

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour Men's Results

Dates	Men's Tournament	Gold Medal Team
March 25-30	Adelaide, Australia	Harley Marques/Pedro Salgado, Brazil
April 28-May 3	Shanghai, China	Harley/Salgado, Brazil
May 6-11	Prague, Czech Republic	Jake Gibb/Sean Rosenthal, United States
May 13-18	Roseto degli Abruzzi, Italy	Harley/Salgado, Brazil
May 20-25	Zagreb, Croatia	Reinder Nummerdor/Richard Schuil, Netherlands
May 27-June 1	Barcelona, Spain	Julius Brink/Christoph Dieckmann, Germany
June 3-8	Stare Jablonki, Poland	Emanuel Rego/Ricardo Santos, Brazil
June 10-15	Berlin, Germany	Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil
June 17-22	Paris, France	Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States
June 24-29	Stavanger, Norway	Dalhausser/Rogers, United States
July 1-6	Moscow, Russia	Dalhausser/Rogers, United States
July 15-20	Marseille, France	Marcio Araujo/Fabio Magalhães, Brazil
July 22-27	Gstaad, Switzerland	Harley/Salgado, Brazil
July 29-August 3	Klagenfurt, Austria	Dmitri Barsouk/Igor Kolodinsky, Russia
August 9-22	Beijing 2008 Olympic Games	Dalhausser/Rogers, United States
August 26-31	Kristiansand, Norway	Pablo Herrera/Raul Mesa, Spain
September 2-7	Mallorca	Harley/Salgado, Brazil
September 16-21	Guarujá, Brazil	Harley/Salgado, Brazil
October 6-11	Dubai, United Arab Emirates	Nummerdor/Schuil, Netherlands
October 27-November 1	Manama, Bahrain	Alison Cerutti/Pedro Cunha, Brazil
November 10-15	Sanya, China	Benjamin Insfran/Harley, Brazil

Final 2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour Men's Leaders, Through November 15, 21 events*

Men's Team Rank, points

- 1, Harley Marques/Pedro Salgado, Brazil, 7,420
- 2, Julius Brink/Christoph Dieckmann, Germany, 5,440
- 3, Penggen Wu/Linyin Xu, China, 5,340
- 4, Jonas Reckermann/Mischa Urbatzka, Germany, 5,080
- 5, Emanuel Rego/Ricardo Santos, Brazil, 4,820
- 5, Reinder Nummerdor/Richard Schuil, Netherlands, 4,820
- 7, Dmitri Barsouk/Igor Kolodinsky, Russia, 4,300
- 8, Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States, 4,080
- 9, Marcio Araujo/Fabio Luiz Magalhães, Brazil, 4,040
- 10, Pablo Herrera/Raul Mesa, Spain, 3,860
- 11, David Klempere/eric Koreng, Germany, 3,700
- 12, Renato "Geor" Gomes/Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, Georgia, 3,420
- 13, Andy Ces/Kevin Ces, France, 3,320
- 14, Benjamin Insfran/Franco Neto, Brazil, 3,260
- 15, Jorre Kjemperud/Tarjei Skarlund, Norway, 2,900
- 16, Jake Gibb/Sean Rosenthal, United States, 2,840
- 17, Matt Fuerbringer/Casey Jennings, United States, 2,760
- 18, Emiel Boersma/Bram Ronnes, Netherlands, 2,700
- 19, Martin Laciga/Jan Schnider, Switzerland, 2,580
- 19, Clemens Doppler/Peter Gartmayer, Austria, 2,580
- 21, Jason Lochhead/Kirk Pitman, New Zealand, 2,540
- 22, Joao Maciel/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, 2,320
- 23, Mariano Baracetti/Jose Salema, Argentina, 2,210
- 24, Stein Metzger/Mark Williams, United States, 2,120

Men's Team Rank, events, titles, US earnings*

- 1, Harley Marques/Pedro Salgado, Brazil, 18, 6, \$293,600
- 2, Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States, 7, 4, \$188,000
- 3, Julius Brink/Christoph Dieckmann, Germany, 12, 1, \$183,000
- 4, Penggen Wu/Linyin Xu, China, 12, 0, \$172,800
- 5, Reinder Nummerdor/Richard Schuil, Netherlands, 11, 2, \$169,200
- 6, Emanuel Rego/Ricardo Santos, Brazil, 11, 2, \$168,200
- 7, Jonas Reckermann/Mischa Urbatzka, Germany, 13, 0, \$148,100
- 8, Dmitri Barsouk/Igor Kolodinsky, Russia, 12, 1, \$142,700
- 9, Pablo Herrera/Raul Mesa, Spain, 14, 1, \$116,200
- 10, Marcio Araujo/Fabio Luiz Magalhães, Brazil, 15, 1, \$114,700
- 11, David Klempere/eric Koreng, Germany, 9, 0, \$112,200
- 12, Andy Ces/Kevin Ces, France, 17, 0, \$91,500
- 13, Renato "Geor" Gomes/Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, Georgia, 19, 0, \$85,500
- 14, Jake Gibb/Sean Rosenthal, United States, 9, 1, \$85,300
- 15, Benjamin Insfran/Franco Neto, Brazil, 10, 0, \$84,200
- 16, Emiel Boersma/Bram Ronnes, Netherlands, 9, 0, \$73,400
- 17, Jorre Kjemperud/Tarjei Skarlund, Norway, 13, 0, \$71,100
- 18, Matt Fuerbringer/Casey Jennings, USA, 8, 0, \$70,700
- 19, Clemens Doppler/Peter Gartmayer, Austria, 12, 0, \$67,600
- 20, Jason Lochhead/Kirk Pitman, New Zealand, 15, 0, \$66,700
- 21, Martin Laciga/Jan Schnider, Switzerland, 13, 0, \$65,800
- 22, Joao Maciel/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, 10, 0, \$62,500
- 23, Stein Metzger/Mark Williams, United States, 7, 0, \$62,000
- 24, Mariano Baracetti/Jose Salema, Argentina, 14, 0, \$55,100

NOTE: The 2008 **SWATCH FIVB World Tour** champions will be determined by calculating the points for a team's best 14 women and 15 men finishes based on 75 percent of the 19 women's and 20 men's events (Open and Grand Slam events only) staged this season and rounded down. Although part of the 2008 **SWATCH FIVB World Tour** calendar, the Beijing 2008 Olympic Games does not reward world ranking points for the competition. **#Clinched 2008 titles.**

*The above earning rankings for men and women do count the **Beijing 2008 Olympic Games** participations where no points or money were awarded.



2008 MEN'S SWATCH FIVB WORLD TOUR - COUNTRY MEDALS & FINALS 4s

Including Open, Grand Slam & Olympic stops through November 15, 2008

Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Medals	4ths	Final 4s
Brazil	11	3	8	22	8	30
Germany	1	6	6	13	3	16
United States	5	2	3	10	1	11
China	0	5	0	5	1	6
Netherlands	2	2	0	4	2	6
Spain	1	1	1	3	0	3
Russia	1	1	0	2	1	3
France	0	1	0	1	1	2
New Zealand	0	0	1	1	1	2
Argentina	0	0	1	1	0	1
Australia	0	0	1	1	0	1
Austria	0	0	0	0	1	1
Poland	0	0	0	0	1	1
Georgia	0	0	0	0	1	1
Totals	21	21	21	63	21	84

2008 SWATCH Most Outstanding Player

Men's Event SWATCH MOP

Adelaide	Harley Marques, Brazil
Shanghai	Harley, Brazil
Prague	Sean Rosenthal, United States
Roseto degli Abruzzi	Harley, Brazil
Zagreb	Richard Schuil, Netherlands
Barcelona	Julius Brink, Germany
Stare Jablonki	Inocencio Lario, Spain
Berlin	Emanuel Rego, Brazil
Paris	Todd Rogers, United States
Stavanger	Phil Dalhausser, United States
Moscow	Dalhausser, United States
Marseille	Fabio Magalhaes, Brazil
Gstaad	Pedro Salgado, Brazil
Klagenfurt	Igor Kolodinsky, Russia
Beijing	Dalhausser, United States
Kristiansand	Pablo Herrera, Spain
Mallorca	Salgado, Brazil
Guaruja	Harley, Brazil
Dubai	Reinder Nummerdor, Netherlands
Bahrain	Pedro Cunha, Brazil
Sanya	Jose Salema, Argentina
2008 Season	Harley, Brazil

2008 Men's Seed Break-throughs Number

Winner's Bracket	168
Contender's Bracket	149
Pool Play	83
Lucky Loser/Olympics	1
Semi-Finals	14
Bronze Medal	9
Gold Medal	8
Totals	432

Men's SWATCH FIVB World Tour Points Champions

Season Points Champions

1989-90	Sinjin Smith/Randy Stoklos, United States
1990-91	Smith/Stoklos, United States
1991-92	Smith/Stoklos, United States
1992-93	Smith/Stoklos, United States
1993-94	Franco Neto/Roberto Lopes, Brazil
1994-95	Jan Kvalheim/Bjorn Maaseide, Norway
1995-96	Franco/Roberto Lopes, Brazil
1996	ZeMarco de Melo/Emanuel Rego, Brazil
1997	ZeMarco/Emanuel, Brazil
1998	Para Ferreira /Guilherme Marquez, Brazil
1999	Emanuel/Jose Loiola, Brazil
2000	ZeMarco/Ricardo Santos, Brazil
2001	Emanuel/Tande Ramos, Brazil
2002	Mariano Barcetti/Martin Conde, Argentina
2003	Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil
2004	Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil
2005	Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil
2006	Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil
2007	Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil
2008	Harley Marques/Pedro Salgado, Brazil

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour Men's "Final Fours"

Australia, Adelaide, March 25-30, \$175,000

1. Harley Marques/Pedro Salgado, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Penggen Wu/Linyin Wu, China, \$19,500
3. Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States, \$14,000
4. Jake Gibb/Sean Rosenthal, United States, \$10,500

Gold - Harley/Salgado def. Wu/Xu, 23-21, 21-12 (46 minutes)

Bronze - Dalhause/Rogers def. Gibb/Rosenthal, 21-18, 14-21, 15-11 (50)

SWATCH MOP - Harley

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Pablo Herrera, Spain, 99.2 km/h

China, Shanghai, April 28-May 3, \$175,000

1. Harley/Salgado, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Wu/Wu, China, \$19,500
3. Pedro Cunha/Franco Neto, Brazil, \$14,000
4. Marcio Araujo/Fabio Magalhaes, Brazil, \$10,500

Gold - Harley/Salgado def. Wu/Xu, 21-16, 21-16 (44)

Bronze - Cunha/Franco def. Marcio Araujo/Fabio, 23-21, 21-15 (49)

SWATCH MOP - Harley

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Xu, 96.4 km/h

Czech Republic, Prague, May 6-11, \$175,000

1. Jake Gibb/Sean Rosenthal, United States, \$28,000
2. Julius Brink/Christoph Dieckmann, Germany, \$19,500
3. Emanuel Rego/Ricardo Santos, Brazil, \$14,000
4. Reinder Nummerdor/Richard Schuil, Netherlands, \$10,500

Gold - Gibb/Rosenthal def. Brink/Dieckmann, 21-13, 23-21 (47)

Bronze - Emanuel/Ricardo def. Nummerdor/Schuil, 21-18, 19-21, 15-11 (61)

SWATCH MOP - Rosenthal

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Igor Kolodinsky, 111.0 km/h

Italy, Roseto degli Abruzzi, May 13-18, \$175,000

1. Harley/Salgado, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Brink/Dieckmann, Germany, \$19,500
3. Dalhausser/Rogers, United States, \$14,000
4. Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil, \$10,500

Gold - Harley/Salgado def. Brink/Dieckmann, 20-22, 21-18, 15-8 (62)

Bronze - Dalhausser/Rogers def. Emanuel/Ricardo, 24-22, 26-24 (63)

SWATCH MOP - Harley

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Kolodinsky, 114.0 km/h (the fastest serve in **SWATCH FIVB World Tour** history)

Croatia, Zagreb, May 20-25, \$175,000

1. Nummerdor/Schuil, Netherlands, \$28,000
2. Wu/Xu, China, \$19,500
3. Matt Fuerbringer/Casey Jennings, United States, \$14,000
4. Marcio Araujo/Fabio, Brazil, \$10,500

Gold - Nummerdor/Schuil def. Wu/Xu, 17-21, 21-17, 15-11 (50)

Bronze - Fuerbringer/Jennings def. Marcio Araujo/Fabio, 21-19, 21-17 (46)

SWATCH MOP - Schuil

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Kolodinsky, 113.7 km/h

Spain, Barcelona, May 27-June 1, \$175,000

1. Brink/Dieckmann, Germany, \$28,000
2. Dmitri Barsouk/Igor Kolodinsky, Russia, \$19,500
3. Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil, \$14,000
4. Harley/Salgado, Brazil, \$10,500

Gold - Brink/Dieckmann def. Barsouk/kolodinsky, 22-20, 13-21, 16-14 (63)

Bronze - Emanuel/Ricardo def. Harley/Salgado, 21-13, 21-18 (42)

SWATCH MOP - Brink

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Kolodinsky, 112.6 km/h

Poland, Stare Jablonki, June 3-8, \$175,000

1. Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Inocencio Lario/Adrian Gavira Collado, Spain, \$19,500
3. Andrew Schacht/Joshua Slack, Australia, \$14,000
4. Harley/Salgado, Brazil, \$10,500

Gold - Emanuel/Ricardo def. Lario/Gavira Collado, 21-18, 21-15 (39)

Bronze - Schacht/Slack def. Harley/Salgado, 21-16, 15-21, 15-13 (60)

SWATCH MOP - Lario

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Stefan Uhmann, Germany 98.9, km/h

Germany, Berlin, June 11-15, \$300,000

1. Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil, \$43,500
2. Dalhausser/Rogers, United States, \$29,500
3. Pablo Herrera/Raul Mesa, Spain, \$23,000
4. Brink/Dieckmann, Germany, \$18,400

Gold - Emanuel/Ricardo def. Dalhausser/Rogers, 25-27, 21-19, 15-13 (73)

Bronze - Herrera/Messa def. Brink/Dieckmann, 21-19, 21-16 (49)

SWATCH MOP - Emanuel

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Kolodinsky, 109.4 km/h

France, Paris, June 17-22, \$300,000

1. Dalhausser/Rogers, United States, \$43,500
2. Nummerdor/Schuil, Netherlands, \$29,500
3. Klemperer/Koreng, Germany, \$23,000
4. Harley/Salgado, Brazil, \$18,400

Gold - Dalhausser/Rogers def. Nummerdor/Schuil, 21-15, 21-17 (47)

Bronze - Klemperer/Koreng def. Harley/Salgado, 21-18, 16-21, 15-12 (75)

