

PREVIEW WOMEN'S DOWNHILL ZAUCHENSEE – Saturday 15 Jan 2022

Sofia Goggia

- Sofia Goggia won all three downhill events contested this World Cup season, in Lake Louise (2) and in Val d'Isère. Only two women recorded a longer downhill winning streak from the start of a World Cup season: Annemarie Moser-Pröll (all 8 in 1972/73, 5 in 1978/79) and Lindsey Vonn (5 in 2009/10).
- Goggia won each of the last seven World Cup downhill events she participated in, since a second-place finish in Val d'Isère on 18 December 2020 (won by Corinne Suter). Goggia missed the last two downhill events of the last World Cup campaign due to an injury (both won by Lara Gut-Behrami in Val di Fassa).
- Goggia has equalled Deborah Compagnoni (both 16) in second place on the list for most World Cup wins in all events among Italian women. Federica Brignone (17) currently holds the record.
- Goggia is level with Gut-Behrami and Maria Höfl-Riesch (all 11) in ninth place on the women's list for most World Cup downhill victories. Isolde Kostner (12) is eighth, and holds the Italian women's record in this discipline.

Breezy Johnson

- Breezy Johnson finished second behind Sofia Goggia in all three downhill events of this World Cup season. She finished in third place in each of the opening four downhill events of the 2020/21 World Cup.
- Johnson has claimed seven podium finishes in World Cup downhill events (all in her last 10 participations), the most among active female alpine skiers not to have claimed a single victory.
- The most recent non-European winner of a women's World Cup downhill event was USA's Mikaela Shiffrin in Bansko on 24 January 2020.

Mirjam Puchner

- Mirjam Puchner recorded two third places in downhill events this World Cup season, in Lake Louise on 3 December and in Val d'Isère on 18 December.
- Those were Puchner's first World Cup downhill podiums since a win in Soldeu on 13 March 2019. Puchner also claimed a downhill win in St. Moritz on 16 March 2016.
- The most recent Austrian woman to win a World Cup downhill event was Nicole Schmidhofer in Lake Louise on 7 December 2019.
- Austria won the downhill event in Zauchensee a record five times in the women's World Cup, most recently by Christine Scheyer on 15 January 2017.

Other contenders

- **Corinne Suter** is the last woman to beat Sofia Goggia in a World Cup downhill event, as she won in Val d'Isère on 18 December 2020, just 0.11 seconds ahead of the Italian. Goggia did not participate in the final two downhill events of last World Cup season.
- Suter won the most recent downhill event held in Zauchensee, on 11 January 2020. She could become the third woman to claim multiple World Cup downhill wins in the Austrian resort, after Renate Götschl (2) and Lindsey Vonn (2).
- **Lara Gut-Behrami** is level with Goggia and Maria Höfl-Riesch (all 11) in ninth place on the women's list for most World Cup downhill victories. Isolde Kostner (12) is eighth.
- Gut-Behrami has equalled Hanni Wenzel (both 33) in ninth place on the all-time women's list for most World Cup wins in all events. Katja Seizinger (36) is eighth.
- **Ramona Siebenhofer** finished in the top four in four of the last five women's downhill events contested in the World Cup, including one podium finish: second behind Gut-Behrami in Val di Fassa on 26 February 2021.
- Siebenhofer claimed two World Cup downhill victories, both in Cortina d'Ampezzo in January 2019.

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