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MIAMI OPEN PRESENTED BY ITAU TALKING POINTS

- Indian Wells champion and World No. 2 **Jannik Sinner** begins his hunt to become the first man to win the Sunshine Double since Federer in 2017. 24-year-old, who became the first man to win back-to-back ATP Masters 1000 events without dropping a set in series history, would equal Djokovic's ATP Masters 1000 record for most consecutive sets won at this level (24) with a straight sets win over **Damir Dzumhur** on Saturday.
- Sinner** also looks to become the fourth man to record 20 or more wins in his first 23 matches at this event, following Lendl, Wilander and Sampras, after the Italian advanced to **Miami Open presented by Itau** final in three of his 4 appearances here. On the other side of the net, **Dzumhur** looks for his fourth Top 5 win (3-15), ten years after earning his first Top-5 win over No. 5 Nadal in Miami 2R ten years ago (26 March 2016).

Fewest Matches to 20 Wins in Tournament History* –

Player	W-L	Player	W-L
Ivan Lendl	20-2	Novak Djokovic	20-4
Pete Sampras	20-3	Yannick Noah	20-4
Mats Wilander	20-3	Stefan Edberg	20-4
Jimmy Connors	20-4	* Sinner would join with 20-3	

Most ATP Masters 1000 Wins since 2020:

Player	W-L
Alexander Zverev	102-38
Jannik Sinner	99-28
Daniil Medvedev	96-38
Carlos Alcaraz	89-25

- 2023 champion **Daniil Medvedev** leads the ATP Tour in hard court wins since the start of 2020 season (239) and takes on wildcard **Rei Sakamoto**, as 19-year-old Japanese player aims to become the youngest Asian man to record a Top 10 win since his countryman Nishikori defeated No. 4 Ferrer at 2008 US Open at age 18.
- World No. 4 **Alexander Zverev** opens his tournament vs. WC **Martin Damm** in their first meeting, as German, who owns most ATP Masters 1000 wins this decade (102), aims to extend his 14-match winning streak vs. players ranked outside Top 100. World No. 133 Damm bids to be the lowest-ranked man to defeat Zverev since No. 134 Murray at 2020 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati and reach his second Miami 3R after 2024.
- World No. 9 **Ben Shelton** headlines American action, when he takes on **Alexander Shevchenko** and aims to equal his best result in Miami following his run to 3R two years ago. 20-year-old **Learner Tien**, who advanced to his 1st ATP Masters 1000 QF in Indian Wells last week, opens vs. **Kamil Majchrzak**, World No. 20 **Frances Tiafoe** meets **Arthur Cazaux** and 21-year-old **Alex Michelsen** takes on No. 23 seed **Cameron Norrie**.
- On **Butch Buchholz**, 20-year-old **Jakub Mensik** starts his campaign to become the first man to successfully defend Miami title since Djokovic (2014-16). He takes on Australian **Adam Walton**, who advanced to Miami 4R as LL last year. Former semi-finalists World No. 8 **Felix Auger-Aliassime**, World No. 16 **Andrey Rublev** and World No. 19 **Francisco Cerundolo** also begin their tournament on outside courts on Day 4.

LEXUS ATP HEAD2HEAD: SATURDAY SECOND-ROUND SINGLES MATCHES

STADIUM

Damir Dzumhur (BIH) vs [2] Jannik Sinner (ITA)

First Meeting

Tennis Data Innovations Insights uses algorithmic software to process ball and player tracking data in real-time to calculate shot type, shot quality, situation, phase of play and tactic for every shot. Insights explained at <https://www.atptour.com/en/news/news-filter-results/insights>

Insights from their 52-week averages:

Player	In Attack	Conversion Score	Steal Score	Serve Quality	Return Quality	Forehand Quality	Backhand Quality
Dzumhur	20%	66%	37%	6.9	5.9	6.8	6.7
Sinner	27%	74%	37%	8.4	8.2	8.8	8.6
<i>Tour Average</i>	24%	67%	33%	7.9	6.4	7.3	7.0

Damir Dzumhur | Age: 33 | World No. 76 | Career-High No. 23 | 2026: 3-7 (3 times in 2R) | Miami: 7-5 (2016 4R)
 > Broke into Top 100 in 2015 and Top 50 in 2017 before winning 3rd ATP Tour title at 2018 Antalya to achieve career-high No 23.
 > Earned personal-best 36 victories in 2017, highlighted by biggest wins of career over No 3 Wawrinka at Dubai and No 4 A. Zverev at Shenzhen.
 > Advanced to Grand Slam 3R on 6 occasions, including at 2018 Roland Garros, where he led No 3 A. Zverev by 2 sets to 1 and held 1 MP before losing.
 > Reached ATP Masters 1000 R16 on 3 occasions, including at 2016 Miami, where he defeated No 5 Nadal in 2R.
 > Went 6-0 in finals on ATP Challenger Tour in 2024, tying with 5 other players for 2nd-most Challenger titles in a single season behind Griekspoor (8 in 2021).