SWATCH MOP - Rogers

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Kolodinsky, 109.5 km/h

Norway, Stavanger, June 24-29, \$300,000

1. Dalhausser/Rogers, United States, \$43,500
2. Jonas Reckermann/Mischa Urbatzka, Germany, \$29,500
3. Brink/Dieckmann, Germany, \$23,000
4. Emiel Boersma/Bram Ronnes, Netherlands, \$18,400

Gold - Dalhausser/Rogers def. Reckermann/Urbatzka, 29-27, 21-15 (56)

Bronze - Brink/Dieckmann def. Boersma/Ronnes, 21-16, 21-11 (42)

SWATCH MOP - Dalhausser

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Linyin Xu, China, 97.5 km/h

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour Men's "Final Fours"

Germany, Berlin, July 11-15, \$300,000

Russia, Moscow, July 2-6, \$300,000

1. Dalhausser/Rogers, United States, \$43,500
2. Wu/Wu, China, \$29,500
3. Klemperer/Koreng, Germany, \$23,000
4. Brink/Dieckmann, Germany, \$18,400

Gold - Dalhausser/Rogers def. Wu/Xu, 16-21, 21-19, 15-11 (60)

Bronze - Klemperer/Koreng def. Brink/Dieckmann, (3) 21-18, 21-15 (47)

SWATCH MOP - Dalhausser

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Kolodinsky, 110.0 km/h

France, Marseille, July 15-20, \$175,000

1. Marcio Araujo/Fabio Magalhães, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Wu/Xu, China, \$19,500
3. Kay Matsyik/Stefan Uhmann, Germany, \$14,000
4. Harley/Salgado, Brazil, \$10,500

Gold - Marcio Araujo/Fabio def. Wu/Xu, 21-16, 21-16 (46)

Bronze - Matsyik/Uhmann def. Harley/Salgado, 16-21, 21-17, 16-14 (62)

SWATCH MOP - Fabio

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Marcio Araujo, 96.0 km/h

Switzerland, Gstaad, July 22-27, \$300,000

1. Harley/Salgado, Brazil, \$43,500
2. Nummerdor/Schuil, Netherlands, \$29,500
3. Alison Cerutti/Emanuel, Brazil, \$23,000
4. Barsouk/Kolodinsky, Russia, \$18,400

Gold - Harley/Salgado def. Nummerdor/Schuil, 21-16, 22-24, 15-13 (71)

Bronze - Alison/Emanuel def. Barsouk/Kolodinsky, 21-17, 21-16 (37)

SWATCH MOP - Salgado

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Kolodinsky, 109.6 km/h

Austria, Klagenfurt, July 29-August 3, \$300,000

1. Barsouk/Kolodinsky, Russia, \$43,500
2. Stein Metzger/Mark Williams, United States, \$29,500
3. Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil, \$23,000
4. Jason Lochhead/Kirk Pitman, New Zealand, \$18,400

Gold - Barsouk/Kolodinsky def. Metzger/Williams, 21-19, 21-15 (45)

Bronze - Emanuel/Ricardo def. Lochhead/Pitman, 21-13, 14-21, 19-17 (61)

SWATCH MOP - Kolodinsky

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Kolodinsky, 108.1 km/h

China, Beijing 2008 Olympic Games, August 9-22

1. Dalhausser/Rogers, United States
2. Marcio Araujo/Fabio, Brazil
3. Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil
4. Renato "Geor" Gomes/Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, Georgia

Gold - Dalhausser/Rogers def. Marcio Araujo/Fabio, 23-21, 17-21, 15-4 (67)

Bronze - Emanuel/Ricardo def. Geor/Gia, 21-15, 21-10 (36)

SWATCH MOP - Dalhausser

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Kolodinsky, 109.8 km/h

Norway, Kristiansand, August 26-31, \$175,000

1. Herrera/Mesa, Spain, \$28,000
2. Joao Maciel/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, \$19,500
3. Lochhead/Pitman, New Zealand, \$14,000
4. Florian Gosch/Alexander Horst, Austria, \$10,500

Gold - Herrera/Mesa def. Maciel/Bruno, 21-18, 15-21, 15-13 (65)

Bronze - Lochhead/Pitman def. Gosch/Horst, 21-19, 22-24, 15-12 (73)

SWATCH MOP - Herrera

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Clemens Doppler, Austria, 95.6 km/h

Mallorca, Palma, September 2-7, \$175,000

1. Harley/Salgado, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Klemperer/Koreng, Germany, \$19,500
3. Benjamin Insfran/Franco, Brazil, \$14,000
4. Reckermann/Urbatzka, Germany, \$10,500

Gold - Harley/Salgado def. Klemperer/Koreng, 21-18, 21-18 (42)

Bronze - Benjamin/Franco def. Reckermann/Urbatzka, 17-21, 25-23, 15-13 (75)

SWATCH MOP - Salgado

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Koreng, 102.1 km/h

Brazil, Guarujá, September 18-21, \$175,000

1. Harley/Salgado, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Brink/Dieckmann, Germany, \$19,500
3. Reckermann/Urbatzka, Germany, \$14,000
4. Maciel/Bruno, Brazil, \$10,500

Gold - Harley/Salgado def. Brink/Dieckmann, 24-26, 21-19, 15-13 (68)

Bronze - Reckermann/Urbatzka def. Maciel/Bruno, 23-21, 21-13 (45)

SWATCH MOP - Harley

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Brink, 94.0 km/h

United Arab Emirates, Dubai, October 7-11, \$175,000

1. Nummerdor/Schuil, Netherlands, \$19,500
2. Reckermann/Urbatzka, Germany, \$19,500
3. Harley/Salgado, Brazil, \$10,500
4. Andy Ces/Kevin Ces, France, \$10,500

Gold - Nummerdor/Schuil def. Reckermann/Urbatzka, 12-21, 21-16, 15-10 (58)

Bronze - Harley/Salgado def. A. Ces/K. Ces, 21-18, 19-21, 15-13 (61)

SWATCH MOP - Nummerdor

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - K. Ces, 97.5 km/h

Bahran, Manama, October 28-November 1, \$175,000

1. Alison/Cunha, Brazil, \$28,000
2. A. Ces/K. Ces, France, \$19,500
3. Stefan Windscheif/Sebastian Dollinger, Germany, \$14,000
4. Mariusz Prudel/Grzegorz Fijalek, Poland, \$10,500

Gold - Alison/Cunha def. A. Ces/K. Ces, 22-20, 21-19 (44)

Bronze - Windscheif/Dollinger def. Prudel/Fijalek, 21-14, 21-14 (39)

SWATCH MOP - Cunha

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Raul Mesa, Spain, 94.0 km/h

China, Sanya, November 11-15, \$175,000

1. Benjamin Insfran/Harley, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Cunha/Roberto Pitta, Brazil, \$19,500
3. Mariano Baracetti/Jose Salema, Argentina, \$14,000
4. Xu/Jialu Li, China, \$10,500

Gold - Benjamin/Harley def. Cunha/Pitta, 21-17, 21-19 (49)

Bronze - Baracetti/Salema def. Xu/Li, 21-12, 21-17 (41)

SWATCH MOP - Salema

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Jian Li, China, 93.8 km/h

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour Men's Match, Set Records & Ratio

Team, Country	Matches			Team, Country	Sets		
	W	L	Pct.		W	L	Pct.
Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States	45	5	90.0%	Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States	91	19	82.7%
Harley Marques/Pedro Salgado, Brazil	77	24	76.2%	Matt Fuerbringer/Casey Jennings, United States	82	35	70.1%
Reinder Nummerdor/Richard Schuil, Netherlands	48	15	76.2%	Harley Marques/Pedro Salgado, Brazil	163	74	68.8%
Matt Fuerbringer/Casey Jennings, United States	38	12	76.0%	Emanuel Rego/Ricardo Santos, Brazil	105	48	68.6%
Emanuel Rego/Ricardo Santos, Brazil	49	17	74.2%	Penggen Wu/Linyin Xu, China	108	54	66.7%
Stein Metzger/Mark Williams, United States	31	12	72.1%	Reinder Nummerdor/Richard Schuil, Netherlands	98	49	66.7%
Penggen Wu/Linyin Xu, China	51	20	71.8%	Julius Brink/Christoph Dieckmann, Germany	110	57	65.9%
Julius Brink/Christoph Dieckmann, Germany	49	21	70.0%	Jake Gibb/Sean Rosenthal, United States	67	35	65.7%
Pedro Cunha/Franco Neto, Brazil	24	11	68.6%	Stein Metzger/Mark Williams, United States	66	36	64.7%
Jake Gibb/Sean Rosenthal, United States	30	14	68.2%	Pedro Cunha/Franco Neto, Brazil	53	29	64.6%
Jonas Reckermann/Mischa Urbatzka, Germany	46	24	65.7%	David Klemperer/Eric Koreng, Germany	75	46	62.0%
Joao Maciel/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil	32	17	65.3%	Joao Maciel/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil	71	44	61.7%
Dmitri Barsouk/Igor Kolodinsky, Russia	41	23	64.1%	Jonas Reckermann/Mischa Urbatzka, Germany	98	62	61.3%
David Klemperer/Eric Koreng, Germany	34	20	63.0%	Andrew Schacht/Joshua Slack, Australia	33	21	61.1%
Marcio Araujo/Fabio Luiz Magalhães, Brazil	50	30	62.5%	Dmitri Barsouk/Igor Kolodinsky, Russia	90	59	60.4%
Benjamin Insfran/Franco Neto, Brazil	31	19	62.0%	Marcio Araujo/Fabio Luiz Magalhães, Brazil	114	77	59.7%
Kay Matysik/Stefan Uhmman, Germany	17	11	60.7%	Benjamin Insfran/Franco Neto, Brazil	71	52	57.7%
Francisco Alvarez/Oney Ramirez Bernal, Cuba	10	7	58.8%	Kay Matysik/Stefan Uhmman, Germany	40	30	57.1%
Pablo Herrera/Raul Mesa, Spain	38	29	56.7%	Andy Ces/Kevin Ces, France	101	83	54.9%
Andy Ces/Kevin Ces, France	47	36	56.6%	Pablo Herrera/Raul Mesa, Spain	87	73	54.4%
Igor Hernandez/Jesus Villafane, Venezuela	10	8	55.6%	Grzegorz Fijalek/Mariusz Prudel, Poland	36	31	53.7%
Emiel Boersma/Bram Ronnes, Netherlands	24	20	54.5%	Jason Lochhead/Kirk Pitman, New Zealand	79	70	53.0%
Grzegorz Fijalek/Mariusz Prudel, Poland	15	13	53.6%	Emiel Boersma/Bram Ronnes, Netherlands	53	47	53.0%
Jason Lochhead/Kirk Pitman, New Zealand	34	31	52.3%	Francisco Alvarez/Oney Ramirez Bernal, Cuba	19	17	52.8%
Michal Kadziola/Jakub Szalankiewicz, Poland	13	12	52.0%	Yaroslav Koshkarev/Serguei Prokoviev (Il), Russia	36	33	52.2%
Martin Laciga/Jan Schnider, Switzerland	28	26	51.9%	Igor Hernandez/Jesus Villafane, Venezuela	20	19	51.3%
Riccardo Lione/Matteo Varnier, Italy	20	19	51.3%	Jorre Kjemperud/Tarjei Skarlund, Norway	71	68	51.1%
Alexandr Dyachenko/Oleksiy Kulinich, Kazakhstan	22	22	50.0%	Michal Kadziola/Jakub Szalankiewicz, Poland	27	26	50.9%
Yaroslav Koshkarev/Serguei Prokoviev, Russia	15	15	50.0%	Martin Laciga/Jan Schnider, Switzerland	62	62	50.0%
Andrew Schacht/Joshua Slack, Australia	14	14	50.0%	Riccardo Lione/Matteo Varnier, Italy	47	47	50.0%
Jorre Kjemperud/Tarjei Skarlund, Norway	28	29	49.1%	Kjell Goranson/Vegard Hoidalen, Norway	30	30	50.0%
Kentaro Asahi/Katsuhiko Shiratori, Japan	23	24	48.9%				
Jochem De Gruijter/Gijs Ronnes, Netherlands	18	19	48.6%				
Kjell Goranson/Vegard Hoidalen, Norway	13	14	48.1%				
Adrian Gavira Collado/Inocencio Lario, Spain	23	25	47.9%				
Anders Lund Hoyer/Bo Soderberg, Denmark	21	23	47.7%				
Clemens Doppler/Peter Gartmayer, Austria	23	26	46.9%				
Philip Gabathuler/David Wenger, Switzerland	14	16	46.7%				
Fabien Dugrip/Gregory Gagliano, France	19	22	46.3%				
Renato Gomes/Jorge Terceiro, Georgia	36	42	46.2%				
Martins Plavins/Aleksandrs Samoilovs, Latvia	27	32	45.8%				
Mariano Baracetti/Jose Salema, Argentina	23	28	45.1%				
Jose Pedrosa/Pedro Rosas, Portugal	18	22	45.0%				
Kristjan Kais/Rivo Vesik, Estonia	17	21	44.7%				
Aldo Miramontes/Juan Virgen, Mexico	17	21	44.7%				
Patrick Heuscher/Sascha Heyer, Switzerland	16	20	44.4%				
Jian Li/Shun Zhou, China	16	21	43.2%				
Steve Grotowski/Gregg Weaver, Great Britain	11	15	42.3%				
Ahren Cadieux/Mark Heese, Canada	16	22	42.1%				
Daniel Hupfer/Paul Schroffenegger, Austria	13	18	41.9%				
Florian Gosch/Alexander Horst, Austria	20	28	41.7%				
Eugenio Amore/Riccardo Bizzotto, Italy	10	14	41.7%				
Bjorn Berg/Hannes Brinkborg, Sweden	14	21	40.0%				
Felix Blauel/Alexander Huber, Austria	10	17	37.0%				
Guilhem Deulofeu/Yannick Salvetti, France	13	26	33.3%				
Iver Horrem/Bjorn Maaseide, Norway	10	22	31.3%				

Team, Country	Pts	Points	
		Allowed	Ratio
Dalhausser/ Rogers, United States	2,211	1,787	1.24
Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil	2,995	2,624	1.14
Gibb/Rosenthal, United States	1,994	1,787	1.12
Cunha/Franco, Brazil	1,576	1,413	1.12
Fuerbringer/Jennings, United States	2,311	2,074	1.11
Nummerdor/Schuil, Netherlands	2,823	2,544	1.11
Harley/Salgado, Brazil	4,575	4,135	1.11
Maciel/Bruno, Brazil	2,189	2,001	1.09
Wu/Xu, China	3,121	2,857	1.09
Reckermann/Urbatzka, Germany	3,076	2,828	1.09
Metzger/Williams, United States	1,925	1,774	1.09
Brink/Dieckmann, Germany	3,153	2,933	1.08
Klemperer/Koreng, Germany	2,363	2,214	1.07
Barsouk/Kolodinsky, Russia	2,822	2,647	1.07
Marcio Araujo/Fabio, Brazil	3,595	3,383	1.06
Schacht/ Slack, Australia	1,027	968	1.06
Ces/Ces, France	3,429	3,261	1.05
Alvarez/Ramirez Bernal, Cuba	701	669	1.05
Benjamin/Franco, Brazil	2,285	2,207	1.04
Fijalek/Prudel, Poland	1,210	1,171	1.03
Herrera/Mesa, Spain	2,998	2,911	1.03
Lund Hoyer/Soderberg, Denmark	1,959	1,903	1.03
Kadziola/Szalankiewicz, Poland	986	960	1.03
Lochhead/Pitman, New Zealand	2,799	2,728	1.03
Matysik/Uhmman, Germany	1,324	1,293	1.02
Goranson/Hoidalen, Norway	1,137	1,112	1.02
Kais/Vesik, Estonia	1,710	1,681	1.02

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour Men's Post-Season Awards

Most Improved Player

- 1, Andy Ces, France
- 2, Pedro Salgado, Brazil
- 2, Jan Schnider, Switzerland
- 4, Mischa Urbatzka, Germany

Also receiving votes - Linyin Xu, China, Emiel Boersma, Netherlands, Reinder Nummerdor, Netherlands, Florian Gosch, Austria, Bram Ronnes, Netherlands, Casey Jennings, United States, Alexander Horst, Austria, Alexander Huber, Austria, Robert Nowotny, Austria, Alison Cerutti, Brazil, Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, Kevin Ces, France, Julius Brink, Germany, Stefan Uhmman, Germany, Aleksandrs Samoilovs, Latvia, Martin Plavins, Latvia, Jason Lochhead, New Zealand, Adrian Gavira, Spain, Inocencio Lario, Spain, Matt Fuerbringer, United States, Phil Dalhausser, United States.

