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2024 ATLANTA OPEN SINGLES

SEED	PLAYER	2024 W-L (BEST FINISH)	ATLANTA W-L (BEST FINISH)
1	Ben Shelton (USA)	23-15 (Houston Title)	1-2 (2022 2R)
2	Adrian Mannarino (FRA)	8-18 (Dallas SF)	3-3 (2022 QF)
3	Frances Tiafoe (USA)	15-15 (Houston Final)	3-5 (2022 SF)
4	Jordan Thompson (AUS)	20-16 (Los Cabos Title)	2-4 (2021 QF)
5	A. Davidovich Fokina (ESP)	10-13 (Marseille, Dubai QF)	0-0 (Debut)
6	Miomir Kecmanovic (SRB)	17-19 (Acapulco, Eastbourne QF)	2-1 (2019 QF)
7	Brandon Nakashima (USA)	12-11 (Stuttgart SF)	7-3 (2021 Final)
8	Max Purcell (AUS)	10-16 (Eastbourne Final)	0-1 (2023 1R)

Tournament History 2010-2019, 2021-Present (14th Edition in 2024)
Singles Final Sunday 28 July at 4pm
Wild Cards (3) Alejandro Davidovich Fokina (ESP), Andres Martin (USA), Denis Shapovalov (CAN)
Qualifiers (4) Mattia Bellucci (ITA), Billy Harris (GBR), Shang Juncheng (CHN), Zachary Svajda (USA)
Special Exempt (1) Reilly Opelka (USA)
Oldest Player Adrian Mannarino (36)
#NextGenATP (1) Shang Juncheng (19)
Tournament Records
Most Titles – John Isner (6)
Most Wins – John Isner (37)
Youngest Champion – Alex de Minaur, 20, in 2019
Oldest Champion – John Isner, 36, in 2021
Highest-Ranked Champion – No. 9 Fish in 2011, Isner in 2018, Fritz in 2023
Lowest-Ranked Champion – No. 49 Mardy Fish in 2010
Last American Champion – Taylor Fritz in 2023

ATLANTA OPEN SINGLES FINALS (since 2010)

YEAR	CHAMPION	FINALIST	SCORE
2023	Taylor Fritz (USA)	Aleksandar Vukic (AUS)	7-5 6-7(5) 6-4
2022	Alex de Minaur (AUS)	Jenson Brooksby (USA)	6-3 6-3
2021	John Isner (USA)	Brandon Nakashima (USA)	7-6(8) 7-5
2020	TOURNAMENT NOT HELD		
2019	Alex de Minaur (AUS)	Taylor Fritz (USA)	6-3 7-6(2)
2018	John Isner (USA)	Ryan Harrison (USA)	5-7 6-3 6-4
2017	John Isner (USA)	Ryan Harrison (USA)	7-6(6) 7-6(7)
2016	Nick Kyrgios (AUS)	John Isner (USA)	7-6(3) 7-6(4)
2015	John Isner (USA)	Marcos Baghdatis (CYP)	6-3 6-3
2014	John Isner (USA)	Dudi Sela (ISR)	6-3 6-4
2013	John Isner (USA)	Kevin Anderson (RSA)	6-7(3) 7-6(2) 7-6(2)
2012	Andy Roddick (USA)	Gilles Muller (LUX)	1-6 7-6(2) 6-2
2011	Mardy Fish (USA)	John Isner (USA)	3-6 7-6(6) 6-2
2010	Mardy Fish (USA)	John Isner (USA)	4-6 6-4 7-6(4)

BOLD: Player in 2024 Atlanta Open singles draw.

