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2025 Farmers Insurance Open ShotLink Broadcast Notes





Defending Champion ShotLink Keys to Victory

Matthieu Pavon earned 500 FedExCup points and his first PGA TOUR victory with his win at the 2024 Farmers Insurance Open. Pavon moved to second in the FedExCup Standings, marking the first Frenchman to be ranked inside the Top 10 of the FedExCup Standings.

11 th	start on TOUR, the fewest starts before a players first win at the Famers Insurance
	Open

+1.99 average Stroke Gained: Putting, the third highest average of any Farmers Insurance

birdies or better, the second most in an event in his PGA TOUR Career

Open Winner since 2004 (three measured rounds)

7 putts over 20', the most of any player at the Farmers Insurance Open since 2004

Matthieu Pavon
Farmers Insurance Open 4th player to win in their first start at this event

scoring average on the South Course compared to 69 on the North Course, marking the fourth time since 2003 the winner has had a lower scoring average on the South Course.

Fewest Starts before First Win at Farmers Insurance Open

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	Starts
2024 Matthieu Pavon	11 th
2017 Jon Rahm	17 th
1978 Jay Haas	46 th
1986 Bob Tway	51 st
1989 Greg Twiggs	68 th
1983 Gary Hallberg	94 th

Highest Avg SG: Putting Farmers Insurance Open Winners Since 2004

	Avg
2014 Scott Stallings	+2.78
2020 Marc Leishman	+2.68
2024 Matthieu Pavon	+1.99
2008 Tiger Woods	+1.86
2005 Tiger Woods	+1.75
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^{*}three measured rounds

Most Birdies or Better PGA TOUR Career

	Total
2024 The American Express	25
2024 AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am	22
2024 Farmers Insurance Open	21

Most Total Putts Made Over 20' Farmers Insurance Open Since 2004

	Total	Finish
2024 Matthieu Pavon	7	WON
2022 Chad Ramey	6	T39
2021 J.T. Poston	6	T18
2011 David Duval	6	T17
2010 Freddie Jacobson	6	T22
2009 Bill Haas	6	T11

Winning in First Event Start Farmers Insurance Open

	Year
Matthieu Pavon	2024
Jon Rahm	2017
Arnold Palmer	1957
Ted Kroll	1952*

^{*}Inaugural Event

Lower Scoring Average on the South Course Farmers Insurance Open Winners Since 2003

	North	South
2024 Matthieu Pavon	69	68.7
2017 Jon Rahm	69	68.7
2006 Tiger Woods	71	69.0
2003 Tiger Woods	70	67.3





Aon Next 10/Swing 5 Breakdown:

As the fourth week of the FedExCup Regular Season gets underway at Farmers Insurance Open, players will have an opportunity to earn FedExCup points towards the Aon Swing 5, a new eligibility pathway with access to Signature Events. With the PGA TOUR Season returning to a calendar-year spanning January to August, each week has greater impact in the season-long race for the FedExCup as well as in-season stakes, with Full-Field Events holding additional consequence through the Aon Next 10 and Aon Swing 5.

The Aon Next 10 and Aon Swing 5 are eligibility pathways for players, not already qualified, to play their way into Signature Events via the FedExCup standings.

- Aon Next 10: Top 10 available players, not otherwise exempt, from FedExCup standings
- Aon Swing 5: Top five available players, not otherwise exempt, who have earned the most FedExCup points from the swings leading up to each Signature Event

The top five players not otherwise exempt who earn the most FedExCup points during the Sony Open in Hawaii, The American Express and Farmers Insurance Open will qualify for the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am, while the top five players not otherwise exempt who earn the most FedExCup points during those three events and the WM Phoenix Open, will qualify for The Genesis Invitational. The Aon Next 10 for the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am and The Genesis Invitational was determined through the FedExCup Fall standings.

Aon Next 10
From Prior Season FedExCup Fall

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	Points	
Maverick McNealy	1,721.035	
Mackenzie Hughes	1,346.166	
Patrick Rodgers	1,259.292	
Nico Echavarria	1,238.583	
Harris English	1,208.975	
Seamus Power	1,201.591	
Ben Griffin	1,176.517	
Kevin Yu	1,080.054	
Tom Kim	1,078.857	
Nick Taylor	1,041.260	

Aon Swing 5
Thru 2025 The American Express

	Points
J.J. Spaun	189.000
Justin Lower	178.000
Alex Smalley	119.000
Charley Hoffman	109.700
Harry Hall	100.292





Course & Hole Statistics - Torrey Pines Golf Course (South & North Course)