Most Inspirational

- 1, Todd Rogers, United States
- 2, Franco Neto, Brazil
- 2, Emanuel Rego, Brazil
- 4, Sean Rosenthal, United States

Also receiving votes - Harley Marques, Brazil, Phil Dalhausser, United States, Pedro Salgado, Brazil, Julius Brink, Germany, Casey Jennings, United States, Emanuel Fernandes, Angola, Morais Abreu, Angola, Mariano Baracetti, Argentina, Florian Gosch, Austria, Niklos Berger, Austria, Marcio Araujo, Brazil, Ricardo Santos, Brazil, Mark Heese, Canada, Kristjan Kais, Estonia, David Klemperer, Germany, Richard Schuil, Netherlands, Jason Lochhead, New Zealand, Jake Gibb, United States.

Rookie of the Year

- 1, Adrian Gavira Collado, Spain
- 2, Grzegorz Fijalek, Poland
- 3, Stefan Uhmman, Germany
- 3, Mariusz Prudel, Poland

Also receiving votes - Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, Inocencio Lario, Spain, Joao Maciel, Brazil, Andy Ces, France, Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, Georgia, Pablo Nicolai, Italy, Alison Cerutti, Brazil, Franco Neto, Brazil, Renato "Geor" Gomes, Georgia, Sebastian Dollinger, Germany, Aleksandrs Samoilovs, Latvia, Martin Plavins, Latvia, Jorre Kjemperud, Norway, Jakub Szalankiewicz, Poland.

Sportsman of the Year

- 1, Phil Dalhuasser, United States
- 2, Emanuel Rego, Brazil
- 2, Linyin Xu, China
- 2, Richard Schuil, Netherlands

Also receiving votes - Franco Neto, Brazil, Reinder Nummerdor, Netherlands, Todd Rogers, United States, Pedro Salgado, Brazil, Kristjan Kais, Estonia, Rivo Vesik, Estonia, Kevin Ces, France., Jorre Kjemperud, Norway, Jake Gibb, United States, Martin Conde, Argentina, Robert Nowotny, Austria, Harley Marques, Brazil, Marcio Araujo, Brazil, Ricardo Santos, Brazil, Andy Ces, France, Christoph Dieckmann, Germany, Kirk Pitman, New Zealand, Dmitri Barsouk, Russia, Igor Kolodinsky, Russia, Sascha Heyer, Switzerland, Casey Jennings, United States, Matt Fuerbringer, United States.

Best Defensive Player

- 1, Todd Rogers, United States
- 2, Sean Rosenthal, United States
- 3, Reinder Nummerdor, Netherlands
- 4, Marcio Araujo, Brazil
- 4, Jason Lochhead, New Zealand

Also receiving votes - David Klemperer, Germany, Kristjan Kais, Estonia, Emanuel Rego, Brazil, Julius Brink, Germany, Alexander Horst, Austria, Robert Nowotny, Austria, Harley Marques, Brazil, Kevin Ces, France, Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, Georgia.

Best Offensive Player

- 1, Phil Dalhausser, United States
- 2, Pedro Salgado, Brazil
- 3, Ricardo Santos, Brazil
- 4, Igor Kolodinsky, Russia

Also receiving votes - Reinder Nummerdor, Netherlands, Linyin Xu, China, Richard Schuil, Netherlands, Emanuel Rego, Brazil, Pablo Herrera, Spain, Todd Rogers, United States, Clemens Doppler, Austria, Harley Marques, Brazil, Pedro Salgado, Brazil, Penggen Wu, China, Julius Brink, Germany, Mischa Urbatzka, Germany, Dmitri Barsouk, Russia.

Best Blocker

- 1, Phil Dalhausser, United States
- 2, Pedro Salgado, Brazil
- 3, Ricardo Santos, Brazil
- 3, Jonas Reckermann, Germany

Also receiving votes - Florian Gosch, Austria, Christoph Dieckmann, Germany, Richard Schuil, Netherlands, Matt Fuerbringer, United States, Linyin Xu, China, Pablo Herrera, Spain, Fabio Magalhaes, Brazil, Penggen Wu, China, Eric Koreng, Germany, Niklos Berger, Austria, Patrick Heuscher, Switzerland, Andy Ces, France.

Best Setter

- 1, Marcio Araujo, Brazil
- 2, Phil Dalhausser, United States
- 3, Igor Kolodinsky, Russia
- 4, Jonas Reckermann, Germany
- 4, Tarjei Skarlund, Norway

Also receiving votes - Eric Koreng, Germany, Todd Rogers, United States, Joshua Slack, Australia, Alexander Horst, Austria, Clemens Doppler, Austria, Niklos Berger, Austria, Emanuel Rego, Brazil, Harley Marques, Brazil, Pedro Salgado, Brazil, Fabien Dugrip, France, David Klemperer, Germany, Dmitri Barsouk, Russia, Sean Rosenthal, United States

Best Hitter

- 1, Phil Dalhausser, United States
- 2, Igor Kolodinsky, Russia
- 2, Harley Marques, Brazil
- 3, Linyin Xu, China

Also receiving votes - Sean Rosenthal, United States, Pedro Salgado, Brazil, Pablo Herrera, Spain, Emanuel Rego, Brazil, Ricardo Santos, Brazil, Christoph Dieckmann, Germany, Penggen Wu, China, Eric Koreng, Germany, Mischa Urbatzka, Germany, Reinder Nummerdor, Netherlands, Tarjei Skarlund, Norway

2008 FIVB Men's Challenger/Satellite "Final Fours"

Czech Republic, Brno, July 3-6, \$30,000

1. Alison Cerutti/Bernardo Romano, Brazil, \$4,800
2. Roberto Pitta/Lipe Rodrigues, Brazil, \$3,900
3. Jason Kruger/Chris Simek, Canada, \$3,000
4. Joao Maciel/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, \$2,300

Switzerland, Lausanne, July 10-13, \$15,000

1. Alison Cerutti/Bernardo Romano, Brazil, \$3,400
2. Joao Maciel/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, \$2,400
3. Roberto Pitta/Lipe Rodrigues, Brazil, \$1,700
4. Sebastian Dollinger/Thomas Kaczmarek, Germany, \$1,300

Estonia, Pärnu, July 17-20, \$30,000

1. Alison Cerutti/Bernardo Romano, Brazil, \$4,800
2. Philip Gabathuler/David Wenger, Switzerland, \$3,900
3. Roberto Pitta/Lipe Rodrigues, Brazil, \$3,000
4. Janis Grinbergs/Austris Stals, Latvia, \$2,300

India, Chennai, July 17-20, \$40,000

1. Luizao Correa/Klepper Feitosa, Brazil, \$6,400
2. Andrea Tomatis/Ivan Zaytsev, Italy, \$4,400
3. Jason Kruger/Chris Simek, Canada, \$3,200
4. Mike DiPierro/Mark Van Zwieten, United States, \$2,400

Russia, Vladivostok, August 1-3, \$30,000

1. Vasiliy Buralev/Egor Moliboga, Russia, \$5,000
2. Pavel Karpukhin/Evgeniy Romashkin, Russia, \$4,000
3. Leonid Kalinine/Alexander Samoshkin, Russia, \$3,100
4. Dmitry Karpov /Evgeny Vasilyev, Russia, \$2,500

Liechtenstein, Vaduz, August 7-10, \$10,000

1. David Kufa/Robert Kufa, Czech Republic, \$2,000
2. Martin Tichy/Jindrich Weiss, Czech Republic, \$1,500
3. Thomas Kaczmarek/Matthias Pompe, Germany, \$1,200
4. Andreas Sutter/Jonas Weingart, Switzerland, \$800

2008 FIVB Challenger/Satellite Men's Leaders

Rank, Team, Country, Points

- 1, Alison Cerutti/Bernardo Romano, Brazil, 194
- 2, Roberto Pitta/Lipe Rodrigues, Brazil, 172
- 3, Jason Kruger/Chris Simek, Canada, 142
- 4, Andrea Tomatis/Ivan Zaytsev, Italy, 120
- 5, Philip Gabathuler/David Wenger, Switzerland, 112
- 6, Pavel Karpukhin/Evgeniy Romashkin, Russia, 88
- 7, Joao Maciel/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, 86
- 7, David Kufa/Robert Kufa, Czech Republic, 86
- 9, Jessi Lelliott/Matt Zbyszewski, Canada, 82
- 10, Luizao Correa/Klepper Feitosa, Brazil, 80
- 10, Vasiliy Buralev/Egor Moliboga, Russia, 80
- 12, Alexey Sidorenko/Dmitriy Yakovlev, Kazakhstan, 76

Rank, Team, Country, Events, Earnings

- 1, Alison Cerutti/Bernardo Romano, Brazil, 3, 3, \$13,000
- 2, Roberto Pitta/Lipe Rodrigues, Brazil, 4, 0, \$9,100
- 3, Jason Kruger/Chris Simek, Canada, 3, 0, \$6,800
- 4, Luizao Correa/Klepper Feitosa, Brazil, 1, 1, \$6,400
- 5, Andrea Tomatis/Ivan Zaytsev, Italy, 2, 0, \$5,900
- 6, Philip Gabathuler/David Wenger, Switzerland, 2, 0, \$5,100
- 7, Vasiliy Buralev/Egor Moliboga, Russia, 1, 1, \$5,000
- 8, Joao Maciel/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, 2, 0, \$4,700
- 9, Pavel Karpukhin/Evgeniy Romashkin, Russia, 2, 0, \$4,000
- 10, David Kufa/Robert Kufa, Czech Republic, 4, 1, \$3,900
- 11, Leonid Kalinine/Alexander Samoshkin, Russia, 2, 0, \$3,100
- 12, Jessi Lelliott/Matt Zbyszewski, Canada, 3, 0, \$2,600

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour - Men's Qualification Tournament Notes

- A total of 68 teams from 32 countries advanced from a men's **SWATCH FIVB World Tour** Qualification Tournament to the Main Draw for 19 events in 2008. There was no men's qualifier for the Brazilian event in September.
- The team of Pedro Rosas/Jose Pedrosa of Portugal advanced to the Main Draw seven times. Andy and Kevin Ces of France also advanced from the qualifier to the Main Draw seven times after compiling six Main Draw advancements in 2007. Advancing five times have been the teams of Aldo Miramontes/Juan Virgen of Mexico, Anders Lund Hoyer/Bo Soderberg of Denmark, Joao Maciel/Bruno Oscar Schmidt of Brazil, Martins Plavins/Aleksandrs Samoilovs of Latvia and Yaroslav Koshkarev/Serguei Prokoviev of Russia.
- France has had three different teams advance from the Qualification Tournament to the Main Draw 13 times.

France..... 13	Portugal..... 7	Kazakhstan..... 4	Norway..... 2
Russia..... 10	China..... 6	New Zealand..... 4	Slovak Republic..... 2
Brazil..... 9	Denmark..... 6	Japan..... 3	Spain..... 2
Czech Republic..... 9	Austria..... 5	Netherlands..... 3	Switzerland..... 2
Italy..... 8	Germany..... 5	Poland..... 3	Angola..... 1
United States..... 8	Latvia..... 5	Sweden..... 3	Argentina..... 1
Venezuela..... 8	Mexico..... 5	Ukraine..... 3	Belarus..... 1
Canada..... 7	Great Britain..... 4	Cuba..... 2	Georgia..... 1
- Poland's Grzegorz Fijalek and Mariusz Prudel were the lowest seeded team (43rd, Prague) to advance from the Qualification Tournament to the Main Draw. Here is a breakdown of Qualification Tournament seeded advancing to the Main Draw:

No. 1.....12	No. 6..... 10	No. 11.....7	No. 17..... 5	No. 22.....1
No. 2.....16	No. 7..... 13	No. 12.....4	No. 18..... 2	No. 23.....1
No. 3.....10	No. 8..... 13	No. 13.....8	No. 19..... 1	No. 24.....1
No. 4.....9	No. 9..... 5	No. 14.....8	No. 20..... 2	No. 31.....1
No. 5.....14	No. 10..... 5	No. 16.....2	No. 21..... 1	No. 43.....1
- Due to late withdrawals after the start of the Qualification Tournament, 12 teams were awarded Main Draw berths after winning a draw to determine the "lucky loser". Sebastian Dollinger and Stefan Windscheif of Germany used the "lucky loser" berth in Bahrain to become the first team with a "second chance" to medal at a **SWATCH FIVB World Tour** event.
 - Roseto degli Abruzzi** - Renato "Geor" Gomes/Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, Georgia (Q2), won draw over Jochem De Gruijter/Gijs Ronnes, Netherlands (Q3), placed 17th
 - Zagreb** - Kjell Goranson/Vegard Hoidalen, Norway (Q9) won draw over Kentaro Asahi/Katsuhiko Shiratori, Japan (Q4), placed 9th
 - Barcelona** - Eugenio Amore/Riccardo Bizzotto Italy (Q3) won draw over Martins Plavins/Aleksandrs Samoilovs Latvia (Q1), placed 17th
 - Barcelona** - Plavins/Samoilovs (Q1), won draw over Yaroslav Koshkarev/Serguei Prokoviev, Russia (Q8), placed 5th
 - Stare Jablonki** - Goranson/Hoidalen, Norway (Q6) won draw over Plavins/Samoilovs, Latvia (Q3), placed 17th
 - Berlin** - Pedro Cunha/Franco Neto, Brazil (Q1), won draw over Asahi/Shiratori, Japan (Q10), placed 17th
 - Paris** - Geor/Gia (Q1) won draw over Mariano Baracetti/Jose Salema, Argentina (Q4), placed 5th
 - Marseille** - Daniel Hupfer/Paul Schroffenegger, Austria (Q6), won draw over Oivind Hordvik/Bjorn Ingeborgrud, Norway (Q9), placed 25th
 - Marseille** - Hordvik/Ingeborgrud, Norway (Q9), won draw over Gianluca Casadei/Paolo Ficosecco, Italy (Q13), placed 25th
 - Bahrain** - Sebastian Dollinger / Stefan Windscheif Germany (Q5) won draw over Simon Nausch/Mario Steinoker, Austria (Q6), placed 3rd
 - Bahrain** - Nausch/Steinoker, Austria (Q6), won draw over Anton Hauser/Matt Zbyszewski, Canada (Q8), placed 25th
 - Bahrain** - Hauser/Zbyszewski, Canada (Q8) won draw over Alexey Sidorenko / Dmitriy Yakovlev, Kazakhstan (Q10), placed 25th
 - Sanya** - Martin Reader/Ray Sewell, Canada (Q4) won draw over Morais Abreu/Mario Silva, Angola (Q8), placed 17th
 - Sanya** - Yasuo Nakaya/Shinya Inoue, Japan (Q12) won draw over Abreu/Silva, Angola (Q8), placed 25th
- There were 39 country quota playoff matches for nine nations. Brazil's Pedro Cunha/Franco Neto had the best CQ record at 5-0.

