



## 2018 US OPEN

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DAY FOUR MEDIA NOTES | Thursday, 30 August 2018

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## FEATURED MEN'S SINGLES 2R MATCHES

### ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM

Benoit Paire (FRA) vs [2] Roger Federer (SUI)  
[6] Novak Djokovic (SRB) vs Tennys Sandgren (USA)

Federer Leads 6-0  
Djokovic Leads 1-0

### LOUIS ARMSTRONG STADIUM

[LL] Nicolas Mahut (FRA) vs [4] Alexander Zverev (GER)  
Gael Monfils (FRA) vs [21] Kei Nishikori (JPN)

Mahut Leads 1-0  
Nishikori Leads 3-1

### GRANDSTAND

[17] Lucas Pouille (FRA) vs Marcos Baghdatis (CYP)  
[7] Marin Cilic (CRO) vs [Q] Hubert Hurkacz (POL)

First Tour-Level Meeting  
Cilic Leads 1-0

### COURT 17

[30] Nick Kyrgios (AUS) vs Pierre-Hugues Herbert (FRA)  
Alex de Minaur (AUS) vs Frances Tiafoe (USA)

Herbert Leads 1-0  
First Tour-Level Meeting

## DAY FOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Three former US Open champions – No. 2 **Roger Federer**, No. 6 **Novak Djokovic** and No. 7 **Marin Cilic** – headline Thursday's second round action. The four other former US Open winners in the top half of the draw won their first round matches. In addition there are seven Frenchmen among the 16 matches in the order of play. The 10 Frenchmen overall in the second round is the most at the US Open since there were 12 in 2010.
- In the first men's match on Arthur Ashe Stadium, five-time champion **Federer** brings a 6-0 head-to-head record (13-1 in sets) against **Benoit Paire**. In their last meeting in the 2R of Halle on June 21, Federer saved two match points before prevailing 9-7 in a third set tie-break. Federer is looking to remain unbeaten in the first two rounds in Flushing Meadows. He is 17-0 in second round and 18-0 in first round matches. Paire is 6-33 lifetime vs. Top 10 opponents and he's lost his last eight matches since beating No. 3 Wawrinka in the 2R at ATP Masters 1000 Madrid in May 2017. The 29-year-old Frenchman is 1-8 in Grand Slam play vs. Top 10 opponents with his lone win coming over No. 4 Kei Nishikori in the 1R of the 2015 US Open.
- In the evening session on Ashe, two-time champion **Djokovic** takes on American **Tennys Sandgren** for the second time. Djokovic cruised to a 63 61 62 victory over Sandgren in the 1R of Wimbledon en route to his fourth title at the All England Club. Djokovic has compiled an outstanding 28-4 record since a 6-6 start, highlighted by his 13th Grand Slam title at Wimbledon and 31st ATP Masters 1000 title at Cincinnati to become the first player to win the career Golden Masters (all nine Masters 1000 tournaments). Sandgren is 2-2 against Top 10 opponents with both wins coming at the Australian Open in January over No. 8 Wawrinka and No. 5 Thiem en route to the quarter-finals.
- On Louis Armstrong Stadium, No. 4 **Alexander Zverev** attempts to reach the third round at the US Open for the first time in four appearances as he takes on lucky loser **Nicolas Mahut**. In their only previous meeting in the first round of Marseille in February 2017, the Frenchman prevailed in two tie-breaks. The 21-year-old #NextGenATP German star has lost in the second round the past two years. He leads the ATP World Tour this season with 44 match wins. Mahut is 5-38 lifetime against Top 10 opponents (0-9 in Grand Slam play) and he is looking to snap an 11-match losing streak since his last win over No. 10 Wawrinka in the 2013 's-Hertogenbosch final. In the evening session, **Gael Monfils** and No. 21 **Kei Nishikori** meet for the fifth time (Nishikori leads 3-1).
- On Grandstand, No. 17 and top Frenchman **Lucas Pouille**, takes on **Marcos Baghdatis** for the first-time in a tour level tournament and 2014 champion **Cilic** follows against #NextGenATP qualifier **Hubert Hurkacz** of Poland. The Croat won the only previous meeting in four sets at Roland Garros on May 31.
- On Court 17, No. 30 **Nick Kyrgios** meets Frenchman **Pierre-Hugues Herbert** followed by #NextGenATP stars **Alex de Minaur** and **Frances Tiafoe**. The winner will make their second straight Grand Slam third round showing after both advanced to the 3R at Wimbledon. The 19-year-old Aussie is No. 4 in the ATP Race to Milan standings and the 20-year-old American follows at No. 5. The Next Gen ATP Finals will be held Nov. 6-10 in Milan.

## MEN'S SINGLES 2R MATCHES (SHOW COURTS)

### ARTHUR ASHE STADIUM

#### Benoit Paire (FRA) vs [2] Roger Federer (SUI)

12 Basel (Switzerland)	Hard	QF	Roger Federer
13 Australian Open (Australia)	Hard	R128	Roger Federer
13 ATP World Tour Masters 1000 Rome	Clay	SF	Roger Federer
17 Dubai (U.A.E.)	Hard	R32	Roger Federer
17 Basel (Switzerland)	Hard	R16	Roger Federer
18 Halle (Germany)	Grass	R16	Roger Federer

#### Federer Leads 6-0

6-2	6-2
6-2	6-4 6-1
7-6(5)	6-4
6-1	6-3
6-1	6-3
6-3	3-6 7-6(7) – Saved 2 MPs

BENOIT PAIRE	vs	ROGER FEDERER
29 (5/8/89)	Age (Birthdate)	37 (8/8/81)
No. 56 (No. 18 on 1/11/16)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 2 (No. 1 on 2/2/04)
Avignon, France	Birthplace	Basel, Switzerland
Geneva, Switzerland	Residence	Switzerland
22-22 (13-11)	2018 Record (on hard)	34-5 (22-3)
175-191 (91-104)	Career Record (on hard)	1,166-255 (730-146)
0 / 1	2018 Titles / Career Titles	3 / 98
33-31	Career Grand Slam Record	337-53 (12-1)
9-7 (2015 4th Round)	US Open Record (Best Result)	83-12 (2004-08 <b>Champion</b> )
9-6 (0-1)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	30-21 (1-1)
1	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	10
87-83 (13-12)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	432-230 (16-6)
\$6,008,920	Career Prize Money	\$117,507,812
Jean-Charles Diame	Coach	Ivan Ljubicic, Severin Luthi

### BENOIT PAIRE

#### 2018 Highlights

**SF (2):** Pune (I Anderson); Sydney (I de Minaur)

**QF (1):** Montpellier (I Pouille)

#### 2018 in Review

- Improved to 7-1 in 1R matches at US Open with 76 36 75 76 win over Austrian [Q] Novak on Tuesday.
- Advanced to SFs at Pune (d. Fucsovics after saving 5 MPs in 2R, I. to Anderson) and Sydney (I. to de Minaur).
- Lost 10 of last 11 ATP World Tour SFs since reaching biggest final of career at 2015 Tokyo.
- Upset 6-time champion Djokovic in ATP Masters 1000 Miami 2R (I. to Krajinovic in 3R).
- Squandered 1 MP vs. Simon in Marrakech 1R, but reached doubles final w/Roger-Vasselin (I. to Mekic/Peya).
- Also squandered 2 MPs against 9-time champion Federer in Halle 2R.
- Fell to No. 231 Krueger in ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells 1R -- 15th loss to player outside Top 100 since 2016.
- Withdrew from Rotterdam due to back injury.

#### Career Highlights

- > Rose 99 spots to finish 2015 at No. 19, then reached career-high No. 18 on 11 January 2016 following run to Chennai SF. Finished 5 of last 6 seasons in Top 50 (2012-13, 2015-17).
- > Captured 1st ATP World Tour singles title at 2015 Bastad without dropping a set. Also in 2015, won Futures title at Bressuire, FRA and Challenger titles at Bergamo, ITA; Quimper, FRA; and Mouilleron Le Captif, FRA. Became 1st player since Darcis in 2007 to win a tour-level, Challenger and Futures title in same season.
- > Posted double-digit win totals in 7 straight seasons (2012-18). Played 30+ tournaments in 2013, 2016 and 2017, including all 4 Grand Slams and 9 ATP Masters 1000 events. Reached 1st ATP Masters 1000 QF and SF at 2013 Rome.
- > Defeated No. 3 Wawrinka for biggest win of career in 2017 ATP Masters 1000 Madrid 2R. Lost to Wawrinka in biggest final of career at 2015 Tokyo. Teamed w/Wawrinka for lone doubles title at 2013 Chennai.
- > Saved 2 MPs to beat Nishikori en route to 2015 US Open 4R. Also reached 2017 Wimbledon 4R. Won a 5-setter at 4 straight Grand Slam events from 2016 Roland Garros through 2017 Australian Open.

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## ROGER FEDERER

### 2018 Highlights

**W (3):** Australian Open (d Cilic); Rotterdam (d Dimitrov); Stuttgart (d Raonic)

**F (3):** ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells (l Del Potro); Halle (l Coric); ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati (l Djokovic)

**QF (1):** Wimbledon (l Anderson)

### 2018 in Review

- Opened on Tuesday night with a 62 62 64 win over Nishioka to improve to 18-0 in 1R US Open matches.
- Became oldest World No. 1 in 45-year history of ATP Rankings at age 36 on 19 February.
- Owns records for most weeks at No. 1 (310), years since debut at No. 1 (14) and years between stints at No. 1 (5).
- Extended records with 20th Grand Slam title and 30th final at Australian Open (d. Cilic). Tied record with 6th AO title.
- Secured No. 1 ranking with Rotterdam QF win (d. Haase). Went on to win 97th ATP World Tour title (d. Dimitrov).
- Clinched No. 1 most recently with Stuttgart SF win (d. Kyrgios in 3rd-set TB). Went on to win 98th title (d. Raonic).
- Ranked No. 1 for 6 weeks from 19 February-1 April, 1 week from 14-20 May and 1 week from 18-24 June.
- Tied his own record with 34 straight sets won at Wimbledon before squandering 1 MP in QF (l. to Anderson).
- Held in 100 straight service games at ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati (l. to Djokovic in final after being broken 3 times).
- Saved 2 MPs vs. Paire en route to 12th Halle final (l. to Coric).
- Enjoyed career-best 17-0 start before squandering 3 MPs vs. Del Potro in ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells final.
- Fell to Del Potro in 3rd-set TB. Now 1-8 in championship matches decided by final-set TB.
- Also lost 3rd-set TB to No. 175 Kokkinakis in ATP Masters 1000 Miami 2R -- worst loss by World No. 1 since same tournament and round in 2003 (No. 178 Clavet d. No. 1 Hewitt).
- Skipped clay-court season and has not played on surface since 12 May 2016 (l. to Thiem in Rome 3R).

### Career Highlights

> Enjoyed record 310 weeks at No. 1, including record 237 straight from 2 February 2004 to 17 August 2008. Became oldest World No. 1 in 45-year history of ATP Rankings at age 36 on 19 February 2018. Ended 5 seasons as No. 1 (2004-07, 2009), tied with Connors (1974-78) for 2nd-most year-end No. 1 finishes behind Sampras (1993-98).

> Holds Nitto ATP Finals records for titles (6), finals (10), SFs (14), appearances (15) and wins (55), capturing championship in 3 cities (Houston 2003-04, Shanghai 2006-07, London 2010-11) and 5 times with 5-0 record (2003-04, 2006, 2010-11).

