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### ROLEX SHANGHAI MASTERS TALKING POINTS

- World No. 1 **Jannik Sinner** meets four-time champion **Novak Djokovic** in **Rolex Shanghai Masters** championship match with Djokovic leading their **Lexus ATP Head2Head** 4-3. Sinner won 3 of their 4 matches played in the last 52 weeks, including Australian Open SF in January this year. Sinner is the first Italian finalist in tournament history, while Djokovic owns a perfect 4-0 record in Shanghai finals.

#### 2024 ATP Tour Win Leaders:

Player	W/L	Titles
<b>Jannik Sinner</b>	<b>64-6</b>	<b>6</b>
Alexander Zverev	59-19	1
Carlos Alcaraz	51-10	4
Taylor Fritz	49-20	2
Casper Ruud	48-19	2

#### 2024 ATP Hard Court Win Leaders:

Player	W/L	Titles
<b>Jannik Sinner</b>	<b>44-3</b>	<b>5</b>
Alexander Zverev	30-11	0
Grigor Dimitrov	28-9	1
Daniil Medvedev	28-11	0
Andrey Rublev	28-12	1

- By reaching Shanghai final, **Sinner** clinched ATP Year-End No. 1 presented by PIF. He leads the ATP Tour in wins (64) and titles (6) this season and aims to join Djokovic in 2015 as the only World No. 1s to win the tournament. After capturing titles in Miami and Cincinnati, he bids to become the first player to win 3 ATP Masters 1000 titles in one season since **Rafael Nadal** in 2018. At 23 years and 1 month, the Italian would be the youngest champion in tournament history and 1st player to win consecutive ATP Masters 1000 titles since Djokovic at 2020 Cincinnati and Rome.

#### Youngest ATP Masters 1000 Shanghai Champions:

No.	Champion	Age	Year	Opponent
1	Andy Murray	23 years 5 months	2010	d. Roger Federer
2	Daniil Medvedev	23 years 8 months	2019	d. Alexander Zverev
3	Andy Murray	24 years 5 months	2011	d. David Ferrer

- Djokovic** is on the brink of history again as the 37-year-old aims to capture his 100th tour-level title of career, becoming the third man in Open Era to earn that milestone. With a title win, Djokovic would also hold the sole record for most hard-court titles in the Open Era. He bids to lift 5 or more titles at a 10th different event, aiming to do so at 5th of 9 ATP Masters 1000 events and win record-extending 41st ATP Masters 1000 title.

#### Tour-Level Title Leaders in Open Era:

Player	Titles
Jimmy Connors	109
Roger Federer	103
<b>Novak Djokovic</b>	<b>99</b>
Ivan Lendl	94
Rafael Nadal	92

#### Hard Court Title Leaders in Open Era:

Player	Titles
<b>Novak Djokovic</b>	<b>71</b>
Roger Federer	71
Andre Agassi	46
Jimmy Connors	43
Pete Sampras	36

- Fifth title win in Shanghai would also guarantee **Djokovic** to tie **Nadal** for most ATP Masters 1000 match wins in series history (since 1990). At 37 years and 4 months, he aims to be the oldest man to defeat a World No. 1 since **Ken Rosewall**, 39, defeated No. 1 Newcombe at 1974 Wimbledon and become the oldest champion in tournament history (currently **Federer**, 36, in 2017).

