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ROLEX SHANGHAI MASTERS TALKING POINTS

- There are 17 singles matches on the schedule on Sunday at **Rolex Shanghai Masters** with nine remaining second-round matches due to Saturday's rain delay and the beginning of the third round with 6 of the Top 10 seeds projected to be in action on Day 5 at the **Qi Zhong Tennis Center**.
- World No. 1 **Jannik Sinner**, who leads the ATP Tour in wins (60) and titles (6) in 2024, takes on No. 31 seed **Tomas Martin Etcheverry**. Sinner has not lost before the quarter-finals stage in any tournament played this season and aims to keep his unbeaten streak against players ranked outside Top 20 in 2024 (42-0). Etcheverry attempts to record the biggest win of his career and reach ATP Masters 1000 4R for the first time.
- After defeating home favorite Shang in 2R, No. 3 seed **Carlos Alcaraz** takes on another Chinese man, **Wu Yibing**, in their first **Lexus ATP Head2Head** meeting. Alcaraz attempts to join Sinner (60) and Zverev (58) as the only players to capture 50 wins this season and earn his 100th hard court career win on the surface.
- World No. 560 **Wu Yibing** became the lowest-ranked player to record a match win in Shanghai and now bids to become the lowest-ranked man to defeat a Top 5 player since No. 690 **Joachim Johansson** defeated No. 2 Nadal at 2006 Stockholm. The 24-year-old aims to break Alcaraz's 10-match winning streak to become the first Chinese man to defeat a Top-3 player in PIF ATP Rankings history and second to reach Shanghai 4R.

Chinese Men Win Milestones:

First Win over Top 10 Player: Wu Yibing d. No. 8 Taylor Fritz 6-7 7-5 6-4 in 2023 Dallas SF

First Win over Top 5 Player: Zhang Zhizhen d. No. 5 Casper Ruud 6-4 5-7 6-2 0-6 6-2 in 2023 US Open 2R

First Win over Top 3 Player: ?

- 2019 champion **Daniil Medvedev** brings a 3-0 **Lexus ATP Head2Head** lead into his encounter with No. 29 seed **Matteo Arnaldi**. Medvedev aims to reach round of 16 in Shanghai for the second time as the 6-time ATP Masters 1000 champion eyes his first title of the season. Arnaldi seeks 2nd Top 5 win of career (1-5).

PIF ATP LIVE RACE TO TURIN

Race	Player	Points	Scenario
1	Jannik Sinner (ITA)	9,380	+50 for 3R win vs. Etcheverry
2	Carlos Alcaraz (ESP)	6,560	+50 for 3R win vs. Wu
3	Alexander Zverev (GER)	6,165	+50 for 3R win vs. Griekspoor or Thompson
4	Daniil Medvedev	4,670	+50 for 3R win vs. Arnaldi
5	Taylor Fritz (USA)	3,900	+40 for 2R win vs. Atmane
6	Casper Ruud (NOR)	3,805	<i>Lost in Shanghai 2R to Aleksandar Vukic</i>
7	Andrey Rublev	3,580	<i>Lost in Shanghai 2R to Jakub Mensik</i>
8	Novak Djokovic (SRB)	3,310	+50 for 3R win vs. Cobolli or Wawrinka
9	Alex de Minaur (AUS)	3,305	----
10	Grigor Dimitrov (BUL)	2,845	+40 for 2R win vs. Bergs
11	Tommy Paul (USA)	2,835	+50 for 3R win vs. Tabilo
12	Stefanos Tsitsipas (GRE)	2,785	+50 for 3R win vs. Muller
13	Hubert Hurkacz (POL)	2,680	----
14	Frances Tiafoe (USA)	2,470	+40 for 2R win vs. Zhou
15	Lorenzo Musetti (ITA)	2,400	+40 for 2R win vs. Goffin
16	Holger Rune (DEN)	2,385	+40 for 2R win vs. Berrettini

