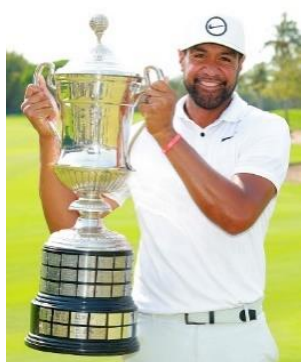


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Defending Champion ShotLink Keys to Victory

Tony Finau earned his sixth career PGA TOUR victory at the 2023 Mexico Open at Vidanta.



Tony Finau
Mexico Open at Vidanta

- 7th** players with 4 or more wins on the PGA TOUR since the 2021-22 season
- 5** wins in his last 56 starts on TOUR compared to just one win in his first 188 starts
- 65** scoring average (actual), the lowest scoring average in an event in his PGA TOUR Career
- 23** on Holes 12-18 at the Mexico Open at Vidanta last two seasons, the lowest score to par of any player in that hole span
- 27** birdies, tied for the second most birdies in an event during his PGA TOUR career
- 6th** player to earn four wins in a span of 18 starts on the PGA TOUR in the last two seasons

Players with 4+ Wins PGA TOUR Since 2021-22

	Total
Scottie Scheffler	6
Rory McIlroy	5
Jon Rahm	5
Tony Finau	4
Sam Burns	4
Max Homa	4
Viktor Hovland	4

PGA TOUR Career Comparison

	First 188 Starts	Last 57 Starts
Wins	1	5
Win Percentage	0.5	8.8

Lowest Event Scoring Avg (Actual) PGA TOUR Career

	Total
2023 Mexico Open at Vidanta	65.00
2022 Rocket Mortgage Classic	65.50
2022 RBC Canadian Open	65.75

Lowest Score to Par Holes 12-18 Mexico Open at Vidanta Last 2 PGA TOUR Seasons

	Total
Tony Finau	-23
Jon Rahm	-19
Brandon Wu	-19
Patrick Rodgers	-15
Kelly Kraft	-14

Most Birdies in an Event PGA TOUR Career

	Total	Finish
2023 The American Express	28	T16
2023 Mexico Open at Vidanta	27	WON
2022 Rocket Mortgage Classic	27	WON
2021 The American Express	27	4 th

Players with 4 Wins in a 18 Start Span PGA TOUR Since 2022

	Win 1	Win 2	Win 3	Win 4
Tony Finau	2022 3M Open	2022 Rocket Mortgage Classic	2023 Cadence Bank Houston Open	2023 Mexico Open
Jon Rahm	2023 Sentry TOC	2023 American Express	2023 Genesis Invitational	2023 Masters
Jon Rahm	2022 Mexico Open	2023 Sentry TOC	2023 American Express	2023 Genesis Invitational
Rory McIlroy	2021 CJ Cup	2022 RBC Canadian Open	2022 TOUR Championship	2022 CJ Cup
Patrick Cantlay	2021 Memorial Tournament	2021 BMW Championship	2021 TOUR Championship	2022 Zurich Classic
Scottie Scheffler	2022 WM Phoenix Open	2022 Arnold Palmer Invitational	2022 WGC-Dell Tech Match Play	2022 Masters

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FedExCup Storylines

Thru 2024 Genesis Invitational (24 weeks left)

40.00 percentage of players in the TOUR TOP 10 with 24 weeks left in the FedExCup Regular season have finished in the final TOUR TOP 10 since 2009

53 Scottie Scheffler has been inside the Top 3 of the FedExCup Standings for 53 weeks since the start of the 2021-22 PGA TOUR season, the most of any player during this time

3rd consecutive season Scheffler is inside the Comcast Business TOUR TOP 10 with 25 weeks left, the only player to be inside the TOUR TOP 10 in each of the last three seasons with 25 weeks left

31.10 Average of the current Comcast Business TOUR TOP 10, with only two players under the age of 30 (Sahith Theegala/26 & Scottie Scheffler/27).