7765	Total yards on the Torrey Pines Golf Course (South Course), the second longest course on the PGA TOUR last season
73.90	Greens in Regulation Percentage, Torrey Pines Golf Course (North Course) had the fifth highest percentage on the PGA TOUR last season
38.18	Going for the Green Percentage, Torrey Pines Golf Course (South Course) had the third lowest percentage on the PGA TOUR last season
85.30	Putting Percentage inside 10 feet in 2024 on the Torrey Pines Golf Course (South Course), ranking first with the lowest percentage last season
681	Birdies on the Torrey Pines Golf Course (North Course) in 2024, ranking fourth in fewest birdies last season
21	Hole Outs on the Torrey Pines Golf Course (North Course) in 2024, tied second for the fewest on a course last season

Longest Courses PGA TOUR Last Season

	Par	Yds
Castle Pines Golf Club	72	8130
Torrey Pines Golf Course (South Course)	72	7765
Puntacana Resort & Club (Corales GC)	72	7670
Valhalla Golf Club	71	7609
Plantation Course at Kapalua	73	7596

Lowest Going for the Green Percentage PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT.
Muirfield Village Golf Club	36.89
Colonial Country Club	38.07
Torrey Pines Golf Course (South Course)	38.18
Innisbrook Resort (Copperhead Course)	44.81
TPC San Antonio (Oaks Course)	45.38

Fewest Total Birdies PGA TOUR Last Season

	Total
Spyglass Hill Golf Course	312
East Lake Golf Club	565
Sea Island Golf Club (Plantation Course)	601
Torrey Pines Golf Course (North Course)	681
Pebble Beach Golf Links	704

Easiest Greens to Hit PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT
Plantation Course at Kapalua	82.16
El Cardonal at Diamante	76.24
Black Desert Resort	75.94
TPC River Highlands	74.31
Torrey Pines Golf Course (North Course)	73.90

Lowest Putting PCT. Inside 10' PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT
Torrey Pines Golf Course (South Course)	85.30
Detroit Golf Club	86.12
Silverado Resort (North Course)	86.32
Hamilton Golf & Country Club	86.37
Black Desert Resort	86.48

Fewest Hole Outs PGA TOUR Last Season

Spyglass Hill Golf Course	19
Plantation Course at Kapalua	21
Torrey Pines Golf Course (North Course)	21
Pebble Beach Golf Links	29
TPC Summerlin	36
Castle Pines Golf Club	36
TPC River Highlands	46





Broadcast Window Notes (featured groups)

Hideki Matsuyama, Max Homa, Jason Day

Hideki Matsuyama is one of three players who have ranked inside the top-50 in SG: Around-the-Green in each of the last six seasons (Justin Thomas & Si Woo Kim)

68.14 Scrambling percentage last season, Matsuyama's highest single season average in this category

200th Max Homa is set to make his 200th official career TOUR start. Since 2006, five players have made the

Farmers Insurance Open their 200th official start on TOUR with Tiger Woods (2006) winning the event.

-168 The 2023 Farmers Insurance Open champion Max Homa is 168-under par in the state of California, his

best in a state of the United States

7 Jason Day has seven top-10 finishes at the Farmers Insurance Open

Top 50 in SG: Around-the-Green Each of Last 6 Seasons

Hideki Matsuyama
Justin Thomas
Si Woo Kim

7 players with 5 Seasons

Lowest Score to Par by State

PGA TOUR Career (Homa)

*4 wins in California

California

Hawaii

Michigan

Arizona

Nevada

Highest Scrambling PCT in a Season PGA TOUR Career (Matsuyama)

	PCT
2024	68.14
2021-22	64.23
2018-19	64.12
2022-23	63.78
2019-20	63.72

Wins in California PGA TOUR Career (Homa)

2023 Farmers Insurance Open
2022 Procore Championship
2021 Procore Championship
2021 The Genesis Invitational
*T-4 th most wins in California since '95

International Winners at First 3 Events of Season PGA TOUR Last 55 Years

2003	2025	
Ernie Els	Hideki Matsuyama	
(The Sentry)	(The Sentry)	
Ernie Els	Nick Taylor	
(Sony Open in Hawaii)	(Sony Open in Hawaii)	
Vijay Singh	Sepp Straka	
(WM Phoenix Open)	(The American Express)	

Last 5 Players with 200th Official Career Start at Farmers Insurance Open

	Finish
2024 Francesco Molinari	T73
2020 Robert Streb	CUT
2019 Scott Brown	Т9
2009 Pat Perez	T57
2006 Tiger Woods	WON