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

LEXUS ATP HEAD2HEAD: SUNDAY SINGLES MATCHES

STADIUM COURT

3R: [29] Matteo Arnaldi (ITA) vs [5] Daniil Medvedev

Medvedev Leads 3-0

23 Dubai (U.A.E.)	Hard	R32	Daniil Medvedev	6-4 6-2
23 ATP Masters 1000 Toronto (Canada)	Hard	R32	Daniil Medvedev	6-2 7-5
24 ATP Masters 1000 Madrid (Spain)	Clay	R64	Daniil Medvedev	2-6 6-4 6-4

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Insights from their 2024 ATP Masters 1000 Madrid 2R encounter:

Player	In Attack	Conversion Score	Steal Score	Serve Quality	Return Quality	Forehand Quality	Backhand Quality
Arnaldi	24%	68%	23%	8.2	5.7	6.5	7.0
Medvedev	26%	77%	32%	7.7	7.1	7.4	7.0
<i>Tour Average</i>	<i>24%</i>	<i>67%</i>	<i>33%</i>	<i>7.9</i>	<i>6.5</i>	<i>7.5</i>	<i>7.1</i>

In their last meeting, Arnaldi took the 1st set, dictating play and leading the In Attack score 30% to 21%. In sets 2 & 3 combined Medvedev took over leading In Attack 28% to 21%.

Matteo Arnaldi | Age: 23 | World No. 36 | Career-High No. 30 | 2024: 28-22 (Montreal SF) | Shanghai: 3-1 (2023-24 3R)
 > Broke into Top 500 in September 2021, Top 200 in August 2022 and Top 100 in May 2023, achieving career-high No. 30 in August 2024 after reaching 1st ATP Masters 1000 SF in Montreal.
 > Reached 1st ATP Tour QF and SF at 2023 Umag and 1st Grand Slam 4R at 2023 US Open.
 > Qualified to reach 3R at 2023 ATP Masters 1000 Madrid, defeating No. 4 Ruud for biggest win of career a week after earning first career ATP Tour win in Barcelona (d. Munar).
 > Owns 59-39 Challenger record (4-2 in finals), highlighted by 1st title on home soil at Francavilla al Mare.
 > Peaked at No. 22 in juniors, posting 80-42 singles record (3 titles) and 34-35 doubles record (2 titles).

NOTE: Arnaldi is 1-5 vs. Top-5 players in his career (0-4 on hard courts) after recording win over No. 4 Ruud at 2023 ATP Masters 1000 Madrid in April last year. He bids to advance to ATP Masters 1000 Round of 16 for the third time after Miami (l. to Machac in 4R) and Montreal (l. to Rublev in SF), both this year.

Daniil Medvedev | Age: 28 | World No. 5 | Career-High No. 1 | 2024: 43-17 (2 Finals) | Shanghai: 8-3 (2019 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 18 of his 20 singles titles on hard courts and all 20 of his titles at different events, including ATP Masters 1000 championships at 2019 Cincinnati, 2019 Shanghai, 2020 Paris, 2021 Toronto, 2023 Miami and 2023 Rome, his 1st career clay ATP Tour title.

NOTE: Medvedev, one of two former champions in the draw, is 16-7 in ATP Masters 1000 events this season, including run to Indian Wells final (l. to Alcaraz) and SF in Miami (l. to Sinner). This week, he looks for first title since 2023 ATP Masters 1000 Rome in May last year and win the same tour-level title twice for the first time in career.

2024 ATP Masters 1000 Win Leaders:

Player	W/L	Best Result	Player	W/L	Best Result
Jannik Sinner	23-3	Miami, Cincinnati Titles	Carlos Alcaraz	13-3	Indian Wells Title
Alexander Zverev	22-6	Rome Title	Stefanos Tsitsipas	13-6	Monte-Carlo Title
Daniil Medvedev	16-7	Indian Wells Final	Hubert Hurkacz	13-7	3 QFs
Andrey Rublev	14-7	Madrid Title	* Dimitrov and Rune look for 13th win on Sunday		

3R: [1] Jannik Sinner (ITA) vs [31] Tomas Martin Etcheverry (ARG) Sinner Leads 1-0
23 Australian Open (Australia) Hard R64 Jannik Sinner 6-3 6-2 6-2

Jannik Sinner | Age: 23 | World No. 1 (Career-High) | 2024: 60-6 (6 Titles) | Shanghai: 3-1 (2023 4R)
> 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 earned 250th win of his career by defeating Daniel in 2R (250-80) and now aims to equal his best result in Shanghai. The Italian advanced to the quarter-finals of all 13 events entered this season and is 52-0 vs. players ranked outside Top 20 since losing to No. 66 Lajovic in 2023 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati 2R in August. He is 13-2 vs. Argentines, both losses to F. Cerundolo in ATP Masters 1000 events at 2022 Miami via RET and 2023 Rome.

