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**LIN
ZHU**
CHINA

**REBECCA
MARINO**
CANADA

90

1994-01-28	Date of Birth	1990-12-16
Beijing, China	Residence	Vancouver, Canada
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 8" (1.73m)	Height	6' (1.83m)
33	Career-High Ranking	38
\$2,321,640	Career Prize Money	\$1,594,691
\$454,075	Season Prize Money	\$276,820
1 / 1	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 0
7-15	Grand Slam W-L (best)	8-15
2-0 / 2-0	YTD / Career BIRMINGHAM W-L (best)	2-0 / 4-2 (Quarter-Finalist: 2023)
16-10 / 57-75	YTD / Career W-L	6-11 / 43-58
3-1 / 4-6	YTD / Career Grass W-L	2-1 / 7-8
5-2 / 18-23	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	2-2 / 14-15
7-2 / 20-18	YTD / Career TB W-L	6-2 / 17-13
Champion: HUA HIN	YTD Best Result	Quarter-Finalist: BIRMINGHAM



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2023	MADRID	CLAY	1r	Rebecca Marino	7-6(1) 6-4	1h 42m
2023	MONTERREY	HARD	2r	Lin Zhu	7-6(4) 2-6 6-3	2h 19m
2023	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	1r	Lin Zhu	6-2 6-4	1h 6m
2022	MIAMI	HARD	Q	Rebecca Marino	6-3 6-2	1h 7m
2022	IRAPUATO	HARD	F	Lin Zhu	6-4 6-1	0m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
58	62	2022	64	64
88	140	2021	144	144
69	91	2020	281	311
83	83	2019	140	286
102	114	2018	184	186
104	104	2017	-	-
140	140	2016	-	-
107	173	2015	-	-
139	139	2014	-	-
469	580	2013	411	-



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. M. LINETTE (#20) 6-3 6-0 (1h 5m)
1r: d. K. BOULTER (#77) 7-5 7-5 (1h 48m)

Total time on court: 2h 53m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making debut appearance at Birmingham
- Has beaten Katie Boulter and Magda Linette so far this week to reach her third QF of 2023 (after Hua Hin and Monterrey)
- Faces No.90 Rebecca Marino in QF today; the two will be facing for the fourth time this year
- Owns 3-2 career record against players from Canada, with record in 2023 standing at 2-1 (all matches against Marino)
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 4-7
- Only player from China to reach QF
- Best result by a Chinese player at Birmingham was a Championship run by Na Li in 2010
- Is currently ranked No.39; this time last year was ranked No.98. Has had a resurgent year which saw her claim her first title at Hua Hin (d. Tsurenko in F)
- Also reached first R16 at a Grand Slam (l. Azarenka)
- Was on a 5-match losing streak after Monterrey SF appearance; is 3-1 so far this season on grass
- During last year's European grass swing reached 1r at Wimbledon and Nottingham

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. E. BEKTAS (#150) 6-4 4-6 7-6 (2h 15m)
1r: d. X. WANG (#75) 7-6(5) 5-7 6-3 (2h 41m)

Total time on court: 4h 56m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making third appearance at Birmingham, where her best result was reaching 3r in 2011 (l. Ivanovic)
- Has beaten Xiyu Wang and Emina Bektas so far this week to reach her first QF of 2023
- Fell in qualifying to Bogdan, though reached the main draw as a lucky loser
- Faces No.39 Lin Zhu in QF today; owns six wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently over Zhu at Madrid 2023
- Is playing Zhu Lin for the sixth time in her career - all of their matchups have come within the past two seasons
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 1-6
- Only player from Canada to reach QF
- Best result by a Canadian player at Birmingham was a Quarter-Finalist run by Carling Bassett-Seguso in 1987
- Only lucky loser in the QF
- Is currently ranked No.90; this time last year was ranked No.107
- During last year's European grass swing reached 1r at Wimbledon, 2r at Eastbourne, 1r at Birmingham, 2r at Nottingham



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

2022	Result	Rank: 107	Seed: -
1r	L	J. OSTAPENKO (#16) 6-2 5-7 6-3	

2011	Result	Rank: 45	Seed: 13
3r	L	A. IVANOVIC (#19) 6-3 6-2	
2r	W	R. FUJIWARA (#202) 6-1 6-2	
1r	W	M. SOUTH (#293) 6-4 6-1	



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SEASON 2023 HISTORY

- Reached 2r at Nottingham (l. Frech)
- Suffered 1r defeat at Roland Garros (l. Davis)
- Fell in 1r at Madrid (l. Marino) and withdrew from Rome due to injury
- Defeated in 1r at Indian Wells (l. Tsurenko) and 2r at Miami (after 1r bye, l. Muchova)
- Fell 1r at Merida (l. McNally) and advanced to SF at Monterrey (l. eventual champion Vekic)
- Lifted maiden WTA title at Hua Hin (d. Tsurenko in F)
- At Australian Open advanced to R16 at a Slam for the first time (l. Azarenka); scored maiden Top-10 win over No.6 Sakkari in 3r
- Fell 1r at Hobart (l. Kenin)
- Opened season by reaching QF at Auckland (l. eventual champion Gauff)
- Fell in 1r at Nottingham (l. Dart)
- Reached 2r at Madrid (l. Mertens) and suffered a 1r exit at Roland Garros (l. Shnaider)
- Fell in 1r at Indian Wells (l. Vondrousova); reached 2r at Miami (l. Gauff)
- Made 2r at Monterrey (l. Zhu) Suffered 1r exits at Abu Dhabi (as qualifier, l. Q.Zheng) and Doha (as qualifier, l. Kasatkina). Also contested qualifying at Dubai
- Made 2r at Auckland (l. Bonaventure), then fell 1r at both Hobart (l. Kalinina) and Australian Open (l. Zhu)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
36	65	Aces	107	18
66.8%	14	First serve %	59.3%	58
60.7%	64	First Serve points won %	66.4%	27
47.2%	28	Second serve points won %	43.6%	59
56.2%	50	Overall service points won %	57.1%	41
61.9%	62	Service games won %	64.5%	52
54.8%	45	Break points saved %	53.5%	52
37.7%	30	First serve return points won %	30.9%	76
58.2%	10	Second serve return points won %	48.0%	77
50.3%	16	Break points converted %	36.6%	75
37.5%	28	Return games won %	20.4%	76
44.8%	19	Return points won %	36.6%	77

Best win by ranking: No.6 vs Sakkari in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 3r
 Longest match: 3h 15m vs McNally in MÉRIDA 1r
 Shortest match: 1h 6m vs Marino in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 1r
 Match points saved:
 Most aces in a match: 4 vs Muchova in MIAMI 2r

