



MONTPELLIER

SECURITY & COVID-19 MEASURES

Entry requirements: **UPDATED** - The French Government will soon pass legislation prohibiting non-vaccinated athletes from competing in any sporting event. **No travel or other exemptions will be available.** [See FAQs-Q1 for further entry details.](#)

Testing Procedure: Testing begins on Friday 28 January.

Players and their PST must test on arrival (unless exempted). Antigen tests will be performed. Only upon receiving a negative antigen result can the player and their PST members receive tournament accreditation and full access to the site.

Covid-19 Protocols: Montpellier will be adopting the latest protocols

Updated: 28 January 2022
VISA information, letter of invitation

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TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

SCHEDULE

QUALIFYING

Sunday 30 - Monday 31 January
Start times: Sunday 11am, Monday 12:00 noon

MAIN DRAW

Monday 31 January - Sunday 6 February
Start times: Monday; 4:00 pm. Tuesday - Friday 12:00 noon & 7:00pm; Saturday 12:30pm; Sunday doubles final 12:30pm and singles final 3:00pm.

OFFICIAL DRAW

Saturday 30 January at noon.

SITE

Arena Montpellier
Chemin des Levades, 34070
Perols
Tel: +33 4 67 17 69 69
[Tournament Website](#)

SURFACE Indoor Hard

BALL HEAD Tour XT

ELC N/A

STRINGER HEAD

PRACTICE COURTS

Available from Friday 29 January.

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SINGLES ENTRY DEADLINES

MAIN DRAW SINGLES

Monday 3 January 2022 at 12pm EST (Florida, USA time) through ATP PlayerZone.
Players on the Alternate Lists will be considered a Direct Acceptance from Thursday, 10 AM (Eastern Time, USA) before the tournament. Players who move in from the Alternate Lists to the Main Draw/Qualifying that have not withdrawn by the Thursday deadline will have their withdrawal count the same way as players who were directly accepted.

QUALIFYING SINGLES

Monday 10 January 2022 at 12pm EST (Florida, USA time) through ATP PlayerZone.

QUALIFYING ALTERNATE SIGN-IN DEADLINE

Saturday 29 January 2022 from 4:00pm-6:00pm local time. Qualifying vacancies after the qualifying draw is made shall be filled from the Sunday sign-in, open to any ranked players eligible to compete at the event. The Sunday sign-in deadline is 30 minutes prior to the start of qualifying matches. All sign-ins are to be done by text message to the Supervisor, **Hans-Jurgen Ochs, T. +49 177 6452220** (number to be used for sign-in only). The player is responsible for having his entry confirmed by the Supervisor.

DOUBLES ENTRY DEADLINE

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Monday 17 January 2022 at 12:00pm EST (Florida, USA time) through ATP PlayerZone.

IMPORTANT: The Main Draw doubles list will have an entirely advanced protocol of entry. The online on-site doubles entries will still be conducted on Friday 28 January from 12:01am - 3:00pm EST (Florida, USA time) through ATP PlayerZone but only to populate an Alternate List for any vacancies occurring after the respective tournament withdrawal deadline and prior to the doubles draw being made.

ATP TOUR POINTS & PRIZE MONEY BREAKDOWN

PRIZE MONEY: EUR paid through the ATP TAX: 15% Tax withheld.** **All French residents must submit their SIRET number.** Prize money subject to the tournament's permission to receive spectators on-site.*

	RANKING POINTS SINGLES	SINGLES €	RANKING POINTS DOUBLES	DOUBLES €
WINNER	250	€45,865	250	€16,260
FINALIST	150	€32,110	150	€11,670
SEMI-FINALIST	90	€21,265	90	€7,510
QUARTER-FINALIST	45	€14,180	45	€5,000
ROUND 16	20	€9,170	0	€2,920
ROUND 28	0	€5,005	---	---
QUALIFYING	12	---	---	---
QUALIFYING 2	6	€2,500	---	---
QUALIFYING 1	0	€1,250	---	---

DRAW SIZE

MAIN DRAW SINGLES

28
(19DA+ 4Q+ 3WC+ 2SE)

QUALIFYING SINGLES

(11DA +3RA* + 2WC)

*See FAQs

MAIN DRAW DOUBLES

16
(14DA + 2WC)

2021 CUT-OFFS

2021 SINGLES MAIN

DRAW CUT-OFF

63 - After WD: 103

2021 SINGLES

QUALIFYING CUT-OFF

119 - After WD: 212

2021 DOUBLES MAIN

DRAW CUT-OFF

196 Adv. / 196 On-Site

PRIZE MONEY

* Prize Money stated is based on the tournament's approval to have ticketed spectators. Amounts are subject to change per further local restrictions imposed on the attendance of fans.