#### ATP Masters 1000 Win Leaders (since 1990):

Player	W/L	Titles
Rafael Nadal	410-90	36
<b>Novak Djokovic</b>	<b>409-89</b>	<b>40</b>
Roger Federer	381-108	28

#### ATP Masters 1000 Hard Court Win Leaders (since 1990):

Player	W/L	Titles
<b>Novak Djokovic</b>	<b>270-51</b>	<b>29</b>
Roger Federer	264-66	22
Rafael Nadal	210-63	10

**2024 ATP Masters 1000 Finals –**

Indian Wells	Carlos Alcaraz (2) d. Daniil Medvedev (4)
Miami	Jannik Sinner (3) d. Grigor Dimitrov (12)
Monte-Carlo	Stefanos Tsitsipas (12) d. Casper Ruud (10)
Madrid	Andrey Rublev (8) d. Felix Auger-Aliassime (35)
Rome	Alexander Zverev (5) d. Nicolas Jarry (24)
Montreal	Alexei Popyrin (62) d. Andrey Rublev (8)
Cincinnati	Jannik Sinner (1) d. Frances Tiafoe (27)
<b>Shanghai</b>	<b>Jannik Sinner (1) vs. Novak Djokovic (4)</b>

**PIF ATP LIVE RACE TO TURIN**

Race	Player	Points	Scenario
1	<b>Jannik Sinner (ITA)</b>	9,980	+350 for final win vs. Djokovic
2	<b>Carlos Alcaraz (ESP)</b>	6,710	<i>Lost in Shanghai QF to Tomas Machac</i>
3	<b>Alexander Zverev (GER)</b>	6,215	<i>Lost in Shanghai 4R to David Goffin</i>
4	Daniil Medvedev	4,820	<i>Lost in Shanghai QF to Jannik Sinner</i>
5	Taylor Fritz (USA)	4,290	<i>Lost in Shanghai SF to Novak Djokovic</i>
6	Novak Djokovic (SRB)	3,910	+350 for final win vs. Sinner
7	Casper Ruud (NOR)	3,805	<i>Lost in Shanghai 2R to Aleksandar Vukic</i>
8	Andrey Rublev	3,580	<i>Lost in Shanghai 2R to Jakub Mensik</i>
9	Alex de Minaur (AUS)	3,305	----
10	Grigor Dimitrov (BUL)	2,935	<i>Lost in Shanghai 4R to Jakub Mensik</i>
11	Tommy Paul (USA)	2,885	<i>Lost in Shanghai 4R to Tomas Machac</i>
12	Stefanos Tsitsipas (GRE)	2,835	<i>Lost in Shanghai 4R to Daniil Medvedev</i>
13	Hubert Hurkacz (POL)	2,680	----
14	Frances Tiafoe (USA)	2,510	<i>Lost in Shanghai 3R to Roman Safiullin</i>
15	Holger Rune (DEN)	2,475	<i>Lost in Shanghai 4R to Taylor Fritz</i>
16	Lorenzo Musetti (ITA)	2,400	<i>Lost in Shanghai 2R to David Goffin</i>

**BOLD:** Qualified for 2024 Nitto ATP Finals in Turin (10-17 November)

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Insight from matches in Shanghai and 52-week average:

Player	In Attack	Conversion Score	Steal Score	Serve Quality	Return Quality	Forehand Quality	Backhand Quality
Sinner Shanghai	<b>25%</b>	<b>78%</b>	35%	<b>8.7</b>	<b>7.8</b>	9.2	8.4
Sinner 52-week avg.	25%	73%	37%	8.1	8.0	8.8	8.4
Djokovic Shanghai	<b>25%</b>	77%	<b>38%</b>	8.2	<b>7.8</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>8.6</b>
Djokovic 52-week avg.	<b>25%</b>	71%	37%	8.2	7.8	8.7	8.2
<i>Tour Average</i>	<i>24%</i>	<i>67%</i>	<i>33%</i>	<i>7.9</i>	<i>6.6</i>	<i>7.5</i>	<i>7.1</i>

Sinner is serving with significantly more quality in Shanghai compared to his 52-week average. Contributing factors: 1st serve in 70% (Shanghai) vs 62% (52-week avg), Aces per match 10 (Shanghai) vs 7.3 (52-week avg).