> Owns 98 titles, 2nd-most in Open Era behind Connors' 109. Also trails only Connors in wins with 1,166 to American's 1,256. Earned 1,000th victory in 2015 Brisbane final over Raonic. Enjoyed career-long 41-match win streak (2006-07), reached 17 straight finals (2005-06), posted 24-match win streak in finals (2003-05), won 24 straight matches vs. Top 10 (2003-05) and earned record 65 consecutive victories on grass (2003-08). Went 81-4 in 2005 (.953) for highest win percentage since McEnroe went 82-3 in 1984 (.965). Boasts 10 wins vs. World No. 1 and 10 wins from 2 sets down. Never retired in 1,639 matches on tour (1,421 singles and 218 doubles).

> Greatest of all time at Grand Slams with 20 titles in 30 finals and 336 victories overall. One of 8 men to win all 4 majors, securing career Grand Slam at 2009 Roland Garros. Captured record 8th Wimbledon title in 2017. Second-oldest Grand Slam champion in Open Era behind Rosewall (1972 Australian Open). Owns Open Era records for consecutive Grand Slam finals (10), SFs (23) and QFs (36). Won 16 of 27 Grand Slam events from 2003 Wimbledon through 2010 Australian Open, then 1 of 27 from 2010 Roland Garros through 2016 US Open. Owns 27 titles and 359 wins at ATP Masters 1000 events, including Indian Wells/Miami 'Sunshine Double' in 2005-06 and 2017.

> Two-time Olympic medalist, taking gold in doubles at 2008 Beijing w/Wawrinka and silver in singles at 2012 London. Finished 4th in singles at 2000 Sydney. Clinched 2014 Davis Cup title for Switzerland by beating Gasquet for 50th Davis Cup win of career (SUI d. FRA 3-1).

## [6] Novak Djokovic (SRB) vs Tennys Sandgren (USA)

18 Wimbledon (Great Britain)

Grass R128 Novak Djokovic

## Djokovic Leads 1-0

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NOVAK DJOKOVIC	vs	TENNYS SANDGREN
31 (5/22/87)	Age (Birthdate)	27 (7/22/91)
No. 6 (No. 1 on 7/4/11)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 61 (No. 47 on 4/16/18)
Belgrade, Serbia	Birthplace	Gallatin, TN, USA
Monte Carlo, Monaco	Residence	Gallatin, TN, USA
34-10 (12-4)	2018 Record (on hard)	14-16 (7-6)
817-173 (520-99)	Career Record (on hard)	16-22 (9-8)
2 / 70	2018 Titles / Career Titles	0 / 0
252-41	Career Grand Slam Record	5-5
63-10 (2011, 2015 <b>Champion</b> )	US Open Record (Best Result)	1-1 (2018 2nd Round)
29-9 (1-0)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	1-0 (1-0)
4	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	0
228-132 (10-8)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	8-12 (6-12)
\$115,310,890	Career Prize Money	\$1,158,799
Marian Vajda	Coach	Jim Madrigal

## NOVAK DJOKOVIC

### 2018 Highlights

**W (2):** Wimbledon (d Anderson); ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati (d Federer)

**F (1):** London/Queen's Club (l Cilic)

**SF (1):** ATP Masters 1000 Rome (l Nadal)

**QF (1):** Roland Garros (l Cecchinato)

### 2018 in Review

- Won 50th straight Grand Slam 1R match Tuesday over Fucsovics 63 36 64 60 and improved to 13-0 in 1R at US Open.
- Ended career-long 54-week title drought by winning 4th Wimbledon and 13th Grand Slam title overall (d. Anderson).
- As World No. 21, became lowest-ranked Grand Slam champion since No. 44 Gaudio at 2004 Roland Garros.
- Improved to 27-25 vs. Nadal by defeating World No. 1 in Wimbledon SF 10-8 in 5th after 5 hours, 15 minutes.
- Improved to 24-22 vs. Federer by beating World No. 2 for ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati title.
- Became 1st player to win titles at all 9 ATP Masters 1000 events since start of series in 1990.
- Earned 800th career win in London/Queen's Club QF (d. Mannarino), but squandered 1 MP in final (l. to Cilic).
- Advanced to Roland Garros QF-or-better for 9th straight year (l. to Cecchinato in QF).
- Reached ATP Masters 1000 Rome QF-or-better for 12th straight season (l. to Nadal in SF).
- Started year 6-6 with 3 straight losses to Chung in Aus. Open 4R, Daniel in Indian Wells 2R and Paire in Miami 2R.
- Fell to No. 22 in ATP Rankings on 21 May -- lowest since No. 22 on 2 October 2006. Returned to Top 10 on 16 July.
- Underwent surgery on right elbow shortly after Australian Open, which was his 1st tournament in 6 months.

### Career Highlights

> Ended 4 years as World No. 1 (2011-12, 2014-15). One of 7 players to finish 4+ seasons at No. 1 along with Sampras (6), Connors (5), Federer (5), Lendl (4), McEnroe (4) and Nadal (4). Spent 223 total weeks at No. 1, 5th all-time behind Federer's 310, Sampras' 286, Lendl's 270 and Connors' 268. Finished Top 3 and earned 60+ wins in 10 straight seasons (2007-16).

> Qualified for Nitto ATP Finals in 10 straight years (2007-16), capturing 5 titles overall and becoming 1st player to sweep 4 straight titles (2008, 2012-15).

> Owns 70 singles titles, 6th-most in Open Era, including 13 Grand Slams (4th all-time) and 31 ATP Masters 1000s (2nd behind Nadal's 33). Won 2+ titles each year from 2006-18, including all 4 Grand Slam and 9 ATP Masters 1000 events. Only player with titles at all 9 ATP Masters 1000s since start of series in 1990. Enjoyed win streaks of 43 matches overall (2010-11), 31 matches at ATP Masters 1000s (2011) and 30 matches at Grand Slams (2015-16). One of 3 active players with 800+ victories (also Federer, Nadal), earning 800th win in 2018 London/Queen's Club QF (d. Mannarino). Owns winning records against Nadal (27-25), Federer (24-22) and Murray (25-11).

- > Swept titles at 2015 Wimbledon, 2015 US Open, 2016 Australian Open and 2016 Roland Garros, becoming 8th player to complete career Grand Slam and 3rd to hold all 4 major titles at one time (also Budge, Laver). Tied with Emerson and Federer for most Australian Open titles in history (6). Loss to Querrey in 2016 Wimbledon 3R snapped streaks of 28 QFs, 9 SFs, 6 finals and 4 titles in a row at Grand Slams.
- > Won 2008 Beijing Olympics bronze medal, then led Serbia to 2010 Davis Cup title with straight-set wins over Simon and Monfils (SRB d. FRA 3-2). Lost in 2012 London Olympics bronze medal match and 2013 Davis Cup final, despite defeating Stepanek and Berdych in straight sets (CZE d. SRB 3-2).

## TENNIS SANDGREN

### 2018 Highlights

**F (1):** Houston (l. Johnson)

**QF (2):** Australian Open (l. Chung); Geneva (l. Fognini)

### 2018 in Review

- Earned first US Open win over Djokovic's countryman Troicki 63 64 62 on Tuesday. Last year lost to No. 7 Cilic in 1R.
- Earned 1st 2 Top 10 wins over No. 8 Wawrinka and No. 5 Thiem en route to Australian Open QF (l. to Chung).
- As World No. 97, became lowest-ranked Australian Open quarter-finalist since No. 105 Tillstrom in 1996.
- Became 1st player to earn 1st Grand Slam win en route to QFs since Verkerk at 2003 Roland Garros.
- Also became 1st player to reach 1st tour-level QF at a Grand Slam since Kyrgios at 2014 Wimbledon.
- Advanced to 1st ATP World Tour SF and final at Houston (d. Karlovic, l. to Johnson).
- Lost 5 straight matches before reaching Geneva QF (l. to Fognini).
- Squandered 1 MP vs. Fognini in Rio de Janeiro 2R and 3 MPs vs. Tiafoe in Estoril 1R.
- Broke into Top 50 and achieved career-high No. 47 in ATP Rankings on 16 April.
- Withdrew from Quito due to fatigue, as well as 's-Hertogenbosch, Halle Q and Eastbourne due to arm injury.

### Career Highlights

- > Achieved career-high No. 47 on 16 April 2018 after reaching Houston final. Broke into Top 100 on 12 June 2017 following Grand Slam debut at Roland Garros. Fell as low as No. 714 on 2 February 2015 following hip surgery.
- > Advanced to 1st ATP World Tour SF and final at 2018 Houston. Qualified for 1st time in 15th try on tour and made ATP debut at 2017 Houston.
- > Beat Top 10 players Wawrinka and Thiem en route to 2018 Australian Open QF. As World No. 97, became lowest-ranked Australian Open quarter-finalist since No. 105 Tillstrom in 1996. Also 1st player to earn 1st Grand Slam win en route to QF since Verkerk at 2003 Roland Garros.
- > Owns 106-90 record on ATP Challenger Tour with titles at 2013 Champaign, USA; 2017 Tempe, USA and 2017 Savannah, USA. Boasts Challenger wins over countrymen Harrison, Johnson, Sock and Young.
- > Peaked at No. 9 in junior rankings on 20 April 2009. Went 70-38 on ITF Junior Circuit, including wins over Basilashvili, Evans, Harrison, Pospisil and Sock.



## LOUIS ARMSTRONG STADIUM

**[LL] Nicolas Mahut (FRA) vs [4] Alexander Zverev (GER)**  
17 Marseille (France) Hard R32 Nicolas Mahut

**Mahut Leads 1-0**  
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NICOLAS MAHUT	vs	ALEXANDER ZVEREV
36 (1/21/82)	Age (Birthdate)	21 (4/20/97)
No. 131 (No. 37 on 5/5/14)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 4 (No. 3 on 11/6/17)
Angers, France	Birthplace	Hamburg, Germany
Boulogne-Billancourt, France	Residence	Monte Carlo, Monaco
5-6 (4-4)	2018 Record (on hard)	44-13 (21-7)
176-219 (94-132)	Career Record (on hard)	161-83 (81-48)
0 / 4	2018 Titles / Career Titles	3 / 9
29-49	Career Grand Slam Record	21-13
8-12 (2016-17 3rd Round)	US Open Record (Best Result)	3-3 (2016-18 2nd Round)
5-8 (0-0)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	8-6 (5-2)
1	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	0
88-115 (2-3)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	57-45 (11-5)
\$9,465,767	Career Prize Money	\$11,555,154
Michael Llodra, Nicolas Copin	Coach	Ivan Lendl, Alexander Zverev Sr.

## NICOLAS MAHUT

### 2018 Highlights

**QF (1):** Marseille (l Ivashka)

**Doubles W (2):** Rotterdam, Roland Garros (w/Herbert)

### 2018 in Review

- Replaced Jiri Vesely as LL and beat countryman [WC] Corentin Moutet 62 75 57 64 and looking to reach US Open 3R for third straight year, his best result in 12 previous appearances.
- Advanced to Marseille QF (d. Tsitsipas and Muller, l. to Ivashka).
- Fell to No. 136 in ATP Rankings on 6 August -- lowest since No. 240 on 17 June 2013.
- Captured 3rd Grand Slam doubles title in 4th final w/Herbert at Roland Garros (d. Marach/Pavic).
- Earned 300th doubles win on 30 May in Roland Garros 1R (d. Lindstedt/Matkowski).
- Also defeated Marach/Pavic in Rotterdam final w/Herbert, ending Austrian and Croat's 17-0 start to season.
- Helped France reach Davis Cup SF by teaming w/Herbert to beat Haase/Rojer in 1R and Bolelli/Fognini in QF.

