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SWISS INDOORS BASEL TALKING POINTS

- 2009 champion **Novak Djokovic** returns to **Swiss Indoors Basel** for the first time since 2011, as he attempts to win his 103rd tour-level title, tying Federer for second-most men's titles in Open Era, seven years after Swiss man won his 103rd and last tour-level title in **St. Jakobshalle** in 2019. 39-year-old is No. 11 on [PIF ATP Race to Turin](#) and attempts to qualify for Nitto ATP Finals for the 19th time in last 20 years (DNQ in 2017).
- World No. 4 **Ben Shelton**, one of three confirmed qualifiers for this year's Nitto ATP Finals alongside Zverev and Alcaraz, is the No. 1 seed at an event above ATP 250 level for the first time in career. 24-year-old, who is the only American to reach **Swiss Indoors Basel** final in this century, doing so in 2024, is 15-3 at ATP 500 level this season and attempts to be the first American man to win 5 titles in a season since Blake in 2006 (5).
- World No. 8 **Arthur Fils** is 11-4 in ATP 500 events this season, including run to Doha final in February before winning Barcelona title in April. 22-year-old Frenchman will look for his third title of the season, second on hard courts after winning the biggest title of his career at ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati. He will open his week vs. a familiar foe, 2024 champion **Giovanni Mpetshi Perricard**, who entered the draw through qualifying.
- Former World No. 3 **Stan Wawrinka** is playing in his final ATP Tour event of career after announcing plans to retire after the end of this season. 41-year-old, who earned 590 wins and 16 titles in his career, including 2014 Australian Open, 2015 Roland Garros and 2016 US Open, is making his 19th main draw appearance in Basel, tying Federer for most in tournament history, and will face World No. 21 **Jiri Lehecka** in the first round.
- Wawrinka** is joined by four Swiss men in the draw, most at this event since 2009 (5). **Remy Bertola** qualified to become 1st Swiss in event history to qualify into main draw in back-to-back years, defeating countryman **Mika Brunold** in qualifying with Brunold also entering the draw as a lucky loser. Wildcards **Jerome Kym** and **Dominic Stricker** complete the Swiss lineup with Stricker facing No. 9 seed **Casper Ruud** on Day 1.

PIF ATP LIVE RACE TO TURIN

Race	Player	Points	This Week
1	Alexander Zverev (GER)	9,150	Vienna – +50 for 1R win vs. Landaluce
2	~~Jannik Sinner (ITA)~~	~~7,950~~	<i>Out for the rest of 2026 season</i>
3	Carlos Alcaraz (ESP)	4,600	Vienna – +50 for 1R win vs. Khachanov
4	Ben Shelton (USA)	4,480	Basel – +50 for 1R win vs. Kovacevic
5	Daniil Medvedev	3,660	Vienna – +50 for 1R win vs. Merida
6	Flavio Cobolli (ITA)	3,640	Vienna – +50 for 1R win vs. Dimitrov
7	Arthur Fils (FRA)	3,425	Basel – +50 for 1R win vs. Mpetshi Perricard
8	Frances Tiafoe (USA)	3,380	Vienna – +50 for 1R win vs. Musetti
9	Rafael Jodar (ESP)	3,159	Basel – +50 for 1R win vs. Tabilo
10	Alex de Minaur (AUS)	2,880	Vienna – +50 for 1R win vs. Machac
11	Novak Djokovic (SRB)	2,840	Basel – +50 for 1R win vs. Humbert
12	Taylor Fritz (USA)	2,685	Basel – +50 for 1R win vs. Hijikata
13	Tommy Paul (USA)	2,675	Vienna – +50 for 1R win vs. Rublev
14	Jakub Mensik (CZE)	2,495	Vienna – +50 for 1R win vs. Neumayer
15	Felix Auger-Aliassime (CAN)	2,465	----
16	Alejandro Davidovich Fokina (ESP)	2,450	----

BOLD: Qualified for 2026 Nitto ATP Finals in Turin (15-22 November)