**Current Comcast Business TOUR TOP 10
Movement Last Week**

	Prev.	Curr.	Movement
Matthieu Pavon	1	1	--
Scottie Scheffler	4	2	+2
Hideki Matsuyama	57	3	+54
Chris Kirk	2	4	-2
Wyndham Clark	3	5	-2
Byeong Hun An	5	6	-1
Xander Schauffele	17	7	+10
J.T. Poston	10	8	+2
Jason Day	14	9	+5
Sahith Theegala	7	10	-3

**PCT of Players Finishing in Final TOUR TOP 10
PGA TOUR Since 2009**

Weeks Left	PCT
24	40.0%
23	42.7%
22	46.0%
21	48.0%
20	47.3%

**Most Weeks in Top 3 FedExCup
Since Start of 2021-22 Season**

	Total
Scottie Scheffler	53
Max Homa	36
Sam Burns	31

**Ranked Inside TOUR TOP 10
24 Weeks Left – Last 3 Seasons**

Scottie Scheffler	
This Season	2 nd
Last Season	5 th
2021-22	3 rd

**Moving into TOUR TOP 10 w/ Win
PGA TOUR Career (Matsuyama)**

2024 The Genesis Invit.	57th - 3rd
2021 ZOZO Champ.	33 rd - 3 rd
2021 Masters	33 rd - 3 rd
2016 WM Phoenix Open	74 th - 10 th

**Average Age
Comcast Business TOUR TOP 10 this Season**

	Avg
Thru The Sentry	30.55
Thru Sony Open in Hawaii	30.64
Thru The American Express	30.90
Thru Farmers Insurance Open	29.80
Thru AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am	30.40
Thru WM Phoenix Open	30.30
Thru The Genesis Invitational	31.10

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Mexico Facts & Figures

- 4** players have won on TOUR from Mexico, | Cesar Sanudo, Victor Regalado, Carlos Ortiz, and Abraham Ancer
- 8** currently eight players who hail from Mexico are in the field this week
- 2** Viktor Hovland & Dustin Johnson each have multiple victories in Mexico (most since '07)
- 111** Scott Piercy is -111 in Mexico, the best of any player since start of 2014-15 season
- 6** PGA TOUR winners in the field this week have played events in Mexico on all three TOURs (PGATLA, KFT, and PGAT)

Winners from Mexico PGA TOUR History

Abraham Ancer	2021 WGC-FedEx St. Jude Invitational
Carlos Ortiz	2020 HP Houston Open
Victor Regalado	1974 Pleasant Valley Classic & 1978 John Deere Classic
Cesar Sanudo	1970 Azalea Open Invitational

Most Wins in Mexico PGA TOUR Since 2007

Viktor Hovland	2
Dustin Johnson	2
Brendon Todd	1
Phil Mickelson	1
Matt Kuchar	1
Fred Funk	1
Jon Rahm	1
Brian Gay	1
Johnson Wagner	1
Russell Henley	1
Graeme McDowell	1
Charley Hoffman	1
Pat Perez	1
Harris English	1
Patrick Reed	1
John Huh	1
Erik van Rooyen	1
Mark Wilson	1
Tony Finau	1
Cameron Beckman	1
Patton Kizzire	1

Most Under Par in Mexico Since 2014-15 PGA TOUR Season

Score to Par	
Scott Piercy	-111
Tony Finau	-97
Patton Kizzire	-93
Brice Garnett	-93
Justin Thomas	-90

Best Scoring Average in Mexico PGA TOUR in FEC era

Avg	
Viktor Hovland	67.13
Rory McIlroy	67.67
Adam Long	67.77
Justin Thomas	67.79
Thomas Detry	67.83

min 10+ rounds

PGA TOUR Winners in the Field with Starts in Mexico on all 3 TOURs (KFT, PGATLA and PGA TOUR)

	Korn Ferry Tour	PGATLA	PGA TOUR	Total Starts
Tyler Duncan	3	3	8	14
Nico Echavarria	1	3	2	6
Lanto Griffin	1	4	6	11
Nate Lashley	1	6	7	14
Keith Mitchell	2	3	7	12
Martin Trainer	2	7	5	14

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Course Statistics – Vidanta Vallarta

- 89.99** hit green percentage inside 125 yards, the second easiest greens to hit from this distance from any course on the PGA TOUR Last Season
- +0.417** The 10th hole at Vidanta Vallarta played as the third toughest hole on TOUR last season
- 43' 9"** proximity to hole average, the second longest average of any course on the PGA TOUR last season
- 38' 10"** fairway proximity, the longest of any course on the PGA TOUR Last Season
- 20' 3"** proximity to the hole inside 100 yards (rgh), the third closest proximity of any course on the PGA TOUR Last Season

