

## PREVIEW MEN'S SUPER-G WENGEN – Friday 12 Jan 2024

### Super-Three

- Marco Odermatt (10), Aleksander Aamodt Kilde (6) or Vincent Kriechmayr (4) have won every men's World Cup super-G event since the start of 2021.
- Ryan Cochran-Siegle (in Bormio on 29 December 2020) is the last men's World Cup super-G winner other than Odermatt, Kilde, or Kriechmayr.
- Neither Odermatt, Kilde or Kriechmayer is the reigning Olympic champion (Matthias Mayer) or world champion (James Crawford) in the super-G discipline.
- Odermatt (2022) and Kilde (2023) are winners of the last two Wengen World Cup super-G events. The only other men's World Cup super-G event in Wengen was won by Marc Girardelli in 1994.
- **Marco Odermatt** won five out of the last six men's World Cup super-G events, only failing to do so in Val Gardena on 15 December (third place behind winner by Vincent Kriechmayr and runner-up Daniel Hemetsberger).
- Odermatt recorded 17 podium finishes in his last 20 participations in World Cup super-G events, including 10 wins. Before this sequence, he had achieved one podium result (win in Beaver Creek) in his first 17 super-G participations.
- Odermatt (11) can equal the longest men's podium streak in World Cup super-G **appearances**: 12 by Hermann Maier from January 2001 to November 2004.
- **Vincent Kriechmayr** can win more than one World Cup super-G event in a single season for the fourth time, following 2017/18 (2), 2019/20 (2) and 2020/21 (2).
- Kriechmayr (9th and 4th in Wengen super-G events) can become the fourth man to record podium World Cup super-G podium finishes in at least 14 different resorts, following Pirmin Zurbriggen (17), Marc Girardelli (15) and Hermann Maier (14).
- **Aleksander Aamodt Kilde** (9) can become the sixth man to win at least 10 World Cup super-G events, following Hermann Maier (24), Aksel Lund Svindal (17), Kjetil Jansrud (13), Odermatt (11) and Pirmin Zurbriggen (10).
- Kilde won nine World Cup super-G events, but not since winning the Wengen event last season (13 January 2023). His World Cup super-G results since: 2nd - DNF - 3rd - 3rd - 37th - 3rd.

## Other contenders

- **Raphael Haaser** finished second in the last World Cup super-G event in Bormio on 29 December, matching his previous best World Cup result (second in the Bormio super-G in 2021). Haaser's World Cup super-G results in Wengen are 22nd (2022) and 21st (2023).
- **Daniel Hemetsberger** (2) was the only man other than Marco Odermatt (7) and Aleksander Aamodt Kilde (5) with more than one World Cup super-G podium finish in 2023.
- **James Crawford** is the reigning world champion in the men's super-G. Crawford has yet to win a World Cup event coming into Wengen. His only podium finish in a World Cup super-G event was a second place in Kvitfjell on 6 March 2022.
- **Jeffrey Read** (10th, 13th) is the only man besides Odermatt (3rd, 1st) and Kriechmayr (1st, 4th) to have finished inside the top 15 of both super-G events this World Cup season.
- France's **Cyprien Sarrazin** and **Nils Allègre** are seeking to become the second French man to secure a World Cup super-G victory this century, after **Alexis Pinterault** emerged victorious in in Lenzerheide back in March 2014.
- **Justin Murisier**, **Loïc Meillard** and **Gino Caviezel** are looking to become the first Swiss man other than Odermatt to finish on the podium of a World Cup super-G event since **Stefan Rogentin** clinched a second place here in Wengen on 13 January 2023.

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