Best win by ranking: No.39 vs Zhu in MADRID 1r
 Longest match: 2h 18m vs Zhu in MONTERREY 2r
 Shortest match: 1h 2m vs Kalinina in HOBART 1r
 Match points saved: 4 vs Bektas in BIRMINGHAM 2r
 Most aces in a match: 21 vs Bektas in BIRMINGHAM 2r



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (1)
2023 - HUA HIN

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (1)
2019 - NANCHANG (w/Wang)

Runner-Up (2)
2023 - HUA HIN (w/Wang)
2022 - GUADALAJARA (w/Wang)

SINGLES FINALS

Runner-Up (1)
2011 - MEMPHIS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
4r	1r			2023	1r	1r		
	1r	1r		2022	1r	1r	1r	3r
2r	1r	2r		2021	2r			1r
2r				2020				
1r	1r	1r	2r	2019				
1r				2018				
1r				2017				
				2016				
		1r		2015				
				2014				
				2013	1r			
				2012	1r			
				2011	2r	3r	2r	1r
				2010				2r



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Last season reached QF at Seoul (l. Maria) and 2r at four other WTA tournaments. Also won 13th, 14th and 15th career titles on ITF Circuit, including at W100 event in Landisville, PA
- Won biggest career title at end of 2021, at WTA 125K Series event at Seoul. Also in 2021 reached 2r at Australian Open and Wimbledon (l. Mertens at both tournaments)
- Ended 2020 ranked at No.91 for her second successive Top 100 finish, recording career-high ranking of No.69 on February 17. Season highlight was QF run at Acapulco
- Played primarily on the ITF Circuit in 2019, winning three titles and finishing runner-up at three further tournaments. First broke into Top 100 on February 25 and finished the season at No.83
- Won first Grand Slam main draw match of career at 2019 US Open, defeating compatriot Wang Xinyu in 1r before falling to Keys
- Lifted first WTA doubles title at 2019 Nanchang (w/Wang Xinyu)
- Highlight of 2018 season was second career WTA SF at Nanchang (l. Zheng). At tour level, also made 2r at Hiroshima (l. Tomljanovic) and fell 1r on four occasions (including Australian Open)
- Won two ITF Circuit titles in 2018, at \$60k Luan-CHN and \$60k Jinan-CHN
- Prior to 2018, best results on tour were SF at Kuala Lumpur in 2016 (l. Svitolina) and QF runs at Taipei City, Nanchang and Tianjin in 2017
- Notched first Top-20 win of career over No.17 Kvitova at 2017 Tianjin
- Won doubles title at WTA 125K Series event at Zhengzhou in 2017 (w/Han)
- Member of Chinese Bille Jean King Cup Team, 2017-18, 2022
- Was selected to participate in the 2015 WTA Rising Stars Invitational in Singapore
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2014 Hong Kong - as qualifier, l. Cepelova in 2r
- Winner of 15 singles and six doubles titles on ITF Circuit
- Played first events of career on ITF Circuit in China in 2009

- At 2022 Washington DC, advanced to first WTA QF in nearly four years (as qualifier, l. Saville)
- Last season, made further QFs at Granby (l. Kostyuk) and Chennai (l. Linette), and reached three ITF Circuit finals, winning title at W60 event in Arcadia, CA
- On July 11, 2022, returned to Top 100 after a decade-long absence
- At 2021 Australian Open, won first main draw match at a Slam since 2011 Wimbledon (d. Birrell in 1r, l. Vondrousova in 2r)
- In total, made five main draw appearances in 2021, with best result coming at Montreal where she reached 3r (l. Sabalenka)

In 2019 contested Grand Slam qualifying at Australian Open and Roland Garros; comeback was hampered by a severe foot injury forcing her to miss second half of 2019 and all of 2020

- Reached QF at Quebec City (l. Watson) and won two more ITF Circuit titles to end 2018 with 49-12 record and back inside Top 200
- Returned to tennis in January 2018, winning her first 18 matches to lift a hat-trick of titles on ITF Circuit
- Decided in late February 2013 to take an indefinite break from tennis. During her break, she studied English literature at the University of British Columbia and was part of the rowing team
- Appeared in career-first WTA singles final at 2011 Memphis (ret. vs. Rybarikova w/left abdominal injury)
- Best Grand Slam result was 3r run at 2011 Roland Garros (l. Kuznetsova); broke into Top 50 following the tournament at No.45
- Made Top-100 debut on January 31, 2011
- Reached maiden WTA QF at 2010 Quebec City; recorded first Top-20 victory over No.14 Bartoli en route
- Played first WTA qualifying at 2006 Montreal and first main draw at 2008 Quebec City
- Owns 13 singles titles on ITF Circuit; won three titles in four weeks on ITF Circuit in autumn 2010, compiling an 18-match winning streak
- Made Top 50 debut on July 11, 2011

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Tim Nicholls; trains in Guangzhou
- Father is Zhu Jiangming (works in finance); mother is Chen Yunqi (travel agent); father introduced her to tennis at age 4
- Aggressive player; favorite shot is forehand; tennis idol growing up was Martina Hingis
- Enjoys shopping, watching movies and cooking
- If she was not a tennis player, would probably work in travel industry like her mother

- Born in Toronto and moved to Vancouver at age 2 and grew up there (loves west coast). Parents own construction company in Vancouver, 'Marino General Contracting'
- Started playing at age 10 with father and brother (says that made it lots of fun). Brother was on rowing team at Cal Berkeley (on rowing team), while uncle was gold medalist for Canada in rowing at 1964 Tokyo Olympics
- Best shots are serve and forehand; favorite surface is hard; favorite tournaments are all Canadian ones and US Open
- Best tennis memories are first Top 100 win in Québec City and qualifying for main draw at 2010 US Open
- Likes watching movies and hockey (supports Vancouver Canucks)



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**MAGDALENA
FRECH**
POLAND

**JELENA
(2) OSTAPENKO** 17
LATVIA

1997-12-15	Date of Birth	1997-06-08
Lodz, Poland	Residence	Riga, Latvia
Right-handed	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 7" (1.71m)	Height	5' 10" (1.77m)
72	Career-High Ranking	5
\$1,503,135	Career Prize Money	\$12,850,233
\$278,922	Season Prize Money	\$1,052,491
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 5
4-8 (Round of 32: 2022 WIMBLEDON)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	44-28 (Champion: 2017 ROLAND GARROS)
2-0 / 3-1 (Quarter-Finalist: 2023)	YTD / Career BIRMINGHAM W-L (best)	2-0 / 8-4 (Quarter-Finalist: 2023, 2019, 2016)
9-7 / 29-55	YTD / Career W-L	21-12 / 208-154
4-1 / 9-8	YTD / Career Grass W-L	2-0 / 39-17
5-3 / 10-17	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	9-5 / 77-57
1-1 / 7-10	YTD / Career TB W-L	2-1 / 45-28
0-2 / 0-16	YTD / Career TOP 20 W-L	4-6 / 33-46
Quarter-Finalist: NOTTINGHAM, BIRMINGHAM	YTD Best Result	Semi-Finalist: ROME



