

MOSELLE OPEN – ATP MEDIA NOTES PREVIEW & DAY 1 – SUNDAY 3 NOVEMBER 2024

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2024 MOSELLE OPEN SINGLES

SEED	PLAYER	2024 W-L (BEST FINISH)	METZ W-L (BEST FINISH)
1	Andrey Rublev	42-23 (Hong Kong, Madrid Titles)	0-0 (Debut)
2	Casper Ruud (NOR)	49-22 (Barcelona, Geneva Titles)	0-0 (Debut)
3/WC	Grigor Dimitrov (BUL)	46-18 (Brisbane Title)	0-1 (2011 1R)
4	Holger Rune (DEN)	45-23 (Brisbane Final)	3-2 (2021-22 QF)
5*	Ugo Humbert (FRA)	39-23 (Dubai, Marseille Titles)	5-4 (2023 Title)
6	Pedro Martinez (ESP)	18-22 (Estoril Final)	0-0 (Debut)
7	Jan-Lennard Struff (GER)	28-19 (Munich Title)	4-4 (2014 SF)
8	Alex Michelsen (USA)	28-28 (Newport, Winston-Salem Finals)	0-0 (Debut)

* Does not include ATP Masters 1000 Paris final vs. Zverev on Sunday

Tournament History	2003-2019, 2021-Present (21st Edition)
Singles Final	Saturday 9 November at 4:30pm
Wild Cards (3)	Grigor Dimitrov (BUL), Richard Gasquet (FRA), Harold Mayot (FRA)
Qualifiers (4)	TBD on Sunday 3 November
Oldest Player	Richard Gasquet (38)
#NextGenATP (1)	Alex Michelsen (20)
Tournament Records	<u>Most Titles</u> – Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (4)
	<u>Most Wins</u> – Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (23)
	<u>Youngest Champion</u> – Novak Djokovic, 19, in 2006
	<u>Oldest Champion</u> – Jo-Wilfried Tsonga, 34, in 2019
	Highest-Ranked Champion – No. 7 Jo-Wilfried Tsonga in 2012
	Lowest-Ranked Champion – No. 185 Jerome Haehnel in 2004
	Last French Champion – Ugo Humbert in 2023

COUNTRY BREAKDOWN (15)

France (7)	Richard Gasquet, Hugo Gaston, Ugo Humbert, Adrian Mannarino, Harold Mayot, Corentin Moutet, Arthur Rinderknech		
Spain (3)	Roberto Bautista Agut, Roberto Car		inez
Argentina (1)	Facundo Diaz Acosta	,	
Belgium (1)	Zizou Bergs	Great Britain (1)	Cameron Norrie
Brazil (1)	Thiago Monteiro	India (1)	Sumit Nagal
Bulgaria (1)	Grigor Dimitrov	Italy (1)	Lorenzo Sonego
China (1)	Buyunchaokete	Kazakhstan (1)	Alexander Shevchenko
Denmark (1)	Holger Rune	Norway (1)	Casper Ruud
Germany (1)	Jan-Lennard Struff	United States (1)	Alex Michelsen
	Andrey Rublev		

NOTE: Country breakdown excludes 4 qualifiers (TBD on Sunday)

PIF ATP RANKING POINTS AND PRIZE MONEY

Moselle Open	W	F	SF	QF	R16	R32
Singles Ranking Points	250	165	100	50	25*	0
Singles Prize Money (€)	88,125	51,400	30,220	17,510	10,165	6,215
Doubles Ranking Points	250	150	90	45	0	
Doubles Prize Money (€)	30,610	16,380	9,600	5,370	3,160	

* Singles players who receive a bye in R32 and lose in R16 earn 0 ranking points



2024 MOSELLE OPEN DOUBLES

SEED	PLAYER	TEAM (BEST FINISH)	2024 (BEST FINISH)	METZ (BEST FINISH)
1	Santiago Gonzalez (MEX)	76-40 (40-15 in 2024)	31-28 (2 Finals)	2-4 (2019 SF)
	Edouard Roger-Vasselin (FRA)	5 Titles (3 SFs in 2024)	30-25 (Hamburg Final)	24-4 ('12, '15, '17-'18 Titles)
2	Hugo Nys (MON)	78-59 (29-23 in 2024)	33-25 (Acapulco Title)	11-3 (2022-23 Titles)
2	Jan Zielinski (POL)	4 Titles (1 in 2024)	30-24 (Acapulco Title)	11-0 (2021-23 Titles)
2	Julian Cash (GBR)	5-4 (5-4 in 2024)	29-24 (3 Titles)	0-0 (Debut)
3	Lloyd Glasspool (GBR)*	1 Title (2024 Tokyo)	35-29 (2 Titles)	4-2 (2022 Final)
4	Alexander Erler (AUT)	4-0 (4-0 in 2024)	29-21 (3 Titles)	0-0 (Debut)
	Andreas Mies (GER)	1 Title (2024 Kitzbuhel)	22-20 (Kitzbuhel Title)	2-1 (2023 SF)

Doubles Final: Saturday 9 November at 2:00 pm.

