

ShotLink Keys to Victory

36/9 winners of The American Express have been ranked inside the Top-10 of all Strokes

Gained Categories during the ShotLink Era, with Strokes Gained: Putting having the most

players ranked inside Top-10 (9).

Top-10 the last four champions have all ranked inside the Top-10 in Strokes Gained: Putting

past champions have earned a win in their tournament debut at The American Express (most recent: Adam Long in 2019)

Winners Ranked Inside Top-10 SG Categories The American Express in the ShotLink Era

	Total
Strokes Gained: Approach the Green	8
Strokes Gained: Around the Green	4
Strokes Gained: Off the Tee	7
Strokes Gained: Putting	9
Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green	8

Strokes Gained: Putting Ranks Past 4 The American Express Champions

	Rank
2022 Hudson Swafford	2 nd
2021 Si Woo Kim	8 th
2020 Andrew Landry	6 th
2019 Adam Long	9 th

Winner Comparison Round 1* The American Express Since 2016

	La Quinta Country Club	Nicklaus Tournament Course	Pete Dye Stadium Course
# of Winners	3	2	1
Scoring AVG	65.7	63.5	66
Birdies AVG	7	8	6

^{* 2021} is not included, La Quinta CC was not played

Winning in Tournament Debut The American Express

	Year	
Adam Long	2019	
Jhonattan Vegas	2011	
Charley Hoffman	2007	
Arnold Palmer	1960	



FedExCup Notes

+76 Si Woo Kim moved from 84th to Eighth in the FedExCup standings, his third largest FedExCup movement in his TOUR career

Average age of the current Comcast Business TOUR TOP 10, with four players under the age of 30 (Tom Kim/20, Si Woo Kim/27 Jon Rahm/28 & Adam Svensson/29)

2nd & 4th This week marks the second time this season and fourth time in the last 15 FedExCup Regular seasons where multiple players from South Korea ranked inside the Comcast Business TOUR TOP 10

Current Comcast Business TOUR TOP 10 Movement Last Week

	Prev.	Current	+/-
Seamus Power	1 st	1 st	
Max Homa	2 nd	2 nd	
Tom Kim	3 rd	3 rd	
Jon Rahm	4 th	4 th	
Brian Harman	7 th	5 th	+2
Keegan Bradley	5 th	6 th	-1
Mackenzie Hughes	6 th	7 th	-1
Si Woo Kim	84 th	8 th	76
Adam Svensson	8 th	9 th	-1
Tony Finau	9 th	10 th	-1

Comcast Business TOUR TOP 10 Average Age - PGA TOUR This Season

Thru Event	Age
Fortinet Championship	30.9
Sanderson Farms Champ.	30.8
Shriners Children's Open	27.9
ZOZO CHAMPIONSHIP	30.4
THE CJ CUP in South Carolina	30.2
Butterfield Bermuda Champ	30.4
World Wide Tech Champ	30.4
Cadence Bank Houston Open	30.8
The RSM Classic	31.6
Sentry TOC	31.3
Sony Open in Hawaii*	30.7

^{*6} of TOUR TOP 10 over 30 yrs old

Most FedExCup Points Earned The American Express Since 2009

Tatal	
	Total
Bill Haas	1,514
Adam Hadwin	854
Andrew Landry	831
Brian Gay	747
Jason Dufner	744
Ryan Palmer	733

Weeks with Multiple Players from South Korea Ranked Inside Comcast Business TOUR TOP 10

Season Week	Players
2023 / 11	Tom Kim & Si Woo Im
2023 / 3	Tom Kim & S.H. Kim
2020 / 3	Sungjae Im & Byeong Hun An
2020 / 2	Sungjae Im & Byeong Hun An