*Homa: 200th Career Start This Week

First 8 v Last 7 Starts

Score to Par

-168

-96

-48

-42

-27

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	First 8	Last 7
Scoring Avg	71.46	70.00
Rounds in 60s	5	10
Rounds Over Par	11	5
PCT of Cuts Made	62.50	71.43
Top 10 Finishes	3	4

Farmers Insurance Open (Dav)

Most Top 10 Finishes in an Event PGA TOUR Career (Day)

	Total
AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am	9
Farmers Insurance Open	7

Most Wins Players in the field This Week

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Jason Day	13
Zach Johnson	12
Justin Rose	11
Hideki	
Matsuyama	11
Brandt Snedeker	9





Matthieu Pavon, Tony Finau, Shane Lowry

- **4** Defending champion Matthieu Pavon was one of four rookies to who qualified for the FedExCup Playoffs last season and had the best finish of any rookie in the FedExCup last season
- Tony Finau has six top 10s in 10 previous Farmers Insurance Open starts, most top-10s without a win at an event in TOUR career
- 3 Shane Lowry has three top-25 finishes in season debuts on the PGA TOUR
- 5 Lowry is one of 10 players who have ranked in the top 50 in SG: Approach-the-Green in each of the last five TOUR seasons

Best FedExCup Finish by Rookie PGA TOUR Last Season

	Rank
Matthieu Pavon	17 th
Max Greyserman	48 th
Nick Dunlap	49 th
Jake Knapp	64 th

Rookie Winners PGA TOUR Last Season

	Event	
Matt McCarty	2024 Black Desert Championship	
Jake Knapp	2024 Mexico Open at VidantaWorld	
Matthieu Pavon	2024 Farmers Insurance Open	
	2024 American Express &	
Nick Dunlap	2024 Barracuda Championship	

Most Top 10s at an Event w/out a win PGA TOUR Career (Finau)

	Top 10s	Starts
Farmers Insurance Open	6	10
BMW Championship	4	10
Masters Tournament	3	7
PGA Championship	3	10
the Memorial Tournament	3	8
TOUR Championship	3	8
U.S. Open	3	9

Most FedExCup Points without a Win Farmers Insurance Open Since 2015

	Total
Tony Finau	776
Keegan Bradley	625
Ryan Palmer	555
Charles Howell III	541
J.B.Holmes	508

SG: Approach-the-Green Last 5 PGA TOUR Seasons

	Rank	Avg
Last Season	T12	+0.53
2022-23	28	+0.46
2021-22	Т9	+0.68
2020-21	19	+0.54
2019-20	42	+0.35

Top 50 in SG: Approach-the-Green Each of Last 5 PGA TOUR Seasons

Conners, Corey	Matsuyama, Hideki
Finau, Tony	Morikawa, Collin
Henley, Russell	Reavie, Chez
Hovland, Viktor	Schauffele, Xander
Lowry, Shane	Thomas, Justin

Best Season Debut Finish PGA TOUR Career (Lowry)

	Finish
2019 Baycurrent Classic	T13
2016 WGC-HSBC Champions	T23
2022 THE CJ CUP in South Carolina	T23

^{*1}st start of 2025 season this week





Jhonattan Vegas, Sungjae Im, Stephan Jaeger

7 Vegas has started the 2025 season with seven consecutive rounds of par or better, his longest streak of rounds par or better to begin a TOUR season.

Top 25 finishes, Im has the third most of any player on the PGA TOUR in the last 4 seasons

63.01 sand save percentage, the highest of any season in Im's PGA TOUR Career

Jaeger has the second best finish of any German player at the Farmers Insurance Open The only other player from Germany to finish in the top three at this event was Bernhard Langer (2nd/1986).

31.94 birdie or better percentage, Jaegar had the highest of any player at the 2024 Farmers Insurance Open

Off the Tee Ranks PGA TOUR Last Season (Vegas)

	Rank	Value
SG: Off-the-Tee	8 th	+0.61
SG: Tee-to-Green	18 th	+0.85
Driving Distance - All Drives	T20	301.3
Driving Accuracy Percentage	128 th	59.05%

Most Rds Par or Better to Start a Season PGA TOUR Career (Vegas)

	Total
2025	7
2016-17	6
2021-22	5
2008	4

6 Seasons with 3 Rds

Most Top 25 Finishes PGA TOUR Last 4 Seasons

	Total
Scottie Scheffler	72
Xander Schauffele	69
Sungjae Im	66
Patrick Cantlay	59
Corey Conners	58

Sand Save PCT Last 5 PGA TOUR Seasons (Im)

	Rank	Avg
Last Season	16 th	63.01
2022-23	4 th	61.90
2021-22	26 th	56.90
2020-21	88 th	51.50
2019-20	T15	58.82