NOTE: Dzumhur is 0-9 vs. Top-2, aiming to record the biggest win of his career to become the lowest-ranked player to defeat Sinner since No. 79 Altmaier at 2023 Roland Garros. 33-year-old aims to reach ATP Masters 1000 3R for the fifth time in his career after 2016 Miami, 2016 Monte-Carlo, 2018 Paris and 2025 Madrid.

Dzumhur's Career Top-5 Wins

Win Over	Tournament
No. 5 Rafael Nadal	2016 ATP Masters 1000 Miami
No. 3 Stan Wawrinka	2017 Dubai
No. 4 Alexander Zverev	2017 Shenzhen

Players to Defeat Indian Wells Champions in Miami Opening Round in This Century:

Player	Indian Wells Champion	Year
Jakub Mensik	Jack Draper	2025
Hubert Hurkacz	Dominic Thiem	2019
Benjamin Becker	Ivan Ljubicic	2010
Kevin Anderson	Novak Djokovic	2008
Francisco Clavet	Lleyton Hewitt	2003

Jannik Sinner | Age: 24 | World No. 2 | Career-High No. 1 | 2026: 13-2 (Indian Wells Title) | Miami: 19-3 (2024 Title)
 > Unranked to begin 2018, ended 2020 as No. 1 teenager, broke into Top 10 at age 20 in 2021 and became 1st Italian World No. 1 in PIF ATP Rankings history at age 22 in 2024, earning 66 weeks at No. 1 spot.
 > At 2024 Australian Open, defeated 10-time champion Djokovic in SF and rallied from 2 sets down in final vs. Medvedev to become 2nd Italian men's singles Grand Slam champion in Open Era (Panatta at 1976 Roland Garros).
 > Captured 2024 US Open title to join Djokovic, Federer and Wilander as only men to win both hard-court Grand Slam titles in a season and stopped Alcaraz's 20-match winning streak at Wimbledon in 2025 final.
 > Fourth and youngest man in Open Era to advance to finals of all 4 Grand Slam tournaments in a single season after Laver (1969), Federer (2006-07, 2009) and Djokovic (2015, 2021, 2023), achieving the feat in 2025.
 > Boasts most titles of any Italian in Open Era (25), including ATP Masters 1000 championships at 2023 Toronto, 2024 Miami, 2024 Cincinnati, 2024 Shanghai, 2025 Paris and 2026 Indian Wells, completing set of hard-court titles.
 > Led Italy to 2023 and 2024 Davis Cup titles, first since 1976, and did not drop a set en route to back-to-back Nitto ATP Finals titles in 2024 and 2025.

NOTE: Sinner is on a 11-match winning streak at ATP Masters 1000 level (22-0 in sets) after winning titles in Paris and Indian Wells. He is 33-0 in opening rounds since losing to Lajovic at 2023 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati 2R on his 22nd birthday and is 99-2 vs. players ranked outside Top 20 since 2023 US Open, only losses to No. 45 Bublik in 2025 Halle 2R and No. 31 Griekspoor via RET in 2025 ATP Masters 1000 Shanghai 3R.

Most Consecutive Sets Won at ATP Masters 1000 Level* (since the series began in 1990):

Player	Streak	Start	End
Novak Djokovic	24	2016 Indian Wells 2R	2016 Monte-Carlo 2R
Jannik Sinner	22	2025 Paris 2R	Active Streak
Carlos Alcaraz	21	2023 Indian Wells 2R	2023 Miami SF
Novak Djokovic	19	2014 Paris 2R	2015 Indian Wells Final
Andy Murray	18	2016 Rome 2R	2016 Cincinnati Final
Jannik Sinner	18	2024 Shanghai 3R	2025 Rome SF