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
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First career meeting

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
82	116	2022	11	18
99	102	2021	28	28
155	156	2020	40	44
149	198	2019	22	44
115	151	2018	5	22
165	166	2017	7	7
320	321	2016	34	44
374	459	2015	77	79
493	493	2014	305	308
977	1008	2013	636	672



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. B. STRYCOVA (#690) 7-6(3) 6-1 (1h 47m)
2r: d. S. CIRSTEIA (#38) 6-3 6-7 6-4 (2h 30m)

Total time on court: 4h 17m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making second appearance at Birmingham, where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2022 (l. eventual champion Haddad Maia)
- Has beaten Barbora Strycova and Sorana Cirstea so far this week to reach her second consecutive QF after Nottingham
- Fought her way through qualifying, where she beat Rajecki and Teichmann to earn her spot in the main draw
- Faces No.17 Jelena Ostapenko in QF today; owns 0 wins in career over Top 20 players
- Owns 4-33 career record against seeds
- Has never reached a WTA Tour-level semifinal before
- Her quarterfinal appearances at Nottingham and Birmingham are her best-ever results on grass
- Only player from Poland to reach QF
- Previous best result by Poland at Birmingham was a Quarter-Finalist run by Urszula Radwanska in 2009
- Is currently ranked No.72; this time last year was ranked No.92
- During last year's European grass swing reached 3r at Wimbledon (her best Grand Slam result), 2r at Eastbourne and Birmingham, 1r at Nottingham

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. V. WILLIAMS (#697) 6-3 5-7 6-3 (2h 26m)
1r: d. L. NOSKOVA (#49) 6-2 5-7 6-1 (1h 42m)

Total time on court: 4h 8m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making fifth appearance at Birmingham, where her best result was reaching the QF in 2016 (l. Keys) and 2019 (l. Martic)
- Has beaten Linda Noskova and Venus Williams so far this week, her best result since reaching the SF at Rome (l. eventual champion Rybakina)
- Faces No.72 Magdalena Frech in QF today; the two have never faced
- Owns 4-3 career record against players from Poland
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 23-12
- Has won one grass court title at Eastbourne in 2021 (d. Kontaveit); also reached the F in 2022 (l. Kvitova)
- Only player from Latvia to reach QF
- Is currently ranked No.17; this time last year was ranked No.14
- During last year's European grass swing reached 4r at Wimbledon, R-Up at Eastbourne, 2r at Birmingham
- Has won 20 matches so far in 2023; she is ranked No.12 on tour for match wins
- Also in the doubles draw at Birmingham, where she is in the QF with partner Kichenok. The two won the doubles title here last year



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2022	Result	Rank: 91	Seed: -
2r	L	B. HADDAD MAIA (#32)	6-1 5-7 7-6(3)
1r	W	N. PARRIZAS DIAZ (#52)	6-7(4) 6-3 6-3

2022	Result	Rank: 16	Seed: 1
2r	L	D. YASTREMSKA (#79)	3-6 7-5 7-5
1r	W	R. MARINO (#107)	6-2 5-7 6-3

2021	Result	Rank: 43	Seed: 5
2r	L	T. MARTINCOVA (#90)	7-6(4) 4-6 6-2
1r	W	L. DAVIS (#89)	6-4 6-1

2019	Result	Rank: 37	Seed: -
QF	L	P. MARTIC (#25)	6-7(4) 7-5 6-1
2r	W	J. KONTA (#18)	6-3 6-4
1r	W	I. SWIATEK (#65)	6-0 6-2

2016	Result	Rank: 38	Seed: -
QF	L	M. KEYS (#16)	6-7(1) 6-4 6-2
2r	W	P. KVITOVA (#11)	6-4 4-6 6-3
1r	W	A. PAVLYUCHENKOVA (#23)	7-6(2) 6-1



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SEASON 2023 HISTORY

- Made first QF on grass at Nottingham (l. Burrage)
- Fell in 2r at Roland Garros (l. Rakhimova)
- Reached 2r at Madrid (l. Pegula) and Rome (l. Keys); also made the QF at 125 Saint Malo (l. Volynets)
- Fell at second hurdle of Charleston qualifying
- Defeated in 1r at Austin (l. Collins), then made 2r at Indian Wells (as LL, l. Jabeur) and 3r at Miami (as LL, l. Gracheva)
- Contested qualifying at Lyon, Abu Dhabi, Doha and Dubai
- Opened season with qualifying exits at Adelaide 1 and Australian Open
- Advanced to SF at Rome (l. eventual champion Rybakina); reached 2r at Roland Garros (l. Stearns)
- Made 2r at Stuttgart (l. Jabeur) and 3r at Madrid (l. Samsonova)
- Reached 3r at Indian Wells (l. Kvitova) and R16 at Miami (l. Trevisan)
- Made 2r at Doha (l. Pegula) and 3r at Dubai (l. Sabalenka)
- At Australian Open, advanced to first Slam QF since 2018 (l. Rybakina)
- Made 2r at Adelaide 1 (l. Begu) and suffered 1r exit at Adelaide 2 (l. Kalinskaya)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
33	72	Aces	102	18
65.0%	26	First serve %	58.3%	63
62.5%	54	First Serve points won %	65.8%	30
49.3%	12	Second serve points won %	46.4%	38
57.9%	36	Overall service points won %	57.7%	37
61.3%	64	Service games won %	65.1%	45
52.7%	59	Break points saved %	54.7%	45
35.1%	52	First serve return points won %	38.4%	21
55.4%	34	Second serve return points won %	57.5%	13
47.9%	28	Break points converted %	46.2%	32
31.8%	56	Return games won %	37.8%	23
42.9%	45	Return points won %	45.8%	14

Best win by ranking: No.31 vs Zhang in ROLAND GARROS 1r
 Longest match: 2h 32m vs Paoletti in ROME 1r
 Shortest match: 47m vs Zhang in ROLAND GARROS 1r
 Match points saved:
 Most aces in a match: 8 vs Kartal in NOTTINGHAM 1r

Best win by ranking: No.7 vs Gauff in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 4r
 Longest match: 2h 37m vs Bondar in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 2r
 Shortest match: 54m vs Fruhvirtova in DUBAI 2r
 Match points saved:
 Most aces in a match: 8 vs Zavatska in DUBAI 1r



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (5)

2022 - DUBAI
2021 - EASTBOURNE
2019 - LUXEMBOURG
2017 - SEOUL, ROLAND GARROS

Runner-Up (8)

