

## Men's Olympic Beach Volleyball Participants

(player, year participated, placement)

### Angola 2 Participants

- Morais Abreu, 2008 (19)
- Emanuel Fernandes, 2008 (19)

### Argentina 4 Participants

- Martin Conde, 1996 (13), 2000 (9), 2004 (9), 2008 (19)
- Mariano Baracetti, 2000 (17), 2004 (9), 2008 (19)
- Eduardo Martinez, 1996 (13) 2000 (9)
- Jose Salema, 2000, (17)

### Australia 6 Participants

- Julien Prosser, 1996 (9), 2000 (9), 2004 (4)
- Josh Slack, 2000 (17), 2004 (9), 2008 (9)
- Lee Zahner, 1996 (9), 2000 (9)
- Andrew Schacht, 2004 (9), 2008 (9)
- Matthew Grinlaubs, 2000 (17)
- Mark Williams, 2004 (4)

### Austria 7 Participants

- Nikolas Berger, 2000 (9), 2004 (9)
- Clemens Doppler, 2008 (9)
- Peter Gartmayer, 2004 (19), 2008 (9)
- Florian Gosch, 2004 (9), 2008 (5)
- Alexander Horst, 2008 (5)
- Robert Nowotny, 2004 (19)
- Oliver Stamm, 2000 (9)

### Brazil 9 Participants

- Emanuel Rego, 1996 (9), 2000 (9), 2004 (1), 2008 (3)
- Ricardo Santos, 2000 (2), 2004 (1), 2008 (3)
- Ze Marco de Melo, 1996 (9), 2000 (2)
- Marcio Araujo, 2004 (9), 2008 (2)
- Benjamin Insfran, 2004 (9)
- Jose Loiola, 2000 (9)
- Roberto Lopes, 1996 (9)
- Fabio Magalhaes, 2008 (1)
- Franco Neto, 1996 (9)

### Canada 6 Participants

- John Child, 1996 (3), 2000 (5), 2004 (5)
- Mark Heese, 1996 (3), 2000 (5), 2004 (5)
- Eddie Drakich, 1996 (17)
- Marc Dunn, 1996 (17)
- Jody Holden, 2000 (9)
- Conrad Leinemann, 2000 (9)

### China 2 Participants

- Penggen Wu, 2008 (9)
- Linyin Xu, 2008 (9)

### Cuba 2 Participants

- Francisco Alvarez, 1996 (7), 2004 (17)
- Juan Rosell, 1996 (7), 2004 (17)

### Czech Republic 3 Participants

- Michal Palinek, 1996 (13), 2000 (9)
- Martin Lebl, 2000 (9)
- Marek Pakosta, 1996 (13)

### Estonia 4 Participants

- Kristjan Kais, 2008 (19)
- Avo Keel, 1996 (17)
- Kaido Kreen, 1996 (17)
- Rivo Vesik, 2008 (19)

### France 4 Participants

- Jean-Philippe Jodard, 1996 (13), 2000 (19)
- Christian Penigaud, 1996 (13), 2000 (19)
- Stephane Canet, 2004 (19)
- Mathieu Hamel, 2004 (19)

### Georgia 2 Participants

- Renato "Geor" Gomes, 2008 (4)
- Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, 2008 (4)

### Germany 10 Participants

- Andreas Scheuerpflug, 2000 (19), 2004 (5)
- Christoph Dieckmann, 2004 (5), 2008 (19)
- Jorg Ahmann, 1996 (9), 2000 (3)
- Axel Hager, 1996 (9), 2000 (3)
- Julius Brink, 2008 (19)
- David Klemperer, 2008 (5)
- Eric Koreng, 2008 (5)
- Oliver Oetke, 2000 (19)
- Markus Dieckmann, 2004 (9)
- Jonas Reckermann, 2004 (9)

### Greece 2 Participants

- Pavlos Beligratis, 2004 (17)
- Thanassis Michalopoulos, 2004 (17)

### Indonesia 2 Participants

- Markoji Markoji, 1996 (17)
- Muchammad Nurmufid, 1996 (17)

### Italy 6 Participants

- Eugenio Amore, 2008 (19)
- Andrea Ghiurghi, 1996 (13)
- Nicola Grigolo, 1996 (13)
- Riccardo Lione, 2008 (19)
- Maurizio Pimponi, 2000 (19)
- Andrea Raffaelli, 2000 (19)

### Japan 4 Participants

- Kentaro Asahi, 2008 (9)
- Shoji Setoyama, 1996 (17)
- Katsuhiko Shiratori, 2008 (9)
- Kazuyuki Takao, 1996 (17)

### Latvia 2 Participants

- Martins Plavins, 2008 (9)
- Aleksandrs Samoilovs, 2008 (9)

### Mexico 2 Participants

- Juan Rodriguez Ibarra, 2000 (9)
- Joel Sotelo, 2000 (9)

### Netherlands 6 Participants

- Emiel Boersma, 2008 (17)
- Michel Everaert, 1996 (17)
- Sander Mulder, 1996 (17)
- Reinder Nummerdor, 2008 (5)
- Bram Ronnes, 2008 (17)
- Richard Schuil, 2008 (5)

### Norway 6 Participants

- Jorre Kjemperud, 2000 (9), 2004 (9), 2008 (19)
- Bjor Maaseide, 1996 (7), 2000 (19), 2004 (19)
- Vegard Hoidalen, 2000 (9), 2004 (9)
- Jan Kvalheim, 1996 (7), 2000 (19)
- Iver Horrem, 2004 (19)
- Tarjei Skarlund, 2008 (19)

### New Zealand 2 Participants

- Glenn Hamilton, 1996 (17)
- Reid Hamilton, 1996 (17)

### Portugal 2 Participants

- Brenha, 1996 (4), 2000 (4), 2004 (9)
- Luis Maia, 1996 (4), 2000 (4), 2004 (9)

### Puerto Rico 2 Participants

- Ramon Hernandez, 2004 (19)
- Raul Papaleo, 2004 (19)

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**South Africa**                      **2 Participants**

- Colin Pocock, 2004 (9)
- Gershon Rorich, 2004 (9)

**Russia**                                **4 Participants**

- Dmitri Barsouk, 2008 (9)
- Sergey Ermishin, 2000 (9)
- Igor Kolodinsky, 2008 (9)
- Mikhail Kouchnerev, 2000 (9)