* W/O loss ends the streak

[WC] Rei Sakamoto (JPN) vs [9] Daniil Medvedev

First Meeting

Rei Sakamoto | Age: 19 | World No. 164 | Career-High No. 157 | 2026: 1-2 (Miami 2R) | Miami: 1-1 (2026 2R)
> Former World No. 1 junior earned 1st ranking point in 2022, broke into Top 200 in August 2025 and achieved career-high No. 157 in February 2026 after back-to-back Challenger SFs at Brisbane-2 and New Delhi.
> Qualified for ATP Tour debut at 2025 ATP Masters 1000 Miami and Grand Slam main draw debut at 2026 Australian Open, losing just 15 games in 6 sets, including win over former-World No. 21 Evans.
> Owns 35-23 Challenger record (3-0 in finals), winning titles at 2024 Yokkaichi, 2025 Cary and 2025 Yokohama, becoming 1st Japanese teenager to win 3 Challenger titles in history.
> Peaked at No. 1 in juniors in May 2024 after becoming Australian Open boys' singles champion earlier that year and partnered w/Mrva to win 2024 US Open boys' doubles title.

NOTE: Sakamoto defeated Kovacevic in 1R for 1st ATP Tour win and now plays in his first match vs. a Top 10 opponent. He bids to be the first Asian teenager to reach Miami 3R in tournament history (youngest - Nishioka, 20, in 2016) and first teenager to earn a Top 10 win in 2026 to jump to No. 153 on [PIF ATP Live Rankings](#).

Five or More Teenagers in Miami 2R since 2000:

Year	No.	Players
2026	5	Moise Kouame (17), Darwin Blanch (18), Rafael Jodar (19), Joao Fonseca (19), Rei Sakamoto (19)
2007	5	Juan Martin del Potro (18), Evgeny Korolev (19), Sam Querrey (19), Novak Djokovic (19), Andy Murray (19)
2000	6	Andy Roddick (17), Mardy Fish (18), Roger Federer (18), Lleyton Hewitt (19), Andreas Vinciguerra (19), Xavier Malisse (19)

Daniil Medvedev | Age: 30 | World No. 10 | Career-High No. 1 | 2026: 18-4 (2 Titles) | Miami: 18-6 (2023 Title)
> Spent 16 weeks as World No. 1 in 2022, becoming tallest No. 1 in history at 1.98m (6'6") and 1st No. 1 other than Djokovic, Federer, Murray and Nadal since Roddick in 2004.
> Six-time Grand Slam finalist owns 5-3 record vs. Djokovic when Serb is World No. 1, including 6-4 6-4 6-4 win in 2021 US Open final that denied Djokovic calendar Grand Slam.
> Beat No. 1 Djokovic, No. 2 Nadal and No. 3 Thiem en route to 2020 Nitto ATP Finals title, becoming 1st player to sweep Top 3 in tournament history and anywhere on ATP Tour since 2007 Madrid (Nalbandian).
> Earned 20 straight wins from 2020-21 (12 vs. Top 10), led ATP Tour with 63 victories in 2021, and captured team titles at 2021 ATP Cup, Laver Cup and Davis Cup.
> Won 21 of his 23 singles titles on hard courts and first 22 titles at different events before winning 2026 Dubai for the second time to break the streak.
> Captured ATP Masters 1000 championships at 2019 Cincinnati, 2019 Shanghai, 2020 Paris, 2021 Toronto, 2023 Miami and 2023 Rome, his 1st ATP Tour title on clay.

NOTE: Medvedev leads the ATP Tour in match wins this season (18), including win over No. 1 Alcaraz to reach Indian Wells final and titles in Brisbane and Dubai. He is making his 8th consecutive appearance in Miami and owns 6-1 record in opening rounds at the event, lone loss to Munar in 2R last year. He is also 15-0 after winning 1st set in 2026.

[WC] Martin Damm (USA) vs [3] Alexander Zverev (GER)

First Meeting

Martin Damm | Age: 22 | World No. 133 | Career-High No. 125 | 2026: 3-3 (Montpellier SF) | Miami: 3-1 (2024 3R)
 > Former Top 10 junior earned 1st ranking point in 2019, broke into Top 500 in 2022 and Top 200 in November 2025 and achieved career-high No. 125 in February 2026 after run to 1st ATP Tour QF and SF in Montpellier as Q.
 > Made ATP Tour debut at 2024 ATP Masters 1000 Miami as WC, defeating Zhang in 1R and No. 14 Paul via RET for biggest win of career in 2R.
 > Qualified for Grand Slam main draw debut at 2025 US Open (d. Blanch) and 2026 Australian Open.
 > Owns 40-44 Challenger record (0-4 in finals), advancing to finals at 2024 Oeiras-2, 2025 Columbus, 2025 Lincoln and 2025 Charlottesville.
 > Peaked at No. 3 in juniors in 2021, highlighted by runs in boys' singles to SFs of 2019 Roland Garros (l. to Rune) and Wimbledon, defeating future World No. 1 Alcaraz in QF.
 > Father, Martin Sr., is a former player, reaching No. 42 in singles and No. 5 in doubles, winning 40 titles, including becoming 2006 US Open men's doubles champion w/Paes.

