



OPEN OCCITANIE – ATP MEDIA NOTES

PREVIEW & DAY 1 – MONDAY 27 JANUARY 2025

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2025 OPEN OCCITANIE SINGLES

SEED	PLAYER	CAREER W-L (BEST FINISH)	EVENT W-L (BEST FINISH)
1/WC	Andrey Rublev	335-186 (16 Titles)	2-1 (2018 QF)
2	Felix Auger-Aliassime (CAN)	221-149 (6 Titles)	3-2 (2024 SF)
3	Flavio Cobolli (ITA)	43-41 (2024 Washington Final)	2-1 (2024 QF)
4	Alexander Bublik (KAZ)	152-152 (4 Titles)	10-2 (2022, 2024 Title)
5	Tallon Griekspoor (NED)	93-95 (2 Titles)	1-2 (2021 2R)
6	David Goffin (BEL)	346-256 (6 Titles)	9-4 (2021 Title)
7	Arthur Rinderknech (FRA)	74-84 (2022 Adelaide-2 Final)	1-1 (2023 2R)
8	Buyunchaokete (CHN)	10-11 (2 SFs)	0-0 (Debut)

Tournament History

2010, 2012-Present (15th Edition)

Singles Final

Sunday 2 February at 3:00pm

Wild Cards (4)

Gregoire Barrere (FRA), Quentin Halys (FRA), Andrey Rublev, Stan Wawrinka (SUI)

Qualifiers (4)

TBD on Monday 27 January

Oldest Player

Stan Wawrinka (39)

Youngest Player

Arthur Cazaux (22)

Tournament Records

Most Titles – Richard Gasquet, Gael Monfils (3)

Most Wins – Richard Gasquet (28)

Youngest Champion – Alexander Zverev, 19, in 2017

Oldest Champion – Jo-Wilfried Tsonga, 33, in 2019

Highest-Ranked Champion – No. 7 Tomas Berdych in 2012

Lowest-Ranked Champion – No. 210 Jo-Wilfried Tsonga in 2019

Last French Champion – Gael Monfils in 2020

COUNTRY BREAKDOWN (11)

France (8)

Gregoire Barrere, Arthur Cazaux, Richard Gasquet, Quentin Halys, Adrian Mannarino, Harold Mayot, Lucas Pouille, Arthur Rinderknech

Netherlands (3)

Jesper de Jong, Tallon Griekspoor, Botic van de Zandschulp

Germany (2)

Daniel Altmaier, Dominic Koepfer

Italy (2)

Mattia Bellucci, Flavio Cobolli

Kazakhstan (2)

Alexander Bublik, Mikhail Kukushkin

Belgium (1)

David Goffin

Canada (1)

Felix Auger-Aliassime

China (1)

Buyunchaokete

Croatia (1)

Borna Coric

Switzerland (1)

Stan Wawrinka

United States (1)

Christopher Eubanks

Andrey Rublev

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

PIF ATP RANKINGS POINTS AND PRIZE MONEY

Open Occitanie	W	F	SF	QF	R16	R32
Singles Ranking Points	250	165	100	50	25*	0
Singles Prize Money (€)	90,680	52,890	31,090	18,015	10,460	6,390
Doubles Ranking Points	250	150	90	45	0	--
Doubles Prize Money (€)	31,530	16,940	9,910	5,500	3,240	--

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

2025 OPEN OCCITANIE DOUBLES

SEED	PLAYER	TEAM (BEST FINISH)	CAREER (BEST FINISH)	EVENT (BEST FINISH)
1	Sadio Doumbia (FRA) Fabien Reboul (FRA)	82-64 (5-3 in 2025) 4 Titles (1 SF in 2025)	85-70 (4 Titles) 88-70 (4 Titles)	4-0 (2024 Title) 4-0 (2024 Title)
2	Jamie Murray (GBR) Edouard Roger-Vasselin (FRA)	0-0 (Team Debut)	578-413 (34 Titles) 432-292 (28 Titles)	7-3 (2012 Final) 16-5 ('12, '19, '21 Titles)
3	Yuki Bhambri (IND) Ivan Dodig (CRO)	0-0 (Team Debut)	58-52 (3 Titles) 468-312 (24 Titles)	0-0 (Debut) 4-1 (2019 Title)
4	Sander Arends (FRA) Luke Johnson (GBR)	11-3 (5-2 in 2025) 2 Titles (1 in 2025)	62-73 (3 Titles) 12-15 (2 Titles)	5-3 (2018, 2023 SF) 0-0 (Debut)

Doubles Final: Sunday 2 February at 12:30 pm.

