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MEN'S SINGLES SEMI-FINALS

ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM

Ben Shelton (USA) vs [2] Novak Djokovic (SRB)	First Meeting
[1] Carlos Alcaraz (ESP) vs [3] Daniil Medvedev	Alcaraz Leads 2-1

DAY 12 TALKING POINTS

- For the first time since 2011 the Top 3 seeds are in the US Open semi-finals with **Carlos Alcaraz**, **Novak Djokovic** and **Daniil Medvedev**. The trio are joined by unseeded and first-time Grand Slam tournament semi-finalist **Ben Shelton**. It's also the first time since 2018 there are three former US Open champions in the semi-finals. That year Djokovic, Juan Martin del Potro and Rafael Nadal were in the semi-finals.

- **Djokovic** and **Shelton** meet for the first time. Djokovic is playing in his 100th US Open singles match (86-13) while the 20-year-old American is playing in his 7th US Open match (5-1). The 36-year-old Serb is the oldest man to appear in the US Open semi-finals since Jimmy Connors (39) in 1991. He's looking to become the oldest man to win the singles title in the Open Era (since 1968). Ken Rosewall (35), the 1970 winner, is the oldest.

- **Djokovic** is the fourth man to play in at least 100 singles matches in tournament history behind Jimmy Connors (115), Roger Federer (103) and Vic Seixas Jr. (102), who turned 100 years old on 30 August.

- This is Djokovic's record 47th Grand Slam tournament semi-final and he's trying to advance to his 10th US Open final (3-6), which would tie Bill Tilden's record. He's also attempting to reach all four Grand Slam finals this season for the third time in his career (2015, 2021) and overall 36th Grand Slam final (23-12). A few streaks on the line:
  - 30-match winning streak vs. Americans since his last loss to Querrey in 3R at 2016 Wimbledon
  - 14-match Grand Slam tournament winning streak vs. Americans since loss to Querrey (34-3 lifetime in GS events)
  - 12-match winning streak vs. Americans in the US Open (has never lost to an American in US Open)
  - 11-match winning streak in Grand Slam tournament semi-finals since last loss to Thiem at 2019 Roland Garros
  - 10-match hard court winning streak this season (25-1 overall)

- Djokovic has won 21 of his last 22 Grand Slam tournament semi-finals since 2015 with his only SF loss coming to Thiem in five sets at 2019 Roland Garros. Overall, Djokovic is 35-11 in semi-final matches. This is the sixth year (2011-13, 2015, 2021) Djokovic has advanced to the semi-finals in all four Grand Slam events.

- **Shelton** leads the tournament in aces (76) and he is the youngest American man (20) to advance to the US Open semi-finals since Michael Chang (20) in 1992. Shelton is only appearing in his fifth Grand Slam tournament in his young career and in his Australian Open debut in January, he reached the quarter-finals.

- He is the first unseeded US Open semi-finalist since Dimitrov in 2019 (l. to Medvedev). Shelton is also appearing in his first career tour-level singles semi-final and he's trying to become the first unseeded US Open finalist since Mark Philippoussis in 1998 (l. to Rafter). The only unseeded champion in the Open Era is Andre Agassi in 1994. Shelton, who was ranked No. 165 at this time last year, will break the Top 20 from No. 47 to No. 19.

- **Alcaraz** and **Medvedev** meet for the fourth time (Alcaraz leads 2-1). The 20-year-old Spaniard is trying to become the first back-to-back US Open men's champion since Federer won the last of five titles in a row in 2008. Alcaraz is 24-1 in his last four Grand Slam tournaments going back to the beginning of last year's US Open. He is 2-1 in Grand Slam semi-finals. He is trying to become the first man to win three Grand Slam titles at 20-under since Mats Wilander won 4 titles at 1982 Roland Garros, 1983-84 Australian Open and 1985 Roland Garros.

- Medvedev is 4-2 in Grand Slam SF matches and he's eyeing his third US Open final in five years and fifth overall Grand Slam final. He won the 2021 title and was a finalist in 2019. He also was runner-up at 2021-22 Aus. Open.

ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM

[2] Novak Djokovic (SRB) vs Ben Shelton (USA) — First Meeting

BEN SHELTON	Time	Round	Time	[2] NOVAK DJOKOVIC
d. Pedro Cachin 1-6 6-3 6-2 6-4	2:07	**1R**	1:35	d. Alexandre Muller 6-0 6-2 6-3
d. Dominic Thiem 7-6(1) 1-0 ret.	1:07	**2R**	2:00	d. Bernabe Zapata Miralles 6-4 6-1 6-1
d. Aslan Karatsev 6-4 3-6 6-2 6-0	2:18	**3R**	3:45	d. [32] Laslo Djere 4-6 4-6 6-1 6-1 6-3
d. [14] Tommy Paul 6-4 6-3 4-6 6-4	2:49	**4R**	2:26	d. [Q] Borna Gojo 6-2 7-5 6-4
d. [10] Frances Tiafoe 6-2 3-6 7-6(7) 6-2	3:07	**QF**	2:35	d. [9] Taylor Fritz 6-1 6-4 6-4
14-4 in Sets - 66 of 77 service games won (86%), saved 15 of 26 break pts. (58%), converted 24 of 42 break pts. (57%)	11:28	**Total**	12:21	15-2 in Sets – 67 of 74 service games won (91%), saved 24 of 31 break pts.(77%), converted 32 of 60 break pts. (53%)

BEN SHELTON	vs	NOVAK DJOKOVIC
20 (9 October 2002)	**Age (Birthdate)**	36 (22 May 1987)
No. 47 (No. 35 on 8 May 2023)	**Pepperstone ATP Ranking (High)**	No. 2 (No. 1 on 4 July 2011)
Atlanta, GA, USA	**Birthplace**	Belgrade, Serbia
17-20 (13-10)	**2023 W-L (Hard)**	43-5 (25-1)
20-23 (16-13)	**Career W-L (Hard)**	1,074-211 (680-122)
0	**Career Titles (Hard)**	95 (68)
10-4 (2023 US Open SF)	**Grand Slam W-L (Best Finish)**	359-48 (23 Titles)
5-1 (2023 SF)	**US Open W-L (Best Finish)**	86-13 (2011, 2015, 2018 Title)
3-1 (0-1)	**5th-Set W-L (US Open)**	38-11 (9-2)
0	**Comebacks from 2 Sets Down**	8
15-14 (13-10)	**Career Tiebreak W-L (2023)**	317-163 (24-5)
$1,425,487 ($1,142,095)	**Career Prize Money (2023)**	$172,281,484 ($7,590,175)
Bryan Shelton	**Coach**	Goran Ivanisevic

BEN SHELTON

US Open Stats

> The 20-year-old left-hander is the youngest American man in the US Open semi-finals since Chang (20) in 1992. He's trying to become the first American to reach the final since Roddick in 2006 (l. to Federer). Roddick is also last American to reach a Grand Slam tournament final at 2009 Wimbledon (l. to Federer in 5 sets). Roddick won the '03 US Open title.
> Will move from No. 47 and break the Top 20 at No. 19. Will reach No. 15 if he reaches the final.
> Last year came in as a No. 165-ranked wild card and lost to Borges 6-3 in 5th set.
> Reached mixed doubles semi-finals w/Townsend (l. to Krajicek/Pegula).
> Played doubles with long-time friend Eubanks and they lost in 1R to top seeds Koolhof/Skupski 7-5 7-6(5).
> Father, Bryan, won his US Open debut in 1989 (d. Potier, l. to Connors) and never advanced past 2R in 7 appearances.

Career Highlights

> Achieved career-high ranking of No. 35 on 8 May 2023 (youngest American in Top 50) after breaking into Top 100 in November 2022, Top 200 in August 2022, Top 500 in June 2022.
> Advanced to 2023 Australian Open QF (l. to Paul) at age 20 and on his 1st trip outside USA, becoming youngest American man in Australian Open QF since Giammalva Jr., 19, in 1982, and in Grand Slam QF since Roddick, 20, at 2002 US Open.
> Upset No. 5 Ruud to reach 2022 Cincinnati 3R in ATP Masters 1000 debut at age 19, becoming youngest American man to earn Top-5 win since Roddick, 18, at 2001 Montreal (d. No. 1 Kuerten).
> Ended 2022 on ATP Challenger Tour with 3 indoor titles in as many weeks at Charlottesville, Knoxville, Champaign.
> Posted 65-10 singles record in 2 seasons for University of Florida, clinching 2021 NCAA team title and 2022 NCAA singles title while being coached by his father Bryan, a former World No. 55.,

AMERICANS IN US OPEN SEMI-FINALS (since 2003) – Shelton is the fifth different American to advance to the US Open semi-finals since Roddick's title 20 years ago and he's the youngest American man to reach the semi-finals since Michael Chang (20) in 1992.