NOTE: Damm is playing in his first match vs. Top 10 player, aiming to equal his best ATP Masters 1000 result after his run to Miami 3R two years ago. 22-year-old would be the lowest-ranked man to defeat a Top-5 player since No. 204 Vacherot defeated No. 5 Djokovic in 2025 ATP Masters 1000 Shanghai SF. His father, Martin Sr., advanced to Miami doubles finals in 2000 (w/Hrbaty) and 2007 (w/Paes).

Alexander Zverev | Age: 28 | World No. 4 | Career-High No. 2 | 2026: 11-4 (2 SFs) | Miami: 19-10 (2018 Final)
 > Former World No. 1 junior achieved career-high No. 2 after tearing 3 ligaments in right ankle during 2022 Roland Garros SF vs. Nadal.
 > Led ATP Tour with 6 titles in 2021 and leads all players born in 1990s with 24 career titles and 531 wins, defeating No. 1 Djokovic en route to 2018 Nitto ATP Finals, 2020 Tokyo Olympics and 2021 Nitto ATP Finals championships.
 > Reached 1st Grand Slam final at 2020 US Open, rallying from 2-set deficit for 1st time to defeat Carreno Busta in SF before squandering 2-set lead for 1st time against Thiem in final.
 > Earned wins over 14-time champion Nadal en route to 2024 Roland Garros final and 10-time champion Djokovic via RET to reach 2025 Australian Open final.
 > Defeated Djokovic at 2017 Rome and Federer at 2017 Montreal for 1st and 2nd of his 7 ATP Masters 1000 titles.
 > Joined Murray and Thiem as 3rd player to defeat Djokovic on hard (4 times), Federer on grass (2016 Halle SF) and Nadal on clay (2 times).

NOTE: Zverev is 39-1 vs. left-handers since 2023 Roland Garros, lone loss to No. 83 Tien in Acapulco 2R last year. 28-year-old aims to record 20 wins at 4th of 9 ATP Masters 1000 events after Rome (27), Madrid (25) and Paris (20). Last week in Indian Wells, completed the set of ATP Masters 1000 SFs at all 9 events, joining Djokovic, Federer, Murray and Nadal as only men to achieved the feat in series history.

Best W-L Percentages vs. Left-Handers (Open Era)*

Player	W-L	Percentage	Player	W-L	Percentage
Rafael Nadal	117-17	.873	Andy Roddick	73-17	.811
Pete Sampras	143-27	.841	Jannik Sinner	33-8	.805
Alexander Zverev	83-18	.822	Boris Becker	135-33	.804

* minimum 30 matches played

GRANDSTAND

Kamil Majchrzak (POL) vs [20] Learner Tien (USA)

First Meeting

Insights from their 52-week averages:

Player	In Attack	Conversion Score	Steal Score	Serve Quality	Return Quality	Forehand Quality	Backhand Quality
Majchrzak	23%	68%	33%	7.9	6.4	6.9	7.0
Tien	22%	69%	34%	7.3	6.3	7.4	7.2
<i>Tour Average</i>	24%	67%	33%	7.9	6.4	7.3	7.0

Kamil Majchrzak | Age: 30 | World No. 57 | Career-High No. 55 | 2026: 4-5 (Brisbane QF) | Miami: 2-1 ('22, '26 2R)
> Former World No. 7 junior broke into Top 100 in July 2019 and achieved career-high No. 55 in February 2026 after his run to Brisbane QF as LL.
> Advanced to ATP Tour SFs at 2022 Pune and 2025 Marrakech as Q, before defeating former finalist Berrettini en route to 2025 Wimbledon 4R and saving 5 MPs to defeat No. 9 Khachanov en route to 2025 US Open 3R.
> In 2019, qualified at Australian Open and Wimbledon before advancing to US Open 3R as LL with 5-set wins over Jarry and Cuevas.
> Owns 180-107 Challenger record (9-6 in finals), defeating future Top-20 players Carreno Busta and Cecchinato to reach 1st final at 2015 Mohammedia as Q.
> Ended junior career as 2014 Youth Olympics gold medallist, also capturing 2013 US Open boys' doubles title w/Ma. Redlicki and earning wins over future Top-10 ATP players Berrettini, Fritz, Hurkacz, Medvedev and Rublev.