**Taxes stated do not include those imposed on residents in tax-havens. Please enquire with the Tournament Prize Money desk for further information.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

MAIN DRAW AND QUALIFYING HOTEL

Marriott Courtyard

Marriott Courtyard
105 Place Georges Frêche,
34000 Montpellier
Tel: +33 4 9954 7400
[Hotel website](#)

Rates

€125 - single room
€135 - double room
Rates include breakfast, and exclude VAT (€2 per person/per night)

HOSPITALITY

Singles Qualifying: Starting Saturday 29 January through the night of the player's last Qualifying match.

Singles Main Draw: Starting Saturday 29 January. Minimum of 5 nights.

Doubles Main Draw: Starting Saturday 29 January Minimum of 2 nights if staying in individual rooms; minimum of 5 nights, if sharing a room with another player. (NB. Sharing rooms is strongly discouraged due to Covid-19)

TRANSPORTATION

Airport Transportation: Nearest airport is Montpellier Méditerranée (MPL). Airport pick-up is available for all players.

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HOTEL BOOKING

Reservations: To be made with Danielle Bombardier

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Booking deadline: 17 January 2022 as per ATP rules.

VISA

Valid passport. Personalised letters (tournament letter of invitation & letter of support) are available from Tennis UNO following an accreditation request. Please note, this is only to retrieve letters and does not constitute an accreditation request. To request your accreditation please see below. Please email: travelsupport@atptour.com.

TRANSPORT BOOKING

Airport transfers:

To be made with Danielle Bombardier

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ACCREDITATION

Credentials to be requested via email, a **minimum of 5 days before arrival:**

E. credential@tvsporevents.com

The number of PST members eligible to receive tournament accreditation is strictly limited to two (2) per player. Singles and Doubles players still competing at the start of the day of singles quarter-finals matches will be allowed to bring on-site and at the tournament hotel two (2) additional PST members. All PST members are subject to the same testing protocols and guidelines as players.

FAQS

Q1: WHAT ARE THE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR FOREIGN TRAVELLERS ENTERING FRANCE?

A1: **Important: The French Government will soon pass legislation prohibiting non-vaccinated athletes from competing in any sporting event. Please note that no travel or other exemptions will be available.**

Travel requirements for vaccinated persons below. Please note they are subject to change/updates and you should continue to check colour code of your country of departure, and for the latest updates at the French Ministry website - [LINK HERE](#).

Travel from Green List (vaccinated individuals):

- Present proof of your vaccination status
- Completed sworn statement certifying the absence of COVID-19 symptoms and of any contact with a confirmed case of COVID-19
- A negative PCR or antigen test taken less than 48 hours prior to departure, except for arrivals from a Member State of the European Union, Andorra, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Monaco, Norway, San Marino, the Holy See or Switzerland

Travel from Amber List (vaccinated individuals):

- Provide evidence of your vaccination status
- Completed sworn statement certifying the absence of COVID-19 symptoms and of any contact with a confirmed case of COVID-19
- A negative PCR or antigen test taken less than 48 hours prior to departure

Travel from Red List (vaccinated individuals):

- Present proof of your vaccination status
- Completed sworn statement certifying the absence of COVID-19 symptoms and of any contact with a confirmed case of COVID-19
- A negative PCR or antigen test taken less than 48 hours prior to departure (departure of first flight in case of connecting flights)

Travel from United Kingdom (vaccinated individuals):

- Present proof of vaccination status
- Completed sworn statement certifying the absence of COVID-19 symptoms and of any contact with a confirmed case of COVID-19
- A negative PCR or antigen test dating less than 24 hours prior to departure (departure of the first flight in the event of a connecting trip)

Sworn statements can be downloaded at [THIS LINK](#).

Q2: WHICH DOCUMENTS DO PLAYERS AND THEIR TEAM MEMBERS NEED TO TRAVEL WITH? WHO CAN PROVIDE THESE DOCUMENTS?

A2: In addition to the documents listed in Q1, on request, ATP can provide all players (and their nominated player support team (PST) members) planning to participate with the tournament invitation letter, and proof of travel insurance (AXA) which covers Division I and II players plus one PST member.

