

DAVIS CUP BY RAKUTEN QUALIFIERS 2023

3-4/4-5 FEBRUARY – TIE PREVIEW NOTES

Croatia (s) (c) v Austria

Dates: Saturday 4-Sunday 5 February
Venue: Sportska Dvorana Zamet, Rijeka
Surface: hard, indoors
Head-to-head: Croatia lead 2-1

Hungary (c) v France (s)

Dates: Friday 3-Saturday 4 February
Venue: Tatabánya Arena, Tatabánya
Surface: hard, indoors
Head-to-head: France lead 4-1

Uzbekistan (c) v USA (s)

Dates: Friday 3-Saturday 4 February
Venue: Olympic Tennis School, Tashkent
Surface: hard, indoors
Head-to-head: USA lead 2-0

Germany (s) (c) v Switzerland

Dates: Friday 3-Saturday 4 February
Venue: Arena Trier, Trier
Surface: hard, indoors
Head-to-head: Germany lead 9-0

Colombia (c)* v Great Britain (s)

Dates: Friday 3-Saturday 4 February
Venue: Pueblo Viejo Country Club, Cota
Surface: clay, indoors
Head-to-head: first meeting

Norway (c) v Serbia (s)

Dates: Friday 3-Saturday 4 February
Venue: Oslo Tennisarena, Oslo
Surface: hard, indoors
Head-to-head: Serbia lead 2-0

Chile (c)* v Kazakhstan (s)

Dates: Saturday 4-Sunday 5 February
Venue: Campus Trentino, La Serena
Surface: clay, outdoors
Head-to-head: first meeting

Korea, Rep. (c) v Belgium (s)

Dates: Saturday 4-Sunday 5 February
Venue: Olympic Tennis Court, Seoul
Surface: hard, indoors
Head-to-head: Belgium lead 1-0

Sweden (s) (c)* v Bosnia and Herzegovina

Dates: Friday 3-Saturday 4 February
Venue: The Royal Tennis Hall, Stockholm
Surface: hard, indoors
Head-to-head: first meeting

Netherlands (s) (c) v Slovakia

Dates: Saturday 4-Sunday 5 February
Venue: MartiniPlaza Groningen, Groningen
Surface: hard, indoors
Head-to-head: Slovakia lead 1-0

Finland (c)* v Argentina (s)

Dates: Saturday 4-Sunday 5 February
Venue: Espoo Metro Areena, Espoo
Surface: hard, indoors
Head-to-head: Argentina lead 1-0

Portugal (c) v Czech Republic (s)

Dates: Saturday 4-Sunday 5 February
Venue: Complexo Municipal de Ténis da Maia, Maia
Surface: clay, indoors
Head-to-head: Czech Republic lead 2-0

(s) = seed (c) = choice of ground * = choice of ground was decided by lot

WHAT'S AT STAKE THIS WEEKEND?

The 24 nations contesting the Qualifiers this weekend are competing for a place at the 2023 Davis Cup by Rakuten Finals. The 12 winning nations will secure a place in the Davis Cup Finals Group Stage in September – alongside 2022 champions Canada, 2022 runners-up Australia and wild cards Italy and Spain.

This weekend's ties will be played as best-of-5-matches. On Friday, the home nation's No. 1 player will play the away nation's No. 2 player and vice versa. On Saturday, the doubles match will be played first, followed by the home nation's No. 1 player against the away nation's No. 1 player, then home nation's No. 2 player against the away nation's No. 2 player. All live matches are played as best-of-3 tiebreak sets.

At the Davis Cup Finals Group Stage on 12-17 September, 16 nations will compete in 4 groups of 4 teams across 4 venues, with the winner and runner-up in each group advancing to the Davis Cup Final 8 Knockout Stage in Malaga on 21-26 November.

The 12 losing nations in the Qualifiers this weekend will compete in World Group I on 16-17 September alongside the winning nations in this weekend's World Group I Play-Offs.

WORLD GROUP I & WORLD GROUP II PLAY-OFFS

A total of 36 Davis Cup ties are taking place on a home-and-away basis this weekend, with 12 [World Group I Play-Offs](#) and 12 [World Group II Play-Offs](#) also being played.

The winning nations in the World Group I Play-Offs will compete in World Group I in September alongside the losing nations from the Qualifiers. The losing nations in the World Group I Play-Offs and the winning nations in the World Group II Play-Offs will compete in World Group II in September. The losing nations in the World Group II Play-Offs will compete in regional Group III events later in the year.

PAST CHAMPIONS

In total, 16 nations have won the Davis Cup, 10 of whom are competing in the Qualifiers this weekend.

• USA	32
• Australia	28
• France, Great Britain	10
• Sweden	7
• Spain	6
• Czech Republic, Germany, Russia	3
• Croatia	2
• Argentina, Canada, Italy, Serbia, South Africa, Switzerland	1

COMEBACKS FROM 0-2 DOWN

Since the competition began in 1900 there have been 61 comebacks from 0-2 down in the Davis Cup – most recently when Greece recovered from 0-2 down to defeat Jamaica in the 2022 World Group II Play-offs.

PARTICIPATING NATIONS

A record 155 nations have entered the 2023 Davis Cup.

DAVIS CUP NATIONS RANKING

The Davis Cup Nations Ranking was launched at the end of 2001. It measures success in the competition over the preceding 4-year period, with recent performances weighted more heavily.

Latest Davis Cup Nations Ranking (28 November 2022)

1	Croatia	26	India
2	Spain	27	Slovakia
3	France	28	Finland
4	Canada	29	Bosnia and Herzegovina
5	USA	30	Uzbekistan
6	Germany	31	Norway
7	Italy	32	Romania
8	Australia	33	Portugal
9	Great Britain	34	Israel
10	Serbia	35	Peru
11	Kazakhstan	36	Mexico
12	Belgium	37	Ukraine
13	Sweden	38	Turkiye
14	Netherlands	39	Pakistan
15	Argentina	40	Switzerland
16	Russia (suspended)	41	New Zealand
17	Czech Republic	42	Uruguay
18	Austria	43	Lebanon
19	Colombia	44	Lithuania
20	Japan	45	Denmark
21	Chile	46	Bolivia
22	Korea, Rep.	47	Chinese Taipei
23	Ecuador	48	Slovenia
24	Hungary	49	Poland
25	Brazil	50	Tunisia

CROATIA v AUSTRIA

SPORTSKA DVORANA ZAMET, RIJEKA – HARD, INDOORS

Head-to-head: Croatia lead 2-1

1997	Europe/Africa Group I	Clay (I)	Graz (AUT)	Austria d. Croatia 3-2
2001	Europe/Africa Group I	Carpet (I)	Pula (CRO)	Croatia d. Austria 4-1
2006	WG First Round	Clay (I)	Graz (AUT)	Croatia d. Austria 3-2

A 4th meeting for Croatia and Austria. The teams met 3 times in a decade between 1997 and 2006, but have contested a tie in the competition since then.

CROATIA	v	AUSTRIA
1	Davis Cup Nations Ranking	16
Champions 2005, 2018	Best Davis Cup Result	Semifinals 1990
1993	First Year Played	1905
30	Seasons Played (inc 2023)	88
73	Ties Played	165
45-28	Ties Win-Loss	78-87
1	Comebacks from 0-2 down	0

Croatia – Team Information

- [CROATIA](#) are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 4th time.
- **Last season**, Croatia reached the semifinals, after earning automatic qualification for the Finals group stage as runners-up in 2021. They finished in 2nd place in Group A in Bologna, falling to Italy 3-0 before defeating Sweden 2-1 and Argentina 3-0. They then defeated Spain 2-0 in the quarterfinals before falling to Australia 2-1 in the semifinals at the Final 8 knockout stage in Malaga.
- Croatia **won the only Qualifier tie they have previously contested** – against India in the 2020 Qualifiers in Zagreb. They competed at the 2019 Finals as champions in the previous season and competed at the 2022 Finals as runners-up in the previous season.
- Croatia are bidding to extend a **4-tie winning streak at home**. They have not lost a home Davis Cup tie since the 2017 World Group first round, when they fell to Spain in Osijek. Since then, they have recorded home victories against Canada, Kazakhstan, USA and India.
- In 2018, Croatia defeated France 3-1 in the Davis Cup final in Lille to win their **2nd Davis Cup title**. The team also won the title in 2005, defeating Slovakia to become the first nation to win the title unseeded, and finished runner-up in both 2016 (l. Argentina) and 2020-21 (l. Russian Tennis Federation).
- Croatia are currently ranked No. 1 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. They returned to the top of the rankings for the first time since September 2006 after their runner-up finish in December 2021 and have remained at No. 1 since then. They are one of 8 nations to rank No. 1 since the rankings were introduced in 2001 (alongside Argentina, Australia, Czech Republic, France, Great Britain, Russia and Spain).

Croatia – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Croatian player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Marin Cilic	43-22
2.	Ivan Ljubicic	36-19
3.	Goran Ivanisevic**	33-11
4.	Mario Ancic	21-13
5.	Ivo Karlovic	13-14

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Croatian player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Marin Cilic	33-16
2.	Ivan Ljubicic	23-13
3.	Goran Ivanisevic**	20-6
4.	Borna Coric	14-9
5.	Mario Ancic	13-11

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Croatian player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1=	Goran Ivanisevic** Ivan Ljubicic	13-5 13-6
3.	Marin Cilic	10-6
4=	Ivan Dodig Nikola Mektic	9-8 9-3

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Croatian player*

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Marin Cilic	33
2.	Ivan Ljubicic	22
3=	Mario Ancic Ivan Dodig Goran Ivanisevic**	18 18 18

*Records apply only to the Croatian team that has competed since 1993

**Ivanisevic represented Croatia between 1993 and 2003. Prior to this, he represented Yugoslavia in 1988-91.

Including his record for Yugoslavia, he has a 48-15 Davis Cup win-loss record (28-9 in singles, 20-6 in doubles) and played 26 ties.

Croatia – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Borna Coric	2013	7	18	14-9	0-0
Borna Gojo	2019	3	10	5-5	0-0
Mate Pavic	2013	6	14	0-1	6-8
Nikola Mektic	2011	6	14	1-2	9-3

• [BORNA CORIC](#)

- **Age:** 26 (born 14 November 1996 in Zagreb, Croatia)
- **Rankings:** 23 (singles), unranked (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Coric made his first Davis Cup appearances since the 2019 Finals at the group stage in Bologna last September. He won 4 of the 5 Davis Cup matches he contested last season, falling to Italy's Matteo Berrettini before defeating both Sweden's Mikael Ymer and Argentina's Francisco Cerundolo in the group stage, and defeating Spain's Roberto Bautista Agut in the quarterfinals and Australia's Thanasi Kokkinakis in the semifinals. He won 5 of the 6 Davis Cup matches he contested during Croatia's most-recent title-winning season in 2018, including a straight sets victory over France's Jeremy Chardy in the final.

• [BORNA GOJO](#)

- **Age:** 24 (born 27 February 1998 in Split, Croatia)
- **Rankings:** 121 (singles), unranked (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Gojo made his Davis Cup debut at the 2019 Davis Cup Finals, losing both matches he contested in straight sets. He won one of the 3 matches he contested at the group stage in 2022 – falling to Italy's Lorenzo Musetti and Sweden's Elias Ymer before defeating Argentina's Sebastian Baez – and was nominated for the team for the Final 8 knockout stage in Malaga but did not contest a match.

- **MATE PAVIC**

- **Age:** 29 (born 4 July 1993 in Split, Croatia)
- **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 7 (doubles)
- **2023 doubles highlights:** Won Auckland
- **Davis Cup:** Pavic recorded his first Davis Cup match-win at the 2021 Finals, having previously lost the first 7 matches he contested in the competition. He and Mektic fell to Italy's Simone Bolelli/Fabio Fognini before defeating Sweden's Elias Ymer/Mikael Ymer and Argentina's Maximo Gonzalez/Horacio Zeballos at the group stage last September. They then lost the decisive doubles match during Croatia's semifinal defeat to Australia, falling to Max Purcell/Jordan Thompson in 3 sets.

- **NIKOLA MEKTIC**

- **Age:** 34 (born 24 December 1988 in Zagreb, Croatia)
- **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 8 (doubles)
- **2023 doubles highlights:** Won Auckland
- **Davis Cup:** Mektic has won 9 of the 12 Davis Cup doubles matches he has contested, with his only defeats coming alongside Ivan Dodig against Russia's Khachanov/Rublev at the 2019 Finals and alongside Pavic against Italy's Bolelli/Fognini in the group stage last September and against Australia's Purcell/Thompson in the quarterfinals in November. He will become the 4th Croatian player to win 10 Davis Cup doubles matches – after Goran Ivanisevic, Ivan Ljubicic and Cilic – if he wins the doubles match this weekend.

Austria – Team Information

- **AUSTRIA** are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 2nd time.
- **Last season**, Austria fell to Korea, Rep. 3-1 in the Qualifiers in Seoul in March before defeating Pakistan 4-0 in a World Group I tie in Tulln an der Donau in September.
- Austria have a **1-2 win-loss record in Davis Cup Qualifier ties**. In addition to their defeat to Korea, Rep. in the Qualifiers last year, they also fell to Chile in the 2019 Qualifiers but defeated Uruguay in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- Austria's **best Davis Cup performance** is reaching the semifinals in 1990, when they came within one set of reaching the final, but eventually lost to USA 3-2.
- Austria are ranked No. 18 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. Their highest ranking is No. 8, which they achieved in February 2012.

Austria – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by an Austrian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Thomas Muster	45-18
2.	Jurgen Melzer	37-41
3.	Hans Kary	33-25
4=	Franz-Wilhelm Matejka	22-13
	Franz Saiko	22-13
	Horst Skoff	22-17

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by an Austrian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Thomas Muster	36-8
2=	Hans Kary	22-15
	Jurgen Melzer	22-29
4.	Horst Skoff	21-13
5.	Stefan Koubek	20-19
	Franz-Wilhelm Matejka	20-9

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by an Austrian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Jurgen Melzer	15-12
2.	Alex Antonitsch	13-14
3=	Hans Kary Julian Knowle	11-10 11-13
5.	Thomas Muster	9-10

Most Davis Cup ties played by an Austrian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Jurgen Melzer	38
2.	Alex Antonitsch	27
3.	Hans Kary	26
4=	Julian Knowle Thomas Muster	24 24

Austria – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Dominic Thiem	2014	6	7	9-4	1-2
Jurij Rodionov	2019	3	5	3-4	0-0
Dennis Novak	2016	5	11	9-6	0-0
Lucas Miedler	2022	1	1	0-0	1-1
Alexander Erler	2022	1	1	0-0	1-1

- **DOMINIC THIEM**

- **Age:** 29 (born 3 September 1993 in Wiener Neustadt, Austria)
- **Rankings:** 99 (singles), unranked (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Thiem will make his first Davis Cup appearance since September 2019 if he plays this weekend. His most-recent appearance in the competition came during Austria's 2019 Europe/Africa Group I victory over Finland, when he defeated Patrik-Niklas Salminen but fell to Emil Ruusuvuori. His defeat to Ruusuvuori ended a 9-match Davis Cup singles winning streak, with his last defeat in the competition having come against Netherlands' Robin Haase in the 2015 Europe/Africa Group I second round.

- **JURIJ RODIONOV**

- **Age:** 23 (born 16 May 1999 in Nuremberg, Germany)
- **Rankings:** 125 (singles), 563 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Rodionov recorded his 2nd and 3rd Davis Cup match-wins during Austria's World Group I victory against Pakistan last season – defeating both Muhammad Shoaib and Muzammil Murtaza in straight sets. His only previous victory in the competition came against Germany's Dominik Koepfer at the 2021 Finals.

- **DENNIS NOVAK**

- **Age:** 29 (born 28 August 1993 in Wiener Neustadt, Austria)
- **Rankings:** 144 (singles), 1261 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Novak is bidding to record his 10th Davis Cup match-win this weekend. He won one of the 2 matches he contested in the competition in 2022, defeating Nam Jisung but falling to Soonwoo Kwon during Austria's defeat to Korea, Rep. in the Qualifiers.

- **LUCAS MIEDLER**

- **Age:** 26 (born 21 June 1996 in Tulln, Austria)
- **Rankings:** 454 (singles), 56 (doubles)
- **2023 doubles highlights:** SF Auckland
- **Davis Cup:** Miedler made his Davis Cup debut during Austria's defeat to Korea, Rep. in the Qualifiers last year, partnering Erler in a doubles defeat against Nam/Song Min-kyu. The pair both recorded their first Davis Cup victories during Austria's World Group I victory against Pakistan in September, defeating Aqeel Khan/Aisam Qureshi in straight sets.

- **ALEXANDER ERLER**

- **Age:** 25 (born 27 October 1997 in Innsbruck, Austria)
- **Rankings:** 726 (singles), 49 (doubles)
- **2023 doubles highlights:** SF Auckland
- **Davis Cup:** Erler made his Davis Cup debut during Austria's defeat to Korea, Rep. in the Qualifiers last year, partnering Miedler in a doubles defeat against Nam/Song. The pair both recorded their first Davis Cup victories during Austria's World Group I victory against Pakistan in September, defeating Khan/Qureshi in straight sets.