**Spain**                                  **7 Participants**

- Bosma, 1996 (5), 2000 (5), 2004 (2)
- Fabio Diez, 2000 (5)
- Pablo Herrera, 2004 (2), 2008 (9)
- Sixto Jimenez, 1996 (5)
- Raul Mesa, 2008 (9)
- Miguel Prieto, 1996 (17)
- Jose Yuste, 1996 (17)

**Switzerland**                      **6 Participants**

- Sascha Heyer, 2008 (17)
- Martin Laciga, 2000 (5), 2004 (5), 2008 (9)
- Paul Laciga, 2000 (5), 2004 (5)
- Patrick Heuscher, 2004 (3), 2008 (17)
- Stefan Kobel, 2004 (3)
- Jan Schnider, 2008 (9)

**Sweden**                              **4 Participants**

- Bjorn Berg, 2000 (19), 2004 (9)
- Simon Dahl, 2000 (19), 2004 (9)
- Tom Englen, 1996 (17)
- Fredrik Petersson, 1996 (17)

**United States**                      **17 Participants**

- Dain Blanton, 2000 (1), 2004 (19)
  - Mike Dodd, 1996 (2)
  - Phil Dalhausser, 2008 (1)
  - Eric Fonoimoana, 2000 (1)
  - Jake Gibb, 2008 (5)
  - Rob Heidger, 2000 (5)
  - Carl Henkel, 1996 (5)
  - Dax Holdren, 2004 (5)
  - Karch Kiraly, 1996 (1)
  - Stein Metzger, 2004 (5)
  - Jeff Nygaard, 2004 (19)
  - Todd Rogers, 2008 (1)
  - Sean Rosenthal, 2008 (5)
  - Sinjin Smith, 1996 (5)
  - Kent Steffes, 1996 (1)
  - Mike Whitmarsh, 1996 (2)
  - Kevin Wong, 2000 (5)
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## Men's Olympic Beach Volleyball Entries, Matches, Wins

Country	Olympics	Entries	Matches	Wins	Pct.
Angola	1	1	3	0	0.0%
Argentina	4	5	14	6	42.9%
Australia	4	6	27	13	48.1%
Austria	3	5	20	9	45.0%
Brazil	4	8	38	27	71.1%
Canada	3	5	20	11	55.0%
China	1	1	4	3	75.0%
Cuba	2	2	8	4	50.0%
Czech Republic	2	2	7	3	42.9%
Estonia	2	2	5	0	0.0%
France	3	3	9	3	33.3%
Georgia	1	1	7	3	42.9%
Germany	4	7	29	15	51.7%
Greece	1	1	3	0	0.0%
Indonesia	1	1	2	0	0.0%
Italy	3	3	9	2	22.2%
Japan	2	2	6	1	16.7%
Latvia	1	1	4	2	50.0%
Mexico	1	1	2	1	50.0%
Netherlands	2	3	11	5	45.5%
New Zealand	1	1	2	0	0.0%
Norway	4	6	19	7	36.8%
Portugal	3	3	18	10	55.6%
Puerto Rico	1	1	3	0	0.0%
Russia	2	2	6	2	33.3%
South Africa	1	1	4	2	50.0%
Spain	4	5	23	14	60.9%
Sweden	3	3	8	2	25.0%
Switzerland	3	5	23	14	60.9%
United States	4	9	44	30	68.2%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>50.0%</b>

### Team - 3-Time Olympic Participation

- Child/Heese, Canada, 1996, 2000, 2004
- Brenha/Maia, Portugal, 1996, 2000, 2004

### Team - 2-Time Olympic Participation

- Ahmann/Hager, Germany, 1996, 2000
- Alvarez/Rossell, Cuba, 1996, 2004
- Baracetti/Conde, Argentina, 2004, 2008
- Berg/Dahl, Sweden, 2000, 2004
- Conde/Martinez, Argentina, 1996, 2000
- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil, 2004, 2008
- Hoidalen/Kjemperud, Norway, 2000, 2004
- Jodard/Penigaud, France, 1996, 2004
- Kvalheim/Maaseide, Norway, 1996, 2000
- Lacigas, Switzerland, 2000, 2004
- Prosser/Zahner, Australia, 1996, 2000
- Schacht/Slack, Australia, 2004, 2008

### Individual - 4-time Olympic Participation (other than team)

- Conde, Argentina, 1996, 2000, 2004, 2008
- Emanuel, Brazil 1996, 2000, 2004, 2008

### Individual - 3-time Olympic Participation (other than team)

- Baracetti, Argentina, 2000, 2004, 2008
- Bosma, Spain, 1996, 2000, 2004
- Kjemperud, Norway, 2000, 2004, 2008
- M. Laciga, Switzerland, 2000, 2004, 2008
- Maaseide, Norway, 1996, 2000, 2004
- Prosser, Australia, 1996, 2000, 2004
- Ricardo, Brazil, 2000, 2004, 2008
- Slack, Australia, 2000, 2004, 2008

### Individual - Two-time Olympic Participation (other than team)

- Marcio Araujo, Brazil, 2004, 2008
- Berger, Austria, 2000, 2004
- Blanton, United States, 2000, 2004
- C. Dieckmann, Germany, 2004, 2008
- Gartmayer, Austria, 2004, 2008
- Gosch, Austria, 2004, 2008
- Herrera, Spain, 2004, 2008
- Patrick Heuscher, Switzerland, 2004, 2008
- Palinek, Czech Republic, 1996, 2000
- Schacht, Australia, 2004, 2008
- Scheuerpflug, Germany, 2000, 2004
- ZeMarco, Brazil, 1996, 2000

## Men's Olympic Beach Volleyball Placements

A total of 103 players from 26 countries have competed in the men's Olympic Beach Volleyball competition, including **Argentina** (4 entries), **Australia** (5), **Austria** (3), **Brazil** (6), **Canada** (5), **Cuba** (2), **Czech Republic** (2), **Estonia** (1), **France** (3), **Germany** (5), **Greece** (1), **Indonesia** (1), **Italy** (2), **Japan** (1), **Mexico** (1), **Netherlands** (1), **New Zealand** (1), **Norway** (5), **Portugal** (3), **Puerto Rico** (1), **Russia** (1), **South Africa** (1), **Spain** (4), **Sweden** (3), **Switzerland** (3) and **United States** (7).