## LEXUS ATP HEAD2HEAD: SINGLES FINAL

### [1] Jannik Sinner (ITA) vs [4] Novak Djokovic (SRB)

Year	Tournament	Surface	Round	Opponent	Score
21	ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo (Monaco)	Clay	R32	Novak Djokovic	6-4 6-2
22	Wimbledon (Great Britain)	Grass	QF	Novak Djokovic	5-7 2-6 6-3 6-2 6-2
23	Wimbledon (Great Britain)	Grass	SF	Novak Djokovic	6-3 6-4 7-6(4)
23	Nitto ATP Finals (Italy)	Hard	RR	Jannik Sinner	7-5 6-7(5) 7-6(2)
23	Nitto ATP Finals (Italy)	Hard	F	Novak Djokovic	6-3 6-3
23	Davis Cup Finals (Spain)	Hard	SF	Jannik Sinner	6-2 2-6 7-5
24	Australian Open (Australia)	Hard	SF	Jannik Sinner	6-1 6-2 6-7(6) 6-3

### Djokovic Leads 4-3

**Jannik Sinner** | Age: 23 | World No. 1 (Career-High) | 2024: 64-6 (6 Titles) | Shanghai: 7-1 (2024 Final)

> 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 June 2024.

> At 2024 Australian Open, defeated 10-time champion Djokovic in SF and rallied from two sets down in final against Medvedev to win his 1st Grand Slam title. Became 1st player to beat Djokovic in SF or later at the tournament.

> Became the first Italian champion in Australian Open tournament history and second Italian man to win a Grand Slam title in Open Era (Panatta at 1976 Roland Garros).

> Captured 2024 US Open to join Djokovic, Federer and Wilander as only men to capture both hard court Grand Slams in the same season and first man since Vilas in 1977 to win 1st two Grand Slam titles in the same year.

> Earned personal-best 64 wins in 2023, setting the record for most wins by an Italian player in a single season in Open Era, highlighted by first ATP Masters 1000 title in Toronto.

> First Italian man to play in 2023 Nitto ATP Finals SF and championship match on home soil in Turin, then led Italy to 2023 Davis Cup title, first since 1976.

**NOTE:** Sinner seeks personal-best 65th win in a season and capture his 4th ATP Masters 1000 title, third of 2024 (Miami, Cincinnati). He is 7-4 vs. Top-5 players this season, including 7-2 on hard courts, both losses coming to Alcaraz. The Italian is 16-5 in tour-level finals, 6-1 in 2024, losing to Alcaraz in Beijing final prior to Shanghai. He has won at least a set in all 70 matches this season, last losing in straight sets to Djokovic at Nitto ATP Finals last year.

### Most ATP Masters 1000 Titles (Active Players):

Player	Titles	Player	Titles
Novak Djokovic	40	<b>Jannik Sinner</b>	<b>3</b>
Rafael Nadal	36	Stefanos Tsitsipas	3
Daniil Medvedev	6	Hubert Hurkacz	2
Alexander Zverev	6	Andrey Rublev	2
Carlos Alcaraz	5	12 players tied with	1

### Jannik Sinner – Most Wins by Season

W-L	Year	YE Ranking	Titles
<b>64-6</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Australian Open, Rotterdam, Miami, Halle, Cincinnati, US Open</b>
64-15	2023	4	Montpellier, Toronto, Beijing, Vienna
49-22	2021	10	Melbourne-1, Washington, Sofia, Antwerp
47-16	2022	15	Umag
19-11	2020	37	Sofia

**Novak Djokovic** | Age: 37 | World No. 4 | Career-High No. 1 | 2024: 37-8 (Paris Olympics Title) |

| Shanghai: 39-5 (2012-13, 2015, 2018 Titles)

> Record breaking 7-time Nitto ATP Finals champion owns ATP/WTA record for most weeks at No. 1 (428), as well as PIF ATP Rankings records for most years ended at No. 1 (8) and most wins vs. Top 10 (259), finishing in Top 5 in 16 of last 17 years (2017 – No. 12).