OPEN OCCITANIE SINGLES FINALS

YEAR	CHAMPION	FINALIST	SCORE
2024	Alexander Bublik (KAZ)	Borna Coric (CRO)	5-7 6-2 6-3
2023	Jannik Sinner (ITA)	Maxime Cressy (USA)	7-6(3) 6-3
2022	Alexander Bublik (KAZ)	Alexander Zverev (GER)	6-4 6-3
2021	David Goffin (BEL)	Roberto Bautista Agut (ESP)	5-7 6-4 6-2
2020	Gael Monfils (FRA)	Vasek Pospisil (CAN)	7-5 6-3
2019	Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (FRA)	Pierre-Hugues Herbert (FRA)	6-4 6-2
2018	Lucas Pouille (FRA)	Richard Gasquet (FRA)	7-6(2) 6-4
2017	Alexander Zverev (GER)	Richard Gasquet (FRA)	7-6(4) 6-3
2016	Richard Gasquet (FRA)	Paul-Henri Mathieu (FRA)	7-5 6-4
2015	Richard Gasquet (FRA)	Jerzy Janowicz (POL)	3-0 RET
2014	Gael Monfils (FRA)	Richard Gasquet (FRA)	6-4 6-4
2013	Richard Gasquet (FRA)	Benoit Paire (FRA)	6-2 6-3
2012	Tomas Berdych (CZE)	Gael Monfils (FRA)	6-2 4-6 6-3
2011	TOURNAMENT NOT HELD		
2010	Gael Monfils (FRA)	Ivan Ljubicic (CRO)	6-2 5-7 6-1

BOLD: Player in 2025 Open Occitanie singles draw.

OPEN OCCITANIE DOUBLES FINALS

YEAR	CHAMPION	FINALIST	SCORE
2024	Sadio Doumbia / Fabien Reboul	Albano Olivetti / Sam Weissborn	6-7(5) 6-4 [10-6]
2023	Robin Haase / Matwe Middelkoop	Maxime Cressy / Albano Olivetti	7-6(4) 4-6 [10-6]
2022	Pierre-Hugues Herbert / Nicolas Mahut	Lloyd Glasspool / Harri Heliövaara	4-6 7-6(3) [12-10]
2021	Henri Kontinen / Edouard Roger-Vasselin	Jonathan Erlich / Andrei Vasilevski	6-2 7-5
2020	Nikola Pietrangeli / Mate Pavić	Dominic Inglot / Aisam-ul-Haq Qureshi	6-4 6-7(4) [10-4]
2019	Ivan Dodig / Edouard Roger-Vasselin	Benjamin Bonzi / Antoine Hoang	6-4 6-3
2018	Ken Skupski / Neal Skupski	Ben McLachlan / Hugo Nys	7-6(2) 6-4
2017	Alexander Zverev / Mischa Zverev	Fabrice Martin / Daniel Nestor	6-4 6-7(3) [10-7]
2016	Mate Pavić / Michael Venus	Alexander Zverev / Mischa Zverev	7-5 7-6(4)
2015	Marcus Daniell / Artem Sitak	Dominic Inglot / Florin Mergea	3-6 6-4 [16-14]
2014	Nikolay Davydenko / Denis Istomin	Marc Gicquel / Nicolas Mahut	6-4 1-6 [10-7]
2013	Marc Gicquel / Michael Llodra	Johan Brunström / Raven Klaasen	6-3 3-6 [11-9]
2012	Nicolas Mahut / Edouard Roger-Vasselin	Paul Hanley / Jamie Murray	6-4 7-6(4)
2011	TOURNAMENT NOT HELD		
2010	Stephen Huss / Ross Hutchins	Marc Lopez / Eduardo Schwank	6-2 4-6 [10-7]

BOLD: Player in 2025 Open Occitanie doubles draw – team Doumbia/Reboul remains intact.