Players to Earn 60+ Wins in a Season Since 2015:

Year	Players (Wins)
2024	Jannik Sinner (60)
2023	Daniil Medvedev (66), Carlos Alcaraz (65), Jannik Sinner (64)
2022	Stefanos Tsitsipas (61), Felix Auger-Aliassime (60)
2021	Daniil Medvedev (63)
2018	Alexander Zverev (60)
2017	Rafael Nadal (68)
2016	Andy Murray (78), Novak Djokovic (65)
2015	Novak Djokovic (82), Andy Murray (71), Roger Federer (63), Rafael Nadal (61)

Tomas Martin Etcheverry | Age: 25 | World No. 37 | Career-High No. 27 | 2024: 28-24 (Lyon Final) | Event: 1-1 (2024 3R)
> Former World No. 12 junior broke into Top 200 in June 2021 and Top 100 in April 2022, achieving career-high No. 27 in February 2024 after earning personal-best 30 wins in 2023.
> At 2023 Roland Garros, earned 1st two Top 20 wins of career over No. 19 de Minaur in 2R and No. 16 Coric in 3R and reached the quarter-finals without losing a set.
> Defeated clay-court champions Fognini, F. Cerundolo, Lajovic and Baez en route to 1st ATP Tour final at Santiago and J. Cerundolo and Garin en route to 2nd ATP Tour final at 2023 Houston.
> Reached 3rd ATP Tour final at 2024 Lyon and squandered 1 MP in final against Mpetshi Perricard.
> Posted Challenger records of 49-19 in 2021 and 41-16 in 2022, highlighted by clay-court titles at 2021 Perugia, 2021 Trieste and 2022 Concepcion-2.

NOTE: Etcheverry is 2-18 vs. Top 20 players (0-10 vs. Top 10), earning both wins over No. 19 de Minaur and No. 16 Coric en route to 2023 Roland Garros quarter-finals and aims to be the first Argentine to defeat a World No. 1 since Juan Martin del Potro beat No. 1 Nadal at 2018 US Open and reach ATP Masters 1000 R16 for the first time.

3R: [3] Carlos Alcaraz (ESP) vs [WC] Wu Yibing (CHN) First Meeting

Carlos Alcaraz | Age: 21 | World No. 2 | Career-High No. 1 | 2024: 49-9 (4 Titles) | Shanghai: 3-1 (2023 4R)
> Youngest and first teenage World No. 1 and year-end No. 1 in PIF ATP Rankings history (since 1973), making record rise from No. 32 at end of 2021 to No. 1 at age 19 in September 2022, then remaining atop rankings through end of season and later earning a total of 36 weeks.
> Beat Ruud in 2022 US Open final for No. 1 ranking, becoming youngest men's champion at US Open since Sampras, 19, in 1990 and at any Grand Slam event since Nadal, 19, at 2005 Roland Garros.
> Earned fifth set wins over Sinner in SF and Zverev in final to capture 2024 Roland Garros, becoming the youngest man to win a Grand Slam title on all three surfaces.
> Defeated 7-time champion Djokovic in 2023 and 2024 Wimbledon finals to be the second man in Open Era to win his first 4 Grand Slam finals after Federer (7), then lost to Djokovic in 2024 Paris Olympics final.

- > Became youngest ATP 500 champion at 2022 Rio de Janeiro (since 2009) and 3rd-youngest ATP Masters 1000 champion at 2022 Miami (since 1990).
- > Youngest player to defeat both Nadal and Djokovic and 1st to do so at same clay-court event, beating them on back-to-back days en route to 2nd ATP Masters 1000 title at 2022 Madrid.

