



**2021 World Golf Championships-Dell Technologies Match Play**  
*(The 25<sup>th</sup> of 50 events in the PGA TOUR Season)*

**Austin, Texas**  
**Austin Country Club**

**March 24-28, 2021**  
**Par/Yards: 35-36—71/7,108**

**Purse: \$10,500,000 (\$1,820,000/winner)**  
**FedExCup points: 550 (winner)**

**Semifinals – Sunday, March 28, 2021**

**Weather:** *Partly cloudy. High of 72. Wind N 20-30 mph.*

**Things to Know**

- Championship Match: Billy Horschel (32) vs. Scottie Scheffler (30)
- Consolation Match: Victor Perez (31) vs. Matt Kuchar (52)
- Marks the 10<sup>th</sup> Championship Match between two Americans since the tournament’s inception in 1999
- Seeking a sixth PGA TOUR victory, and first since 2018, Billy Horschel advances to Championship Match in fifth tournament appearance; had never previously advanced to the Round of 16
- Scottie Scheffler seeks his first PGA TOUR victory in his tournament debut; Geoff Ogilvy (2006) is the last player to win the WGC-Dell Technologies Match Play in his first start at the event
- With a win in the Consolation Match, Victor Perez would become eligible for PGA TOUR Special Temporary Membership

**Semifinals Results**

Billy Horschel (32) defeats Victor Perez (31), 3 and 2  
 Scottie Scheffler (30) defeats Matt Kuchar (52), 1-up

**Match 109 – Billy Horschel defeats Victor Perez 3 and 2**

Player	Seed	Record	Career DTMP record
Billy Horschel	32	5-1-0	10-6-1
Victor Perez	31	4-2-0	4-2-0

***Billy Horschel*** round-by-round

RD 1: def. Max Homa, 1-up  
 RD 2: lost to J.T. Poston, 4 and 2  
 RD 3: def. Collin Morikawa, 3 and 2  
 RD 4: def. Kevin Streelman, 3 and 1  
 QF – def. Tommy Fleetwood, 19 holes  
 SF – def. Victor Perez, 3 and 2

***Victor Perez*** round-by-round

RD 1: def. Marc Leishman, 2 and 1  
 RD 2: lost to Russell Henley, 4 and 3  
 RD 3: def. Sungjae Im, 2 and 1  
 RD 4: def. Robert MacIntyre, 5 and 4  
 QF – def. Sergio Garcia, 4 and 3  
 SF – lost to Billy Horschel, 3 and 2

- Billy Horschel closed out the 3-and-2 victory against Victor Perez with a birdie at the par-5 16<sup>th</sup>
- After advancing to the Semifinals for the first time in four tournament appearances since the group play format was introduced in 2015, Horschel seeks his sixth PGA TOUR title and first since the 2018 Zurich Classic of New Orleans (partnered with Scott Piercy)
- Horschel’s last individual title on TOUR came at the 2017 AT&T Byron Nelson in Dallas
- Horschel seeks his first World Golf Championships title in his 20<sup>th</sup> attempt; most recently finished T2 in the season’s first WGC event (WGC-Workday Championship at The Concession)

- Horschel, the 2014 FedExCup champion, began the week at No. 45 in the FedExCup; with a win in the Championship Match, would collect 550 FedExCup points and be projected to move to No. 7 in the standings
- Victor Perez, a winner on the European Tour, is making his fifth World Golf Championships appearance (previous-best finish: T4/2019 WGC-HSBC Champions)
- Perez becomes eligible for Special Temporary Membership if he wins the Consolation Match; he has 94 non-member FedExCup points in the 2020-21 season and needs a total of 288
- Perez became the second player from France in tournament history to advance to the Semifinals (Victor Dubuisson/2014/2<sup>nd</sup>); no player from France has won a World Golf Championships event

**Match 110 – Scottie Scheffler defeats Matt Kuchar, 1-up**

Player	Seed	Record	Career DTMP record
Scottie Scheffler	30	4-0-2	4-0-2
Matt Kuchar	52	5-1-0	33-11-4

**Scottie Scheffler** round-by-round

RD 1: def. Jason Day, 2-up  
 RD 2: tied Andy Sullivan  
 RD 3: tied Xander Schauffele  
 RD 4: def. Ian Poulter, 5 and 4  
 QF – def. Jon Rahm, 3 and 1  
 SF – def. Matt Kuchar, 1-up

**Matt Kuchar** round-by-round

RD 1: def. Justin Thomas, 3 and 2  
 RD 2: def. Louis Oosthuizen, 1-up  
 RD 3: def. Kevin Kisner, 2 and 1  
 RD 4: def. Jordan Spieth, 1-up  
 QF – def. Brian Harman, 2 and 1  
 SF – lost to Scottie Scheffler, 1-up

- In a match that took all 18 holes, University of Texas alum Scottie Scheffler never trailed Matt Kuchar en route to his 1-up victory
- Scheffler is seeking his first career PGA TOUR title in his 48<sup>th</sup> start; finished third on two occasions in the 2019-20 season (2019 Bermuda Championship/T3, 2020 The American Express/3<sup>rd</sup>)
- Scheffler has not lost a match this week
- With his Semifinals win, Scheffler joins Jon Rahm as players to advance to the Championship Match in their tournament debut since Austin Country Club began hosting the event in 2016; Rahm lost to Dustin Johnson in 2017
- With a win, Scheffler would become the first player to win the WGC-Dell Technologies Match Play in his first start since Geoff Ogilvy in 2006
- If Scheffler wins the Championship Match, it would be the first time two different players under the age of 25 won World Golf Championships in the same season (Collin Morikawa, 24, WGC-Workday Championship at The Concession); the only other season where multiple WGCs produced a winner under 25 was in 1999 when Tiger Woods won two at age 23
- This week marks Scheffler’s fourth World Golf Championships appearance (previous-best finish: 5<sup>th</sup>/2021 WGC-Workday Championship at The Concession)
- With his win in the Quarterfinals against Brian Harman, Matt Kuchar moved to second all-time in matches won at the WGC-Dell Technologies Match Play with 33; Tiger Woods holds the most with 36
- Kuchar was vying to become the fourth player with two or more wins in WGC-Dell Technologies Match Play history (Tiger Woods/3, Jason Day/2, Geoff Ogilvy/2)
- With a win, Kuchar, 42, would have become the oldest champion in tournament history