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MEN'S DOUBLES SEMI-FINALS

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[8] Marcel Granollers (ESP)/Horacio Zeballos (ARG) vs [12] Kevin Krawietz (GER)/Andreas Mies (GER) First Meeting

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DAY 11 FAST FACTS

- In their 31st Grand Slam event as a team, **Juan Sebastian Cabal** and **Robert Farah** won Wimbledon to become the first Colombian Grand Slam men's doubles champions. Cabal is the only partner Farah has had at Grand Slams.
- One day after winning Wimbledon, Cabal and Farah became the first Colombians ranked No. 1 in doubles or singles.
- Cabal and Farah lost to eventual champions **Mike Bryan** and **Jack Sock** in the 2018 US Open semi-finals.
- **Jamie Murray** and **Neal Skupski** are trying to reach their first tour-level final in seven events as a team. They won the title in their team debut at the Phoenix, USA Challenger in March before becoming a full-time team in June.
- Murray has won a US Open title in 3 straight seasons (2016 men's doubles w/Soares, 2017 mixed doubles w/Hingis and 2018 mixed doubles w/Mattek-Sands). He's reached both the men's and mixed doubles semi-finals in 2019.
- Playing with other doubles partners, Murray is 7-5 and Skupski is 0-1 against Cabal/Farah.
- Both Brits are part of a tennis family. Murray's younger brother Andy and Skupski's older brother Ken play on tour.
- In their second Grand Slam event as a team, **Kevin Krawietz** and **Andreas Mies** won Roland Garros to become the first All-German Grand Slam men's doubles champions of the Open Era (d. **Jeremy Chardy/Fabrice Martin**).
- Krawietz and Mies lost 8 of their 10 matches between the Roland Garros final and the US Open first round.
- The Germans went 46-9 on the ATP Challenger Tour from August 2017 through May 2019 with 8 titles in 10 finals.
- **Marcel Granollers** and **Horacio Zeballos** are 9-0 as a team. Though the Spaniard and Argentine are undefeated, Granollers and another South American player, **Pablo Cuevas**, lost to Krawietz and Mies in 2018 Wimbledon 2R.
- Granollers owns 7 titles in his team debut with a partner, including 2019 ATP Masters 1000 Montreal with Zeballos.
- **ATP Doubles Race to London Standings (Following US Open QFs)**

No.	Team	Points	Key
1	Juan Sebastian Cabal / Robert Farah*	6,660 [^]	Top 8 qualify for Nitto ATP Finals (10-17 Nov.)
2	Lukasz Kubot / Marcelo Melo	3,445	* Qualified
3	Bob Bryan / Mike Bryan	3,380	[^] Add 480 points for SF win
4	Kevin Krawietz / Andreas Mies	3,375 [^]	
5	Raven Klaasen / Michael Venus	3,370	
6	Jean-Julien Rojer / Horia Tecau	2,860	
7	Henri Kontinen / John Peers	2,820	
8	Rajeev Ram / Joe Salisbury	2,570	
9	Jeremy Chardy / Fabrice Martin	2,330	
10	Pierre-Hugues Herbert / Nicolas Mahut	2,180	
11	Oliver Marach / Mate Pavic	1,960	
12	Ivan Dodig / Filip Polasek	1,870	
13	Marcel Granollers / Horacio Zeballos	1,720 [^]	
14	Robin Haase / Wesley Koolhof	1,680	
15	Nikola Mektic / Franko Skugor	1,630	
16	Maximo Gonzalez / Horacio Zeballos	1,540	

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	GRANOLLERS	ZEBALLOS	TEAM
Age	33 (4/12/86)	34 (4/27/85)	2019 ATP Masters 1000 Montreal (Debut)
ATP Doubles Rankings	No. 27	No. 7	No. 24
Career-High Rankings	No. 4 (2/25/13)	No. 7 (8/12/19)	----
US Open W-L	29-10	13-9	4-0
Grand Slam W-L	81-47	38-32	4-0
Season W-L	20-13	41-16	9-0
Career W-L	364-237	197-128	9-0
Grand Slam Titles	0	0	0
Career Titles	18	13	1
Granollers at US Open: 2014 Finalist w/M. Lopez, 2012 Semi-finalist w/M. Lopez, 2010 Semi-finalist w/Robredo			
Zeballos at US Open: 2010 Semi-finalist w/Schwank			

	KRAWIETZ	MIES	TEAM
Age	27 (1/24/92)	29 (8/21/90)	2017 Meerbusch, GER Challenger (Debut)
ATP Doubles Rankings	No. 23	No. 24	No. 7
Career-High Rankings	No. 21 (6/10/19)	No. 22 (6/10/19)	----
US Open W-L	4-1	4-0	4-0
Grand Slam W-L	14-5	13-3	12-2
Season W-L	23-15	24-17	21-13
Career W-L	26-30	28-21	23-15
Grand Slam Titles	1	1	1
Career Titles	2	2	2

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	CABAL	FARAH	TEAM
Age	33 (4/25/86)	32 (1/20/87)	2004 Colombia F3 (Debut)
ATP Doubles Rankings	No. 1	No. 1	No. 1
Career-High Rankings	No. 1 (7/15/19)	No. 1 (7/15/19)	----
US Open W-L	13-8	11-7	11-7
Grand Slam W-L	64-33	55-30	55-30
Season W-L	43-13	43-13	43-13
Career W-L	296-178	261-151	254-144
Grand Slam Titles	1	1	1
Career Titles	16	15	15
Cabal/Farah at US Open: 2018 Semi-finalist			

	J. MURRAY	N. SKUPSKI	TEAM
Age	33 (2/13/86)	29 (12/1/89)	2019 Phoenix, USA Challenger (Debut)
ATP Doubles Rankings	No. 21	No. 36	No. 39
Career-High Rankings	No. 1 (4/4/16)	No. 27 (5/20/19)	----
US Open W-L	25-9	4-2	4-0
Grand Slam W-L	71-47	13-14	4-1
Season W-L	28-18	33-23	11-6
Career W-L	409-292	80-73	11-6
Grand Slam Titles	2	0	0
Career Titles	23	3	0
J. Murray at US Open: 2016 Champion w/Soares, 2015 Finalist w/Peers			