HUNGARY v FRANCE

TATABANYA ARENA, TATABANYA – HARD, INDOORS

Head-to-head: France lead 4-1

1925	Europe First Round	Clay (O)	Budapest (HUN)	France d. Hungary 4-1
1948	Europe Second Round	Clay (O)	Paris (FRA)	Hungary d. France 4-1
1949	Europe Semifinal	unknown	Budapest (HUN)	France d. Hungary 3-2
1967	Europe Quarterfinal	Clay (O)	Paris (FRA)	France d. Hungary 5-0
1994	WG First Round	Hard (I)	Besancon (FRA)	France d. Hungary 4-1

A 6th Davis Cup meeting for Hungary and France, but their first for 29 years. Hungary's sole victory against France came at Roland Garros in 1948.

HUNGARY	v	FRANCE
24	Davis Cup Nations Ranking	3
World Group 3 times; Finals 2021	Best Davis Cup Result	Champions 10 times
1921	First Year Played	1904
88	Seasons Played (inc. 2023)	103
175	Ties Played	266
86-89	Ties Win-Loss	173-93
0	Comebacks from 0-2 down	4

Hungary – Team Information

- [HUNGARY](#) are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 2nd time.
- **Last season**, Hungary fell to Australia 3-1 in the Qualifiers in Sydney in March before defeating Ukraine 3-1 in a World Group I tie in Vilnius, Lithuania in September.
- Hungary have a **1-2 win-loss record in Davis Cup Qualifier ties**. In addition to defeat against Australia in the Qualifiers last year, they also fell to Germany in the 2019 Qualifiers but defeated Belgium in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- Hungary are bidding to record **their first victory in a hard court tie since 2017**, when they defeated Slovakia in a Europe/Africa Group I tie in Bratislava. They have lost both hard court ties they have contested since then, falling to Belgium in 2018 and Germany in 2019.
- Hungary's **best Davis Cup performance** is contesting the World Group on 3 occasions – in 1994, when they fell to France in the first round, 1996, when they fell to Czech Republic in the first round, and 2018, when they fell to Belgium in the first round – and reaching the Finals in 2020-21, when they lost both group stage ties they played.
- Hungary are ranked No. 24 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings** – 6 places lower than their highest-ever ranking of No. 18, which they reached for the first time after defeating Russia in the 2017 World Group play-offs.

Hungary – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Hungarian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Balazs Taroczy	76-19
2.	Istvan Gulyas	34-27
3.	Marton Fucsovics	32-18
4.	Kornel Bardoczky	29-20
5.	Peter Szoke	26-21

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Hungarian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Balazs Taroczy	50-12
2.	Istvan Gulyas	27-17
3.	Marton Fucsovics	24-11
4.	Bela von Kehrling	22-9
5.	Jozsef Asboth	18-12

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Hungarian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Balazs Taroczy	26-7
2.	Peter Szoke	17-6
3.	Kornel Bardoczky	12-7
4.	Gabor Kover	10-6
5=	Robert Machan	9-6
	Laszlo Markovits	9-8

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Hungarian player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Balazs Taroczy	33
2.	Kornel Bardoczky	28
3.	Peter Szoke	27
4.	Gergely Kisgyorgy	24
5.	Marton Fucsovics	23

Hungary – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Marton Fucsovics	2010	12	23	24-11	8-7
Fabian Marozsan	2021	2	4	0-1	1-3
Zsombor Piros	2018	4	7	5-4	0-1
Mate Valkusz	2018	2	2	0-2	1-0
Gergely Madarasz	2014	1	3	3-0	0-0

- **MARTON FUCSOVICS**

- **Age:** 30 (born 8 February 1992 in Nyiregyhaza, Hungary)
- **Rankings:** 71 (singles), 399 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Fucsovics will equal Istvan Gulyas in 2nd place on the list for most Davis Cup match-wins by a Hungarian player if he wins 2 matches this weekend. He will also equal Gergely Kisgyorgy in 4th place on the list for most Davis Cup ties played by a Hungarian player. He won 3 of the 4 Davis Cup matches he contested in 2022, defeating Thanasi Kokkinakis before falling to Alex de Minaur during Hungary's defeat to Australia in the Qualifiers, before defeating both Viacheslav Bielinskyi and Illya Beloborodko during Hungary's World Group I victory against Ukraine.

- **FABIAN MAROZSAN**

- **Age:** 23 (born 8 October 1999 in Budapest, Hungary)
- **Rankings:** 161 (singles), 485 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Marozsan recorded his first Davis Cup match-win in 2022, partnering Valkusz to victory against John Peers/Luke Saville during Hungary's defeat to Australia in the Qualifiers. He has lost the other 4 matches he has contested in the competition – including the only singles match he has contested, against Croatia's Nino Serdarusic at the 2021 Finals.

- **ZSOMBOR PIROS**
 - **Age:** 23 (born 13 October 1999 in Budapest, Hungary)
 - **Rankings:** 182 (singles), 1234 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Piros lost both matches he contested during Hungary's defeat to Australia in the Qualifiers last year, falling to both De Minaur and Kokkinakis in straight sets. He recorded his 5th victory in the competition by defeating Vladyslav Orlov during Hungary's World Group I victory against Ukraine in September.

- **MATE VALKUSZ**
 - **Age:** 24 (born 13 August 1998 in Budapest, Hungary)
 - **Rankings:** 236 (singles), 1519 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Valkusz made his 2nd Davis Cup appearance in the Qualifiers last year, recording his first victory in the competition alongside Marozsan against Australia's Peers/Saville. His only previous appearances in the competition came in Hungary's 2018 World Group play-off defeat to Czech Republic, when he lost both matches he contested, falling to both Jiri Vesely and Lukas Rosol.

- **GERGELY MADARASZ**
 - **Age:** 28 (born 1 October 1994 in Baja, Hungary)
 - **Rankings:** 549 (singles), unranked (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Madarasz has been nominated for the Hungarian Davis Cup team for the 2nd time. He made his only previous appearances in the competition at the 2014 Europe/Africa Group III event, winning all 3 matches he contested.

France – Team Information

- **FRANCE** are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 4th time.
- **Last season**, France defeated Ecuador 4-0 in the Qualifiers in Pau in March to advance to the Finals. They finished in 3rd place in Group C in Hamburg in September, falling to Germany 2-1 and Australia 2-1 before defeating Belgium 2-1.
- France **won the only previous Davis Cup Qualifier tie they have contested** – against Ecuador in the Qualifiers last year. They earned automatic qualification for the 2019 Finals as runners-up the previous season and were awarded a wild card for the Finals in 2020-21.
- France have **won the Davis Cup title on 10 previous occasions** – most recently in 2017, when they defeated Belgium in Lille. They have finished runner-up on 9 occasions, including in 2014 (l. Switzerland) and 2018 (l. Croatia).
- France are bidding to win their 11th Davis Cup title this year and claim sole ownership of **3rd place on the list for most Davis Cup titles**, ahead of Great Britain. They equalled Great Britain in 3rd place on the list after winning their 10th title in 2017.
- France are currently ranked at No. 3 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. They are one of 8 nations to have held the No. 1 ranking, alongside Argentina, Australia, Croatia, Czech Republic, Great Britain, Russia and Spain. They first reached the No. 1 ranking in February 2002 and most recently held the No. 1 ranking uninterrupted for over 4 years, from November 2017 to December 2021.

France – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a French player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Pierre Darmon	47-21
2.	Henri Cochet	44-14
3.	Francois Jauffret	43-27
4.	Henri Leconte	41-25
5.	Rene Lacoste	40-11

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a French player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Pierre Darmon	44-17
2=	Henri Cochet	34-8
	Francois Jauffret	34-17
4.	Rene Lacoste	32-8
5.	Robert Haillet	29-13

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a French player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Jacques Brugnon	22-9
2.	Guy Forget	21-4
3.	Michael Llodra	20-8
4.	Paul Remy	18-6
5=	Jean Borotra	17-6
	Henri Leconte	17-5

Most Davis Cup ties played by a French player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Francois Jauffret	36
2.	Pierre Darmon	34
3.	Jean Borotra	32
4.	Jacques Brugnon	31
5=	Henri Leconte	28
	Michael Llodra	28

France – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Benjamin Bonzi	2022	1	4	1-3	0-0
Adrian Mannarino	2018	3	5	4-2	0-0
Arthur Rinderknech	2021	2	5	1-1	2-2
Ugo Humbert	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Nicolas Mahut	2015	7	19	1-2	15-4

- [**BENJAMIN BONZI**](#)
 - **Age:** 26 (born 9 June 1996 in Nimes, France)
 - **Rankings:** 45 (singles), 123 (doubles)
 - **2023 singles highlights:** RU Pune
 - **2023 doubles highlights:** QF Australian Open
 - **Davis Cup:** Bonzi made his Davis Cup debut during France's victory over Ecuador in the Qualifiers last year, defeating Antonio Cayetano March in straight sets in the dead 4th match of the tie. He lost all 3 matches he contested at the Finals group stage in September, falling to Germany's Jan-Lennard Struff, Australia's Alex de Minaur and Belgium's David Goffin.
- [**ADRIAN MANNARINO**](#)
 - **Age:** 34 (born 29 June 1988 in Soisy-Sous-Montmorency, France)
 - **Rankings:** 58 (singles), 134 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Mannarino won both Davis Cup matches he contested during 2022, defeating Ecuador's Roberto Quiroz in the Qualifiers and Germany's Oscar Otte at the Finals group stage in September. He made his debut in the competition during France's 2018 World Group first round victory against Netherlands but did not make another Davis Cup appearance until the 2021 Finals.

- **ARTHUR RINDERKNECH**

- **Age:** 27 (born 23 July 1995 in Gassin, France)
- **Rankings:** 70 (singles), 151 (doubles)
- **2023 doubles highlights:** QF Australian Open
- **Davis Cup:** Rinderknech recorded his first Davis Cup singles match-win during France's victory over Ecuador in the Qualifiers last year, defeating Emilio Gomez in straight sets. He contested doubles matches only at the Finals, partnering Mahut in defeats against Germany's Kevin Krawietz/Tim Puetz and Australia's Matthew Ebden/Max Purcell before the pair defeated Belgium's Sander Gille/Joran Vliegen.

- **UGO HUMBERT**

- **Age:** 24 (born 26 June 1998 in Metz, France)
- **Rankings:** 86 (singles), 542 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Humbert could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend, having been nominated for the first time.

- **NICOLAS MAHUT**

- **Age:** 41 (born 21 January 1982 in Angers, France)
- **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 51 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Mahut could contest his 20th Davis Cup doubles match this weekend. He has won 15 of the 19 doubles matches he has played in the competition, with his only defeats coming alongside Tsonga to Andy Murray/Jamie Murray during France's 2015 quarterfinal defeat to Great Britain, alongside Pierre Hugues-Herbert to Marin Cilic/Ivan Dodig during France's 2016 semifinal defeat to Croatia, and alongside Rinderknech to both Germany's Krawietz/Puetz and Australia's Ebden/Purcell at the Finals group stage last year.

UZBEKISTAN v USA

OLYMPIC TENNIS SCHOOL, TASHKENT – HARD, INDOORS

Head-to-head: USA lead 2-1

2015	WG Play-offs	Hard (O)	Tashkent (UZB)	USA d. Uzbekistan 3-1
2020	Qualifiers	Hard (I)	Honolulu, HI (USA)	USA d. Uzbekistan 4-0

A 3rd Davis Cup meeting for USA and Uzbekistan – and their 2nd in the Qualifiers with the teams having faced off at this stage in Honolulu 3 years ago. USA have won both of the nations' previous meetings.

UZBEKISTAN	v	USA
5 WG Play-offs 10 times; Qualifiers 3 times 1994 29 67 39-28 0	Davis Cup Nations Ranking Best Davis Cup Result First Year Played Seasons Played (inc. 2023) Ties Played Ties Win-Loss Comebacks from 0-2 down	5 Champions 32 times 1900 108 301 224-77 1

Uzbekistan – Team Information

- [UZBEKISTAN](#) are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the first time.
- **Last season**, Uzbekistan fell to Turkiye 3-2 in the World Group I Play-offs in Tashkent in March. They were reinstated in World Group I following the suspension of the Belarusian Tennis Federation and defeated Japan 3-1 in a World Group I tie in Tashkent in September.
- Uzbekistan have **lost both of the Davis Cup Qualifier ties they have previously contested** – against Serbia in the 2019 Qualifiers and against USA in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- Uzbekistan's victory against Japan in World Group I last year ended a **3-tie Davis Cup losing streak**. They had not previously won in the competition since defeating Lebanon in an Asia/Oceania Group I tie in September 2019.
- Uzbekistan's **best Davis Cup performances** are reaching the World Group play-offs on 10 occasions and the Qualifiers in 2019 and 2020. They lost all 10 of the World Group play-off ties they contested – most recently in 2018, when they fell to Great Britain 3-1 in Glasgow – in addition to their defeats in the Qualifiers in 2019 and 2020.
- Prior to 1992, **players from Uzbekistan represented USSR**.
- Uzbekistan are ranked No. 23 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. Their highest ranking is No. 15, which they achieved when the rankings were launched in December 2001.

Uzbekistan – Player Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by an Uzbek player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Oleg Ogorodov	53-24
2.	Denis Istomin	52-34
3.	Dmitriy Tomashevich	29-11
4=	Farrukh Dustov Vadim Kutsenko	20-30 20-23

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by an Uzbek player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Oleg Ogorodov	36-14
2.	Denis Istomin	35-18
3.	Dmitriy Tomashevich	16-6
4.	Vadim Kutsenko	14-7
5.	Farrukh Dustov	11-19

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by an Uzbek player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1=	Denis Istomin Oleg Ogorodov	17-16 17-10
3.	Dmitriy Tomashevich	13-5
4.	Farrukh Dustov	9-11
5=	Sanjar Fayziev Vadim Kutsenko	6-3 6-6

Most Davis Cup ties played by an Uzbek player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Denis Istomin	33
2.	Oleg Ogorodov	29
3.	Farrukh Dustov	27
4.	Dmitriy Tomashevich	23
5.	Vadim Kutsenko	22

Uzbekistan – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Sergey Fomin	2022	1	2	2-2	1-0
Khumoyun Sultanov	2018	3	3	1-2	0-0
Denis Istomin	2005	17	33	35-18	17-16
Sanjar Fayziev	2014	7	12	2-13	6-3
Amir Milushev	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0

- [**SERGEY FOMIN**](#)
 - **Age:** 22 (born 1 February 2001)
 - **Rankings:** 366 (singles), 413 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Fomin made his Davis Cup debut during Uzbekistan's defeat to Turkiye in the World Group I Play-offs last year, losing both singles matches he contested but partnering Fayziev to a victory against Altug Celikbilek/Yanki Erel in doubles. He recorded his first Davis Cup singles match-wins during Uzbekistan's World Group I victory over Japan in September, defeating both Shintaro Mochizuki and Sho Shimabukuro in straight sets.
- [**KHUMOYUN SULTANOV**](#)
 - **Age:** 24 (born 27 October 1998 in Namangan, Uzbekistan)
 - **Rankings:** 480 (singles), 589 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Sultanov made his Davis Cup debut during Uzbekistan's 2018 Asia/Oceania Group I victory over Pakistan, defeating Muzammil Murtaza in the dead 5th match of the tie. He has lost both of the other 2 matches he has contested in the competition – falling to Lebanon's Benjamin Hassan in a 2019 Asia/Oceania Group I tie and to Norway's Casper Ruud in a 2021 World Group I tie.

- **DENIS ISTOMIN**
 - **Age:** 36 (born 7 September 1986 in Orenburg, Russia)
 - **Rankings:** 492 (singles), 392 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Playing captain Istomin will equal Oleg Ogorodov's record for most Davis Cup match-wins by an Uzbek player if he wins a match this weekend and will equal Ogorodov's record for most Davis Cup singles match-wins if he wins a singles match. He has played 33 Davis Cup ties, more than any other Uzbek player, since making his debut in the competition in 2005. He won one of the 2 matches he contested in the competition last year, both of which came during Uzbekistan's World Group I victory against Japan – he fell to Shimabukuro in singles before partnering Fayziev to victory against Kaito Uesugi/Yosuke Watanuki in doubles.
- **SANJAR FAYZIEV**
 - **Age:** 28 (born 29 July 1994 in Tashkent, Uzbekistan)
 - **Rankings:** 1166 (singles), 189 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Fayziev recorded his 2nd Davis Cup singles match-win in 2022, defeating Turkiye's Cem Ilkel during the World Group I Play-offs. He has won 2 of the 15 singles matches he has contested in the competition, with his only other singles victory coming against Hady Habib in Uzbekistan's 2019 Asia/Oceania Group I victory against Lebanon. He has won 6 of the 9 doubles matches he has contested in the competition, including both Davis Cup doubles matches he played in 2022.
- **AMIR MILUSHEV**
 - **Age:** 17 (born 18 June 2005)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), unranked (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Milushev could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend, having been nominated for the first time.

