



### 2024 Masters Tournament (16<sup>th</sup> of 36 events in the FedExCup Regular Season)

Augusta, Georgia Augusta National Golf Club April 11-14, 2024 Par/Yards: 36-36 – 72/7,555 FedExCup points: 750 (winner) Purse: TBA

## Completed First-Round Notes – Friday, April 12, 2024

Thursday weather: Partly cloudy with showers in the morning. High of 79. Wind SSW 15-20 mph, with gusts to 35 mph.

Friday morning weather: Sunny. High of 62. Wind W 14-18 mph, with gusts to 30 mph.

**Thursday delay:** Due to inclement weather, the start of the first round was delayed 2 hours, 30 minutes (round began at 10:30 a.m. ET on Thursday).

**Thursday suspension:** The first round was suspended at 7:51 p.m. ET Thursday due to darkness with 27 players left to complete the round.

**Friday resumption:** The first round resumed Friday at 7:50 a.m. and was completed at 10:06 a.m. The second round began as scheduled at 8 a.m.

#### **First-Round Leaderboard**

Pos.	Player	R1
1	Bryson DeChambeau	65 (-7)
2	Scottie Scheffler	66 (-6)
Т3	Nicolai Højgaard	67 (-5)
Т3	Max Homa	67 (-5)
5	Danny Willett	68 (-4)

### Bryson DeChambeau (1<sup>st</sup>/-7)

- 2020 U.S. Open champion
- Second career 18-hole lead/co-lead at the Masters Tournament; a share of the lead after the first round of the 2019 Masters and went on to finish T29
- 65 is his lowest score in 25 career rounds at the Masters

### Scottie Scheffler (2<sup>nd</sup>/-6)

- Bogey-free 66 is his lowest score in 17 rounds at the Masters (previous: 67, R2/2022) and first bogey-free round
- Ninth bogey-free round of the year (second-most on TOUR; 10/Xander Schauffele); has at least one bogey-free round in every start this season except for The Genesis Invitational
- First player with a bogey-free round at the Arnold Palmer Invitational presented by Mastercard, THE PLAYERS Championship and the Masters Tournament in the same year since Ian Poulter in 2015
- Eight-time PGA TOUR winner and 2022 Masters Tournament winner
- With a win, would become the 18<sup>th</sup> player to win the Masters Tournament multiple times and first to accomplish the feat since Bubba Watson in 2014
- Multiple titles at three PGA TOUR events (WM Phoenix Open in 2022 and 2023, Arnold Palmer Invitational presented by Mastercard in 2022 and 2024, THE PLAYERS Championship in 2023 and 2024)
- Won the Arnold Palmer Invitational presented by Mastercard and THE PLAYERS Championship in back-to-back weeks in March, entering the Masters with multiple wins on the year for the third consecutive year (longest streak since Tiger Woods from 2005 to 2008)
- Entered the week No. 1 in the FedExCup standings and Official World Golf Ranking; did the same in 2022 (went on to win)
- Leads the PGA TOUR in wins (2) and top-10s (7) this season

### Tiger Woods (T35/+1)

- Cards a 1-over 73, his 10<sup>th</sup> over-par first-round score in 26 starts at the Masters; was 1-under thru 13 at the time of suspension and played the final five holes Friday morning in 2-over
- 82-time PGA TOUR winner and five-time Masters Tournament champion
- Second start of the season and first since The Genesis Invitational, where he withdrew during the second round due to illness

• Made the cut at the 2023 Masters and withdrew during the third round due to injury; tied Gary Player and Fred Couples for most consecutive starts making the cut at the Masters with 23 and would break the tie with a made cut in 2024

# **Miscellaneous Notes**

- Max Homa (T3/-5) records a 67, his lowest score in 51 career rounds in major championships (previous: 68, twice); Homa is making his 18<sup>th</sup> start in a major and is coming off his best result (T10/The Open Championship)
- In his first start worldwide since the 2023 BMW PGA Championship on the DP World Tour in September, 2016 Masters Tournament winner Danny Willett (5<sup>th</sup>/-4) cards a 4-under 68, his third score of 68 or better at the Masters and first since 2020 (66/R2)
- 2015 Masters winner **Jordan Spieth** makes a 9 at the par-5 15<sup>th</sup>, his tying his highest score on a hole in his PGA TOUR career; it was Spieth's third 9 on TOUR and second at No. 15 at the Masters