NOTE: Majchrzak is 1-16 vs. Top 30, saving 5 MPs to defeat No. 9 Khachanov in US Open 2R last year for lone win. 30-year-old aims to equal his best ATP Masters 1000 result after run to Shanghai 3R last October and aims to be the third Polish man to reach Miami 3R in tournament history after Hurkacz (5 times) and Janowicz (2015).

Learner Tien | Age: 20 | World No. 21 (Career-High) | 2026: 10-5 (Delray Beach SF) | Miami: 0-1 (2025 1R)
> Broke into Top 200 in August 2024, Top 100 in January 2025 and achieved career-high No. 21 in March 2026 after starting season by reaching his 1st Grand Slam QF at Australian Open and 1st ATP Masters 1000 QF at Indian Wells.
> Upset No. 5 Medvedev en route to 2025 Australian Open 4R as Q to be youngest man to defeat a Top-5 player at that event in PIF ATP Rankings history (since 1973) and finished 2025 season with 1st ATP Tour title in Metz.
> Qualified for 2024 Next Gen ATP Finals, defeating Top-3 seeds to reach the final, before returning to Jeddah in 2025 and becoming 1st left-handed champion in tournament history.
> Went on a 28-match winning streak from May to July 2024, capturing ITF Tour titles at M15 San Diego (2x), M15 Rancho Santa Fe, M15 Lakewood and 1st Challenger title in Bloomfield Hills.
> Peaked at No. 4 in juniors, highlighted by runs to junior finals of 2023 Australian Open (l. to Blockx) and US Open (l. to Fonseca) and defeated Blockx/Fonseca to capture 2023 Australian Open boys' doubles title w/C. Williams.

NOTE: Tien looks for his first win in Miami after losing to Fonseca in 1R last year to become the youngest American man to reach 3R at this event since Mmoh (20) and Tiafoe (20) in 2018. Last week in Indian Wells, advanced to his 1st ATP Masters 1000 QF, defeating No. 8 Shelton in 3R and losing to eventual champion No. 2 Sinner.

Youngest American Men in Miami 3R in This Century: At 20 years and 3 months, Tien aims to join the list.

Player	Age	Year
Andy Roddick	18Y 6M	2001
Frances Tiafoe	20Y 2M	2018
Michael Mmoh	20Y 2M	2018
Robby Ginepri	20Y 5M	2003
Jared Donaldson	20Y 5M	2017

[8] Ben Shelton (USA) vs Alexander Shevchenko (KAZ)

First Meeting

Ben Shelton | Age: 23 | World No. 9 | Career-High No. 5 | 2026: 11-3 (Dallas Title) | Miami: 1-3 (2024 3R)
> Broke into Top 200 in August 2022, Top 100 in November 2022 and Top 20 in September 2023, achieving career-high No. 5 in November 2025 before making his Nitto ATP Finals debut.
> Defeated countrymen Paul and Tiafoe en route to 2023 US Open SF, becoming youngest American man in US Open SF since Chang, 20, in 1992 and beat No. 4 Sinner for 1st ATP Masters 1000 QF at 2023 Shanghai.
> At 2025 Toronto, became youngest American ATP Masters 1000 champion since Roddick, 21, at 2004 Miami.
> Captured 1st ATP Tour title at 2023 Tokyo, joining Bryan Shelton as 4th father-son duo to win a tour-level championship in Open Era (Phil & Taylor Dent, Ramanathan & Ramesh Krishnan, Petr & Sebastian Korda).
> Advanced to 2023 Australian Open QF at age 20 and on his 1st trip outside USA, becoming youngest American man in Aus. Open QF since Giammalva Jr., 19, in 1982, and in Grand Slam QF since Roddick, 20, at 2002 US Open.
> Posted 65-10 singles record in 2 seasons for University of Florida, clinching 2021 NCAA team title and 2022 NCAA singles title while being coached by his father Bryan, a former World No. 55.

