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LEXUS ATP HEAD2HEAD: SINGLES FINAL

CENTRE COURT

[5] Felix Auger-Aliassime (CAN) vs [2] Sebastian Korda (USA) Auger-Aliassime Leads 2-1

21 Acapulco (Mexico)	Hard	R16	Felix Auger-Aliassime	6-3 6-4
22 Estoril (Portugal)	Clay	QF	Sebastian Korda	6-2 6-2
22 Antwerp (Belgium)	Hard	F	Felix Auger-Aliassime	6-3 6-4

Felix Auger-Aliassime | Age: 24 | World No. 29 | Career-High No. 6 | Career: 219-148 (5 Titles) | Adelaide: 5-2 (2025 Final)
 > Achieved career-high No. 6 and earned personal-best 60 wins during breakout 2022 season, including career-long 16-match win streak with 3 titles in as many weeks at Florence, Antwerp and Basel.
 > Also in 2022, won Rotterdam title to snap 0-8 start to career in singles finals, advanced to 3rd straight Grand Slam QF at Australian Open, and swept team titles at ATP Cup, Laver Cup and Davis Cup.
 > Led ATP Tour with 45 hard-court and 31 indoor wins in 2022, highlighted by victories over No. 1 Alcaraz and former No. 1s Djokovic, Murray and Nadal.
 > Reached 2024 Madrid final to become the 1st Canadian clay court ATP Masters 1000 finalist in series history.
 > At 2021 US Open, became 1st Canadian men's singles semi-finalist in tournament history (since 1881).
 > As an 18-year-old in 2019, became youngest Top-25 player since Hewitt, 18, in 1999, youngest ATP 500 finalist in series history at Rio de Janeiro (since 2009), and youngest semi-finalist in Miami tournament history (since 1985).

NOTE: Auger-Aliassime attempts to capture his 6th ATP Tour title (5-10), first outdoors after winning all 5 titles on indoor hard courts. The Canadian No. 1 is 7-0 vs. Americans since the start of 2024 season, including wins over No. 4 Fritz in United Cup last week and wins over No. 45 Giron in QF and No. 12 Paul in SF en route to the Adelaide final. He bids to be the first Canadian to win an outdoor ATP Tour title since Raonic at 2016 Brisbane.

Auger-Aliassime's ATP Tour titles – Auger-Aliassime is 4-1 in finals since October 2022 after 1-9 start to career.

2022 Rotterdam (d. Tsitsipas)	2022 Basel (d. Rune)
2022 Florence (d. Wolf)	2023 Basel (d. Hurkacz)
2022 Antwerp (d. Korda)	+ all tournaments on indoor hard

Sebastian Korda | Age: 24 | World No. 22 | Career-High No. 15 | Career: 127-79 (2 Titles) | Adelaide: 8-2 ('23-1, '25 Final)
 > Achieved career-high No. 15 in August 2024, joining Petr Korda (No. 2 in 1998) to become the only father-son duo to rank inside Top 20 in PIF ATP Rankings history (since 1973).
 > Earned biggest wins of career en route to ATP Masters 1000 SFs over No. 3 Medvedev at 2023 Shanghai and No. 4 Zverev at 2024 Montreal.
 > Did not drop a set en route to 2021 Parma title, then captured 2024 Washington title, 32 years after his father, Petr, won in 1992, becoming the first father-son duo to win the same ATP Tour event.
 > Advanced to 2020 Roland Garros 4R as Q and 2021 Wimbledon 4R, becoming 3rd men's player in Open Era to reach 4R in debut at both events (Borg in 1973, Pernfors in 1986).
 > Became World No. 1 junior by winning 2018 Australian Open boys' singles title 20 years after his father won Australian Open men's singles title.
 > Father, Petr, peaked at No. 2 on ATP Tour; mother, Regina, peaked at No. 26 in WTA; sister, Nelly, became World No. 1 women's golfer in 2021; sister, Jessica, peaked at No. 8 in women's golf.

NOTE: Korda is looking for his 3rd ATP Tour title (2-6) after lifting titles at 2021 Parma and Washington in August last year. The 24-year-old squandered 1 MP vs. No. 5 Djokovic in 2023-1 final and now aims to become the 1st American men's champion in event history and 1st American man to win a singles title on Australian soil since Roddick at 2010 Brisbane. He reached the final by winning all 20 of his service games and defending 5 of 5 break points faced.