USA – Team Information

- **USA** are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 4th time.
- **Last season**, USA defeated Colombia 4-0 in the Qualifiers in Reno in March to advance to the Finals. They finished in 2nd place in Group D in Glasgow in September, defeating Great Britain 2-1 and Kazakhstan 2-1 but falling to Netherlands 2-1. They fell to Italy 2-1 in the quarterfinals at the Final 8 knockout stage in Malaga in November.
- USA have **won both Davis Cup Qualifier ties they have contested**. In addition to their victory against Colombia in the Qualifiers last year, they also defeated Uzbekistan 4-0 in the 2020 Qualifiers. They earned automatic qualification for the 2019 Finals as semifinalists in the previous season.
- USA have contested **301 Davis Cup ties** – more than any other nation. They became the first team to contest 300 ties in the competition in the group stages in Glasgow last year.
- USA won their **32nd Davis Cup title** in 2007, defeating Russia 4-1 in Portland, Oregon. USA are at the top of the all-time list for most Davis Cup titles – ahead of Australia (28 titles) and Great Britain and France (10 titles each).
- If USA win the title this year, 16 years after their most recent Davis Cup title, it will be the **longest gap between USA's Davis Cup successes**. Their title in 2007 came 12 years after their previous title in 1995.
- USA are currently ranked No. 5 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. Their best position since the rankings were introduced in 2001 is No. 2, which they reached for the first time in September 2007.

USA – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by an American player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	John McEnroe	59-10
2.	Vic Seixas	38-17
3.	Stan Smith	35-7
4.	Bill Tilden	34-7
5.	Andy Roddick	33-12

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by an American player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	John McEnroe	41-8
2.	Andy Roddick	33-12
3.	Andre Agassi	30-6
4.	Arthur Ashe	27-5
5.	Bill Tilden	25-5

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by an American player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Mike Bryan	28-5
2.	Bob Bryan	26-5
3.	John van Ryn	22-2
4.	Stan Smith	20-3
5.	John McEnroe	18-2

Most Davis Cup ties played by an American player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Mike Bryan	33
2.	Bob Bryan	31
3.	John McEnroe	30
4.	Andy Roddick	25
5=	Wilmer Allison	24
	Stan Smith	24
	John van Ryn	24

USA – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Tommy Paul	2020	2	6	4-1	0-1
Mackenzie McDonald	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Denis Kudla	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Rajeev Ram	2021	2	5	0-0	4-1
Austin Krajicek	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0

- **TOMMY PAUL**

- **Age:** 25 (born 17 May 1997 in Voorhees, NJ, USA)
- **Rankings:** 19 (singles), 118 (doubles)
- **2023 singles highlights:** SF Australian Open
- **Davis Cup:** Paul has won 4 of the 5 Davis Cup singles matches he has contested, with his only singles defeat in the competition coming against Netherlands' Tallon Griekspoor at the Finals group stage last year. He defeated both Great Britain's Daniel Evans and Kazakhstan's Mikhail Kukushkin at the Finals group stage, but did not compete in singles during USA's defeat to Italy in the quarterfinals last year. He played his first Davis Cup doubles match during the quarterfinal defeat to Italy, falling to Simone Bolelli/Fabio Fognini alongside Jack Sock.

- **MACKENZIE MCDONALD**
 - **Age:** 27 (born 16 April 1995 in Piedmont, CA, USA)
 - **Rankings:** 63 (singles), 84 (doubles)
 - **2023 doubles highlights:** SF Adelaide I
 - **Davis Cup:** McDonald could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend, having been nominated for the first time

- **DENIS KUDLA**
 - **Age:** 30 (born 17 August 1992 in Kyiv, Ukraine)
 - **Rankings:** 93 (singles), 341 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Kudla could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend, having been nominated for the first time

- **RAJEEV RAM**
 - **Age:** 38 (born 18 March 1984 in Denver, CO, USA)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 3 (doubles)
 - **2023 singles highlights:** SF Pune
 - **Davis Cup:** Ram has won 4 of the 5 Davis Cup doubles matches he has contested, all of which came alongside Sock. The pair defeated Italy's Fognini/Lorenzo Musetti in the group stage at the 2021 Finals, Colombia's Nicolas Barrientos/Juan-Sebastian Cabal in the 2022 Qualifiers, and both Great Britain's Andy Murray/Joe Salisbury and Netherlands' Wesley Koolhof/Matwe Middelkoop in the group stage at the 2022 Finals. His only defeat came alongside Sock against Kazakhstan's Alexander Bublik/Aleksandr Nedovyesov in the group stage at the 2022 Finals. He was not nominated for the Final 8 knockout stage in Malaga last year.

- **AUSTIN KRAJICEK**
 - **Age:** 32 (born 16 June 1990 in Tampa, FL, USA)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 9 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Krajicek could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend, having been nominated for the first time

GERMANY v SWITZERLAND

ARENA TRIER, TRIER – HARD, INDOORS

Head-to-head: Germany lead 9-0*

1939	Europe First Round	Clay (O)	Vienna (AUT)	Germany d. Switzerland 5-0
1965	Europe First Round	unknown	Essen (FRG)	F.R. Germany d. Switzerland 5-0
1966	Europe Quarterfinal	unknown	Lugano (SUI)	F.R. Germany d. Switzerland 4-1
1968	Europe First Round	unknown	Freiburg (FRG)	F.R. Germany d. Switzerland 4-1
1973	Europe First Round	unknown	Geneva (SUI)	F.R. Germany d. Switzerland 3-0
1975	Europe Quarterfinal	unknown	Freiburg (FRG)	F.R. Germany d. Switzerland 5-0
1978	Europe Quarterfinal	unknown	Zurich (SUI)	F.R. Germany d. Switzerland 5-0
1983	Europe First Round	Clay (O)	Freiburg (FRG)	F.R. Germany d. Switzerland 3-2
1996	WG First Round	Clay (I)	Geneva (SUI)	Germany d. Switzerland 5-0

A 10th meeting for Germany and Switzerland – but their first for 27 years. The Germans have won all 9 of the nations' previous Davis Cup meetings, with Switzerland winning just 4 matches across the 9 ties.

GERMANY	v	SWITZERLAND
6	Davis Cup Nations Ranking	40
Champions	Best Davis Cup Result	Champions
1988, 1989, 1993	First Year Played	2014
1913*	Seasons Played (inc. 2023)	1923
87*	Ties Played	93
238	Ties Win-Loss	174
155-83	Comebacks from 0-2 down	82-92
1		0

*Germany competed as F.R. Germany between 1961 and 1990

Germany – Team Information

- [GERMANY](#) are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 4th time.
- **Last season**, Germany defeated Brazil 3-1 in the Qualifiers in Rio de Janeiro in March to advance to the Finals. They finished in first place in Group C in Hamburg in September, defeating France 2-1, Belgium 2-1 and Australia 2-1. They fell to Canada 2-1 in the quarterfinals at the Final 8 knockout stage in Malaga in November.
- Germany are bidding to maintain their **perfect record in Davis Cup Qualifier ties**. In addition to their victory over Brazil in the 2022 Qualifiers, they also defeated Hungary in the 2019 Qualifiers and Belarus in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- Germany have won **3 Davis Cup titles**, most recently in 1993 when they defeated Australia. They also won the title in 1988-89, defeating Sweden on both occasions – it is one of only 8 successful Davis Cup title defences since the abolition of the Challenge Round in 1972.
- Germany are currently ranked No. 6 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings** – just one place below their best ranking of No. 5, which they first achieved in December 2007.

Germany – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a German player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Gottfried von Cramm	82-19
2.	Wilhelm Bungert	66-36
3.	Boris Becker	54-12
4.	Christian Kuhnke	51-23
5.	Henner Henkel	49-17

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a German player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Gottfried von Cramm	58-10
2.	Wilhelm Bungert	52-27
3.	Boris Becker	38-3
4.	Christian Kuhnke	35-15
5.	Henner Henkel	33-13

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a German player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Gottfried von Cramm	24-9
2=	Boris Becker	16-9
	Henner Henkel	16-4
	Christian Kuhnke	16-8
5=	Wilhelm Bungert	14-9
	Jurgen Fassbender	14-8
	Michael Stich	14-2

Most Davis Cup ties played by a German player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Wilhelm Bungert	43
2.	Gottfried von Cramm	37
3.	Christian Kuhnke	32
4.	Boris Becker	28
5.	Henner Henkel	27

Germany – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Alexander Zverev	2016	5	6	8-4	0-1
Oscar Otte	2022	1	3	0-3	0-0
Daniel Altmaier	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Tim Puetz	2017	4	12	0-0	12-0
Andreas Mies	2019	2	3	0-0	3-0

- **ALEXANDER ZVEREV**

- **Age:** 25 (born 20 April 1997 in Hamburg, Germany)
- **Rankings:** 14 (singles), 148 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Zverev made his first Davis Cup appearance for 3 years during Germany's 2022 Qualifiers victory against Brazil, defeating both Thiago Seyboth Wild and Thiago Monteiro in straight sets. He missed both the group stage in September and the Final 8 knockout stage in November due to a right ankle injury.

- **OSCAR OTTE**

- **Age:** 29 (born 16 July 1993 in Cologne, Germany)
- **Rankings:** 80 (singles), 244 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Otte made his Davis Cup debut at the group stage in September, but lost all 3 matches he contested – falling to France's Adrian Mannarino, Belgium's David Goffin (despite holding match points) and Australia's Thanasi Kokkinakis. He also fell to Canada's Felix Auger-Aliassime during Germany's quarterfinal defeat to Canada at the Final 8 knockout stage in Malaga. He was nominated for the first time for Germany's tie against Brazil in last year's Qualifiers but did not contest a match.

- **DANIEL ALTMAIER**
 - **Age:** 24 (born 12 September 1998 in Kempen, Germany)
 - **Rankings:** 91 (singles), 547 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Altmaier could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend, having been nominated for the first time.
- **TIM PUETZ**
 - **Age:** 34 (born 19 November 1987 in Frankfurt, Germany)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 20 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Puetz has won 12 of the 13 Davis Cup matches he has contested, with his only defeat in the competition coming in the decisive doubles match of the quarterfinal against Canada last year, when he and Kevin Krawietz fell to Vasek Pospisil/Denis Shapovalov. He and Krawietz recorded 4 in the competition in 2022 – against Brazil's Felipe Meligeni Rodrigues Alves/Bruno Soares in the Qualifiers in March and in decisive doubles matches against France's Nicolas Mahut/Arthur Rinderknech, Belgium's Sander Gille/Joran Vliegen and Australia's Matthew Ebden/Max Purcell at the Finals group stage in September.
- **ANDREAS MIES**
 - **Age:** 32 (born 21 August 1990 in Cologne, Germany)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 21 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Mies could make his first Davis Cup appearance in 3 years this weekend. He has won all 3 matches he has contested in the competition, all of which came alongside Krawietz – the pair defeated both Argentina's Maximo Gonzalez/Leonardo Mayer and Chile's Marcelo Tomas Barrios Vera/Alejandro Tabilo at the 2019 Finals and Belarus' Ilya Ivashka/Andrei Vasilevski in the 2020 Qualifiers.

Switzerland – Team Information

- **SWITZERLAND** are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the first time.
- **Last season**, Switzerland defeated Lebanon 3-1 in the World Group I Play-offs in Biel in March before defeating Ecuador 3-2 in a World Group I tie in Salinas in September.
- Switzerland **lost the only previous Davis Cup Qualifier tie they have contested** – falling to Russia 3-1 in the 2019 Qualifiers in Biel.
- Switzerland are bidding to extend a **3-tie winning streak**. In addition to their 2 victories last year, they also defeated Estonia 5-0 in a World Group II tie in Biel in September 2021. Prior to their victory against Estonia, they had lost 5 consecutive Davis Cup ties.
- Switzerland **won the Davis Cup title for the first time in 2014**, defeating France 3-1 in the final in Lille to become the 14th nation to win the title. They also finished as runners-up in 1991, falling to USA 3-1 in the final.
- Switzerland are currently ranked No. 40 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. They were ranked at No. 45 between September 2021 and September 2022 – their lowest position since the rankings were introduced in 2001. Their highest-ranking is No. 2, which they reached after winning the title in November 2014.

Switzerland – Player Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Swiss player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Roger Federer	52-18
2.	Jakob Hlasek	49-30
3.	Marc Rosset	37-21
4.	Heinz Guenthardt	36-28
5.	Stan Wawrinka	26-25

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Swiss player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Roger Federer	40-8
2.	Jakob Hlasek	34-20
3.	Marc Rosset	24-13
4=	Heinz Guenthardt	22-16
	Stan Wawrinka	22-13

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Swiss player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Jakob Hlasek	15-10
2.	Heinz Guenthardt	14-12
3.	Marc Rosset	13-8
4.	Roger Federer	12-10
5=	Charles Aeschliman	9-9
	Markus Guenthardt	9-5
	Lorenzo Manta	9-2

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Swiss player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Heinz Guenthardt	30
2.	Jakob Hlasek	29
3.	Roger Federer	27
4.	Marc Rosset	26
5.	Stan Wawrinka	24

Switzerland – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Marc-Andrea Huesler	2018	4	6	2-3	3-1
Dominic Stricker	2021	2	3	1-1	3-0
Leandro Riedi	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Stan Wawrinka	2004	12	24	22-13	4-12
Alexander Ritschard	2022	1	1	1-0	0-0

- **MARC-ANDREA HUESLER**

- **Age:** 26 (born 24 June 1996 in Zurich, Switzerland)
- **Rankings:** 53 (singles), 254 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Huesler recorded his first victory in a live Davis Cup singles match in 2022, defeating Roberto Quiroz during Switzerland's World Group I victory over Ecuador. His only previous singles victory in the competition came against Roman Khassanov during the dead 4th match of Switzerland's 2018 World Group first round defeat to Kazakhstan. He has won 3 of the 4 doubles matches he has contested in the competition, including a victory alongside Stricker against Ecuador's Gonzalo Escobar/Diego Hidalgo last year.

- **DOMINIC STRICKER**

- **Age:** 20 (born 16 August 2002 in Munsingen, Switzerland)
- **Rankings:** 118 (singles), 615 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Stricker has won one of the 2 Davis Cup singles matches he has contested, defeating Vladimir Ivanov during Switzerland's 2021 World Group II victory over Estonia but falling to Benjamin Hassan during Switzerland's 2022 World Group I Play-off victory over Lebanon. He has won all 3 doubles matches he has contested in the competition, including a victory alongside Huesler against Escobar/Hidalgo during Switzerland's World Group I victory over Ecuador last year.

- **LEANDRO RIEDI**
 - **Age:** 21 (born 27 January 2002 in Frauenfeld, Switzerland)
 - **Rankings:** 127 (singles), 212 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Riedi could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend. He has been nominated for the 3rd time – he was also nominated for Switzerland’s victories over Estonia in 2021 and Ecuador in 2022 but did not contest a match in either tie.
- **STAN WAWRINKA**
 - **Age:** 37 (born 28 March 1995 in Lausanne, Switzerland)
 - **Rankings:** 135 (singles), 1062 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Wawrinka will make his first Davis Cup appearance in over 7 years if he plays this weekend, with his last appearance in the competition coming during Switzerland’s 2015 World Group play-off victory against Netherlands. He will become the 5th Swiss player to contest 25 Davis Cup ties if he plays this weekend and claim sole ownership of 4th place on the list for most Davis Cup singles matches won by a Swiss player, ahead of Heinz Guenthardt, if he wins a singles match. He was a member of the Swiss team which won the Davis Cup title for the first time in 2014, winning a singles match against Jo-Wilfried Tsonga and partnering Roger Federer to a doubles victory against Julien Benneteau/Richard Gasquet in the final against France in Lille.
- **ALEXANDER RITSCHARD**
 - **Age:** 28 (born 24 March 1994 in Zurich, Switzerland)
 - **Rankings:** 185 (singles), 986 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Ritschard made his Davis Cup debut during Switzerland’s World Group I victory over Ecuador last year, defeating Quiroz in straight sets in the decisive 5th match of the tie.

COLOMBIA v GREAT BRITAIN

PUEBLO VIEJO COUNTRY CLUB, COTA – CLAY, INDOORS

Head-to-head: first meeting

COLOMBIA	v	GREAT BRITAIN
19	Davis Cup Nations Ranking	9
Finals 2019, 2021	Best Davis Cup Result	Champions 10 times
1959	First Year Played	1900
55	Seasons Played (inc. 2023)	111
116	Ties Played	260
60-56	Ties Win-Loss	159-101
1	Comebacks from 0-2 down	2

Colombia – Team Information

- [COLOMBIA](#) are bidding to reach Davis Cup Finals for the 3rd time.
- **Last season**, Colombia fell to USA 4-0 in the Qualifiers in Reno in March before defeating Turkiye 4-0 in a World Group I tie in Bogota in September.
- Colombia have a **2-1 win-loss record in Davis Cup Qualifier ties**. Prior to their defeat to USA in the Qualifiers last year, they had won both Qualifier ties they had contested – against Sweden in the 2019 Qualifiers and against Argentina in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- Colombia are bidding to extend a **4-tie winning streak at home**. They have not lost a home Davis Cup tie since falling to Croatia in the 2017 World Group play-offs in Bogota. Since then, they have recorded home victories against Brazil, Sweden, Argentina and Turkiye.
- Colombia's **best Davis Cup performance** is reaching the Finals in both 2019 and 2021. Prior to 2019, their best performance in the competition was reaching the World Group play-offs on 6 occasions, losing all 6 of the ties they contested at that stage – to USA in 2010, Japan in 2013 and 2015, Canada in 2014, Croatia in 2017 and Argentina in 2018.
- Colombia are currently ranked at No. 19 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings** – 2 places lower than their highest ranking of No. 17, which they reached for the first time in April 2018.