NOTE: Alcaraz is on a 10-match winning streak after capturing title in Beijing on Wednesday. He is 18-2 vs. players ranked outside Top 50 this season with losses to No. 117 Monteiro in Rio de Janeiro 1R via RET and No. 74 van de Zandschulp in US Open 2R. He aims to record his 100th hard court win of his career (99-31).

2024 ATP Tour Longest Winning Streaks

Player	Matches	Duration
Jannik Sinner	19*	2023 Davis Cup Finals QF – 2024 ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells SF
Jannik Sinner	15	ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati 2R – Beijing Final
Carlos Alcaraz	12	Wimbledon 1R – Paris Olympics Final
Alexander Zverev	12	ATP Masters 1000 Rome 2R – Roland Garros Final
Carlos Alcaraz	10	Davis Cup Finals RR - active
Sebastian Baez	10	Rio de Janeiro 1R – ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells 3R
Matteo Berrettini	10	Gstaad 1R – ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati 1R
Stefanos Tsitsipas	10	ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo 1R – Barcelona Final

* going back to 2023, 16 in 2024

- Wu Yibing** | Age: 24 | World No. 560 | Career-High No. 54 | 2024: 2-2 (Shanghai 3R) | Shanghai: 3-2 (2024 3R)
- > Rose from No. 1,869 in March 2022 to No. 54 in May 2023 after missing March 2019-January 2022 due to injuries.
 - > Saved 4 championship points vs. Isner at 2023 Dallas following SF win over No. 8 Fritz, becoming 1st Chinese man to win an ATP Tour title, reach an ATP Tour final and earn a Top-10 win.
 - > Qualified at 2022 US Open and became 1st Chinese man to reach US Open 3R in tournament history (since 1881), falling to World No. 1 and defending champion Medvedev.
 - > Posted 40-7 record in main draw and qualifying matches across all levels in 2022, winning 3 ATP Challenger Tour titles and an ITF World Tennis Tour title in Orange Park, FL, USA.
 - > Swept 2017 US Open boys' singles title and boys' doubles title w/Hsu to become World No. 1 junior, then won Shanghai Challenger title a week later as 496th-ranked WC.

NOTE: Wu is playing in his 1st ATP Masters 1000 3R and aims to become the fourth lowest-ranked player to reach ATP Masters 1000 R16 in series history (since 1990). The 24-year-old is 1-4 vs. Top 10 players and seeks biggest win of career to equal best Chinese result in Shanghai tournament history (4R by Zhang Zhizhen in 2023).

Lowest-Ranked Players in ATP Masters 1000 Rd. of 16

No.	Player	Rank	Event
1	Darren Cahill	1013	1994 Indian Wells
2	Tommy Haas	882	2004 Indian Wells
3	Kei Nishikori	576	2024 Montreal
4	Chris Woodruff	550	1999 Indian Wells
5	Milos Raonic	545	2023 Toronto

3R: [11] Tommy Paul (USA) vs [19] Alejandro Tabilo (CHI)

24 London / Queen's Club (Great Britain) Grass R16 Tommy Paul

Paul Leads 1-0

6-3 6-4

Insights from their 2024 London / Queen's Club 2R:

Player	In Attack	Conversion Score	Steal Score	Serve Quality	Return Quality	Forehand Quality	Backhand Quality
Paul	29%	75%	28%	8.5	6.5	8.0	7.9
Tabilo	25%	72%	25%	8.0	4.4	6.1	6.2
<i>Tour Average</i>	<i>24%</i>	<i>67%</i>	<i>33%</i>	<i>7.9</i>	<i>6.5</i>	<i>7.5</i>	<i>7.1</i>

Paul dominated that last match up with a significant advantage created on forehand shot quality. Paul was particularly effective with his forehand on the 1st Serve + 1 shot, where he was at a 9.7 quality helping him to win 12/16 points when he followed a 1st serve with his forehand.