*Last 15 FedExCup Regular Seasons



Course Stats (Pete Dye SC, Nicklaus TC, La Quinta CC
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72.48 percent of fairways hit, the third easiest fair	ways to hit on the PGA TOUR Last
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Season

hole outs on the Nicklaus Tournament Course, the fifth fewest of any course on

the PGA TOUR Last Season

718 bogeys or worse across the Nicklaus Tournament Course and La Quinta Golf

Course, the fourth and fifth fewest bogeys or worse on the PGA TOUR Last

Season

eagles on the Pete Dye Stadium Course, the fifth fewest eagles on any course

during the PGA TOUR Last Season

67.96 Scrambling percentage, the easiest of any course on the PGA TOUR Last

Season

Easiest Fairways to Hit PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT
Sea Island Golf Club (Plantation Course)	74.91
Plantation Course at Kapalua	73.82
Nicklaus Tournament Course	72.48
Augusta National Golf Club	71.3
Puntacana Resort & Club (Corales Golf Course)	70.57

Fewest Total Bogeys or Worse PGA TOUR Last Season

	Total
Plantation Course at Kapalua	197
East Lake Golf Club	250
Torrey Pines Golf Course (North Course)	293
La Quinta Country Club	349
Nicklaus Tournament Course	369

Fewest Eagles PGA TOUR Last Season

	Total
Spyglass Hill Golf Course	9
Memorial Park Golf Course	11
PGA National Resort (The Champion)	15
Accordia Golf Narashino Country Club	15
Pete Dye Stadium Course	16

Fewest Hole Outs PGA TOUR Last Season

Nicklaus Tournament Course	20
Monterey Peninsula Country Club	19
Sea Island Golf Club (Plantation Course)	15
East Lake Golf Club	14
Plantation Course at Kapalua	13

Lowest 3-Putt Percentage PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT
East Lake Golf Club	1.15
El Camaleón Golf Course at Mayakoba	1.71
Pete Dye Stadium Course	1.72
La Quinta Country Club	1.75
Plantation Course at Kapalua	1.79

Easiest Scrambling Percentage PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT
La Quinta Country Club	67.96
Torrey Pines Golf Course (North)	67.17
The Summit Club	66.83
TPC Craig Ranch	66.77
Innisbrook Resort (Copperhead)	66.72



Broadcast Window Notes – 2023 The American Express

Tony Finau: is set to make his sixth start at The American Express

+2.92 Strokes Gained: Total per round, the second highest average of any player on the PGA

TOUR this season

Top 3 in Strokes Gained: Total (2nd), lowest round (T3), scoring average (69.07), and birdie

average (3rd) on the PGA TOUR this season

Career Finishes The American Express

	Finish
2022	T40
2021	4 th
2020	T14
2016	CUT
2015	T59

Highest SG: Total Average PGA TOUR this Season

Avg
+2.97
+2.92
+2.82
+2.11
+1.87

Scoring Performance PGA TOUR this Season

	Value	Rank
SG: Total	+2.92	2 nd
Lowest Round	62	T3
Scoring Average	69.07	1 st
Birdie Average	5.5	3 rd

Scottie Scheffler: is set to make his fourth start at The American Express after finishing T25 last year. Scheffler was able to improve in all SG Categories over the last two seasons.

10th

ranked for Greens hit in Regulation, his second best rank in his PGA TOUR Career

Career Finishes The American Express

Finish
T25
CUT
3 rd

Strokes Gained Improvement PGA TOUR Last 2 Seasons

	2020-21	2021-22	Improv.
SG: Approach to Green	83 rd	4 th	+79
SG: Putting	107 th	58 th	+49
SG: Total	33 rd	5 th	+28
SG: Tee to Green	21 st	4 th	+17
SG: Around the Green	28 th	25 th	+3

Greens in Regulation PGA TOUR Career

	PCT	Rank
2021-22	72.29	1 st
This Season	75.69	10 th
2019-20	60.04	43 rd
2020-21	68.08	45 th

Patrick Cantlay: is set to make his fifth start at The American Express

3 consecutive Top-10 finishes at The American Express, the longest active streak of any PGA TOUR player at this event

6.5 birdie average, tied with Jon Rahm for the highest birdie average on TOUR this season

Career Finishes The American Express

	Finish
2022	9 th
2021	2 nd
2019	T9
2013	CUT

Longest Active Top-10 Streak
The American Express

	Total
Patrick Cantlay	3
Brian Harman	2
Francesco Molinari	2

Highest Birdie Average PGA TOUR this Season

	Avg
Patrick Cantlay	6.50
Jon Rahm	6.50
Tony Finau	5.50
Max Homa	5.31
Cameron Young	5.25