2026 SWISS INDOORS BASEL SINGLES

SEED	PLAYER	2026 W-L (BEST FINISH)	BASEL W-L (BEST FINISH)
1	Ben Shelton (USA)	40-17 (4 Titles)	5-2 (2024 Final)
2	Arthur Fils (FRA)	36-14 (Barcelona, Cincinnati Titles)	3-1 (2024 SF)
3	Rafael Jodar (ESP)	43-17 (Marrakech Title)	0-0 (Debut)
4/WC	Novak Djokovic (SRB)	19-8 (Beijing Title)	12-2 (2009 Title)
5	Alejandro Davidovich Fokina (ESP)	33-16 (3 Titles)	4-2 (2025 Final)
6	Taylor Fritz (USA)	37-20 (Washington Title)	5-5 (2018 QF)
7	Alexander Bublik (KAZ)	31-22 (Hong Kong Title)	2-3 (2022 QF)
8	Jiri Lehecka (CZE)	36-20 (Miami, Tokyo Finals)	0-2 (2024-25 1R)
9	Casper Ruud (NOR)	31-18 (Rome Final)	3-4 (2025 QF)
10	Hubert Hurkacz (POL)	27-20 (Chengdu Final)	4-1 (2023 Final)

Tournament History

1970-2019, 2022-Present (55th Edition)

Note: 1970-74 editions are not considered tour-level

Sunday 1 November at 3.30 pm

Singles Final

Wild Cards (4)

Novak Djokovic (SRB), Jerome Kym (SUI), Dominic Stricker (SUI), Stan Wawrinka (SUI)

Qualifiers (4)

Remy Bertola (SUI), Juan Manuel Cerundolo (ARG),
Yannick Hanfmann (GER), Giovanni Mpetshi Perricard (FRA)

Lucky Losers (4)

Daniel Altmaier (GER), Mika Brunold (SUI),
Rinky Hijikata (AUS), Aleksandar Kovacevic (USA),
Jan-Lennard Struff (Brussels finalist)

Special Exempt (1)

Oldest Player

Stan Wawrinka (41)

#NextGenATP (1)

Rafael Jodar (20)

Tournament Records

Most Titles – Roger Federer (10)

Most Wins – Roger Federer (75)

Youngest Champion – Jim Courier, 19, in 1989

Oldest Champion – Roger Federer, 38, in 2019

Highest-Ranked Champion – No. 1 Pete Sampras (1996), No. 1 Roger Federer (2006-07)

Lowest-Ranked Champion – No. 50 Giovanni Mpetshi Perricard in 2024

Last Swiss Champion – Roger Federer in 2019

COUNTRY BREAKDOWN (16)

France (5)

Arthur Fils, Quentin Halys, Ugo Humbert, Giovanni Mpetshi Perricard, Arthur Rinderknech

Switzerland (5)

Remy Bertola, Mika Brunold, Jerome Kym, Dominic Stricker, Stan Wawrinka

United States (4)

Taylor Fritz, Aleksandar Kovacevic, Alex Michelsen, Ben Shelton

Germany (3)

Daniel Altmaier, Yannick Hanfmann, Jan-Lennard Struff

Argentina (2)

Juan Manuel Cerundolo, Mariano Navone

Australia (1)

Rinky Hijikata

Belgium (1)

Zizou Bergs

Canada (1)

Denis Shapovalov

Chile (1)

Alejandro Tabilo

Czechia (1)

Jiri Lehecka

Denmark (1)

Holger Rune

Monaco (1)

Valentin Vacherot

Netherlands (1)

Botic van de Zandschulp

Norway (1)

Casper Ruud

Poland (1)

Hubert Hurkacz

Portugal (1)

Nuno Borges

Serbia (1)

Novak Djokovic

Spain (1)

Rafael Jodar

PIF ATP RANKINGS POINTS AND PRIZE MONEY

Swiss Indoors Basel	W	F	SF	QF	R16	R32
Singles Ranking Points	500	330	200	100	50	0
Singles Prize Money (€)	483,335	260,025	138,575	70,795	37,790	20,155
Doubles Ranking Points	500	300	180	90	0	--
Doubles Prize Money (€)	158,740	84,660	42,830	21,420	11,080	--

