

# **QUARTERFINALS**

## ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM

DAY-10 MATCH-3 NIGHT SESSION

S	EED	WOMEN'S SINGLES	RANK	NAT	SET-1	SET-2
	[1]	ARYNA SABALENKA	1		WALK	OVER
		MARKETA VONDROUSOVA	60	CZE	INJURED LEFT KNEE DURING P THE QUARTERFINAL	PRACTICE, JUST HOURS BEFORE

MATCH TIME 0:00

#### \* ARYNA SABALENKA ADVANCES TO 5TH CONSECUTIVE US OPEN SEMIFINAL

HEAD TO	HEAD					
YEAR	RNK WINNING PLAYER	RNK LOSING PLAYER	ROUND	EVENT	CATEGORY	RESULT
2025	1 ARYNA SABALENKA	60 M. VONDROUSOVA	QF	US OPEN	GRAND SLAM	WALKOVER
2025	1 ARYNA SABALENKA	59 M.VONDROUSOVA	R2	CINCINNATI	WTA 1000	7-5 6-1
2025	164 M. VONDROUSOVA	1 ARYNA SABALENKA	SF	BERLIN	WTA 500	6-2 6-4
2024	8 M. VONDROUSOVA	2 ARYNA SABALENKA	QF	STUTTGART	WTA 500	3-6 6-3 7-5
2023	5 ARYNA SABALENKA	92 M.VONDROUSOVA	QF	ADELAIDE-1	WTA500	6-3 7-5
2022	2 ARYNA SABALENKA	41 M.VONDROUSOVA	R3	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	GRAND SLAM	5-6 6-3 6-1
2021	7 ARYNA SABALENKA	20 M.VONDROUSOVA	R4	MIAMI	WTA 1000	6-1 6-2
2018	46 ARYNA SABALENKA	104 M.VONDROUSOVA	R1	S'HERTOGENBOSCH	WTA-250	0-6 7-5 6-3
2018	54 M. VONDROUSOVA	63 ARYNA SABALENKA	R3	INDIAN WELLS	WTA 1000	6-2 6-2
2017	233 M. VONDROUSOVA	129 ARYNA SABALENKA	Q2	BIEL	WTA 250	6-6 6-2 6-1

THIS WOULD HAVE BEEN THE 9TH TOUR-LEVEL MEETING BETWEEN THESE TWO GRAND SLAM CHAMPIONS. ARYNA SABALENKA HAS WON FIVE OF THEIR PREVIOUS MATCHES - INCLUDING THEIR MOST RECENT - LAST MONTH IN CINCINNATI. EARLIER THIS SEASON - MARKETA VONDROUSOVA WON THEIR SEMIFINAL CLASH IN BERLIN - THEN PLAYED-ON TO CAPTURE HER FIRST SINGLES TITLE IN OVER TWO YEARS.

#### [1] ARYNA SABALENKA -O1-2025 US OPEN ROAD TO SEMIFINALS **ROUND OPPONENT RANK NAT RESULT SEED FINAL SEMIFINAL** [4] JESSICA PEGULA 4 USA NEXT QUARTERFINAL MARKETA VONCDROUSOVA 60 CZE WALKOVER **ROUND 4** CRISTINA BUCSA 6-1 6-4 | 1:13 35 ESP **ROUND 3** LEYLAH FERNANDEZ [31] 30 CAN 6-3 7-6(2) | 1:39 7-6(4) 6-2 | 1:36 **ROUND 2** POLINA KUDERMETOVA 67 ROUND I REBECCA MASAROVA 7-5 6-1 | 1:21 108 SUI **DIRECT ENTRY**

MARKETA VONDR	OUSOVA -	-60- (CZE)		2025 US OPEN	
ROUND	SEED	OPPONENT	RANK	NAT	RESULT
QUARTERFINAL	[1]	ARYNA SABALENKA	1		WITHDREW   INJURED KNEE IN PRACTICE
ROUND 4	[9]	ELENA RYBAKINA	10	KAZ	6-4 5-7 6-2   1:51
ROUND 3	[7]	JASMINE PAOLINI	8	ITA	7-6(4) 6-1   1:26
ROUND 2	[32]	MCCARTNEY KESSLER	41	USA	7-6(7) 6-2   1:49
ROUND I	[Q]	OKSANA SELEKHMETEVA	163		6-3 7-6(3)   1:47
DIRECT ENTRY					