* Does not include ATP Masters 1000 Paris final w/Pavlasek vs. Koolhof/Mektic on Sunday

PIF ATP LIVE RACE TO TURIN

Player	Points	This Week		
Jannik Sinner (ITA)	10,330			
Alexander Zverev (GER)	6,965	Paris +350 for final win vs. Humbert		
Carlos Alcaraz (ESP)	6,810			
Daniil Medvedev	4,830			
Taylor Fritz (USA)	4,300			
Novak Djokovic (SRB)	3,910			
Casper Ruud (NOR)	3,855	Metz 2R vs. Bautista Agut or Qualifier		
Alex de Minaur (AUS)	3,745	Belgrade 2R vs. Djere or Wawrinka		
Andrey Rublev	3,720	Metz 2R vs. Diaz Acosta or Sonego		
Grigor Dimitrov (BUL)	3,340	Metz 2R vs. Norrie or Carballes Baena		
	Jannik Sinner (ITA) Alexander Zverev (GER) Carlos Alcaraz (ESP) Daniil Medvedev Taylor Fritz (USA) Novak Djokovic (SRB) Casper Ruud (NOR) Alex de Minaur (AUS) Andrey Rublev	Jannik Sinner (ITA)10,330Alexander Zverev (GER)6,965Carlos Alcaraz (ESP)6,810Daniil Medvedev4,830Taylor Fritz (USA)4,300Novak Djokovic (SRB)3,910Casper Ruud (NOR)3,855Alex de Minaur (AUS)3,745Andrey Rublev3,720		

BOLD: Qualified for 2024 Nitto ATP Finals in Turin (10-17 November) X: out of contention

MOSELLE OPEN SINGLES FINALS

YEAR	CHAMPION	FINALIST	SCORE			
2023	Ugo Humbert (FRA)	Alexander Shevchenko	6-3 6-3			
2022	Lorenzo Sonego (ITA)	Alexander Bublik (KAZ)	7-6(3) 6-3			
2021	Hubert Hurkacz (POL)	Pablo Carreno Busta (ESP)	7-6(2) 6-3			
2020	TOURNAME	TOURNAMENT NOT HELD				
2019	Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (FRA)	Aljaz Bedene (SLO)	6-7(4) 7-6(4) 6-3			
2018	Gilles Simon (FRA)	Matthias Bachinger (GER)	7-6(2) 6-1			
2017	Peter Gojowczyk (GER)	Benoit Paire (FRA)	7-5 6-2			
2016	Lucas Pouille (FRA)	Dominic Thiem (AUT)	7-6(5) 6-2			
2015	Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (FRA)	Gilles Simon (FRA)	7-6(5) 1-6 6-2			
2014	David Goffin (BEL)	Joao Sousa (POR)	6-4 6-3			
2013	Gilles Simon (FRA)	Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (FRA)	6-4 6-3			
2012	Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (FRA)	Andreas Seppi (ITA)	6-1 6-2			
2011	Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (FRA)	Ivan Ljubicic (CRO)	6-3 6-7(4) 6-3			
2010	Gilles Simon (FRA)	Mischa Zverev (GER)	6-3 6-2			
2009	Gael Monfils (FRA)	Philipp Kohlschreiber (GER)	7-6(1) 3-6 6-2			
2008	Dmitry Tursunov	Paul-Henri Mathieu (FRA)	7-6(6) 1-6 6-4			
2007	Tommy Robredo (ESP)	Andy Murray (GBR)	0-6 6-2 6-3			
2006	Novak Djokovic (SRB)	Jurgen Melzer (AUT)	4-6 6-3 6-2			
2005	Ivan Ljubicic (CRO)	Gael Monfils (FRA)	7-6(7) 6-0			
2004	Jerome Haehnel (FRA)	Richard Gasquet (FRA)	7-6(9) 6-4			
2003	Arnaud Clement (FRA)	Fernando Gonzalez (CHI)	6-3 1-6 6-3			

BOLD: Player in 2024 Moselle Open singles draw.