### Atlanta 1996

#### Placement, Team, Country (seed)

1. Karch Kiraly/Kent Steffes, United States (3)
2. Mike Dodd/Mike Whitmarsh, United States (4)
3. John Child/Mark Heese, Canada (8)
4. Joao Brenha/Luis Maia, Portugal (18)
5. Carl Henkel/Sinjin Smith, United States (2)  
Javier Bosma/Sixto Jimenez, Spain (9)
7. Jan Kvalheim/Bjorn Maaseide, Norway (6)  
Francisco Alvarez/Juan Rosell, Cuba (10)
9. Roberto Lopes/Franco Neto, Brazil (1)  
Ze Marco de Melo/Emanuel Rego, Brazil (5)  
Jorg Ahmann/Axel Hager, Germany (11)  
Julien Prosser/Lee Zahner, Australia (13)
13. Martin Conde/Eduardo Martinez, Argentina (7)  
Jean-Philippe Jodard/Christian Penigaud, France (12)  
Andrea Ghiurghi/Nicola Grigolo, Italy (14)  
Marek Pakosta/Michal Palinek, Czech Republic (16)
17. Michel Everaert/Sander Mulder, Netherlands (15)  
Miguel Prieto/Jose Yuste, Spain (17)  
Glenn Hamilton/Reid Hamilton, New Zealand (19)  
Eddie Drakich/Marc Dunn, Canada (20)  
Avo Keel/Kaido Kreen, Estonia (21)  
Shoji Setoyama/Kazuyuki Takao, Japan (22)  
Tom Englen/Fredrik Petersson, Sweden (23)  
Markojo Markojo/Muchammad Nurmufid, Indonesia (24)

### Sydney 2000

#### Placement, Team, Country (seed)

1. Dain Blanton/Eric Fonoimoana, United States (9)
2. Ze Marco de Melo/Ricardo Santos, Brazil (3)
3. Jorg Ahmann/Axel Hager, Germany (15)
4. Joao Brenha/Luis Maia, Portugal (12)
5. Martin Laciga/Paul Laciga, Switzerland (4)  
John Child/Mark Heese, Canada (6)  
Rob Heidger/Kevin Wong, United States (7)  
Javier Bosma/Fabio Diez, Spain (10)
9. Julien Prosser/Lee Zahner, Australia (1)  
Jose Loiola/Emanuel Rego, Brazil (2)  
Martin Conde/Eduardo Martinez, Argentina (5)  
Vegard Hoidalén/Jorre Kjemperud, Norway (8)  
Sergey Ermishin/Mikhail Kouchnerov, Russia (14)  
Nikolas Berger/Oliver Stamm, Austria (17)  
Jody Holden/Conrad Leinemann, Canada (18)  
Juan Rodriguez Ibarra/Joel Sotelo, Mexico (24)
17. Martin Lebl/Michal Palinek, Czech Republic (21)  
Matthew Grinlaubs/Josh Slack, Australia (23)
19. Mariano Baracetti/Jose Salema, Argentina (11)  
Jan Kvalheim/Bjorn Maaseide, Norway (13)  
Oliver Oetke/Andreas Scheuerpflug, Germany (16)  
Jean-Philippe Jodard/Christian Penigaud, France (19)  
Maurizio Pimponi/Andrea Raffaelli, Italy (20)  
Bjorn Berg/Simon Dahl, Sweden (22)

### Athens 2004

#### Placement, Team, Country (seed)

1. Emanuel Rego/Ricardo Santos, Brazil (1)
2. Javier Bosma/Pablo Herrera, Spain (15)
3. Patrick Heuscher/Stefan Kobel, Switzerland (5)
4. Julien Prosser/Mark Williams, Australia (17)
5. Martin Laciga/Paul Laciga, Switzerland (3)  
Christoph Dieckmann/Andreas Scheuerpflug, Germany (11)  
Dax Holdren/Stein Metzger, United States (12)  
John Child/Mark Heese, Canada (20)
9. Marcio Araujo/Benjamin Insfran, Brazil (2)  
Markus Dieckmann/Jonas Reckermann, Germany (4)  
Mariano Baracetti/Martin Conde, Argentina (7)  
Vegard Hoidalén/Jorre Kjemperud, Norway (9)  
Andrew Schacht/Josh Slack, Australia (13)  
Bjorn Berg/Simon Dahl, Sweden (16)  
Joao Brenha/Luis Maia, Portugal (18)  
Colin Pocock/Gershon Rorich, South Africa (19)
17. Nikolas Berger/Florian Gosch, Austria (10)  
Francisco Alvarez/Juan Rosell, Cuba (14)
19. Pavlos Beligratis/Thanassis Michalopoulos, Greece (6)  
Dain Blanton/Jeff Nygaard, United States (8)  
Ramon Hernandez/Raul Papaleo, Puerto Rico (21)  
Peter Gartmayer/Robert Nowotny, Austria (22)  
Stephane Canet/Mathieu Hamel, France (23)  
Iver Horrem/Bjorn Maaseide, Norway (24)

### Beijing 2008

#### Placement, Team, Country (seed)

1. Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States (2)
2. Marcio Araujo/Fabio Luiz Magalhães, Brazil (4)
3. Emanuel Rego/Ricardo Santos, Brazil (3)
4. Renato "Geor" Gomes/Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, Georgia (15)
5. Reinder Nummerdor/Richard Schuil, Netherlands (5)  
Jake Gibb/Sean Rosenthal, United States (7)  
David Klempere/eric Koreng, Germany (8)  
Florian Gosch/Alexander Horst, Austria (24)
9. Penggen Wu/Linyin Xu, China (1)  
Dmitri Barsouk/Igor Kolodinsky, Russia (9)  
Andrew Schacht/Joshua Slack, Australia (10)  
Pablo Herrera/Raul Mesa, Spain (12)  
Clemens Doppler/Peter Gartmayer, Austria (16)  
Kentaro Asahi/Katsuhiko Shiratori, Japan (19)  
Martin Laciga/Jan Schnider, Switzerland (20)  
Martins Plavins/Aleksandrs Samoilovs, Latvia (23)
17. Patrick Heuscher/Sascha Heyer, Switzerland (11)  
Emiel Boersma/Bram Ronnes, Netherlands (18)
19. Julius Brink/Christoph Dieckmann, Germany (6)  
Kristjan Kais/Rivo Vesik, Estonia (13)  
Mariano Baracetti/Martin Conde, Argentina (14)  
Jorre Kjemperud/Tarjei Skarlund, Norway (17)  
Eugenio Amore/Riccardo Lione, Italy (21)  
Morais Abreu/Emanuel Fernandes, Angola (22)