Easiest Greens to Hit Inside 125 Yards PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT
Sea Island Golf Club (Seaside Course)	90.63
Vidanta Vallarta	89.99
Plantation Course at Kapalua	88.87
TPC Craig Ranch	88.31
Pete Dye Stadium Course	88.19

Longest Proximity to the Hole Average PGA TOUR Last Season

	Avg
The Renaissance Club	44' 4
Vidanta Vallarta	43' 9
Quail Hollow Club	43' 4
TPC Scottsdale (Stadium Course)	43' 0
The Los Angeles Country Club (North Course)	41' 9

Longest Fairway Proximity PGA TOUR Last Season

Vidanta Vallarta	38' 10
The Renaissance Club	38' 3
The Los Angeles Country Club (North Course)	37' 2
Quail Hollow Club	36' 5
Innisbrook Resort (Copperhead Course)	35' 5

Closest Proximity to Hole Inside 100 Yards (Rgh) PGA TOUR Last Season

	Avg
Pete Dye Stadium Course	18' 7
Pebble Beach Golf Links	19' 7
Vidanta Vallarta	20' 3
TPC San Antonio (Oaks Course)	21' 3
Plantation Course at Kapalua	21' 5

Toughest Holes in Relation to Par PGA TOUR Last Season

	Hole	Avg
Oak Hill Country Club - East Course	6	+0.519
Accordia Golf Narashino Country Club	4	+0.427
Vidanta Vallarta	10	+0.417
The Los Angeles Country Club (North Course)	17	+0.414
Oakdale Golf & Country Club	6	+0.413
Muirfield Village Golf Club	18	+0.399
Pebble Beach Golf Links	9	+0.385
Bay Hill Club & Lodge	9	+0.377

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Broadcast Window - Featured Groups

Erik Van Rooyen, K.H. Lee, Emiliano Grillo

20 Erik van Rooyen one of two players inside Top 20 in all par 5 categories this season (Finau)

53rd K.H. Lee has improved his Approach the Green ranks since the 2021-22 season, ranking 124th in 2022 and currently 53rd this season

1,279 Emiliano Grillo has mad 1,279 birdies since the 2021 season, only three players have made more in this span (Im, Scheffler & Hoge)

29th Grillo finished 29th in the FedExCup Standings last season, his second best finish of his PGA TOUR career

Group Event Performance PGA TOUR Careers

	Van Rooyen	Lee	Grillo
Start Number	2 nd	1 st	3 rd
Scoring Avg	69.0	--	68.13
Best Finish	T33 (2023)	--	T5 (2023)

Par 5 Performance PGA TOUR This Season (van Rooyen)

	Rank
Scoring Average	5 th
Birdie or Better Leaders	8 th
Performance	T16
Going for the Green	18 th

Biggest SG: Total Rank Improvement PGA TOUR 2023 v 2024 Season

	2023	2024	Improv
Carl Yuan	149 th	36 th	+113
Erik van Rooyen	156th	53rd	+103
Scott Stallings	141 st	48 th	+93
Patton Kizzire	153 rd	67 th	+86
Taylor Pendrith	87 th	5 th	+82

Highest One-Putt PCT PGA TOUR Since 2021-22 Season

	PCT
Denny McCarthy	43.07
Wyndham Clark	41.61
Sahith Theegala	41.27
Tom Hoge	40.98
Si Woo Kim	40.68
Stephan Jaeger	40.49
K.H. Lee	39.72

min 3800 holes played

SG: Approach-the-Green Rank Improv. PGA TOUR Since 2021-22 (Lee)

	Rank
This Season	53rd
Last season	94 th
2021-22	124 th

Best FedExCup Finishes PGA TOUR Career (Lee)

	Rank
2021-22	25 th
2020-21	31 st
Last Season	77th
2019-20	97 th
2018-19	108 th

Most Birdies PGA TOUR Since 2020-21 Season

	Total
Sungjae Im	1,376
Scottie Scheffler	1,310
Tom Hoge	1,296
Emiliano Grillo	1,279
Adam Schenk	1,236