2026 SWISS INDOORS BASEL DOUBLES

SEED	PLAYER	TEAM (BEST FINISH)	2026 (BEST FINISH)	BASEL (BEST FINISH)
1	Kevin Krawietz (GER) Tim Puetz (GER)	157-73 (7 Titles) 29-13 in 2026 (2 Titles)	33-16 (2 Titles) 29-13 (2 Titles)	3-3 (2023 SF) 2-2 (2023 SF)
2	Julian Cash (GBR) Lloyd Glasspool (GBR)	103-41 (12 Titles) 36-19 in 2026 (4 Titles)	36-19 (4 Titles) 36-19 (4 Titles)	0-0 (Debut) 0-2 (2022-23 1R)
3	Theo Arribage (FRA) Albano Olivetti (FRA)	53-24 (6 Titles) 49-22 in 2026 (5 Titles)	54-24 (5 Titles) 49-22 (5 Titles)	0-0 (2024 Q1) 1-1 (2024 QF)
4	Francisco Cabral (POR) JJ Tracy (USA)	12-7 (Hangzhou Title)	35-27 (2 Titles) 24-25 (2 Titles)	0-0 (Debut) 0-1 (2025 1R)

Doubles Final: Sunday 1 November at 1:00 pm

SWISS INDOORS BASEL SINGLES FINALS (since 2009)

YEAR	CHAMPION	FINALIST	SCORE
2025	Joao Fonseca (BRA)	Alejandro Davidovich Fokina (ESP)	6-3 6-4
2024	Giovanni Mpetshi Perricard (FRA)	Ben Shelton (USA)	6-4 7-6(4)
2023	Felix Auger-Aliassime (CAN)	Hubert Hurkacz (POL)	7-6(3) 7-6(5)
2022	Felix Auger-Aliassime (CAN)	Holger Rune (DEN)	6-3 7-5
2020-21	TOURNAMENT NOT HELD		
2019	Roger Federer (SUI)	Alex de Minaur (AUS)	6-2 6-2
2018	Roger Federer (SUI)	Marius Copil (ROU)	7-6(5) 6-4
2017	Roger Federer (SUI)	Juan Martin del Potro (ARG)	6-7(5) 6-4 6-3
2016	Marin Cilic (CRO)	Kei Nishikori (JPN)	6-1 7-6(5)
2015	Roger Federer (SUI)	Rafael Nadal (ESP)	6-3 5-7 6-3
2014	Roger Federer (SUI)	David Goffin (BEL)	6-2 6-2
2013	Juan Martin del Potro (ARG)	Roger Federer (SUI)	7-6(3) 2-6 6-4
2012	Juan Martin del Potro (ARG)	Roger Federer (SUI)	6-4 6-7(5) 7-6(3)
2011	Roger Federer (SUI)	Kei Nishikori (JPN)	6-1 6-3
2010	Roger Federer (SUI)	Novak Djokovic (SRB)	6-4 3-6 6-1
2009	Novak Djokovic (SRB)	Roger Federer (SUI)	6-4 4-6 6-2

BOLD: Player in 2026 Swiss Indoors Basel singles draw.

SWISS INDOORS BASEL DOUBLES FINALS (since 2009)

YEAR	CHAMPION	FINALIST	SCORE
2025	Marcel Granollers / Horacio Zeballos	Adam Pavlasek / Jan Zielinski	6-2 7-5
2024	Jamie Murray / John Peers	Wesley Koolhof / Nikola Mektic	6-3 7-5
2023	Santiago Gonzalez / Edouard Roger-Vasselin	Hugo Nys / Jan Zielinski	6-7(8) 7-6(3) [10-1]
2022	Ivan Dodig / Austin Krajicek	Nicolas Mahut / Edouard Roger-Vasselin	6-4 7-6(5)
2020-21	TOURNAMENT NOT HELD		
2019	Jean-Julien Rojer / Horia Tecau	Taylor Fritz / Reilly Opelka	7-5 6-3
2018	Dominic Inglot / Franko Skugor	Alexander Zverev / Mischa Zverev	6-2 7-5
2017	Ivan Dodig / Marcel Granollers	Fabrice Martin / Edouard Roger-Vasselin	7-5 7-6(6)
2016	Marcel Granollers / Jack Sock	Robert Lindstedt / Michael Venus	6-3 6-4
2015	Alexander Peya / Bruno Soares	Jamie Murray / John Peers	7-5 7-5
2014	Vasek Pospisil / Nenad Zimonjic	Marin Draganja / Henri Kontinen	7-6(13) 1-6 [10-5]
2013	Treat Huey / Dominic Inglot	Julian Knowle / Oliver Marach	6-3 3-6 [10-4]
2012	Daniel Nestor / Nenad Zimonjic	Treat Huey / Dominic Inglot	7-5 6-7(4) [10-5]
2011	Michael Llodra / Nenad Zimonjic	Max Mirnyi / Daniel Nestor	6-4 7-5
2010	Bob Bryan / Mike Bryan	Daniel Nestor / Nenad Zimonjic	6-3 3-6 [10-3]
2009	Daniel Nestor / Nenad Zimonjic	Bob Bryan / Mike Bryan	6-2 6-3