# Men's Olympic Beach Volleyball Match Results

Atlanta 1996

## Winner's Bracket, First-round

- Palinek/Pakosta, Czech Republic (No. 16-seeded team) def. Yuste/Prieto, Spain (17), 15-11 (27 minutes)
- Bosma/Jimenez, Spain (9) def. Nurmufid/Markoji, Indonesia (24), 15-7 (41)
- Penigaud/Jodard, France (12) def. Keel/Kreen, Estonia (21), 15-8 (48)
- Prosser/Zahner, Australia (13) def. Drakich/Dunn, Canada (20), 15-6 (35)
- Ghiurghi/Grigolo, Italy (14) def. G. Hamilton/R. Hamilton, New Zealand (19), 15-8 (39)
- Ahmann/Hager, Germany (11) def. Takao/Setoyama, Japan (22), 15-8 (51)
- Alvarez/Rosell, Cuba (10) def. Englen/Petersson, Sweden (23), 15-3 (29)
- Maia/Brenha, Portugal (18) def. Everaert/Mulder, Netherlands (15), 15-8 (51)

## Winner's Bracket, Second-round

- Roberto Lopes/Franco, Brazil (1) def. Palinek/Pakosta, Czech Republic (16), 15-5 (34)
- Bosma/Jimenez, Spain (9) def. Child/Heese, Canada (8), 15-1 (31)
- Zé Marco/Emanuel, Brazil (5) def. Penigaud/Jodard, France (12), 15-1 (27)
- Dodd/Whitmarsh, United States (4) def. Prosser/Zahner, Australia (13), 15-10 (49)
- Kiraly/Steffes, United States (3) def. Ghiurghi/Grigolo, Italy (14), 15-7 (36)
- Ahmann/Hager, Germany (11) def. Kvalheim/Maaseide, Norway (6), 17-16 (67)
- Alvarez/Rosell, Cuba (10) def. Conde/Martinez, Argentina (7), 15-11 (41)
- Smith/Henkel, United States (2) def. Maia/Brenha, Portugal (18), 15-7 (36)

## Winner's Bracket, Third-round

- Bosma/Jimenez, Spain (9) def. Roberto Lopes/Franco, Brazil (1), 15-9 (71)
- Dodd/Whitmarsh, United States (4) def. Zé Marco/Emanuel, Brazil (5), 15-9 (44)
- Kiraly/Steffes, United States (3) def. Ahmann/Hager, Germany (11), 15-5 (32)
- Smith/Henkel, United States (2) def. Alvarez/Rosell, Cuba (10), 15-13 (52)

## Winner's Bracket, Fourth-round

- Dodd/Whitmarsh, United States (4) def. Bosma/Jimenez, Spain (9), 15-6 (30)
- Kiraly/Steffes, United States (3) def. Smith/Henkel, United States (2), 17-15 (54)

## Loser's Bracket, First-round (losers eliminated, place 17th)

- Palinek/Pakosta, Czech Republic (16) def. Everaert/Mulder, Netherlands (15), 15-6 (35)
- Child/Heese, Canada (8) def. Englen/Petersson, Sweden (23), 15-2 (28)
- Penigaud/Jodard, France (12) def. Takao/Setoyama, Japan (22), 15-12 (47)
- Prosser/Zahner, Australia (13) def. G. Hamilton/R. Hamilton New Zealand (19), 15-8 (38)
- Ghiurghi/Grigolo, Italy (14) def. Drakich/Dunn, Canada (20), 15-8 (45)
- Kvalheim/Maaseide, Norway (6) def. Keel/Kreen, Estonia (21), 15-2 (31)
- Conde/Martinez, Argentina (7) def. Nurmufid/Markoji, Indonesia (24), 15-5 (35)
- Maia/Brenha, Portugal (18) def. Yuste/Prieto, Spain (17), 15-8 (49)

## Loser's Bracket, Second-round (losers eliminated, place 13th)

- Maia/Brenha, Portugal (18) def. Conde/Martinez, Argentina (7), 15-5 (35)
- Kvalheim/Maaseide, Norway (6) def. Ghiurghi/Grigolo, Italy (14), 15-11 (43)
- Prosser/Zahner, Australia (13) def. Penigaud/Jodard, France (12), 15-13 (52)
- Child/Heese, Canada (8) def. Palinek/Pakosta, Czech Republic (16), 15-9 (46)

## Loser's Bracket, Third-round (losers eliminated, place ninth)

- Maia/Brenha, Portugal (18) def. Zé Marco/Emanuel, Brazil (5), 15-12 (54)
- Kvalheim/Maaseide, Norway (6) def. Franco/Roberto Lopes, Brazil (1), 15-10 (51)
- Alvarez/Rosell, Cuba (10) def. Prosser/Zahner, Australia (13), 15-6 (35)
- Child/Heese, Canada (8) def. Ahmann/Hager, Germany (11), 15-7 (42)

## Loser's Bracket, Fourth-round (losers eliminated, place seventh)

- Maia/Brenha, Portugal (18) def. Kvalheim/Maaseide, Norway (6), 15-3 (28)
- Child/Heese, Canada (8) def. Alvarez/Rosell, Cuba (10), 15-4 (30)

## Loser's Bracket, Fifth-round (losers eliminated, place fifth)

- Maia/Brenha, Portugal (18) def. Smith/Henkel, United States (2), 15-13 (70)
- Child/Heese, Canada (8) def. Bosma/Jimenez, Spain (9), 15-4 (32)

## Semi-finals

- Dodd/Whitmarsh, United States (4) def. Maia/Brenha, Portugal (18), 15-13 (65)
- Kiraly/Steffes, United States (3) def. Child/Heese, Canada (8), 15-11 (40)

## Bronze Medal Match

- Child/Heese, Canada (8) def. Maia/Brenha, Portugal (18), 12-5 and 12-8 (77)

## Gold Medal Match

- Kiraly/Steffes, USA (3) def. Dodd/Whitmarsh, USA (4), 12-5 and 12-8 (62)