Scoring Comparison Mexico Open at Vidanta

	2022	2023
Scoring Avg	69.25	67
Birdie or Better Avg	4.75	5.50
Score to Par	-7	-16
Rounds in 60s	2	4
Best Round Finish	T25	T5

Best FedExCup Finishes PGA TOUR Career (Grillo)

	Rank
2015-16	11 th
Last Season	29th
2017-18	32 nd
2021-22	49 th
2020-21	59 th

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Nico Echavarria, Vincent Norrman, Matt Wallace

- 7th** Nico Echavarria currently has the seventh largest sand save rank improvement from last season (T147) to this season (18th)
- 6** Echavarria is one of six players to improve in all six Strokes Gained Categories from last season to this season
- 2** Norrman is averaging two strokes better in round two (70.75) this season compared to round one (72.75)
- 66.67%** Norrman has made the cut in 66.67% of international stroke play events on compared to 52.0% in events in the United States during his PGA TOUR career
- 4.53** Wallace is averaging 4.53 birdies per round this season, on pace for his highest season average on the PGA TOUR

Group Event Performance PGA TOUR Careers

	Echavarria	Norrman	Wallace
Start Number	2 nd	2 nd	3 rd
Scoring Avg	70.5	68.25	71.33
Best Finish	T66 (2023)	T18 (2023)	T67 (2022)

Sand Save Rank Improvement PGA TOUR 2023 v 2024

	Rank
2022-23	T147
This Season	18 th

7th largest improvement

Strokes Gained Rank Improvement PGA TOUR Last Season vs This Season (Echavarria)

	2023	2024
Off the Tee	125 th	81 st
Approach the Green	172 nd	149 th
Around the Green	166 th	132 nd
Putting	137 th	48 th
Tee to Green	176 th	139 th
Total	175 th	116 th

Round Comparison PGA TOUR this Season (Norrman)

	Rd 1	Rd 2
Scoring Average	72.75	70.75
Under Par Rounds	1	3
Total Score to Par	+5	-3

United States vs International Stroke Play Events PGA TOUR Career (Norrman)

	International	United States
Events	6	25
Scoring Average	69.65	70.38
Top 25 PCT	50.00%	12.00%
Made Cut PCT	66.67%	52.00%

Highest Season Birdie Average PGA TOUR Career (Wallace)

	Avg
This Season	4.53
2018-19	3.50
2019-20	3.66
2020-21	3.58
2021-22	3.57

Greens in Regulation Rank Improvement PGA TOUR Since 2020 (Wallace)

	Rank
This Season	53rd
2022-23	164 th
2021-22	111 th
2020-21	157 th
2019-20	176 th

Weeks Inside FedExCup Top 70 by Season PGA TOUR Career (Wallace)

	Total
Last Season	19
2021-22	11
This Season	2

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Tony Finau, Mackenzie Hughes, Nicolai Højgaard

- 7** Finau has seven consecutive rounds in the 60s at this event, the largest active streak of any player
- 9** Finau has finished inside the top 50 of the FedExCup Standings in nine consecutive seasons, the second longest active streak
- +73** Hughes has improved his Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green rank 73 spots from the 2020-21 season (171st) to this season (98th)
- 37.5%** Højgaard has had a second round score of 66 or better in 37.5% of his rounds since the start of last season, the third highest percentage of any player with a min of 10 starts
- 29th** Højgaard is ranked 29th in the FedExCup Standings this season, the third best rank of any player in the field this week

Group Event Performance PGA TOUR Careers

	Finau	Hughes	Højgaard
Start Number	3 rd	1 st	2 nd
Scoring Avg	66.0	--	69.0
Best Finish	WON (2023)	--	T33 (2023)

Longest Active Streak Rounds in the 60s Mexico Open at Vidanta

	Total
Tony Finau	7
Brandon Wu	6
Emiliano Grillo	5

Last 5 Events with Four Rounds in 60s PGA TOUR (Finau)

	Finish
2024 The American Express	T25
2023 Mexico Open at Vidanta	WON
2023 The American Express	T16
2023 The Sentry	T7
2022 Texas Children's Houston Open	WON

