



QUARTERFINALS

DOHA, QATAR

DAY-4 MATCH-2 GLASS COURT

SEED	PLAYERS	RANK	NAT		G1	G2	G3		
[1]	MOSTAFA ASAL	1	EGY	3	11	11	12		
[7]	YOUSSEF SOLIMAN	8	EGY	0	8	4	10		

MATCH TIME: (52m)

[1] MOSTAFA ASAL -01- (EGY)

2025 Q-TERMINALS QATAR CLASSIC

BACK IN DOHA AS THE SPORT'S TOP-RANKED TALENT - AND UNDEFEATED ON THE NEW SEASON - HE IS THE REIGNING WORLD CHAMPION - AND TWO WEEKS AGO, DEFENDED HIS DIAMOND TITLE AT THE EGYPTIAN OPEN. THE YOUNGEST WORLD #1 SINCE THE KHAN DYNASTY OF THE 80'S AND 90'S - LAST SEASON, HE WAS TRULY "A RAGING BULL" - CAPTURING 8 TITLES IN 12 FINALS ... AND LIFTING THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY FOR THE FIRST TIME. REMARKABLY, AT JUST 24-YEARS-OLD, HE IS NOW A 13-TIME MAJOR CHAMPION IN 20 CAREER MAJOR FINALS. FROM EGYPT - GIVE IT UP FOR THE #1 PLAYER IN THE WORLD ... MOSTAFA ASAL.

ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
FINAL					
SEMIFINALS					NEXT
QUARTERFINALS	[7]	YOUSSEF SOLIMAN	7	EGY	11-8 11-4 12-10 (52m)
LAST 16		GREGOIRE MARCHE	20	FRA	11-5 11-8 11-5 (36m)
ROUND 1		RAMIT TANDON	36	IND	11-4 11-7 11-4 (35m)

[7] YOUSSEF SOLIMAN -08- (EGY)

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HERE THIS WEEK WITH A CAREER-HIGH RANKING OF WORLD #8 - LAST SEASON, THIS 28-YEAR-OLD REACHED 2 FINALS - MADE HIS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP QUARTERFINAL DEBUT - AND BY SEASON'S END, CRACKED THE SPORT'S TOP-8 - EARNING A SPOT IN THE PSA SQUASH TOUR FINALS FOR THE FIRST TIME. IN ALL - HE NOW OWNS 10 CAREER PSA TITLES, IS A 19-TIME FINALIST ON TOUR ... AND TONIGHT - FOLLOWING TRIUMPHS THIS WEEK OVER GREG LOBBAN AND DECLAN JAMES - RETURNS TO DOHA'S GLASS COURT IN PURSUIT OF HIS FIRST PLATINUM SEMIFINAL. FROM EGYPT - LET'S HEAR IT FOR YOUSSEF SOLIMAN.

ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
FINAL					
SEMIFINALS					
QUARTERFINALS	[1]	MOSTAFA ASAL	1	EGY	8-11 4-11 10-12 (52m)
LAST 16		DECLAN JAMES	25	ENG	11-8 11-4 12-10 (52m)
ROUND 1		GREG LOBBAN	19	SCO	11-2 11-4 11-1 (18m)

HEAD TO HEAD

THIS IS THE 11TH PSA SQUASH TOUR MEETING BETWEEN THESE TWO TOP TALENTS FROM CAIRO. MOSTAFA ASAL HAS WON NINE OF THOSE PREVIOUS CLASHES - INCLUDING THEIR MOST RECENT- JUST WEEKS AGO - IN THE QUARTERFINALS OF THE EGYPTIAN OPEN.