Colombia – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Colombian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Mauricio Hadad	35-11
2.	Jairo Velasco	33-23
3.	Alejandro Falla	31-17
4.	Santiago Giraldo	27-19
5.	Alvaro Jordan	26-17

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Colombian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Santiago Giraldo	27-19
2.	Jairo Velasco	24-12
3.	Mauricio Hadad	23-5
4.	Alejandro Falla	22-10
5.	Alvaro Jordan	20-10

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Colombian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1=	Juan-Sebastian Cabal Robert Farah	16-10 16-7
3=	Mauricio Hadad Miguel Tobon	12-6 12-8
5.	Carlos Salamanca	10-7

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Colombian player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Santiago Giraldo	30
2=	Juan-Sebastian Cabal Alejandro Falla	27 27
4=	Robert Farah Miguel Tobon	23 23

Colombia – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Nicolas Mejia	2018	4	10	8-4	0-0
Nicolas Barrientos	2022	1	2	1-0	0-1
Cristian Rodriguez	2018	1	2	1-0	0-1
Juan-Sebastian Cabal	2008	14	27	7-2	16-10
Robert Farah	2010	12	23	1-3	16-7

- **[NICOLAS MEJIA](#)**
 - **Age:** 22 (born 11 February 2000 in Bogota, Colombia)
 - **Rankings:** 253 (singles), 185 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Mejia recorded his first Davis Cup match-win during Colombia's World Group I victory over Turkiye last year, defeating Altug Celikbilek in a final-set tiebreak in the opening match of the tie. He had lost his first 5 matches in the competition after making his debut during Colombia's defeat to Argentina in the 2018 World Group play-offs.
- **[NICOLAS BARRIENTOS](#)**
 - **Age:** 35 (born 24 April 1987 in Cali, Colombia)
 - **Rankings:** 510 (singles), 67 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Barrientos made his Davis Cup debut during Colombia's defeat to USA in the Qualifiers last year, falling to Rajeew Ram/Jack Sock in doubles alongside Cabal. He recorded his first Davis Cup victory by defeating Yanki Erel in the dead 4th match of Colombia's World Group I victory against Turkiye in September.
- **[CRISTIAN RODRIGUEZ](#)**
 - **Age:** 32 (born 24 June 1990)
 - **Rankings:** 793 (singles), 96 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Rodriguez could make his first Davis Cup appearance since 2018 this weekend. He appeared in 2 ties in 2018, winning a dead singles match against Xavier Lawrence in Colombia's Americas Group I victory over Barbados and falling in doubles alongside Alejandro Gomez to Maximo Gonzalez/Horacio Zeballos in Colombia's World Group play-off defeat to Argentina.

- **JUAN-SEBASTIAN CABAL**
 - **Age:** 36 (born 25 April 1986 in Cali, Colombia)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 23= (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Cabal and Farah jointly hold the record for most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Colombian player. The pair will bid to record their 17th doubles victory in the competition this weekend, having won the only Davis Cup match they played together in 2022, a straight sets victory over Ilkel/Ergi Kirkin during Colombia's World Group I victory over Turkiye. Cabal also played alongside Barrientos during Colombia's defeat to USA in the Qualifiers last year, with the pair falling to Ram/Sock. If he plays this weekend, he will contest his 28th Davis Cup tie and claim sole ownership of 2nd place on the list for most Davis Cup ties played by a Colombian player, ahead of Alejandro Falla.
- **ROBERT FARAH**
 - **Age:** 36 (born 20 January 1987 in Montreal, Canada)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 23= (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Farah and Cabal jointly hold the record for most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Colombian player. The pair will bid to record their 17th doubles victory in the competition this weekend, having won the only Davis Cup match they played together in 2022, a straight sets victory over Ilkel/Kirkin during Colombia's World Group I victory over Turkiye. If he plays this weekend, Farah will contest his 24th Davis Cup tie and claim sole ownership of 4th place on the list for most Davis Cup ties played by a Colombian player, ahead of Miguel Tobon.

Great Britain – Team Information

- **GREAT BRITAIN** are bidding to reach Davis Cup Finals for the 4th time.
- **Last season**, Great Britain competed at the Davis Cup Finals as a wild card. They finished in 3rd place in Group D in Glasgow in September, falling to USA 2-1 and Netherlands 2-1 before defeating Kazakhstan 3-1.
- Great Britain are **contesting the Qualifiers for the first time**. They appeared at the Finals as a wild card in 2019 and 2022, and earned automatic qualification for the Finals in 2020-21 by reaching the semifinals during the previous season.
- Great Britain have **lost their 2 most-recent Davis Cup ties played on clay** – falling to France 4-1 in the 2017 quarterfinals in Rouen and to Spain 3-1 in the 2018 World Group first round in Marbella.
- Great Britain are competing in the Davis Cup for the 110th season. They are the **only nation to have competed in every edition of the Davis Cup** since 1900.
- In 2015, **Great Britain won the Davis Cup title for the first time since 1936** – in their first final appearance since 1978 – after defeating Belgium 3-1 in the Final in Ghent. It was their 10th Davis Cup title. Great Britain and France are in joint-3rd place on the list for most Davis Cup titles behind USA (32) and Australia (28).
- Great Britain are currently ranked No. 10 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. They are one of 8 nations to rank No. 1 since the rankings were introduced in 2001 (alongside Argentina, Australia, Croatia, Czech Republic, France, Russia and Spain), having reached the position for the first time after winning the title in 2015.

Great Britain – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a British player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Fred Perry	45-7
2.	Mike Sangster	43-22
3=	Andy Murray	41-10
	Bobby Wilson	41-20
5.	Tim Henman	40-14

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a British player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Bunny Austin	36-12
2.	Fred Perry	34-4
3.	Andy Murray	32-3
4=	Tim Henman	29-8
	Mike Sangster	29-19

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a British player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Bobby Wilson	25-8
2.	Jamie Murray	14-6
	Mike Sangster	14-3
3.	Patrick Hughes	13-7
5=	Tim Henman	11-6
	John Lloyd	11-5
	Tony Mottram	11-7
	Fred Perry	11-3

Most Davis Cup ties played by a British player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Bobby Wilson	34
2.	Mike Sangster	26
3=	Bunny Austin	24
	Andy Murray	24
5.	John Lloyd	23

Great Britain – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Cameron Norrie	2018	3	8	5-5	0-0
Daniel Evans	2009	11	21	11-19	0-0
Jack Draper	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Neal Skupski	2019	3	7	0-0	4-3
Joe Salisbury	2021	2	6	0-0	2-4

- **CAMERON NORRIE**

- **Age:** 27 (born 23 August 1995 in Johannesburg, South Africa)
- **Rankings:** 11 (singles), 164 (doubles)
- **2023 singles highlights:** RU Auckland
- **Davis Cup:** Norrie won one of 3 Davis Cup matches he contested in 2022, defeating USA's Taylor Fritz but falling to both Netherlands' Botic van de Zandschulp and Kazakhstan's Alexander Bublik. He has won 5 of the 10 singles matches he has contested in the competition since making his debut in 2018 and has never contested a Davis Cup doubles match.

- **DANIEL EVANS**
 - **Age:** 32 (born 23 May 1990 in Birmingham, Great Britain)
 - **Rankings:** 30 (singles), 82 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Evans won one of the 2 Davis Cup matches he contested in 2022, falling to USA's Tommy Paul before defeating Netherlands' Tallon Griekspoor. He has won 11 of the 30 singles matches he has contested in the competition since making his debut in 2009 and has never contested a Davis Cup doubles match. He played during Great Britain's title-winning season in 2015, losing both matches he contested in the semifinal against Australia and was not nominated for the final.

- **JACK DRAPER**
 - **Age:** 21 (born 22 December 2001 in Sutton, Great Britain)
 - **Rankings:** 40 (singles), 977 (doubles)
 - **2023 singles highlights:** SF Adelaide II
 - **Davis Cup:** Draper could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend, having been nominated for the first time since

- **NEAL SKUPSKI**
 - **Age:** 33 (born 1 December 1989 in Liverpool, Great Britain)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 1= (doubles)
 - **2023 doubles highlights:** SF Adelaide II; QF Australian Open
 - **Davis Cup:** Skupski made his Davis Cup debut at the 2019 Finals, winning 2 of the 3 matches he contested alongside Jamie Murray at the event. He and Salisbury have since won 2 of the 4 Davis Cup matches they have played together, including their only match together in 2022 – against Kazakhstan's Alexander Bublik/Aleksandr Nedovyesov.

- **JOE SALISBURY**
 - **Age:** 30 (born 20 April 1992 in London, Great Britain)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 4 (doubles)
 - **2023 singles highlights:** SF Pune
 - **Davis Cup:** Salisbury won one of the 3 Davis Cup matches he contested in 2022, partnering Skupski to a victory against Kazakhstan's Bublik/Nedovyesov after he and Andy Murray had lost decisive doubles matches to both USA's Rajeev Ram/Jack Sock and Netherlands' Wesley Koolhof/Matwe Middelkoop. He and Skupski have a 2-2 win-loss record in Davis Cup doubles matches together overall.

NORWAY v SERBIA

OSLO TENNIS ARENA, OSLO – HARD, INDOORS

Head-to-head: first meeting

A first meeting for Norway and Serbia. Norway played Yugoslavia in Davis Cup on 2 occasions, falling 5-0 both times.

NORWAY	V	SERBIA
31	Davis Cup Nations Ranking	10
WG Play-offs 1995; Qualifiers 2022, 2023	Best Davis Cup Result	Champions 2010
1928	First Year Played	1995
87	Seasons Played (inc. 2023)	28
146	Ties Played	74
59-87	Ties Win-Loss	50-24
0	Comebacks from 0-2 down	0

Norway – Team Information

- [NORWAY](#) are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the first time.
- **Last season**, Norway fell to Kazakhstan 3-1 in the Qualifiers in Oslo in March before defeating India 3-1 in a World Group I tie in Lillehammer in September.
- Norway have **won 6 of their last 7 Davis Cup ties**. Since falling to Egypt in the 2018 Europe/Africa Group II first round in Sharm-el-Sheikh, their only defeat in the competition has come against Kazakhstan in the Qualifiers last year.
- Norway are contesting their **8th consecutive home tie**. They have not played a tie away from home since their defeat to Egypt in 2018.
- By reaching the Qualifiers, Norway have equalled their **best Davis Cup performance**. In addition to their appearance in the Qualifiers last year, they also reached the World Group play-offs (an equivalent level) on one occasion, in 1995 when they fell to Belgium.
- Norway reached No. 31 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings** in September last year, their best position since the rankings were introduced in 2001. They play here at the same ranking.

Norway – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Norwegian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Stian Boretti	38-37
2.	Christian Ruud	31-23
3.	Jan-Frode Andersen	30-23
4.	Casper Ruud	23-9
5.	Bent-Ove Pedersen	22-13

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Norwegian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Stian Boretti	26-19
2.	Jan-Frode Andersen	25-14
3.	Christian Ruud	24-15
4.	Casper Ruud	18-4
5.	Bent-Ove Pedersen	14-6

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Norwegian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Stian Boretti	12-18
2.	Bent-Ove Pedersen	8-7
3=	Christian Ruud	7-8
	Erling Tveit	7-7
5=	Joachim Bjerke	6-0
	Anders Rolfsen	6-1

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Norwegian player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Stian Boretti	39
2.	Jan-Frode Andersen	24
3.	Christian Ruud	21
4.	Erling Tveit	20
5.	Helge Koll-Frafjord	18

Norway – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Viktor Durasovic	2014	8	17	11-10	5-8
Andreja Petrovic	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Lukas Hellum Lilleengen	2020	2	2	1-1	0-0
Herman Hoeyeraal	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0

- **VIKTOR DURASOVIC**

- **Age:** 25 (born 19 March 1997 in Trondheim, Norway)
- **Rankings:** 362 (singles), 165 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Durasovic lost both matches he contested during Norway's defeat to Kazakhstan in the Qualifiers last year, falling to Bublik in singles and to Andrey Golubev/Aleksandr Nedovyesov alongside Simen Sunde Bratholm in doubles. He then won both matches he contested during Norway's World Group I victory over India in September, defeating Ramkumar Ramanathan in singles and Yuki Bhambri/Saketh Myneni alongside Ruud in doubles. If he contests his 18th Davis Cup tie this weekend, he will equal Helge Koll-Frafjord in 5th place on the list for most Davis Cup ties played by a Norwegian player.

- **ANDREJA PETROVIC**

- **Age:** 23 (born 1 February 2000)
- **Rankings:** 1265 (singles), unranked (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Petrovic could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend. He has been nominated for 2 previous ties but is yet to contest a match in the competition.

- **LUKAS HELLUM LILLEENGEN**

- **Age:** 22 (born 15 November 2000)
- **Rankings:** 1334 (singles), 1329 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Hellum Lilleengen could make his first appearance in a live Davis Cup match this weekend. His 2 previous appearances in the competition have come in dead singles matches, defeating Barbados' Kaipo Marshall in 2020 and falling to India's Sumit Nagal last year.

- **HERMAN HOEYERAAL**

- **Age:** 21 (born 2 October 2001)
- **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 2510 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Hoeyeraal could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend. He has been nominated for 5 previous ties but is yet to contest a match in the competition.

Serbia – Team Information

- [SERBIA](#) are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 4th time.
- **Last season**, Serbia qualified automatically for the Davis Cup Finals group stage (as semifinalists in 2020-21, following 2020-21 champions Russian Tennis Federation's suspension). They finished in 3rd place in Group B in Valencia in September, falling to Spain 3-0 but defeating Korea, Rep. 2-1 and Canada 2-1.
- Serbia **won the only previous Davis Cup Qualifier tie they contested** – defeating Uzbekistan 3-2 in the 2019 Qualifiers. They have also competed at the Finals either as a wild card (in 2020-21) or after securing automatic qualification (in 2022).
- Serbia are bidding to **win their 2nd Davis Cup title this season**. They won their only Davis Cup title to date in 2010, defeating France 3-2 having trailed 2-1 going into the final day. They also finished as runners-up in 2013, falling to Czech Republic in the final.
- Serbia **first competed in Davis Cup in 1995** under the Yugoslav flag. Yugoslavia was renamed Serbia & Montenegro in 2004 before Serbia became an independent nation in 2007. Before 1995, Serbian players represented former Yugoslavia, who reached the World Group semifinals three times in 1988-89 and 1991.
- Serbia are currently ranked at No. 10 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. Their highest ranking is No. 2, which it reached for the first time after winning the title in 2010.