2022 - SEOUL, EASTBOURNE
2021 - LUXEMBOURG
2019 - LINZ
2018 - MIAMI
2017 - CHARLESTON
2016 - DOHA
2015 - QUEBEC CITY

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (6)

2022 - CINCINNATI (w/Kichenok), BIRMINGHAM
(w/Kichenok)
2021 - MOSCOW (w/Siniakova)
2018 - DOHA (w/Dabrowski)
2017 - STUTTGART (w/Atawo), ST. PETERSBURG
(w/Rosolska)

Runner-Up (7)

2023 - DOHA (w/Kichenok)
2022 - EASTBOURNE (w/Kichenok), DUBAI
(w/Kichenok)
2021 - DOHA (w/Niculescu)
2020 - DOHA (w/Dabrowski)
2019 - BEIJING (w/Yastremska), JURMALA
(w/Voskoboeva)



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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
	2r			2023	QF	2r		
1r	1r	3r	1r	2022	3r	2r	4r	1r
				2021	1r	1r	3r	
				2020	2r	3r		
			1r	2019	1r	1r	1r	3r
1r	2r			2018	3r	1r	SF	3r
				2017	3r	WON	QF	3r
				2016	1r	1r	1r	1r
				2015			2r	2r



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Highlight of last season was 3r run at Wimbledon - best career result at a major. Also made 2r on nine occasions
- Broke into Top 100 on October 18, 2021, following run through qualifying to 2r at Indian Wells
- Advanced to 2r three more times last season and won titles at WTA 125K Series event in Concord and W60 Prague ITF Circuit event
- Campaign in 2020 was highlighted by maiden WTA QF, at Prague (as LL, l. eventual champion Halep) - first back-to-back main draw wins at a WTA event
- Only other WTA main draw appearance in 2020 was 1r exit at Lyon (as qualifier, l. Tomova); also won her fourth career singles title on ITF Circuit, at \$25K Bendigo-AUS and contested qualifying at Australian Open, Dubai and Doha
- Appeared in six WTA main draws in 2019, falling 1r at Dubai (l. Kasatkina), Charleston (l. Buzarnescu), Lugano (l. Peterson), Nottingham (l. Mladenovic), US Open (l. Siegemund) and Guangzhou (l. Stojanovic)
- In 2018, made 2r at Roland Garros (as qualifier, l. Stephens), Rabat (l. Fett), Nottingham (l. Jakupovic) and San Jose (l. Tomljanovic). Also fell 1r at six other tour-level events, including qualifying for Grand Slam debut at Australian Open
- Achieved career high singles ranking of No.115 after 2018 Roland Garros run (July 2, 2018)
- Won two of her four ITF singles titles in 2017, at \$25k ITF/Leipzig-GER and \$25k ITF/Braunschweig-GER - both on clay
- Played first WTA qualifying event at home tournament in Katowice in 2013, falling to Raluca. Made WTA main draw debut at Katowice the following year (as wildcard, l. Meusburger in 1r)
- At 2022 Dubai, lifted fifth career singles title (d. Kudermetova in F); en route to final, beat Grand Slam champions Kenin, Swiatek, Kvitova (saved 1MP) and Halep
- Last season also finished R-Up at Eastbourne (l. Kvitova) and Seoul (l. Alexandrova)
- Lifted first grass court title at 2021 Eastbourne (as WC, d. Kontaveit in F)
- Last season, also finished R-Up at Luxembourg (l. Tauson), made SF at Indian Wells (l. Azarenka) and reached QF at Rome
- Highlights of 2020 season included three Top 10 wins: defeating No.4 Ka.Pliskova at Roland Garros, No.7 Kenin at Fed Cup qualifiers and No.8 Bertens at Strasbourg (via ret.). Also recorded 20th Top 20 win of her career at Ostrava (d. Martic in 1r)
- Finished R-Up in doubles w/Dabrowski at 2020 Doha (l. Hsieh/Strycova)
- The 2019 season saw her capture third career title at Luxembourg (d. Goerges in F) right after finishing R-Up at Linz (l. Gauff)
- Also R-Up in mixed doubles at 2019 Wimbledon w/ Lindstedt
- Her 2018 campaign was highlighted by finishing R-Up at Miami (l. Stephens); saw off No.9 Kvitova and No.4 Svitolina en route to register multiple Top 10 wins in the same tournament for the first time in her career
- Reached 2018 Wimbledon SF (l. eventual champion Kerber) to become first Latvian woman to reach final four at All England Club
- Achieved career-high ranking of No.5 on March 19, 2018
- Champion at 2017 Roland Garros (d. Halep in F) becoming first woman to win first tour-level title at a Grand Slam since Barbara Jordan at 1979 Australian Open (d. Walsh in F). Also became the first unseeded player to lift the trophy in the Open Era and the first Latvian player to reach the championship match at a Grand Slam
- Followed up title run with QF appearance at 2017 Wimbledon to become only second player in last 10 year (also S.Williams in 2015) to follow up victory at Roland Garros with a run to the QF or better at Wimbledon
- Qualified for debut WTA Finals in 2017 going 1-2 in group stage (d. Ka.Pliskova, l. V.Williams, l. Muguruza)
- Enjoyed career-best season in 2017, finishing the year in the Top 10 for the first time in her career

(at No.7); was No.44 at end of 2016 (first Top 50 finish) and No.79 at end of 2015 (first Top 100 finish)

- Made Top 10 debut at No.10 on September 11, 2017
- In doubles, won first and second career titles in 2017, at St. Petersburg (w/Rosolska) and Stuttgart (w/Atawo)
- Breakthrough result of 2016 season was reaching final at Premier 5 Doha (l. Suárez Navarro)
- Ended 2015 at No.79 for first Top 100 finish (up from No.308 in 2014). Having leapt 229 spots, was second highest year-end rankings jump, after Kasatkina who went from No.370 to No.72 (298 spots)
- Scored first Top 10 win over No.9 Suárez Navarro in 1r at 2015 Wimbledon; upset Muguruza in QF at 2017 Beijing to register first win over a reigning World No.1
- Reached first WTA final of career at 2015 Québec City (l. Beck)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2014 Taskent advancing to 2r (l. Pervak)
- Began playing ITF Circuit events in 2012

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Andrzej Kobierski
- Started playing tennis aged six

- Currently coached by Stanislav Khmarsky; formerly worked with David Taylor, Glen Schaap and Marion Bartoli
- Mother is Jelena Jakovleva, while father, Jevgenijs Ostapenko, is a former football player; half-brother's name is Maksim Ostapenko (graduated from art academy in California and lives there now); also has a dog named Juljeta
- Introduced to tennis at age 5 by mother (who was also her first coach)
- Favorite shots are serve and backhand; favorite surfaces are grass and hard; favorite tournament is Wimbledon
- Speaks Russian, Latvian and English
- Tennis idols are Serena Williams
- Enjoys spending time with parents and dog, listening to music and going out with friends. Was a ballroom dancer for seven years