### Career Highlights

- > Became World No. 1 in doubles on 6 June 2016, joining Noah as only No. 1s from France in singles or doubles. First Frenchman to finish a season at No. 1, doing so in 2016. Also ended 2016 at No. 2 in team rankings w/Herbert and No. 39 in singles, just shy of career-high No. 37.
- > Qualified for Nitto ATP Finals in 2015-17 w/Herbert. Eliminated in round robin each year.
- > Won 21 of 22 doubles titles with countrymen, including 3 Grand Slam and 6 ATP Masters 1000 titles w/Herbert. Reached finals at all 4 Grand Slams w/Herbert, highlighted by titles at 2015 US Open, 2016 Wimbledon and 2018 Roland Garros. Also at 2018 Roland Garros, earned 300th doubles win and made 18th doubles tournament appearance -- most in Open Era before capturing title. Beat former partners Benneteau and Roger-Vasselin for 2016 Wimbledon title in 1st All-French Grand Slam final of Open Era.
- > Defeated doubles partner Herbert to advance to 2016 Wimbledon 4R in singles. Reached 6 singles finals -- all on grass -- winning 's-Hertogenbosch titles in 2013 as 240th-ranked Q, 2015 as Q and 2016 as WC. Beat No. 2 Nadal for biggest singles win of career in 2007 London/Queen's Club QF. Hit 103 aces in longest match ever vs. Isner in 2010 Wimbledon 1R, falling 70-68 in 5th after 11h5m over 3 days.
- > Helped France to 2017 Davis Cup title by posting doubles wins w/Herbert in 1R and SF, as well as w/Benneteau in QF.

## ALEXANDER ZVEREV

### 2018 Highlights

**W (3):** Munich (d Kohlschreiber); ATP Masters 1000 Madrid (d Thiem); Washington (d de Minaur)

**F (2):** ATP Masters 1000 Miami (l Isner); ATP Masters 1000 Rome (l Nadal)

**SF (2):** Acapulco (l Del Potro); ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo (l Nishikori)

**QF (2):** Roland Garros (l Thiem); ATP Masters 1000 Toronto (l Tsitsipas)

### 2018 in Review

- Opened with 62 61 62 win over [LL] Polansky on Tuesday and looking to reach 3R for first time in fourth appearance.
- Leads ATP World Tour with 44 match wins this season and only player with 20+ wins on clay (21) and hard courts (21).
- Did not drop a set or his serve en route to 3rd ATP Masters 1000 title at Madrid (d. Thiem).
- Became 1st player to win a clay-court title without being broken since stats started being kept in 1991.
- Faced 1 break point, fewest en route to an ATP Masters 1000 title since stats started being kept in 1991.
- Joined Nadal (33), Djokovic (31), Federer (27) and Murray (14) as active players with 3+ ATP Masters 1000 titles.
- Preceded Madrid with Munich title (d. Kohlschreiber) and followed it with ATP Masters 1000 Rome final (l. to Nadal).
- First player since Cilic in 2014 to reach 3 ATP World Tour finals in as many weeks.
- Defeated older brother Mischa in 1st tour-level H2H en route to 2nd straight Washington title (d. de Minaur).
- Also advanced to ATP Masters 1000 Miami final (l. to Isner in 3 sets).
- Saved 1 MP vs. Dzumhur in Roland Garros 3R -- 1 of his 3 comebacks from 2-sets-to-1 down en route to 1st Grand Slam QF (l. to Thiem). Lost from 2-sets-to-1 up in Australian Open 3R (l. to Chung) and Wimbledon 3R (l. to Gulbis).
- Squandered 2 MPs vs. Tsitsipas in ATP Masters 1000 Toronto QF.
- Advanced to Halle doubles final w/M. Zverev, losing rematch of 2017 final (l. to Kubot/Melo).

### Career Highlights

- > Reached career-high No. 3 on 6 November 2017, becoming youngest Top 3 player since then-No. 3 Djokovic in 2007. Achieved new career-high ranking 8 times in 2017 and 14 times in 2016. Youngest player in 2017 year-end Top 10, 2016 year-end Top 50, 2015 year-end Top 100 and 2014 year-end Top 150.
- > In 2017, became youngest player to qualify for Nitto ATP Finals since Del Potro in 2008 and 1st German since Schuettler in 2003. Went 1-2 in RR.
- > Defeated Wawrinka at age 19 for 1st of 9 titles at 2016 St. Petersburg, becoming youngest ATP World Tour champion since Nishikori, 18, at 2008 Delray Beach. Won singles and doubles title w/M. Zverev at 2017 Montpellier -- 1st brothers to sweep titles since Murrys at 2011 Tokyo. Rallied from 2-sets-to-1 down in 3 straight matches to reach 1st Grand Slam QF at 2018 Roland Garros.
- > Only active player besides Big Four to win 3+ ATP Masters 1000 titles. Earned biggest victory of career over No. 2 Djokovic in 2017 Rome final. First ATP Masters 1000, ATP Finals or Grand Slam champion born after 1988. As 20-year-old at 2017 Rome, became youngest ATP Masters 1000 champion since Djokovic, 19, at 2007 Miami. Saved 3 MPs vs. Gasquet before beating Federer for 2017 Montreal title. Saved 1/1 BP en route to 2018 Madrid title, fewest BPs faced by an ATP Masters 1000 champion since stats started being kept in 1991. Also became 1st player to win a clay-court title without being broken since 1991.
- > Finished 2013 as World No. 1 junior. Went 96-35 on ITF Junior Circuit including victories over fellow #NextGenATP players Fritz, Kozlov, Mmoh, Paul and Rublev. Won 2014 Australian Open junior title and reached 2013 Roland Garros junior final.

## Gael Monfils (FRA) vs [21] Kei Nishikori (JPN)

14 Halle (Germany)	Grass	R16	Kei Nishikori
16 ATP World Tour Masters 1000 Miami	Hard	QF	Kei Nishikori
16 Rio de Janeiro Olympic Games (Brazil)	Hard	QF	Kei Nishikori
17 ATP World Tour Masters 1000 Monreal	Hard	R32	Gael Monfils

## Nishikori Leads 3-1

6-1	3-6	6-3
4-6	6-3	7-6(3)
7-6(4)	4-6	7-6(6)
6-7(4)	7-5	7-6(6)

GAEL MONFILS	vs	KEI NISHIKORI
31 (9/1/86)	Age (Birthdate)	28 (12/29/89)
No. 39 (No. 6 on 11/7/16)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 19 (No. 4 on 3/2/15)
Paris, France	Birthplace	Shimane, Japan
Switzerland	Residence	Bradenton, FL, USA
23-14 (8-2)	2018 Record (on hard)	24-13 (8-6)
434-246 (267-141)	Career Record (on hard)	355-168 (234-111)
1 / 7	2018 Titles / Career Titles	0 / 11
99-46	Career Grand Slam Record	77-33
25-11 (2016 Semi-finals)	US Open Record (Best Result)	19-8 (2014 Runner-up)
16-14 (0-1)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	17-6 (1-0)
2	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	2
177-124 (10-5)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	110-76 (11-3)
\$14,689,666	Career Prize Money	\$19,286,966
	Coach	Dante Bottini, Michael Chang

## GAEL MONFILS

### 2018 Highlights

**W (1):** Doha (d Rublev)

**SF (2):** Buenos Aires (l Thiem); Antalya (l Mannarino)

**QF (2):** Quito (l Monteiro); Rio de Janeiro (l Schwartzman)

### 2018 in Review

- Improved to 10-2 in US Open 1R matches with 76 36 60 60 win over [Q] Bagnis on Tuesday in first hard court match since March at ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells (3R),
- Trying to become the 14th active player with at least 100 career Grand Slam singles wins (99-46).
- Captured 1st Doha title in 4th final at event, improving to 7-20 overall in ATP World Tour finals (d. Rublev).
- Made return to tour at Doha after retiring in 2017 US Open 3R and missing remainder of season (right knee).
- Saved 1 MP vs. Zeballos and beat No. 3 Cilic to reach Rio de Janeiro QF (l. to eventual champion Schwartzman).
- Also saved 1 MP vs. Isner to reach ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells 3R (ret. vs. Herbert).
- Advanced to Buenos Aires SF (l. to Thiem), Antalya SF (l. to Mannarino) and Quito QF (l. to Monteiro).
- Reached Wimbledon 4R for 1st time in career, beating Querrey to improve to 1-6 in Wimbledon 3R (l. to Anderson).
- Fell to 0-15 against Djokovic in Australian Open 2R. Squandered 4 MPs vs. Goffin in Roland Garros 3R.
- Retired in Indian Wells 3R vs. Herbert and withdrew from Miami, Marrakech and Monte-Carlo due to back injury.
- Withdrew from Kitzbuhel, ATP Masters 1000 Toronto and ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati due to left hamstring injury.

### Career Highlights

- > Finished in Top 10 for 1st time in 2016 after achieving career-high No. 6 on 7 November 2016. Ended 12 of last 13 years in Top 50 (2005-11 and 2013-17). Finished 2004 season as World No. 1 junior.
- > Qualified for 2016 Nitto ATP Finals, falling to Raonic and Thiem before withdrawing (rib).
- > Owns 7-20 record in finals, reaching 1+ final in 14 straight years (2005-18). Captured biggest title of career at 2016 Washington, saving 1 MP vs. Karlovic for 1st ATP World Tour 500 crown. Reached ATP Masters 1000 finals at 2009 Paris, 2010 Paris and 2016 Monte-Carlo. Earned 30+ victories in 8 of last 10 seasons (2008-11, 2013-16), with biggest win in 2009 Doha QF (d. No. 1 Nadal) and 400th win in 2017 Roland Garros 1R (d. Brown).
- > Advanced to Grand Slam SFs at 2008 Roland Garros and 2016 US Open. Reached 6 other Grand Slam QFs, including 2014 US Open, squandering 2 MPs vs. Federer. Won junior titles at 2004 Australian Open, Roland Garros and Wimbledon (l. to Troicki in US Open 3R).
- > Defeated Tipsarevic in 2010 Davis Cup final and Federer in 2014 Davis Cup final, but France lost both ties. Did not play on 2017 team that won Davis Cup title.



## KEI NISHIKORI

### 2018 Highlights

**F (1):** ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo (l. Nadal)

**SF (1):** New York (l. Anderson)

**QF (3):** ATP Masters 1000 Rome (l. Djokovic); Wimbledon (l. Djokovic); Washington (l. A. Zverev)

### 2018 in Review

- Opened on Tuesday with 62 62 63 win over Marterer in first US Open match since 2016 SF (l. to Wawrinka).
- Earned Top 5 wins over Cilic and A. Zverev to reach Monte-Carlo final (l. to No. 1 Nadal). Fell to 0-4 in ATP Masters 1000 finals. As World No. 36, became lowest-ranked Monte-Carlo finalist since No. 53 Aranzi in 2001.
- Played 44 tour-level events since most recent title at 2016 Memphis (d. Fritz). Lost his last 7 finals.
- At Wimbledon, became 1st Japanese player to complete set of QFs at all 4 Grand Slams (l. to Djokovic).
- Reached New York SF (l. to Anderson in 3rd-set TB), Rome QF (l. to Djokovic) and Washington QF (l. to A. Zverev).
- Defeated Frenchmen Janvier, Paire and Simon to reach Roland Garros 4R for 4th straight year (l. to Thiem).
- Fell to No. 39 in ATP Rankings on 2 April -- lowest since No. 40 on 10 October 2011.
- Captured 6th ATP Challenger Tour title -- 1st since 2010 -- at Dallas, USA as WC (d. McDonald).
- Retired in Barcelona 2R vs. Garcia-Lopez due to right leg injury.
- Withdrew from Brisbane, Sydney and Australian Open (right wrist), as well as Indian Wells (illness).

