

Djokovic's ranking crisis compounded by missing Australian Open over visa row, and early exit at Roland Garros

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Wimbledon 2022: Men's preview

Novak Djokovic will seek a seventh Wimbledon crown but faces a sharp descent from the top of the world's elite after the tournament was stripped of ranking points following its decision to ban players from Russia and Belarus

PLAYERS TO WATCH

Novak Djokovic

Looking to extend 21-match winning streak at Wimbledon, despite setbacks

Rafael Nadal

Claimed 22nd Grand Slam at his beloved Roland Garros. Champion twice at Wimbledon

Carlos Alcaraz

Aiming to prove grass court pedigree. Stellar season with Masters titles in Miami and Madrid

Matteo Berrettini

Strong display to defend title at Queen's – ruthless serve is major threat on grass

PLAYER RECORD	Djokovic	Nadal	Alcaraz	Berrettini
2022 win-loss	16-5	30-3	32-4	18-6
2022 titles	1	4	4	2
Career titles (total)	87	92	5	7
Grand Slams	20	22	0	0

OLD GUARD: *Eight-time champion Roger Federer is absent from Wimbledon for first time since 1998. Apart from Federer, no player other than Nadal, Djokovic or Andy Murray has secured victory on Centre Court since Lleyton Hewitt in 2002*

Recent Wimbledon finals

2021	N. Djokovic bt M. Berrettini	2019	N. Djokovic bt R. Federer
	Score: 6-7, 6-4, 6-4, 6-3		7-6, 1-6, 7-6, 4-6, 13-12
2018	N. Djokovic bt K. Anderson	2017	R. Federer bt M. Cilic
	6-2, 6-2, 7-6		6-3, 6-1, 6-4