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12 **BARBORA
KREJČIKOVA (1)**
CZECH REPUBLIC

**LINDA
FRUHVIRTOVA** **57**
CZECH REPUBLIC

1995-12-18	Date of Birth	2005-05-01
Ivancice, Czech Republic	Residence	
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 10" (1.78m)	Height	5' 8" (1.72m)
2	Career-High Ranking	50
\$10,326,721	Career Prize Money	\$874,512
\$1,572,647	Season Prize Money	\$467,292
1 / 6	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 1
29-12 (Champion: 2021 ROLAND-GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	4-3 (Round of 16: 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)
2-0 / 2-0 (Quarter-Finalist: 2023)	YTD / Career BIRMINGHAM W-L (best)	2-0 / 2-0
21-10 / 110-61	YTD / Career W-L	10-11 / 23-21
2-0 / 7-3	YTD / Career Grass W-L	2-0 / 2-0
5-2 / 33-24	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	3-6 / 9-6
3-5 / 20-17	YTD / Career TB W-L	0-0 / 0-3
6-8 / 17-30	YTD / Career TOP 20 W-L	0-1 / 1-3
Champion: DUBAI	YTD Best Result	Round of 16: HUA HIN, AUSTRALIAN OPEN



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2020	PRAGUE	CLAY	1r	Barbora Krejckikova	6-3 6-1	0m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
2	21	2022	74	78
3	5	2021	296	296
65	65	2020	780	793
115	135	2019	-	-
125	203	2018	-	-
121	126	2017	-	-
179	251	2016	-	-
140	187	2015	-	-
180	187	2014	-	-
368	376	2013	-	-



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. T. MARTINCOVA (#122) 6-4 6-4 (1h 47m)
1r: d. C. BUCSA (#76) 6-3 6-3 (1h 22m)

Total time on court: 3h 9m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making debut appearance at Birmingham
- Has beaten Cristina Bucsa and Tereza Martincova so far this week to reach her first QF since she won Dubai in February
- Faces No.57 Linda Fruhvirtova in QF today; previously faced the teenager at Prague in 2020
- Owns 8-5 career record against fellow players from Czech Republic, with record in 2023 standing at 3-0
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 10-7; this is her first grass QF
- Her previous best result at a grass tournament was reaching the R16 at Wimbledon (l. eventual champion Barty)
- Is No. 1 seed this week; has been top seed at two tournaments in her career
- She and Fruhvirtova are the two Czech players remaining in the draw
- Best results by players from the Czech Republic at Birmingham were Championship runs by Petra Kvitova in 2018 and 2017
- Is currently ranked No.12; this time last year was ranked No.15
- During last year's European grass swing reached 3r at Wimbledon, 2r at Eastbourne
- Seeking second title of the year after she defeated the No.2 seed (Sabalenka), No.3 seed (Pegula) and No.1 seed (Swiatek) to win Dubai
- Also in the doubles semifinals at Birmingham with partner Marta Kostyuk

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. B. PERA (#27) 6-1 7-6(3) (1h 22m)
1r: d. E. SVITOLINA (#73) 6-2 6-0 (53m)

Total time on court: 2h 15m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making debut appearance at Birmingham
- Has beaten Elina Svitolina and Bernarda Pera so far this week to reach her first QF of 2023
- Faces No.12 Barbora Krejckikova in QF today; owns 1 wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.16 Victoria Azarenka at Miami 2022
- Owns 1-1 career record against players from Czech Republic, with record in 2023 standing at 1-0
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 1-1
- First-ever QF on grass
- She and Krejckikova are the two Czech players remaining in the singles draw
- Best result by Czech Republic players at Birmingham were Championship runs by Petra Kvitova in 2018 and 2017
- Is currently ranked No.57; this time last year was ranked No.175. Had a breakthrough year in 2022 which saw her claim her first title at Chennai (d. Linette in F)
- She is currently the youngest player in the Top 100 (18 years old)



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles



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**LINDA
FRUHVIRTOVA**

SEASON 2023 HISTORY

- Fell in opening round at Roland Garros (l. Tsurenko)
 - Made R16 at Madrid (l. Martic) and 3r at Rome (l. Ostapenko)
 - Helped Czech Republic to 3-1 victory over Ukraine in Billie Jean King Cup (d. Zavatska, l. Kostyuk), then made 2r at Stuttgart (l. Sabalenka)
 - Reached R16 at Indian Wells and Miami (l. Sabalenka at both tournaments); also won doubles at Indian Wells (w/Siniakova)
 - Won title at Dubai (d. Swiatek in F). Defeated in 2r at Abu Dhabi (l. Samsonova) and 1r at Doha (l. Kudermetova)
 - Made R16 at Australian Open (l. Pegula); defended doubles title (w/Siniakova)
 - Opened season with 2r showing at Adelaide 2 (l. Kasatkina)
- Fell in 1r at Roland Garros (l. Pavlyuchenkova)
 - Reached 2r at Madrid (l. Ostapenko), before 1r exits at Rome (l. Ruse) and Rabat (l. Buyukakcay)
 - Made 2r at Charleston (l. Dolehide) and contested qualifying at Stuttgart
 - Fell in 2r at Indian Wells (l. Kalinina) and 1r at Miami (l. Sebov)
 - Reached 2r at Hua Hin (l. Zidasek) and Dubai (as WC, l. Ostapenko)
 - Opened season with 1r exit at Auckland (l. Raducanu), then reached R16 for first time at a major at Australian Open (l. Vekic)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
91	22	Aces	58	47
60.8%	49	First serve %	62.5%	40
67.9%	17	First Serve points won %	64.2%	40
47.5%	24	Second serve points won %	32.0%	77
59.9%	15	Overall service points won %	52.1%	75
73.8%	12	Service games won %	53.1%	77
60.5%	8	Break points saved %	49.5%	71
38.8%	17	First serve return points won %	42.2%	2
56.0%	26	Second serve return points won %	54.6%	43
52.9%	5	Break points converted %	52.1%	8
39.6%	14	Return games won %	41.5%	11
45.1%	16	Return points won %	46.6%	8

Best win by ranking: No.1 vs Swiatek in DUBAI F
 Longest match: 2h 59m vs Kudermetova in DOHA 1r
 Shortest match: 1h 3m vs Kovinic in ROME 2r
 Match points saved: 4 vs Kasatkina in DUBAI 2r
 Most aces in a match: 6 vs Martic in MADRID 4r
 6 vs Wang in INDIAN WELLS 3r
 6 vs Swiatek in DUBAI F
 6 vs Pegula in DUBAI SF
 6 vs Kudermetova in DOHA 1r