Tommy Paul | Age: 27 | World No. 13 | Career-High No. 12 | 2024: 40-16 (2 Titles) | Shanghai: 3-1 (2023 4R)
 > Former World No. 3 junior achieved career-high No. 12 in October 2023 after becoming 1st American man to reach Australian Open SF since Roddick in 2009 earlier in the season.
 > Owns 7-12 record vs. Top 5, including biggest win of career over No. 1 Alcaraz to reach 1st ATP Masters 1000 SF at 2023 Toronto.
 > Defeated junior rivals Fritz and Tiafoe en route to 1st ATP Tour final and title at 2021 Stockholm.
 > Captured biggest of 3 ATP Tour titles at 2024 London/Queen's Club and reached ATP Masters 1000 SFs at 2024 Indian Wells and 2024 Rome, defeating defending champion No. 4 Medvedev in Rome 4R.
 > Posted upsets at 2022 ATP Masters 1000 events of No. 2 Nadal in Paris 2R, No. 3 A. Zverev in Indian Wells 2R and No. 4 Alcaraz in Montreal.
 > Won 2015 Roland Garros boys' singles title (d. Fritz), advanced to 2015 Roland Garros boys' doubles final w/Blumberg and reached 2015 US Open boys' singles final (l. to Fritz).

NOTE: Paul aims to equal personal-best 41 wins in a season (41 in 2023). He seeks ATP Masters 1000 4R for the third time in 2024, going on to reach semi-finals on both previous occasions (Indian Wells, Rome). He is 9-3 vs. left-handers this year, including win over Tabilo in Queen's Club 2R en route to his 3rd ATP Tour title of career.

Most Wins vs. Left-Handers in 2024:

Player	W/L
Alexander Zverev	13-0
Tommy Paul	9-3
Taylor Fritz	8-0*
Casper Ruud	8-2
Hubert Hurkacz	8-3

* plays left-handed Atmane in 2R on Sunday

Alejandro Tabilo | Age: 27 | World No. 23 | Career-High No. 19 | 2024: 29-23 (2 Titles) | Shanghai: 1-0 (2024 3R)
 > Toronto-born Chilean broke into Top 100 in February 2022, achieving career-high No. 19 in July 2024 after defeating No. 1 Djokovic for biggest win of career en route to 1st ATP Masters 1000 SF at 2024 Rome.
 > Won 1st ATP Tour title at 2024 Auckland as Q, becoming the 1st Chilean to win a title on hard courts since Gonzalez in 2007 and then became 1st Chilean to win a grass tour-level title in Open Era at 2024 Mallorca.
 > Earned 6 straight-set wins – including 5 over Argentines – en route to 1st ATP Tour final at 2022 Cordoba as Q.
 > Defeated countryman Garin en route to 2nd ATP Tour SF at 2022 Santiago as WC, then reached 2024 Santiago final.
 > Earned 5-set wins over fellow South American Galan in Grand Slam main draw debut at 2020 Australian Open and over Cobolli to reach 3R of 2024 Wimbledon.
 > Represented Canada throughout junior career, peaking at No. 29 in junior rankings during 2015 season.

NOTE: Tabilo owns 3-14 record vs. Top 20 players (0-9 on hard courts), looking for first Top 20 win since defeating No. 1 Djokovic and No. 18 Khachanov en route to ATP Masters 1000 Rome SF in May. He aims to reach his fourth ATP Masters 1000 Round of 16 and be the third Chilean in Shanghai R16 (Jarry in 2018 & 2023, Gonzalez in 2009).

SHOW COURT 3

To Finish: Fritz leads 4-3* – Atmane on serve

2R: [7] Taylor Fritz (USA) vs [Q] Terence Atmane (FRA)