Serbia – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Serbian player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Nenad Zimonjic	43-41
2=	Novak Djokovic Janko Tipsarevic	42-13 42-19
4.	Viktor Troicki	24-16
5.	Dusan Vemic	20-9

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Serbian player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Novak Djokovic	38-7
2.	Janko Tipsarevic	34-15
3.	Viktor Troicki	17-11
4.	Nenad Zimonjic	13-12
5=	Dusan Lajovic	12-9

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Serbian player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Nenad Zimonjic	30-19
2.	Dusan Vemic	9-5
3.	Janko Tipsarevic	8-4
4.	Viktor Troicki	7-5
5.	Nebojsa Djordjevic	5-4

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Serbian player*

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Nenad Zimonjic	55
2.	Janko Tipsarevic	37
3.	Novak Djokovic	32
4.	Viktor Troicki	24
5.	Dusan Vemic	18

*Records apply only to the Serbian team that has competed since 1995

Serbia – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC years played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Miomir Kecmanovic	2021	2	4	1-3	1-0
Filip Krajinovic	2014	7	15	8-4	2-5
Laslo Djere	2017	3	5	2-3	0-0
Hamad Medjedovic	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Nikola Cacic	2021	2	5	0-0	2-3

- **MIOMIR KECMANOVIC**
 - **Age:** 23 (born 31 August 1999 in Belgrade, Serbia)
 - **Rankings:** 34 (singles), 187 (doubles)
 - **2023 singles highlights:** QF Adelaide II
 - **Davis Cup:** Kecmanovic recorded his first Davis Cup singles match-win at the Finals group stage last year, defeating Korea Rep.'s Soonwoo Kwon in straight sets. He has lost the 3 other singles matches he has contested in the competition – to Kazakhstan's Mikhail Kukushkin at the 2021 Finals, and to both Spain's Roberto Bautista Agut and Canada's Felix Auger-Aliassime at the 2022 Finals group stage.
- **FILIP KRAJINOVIC**
 - **Age:** 30 (born 27 February 1992 in Sombor, Serbia)
 - **Rankings:** 56 (singles), unranked (doubles)
 - **2023 singles highlights:** QF Pune
 - **Davis Cup:** Krajinovic contested 2 doubles matches at the 2022 Finals group stage, falling to Korea Rep.'s Nam Jisung/Song Min-kyu alongside Cacic but defeating Canada's Alexis Galarneau/Vasek Pospisil alongside Kecmanovic. His last singles victory in the competition came at the 2019 Finals, when he defeated France's Jo-Wilfried Tsonga in straight sets. He has lost the 2 Davis Cup singles matches he has contested since then, falling to Russia's Andrey Rublev at the 2019 Finals and to Germany's Dominik Koepfer at the 2021 Finals.
- **LASLO DJERE**
 - **Age:** 27 (born 2 June 1995 in Senta, Serbia)
 - **Rankings:** 65 (singles), unranked (doubles)
 - **2023 singles highlights:** QF Auckland
 - **Davis Cup:** Djere made his first Davis Cup appearances since 2018 at the Finals group stage last year, winning one of the 2 matches he contested – he fell to Spain's Albert Ramos-Vinolas before defeating Canada's Gabriel Debru. He made 3 Davis Cup appearances in 2017-18.
- **HAMAD MEDJEDOVIC**
 - **Age:** 19 (born 18 July 2003 in Novi Pazar, Serbia)
 - **Rankings:** 258 (singles), unranked (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Medjedovic could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend, having been nominated for the first time.
- **NIKOLA CACIC**
 - **Age:** 32 (born 7 December 1990 in Banja Luka, Bosnia and Herzegovina)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 70 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Cacic made his Davis Cup debut at the 2021 Finals and won 2 of the 3 matches he contested. He lost both matches he contested at the Finals group stage last year, falling to Spain's Marcel Granollers/Pedro Martinez alongside Dusan Lajovic and to Korea Rep.'s Nam/Song alongside Krajinovic.

CHILE v KAZAKHSTAN

CAMPUS TRENTO, LA SERENA – HARD, INDOORS

Head-to-head: first meeting

CHILE	v	KAZAKHSTAN
21	Davis Cup Nations Ranking	11
Runners-up 1976	Best Davis Cup Result	Quarterfinals 2011, 2013-15, 2018, 2021
1928	First Year Played	1995
75	Seasons Played (inc. 2023)	28
161	Ties Played	82
86-75	Ties Win-Loss	48-34
0	Comebacks from 0-2 down	0

Chile – Team Information

- [CHILE](#) are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 2nd time.
- **Last season**, Chile defeated Slovenia 4-0 in the World Group I Play-offs in Vina del Mar in March before defeating Peru 3-2 in a World Group I tie in Lima in September.
- Chile have a **1-1 win-loss record in Davis Cup Qualifier ties**. They defeated Austria 3-2 in the 2019 Qualifiers but fell to Sweden 3-1 in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- Chile are bidding to extend an **8-tie winning streak at home**. The team have not lost a home Davis Cup tie since the 2011 World Group play-offs, when they fell to Italy 4-1 in Santiago.
- Chile are **former Davis Cup runners-up**. They reached the Final in 1976 – their only appearance in the title match to date – falling to Italy 4-1 in Santiago.
- Chile are currently ranked No. 21 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. They reached their highest-ever ranking of No. 10 in April 2006.

Chile – Player Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Chilean player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Luis Ayala	37-14
2.	Hans Gildemeister	36-12
3.	Patricio Cornejo Seckel	34-30
4.	Nicolas Massu	32-24
5.	Jaime Fillol	31-42
	Fernando Gonzalez	31-13

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Chilean player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Luis Ayala	27-6
2.	Marcelo Rios	25-10
3=	Patricio Cornejo Seckel	23-22
	Hans Gildemeister	23-6
5=	Jaime Fillol	22-26
	Nicolas Massu	22-12

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Chilean player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Hans Gildemeister	13-6
2=	Patricio Cornejo Seckel Fernando Gonzalez	11-18 11-6
4=	Luis Ayala Nicolas Massu	10-8 10-12

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Chilean player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Patricio Cornejo Seckel	32
2=	Jaime Fillol Hans Gildemeister Nicolas Massu	28 28 28
5.	Fernando Gonzalez	22

Chile – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Alejandro Tabilo	2019	3	5	3-2	2-3
Cristian Garin	2012	9	17	12-13	1-1
Nicolas Jarry	2013	8	15	11-9	6-4
Marcelo Tomas Barrios Vera	2017	4	6	1-1	1-4
Gonzalo Lama	2014	4	8	8-3	1-0

- **ALEJANDRO TABILO**

- **Age:** 25 (born 2 June 1997 in Toronto, Canada)
- **Rankings:** 97 (singles), 1152 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Tabilo won 4 of the 5 Davis Cup matches he contested in 2022. He recorded victories against Bor Artnak in singles and Sebastian Dominko/Blaz Rola alongside Barrios Vera in doubles during Chile's World Group I Play-off victory over Slovenia and against Nicolas Alvarez in singles and Sergio Galdos/Arklon Huertas del Pino alongside Jarry in doubles during Chile's World Group I victory over Peru. His only Davis Cup defeat last year came during the victory over Peru, when he fell to Juan Pablo Varillas in the 4th match of the tie.

- **CRISTIAN GARIN**

- **Age:** 26 (born 30 May 1996 in Santiago, Chile)
- **Rankings:** 102 (singles), unranked (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Garin is contesting his 2nd Davis Cup tie since the 2019 Finals – his only appearances in the competition since then came during Chile's 2021 World Group I defeat to Slovakia, when he defeated Alex Molcan before falling to Norbert Gombos. He made his Davis Cup debut in 2012 and has won 12 of the 25 singles matches he has contested in the competition since then.

- **NICOLAS JARRY**

- **Age:** 27 (born 11 October 1995 in Santiago, Chile)
- **Rankings:** 126 (singles), 327 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Jarry won 3 of the 4 Davis Cup matches he contested in 2022. He defeated Slovenia's Rola in the World Group I Play-offs in March and won 2 of the 3 matches he contested during Chile's World Group I victory over Peru in September – he fell to Varillas in 3 sets before defeating Galdos/Huertas del Pino alongside Tabilo in doubles and then defeated Nicolas Alvarez in the decisive 5th match of the tie.

- **MARCELO TOMAS BARRIOS VERA**
 - **Age:** 25 (born 10 December 1997 in Santiago, Chile)
 - **Rankings:** 213 (singles), 572 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Barrios Vera won the only Davis Cup match he contested in 2022, partnering Tabilo to a victory against Slovenia's Dominko/Rola in the World Group I Play-offs in March. The win ended his 5-match Davis Cup losing streak, having not previously won a match in the competition since his debut in 2017, when he defeated Jose Olivares in the dead 4th match of Chile's Americas Group I victory over Dominican Republic.

- **GONZALO LAMA**
 - **Age:** 29 (born 27 April 1993 in Santiago, Chile)
 - **Rankings:** 332 (singles), 1205 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Lama will make his first Davis Cup appearance in 5 years if he plays this weekend. His last appearance in the competition came during Chile's 2018 Americas Group I victory over Ecuador, when he fell to Roberto Quiroz. He recorded 8 Davis Cup singles match-wins between 2014 and 2016, with his defeat against Quiroz the only time he has lost a Davis Cup singles match.

Kazakhstan – Team Information

- **KAZAKHSTAN** are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 4th time.
- **Last season**, Kazakhstan defeated Norway 3-1 in the Qualifiers in Oslo in March to advance to the Finals. They finished in 4th place in Group D in Glasgow in September, falling to Netherlands 2-1, USA 2-1 and Great Britain 2-1.
- Kazakhstan are bidding to maintain their **perfect record in Davis Cup Qualifier ties**. In addition to their victory over Norway in the Qualifiers last year, they also defeated Portugal in the 2019 Qualifiers and Netherlands in the 2020 Qualifiers
- Kazakhstan's **best Davis Cup result** is reaching the quarterfinals on 6 occasions. In addition to their quarterfinal finish last year, they also reached the last 8 in 2011 (l. Argentina), 2013 (l. Czech Republic), 2014 (l. Switzerland), 2015 (l. Australia) and 2018 (l. Croatia).
- **Prior to 1995**, players from Kazakhstan represented USSR.
- Kazakhstan are currently ranked No. 11 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. Their highest-ranking is No. 7, which they achieved in February 2013.

Kazakhstan – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Kazakh player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Alexey Kedryuk	66-34
2.	Mikhail Kukushkin	29-21
3.	Andrey Golubev	28-13
4.	Pavel Baranov	16-8
5=	Aleksandr Nedovyesov	13-12

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Kazakh player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Alexey Kedryuk	43-17
2.	Mikhail Kukushkin	28-19
3.	Andrey Golubev	16-7
4.	Pavel Baranov	11-5
5.	Alexander Bublik	9-4

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Kazakh player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Alexey Kedryuk	23-17
2.	Andrey Golubev	12-6
3.	Aleksandr Nedovyesov	11-7
4.	Igor Chaldounov	9-4
5.	Yuriy Schukin	7-6

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Kazakh player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Alexey Kedryuk	51
2.	Mikhail Kukushkin	31
3.	Andrey Golubev	24
4.	Igor Chaldounov	20
5.	Aleksandr Nedovyesov*	18

*Nedovyesov also played one Davis Cup tie for Ukraine in 2005

Kazakhstan – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Alexander Bublik	2019	3	11	9-4	3-2
Timofei Skatov	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Mikhail Kukushkin	2008	14	31	28-19	1-2
Aleksandr Nedovyesov*	2014	9	18	2-5	11-7
Andrey Golubev	2008	12	24	16-7	12-6

*Nedovyesov played one Davis Cup tie for Ukraine in 2005, losing the one dead singles match he contested. Figures in the table indicate his Davis Cup record for Kazakhstan only.

- **ALEXANDER BUBLIK**

- **Age:** 25 (born 17 June 1997 in Gatchina, Russia)
- **Rankings:** 36 (singles), 181 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Bublik won 5 of the 8 Davis Cup matches he contested in 2022. In singles he defeated both Viktor Durasovic and Casper Ruud during Kazakhstan's victory over Norway in the Qualifiers before defeating Great Britain's Cameron Norrie and falling to Netherlands' Botić van de Zandschulp and USA's Taylor Fritz at the Finals group stage. In doubles, he won 2 of the 3 matches he contested alongside Nedovyesov at the Finals group stage. He will equal Pavel Baranov in 4th place on the list for most Davis Cup singles matches won by a Kazakh player if he wins 2 singles matches this weekend.

- **TIMOFEI SKATOV**

- **Age:** 22 (born 21 January 2001 in Petropavlovsk, Kazakhstan)
- **Rankings:** 129 (singles), 729 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Skatov could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend, having been nominated for the first time.

- **MIKHAIL KUKUSHKIN**

- **Age:** 35 (born 26 December 1987 in Volgograd, Russia)
- **Rankings:** 214 (singles), 1048 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Kukushkin is in 2nd place on the lists for most total Davis Cup matches won by a Kazakh player, most Davis Cup singles matches won by a Kazakh player and most Davis Cup ties played by a Kazakh player – behind Alexey Kedryuk on all 3 cases. He lost all 3 matches he contested in the competition in 2022, falling to Norway's Ruud in the Qualifiers and to Netherlands' Tallon Griekspoor and USA's Tommy Paul at the Finals group stage.

- **ALEKSANDR NEDOVYESOV**

- **Age:** 35 (born 15 February 1987 in Alushta, Ukraine)
- **Rankings:** 1063 (singles), 65 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Nedovyesov has contested only doubles matches in his Davis Cup appearances since 2017, having lost his last 5 singles matches in the competition. He claimed sole ownership of 3rd place on the list for most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Kazakh player, ahead of Igor Chaldounov, by winning 2 of his 3 matches at the Finals group stage in September, partnering Bublik to victories against Netherlands' Wesley Koolhof/Matwe Middelkoop and USA's Rajeev Ram/Jack Sock but falling to Great Britain's Joe Salisbury/Neal Skupski.

- **ANDREY GOLUBEV**

- **Age:** 35 (born 22 July 1987 in Volzhskij, Russia)
- **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 48 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Golubev is in 2nd place on the list for most Davis Cup doubles matches won by a Kazakh player and in 3rd place on the list for most Davis Cup singles matches won by a Kazakh player – but has not contested a singles match in the competition since 2015. He won the only match he contested in the competition in 2022, partnering Nedovyesov to a victory against Simen Sunde Bratholm/Durasovic during Kazakhstan's victory over Norway in the Qualifiers. He was nominated for the team for the Finals group stage but did not contest a match.

KOREA, REP. v BELGIUM

OLYMPIC TENNIS COURT, SEOUL – HARD, INDOORS

Head-to-head: Belgium lead 1-0

1990 WG Play-offs Clay (O) Brussels (BEL) Belgium d. Korea, Rep. 4-1

A 2nd meeting for Korea, Rep. and Belgium. Their only previous meeting came on clay in the 1990 World Group Play-offs, with Belgium recording a comfortable 4-1 victory.

KOREA, REP.	v	BELGIUM
22	Davis Cup Nations Ranking	12
WG first round 3 times; Finals 2022	Best Davis Cup Result	Runners-up 1904, 2015, 2017
1960	First Year Played	1904
61	Seasons Played (inc. 2023)	100
119	Ties Played	200
53-66	Ties Win-Loss	101-99
0	Comebacks from 0-2 down	1

Korea, Rep. – Team Information

- [KOREA, REP.](#) are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 2nd time.
- **Last season**, Korea, Rep. defeated Austria 3-1 in the Qualifiers in Seoul in March to advance to the Finals for the first time. They finished in 4th place in Group B in Valencia in September, falling to Canada 2-1, Serbia 2-1 and Spain 3-0.
- Korea, Rep. have a **1-1 win-loss record in Davis Cup Qualifier ties**. In addition to their victory against Austria in the Qualifiers last year, they fell to Italy 4-0 in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- Korea, Rep. have **won 4 of the last 5 home ties they have contested** – but are playing at home for just the 2nd time since September 2018 this weekend, after their home victory against Austria in the Qualifiers last year. Their only defeat in a home tie in that time came against Uzbekistan in a 2017 Asia/Oceania Group I first round tie in Gimcheon.
- Korea, Rep.'s **best Davis Cup performance** is contesting the World Group on 3 occasions and contesting the Finals in 2022. They fell in the first round on all 3 of their World Group appearances – losing to New Zealand in 1981, France in 1987 and Germany in 2008 – and finished in 4th place in their group at the Finals last year.
- Korea, Rep. are currently ranked at No. 22 in the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. Their highest-ranking is No. 13, which they reached in September 2007.

Korea, Rep. – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Korean player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Lee Hyung-Taik	51-24
2.	Yoon Yong-Il	19-14
3=	Kim Bong-Soo	18-9
	Yoo Jin-Sun	18-11
5.	Lim Yongkyu	16-15

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Korean player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Lee Hyung-Taik	41-9
2.	Yoon Yong-II	16-10
3.	Kim Bong-Soo	13-8
4.	Lim Yongkyu	12-8
5.	Jeon Young-Dai	11-4

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Korean player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1=	Lee Hyung-Taik	10-15
	Yoo Jin-Sun	10-6
3.	Chung Hee-Seok	7-5
4.	Song Dong-Wook	6-5
5=	Chang Eui-Jong	5-4
	Kim Bong-Soo	5-1
	Kim Chi-Wan	5-3

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Korean player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Lee Hyung-Taik	31
2.	Lim Yongkyu	20
3.	Yoo Jin-Sun	17
4.	Yoon Yong-II	16
5.	Song Dong-Wook	15

Korea, Rep. – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Soonwoo Kwon	2017	5	10	10-4	0-1
Hong Seong Chan	2015	5	9	2-9	0-2
Nam Ji Sung	2013	5	11	3-3	3-8
Song Min-kyu	2015	4	9	0-0	2-7

- **SOONWOO KWON**

- **Age:** 25 (born 2 December 1997 in Sangju, Korea, Republic)
- **Rankings:** 61 (singles), 539 (doubles)
- **2023 singles highlights:** Won Adelaide II
- **Davis Cup:** Kwon has won 7 of his last 9 Davis Cup matches. He defeated Canada's Felix Auger-Aliassime to extend to a 7-match winning streak in the competition at the Finals group stage last year before falling to Serbia's Miomir Kecmanovic and Spain's Carlos Alcaraz. He had not lost a match in the competition since losing 2 matches during Korea, Rep.'s defeat to Pakistan in the 2018 Asia/Oceania Group I first round, when he fell to Aisam Qureshi in singles and he and Lim Yongkyu fell to Aqeel Khan/Qureshi in doubles. He will equal Jeon Young-Dai in 5th place on the list for most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Korean player if he wins a singles match this weekend and equal Lim Yongkyu in 4th place on the list if he wins 2 singles matches.