# Men's Olympic Beach Volleyball Match Results

## Sydney 2000

### Preliminary (winners advanced to Round of 16)

- Child/Heese, Canada (6) def. Jodard/Penigaud, France (19), 15-5 (34)
- M. Laciga/P. Laciga, Switzerland (4) def. Palinek/Lebl, Czech Republic (21), 15-13 (52)
- Maia/Brenha, Portugal (12) def. Kvalheim/Maaseide, Norway (13), 15-10 (41)
- Sotelo/Ibarra Rodrigues, Mexico (24) def. Prosser/Zahner, Australia (1), 15-12 (48)
- Kouchnerev/Ermishin, Russia (14) def. Salema/Baracetti, Argentina (11), 15-4 (30)y
- Martinez/Conde, Argentina (5) def. Raffaelli/Pimponi, Italy (20), 15-7 (35)
- Ahmann/Hager, Germany (15) def. Bosma/Diez, Spain (10), 15-13 (58)
- Kjemperud/Hoidalen, Norway (8) def. Berger/Stamm, Austria (17), 15-6 (38)
- Holden/Leinemann, Canada (18) def. Heidger/Wong, United States (7), 17-15 (60)
- Zé Marco/Ricardo, Brazil (3) def. Berg/Dahl, Sweden (22), 15-5 (38)
- Blanton/Fonoimoana, United States (9) def. Oetke/Scheuerpflug, Germany (16), 15-7 (37)
- Emanuel/Loiola, Brazil (2) def. Grinlaubs/Slack, Australia (23), 15-3 (24)

### Preliminary Elimination (losers eliminated, place 19th)

- Berger/Stamm, Austria (17) def. Raffaelli/Pimponi, Italy (20), 15-9 (41)
- Grinlaubs/Slack, Australia (23) def. Salema/Baracetti, Argentina (11), 15-2 (29)
- Heidger/Wong, United States (7) def. Jodard/Penigaud, France (19), 15-2 (20)
- Prosser/Zahner, Australia (1) def. Kvalheim/Maaseide, Norway (13), 15-12 (41)
- Bosma/Diez, Spain (10) def. Berg/Dahl, Sweden (22), 15-11 (48)
- Palinek/Lebl, Czech Republic (21) def. Oetke/Scheuerpflug, Germany (16), 15-8 (33)

### Preliminary Elimination (winners advance to Round of 16 plus team with highest point ratio; losers eliminated, place 17th)

- Berger/Stamm, Austria (17) def. Grinlaubs/Slack, Australia (23), 15-10 (38)
- Prosser/Zahner, Australia (1) def. Heidger/Wong, United States (7), 15-11 (38)
- Bosma/Diez, Spain (10) def. Palinek/Lebl, Czech Republic (21), 15-4 (25)

### Round of 16 (losers eliminated, place ninth)

- Maia/Brenha, Portugal (12) def. Martinez/Conde, Argentina (5), 15-3 (43)
- Child/Heese, Canada (6) def. Kouchnerev/Ermishin, Russia (14), 15-6 (40)
- Ahmann/Hager, Germany (15) def. Holden/Leinemann, Canada (18), 15-6 (38)
- M. Laciga/P. Laciga, Switzerland (4) def. Prosser/Zahner, Australia (1), 15-8 (47)
- Heidger/Wong, United States (7) won by injury forfeit over Sotelo/Ibarra, Mexico (24)
- Zé Marco/Ricardo, Brazil (3) def. Berger/Stamm, Austria (17), 16-14 (56)
- Blanton/Fonoimoana, United States (9) def. Kjemperud/Hoidalen, Norway (8), 15-13 (54)
- Bosma/Diez, Spain (10) def. Emanuel/Loiola, Brazil (2), 17-16 (65)

### Quarter-finals (losers eliminated, place fifth)

- Blanton/Fonoimoana, United States (9) def. Heidger/ Wong, United States (7), 15-3 (31)
- Maia/Brenha, Portugal (12) def. M. Laciga/P. Laciga, Switzerland (4), 15-11 (43)
- Zé Marco/Ricardo, Brazil (3) def. Child/ Heese, Canada (6), 15-13 (81)
- Ahmann/Hager, Germany (15) def. Bosma/Diez, Spain (10), 16-14 (50)

### Semi-finals

- Blanton/Fonoimoana, United States (9) def. Maia/Brenha, Portugal (12), 15-12 (71)
- Zé Marco/Ricardo, Brazil (3) def. Ahmann/Hager, Germany (15), 15-5 (31)

### Bronze Medal Match

- Ahmann/Hager, Germany (15) def. Maia/Brenha, Portugal (12), 12-9 and 12-6 (70)

### Gold Medal Match

- Blanton/Fonoimoana, United States (9) def. Zé Marco/Ricardo, Brazil (3), 12-11 and 12-9 (101)
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# Men's Olympic Beach Volleyball Match Results

## Athens 2004

### Pool A

- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (1) def. Horrem/Maaseide, Norway (24), 21-15, 19-21, 15-10 (62 minutes)
- Holdren/Metzger, United States (12) def. Schacht/Slack, Australia (13), 22-24, 24-22, 15-13 (80)
- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (1) def. Schacht/Slack, Australia (13), 21-17, 21-17 (44)
- Horrem/Maaseide, Norway (24) def. Holdren/Metzger, United States (12), 14-21, 21-15, 16-14 (61)
- Schacht/Slack, Australia (13) def. Horrem/Maaseide, Norway (24), 21-18, 21-17 (45)
- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (1) def. Holdren/Metzger, United States (12) 21-17, 21-10 (40)

### Pool B

- Marcio Araujo/Benjamin, Brazil (2) def. Canet/Hamel, France (23), 21-13, 21-14 (43)
- C. Dieckmann/Scheuerpflug, Germany (11) def. Alvarez/Rosell, Cuba (14), 21-19, 19-21, 15-10 (64)
- Marcio Araujo/Benjamin, Brazil (2) def. Alvarez/Rosell, Cuba (14), 23-21, 22-20 (54)
- Canet/Hamel, France (23) def. C. Dieckmann/Scheuerpflug, Germany (11), 17-21, 21-18, 15-10 (59)
- Alvarez/Rosell, Cuba (14) def. Canet/Hamel, France (23), 21-18, 21-19 (39)
- C. Dieckmann/Scheuerpflug, Germany (11) def. Marcio Araujo/Benjamin, Brazil (2), 22-20, 21-17 (48)