Best win by ranking: No.31 vs Teichmann in CHARLESTON 1r
 Longest match: 2h 57m vs Zidasek in HUA HIN 2r
 Shortest match: 54m vs Ostapenko in DUBAI 2r
 Match points saved:
 Most aces in a match: 7 vs Dolehide in CHARLESTON 2r



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (6)

2023 - DUBAI
2022 - OSTRAVA, TALLINN
2021 - PRAGUE, ROLAND-GARROS, STRASBOURG

Runner-Up (3)

2022 - SYDNEY
2021 - DUBAI
2017 - NÜRNBERG

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (16)

2023 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Siniakova), AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Siniakova)
2022 - US OPEN (w/Siniakova), WIMBLEDON (w/Siniakova), AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Siniakova)
2021 - WTA FINALS (w/Siniakova), OLYMPICS (w/Siniakova), ROLAND-GARROS (w/Siniakova), MADRID (w/Siniakova), MELBOURNE 500 GIPPSLAND TROPHY (w/Siniakova)
2020 - SHENZHEN (w/Siniakova)
2019 - LINZ (w/Siniakova), TORONTO (w/Siniakova)
2018 - WIMBLEDON (w/Siniakova), ROLAND GARROS (w/Siniakova)
2015 - QUEBEC CITY (w/Mestach)

Runner-Up (10)

2022 - WTA FINALS (w/Siniakova)
2021 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Siniakova)
2020 - DUBAI (w/Zheng)
2019 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Siniakova)
2018 - WTA FINALS (w/Siniakova), MIAMI (w/Siniakova), SHENZHEN (w/Siniakova)
2017 - BASTAD (w/Irigoyen)
2016 - ST. PETERSBURG (w/Dushevina)
2014 - LUXEMBOURG (w/Hradecka)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (1)

2022 - CHENNAI



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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
4r	1r			2023	4r	1r		
QF	1r	3r	2r	2022				2r
2r	WON	4r	QF	2021				
2r	4r			2020				
				2019				
	1r			2018				



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Ended last season in fine form, lifting back-to-back titles at Tallinn (d. Kontaveit) and Ostrava (d. Swiatek). Also completed career doubles Slam by winning US Open w/Siniakova
- Made strong start to 2022, finishing R-Up at Sydney (l. Badosa) and reaching QF at Australian Open (l. Keys) before missing several months w/arm injury
- Lifted maiden WTA title at 2021 Strasbourg, followed by sweep of singles and doubles titles at Roland-Garros. Roland Garros was just her fifth Slam main draw in singles; only two women have won a major with fewer main draw appearances to their name
- Also won Prague title (d. Martincova in F), reached final at Dubai (l. Muguruza) and qualified for WTA Finals in singles for the first time. Recorded best results at US Open (QF) and Wimbledon (R16) last year
- Posted another record-breaking year in doubles across 2021 - in addition to singles title at Roland Garros, won doubles title too in Paris, along with Madrid, Gippsland Trophy, WTA Finals and the gold medal at Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games (all w/Siniakova)
- Enjoyed breakout year in singles in 2020, posting career-high ranking of No.65 (November 16) and making R16 at Roland Garros and reaching second WTA SF at Linz
- Also reached two doubles finals last year, finishing R-Up at Dubai (w/Zheng) and winning Shenzhen (w/Siniakova)
- In Mixed Doubles, defended Australian Open title (w/Pavic), having triumphed in Melbourne a year earlier with w/Ram
- In 2019, advanced to QF at Bucharest in addition to winning four ITF Circuit singles titles on clay in North America and Europe, winning 20 of her 21 matches during this stretch
- Also in 2019, posted second Top 20 doubles season highlighted by titles at Toronto and Linz, and R-Up finish at Indian Wells (all w/Siniakova). Won Australian Open mixed doubles title w/Ram
- In 2018, won first two Grand Slam trophies at Roland Garros (d. Hozumi/ Ninomiya in F) and Wimbledon (d. Melichar/Peschke in F) both w/Siniakova, the first pairing to complete the Roland Garros-Wimbledon double since Kim Clijsters and Ai Sugiyama in 2003; also became the first team ever to win the girls' (2013) and ladies' doubles title at SW19
- Rose to WTA doubles World No.1 on October 22,
- Highlight of 2022 was maiden WTA title run at Chennai (d. Linette in F), helping her rise from No.305 to No.77 in the rankings
- First title win of the season came early at W25 Cancun followed by R16 run at Miami Open (l. Badosa)
- Had early exits on clay and grass swing, notably 2r at Charleston (l. Bencic), 1r at Madrid (l. Kanepi), and qualifying rounds at Roland Garros and Wimbledon
- Came back strongly with a 2r run at US Open (as qualifier, l. Muguruza) followed by first singles title at Chennai (d. Linette)
- In 2021, reached QF at Charleston [250] (as WC, l. eventual champion Sharma) and made 2r at Cleveland (as LL, l. Linette) Also lifted first ITF Circuit titles of her career at W15 events in Monastir, Tunisia
- Fell 1r on WTA debut at 2020 Prague (as WC, l. Kr.Pliskova)
- Before the tour stopped in March 2020, she competed in her first ITF \$100K event, beating a former WTA top-100 player in the first round
- Best junior Slam singles result was SF run at 2021 Wimbledon
- In May 2019, she was directly accepted in the main draw for Roland Garros girls' singles - the youngest player in the draw and first 2005 born player to play in a junior Grand Slam
- In February 2019, as a 13-year-old, she won the prestigious Les Petits As title in France, losing only 15 games the entire tournament - something that had never been done in the history of the event
- In the past, she has won the Junior Orange Bowl (2017) and a long list of Tennis Europe and ITF Junior events as well

2018

- Highlight of 2017 was R-Up finish in first WTA singles final at Nürnberg (l. Bertens in F). Also made QF as qualifier at Bastad (l. Garcia). Only other tour-level appearances were 1r exits at Bucharest and Québec City
- Contested five WTA main draws in 2016, progressing to 2r at two events: Kuala Lumpur and Prague
- Lifted maiden WTA doubles title at 2015 Québec City (w/Mestach)
- Advanced to first WTA doubles final at 2014 Luxembourg (w/Hradecka, l. Bacsinszky/Barrois)
- Reached 2r on WTA debut as qualifier at 2014 Québec City (l. Hradecka)
- On ITF Circuit, owns 14 singles and 19 doubles titles
- Made professional debut at \$10K ITF/Piestany-SVK in 2010

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Ales Kartus
- Started playing tennis aged 6 and was later coached and mentored by WTA legend Jana Novotna
- Highly ranked junior, won the Roland Garros, Wimbledon and US Open girls' doubles titles with Katerina Siniakova.