LEXUS ATP HEAD2HEAD: MONDAY FIRST-ROUND SINGLES MATCHES

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[8] Buyunchaokete (CHN) vs Daniel Altmaier (GER)

First Meeting

Buyunchaokete | Age: 23 | World No. 71 | Career-High No. 65 | Career: 10-11 (2 SFs) | Montpellier: 0-0 (Debut)
 > Former World No. 5 junior earned 1st ranking point in January 2022, broke into Top 100 in September 2023 and achieved career-high No. 65 in December 2024.
 > Reached back-to-back ATP Tour SFs on home soil, losing to Zhang in 1st all-Chinese ATP Tour SF in Hangzhou and defeating No. 6 Rublev for biggest win of career to reach Beijing SF (l. to No. 1 Sinner).
 > Made tour-level debut at 2022 Davis Cup (l. to M. Cuevas) and ATP Tour debut at 2023 ATP Masters 1000 Shanghai as WC, earning first career win over No. 45 Kecmanovic in 1R.
 > Owns 61-36 Challenger record (3-2 in finals) with titles at 2023 Seoul, 2024 Wuxi and 2024 Granby.
 > He notes Andy Murray as his tennis idol and played against him at 2023 Surbiton CH, losing in straight sets.
 > Earned win over future-Top 10 player Rune en route to 2019 Australian Open boys' singles 3R and reached quarterfinals in boys' doubles at 2019 Roland Garros w/Khan and 2020 Australian Open w/Mitsui.

NOTE: Bu is seeded at an ATP Tour event for the first time in career and looks for 1st ATP Tour win of the season. The 23-year-old finished 2024 season by reaching Metz QF, capturing his lone ATP Tour wins outside of China.

Daniel Altmaier | Age: 26 | World No. 91 | Career-High No. 47 | Career: 45-84 (2 SFs) | Montpellier: 0-0 (Debut)
 > Made Top 50 debut a day before his 25th birthday in September, achieving career-high No. 47 in October 2023.
 > Reached 1st ATP Masters 1000 QF at 2023 Madrid as LL and defeated compatriot No. 6 Zverev for biggest win of career at 2024 Acapulco.
 > Made Grand Slam qualifying debut at 2020 Roland Garros and earned 6th win of tournament over No. 8 Berrettini to reach 4R and defeated No. 9 Sinner en route to 2023 Roland Garros 3R.
 > Advanced to 1st ATP Tour SFs of career in back-to-back weeks at Umag and Kitzbuhel in July 2021.
 > Ended 2022 season with 13 wins in his last 14 Challenger matches, including back-to-back titles at Lima-2 and Guayaquil.
 > Hits a one-handed backhand and says that his idols growing up were fellow one-handers Federer and Wawrinka.

NOTE: Altmaier is making his debut in Montpellier and aims to be the first German to record a match win at the event since Zverev made 2022 final (l. to Bublik). He is 1-2 on tour-level in 2025, earning 1st win of the season over Comesana in Australian Open 1R in five sets (l. to Monfils in 2R).

[WC] Stan Wawrinka (SUI) vs Arthur Cazaux (FRA)

First Meeting

Stan Wawrinka | Age: 39 | World No. 154 | Career-High No. 3 | Career: 578-364 (16 Titles) | Montpellier: 0-0 (Debut)
 > Achieved career-high No. 3 in 2014 and ended 2014-16 at No. 4 before undergoing 2 left knee surgeries in 2017 and 2 left foot surgeries in 2021.
 > Boasts 5 wins over World No. 1 at Grand Slams, including finals of 2014 Australian Open (d. Nadal), 2015 Roland Garros (d. Djokovic) and 2016 US Open (d. Djokovic).
 > One of 3 players to defeat Djokovic, Federer, Murray and Nadal at Grand Slams (also Berdych, Tsonga).
 > Owns 16 singles titles with 11 straight wins in finals from 2014-16, defeating fellow Swiss Federer for lone ATP Masters 1000 title at 2014 Monte Carlo.
 > Won 2008 Beijing Olympics doubles gold medal w/Federer and helped Switzerland capture 2014 Davis Cup.

NOTE: Wawrinka aims to record an ATP Tour win in a 22nd different season (2003, 2005-24). He is the second oldest competitor in tournament history after Karlovic, 39, in 2019 (l. to Granollers in 1R). Last year, earned 4 of 10 tour-level wins indoors, highlighted by win over No. 7 Rublev to reach Stockholm SF in October.