#### **PLAYER BIOGRAPHY**

IN 2023 ... WITH HER RUN TO THE US OPEN FINAL, SHE BECAME THE #1 PLAYER IN THE WORLD. LAST YEAR ... WITH TRADEMARK POWER AND INTENSITY ... SHE EMERGED THE CHAMPION. AND AFTER FINALIST RUNS THIS YEAR AT THE AUSTRALIAN OPEN AND ROLAND GARROS ... SHE IS NOW A 3-TIME GRAND SLAM CHAMPION, A 6-TIME MAJOR FINALIST, OWNS 20 CAREER SINGLES TITLES IN ALL — AND HAS HELD THE SPORT'S TOP RANKING FOR 54 WEEKS COMBINED. NEW YORK, GIVE IT UP FOR THE DEFENDING CHAMPION AND #1 PLAYER IN THE WORLD ... ARYNA SABALENKA.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
		Sep-2023   Claimed the World #1 ranking after reaching 2023 US Open Final
1	1	Held the sport's top-ranking for 52-weeks combined
_		Former World #1 in Doubles - After capturing second Major Doubles title at 2021 Australian Open

US OPEN	IS OPEN 2024 US OPEN SINGLES CHAMPION   2019 US OPEN DOUBLES CHAMPION SINGLES RESULTS: 3							
YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL					
2025	1	SF	• R1 Masarova-108, R2 P.Kudermetova-67, R3 Fernandez-30, R4 Bucsa-35, QF walkover Vondrousova-60, SF Pegula-4					
2024	2	W	• R1 Hon-203, R2 Bronzetti-76, R3 Alexandrova-31, R4 Mertens-35, QF Zheng-7, SF Navarro-12, Pegula-6					
2023	2	F	Coco Gauff -06- (USA) - SABALENKA'S FIRST US OPEN SINGLES FINAL   Climbed to World #1 on Monday					
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** 3 GRAND SLAM SINGLES TITLES, 6 FINALS | 2-TIME MAJOR DOUBLES CHAMPION **SINGLES RESULTS: 98-26 AUSTRALIAN OPEN ROLAND GARROS US OPEN** WIMBLEDON **DETAILS YEAR** 2025 2024 w QF Injury W • AO & US: 2nd and 3rd Majors • AO: 1st Major Singles title. Rybakina deciding set w 2023 SF F R4 R3 Not Welcome SF 2022 2021 R4 R3 SF SF R1 R3 2020 Not Held R2 R2 R2 2019 R3 R1 2018 R1 R1 R1 R4 • US: Upset #5 Kvitova to reach 1st Major R4 Q2 Q1 R2 Q1 • Wimbledon: World #136, 1st Major qualification 2017 Q2 • US: Grand Slam Qualifying debut (18 years old)

WTA TOUR SINGLES RECORD: 470-198

TITLES: 20 FINALS: 38 4 WTA FINALS APPEARANCES (2022 FINALIST) | 9 WTA-1000 SINGLES TITLES (13 FINALS)

YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL	
2025	3	4	• W: Brisbane-500, Miami-1000, Madrid-1000	F: Australian Open, Indian Wells-1000, Stuttgart-500, Roland Garros
2024	4	3	• W: Australian Open, Cincinnati-1000, US OPEN, Wuhan-1000	F: Brisbane-500, Madrid-1000, Rome-1000
2023	3	3	• W: Adelaide-500, Australian Open, Madrid-1000	F: US Open, Indian Wells-1000, Stuttgart-500
2022	0	3	•	F: Stuttgart, s'Hertogenbosch, WTA Finals
2021	2	1	• W: Abu Dhabi, Madrid	F: Stuttgart
2020	3	0	W: Ostrava, Doha, Linz	
2019	3	1	W: Shenzhen, Wuhan, Zhuhai	F: San Jose
2018	2	2	W: New Haven, Wuhan	F: Lugano Eastbourne
2017	0	1	•	F: 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	• 48 Top-10 wins   including 5 World #1 triumps
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<sup>\* 2-</sup>time Grand Slam Doubles Champion with Elise Mertens - 2019 US Open, 2021 Australian Open

#### PLAYER BIOGRAPHY

ON SUNDAY NIGHT – SHE EARNED HER 16TH CAREER TOP-10 TRIUMPH, DEFEATING WORLD #10 ELENA RYBAKINA – AND TONIGHT, RETURNS TO THE BRIGHT LIGHTS OF ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM ... THROUGH TO THE US OPEN QUARTERFINALS FOR A SECOND TIME. RANKED AS HIGH AS WORLD #6 ... SHE IS A WIMBLEDON CHAMPION, A ROLAND GARROS FINALIST, AN OLYMPIC SILVER MEDALIST – AND IN ALL, NOW OWNS 3 CAREER SINGLES TITLES IN 7 CAREER FINALS. BATTLING FOR A SPOT IN HER THIRD GRAND SLAM SEMIFINAL – FROM CZECHIA – NEW YORK, WELCOME BACK ... MARKETA VONDROUSOVA.