BOLD: Player in 2026 Swiss Indoors Basel doubles draw – no team remains intact.

LEXUS ATP HEAD2HEAD: MONDAY FIRST-ROUND SINGLES MATCHES

CENTER COURT

Valentin Vacherot (MON) vs Mariano Navone (ARG)

Series Tied 1-1

26 ATP Masters 1000 Miami (U.S.A.) Hard R64 Valentin Vacherot
26 ATP Masters 1000 Montreal (Canada) Hard R64 Mariano Navone

6-3 6-4
1-6 6-3 6-3

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Insights from their 52-week averages:

Player	In Attack	Conversion Score	Steal Score	Serve Quality	Return Quality	Forehand Quality	Backhand Quality
Vacherot	27%	65%	31%	8.7	6.9	7.2	7.2
Navone	20%	65%	38%	7.1	6.4	7.1	7.3
<i>Tour Average</i>	24%	67%	33%	7.9	6.4	7.3	7.0

Valentin Vacherot | Age: 27 | World No. 31 | Career-High No. 14 | 2026: 24-18 (2 SFs) | Basel: 0-1 (2025 1R)
 > Highest-ranked Monegasque in PIF ATP Rankings history achieved career-high No. 14 in October 2026 soon after becoming 1st home player to reach ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo QF and SF in Open Era.
 > Qualified en route to becoming lowest-ranked ATP Masters 1000 champion at 2025 Shanghai as World No. 204, defeating No. 5 Djokovic in SF and his cousin, Rinderknech, in final to be first Monegasque to win an ATP Tour title.
 > In Monte-Carlo, made ATP Tour debut in 2023 as WC and defeated Struff in 2025 for 1st ATP Tour win and advanced to semi-finals in 2026 to be the first home player to reach that stage at the event in Open Era.
 > Qualified at 2024 Roland Garros for Grand Slam main draw debut and became 1st man representing Monaco to reach Grand Slam 3R in Open Era at 2026 Australian Open.
 > Coached by former Monegasque player, his half-brother, Benjamin Balleret and played college tennis for Texas A&M University alongside his cousin, Arthur Rinderknech.

NOTE: Vacherot aims to record his first win in Basel after losing to No. 4 Fritz in 1R in three sets last year and bids to become the first match winner representing Monaco in tournament history. He is 4-1 on indoor hard courts so far this season, going 4-0 in Davis Cup, before losing to No. 48 Van Assche in Lyon 2R last week.

Mariano Navone | Age: 25 | World No. 43 | Career-High No. 29 | 2026: 24-24 (Bucharest Title) | Basel: 0-0 (Debut)
 > Broke into Top 200 in June 2023, Top 100 in February 2024 and Top 50 in April 2024, achieving career-high No. 29 in June 2024 after capturing 6th Challenger title in Cagliari.
 > As No. 31 seed at 2024 Roland Garros, became first man in Open Era to be seeded in his Grand Slam main draw debut and upset No. 5 Djokovic in 2026 US Open 1R to be first man to defeat the Serb in Grand Slam 1R since 2006.
 > Captured 1st ATP Tour title at 2026 Bucharest, earning deciding set wins in 3 out of 5 matches and saving 2 match points vs. van de Zandschulp in SF and defeated No. 5 Auger-Aliassime to reach 2026 ATP Masters 1000 Rome 3R.
 > Earned 1st ATP Tour win and advanced to 1st QF, SF and final at 2024 Rio de Janeiro as Q and defeated claycourt champions Darder, Seyboth Wild and F. Cerundolo en route to 2nd final at 2024 Bucharest.
 > On home soil, made his ATP Tour debut at 2024 Cordoba as WC and earned 1st Top 20 win over No. 12 Rune to reach 2025 Buenos Aires QF before squandering 2 MPs vs. eventual champion Fonseca.
 > Posted 40-18 Challenger record in 2023, ending the season on a 19-2 run and led all players with 5 Challenger titles, winning in Poznan, Santa Fe, Santa Cruz, Buenos Aires and Santa Fe-2.