Most Seasons With a Tour-Level Win:

Jimmy Connors – 25 (1970-1989, 1991-95)
 Roger Federer – 24 (1998-2021)
 Richard Gasquet – 23 (2002-24)
 Rafael Nadal – 23 (2002-24)

Novak Djokovic – 22 (2004-25)
 Feliciano Lopez – 22 (2001-21, 2023)
 Gael Monfils – 22 (2004-25)
 Guillermo Vilas – 22 (1968-89)

Arthur Cazaux | Age: 22 | World No. 101 | Career-High No. 63 | Career: 13-21 (1x 4R) | Montpellier: 1-1 (2024 2R)
> After peaking at No. 4 in juniors in 2020, broke inside Top 100 in January 2024 after defeating No. 8 Rune for biggest win of career en route to Australian Open 4R and earned a career-high No. 63 in December.
> Defeated countryman Mannarino in ATP Tour main draw debut at 2021 Geneva as 18-year-old WC.
> Made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2021 Roland Garros as WC and earned Grand Slam wins over Bergs at 2024 Wimbledon in 5 sets, 2-time semi-finalist Carreno Busta at 2024 US Open and No. 28 Baez at 2025 Aus. Open.
> Owns 70-36 record on ATP Challenger Tour (3-5 in finals), winning titles at 2022 and 2023 Nonthaburi-2 as Q and 2024 Noumea.
> Went 122-48 on ITF Junior Circuit, highlighted by run to 2020 Australian Open boys' singles final.
> Discovered tennis at age 3 when his father was watching Nadal at Roland Garros and started playing tennis against the wall as nobody in his family played the sport.

NOTE: Montpellier-native Cazaux seeks 3rd ATP Tour win on home soil after defeating No. 92 Marterer in Montpellier 1R last year and No. 19 Shelton at ATP Masters 1000 Paris in October. The 22-year-old will aim to record his second win over a former Top-3 player after defeating No. 211 Cilic in ATP Masters 1000 Shanghai 1R last October.

[WC] Gregoire Barrere (FRA) vs Dominik Koepfer (GER)

First Meeting

Gregoire Barrere | Age: 30 | World No. 144 | Career-High No. 49 | Career: 38-63 (2 SFs) | Event: 6-5 (2020, 2023 QF)
> Broke into Top 100 in September 2019 and Top 50 in July 2023, achieving career-high No. 49 after reaching 1st ATP Tour SF at 2023 Eastbourne.
> Advanced to ATP Tour QFs in his native France in Metz in 2019 and Montpellier in 2020 and 2023.
> On clay, earned biggest win of career over No. 11 Khachanov at 2023 ATP Masters 1000 Rome and advanced to 2nd ATP Tour SF at 2024 Bucharest.
> Won main draw matches at all 4 Grand Slam events, including at Roland Garros in 2019 and 2022 as WC.
> Qualified at Wimbledon in 2018, 2019 and 2021, as well as at 2019 US Open and 2024 Roland Garros.
> Owns 148-114 Challenger record (6-8 in finals), winning all 6 of his titles and reaching 12 of 14 finals on French soil.

NOTE: Barrere looks for 1st ATP Tour win since reaching Bucharest SF in April last year (l. to Navone). The 30-year-old reached 2 of 5 career ATP Tour QFs in Montpellier and is the only man to defeat Bublik in last 3 editions of Montpellier (in 2023 1R), as the No. 4 seed and defending champion Bublik awaits the winner of this match in 2R.

Dominik Koepfer | Age: 30 | World No. 118 | Career-High No. 49 | Career: 60-74 (2 SFs) | Montpellier: 0-0 (Debut)
> Improved year-end ranking in 6 straight seasons (2016-21), breaking into Top 100 in 2019, into Top 50 in 2021 and achieving career-high No. 49 in March 2024.
> Did not drop a set en route to 1st ATP Tour SF at 2021 Acapulco and 2nd SF at 2023 Los Cabos.
> Qualified and made ATP Masters 1000 main draw debut at 2020 Rome, where he earned biggest win of career over No. 9 Monfils en route to 1st ATP Tour QF.
> Posted 6 wins en route to 2019 US Open 4R as Q, then reached 3R at Roland Garros, Wimbledon, Tokyo Olympics in 2021 and Paris Olympics in 2024.
> Earned finance degree and was a 2-time All-American at Tulane University in New Orleans (2013-16).

NOTE: Koepfer seeks 1st tour-level win since advancing to Paris Olympics 3R in July last year (d. Raonic, Arnaldi, l. to Djokovic) and first ATP Tour win on hard courts since defeating No. 19 Baez and No. 15 Humbert to reach ATP Masters 1000 Miami 4R last March (l. to No. 4 Medvedev). He is 8-1 vs. Frenchmen on tour-level since May 2021.