NOTE: Shelton is on a 20-4 run on North American soil since July, highlighted by winning his 1st ATP Masters 1000 title in Toronto. He is making his fourth consecutive appearance at the event, defeating No. 360 Landaluce in 2024 2R for lone win and aims to avoid a lowest-ranked loss since losing to No. 182 Wong in Miami 2R last year.

Alexander Shevchenko | Age: 25 | World No. 84 | Career-High No. 45 | 2026: 4-5 (Adelaide QF) | Miami: 2-1 ('24, '26 2R)
> Broke into Top 300 in March 2022, Top 200 in June 2022 and Top 100 in April 2023, achieving career-high No. 45 in February 2024 after defeating No. 7 Rune for biggest win of career to reach Rotterdam QF.
> Saved 2 MPs to earn 1st Top 10 win over No. 9 Fritz and reach 1st ATP Tour QF in Basel, then advanced to 1st SF and final in Metz to end his 2023 season.
> Also advanced to ATP Tour QFs in Montpellier, Rotterdam, Geneva and Almaty during 2024 season, Kitzbuhel and Chengdu in 2025 and Adelaide in 2026.
> Earned 1st ATP Tour win at 2023 Barcelona (d. Giustino) and 1st Grand Slam win at 2023 Roland Garros (d. Otte).
> Did not drop a set en route to 1st Challenger final and title at 2022 Bratislava and 2nd title at 2023 Tenerife-1.

NOTE: Shevchenko is 2-11 vs. Top 10 (0-10 outdoors), earning wins over No. 9 Fritz at 2023 Basel and No. 7 Rune at 2024 Rotterdam, both on indoor hard. He aims to advance to ATP Masters 1000 3R for the fourth time in his career after 2023 Madrid, 2023 Rome and 2024 Shanghai. 25-year-old owns 3-12 record vs. left-handers on tour-level.

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[Q] Adam Walton (AUS) vs [12] Jakub Mensik (CZE)

First Meeting

Adam Walton | Age: 26 | World No. 85 | Career-High No. 74 | 2026: 3-6 (3 times in 2R) | Miami: 3-2 (2025 4R)
> After starting 2024 season as No. 176 on PIF ATP Rankings, broke into Top 100 in May and achieved career-high No. 74 in October 2025 soon after run to 1st ATP Tour SF in Los Cabos.
> Made ATP Tour debut at 2024 Adelaide as Q, before defeating Hanfmann in 2024 Mallorca 1R for 1st win and No. 72 Coria at 2024 Wimbledon for 1st Grand Slam main draw win in back-to-back weeks.
> Advanced to ATP Masters 1000 4R at 2025 Miami as LL and 3R at 2025 Cincinnati after defeating No. 15 Medvedev for biggest win of career.
> Owns 88-54 Challenger record (4-6 in finals), winning titles at 2023 Cary, 2024 Burnie-2, 2024 Taipei and 2025 Brisbane-2.

NOTE: Walton is 1-8 vs. Top 20 players, earning sole win over No. 15 Medvedev in ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati 2R last year and seeks biggest win of career. He advanced to Miami 4R as LL last year and bids to become the first man to oust defending Miami men's champion in the opening round since Kokkinakis defeated Federer in 2018 2R.

Players to Defeat Reigning Men's Champions in Miami Opening Round since 2000:

Player	Defending Champion	Year
Thanasi Kokkinakis	Roger Federer	2018
Pablo Cuevas	Andy Roddick	2011
Mardy Fish	Andy Murray	2010
Kevin Anderson	Novak Djokovic	2008
Fernando Verdasco	Andy Roddick	2005

Jakub Mensik | Age: 20 | World No. 13 | Career-High No. 12 | 2026: 14-5 (Auckland Title) | Miami: 6-0 (2025 Title)
> Former World No. 2 junior broke into Top 100 in February 2025 and achieved career-high No. 12 in March 2026 soon after defeating No. 2 Sinner for biggest win of career to reach Doha SF.
> Defeated 6-time champion Djokovic in 2025 Miami final to become the fourth man in series history to win 1st ATP Tour title at a Masters 1000 event and 1st Czech ATP Masters 1000 champion since Berdych at 2005 Paris.
> Reached 1st ATP Tour QF, SF and final at 2024 Doha by defeating former champions Murray, No. 5 Rublev and Monfils, becoming 1st man born in 2005 or later to play in an ATP Tour final.
> In tour-level debut, reached 3R at 2023 US Open as Q, becoming youngest man to reach Grand Slam 3R since Nadal at 2004 Aus. Open and youngest at US Open since Santoro in 1990, losing to Fritz on 18th birthday.
> Also suffered Grand Slam 3R losses at 2024 US Open to Borges after holding 3 MPs and 2025 Australian Open to Davidovich Fokina after squandering 2 MPs before run to his 1st Grand Slam 4R at 2026 Australian Open.
> Posted 85-28 record on ITF Juniors circuit, highlighted by reaching 2022 Australian Open boys' singles final.

