



2020 U.S. Open

(2nd of 50 events in the 2020-21 PGA TOUR Season)

Mamaroneck, New York
Winged Foot Golf Club

September 14-20, 2020
Par/Yards: 35-35—70/7,477

FedExCup Points: 600
Purse: \$12,500,000/\$2,250,000

Third-Round Notes – Saturday, September 19, 2020

Weather: Mostly sunny and cooler with a high of 64. Wind NNW 6-12 mph.

Third-Round Leaderboard

Matthew Wolff	66-74-65—205 (-5)
Bryson DeChambeau	69-68-70—207 (-3)
Louis Oosthuizen	67-74-68—209 (-1)
Hideki Matsuyama	71-69-70—210 (E)
Xander Schauffele	68-72-70—210 (E)
Harris English	68-70-72—210 (E)

Things to Know

- Matthew Wolff takes a 54-hole lead/co-lead for a third time in 30th TOUR start; converted for the win at the 2019 3M Open by a stroke over Bryson DeChambeau and Collin Morikawa
- Wolff seeks to become the first player since Francis Ouimet in 1913 to win the U.S. Open in his tournament debut
- In only other major championship start, Wolff finished T4 at the PGA Championship in August
- Bryson DeChambeau follows a second-round 68 with an even-par 70
- Louis Oosthuizen on track for a fourth U.S. Open top-10 finish and second in as many years
- 36-hole leader Patrick Reed falls back with a 7-over 77
- Rounds under par: Thursday: 21, Friday: 3, Saturday: 7
- John Pak, the lone amateur to make the cut, sits T59

Third-Round Lead Notes

- 53 Third-round leaders/co-leaders at the U.S. Open to win (most recent: Gary Woodland/2019)
- 0 Third-round leaders/co-leaders to convert a 54-hole lead into victory in the 2020-21 PGA TOUR Season
- 7 Best U.S. Open come-from-behind win in the final 18 holes (Arnold Palmer/1960)

Leaders entering the week

Player	Matthew Wolff	Bryson DeChambeau
Age	21 (4/14/1999)	27 (9/16/1993)
FedExCup	--	--
OWGR	No. 36	No. 9
Starts at U.S. Open	0	5
Wins at U.S. Open	0	0
Top-10s at U.S. Open	0	0
Starts at majors	1	15
Wins at majors	0	0
Top-10s at majors	1	1
PGA TOUR starts	29	110
PGA TOUR wins	1	6

Matthew Wolff (1st/-5)

- On the strength of five birdies and no bogeys on his outgoing nine, 21-year-old tied the week's low 18-hole score with a 5-under 65

- The last time a 54-hole lead at the U.S. Open was by more than a stroke was in 2016, when Shane Lowry led by four strokes before finishing T2
- Marks his third lead/co-lead after any round on the PGA TOUR, with the two previous both coming after round three; converted for the win at the 2019 3M Open
- With a victory, would become the ninth youngest major winner at 21 years, 5 months, 6 days
- With a total of 14, leads the field with the most birdies through 54 holes
- Hit just two of 14 fairways in regulation, bringing his total through three rounds to 12-of-42
- Making his second start in a major championship (T4/2020 PGA Championship)
- The last player to win in his first U.S. Open is Francis Ouimet in 1913. Sunday (Sept. 20) marks the 107th anniversary of that victory
- Lone TOUR victory came at the 2019 3M Open; won by a stroke over Bryson DeChambeau and Collin Morikawa

Bryson DeChambeau (2nd/-3)

- Following Friday's round of the day (68), birdied two of his last three holes to get in with an even-par 70
- With a win Sunday, would join Tiger Woods, Jack Nicklaus, Arnold Palmer, Gene Littler and Jerry Pate as men to win a U.S. Amateur and U.S. Open since World War II
- Most recent of his six PGA TOUR victories came at the 2020 Rocket Mortgage Classic
- Notched his first top-10 in a major championship with a T4 at the 2020 PGA Championship with – among others – Matthew Wolff

Additional Notes

- Making his 11th U.S. Open start, **Louis Oosthuizen** (3rd/-1) seeks a fourth U.S. Open top-10 finish and second consecutive (T7/2019); The Open Championship in 2010 marks his only major championship title
- **Hideki Matsuyama** (T4/E) made four birdies and three bogeys on his first seven holes en route to an even-par 70; best of seven previous U.S. Open finishes is T2 in 2017
- **Xander Schauffele** (T4/E) made five bogeys, three birdies and one eagle (par-5 ninth), good for an even-par 70; seeks a fourth straight top-10 finish at the U.S. Open (T5/2017, T6/2018, T3/2019)
- In his first start since closing out the 2019-20 season with seven top-25 finishes in his last eight starts, **Harris English** (T4/E) opens 68-70-72; in nine weekend rounds at the U.S. Open, has yet to post a round of par or better
- 2011 U.S. Open winner **Rory McIlroy** (7th/+1) followed a 2-under 33 on the outgoing nine with an even-par 35 on the inward half, good for a 68; seeks his fifth major to tie Phil Mickelson for the second-most major titles among active players
- **Patrick Reed** (T11/+3), who led after 36 holes, seeks a second top-10 finish in his seventh U.S. Open (4th/2018)
- First-round leader **Justin Thomas** (T17/+4), who began round three two strokes off the lead, posted a 6-over 76 and will enter the final round nine strokes back
- **John Pak** (T59/+14) is the lone amateur to advance to the weekend. Viktor Hovland's 72-hole score of 280 in 2019 marks the lowest by an amateur in U.S. Open history. Jack Nicklaus previously held the record at 282 in 1960

Bogey-free rounds

R1 (0): None

R2 (0): None

R3 (0): None

Scoring averages

	Front 9	Back 9	Total	Cumulative
R1:	35.632	36.931	72.563	---
R2:	37.287	37.965	75.252	73.902
R3:	36.791	36.838	73.629	73.865

	Toughest hole
R1:	Par-3 3 rd , Par-4 16 th (+.340)
R2:	Par-4 2 nd (4.604)
R3:	Par-3 3 rd (3.581)

	Easiest hole
R1:	Par-5 9 th (4.639)
R2:	Par-5 9 th (4.573)
R3:	Par-5 9 th (4.613)