open, Lyon-250	F: Roland	d Garros (Pandemic delayed)
2019	3	1	• W: Hob	art-250, Mallorca-250, Guangzhou-250	) F: Acapulco	o-250
2018	0	0	•			

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EVENT	DETAIL
OLYMPICS	• N/A
BILLIE JEAN KING CUP	• 2018 FINALIST 2019 Quarterfinalist 2020-21 Semifinalist
UNITED CUP	• N/A

NOTABLE ACCOMPLISHMENTS / ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS				
YEAR	DETAIL			
ILAN	DETAIL			
0	• 12 ton-10 wins Including 2 last year   Jahour-9 (Rome-1000)   Kastakina-9 (Tokyo-500)   2 wins over World #1 (2-Barty 1-Ocaka)			