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MOSELLE OPEN DOUBLES FINALS

YEAR	CHAMPION	FINALIST	SCORE
2023	Hugo Nys / Jan Zielinski	Constatin Frantzen / Hendrik Jebens	6-4 6-4
2022	Hugo Nys / Jan Zielinski	Lloyd Glasspool / Harri Heliovaara	7-6(5) 6-4
2021	Hubert Hurkacz / Jan Zielinski	Hugo Nys / Arthur Rinderknech	7-5 6-3
2020	TOURNAMENT NOT H	ELD	
2019	Robert Lindstedt / Jan-Lennard Struff	Nicolas Mahut / Edouard Roger-Vasselin	2-6 7-6(1) [10-4]
2018	Nicolas Mahut / Edouard Roger-Vasselin	Ken Skupski / Neal Skupski	6-1 7-5
2017	Julien Benneteau / Edouard Roger-Vasselin	Wesley Koolhof / Artem Sitak	7-5 6-3
2016	Julio Peralta / Horacio Zeballos	Mate Pavic / Michael Venus	6-3 7-6(4)
2015	Lukasz Kubot / Edouard Roger-Vasselin	Pierre-Hugues Herbert / Nicolas Mahut	2-6 6-3 [10-7]
2014	Mariusz Fyrstenberg / Marcin Matkowski	Marin Draganja / Henri Kontinen	6-7(3) 6-3 [10-8]
2013	Johan Brunstrom / Raven Klaasen	Nicolas Mahut / Jo-Wilfried Tsonga	6-4 7-6(5)
2012	Nicolas Mahut / Edouard Roger-Vasselin	Johan Brunstrom / Frederik Nielsen	7-6(3) 6-4
2011	Jamie Murray / Andre Sa	Lukas Dlouhy / Marcelo Melo	6-4 7-6(7)
2010	Dustin Brown / Rogier Wassen	Marcelo Melo / Bruno Soares	6-3 6-3
2009	Colin Fleming / Ken Skupski	Arnaud Clement / Michael Llodra	2-6 6-4 [10-5]
2008	Arnaud Clement / Michael Llodra	Mariusz Fyrstenberg / Marcin Matkowski	5-7 6-3 [10-8]
2007	Arnaud Clement / Michael Llodra	Mariusz Fyrstenberg / Marcin Matkowski	6-1 6-4
2006	Richard Gasquet / Fabrice Santoro	Julian Knowle / Jurgen Melzer	3-6 6-1 [11-9]
2005	Michael Llodra / Fabrice Santoro	Jose Acasuso / Sebastian Prieto	5-2 3-5 5-4(4)
2004	Arnaud Clement / Nicolas Mahut	Ivan Ljubicic / Uros Vico	6-2 7-6(8)
2003	Julien Benneteau / Nicolas Mahut	Michael Llodra / Fabrice Santoro	7-6(2) 6-3

BOLD: Player in 2024 Moselle Open doubles draw - teams Frantzen/Jebens and Nys/Zielinski remain intact.

LEXUS ATP HEAD2HEAD: SUNDAY FIRST-ROUND SINGLES MATCHES

CENTER COURT

Sumit Nagal (IND) vs Corentir	Series Tied 1			
24 Marrakech (Morocco)	Clay	R32	Sumit Nagal	4-6 6-3 6-2
24 Paris Olympics (France)	Clay	R64	Corentin Moutet	6-2 2-6 7-5
Other Meetings				
19 Tallahassee CH (U.S.A.)	Clay	QF	Corentin Moutet	6-2 1-6 7-5
19 Savannah CH (U.S.A.)	Clay	QF	Sumit Nagal	6-4 7-5
23 Helsinki CH (Finland)	Hard	Final	Corentin Moutet	6-3 3-6 6-2

Sumit Nagal | Age: 27 | World No. 84 | Career-High No. 68 | 2024: 5-15 (5 times in 2R) | Metz: 0-0 (Debut) > Earned 1st ranking point at age 16 in 2013, broke into Top 200 in 2019 and Top 100 in February 2024 by winning 5th Challenger title in Chennai, achieving career-high No. 68 in July 2024.

> Made ATP Tour debut on home soil at 2018 Pune as Q and Grand Slam debut at 2019 US Open as Q (I. to 5-time champion Federer in 1R), then reached 1st ATP Tour QF at 2021 Buenos Aires.

> Defeated Arnaldi in 2024 Monte-Carlo 1R as Q to become the first Indian to earn an ATP Masters 1000 win on clay.
> Owns 129-106 Challenger record (6-4 in finals), picking up titles at 2017 Bangalore, 2019 Buenos Aires, 2023 Rome, 2023 Tampere, 2024 Chennai and 2024 Heilbronn.

> Peaked at No. 23 in juniors in 2015 and went 88-53 in juniors with wins over future Top 10 players Berrettini, Hurkacz, Shapovalov and Tiafoe, ending junior career by winning 2015 Wimbledon boys' doubles title w/Ly.

NOTE: Nagal is seeking his first indoor ATP Tour win and first hard-court tour-level win since Australian Open in January (d. No. 27 Bublik in 1R, I. to Shang). He is 1-14 against Top 100 players across all levels since ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo (d. No. 66 Diaz Acosta in Basel Q1) and is the first Indian player in singles in tournament history.

