DAY 3 • FINAL • Women's 50m butterfly • *12 August 2026*

EUROPEAN AQUATICS CHAMPIONSHIPS PARIS~2026

World / European Record	**24.43**	**Sarah Sjoestroem (SWE)**	**05 JUL 2014, Boras, SWE**
World Best Time 2026	**24.51**	**Gretchen Walsh (USA)** (26 JUN 26)	
Olympic Champion 2024		**not on the competition programme**	
World Champion 2025	**24.83**	**Gretchen Walsh (USA)**	
European Champion 2024	**25.68**	**Sara Junevik (SWE)**	
Championships Record	**24.87**	**Sarah Sjoestroem (SWE), 2014**	

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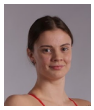
1 *QT 25.85*		**Aleksandra KUZNETSOVA** **NAB** PB 25.59	DoB: 20 APR 2006 (20) PoB / Res: Saint Petersburg Club: Coach: Elena Kuznetsova, Olga Baidalova Height: 189cm	**Note** Parents are Olympic medalists: Viktor Kuznetsov and Elena Kuznetsova (Dendebrova).	LC-31. 50FR 25 LC-6. 4x100FR 25 LC-7. Mix-4x100MR 25	***LC-9. 100FR 26 (tied Vanotterdijk))***
2 *QT 25.76*		**Silvia DI PIETRO** **ITA** PB 25.49	DoB: 06 APR 1993 (33) PoB: Rome Club: Centro Sportivo Carabinieri / Circolo Canottieri Aniene Coach: Mirko Nozzolillo Height: 170cm	17. 50FR 16 6. 4x100FR 16 **Universiade** 3. 50FL 13	LC-7. 50FL 25 LC-11. 50FL 09 LC-12. 50FL 13, 15, 22 LC-16. 50FL 17 SC-1. 4x50FMix 24 SC-2. 50FR 16 SC-8. 50FL 24	LC-4. 100FL 12 LC-5. 50FR 14, 22 LC-5. 100FR 22 LC-2. 4x100M 22 SC-4. 50FR 25 SC-7. 50FL 25 SC-1. 4x50FR 25 SC-3. 4x40MR 25 SC-3. 50FL 15 JUN-1. 50FL 08
3 *QT 25.45*		**Roos VANOTTERDIJK** **BEL** PB 25.32	DoB: 07 JAN 2005 (21) PoB: Heusden-Zolder Residence: Houthalen, Limburg / Berchem, Antwerp Club: DMB Coach: Dirk Boets Height:180cm	10. 100BK 24 10. 100FL 24	LC-2. 100FL 25 LC-3. 50FL 25 LC-17. 50FL 24 LC-22. 100BK 23 LC-24. 50BK 24	***LC-9. 100FR 26 (tied Kuznetsova)*** LC-1. 100FL 24 LC-2. 50FL 24 LC-3. 100BK 24 SC-2. 100IM 25 SC-5. 100FL 25 JUN 1. 100FL 22 JUN-2. 100BK + 50FL 22 JUN-3. 50BK + 50FL + 100FR 22
4 *QT 25.12*		**Sarah SJOESTROEM** **SWE** PB 24.43 = **WR** **Note** **96** (59 LC, 37 SC) int. medals, **34** Gold LC, **18** Gold SC. With **52** gold (LC+ SC) more than half of Sarah's impressive medal tally is golden.	DoB: 17 AUG 1993 (32) PoB: Stockholm Club: Soedertoerns SS Coach: Antonio Lutula Height: 181cm **Note** Gave birth to son Adrian in 2025 and returned to the pool in April 2026. Celebrates her 33rd birthday on August 17.	1. 50FR + 100FR 24 5. 4x100FR 24 7. 4x100MR 24 1. 100FL 16 2. 50FR 21 2. 200FR 16 3. 100FR 16 4. 100FL 12 5. 100FR 21 5. 4x100MR 21 6. 4x100FR 21 7. 100FL 21	LC-1. 50FR 17, 22, 24 LC-1. 50FL 15, 17, 19, 22, 24 LC-1. 100FL 09, 13, 15, 17 LC-2. 50FR 19 LC-2. 100FR 13, 15, 17, 22 LC-2. 100FL 19 SC-1. 200FR 14 SC-1. 50FL 14 SC-1. 100FL 14	LC-1. 50FL 22 LC-2. 4x100FR 22 LC-3. 4x100MixMR 22 LC-1. 100FR 12, 14, 16, 18 SC-1. 100FL 21 SC-1. 50FR 17, 21 SC-1. 100FR 15, 21 SC-1. 50FL 13, 15 SC-1. 100FL 13, 15, 17 SC-3. 100IM 21
5 *QT 25.44*		**Arina SURKOVA** **NAB** PB 25.30	DoB: 17 JUL 1998 (28) PoB/Res.: Novosibirsk Coach: Aleksandr Martynov Height: 180cm	**Note** After her first year of swimming, she had the option to switch to athletics. They regularly conduct training camps in the mountains, snowboard rides well.	LC-5. 50FL 25 LC-13. 50FR 25 LC-9. 50FL 19 SC-4. 50FL 24 SC-8. 50FR 24 SC-9. 100FL 24 SC-1. 4x100F 24 SC-13. 50fly 18	LC-2. 4x100MR 21 SC-5. 50FR 21 SC-5. 50FL 21 SC-5. 100FR 21 SC-12. 100 FR 19
6 *QT 25.61*		**Sara JUNEVIK** **SWE** PB 25.50	DoB: 14 FEB 2000 (26) PoB: Leksand Club: Sparvagen SF Coach: Isak Eliasson, Johan Wallberg Height: 182cm	5. 4x100FR 24 12. 4x100MRMix 24 8. 4xx100FR 21 YOG-1. 50FL 18	LC-10. 50FL 25 LC-18. 100FL 25 SC-10. 50FL 24 SC-15. 50FL 16 JUN-2. 50FL 17 JUN-5 100FL 17	LC-4. 4x100MR 24 LC-6. 50FL 21 LC-13. 100FL 22 LC-2. 4x100FR 22 SC-3. 50FL 23 SC-1. 4x50MR/4x50FR 23 SC-2. 4x50MR 25 JUN-2. 50FL 16 / JUN-3. 50FL 17
7 *QT 25.83*		**Tamara POTOCKA** **SVK** PB 25.63	DoB: 15 AUG 2002 (23) PoB / Residence: Bratislava Club: PK AZETA Coach: Tomáš Trešl Occupation: Student (sports) Height: 172cm	23. 200IM 24 **Note** Celebrates her 24th birthday on August 15.	LC-7. 50FL 25 LC-15. 200IM 24 LC-16. 200IM 25 LC-24. 200IM 23 SC-8. 200IM 24	LC-4. 50FL 24 LC-5. 200IM 24 SC-14. 50FL 25 SC-12. 200IM 23 SC-14. 100IM 23 U23-2. 50FL 25 U23-3. 200IM 25
8 *QT 25.85*		**Angelina KOEHLER** **GER** PB 25.50	DoB: 12 NOV 2000 (25) PoB / Res.: Dernbach / Berlin Club: SG Neukölln Berlin Coach: Lasse Frank Occupation: Sport Soldier Height: 180cm	4. 100FL 24 9. 4x100M 24 9. 4x100Mix 24 YOG-2. 100FL 18 YOG-3. 50FL 18	LC-1. 100FL 24 LC-4. 50FL 25 LC-5. 50FL 24 LC-5 100FL 23 LC-6. 100FL 25	LC-4. 100FL 22 LC-12. 100FL 21 SC-1. 200FL 23 SC-2. 100FL 23 SC-8. 200FL 19

