

PREVIEW MEN'S SUPER-G BORMIO – Tuesday 29 Dec 2020

Mauro Caviezel

- Mauro Caviezel followed up his win in the opening super-G event of this World Cup season in Val d'Isère with a second-place finish in the most recent super-G in Val Gardena on 18 December.
- Caviezel can become the first male skier to reach the podium in each of the opening three super-G races of a World Cup season since Norway's Kjetil Jansrud in 2016/17.
- The last male skier representing Switzerland to claim a top-three finish in each of the first three super-G events of a World Cup campaign was Didier Cuch in 2001/02.
- Caviezel has reached the podium in each of the last four World Cup super-G races since a fourth-place finish in Kitzbühel on 24 January 2020. It is currently the longest running podium streak of all male skiers in this discipline.
- Caviezel has claimed four podiums in World Cup super-G events in 2020, more than any other male skier. The 32-year-old is the only skier to finish in the top-four in all five World Cup super-G races in 2020.
- Caviezel can become the second male skier from Switzerland to reach the podium in a World Cup super-G race in Bormio after Didier Defago (2nd) on 13 March 2008.
- Caviezel's win in the opening super-G race in Val d'Isère was his first career World Cup victory (all disciplines).
- Last season, Caviezel became the third male skier to win the super-G globe without winning a single World Cup super-G, after Pirmin Zurbriggen in 1987/88 and Franz Heinzer in 1990/91.

Aleksander Aamodt Kilde

- Aleksander Aamodt Kilde won the most recent World Cup super-G race in Val Gardena on 18 December to claim his third career win in this discipline.
- Kilde can become the first male skier to win consecutive World Cup super-G events since Italy's Dominik Paris in March 2019 (Kvitfjell and Soldeu).
- The last male skier representing Norway to claim successive World Cup super-G wins was Kjetil Jansrud in December 2016 (3 in a row).
- Kilde, who also won in this discipline in Saalbach-Hinterglemm last February, is the only male skier to win multiple World Cup super-G races in 2020.
- Only 32-year-old Mauro Caviezel (4) has recorded more podium finishes in men's World Cup super-G events in 2020 than Kilde (3).

Other contenders

- **Vincent Kriechmayr** has yet to claim his first podium in a World Cup super-G event this season. The 29-year-old finished fifth in the opening race in Val d'Isère and 15th in the most recent super-G in Val Gardena.
- Kriechmayr was the only male skier to win multiple World Cup super-G races last season. The Austrian won in Val Gardena on 20 December 2019 and in Hinterstoder on 29 February.
- Kriechmayr can become the first male skier representing Austria to win multiple World Cup super-G events in a single calendar year since Hermann Maier (2) in 2005.
- Three of the four men's World Cup super-G races previously held in Bormio were won by skiers from Austria: Hannes Reichelt (2008), Maier (2000) and Richard Kröll (1995).
- The only non-Austrian skier to win a men's World Cup super-G event in Bormio was Italy's **Dominik Paris** in 2018. The 31-year-old last claimed a World Cup super-G win on 14 March 2019, when he triumphed in Soldeu.
- Paris has failed to claim a top-three finish in each of his last four World Cup super-G appearances, since a second place in Lake Louise on 1 December 2019.
- Paris can fail to reach the podium in five consecutive World Cup super-G appearances for the first time since a run of seven without a top-three finish between November 2017 and November 2018.
- **Kjetil Jansrud** finished third in the most recent World Cup super-G race in Val Gardena to claim his second podium in this discipline in 2020 after his victory in Kitzbühel on 24 January.
- Jansrud is the only man to have won a super-G event in each of the previous seven World Cup seasons (excludes 2020/21).
- Jansrud has won 13 career World Cup super-G races, third-most all-time among men behind only Aksel Lund Svindal (17) and Hermann Maier (24).
- **Matthias Mayer** has yet to record his first top-three finish in a World Cup super-G event this season. Last season, he claimed a season-high four podiums in men's World Cup super-G races.
- Mayer's last World Cup super-G victory came in Lake Louise on 1 December 2019. The 30-year-old can become the oldest skier from Austria to win a men's World Cup super-G race since Hannes Reichelt (36) in Aspen on 16 March 2017.
- **Marco Odermatt** has won two career World Cup events, the super-G in Beaver Creek on 6 December 2019 and the giant slalom in Santa Catarina on 7 December 2020.
- Odermatt can become the first man to win a super-G and giant slalom event in the same World Cup season since Marcel Hirscher in 2015/16.

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