### Career Highlights

- > Top-ranked Asian in ATP Rankings history achieved career-high No. 4 on 2 March 2015 after reaching Acapulco final. Ended 2014, 2015 and 2016 in Top 10. Passed by Chung on 19 March 2018 after nearly 7 years as No. 1 Asian.
- > Earned 50+ wins to qualify for Nitto ATP Finals in 2014, 2015 and 2016. Reached SF in 2014 and 2016.
- > Owns 11 ATP World Tour titles, capturing 1st at 2008 Delray Beach as 18-year-old qualifier ranked 244th. Remains youngest ATP champion since Hewitt, 16, at 1998 Adelaide. Enjoyed 30+ victories in 7 straight seasons (2011-17), highlighted by 300th win in 2016 ATP Masters 1000 Paris 2R (d. Troicki).
- > Defeated No. 1 Djokovic at 2014 US Open to become 1st Asian Grand Slam men's singles finalist. Also 1st Japanese man to reach QFs at all 4 Grand Slam events. Advanced to ATP Masters 1000 finals at 2014 Madrid, 2016 Miami, 2016 Toronto and 2018 Monte-Carlo. Owns 6 ATP World Tour 500 titles, including Tokyo in 2012 and 2014.
- > Beat 2008 Beijing Olympics gold medalist Nadal to capture 2016 Rio Olympics bronze medal. Saved 3 MPs in Rio Olympics QF to defeat Monfils in 3rd-set TB.

## GRANDSTAND

### [17] Lucas Pouille (FRA) vs Marcos Baghdatis (CYP)

### First Tour-Level Meeting

#### Other meeting:

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4-6 4-4 ret

LUCAS POUILLE	vs	MARCOS BAGHDATIS
24 (2/23/94)	Age (Birthdate)	33 (6/17/85)
No. 17 (No. 10 on 3/19/18)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 93 (No. 8 on 8/21/06)
Grande-Synthe, France	Birthplace	Limassol, Cyprus
Dubai, UAE	Residence	Limassol, Cyprus
22-16 (14-8)	2018 Record (on hard)	12-13 (11-7)
107-82 (62-50)	Career Record (on hard)	345-268 (242-177)
1 / 5	2018 Titles / Career Titles	0 / 4
20-18	Career Grand Slam Record	66-52
8-3 (2016 Quarter-finals)	US Open Record (Best Result)	9-12 (2016 4th Round)
7-3 (1-1)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	14-10 (0-1)
1	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	3
59-43 (12-10)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	151-124 (6-7)
\$5,621,483	Career Prize Money	\$8,584,079
Emmanuel Planque	Coach	Juan Spina

## LUCAS POUILLE

### 2018 Highlights

**W (1):** Montpellier (d Gasquet)

**F (2):** Marseille (l Khachanov); Dubai (l Bautista Agut)

**SF (1):** Stuttgart (l Raonic)

### 2018 in Review

- Top Frenchman opened on Tuesday with a 76 62 75 win over German [Q] Yannick Maden.
- Became 5th active Frenchman to break into Top 10 on 19 March (also Gasquet, Monfils, Simon, Tsonga).
- Reached 3 finals in 4 weeks, highlighted by 5th ATP title at Montpellier (d. Tsonga after saving 2 MPs and Gasquet).
- Runner-up at Marseille (l. to Khachanov) and Dubai (l. to Bautista Agut).
- As defending champion, lost in Budapest 2R (l. to Millman) and Stuttgart SF (l. to Raonic).
- Fell to 0-5 lifetime at Australian Open (l. to Berdych in 1R).
- Clinched France's 3-1 Davis Cup QF win over Italy by beating Seppi in 5 sets and Fognini in 4 sets.
- Withdrew from ATP Masters 1000 Miami due to back injury and Hamburg due to leg muscle tear.

**FRENCHMEN IN SECOND ROUND** – Pouille leads a pack of 10 Frenchmen in the second round, the most at the US Open in this round since 2010 with 12:

### ATP

#### Rank

- No. 17 Lucas Pouille
- No. 25 Richard Gasquet
- No. 39 Gael Monfils
- No. 40 Gilles Simon
- No. 46 Jeremy Chardy
- No. 56 Benoit Paire
- No. 60 Julien Benneteau
- No. 75 Pierre-Hugues Herbert
- No. 131 Nicolas Mahut (LL)
- No. 139 Ugo Humbert (Q)

## MARCOS BAGHDATIS

### 2018 Highlights

**QF (2):** Sofia (l Kovalik); Atlanta (l Ebden)

### 2018 in Review

- In 13th appearance, reached 2R leading 64 64 26 3-1 against Youzhny, who retired due to cramps. Best US Open result is 4R two years ago (l. to Monfils).
- Qualified and advanced to Indian Wells 4R -- 1st ATP Masters 1000 R16 appearance since 2012 Shanghai.
- Beat 5'7" Nishioka, 5'7" Schwartzman and 5'9" Sela before conceding w/o to Raonic in Indian Wells 4R (illness).
- Ended 5-match tour-level losing streak by beating Thieme in Wimbledon 1R (l. to Khachanov in 2R).
- Reached QFs at Sofia (d. Mannarino, l. to Kovalik) and Atlanta (d. Tiafoe, l. to Ebden).
- Fell to No. 123 in ATP Rankings on 15 January -- lowest ranking since No. 132 on 2 June 2014.
- Retired in Roland Garros 1R vs. Giraldo (left thigh). Withdrew from 's-Hertogenbosch and Halle Q (left hamstring).

# **[7] Marin Cilic (CRO) vs [Q] Hubert Hurkacz (POL)**

18 Roland Garros (France)

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Marin Cilic

## **Cilic Leads 1-0**

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MARIN CILIC	vs	HUBERT HURKACZ
29 (9/28/88)	<b>Age (Birthdate)</b>	21 (2/11/97)
No. 7 (No. 3 on 1/29/18)	<b>ATP Ranking (Career-High)</b>	No. 109 (No. 109 on 8/20/18)
Medjugorje, Bosnia-Herzegovina	<b>Birthplace</b>	Wroclaw, Poland
Monte Carlo, Monaco	<b>Residence</b>	Wroclaw, Poland
34-12 (17-6)	<b>2018 Record (on hard)</b>	4-7 (3-4)
469-244 (285-143)	<b>Career Record (on hard)</b>	5-14 (4-7)
1 / 18	<b>2018 Titles / Career Titles</b>	0 / 0
108-41	<b>Career Grand Slam Record</b>	2-2
30-8 (2014 <b>Champion</b> )	<b>US Open Record (Best Result)</b>	1-0 (2018 2nd Round)
28-14 (2-2)	<b>Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)</b>	0-0 (0-0)
5	<b>Comebacks from 0-2 Down</b>	0
178-152 (18-11)	<b>Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)</b>	4-10 (3-5)
\$24,534,130	<b>Career Prize Money</b>	\$306,606
Ivan Cinkus	<b>Coach</b>	Przemyslaw Piotrowicz

## **MARIN CILIC**

### **2018 Highlights**

**W (1):** London/Queen's Club (d Djokovic)

**F (1):** Australian Open (l Federer)

**SF (3):** Pune (l Simon); ATP Masters 1000 Rome (l A. Zverev); ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati (l Djokovic)

**QF (3):** ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo (l Nishikori), Roland Garros (l Del Potro), ATP Masters 1000 Toronto (l Nadal)

### **2018 in Review**

- Improved to 10-0 in 1R US Open matches with 30th win, posting 75 61 1-1 ret. victory over Copil (due to left arm strain).
- Saved 1 championship point to capture 2nd London/Queen's Club title and 18th ATP title overall (d. Djokovic).
- Won an ATP World Tour title for 11th straight season (2008-18).
- Defeated No. 1 Nadal in 5 sets en route to 3rd Grand Slam final at Australian Open (l. to Federer in 5 sets).
- Achieved career-high No. 3 in ATP Rankings on 29 January following run to Australian Open final.
- Advanced to ATP Masters 1000 SFs at Rome (l. to A. Zverev) and Cincinnati (l. to Djokovic).
- Reached Roland Garros QF for 2nd straight season (d. Fognini in 5 sets, l. to Del Potro).
- Dropped only 8 games in 6 sets to beat Popko and Kukushkin during Davis Cup QF (CRO d. KAZ 3-1).
- Withdrew from Buenos Aires (fatigue), Acapulco (stomach muscle strain) and ATP Masters 1000 Madrid (knee).

### **Career Highlights**

- > Achieved career-high No. 3 on 29 January 2018 after reaching Australian Open final. Ended 2016 and 2017 at No. 6. Broke into Top 10 on 1 February 2010 following run to Australian Open SF. Became World No. 1 junior on 2 January 2006.
- > Qualified for Nitto ATP Finals in 2014, 2016 and 2017, posting 1-8 record overall.
- > Won 1+ title in 11 straight seasons (2008-18), highlighted by 2014 US Open. Earned only win in 10 H2H meetings with Federer, then beat Nishikori for 1st Grand Slam title and 300th win of career. Fell to Federer in 2017 Wimbledon and 2018 Australian Open finals. Captured 2005 Roland Garros junior title.
- > Secured 1st ATP Masters 1000 title at 2016 Cincinnati in 71st appearance at that level. Also advanced to ATP Masters 1000 SFs at 2016 Paris, 2017 Shanghai, 2018 Rome and 2018 Cincinnati. Defeated No. 1 Djokovic in 2016 Paris QF and No. 1 Nadal in 2018 Australian Open QF.
- > Led Croatia to 2016 Davis Cup final with 3-2 wins over Belgium, USA and France. Went 2-1 in final, but fell to Del Potro after leading by 2 sets (ARG d. CRO 3-2).

## HUBERT HURKACZ

### 2018 in Review

- The 21-year-old #NextGenATP qualifier opened with a 62 26 76 3-0 ret. win over Italian [Q] Travaglia (due to cramps). He is first Polish man to reach US Open 2R since Janowicz in 2014.
- Earned 1st non-Davis Cup win at Roland Garros as Q (d. Sandgren, l. to Cilic in 2R).
- Qualified and made ATP World Tour main draw debut at Budapest (l. to Sonego in 1R after holding 2 MPs).
- Also qualified at ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati (l. to Fucsovics in 1R).
- Achieved career-high 10 times in ATP Rankings, peaking at No. 109 on 20 August.
- Captured 1st ATP Challenger Tour title on home soil at Poznan, POL (d. Daniel).
- Reached Zhuhai, CHN Challenger final (l. to Bolt).

### Career Highlights

- > Achieved career-high ranking 10 times in 2018, peaking at No. 109 on 20 August after qualifying at ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati. Broke into Top 200 on 19 March 2018 after advancing to Shenzhen, CHN Challenger SF.
- > Earned 1st win aside from Davis Cup at 2018 Roland Garros as Q (d. Sandgren). Also qualified at Budapest, ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati and US Open in 2018. Did not drop a set in US Open qualifying.
- > Captured 1st ATP Challenger Tour title on home soil at 2018 Poznan, POL. Also reached Challenger finals at 2017 Shenzhen, CHN as Q and 2018 Zhuhai, CHN.
- > Owns 2-2 record in ITF Futures Circuit finals with titles at 2015 Sleza, POL as Q and 2017 Lisbon, POR.
- > Peaked at No. 29 in junior rankings on 5 January 2015. Went 84-48 on ITF Junior Circuit with wins over fellow #NextGenATP players Bublik, Clarke, Kozlov, Kuhn and Taberner. Reached 2015 Australian Open boys' doubles final w/Molcan.