First Meeting

Taylor Fritz | Age: 26 | World No. 7 | Career-High No. 5 | 2024: 45-19 (2 Titles) | Shanghai: 4-4 (2023 3R)
 > Former World No. 1 junior won 5th ATP Tour title at 2023 Delray Beach to achieve career-high No. 5 and become 1st American in Top 5 since Roddick in September 2009.
 > Became the 1st American man in Grand Slam final since 2006 at 2024 US Open after earning wins over No. 8 Ruud in 4R, No. 4 Zverev in QF and No. 20 Tiafoe in an all-American semi-final.
 > Defeated No. 2 Nadal en route 2022 Nitto ATP Finals SF after beating him in 2022 ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells final to become that event's 1st American men's champion since Agassi in 2001.
 > Advanced to 1st Grand Slam 4R at 2022 Australian Open and 1st Grand Slam QF at 2022 Wimbledon after entering season with 0-7 record in Grand Slam 3R matches.
 > Reached 1st ATP Tour final at 2016 Memphis as 18-year-old WC, becoming youngest American finalist since start of ATP Tour in 1990.
 > Clinched inaugural United Cup for Team USA in 2023, helped Team World capture Laver Cup in 2022 and 2023 and captured bronze medal at 2024 Paris Olympics in men's doubles w/Paul.

NOTE: Fritz is making his 5th appearance in Shanghai and aims to keep his perfect record in opening rounds at this event (4-0) and vs. left-handers in 2024 (8-0). He is 10-7 in ATP Masters 1000 events this season, highlighted by run to Madrid SF (l. to Rublev).

Terence Atmane | Age: 22 | World No. 161 | Career-High No. 118 | 2024: 3-6 (Rome 3R) | Shanghai: 2-1 (2023-24 2R)
> Broke into Top 500 in July 2022 and Top 200 in September 2023, earning career-high No. 118 in July 2024 soon after reaching 3R at ATP Masters 1000 Rome (d. No. 29 Musetti in 2R via RET).
> Made ATP Tour debut at 2023 Zhuhai as Q, then beat Thompson at 2023 ATP Masters 1000 Shanghai for first win.
> Qualified to make Grand Slam debut at 2024 Australian Open, taking a set off eventual runner-up Medvedev in 1R.
> Went 11-1 in three-week span at Challenger events in September 2023, earning 1st final and title at Zhangjiagang after saving 6 MPs vs. Sun in 1R and 2nd title at Guangzhou, saving 3 MPs vs. Polmans in the final.
> Posted 35-18 Challenger record in 2023, including 19-5 record in tie-breaks at Challenger events and owns 99-54 career ITF Tour record highlighted by 5 titles, latest at 2023 M25 Anapoima.
> Reached career-high No. 20 on the ITF Juniors circuit, highlighted by run to 2020 Roland Garros boys' doubles QF w/Malgaroli.

NOTE: Atmane earned all 4 ATP Tour wins at ATP Masters 1000 events, beating Thompson in Shanghai 1R last year, Eubanks and Musetti to reach Rome 3R in May and Kovacevic in 1R this week. He owns 0-2 record vs. Top 10.

3R: [10] **Stefanos Tsitsipas (GRE) vs Alexandre Muller (FRA)** **First Meeting**

Stefanos Tsitsipas | Age: 26 | World No. 12 | Career-High No. 3 | 2024: 38-18 (Monte-Carlo Title) | Shanghai: 8-4 ('19 SF)
> Top-ranked Greek of all time achieved career-high No. 3 in August 2021 and boasts 11 wins vs. Top-3 opponents (2 vs. No. 1, 4 vs. No. 2, 5 vs. No. 3).
> Six-time Grand Slam semi-finalist, highlighted by runs to 2021 Roland Garros and 2023 Australian Open finals, losing to Djokovic on both occasions.
> Captured 2018 Next Gen ATP Finals title at age 20 and 2019 Nitto ATP Finals title at age 21, becoming youngest champion of latter since Hewitt, 20, in 2001.
> Won 11 ATP Tour titles, including 2021, 2022 and 2024 ATP Masters 1000 Monte Carlo, but still seeking 1st ATP 500 title (0-11 in finals).
> Youngest of 30 players to defeat Djokovic (2018 Toronto 3R), Federer (2019 Australian Open 4R) and Nadal (2019 Madrid SF), sweeping Big 3 before turning 21.

NOTE: Tsitsipas defeated Nishikori in 2R for 200th hard court win of career (200-108). He aims to advance to ATP Masters 1000 Round of 16 for the fourth time this season (Indian Wells 4R, Monte-Carlo Title, Rome QF). Making his fifth appearance in Shanghai, highlighted by first career win over a World No. 1, defeating Djokovic in 2019 QF.

