



## 2022 TOUR Championship Broadcast & Pre-Tournament Notes

**FedExCup Starting Strokes:** For the fourth consecutive season, the TOUR Championship is weighted by FedExCup Starting Strokes, with the format crowning a single champion; at the conclusion of the TOUR Championship, the player with the lowest score in relation to par over 72 holes combined with his FedExCup Starting Strokes will win the TOUR Championship and be crowned FedExCup champion. The FedExCup points leader after the first two Playoffs events will begin the TOUR Championship at 10-under par. The next four players will start at 8-under through 5-under, respectively. The next five will begin at 4-under, regressing by one stroke per five players until those ranked Nos. 26-30 start at even par.

Note: Will Zalatoris withdrew from the TOUR Championship on Tuesday.

### 2022 TOUR Championship FedExCup Starting Strokes

Starting Position		Starting Strokes
1	Scottie Scheffler	-10
2	Patrick Cantlay	-8
3	<i>Will Zalatoris* (WD)</i>	-7
4	Xander Schauffele	-6
5	Sam Burns	-5
6	Cameron Smith	-4
	Rory McIlroy	-4
	Tony Finau	-4
	Sepp Straka	-4
	Sungjae Im	-4
11	Jon Rahm	-3
	Scott Stallings	-3
	Justin Thomas	-3
	Cameron Young	-3
	Matt Fitzpatrick	-3
16	Max Homa	-2
	Hideki Matsuyama	-2
	Jordan Spieth	-2
	Joaquin Niemann	-2
	Viktor Hovland	-2
21	Collin Morikawa	-1
	Billy Horschel	-1
	Tom Hoge	-1
	Corey Connors	-1
	Brian Harman	-1
26	K.H. Lee	Even
	J.T. Poston	Even
	Sahith Theegala	Even
	Adam Scott	Even
	Aaron Wise	Even





**FedExCup Champions  
in Field This Week**

	<b>This Season</b>	<b>Year (Won)</b>
Patrick Cantlay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2021
Rory McIlroy	7 <sup>th</sup>	2016 & 2019
Justin Thomas	13 <sup>th</sup>	2017
Jordan Spieth	18 <sup>th</sup>	2015
Billy Horschel	22 <sup>nd</sup>	2014

**Returning to TOUR Championship  
Season After Winning FedExCup**

	<b>Year of FEC Win</b>	<b>Finish</b>
Patrick Cantlay	2021	??
Dustin Johnson	2020	8 <sup>th</sup>
Rory McIlroy	2019	8 <sup>th</sup>
Justin Rose	2018	26 <sup>th</sup>
Justin Thomas	2017	7 <sup>th</sup>
Jordan Spieth	2015	9 <sup>th</sup>
Brandt Snedeker	2012	12 <sup>th</sup>

*Patrick Cantlay: 2<sup>nd</sup> in FedExCup entering this week*

**Youngest Average Age Top 30 of FedExCup  
Entering TOUR Championship Last 14 Seasons**

	<b>Avg Age</b>
<b>This Season</b>	<b>29.13</b>
2019-20	29.33
Last Season	30.33
2013-14	30.80
2016-17	30.80
2017-18	31.03
2014-15	31.37
2015-16	31.57

**Longest Active Streaks of  
Qualifying for TOUR Championship**

	<b># of Seasons</b>
Hideki Matsuyama	9
Justin Thomas	7
Tony Finau	6
Jon Rahm	6
Xander Schauffele	6



**Scottie Scheffler (1<sup>st</sup> / -10):** Four-time PGA TOUR winner has led the FedExCup in 24 weeks this season.

**72.57%** greens in regulation percentage on TOUR this season, the best of any player

**74.1%** greens in regulation percentage during the FedExCup Playoffs, the best of any player in the FedExCup era with a minimum of 30 rounds

**3<sup>rd</sup>** best SG: Approach-the-Green average of any player with at least 30 FedExCup Playoffs rounds

**4.60** birdie average in the FedExCup Playoffs, best of any player in the FedExCup era (min 30 rds)

**Highest Greens in Regulation PCT  
PGA TOUR this Season**

	PCT
<b>Scottie Scheffler</b>	<b>72.57</b>
Jon Rahm	71.89
Corey Connors	71.82
Russell Knox	71.41
Tony Finau	71.14