## COURT 17

### [30] Nick Kyrgios (AUS) vs Pierre-Hugues Herbert (FRA)

17 Wimbledon (Great Britain)

Grass R128 Pierre-Hugues Herbert

### Herbert Leads 1-0

6-3 6-4 ret

NICK KYRGIOS	vs	PIERRE-HUGUES HERBERT
23 (4/27/95)	Age (Birthdate)	27 (3/18/91)
No. 30 (No. 13 on 10/24/16)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 75 (No. 63 on 8/14/17)
Canberra, Australia	Birthplace	Schiltigheim, France
Canberra, Australia; Nassau, Bahamas	Residence	Delemont, Switzerland
22-10 (14-6)	2018 Record (on hard)	19-15 (13-11)
128-72 (84-42)	Career Record (on hard)	49-66 (34-46)
1 / 4	2018 Titles / Career Titles	0 / 0
33-20	Career Grand Slam Record	11-15
5-5 (2014, 2016 3rd Round)	US Open Record (Best Result)	1-3 (2018 2nd Round)
5-2 (0-0)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	2-1 (1-0)
2	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	0
84-60 (15-14)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	35-44 (12-12)
\$6,389,404	Career Prize Money	\$5,173,542
	Coach	Fabrice Santoro

## NICK KYRGIOS

### 2018 Highlights

**W (1):** Brisbane (d Harrison)

**SF (2):** Stuttgart (l Federer); London/Queen's Club (l Cilic)

**QF (2):** Houston (l Karlovic); Atlanta (l Norrie)

## 2018 in Review

- Opened on Tuesday night hitting 25 aces (14 double faults) in 75 26 64 62 victory over Albot.
- Captured 4th ATP World Tour singles title and 1st on home soil at Brisbane (d. Dimitrov and Harrison).
- Reached back-to-back SFs on grass at Stuttgart (l. to Federer in 3rd-set TB) and London/Queen's Club (l. to Cilic).
- Defeated 2008 finalist Tsonga to reach Australian Open 4R for 2nd time (l. to Dimitrov).
- Saved 1 MP and hit tournament-record 39 aces to defeat Kudla in Cincinnati 1R (l. to Del Potro in 3R).
- Lost to A. Zverev in ATP Masters 1000 Miami 4R and Davis Cup 1R (GER d. AUS 3-1).
- Won 1st ATP World Tour doubles title at Lyon w/Sock (d. Jebavy/Middelkoop 11-9 in Match TB).
- Withdrew from Rotterdam, Delray Beach, Acapulco, Indian Wells, Estoril, Madrid, Rome and Roland Garros due to right elbow injury. Retired in Atlanta QF vs. Norrie and withdrew from Washington due to hip injury.

## Career Highlights

- > Finished 3 straight seasons in Top 30 (2015-17). Achieved new career-high ranking 7 times in 2016, peaking at No. 13 to end season as youngest player in Top 20.
- > Captured 4th title on home soil at 2018 Brisbane. Won career-high 3 titles and 39 matches in 2016, including 6 vs. Top 10 players. One of 2 men to win 1st meeting with Nadal, Federer and Djokovic (also Hewitt). Earned 1st win in 6th try over Murray in 2018 London/Queen's Club 1R.
- > Defeated No. 1 Nadal to reach 2014 Wimbledon QF as 19-year-old WC ranked 144th. Youngest player to beat No. 1 at a Grand Slam since Nadal at 2005 Roland Garros and lowest-ranked since No. 193 Olhovskiy at 1992 Wimbledon. Saved 9 MPs vs. Gasquet in 2R. Earned WC by winning 2014 Nottingham, GBR Challenger title. Also reached 2015 Australian Open QF after saving 1 MP vs. Seppi in 4R.
- > Beat No. 2 Nadal en route to biggest final of career at 2017 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati. Also at ATP Masters 1000 level, advanced to Miami SFs in 2016 and 2017. Lost to Federer in 3 TBs at 2017 Miami after beating him in 3 TBs at 2015 Madrid. Defeated Djokovic for 2nd time in 2 weeks to reach 2017 Indian Wells QF.
- > Became World No. 1 junior on 21 January 2013. Won junior singles title at 2013 Australian Open and junior doubles titles at 2012 Roland Garros w/Harris, 2012 Wimbledon w/Harris and 2013 Wimbledon w/Kokkinakis.

## PIERRE-HUGUES HERBERT

### 2018 Highlights

**QF (2):** Pune (l. Cilic); Antalya (l. Dzumhur)

### 2018 in Review

- After three straight 1R losses in Flushing Meadows, the Frenchman posted his first US Open win on Tuesday over Yuki Bhambri 63 76 75. If he reaches the 3R, he will have advanced to the 3R at all four Grand Slam tournaments in his career.
- Edged Chardy 9-7 in 5th to reach Roland Garros 3R for 1st time in singles (l. to Isner).
- Captured 3rd Grand Slam doubles title in 4th final at Roland Garros w/Mahut (d. Marach/Pavic).
- Also defeated Marach/Pavic in Rotterdam final w/Mahut, ending Austrian and Croat's 17-0 start to season.
- Advanced to Pune singles QF (l. to Cilic) and doubles final with 1st-time partner Simon (l. to Haase/Middelkoop).
- Reached ATP Masters 1000 R16 in singles for 1st time at Indian Wells (d. Monfils, l. to Kohlschreiber).
- Defeated defending champion Sugita in 3rd-set TB to reach Antalya QF (l. to eventual champion Dzumhur).
- Qualified at Rotterdam (l. to Medvedev in 2R), Monte-Carlo (l. to Dimitrov in 2R) and Toronto (l. to Isner in 2R).
- Saved 3 MPs vs. Sousa in Dubai 1R (l. to Bautista Agut in 2R).
- Helped France reach Davis Cup SF by teaming w/Mahut to beat Haase/Rojer in 1R and Bolelli/Fognini in QF.

### Career Highlights

- > Achieved singles career-high No. 63 on 14 August 2017 after qualifying at ATP Masters 1000 Montreal. Reached No. 2 in doubles on 11 July 2016 after winning Wimbledon title w/Mahut. Finished 2015 at No. 6, 2016 at No. 2 and 2017 at No. 6 in team rankings w/Mahut.
- > Qualified for Nitto ATP Finals in 3 straight seasons w/Mahut (1-2 in 2015, 0-3 in 2016, 1-1 in 2017). Withdrew after 2 matches in 2017 due to lower back pain.
- > Advanced to Grand Slam 3R in singles at 2016 Australian Open as Q, 2016 Wimbledon and 2018 Roland Garros. Captured Grand Slam doubles titles w/Mahut at 2015 US Open, 2016 Wimbledon and 2018 Roland Garros. Reached doubles finals at all 4 Grand Slam events w/Mahut, finishing as runners-up at 2015 Australian Open. Won 2009 Wimbledon junior doubles title w/Krawietz.



> Qualified in all 5 singles attempts at 2016 ATP Masters 1000 events (Indian Wells, Miami, Monte-Carlo, Madrid, Paris). Owns 6-1 record in ATP Masters 1000 doubles finals w/Mahut, including titles at Indian Wells, Miami and Monte-Carlo in 2016. Became 2nd team to sweep 1st 3 ATP Masters 1000 events of season (also Bryan/Bryan in 2014).  
> Owns 6-1 Davis Cup doubles record. Helped France to 2017 Davis Cup title by winning all 3 of his doubles rubbers, including victorious team debut w/Gasquet in final (FRA d. BEL 3-2).

## Alex de Minaur (AUS) vs Frances Tiafoe (USA)

## First Tour-Level Meeting

### Other meeting:

17 Brisbane Q (Australia)

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Alex de Minaur

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ALEX DE MINAUR	vs	FRANCES TIAFOE
19 (2/17/99)	Age (Birthdate)	20 (1/20/98)
No. 45 (No. 43 on 8/13/18)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 44 (No. 38 on 8/13/18)
Sydney, Australia	Birthplace	Hyattsville, MD, USA
Alicante, Spain	Residence	Orlando, FL, USA
17-14 (14-9)	2018 Record (on hard)	25-16 (15-9)
19-19 (16-13)	Career Record (on hard)	34-45 (23-31)
0 / 0	2018 Titles / Career Titles	1 / 1
4-6	Career Grand Slam Record	5-10
1-1 (2018 2nd Round)	US Open Record (Best Result)	1-3 (2018 2nd Round)
1-1 (0-1)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	0-4 (0-1)
0	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	0
10-7 (8-6)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	19-27 (13-9)
\$862,771	Career Prize Money	\$1,635,252
Adolfo Gutierrez	Coach	Robby Ginepri

## ALEX DE MINAUR

### 2018 Highlights

**F (2):** Sydney (I Medvedev); Washington (I A. Zverev)

**SF (1):** Brisbane (I Harrison)

### 2018 in Review

- Earned his first US Open win, defeating Taro Daniel of Japan 60 61 62. Looking to reach 3R for second straight Slam.
- Began season at No. 208 and achieved career-high ranking 15 times, peaking at No. 43 on 13 August.
- Saved 4 MPs vs. Rublev to reach Washington final (I. to A. Zverev). Youngest finalist at event since Murray in 2006.
- De Minaur, 19, vs. A. Zverev, 21, was youngest ATP final since Nadal, 20, vs. Djokovic, 19, at 2007 Indian Wells.
- Followed 1st ATP QF and SF as WC at Brisbane (I. to Harrison) with 1st ATP final as SE at Sydney (I. to Medvedev).
- Youngest player to reach SFs in consecutive weeks since Nadal at 2005 Monte-Carlo and Barcelona.
- Reached Grand Slam 3R for 1st time at Wimbledon (I. to No. 1 Nadal).
- Squandered 1 MP against 2016 champion Karlovic in Newport 1R.
- Captured 1st ATP Challenger Tour in 3rd final of season and 5th of career at Nottingham, GBR (d. Evans).
- Withdrew from Delray Beach Q after suffering abdominal tear in Davis Cup debut (I. to A. Zverev in 5th-set TB).

### Career Highlights

> Began 2018 season at No. 208 and achieved career-high ranking 15 times during season, peaking at No. 43 on 13 August. Jumped 1,000+ spots in year-end rankings to end 2016 at No. 354. Earned 1st ranking point on 3 August 2015 after reaching Denia, ESP Futures QF.

> Saved 4 MPs vs. Rublev to reach 2018 Washington final (I. to A. Zverev). De Minaur, 19, vs. A. Zverev, 21, marked youngest ATP final since Nadal, 20, vs. Djokovic, 19, at 2007 Indian Wells. Tsitsipas also reached SFs, marking 1st tournament since 1995 Buenos Aires to feature 4 semi-finalists under age of 22.

> Followed 1st ATP World Tour QF and SF as 18-year-old WC at 2018 Brisbane with 1st final as SE at 2018 Sydney. Youngest player to reach SFs in consecutive weeks since Nadal, 18, at 2005 Monte-Carlo and Barcelona. In 2017, made ATP World Tour debut at Brisbane and earned 1st win at Sydney (d. Paire).