2023 -- **Ben Shelton**
2022 -- Frances Tiafoe
2006 -- Andy Roddick (F)
2005 -- Andre Agassi (F), Robby Ginepri
2003 -- Andre Agassi (SF), Andy Roddick (W)

NOVAK DJOKOVIC

US Open Stats

> The 36-year-old Serb is appearing in his 13th US Open SF in 17 showings. Has a 9-3 record in SF matches.
> His 13 US Open semi-finals are 2nd-most in Open Era behind Connors (14) and he is oldest US Open semi-finalist since Connors (39) in 1991 (l. to Courier).
> Has 86 US Open wins (playing 100th match) – 3rd in Open Era (Connors 98, Federer 89, Djokovic 86, Agassi 79, Lendl 73).
> Since debut in 2005, only missed 2017 due to right elbow injury and last year. He has a 3-6 record in US Open finals.
> No. 2 seed for 1st time since 2012 and 10th time overall a Top 2 seed -- No. 1 for 8 times (2011, 2013-16, 2019-2021) and No. 2 in 2012.
> In his last Flushing Meadows appearance in 2021, lost to Medvedev in final 6-4 6-4 6-4, falling short of becoming 1st man to win a singles calendar Grand Slam since Rod Laver in 1969. At 34, he was oldest US Open men's singles finalist since Agassi, 35, in 2005 (l. to Federer)
> Owns Open Era record for most US Open men's singles finals (Djokovic 9, Lendl 8, Sampras 8, Connors 7, Federer 7).
> En route to 2021 final, he posted wins after losing opening set against Nishikori in 3R, [WC] Brooksby in 4R, [6] Berrettini in QF and [4] A. Zverev in SF. Entered 2021 season with 31-36 Grand Slam record after losing 1st set (went 10-1 in 2021 Grand Slam tournaments). It marked 1st time in his career in any tournament he posted 4 wins from a set down.
> Captured US Open titles in 2011 (d. No. 2 Nadal), 2015 (d. No. 2 Federer) and 2018 (d. No. 3 Del Potro). Saved 2 match points and rallied from 2 sets down vs. Federer in 2011 SF en route to 1st US Open title.

Most Grand Slam SFs of All Time		Most Grand Slam Finals of All Time		Most US Open Finals of All-Time	
Novak Djokovic	**47**	**Novak Djokovic**	**35 (23-12)**	Biil Tilden	10 (7-2)
Roger Federer	46	Roger Federer	31 (20-11)	**Novak Djokovic**	**9 (3-6)**
Rafael Nadal	38	Rafael Nadal	30 (22-8)	Bill Larned	9 (7-2)
Jimmy Connors	31	Ivan Lendl	19 (8-11)	Pete Sampras	8 (5-3)
Ivan Lendl	28	Pete Sampras	18 (14-4)	Ivan Lendl	8 (3-5)
				Bill Johnston	8 (2-6)