- Currently working with Sven Groeneveld
- Born, lives and trains in Prague, Czech Republic but also spends time in Nice, France at the Mouratoglou Academy
- Her sister Brenda followed in her footsteps by winning the Les Petits As girls singles title in 2020 (she was only 12 years old at the time), becoming the youngest winner in the tournament's 38-year history, and completing the first-ever sister-combination to win the event in back-to-back years (Linda in 2019, Brenda in 2020). On the heels of that win, Roland Garros had already awarded her a WC for the girls' singles before the event was moved to September
- Favorite surface is clay
- Hobbies include singing, family time, and travel



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**HARRIET
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UNITED KINGDOM

**ANASTASIA
(4) POTAPOVA** **21**

1996-07-28	Date of Birth	2001-03-30
	Residence	Dubai, United Arab Emirates
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-Handed
5' 9" (1.75m)	Height	5' 7" (1.75m)
84	Career-High Ranking	21
\$1,879,708	Career Prize Money	\$2,606,693
\$237,629	Season Prize Money	\$704,836
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career	1 / 2
5-12 (Round of 32: 2019 WIMBLEDON)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	9-14 (Round of 32: 2023 ROLAND GARROS; 2021 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)
2-0 / 3-3 (Round of 16: 2022)	YTD / Career BIRMINGHAM W-L (best)	2-0 / 4-1 (Quarter-Finalist: 2023, 2021)
5-6 / 29-48	YTD / Career W-L	22-10 / 87-71
4-1 / 16-16	YTD / Career Grass W-L	2-0 / 5-5
2-2 / 15-15	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	14-7 / 38-28
1-3 / 13-8	YTD / Career TB W-L	5-5 / 23-18
Quarter-Finalist: NOTTINGHAM	YTD Best Result	Champion: LINZ



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2022	CINCINNATI	HARD	Q	Anastasia Potapova	6-2 6-4	1h 20m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
84	98	2022	43	43
120	120	2021	67	69
140	150	2020	81	100
121	142	2019	64	93
153	153	2018	93	94
277	315	2017	231	237
335	338	2016	-	-
345	385	2015	-	-
530	532	2014	-	-
811	1019	2013	-	-



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**ANASTASIA
POTAPOVA**

TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. J. BURRAGE (#108) 4-6 6-2 7-5 (2h 20m)
2r: d. A. KALININA (#26) 6-3 3-6 6-1 (1h 46m)

Total time on court: 4h 6m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making fourth appearance at Birmingham, where her previous best result was reaching 2r in 2022 (l. Halep)
- Has beaten Jodie Burrage and Anhelina Kalinina so far this week to reach her second consecutive QF (Nottigham - l. eventual champion Boulter)
- Faces No.21 Anastasia Potapova in QF today; owns 7 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.26 Anhelina Kalinina in the previous round
- Saved 7 of 8 breakpoints in her match against Kalinina, who she beat for the second week in a row
- Owns 7-28 career record against seeds, with a record in 2023 standing at 2-4
- Has never made a WTA Tour-level semifinal
- Best career result on grass is Quarter-Finalist which she has reached three times: Nottingham in 2023 and 2022; Eastbourne in 2022
- Last remaining player from the UK in the singles draw
- Best result by a player from the United Kingdom at Birmingham was Semi-Finalist run by Heather Watson in 2021, Jo Durie in 1992
- Best result by a wildcard at Birmingham were Champion runs by Petra Kvitova in 2017, Na Li in 2010, Martina Navratilova in 1991
- Is currently ranked No.134; this time last year was ranked No.103
- During last year's European Grass swing reached 2r at Wimbledon, QF at Eastbourne, 2r at Birmingham, QF at Nottingham
- All her Tour-level wins this season have come on grass courts

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. M. KOSTYUK (#34) 6(6)-7 7-5 6-4 (2h 34m)
2r: d. C. MCNALLY (#64) 3-6 6-2 7-6 (2h 30m)

Total time on court: 5h 4m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making second appearance at Birmingham, where her previous result was reaching QF in 2021 (l. eventual champion Jabeur)
- Has beaten Marta Kostyuk and Caty McNally so far this week to reach her first QF since her SF run at Stuttgart 2023 (l. Sabalenka)
- Faces No.134 Harriet Dart in QF today; has never played a main draw match against Dart, though Potapova beat her in qualifying at Cincinnati last year
- Owns 9-6 career record against wildcards
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 11-9
- Best career result on grass came during her 2021 quarterfinal run at Birmingham
- Is currently ranked No.21; this time last year was ranked No.87. Has had a breakthrough year which has seen her reach the Top 30 and win a title at Linz (d. Martic in F)
- During last year's European grass swing reached 1r at Bad Homburg
- Has won 21 matches so far in 2023; she is ranked No.9 on tour for match wins
- Has had success on grass during her junior career, where she won the Girls' Wimbledon title in 2016



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DART**

**ANASTASIA
POTAPOVA**

RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2022	Result	Rank: 106	Seed: -
2r	L	S. HALEP (#20)	6-3 6-2
1r	W	C. OSORIO (#61)	6-2 6-0

2021	Result	Rank: 142	Seed: -
1r	L	C. GARCIA (#74)	7-5 4-6 6-4

2019	Result	Rank: 157	Seed: -
1r	L	Y. PUTINTSEVA (#43)	6-1 6-4

2021	Result	Rank: 82	Seed: -
QF	L	O. JABEUR (#24)	6-4 6-0
2r	W	K. MLADENOVIC (#59)	6-3 6-3
1r	W	N. STOJANOVIC (#85)	5-7 7-6(8) 6-4



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SEASON 2023 HISTORY

- Reached QF at Nottingham (l. Boulter)
- Fell in 2r of Roland Garros qualifying (l. Jacquemot)
- Won W25 Nottingham in May (d. Preston in F)
- Lost in opening round at Austin (l. Andreeva) after falling in 1r at Australian Open (l. Teichmann)

- Made 3r at Roland Garros (l. Pavlyuchenkova)
- On clay, reached SF at Stuttgart (l. Sabalenka) and 3r at both Madrid and Rome (l. Kudermetova at both tournaments)
- Reached 2r at Austin (l. Volynets), 3r at Indian Wells (l. Pegula) and QF at Miami (l. Pegula)
- Advanced to QF at Lyon (l. Zanevska) and lifted second WTA title at Linz (d. Martic in F)
- Fell in qualifying at Adelaide 1 and 1r at Adelaide 2 (as LL, l. Siniakova), then made 2r at Australian Open (l. Parrizas Diaz)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
27	85	Aces	65	41
54.8%	0	First serve %	60.1%	53
63.6%	0	First Serve points won %	62.6%	53
43.1%	0	Second serve points won %	45.8%	44
54.3%	0	Overall service points won %	55.9%	54
59.8%	0	Service games won %	64.6%	51
41.8%	0	Break points saved %	56.9%	28
37.2%	0	First serve return points won %	40.8%	8
52.7%	0	Second serve return points won %	55.7%	31
46.5%	0	Break points converted %	41.1%	69
34.4%	0	Return games won %	41.6%	10
43.2%	0	Return points won %	46.6%	9