Career Breakdown Farmers Insurance Open (Im)

Starts	6
Cuts Made	5
Top 10 Finishes	2
Rounds Under Par	11
FedExCup Points Earned	245

Best Finish at the Farmers Insurance Open Players from Germany

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	Finish
1986 Bernhard Langer	2 nd
2024 Stephan Jaeger	T3
2005 Bernhard Langer	5 th
2001 Bernhard Langer	T25
2003 Alex Cejka	T37

SG: Off-the-Tee Rank Improv. PGA TOUR Last 3 Seasons (Jaeger)

	Rank	Avg
2021-22	184 th	-0.51
2022-23	39 th	+0.33
Last Season	31 st	+0.33

Highest Birdies or Better PCT 2024 Farmers Insurance Open

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	PCT
Stephan Jaeger	31.94
Thomas Detry	30.56
Matthieu Pavon	29.17
Kevin Dougherty	29 17





Keegan Bradley, Ludvig Åberg, Sahith Theegala

- Keegan Bradley has shot under par in each of his last seven opening rounds entering this week, his longest streak of under par opening rounds on the PGA TOUR since 2021 (16 under in span)
- **24' 4"** Last season, Bradley averaged 24' 4" in proximity to the hole from 150-175 yards, his second-best season average in his TOUR career (2015/23' 10") and his average last season was four feet closer than in 2023 (28' 4")
- 3 runner up finishes without a win, Åberg is tied for the most of any player on the PGA TOUR Last Season
- 4 Aberg, is one of four players to rank inside the Top 10 in Strokes Gained: Total in each of the last two seasons
- 1 win in California, Theegala won the 2023 Procore Championship
- **9** top 10s without a win, Theegala has the most out of any player in the PGA TOUR Last Season
- 3rd Theegala finished 3rd in the FedExCup last season, best of any player in the field this week

Round 1 Performance Last 7 PGA TOUR Starts (Bradley)

Scoring Average	68.7
Birdie Avg	3.70
Score to Par	-16
Rds Under Par*	7

^{*}Longest Streak of Under Par First Rds Since '21

Best Avg from 150-175 Yds PGA TOUR Career (Bradley)

	Rank	Avg
2015	6	23' 10
2024	3	24' 4
2020	T29	25' 4
2022	T15	25' 5

Best Improv. in Avg Proximity 150-175 Yds Last 2 PGA TOUR Seasons

	2023	2024	Diff
Kurt Kitayama	29' 3"	23' 10"	5' 7"
Thomas Detry	31' 4"	27' 3"	4' 1"
Keegan Bradley	28' 4"	24' 4"	4' 0"
Keegan Bradley Ben Griffin	28' 4" 30' 4"	24' 4" 26' 5"	4' 0" 3' 11"

Most Runner Up Finishes Without a Win PGA TOUR Last Season

	Total
Ludvig Åberg	3
Max Greyserman	3
Sahith Theegala	2
Collin Morikawa	2
Adam Scott	2
Luke Clanton	2
Min Woo Lee	2

Players Ranked Top 10 in SG: Total Each of Last 2 PGA TOUR Seasons

	2023	2024
Ludvig Åberg	10 th	7 th
Rory McIlroy	2 nd	3 rd
Xander Schauffele	T3	2 nd
Scottie Scheffler	1 st	1 st

California Performance PGA TOUR Career (Theegala)

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	Total	PCT
Starts	20	
Cuts Made	19	95.00
Top 25s	8	40.00
Top 10s	5	25.00
Wins	1	5.00

Most Top 10s Without a Win PGA TOUR Last Season

	Total
Sahith Theegala	9
Sungjae Im	8
Sam Burns	8
Collin Morikawa	8
Ludvia Åbera	8

Best FedExCup Finishes Last Season Players in Field this Week

	Finish
Sahith Theegala	3 rd
Sungjae Im	7 th
Shane Lowry	9 th
Hideki Matsuyama	9 th
Taylor Pendrith	14 th





Maverick McNealy, Will Zalatoris, Justin Rose

69.13 scoring average (actual) last season, McNealy's lowest in a season in his PGA TOUR Career

total hole outs, tied for the third most of any player on the PGA TOUR last season

5 total holes over par, Zalatoris had the fewest of any players during the 2024 Farmers Insurance Open

percentage of rounds better than the field in SG: Approach-the-Green, Zalatoris has the fourth highest percentage of any player since 2021

21 Rose has made the cut in 21 of his previous 26 season debut events

Rose has six Top 5 finishes in season debut events including a win at the 2017 WGC- HSBC Championships