Xander Schauffele: is set to make his third start at The American Express and first start since 2017. Schauffele has missed his previous two cuts at this event.

consecutive cuts made on the PGA TOUR, tied for the second longest active streak of any PGA TOUR player

69.21 scoring average (actual) since the start of the 2019-20 PGA TOUR season, the third best of any player during this time frame

Longest Active Cuts Made Streak PGA TOUR

	Total
Jon Rahm	20
Andrew Putnam	13
Xander Schauffele	13
Taylor Pendrith	13
Brian Harman	11
Patrick Cantlay	11

Lowest Scoring Average (Actual) PGA TOUR Since 2020

	Avg
Jon Rahm	69.08
Justin Thomas	69.10
Xander Schauffele	69.21
Patrick Cantlay	69.22
Webb Simpson	69.28
Scottie Scheffler	69.29
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min of 50 rds

FedExCup Performance PGA TOUR Career

Playoff App.	6
Top 70	6
Top 30	6
Best Finish	2 nd (2019-20)

Current Rank:114th

Sungjae Im: is set to make his fifth start at The American Express after finishing T11 last year.

+130 Strokes Gained: Around the Green rank improvement from 2020-21 season (142nd) to last season (12th) the third largest improvement of any player on TOUR

Career Finishes The American Express

	Finish
2022	T11
2021	T12
2020	T10
2019	T12

Most Improved SG: Around the Green PGA TOUR Last 2 Seasons

	2020-21	2021-22	Improv.
Billy Horschel	141 st	8th	+133
Matthew Wolff	184 th	51 st	+133
Sungjae Im	142 nd	12 th	+130
Rory Sabbatini	131 st	16 th	+115
Scott Stallings	179th	68 th	+111

FedExCup Performance PGA TOUR Career

Playoff App.	4
Top-70	4
Top-30	4
Best Finish	2 nd (2021-22)

Currently: 56th



Jason Day: is set to make his second start at The American Express after finishing T49 last year

+136 Strokes Gained: Approach-the-Green rank improvement from last season (145th) to this

season (9th) the fourth biggest improvement of any player on TOUR

65.94% driving accuracy percentage this season, on pace for his second highest season

percentage of his PGA TOUR career

Most Improved SG: Approach-the-Green Rank PGA TOUR Last Season vs This Season

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	2022	2023	Improvement	
Sung Kang	179 th	5 th	+174	
Sepp Straka	164 th	25 th	+139	
Nick Hardy	144 th	6 th	+138	
Jason Day	145 th	9 th	+136	
Rickie Fowler	150 th	20 th	+130	

Highest Driving Accuracy PGA TOUR Career by Season

	PCT
2006	68.84
This Season	65.94
2018-19	61.76
2020-21	61.31
2021-22	61.19

FedExCup Performance PGA TOUR Career

Playoff App.	15
Top-70	11
Top-30	8
Best Finish	3 rd (2014-15)

Currently: 47th

Sam Burns: is set to make his fourth start at The American Express and his first since 2021.

+81 Strokes Gained: Around the Green rank improvement from 2020-21 season (126th) to last season (45th) the largest improvement for Burns between the two seasons

Career Performance The American Express

Times Played	3
Low Score	63 (2020, RD 4)
Score to Par	-36
Scoring AVG	68.4
Best Finish	T6 (2020)

Strokes Gained Improvement PGA TOUR Last 2 Seasons

	2020-21	2021-22	Improv.
SG: Around the Green	126 th	45 th	+81
SG: Approach to Green	30 th	18 th	+12
SG: Tee to Green	42 nd	32 nd	+10
SG: Total	14 th	12 th	+2

FedExCup Performance PGA TOUR Career

Playoff App.	4
Top-70	4
Top-30	4
Best	22 nd (2021-22)

Currently: 80th

Harris English: is set to make his eighth start at The American Express. English is currently ranked 61st in the FedExCup standings.