ATP Tour Hard Court Win Leaders (Born in 1995 or later)

No.	Player	W/L	Year	No.	Player	W/L	Year
1	Daniil Medvedev*	291-100	1996	4	Stefanos Tsitsipas*	200-108	1998
2	Alexander Zverev*	262-120	1997	5	Taylor Fritz*	192-126	1997
3	Andrey Rublev	234-128	1997	* plays in Shanghai on Sunday			

Alexandre Muller | Age: 27 | World No. 74 | Career-High No. 70 | 2024: 16-17 (Auckland QF) | Shanghai: 2-1 (2024 3R)
> Broke into Top 500 in 2016, Top 250 in 2019 and Top 100 in April 2023 after reaching 1st final in Marrakech, then achieved career-high No. 71 in January 2024.
> Reached 1st ATP Tour QF at 2023 Doha and clay-court champions Gasquet and Musetti en route to 1st SF and final at 2023 Marrakech.
> Earned biggest win of career over No. 6 Rublev to reach 1st ATP Masters 1000 4R at 2024 Rome.
> Made tour-level debut at 2017 Roland Garros as a WC (l. to Monteiro) and won first tour-level match at 2021 Australian Open as a LL beating Londero in 1R.
> Owns a 138-121 Challenger record (3-3 in finals), winning 1st title at 2022 Blois, saving a MP in his 1R match.
> Had a tennis court at his childhood home and began playing with his dad at age 6 and says he was better at football than tennis before choosing the latter.

NOTE: Muller is 1-10 vs. Top 20 players in his career (0-5 on hard courts) and aims to reach ATP Masters 1000 4R for the second time after defeating No. 6 Rublev in Rome 3R earlier this year. He rose 5 spots to No. 69 on PIF ATP Live Rankings and could reach No. 65 with a 3R win.

3R: Roberto Carballes Baena (ESP) vs [14] Ben Shelton (USA)
24 Auckland (New Zealand) Hard QF Ben Shelton

Shelton Leads 1-0
6-4 6-3

R. Carballes Baena | Age: 31 | World No. 54 | Career-High No. 49 | 2024: 24-22 (Marrakech F) | Shanghai: 2-1 ('24 3R)
> Former World No. 8 junior entered Top 50 at 30 years of age at career high No. 49 in April 2023 after rallying from a set down three times in five matches to win 2nd ATP Tour title in Marrakech.
> At 2018 Quito, became 1st Spanish qualifier to win an ATP Tour title since Almagro at 2006 Valencia.
> Defeated No. 11 Shapovalov 8-6 in 5th after 5 hours to reach 2020 Roland Garros 3R for 1st Top 20 win and defeated No. 4 Rune at 2023 US Open for 1st Top 10 win in 14th attempt.
> Defeated Goffin for 1st ATP Tour win en route to 2014 Casablanca SF as Q.
> Boasts 243-151 Challenger record (13-8 in finals), including clay-court titles at 2022, 2023 and 2024 Seville.

NOTE: Carballes Baena is playing in his second ATP Masters 1000 3R of career after 2023 Rome (l. to Coric) and aims to record consecutive Top 30 wins for the first time (d. No. 21 Fils in 2R). He is 4-36 vs. Top 20, 0-9 in 2024, looking for first win since defeating No. 4 Rune in US Open 1R last year.

Ben Shelton | Age: 21 | World No. 16 | Career-High No. 13 | 2024: 36-22 (Houston Title) | Shanghai: 4-1 (2023 QF)
> Broke into Top 200 in August 2022, Top 100 in November 2022 and Top 20 in September 2023, achieving career-high No. 13 in August 2024 after capturing 2nd title in Houston earlier in the season.
> Defeated compatriots Paul and Tiafoe at 2023 US Open to become the youngest American man in US Open semi-finals since Chang, 20, in 1992, then beat No. 4 Sinner to reach 1st ATP Masters QF at 2023 Shanghai.
> 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.
> Upset No. 5 Ruud to reach 2022 Cincinnati 3R in ATP Masters 1000 debut at age 19, becoming youngest American man to earn Top-5 win since Roddick, 18, at 2001 Montreal (d. No. 1 Kuerten).
> 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, who turns 22 on Wednesday, looks for 50th hard court tour-level win (49-31). Last year in Shanghai, he earned biggest win of career over No. 4 Sinner to reach 1st of 2 ATP Masters 1000 QFs (also 2024 Cincinnati).