Division I and II player members have been sent a Digital ID, which can provide proof of status as a professional player. Players may also be required to travel with appropriate visa documents. It is each player's responsibility to check with the airline which document(s) is required for travel.

To request support letters, proof of insurance, or if you need your Digital ID resending players should email TravelSupport@ATPTour.com.

Q3: WILL THERE BE SPECTATORS IN ATTENDANCE AT THE OPEN SUD DE FRANCE?

A3: Yes. TBC

Q4: FROM WHICH DATE CAN PLAYERS PRACTICE?

A4: **Friday 28 January.** Once a player or PST member has been cleared by virtue of a negative test, they will be permitted to access the courts for practice, as well as the players' areas of the tournament site.

Q5: WHEN WILL TESTING BE ADMINISTERED?

A5: Testing will commence on Friday 28 January at the Marriott Courtyard (official hotel).

Testing Times

28 - 31 January : 8:00am - 7:00pm

1-7 February: 8:00am - 12:00pm

Results expected within 20 minutes.

Testing for onward travel: if a player requires this, the tournament will provide at cost. €44 per PCR test and €25 per antigen test. Charges can be deducted from the prize money.

Q6: WHAT IS THE PROTOCOL IN FRANCE FOR PERSONS WHO HAVE A POSITIVE TEST RESULT AND IDENTIFIED CLOSE CONTACTS?

A6: Please be advised that this is purely informative and is subject to change. Local health officials have the authority to decide the protocol to follow on each case.

Positive Test Result

TO BE CONFIRMED

Close Contact

TO BE CONFIRMED.

Q7: WHAT ARE THE DETAILS OF THE ATP TESTING EXEMPTION PROGRAMME TO BE APPLIED IN MONTPELLIER?

- A7:
- Initial exemption from ATP COVID testing is for 90 days from the date of the first positive PCR test. (For example, a player who tested positive for COVID-19 with a valid laboratory PCR test on December 10, 2021, would receive an exemption from ATP testing until March 10, 2022). This exemption can only occur after submitting the test via email to Todd Ellenbecker: Todd.Ellenbecker@ATPTour.com.
 - At that time, the individual returns to the ATP testing programme.
 - This exemption programme is the same for players, player support team members, and tournament staff.
 - Fully vaccinated individuals are required to be tested only upon arrival at the tournament and are exempt from follow up testing unless they develop symptoms consistent with COVID-19.

If you have any questions or need clarification of this exemption programme, please email Todd Ellenbecker: Todd.Ellenbecker@ATPTour.com.

Q8: WHAT ARE THE NEW LIST MANAGEMENT PROCEDURES?

A8: Since February 2021 ATP has adjusted the List Management procedures for all Tour and Challenger level events due to an increase in government-imposed travel restrictions.

KEY INFORMATION

- Once the acceptance lists are finalised, lists will be frozen until **Tuesday, 12 Noon, Eastern Time, USA** the week before the tournament
- Any player that cannot enter the tournament's country by the Freeze Deadline because of government-issued travel restrictions will be allowed to enter and compete at another event in the same week.
- After the Freeze Deadline, the lists will move as per normal until the withdrawal deadline on **Friday, 10AM, Eastern Time, USA** the week before the tournament

Vacancies before the Freeze Deadline at the Tour and Challenger level will be filled in the following manner:

- The highest-ranked player from the Main Draw (MDS Acceptance List Ranking) withdrawn due to government-imposed travel restrictions introduced after the entry deadline
- The highest-ranked player from the original main draw alternate list or players from the Tour Qualifying that were also entered on the Main Draw alternate list, withdrawn because of government-imposed travel restrictions introduced after the entry deadline
- Players may be moved to another tournament's Main Draw if there is a spot available because of withdrawals/unused Special Exempt (SE) positions and if their ranking would have qualified them as a Direct Acceptance on the original entry list
- Players whose ranking would not have made them a Direct Acceptance at other Tournament in the same week will be added to the Main Draw/Qualifying Alternate Lists or the Reserve Acceptance* (RA) positions in the Qualifying

SPECIAL EXEMPTS

- Special Exempts remain reserved for players that perform well in the previous week. However, any unused Special Exempt spots will be kept available for players that would need to switch from one tournament to another due to travel restrictions
- The criteria described above will fill out unused Special Exempts spots