- **HONG SEONG CHAN**

- **Age:** 25 (born 30 June 1997 in Gangwonto, Korea, Republic)
- **Rankings:** 237 (singles), 381 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Hong made his first Davis Cup appearances since 2018 at the Finals group stage last year, losing all 3 matches he contested – falling to Canada's Vasek Pospisil, Serbia's Dusan Lajovic and Spain's Roberto Bautista Agut. He has won just 2 of the 13 matches he has contested in the competition – against Temur Ismailov during Korea, Republic's defeat to Uzbekistan in the 2015 Asia/Oceania Group I second round and against Jose Statham during Korea, Republic's victory against New Zealand in the 2016 Asia/Oceania Group I first round.

- **NAM JI SUNG**
 - **Age:** 29 (born 15 August 1993 in Busan, Korea, Republic)
 - **Rankings:** 481 (singles), 152 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Nam won 2 of the 5 Davis Cup matches he contested in 2022 – he and Song defeated Austria’s Alexander Erler/Lucas Miedler in the Qualifiers and Serbia’s Nikola Cacic/Filip Krajinovic at the Finals group stage, but fell to Canada’s Auger-Aliassime/Pospisil and Spain’s Marcel Granollers/Pedro Martinez at the Finals group stage. He also lost the only singles match he contested in the competition last year, falling to Austria’s Dennis Novak in the Qualifiers.
- **SONG MIN-KYU**
 - **Age:** 32 (born 25 August 1990 in Gyeonggi-do, Korea, Republic)
 - **Rankings:** 1798 (singles), 147 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Song recorded his first Davis Cup match-wins in 2022 – he and Nam defeated Erler/Miedler during Korea, Rep.’s victory over Austria in the Qualifiers and Serbia’s Cacic/Krainovic at the Finals group stage. He has lost the other 7 matches he has contested in the competition, all of which have also come alongside Nam.

Belgium – Team Information

- **BELGIUM** are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 3rd time.
- **Last season**, Belgium defeated Finland 3-2 in the Qualifiers in Espoo in March to advance to the Finals. They finished in 4th place in Group C in Hamburg in September, falling to Australia 3-0, Germany 2-1 and France 2-1.
- Belgium have a **2-1 win-loss record in Davis Cup Qualifier ties** – in addition to their victory against Finland in the Qualifiers last year, they defeated Brazil 3-1 in the 2019 Qualifiers but fell to Hungary 3-2 in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- Belgium are contesting their **100th Davis Cup season this year**. They contested their 200th Davis Cup tie at the 2022 Finals, falling to France in their final group stage tie.
- Having finished runner-up in 1904 (I. British Isles), 2015 (I. Great Britain) and 2017 (I. France), Belgium jointly holds the record for **most appearances in the Davis Cup final without ever having won the title**, alongside India and Romania.
- Belgium are currently ranked at No. 12 in the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings** – their lowest ranking since they were ranked at No. 13 in March 2015. Their highest ranking is No. 3, which they reached for the first time in November 2017.

Belgium – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Belgian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Jacques Brichant	71-49
2.	Philippe Washer	66-36
3.	Andre Lacroix	35-25
4.	David Goffin	28-9
5.	Patrick Hombergen	26-31

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Belgian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Jacques Brichant	52-27
2.	Philippe Washer	46-18
3.	David Goffin	28-5
4.	Steve Darcis	23-12
5.	Andre Lacroix	21-19

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Belgian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Philippe Washer	20-18
2.	Jacques Brichant	19-22
3=	Leopold de Borman	14-5
	Andre Lacroix	14-6
5.	Patrick Hombergen	11-7

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Belgian player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Jacques Brichant	42
2.	Philippe Washer	38
3.	Olivier Rochus	30
4=	Steve Darcis	25
	Andre Lacroix	25

Belgium – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
David Goffin	2012	9	21	28-5	0-4
Zizou Bergs	2021	2	4	1-4	0-0
Joris de Loore	2016	3	6	1-2	2-3
Sander Gille	2018	4	10	0-0	4-6
Joran Vliegen	2018	3	9	0-0	4-5

- **[DAVID GOFFIN](#)**

- **Age:** 32 (born 7 December 1990 in Rocourt, Belgium)
- **Rankings:** 41 (singles), unranked (doubles)
- **2023 singles highlights:** QF Auckland
- **Davis Cup:** Goffin returned to the Belgian Davis Cup team for the first time since the 2019 Finals in the Qualifiers last year, having struggled with injuries during the 2020 and 2021 seasons. He won 4 of the 5 singles matches he contested in the competition last year, defeating both Otto Virtanen and Emil Ruusuvuori during Belgium's victory over Finland in the Qualifiers and Germany's Oscar Otte and France's Benjamin Bonzi at the Finals group stage. His only Davis Cup singles defeat last year came against Australia's Alex de Minaur at the Finals group stage. He has led the Belgian team to 2 runner-up finishes, falling to Great Britain in 2015 and to France in 2017, and is in 4th place on the list for most Davis Cup matches won by a Belgian player and in 3rd place on the list for most Davis Cup singles matches won by a Belgian player.

- **[ZIZOU BERGS](#)**

- **Age:** 23 (born 3 June 1999 in Lommel, Belgium)
- **Rankings:** 115 (singles), 985 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Bergs has lost 4 of the 5 Davis Cup matches he has contested. His only victory in the competition came against Virtanen in the decisive 5th match of Belgium's victory over Finland in the 2022 Qualifiers. He lost both matches he contested at the Finals group stage in September, falling to Australia's Jason Kubler and Germany's Jan-Lennard Struff.

- **[JORIS DE LOORE](#)**

- **Age:** 29 (born 21 April 1993 in Brugge, Belgium)
- **Rankings:** 211 (singles), 573 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** De Loore could make his first Davis Cup appearance in nearly 5 years this weekend. His last appearance in the competition came in Belgium's 2018 quarterfinal defeat to USA, when he fell to John Isner in 4 sets. His only singles victory in the competition came against Thomaz Bellucci in the dead 4th match of Belgium's 2016 World Group play-off victory over Brazil. He was a member of the Belgian team which finished as runners-up in 2017, partnering Ruben Bemelmans in the doubles match of the final but falling to France's Richard Gasquet/Pierre-Hugues Herbert.

- **SANDER GILLE**

- **Age:** 32 (born 15 January 1991 in Hasselt, Belgium)
- **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 55 (doubles)
- **2023 singles highlights:** Won Pune
- **Davis Cup:** Gille has won 4 of the 10 Davis Cup matches he has contested, 9 of which have come alongside Vliegen. The pair lost all 3 matches they contested at the Finals group stage last year – falling to Australia’s Matthew Ebden/Max Purcell, Germany’s Kevin Krawietz/Tim Puetz and France’s Nicolas Mahut/Arthur Rinderknech. He has played only one Davis Cup match with a different partner – when he and Goffin fell to Harri Heliövaara/Ruusuvuori in doubles during Belgium’s victory over Finland in Qualifiers last year.

- **JORAN VLIEGEN**

- **Age:** 29 (born 7 July 1993 in Maaseik, Belgium)
- **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 53 (doubles)
- **2023 singles highlights:** Won Pune
- **Davis Cup:** Vliegen has won 4 of the 9 Davis Cup matches he has contested, all of which have come alongside Gille. The pair lost all 3 matches they contested at the Finals group stage last year – falling to Australia’s Ebden/Purcell, Germany’s Krawietz/Puetz and France’s Mahut/Rinderknech.

SWEDEN v BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

THE ROYAL TENNIS HALL, STOCKHOLM – HARD, INDOORS

Head-to-head: first meeting

SWEDEN	v	BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA
13	Davis Cup Nations Ranking	29
Champions 7 times	Best Davis Cup Result	WG play-offs 2018; Qualifiers 2019, 2023
1925	First Year Played	1996
89	Years Played (inc. 2023)	27
246	Ties Played	98
160-86	Ties Win-Loss	54-44
6	Comebacks from 0-2 down	0

Sweden – Team Information

- [SWEDEN](#) are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 3rd time.
- **Last season**, Sweden defeated Japan 3-2 in the Qualifiers in Helsingborg in March to advance to the Finals. They finished in 3rd place in Group A in Bologna in September, defeating Argentina 2-1 but falling to Croatia 2-1 and Italy 2-1.
- Sweden have a **2-1 win-loss record in Davis Cup Qualifier ties**. In addition to their victory over Japan in the Qualifiers last year, they fell to Colombia 4-0 in the 2019 Qualifiers but defeated Chile 3-1 in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- Sweden are bidding to extend a **5-tie winning streak at home**. They have not lost a home Davis Cup tie since the 2016 Europe/Africa Group I relegation play-offs, when they fell to Netherlands 5-0 in Bastad. Since then, they have recorded home victories against Lithuania, Portugal, Israel, Chile and Japan.
- Sweden are **7-time Davis Cup champions**, with all 7 of their titles coming between 1975 and 1998. They are 5th on the all-time list of champions – behind USA (32 titles), Australia (28), France and Great Britain (both 10).
- Sweden are ranked No. 13 in the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. Their best ranking is No. 4, which they held from December 2001 to July 2002.

Sweden – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Swedish player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Ulf Schmidt	66-36
2.	Jan-Erik Lundqvist	64-27
3.	Lennart Bergelin Sven Davidson	62-26 62-23
5.	Torsten Johansson	51-21

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Swedish player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Jan-Erik Lundqvist	47-16
2.	Ulf Schmidt	44-25
3.	Lennart Bergelin	43-17
4.	Sven Davidson	39-14
5.	Bjorn Borg	37-3

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Swedish player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Sven Davidson	23-9
2.	Ulf Schmidt	22-11
3.	Jonas Bjorkman	21-14
4.	Anders Jarryd	20-14
5.	Lennart Bergelin	19-9

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Swedish player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Ulf Schmidt	38
2=	Lennart Bergelin	36
	Jonas Bjorkman	36
	Sven Davidson	36
5=	Stefan Edberg	35
	Anders Jarryd	35
	Jan-Erik Lundqvist	35

Sweden – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Mikael Ymer	2015	7	14	14-7	0-1
Elias Ymer	2013	9	19	14-14	1-2
Leo Borg	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Filip Bergevi	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Andre Goransson	2019	3	6	0-0	2-4

- **MIKAEL YMER**

- **Age:** 24 (born 9 September 1998 in Skovde, Sweden)
- **Rankings:** 60 (singles), 817 (doubles)
- **2023 singles highlights:** QF Adelaide II
- **Davis Cup:** Mikael Ymer won 2 of the 4 matches he contested at the 2022 Finals group stage – he defeated Argentina’s Diego Schwartzman and Italy’s Jannik Sinner in singles, but lost 2 matches in Sweden’s defeat to Croatia, falling to Borna Coric in singles and to Nikola Mektic/Mate Pavic in doubles alongside Elias Ymer. The defeat to Mektic/Pavic was the only Davis Cup doubles match he has contested to date.

- **ELIAS YMER**

- **Age:** 26 (born 10 April 1996 in Skara, Sweden)
- **Rankings:** 120 (singles), 819 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Elias Ymer won 4 of the 5 Davis Cup singles matches he contested in 2022. He defeated Taro Daniel and Yosuke Watanuki during Sweden’s victory over Japan in the Qualifiers, and defeated Argentina’s Sebastian Baez and Croatia’s Borna Gojo before falling to Italy’s Matteo Berrettini at the Finals group stage. He contested his first 3 Davis Cup doubles matches in 2023, defeating Japan’s Ben McLachlan/Yasutaka Uchiyama alongside Goransson in the Qualifiers, but falling to Argentina’s Maximo Gonzalez/Horacio Zeballos alongside Goransson and to Croatia’s Mektic/Pavic alongside Mikael Ymer at the Finals group stage.

- **LEO BORG**

- **Age:** 19 (born 15 May 2003 in Stockholm, Sweden)
- **Rankings:** 509 (singles), 1146 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Borg could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend, having been nominated for the first time. His father, Bjorn Borg, played 21 ties for Sweden between 1972 and 1980 and had a 45-11 overall win-loss record in the competition.

- **FILIP BERGEVI**
 - **Age:** 28 (born 20 April 1994 in Kristianstad, Sweden)
 - **Rankings:** 821 (singles), 270 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Bergevi could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend. He has been nominated for the 2nd time – he was also nominated for Sweden’s 2018 World Group play-off tie against Switzerland but did not contest a match.

- **ANDRE GORANSSON**
 - **Age:** 28 (born 30 April 1994 in Rang, Sweden)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 66 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Goransson made his Davis Cup debut in 2019 and has won 2 of the 6 matches he has played in the competition – including a victory alongside Elias Ymer against McLachlan/Uchiyama during Sweden’s victory over Japan in the Qualifiers last year. He lost both matches he contested at the Finals group stage in September, falling to Argentina’s Gonzalez/Zeballos alongside Elias Ymer and to Italy’s Simone Bolelli/Fabio Fognini alongside Dragos Nicolae Madaras.

Bosnia and Herzegovina – Team Information

- **BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA** are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the first time.
- **Last season**, Bosnia and Herzegovina defeated Tunisia 3-1 in the World Group I Play-offs in Tunis in March before defeating Mexico 3-1 in a World Group I tie in Siroki Brijeg in September.
- Bosnia and Herzegovina **lost the only previous Davis Cup Qualifier tie they contested** – falling to Australia 4-0 in the 2019 Qualifiers in Adelaide.
- Bosnia and Herzegovina have **won 3 of their last 4 Davis Cup ties**. Their only defeat in that time (since the beginning of the 2020 season) came in a 2021 World Group I tie, when they fell to Peru 3-2 in Lima.
- Bosnia and Herzegovina’s **best Davis Cup performance** is reaching the World Group play-offs in 2018 and the Qualifiers in both 2019 and this season.
- Prior to 1993, **players from Bosnia and Herzegovina represented Yugoslavia**.
- Bosnia and Herzegovina are currently ranked No. 29 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. Their best ranking is No. 21, which they reached in September 2019.

Bosnia and Herzegovina – Player Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Bosnian player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Mirza Basic	33-21
2.	Tomislav Brkic	23-18
3.	Damir Dzumhur	21-12
4.	Meride Zahirovic	20-10
5.	Bojan Vujic	16-5

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Bosnian player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Damir Dzumhur	20-11
2.	Meride Zahirovic	17-5
3.	Aldin Sektic	13-8
4.	Mirza Basic	12-14
5=	Amer Delic	8-3
	Bojan Vujic	8-3

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Bosnian player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Mirza Basic	21-7
2.	Tomislav Brkic	20-8
3.	Bojan Vujic	8-2
4=	Ismar Gorcic	7-7
	Aleksandar Maric	7-2

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Bosnian player*

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Tomislav Brkic	31
2.	Mirza Basic	30
3.	Haris Basalic	24
4.	Meride Zahirovic	23
5.	Damir Dzumhur	20

*Records apply only to the Bosnia and Herzegovina team which has competed since 1996

Bosnia and Herzegovina – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Damir Dzumhur	2010	12	20	20-11	1-1
Nerman Fatic	2013	8	8	3-4	0-1
Mirza Basic	2007	11	30	12-14	21-7
Tomislav Brkic	2008	13	31	3-10	20-8

- **DAMIR DZUMHUR**

- **Age:** 30 (born 20 May 1992 in Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina)
- **Rankings:** 197 (singles), 609 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Dzumhur has won 6 of his last 7 Davis Cup matches. Since the beginning of the 2020 season, his only Davis Cup defeat came against Juan Pablo Varillas in Bosnia and Herzegovina's 2021 World Group I defeat to Peru. He won all 3 matches he contested in the competition last year, defeating Moez Echargui and Malek Jaziri during Bosnia and Herzegovina's World Group I Play-off victory against Tunisia and defeating Alan Fernando Rubio Fierros during Bosnia and Herzegovina's World Group I victory against Mexico. He holds the record for most Davis Cup singles matches won by a Bosnian player.

- **NERMAN FATIC**

- **Age:** 28 (born 24 October 1994 in Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina)
- **Rankings:** 241 (singles), 869 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Fatic won the only Davis Cup match he contested in 2022, defeating Gerardo Lopez Villasenor during Bosnia and Herzegovina's World Group I victory against Mexico. The victory ended a 3-match Davis Cup losing streak for Fatic – he had previously not recorded a victory in the competition since 2016, when he defeated Tomas Vaise in the dead 5th match of Bosnia and Herzegovina's Europe/Africa Group II victory against Lithuania.

- **MIRZA BASIC**

- **Age:** 31 (born 12 July 1991 in Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina)
- **Rankings:** 394 (singles), 425 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Basic is bidding to extend his record for most Davis Cup matches won by a Bosnian player. He won both Davis Cup doubles matches he contested in 2022 – partnering Brkic to victories over Tunisia's Echargui/Jaziri and Mexico's Santiago Gonzalez/Miguel-Angel Reyes-Varela – but lost the only singles match he contested to Jaziri during Bosnia and Herzegovina's World Group I Play-off victory over Tunisia. He is one of 2 players, alongside Brkic, to have contested 30 or more Davis Cup ties for Bosnia and Herzegovina.