Career Highlights

> Record-tying 6-time Nitto ATP Finals champion owns ATP/WTA record for most weeks at No. 1 (389) as well as Pepperstone ATP Rankings records for most years ended at No. 1 (7). Has finished in Top 3 for 10 consecutive years from 2007-2016 and overall in Top 5 for 15 of 16 years (except 2017 at No. 12).
> All-time leader for most Grand Slam men's singles titles in history (23) and achieved record by capturing his 3rd Roland Garros crown in 2023 to become 1st man to win each Grand Slam event at least 3 times. Has a record 10 Australian Open titles and is 1 of 3 men to hold all 4 Grand Slam championships at same time (also Budge, Laver).
> Owns record for most wins vs. Top 10 (250) and won a personal-best 31 Top 10 matches in 2015.
> Only player to win all 9 ATP Masters 1000 events since start of series in 1990, doing so multiple times for a record total 39 titles (has won 8 of 9 at least 3 times, except for Monte-Carlo-twice).
> Owns 3rd-most men's singles titles in Open Era (95) and 3rd-most men's singles wins in Open Era (1,074).
> Boasts winning records against both Federer (27-23) and Nadal (30-29), as well as win streaks of ATP Tour-record 43 matches (2010-11), ATP Masters 1000-record 31 matches (2011), Open Era-record 30 Grand Slam matches (2015-16).

[1] Carlos Alcaraz (ESP) vs [3] Daniil Medvedev — Alcaraz Leads 2-1

21 Wimbledon (Great Britain)	Grass	R64	Daniil Medvedev	6-4 6-1 6-2
23 ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells (USA)	Hard	F	Carlos Alcaraz	6-3 6-2
23 Wimbledon (Great Britain)	Grass	SF	Carlos Alcaraz	6-3 6-3 6-3

[1] CARLOS ALCARAZ	Time	Round	Time	[3] DANIIL MEDVEDEV
d. Dominik Koepfer 6-2 3-2 ret.	1:00	**1R**	1:14	d. [PR] Attila Balazs 6-1 6-1 6-0
d. [PR] Lloyd Harris 6-3 6-1 7-6(4)	2:28	**2R**	3:04	d. Christopher O'Connell 6-2 6-2 6-7(8) 6-2
d. [26] Daniel Evans 6-2 6-3 4-6 6-3	3:11	**3R**	2:40	d. Sebastian Baez 6-2 6-2 7-6(6)
d. Matteo Arnaldi 6-3 6-3 6-4	1:57	**4R**	2:40	d. [13] Alex de Minaur 2-6 6-4 6-1 6-2
d. [12] Alexander Zverev 6-3 6-2 6-4	2:30	**QF**	2:48	d. [8] Andrey Rublev 6-4 6-3 6-4
14-1 in Sets – 62 of 66 service games won (94%), saved 21 of 25 break pts. (84%), converted 23 of 54 break pts. (43%)	11:06	**Total**	12:26	15-2 in Sets – 62 of 73 service games won (85%), saved 25 of 36 break pts. (69%), converted 36 of 72 break pts. (50%)

CARLOS ALCARAZ	vs	DANIIL MEDVEDEV
20 (5 May 2003)	**Age (Birthdate)**	27 (11 February 1996)
No. 1 (No. 1 on 12 September 2022)	**Pepperstone ATP Ranking (High)**	No. 3 (No. 1 on 28 February 2022)
El Palmar, Murcia, Spain	**Birthplace**	Moscow, Russia
58-6 (21-3)	**2023 W-L (Hard)**	54-11 (37-5)
148-37 (68-21)	**Career W-L (Hard)**	321-129 (253-83)
12 (3)	**Career Titles (Hard)**	20 (18)
41-8 ('22 US Open, '23 Wimbledon Title)	**Grand Slam W-L (Best Finish)**	69-24 (2021 US Open Title)
16-1 (2022 Title)	**US Open W-L (Best Finish)**	28-5 (2021 Title)
9-1 (5-0)	**5th-Set W-L (US Open)**	4-9 (0-1)
0	**Comebacks from 2 Sets Down**	2
53-32 (17-7)	**Career Tiebreak W-L (2023)**	93-68 (11-9)
$20,366,707 ($8,537,064)	**Career Prize Money (2023)**	$32,512,216 ($5,911,834)
Juan Carlos Ferrero	**Coach**	Gilles Cervara

CARLOS ALCARAZ

US Open Stats

> The 20-year-old Spaniard is appearing in the semi-finals for the second straight year and 4th straight Grand Slam tournament he's played going back to last year's US Open. Has a 24-1 record in that stretch with only loss to Djokovic in SF at Roland Garros in June.

> Trying to become first man under-21 to win two tournament titles since Ellsworth Vines at age 19-20 in 1931-32.