Brazil..... 11	Australia..... 4	United States..... 3	Italy..... 1
Norway..... 7	Croatia..... 4	Germany..... 2	Poland..... 1
Spain..... 6			
- There was 38 "wild card" berths granted for 25 countries at the 20 men's **SWATCH FIVB World Tour** events this season. After four "wild card" teams advanced to an event "final four" with two competing in gold medal matches in 2007, no "wild card" tandems have accomplished the feat this season. The best "wild card" finishes were fifths by Marcio Araujo/Fabio Magalhaes of Brazil at the Guarajá event and Cheng Chen/Jian Li of China at the Sanya stop. On five different occasions, "wild card" teams placed ninth.

Brazil..... 4	China..... 2	Norway..... 2	Switzerland..... 1
Argentina..... 2	Croatia..... 1	Oman..... 1	Ukraine..... 1
Australia..... 1	Czech Republic..... 1	Poland..... 2	United Arab Emirates..... 1
Austria..... 3	France..... 2	Portugal..... 1	Venezuela..... 1
Bahrain..... 1	Germany..... 2	Russia..... 1	
Brazil..... 4	Italy..... 3	Saudi Arabia..... 1	
Canada..... 1	Latvia..... 1	Spain..... 2	

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour - Men's Main Draw "Wild Card" Placements

Event	Team, Country	Seed.....	Placement
Adelaide	Riccardo Lione/Matteo Varnier Italy	23.....	17th
Adelaide	Sam Boehm/Christopher McHugh Australia	32.....	25th
Shanghai	Mykola Babich/Oleg Nikolaev Ukraine	26.....	17th
Shanghai	Peng Gao/Qiang Xu China	32.....	17th
Prague	Ahren Cadieux/Mark Heese Canada	22.....	25th
Prague	Robert Kufa/Pavel Rotrekl Czech Republic	31.....	25th
Roseto degli Abruzzi	Martins Plavins/Aleksandrs Samoilovs Latvia	27.....	25th
Roseto degli Abruzzi	Francesco Giontella/Paolo Nicolai Italy	32.....	25th
Zagreb	Josip Kovacev/Jegor Zukovskij Croatia	32.....	25th
Barcelona	Michal Kadziola/Jakub Szalankiewicz Poland	22.....	9th
Barcelona	Javier Luna/Francisco Alfredo Marco Spain	32.....	25th
Stare Jablonki	Jackson Henriquez/Igor Hernandez Venezuela	30.....	25th
Stare Jablonki	Tomasz Sinczak/Rafal Szternel Poland	32.....	25th
Berlin	Kay Matsysik/Stefan Uhmman Germany	23.....	25th
Berlin	Mariano Baracetti/Jose Salema Argentina	25.....	17th
Paris	Guilherm Deulofeu/Yannick Salvetti France	9.....	25th
Paris	Benjamin Insfran/Franco Neto, Brazil	19.....	25th
Stavanger	Florian Gosch/Alexander Horst Austria	30.....	17th
Stavanger	Oivind Hordvik/Martin Spinnangr Norway	32.....	25th
Moscow	Roman Arkaev/Alexander Likholetov Russia	10.....	17th
Moscow	Joao Brenha/Miguel Maia Portugal	23.....	25th
Marseille	Mariano Baracetti/Martin Conde, Argentina	6.....	25th
Marseille	Guilherm Deulofeu/Yannick Salvetti France	10.....	17th
Gstaad	Sebastian Dollinger/Kay Matsysik Germany	22.....	9th
Gstaad	Philip Gabathuler/David Wenger Switzerland	31.....	9th
Klagenfurt	Marcio Araujo/Fabio Magalhaes, Brazil	12.....	9th
Klagenfurt	Felix Blauel/Alexander Huber Austria	31.....	17th
Krisitansand	Francesco Giontella/Paolo Nicolai Italy	23.....	17th
Krisitansand	Oivind Hordvik/Bjorn Ingeborgrud Norway	26.....	25th
Mallorca	Daniel Hupfer/Paul Schroffenegger Austria	27.....	25th
Mallorca	Manuel Carrasco/Jesus Ruiz Nunez Spain	32.....	17th
Guarajã	Marcio Araujo/Fabio Magalhaes, Brazil	4.....	5th
Guarajã	Alison Cerutti/Bernardo Romano Brazil	9.....	9th
Dubai	Ali Mohammad/Abdullah Kaabi, United Arab Emirates	28.....	25th
Dubai	Khalfan Hamd Khadayam Al Jabri/Badar Said Abdullah Al Subhi, Oman	32.....	25th
Bahrain	Ayman Haroona/Hasan Aqeel, Bahrain	30.....	17th
Bahrain	Yahya Almarhoon/Munir Abualrahi, Saudi Arabia	32.....	25th
Sanya	Cheng Chen/ Jian Li, China	26.....	5 th

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour - Men's Teams Advancing from Qualification Tournaments to Main Draw

Team, Country (Main Draw seed, Qualifying seed)	Event	Team, Country (Main Draw seed, Qualifying seed)	Event
• Morais Abreu/Emanuel Fernandes, Angola (29, Q7)	Marseille	• Cunha/Franco, Brazil (6, Q1)	Prague
• Mariano Baracetti/Jose Salema, Argentina (24, Q1)	Stavanger	• Cunha/Franco, Brazil (7, Q1)	Shanghai
• Daniel Hupfer/Paul Schroffenegger, Austria (Q8)	Gstaad	• Ahren Cadieux/Mark Heese, Canada (24, Q4)	Berlin
• Hupfer/Schroffenegger, Austria (17, Q1)	Bahrain	• Cadieux/Heese, Canada (25, Q1)	Stare Jablonki
• Felix Blauel/Alexander Huber, Austria (25, Q5)	Mallorca	• Cadieux/Heese, Canada (28, Q4)	Stavanger
• Florian Gosch/Alexander Horst, Austria (27, Q3)	Moscow	• Cadieux/Heese, Canada (29, Q7)	Paris
• Nikolas Berger/Robert Nowotny Austria (30, Q17)	Dubai	• Conrad Leinemann/Rich VanHuizen Canada (31, Q18)	Stavanger
• Aliaksandr Kavalenka/Andrei Zharykau, Belarus (29, Q7)	Mallorca	• Martin Reader/Ray Sewell Canada (14, Q6)	Dubai
• Benjamin Insfran/Franco Neto, Brazil (19, Q2)	Moscow	• Reader/Sewell, Canada (15, Q4)	Bahrain
• Joao Maciel/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil (16, Q3)	Klagenfurt	• Jian Li/Shun Zhou, China (23, Q1)	Gstaad
• Maciel/Bruno, Brazil (19, Q3)	Gstaad	• Wei Liu/Shun Zhou, China (27, Q2)	Sanya
• Maciel/Bruno, Brazil (24, Q5)	Marseille	• Jian Bao/Weizai Jin, China (31, Q13)	Sanya
• Maciel/Bruno, Brazil (31, Q16)	Barcelona	• Li/Zhou China (27, Q6)	Berlin
• Maciel/Bruno, Brazil (6, Q2)	Mallorca	• Li/Zhou China (28, Q3)	Zagreb
• Pedro Cunha/Franco Neto, Brazil (13, Q1)	Roseto	• Li/Zhou China (30, Q6)	Paris

2008 SWATCH FIVB WORLD TOUR - Men's Teams Advancing from Qualification Tournaments to Main Draw

Team, Country (Main Draw seed, Qualifying seed)	Event	Team, Country (Main Draw seed, Qualifying seed)	Event
• Francisco Alvarez/Oney Ramirez Bernal, Cuba (24, Q9)	Barcelona	• Miramontes/ Virgen, Mexico (25, Q2)	Marseille
• Alvarez/Ramirez Bernal, Cuba (30, Q10)	Shanghai	• Miramontes/Virgen, Mexico (29, Q5)	Gstaad
• David Kufa/Robert Kufa, Czech Republic (27, Q6)	Kristiansand	• Miramontes/Virgen, Mexico (31, Q10)	Stare Jablonki
• D. Kufa/R. Kufa, Czech Republic (28, Q6)	Mallorca	• Miramontes/Virgen, Mexico (31, Q16)	Moscow
• Jan Dumek/Pavel Rotrekl, Czech Republic (25, Q3)	Kristiansand	• Daan Spijkers/Niels van de Sande, Netherlands (31, Q24)	Mallorca
• Dumek/Premysl Kubala, Czech Republic (26, Q4)	Marseille	• Jochem De Gruijter/Gijs Ronnes, Netherlands (21, Q1)	Zagreb
• Dumek/Kubala, Czech Republic (30, Q6)	Gstaad	• De Gruijter/Ronnes, Netherlands (24, Q2)	Prague
• Petr Benes/Martin Tichy, Czech Republic (27, Q11)	Klagenfurt	• Jason Lochhead/Kirk Pitman, New Zealand (16, Q2)	Barcelona
• Benes/Tichy, Czech Republic (27, Q14)	Stare Jablonki	• Lochhead/Pitman, New Zealand (22, Q7)	Berlin
• Kubala/Jaroslav Pavlas, Czech Republic (25, Q6)	Barcelona	• Lochhead/Pitman, New Zealand (23, Q5)	Zagreb
• Michal Biza/Rotrekl, Czech Republic (29, Q12)	Bahrain	• Lochhead/Pitman, New Zealand (24, Q5)	Adelaide
• Anders Lund Hoyer/Bo Soderberg, Denmark (22, Q2)	Kristiansand	• Kjell Goranson/Vegard Hoidalen, Norway (29, Q10)	Roseto
• Hoyer/Soderberg, Denmark (28, Q19)	Berlin	• Magne Kobbevik/Trygve Leite, Norway (21, Q6)	Sanya
• Hoyer/Soderberg, Denmark (28, Q8)	Stare Jablonki	• Grzegorz Fijalek/Mariusz Prudel, Poland (17, Q5)	Kristiansand
• Hoyer/Soderberg, Denmark (29, Q13)	Moscow	• Fijalek/Kudziel, Poland (32, Q43)	Prague
• Hoyer/Soderberg, Denmark (29, Q14)	Stavanger	• Michal Kadziola/Jakub Szalankiewicz Poland (21, Q3)	Dubai
• Kristian Knudsen/Lars Mayland, Denmark (32, Q22)	Marseille	• Jose Pedrosa/Pedro Rosas, Portugal (24, Q2)	Klagenfurt
• Andy Ces/Kevin Ces, France (21, Q5)	Stare Jablonki	• Pedrosa/Rosas, Portugal (25, Q2)	Gstaad
• A. Ces/K. Ces, France (26, Q4)	Barcelona	• Pedrosa/Rosas, Portugal (27, Q1)	Marseille
• A. Ces/K. Ces, France (27, Q12)	Stavanger	• Pedrosa/Rosas, Portugal (27, Q5)	Barcelona
• A. Ces/K. Ces, France (29, Q5)	Shanghai	• Pedrosa/Rosas, Portugal (28, Q14)	Roseto
• A. Ces/K. Ces, France (30, Q12)	Roseto	• Pedrosa/Rosas, Portugal (28, Q4)	Shanghai
• A. Ces/K. Ces, France (30, Q8)	Prague	• Pedrosa/Rosas, Portugal (31, Q17)	Berlin
• A. Ces/K. Ces, France (31, Q9)	Adelaide	• Dmitry Karasev/Pavel Zaitsev, Russia (32, Q23)	Moscow
• Fabien Dugrip/Gregory Gagliano, France (24, Q6)	Zagreb	• Dmitry Karpov/Evgeny Vasilyev, Russia (30, Q17)	Kristiansand
• Dugrip/Gagliano, France (25, Q5)	Prague	• Karpov/Vasilyev, Russia (27, Q9)	Bahrain
• Dugrip/Gagliano, France (25, Q7)	Stavanger	• Yaroslav Koshkarev/Serguei Prokopiev, Russia (26, Q13)	Adelaide
• Dugrip/Gagliano, France (25, Q8)	Roseto	• Koshkarev/Serguei Prokopiev, Russia (27, Q8)	Shanghai
• Guilherm Deulofeu/Yannick Salvetti, France (28, Q5)	Moscow	• Koshkarev/Serguei Prokopiev, Russia (29, Q13)	Prague
• Deulofeu/Salveti, France (30, Q8)	Berlin	• Koshkarev/Serguei Prokopiev, Russia (30, Q13)	Zagreb
• Renato "Geor" Gomes/Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, Georgia (11, Q1)	Mallorca	• Koshkarev/Serguei Prokopiev, Russia (32, Q21)	Paris
• Kay Matsysik/Stefan Uhmman, Germany (28, Q14)	Prague	• Pavel Karpukhin/Evgeniy Romashkin Russia (26, Q8)	Dubai
• Markus Bockermann/Matsysik, Germany (21, Q3)	Mallorca	• Andrey Belov/Vladimir Moroz, Russia (28, Q11)	Bahrain
• Sebastian Dollinger/Thomas Kaczmarek, Germany (28, Q10)	Klagenfurt	• Michal Litva/Peter Varga, Slovak Republic (25, Q7)	Bahrain
• Dollinger/Kaczmarek, Germany (32, Q31)	Berlin	• Litva/Varga, Slovak Republic (20, Q5)	Sanya
• Sebastian Dollinger/Stefan Windscheif, Germany (3, Q1)	Sanya	• Adrian Gavira Collado/Inocencio Lario, Spain (20, Q11)	Stare Jablonki
• Steve Grotowski/Gregg Weaver, G. Britain (28, Q7)	Kristiansand	• Gavira Collado/Lario, Spain (20, Q17)	Paris
• Grotowski/Weaver, Great Britain (30, Q8)	Marseille	• Bjorn Berg/Hannes Brinkborg, Sweden (17, Q1)	Klagenfurt
• Grotowski/Weaver, Great Britain (25, Q4)	Dubai	• Berg/Brinkborg, Sweden (19, Q7)	Adelaide
• Jody Gooding / Tom Lord, Great Britain (25, Q9)	Sanya	• Daniel Andersson/Stefan Gunnarsson, Sweden (32, Q20)	Kristiansand
• Eugenio Amore/Riccardo Bizzotto Italy (19, Q4)	Stare Jablonki	• Andreas Sutter/Jonas Weingart, Switzerland (30, Q13)	Mallorca
• Amore/Bizzotto, Italy (20, Q2)	Shanghai	• Patrick Heuscher/Sascha Heyer, Switzerland (22, Q2)	Paris
• Amore/Bizzotto, Italy (27, Q14)	Paris	• Mykola Babich/Oleg Nikolaev, Ukraine (29, Q14)	Adelaide
• Francesco Giontella/Paolo Nicolai, Italy (32, Q20)	Klagenfurt	• Babich/Mykhaylov, Ukraine (23, Q8)	Klagenfurt
• Giorgio Domenghini/Andrea Tomatis Italy (29, Q8)	Kristiansand	• Babich/Mykhaylov, Ukraine (26, Q7)	Gstaad
• Matteo Ingrosso/Paolo Ingrosso Italy (22, Q7)	Dubai	• Matt Fuerbringer/Casey Jennings, United States (15, Q8)	Zagreb
• Bizzotto/Gianluca Casadei, Italy (22, Q2)	Bahrain	• Fuerbringer/Casey Jennings, United States (20, Q13)	Roseto
• Bizzotto/Gianluca Casadei, Italy (17, Q3)	Sanya	• Fuerbringer/Casey Jennings, United States (23, Q10)	Prague
• Kentaro Asahi/Katsuhiko Shiratori, Japan (23, Q2)	Stare Jablonki	• Fuerbringer/Casey Jennings, United States (27, Q17)	Adelaide
• Asahi/Shiratori, Japan (26, Q8)	Moscow	• Stein Metzger/Mark Williams, United States (14, Q11)	Stavanger
• Asahi/Shiratori, Japan (26, Q9)	Stavanger	• Metzger/Williams, United States (14, Q7)	Zagreb
• Alexandr Dyachenko/Oleksiy Kulinich, Kazakhstan (15, Q3)	Marseille	• Metzger/Williams, United States (17, Q11)	Roseto
• Dyachenko/Kulinich, Kazakhstan (18, Q4)	Gstaad	• Metzger/Williams, United States (18, Q13)	Paris
• Dyachenko/Kulinich, Kazakhstan (25, Q5)	Klagenfurt	• Farid Mussa/Jesus Villafaña, Venezuela (30, Q14)	Barcelona
• Alexandr Babichev/Alexey Kuleshov Kazakhstan (27, Q12)	Dubai	• Mussa/Villafaña, Venezuela (31, Q14)	Shanghai
• Martins Plavins/Aleksandrs Samoilovs, Latvia (21, Q2)	Adelaide	• Jackson Henriquez/Igor Hernandez, Venezuela (29, Q7)	Barcelona
• Plavins/Samoilovs, Latvia (25, Q6)	Moscow	• Henriquez/Hernandez, Venezuela (30, Q11)	Adelaide
• Plavins/Samoilovs, Latvia (29, Q2)	Zagreb	• Henriquez/Hernandez, Venezuela (31, Q18)	Roseto
• Plavins/Samoilovs, Latvia (29, Q5)	Berlin	• Igor Hernandez/Jesus Villafaña Venezuela (24, Q2)	Dubai
• Plavins/Samoilovs, Latvia (31, Q8)	Paris	• Henriquez/Mussa, Venezuela (23, Q3)	Bahrain
• Aldo Miramontes/Juan Virgen, Mexico (25, Q11)	Shanghai	• Henriquez/Mussa, Venezuela (28, Q7)	Sanya