**Greens in Regulation Leaders  
in the Playoffs ('07 - '22 BMW - min 30 rds)**

	PCT	Rds
<b>Scottie Scheffler</b>	<b>74.1%</b>	<b>30</b>
Jon Rahm	72.7%	74
Aaron Wise	71.9%	36
Corey Connors	71.7%	40
Henrik Stenson*	71.3%	79

**Most Weeks Ranked #1  
FedExCup Standings This Season**

	Total
Scottie Scheffler	24
Sam Burns	7
Hideki Matsuyama	7

**Strokes Gained: Approach-the-Green Leaders  
in the Playoffs ('07 - '22 BMW - min 30 rds)**

	Avg.	Rds
Tiger Woods	+1.114	101
Jim Furyk	+0.902	142
<b>Scottie Scheffler</b>	<b>+0.768</b>	<b>30</b>
Corey Connors	+0.690	40
Henrik Stenson	+0.626	79

**Birdie Average Leaders  
in the Playoffs ('07 - '22 BMW)**

	Avg	Rds
<b>Scottie Scheffler</b>	<b>4.60</b>	<b>30</b>
Aaron Wise	4.56	36
Jon Rahm	4.46	74
Rory McIlroy	4.39	148
Tiger Woods	4.38	101
Justin Thomas	4.35	102

\*min 30 Rds

**Patrick Cantlay (2<sup>nd</sup> / -8):** defending FedExCup Champion is seeking to become the first player to successfully defend FedExCup title.

**2<sup>nd</sup>** in the FedExCup standings, the highest rank of any player trying to defend their FedExCup title entering the TOUR Championship

**69.29** scoring average on the PGA TOUR since 2019, the fourth best of any player during this time

**90.5** putting percentage from inside 10', the third best of any player on the PGA TOUR this season

**Highest Ranked Defending FedExCup Champion  
Entering TOUR Championship**

	Year Won	Rank
<b>Patrick Cantlay</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>
Tiger Woods	2009	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Justin Thomas	2017	5 <sup>th</sup>
Jordan Spieth	2015	7 <sup>th</sup>
Brandt Snedeker	2012	10 <sup>th</sup>

**Lowest Scoring Average  
PGA TOUR Since 2019**

	Avg
Justin Thomas	69.09
Webb Simpson	69.17
Jon Rahm	69.24
<b>Patrick Cantlay</b>	<b>69.29</b>
Xander Schauffele	69.38

**Highest Putting PCT from Inside 10'  
PGA TOUR this Season**

	PCT
Lucas Herbert	91.2
Kelly Kraft	91.0
<b>Patrick Cantlay</b>	<b>90.5</b>
Chesson Hadley	90.4
Denny McCarthy	90.3



**Xander Schauffele (4<sup>th</sup> / -6):** Seven-time PGA TOUR winner has won five times when trailing by four or more shot after any round.

- 67.3** scoring average at the TOUR Championship, the best of any player since 2017
- 54** total score to par at the TOUR Championship since 2017, 13 strokes better than the next player
- 20** consecutive rounds of par or better at the TOUR Championship, the longest active streak

**Best Scoring Average  
TOUR Championship Since 2017 (Min 5 Rds)**

	Avg	Rds
<b>Xander Schauffele</b>	<b>67.30</b>	<b>20</b>
Justin Thomas	67.95	20
Rory McIlroy	68.06	16
Viktor Hovland	68.13	8
Scottie Scheffler	68.25	8

**Lowest Total Score to Par  
TOUR Championship Since 2017**

	Total
<b>Xander Schauffele</b>	<b>-54</b>
Justin Thomas	-41
Jon Rahm	-34
Rory McIlroy	-31
Paul Casey	-20

**Longest Active Rounds Par or Better  
TOUR Championship**

	Total
<b>Xander Schauffele</b>	<b>20</b>
Ryan Moore	10
Viktor Hovland	8
Dustin Johnson	8

\*Starts 4 back

**Most Rds at an Event Without an Over Par Score  
PGA TOUR Career**

	# of rds
<b>TOUR Championship</b>	<b>20</b>
CIMB Classic	8
Valspar Championship	4
Shriners Children's Open	4
Sanderson Farms Championship	4

**Largest Come from Behind Wins After Any Round  
PGA TOUR Career**

2022 Genesis Scottish Open	11 Shots Back after Round 1
2019 Sentry Tournament of Champions	6 Shots Back after Round 1
2017 TOUR Championship	5 Shots Back after Round 1
2017 A Military Tribute	5 Shots Back after Round 2
2019 WGC-HSBC Champions	4 Shots Back after Round 2