> Last year was the No. 3 seed and beat No. 7-ranked Ruud in 4 sets to become 1st teenager to capture US Open men's title since Sampras in 1990 (19 years, 28 days). Afterwards became the 28th World No. 1 (and youngest) in the history of the Pepperstone ATP Rankings (since 1973). Became 1st man to win US Open title in 1st or 2nd appearance since Pancho Gonzales in 1948 (2nd).

> En route to title, earned 5-set wins over [15] Cilic in 4R, [11] Sinner in QF in 5h, 15m - saved 1 MP and [22] Tiafoe in SF. Was 1st man to save match point en route to US Open title since Wawrinka in 2016 (1 vs. Evans in 3R). Has 5-0 record in 5-set matches at Flushing Meadows.

> Spent 20 hours, 19 minutes on court – most through 6 US Open matches on record (since 1999) and most through 6 Grand Slam matches on record since Anderson played for 21:01 en route to 2018 Wimbledon final (l. to Djokovic in 2:19). In final, spent 3:20 vs. Ruud and finished tournament with US Open on record (since 1999) with 23 hours, 39 minutes on court. The previous record was 2012 champion Murray with 21 hours, 51 minutes.

> Made US Open debut ranked No. 55 at 18 in 2021 and became youngest men's quarter-finalist at this event since Thomaz Koch, 18, at 1963 US Championships (Amateur Era) and youngest at Grand Slam since 18-year-old Chang at 1990 Roland Garros.

> Won 5th-set TB vs. No. 3 Tsitsipas in 3R to earn his first Top 3 win of career (ret. vs. Auger-Aliassime due to upper right leg injury).

Career Highlights
> Youngest and first teenage World No. 1 and year-end No. 1 in Pepperstone ATP Rankings history (since 1973), making record rise from No. 32 at end of 2021 to No. 1 at age 19 in September 2022, then remaining atop rankings through end of season earning a total of 36 weeks (as of 4 September). Has won a career-best 58 matches in 2023 (57 last year).
> Became third Spanish man in Wimbledon history to win the singles title after Nadal (2008, 2010) and Santana (1966), defeating Djokovic in a 5-set battle for his 2nd Grand Slam title.
> Beat Ruud in 2022 US Open final for No. 1 ranking, becoming youngest men's champion at US Open since Sampras, 19, in 1990 and at any Grand Slam event since Nadal, 19, at 2005 Roland Garros.
> Became youngest ATP 500 champion at 2022 Rio de Janeiro (169 events since 2009) and 3rd-youngest ATP Masters 1000 champion at 2022 Miami (since 1990).
> Captured 9 titles as a teenager (9-3 in finals), behind Borg (17), Nadal (16), Wilander (14), Becker (12) and Agassi (10) and 6th-youngest to win 10 tour-level titles behind Wilander, Borg, Nadal, Becker and Agassi.
> Improved to 4-0 in ATP Masters 1000 finals with repeat title at 2023 Madrid, 2nd-best start in Masters 1000 finals only behind Michael Chang and Jim Courier (both 5-0). Lost his 1st Masters 1000 final at 2023 Cincinnati where he fell to Djokovic in an epic 3h, 49m final (held 1 MP), longest best-of-3 final in ATP Tour era (since 1990).
> Youngest player to defeat both Nadal and Djokovic and 1st to do so at same clay-court event, beating them on back-to-back days en route to 2nd ATP Masters 1000 title at 2022 Madrid.
> Reached 1st Grand Slam QF at 2021 US Open, becoming youngest men's quarter-finalist at US Open since Koch, 18, in 1963 (Amateur Era) and at any Grand Slam since Chang, 18, at 1990 Roland Garros.

US Open Champions Defending 1st Grand Slam Title (Open Era) – Alcaraz is trying to become the third player since 2000 to successfully defend his first Grand Slam title. The other to accomplish this feat are Rafael Nadal (2005-06 Roland Garros) and Roger Federer (2003-04 Wimbledon). In the Open Era, Alcaraz is one of 16 players to win his first Grand Slam title at the US Open and only two have defended their title – John McEnroe (1979-80) and Patrick Rafter (1997-98).