GRANDSTAND 2

To Finish: Dimitrov leads 6-3 2-4* – Bergs on serve

2R: Zizou Bergs (BEL) vs [9] Grigor Dimitrov (BUL)
24 Roland Garros (France) Clay R32 Grigor Dimitrov

Dimitrov Leads 1-0
6-3 7-6(4) 4-6 6-4

2R: Matteo Berrettini (ITA) vs Holger Rune (DEN)
22 ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells (U.S.A.) Hard R64 Matteo Berrettini
23 Acapulco (Mexico) Hard QF Holger Rune
23 ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo (Monaco) Clay R16 Holger Rune
24 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati (U.S.A.) Hard R64 Holger Rune

Rune Leads 2-1
6-3 4-6 6-4
6-0 1-0 RET
W/O
2-6 6-1 6-4

Insights from their 2024 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati 1R:

Player	In Attack	Conversion Score	Steal Score	Serve Quality	Return Quality	Forehand Quality	Backhand Quality
Berrettini	24%	59%	41%	8.0	6.1	6.8	6.0
Rune	22%	59%	41%	7.6	6.0	6.5	6.6
<i>Tour Average</i>	24%	67%	33%	7.9	6.5	7.5	7.1

Their last meeting swung in Rune's favour with the Conversion Score. In Set 1 Berrettini had a Conversion score of 83%, in 2 & 3 combined this fell to 48%. With Rune's Conversion going the other way, set 1 45%, then across sets 2 & 3 64%.

3R: Gael Monfils (FRA) vs [16] Ugo Humbert (FRA)

19 Wimbledon (Great Britain)	Grass	R128	Ugo Humbert
23 ATP Masters 1000 Miami (U.S.A.)	Hard	R128	Ugo Humbert
24 Doha (Qatar)	Hard	QF	Gael Monfils
24 Dubai (U.A.E.)	Hard	R32	Ugo Humbert

Humbert Leads 3-1

6-7(6)	3-6	6-4	7-5	3-0	RET
3-3	RET				
6-2	6-4				
4-6	6-3	6-3			

COURT 4

To Finish: Safiullin leads *2-1 – Safiullin on serve

2R: Roman Safiullin vs [23] Alexander Bublik (KAZ)

First Meeting

2R: [13] Frances Tiafoe (USA) vs [WC] Zhou Yi (CHN)

First Meeting

3R: [30] Tomas Machac (CZE) vs [Q] Aleksandar Vukic (AUS)

23 Vienna (Austria)	Hard	R32	Tomas Machac
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Machac Leads 1-0

6-3	6-1
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COURT 7

2R: [28] Flavio Cobolli (ITA) vs [WC] Stan Wawrinka (SUI)

First Meeting

2R: Marcos Giron (USA) vs [24] Karen Khachanov

First Meeting

COURT 6

2R: [26] Jordan Thompson (AUS) vs Tallon Griekspoor (NED)

22 Davis Cup Finals (Spain)	Hard	QF	Jordan Thompson
23 's-Hertogenbosch (Netherlands)	Grass	F	Tallon Griekspoor

Series Tied 1-1

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

2R: [15] Lorenzo Musetti (ITA) vs David Goffin (BEL)

21 Roland Garros (France)	Clay	R128	Lorenzo Musetti
22 US Open (U.S.A.)	Hard	R128	Lorenzo Musetti

Musetti Leads 2-0

6-0	7-5	7-6(3)
3-6	7-5	6-4 3-6 7-6(9)

Other Meeting

24 Turin CH (Italy)	Clay	R16	Lorenzo Musetti
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6-4	6-3
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