\*Starts This Week four shots back of Scheffler

**Sam Burns (5<sup>th</sup> / -5):** Four-time PGA TOUR winner is set to make his second start at the TOUR Championship.

- 1** PGA TOUR win when trailing by five or more strokes after any round
- 69.67** scoring average this season, on pace for his past during a PGA TOUR season

**Largest Come from Behind Wins After Any Round  
PGA TOUR Career**

2022 Charles Schwab Challenge	8 Shots Back after Round 2
2022 Sanderson Farms	4 Shots Back after Round 1
2022 Valspar Championship	3 Shots Back after Round 1
2021 Valspar Championship	3 Shots Back after Round 1

**Lowest Scoring Average  
PGA TOUR Career**

	Avg
<b>This Season</b>	<b>69.67</b>
Last Season	70.18
2019-20	70.78
2018-19	71.00

\*Starts This Week five shots back of Scheffler



**Cameron Smith (6<sup>th</sup> / -4):** Six-time PGA TOUR winner has never won when trailing by six shots or more after any round.

**4.69** birdie average this season, the best of any player on the PGA TOUR

**74.29** birdie or better percentage when going for the green, the best of any player on the PGA TOUR this season

**98.48** putting percentage from inside 5' during the FedExCup Playoffs, the second best of any player

**Highest Birdie Average  
PGA TOUR this Season**

	<b>Avg</b>
<b>Cameron Smith</b>	<b>4.69</b>
Scottie Scheffler	4.65
Justin Thomas	4.53
Patrick Cantlay	4.53
Rory McIlroy	4.45

**Highest Going for the Green Birdie or Better PCT  
PGA TOUR this Season**

	<b>PCT</b>
<b>Cameron Smith</b>	<b>74.29</b>
Tyrrell Hatton	69.51
Matt Fitzpatrick	69.31
Shane Lowry	67.86
Patrick Cantlay	66.91

**Putting Inside 5 Feet Leaders  
in the Playoffs ('07 - '22 BMW)**

	<b>PCT.</b>	<b>Rds</b>
Xander Schauffele	98.99	72
<b>Cameron Smith</b>	<b>98.48</b>	<b>56</b>
Bryson DeChambeau	98.38	60
Daniel Summerhays	98.36	50
Patrick Reed	98.35	117

*\*Min 50 Rds*

**Rory McIlroy (7<sup>th</sup> / -4):** Two-time FedExCup champion (2016 & 2019) is one of five players with four or more eagles at the TOUR Championship in the FedExCup Era

**+0.77** Strokes Gained: Off-the-Tee in the FedExCup playoffs, the most of any player since 2007

**320.7** average driving distance (all drives) during the playoffs this season, the longest of any player

**Most Eagles  
TOUR Championship FedExCup Era**

	<b>Total</b>
Hunter Mahan	5
<b>Rory McIlroy</b>	<b>4</b>
Xander Schauffele	4
Dustin Johnson	4
Marc Leishman	4

**Strokes Gained: Off-the-Tee Leaders  
FedExCup Playoffs Since 2007**

	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>Rds</b>
<b>Rory McIlroy</b>	<b>+0.77</b>	<b>148</b>
Jon Rahm	+0.75	74
Dustin Johnson	+0.71	177
Bubba Watson	+0.67	172
Corey Connors	+0.57	40

*\*Min 30 Rds*

**Driving Distance (All Drives) Leaders  
2022 FedExCup Playoffs**

	<b>All Drives</b>
<b>Rory McIlroy</b>	<b>320.7</b>
Wyndham Clark	316.8
Cameron Young	315.2
Trey Mullinax	314.5
Kurt Kitayama	313.7

*\*Playoffs Avg: 292.4 yds*



**Tony Finau (8<sup>th</sup> / -4):** Four-time PGA TOUR winner has one win when trailing by at least six shots after any round

**68.8** percent of rounds during the FedExCup Playoffs are better than the fields SG: Total, the fifth highest percentage of anyone in the playoffs with a minimum of 50 rounds

**3.85** par 4 scoring average during the FedExCup Playoffs this season, the best of any player with a minimum of six rounds

**Highest Percentage of Rounds Better than Field  
Strokes Gained: Total ('07-'22 BMW) Min 50 rds**

	Rds Better than Field	Total Rds	PCT
Jon Rahm	55	74	74.3%
Steve Stricker	82	115	71.3%
Jim Furyk	99	140	70.7%
Justin Thomas	72	102	70.6%
<b>Tony Finau</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>68.8%</b>