CURRENT RANK	CAREER-HIGH	DETAIL
60	6	SEP-23   World #42 when she won Wimbledon, jumped to World #6 by late September

US OPEN	US OPEN SINGLES RESULTS: 13-5						
YEAR	RANK	RESULT	DETAIL				
2025	60	QF	• R1 Selekhmeteva-163, R2 Kessler-41, R3 Paolini-8, R4 Rybakina-10, QF Sabalenka-1 WITHDREW BEFORE Q	F, INJURED LEFT KNEE IN PRACTICE			
2024			• INJURY - LEFT SHOULDER				
2023	9	QF	• R1 Han-241, R2 Trevisan-58, R3 Alexandrova-20, R4 Stearns-59, QF fell to Keys-17	ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM DEBUT			
2022			WRIST INJURY - SURGERY				
2021	38	R2	• R1 Ruse-108, R2 fell to Kasatkina-27				
2020	19	R2	• R1 Minnen-107, R2 fell to Sasnovich-106				
2019			• WRIST INJURY - SURGERY				
2018	103	R4	• R1 Barthel-111, R2 Bouchard-137, R3 Bertens-13, R4 fell to Tsurenko-36				
2017	67	R1	R1 fell to Kuznetsova-8				

GRAND SLAM SINGLES RESULTS: 48-26

YEAR	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN	DETAILS
2025	THIGH INJURY	R3	R2	QF	•
2024	R1	QF	R1	SHOULDER INJURY	•
2023	R3	R2	W	QF	W23: 1st Major title
2022	R3		WRIST INJURY		•
2021	R4	R4	R2	R2	•
2020	R1	R1	NOT HELD	R2	•
2019	R2	F	R1	WRIST INJURY	RG19: 1st Major Final at 19-years-old
2018	R2	R1	R1	R4	•
2017		R2	R1	R1	•

### WTA TOUR 3 CAREER SINGLES TITLES, 7 FINALS - OLYMPIC SILVER MEDALIST

**SINGLES RECORD: 294-129** 

TITLES: 3 FINALS: 7

1 WTA FINALS APPEARANCE (2023)

YEAR	TITLE	FINAL	DETAIL		
2025	1	0	• W: Berlin-500 first title since winning Wimbledon 2-years prior		
2024	0	0	•		
2023	1	0	• W: Wimbledon   1st unseeded player in Open Era to win Wimbledon - cracked top-10		
2022	0	0	Missed 2nd-half of the season with injuries		
2021	0	1	•	F: Olympic Silver Medallist	
2020	0	0	Missed 2nd-half of the season with injuries		
2019	0	3	•	F: Budpest-250, Istanbul-250, Roland Garros - cracked top-20	
2018	0	0	•		
2017	1	0	• W: Biel-250   [Q] ranked #233 - 8 wins to capture 1st Singles title - cracked top-100 in 2017	17-years-old	

### TEAM EVENTS

EVENT	DETAIL	
OLYMPICS	• 1st Czech woman ever to compete for Singles Gold - after being injured much of 2020, she used a [PR16] for entry	
BILLIE JEAN KING CUP	• Since 2017   3-time Billie Jean King Cup SEMIFINALIST, 11-2 Singles record	
UNITED CUP	• 2024; (1-1) in her United Cup debut	

## NOTABLE ACCOMPLISHMENTS / ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR	DETAIL
•	• 16 Top-10 wins   Latest: Rybakina-10 in 2025 US Open R16 2025, also earned first win over a World #1 - defeated Sabalenka-1 in Berlin-500 Semifinals
RECORD	• 1st unseeded player in Open Era to win Wimbledon
OLYMPICS	• Earned Olympic Silver in Tokyo   As World #46, knew the Czech team was stacked, so entered the main draw with a Protected Ranking
FAMILY	Grandfather, František Frk, was the Czechoslovak national pentathlon champion in 1935