- [TOMISLAV BRKIC](#)

- **Age:** 32 (born 9 March 1990 in Ljubuski, Bosnia and Herzegovina)
- **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 59 (doubles)
- **2023 doubles highlights:** SF Adelaide I
- **Davis Cup:** Brkic won both Davis Cup doubles matches he contested in 2022, partnering Basic to victories over Tunisia's Echargui/Jaziri and Mexico's Gonzalez/Reyes-Varela. He has won 3 of the 13 singles matches he has contested in the competition, but has not contested a Davis Cup singles match since falling to both Jiri Vesely and Jonas Forejtek in Bosnia and Herzegovina's 2019 Europe/Africa Group I defeat to Czech Republic. He holds the record for most Davis Cup ties played by a Bosnian player.

NETHERLANDS v SLOVAKIA

MARTINIPLAZA GRONINGEN, GRONINGEN – HARD, INDOORS

Head-to-head: Slovakia lead 1-0

2005 WG Quarterfinal Hard (I) Bratislava (SVK) Slovakia d. Netherlands 4-1

A 2nd meeting for Netherlands and Slovakia. Their only previous meeting came in the quarterfinals in 2005 – the year in which Slovakia posted their best Davis Cup performance by reaching the final.

NETHERLANDS	v	SLOVAKIA
14	Davis Cup Nations Ranking	27
Semifinals 2001	Best Davis Cup Result	Runners-up 2005
1920	First Year Played	1994*
95	Seasons Played (inc. 2023)	29*
173	Ties Played	64
79-94	Ties Win-Loss	38-26
2	Comebacks from 0-2 down	0

*Prior to 1994, Slovakian players represented Czechoslovakia

Netherlands – Team Information

- [NETHERLANDS](#) are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 3rd time.
- **Last season**, Netherlands defeated Canada 4-0 in the Qualifiers in Den Haag in March to advance to the Finals. They finished in first place in Group D in Glasgow in September, defeating Kazakhstan 2-1, Great Britain 2-1 and USA 2-1. They fell to Australia 2-0 in the quarterfinals at the Final 8 knockout stage in Malaga in November.
- Netherlands have a **2-1 win-loss record in Davis Cup Qualifier ties**. In addition to their victory against Canada last year, they defeated Czech Republic 3-1 in the 2019 Qualifiers but fell to Kazakhstan 3-1 in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- Netherlands' **best Davis Cup performance** is reaching the World Group semifinals in 2001 – the team defeated Spain and Germany before falling to eventual champion France in the last 4. Their quarterfinal finish in 2022 was their best result in the competition since 2005.
- Netherlands are ranked at No. 14 in the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings** – 7 places below their best ranking of No. 7, which they held between December 2001 and February 2002.

Netherlands – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Dutch player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Hendrik Timmer	43-22
2.	Robin Haase	42-25
3.	Paul Haarhuis	31-18
4.	Arthur Diemer-Kool	25-13
5.	Michiel Schapers	23-13

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Dutch player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1=	Robin Haase	32-15
	Hendrik Timmer	32-15
3.	Thiemo de Bakker	16-14
4=	Paul Haarhuis	15-8
	Sjeng Schalken	15-12

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Dutch player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Paul Haarhuis	16-10
2.	Arthur Diemer-Kool	12-2
3.	Hendrik Timmer	11-7
4=	Robin Haase	10-10
	Jean-Julien Rojer*	10-6*
	A C van Swol	10-5
	Huub van Boeckel	10-5

*Rojer competed for Netherlands Antilles from 1998 to 2007. He had a 12-3 doubles win-loss for Netherlands Antilles.

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Dutch player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Robin Haase	28
2.	Paul Haarhuis	27
3.	Hendrik Timmer	26
4.	Thiemo de Bakker	21
5.	Sjeng Schalken	17

Netherlands – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Botic van de Zandschulp	2019	3	7	5-2	0-0
Tallon Griekspoor	2019	3	9	4-5	0-0
Tim van Rijthoven	2015	2	2	1-1	0-0
Wesley Koolhof	2019	3	6	0-0	3-3
Matwe Middelkoop	2009	6	9	1-1	6-3

- **BOTIC VAN DE ZANDSCHULP**

- **Age:** 27 (born 4 October 1995 in Wageningen, Netherlands)
- **Rankings:** 35 (singles), 143 (doubles)
- **2023 singles highlights:** SF Pune
- **Davis Cup:** Van de Zandschulp won 4 of the 5 Davis Cup matches he contested in 2022. He defeated Alexis Galarneau during Netherlands' victory over Canada in the Qualifiers this year before winning all 3 matches he contested at the Finals group stage in September, defeating Kazakhstan's Alexander Bublik, Great Britain's Cameron Norrie and USA's Taylor Fritz. He fell to Australia's Alex de Minaur in the quarterfinals at the Final 8 knockout stage in November.

- **TALLON GRIEKSPoor**

- **Age:** 26 (born 2 July 1996 in Haarlem, Netherlands)
- **Rankings:** 59 (singles), 221 (doubles)
- **2023 singles highlights:** Won Pune
- **Davis Cup:** Griekspoor won 3 of the 5 Davis Cup matches he contested in 2022. He defeated Canada's Steven Diez in the Qualifiers and both Kazakhstan's Mikhail Kukushkin and USA's Tommy Paul at the Finals group stage in September. He fell to Great Britain's Daniel Evans in the group stage and to Australia's Jordan Thompson in the quarterfinals at the Final 8 knockout stage in November.

- **TIM VAN RIJTHOVEN**

- **Age:** 27 (24 April 1997 in Roosendaal, Netherlands)
- **Rankings:** 107 (singles), 606 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Van Rijthoven could contest his first live Davis Cup match this week. His only previous appearances in the competition came in dead singles matches – falling to Switzerland's Henri Laaksonen in the 2015 World Group play-offs and defeating Sweden's Mikael Ymer in the 2016 Europe/Africa Group I relegation play-offs. He was nominated for the Dutch team for both the Finals group stage and the Final 8 knockout stage last year but did not contest a match.

- **WESLEY KOOLHOF**
 - **Age:** 33 (born 17 April 1989 in Duiven, Netherlands)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 1= (doubles)
 - **2023 doubles highlights:** SF Adelaide II; QF Australian Open
 - **Davis Cup:** Koolhof made his Davis Cup debut in 2019 and has won 3 of the 5 matches he has contested in the competition. All 3 of his victories came alongside Middelkoop – against Uruguay’s Ignacio Carou/Martin Cuevas in 2021, against Canada’s Peter Polansky/Brayden Schnur in the Qualifiers last year and against Great Britain’s Andy Murray/Joe Salisbury at the Finals group stage last year. The pair lost their 2 other matches at the Finals group stage – falling to Kazakhstan’s Bublik/Aleksandr Nedovyesov and USA’s Rajeev Ram/Jack Sock.
- **MATWE MIDDELKOOP**
 - **Age:** 39 (born 3 September 1983 in Leerdam, Netherlands)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 19 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Middelkoop has won 6 of the 9 Davis Cup doubles matches he has contested. His only defeats in Davis Cup doubles matches came in 2016 – when he and Robin Haase fell to Konstantin Kravchuk/Andrey Rublev in Netherlands’ 2016 Europe/Africa Group I second round defeat to Russia – and at the Finals group stage last year, when and he Koolhof fell to both Kazakhstan’s Bublik/Nedovyesov and USA’s Ram/Sock. He and Koolhof won their other match at the Finals group stage, defeating Great Britain’s Murray/Salisbury in a decisive doubles match to secure Netherlands’ place in the quarterfinals.

Slovakia – Team Information

- **SLOVAKIA** are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the first time.
- **Last season**, Slovakia fell to Italy 3-2 in the Qualifiers in Bratislava in March before defeating Romania 3-1 in a World Group I tie in Bratislava in September.
- Slovakia are bidding to **win a Davis Cup Qualifiers tie for the first time** on their 4th attempt. In addition to their defeat to Italy in the Qualifiers last year, they also fell to Canada 3-2 in the 2019 Qualifiers and to Czech Republic 3-1 in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- Slovakia are contesting their **first away tie since 2016**, when they fell to Australia in the World Group play-offs in Sydney. Since then, they have contested 10 consecutive home ties and had a 5-5 win-loss record in the competition in that time.
- Slovakia are **former Davis Cup runners-up**, having lost to Croatia 3-2 in the 2005 Final in Bratislava. The tie came down to a decisive 5th match, with Mario Ancic defeating Michal Mertinak in straight sets to win the title for Croatia.
- **Prior to 1994**, Slovakian players represented Czechoslovakia. Before the nation divided into Slovakia and Czech Republic, Czechoslovakia won the Davis Cup title in 1980.
- Slovakia are ranked No. 27 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. They reached their best-ever ranking after reaching the 2005 Final, peaking at No. 3 in November of that year.

Slovakia – Player Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Slovakian player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1=	Dominik Hrbaty Karol Kucera	33-25 33-18
3.	Martin Klizan	26-11
4.	Michal Mertinak	18-12
5=	Jan Kroslak Lukas Lacko	17-9 17-17

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Slovakian player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Dominik Hrbaty	28-14
2.	Karol Kucera	27-11
3.	Martin Klizan	21-10
4.	Lukas Lacko	17-13
5.	Jan Kroslak	9-4

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Slovakian player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Filip Polasek	14-4
2.	Michal Mertinak	12-7
3.	Igor Zelenay	10-5
4.	Jan Kroslak	8-5
5.	Karol Kucera	6-7

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Slovakian player*

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Dominik Hrbaty	26
2.	Karol Kucera	25
3.	Michal Mertinak	21
4.	Martin Klizan	19
5=	Lukas Lacko Filip Polasek	18 18

*records apply only to the Slovakian team that has competed since 1993

Slovakia – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Alex Molcan	2021	2	2	2-1	0-0
Norbert Gombos	2014	7	13	7-13	0-1
Jozef Kovalik	2016	4	6	2-4	0-0
Lukas Klein	2022	1	1	0-0	1-0
Igor Zelenay	2003	10	15	0-0	10-5

• **ALEX MOLCAN**

- **Age:** 25 (born 1 December 1997 in Presov, Slovakia)
- **Rankings:** 55 (singles), 276 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Molcan recorded his first Davis Cup match-wins during Slovakia's World Group I victory over Romania last year, defeating both Marius Copil and Nicholas David Ionel. He lost the only match he had contested in the competition, falling to Cristian Garin during Slovakia's 2021 World Group I victory over Chile.

• **NORBERT GOMBOS**

- **Age:** 32 (born 13 August 1990 in Galanta, Slovakia)
- **Rankings:** 124 (singles), unranked (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Gombos lost the 3 Davis Cup matches he contested in 2022, falling to Jannik Sinner and Lorenzo Musetti during Slovakia's defeat to Italy in the Qualifiers and to Ionel during Slovakia's World Group I victory over Romania. He has won 7 of the 20 Davis Cup singles matches he has contested since making his debut in the competition in 2014.

- **JOZEF KOVALIK**

- **Age:** 30 (born 4 November 1992 in Bratislava, Slovakia)
- **Rankings:** 134 (singles), 727 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Kovalik will make his first Davis Cup appearance since the 2020 Qualifiers, when he lost the only match he contested to Czech Republic's Jiri Vesely, if he plays this weekend. He contested 6 ties in the competition between 2016 and 2020, winning 2 of the 6 Davis Cup matches he has played.

- **LUKAS KLEIN**

- **Age:** 24 (born 22 March 1998 in Spisska Nova Ves, Slovakia)
- **Rankings:** 143 (singles), 607 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Klein made his Davis Cup debut during Slovakia's World Group I victory over Romania last year, partnering Zelenay to a doubles victory against Copil/Victor Vlad Cornea in the only match he contested has in the competition to date.

- **IGOR ZELENAY**

- **Age:** 40 (born 2 October 1982 in Trencin, Slovaia)
- **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 126 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Zelenay is bidding to extend a 5-match Davis Cup winning streak, having not lost a match since he and Andrej Martin fell to Mirza Basic/Tomislav Brkic during Slovakia's defeat to Bosnia and Herzegovina in the 2018 Europe/Africa Group I second round. He won both matches he contested in the competition last year – partnering Filip Polasek to a victory against Italy's Simone Bolelli/Sinner in the Qualifiers and partnering Klein to a victory against Romania's Copil/Cornea in World Group I. He is in 3rd place on the list for most Davis Cup doubles matches won by a Slovakian player.

FINLAND v ARGENTINA

ESPOO METRO AREENA, ESPOO – HARD, INDOORS

Head-to-head: Argentina lead 1-0

1960 Europe First Round unknown Helsinki (FIN) Argentina d. Finland 5-0

A 2nd meeting for Finland and Argentina. Their only previous meeting came 63 years ago in Helsinki, with Argentina recording a 5-0 victory.

FINLAND	v	ARGENTINA
28	Davis Cup Nations Ranking	15
WG play-offs 3 times; Qualifiers 2022, 2023	Best Davis Cup Result	Champions 2016
1928	First Year Played	1923
78	Seasons Played (inc. 2023)	68
133	Ties Played	164
56-77	Ties Win-Loss	93-71
2	Comebacks from 0-2 down	0

Finland – Team Information

- [FINLAND](#) are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the first time.
- **Last season**, Finland fell to Belgium 3-2 in the Qualifiers in Espoo in March, before defeating New Zealand 5-0 in a World Group I tie in Espoo in September. Their defeat to Belgium was their first appearance in the Qualifiers.
- Finland have **won 7 of their last 9 Davis Cup ties**. Their only defeats in the competition in that time came against Austria in 2019 Europe/Africa Group I tie and against Belgium in the Qualifiers last year.
- Finland's **best Davis Cup performance** is reaching the World Group play-offs on 3 occasions in the competition's old format – in 1990 (l. Sweden), 1999 (l. Italy) and 2002 (l. Netherlands) – and the Qualifiers in 2022 and this season.
- Finland are currently ranked at No. 28 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. Their highest-ranking since the rankings were introduced in 2001 is No. 25, which they reached in September 2002.

Finland – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Finnish player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Jarkko Nieminen	63-27
2.	Tuomas Ketola	28-34
3.	Olli Rahnasto	26-25
4.	Henri Kontinen	22-10
5.	Leo Palin	20-18

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Finnish player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Jarkko Nieminen	48-11
2.	Olli Rahnasto	17-12
3.	Tuomas Ketola	16-22
4.	Leo Palin	15-9
5.	Sakari Salo	13-16

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Finnish player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Henri Kontinen	16-6
2.	Jarkko Nieminen	15-16
3.	Tuomas Ketola	12-12
4=	Harri Heliovaara	9-5
	Olli Rahnasto	9-13

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Finnish player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Jarkko Nieminen	35
2.	Tuomas Ketola	31
3.	Olli Rahnasto	24
4.	Henri Kontinen	22
5.	Harri Heliovaara	21

Finland – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Emil Ruusuvuori	2017	5	8	9-5	2-1
Otto Virtanen	2020	2	4	3-3	0-0
Eero Vasa	2016	3	4	1-3	0-0
Patrik Niklas-Salminen	2016	5	7	2-4	2-1
Harri Heliovaara	2008	12	21	9-14	9-5

- **EMIL RUUSUVUORI**

- **Age:** 23 (born 2 April 1999 in Helsinki, Finland)
- **Rankings:** 43 (singles), 830 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Ruusuvuori has won 7 of the last 8 Davis Cup singles matches he has contested, with his only singles defeat in the competition in that time coming against David Goffin during Finland's defeat to Belgium in the Qualifiers last year. He won the other 3 Davis Cup singles matches he contested in 2022, defeating Belgium's Zizou Bergs and both Kiranpal Pannu and Issac Beecroft during Finland's World Group I victory over New Zealand. He also won both doubles matches he played alongside Heliovaara, defeating Belgium's Sander Gille/Goffin and New Zealand's Artem Sitak/Michael Venus.

- **OTTO VIRTANEN**

- **Age:** 21 (born 21 June 2001 in Hyvinkaa, Finland)
- **Rankings:** 181 (singles), 291 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Virtanen made his Davis Cup debut during Finland's World Group I Play-off victory over Mexico in 2020 and has won 3 of the 6 matches he has contested in the competition since then. He lost both his matches during Finland's defeat to Belgium in the Qualifiers last year, falling to both Goffin and Bergs, but defeated Ajeet Rai in straight sets during Finland's World Group I victory against New Zealand.

- **EERO VASA**

- **Age:** 26 (born 1 February 1997)
- **Rankings:** 1042 (singles), 348 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Vasa made his first Davis Cup appearance since 2017 during Finland's World Group I victory against New Zealand last year, defeating Pannu in the dead 5th match of the tie – it was his first victory in the competition. His other 3 appearances in the competition came in 2016-17, when he lost all 3 matches he contested.