**Lowest Par 4 Scoring Average  
FedExCup Playoffs this Season**

	Avg
<b>Tony Finau</b>	<b>3.85</b>
Will Zalatoris	3.86
Adam Scott	3.87
Jon Rahm	3.87
Corey Connors	3.89
K.H. Lee	3.89

*\*min of 6 rds*

**Largest Come from Behind Wins After Any Round  
PGA TOUR Career**

2022 3M Open	6 Shots Back after Round 2
2016 Puerto Rico Open	5 Shots Back after Round 1
2021 FedEx St. Jude Champ.	4 Shots Back after Round 1

*\*Starts This Week six shots back of Scheffler*

**Sepp Straka (9<sup>th</sup> / -4):** the 2022 Honda Classic winner trailed by seven strokes after the first round. He enters this week six back.

**6** rounds of 68 or better during the FedExCup Playoffs this season, tied with two other players for the most

**92.75** putting percentage from inside 10' during the FedExCup Playoffs this season, the third best of players in the field this week

**67.75** weekend scoring average during the FedExCup Playoffs this season, the third best of any player to play all four rounds

**Most Rounds of 68 or Better  
FedExCup Playoffs this Season**

	Total
<b>Sepp Straka</b>	<b>6</b>
Andrew Putnam	6
Tony Finau	6
Four players at	5

**Best Putting PCT From Inside 10'  
FedExCup Playoffs this Season**

	PCT
Matt Fitzpatrick	94.85
K.H. Lee	94.74
<b>Sepp Straka</b>	<b>92.75</b>
Tony Finau	91.91
Viktor Hovland	91.85

*\*of players in field this week*

**Lowest Weekend Scoring Average  
FedExCup Playoffs this Season**

	Avg
Jon Rahm	66.25
Sungjae Im	67.5
<b>Sepp Straka</b>	<b>67.75</b>
Tony Finau	68
Joaquin Niemann	68

*\*of players who played all 4 rds*



**Sungjae Im (10<sup>th</sup> / -4):** Two-time PGA TOUR winner has come from six strokes behind after any round and won once (2020 The Honda Classic trailed by six after round 1)

**Most hole Outs  
PGA TOUR this Season**

	Total
<b>Sungjae Im</b>	<b>24</b>
Max Homa	22
Adam Svensson	21
Alex Smalley	21
Si Woo Kim	21

**Every Round Par or Better  
FedExCup Playoffs this Season**

K.H. Lee*
Adam Scott*
Sungjae Im*
Trey Mullinax

\*in field this week

**Lowest Round Score  
FedExCup Playoffs this Season**

		Round	Score
Si Woo Kim	FedEx St. Jude Championship	1 <sup>st</sup>	62
J.J. Spaun	FedEx St. Jude Championship	1 <sup>st</sup>	62
<b>Sungjae Im</b>	<b>FedEx St. Jude Championship</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>63</b>
Tyler Duncan	FedEx St. Jude Championship	2 <sup>nd</sup>	63
Will Zalatoris	FedEx St. Jude Championship	2 <sup>nd</sup>	63
Sahith Theegala	FedEx St. Jude Championship	1 <sup>st</sup>	63

**Jon Rahm (11<sup>th</sup> / -3):** Entering the 2022 TOUR Championship, Jon Rahm has the longest active streak of top-10 finishes in the FedExCup Playoffs (8). Rahm has finished in the top-10 in 74% of his starts during the FedExCup Playoffs (14 of 19).

**68.12** Best stroke average among players with at least 20 FedExCup Playoffs career rounds

**Stroke Average Leaders  
FedExCup Playoffs ('07 - '22 BMW)**

	Avg	Rds
<b>Jon Rahm</b>	<b>68.12</b>	<b>74</b>
Tiger Woods	68.64	101
Scottie Scheffler	68.70	30
Justin Thomas	68.72	102
Xander Schauffele	68.75	72
K.H. Lee	68.77	22
Patrick Cantlay	68.80	70
Sam Burns	68.82	22
Aaron Wise	68.86	36
Tommy Fleetwood	68.88	32
Cam Davis	68.95	20

\*Min 20 Rds

**Bogey+ Average Leaders  
in the Playoffs ('07 - '22 BMW)**

	Avg	Rds
<b>Jon Rahm</b>	<b>2.01</b>	<b>74</b>
Xander Schauffele	2.13	72
Patrick Cantlay	2.13	70
Alex Noren	2.13	31
Tiger Woods	2.14	101