> All-time leader for most Grand Slam men's singles titles in history (24), including record 10 Australian Open titles, and is 1 of 3 men to hold all 4 Grand Slam championships at same time (also Budge, Laver).

> Only player to win all 9 ATP Masters 1000 events since start of series in 1990, doing so multiple times for a record total of 40 titles.

> Owns most Grand Slam match wins in history (377), 3rd-most men's singles titles in Open Era (99), 3rd-most men's singles wins in Open Era (1,124).

> Captured men's singles Olympic gold medal at 2024 Paris Olympics, joining Agassi and Nadal in completing the men's singles Career Golden Slam.

> Boasts winning records against both Federer (27-23) and Nadal (31-29), as well as win streaks of ATP Tour-record 43 matches (2010-11), ATP Masters 1000-record 31 matches (2011) and Open Era-record 30 Grand Slam matches (2015-16).

**NOTE:** Djokovic looks for his 100th tour-level title to become the third man in Open Era to achieve the feat after Connors (109) and Federer (103). He owns records for most wins (39) and titles (4) in tournament history. After entering the tournament as No. 9 on [PIF ATP Live Race to Turin](#), he jumped to No. 6 by reaching the final. He aims to extend his perfect record in Shanghai finals (4-0) and win the same title 5+ times in a 10th different event.

**Djokovic in Shanghai by Round (2024 Result):**

**R64** – 1-0 (d. Michelsen)      **QF** – 9-1 (d. Mensik)  
**R32** – 10-0 (d. Cobolli)      **SF** – 5-4 (d. Fritz)  
**R16** – 10-0 (d. Safiullin)      **Final** – 4-0 (plays vs. No. 1 Sinner)

**Djokovic – Most Titles by Tournament**

Titles	Tournament
10	Australian Open
7	Wimbledon, Nitto ATP Finals, ATP Masters 1000 Paris
6	ATP Masters 1000 Miami, ATP Masters 1000 Rome, Beijing
5	ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells, Dubai
4	US Open, ATP Masters 1000 Canada, <b>ATP Masters 1000 Shanghai</b>

**Most ATP Masters 1000 Titles:**

No.	Player	Titles	No.	Player	Titles
1	<b>Novak Djokovic</b>	<b>40</b>	6	Pete Sampras	11
2	Rafael Nadal	36	7	Thomas Muster	8
3	Roger Federer	28	8	Michael Chang	7
4	Andre Agassi	17	9T	Daniil Medvedev	6
5	Andy Murray	14	9T	Alexander Zverev	6

**LEXUS ATP HEAD2HEAD: DOUBLES FINAL**

**Maximo Gonzalez (ARG) / Andres Molteni (ARG) vs Wesley Koolhof (NED) / Nikola Mektic (CRO)**

**Series Tied 1-1**

24 Auckland (New Zealand)	Hard	QF	Koolhof / Mektic	6-0 2-6 [12-10]
24 Barcelona (Spain)	Clay	QF	Gonzalez / Molteni	6-3 7-6(1)

**Gonzalez / Molteni Notes**

- > The Argentine duo own 75-44 record as a pair (27-16 in 2024), first teaming up at 2014 Sao Paulo Challenger then made tour-level debut playing for Argentina in Davis Cup in 2017.
- > They own 8 ATP Tour titles together, capturing titles at 2022 Gijon, 2023-24 Cordoba, 2023 Rio de Janeiro, 2023-24 Barcelona, 2023 Washington and 2023 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati.
- > Defeated No. 4 seeds Bolelli/Vavassori in QF and now bid to join Zeballos in 2023 as the only Argentine champions in tournament history.
- > Team is ranked No. 10 on [PIF ATP Doubles Teams Rankings](#) as they seek back-to-back Nitto ATP Finals appearances (went 0-3 in RR last year).
- > Gonzalez is ranked No. 31 (career-high No. 10 in 2023) and Molteni is ranked No. 29 (career-high No. 7 in 2023).
- > Gonzalez, 41, is 19-6 in tour-level finals and looks for 2nd ATP Masters 1000 title after winning in Cincinnati last year w/Molteni.
- > Molteni, 36, is 18-7 in tour-level doubles finals and aims to extend a perfect 8-0 record in finals w/M. Gonzalez.