7 starts at The American Express, one of five events with seven or more starts without a Top-10 finish during his PGA TOUR career

Best Finishes The American Express

	Finish
2018	T11
2012	T19
2015	T30
2014	T33

Most Starts at an Event without a Top-10 PGA TOUR Career

	Total
THE PLAYERS Championship	8
AT&T Byron Nelson	8
The Open Championship	7
The American Express	7
The Honda Classic	7

FedExCup Performance PGA TOUR Career

Playoff App.	9
Top-70	6
Top-30	3
Best Finish	12 th (2019-20)

Currently: 61st



Jon Rahm: The 2018 American Express Champion is set to make his fifth start at this event

Top 3 on the PGA TOUR this season in Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green (T3), Strokes Gained:

Off-the-Tee (1st), and Driving Distance (All-Drives) (2nd)

66.88 actual scoring average this season, the best of any PGA TOUR player

Career Finishes The American Express

	Finish
2018	WON
2019	6 th
2022	T14
2017	T34

Off the Tee Performance PGA TOUR this Season

	Value	Rank
SG: Tee-to-Green	+1.94	T3
SG: Off-the-Tee	+1.12	1 st
Driving Distance (All-Drives)	315.9	2 nd
Driving Accuracy PCT	65.52%	27 th

Lowest Scoring Average (Actual) PGA TOUR this Season

	Avg
Jon Rahm	66.88
Patrick Cantlay	67.13
Tony Finau	67.4
Brian Harman	67.58
Tom Kim	67.72

Rickie Fowler: is set to make his sixth start at The American Express. Rickie Fowler has two top-10 finishes in his four PGA TOUR starts this season compared to two in his previous 58 starts on TOUR.

+181 Greens in Regulation rank improvement from 2021-22 season (186th) to this season (5th) the largest improvement of any player on TOUR

Career Finishes The American Express

	Finish
2022	CUT
2021	T21
2020	T10
2014	T33
2010	CUT

Most Improved Greens in Regulation Rank PGA TOUR Last Season vs This Season

	2022	2023	Improvement
Rickie Fowler	186 th	5 th	+181
Cameron Young	143 rd	13rd	+130
Andrew Novak	138 th	11 th	+127
Matt Kuchar	164 th	42 nd	+122
Justin Rose	142 nd	29 th	+113

Top-10 Finishes PGA TOUR

Previous 58	Last 4 Starts
2 (3.4%)	2 (50%)

Tom Kim: is set to make his second start at The American Express and first since 2021.

+2.04 Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green, the second most of any player on the PGA TOUR This Season

2.82 Par 3 Scoring Average, tied for the third lowest of any player on the PGA TOUR This Season

Highest SG: Tee-to-Green Average PGA TOUR This Season

	AVG
Mito Pereira	+2.38
Tom Kim	+2.04
Jon Rahm	+1.94
Tommy Fleetwood	+1.94
Sean O'Hair	+1.81

Player Performance PGA TOUR This Season

Starts	5
Low Score	62 (Shriners Rd 3)
Score to Par	-61
Scoring AVG	67.72
Best Finish	WON*

*Shriners Children's Open

Lowest Par 3 Scoring Average PGA TOUR This Season

	AVG
Tony Finau	2.78
William McGirt	2.79
Tom Kim	2.82
Max Homa	2.82
Billy Horschel	2.85

TOUR Avg: 3.03



Sahith Theegala: is set to make his second start at The American Express after finishing T33 last year.

2 rounds of 63 or better, tied with 5 other players for the second most rounds 63 or better PGA TOUR This Season

total birdies, the most of any player since the start of the last PGA TOUR season

Most Rounds of 63 or Better PGA TOUR This Season

	Total
Will Gordon	3
Sahith Theegala	2
Harry Higgs	2
Jon Rahm	2
Robby Shelton	2
Russell Henley	2
Andrew Putnam	2

Most Birdies Since Start of Last Season

	Total
Sahith Theegala	549
Adam Svensson	526
Tom Hoge	509
J.J. Spaun	498
Davis Riley	493

Cameron Young: the 2021-22 PGA TOUR Rookie of the Year is set to make his second start at The American Express after finishing T40 last year. In his career on TOUR, Cameron Young is a completely different player on the greens in the opening round compared to round two. Cameron is a total of 8.7 strokes better in round one than in round two in Strokes Gained: Putting.