\*min 30 Rds

**Last 8 Starts  
FedExCup Playoffs**

	Finish
2022 BMW Championship	T8
2022 FedEx St. Jude Champ	T5
2021 TOUR Championship	2 <sup>nd</sup>
2021 BMW Championship	T9
2021 FedEx St. Jude Champ	3 <sup>rd</sup>
2020 TOUR Championship	4 <sup>th</sup>
2020 BMW Championship	WON
2020 FedEx St. Jude Champ	T6





**Scott Stallings (12<sup>th</sup> / -3):** Coming off a runner-up finish last week, his best event finish in his last 228 starts (last win: 2014 Farmers Insurance Open). Stallings came from eight shots back after the opening round of the 2014 Farmers Insurance Open, his largest comeback after any round on TOUR.

**Largest Come from Behind Wins After Any Round  
PGA TOUR Career**

2014 Farmers Insurance Open	8 shots back after Round 1
2011 Greenbrier Classic	6 shots back after Round 1
2014 Farmers Insurance Open	5 shots back after Round 2
2012 Sanderson Farms Champ	4 shots back after Round 1

*\*Starts This Week seven shots back of Scheffler*

**Highest Birdie Average  
FedExCup Playoffs this Season**

	Avg
Will Zalatoris	5.0
<b>Scott Stallings</b>	<b>5.0</b>
Collin Morikawa	4.9
Scottie Scheffler	4.8
Sepp Straka	4.8
Adam Scott	4.8

*\*min of 6 rds*

**Justin Thomas (13<sup>th</sup> / -3):** 2017 FedExCup champion is set to make his 199<sup>th</sup> career PGA TOUR start.

- 3 PGA TOUR Wins when trailing by seven strokes after any round
- 6 Has finished T7 or better in all six previous TOUR Championship appearances

**Largest Come from Behind Wins After Any Round  
PGA TOUR Career**

2022 PGA Championship	7 shots back after Round 3
2021 PLAYERS	7 shots back after Round 2
2020 WGC-FedEx St. Jude Invit'l	7 shots back after Round 2

*\*Starts This Week seven shots back of Scheffler*

**Most Top-7 Finishes  
PGA TOUR Career**

	Total
<b>TOUR Championship</b>	<b>6</b>
Sentry Tournament of Champions	5
PGA Championship	3
CIMB Classic	3
WGC-Workday Championship	3

**Cameron Young (14<sup>th</sup> / -3):** Is one of seven players in the last 40 years with five runner-up finishes in a single PGA TOUR season.

- 1<sup>st</sup> Leads the TOUR in Driving Distance (320+ yards), hitting 37.23% of drives over 320 yards

**Off-the-Tee Ranks  
PGA TOUR This Season**

	Avg	Rank
SG: Off-the-Tee	+0.942	2nd
Driving Distance 320+ (All Drives)	37.23%	1st
PCT of Yardage Covered by Tee Shots	66.58%	1st
Club Head Speed	123.7	4th

**Most Runner-Up Finishes in a Season  
PGA TOUR – Last 40 Years**

	Total
<b>2022 Cameron Young</b>	<b>5</b>
2003 Vijay Singh	5
2000 Ernie Els	5
1997 Jesper Parnevik	5
1994 Fuzzy Zoeller	5
1990 Mark Calcavecchia	5
1984 Mark O'Meara	5



**Matt Fitzpatrick (15<sup>th</sup> / -3):** is set to make his first start at the TOUR Championship

**69.4** scrambling percentage on TOUR this season, the best of any player

**77.8** scrambling percentage during the playoffs this season, the third best of any player

**+1.96** average Strokes Gained: total per round, the second best of any player on the PGA TOUR this season

**Highest Scrambling PCT  
PGA TOUR this Season**

	PCT
<b>Matt Fitzpatrick</b>	<b>69.4</b>
Matt Kuchar	69.2
Shane Lowry	67.5
Sungjae Im	66.3
Christiaan Bezuidenhout	66.1

**Highest Scrambling PCT  
FedExCup Playoffs this Season**

	PCT
Jon Rahm	80.0
Joaquin Niemann	78.1
<b>Matt Fitzpatrick</b>	<b>77.8</b>
Hideki Matsuyama	77.4
Xander Schauffele	76.7

**Highest SG: Total Average  
PGA TOUR this Season**

	Avg
Rory McIlroy	+2.11
<b>Matt Fitzpatrick</b>	<b>+1.96</b>
Jon Rahm	+1.79
Will Zalatoris	+1.77
Scottie Scheffler	+1.76

**Max Homa (16<sup>th</sup> / -2):** Enters the 2022 TOUR Championship eight shots back of Scottie Scheffler at two under. Homa's largest come from behind win after a round was seven strokes after Round 2 of the 2021 Fortinet Championship.