Corentin Moutet | Age: 25 | World No. 70 | Career-High No. 51 | 2024: 11-16 (Santiago SF) | Metz: 0-1 (2018 1R) > Former Top-10 junior ended 2022 at career-high No. 51 after winning 6th Challenger title of career at Szczecin and advancing to ATP Masters 1000 Paris 3R as Q.

> Reached 1st ATP Tour final as 20-year-old at 2020 Doha, becoming youngest French finalist on tour since Gasquet, 20, at 2006 Lyon.

> Beat former champion Wawrinka en route to 2022 US Open 4R, becoming 1st men's lucky loser on record to reach US Open 4R, then reached 4R of 2024 Roland Garros and 3R of 2024 Paris Olympics.

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> Defeated future World No. 3 Tsitsipas for 1st Challenger title at 2017 Brest as 18-year-old WC.

> Enjoys rapping and playing piano, having released an 8-song EP entitled "Ecorche" in 2020.

NOTE: Moutet aims to snap a 6-match tour-level losing streak since beating Mejia in Winston-Salem in August and seeks first indoor ATP Tour win since defeating No. 13 Norrie in 2022 ATP Masters 1000 Paris 2R.

[8] Alex Michelsen (USA) vs [WC] Harold Mayot (FRA) First Meeting

Alex Michelsen | Age: 20 | World No. 44 | Career-High No. 43 | 2024: 28-28 (2 Finals) | Metz: 0-0 (Debut) > #NextGenATP player broke inside Top 50 in August 2024 after reaching 3rd ATP Tour final in Winston-Salem and achieved career-high No. 43 in September 2024.

> Became the youngest American man in Grand Slam 3R since Young at 2007 US Open, reaching 3R at Australian Open.

> Earned 1st ATP Tour win and reached 1st QF, SF and final at 2023 Newport, becoming youngest American ATP Tour finalist since Fritz at 2016 Memphis and reached 2nd final at 2024 Newport (held 1 MP vs. Giron in final).
> Defeated No. 9 de Minaur for the biggest win of career in 2024 Los Cabos 2R, before squandering 3 MPs in QF against eventual champion Thompson.

> Also reached 2024 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati doubles final w/McDonald after defeating him in qualifying.
> Reached career-high No. 25 in ITF Juniors, highlighted by 2022 Wimbledon boys' doubles title w/Gorzny.

NOTE: Michelsen is seeded at an ATP Tour event for the 4th time in career, reaching two finals as a seeded player (Newport final, Washington QF, Winston-Salem final). He is No. 2 on <u>PIF ATP Race to Jeddah</u>, looking to make second Next Gen ATP Finals appearance after getting eliminated in Round Robin stage last year.

PIF ATP LIVE RACE TO JEDDAH

Race	Player	Points	This Week
1	Arthur Fils (FRA)	2,380	
2	Alex Michelsen (USA)	1,195	Metz - 1R vs. Mayot
3	Jakub Mensik (CZE)	1,136	
4	Shang Juncheng (CHN)	1,115	Belgrade - 1R vs. Marozsan
5	Luca Van Assche (FRA)	478	Metz – Lost to Barrere in Q1
6	Learner Tien (USA)	449	Knoxville CH - 1R vs. Qualifier
7	Joao Fonseca (BRA)	379	Helsinki CH - 1R vs. Coric
8	Martin Landaluce (ESP)	348	

Harold Mayot | Age: 22 | World No. 107 | Career-High No. 103 | 2024: 4-8 (Montpellier QF) | Metz: 2-1 (2023 QF) > Former world No. 1 junior earned 1st ranking point in 2019, broke into Top 500 in March 2020, Top 200 in May 2023 and achieved career-high No. 103 in October 2024.

> Reached 1st ATP Tour QF as Q in his hometown at 2023 Metz and 2nd QF at 2024 Montpellier as WC.

> Qualified and earned 1st tour-level win at 2023 Wimbledon over compatriot Bonzi (I. to Pella in 2R).

> Made ATP Tour debut at 2020 Marseille and Grand Slam debut at 2020 Roland Garros as a WC.

> Owns 79-65 Challenger record (0-5 in finals), reaching finals at 2022 Tampere, 2023 Mallorca, 2024 Barletta, 2024 Ilkley, and 2024 Orleans .

> Beat compatriot and doubles partner Cazaux in the 2020 Australian Open boys' singles final to become the first Frenchman to win the title since Sidorenko in 2006.

NOTE: Metz-native Mayot reached 1st of 2 ATP Tour QFs at this event last year as Q (I. to eventual champion Humbert). He is 1-6 vs. Top 50 including Challengers, beating No. 44 Nakashima in 2023 Aix-en-Provence CH 2R.