Best win by ranking: No.25 vs Kalinina in NOTTINGHAM 2r
 Longest match: 3h 32m vs Andreeva in AUSTIN 1r
 Shortest match: 57m vs Pegula in UNITED CUP
 Match points saved:
 Most aces in a match: 6 vs Kalinina in NOTTINGHAM 2r

Best win by ranking: No.5 vs Garcia in STUTTGART QF
 Longest match: 2h 59m vs Kudermetova in MADRID 3r
 Shortest match: 43m vs Siniakova in ADELAIDE #2 1r
 Match points saved:
 Most aces in a match: 7 vs Garcia in STUTTGART QF



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (2)

2023 - NOTTINGHAM (w/Watson)
2022 - GRANBY (w/Van Der Hoek)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)

2023 - LINZ
2022 - ISTANBUL

Runner-Up (3)

2022 - PRAGUE
2018 - TASHKENT, MOSCOW INTERNATIONAL

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (3)

2022 - PRAGUE (w/Sizikova)
2019 - LAUSANNE (w/Sizikova)
2018 - MOSCOW INTERNATIONAL (w/Zvonareva)

Runner-Up (1)

2021 - MELBOURNE 250 (w/Blinkova)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
1r				2023	2r	3r		
1r	1r	2r	2r	2022	1r			2r
		1r	1r	2021	3r	1r	1r	1r
2r				2020	1r			
1r		3r	1r	2019	2r	2r	2r	1r
		1r		2018				
				2017			1r	



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Highlight of last season came during grass court season, when she reached maiden WTA QFs, first at Nottingham (l. Riske-Amritraj) and then Eastbourne (l. eventual champion Kvitova)
- Also scored first Top-20 wins of her career in 2022, over No.18 Svitolina (Indian Wells), No.9 Kasatkina (US Open) and No.13 Badosa (Billie Jean King Cup)
- Broke into Top 100 on March 21, 2022, following run through qualifying to R16 at Indian Wells
- In 2021, made 2r at Monterrey (as LL, l. Kuzmova), Nottingham (l. Davis), Montreal (as qualifier, l. Andreescu) and Chicago [500] (as LL, l. Kudermetova). Also fell 1r on six occasions (including Wimbledon and US Open) and finished R-Up at W80 ITF Circuit event at Tyler, TX, USA
- Best results of 2020 were a run through qualifying to 2r at Australian Open (l. Halep) and R-Up finish at \$25k ITF/Cherbourg-en-Cotentin-FRA
- Ended 2019 campaign at No.142; season was highlighted by 3r run at Wimbledon (l. Barty) and 2r showings at Brisbane (l. Sevastova) and Nottingham (l. Tomljanovic)
- Also in 2019 fell in 1r at Australian Open, Monterrey, Birmingham, Eastbourne, US Open, Tashkent and Tianjin; rose to career-high No.121 in the rankings following run through qualifying at Melbourne Park (January 28)
- Highlights in 2018 included reaching 2r at Eastbourne and making Grand Slam main draw debut at Wimbledon (l. Ka.Pliskova in 1r)
- Also in 2018 fell 1r at Washington, DC, Linz and in qualifying at Istanbul, US Open, Hiroshima, Seoul, Tashkent and Moscow [Kremlin Cup]
- Won two ITF Circuit titles in 2018 at \$25k/Altenkirchen-GER and \$25k/Oslo-NOR
- In 2017, played mainly on ITF Circuit, reaching SF four times. At tour level, fell 1r at Nanchang (as qualifier, l. Q.Wang) and in qualifying at Birmingham and Wimbledon
- Played sparingly in 2013-16, spending time on sidelines with foot and hip injuries
- WTA main draw debut came at 2015 Eastbourne (as WC, l. Cibulkova)
- WTA qualifying debut was at 2014 Eastbourne (l. Babos)
- On ITF Circuit, winner of four singles titles and 14 doubles titles
- Played first professional events of career on ITF Circuit in Great Britain in 2011
- Had a breakthrough year in 2022, where she won her first title at Istanbul (d. Kudermetova) and finished R-Up at Prague (l. Bouzkova); broke into Top 50 following Prague (August 1, 2022)
- In 2021 reached QFs at Dubai (l. Krejčíková), Birmingham (l. Jabeur) and Nur-Sultan (l. Peterson)
- Posted three straight QFs in 2020, at Acapulco, St. Petersburg and Monterrey; did not play after the tour's resumption in August
- Finished 2019 season ranked No.93 after a season highlighted by SF at Budapest (l. Vondrousova) and Jurmala (l. Sevastova)
- Scored first Top-10 win over No.5 Kerber in 1r at 2019 Roland Garros
- In doubles, won titles at 2018 Moscow [River Cup] (w/Zvonareva) and 2019 Lausanne (w/Sizikova)
- Highlights of 2018 season were R-Up finishes at Tashkent (as qualifier, l. Gasparyan) and at Moscow [River Cup] (l. Danilovic)
- Made Billie Jean King Cup debut during 2018's defeat to Slovakia in February (l. Kuzmova)
- Reached 2r at St. Petersburg in February 2018 (l. Woźniacki). Win over Maria in 1r was first at tour level
- On ITF Circuit owns one singles and two doubles titles
- Fell 1r on Grand Slam main draw debut at 2017 Wimbledon (as qualifier, l. Maria); at 16 years and three months, became youngest player to successfully navigate Slam qualifying since Ana Konjuh, who had just turned 16 when she did it at 2014 Australian Open
- Captured 2016 Wimbledon girls junior title, having to win final point three separate times after two challenge overrules - title lifted her to Junior World No.1. In junior doubles, posted two runner-up finishes at 2015 US Open and 2016 Roland Garros

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Nigel Sears
 - Father is Nick (surveyor), Mother is Susie (teacher)
 - Sister is Phoebe (at university studying Politics)
 - Introduced to tennis aged 7 by her parents at the club they met at
 - Best Tennis Memory is representing Great Britain in the Fed Cup
 - Supports Arsenal FC
 - Hobbies include going to concerts, fashion and interior design
 - Enjoys spending time with family and friends
- Coached by Igor Andreev
 - Trains at Alexander Ostrovsky Academy in Khimki
 - Grandmother, and former Russian national team coach, inspired her to start playing tennis
 - Enjoys playing basketball