PIF ATP RANKINGS POINTS AND PRIZE MONEY

Atlanta Open	W	F	SF	QF	R16	R32
Singles Ranking Points	250	165	100	50	25*	0
Singles Prize Money (\$)	114,970	67,070	39,435	22,850	13,270	8,110
Doubles Ranking Points	250	150	90	45	0	--
Doubles Prize Money (\$)	39,950	21,380	12,530	7,000	4,130	--

* Singles players who receive a bye in R32 and lose in R16 earn 0 ranking points

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COUNTRY BREAKDOWN (13)

United States (8)	Aleksandar Kovacevic, Andres Martin, Mackenzie McDonald, Brandon Nakashima, Reilly Opelka, Ben Shelton, Zachary Svajda, Frances Tiafoe		
Australia (5)	Thanasi Kokkinakis, Christopher O'Connell, Max Purcell, Jordan Thompson, Aleksandar Vukic		
France (4)	Arthur Cazaux, Constant Lestienne, Adrian Mannarino, Arthur Rinderknech		
Belgium (1)	David Goffin	Italy (1)	Mattia Bellucci
Canada (1)	Denis Shapovalov	Japan (1)	Yoshihito Nishioka
China (1)	Shang Juncheng	Serbia (1)	Miomir Kecmanovic
Croatia (1)	Borna Coric	South Africa (1)	Lloyd Harris
Great Britain (1)	Billy Harris	Spain (1)	Alejandro Davidovich Fokina
	Aslan Karatsev		

2024 ATLANTA OPEN DOUBLES

SEED	PLAYER	TEAM (BEST FINISH)	2024 (BEST FINISH)	EVENT (BEST FINISH)
1	Max Purcell (AUS) Jordan Thompson (AUS)	39-9 (4 Titles) 26-5 in 2024 (3 Titles)	27-7 (3 Titles) 31-8 (4 Titles)	4-2 (2023 Final) 6-3 (2021, 2023 Final)
2	Nathaniel Lammons (USA) Jackson Withrow (USA)	90-69 (6 Titles) 21-20 in 2024 (1 Title)	21-20 ('s-Hertogenbosch Title) 21-20 ('s-Hertogenbosch Title)	4-1 (2023 Title) 6-3 (2023 Title)
3	Julian Cash (GBR) Robert Galloway (USA)	22-17 (2 Titles) 18-14 in 2024 (2 Titles)	18-15 (2 Titles) 19-15 (2 Titles)	2-1 (2023 SF) 2-1 (2023 SF)
4	Diego Hidalgo (ECU) John-Patrick Smith (AUS)	0-1 (2024 Newport 1R)	8-12 (Mallorca Final) 14-18 (2 Finals)	0-0 (Debut) 7-5 (2018 Title)

Doubles Final: Sunday 28 July following 4pm singles final.

ATLANTA OPEN DOUBLES FINALS (since 2010)

YEAR	CHAMPION	FINALIST	SCORE
2023	Nathaniel Lammons / Jackson Withrow	Max Purcell / Jordan Thompson	7-6(3) 7-6(4)
2022	Thanasi Kokkinakis / Nick Kyrgios	Jason Kubler / John Peers	7-6(4) 7-5
2021	Reilly Opelka / Jannik Sinner	Steve Johnson / Jordan Thompson	6-4 6-7(6) [10-3]
2020	TOURNAMENT NOT HELD		
2019	Dominic Inglot / Austin Krajicek	Bob Bryan / Mike Bryan	6-4 6-7(5) [11-9]
2018	Nicholas Monroe / John-Patrick Smith	Ryan Harrison / Rajeev Ram	3-6 7-6(5) [10-8]
2017	Bob Bryan / Mike Bryan	Wesley Koolhof / Artem Sitak	6-3 6-4
2016	Andres Molteni / Horacio Zeballos	Johan Brunstrom / Andreas Siljeström	7-6(2) 6-4
2015	Bob Bryan / Mike Bryan	Colin Fleming / Gilles Müller	4-6 7-6(2) [10-4]
2014	Vasek Pospisil / Jack Sock	Steve Johnson / Sam Querrey	6-3 5-7 [10-5]
2013	Edouard Roger-Vasselin / Igor Sijsling	Colin Fleming / Jonathan Marray	7-6(6) 6-3
2012	Matthew Ebden / Ryan Harrison	Xavier Malisse / Michael Russell	6-3 3-6 [10-6]
2011	Alex Bogomolov Jr. / Matthew Ebden	Matthias Bachinger / Frank Moser	3-6 7-5 [10-8]
2010	Scott Lipsky / Rajeev Ram	Rohan Bopanna / Kristof Vliegen	6-3 6-7(4) [12-10]

BOLD: Player in 2024 Atlanta Open doubles draw – teams Lammons/Withrow and Purcell/Thompson remain intact.