American Tour-Level Champions in Australia since 2000:

Andy Roddick – 2010 Brisbane
 James Blake – 2006-07 Sydney
 Andre Agassi – 2000-01, 2003 Australian Open

2025 Adelaide Statistics	Felix Auger-Aliassime	Sebastian Korda
Aces	31	21
1st-Serve Percentage	66% (178 of 269)	64% (87 of 137)
1st-Serve Points Won	75% (134 of 178)	85% (74 of 87)
2nd-Serve Points Won	42% (38 of 91)	46% (23 of 50)
Service Games Won	85% (34 of 40)	100% (20 of 20)
Break Points Saved	78% (21 of 27)	100% (5 of 5)
1st-Serve Return Points Won	31.47% (45 of 143)	31.40% (27 of 86)
2nd-Serve Return Points Won	44% (54 of 123)	50% (19 of 38)
Return Games Won	17% (7 of 41)	21% (4 of 19)
Break Points Converted	28% (7 of 25)	50% (4 of 8)

BOLD: Leads all 28 players in 2025 Adelaide International.

LEXUS ATP HEAD2HEAD: DOUBLES FINAL

**[3] Simone Bolelli (ITA) / Andrea Vavassori (ITA) vs
[2] Kevin Krawietz (GER) / Tim Puetz (GER)**

Series Tied 2-2

24 Australian Open (Australia)	Hard	QF	Bolelli/Vavassori	7-5 6-4
24 Halle (Germany)	Grass	F	Bolelli/Vavassori	7-6(3) 7-6(5)
24 US Open (U.S.A.)	Hard	R16	Krawietz/Puetz	6-4 3-6 7-6(4)
24 Nitto ATP Finals (Italy)	Hard	RR	Krawietz/Puetz	7-5 6-4

Bolelli/Vavassori Notes

- > Italian duo is 55-28 as a pair, making their team debut at 2021 ATP Cup, then becoming a regular pairing since 2023 grass season and qualifying for their 1st Nitto ATP Finals as a team last year (42-20 in 2024).
- > Captured 3 ATP Tour titles together, winning in Buenos Aires, Halle and Beijing last year.
- > Reached Grand Slam finals at Aus. Open (l. to Bopanna/Ebden) and Roland Garros (l. to Arevalo/Pavic) last year.
- > Earned win over No. 6 seeds Edben/Vliegen in QF and upset World No. 1s Arevalo/Pavic in SF in the deciding set.
- > With a title, Bolelli would improve his career-high, set almost a decade ago in August 2015 and move to No. 6.
- > Bolelli is ranked No. 9 (career-high No. 8 in 2015) and Vavassori is ranked No. 8 (career-high No. 6 in October 2024).
- > Bolelli, 39, is 14-16 in tour-level doubles finals, aiming to lift his fourth hard court doubles title after 2015 Australian Open w/Fognini, 2016 Dubai w/Seppi and 2024 Beijing w/Vavassori.
- > Vavassori, 29, is 6-5 in tour-level finals, also winning clay court titles at 2021 Cagliari w/Sonego, 2023 Santiago w/Pellegrino and 2023 Marrakech w/Demoliner.

Krawietz/Puetz Notes

- > The German duo is 88-41 as a pair, making their team debut at 2017 Hamburg and enter the final on a 5-match winning streak after ending 2024 season by becoming the first Germans to capture Nitto ATP Finals doubles title.
- > Last year's Nitto ATP Finals win was their third title as a team, also winning titles at 2023 and 2024 Hamburg on clay. Went 44-19 in 2024, also highlighted by Grand Slam final at US Open (l. to Purcell/Thompson).
- > Lost one set en route to the final to Goransson/Verbeek in 2R and defeated No. 4 seeds Heliovaara/Patten in SF.
- > Krawietz is ranked No. 10 (career-high No. 7 in 2019), while Puetz is also ranked No. 11 (career-high No. 7 in 2022). With a title, Krawietz would jump to No. 6, securing a new career-high on Monday.
- > Krawietz, 32, is 11-9 in tour-level doubles finals, highlighted by 2019-20 Roland Garros titles w/Mies and seeks 1st outdoor hard court title after indoor wins at 2019 New York & Antwerp w/Mies and 2024 Nitto ATP Finals title w/Puetz.
- > Puetz, 37, is 10-10 in tour-level doubles finals and looks for 2nd outdoor hard court title after 2022 Dubai w/Venus.