All-time World Rankings

24.43	Sarah Sjoestroem, SWE	05/07/14
24.51	Gretchen Walsh, USA	26/06/26
25.05	Yufei Zhang, CHN	29/07/23
25.07	Therese Alshammar, SWE	31/07/09
25.11	Rikako Ikee, JPN	10/06/18
25.17	Melanie Henique, FRA	19/06/21
25.20	Fran Halsall, GBR	27/07/14
25.24	Jeanette Ottesen, DEN	03/08/13
25.24	Ranomi Kromowidjojo, NED	13/03/21
25.24	Kate Douglass, USA	01/05/26

Current World Rankings (since 01.01.2026)

24.51	Gretchen Walsh, USA	26/06/26
25.05	Sarah Sjoestroem, SWE	26/06/26
25.24	Kate Douglass, USA	01/05/26
25.27	Yufei Zhang, CHN	21/06/26
25.37	Alexandra Perkins, AUS	25/07/26
25.44	Arina Surkova, NAB	11/08/26
25.45	Roos Vanotterdijk, BEL	11/08/26
25.48	Qingfeng Wu, CHN	21/06/26
25.55	Hazel Ouwehand, NZL	13/05/26
25.55	Rikako Ikee, JPN	21/03/26
25.56	Erin Gallagher, RSA	25/07/26
25.57	Angelina Koehler, GER	21/03/26

European Record History (last 10)

26.39	Anna-Karin Kammerling, SWE	Halmstad, 1999
26.29	Anna-Karin Kammerling, SWE	Istanbul, 1999
25.83	Inge de Bruijn, NED	Monte Carlo, 2000
25.64	Inge de Bruijn, NED	Sheffield, 2000
25.57	Anna-Karin Kammerling, SWE	Berlin, 2002
25.46	Therese Alshammar, SWE	Barcelona, 2007
25.33	Marleen Veldhuis, NED	Amsterdam, 2009
25.28	Marleen Veldhuis, NED	Rome, 2009
25.07	Therese Alshammar, SWE	Rome, 2009
24.43	Sarah Sjoestroem, SWE	Boras, 2014

Medallists at Recent Major Championships

2022 Rome (ECh)

1	24.96	Sarah Sjoestroem, SWE
2	25.33	Marie Wattel, FRA
3	25.62	Maaike de Waard, NED

2024 Doha (WCh)

1	24.63	Sarah Sjoestroem, SWE
2	25.44	Melanie Henique, FRA
3	25.67	Farida Osman, EGY

2024 Belgrade (ECh)

1	25.68	Sara Junevik, SWE
2	26.08	Roos Vanotterdijk, BEL
3	26.18	Anna Ntountounaki, GRE

2024 Paris (OG)

Not on the competion programme

2025 Singapore (WCh)

1	24.83	Gretchen Walsh, USA
2	25.31	Alexandria Perkins, AUS
3	25.43	Roos Vanotterdijk, BEL

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