LEXUS ATP HEAD2HEAD: MONDAY FIRST-ROUND SINGLES MATCHES

STADIUM

Arthur Cazaux (FRA) vs [5/WC] Alejandro Davidovich Fokina (ESP) First Meeting

Arthur Cazaux | Age: 21 | World No. 92 | Career High No. 74 | 2024: 6-7 (Aus. Open 4R) | Atlanta: 0-0 (2023 Q2)

> 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 earned a career-high No. 74 in March.

> Defeated countryman Mannarino in ATP Tour main draw debut at 2021 Geneva as 18-year-old WC.

- > Made Grand Slam main draw debuts at 2023 Roland Garros as a WC and 2023 US Open as a LL.
- > Owns 62-33 record on ATP Challenger Tour (3-4 in finals), winning titles at 2022 & 2023 Nonthaburi-2 as Q and 2024 Noumea.
- > Went 122-48 on ITF Junior Circuit, highlighted by run to 2020 Australian Open boys' singles final.
- > Discovered tennis at age 3 when his father was watching Nadal at Roland Garros and started playing tennis against the wall as nobody in his family played the sport.

NOTE: Making his main draw debut in Atlanta, Cazaux aims to record his 8th tour-level win. The 21-year-old earned 5 of his 7 tour-level wins and all 3 of his Challenger titles on hard courts (2022-23 Nonthaburi-2, 2024 Noumea).

- A. Davidovich Fokina** | Age: 25 | World No. 43 | Career-High No. 21 | 2024: 10-13 (2x QF) | Atlanta: 0-0 (Debut)
- > Achieved career-high No. 21 in August 2023, later improving year-end ranking for 8th consecutive year in 2023, finishing at No. 26.
 - > Broke Djokovic 9 times in Monte Carlo 2R win, setting record for most breaks of Djokovic in a best-of-3-set match to defeat then-World No. 1 en route to 1st ATP Tour final of career at 2022 ATP Masters 1000 Monte Carlo.
 - > Advanced to 1st Grand Slam QF at 2021 Roland Garros and 1st ATP Masters 1000 QF at 2021 Monte Carlo, highlighted by 5-set win over Ruud in Roland Garros 3R.
 - > Ended junior career as World No. 2 after winning Wimbledon boys' singles title and posting 20-1 record in 2017.
 - > Owns 2 cats and launched Adoptas.org in 2021, a pet adoption platform that aims to connect anyone looking to adopt or foster a pet with shelters and rescues across Spain.

NOTE: Davidovich Fokina had 21 tour-level wins by this stage of the season last year but has recorded 10 in 2024. Both of his best performances this year, reaching QF in Marseille and Dubai, have been on hard courts.

[Q] Zachary Svajda (USA) vs Yoshihito Nishioka (JPN)

First Meeting

- Zachary Svajda** | Age: 21 | World No. 115 | Career-High No. 113 | 2024: 1-3 (Delray Beach 2R) | Atlanta: 0-0 (Debut)
- > Secured 1st ranking point at age 15 in 2018, broke into Top 200 in September 2023 after winning his 2nd Challenger title at Cary and achieved career-high No. 113 in July 2024.
 - > Defeated Cecchinato for 1st tour-level win at 2021 US Open as 18-year-old WC.
 - > Squandered 2-set lead vs. Lorenzi in tour-level debut at 2019 US Open as 16-year-old WC, becoming youngest player to compete at event since Young, 16, in 2005.
 - > Owns a 56-40 Challenger record (4-1 in finals), highlighted by winning 1st Challenger title at 2022 Tiburon defeating Ben Shelton in the final.
 - > Earned US Open WCs by winning 2019 and 2021 USTA Boys' 18s National Championships.
 - > Lost to 2018 USTA Boys' 18s champion Brooksby in 2021 Cleveland Challenger 1R and 2017 USTA Boys' 18s champion Kypson in 2021 Wichita ITF QF.