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour Women's Results

Dates	Women's Tournament.....	Gold Medal Team
March 25-30	Adelaide, Australia	Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil
April 29-May 4	Shanghai, China.....	Talita Antunes/Renata Ribeiro, Brazil
May 13-18	Seoul, Korea.....	Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China
May 20-25	Osaka, Japan	Juliana/Larissa, Brazil
May 26-31	Barcelona, Spain	Nicole Branagh/Elaine Youngs, United States
June 2-7	Stare Jablonki, Poland	Shelda Bede/Ana Paula Connelly, Brazil
June 9-14	Berlin, Germany	Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States
June 16-22	Paris, France	May-Treanor/Walsh, United States
June 23-28	Stavanger, Norway.....	May-Treanor/Walsh, United States
June 30-July 5	Moscow, Russia	Xue/Zhang, China
July 14-20	Marseille, France.....	Stephanie Pohl/Okka Rau, Germany
July 21-26	Gstaad, Switzerland	Shelda/Ana Paula, Brazil
July 28-August 2	Klagenfurt, Austria.....	Shelda/Ana Paula, Brazil
August 9-21	Beijing 2008 Olympic Games	May-Treanor/Walsh, United States
August 25-30	Kristiansand, Norway	Maria Antonelli/Vanilda Leão, Brazil
September 2-7	Myslowice, Poland.....	Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil
September 15-20	Guarujá, Brazil.....	Vivan Cunha/Larissa, Brazil
October 6-11	Dubai, United Arab Emirates.....	Branagh/Walsh, United States
November 4-9	Phuket, Thailand	Jen Kessy/April Ross, United States
November 11-16	Sanya, China.....	Kessy/Ross, United States

Final 2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour Women's Leaders, Through November 16, 20 events*

Women's Team Rank, points

- 1, Shelda Bede/Ana Paula Connelly, Brazil, 6,980
- 2, Jennifer Kessy/April Ross, United States, 5,300
- 3, Talita Antunes/Renata Ribeiro, Brazil, 5,100
- 4, Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil, 5,060
- 5, Maria Antonelli/Vanilda Leão, Brazil, 4,500
- 6, Jia Tian/Jie Wang, China, 4,160
- 7, Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China, 4,100
- 8, Nicole Branagh/Elaine Youngs, United States, 4,060
- 9, Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil, 3,840
- 10, Doris Schwaiger/Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria, 3,500
- 11, Tamsin Barnett/Natalie Cook, Australia, 3,160
- 12, Vassiliki Arvaniti/Vasso Karadassiou, Greece, 3,120
- 12, Tyra Turner/Rachel Wacholder, United States, 3,120
- 14, Andrezza "Rtvelo" Martins/Cristine "Saka" Santanna, Georgia, 3,020
- 15, Nila Ann Hakedal/Ingrid Torlen, Norway, 2,960
- 16, Stephanie Pohl/Okka Rau, Germany, 2,940
- 17, Rieke Brink-Abeler/Hella Jurich, Germany, 2,620
- 18, Helke Claasen/Antje Roder, Germany, 2,590
- 19, Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler, Germany, 2,500
- 20, Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States, 2,400
- 20, Liesbeth Mouha/Liesbet Van Breedam, Belgium, 2,400
- 22, Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig, Germany, 2,340
- 23, Angelica Ljungquist/Karin Lundquist, Sweden, 2,220
- 24, Dalixia Fernandez Grasset/Tamara Larrea Peraza, Cuba, 2,140

Women's Team Rank, events, titles, US earnings*

- 1, Shelda Bede/Ana Paula Connelly, Brazil, 14, 3, \$249,800
- 2, Jennifer Kessy/April Ross, United States, 12, 1, \$174,600
- 3, Talita Antunes/Renata Ribeiro, Brazil, 13, 1, \$157,800
- 4, Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China, 10, 2, \$150,600
- 5, Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil, 18, 1, \$145,700
- 6, Jia Tian/Jie Wang, China, 10, 0, \$144,400
- 7, Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil, 8, 2, \$139,700
- 8, Nicole Branagh/Elaine Youngs, United States, 9, 1, \$136,900
- 9, Maria Antonelli/Vanilda Leão, Brazil, 14, 1, \$133,500
- 10, Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, USA, 4, 4, \$130,500
- 11, Tyra Turner/Rachel Wacholder, United States, 9, 0, \$93,600
- 12, Doris Schwaiger/Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria, 16, 0, \$91,600
- 13, Vassiliki Arvaniti/Vasso Karadassiou, Greece, 11, 0, \$89,600
- 14, Stephanie Pohl/Okka Rau, Germany, 10, 1, \$87,900
- 15, Nila Ann Hakedal/Ingrid Torlen, Norway, 12, 0, \$85,300
- 16, Tamsin Barnett/Natalie Cook, Australia, 10, 0, \$81,900
- 17, Andrezza "Rtvelo" Martins/Cristine "Saka" Santanna, Georgia, 20, 0, \$78,700
- 18, Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler, Germany, 7, 0, \$75,100
- 19, Rieke Brink-Abeler/Hella Jurich, Germany, 10, 0, \$68,200
- 20, Helke Claasen/Antje Roder, Germany, 13, 0, \$64,600
- 21, Liesbeth Mouha/Liesbet Van Breedam, Belgium, 11, 0, \$59,400
- 22, Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig, Germany, 9, 0, \$59,100
- 23, Angelica Ljungquist/Karin Lundquist, Sweden, 19, 0, \$55,600
- 24, Susanne Glesnes/Kathrine Maaseide, Norway, 12, 0, \$54,600

NOTE: The 2008 **SWATCH FIVB World Tour** champions will be determined by calculating the points for a team's best 14 women and 15 men finishes based on 75 percent of the 19 women's and 20 men's events (Open and Grand Slam events only) staged this season and rounded down. Although part of the 2008 **SWATCH FIVB World Tour** calendar, the Beijing 2008 Olympic Games does not reward world ranking points for the competition. **#Clinched 2008 titles.**

*The above earning rankings for men and women do count the **Beijing 2008 Olympic Games** participations where no points or money were awarded.

2008 Women's SWATCH FIVB World Tour - Country Medals & Final 4s

Including Open, Grand Slam & Olympic stops through November 16, 2008

Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze Medals	4ths Final 4s
Brazil	9	6	722	830
United States	8	5	417	219
China	2	5	512	214
Germany	1	1	24	15
Norway	0	1	12	02
Greece	0	1	01	12
Austria	0	0	11	12
Ukraine	0	1	01	01
Australia	0	0	00	33
Czech Republic	0	0	00	11
Georgia	0	0	00	11
Totals	20	20	2060	2080

2008 SWATCH Most Outstanding Player

Event	SWATCH Most Outstanding Player
Adelaide	Juliana Felisberta Silva, Brazil
Shanghai	Talita Antunes, Brazil
Seoul	Xi Zhang, China
Osaka	Juliana, Brazil
Barcelona	Nicole Branagh, United States
Stare Jablonki	Shelda Bede, Brazil
Berlin	Misty May-Treanor, United States
Paris	May-Treanor, United States
Stavanger	May-Treanor, United States
Moscow	Zhang, China
Marseille	Stephanie Pohl, Germany
Gstaad	Ana Paula Connelly, Brazil
Klagenfurt	Shelda, Brazil
Beijing	May-Treanor, United States
Kristiansand	Maria Antonelli, Brazil
Myslowice	Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil
Guaruja	Larissa, Brazil
Dubai	Kerri Walsh, United States
Phuket	April Ross, United States
Sanya	Zhang, China
2008 Season	Zhang, China & May-Treanor, USA

Women's SWATCH FIVB World Tour Points Champions

Season	Points Champions
1992-93	Karolyn Kirby/Nancy Reno, United States
1993-94	Kirby/Liz Masakayan, United States
1994-95	Monica Rodrigues/Adriana Samuel, Brazil
1995-96	Sandra Pires/Jackie Silva, Brazil
1996	Pires/Silva, Brazil
1997	Shelda Bede/Adriana Behar, Brazil
1998	Shelda/Adriana, Brazil
1999	Shelda/Adriana, Brazil
2000	Shelda/Adriana, Brazil
2001	Shelda/Adriana, Brazil
2002	Misty May/Kerri Walsh, United States
2003	Ana Paula Connelly/Pires, Brazil
2004	Shelda/Adriana, Brazil
2005	Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil
2006	Juliana/Larissa, Brazil
2007	Juliana/Larissa, Brazil
2008	Shelda/Ana Paula, Brazil

2008 Women's Seed Break-throughs	Number
Winner's Bracket	140
Contender's Bracket	112
Pool Play	80
Semi-Finals	14
Bronze Medal	6
Gold Medal	6
Totals	358

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour Women's "Final Fours"

Australia, Adelaide, March 25-30, \$175,000

1. Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Talita Antunes/Renata Ribeiro, Brazil, \$19,500
3. Shelda Bede/Ana Paula Connelly, Brazil, \$14,000
4. Nicole Branagh/Elaine Youngs, United States, \$10,500

Gold - Juliana/Larissa def. Talita/Renata, 21-13, 18-21, 15-12 (57 minutes)

Bronze - Shelda/Ana Paula def. Branagh/Youngs, 21-19, 21-13 (39)

SWATCH MOP - Juliana

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Marleen Van Iersel, Netherlands, 80.4 km/h

China, Shanghai, April 30-May 3, \$175,000

1. Talita/Renata, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Juliana/Larissa, Brazil, \$19,500
3. Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China, \$14,000
4. Shelda/Ana Paula, Brazil, \$10,500

Gold - Talita/Renata def. Juliana/Larissa, 21-18, 22-20 (41)

Bronze - Chen Xue/Xi Zhang def. Shelda/Ana Paula, 23-21, 21-18 (41)

SWATCH MOP - Talita

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Yuan Yue, China, 80.9 km/h

Korea, Seoul, May 13-18, \$175,000

1. Xue/Zhang, China, \$28,000
2. Shelda/Ana Paula, Brazil, \$19,500
3. Branagh/Youngs, United States, \$14,000
4. Juliana/Larissa, Brazil, \$10,500

Gold - Xue/Zhang def. Shelda/Ana Paula, 21-15, 21-12 (41)

Bronze - Branagh/Youngs def. Juliana/Larissa, 21-19, 13-21, 15-7 (49)

SWATCH MOP - Zhang

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - April Ross, United States, 81.7 km/h

Japan, Osaka, May 20-25, \$175,000

1. Juliana/Larissa, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Jia Tian/Jie Wang, China, \$19,500
3. Xue/Zhang, China, \$14,000
4. Tamsin Barnett/Natalie Cook, Australia, \$10,500