**Koolhof / Mektic Notes**

- > Duo of former No. 1s are 60-28 as a team (36-15 in 2024), first playing during the 2020 season, ending the year with the 2020 Nitto ATP Finals title, before repairing this year with titles at Auckland and Rotterdam.
- > 2020 US Open finalists are playing in their second ATP Masters 1000 final as a team after winning Indian Wells title earlier this year.
- > Saved 2 MPs to defeat No. 5 seeds Bopanna / Dodig en route to the final and advanced 1 spot to No. 7 on [PIF ATP Live Doubles Teams Rankings](#), as they seek 2nd Nitto ATP Finals appearance after 2020 title.
- > By defeating S. Gonzalez/Roger-Vasselin in SF, Koolhof earned 300th tour-level win of career (300-192).
- > With fourth ATP Tour title of the season, they would tie Arevalo/Pavic, Purcell/Thompson and Lammons/Withrow for most tour-level titles by any team this season.
- > Koolhof is ranked No. 17 (career-high No. 1 in 2022) and Mektic is ranked No. 19 (career-high No. 1 in 2021).

> Koolhof, 35, is 19-23 in tour-level doubles finals, looking for his fifth ATP Masters 1000 title (4-5) after winning at 2022 Madrid, 2022 Montreal and 2022 Paris w/N. Skupski.

> Mektic, 35, is 28-17 in tour-level doubles finals, aiming to capture 9th ATP Masters 1000 title (8-2), also winning at 2018 Madrid w/Peya, 2019 Indian Wells w/Zeballos, 2019 Monte-Carlo w/Skugor and partnering w/Pavic to capture titles at 2021 Miami, 2021 Monte-Carlo, 2021 Rome and 2022 Rome.

## PIF ATP DOUBLES TEAMS RANKINGS

Race	Player	Points	Scenario
1	<b>Marcelo Arevalo / Mate Pavic</b>	6,710	<i>Lost in Shanghai 1R to Gille/Vliegen</i>
2	<b>Marcel Granollers / Horacio Zeballos</b>	6,500	<i>Lost in Shanghai 2R to J. Murray/Peers</i>
3	<b>Simone Bolelli / Andrea Vavassori</b>	5,540	<i>Lost in Shanghai QF to Gonzalez/Molteni</i>
4	Max Purcell / Jordan Thompson	4,895	----
5	Rohan Bopanna / Matthew Ebden	4,590	----
6	Kevin Krawietz / Tim Puetz	4,490	----
7	Wesley Koolhof / Nikola Mektic	4,075	+400 for final win vs. Gonzalez/Molteni
8	Harri Heliövaara / Henry Patten	3,977	<i>Lost in Shanghai 1R to Pavlasek/Rojer</i>
9	<b>Nathaniel Lammons / Jackson Withrow</b>	3,622	<i>Lost in Shanghai QF to Koolhof/Mektic</i>
10	Maximo Gonzalez / Andres Molteni	2,925	+400 for final win vs. Koolhof/Mektic
11	Hugo Nys / Jan Zielinski	2,690	<i>Lost in Shanghai 1R to Gonzalez/Molteni</i>
12	Sander Gille / Joran Vliegen	2,455	<i>Lost in Shanghai 2R to Lammons/Withrow</i>
13	Rajeev Ram / Joe Salisbury	2,380	----
14	Sadio Doumbia / Fabien Reboul	2,350	<i>Lost in Shanghai 1R to Wang/Zhou</i>
15	Neal Skupski / Michael Venus	2,100	<i>Lost in Shanghai 1R to Khachanov/Rublev</i>
16	Julian Cash / Robert Galloway	1,896	----

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