NOTE: Svajda aims to capture 4th tour-level win of career (3-10). All 3 of his wins have been earned on US hard courts, as have all 4 of his Challenger titles (2022 Tiburon, 2023 Cary-2, 2023 Tiburon, 2023 Fairfield).

- Yoshihito Nishioka** | Age: 28 | World No. 86 | Career-High No. 24 | 2024: 10-11 (Eastbourne QF) | Atlanta: 3-2 (2016 SF)
- > Japanese left-hander achieved career-high No. 24 in June 2023 after advancing to Grand Slam 4R at 2023 Australian Open and Roland Garros for the 1st time in career.
 - > Earned biggest win of career over No. 2 Ruud en route to 2nd ATP Tour title at 2022 Seoul.
 - > Saved 2 MPs vs. Shapovalov en route to 1st title at 2018 Shenzhen as 171st-ranked Q.
 - > Rallied from a set down 3 times en route to 2020 Delray Beach final and saved 1 MP vs. de Minaur en route to 2022 Washington final.
 - > Defeated countryman and World No. 5 Nishikori en route to 2019 ATP Masters 1000 Cincinnati QF as Q.

NOTE: Nishioka enters the tournament on a 17-match win streak against players ranked outside the Top 100 on tour-level. The 28-year-old is a former semi-finalist in Atlanta, losing to eventual champion Kyrgios in three sets.

[WC] Denis Shapovalov (CAN) vs David Goffin (BEL)

Series Tied 1-1

19 Tokyo (Japan)	Hard	R16	David Goffin	7-6(5) 7-6(2)
20 US Open (U.S.A.)	Hard	R16	Denis Shapovalov	6-7(0) 6-3 6-4 6-3

- Denis Shapovalov** | Age: 25 | World No. 140 | Career-High No. 10 | 2024: 12-16 (4 times in 3R) | Atlanta: 0-0 (Debut)
- > After becoming 1st Canadian US Open men's singles quarter-finalist in 2020, joined Raonic as 2nd Canadian man in history to break into Top 10.
 - > Defeated 2-time champion Murray and earned 5-set wins over Kohlschreiber and Khachanov en route to 1st Grand Slam SF at 2021 Wimbledon.

- > Reached 2019 Paris final and 4 other ATP Masters 1000 SFs, including 2017 Montreal, where he upset No. 2 Nadal and became youngest semi-finalist in series history at age 18 (since 1990).
- > Beat Carreno Busta to begin 2022 ATP Cup final and Kokkinakis to begin 2022 Davis Cup final, helping Canada sweep both team titles.
- > Ended junior career with 2016 Wimbledon boys' singles title, then broke into Top 50 of PIF ATP Rankings less than 15 months later.

NOTE: Shapovalov had a tour-level record of 1-6 in the first two months of 2024, but is 11-10 since March. He is one of three former Top 10 players in the draw and could return inside Top 100 on [PIF ATP Live Rankings](#) for the first time since October last year by reaching the final.

David Goffin | Age: 33 | World No. 98 | Career-High No. 7 | 2024: 3-10 (3 times in 2R) | Atlanta: 0-0 (Debut)

- > Earned career-high 59 wins in 2017, ending season at career-high No. 7 after defeating No. 1 Nadal and No. 2 Federer en route to Nitto ATP Finals championship match.
- > Became 6th and final player to beat Nadal and Federer at same event (also Davydenko, Del Potro, Djokovic, Murray and Nalbandian).
- > First Belgian to break into Top 10, qualify for Nitto ATP Finals, defeat World No. 1 and reach an ATP Masters 1000 final (2019 Cincinnati).
- > In 2022, earned 300th victory (d. Andujar in Marrakech 2R), captured 6th ATP Tour title (Marrakech) and posted 3rd win over World No. 1 (d. Alcaraz in Astana 1R).
- > Advanced to 4 Grand Slam QFs, most recently 2022 Wimbledon, and led Belgium to Davis Cup finals in 2015 and 2017.

NOTE: Goffin looks for his 4th tour-level win this season and is 3-7 in opening rounds in 2024. He aims to become the first Belgian to win a match in Atlanta since Bemelmans in 2012 (d. Ram in 1R).