### Pool C

- M. Laciga/P. Laciga, Switzerland (3) def. Gartmayer/Nowotny, Austria (22), 21-14, 21-14 (35)
- Bosma/Herrera, Spain (15) def. Berger/Gosch, Austria (10), 21-14, 21-13 (44)
- Bosma/Herrera, Spain (15) def. M. Laciga/P. Laciga, Switzerland (3), 21-19, 17-21, 15-9 (53)
- Berger/Gosch, Austria (10) def. Gartmayer/Nowotny, Austria (22), 21-17, 21-17 (46)
- Bosma/Herrera, Spain (15) def. Gartmayer/Nowotny, Austria (22), 21-16, 19-21, 15-11 (55)
- M. Laciga/P. Laciga, Switzerland (3) def. Berger/Gosch, Austria (10), 21-17, 21-19 (44)

### Pool D

- M. Dieckmann/Reckermann, Germany (4) def. Papaleo Perez/Hernandez, Puerto Rico (21), 21-14, 21-13 (39)
- Berg/Dahl, Sweden (16) def. Hoidalen/Kjemperud, Norway (9), 21-13, 21-18 (44)
- M. Dieckmann/Reckermann, Germany (4) def. Berg/Dahl, Sweden (16), 21-16, 21-15 (45)
- Hoidalen/Kjemperud, Norway (9) def. Papaleo Perez/Hernandez, Puerto Rico (21), 18-21, 21-19, 15-10 (69)
- Berg/Dahl, Sweden (16) def. Papaleo Perez/Hernandez, Puerto Rico (21) 19-21, 21-16, 18-16 (67)
- Hoidalen/Kjemperud, Norway (9) def. M. Dieckmann/Reckermann, Germany (4), 22-24, 26-24, 15-13 (73)

### Pool E

- Heuscher/Kobel, Switzerland (5) def. Child/Heese, Canada (20), 28-26, 21-18 (61)
- Prosser/Williams, Australia (17) def. Blanton/Nygaard, United States (8), 21-16, 21-14 (39)
- Heuscher/Kobel, Switzerland (5) def. Prosser/Williams, Australia (17), 16-21, 22-20, 15-9 (56)
- Child/Heese, Canada (20) def. Blanton/Nygaard, United States (8), 21-16, 21-10 (46)
- Prosser/Williams, Australia (17) def. Child/Heese, Canada (20), 21-13, 15-21, 15-12 (55)
- Heuscher/Kobel, Switzerland (5) def. Blanton/Nygaard, United States (8), 21-16, 13-21, 15-13 (55)

### Pool F

- Pocock/Rorich, South Africa (19) def. Beligratis/Michalopoulos, Greece (6), 21-16, 24-26, 15-10 (78)
- Baracetti/Conde, Argentina (7) def. Brenha/Maia, Portugal (18), 13-21, 21-16, 15-5 (55)
- Brenha/Maia, Portugal (18) def. Beligratis/Michalopoulos, Greece (6), 21-14, 21-19 (51)
- Baracetti/Conde, Argentina (7) def. Pocock/Rorich, South Africa (19), 21-13, 21-15 (0:36)
- Pocock/Rorich, South Africa (19) def. Brenha/Maia, Portugal (18), 22-20, 22-20 (49)
- Baracetti/Conde, Argentina (7) won by forfeit over Beligratis/Michalopoulos, Greece (6)

### Elimination Bracket – First Round (losers eliminated, place 9th)

- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (1) def. Hoidalen/Kjemperud, Norway (9), 21-15, 19-21, 15-6 (54)
- M. Laciga/P. Laciga, Switzerland (3) def. Marcio Araujo/Benjamin, Brazil (2), 21-19, 19-21, 15-12 (67)
- Heuscher/Kobel, Switzerland (5) def. Joao Brenha / Luis Maia Portugal (18), 21-18, 21-19 (40)
- Holdren/Metzger, United States (12) def. M. Dieckmann/Reckermann, Germany (4), 21-16, 19-21, 15-13 (65)
- Bosma/Herrera, Spain (15) def. Berg/Dahl, Sweden (16), 21-16, 21-17 (44)
- Child/Heese, Canada (20) def. Baracetti/Conde, Argentina (7), 21-17, 21-17 (42)
- Prosser/Williams, Australia (17) def. Pocock /Rorich, South Africa (19), 21-14, 21-10 (35)
- C. Dieckmann/Scheuerpflug, Germany (11) def. Schacht/Slack, Australia (13), 21-19, 21-12 (43)

### Elimination Bracket – Quarter-finals (losers eliminated, place 5th)

- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (1) def. M. Laciga/P. Laciga, Switzerland (3), 21-13, 21-16 (38)
- Heuscher/Kobel, Switzerland (5) def. Holdren/Metzger, United States (12), 21-16, 21-19 (43)
- Bosma/Herrera, Spain (15) def. Child/Heese, Canada (20), 22-24, 21-19, 18-16 (67)
- Prosser/Williams, Australia (17) def. C. Dieckmann/Scheuerpflug, Germany (11), 16-21, 21-19, 15-10 (62)

### Semi-finals

- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (1) def. Heuscher/Kobel, Switzerland (5), 21-14, 19-21, 15-12 (60)
- Bosma/Herrera, Spain (15) def. Prosser /Williams, Australia (17), 21-18, 21-18 (45)

### Bronze Medal Match

- Heuscher/Kobel, Switzerland (5) def. Prosser/Williams, Australia (17), 19-21, 21-17, 15-13 (61)

### Gold Medal Match

- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (1) def. Bosma/Herrera, Spain (15), 21-16, 21-15 (43)

# Men's Olympic Beach Volleyball Match Results

## Beijing 2008

### Pool A

- Wu/Xu, China (1) def. Gosch/Horst, Austria (24) 21-16, 21-15 (45 minutes)
- Herrera/Mesa, Spain (12) def. Kais/Vesik, Estonia (13) 21-18, 23-21 (44)
- Wu/Xu, China (1) def. Kais/Vesik, Estonia (13) 15-21, 21-11, 15-13 (55)
- Herrera/Mesa, Spain (12) def. Gosch/Horst, Austria (24) 21-14, 21-12 (42)
- Gosch/Horst, Austria (24) def. Kais/Vesik, Estonia (13) 21-16, 18-21, 15-12 (52)
- Wu/Xu, China (1) def. Herrera/Mesa, Spain (12) 21-13, 21-15 (40)