> Advanced to Grand Slam 3R for 1st time at 2018 Wimbledon. Saved 1 MP to win Grand Slam main draw debut at 2017 Australian Open (d. G. Melzer). Received WCs at Australian Open, Roland Garros and US Open in 2017, as well as Australian Open and Roland Garros in 2018.

> Peaked at No. 2 in junior rankings on 1 February 2016. Went 101-52 on ITF Junior Circuit with wins over fellow #NextGenATP players Auger-Aliassime, Humbert, Mmoh, Ruud and Tsitsipas. Lost to Shapovalov in 2016 Wimbledon boys' singles final. Won 2016 Australian Open boys' doubles title w/Ellis.

## FRANCES TIAFOE

### 2018 Highlights

**W (1):** Delray Beach (d. Gojowczyk)

**F (1):** Estoril (l. Sousa)

**QF (2):** New York (l. Anderson); London/Queen's Club (l. Chardy)

### 2018 in Review

- After three straight 1R US Open losses, on Tuesday posted first win over [29] Mannarino 61 64 46 64.
- Enjoyed 1st ATP SF, final and title at Delray Beach (d. Ebden, Del Potro, Chung, Shapovalov and Gojowczyk).
- As 20-year-old, became youngest American champion on tour since Roddick, 19, at 2002 Houston.
- Forgot to sign up by Delray Beach entry deadline, becoming 1st WC to win title in 26-year tournament history.
- Went on to reach 2nd ATP World Tour final at Estoril (d. Sandgren in 1R after saving 3 MPs, l. to Sousa).
- Reached New York QF (l. to Anderson), London/Queen's Club QF (l. to Chardy), Miami 4R (d. Edmund and Berdych in 3rd-set TBs, l. to Anderson) and Toronto 3R (d. Raonic, l. to Dimitrov in 3rd-set TB).
- Squandered 2-set lead in 1st Grand Slam 3R appearance at Wimbledon (l. to Khachanov).
- Achieved career-high No. 38 on 13 August. Owns 25-14 record as a 20-year-old after going 9-31 as a teenager.

### Career Highlights

> Achieved new career-high ranking 11 times in 2017 and 7 times in 2018, peaking at No. 38 on 13 August 2018. One of 3 teenagers in 2017 year-end Top 100 (also Shapovalov, Tsitsipas). Earned 1st ATP ranking point on same date (10 February 2014) and at same tournament (Palm Coast, USA Futures) as #NextGenATP countryman Fritz.

> Enjoyed 1st ATP World Tour SF, final and title at 2018 Delray Beach. As 20-year-old, became youngest American champion on tour since Roddick, 19, at 2002 Houston. Forgot to sign up by Delray Beach entry deadline, becoming 1st WC to win title in 26-year tournament history. Saved 3 MPs vs. Sandgren en route to 2nd final at 2018 Estoril.

> Reached ATP Masters 1000 R16 at 2017 Cincinnati, 2018 Miami and 2018 Toronto. Earned biggest win of career over No. 7 A. Zverev in 2017 Cincinnati 2R. Avenged 2R losses to A. Zverev at 2017 Australian Open as Q and 2017 Wimbledon.

> Owns records of 34-45 on ATP World Tour, 78-36 on ATP Challenger Tour and 25-9 on ITF Futures Circuit. Of 227 main draw matches, 108 have gone to deciding set (48%). Boasts 34-26 Challenger and 15-1 Futures record in deciding sets, but just 15-17 on ATP World Tour.

> Peaked in junior rankings at No. 2 on 14 April 2014. Won 2013 Orange Bowl junior title at age 15 to become youngest champion in tournament history. Went 55-19 on ITF Junior Circuit, including wins over fellow #NextGenATP players Fritz, Kozlov, Mmoh, Paul and Rublev.

**ATP RACE TO MILAN** – Here is a look at the Top 10 players in the ATP Race to Milan standings for the Next Gen ATP Finals in Milan, Nov. 6-10. The top seven players and the top Italian (21 & under) will qualify.

- 1) Alexander Zverev (GER)
- 2) Stefanos Tsitsipas (GRE)
- 3) Denis Shapovalov (CAN)
- 4) **Alex de Minaur (AUS)**
- 5) **Frances Tiafoe (USA)**
- 6) Andrey Rublev (RUS)
- 7) Taylor Fritz (USA)
- 8) Jaume Munar (ESP)
- 9) Hubert Hurkacz (POL)
- 10) Casper Ruud (NOR)

## SINGLES 2R MATCHES (OTHER COURTS)

### COURT 5

#### [14] Fabio Fognini (ITA) vs John Millman (AUS)

#### First Meeting

FABIO FOGNINI	vs	JOHN MILLMAN
31 (5/24/87)	Age (Birthdate)	29 (6/14/89)
No. 14 (No. 13 on 3/31/14)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 55 (No. 49 on 7/30/18)
Sanremo, Italy	Birthplace	Brisbane, Australia
Arma di Taggia, Italia	Residence	Brisbane, Australia
37-16 (14-5)	2018 Record (on hard)	15-15 (6-6)
319-275 (108-123)	Career Record (on hard)	44-58 (30-40)
3 / 8	2018 Titles / Career Titles	0 / 0
47-41	Career Grand Slam Record	10-14
9-10 (2015 4th Round)	US Open Record (Best Result)	3-3 (2017 3rd Round)
19-13 (5-1)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	2-3 (0-0)
7	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	0
112-93 (7-8)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	18-26 (6-10)
\$10,835,401	Career Prize Money	\$1,853,718
Franco Davin	Coach	Jonas Luetjen

#### Fognini 2018 in Review

**W (3):** Sao Paulo (d Jarry); Bastad (d Gasquet); Los Cabos (d Del Potro)

**SF (3):** Sydney (l Medvedev); Rio de Janeiro (l Verdasco); Geneva (l Gojowczyk)

**QF (1):** ATP Masters 1000 Rome (l Nadal)

- Won 1R on Tuesday over [WC] Mmoh 46 62 64 76 and trying to reach 3R for third time (4R in 2015, 3R in 2012).
- Won 3rd singles title of season, 8th of career and 1st on hard court at Los Cabos (d. Del Potro).
- Captured clay-court titles at Sao Paulo (d. Jarry) and Bastad (d. Gasquet).
- Defeated Monfils on 14 May for 300th win and en route to 1st Rome QF in 11th appearance (l. to Nadal in 3 sets).
- Reached SFs at Sydney (l. to Medvedev), Rio de Janeiro (d. Sandgren in 2R after saving 1 MP, l. to Verdasco) and Geneva as WC (l. to Gojowczyk).
- Advanced to 4R for 2nd time at both Australian Open (l. to Berdych) and Roland Garros (l. to Cilic in 5 sets).
- Fell in Bastad doubles final with countryman Bolelli (l. to Peralta/Zeballos).
- Played 11+ hours and 14 sets in Davis Cup 1R, posting 3-0 record and saving 1 MP vs. Sugita (ITA d. JPN 3-1).
- Also played 3 matches for Italy in Davis Cup QF, going 1-2 against defending champion France (FRA d. ITA 3-1).

#### Millman 2018 in Review

**F (1):** Budapest (l Cecchinato)

**QF (1):** Eastbourne (l Cecchinato)

- Opened on Tuesday with 64 62 60 win over [WC] Brooksby and trying to reach 3R for second straight year.
- Earned biggest win of career over No. 14 Pouille in 2R and saved 3 MPs vs. Bedene in SF to reach 1st ATP World Tour final at Budapest (l. to Cecchinato). Also lost to Cecchinato in Eastbourne QF.
- Achieved career-high No. 49 in ATP Rankings on 30 July.
- Advanced to 2R at 8 events, including in hometown of Brisbane (l. to Dimitrov after holding 2 MPs).
- Defeated countrymen for Challenger titles at Kyoto, JPN (d. Thompson) and Aix En Provence, FRA (d. Tomic).
- Withdrew from Rotterdam qualifying, Houston and Lyon due to lower back/right hip injury.
- Retired in ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati qualifying 1R vs. Smyczek due to back injury.

## Laslo Djere (SRB) vs [26] Richard Gasquet (FRA)

## First Meeting

LASLO DJERE	vs	RICHARD GASQUET
23 (6/2/95)	Age (Birthdate)	32 (6/18/86)
No. 89 (No. 85 on 1/15/18)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 25 (No. 7 on 7/9/07)
Senta, Serbia	Birthplace	Beziers, France
Senta, Serbia	Residence	Neuchatel, Switzerland
11-14 (2-6)	2018 Record (on hard)	26-16 (9-7)
18-22 (3-8)	Career Record (on hard)	512-296 (299-179)
0 / 0	2018 Titles / Career Titles	1 / 15
1-4	Career Grand Slam Record	104-54
1-0 (2018 2nd Round)	US Open Record (Best Result)	26-12 (2013 Semi-finals)
0-0 (0-0)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	11-13 (0-0)
0	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	2
14-12 (10-11)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	173-149 (9-6)
\$621,954	Career Prize Money	\$16,811,305
Boris Conkic	Coach	Fabrice Santoro, Thierry Tulasne

### Djere 2018 in Review

**SF (2):** Istanbul (I Jaziri); Gstaad (I Bautista Agut)

**QF (1):** Umag (I Cecchinato)

- Made US Open debut and won maiden Grand Slam match (1-4) over L. Mayer 64 64 46 2-1 ret. (fatigue).
- Advanced to 2nd ATP World Tour SF at Istanbul (I. to Jaziri) and 3rd at Gstaad (d. Coric in 2R, I. to Bautista Agut).
- Reached Umag QF (d. 2014 champion Cuevas in 1R, I. to eventual champion Cecchinato in QF).
- Captured 2nd ATP Challenger Tour title of career at Milan, ITA (d. Mager).
- Challenger runner-up at Rome, ITA (I. to Pavlasek) and Prostějov, CZE (d. Garcia-Lopez in 3rd-set TB, I. to Munar).
- Qualified at Lyon (I. to Carballes Baena in 1R).
- Achieved career-high No. 85 in ATP Rankings on 15 January.
- Went on 10-match losing streak from 3 January-29 April, including tour-level, qualifying and Challenger matches.

### Gasquet 2018 in Review

**W (1):** 's-Hertogenbosch (d Chardy)

**F (2):** Montpellier (I Pouille); Bastad (I Fognini)

**SF (1):** Marrakech (I Edmund)

**QF (1):** ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo (I A. Zverev)

- Opened with 63 61 63 victory over Sugita on Tuesday and trying to post 300th career hard court win (299-179).
- Became 1st Frenchman with 500 career wins when he beat M. Zverev in Monte-Carlo 3R (I. to A. Zverev in QF).
- Won 15th title -- all ATP World Tour 250s -- at 's-Hertogenbosch (d. Chardy).
- Advanced to 6th consecutive Montpellier final, falling to 3-3 in title matches (d. Goffin, I. to Pouille).
- Also advanced to Bastad final (I. to Fognini).
- Suffered 9th straight loss to Federer in Australian Open 3R. Fell to 0-16 vs. Nadal in Roland Garros 3R.
- Dropped to No. 38 in ATP Rankings on 2 April -- lowest since No. 38 on 6 September 2010.
- Defeated Haase to help defending champion France beat The Netherlands 3-1 in Davis Cup 1R.
- Retired in Rotterdam 1R vs. Herbert due to groin injury and withdrew from Indian Wells due to knee injury.
- Conceded walkover to Jarry in Hamburg 2R and withdrew from Kitzbuhel and Toronto due to left hip injury.