Longest Driving Distance-All Drives PGA TOUR This Season

	Total
Cameron Young	318.1
Jon Rahm	315.9
Patrick Cantlay	315
Viktor Hovland	312.6
Justin Thomas	312.5

Highest Percent of Drives 300+ PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT
Cameron Young	66.22
Luke List	63.34
Trey Mullinax	62.06
Brandon Hagy	61.86
Jon Rahm	61.04

Career Putting Stats Rd 1 vs Rd 2

	Rd 1	Rd 2
SG: Putting	+5.669	-3.035
One-Putts	231	223
3-Putts	13	19
Putts Per Rd	28.2	28.3
Longest Putt Made	46' 7"	33' 4"

Will Zalatoris: is set to make his second appearance at The American Express after finishing T6 last year.

12 birdies or better, the most during any round in his PGA TOUR Career

+20 Strokes Gained: Off-the-Tee rank improvement from 2020-21 season (31st) to last season (11th) his largest improvement last season

Most Birdies or Better in a Round PGA TOUR Career

Strokes Gained Improvement PGA TOUR Last 2 Seasons

	Round	Total
2022 The American Express	RD 2	12
2021 Sanderson Farms Championship	RD 2	11
2023 Sentry Tournament of Champions	Final RD	9
2022 Wyndham Championship	RD 3	8
2022 Rocket Mortgage Classic	Final RD	8
2022 the Memorial Tournament	RD 1	8

	2020-21	2021-22	Improv.
SG: Off the Tee	31 st	11 th	+20
SG: Putting	122 nd	103 rd	+19
SG: Total	22 nd	3 rd	+19
SG: Tee to Green	9 th	1 st	+8
SG: Approach to Green	7 th	1 st	+6



Zach Johnson: is set to make his 13th start at The American Express after finishing T14 last year.

-25 score to par, his highest of any four round event during his PGA TOUR Career

Best Finishes The American Express

	Finish
2014	Т3
2012	T8
2022	T14
2018	T20
2004	T20

Lowest Total Score to Par PGA TOUR Career

	Total	Finish
2014 The American Express	-25	Т3
2014 John Deere Classic	-21	2 nd
2010 Charles Schwab Challenge	-21	WON
2005 Buick	-20	T2
2012 John Deere Classic	-20	WON

4 rd events

FedExCup Performance PGA TOUR Career

Playoff App.	14
Top-70	11
Top-30	7
Best Finish	5 th (2013)

Currently: 194th

Si Woo Kim: the 2021 The American Express Champions is set to make his sixth start at this event.

Greens in Regulation, the third most during his PGA TOUR Career

+3.87 average Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green, the highest event average during his PGA TOUR Career

Best Finishes The American Express

	Finish
2021	WON
2016	T9
2022	T11
2019	T40

Most Greens in Regulation PGA TOUR Career

	Total	Finish
2022 Sentry Tournament of Champions	61	T23
2023 Sony Open in Hawaii	60	WON
2020 Travelers Championship	60	T11
2016 Wyndham Championship	60	WON
2021 The American Express	59	WON

FedExCup Performance PGA TOUR Career

Playoff App.	7
Top-70	6
Top-30	1
Best Finish	17 th (2014-15)

Currently: 8th

Best SG: Tee-to-Green Average PGA TOUR Career

	Avg	Finish
2021 The American Express	+3.87	WON
2016 Wyndham Championship	+3.84	WON
2017 THE PLAYERS Championship	+3.62	WON
2016 The American Express	+2.96	T9
2023 Sony Open in Hawaii	+2.93	WON

SG: Approach the Green Rank Improv. PGA TOUR Since 2018

	Rank (AVG)
This Season	3 (+1.36)
2021-22	97 (+.07)
2020-21	113 (03)
2019-20	T84 (+.12)
2018-19	143 (18)