NOTE: Mensik is on a 6-match winning streak in Miami after capturing his 1st ATP Tour title at this event last year, becoming the lowest-ranked champion as World No. 54. He is 12-0 vs. players ranked outside Top 50 since losing to No. 81 de Jong in Shanghai 2R in October last year and is now down to No. 26 on [PIF ATP Live Rankings](#).

[19] Frances Tiafoe (USA) vs Arthur Cazaux (FRA)

First Meeting

Frances Tiafoe | Age: 28 | World No. 20 | Career-High No. 10 | 2026: 12-6 (Acapulco Final) | Miami: 14-8 (2019 QF)
 > Former World No. 2 junior achieved career-high No. 10 in June 2023 after lifting 3rd title in Stuttgart, saving 1 MP vs. Struff in the final and remains only active American to own ATP Tour titles on clay, grass and hard courts.
 > Joined Fritz in Top 10 to be 1st American duo in Top 10 of PIF ATP Rankings since Fish and Isner in May 2012.
 > Defeated 4-time champion Nadal en route to 2022 US Open SF, becoming that event's 1st American men's semi-finalist since Roddick in 2006 and returned to US Open SF in 2024, losing to Fritz in all-American match.
 > Led Team World to 2022 Laver Cup title, teaming w/Sock to defeat Federer/Nadal in Swiss' final match before clinching cup with win over Tsitsipas.
 > Rallied from 3-5 in third set and saved 2 MPs vs. Rune to reach 1st ATP Masters 1000 final at 2024 Cincinnati.
 > Won 1st ATP Tour title as 20-year-old at 2018 Delray Beach and becoming youngest American champion since Roddick, 19, at 2002 Houston and 2nd ATP Tour title at 2023 Houston.
 > Parents emigrated from Sierra Leone in 1996 and father was Head of Maintenance at Junior Tennis Champions Center in Maryland, where Frances and his twin brother Franklin trained as kids.

NOTE: Tiafoe is 16-2 in opening rounds of hard-court events since the start of 2025 season (6-0 in 2026) and aims to advance to Miami 3R for the seventh time in 9 appearances at the event, only losses prior to No. 6 Federer in 2017 2R and No. 66 O'Connell in 2R two years ago. On Monday, he returned to Top 20 for 1st time since September.

Arthur Cazaux | Age: 23 | World No. 73 | Career-High No. 58 | 2026: 1-0 (Miami 2R) | Miami: 1-0 (2026 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 achieved career-high No. 58 in October 2025.
 > Advanced to 1st ATP Tour QF and SF at 2025 Gstaad and 1st final at 2025 Kitzbuhel in back-to-back weeks.
 > Defeated countryman Mannarino in ATP Tour main draw debut at 2021 Geneva as 18-year-old WC and made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2021 Roland Garros as WC.
 > Owns 79-40 Challenger record (4-5 in finals), winning titles at both 2022 and 2023 Nonthaburi-2 as Q, 2024 Noumea and 2025 Jinan.
 > Went 122-48 on ITF Junior Circuit, highlighted by run to 2020 Australian Open boys' singles final.

NOTE: Cazaux is 2-8 vs. Top 20, defeating No. 8 Rune at 2024 Australian Open and No. 19 Shelton at 2024 Paris to reach his only ATP Masters 1000 3R. 23-year-old defeated Barrios Vera in 1R for 1st ATP Tour win of the season after being sidelined from Brisbane to Phoenix CH last week due to right elbow injury.