## COURT 7

### Joao Sousa (POR) vs [12] Pablo Carreno Busta (ESP)

14 ATP World Tour Masters 1000 Miami (U.S.A.) Hard R128  
15 Winston-Salem (U.S.A.) Hard R32

### Series Tied 1-1

Joao Sousa 6-4 7-6(3)  
Pablo Carreno Busta 6-4 6-4

JOAO SOUSA	vs	PABLO CARRENO BUSTA
29 (3/30/89)	<b>Age (Birthdate)</b>	27 (7/12/91)
No. 68 (No. 28 on 5/16/16)	<b>ATP Ranking (Career-High)</b>	No. 12 (No. 10 on 9/11/17)
Guimaraes, Portugal	<b>Birthplace</b>	Gijon, Spain
Barcelona, Spain	<b>Residence</b>	Barcelona, Spain
21-20 (11-11)	<b>2018 Record (on hard)</b>	31-18 (17-7)
163-177 (82-96)	<b>Career Record (on hard)</b>	142-128 (66-59)
1 / 3	<b>2018 Titles / Career Titles</b>	0 / 3
17-23	<b>Career Grand Slam Record</b>	24-19
6-5 (2013, 2016 3rd Round)	<b>US Open Record (Best Result)</b>	11-4 (2017 Semi-finals)
5-6 (1-1)	<b>Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)</b>	3-7 (0-1)
0	<b>Comebacks from 0-2 Down</b>	1
58-63 (7-8)	<b>Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)</b>	63-56 (12-13)
\$5,089,635	<b>Career Prize Money</b>	\$7,425,253
Frederico Marques	<b>Coach</b>	Samuel Lopez, Cesar Fabregas

### Sousa 2018 in Review

**W (1):** Estoril (d Tiafoe)  
**SF (1):** Marrakech (l Andujar)  
**QF (1):** Antalya (l Mannarino)

- Opened on Tuesday with a 62 62 63 win over [Q] Granollers on Tuesday and trying to reach 3R for third time (2013, '16)
- Saved 2 MPs vs. P. Sousa en route to Estoril title -- 1st Portuguese champion in tournament history (d. Tiafoe).
- Beat Top 10 players A. Zverev in Indian Wells 2R (l. to Raonic in 3R) and Goffin in Miami 2R (l. to Chung in 4R).
- Advanced to Marrakech SF (l. to eventual champion Andujar) and Antalya QF (l. to Mannarino).
- Suffering 7-match losing streak entering US Open.
- Squandered 3 MPs vs. Herbert in Dubai 1R and 3 MPs vs. Haase in Halle 1R.
- Fell to No. 85 in ATP Rankings on 5 March -- lowest since No. 89 on 16 September 2013.
- Reached 1st doubles final of career at ATP Masters 1000 Rome w/Carreno Busta as ALT (l. to Cabal/Farah).
- Defeated both M. Ymer and E. Ymer 6-4 6-4 in losing effort during Davis Cup Group I play (SWE d. POR 3-2).

### Carreno Busta 2018 in Review

**SF (4):** ATP Masters 1000 Miami (l A. Zverev); Barcelona (l Tsitsipas); Estoril (l Tiafoe); Winston-Salem (l Johnson)  
**QF (4):** ATP Masters 1000 Rome (l Cilic); Bastad (l Verdasco); Hamburg (l Basilashvili); ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati (l Cilic)

- Last year's semi-finalist opened with a 75 62 62 victory over Jaziri and trying to reach 3R for fourth time in five years.
- Saved 3 MPs vs. Mannarino and earned biggest career win over No. 5 Dimitrov at Barcelona (l. to Tsitsipas in SF).
- Also advanced to SFs at Miami (d. Anderson after saving 1 MP, l. to A. Zverev), Estoril (l. to Tiafoe) and Winston-Salem (d. Chung, l. to Johnson).
- At ATP Masters 1000 Rome, reached singles QF (l. to Cilic) and doubles final w/Sousa as ALT (l. to Cabal/Farah).
- Also advanced to QFs at Bastad (l. to Verdasco), Hamburg (l. to Basilashvili) and Cincinnati (l. to Cilic).
- Reached Australian Open 4R for 1st time in 5th appearance (d. Muller, l. to Cilic).
- Saved 1 MP vs. Zeballos en route to ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells 4R (l. to Anderson in 3rd-set TB).
- Opened season by squandering 3 MPs vs. Coric in Doha 1R for his 5th straight loss and 9th loss in last 10 matches.
- Defeated Inglot/J. Murray in team debut w/F. Lopez to help Spain beat Great Britain 3-1 in Davis Cup 1R.
- Withdrew from ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo due to lower back injury.



## COURT 10

### Mikhail Kukushkin (KAZ) vs [23] Hyeon Chung (KOR)

### First Meeting

MIKHAIL KUKUSHKIN	vs	HYEON CHUNG
30 (12/26/87)	Age (Birthdate)	22 (5/19/96)
No. 84 (No. 46 on 10/5/15)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 23 (No. 19 on 4/2/18)
Volgograd, Russia	Birthplace	Suwon, South Korea
Astana, Kazakhstan	Residence	Suwon, South Korea
13-15 (4-6)	2018 Record (on hard)	26-13 (24-11)
130-166 (84-94)	Career Record (on hard)	77-56 (59-40)
0 / 1	2018 Titles / Career Titles	0 / 0
20-29	Career Grand Slam Record	11-8
8-8 (2013, 2015, 2017 3rd Round)	US Open Record (Best Result)	3-2 (2015, 2017-18 2nd Round)
7-7 (0-0)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	3-2 (1-0)
1	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	0
59-70 (7-7)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	21-26 (13-5)
\$4,102,585	Career Prize Money	\$3,069,138
	Coach	Neville Godwin

#### Kukushkin 2018 in Review

**SF (1):** Eastbourne (I. M. Zverev)

**QF (2):** Pune (I. Anderson); Lyon (I. Simon)

- Opened on Tuesday with 63 61 46 76 win over [WC] Rubin and trying to reach 3R for fourth time in six years.
- Advanced to SF at Eastbourne (I. to M. Zverev) and QFs at Pune (I. to Anderson) and Lyon (I. to Simon).
- Qualified at ATP Masters 1000 Madrid (I. to Anderson in 2R).
- Squandered 4 MPs in Marseille 1R vs. Dzumhur.
- Captured 14th ATP Challenger Tour title in 21st final at Irving, USA (d. Berrettini).
- Defeated Coric but fell to Cilic in Davis Cup QF (CRO d. KAZ 3-1).
- Retired in Canberra, AUS Challenger 1R vs. Beale and withdrew from Sofia and Rotterdam Q due to illness.

#### Chung 2018 in Review

**SF (2):** Australian Open (I. Federer); Munich (I. A. Zverev)

**QF (7):** Auckland (I. Ferrer); Delray Beach (I. Tiafoe); Acapulco (I. Anderson); ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells (I. Federer); ATP Masters 1000 Miami (I. Isner); Atlanta (I. Harrison); Winston-Salem (I. Carreno Busta)

- No. 2 Asian player (behind Nishikori) opened with 46 76 60 2-0 ret. win over Berankis (heat illness) and trying to reach 3R for the first time. Countryman Hyung-Taik Lee advanced to the 4R in 2007 (and in 2000).
- Earned biggest win of career over No. 4 A. Zverev and upset 6-time champion Djokovic en route to Australian Open SF (ret. vs. Federer -- left foot blisters). First South Korean to reach Grand Slam QF and SF.
- As 21-year-old, became youngest Grand Slam semi-finalist since Cilic, 21, at 2010 Australian Open.
- Reached QF-or-better at 9 events, including ATP Masters 1000 QFs in Indian Wells (I. to No. 1 Federer) and Miami (I. to Isner). First South Korean to reach ATP Masters 1000 QF.
- Still seeking 1st tour-level final, though he won title at inaugural Next Gen ATP Finals in 2017.
- Broke into Top 20 and achieved career-high No. 19 in ATP Rankings on 2 April.
- Withdrew from Sofia and New York due to left foot blisters. Also withdrew from Houston, Barcelona, Rome, Lyon, Roland Garros, Stuttgart, Halle and Wimbledon due to lower leg injury. Withdrew from Toronto due to back pain.

## Robin Haase (NED) vs [10] David Goffin (BEL)

13 ATP World Tour Masters 1000 Miami	Hard	R128	David Goffin
17 Doha (Qatar)	Hard	R32	David Goffin
17 Rotterdam (Netherlands)	Hard	R16	David Goffin
17 Gstaad (Switzerland)	Clay	QF	Robin Haase
18 ATP World Tour Masters 1000 Madrid	Clay	R32	David Goffin
18 Roland Garros (France)	Clay	R128	David Goffin

## Goffin Leads 5-1

7-6(4) 3-6 6-1
7-6(4) 6-2
5-7 6-4 6-4
7-5 6-1
7-5 6-3
4-6 4-6 6-4 6-1 6-0

ROBIN HAASE	vs	DAVID GOFFIN
31 (4/6/87)	Age (Birthdate)	27 (12/7/90)
No. 49 (No. 33 on 7/30/12)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 10 (No. 7 on 11/20/17)
The Hague, Netherlands	Birthplace	Rocourt, Belgium
Turnhout, Belgium	Residence	Monte Carlo, Monaco
24-24 (15-11)	2018 Record (on hard)	26-14 (14-7)
214-240 (106-129)	Career Record (on hard)	227-142 (148-88)
0 / 2	2018 Titles / Career Titles	0 / 4
18-38	Career Grand Slam Record	39-24
3-8 (2011, 2015, 2018 2nd RD)	US Open Record (Best Result)	8-6 (2017 4th Round)
9-13 (1-2)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	11-4 (2-0)
5	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	2
81-120 (14-13)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	68-69 (8-7)
\$6,230,092	Career Prize Money	\$10,534,540
Raymond Knapp	Coach	Thierry Van Cleemput

## Haase 2018 in Review

**SF (2):** Auckland (I Bautista Agut); Umag (I Pella)

**QF (3):** Pune (I Paire); Rotterdam (I Federer); ATP Masters 1000 Toronto (I Khachanov)

- Rallied from two-sets deficit for fifth time in career on Tuesday, defeating McDonald 46 46 63 61 63 and trying to reach 3R for first time in ninth appearance.
- Reached SFs at Auckland (d. Ruud in 1R after saving 2 MPs, l. to Bautista Agut) and Umag (l. to Pella).
- Advanced to QFs at Pune (l. to Paire), Rotterdam (l. to Federer) and ATP Masters 1000 Toronto (l. to Khachanov).
- Beat No. 4 A. Zverev to equal biggest win of career in ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati 2R (l. to Carreno Busta in 3R).
- Fell in 2R on grass at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. to Tomic), Halle (d. Sousa after saving 3 MPs, l. to Bautista Agut), Antalya (l. to Garcia-Lopez after holding 1 MP) and Wimbledon (l. to Kyrgios).
- Won doubles titles w/Middelkoop at Pune (d. Herbert/Simon), Sofia (d. Mekic/Peya) and Umag (d. Jebavy/Vesely).
- Withdrew from ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells due to a virus.

