

## Audi FIS Alpine Ski World Cup 2025/26 – Women's Giant Slalom Kranjska Gora stat sheet

### Previous GS race stats – Semmering

- **Julia Scheib's (AUT/Rossignol)** win in **Semmering** was her third career World Cup Giant Slalom win, and completed her first back-to-back wins after victory in **Tremblant**. The last Austrian woman to win back-to-back GS races was **Anna Veith (AUT)** who won three in-a-row in 2014/15. Scheib will make her 50<sup>th</sup> GS start in **Kranjska Gora**.
- **Julia Scheib (AUT/Rossignol)** made just one podium (3rd in 2024/25) in the 45 Giant Slalom races from her World Cup debut in 2017/18 to the end of 2024/25. In the first five GS races of 2025/26, **Scheib** already has three wins and a 2nd place, and is the only skier to make four out of five GS podiums so far this season. No women's skier has made more than seven GS podiums in a season since **Tina Maze (SLO)** made nine in 2012/13.
- After winning her first women's Giant Slalom race in **Soelden** this season, **Julia Scheib (AUT/Rossignol)** took four more races to notch three career GS wins. Only two Austrian women have reached this milestone faster - **Alexandra Meissnitzer (AUT)** and **Michaela Dorfmeister (AUT)** both took just three races after their first GS win to register a total of three GS wins.
- **Camille Rast's (SUI/Head)** 2nd place in **Semmering** was **Switzerland's** 500<sup>th</sup> women's and men's World Cup Giant Slalom podium. It was **Rast's** second podium in 57 GS starts, having made her first podium (3rd) in **Killington** last season, in her 45<sup>th</sup> GS start.
- **Sara Hector's (SWE/Head)** 3rd place in **Semmering** completed back-to-back Giant Slalom podiums for **Hector** following her 2nd place in **Tremblant**. **Hector** is the only skier to have made at least four GS podiums in each of the past four seasons. **Hector** now has 23 career GS podiums – this places her 16<sup>th</sup> on the all-time women's, having overtaken **Martina Ertl-Renz (GER)** who had 22 career GS podiums.
- **Sara Hector (SWE/Head)** is the only skier to have competed in all 74 women's Giant Slalom races from the start of the 2017/18 season to **Semmering** this season. **Ana Bucik Jogan (SLO/Salomon)** took part in 72 races in that period, followed by **Katharina Liensberger (AUT/Rossignol)** and **Mina Fuerst Holtmann (NOR/Atomic)** both on 70.
- **Valerie Grenier's (CAN/Rossignol)** 4th place in the GS in **Semmering** was her second top-four finish in her past three GS races. Both of **Grenier's** two World Cup wins to date came in the GS in **Kranjska Gora** (in 2023 and 2024).
- **Maryna Gasienica-Daniel's (POL/Atomic)** 5th place in **Semmering** was her best result in 88 GS starts. Only two Polish skiers have made a women's World Cup podium – twin sisters **Dorota** and **Malgorzata Mogore-Tlalka**, both in Slalom in the 1980s. **Gasienica-Daniel** is the only Polish women's skier to record a World Cup top 10 finish in any event since the **Tlalka** sisters.
- **Mikaela Shiffrin's (USA/Atomic)** 6th place in **Semmering** was her 10<sup>th</sup> Giant Slalom race without a podium. Her only longer streak without a GS podium came during her first 15 career World Cup GS races, 2011-2013.
- **Lara Della Mea's (ITA/Fischer)** 7th place in **Semmering** was her best World Cup result in any event in 83 starts. **Della Mea** has now made three consecutive GS top-10 finishes.

## Kranjska Gora stats

- **Kranjska Gora** in Slovenia has hosted 14 women's World Cup Giant Slalom races. The first was in 1976 and was won by **Lise-Marie Morerod (SUI)**, who finished 4th in GS at the Olympic Winter Games in **Innsbruck** two weeks later. Only six women's GS races were held in **Kranjska Gora** between 1975/76 and 2017/18, but since 2019/20 the venue has hosted at least one each season.
- Ten women have won a GS race in **Kranjska Gora**. Four have won more than one, all are active skiers and all have two wins each – **Sara Hector (SWE/Head)** in 2021/22 and 2024/25, **Valerie Grenier (CAN/Rossignol)** in 2022/23 and 2023/24, **Mikaela Shiffrin (USA/Atomic)** in 2017/18 and 2022/23, and **Marta Bassino (ITA/Head)** who won both races in 2020/21. If **Shiffrin**, **Hector** or **Grenier** win (Bassino is absent with injury), they will become the first skier to win three women's GS races in **Kranjska Gora**.
- **Sara Hector (SWE/Head)** won the most recent women's GS race in **Kranjska Gora** in 2024/25 by 1.42s ahead of **Lara Colturi (ALB/Blizzard)**, with **Alice Robinson (NZL/Salomon)** in 3rd. This was the biggest winning margin for any women's GS race last season, the seventh-biggest winning margin for a women's GS race this century, and the second-biggest GS winning margin ever in **Kranjska Gora** after **Mateja Svet's (JUG)** 1.66s win ahead of **Vreni Schneider (SUI)** in 1987/88. It also saw **Hector** break her own record for oldest women's GS winner in **Kranjska Gora** at age 32 years and 122 days, surpassing the previous mark she set of 29 years and 126 days in 2021/22.
- **Alice Robinson (NZL/Salomon)** won in 2019/20 to become the youngest women's GS winner in **Kranjska Gora** at age 18 years and 76 days.
- **Wendy Holdener (SUI/Head)** has two career GS podium finishes in her 106 starts so far, and the most recent came in 2019/20 in **Kranjska Gora** when she finished 3rd.
- **Sofia Goggia (ITA/Atomic)** has five career GS podium finishes to date, with all five coming between November 2016 and January 2018. Her most recent GS podium finish was in **Kranjska Gora** on 6 January 2018.
- **Meta Hrovat (SLO)** is the only Slovenian to finish on a women's GS podium in **Kranjska Gora** (3rd in both 2019/20 and 2020/21). Two Slovenians have made top-10 finishes in the past three women's GS races in **Kranjska Gora** - **Neja Dvornik (SLO/Rossignol)** tied for 8th last season, while **Ana Bucik Jogan (SLO/Salomon)** finished 8th and 10<sup>th</sup> in the two races in **Kranjska Gora** in 2022/23. **Tina Maze (SLO)** remains the most recent Slovenian women's skier to win a World Cup GS race (2014/15 in **Are**). While **Jure Kosir (SLO)**, who won the men's Slalom in **Kranjska Gora** in 1998/99, is the only Slovenian skier to win a World Cup race in **Kranjska Gora**.
- If **Sara Hector (SWE/Head)** wins, she will become the second women's skier after **Marta Bassino (ITA/Head)** to win back-to-back Giant Slalom races in **Kranjska Gora**. If **Hector** makes the podium, **Sweden** will move to 73 women's GS podiums (sixth-highest), surpassing **Germany** on 72.
- **Mikaela Shiffrin's (USA/Atomic)** 22 GS wins is the most for women, and the sixth-highest among women and men. A win will see **Shiffrin** match **Michael Von Gruenigen (SUI)** (23) in equal-fifth.
- Coming into **Kranjska Gora**, **Austria** are on 399 women's World Cup wins in all events, which is the most for any nation. **Italy** have 99 women's and men's World Cup Giant Slalom wins to date, which is third-highest behind **Austria** (210) and **Switzerland** (188).