Gold - Juliana/Larissa def. Tian/Wang, 21-16, 21-9 (36)

Bronze - Xue/Zhang def. Barnett/Cook, 21-17, 21-17 (43)

SWATCH MOP - Juliana

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Marie-Christine Mondor, Canada, 84.2 km/h

Spain, Barcelona, May 26-30, \$175,000

1. Branagh/Youngs, United States, \$28,000
2. Talita/Renata, Brazil, \$19,500
3. Juliana/Larissa, Brazil, \$14,000
4. Vassiliki Arvaniti/Vasso Karadassiou, Greece \$10,500

Gold - Branagh/Youngs def. Talita/Renata, 21-18, 21-14 (40)

Bronze - Juliana/Larissa def. Arvaniti/Karadassiou, 21-14, 21-14 (36)

SWATCH MOP - Branagh

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Branagh, 82.1 km/h

Poland, Stare Jablonki, June 2-7, \$175,000

1. Shelda/Ana Paula, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Tyra Turner/Rachel Wacholder, United States, \$19,500
3. Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil, \$14,000
4. Talita/Renata, Brazil, \$10,500

Gold - Shelda/Ana Paula, def. Turner/Wacholder, 21-19, 21-16 (39)

Bronze - Carolina/Maria Clara def. Talita/Renata, 21-19, 22-20 (46)

SWATCH MOP - Shelda

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Maria Clara, 86.0 km/h

Germany, Berlin, June 10-14, \$300,000

1. Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States, \$43,500
2. Tian/Wang, China, \$29,500
3. Juliana/Larissa, Brazil, \$23,000
4. Jen Kessy/April Ross, United States, \$18,400

Gold - May-Treanor/Walsh def. Tian/Wang, 21-18, 22-20 (45)

Bronze - Juliana/Larissa def. Kessy/Ross, 21-11, 21-19 (41)

SWATCH MOP - May-Treanor

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Ross, 85.7 km/h

France, Paris, June 16-22, \$300,000

1. May-Treanor/Walsh, United States, \$43,500
2. Turner/Wacholder, United States, \$29,500
3. Branagh/Youngs, United States, \$23,000
4. Tian/Wang, China, \$18,400

Gold - May-Treanor/Walsh def. Turner/Wacholder, 21-13, 21-13 (36)

Bronze - Branagh/Youngs def. Tian/Wang, 21-15, 21-18 (45)

SWATCH MOP - May-Treanor

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Ross, 82.3 km/h

Norway, Stavanger, June 23-28, \$300,000

1. May-Treanor/Walsh, United States \$43,500
2. Arvaniti/Karadassiou, Greece, \$29,500
3. Kessy/Ross, United States, \$23,000
4. Shelda/Ana Paula, Brazil, \$18,400

Gold - May-Treanor/Walsh def. Arvaniti/Karadassiou, 21-13, 21-14 (37)

Bronze - Kessy/Ross def Shelda/Ana Paula, 21-14, 21-18 (43)

SWATCH MOP - May-Treanor

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Ross, 80.9 km/h

Russia, Moscow, July 1-5, \$300,000

1. Xue/Zhang, China, \$43,500
2. Branagh/Youngs, United States, \$29,500
3. Tian/Wang, China, \$23,000
4. Talita/Renata, Brazil, \$18,400

Gold - Xue/Zhang def. Branagh/Youngs, 21-8, 21-18 (42)

Bronze - Tian/Wang def. Talita/Renata, 21-16, 23-21 (41)

SWATCH MOP - Zhang

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Maria Clara, 84.4 km/h

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour Women's "Final Fours"

France, Marseille, July 14-20, \$175,000

1. Stephanie Pohl/Okka Rau, Germany, \$28,000
2. Maria Antonelli/Vanilda Leão, Brazil, \$19,500
3. C. Salgado/M. C. Salgado, Brazil, \$14,000
4. Helke Classen/Antje Roder, Germany, \$10,500

Gold - Pohl/Rau def. Antonelli/Leão, 21-17, 20-22, 15-9 (63)

Bronze - Salgados def. Claasen/Roder, 21-17, 25-23 (53)

SWATCH MOP - Pohl

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Maria Clara, 83.5 km/h

Switzerland, Gstaad, July 21-26, \$300,000

1. Shelda/Ana Paula, Brazil, \$43,500
2. Tian/Wang, China, \$29,500
3. Xue/Zhang, China, \$23,000
4. Barnett/Cook, Australia, \$18,400

Gold - Shelda/Ana Paula def. Tian/Wang, 21-15, 21-15 (39)

Bronze - Xue/Zhang def. Barnett/Cook, 21-18, 21-13 (39)

SWATCH MOP - Ana Paula

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Maria Clara, 83.2 km/h

Austria, Klagenfurt, July 29-August 3, \$300,000

1. Shelda/Ana Paula, Brazil, \$43,500
2. Svitlana Baburina/Galya Osheyko, Ukraine, \$29,500
3. Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler, Germany, \$23,000
4. Andrezza "Rtvelo" Martins/Cristine "Saka" Santanna, Georgia, \$18,400

Gold - Shelda/Ana Paula def. Baburina/Osheyko, 21-10, 21-11 (33)

Bronze - Holtwick/Semmler def. Saka/Rtvelo, 21-18, 21-18 (38)

SWATCH MOP - Shelda

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Sanne Keizer, Netherlands, 80.7 km/h

China, Beijing 2008 Olympic Games, August 9-21

1. May-Treanor/Walsh, United States
2. Tian/Wang, China
3. Xue/Zhang, China
4. Talita/Renata, Brazil

Gold - May-Treanor/Walsh def. Tian/Wang, 21-18, 21-18 (42)

Bronze - Xue/Zhang def. Talita/Renata, 21-19, 21-17 (39)

SWATCH MOP - May-Treanor

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Sara Goller, Germany, 81.8 km/h

Norway, Kristiansand, August 25-30, \$175,000

1. Antonelli/Leão, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Nila Ann Hakedal/Ingrid Torlan, Norway, \$19,500
3. Doris Schwaiger/Stephanie Schwaiger, Austria, \$14,000
4. C. Salgado/M. C. Salgado, Brazil, \$10,500

Gold - Antonelli/Leão def. Hakedal/Torlan, 21-16, 21-16 (43)

Bronze - Schwaigers def. Salgados, 21-17, 20-22, 15-9 (58)

SWATCH MOP - Antonelli

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Maria Clara, 81.3 km/h

Poland, Myslowice, September 2-7, \$175,000

1. C. Salgado/M. C. Salgado, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Holtwick/Semmler, Germany, \$19,500
3. Hakedal/Torland, Norway, \$14,000
4. Sona Novakova/Tereza Tobiasova, Czech Republic, \$10,500

Gold - Salgados def. Holtwick/Semmler, 21-17, 19-21, 15-7 (56)

Bronze - Hakedal/Torlan def. Novakova/Tobiasova, 14-21, 21-16, 15-10 (58)

SWATCH MOP - Maria Clara

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Maria Clara, 83.4 km/h

Brazil, Guarujá, September 15-20, \$175,000

1. Vivian Cunha/Larissa Franca, Brazil, \$28,000
2. Agatha Bednarczuk/Shaylyn Bede, Brazil, \$19,500
3. Shelda/Ana Paula, Brazil, \$14,000
4. C. Salgado/M. C. Salgado, Brazil, \$10,500

Gold - Vivian/Larissa def. Agatha/Shaylyn, 21-13, 29-27 (49)

Bronze - Shelda/Ana Paula def. Salgados, 21-17, 21-18 (37)

SWATCH MOP - Larissa

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Ana Paula, 83.0 km/h

United Arab Emirates, Dubai, October 5-11, \$175,000

1. Branagh/Walsh, United States, \$28,000
2. Kessy/Ross, United States, \$19,500
3. C. Salgado/M. C. Salgado, Brazil, \$14,000
4. D. Schwaiger/S. Schwaiger, Austria, \$10,500

Gold - Branagh/Walsh def. Kessy/Ross, 21-18, 21-19 (46)

Bronze - Salgados def. Schwaigers, 20-22, 21-18, 15-7 (54)

SWATCH MOP - Walsh

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Ross, 80.8 km/h

Thailand, Phuket, November 5-9, \$175,000

1. Kessy/Ross, United States, \$28,000
2. Branagh/Turner, United States, \$19,500
3. Geeske Banck/Anja Günther, Germany, \$14,000
4. Barnett/ Becchara Palmer, Australia, \$10,500

Gold - Kessy/Ross def. Branagh/Turner, 18-21, 21-14, 15-12 (63)

Bronze - Banck/Günther def. Barnett/Palmer, 21-14, 21-18 (43)

SWATCH MOP - Ross

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Ross, 82.5 km/h

China, Sanya, November 12-16, \$175,000

1. Kessy/Ross, United States, \$28,000
2. Ying Huang/Zhang, China, \$19,500
3. Branagh/Turner, United States, \$14,000
4. Jie Wang/Man Zuo, China, \$10,500

Gold - Kessy/Ross def. Huang/Zhang, 21-17, 23-21 (xx)

Bronze - Branagh/Turner def. Wang/Zuo, 19-21, 21-16, 15-9 (49)

SWATCH MOP - Zhang

SWATCH TOP SERVICE - Ross, 82.1 km/h

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour Women's Match & Set Records

Team, Country	Matches			Team, Country	Sets		
	W	L	Pct.		W	L	Pct.
Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States	28	0	100.0%	Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States	56	3	94.9%
Shelda Bede/Ana Paula Connelly, Brazil	64	17	79.0%	Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China	97	34	74.0%
Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China	45	12	78.9%	Shelda Bede/Ana Paula Connelly, Brazil	135	49	73.4%
Nicole Branagh/Elaine Youngs, United States	44	14	75.9%	Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil	81	31	72.3%
Jennifer Kessy/April Ross, United States	53	17	75.7%	Nicole Branagh/Elaine Youngs, United States	93	41	69.4%
Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil	37	13	74.0%	Talita Antunes/Renata Ribeiro, Brazil	112	54	67.5%
Maria Antonelli/Vanilda Leão, Brazil	59	23	72.0%	Jennifer Kessy/April Ross, United States	110	54	67.1%
Tyra Turner/Rachel Wacholder, United States	33	14	70.2%	Maria Antonelli/Vanilda Leão, Brazil	130	65	66.7%
Talita Antunes/Renata Ribeiro, Brazil	51	23	68.9%	Tyra Turner/Rachel Wacholder, United States	71	39	64.5%
Jia Tian/Jie Wang, China	44	20	68.8%	Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler, Germany	69	40	63.3%
Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil	63	29	68.5%	Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil	137	81	62.8%
Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler, Germany	31	15	67.4%	Tamsin Barnett/Natalie Cook, Australia	72	43	62.6%
Lauren Fendrick/Ashley Ivy, United States	12	6	66.7%	Jia Tian/Jie Wang, China	90	54	62.5%
Tamsin Barnett/Natalie Cook, Australia	35	18	66.0%	Stephanie Pohl/Okka Rau, Germany	67	46	59.3%
Stephanie Pohl/Okka Rau, Germany	31	19	62.0%	Rieke Brink-Abeler/Hella Jurich, Germany	61	46	57.0%
Vassiliki Arvaniti/Vasso Karadassiou, Greece	30	22	57.7%	Vassiliki Arvaniti/Vasso Karadassiou, Greece	69	55	55.6%
Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig, Germany	24	18	57.1%	Geeske Banck/Anja Gunther, Germany	46	38	54.8%
Geeske Banck/Anja Gunther, Germany	20	15	57.1%	Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig, Germany	54	46	54.0%
Rieke Brink-Abeler/Hella Jurich, Germany	26	21	55.3%	Susanne Glesnes/Kathrine Maaseide, Norway	67	62	51.9%
Shaylyn Bede/Agatha Bednarczuk, Brazil	12	10	54.5%	Helke Claasen/Antje Roder, Germany	69	64	51.9%
Helke Claasen/Antje Roder, Germany	31	26	54.4%	Chiaki Kusuhara/Mika Teru Saiki, Japan	54	51	51.4%
Chiaki Kusuhara/Mika Teru Saiki, Japan	24	22	52.2%	Marleen Van Iersel/Marloes Wesselink, Netherlands	44	42	51.2%
Susanne Glesnes/Kathrine Maaseide, Norway	27	27	50.0%	Bibiana Candelas/Mayra Garcia, Mexico	61	59	50.8%
Bibiana Candelas/Mayra Garcia, Mexico	25	25	50.0%	Milagros Crespo/Imara Esteves Ribalta, Cuba	54	56	49.1%
Marleen Van Iersel/Marloes Wesselink, Netherlands	18	18	50.0%	AndrezaMartins/Cristine Santanna, Georgia	92	96	48.9%
Claudia Lehmann/Julia Sude, Germany	12	12	50.0%	Daniela Gattelli/Lucilla Perrotta, Italy	44	46	48.9%
Liesbeth Mouha/Liesbet Van Breedam, Belgium	24	25	49.0%	D. Fernandez Grasset/T. Larrea Peraza, Cuba	53	56	48.6%
Mered de Vries/Sanne Keizer, Netherlands	22	23	48.9%	Svitlana Baburina/Galyna Osheyko, Ukraine	44	47	48.4%
Svitlana Baburina/Galyna Osheyko, Ukraine	20	21	48.8%	Liesbeth Mouha/Liesbet Van Breedam, Belgium	57	61	48.3%
Andreza Martins/Cristine Santanna, Georgia	39	41	48.8%	Nila Ann Hakedal/Ingrid Torlen, Norway	62	67	48.1%
Daniela Gattelli/Lucilla Perrotta, Italy	19	20	48.7%	Hana Klopalova/Tereza Petrova, Czech Republic	48	52	48.0%
Doris Schwaiger/Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria	35	37	48.6%	Dana Cooke/Annie Martin, Canada	42	46	47.7%
Nila Ann Hakedal/Ingrid Torlen, Norway	26	28	48.1%	Doris Schwaiger/Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria	82	90	47.7%
Milagros Crespo/Imara Esteves Ribalta, Cuba	23	25	47.9%	Mered de Vries/Sanne Keizer, Netherlands	49	55	47.1%
Heidi Ilustre/Diane Pascua, Philippines	15	17	46.9%	Angelica Ljungquist/Karin Lundquist, Sweden	67	76	46.9%
Hana Klopalova/Tereza Petrova, Czech Republic	21	24	46.7%	Daniela Gioria/Giulia Momoli, Italy	56	69	44.8%
D. Fernandez Grasset/T. Larrea Peraza, Cuba	21	25	45.7%	Efthalia Koutroumanidou/Maria Tsiartsiani, Greece	54	72	42.9%
Muriel Graessli/Nadine Zumkehr, Switzerland	14	17	45.2%	Inese Jursone/Inguna Minusa, Latvia	43	60	41.7%
Angelica Ljungquist/Karin Lundquist, Sweden	27	33	45.0%				
Dana Cooke/Annie Martin, Canada	16	20	44.4%				
Daniela Gioria/Giulia Momoli, Italy	23	29	44.2%				
Rebekka Kadijk/Merel Mooren, Netherlands	14	20	41.2%				
Deborah Giaoui/Eva Hamzaoui, France	10	15	40.0%				
Efthalia Koutroumanidou/Maria Tsiartsiani, Greece	20	31	39.2%				
Inese Jursone/Inguna Minusa, Latvia	17	27	38.6%				
Sara Montagnolli/Sabine Swoboda, Austria	10	16	38.5%				
Susan Blundell/Anna Scarlett, New Zealand	10	17	37.0%				
Emilia Nystrom/Erika Nystrom, Finland	19	34	35.8%				
Alexandra Shiryayeva/Natalya Uryadova, Russia	15	27	35.7%				
Ester Alcon/Olga Matveeva, Spain	11	20	35.5%				
Simone Kuhn/Lea Schwer, Switzerland	13	26	33.3%				
Morgane Faure/Virginie Sarpaux, France	13	27	32.5%				
Stine Andreasen/Lotte Vestergaard, Denmark	8	20	28.6%				
Monika Brzostek/Karolina Sowala, Poland	5	13	27.8%				
Nadia Campisi/Clara Lozano, Spain	7	19	26.9%				
Judith Augoustides/Vitalina Nel, South Africa	3	11	21.4%				
Janne Kongshavn/Kristine Wiig, Norway	3	15	16.7%				