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[16] Alejandro Davidovich Fokina (ESP) vs Quentin Halys (FRA) **Halys Leads 1-0**
 23 Montpellier (France) Hard R16 Quentin Halys 6-3 6-3

Insights from their 52-week averages:

Player	In Attack	Conversion Score	Steal Score	Serve Quality	Return Quality	Forehand Quality	Backhand Quality
Davidovich Fokina	26%	68%	37%	7.6	6.9	7.0	7.6
Halys	28%	69%	31%	8.3	6.4	7.1	6.2
<i>Tour Average</i>	24%	67%	33%	7.9	6.4	7.3	7.0

[7] Felix Auger-Aliassime (CAN) vs Marton Fucsovics (HUN) **Auger-Aliassime Leads 1-0**
 18 Vienna (Austria) Hard R32 Marton Fucsovics 1-6 6-0 7-5
19 ATP Masters 1000 Miami (U.S.A.) **Hard R64 Felix Auger-Aliassime 6-4 4-6 6-0**
 21 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati (U.S.A.) Hard R64 Felix Auger-Aliassime 7-6(0) 6-3
 23 ATP Masters 1000 Shanghai (China) Hard R64 Marton Fucsovics 7-6(3) 4-6 6-3
 24 Antwerp (Belgium) Hard R16 Felix Auger-Aliassime 6-7(4) 6-4 6-2

Alex Michelsen (USA) vs [23] Cameron Norrie (GBR) **Series Tied 1-1**
 25 Dallas (U.S.A.) Hard R32 Cameron Norrie 2-6 7-6(1) 6-1
 25 Delray Beach (U.S.A.) Hard QF Alex Michelsen 7-6(3) 7-5

Insights from their 52-week averages:

Player	In Attack	Conversion Score	Steal Score	Serve Quality	Return Quality	Forehand Quality	Backhand Quality
Michelsen	26%	67%	32%	7.8	6.6	6.8	6.8
Norrie	24%	68%	35%	7.6	6.3	7.3	6.9
<i>Tour Average</i>	24%	67%	33%	7.9	6.4	7.3	7.0

Gabriel Diallo (CAN) vs [31] Ugo Humbert (FRA)

25 's-Hertogenbosch (Netherlands)

Grass SF

Gabriel Diallo

Diallo Leads 1-0

6-3 7-6(4)

[27] Brandon Nakashima (USA) vs Marin Cilic (CRO)

24 Hangzhou (China)

Hard SF

Marin Cilic

Series Tied 1-1

26 Delray Beach (U.S.A.)

Hard R32

Brandon Nakashima

6-4 7-6(6)

7-6(4) 7-6(5)

Insights from their 52-week averages:

Player	In Attack	Conversion Score	Steal Score	Serve Quality	Return Quality	Forehand Quality	Backhand Quality
Nakashima	24%	68%	31%	8.5	6.7	7.5	6.8
Cilic	28%	71%	28%	8.4	6.4	7.6	6.7
<i>Tour Average</i>	24%	67%	33%	7.9	6.4	7.3	7.0

COURT 7

Zizou Bergs (BEL) vs [29] Tomas Martin Etcheverry (ARG)

24 Winston-Salem (U.S.A.)

Hard R32

Zizou Bergs

Bergs Leads 1-0

4-6 7-5 6-3

[30] Corentin Moutet (FRA) vs Tomas Machac (CZE)

First Meeting

[15] Andrey Rublev vs Alejandro Tabilo (CHI)

24 Basel (Switzerland)

Hard R16

Andrey Rublev

Rublev Leads 1-0

7-6(3) 6-1

[18] Francisco Cerundolo (ARG) vs [LL] Thiago Agustin Tirante (ARG) Tirante Leads 1-0

26 Rio de Janeiro (Brazil)

Clay R16

Thiago Agustin Tirante 6-2 3-1 RET

Other Meetings

19 M15 Buenos Aires (Argentina)

Clay QF

Thiago Agustin Tirante 6-4 6-3

20 M25 Hurlingham (Argentina)

Clay R32

Francisco Cerundolo 7-6(2) 7-5

20 Lima CH (Peru)

Clay QF

Thiago Agustin Tirante 6-2 6-0

22 Santa Cruz CH (Bolivia)

Clay R16

Francisco Cerundolo 6-3 3-6 7-6(5)

COURT 5

[LL] Aleksandar Vukic (AUS) vs [Q] Rafael Jodar (ESP)

First Meeting

Most Times as Lucky Loser at ATP Masters 1000 Events (since the series began in 1990):

No. Player **Lucky Loser Spots**

1T Guillermo Garcia-Lopez 5

1T Aleksandar Vukic 5

2T Nicolas Lapentti 4

2T Yoshihito Nishioka 4

2T Olivier Rochus 4

2T Joao Sousa 4

Terence Atmane (FRA) vs [26] Arthur Rinderknech (FRA)

First Meeting