### Pool B

- Plavins/Samoilovs, Latvia (23) def. Dalhausser/Rogers, United States (2) 21-19, 21-18 (48)
- Heuscher/Heyer, Switzerland (11) def. Baracetti/Conde, Argentina (14) 21-13, 21-17 (43)
- Dalhausser/Rogers, United States (2) def. Baracetti/Conde, Argentina (14) 21-12, 21-13 (39)
- Plavins/Samoilovs, Latvia (23) def. Heuscher/Heyer, Switzerland (11) 21-17, 21-23, 15-13 (63)
- Baracetti/Conde, Argentina (14) def. Plavins/Samoilovs, Latvia (23) 23-21, 21-19 (45)
- Dalhausser/Rogers, United States (2) def. Heuscher/Heyer, Switzerland (11) 21-15, 21-10 (41)

### Pool C

- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (3) def. Abreu/Fernandes, Angola (22) 21-8, 21-13 (40)
- Schacht/Joshua Slack Australia (10) def. "Geor" Gomes/"Gia" Terceiro, Georgia (15) 21-17, 21-19 (46)
- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (3) def. "Geor" Gomes/"Gia" Terceiro, Georgia (15) 21-19, 21-17 (46)
- Schacht/Joshua Slack Australia (10) def. Abreu/Fernandes, Angola (22) 21-15, 21-9 (38)
- "Geor" Gomes/"Gia" Terceiro, Georgia (15) def. Abreu/Fernandes, Angola (22) 21-14, 21-13 (40)
- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (3) def. Schacht/Slack, Australia (10) 21-14, 21-17 (44)

### Pool D

- Marcio Araujo/Fabio, Brazil (4) def. Amore/Lione, Italy (21) 21-18, 21-18 (52)
- Doppler/Gartmayer, Austria (16) def. Barsouk/Kolodinsky, Russia (9) 21-16, 18-21, 16-14 (58)
- Doppler/Gartmayer, Austria (16) def. Marcio Araujo/Fabio, Brazil (4) 20-22, 21-19, 15-11 (64)
- Barsouk/Kolodinsky, Russia (9) def. Amore/Lione, Italy (21) 21-17, 21-13 (37)
- Doppler/Gartmayer, Austria (16) def. Amore/Lione, Italy (21) 21-19, 24-22 (43)
- Marcio Araujo/Fabio, Brazil (4) def. Barsouk/Kolodinsky, Russia (9) 24-22, 21-17 (48)

### Pool E

- Nummerdor/Schuil, Netherlands (5) def. M. Laciga/Schnider, Switzerland (20) 21-14, 21-15 (47)
- Klemperer/Koreng, Germany (8) def. Kjemperud/Skarlund, Norway (17) 19-21, 22-20, 15-7 (62)
- Nummerdor/Schuil, Netherlands (5) def. Kjemperud/Skarlund, Norway (17) 13-21, 21-15, 15-9 (46)
- M. Laciga/Schnider, Switzerland (20) def. Klemperer/Koreng, Germany (8) 21-15, 21-15 (48)
- M. Laciga/Schnider, Switzerland (20) def. Kjemperud/Skarlund, Norway (17) 21-17, 21-13 (42)
- Nummerdor/Schuil, Netherlands (5) def. Klemperer/Koreng, Germany (8) 21-16, 21-16 (43)

### Pool F

- Brink/C.Dieckmann, Germany (6) def. Asahi/Shiratori, Japan (19) 21-18, 21-18 (43)
- Gibb/Rosenthal, United States (7) def. Boersma/Ronnes, Netherlands (18) 21-16, 21-15 (37)
- Boersma/Ronnes, Netherlands (18) def. Brink/C. Dieckmann, Germany (6) 21-16, 22-20 (46)
- Gibb/Rosenthal, United States (7) def. Asahi/Shiratori, Japan (19) 21-15, 19-21, 18-16 (55)
- Asahi/Shiratori, Japan (19) def. Boersma/Ronnes, Netherlands (18) 21-15, 23-25, 15-11 (59)
- Gibb/Rosenthal, United States (7) def. Brink/C.Dieckmann, Germany (6) 21-15, 21-13 (38)

### Lucky Losers

- Gosch/Horst, Austria (24) def. Heuscher/Heyer, Switzerland (11) 21-11, 21-19 (39)
- Klemperer/Koreng, Germany (8) def. Boersma/Ronnes, Netherlands (18) 21-16, 27-25 (48)

### Elimination Bracket - First Round (losers eliminated, place 9th)

- Klemperer/Koreng, Germany (8) def. Wu/Xu, China (1) 21-15, 21-18 (41)
- Dalhausser/Rogers, United States (2) def. M. Laciga/Schnider, Switzerland (20) 21-16, 21-23, 15-13 (62)
- Nummerdor/Schuil, Netherlands (5) def. Schacht/Slack, Australia (10) 21-16, 21-14 (38)
- "Geor" Gomes/"Gia" Terceiro, Georgia (15) def. Doppler/Gartmayer, Austria (16) 19-21, 21-16, 15-13 (55)
- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (3) def. Barsouk/Kolodinsky, Russia (9) 18-21, 25-23, 15-12 (61)
- Gibb/Rosenthal, United States (7) def. Herrera/Mesa, Spain (12) 26-24, 21-17 (53)
- Marcio Araujo/Fabio, Brazil (4) def. Asahi/Shiratori, Japan (19) 23-21, 21-15 (47)
- Gosch/Horst, Austria (24) def. Plavins/Samoilovs, Latvia (23) 21-17, 21-18 (46)

### Elimination Bracket - Quarter-finals (losers eliminated, place 5th)

- Dalhausser/Rogers, United States (2) def. Klemperer/Koreng, Germany (8) 21-13, 25-23 (52)
- "Geor" Gomes/"Gia" Terceiro, Georgia (15) def. Nummerdor/Schuil, Netherlands (5) 21-19, 21-19 (51)
- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (3) def. Gibb/Rosenthal, United States (7) 21-18, 21-16 (48)
- Marcio Araujo/Fabio, Brazil (4) def. Gosch/Horst, Austria (24) 22-20, 21-17 (54)

### Semifinals

- Dalhausser/Rogers, United States (2) def. "Geor" Gomes/"Gia" Terceiro, Georgia (15) 21-11, 21-13 (41)
- Marcio Araujo/Fabio, Brazil (4) def. Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (3) 22-20, 21-18 (52)

### Bronze Medal Match

- Emanuel/Ricardo, Brazil (3) def. "Geor" Gomes/"Gia" Terceiro, Georgia (15) 21-15, 21-10 (37)