**3** Top-5 finishes on TOUR this season including two wins, his most Top-5 finishes during a PGA TOUR season

**Largest Come from Behind Wins After Any Round  
PGA TOUR Career**

2021 Fortinet Championship	7 shots back after Round 2
2021 The Genesis Invitational	6 shots back after Round 2
2022 Wells Fargo Championship	4 shots back after Round 1

*\*Starts This Week eight shots back of Scheffler*

**Most Top 5 Finishes in a Season  
PGA TOUR Career**

	Total
<b>This Season</b>	<b>3*</b>
2019-20	2
2020-21	1
2018-19	1

*\*includes two wins*

**Hideki Matsuyama (17<sup>th</sup> / -2):** Advanced to his Ninth consecutive TOUR Championship, the longest active streak of any player on TOUR.

**Largest Come from Behind Wins After Any Round  
PGA TOUR Career**

2014 the Memorial Tournament	7 shots back after Round 1
2022 Sony Open in Hawaii	6 shots back after Round 2
2022 Sony Open in Hawaii	5 shots back after Round 1
2014 the Memorial Tournament	5 shots back after Round 2

*\*Starts This Week eight shots back of Scheffler*

**Longest Active Streaks of  
Qualifying for TOUR Championship**

	# of Seasons
Hideki Matsuyama	9
Justin Thomas	7
Tony Finau	6
Jon Rahm	6
Xander Schauffele	6



**Jordan Spieth (18<sup>th</sup> / -2):** 2015 FedExCup champion Jordan Spieth enters the 2022 TOUR Championship eight shots back of FedExCup leader Scottie Scheffler. Spieth has come from eight shots back after a round to win once in his TOUR career (eight back after Round 1 of 2015 John Deere Classic).

**109.4** eagles per holes played over the last two PGA TOUR seasons, fourth best of any player with at least 125 rounds in time frame (26 eagles in 2,844 holes)

**3** top 20 finishes in last four TOUR starts (Genesis Scottish Open/T10, The Open Championship/T8, BMW Championship/T19)

**SG: Off-the-Tee Ranks Last 4 PGA TOUR Seasons**

	Rank
This Season	36 <sup>th</sup>
Last Season	135 <sup>th</sup>
2019-20	165 <sup>th</sup>
2018-19	176 <sup>th</sup>

**Best Eagles per Holes Played Avg Last 2 PGA TOUR Seasons**

Cam Davis	93.2
Patrick Rodgers	99.0
Justin Thomas	100.3
<b>Jordan Spieth</b>	<b>109.4</b>

**Largest Come from Behind Wins After Any Round PGA TOUR Career**

2015 John Deere Classic	8 shots back after Round 1
2022 RBC Heritage	6 shots back after Round 1
2013 John Deere Classic	6 shots back after Round 3
2013 John Deere Classic	6 shots back after Round 1

\*Min 125 Rds

\*Starts This Week eight shots back of Scheffler

**Joaquin Niemann (19<sup>th</sup> / -2):** At 23 years old, Joaquin Niemann is the youngest player in the field this week. One of 13 players who've qualified for the TOUR Championship in each of the last three seasons.

**28'2"** average proximity to the hole in the playoffs this season, the best of any player with a minimum of six rounds

**Youngest Players in Field 2022 TOUR Championship**

	Age	FEC Rank
<b>Joaquin Niemann</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>19<sup>th</sup></b>
Sahith Theegala	24	28 <sup>th</sup>
Viktor Hovland	24	20 <sup>th</sup>
Sungjae Im	24	10 <sup>th</sup>

**Closest Proximity to the Hole FedExCup Playoffs this Season**

	Avg
<b>Joaquin Niemann</b>	<b>28' 2"</b>
Aaron Wise	28' 8"
Scott Stallings	28' 11"
Collin Morikawa	29' 5"
Brian Harman	29' 10"

\*min of 6 rds

**Viktor Hovland (20<sup>th</sup> / -2):** Made third career hole-in-one on the par-3 Second hole in the Final Round last week at Wilmington Country Club. Since the start of the 2019-20 PGA TOUR season, Hovland is one of three players with at least three aces on TOUR in this time frame (Corey Connors/4 & Martin Laird/3).