NOTE: Navone attempts to become fifth Argentine to record 25 wins in 2026, achieving the feat for first time in career. He would also be the third Argentine to earn a main draw win in Basel in this decade following Etcheverry (2) and Baez (1) in 2023. He owns 3-6 indoor tour-level record, including win over No. 53 J. Cerundolo in Brussels last week.

Argentine Men's Tour-Level Win Leaders This Season

Player	W-L
Francisco Cerundolo	38-21
Thiago Agustin Tirante	28-18
Tomas Martin Etcheverry	26-26
Sebastian Baez	25-25
Mariano Navone	24-24

Holger Rune (DEN) vs Quentin Halys (FRA)

24 Wimbledon (Great Britain)	Grass	R32	Holger Rune
25 Roland Garros (France)	Clay	R32	Holger Rune

Rune Leads 2-0

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

Holger Rune | Age: 23 | World No. 1202 | Career-High No. 4 | 2026: 2-2 (2 times in 1R) | Basel: 10-3 (2022 Final)
> Former World No. 1 junior broke into Top 100 in January 2022, Top 50 in May 2022 and Top 10 in November 2022, becoming highest-ranked Dane in PIF ATP Rankings history (since 1973), peaking at No. 4 in August 2023.
> Captured 2022 ATP Masters 1000 Paris title at age 19 by becoming 1st player since start of ATP Tour in 1990 to earn 5 Top-10 wins at an event other than Nitto ATP Finals.
> From 2022 Paris to 2023 Rome, compiled an 18-5 record at ATP Masters 1000 level, also reaching finals of Monte-Carlo and Rome and lost to Draper in 1st ATP Masters 1000 final between men born in 2000s at 2025 Indian Wells.
> Went on a 7-match winning streak vs. Top 5 opponents for 7-1 start to career vs. Top 5 (now 8-14), including wins over No. 1 Alcaraz at 2022 ATP Masters 1000 Paris and No. 1 Djokovic at 2023 ATP Masters 1000 Rome.
> Ended 2022 season on 19-2 run (2-2 in finals) after going 1-6 from January-February and 0-7 from June-July.
> Upset 2021 finalist Tsitsipas at 2022 Roland Garros to become 1st Danish man to reach QF in tournament history (since 1925) and to reach any Grand Slam QF in Open Era (since 1968).

NOTE: Rune looks for his first ATP Tour win since advancing to Stockholm SF in October last year (sidelined for 11 months due to an Achilles injury), but earned Davis Cup wins over No. 596 Radulov & No. 128 Dimitrov in September. He is playing in his fourth Basel main draw (2022-24), reaching at least the semi-finals on all 3 previous occasions.

Most Men's Indoor Tour-Level Wins Since the Start of 2022 Season

Player	W-L	Player	W-L
Felix Auger-Aliassime	76-20	Holger Rune	48-20
Jannik Sinner	55-6	Alexander Bublik	47-29
Alex de Minaur	52-26	Stefanos Tsitsipas	45-21

Quentin Halys | Age: 30 | World No. 45 (Career-High) | 2026: 24-21 (Kitzbuhel Title) | Basel: 0-1 (2025 1R)
> Former World No. 3 junior earned 1st ranking point at age 15 in 2012, entered Top 200 in 2015, broke into Top 100 in 2022 and achieved career-high No. 45 in October 2026 after posting personal-best 24 wins during the season.
> Advanced to 3R of 2024 Wimbledon as No. 220-ranked Q and came from qualifying to reach 1st ATP Tour final in Gstaad as No. 192 the following week before winning his 1st ATP Tour title at 2026 Kitzbuhel without dropping a set.
> Saved 3 MPs for 1st Top 20 win vs. No. 18 de Minaur en route to 2023 ATP Masters 1000 Miami 4R and earned biggest win of career over No. 9 Rublev at 2025 Dubai for 1st Top 10 win in 11th attempt.
> Posted 43-10 Challenger record in 2022 (3-4 in finals), winning titles at Pau, Lille and Ismaning.
> Defeated future World No. 3 Tsitsipas en route to 2nd of 7 career Challenger titles at 2018 Quimper.
> Went 129-46 in singles and 83-35 in doubles on ITF Junior Circuit, ending junior career with run to 2014 US Open boys' singles final after winning 2014 Roland Garros boys' doubles title with countryman Bonzi.