Longest Active Streak Finishing in the FedExCup Top 50

	Total
Hideki Matsuyama	10
Tony Finau	9
Patrick Cantlay	7
Xander Schauffele	7
Rory McIlroy	6

Round Comparison PGA TOUR this Season (Hughes)

	Rd 1	Rd 2
Scoring Average	70.75	68
PCT of Rounds Under Par	75%	100%
Eagles	1	3
Bogey+ Average	2.5	1.5

SG; Tee-to-Green Rank Improvement PGA TOUR Since 2021 (Hughes)

	Rank
This Season	98th
2022-23	129 th
2021-22	139 th
2020-21	171 st

FedExCup Playoff Appearances PGA TOUR (Hughes)

	Total
Playoffs	6
BMW Championship	4
TOUR Championship	1
Best Finish	14 th (2019-20)

Highest Percentage of 2 Round Scores of 66 or Better PGA TOUR Since Start of Last Season

	PCT
Scottie Scheffler	48.1%
Ludvig Åberg	44.4%
Nicolai Højgaard	37.5%
Akshay Bhatia	31.0%
Cole Hammer	30.0%

Highest FedExCup Rank In Field this Week

	Rank
Thomas Detry	27 th
Mark Hubbard	28 th
Nicolai Højgaard	29th
Charley Hoffman	30 th
Emiliano Grillo	32 nd

min of 10 rds

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Brandt Snedeker, Chez Reavie, Cameron Champ

- 9** Snedeker has nine PGA TOUR career wins the most of any player in the field
- 69.22** Snedeker has a 69.22 scoring average in Mexico, his second lowest scoring average by country of his PGA TOUR career
- 3'6"** Reavie averages 3'6" to the hole from the sand this season, the best average of any player on the PGA TOUR this season
- 1st** Champ ranks first in highest percentage of drives 320+ yards this season and is one of only two players to be ranked inside the Top 15 every PGA TOUR season since 2018-19

Group Event Performance PGA TOUR Careers

	Snedeker	Reavie	Champ
Start Number	1 st	3 rd	3 rd
Scoring Avg	--	69.0	67.5
Best Finish	--	T13 (2022)	T6 (2022)

Most PGA TOUR Wins In Field this Week

	Total
Brandt Snedeker	9
Jimmy Walker	6
Padraig Harrington	6
Tony Finau	6

Lowest Scoring Average by Country PGA TOUR Career (Snedeker)

	Avg	Rds
Canada	69.13	40
Mexico	69.22	18
United States	70.48	1259
England	71.25	16
China	71.67	12
Scotland	73.00	14

min of 10 rds played

FedExCup Playoff Appearances PGA TOUR (Snedeker)

	Total
Playoffs	15
BMW Championship	11
TOUR Championship	7
Best Finish	WON (2012)

Closest Proximity to Hole from Sand PGA TOUR this Season

	Avg
Chez Reavie	3' 6"
Carl Yuan	4' 5"
Michael Kim	4' 8"
Jake Knapp	5' 0"
Cameron Champ	5' 2"
Ben Silverman	5' 2"

Largest SG: Around-the-Green Rank Improvement PGA TOUR Last 2 Seasons

	2023	2024	Improv
Hayden Buckley	191 st	37 th	+154
Ryan Moore	160 th	7 th	+153
Chez Reavie	163rd	T26	+137
Callum Tarren	165 th	36 th	+129
Will Gordon	184 th	T56	+128

FedExCup Playoff Appearances PGA TOUR (Reavie)

	Total
Playoffs	10
BMW Championship	6
TOUR Championship	2
Best Finish	8 th (2018-19)

Only Players Ranked Inside Top 15 Driving PCT 320+ PGA TOUR Since 2018-19

	C. Champ	R. McIlroy
2018-19	1 st	3 rd
2019-20	2 nd	8 th
2020-21	4 th	3 rd
2021-22	5 th	2 nd
2022-23	13 th	1 st
This Season	1 st	4 th

Off the Tee Performance PGA TOUR this Season (Champ)

	Value	Rank
Strokes Gained: Off the Tee	1.464	1 st
Driving Distance - All Drives	313.0	2 nd
Club Head Speed	124.71	3 rd
Driving Accuracy Percentage	57.14%	T80