**5** One of five international players in the ShotLink era to earn at least three wins before turning 25 years old

**Event Results PGA TOUR Career**

Starts	74
<b>Wins</b>	<b>3</b>
Top 3s	9
Top 10s	16

**Most Aces on TOUR Since 2019-20 Season**

Connors, Corey	4
<b>Hovland, Viktor</b>	<b>3</b>
Laird, Martin	3

**Last 5 International Players With 3 or More Wins Before Turning 25**

	3 <sup>rd</sup> Win	Age
<b>Viktor Hovland</b>	2021 World Wide Tech Champ at Mayakoba	24
Jon Rahm	2019 Zurich Classic of New Orleans	24
Hideki Matsuyama	2016 WGC-HSBC Champions	24
Rory McIlroy	2012 The Honda Classic	22
Adam Scott	2004 Kemper	23



**Collin Morikawa (21<sup>st</sup> / -1):** Five-time PGA TOUR winner is set to make his fourth consecutive start at the TOUR Championship. Has made 39 birdies in the FedExCup Playoffs this season, most of any player. Morikawa has the third closest proximity to hole average on TOUR this season.

**Most Birdies FedExCup Playoffs this Season**

	Total
<b>Collin Morikawa</b>	<b>39</b>
Adam Scott	38
Sepp Straka	38
Tony Finau	37

**Closest Proximity to the Hole PGA TOUR this Season**

	Avg
Ryan Armour	32' 5"
Shane Lowry	32' 9"
<b>Collin Morikawa</b>	<b>33' 3"</b>
Vaughn Taylor	33' 5"
Russell Knox	33' 6"

**Billy Horschel (22<sup>nd</sup> / -1):** 2014 FedExCup Champion is set to make his sixth start at the TOUR Championship

**70.0** scoring average on the PGA TOUR this season, on pace for his lowest season scoring average

**3** one of three players entering the week without a three putt during the FedExCup Playoffs this season

**Lowest Season Scoring Average PGA TOUR Career**

	Avg
<b>This Season</b>	<b>70.0</b>
2019-20	70.2
2017-18	70.2
2013	70.2

**Players in Field without a Three Putt FedExCup Playoffs this Season**

	# of Holes
Adam Scott	144
<b>Billy Horschel</b>	<b>108</b>
Cameron Smith	72

*Entering the Week*

**Best Average Proximity to the Hole from 175-200 PGA TOUR this Season**

	Avg
<b>Tom Hoge</b>	<b>27' 8"</b>
Scottie Scheffler	29' 7"
Tony Finau	29' 9"
Vaughn Taylor	29' 10"
Brooks Koepka	29' 10"

**Tom Hoge (23<sup>rd</sup> / -1):** is set to make his first TOUR Championship start. Hoge is averaging 27'8" proximity to the hole from 175-200 yards this season, the best of any player on the PGA TOUR.

**Corey Connors (24<sup>th</sup> / -1):** is set to make his third TOUR Championship start. Connors has the second-best proximity to the hole average in the FedExCup Playoffs of players with a minimum of 30 rounds (32'5"). Connors leads the FedExCup Playoffs this season in driving accuracy of players with minimum of six rounds.

**Proximity to the Hole Leaders in the Playoffs ('07 - '22 BMW - min 30 Rds)**

	Avg.	Rds
Tim Clark	32'1"	75
<b>Corey Connors</b>	<b>32'5"</b>	<b>40</b>
Jim Furyk	32'6"	141
Heath Slocum	32'6"	56
Briny Baird	32'8"	32
Aaron Wise	32'9"	36
Collin Morikawa	32'10"	36

**Highest Driving Accuracy PCT FedExCup Playoffs this Season**

	PCT
<b>Corey Connors</b>	<b>69.64</b>
Russell Henley	69.05
Joohyung Kim	66.07
Troy Merritt	65.18
Collin Morikawa	64.29

*\*min of 6 rds*



**Playing Their Way into  
2022 TOUR Championship**

**Brian Harman (25<sup>th</sup> / -1):** is set to make his second TOUR Championship start and first since 2017. Harman is one of six players who started the FedExCup Playoffs outside the Top-30 and played their way in.