NOTE: On his 30th birthday, Halys aims to become the third Frenchman to earn 25 wins this season following Fils (36) and Humbert (26). He owns 1-7 tour-level record on indoor hard courts since the start of 2025 season, sole win over No. 614 Rottgering in Rotterdam 1R earlier this year, and seeks first win in Basel after losing to Ruud in 2025 1R.

[WC] Dominic Stricker (SUI) vs [9] Casper Ruud (NOR)

23 Basel (Switzerland)	Hard	R16	Dominic Stricker
25 Gstaad (Switzerland)	Clay	R16	Casper Ruud

Series Tied 1-1

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

Dominic Stricker | Age: 24 | World No. 253 | Career-High No. 88 | 2026: 1-2 (Gstaad 2R) | Basel: 4-3 (2023 QF)
> After ending 2020 as World No. 3 junior, achieved career-high No. 88 in October 2023 after defeating No. 7 Tsitsipas for biggest win of career en route to 1st Grand Slam 4R at 2023 US Open.
> Qualified for Next Gen ATP Finals in 2022 and 2023, falling in SFs to Lehecka and Medjedovic.
> Advanced to QFs in ATP Tour debut at 2021 Geneva and 2nd ATP Tour main draw at 2021 Stuttgart.
> Beat Cressy in 2022 Basel 1R as 20-year-old WC to become youngest Swiss to earn a win in Basel since Federer, 19, in 2000 and No. 8 Ruud in 2023 2R to be youngest Swiss quarter-finalist in Basel since Federer, 20, in 2001.
> Captured 1st Challenger title in 2nd Challenger appearance at 2021 Lugano as WC.
> Defeated Riedi in 1st All-Swiss Grand Slam boys' singles final at 2020 Roland Garros before teaming w/Cobolli to win boys' doubles title, becoming 1st player to sweep those titles since Gonzalez in 1998.

NOTE: Stricker aims to reach Basel 2R for the fourth time in as many appearances (2022-24) and earn his second ATP Tour win of the season after defeating No. 44 Munar in Gstaad 1R. 24-year-old is 4-11 vs. Top 30, seeking first win since defeating then-No. 8 Ruud in 2023 Basel 2R (0-6 since).

Stricker – Top 30 Wins

Win Over	Tournament
No. 20 Hurkacz	2021 Stuttgart
No. 23 Musetti	2022 Next Gen ATP Finals
No. 7 Tsitsipas	2023 US Open
No. 8 Ruud	2023 Basel

Swiss Win Leaders in Basel Tournament History*

Player	Wins	Player	Wins
Roger Federer	75	Heinz Gunthardt	10
Stan Wawrinka	17	Marco Chiudinelli	5
Marc Rosset	12	Roland Stadler	5
Jakob Hlasek	11	4 players with	4

* includes only tour-level editions (since 1975)

Casper Ruud | Age: 27 | World No. 25 | Career-High No. 2 | 2026: 31-18 (Rome Final) | Basel: 3-4 (2025 QF)

> Top-ranked Norwegian in history rose from No. 7 to career-high No. 2 after falling to Alcaraz in 2022 US Open final with No. 1 ranking at stake.

> First Norwegian to win an ATP Tour title (14), an ATP Masters 1000 title (2025 Madrid), play at Nitto ATP Finals (2021 SF, 2022 final, 2024 SF), and reach a Grand Slam final (2022, 2023 Roland Garros, 2022 US Open).

> Swept clay-court titles at Bastad, Gstaad and Kitzbuhel in July 2021 to become 1st player to win 3 titles in as many weeks since Murray at 2011 Bangkok, Tokyo and Shanghai.

> Former No. 1 junior leads ATP Tour since start of 2020 season in clay-court wins (149), finals (18) and titles (12).