Lowest Season Scoring Average (Actual) PGA TOUR Career (McNealy)

	Avg
2024	69.13
2021-22	69.75
2022-23	70.03
2019-20	70.12
2020-21	70.22

Most Hole Outs PGA TOUR Last Season

	Total
Mackenzie Hughes	32
Sam Stevens	32
Maverick McNealy	27
Robby Shelton	27
Adam Svensson	27

Aon Next 10 In Field this Week

	Rank
Maverick McNealy	1 st
Patrick Rodgers	3 rd
Harris English	5 th
Ben Griffin	7 th
Kevin Yu	8 th

Fewest Holes Over Par 2024 Farmers Insurance Open

	Total
Will Zalatoris	5
Tom Whitney	7
Akshay Bhatia	7
Rafael Campos	7
Nicolai Højgaard	7
Xander Schauffele	7

Highest Percentage of Rounds Better than Field Strokes Gained: Approach-the-Green Since 2021

	Better	Measured Rds	PCT
Scottie Scheffler	207	286	72.38
Collin Morikawa	176	249	70.68
Tony Finau	201	292	68.84
Will Zalatoris	143	209	68.42
Corey Conners	214	314	68.15

min of 110 measured rounds

Season Debut Performance PGA TOUR Career (Rose)

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	Value
Debuts	26
Cuts Made	21
Top 25s	13
Top 5s	6
Best Finish	WON*

*WGC-HSBC Champions

Best Season Debut Finish PGA TOUR Career (Rose)

	Finish
2017 WGC-HSBC Champions	WON
2017 Sony Open in Hawaii	2 nd
2007 The American Express	3 rd
2018 WGC-HSBC Champions	3 rd
1998 The Open Championship	T4
2013 WGC-HSBC Champions	5 th

^{*1}st start of 2025 season this week

FedExCup Champions In Field this Week

	Year
Justin Rose	2018
Brandt Snedeker	2012





Harris English, Aaron Rai, Matthew NeSmith

English has played 3.56 strokes better on the North Course (69.37) then the South Course (72.93) in his career at the Farmers Insurance Open
driving accuracy percentage last season, English's highest in a season in his PGA TOUR career
Driving accuracy percentage, Rai had the highest of any player on the PGA TOUR last season
cuts made at this event, tied for Rai's longest active streak at an event in his PGA TOUR career
Rai was one of eight players to make their TOUR Championship debut on the PGA TOUR last season
Nesmith hit 38 consecutive greens in regulation, the most of any player on the PGA TOUR last season

Course Performances
Farmers Insurance Open Career (English)

	South	North
Scoring Average	72.93	69.37
Birdie Average	2.37	4.45
Bogey+ Average	3.19	2.00
PCT of Rds Under Par	22.22%	90.91%

Highest Season Driving Accuracy PGA TOUR Career (Henley)

	PCT
2024	65.36
2020-21	64.29
2022-23	62.07
2019-20	61.75
2018-19	61.57

Highest Driving Accuracy PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT
Aaron Rai	72.02
Ben Kohles	70.57
Brice Garnett	70.51
Carson Young	70.50
Daniel Berger	70.42

Longest Active Even Made Cut Streak PGA TOUR Career (Rai)

	Total
Zurich Classic of New Orleans	3
Valero Texas Open	3
Texas Children's Houston Open	3
RBC Canadian Open	3
FedEx St. Jude Championship	3
Farmers Insurance Open	3
Charles Schwab Challenge	3
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First TOUR Championship Appearance PGA TOUR Last Season

	Finish
Taylor Pendrith	14 th
Ludvig Åberg	16 th
Robert MacIntyre	17 th
Matthieu Pavon	17 th
Byeong Hun An	21 st
Aaron Rai	23 rd
Akshay Bhatia	26 th
Christiaan Bezuidenhout	29 th

Season Debut Performances PGA TOUR Career (NeSmith)

	Finish
2021 Procore Championship	T51
2024 Sony Open in Hawaii	T80
Other 8 Season Debuts	CUT

Most Consecutive Greens Hit in Regulation PGA TOUR Last Season

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	Started	Ended	Streak	
Matt NeSmith	Farmers Insurance Open RD 2 Hole 6	WM Phoenix Open RD 2 Hole 7	38	
Tom Hoge	Travelers Championship RD 1 Hole 16	Travelers Championship RD 3 Hole 15	36	
Tom Whitney	Cognizant Classic RD 2 Hole 9	Puerto Rico Open RD 2 Hole 13	32	
Matt Kuchar	3M Open 525 RD 1 Hole 11	3M Open RD 2 Hole 13	30	