Team, Country	Pts	Points	
		Allowed	Ratio
Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States	1,212	892	1.36
Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil	2,153	1,818	1.18
Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China	2,541	2,186	1.16
Shelda Bede/Ana Paula Connelly, Brazil	3,586	3,109	1.15
Nicole Branagh/Elaine Youngs, United States	2,564	2,284	1.12
Jennifer Kessy/April Ross, United States	3,133	2,803	1.12
Maria Antonelli/Vanilda Leão, Brazil	3,718	3,332	1.12
Talita Antunes/Renata Ribeiro, Brazil	3,175	2,872	1.11
Jia Tian/Jie Wang, China	2,773	2,528	1.10
Tamsin Barnett/Natalie Cook, Australia	2,211	2,018	1.10
Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil	4,136	3,781	1.09
Tyra Turner/Rachel Wacholder, United States	2,083	1,929	1.08
Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler, Germany	2,049	1,898	1.08
Stephanie Pohl/Okka Rau, Germany	2,166	2,035	1.06
Geeske Banck/Anja Gunther, Germany	1,518	1,428	1.06
Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig, Germany	1,879	1,786	1.05
Vassiliki Arvaniti/Vasso Karadassiou, Greece	2,307	2,200	1.05
Claudia Lehmann/Julia Sude, Germany	1,033	999	1.03
Susanne Glesnes/Kathrine Maaseide, Norway	2,336	2,276	1.03
Rieke Brink-Abeler/Hella Jurich, Germany	1,967	1,923	1.02
Daniela Gattelli/Lucilla Perrotta, Italy	1,679	1,654	1.02

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour Women's Post-Season Awards

Most Improved Player

- 1, Nicole Branagh, United States
- 2, Maria Antonelli, Brazil
- 3, Stephanie Schwaiger, Austria

Also receiving votes - Bibiana Candelas, Mexico, Tyra Turner, United States, April Ross, United States, Vanilda Leão, Brazil, Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil, Katrin Holtwick, Germany, Ilka Semmler, Germany, Doris Schwaiger, Austria, Ingrid Torlen, Norway, Karin Lundquist, Sweden, Mayra Garcia, Mexico, Efthalia Koutroumanidou, Greece, Daniela Gioria, Italy, Giulia Momoli, Italy

Most Inspirational, Country

- 1, Shelda Bede, Brazil
- 2, Misty May-Treanor, United States
- 3, Kerri Walsh, United States

Also receiving votes - Natalie Cook, Australia, Laura Ludwig, Germany, Larissa Franca, Brazil, Sabine Swoboda, Austria, Sara Montagonilli, Austria, Doris Schwaiger, Austria, Stephanie Schwaiger, Austria, Maria Antonelli, Brazil, Emilia Nystrom, Finland, Ericka Nystrom, Finland, Juliana Felisberta Silva, Brazil

Rookie of the Year, Country

- 1, Bibiana Candelas, Mexico
- 2, Maria Antonelli, Brazil
- 3, Anja Gunther, Germany

Also receiving votes - Anna Scarlett, New Zealand, Evgenia Ukolova, Russia

Sportsman of the Year, Country

- 1, Kerri Walsh, United States
- 1, Misty May-Treanor, United States
- 3, Ana Paula Connelly, Brazil
- 3, Natalie Cook, Australia
- 3, Shelda Bede, Brazil

Also receiving votes - Talita Antunes, Brazil, Ingrid Torlen, Norway, Larissa Franca, Brazil, Liesbeth Mouha, Belgium, Xi Zhang, China, Jie Wang, China

Best Defensive Player, Country

- 1, Misty May-Treanor, United States
- 2, Shelda Bede, Brazil
- 3, Jia Tian, China

Also receiving votes - Larissa Franca, Brazil, Natalie Cook, Australia, Xi Zhang, China, Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil, Laura Ludwig, Germany, Doris Schwaiger, Austria

Best Offensive Player, Country

- 1, Misty May-Treanor, United States
- 2, Xi Zhang, China
- 3, Larissa Franca, Brazil
- 3, Kerri Walsh, United States

Also receiving votes - April Ross, United States, Laura Ludwig, Germany, Vasso Karadassiou, Greece, Nicole Branagh, United States, Sara Goller, Germany, Rachel Wacholder, United States, Jia Tian, China, Doris Schwaiger, Austria, Talita Antunes, Brazil

Best Blocker, Country

- 1, Kerri Walsh, United States
- 2, Talita Antunes, Brazil
- 3, Chen Xue, China
- 3, Tamsin Barnett, Australia

Also receiving votes - Elaine Youngs, United States, Tyra Turner, United States, Bibiana Candelas, Mexico, Maria Tsiartsiani, Greece, Liesbeth Mouha, Belgium, Jie Wang, China, Juliana Felisberta Silva, Brazil, Ana Paula Connelly, Brazil, Ilka Semmler, Germany

Best Setter, Country

- 1, Larissa Franca, Brazil
- 1, Vasso Karadassiou, Greece
- 3, Shelda Bede, Brazil
- 3, Laura Ludwig, Germany
- 3, Ilka Semmler, Germany

Also receiving votes - Ana Paula Connelly, Brazil, Misty May-Treanor, United States, Jia Tian, China, Jie Wang, China, Sara Goller, Germany, Shanna Mullins, Great Britain, Renata Ribeiro, Brazil, Stephanie Schwaiger, Austria, Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil

Best Hitter

- 1, Larissa Franca, Brazil
 - 2, Sara Goller, Germany
 - 2, Nicole Branagh, United States
 - 2, Misty May-Treanor, United States
- Also receiving votes** - Kerri Walsh, United States, Xi Zhang, China, Maria Tsiartsiani, Greece, April Ross, United States, Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil, Nila Ann Hakedal, Norway, Talita Antunes, Brazil, Tamsin Barnett, Australia, Jie Wang, China, Vasso Karadassiou, Greece, Jia Tian, China, Ana Paula Connelly, Brazil

2008 FIVB Women's Challenger/Satellite "Final Fours"

Spain, Laredo, June 27-29, \$10,000

1. Isabelle Forrer/Sarah Schmocker, Switzerland, \$2,000
2. Catalina Pol Borrás/Alejandra Simon, Spain, \$1,500
3. Frederike Fischer/Julia Grossner, Germany, \$1,200
4. Amanda Moppett/Joanna Niemczewska, Canada, \$800

India, Chennai, July 17-20, \$40,000

1. Jarunee Sannok/Usa Tenpaksee, Thailand, \$6,400
2. Kamoltip Kulna/Yupa Phokongploy, Thailand, \$4,400
3. Chrisi Gschweidl/Barbara Hansel, Austria, \$3,200
4. Gisela Rodriguez/Moran Zur, Israel, \$2,400

Poland, Gdansk, July 25-27, \$15,000

1. Natalja Bratuhhina/Mari-Liis Graumann, Estonia, \$3,400
2. Courtney Guerra/Janelle Ruen, United States, \$2,400
3. Magdalena Michon/Agnieszka Woloszyn, Poland, \$1,700
4. Martyna Wardak/Iлона Zielinska, Poland, \$1,300

Cyprus, Geroskipou, July 31-August 2, \$30,000

1. Anouk Boileau/Marie-Christine Mondor, Canada, \$4,800
2. Katarina Juhart/Tadeja Veit, Slovenia, \$3,900
3. Ekaterina Khomyakova/Daria Yarzutkina, Russia, \$3,000
4. Zinayida Lyubymova/Yuliya Nozhyna, Ukraine, \$2,300

Liechtenstein, Vaduz, August 6-9, \$10,000

1. Lauren Fendrick/Ashley Ivy, United States, \$2,000
2. Claudia Lehmann/Julia Sude, Germany, \$1,500
3. Frederike Fischer/Julia Grossner, Germany, \$1,200
4. Martina Grossen/Romana Kayser, Switzerland, \$800

Egypt, Hacienda Bay Beach, August 22-23, \$30,000

1. Lauren Fendrick/Ashley Ivy, United States, \$5,000
2. Margherita Chiavaro/Diletta Lunardi, Italy, \$3,000
3. Isabelle Forrer/Sarah Schmocker, Switzerland, \$3,100
4. Alona Malysheva/Natalya Shumeyko, Ukraine, \$2,500

2008 FIVB Challenger/Satellite Men's Leaders

Rank, Team, Country, Points

- 1, Isabelle Forrer/Sarah Schmocker, Switzerland, 136
- 2, Alona Malysheva/Natalya Shumeyko, Ukraine, 104
- 3, Lauren Fendrick/Ashley Ivy, United States, 100
- 4, Anouk Boileau/Marie-Christine Mondor, Canada, 90
- 5, Jarunee Sannok/Usa Tenpaksee, Thailand, 80
- 6, Charlotte Dyhr/Tine Rose Eriksen, Denmark, 76
- 7, Kamoltip Kulna/Yupa Phokongploy, Thailand, 72
- 7, Margherita Chiavaro/Diletta Lunardi, Italy, 72
- 7, Katarina Juhart/Tadeja Veit, Slovenia, 72
- 10, Helen Brown/Rachel Turner, Great Britain, 66
- 11, Chrisi Gschweidl/Barbara Hansel, Austria, 64
- 11, Ekaterina Khomyakova/Daria Yarzutkina, Russia, 64

Rank, Team, Country, Events, Earnings

- 1, Lauren Fendrick/Ashley Ivy, United States, 2, 2, \$7,000
- 2, Isabelle Forrer/Sarah Schmocker, Switzerland, 4, 1, \$6,950
- 3, Jarunee Sannok/Usa Tenpaksee, Thailand, 1, 1, \$6,400
- 4, Anouk Boileau/Marie-Christine Mondor, Canada, 2, 1, \$5,250
- 5, Kamoltip Kulna/Yupa Phokongploy, Thailand, 1, 0, \$4,400
- 6, Alona Malysheva/Natalya Shumeyko, Ukraine, 2, 0, \$4,000
- 6, Margherita Chiavaro/Diletta Lunardi, Italy, 1, 0, \$4,000
- 8, Katarina Juhart/Tadeja Veit, Slovenia, 1, 0, \$3,900
- 8, Natalja Bratuhhina/Mari-Liis Graumann, Estonia, 2, 1, \$3,900
- 10, Chrisi Gschweidl/Barbara Hansel, Austria, 1, 0, \$3,200
- 11, Ekaterina Khomyakova/Daria Yarzutkina, Russia, 1, 0, \$3,000
- 12, Patricia Barrio Cendoya/Veronica Zamora, Spain, 2, 0, \$2,650
- 24, Daniela Gioria/Giulia Momoli, Italy, 1, 0, \$2,300

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour - Women's Qualification Tournament Notes

- A total of 56 teams from 29 countries have advanced from a women's **SWATCH FIVB World Tour** Qualification Tournament to the Main Draw for 18 events in 2008 through November 12. There was no women's qualifier for the Brazilian event in September.

- Canadians Dana Cooke and Annie Martin Canada have advanced from the qualifiers to the Main Draws six times. Advancing five times each were the teams of Maria Antonelli/Vanilda Leão of Brazil, Cristine "Saka" Santanna/Andreza "Rtvelo" Martins of Georgia, Daniela Gattelli/Lucilla Perrotta of Italy, Chiaki Kusahara/Mika Teru Saiki of Japan, Susanne Glesnes/Kathrine Maaseide of Norway, Heidi Illustre/Diane Pascua of Philippines and Angelica Ljungquist/Karin Lundquist of Sweden.

- Brazil (10 qualifiers, three teams) and the Netherlands (10, three) had the most tandems from Qualification Tournaments to the Main Draws.

• Brazil10	• Estonia 1	• Latvia 2	• Slovak Republic 1
• Australia 1	• Finland..... 3	• Mexico 4	• Spain..... 4
• Austria 4	• France 2	• Netherlands 10	• Sweden 6
• Belgium 1	• Georgia..... 5	• New Zealand..... 2	• Switzerland 7
• Brazil 10	• Germany..... 7	• Norway 8	• Ukraine..... 4
• Canada..... 7	• Great Britain 2	• Philippines 5	• United States 3
• Czech Republic 7	• Italy 7	• Poland 1	
• Denmark..... 1	• Japan..... 7	• Russia..... 3	

- Russians Galina Boyko and Anna Markova are the lowest seeded team (26th, Moscow) to advance from the Qualification Tournament to the Main Draw. Here is the breakdown.

• No. 1..... 12	• No. 8..... 6	• No. 15 3	• No. 23 2
• No. 2..... 7	• No. 9..... 10	• No. 16 1	• No. 25 2
• No. 3..... 10	• No. 10..... 6	• No. 17 2	• No. 26 1
• No. 4..... 11	• No. 11..... 7	• No. 18 5	• No. 26..... 1
• No. 5..... 12	• No. 12..... 1	• No. 19 2	
• No. 6..... 9	• No. 13..... 2	• No. 20 2	
• No. 7..... 7	• No. 14..... 3	• No. 21 2	

- Due to late withdrawals after the start of the Qualification Tournament, three teams were awarded Main Draw berths after winning a draw to determine the "lucky loser".