	Start of FedExCup Playoffs	Entering This Week
Sepp Straka	35 <sup>th</sup>	9 <sup>th</sup>
Scott Stallings	41 <sup>st</sup>	12 <sup>th</sup>
Brian Harman	55 <sup>th</sup>	25 <sup>th</sup>
K.H. Lee	40 <sup>th</sup>	26 <sup>th</sup>
Sahith Theegala	39 <sup>th</sup>	28 <sup>th</sup>
Adam Scott	77 <sup>th</sup>	29 <sup>th</sup>

**Strokes Gained Ranks  
Regular Season vs Playoffs this Season**

	Regular Season	Playoffs
Off-the-Tee	55 <sup>th</sup>	28 <sup>th</sup>
Approach-the-Green	131 <sup>st</sup>	30 <sup>th</sup>
Around-the-Green	81 <sup>st</sup>	72 <sup>nd</sup>
Putting	91 <sup>st</sup>	16 <sup>th</sup>
Tee-to-Green	75 <sup>th</sup>	31 <sup>st</sup>
<b>Total</b>	<b>67<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>T6<sup>th</sup></b>

**K.H. Lee (26<sup>th</sup> / E):** Recorded sixth career Top-5 finish of PGA TOUR career last week at the BMW Championship. Lee is one of 22 players in the field this week with at least two career PGA TOUR wins.

**J.T. Poston (27<sup>th</sup> / E):** Has shot 10 under once in 500 stroke-play rounds on the PGA TOUR (2019 Barbasol Championship/ Round 1).

**Putting Performance  
Regular Season vs Playoffs this Season**

	Regular Season	Playoffs
SG: Putting	0.22	0.90
One-Putt PCT	39.69%	44.44%
<b>Putts Per Rd</b>	<b>29.1</b>	<b>28.0</b>
Putting from Inside 10'	88.70%	89.78%

**Sahith Theegala (28<sup>th</sup> / E):** One of two Rookies to advance to the TOUR Championship this season (Cameron Young). Made 14 putts over seven feet for the week including a 36' 10" birdie on Hole 17 and a seven-foot par putt on 18 in the Final Round.

**-155** when going for the green, the best total score to par when going for the green of any player on the PGA TOUR this season

**Final 2 Putts Made  
71<sup>st</sup> & 72<sup>nd</sup> Holes - 2022 BMW Championship**

	17 <sup>th</sup> Hole	18 <sup>th</sup> Hole
Distance	36' 10"	7' 0"
PGA TOUR Make PCT	5%	57%

**Lowest Total Score to Par When Going for the Green  
PGA TOUR this Season**

	Total
<b>Sahith Theegala</b>	<b>-155</b>
Maverick McNealy	-135
K.H. Lee	-135
Si Woo Kim	-134
Cam Davis	-133



**Adam Scott (29<sup>th</sup> / E):** 14-time TOUR winner played his way into the TOUR Championship after being outside the cutline for each of the first two FedExCup Playoffs events.

**42** Oldest player in the field this week

**1' 11"** Adam Scott needed to get up and down on the 18<sup>th</sup> hole in the Final Round to advance to the TOUR Championship. At Wilmington Country Club the average proximity to the hole on greenside bunker shots for the week on 18 was 7' 10"

**Oldest Player in Field  
2022 TOUR Championship**

	Age	FEC Rank
Adam Scott	42	29
Scott Stallings	37	12
Billy Horschel	35	
Brian Harman	35	25
Rory McIlroy	33	
Tom Hoge	33	

**Proximity to the Hole from Greenside Bunkers  
Field on 18 vs Adam Scott**

Field	Scott
7' 10"	1' 11"

**Aaron Wise (30<sup>th</sup> / E):** One of four players who played their way into the Top 30 of the FedExCup last week at the BMW Championship. Wise is on pace for his best Opening Round Scoring average in a season of TOUR career

**Played Into Top 30 of FedExCup  
2022 BMW Championship**

	Finish	Start	End Rank	Move
Scott Stallings	2	46	12	+34
K.H. Lee	T5	33	26	+7
Adam Scott	T5	45	29	+16
Aaron Wise	T15	31	30	+1

**Best Opening Round Scoring Average  
PGA TOUR Career**

	Avg	Rank
<b>This Season</b>	<b>68.61</b>	<b>6</b>
2019-20	69.76	T36
2017-18	70.36	67
2020-21	70.43	62
2018-19	71.15	T153