	US Open Title	Defending Title Result
Carlos Alcaraz	**2022**	**2023 in Semi-finals**
Daniil Medvedev	2021	2022 Fourth Round
Dominic Thiem	2020	2021 DNP
Marin Cilic	2014	2015 Semi-final
Andy Murray	2012	2013 Quarter-final
Juan Martin del Potro	2009	2010 DNP
Andy Roddick	2003	2004 Quarter-final
Lleyton Hewitt	2001	2002 Semi-final
Marat Safin	2000	2001 Semi-final
Patrick Rafter	1997	1998 **Champion**
Pete Sampras	1990	1991 Quarter-final
John McEnroe	1979	1980 **Champion**
Manuel Orantes	1975	1976 Quarter-final
Ilie Nastase	1972	1973 Second Round
Stan Smith	1971	1972 Quarter-final
Arthur Ashe	1968	1969 Semi-final

Best 50-Match Grand Slam Starts – Of the 28 players to hold No. 1 in the history of the Pepperstone ATP Rankings, McEnroe has the best Grand Slam tournament start after 50 matches, compiling a 42-8 record. Alcaraz could tie McEnroe's mark with a semi-final victory. Here is how Alcaraz stacks up to the other players to rank No. 1:

	W-L
John McEnroe	42-8
Carlos Alcaraz	41-8
Boris Becker	41-9

Bjorn Borg	41-9
Jimmy Connors	41-9
Mats Wilander	41-9
Rafael Nadal	40-10
Andre Agassi	39-11
Jim Courier	39-11
Yevgeny Kafelnikov	39-11
Novak Djokovic	38-12
Juan Carlos Ferrero	38-12
Marat Safin	38-12
Stefan Edberg	37-13
Andy Roddick	37-13
Pete Sampras	37-13
Ivan Lendl	36-14
Andy Murray	36-14
Lleyton Hewitt	35-15
Gustavo Kuerten	35-15
Ilie Nastase	35-15
Roger Federer	34-16
Daniil Medvedev	34-16
Marcelo Rios	34-16
Carlos Moya	32-18
John Newcombe	31-19
Patrick Rafter	31-19
Thomas Muster	30-20

DANIIL MEDVEDEV

US Open Stats

> The 2021 US Open champion is appearing in his fourth semi-final in five years (except last year-4R)
> He is making 7th straight visit and last year had 10-match Flushing Meadows winning streak snapped by Kyrgios 4R.
> Has a 7-7 career record vs. Top 10 opponents in Grand Slam events 2-2 at US Open) and 36-36 overall (7-4 in 2023).
> Has won 50+ matches in 3 of past 5 seasons (63 in 2021, 59 in 2019) and 2nd this year behind Alcaraz (58).
> Comes in as a Top 3 seed for the 3rd year in a row and as a Top 5 seed for 5th consecutive year.
> Won 1st Grand Slam title and denied Djokovic calendar Grand Slam by beating the Serb 6-4 6-4 6-4 in 2021 final.
> Became 2nd men's player since Lendl in 1987 to lose 1 set en route to US Open title (also Nadal in 2010).
> Advanced to 1st Grand Slam final at 2019 US Open, rallying from 2 sets down vs. No. 2 Nadal before falling in 5 sets.
> Boasts a 28-5 record at US Open (.845) – his most wins and highest win percentage at a Grand Slam tournament.
> Leads all players on ATP Tour since 2018 in hard-court titles (18), finals (27) and wins (234).
> Became the 15th active player to record 250 career hard court wins (253-83), first player currently under age 30.

2023 HARD COURT WIN LEADERS

	W-L	Titles
1) **Daniil Medvedev**	37-5	4
2) Taylor Fritz	35-10	2
3) Jannik Sinner	28-7	2
4) Tommy Paul	26-10	0
Alex de Minaur	26-11	1
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Novak Djokovic	25-1	3