- **Adelaide** - Sara Montagnolli / Sabine Swoboda Austria (25, Q4) won draw over Morgane Faure / Virginie Sarpaux France (Q3), placed 13th
- **Marseille** - Maria Bratkova / Evgenia Ukolova Russia (25, Q6) won draw over Susan Blundell / Anna Scarlett New Zealand (Q12), placed 13th
- **Gstaad** - Mered de Vries / Sanne Keizer Netherlands (26, Q4) won draw over Janne Kongshavn / Kristine Wiig Norway (Q8), placed 9th

- There were 43 country quota playoff matches for 10 countries. The Brazilian Salgado sisters (Carolina and Maria Clara) had a 4-3 CQ record after being 8-5 in 2007. Maria Antonelli and Vanilda Leão of Brazil, who were 5-2 in country quota matches in 2007, were 7-2 in 2008. Shaylyn Bede and Agatha Bednarczuk of Brazil were 3-6 in 2008 after being 5-8 in 2007. Leila Barros and Sandra Pires of Brazil were 1-4 in 2008.

• Brazil 16	• Norway..... 4	• Austria 2	• United States..... 1
• Spain 6	• Australia..... 4	• Poland 1	
• Germany 6	• Italy 2	• Japan..... 1	

- There were 35 "wild card" berths granted for 20 countries at the 19 women's **SWATCH FIVB World Tour** events this season. Americans Tyra Turner/Rachel Wacholder, Brazilian Salgado sisters (Carolina and Maria Clara) and Chinese Ying Huang/Xi Zhang were the only "wild card" team to advance to "final fours" at stops in Paris, Guarajá and Sanya, respectively. Turner/Wacholder and Huang/Zhang used their "wild cards" to place second while the Saldagos were fourth.

• Australia 2	• Germany..... 2	• Latvia 1	• Russia..... 1
• Austria 3	• Great Britain 1	• Mexico 1	• Spain..... 2
• Brazil 2	• Israel..... 1	• Netherlands 2	• Switzerland 2
• China..... 2	• Italy..... 1	• Norway 2	• Thailand 1
• France 2	• Japan..... 2	• Poland 3	• United States 2

2008 SWATCH FIVB World Tour - Women's Main Draw Placements

Event	Team, Country	Seed.....	Placement
Adelaide	Summer Lochowicz/Eileen Romanowski, Australia	9	17th
Adelaide	Ester Alcon/Olga Matveeva, Spain	24	25th
Shanghai	Sara Montagnoli/Sabine Swoboda, Austria	21	25th
Shanghai	Yuan Yue/Wenwen Zhang, China	32	17th
Seoul	Tyra Turner/Rachel Wacholder, United States	13	5th
Seoul	Doris Schwaiger/Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria	22	17th
Osaka	Eiko Koizumi/Shinako Tanaka, Japan	10	25th
Osaka	Bibiana Candelas/Mayra Garcia, Mexico	18	17th
Barcelona	Mered de Vries/Sanne Keizer, Netherlands	26	17th
Barcelona	Amparo Hopf/Cristina Hopf, Spain	32	25th
Stare Jablonki	Monika Brzostek/Karolina Sowala, Poland	32	25th
Berlin	Helke Claasen/Antje Roder, Germany	15	9th
Berlin	Inese Juršone/Inguna Minusa, Latvia	25	17th
Paris	Tyra Turner/Rachel Wacholder, United States	11	2nd
Paris	Celine Gemise Fareau/Mathilde Giordano, France	32	25th
Stavanger	Daniela Gattelli/Lucilla Perrotta, Italy	27	25th
Stavanger	Janne Kongshavn/Kristine Wiig, Norway	32	25th
Moscow	Simone Kuhn/Lea Schwer, Switzerland	29	25th
Moscow	Viktoria Rastykus/Natalia Stepanova, Russia	31	25th
Marseille	Camille Clavreul/Laura Longuet, France	32	25th
Gstaad	Martina Grossen/Romana Kayser, Switzerland	31	25th
Klagenfurt	Helke Claasen/Antje Roder, Germany	11	17th
Klagenfurt	Chrisi Gschweidl/Barbara Hansel, Austria	29	25th
Kristiansand	Janne Kongshavn/Kristine Wiig, Norway	21	25th
Kristiansand	Becchara Palmer/Alice Rohkamper, Australia	28	13th
Myslowice	Gisela Rodriguez/Moran Zur, Israel	29	25th
Myslowice	Paulina Eska/Aleksandra Filip, Poland	32	25th
Guarajá	Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil	2	4th
Guarajá	Leila Barros/Sandra Pires, Brazil	16	17th
Dubai	Denise Johns/Shaua Mullin, Great Britain	25	17th
Dubai	Khalfan Danielle Remmers/Michelle Stiekema, Netherlands	31	7th
Phuket	Takemi Nishibori/Miwa Asao, Japan	24	17th
Phuket	Kasinee Godtalang/Supunnee Doksuntia, Thailand	32	25th
Sanya	Ying Huang/Xi Zhang, China	15	2nd
Sanya	Monika Brzostek/Karolina Sowala, Poland	20	17th

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2008 SWATCH FIVB WORLD TOUR - Women's Teams Advancing from Qualification Tournaments to Main Draw

Team, Country (Main Draw seed, Qualifying seed)	Event	Team, Country (Main Draw seed, Qualifying seed)	Event
• Heike Jensen/Jillian McLeod, Australia (26, Q5)	Kristiansand	• Eiko Koizumi/Shinako Tanaka, Japan (29, Q7)	Stare Jablonki
• Jill Jasbar/Kerstin Pichler, Austria (32, Q13)	Gstaad	• Hiromi Suzuki/Satoko Urata, Japan (31, Q14)	Osaka
• Magdalena Jirak/Cornelia Rimser, Austria (31, Q21)	Myslowice	• Inese Jursone/Inguna Minusa, Latvia (24, Q9)	Stavanger
• Sara Montagnolli/Sabine Swoboda, Austria (28, Q4)	Paris	• Jursone/Inguna Minusa, Latvia (26, Q4)	Moscow
• Montagnolli/Swoboda, Austria (32, Q4)	Berlin	• Bibiana Candelas/Mayra Garcia, Mexico (17, Q11)	Barcelona
• Liesbeth Mouha/Liesbet Van Breedam, Belgium (20, Q6)	Paris	• Candelas/Garcia, Mexico (24, Q16)	Seoul
• Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil (12, Q1)	Shanghai	• Candelas/Garcia, Mexico (31, Q23)	Shanghai
• C. Salgado/M.C. Salgado, Brazil (12, Q1)	Barcelona	• MXitlali Herrera/Rosario Reyes Mexico (30, Q9)	Phuket
• C. Salgado/M.C. Salgado, Brazil (13, Q2)	Adelaide	• Marleen Van Iersel/Marloes Wesselink, Netherlands (27, Q5)	Gstaad
• C. Salgado/M.C. Salgado, Brazil (14, Q1)	Paris	• Van Iersel/Wesselink, Netherlands (24, Q3)	Klagenfurt
• Maria Antonelli/Vanilda Leão, Brazil (23, Q19)	Stare Jablonki	• Van Iersel/Wesselink, Netherlands (30, Q18)	Seoul
• Antonelli/Leão, Brazil (26, Q17)	Berlin	• Van Iersel/Wesselink, Netherlands (31, Q20)	Adelaide
• Antonelli/Leão, Brazil (17, Q5)	Moscow	• Mered de Vries/Sanne Keizer, Netherlands (26, Q15)	Shanghai
• Antonelli/Leão, Brazil (22, Q13)	Stavanger	• de Vries/Keizer, Netherlands (28, Q3)	Marseille
• Antonelli/Leão, Brazil (3, Q1)	Klagenfurt	• de Vries/Keizer, Netherlands (29, Q12)	Seoul
• Shaylyn Bede/Agatha Bednarczuk, Brazil (16, Q7)	Osaka	• de Vries/Keizer, Netherlands (30, Q8)	Osaka
• Dana Cooke/Annie Martin, Canada (26, Q7)	Adelaide	• Rebekka Kadijk/Merel Mooren, Netherlands (29, Q10)	Stavanger
• Cooke/Martin, Canada (27, Q6)	Shanghai	• Kadijk/Mooren, Netherlands (31, Q8)	Berlin
• Cooke/Martin, Canada (29, Q5)	Barcelona	• Susan Blundell/Anna Scarlett, New Zealand (15, Q6)	Myslowice
• Cooke/Martin, Canada (30, Q6)	Moscow	• Blundell/Scarlett, New Zealand (24, Q3)	Kristiansand
• Cooke/Martin, Canada (31, Q11)	Stavanger	• Janne Kongshavn/Kristine Wiig, Norway (28, Q6)	Klagenfurt
• Cooke/Martin, Canada (31, Q6)	Stare Jablonki	• Kongshavn/Wiig, Norway (29, Q7)	Marseille
• Marie-Andree Lessard/Sarah Maxwell, Canada (27, Q9)	Adelaide	• Sigrid Aasen/Arnhild Myhr, Norway (29, Q11)	Kristiansand
• Hana Klopalova/Tereza Petrova, Czech Republic (21, Q4)	Klagenfurt	• Susanne Glesnes/Kathrine Maaseide, Norway (24, Q1)	Stare Jablonki
• Klopalova/Petrova, Czech Republic (28, Q5)	Osaka	• Glesnes/Maaseide, Norway (25, Q2)	Paris
• Klopalova/Petrova, Czech Republic (28, Q6)	Gstaad	• Glesnes/Maaseide, Norway (27, Q2)	Berlin
• Klopalova/Petrova, Czech Republic (28, Q9)	Seoul	• Glesnes/Maaseide, Norway (29, Q1)	Osaka
• Jana Goliasova/Eva Weissova, Czech Republic (32, Q23)	Kristiansand	• Glesnes/Maaseide, Norway (31, Q2)	Barcelona
• Sona Novakova/Tereza Tobiasova, Czech Republic (3, Q3)	Myslowice	• Heidi Ilustre/Diane Pascua, Philippines (15, Q1)	Marseille
• Novakova/Tobiasova, Czech Republic (32, Q18)	Klagenfurt	• Ilustre/Pascua, Philippines (27, Q10)	Seoul
• Vestergaard, Denmark (30, Q9)	Gstaad	• Ilustre/Pascua, Philippines (27, Q6)	Osaka
• Polina Bratuhhina/Kadri Puri, Estonia (30, Q18)	Kristiansand	• Ilustre/Pascua, Philippines (28, Q10)	Barcelona
• Emilia Nystrom/Erika Nystrom, Finland (26, Q1)	Myslowice	• Ilustre/Pascua, Philippines (28, Q11)	Berlin
• Em. Nystrom/Er. Nystrom, Finland (30, Q5)	Paris	• Monika Brzostek/Karolina Sowala, Poland (27, Q8)	Kristiansand
• Em. Nystrom/Er. Nystrom, Finland (30, Q5)	Berlin	• Galina Boyko/Anna Markova, Russia (25, Q4)	Kristiansand
• Morgane Faure/Virginie Sarpaux, France (28, Q1)	Moscow	• Boyko/Markova, Russia (32, Q26)	Moscow
• Faure/Sarpaux, France (28, Q3)	Stavanger	• Maria Bratkova/Evgenia Ukolova, Russia (25, Q4)	Myslowice
• Cristine Santanna/ Andrezza Martins, Georgia (23, Q5)	Stavanger	• Andrea Gorcova/Martina Turnerova Slovak Republic (32, Q9)	Dubai
• "Saka"/"Rtvelo", Georgia (23, Q7)	Paris	• Elsa Baquerizo/Liliana Fernandez Steiner, Spain (31, Q10)	Klagenfurt
• "Saka"/"Rtvelo", Georgia (25, Q3)	Barcelona	• Ester Alcon/Olga Matveeva, Spain (21, Q2)	Gstaad
• "Saka"/"Rtvelo", Georgia (25, Q4)	Seoul	• Alcon/Matveeva, Spain (22, Q2)	Marseille
• "Saka"/"Rtvelo", Georgia (28, Q5)	Shanghai	• Alcon/Matveeva, Spain (26, Q11)	Seoul
• Claudia Lehmann/Julia Sude, Germany (30, Q15)	Myslowice	• Angelica Ljungquist/Karin Lundquist, Sweden (24, Q3)	Gstaad
• Helke Claasen/Anje Roder, Germany (12, Q1)	Gstaad	• Ljungquist/Lundquist, Sweden (24, Q5)	Marseille
• Claasen/Roder, Germany (17, Q2)	Stavanger	• Ljungquist/Lundquist, Sweden (25, Q18)	Osaka
• Jana Kohler/Ilka Semmler, Germany (26, Q25)	Paris	• Ljungquist/Lundquist, Sweden (27, Q18)	Moscow
• Katrin Holtwick/Semmler, Germany (21, Q14)	Moscow	• Ljungquist/Lundquist, Sweden (30, Q25)	Barcelona
• Holtwick/Semmler, Germany (25, Q14)	Shanghai	• Tora Hansson/Camilla Nilsson Sweden (29, Q6)	Phuket
• Rieke Brink-Abeler/Hella Jurich, Germany (15, Q1)	Adelaide	• Muriel Graessli/Nadine Zumkehr, Switzerland (19, Q5)	Klagenfurt
• Denise Johns/Shaina Mullin, Great Britain (28, Q10)	Myslowice	• Graessli/Zumkehr, Switzerland (31, Q11)	Marseille
• Johns/Mullin, Great Britain (30, Q8)	Marseille	• Graessli/Zumkehr, Switzerland (9, Q7)	Gstaad
• Gattelli/Lucilla Perrotta, Italy (25, Q9)	Moscow	• Simone Kuhn/Lea Schwer, Switzerland (29, Q3)	Paris
• Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (26, Q4)	Osaka	• Kuhn/Schwer, Switzerland (29, Q3)	Berlin
• Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (26, Q8)	Stare Jablonki	• Tanja Guerra Schmocker/Karin Trussel, Switzerland (23, Q8)	Myslowice
• Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (28, Q11)	Adelaide	• Guerra Schmocker/Trussel, Switzerland (30, Q9)	Klagenfurt
• Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (29, Q9)	Shanghai	• Svitlana Baburina/Galina Osheyko, Ukraine (23, Q4)	Marseille
• Gioria/Giulia Momoli, Italy (28, Q15)	Stare Jablonki	• Baburina/Osheyko, Ukraine (29, Q19)	Adelaide
• Lucia Bacchi/Valeria Rosso, Italy (31, Q17)	Kristiansand	• Baburina/Osheyko, Ukraine (30, Q20)	Shanghai
• Chiaki Kusuhara/Mika Teru Saiki, Japan (22, Q4)	Stare Jablonki	• Baburina/Osheyko, Ukraine (30, Q21)	Stare Jablonki
• Kusuhara/Teru Saiki, Japan (22, Q4)	Barcelona	• Tyra Turner/Rachel Wacholder, United States (7, Q1)	Stavanger
• Kusuhara/Teru Saiki, Japan (23, Q7)	Berlin	• Gretchen Duffner/Alicia Zamparelli United States (31, Q10)	Phuket
• Kusuhara/Teru Saiki, Japan (30, Q5)	Adelaide	• Whitney Pavlik/Stacy Rouwenhorst United States (32, Q9)	Sanya
• Kusuhara/Teru Saiki, Japan (31, Q3)	Seoul		