## Goffin 2018 in Review

**SF (4):** Montpellier (I Gasquet); Rotterdam (I Dimitrov); Barcelona (I Nadal); ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati (I Federer)

**QF (3):** ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo (I Dimitrov); ATP Masters 1000 Rome (I A. Zverev); Washington (I Tsitsipas)

- On Tuesday opened with 62 64 76 win over Italian [Q] Gaio and best result is 4R last year (l. to Rublev).
- Defeated Anderson and Del Potro on same day to reach ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati SF (ret. vs. Federer).
- Saved 1 MP vs. Granollers en route to Barcelona SF (l. to No. 1 Nadal).
- Also advanced to SFs at Montpellier (l. to Gasquet) and Rotterdam (ret. vs. Dimitrov).
- Reached ATP Masters 1000 QFs at Monte-Carlo (l. to Dimitrov) and Rome (d. Del Potro, l. to A. Zverev).
- Rallied from 2 sets down vs. Haase and saved 4 MPs vs. Monfils to reach Roland Garros 4R (l. to Cecchinato).
- Extended Davis Cup singles win streak to 11 matches by beating Balazs and Fucsovics in 1R tie (BEL d. HUN 3-2).
- Retired in Rotterdam SF and withdrew from Marseille and ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells due to eye injury.
- Retired in Cincinnati SF and withdrew from Winston-Salem due to right shoulder injury.

## COURT 11

### Julien Benneteau (FRA) vs Jan-Lennard Struff (GER)

14 Marseille (France)

Hard

R16

Jan-Lennard Struff

### Struff Leads 1-0

4-6

7-6(3)

6-3

JULIEN BENNETEAU	vs	JAN-LENNARD STRUFF
36 (12/20/81)	Age (Birthdate)	28 (4/25/90)
No. 60 (No. 25 on 11/17/14)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 58 (No. 44 on 5/8/17)
Bourg-en-Bresse, France	Birthplace	Warstein, Germany
Boulogne-Billancourt, France	Residence	Warstein, Germany
8-10 (5-5)	2018 Record (on hard)	16-20 (6-9)
273-296 (176-179)	Career Record (on hard)	81-112 (44-53)
0 / 0	2018 Titles / Career Titles	0 / 0
47-56	Career Grand Slam Record	8-20
10-13 (2009, 2011-13 3rd RD)	US Open Record (Best Result)	2-4 (2014, 2018 2nd Round)
9-11 (0-1)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	5-5 (2-0)
1	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	3
115-112 (7-4)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	42-63 (9-9)
\$9,445,817	Career Prize Money	\$3,275,726
Vincent Lamarque	Coach	Carsten Arriens

#### Benneteau 2018 in Review

**QF (1):** Marseille (l. Khachanov)

- Opened with 26 76 63 64 win over [22] Cecchinato and trying to reach 3R for fifth time, first since 2013.
- In 16th and final appearance at Roland Garros, lost to Del Potro in 2R on Court Philippe Chatrier.
- Reached 3R at Australian Open, where he earned 2nd consecutive win over No. 7 Goffin in 2R (l. to Fognini).
- Advanced to Marseille QF (d. Bautista Agut, l. to eventual champion Khachanov).
- Qualified and reached 2R at London/Queen's Club (d. Berdych, l. to Mannarino).
- Announced plans to retire from ATP World Tour following season.

#### Struff 2018 in Review

**QF (2):** Budapest (l. Cecchinato); Munich (l. A. Zverev)

- Opened with 76 64 63 victory over [WC] Smyczek and trying to reach 3R for first time in five appearances.
- Lost to eventual champions in back-to-back QFs at Budapest (l. to Cecchinato) and Munich (l. to A. Zverev).
- Saved 1 MP vs. Karlovic to reach Grand Slam 3R for 1st time at Wimbledon (l. to Federer).
- Became 1st player in Open Era to rally from 2 sets down in both Wimbledon 1R and 2R (d. L. Mayer and Karlovic).
- Ended 11-match Grand Slam skid by reaching 2R at Aus. Open (l. to Federer) and Roland Garros (l. to Johnson).
- Fell to 5-13 in ATP Challenger Tour finals with loss to P. Sousa at Pullach, GER Challenger.
- Advanced to 1st ATP World Tour final with 1st-time doubles partner Troicki at Sydney (l. to Kubot/Melo).
- Reached 1st Grand Slam SF in team debut w/McLachlan at Aus. Open (d. Kubot/Melo in 3rd-set TB, l. to Marach/Pavic in 3rd-set TB). Also reached ATP Masters 1000 Miami SF w/McLachlan (l. to Bryan/Bryan).
- Teamed w/Puetz for 5-set Davis Cup wins over Ebden/Peers of Australia and Lopez/Lopez of Spain.
- Achieved career-high No. 29 in ATP Doubles Rankings on 13 August.
- Withdrew from Marseille due to hip injury.

## COURT 12

### Matthew Ebden (AUS) vs Philipp Kohlschreiber (GER)

### First Meeting

MATTHEW EBDEN	vs	PHILIPP KOHLSCHREIBER
30 (11/26/87)	Age (Birthdate)	34 (10/16/83)
No. 54 (No. 43 on 7/16/18)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 34 (No. 16 on 7/30/12)
Durban, South Africa	Birthplace	Augsburg, Germany
Perth, Australia	Residence	Kitzbuhel, Austria
14-15 (7-9)	2018 Record (on hard)	19-20 (6-7)
63-99 (44-68)	Career Record (on hard)	442-342 (213-177)
0 / 0	2018 Titles / Career Titles	0 / 8
9-18	Career Grand Slam Record	68-56
3-3 (2012, 2014, 2018 2nd RD)	US Open Record (Best Result)	22-15 (2012-14, 2017 4th Round)
2-3 (1-1)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	16-13 (0-2)
0	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	2
21-34 (7-7)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	180-174 (8-9)
\$2,554,503	Career Prize Money	\$11,670,021
Liam Smith	Coach	Lars Uebel

#### Ebden 2018 in Review

**SF (2):** 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Chardy); Atlanta (l. Isner)

**QF (1):** Halle (l. Federer)

- No. 3 Aussie opened with 76 67 46 61 4-1 ret. win over [32] Krajinovic on Tuesday and trying to reach 3R for first time.
- Reached 2nd SF at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. to Chardy) and 3rd SF at Atlanta (l. to eventual champion Isner).
- Defeated 2011 champion Kohlschreiber to reach Halle QF as SE (l. to No. 1 Federer).
- Beat Goffin and Robert to reach Grand Slam 3R for 1st time at Wimbledon (l. to Simon). Was 0-6 in Grand Slam 2R.
- Broke into Top 50 and achieved career-high No. 43 in ATP Rankings on 16 July.
- Upset defending champion Querrey in 3rd-set TB at Acapulco (l. to Donaldson in 2R).
- Captured 9th ATP Challenger Tour singles title at Busan, KOR (d. Pospisil).
- Won doubles title at Taipei, TPE Challenger w/Whittington (d. Gunneswaran/Myneni) and reached final at Irving, USA Challenger w/Albot (l. to Petzschner/Peya).
- Returned to Davis Cup for 1st time since 2013 in 5-set loss w/Peers to Puetz/Struff (GER d. AUS 3-1 in 1R).

#### Kohlschreiber 2018 in Review

**F (1):** Munich (l. A. Zverev)

**QF (1):** ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells (l. Del Potro)

- In 16th straight US Open appearance No. 2 German opened on Tuesday with a 76 57 64 64 over countryman Hanfmann
- Did not drop a set en route to 6th Munich final, falling to 3-3 with loss to countryman A. Zverev.
- Snapped 12-match losing streak vs. Top 10 players, beating No. 3 Cilic en route to Indian Wells QF (l. to Del Potro).
- Reached Wimbledon 3R for 5th time (l. to Anderson).
- Advanced to 3R at all 3 ATP Masters 1000 clay-court events: Monte-Carlo (d. Ramos-Vinolas, l. to Dimitrov), Madrid (d. Bautista Agut after saving 1 MP, l. to Anderson) and Rome (d. Sock, l. to Nishikori).
- Fell to Ferrer in deciding rubber of Davis Cup QF, losing 7-5 in 5th after 4 hours, 51 minutes (ESP d. GER 3-2).
- Followed with worst tour-level loss of career vs. World No. 617 Ouahab in Marrakech 1R.

## COURT 13

### [13] Diego Schwartzman (ARG) vs Jaume Munar (ESP)

### First Meeting

DIEGO SCHWARTZMAN	vs	JAUME MUNAR
26 (8/16/92)	Age (Birthdate)	21 (5/5/97)
No. 13 (No. 11 on 6/11/18)	ATP Ranking (Career-High)	No. 85 (No. 85 on 8/20/18)
Buenos Aires, Argentina	Birthplace	Santanyi, Mallorca, Spain
Buenos Aires, Argentina	Residence	Santanyi, Mallorca, Spain
28-19 (8-8)	2018 Record (on hard)	9-7 (3-2)
98-95 (43-38)	Career Record (on hard)	10-11 (3-3)
1 / 2	2018 Titles / Career Titles	0 / 0
19-17	Career Grand Slam Record	2-2
6-4 (2017 Quarter-finals)	US Open Record (Best Result)	1-0 (2018 2nd Round)
3-3 (2-0)	Career 5th-Set Record (YTD)	2-0 (2-0)
1	Comebacks from 0-2 Down	1
23-36 (4-7)	Career Tiebreak Record (YTD)	10-4 (9-4)
\$4,699,590	Career Prize Money	\$433,587
Juan Ignacio Chela	Coach	Tomeu Salva-Vidal (Rafael Nadal Academy)

#### Schwartzman 2018 in Review

**W (1):** Rio de Janeiro (d Verdasco)

**QF (3):** Buenos Aires (l Bedene); Roland Garros (l Nadal); Hamburg (l L. Mayer)

- No. 2 Argentine opened with a 62 76 62 win over countryman Delbonis on Tuesday
- Did not drop a set en route to 2nd ATP World Tour title at Rio de Janeiro (d. Verdasco).
- Achieved new career-high 8 times in ATP Rankings, peaking at No. 11 on 11 June.
- Highest-ranked player to stand 5-foot-7 or shorter since 5-foot-6 Solomon was No. 10 on 27 July 1981.
- Rallied from 2 sets down to beat Anderson and advance to 2nd Grand Slam QF at Roland Garros (l. to No. 1 Nadal).
- Won 1st set against Nadal to end Spaniard's 38-set win streak at Roland Garros.
- Also reached QFs at Buenos Aires (l. to Bedene) and Hamburg (l. to L. Mayer).
- Defeated Lajovic 11-9 in 5th en route to Australian Open 4R (l. to No. 1 Nadal in 4 sets).
- Advanced to Wimbledon 2R with 1st win in 8th try on grass (d. Basic, l. to Vesely).
- Withdrew from London/Queen's Club due to abdominal injury.

#### Munar 2018 in Review

**SF (1):** Kitzbuhel (l Klizan)

- #NextGenATP Spaniard won his US Open debut on Tuesday over [LL] Bemelmans 57 63 76 26 61.
- Achieved new career-high ranking 11 times, breaking into Top 100 on 18 June and peaking at No. 85 on 20 August.
- Advanced to 1st ATP World Tour QF and SF at Kitzbuhel (d. Daniel, l. to eventual champion Klizan).
- Rallied from 2 sets down to defeat 2013 finalist Ferrer in Roland Garros 1R as Q (l. to Djokovic in 2R).
- Qualified on 1st attempt at a Grand Slam before falling to Monfils in Australian Open 1R.
- Earned 2nd ATP World Tour win of career at Barcelona (d. Sousa, l. to Thiem in 2R).
- Captured consecutive ATP Challenger Tour titles at Prostějov, CZE (d. Djere) and Caltanissetta, ITA (d. Donati).
- Reached Noumea, CAL Challenger doubles final w/A. Gonzalez (l. to Nys/Puetz).