Career Highlights
> Spent 16 weeks as World No. 1 in 2022, becoming tallest No. 1 in history at 1.98m (6'6") and 1st No. 1 other than Djokovic, Federer, Murray and Nadal since Roddick in 2004.
> Four-time Grand Slam finalist owns 5-3 record vs. Djokovic when Serb is World No. 1, including 6-4 6-4 6-4 win in 2021 US Open final that denied Djokovic calendar Grand Slam.
> Beat No. 1 Djokovic, No. 2 Nadal and No. 3 Thiem en route to 2020 Nitto ATP Finals title, becoming 1st player to sweep Top 3 in tournament history and anywhere on ATP Tour since 2007 Madrid (Nalbandian).
> Qualified for this year's Nitto ATP Finals in Turin (along with Alcaraz, Djokovic) and will be making his 5th appearance.
> Earned 20 straight wins from 2020-21 (12 vs. Top 10), led ATP Tour with 63 victories in 2021, and captured team titles at 2021 ATP Cup, Laver Cup and Davis Cup.
> Won 18 of his 20 singles titles on hard courts and all 20 of his titles at different events, including ATP Masters 1000 championships at 2019 Cincinnati, 2019 Shanghai, 2020 Paris, 2021 Toronto, 2023 Miami and 2023 Rome, his 1st career clay ATP Tour title.

Medvedev vs World No. 1 Opponents (5-5)

(5-3 vs Djokovic)
L at 2019 Australian Open 4R
W at 2019 ATP Masters 1000 Monte Carlo QF
W at 2019 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati SF
W at 2020 Nitto ATP Finals Round Robin
L at 2021 Australian Open Final
W at 2021 US Open Final
L at 2021 ATP Masters 1000 Paris Final
W at 2023 Dubai SF

(0-1 vs. Nadal)
L at 2019 Nitto ATP Finals Round Robin

(0-1 vs. Alcaraz)
L at 2023 Wimbledon SF

POTENTIAL FINAL HEAD-TO-HEADS

[1] Carlos Alcaraz (ESP) vs [2] Novak Djokovic (SRB) — Series Tied 2-2

22 ATP Masters 1000 Madrid (Spain)	Clay	SF	Carlos Alcaraz	6-7(5) 7-5 7-6(5)
23 Roland Garros (France)	Clay	SF	Novak Djokovic	6-3 5-7 6-1 6-1
23 Wimbledon (Great Britain)	Grass	F	Carlos Alcaraz	1-6 7-6(6) 6-1 3-6 6-4
23 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati (USA)	Hard	F	Novak Djokovic	5-7 7-6(7) 7-6(4)

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23 ATP Masters 1000 Toronto (Canada)	Hard	R32	Carlos Alcaraz	6-3 7-6(3)

[3] Daniil Medvedev vs [2] Novak Djokovic (SRB) — Djokovic Leads 9-5

17 SRB vs. RUS WG 1st RD (Serbia)	Hard	RR	Novak Djokovic	3-6 6-4 6-1 1-0 RET
17 Eastbourne (Great Britain)	Grass	SF	Novak Djokovic	6-4 6-4
19 Australian Open (Australia)	Hard	R16	Novak Djokovic	6-4 6-7(5) 6-2 6-3
19 ATP Masters 1000 Monte Carlo	Clay	QF	Daniil Medvedev	6-3 4-6 6-2
19 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati (USA)	Hard	SF	Daniil Medvedev	3-6 6-3 6-3
20 ATP Cup (Australia)	Hard	SF	Novak Djokovic	6-1 5-7 6-4
20 Nitto ATP Finals (Great Britain)	Hard	RR	Daniil Medvedev	6-3 6-3
21 Australian Open (Australia)	Hard	F	Novak Djokovic	7-5 6-2 6-2
21 US Open (U.S.A.)	**Hard**	**F**	**Daniil Medvedev**	**6-4 6-4 6-4**
21 ATP Masters 1000 Paris (France)	Hard	F	Novak Djokovic	4-6 6-3 6-3
22 Astana (Kazakhstan)	Hard	SF	Novak Djokovic	4-6 7-6(6) RET
22 Nitto ATP Finals (Italy)	Hard	RR	Novak Djokovic	6-3 6-7(5) 7-6(2)
23 Adelaide 1 (Australia)	Hard	SF	Novak Djokovic	6-3 6-4
23 Dubai (U.A.E.)	Hard	SF	Daniil Medvedev	6-4 6-4

[3] Daniil Medvedev vs Ben Shelton (USA) — First Meeting