> Defeated World No. 1 Djokovic for biggest win of career en route to 2024 ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo final and won biggest titles of career on Spanish clay at 2024 Barcelona and 2025 ATP Masters 1000 Madrid.

NOTE: Ruud is making his fifth consecutive main draw appearance in Basel, aiming to advance to 2R for the third time (2023, 2025). Norwegian No. 1 seeks first ATP 500 win of the season (0-2) after losing in opening round matches of Acapulco to Wu and Tokyo to Darderi.

IWB COURT 1

[LL] Mika Brunold (SUI) vs Nuno Borges (POR)

First Meeting

Brunold FastFacts – seeks the biggest win of his career and 1st win in his ATP Tour debut.

YTD W-L: 1-0

YTD Titles: 0 / Career Titles: 0

Date of Birth: October 2, 2004

PIF ATP Ranking: 191

Basel History (Best Result): 0-0 (2023-25 Q1)

Borges FastFacts – bids to be 1st Portuguese match winner in tournament history (0-4).

2026 Highlights:

SF: Mallorca (I Quinn); **QF:** Hong Kong (I Rublev), Barcelona (I Medjedovic), Bastad (I Darderi)

YTD W-L: 27-26

YTD Titles: 0 / Career Titles: 1

Date of Birth: February 19, 1997

PIF ATP Ranking: 53

Basel History (Best Result): 0-1 (2024 1R)

[LL] Daniel Altmaier (GER) vs [Q] Juan Manuel Cerundolo (ARG) Cerundolo Leads 2-0

26 Buenos Aires (Argentina) Clay R32 Juan Manuel Cerundolo 6-2 6-2

26 ATP Masters 1000 Madrid (Spain) Clay R128 Juan Manuel Cerundolo 6-4 6-4

Other Meetings

21 Concepcion CH (Chile) Clay R32 Daniel Altmaier 4-6 6-2 6-1

21 Luedenscheid CH (Germany) Clay SF Daniel Altmaier 6-2 7-6(4)

21 Como CH (Italy) Clay SF Juan Manuel Cerundolo 6-4 3-0 RET

25 Turin CH (Italy) Clay R16 Daniel Altmaier 6-3 6-2

26 Basel Q (Switzerland) Hard Q2 Juan Manuel Cerundolo 7-6(9) 6-3

Altmaier FastFacts

2026 Highlights:

SF: Halle (I Tiafoe); **QF:** Bucharest (I Marozsan), Hamburg (I Paul), Lyon (I Fritz)

YTD W-L: 18-28

YTD Titles: 0 / Career Titles: 0

Date of Birth: September 12, 1998

PIF ATP Ranking: 60

Basel History (Best Result): 0-1 (2024 1R)

J. Cerundolo FastFacts

2026 Highlights:

SF: Gstaad (I Collignon); **QF:** Rio de Janeiro (I Kopriva), Eastbourne (I Samuel), Winston-Salem (I Buse)
YTD W-L: 20-22

YTD Titles: 0 / Career Titles: 1

Date of Birth: November 15, 2001

PIF ATP Ranking: 53

Basel History (Best Result): 0-0 (Debut)

Players Meeting in Qualifying and Main Draw at an ATP Tour Event Since Start of 2025 Season:

Tournament	Qualifying	Main Draw
2025 Dubai	Fucsovics d. Nardi 76 64	1R – Nardi d. Fucsovics 16 62 63
2025 Beijing	Goffin d. Rinderknech 63 62	1R - Rinderknech d. Goffin 64 36 64
2025 Basel	Opelka d. van de Zandschulp 64 64	2R – Opelka d. van de Zandschulp 76 67 63
2025 Basel	Cilic d. Goffin 61 76	1R – Cilic d. Goffin 76 75
2025 Metz	Tabur d. Sachko 57 63 62	QF – Sachko d. Tabur 64 36 64
2026 Madrid	Merida d. Trungelliti 76 63	1R – Merida d. Trungelliti 64 16 76
2026 Hamburg	Gea d. Kovacevic 75 46 64	1R – Kovacevic d. Gea 62 76
2026 Basel	J. Cerundolo d. Altmaier 76 63	1R – J. Cerundolo vs. Altmaier