- **PATRIK NIKLAS-SALMINEN**
 - **Age:** 25 (born 5 March 1997 in Tampere, Finland)
 - **Rankings:** 1326 (singles), 129 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Niklas-Salminen won the last live match he contested in the competition, defeating Sanchez in the first match of Finland's World Group I Play-off victory over Mexico in 2020. He has won 2 of the 3 doubles matches he has contested in Davis Cup but has not played a doubles match in the competition since 2018. He was nominated for both of Finland's ties in 2022 but did not contest a match in either tie.
- **HARRI HELIOVAARA**
 - **Age:** 33 (born 4 June 1989 in Helsinki, Finland)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 10 (doubles)
 - **2023 doubles highlights:** Won Adelaide I; SF Auckland
 - **Davis Cup:** Heliovaara will equal Henri Kontinen in 4th place on the list for most Davis Cup ties played by a Finnish player if he plays this weekend and will claim sole ownership of 4th place on the list for most Davis Cup doubles matches won by a Finnish player, ahead of Olli Rahnasto, if he wins the doubles match. He is also bidding to extend a 9-match winning streak in Davis Cup doubles matches, having not lost a doubles match in the competition since he and Jarkko Nieminen fell to Romania's Florin Mergea/Horia Tecau in a 2013 Europe/Africa Group I relegation play-off – he won both matches he contested in the competition in 2022, partnering Ruusuvoori to victories against Belgium's Gille/Goffin and New Zealand's Sitak/Venus.

Argentina – Team Information

- **ARGENTINA** are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 3rd time.
- **Last season**, Argentina defeated Czech Republic 4-0 in the Qualifiers in Buenos Aires to advance to the Finals. They finished in 4th place in Group A in Bologna in September, after falling to Sweden 2-1, Croatia 2-1 and Italy 3-0.
- Argentina have a **1-1 win-loss record in Davis Cup Qualifier ties**. In addition to their victory against Czech Republic last year, they fell to Colombia 3-1 in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- In 2016, Argentina **won the Davis Cup title for the first time in their history**. They defeated Poland 3-2 in Gdansk, Italy 3-1 in Pesaro, Great Britain 3-2 in Glasgow and Croatia 3-2 in Zagreb to become just the 2nd nation to win the title after playing all four ties away from home after France in 2001.
- Prior to winning the title in 2016, Argentina held the record for **most appearances in the Davis Cup Final without victory**. They have finished runner-up on 4 occasions – in 1981, 2006, 2008 and 2011.
- Argentina are currently ranked No. 15 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. They dropped outside the Top 10 for the first time since December 2001 after falling to Colombia in the 2020 Qualifiers. They are one of 8 nations to rank No. 1 since the rankings were introduced in 2001 (alongside Australia, Croatia, Czech Republic, France, Great Britain, Russia and Spain), having been ranked No. 1 between November 2016 and October 2017.

Argentina – Historical Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Argentinian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Guillermo Vilas	57-24
2.	David Nalbandian	39-11
3.	Jose Luis Clerc	31-24
4.	Ricardo Cano	23-20
5.	Javier Frana	18-19

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Argentinian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Guillermo Vilas	45-10
2.	David Nalbandian	23-6
3.	Jose Luis Clerc	20-14
4.	Juan Martin del Potro	15-4
5=	Ricardo Cano	14-13
	Julian Ganzabal	14-8
	Martin Jaite	14-17

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Argentinian player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	David Nalbandian	16-5
2.	Guillermo Vilas	12-4
3.	Jose Luis Clerc	11-10
4.	Lucas Arnold Ker	10-3
5=	Ricardo Cano	9-7
	Javier Frana	9-11
	Horacio Zeballos	9-6

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Argentinian player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Guillermo Vilas	29
2.	David Nalbandian	26
3.	Ricardo Cano	23
4.	Jose Luis Clerc	22
5.	Javier Frana	20

Argentina – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Francisco Cerundolo	2022	1	2	0-2	0-0
Pedro Cachin	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Facundo Bagnis	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Andres Molteni	2017	1	1	0-0	0-1
Maximo Gonzalez	2017	5	9	0-0	4-5

- **[FRANCISCO CERUNDOLO](#)**
 - **Age:** 24 (born 13 August 1998 in Buenos Aires, Argentina)
 - **Rankings:** 31 (singles), 245 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Cerundolo made his Davis Cup debut at the 2022 Finals group stage. He lost both matches he contested at the event, falling to both Italy's Jannik Sinner and Croatia's Borna Coric.
- **[PEDRO CACHIN](#)**
 - **Age:** 27 (born 12 April 1995 in Bell Ville, Argentina)
 - **Rankings:** 68 (singles), 314 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Cachin could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend, having been nominated for the first time.
- **[FACUNDO BAGNIS](#)**
 - **Age:** 32 (born 27 February 1990 in Rosario, Argentina)
 - **Rankings:** 88 (singles), 819 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Bagnis could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend. He has been nominated for the 2nd time – he was also nominated for Argentina's tie against Colombia in the 2020 Qualifiers but did not contest a match.

- **ANDRES MOLteni**

- **Age:** 34 (born 15 March 1988 in Buenos Aires, Argentina)
- **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 36 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Molteni could make his 2nd Davis Cup appearance this weekend. His only previous appearance in the competition came during Argentina's 2017 World Group play-off defeat to Kazakhstan, when he and Gonzalez fell to Timur Khabibulin/Aleksandr Nedovyesov in the doubles match.

- **MAXIMO GONZALEZ**

- **Age:** 39 (born 20 July 1983 in Tandil, Argentina)
- **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 45 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Gonzalez won 3 of the 4 Davis Cup doubles matches he contested in 2022, all of which came alongside Horacio Zeballos. The pair defeated Czech Republic's Lehecka/Machac in the Qualifiers, and won their first 2 matches at the Finals group stage, defeating Sweden's Andre Goransson/Elias Ymer and Italy's Simone Bolelli/Fabio Fognini, before falling to Croatia's Nikola Mektic/Mate Pavic.

PORTUGAL v CZECH REPUBLIC

COMPLEXO MUNICIPAL DE TENIS DE MAIA, MAIA – CLAY, INDOORS

Head-to-head: Czech Republic lead 2-0*

1955	Europe First Round	Clay (O)	Lisbon (POR)	Czechoslovakia d. Portugal 5-0
1971	Europe Quarterfinal	Clay (O)	Prague (TCH)	Czechoslovakia d. Portugal 5-0

A 3rd meeting for the Portuguese and the Czechs – and their first for 52 years. The Czechs, then playing as Czechoslovakia, won both of the nations’ previous Davis Cup meetings without losing a match.

PORTUGAL	v	CZECH REPUBLIC
33	Davis Cup Nations Ranking	17
WG play-offs 1994, 2017; Qualifiers 2019, 2023	Best Davis Cup Result	Champions 1980, 2012, 2013
1925	First Year Played	1921*
67	Seasons Played (inc. 2023)	89*
117	Ties Played	217
49-68	Ties Win-Loss	132-85
1	Comebacks from 0-2 down	0

*Czech Republic inherited Czechoslovakia’s historical Davis Cup record

Portugal – Team Information

- [PORTUGAL](#) are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the first time.
- **Last season**, Portugal defeated Poland 4-0 in the World Group I Play-offs in Porto in March before defeating Brazil 3-1 in a World Group I tie in Viana do Castelo in September.
- Portugal **lost the only previous Davis Cup Qualifier tie they contested** – falling to Kazakhstan 3-1 in Astana in 2019.
- Portugal are bidding to extend a **3-tie winning streak at home**. In addition to their 2 victories in home ties in 2022, they also defeated South Africa in a 2018 Europe/Africa Group I relegation play-off in Lisbon. Their last defeat at home came against Germany in the 2017 World Group play-offs in Oeiras.
- Portugal are bidding to **win their 50th Davis Cup tie**.
- Portugal’s **best Davis Cup performance** is reaching the World Group play-offs in 1994 and 2017, and reaching the Qualifiers in 2019 and this year.
- Portugal are currently ranked No. 33 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. Their best ranking is No. 21, which they reached in April 2017.

Portugal – Player Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Portuguese player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Joao Sousa	40-26
2.	Joao Cunha-Silva	37-40
3.	Nuno Marques	32-26
4.	Fred Gil	28-17
5.	Emanuel Couto	24-15

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Portuguese player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Joao Sousa	29-16
2.	Joao Cunha-Silva	25-28
3.	Nuno Marques	21-18
4.	Fred Gil	18-10
5.	Rui Machado	16-16

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Portuguese player

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Emanuel Couto	13-5
2.	Joao Cunha-Silva	12-12
3=	Nuno Marques Joao Sousa	11-8 11-10
5=	Fred Gil Leandro Tavares	10-7 10-7

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Portuguese player

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Joao Sousa	31
2.	Joao Cunha-Silva	30
3=	Rui Machado Nuno Marques	27 27
5.	Gastao Elias	23

Portugal – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Joao Sousa	2008	14	31	29-16	11-10
Nuno Borges	2021	2	3	2-0	1-2
Frederico Ferreira Silva	2014	4	6	4-2	1-0
Gastao Elias	2007	12	23	7-11	9-12
Francisco Cabral	2022	1	2	0-0	1-1

- **JOAO SOUSA**

- **Age:** 33 (born 30 March 1989 in Guimares, Portugal)
- **Rankings:** 84 (singles), 149 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Sousa is bidding to extend his records for most Davis Cup matches won by a Portuguese player and most Davis Cup singles matches won by a Portuguese player. He claimed sole ownership of the record for most Davis Cup ties played by a Portuguese player, ahead of Joao Cunha-Silva, during Portugal's World Group I victory against Brazil last year. He has won 6 of his last 7 Davis Cup singles matches, with his only defeat in the competition in that time coming against Marius Copil during Portugal's 2021 World Group I defeat to Romania. He won all 3 Davis Cup matches he played in 2022, defeating Kacper Zuk during Portugal's World Group I Play-off victory over Poland and defeating both Felipe Meligeni Rodrigues Alves and Thiago Monteiro during Portugal's World Group I victory over Brazil.

- **NUNO BORGES**

- **Age:** 25 (born 19 February 1997 in Maia, Portugal)
- **Rankings:** 105 (singles), 122 (doubles)
- **Davis Cup:** Borges contested, and won, his first 2 Davis Cup singles matches in 2022, defeating Kamil Majchrzak during Portugal's World Group I Play-off victory over Poland and defeating Monteiro during Portugal's World Group I victory over Brazil. He also recorded his first doubles match-win in the competition, partnering Cabral to a victory against Poland's Szymon Walkow/Jan Zielinski.

- **FREDERICO FERREIRA SILVA**
 - **Age:** 27 (born 18 March 1995 in Caldas da Rainha, Portugal)
 - **Rankings:** 220 (singles), 806 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Ferreira Silva made his Davis Cup debut 2014 and has won 5 of the 7 Davis Cup matches he has contested. His last appearance in the competition came during Portugal's 2020 World Group I Play-off victory over Lithuania, when he defeated Laurynas Grigelis in the first match of the tie. He was nominated for Portugal's World Group I tie against Brazil last year but did not contest a match.
- **GASTAO ELIAS**
 - **Age:** 32 (born 24 November 1990 in Caldas da Rainha, Portugal)
 - **Rankings:** 246 (singles), 865 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Elias has played Davis Cup for Portugal since 2007 and is in 5th place on the list for most Davis Cup ties played by a Portuguese player. He has contested just 3 matches in the competition since 2019 – defeating Timur Khabibulin/Aleksandr Nedovyesov alongside Sousa during Portugal's 2019 Qualifiers defeat to Kazakhstan, falling to Marius Copil during Portugal's 2021 World Group I defeat to Romania and defeating Zielinski during Portugal's 2022 World Group I Play-off victory over Poland.
- **FRANCISCO CABRAL**
 - **Age:** 26 (born 8 January 1997 in Porto, Portugal)
 - **Rankings:** unranked (singles), 61 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Cabral made his Davis Cup debut in 2022, winning one of the 2 matches he contested, both of which came alongside Borges. The pair defeated Poland's Walkow/Zielinski but fell to Brazil's Rafael Matos/Meligeni Rodrigues Alves.

Czech Republic – Team Information

- **CZECH REPUBLIC** are bidding to reach the Davis Cup Finals for the 2nd time.
- **Last season**, Czech Republic fell to Argentina 4-0 in the Qualifiers in Buenos Aires in March before defeating Israel in a World Group I tie in Tel Aviv in September.
- Czech Republic have a **1-2 win-loss record in Davis Cup Qualifier ties**. In addition to their defeat to Argentina last year, they fell to Netherlands 3-1 in the 2019 Qualifiers and defeated Slovakia 3-1 in the 2020 Qualifiers.
- Czech Republic are contesting their **6th consecutive tie away from home**. Since falling to Netherlands in the 2019 Qualifiers in Ostrava, they have played 4 away ties and 2 ties on neutral ground at the 2021 Finals. They have a 3-3 win-loss record in the competition in that time.
- Czech Republic are bidding to win their **4th Davis Cup title** this season. The Czechs won the title in 1980 (d. Italy) and won back-to-back titles in 2012-13, defeating Spain in 2012 and Serbia in 2013.
- **Prior to 1994**, Czech players represented Czechoslovakia. Before the nation divided into Czech Republic and Slovakia, Czechoslovakia won the Davis Cup title in 1980 and finished as runners-up to Sweden in 1975.
- Czech Republic are currently ranked No. 17 on the **Davis Cup Nations Rankings**. They held the No. 1 ranking between April 2013 and November 2015 and are one of only 8 nations (alongside Argentina, Australia, Croatia, France, Great Britain, Russia and Spain) to have been ranked No. 1 since the Davis Cup Nations Ranking was introduced in 2001.

Czech Republic – Player Information

Most Davis Cup match-wins by a Czech player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Tomas Berdych	50-17
2.	Radek Stepanek	35-18
3.	Jiri Novak	27-7
4=	Petr Korda	16-7
	Lukas Rosol	16-13

Most Davis Cup singles match-wins by a Czech player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Tomas Berdych	29-15
2.	Jiri Novak	17-5
3.	Radek Stepanek	15-13
4.	Lukas Rosol	14-10
5=	Petr Korda	11-5
	Bohdan Ulihrach	11-7
	Jiri Vesely	11-11

Most Davis Cup doubles match-wins by a Czech player*

Rank	Player	Win-loss
1.	Tomas Berdych	21-2
2.	Radek Stepanek	20-5
3.	Jiri Novak	10-2
4.	David Rikl	7-3
5.	Petr Korda	5-2

Most Davis Cup ties played by a Czech player*

Rank	Player	Ties played
1.	Tomas Berdych	29
2.	Radek Stepanek	26
3=	Jiri Novak	17
	Lukas Rosol	17
5.	Jiri Vesely	16

*Records apply only to the Czech team which has competed since 1993

Czech Republic – Player Information

Player	DC debut year	DC seasons played	DC ties played	DC singles win-loss	DC doubles win-loss
Jiri Lehecka	2019	3	6	2-3	0-4
Tomas Machac	2021	2	4	3-1	0-4
Vit Kopřiva	2022	1	1	0-1	0-0
Jakub Mensik	2023	0	0	0-0	0-0
Adam Pavlasek	2015	3	4	1-0	3-1

- **[JIRI LEHECKA](#)**

- **Age:** 21 (born 8 November 2001 in Mlada Boleslav, Czech Republic)
- **Rankings:** 39 (singles), 297 (doubles)
- **2023 singles highlights:** QF Australian Open
- **Davis Cup:** recorded his first Davis Cup match-wins during Czech Republic's World Group I victory against Israel last year, defeating both Daniel Cukierman and Edan Leshem in singles. He has lost the other 7 matches he has contested in the competition, including all 4 Davis Cup doubles matches he has played.

- **TOMAS MACHAC**
 - **Age:** 22 (born 13 October 2000 in Beroun, Czech Republic)
 - **Rankings:** 122 (singles), unranked (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Machac made his Davis Cup debut at the 2021 Finals and has won 3 of the 4 singles matches he has played in the competition. He defeated both France's Richard Gasquet and Great Britain's Daniel Evans at the 2021 Finals before falling to Argentina's Diego Schwartzman in the Qualifiers last year. He then defeated Israel's Leshem in World Group I in September. He has lost all 4 doubles matches he has contested in the competition.

- **VIT KOPRIVA**
 - **Age:** 25 (born 15 June 1997 in Bilovec, Czech Republic)
 - **Rankings:** 160 (singles), 279 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Kopriva made his Davis Cup debut during Czech Republic's defeat to Argentina in the Qualifiers last year, falling to Federico Coria in the dead 4th match of the tie – the only match he has contested in the competition to date.

- **JAKUB MENSIK**
 - **Age:** 17 (born 1 September 2005 in Prostejov, Czech Republic)
 - **Rankings:** 396 (singles), 906 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Mensik could make his Davis Cup debut this weekend, having been nominated for the first time.

- **ADAM PAVLASEK**
 - **Age:** 28 (born 8 October 1994)
 - **Rankings:** 1717 (singles), 78 (doubles)
 - **Davis Cup:** Pavlasek could make his first Davis Cup appearance since April 2018 this weekend. His last appearance in the competition came during Czech Republic's 2018 Europe/Africa Group I victory over Israel, when he defeated Dudi Sela in singles and partnered Jiri Vesely to defeat Jonathan Erlich/Yshai Oliel in doubles. He has won 4 of the 5 matches he has contested in the competition.