### Gold Medal Match

- Dalhausser/Rogers, United States (2) def. Marcio Araujo/Fabio, Brazil (4) 23-21, 17-21, 15-4 (65)



## Women's Olympic Beach Volleyball Participants (player, year participated, placement)

### **Australia ..... 11 Participants**

- Natalie Cook, 1996 (3), 2000 (1), 2004 (4), 2008 (5)
- Kerri Pottharst, 1996 (3), 2000 (1), 2004 (9)
- Liane Fenwick, 1996 (7)
- Tania Gooley, 2000 (5)
- Annette Huygens Tholen, 2000 (19)
- Pauline Manser, 2000 (5)
- Nicole Sanderson, 2004 (4)
- Anita Spring, 1996 (7)
- Sarah Straton, 2000 (19)
- Summer Lochowicz, 2004 (9)
- Tamsin Barnett, 2008 (5)

### **Austria ..... 2 Participants**

- Doris Schwaiger, 2008 (5)
- Stephanie Schwaiger, 2008 (5)

### **Belgium ..... 2 Participants**

- Liesbeth Mouha, 2008 (9)
- Liesbet Van Breedam, 2008 (9)

### **Brazil..... 10 Participants**

- Sandra Pires, 1996 (1), 2000 (3), 2004 (5)
- Shelda Bede, 2000 (2), 2004 (2)
- Adriana Behar, 2000 (2), 2004 (2)
- Adriana Samuel, 1996 (2), 2000 (3)
- Jackie Silva, 1996 (1)
- Monica Rodrigues, 1996 (2)
- Ana Paula Connelly, 2004 (5), 2008 (5)
- Talita Antunes, 2008 (4)
- Larissa Franca, 2008 (5)
- Renata Ribeiro, 2008 (4)

### **Bulgaria ..... 2 Participants**

- Lina Yanchulova, 2000 (17), 2004 (9)
- Petia Yanchulova, 2000 (17), 2004 (9)

### **Canada ..... 4 Participants**

- Barb Broen Ouellette, 1996 (17)
- Guylaine Dumont, 2004 (5)
- Margo Malowney, 1996 (17)
- Annie Martin, 2004 (5)

### **China ..... 10 Participants**

- Rong Chi, 2000 (9)
- Zi Xiong, 2000 (9)
- Jia Tian, 2000 (19), 2004 (9), 2008 (2)
- Jingkun Zhang, 2000 (19)
- Fei Wang, 2004 (9)
- Lu Wang, 2004 (19)
- Whenhui You, 2004 (19)
- Jie Wang, 2008 (2)
- Chen Xue, 2008 (3)
- Xi Zhang, 2008 (3)

### **Cuba ..... 4 Participants**

- Dalixia Fernandez Gasset, 2000 (9), 2004 (9), 2008 (9)
- Tamara Larrea Peraza, 2000 (9), 2004 (9) 2008 (9)
- Milagros Crespo, 2008 (9)
- Imara Esteves Ribalta, 2008 (9)

### **Czech Republic..... 4 Participants**

- Eva Celbova, 2000 (9), 2004 (9)
- Sona Novakova, 2000 (9), 2004 (9)
- Martina Hudcova, 2000 (19)
- Tereza Tobiasova, 2000 (19)

### **England..... 2 Participants**

- Audrey Cooper, 1996 (9)
- Amanda Glover, 1996 (9)

### **France ..... 3 Participants**

- Anabelle Prawerman, 1996 (13), 2000 (9)
- Brigitte Lesage, 1996 (13)
- Cecile Rigaux, 2000 (9)

### **Georgia ..... 2 Participants**

- Andrezza "Rtvelo" Martins, 2008 (17)
- Cristine "Saka" Santanna, 2008 (17)

### **Germany ..... 10 Participants**

- Danja Musch, 1996 (7), 2000 (9), 2004 (9)
- Stephanie Pohl, 2004 (5), 2008 (9)
- Okka Rau, 2004 (5), 2008 (9)
- Beate Buhler, 1996 (7)
- Maike Friedrichsen, 2000 (9)
- Sara Goller, 2008 (9)
- Suzanne Lahme, 2004 (9)
- /Laura Ludwig, 2008 (9)
- Ulrike Schmidt, 2000 (9)
- Gudi Staub, 2000 (9)

### **Greece..... 5 Participants**

- Vasso Karadassiou, 2000 (17), 2004 (9), 2008 (19)
- Vassiliki Arvaniti, 2004 (9), 2008 (19)
- Efthalia Koutroumanidou, 2004 (9), 2008 (9)
- Efi Sfyri, 2000 (17), 2004 (9)
- Maria Tsiartsiani, 2008 (9)

### **Indonesia ..... 2 Participants**

- Eta Kaize, 1996 (13)
- Timy Yudhani Rahayu, 1996 (13)

### **Italy..... 5 Participants**

- Daniela Gattelli, 2000 (9), 2004 (5)
- Lucilla Perrotta, 2000 (9), 2004 (5)
- Annamaria Solazzi, 1996 (13), 2000 (5)
- Laura Bruschini, 2000 (5)
- Consuelo Turetta, 1996 (13)

### **Japan ..... 8 Participants**

- Yuki Ishizaka, 1996 (9), 2000 (19)
- Chiaki Kusuhara, 2004 (17), 2008 (19)
- Yukiko Takahashi, 1996 (5), 2000 (4)
- Mika Teru Saiki, 2000 (4), 2008 (19)
- Sachiko Fujita, 1996 (5)
- Peko Nakano, 1996 (9)
- Rii Seike, 2000 (19)
- Ryo Tokuno, 2004 (17)

### **Mexico..... 6 Participants**

- Mayra Garcia, 2004 (19), 2008 (17)
- Hilda Gaxiola, 2000 (19), 2004 (19)
- Bibiana Candelas, 2008 (17)
- Velia Eguiluz Soto, 1996 (17)
- Teresa Galindo, 2000 (19)
- Mayra Huerta, 1996 (17)

### **Netherlands ..... 5 Participants**

- Rebekka Kadijk, 2000 (19), 2004 (19), 2008 (19)
- Debora Schoon Kadijk, 1996 (13), 2000 (19)
- Marrit Leenstra, 2004 (19)
- Merel Mooren, 2008 (19)
- Lisette Van de Ven, 1996 (13)

### **Norway ..... 6 Participants**

- Susanne Glesnes, 2004 (17), 2008 (9)
- Nila Ann Hakedal, 2004 (19), 2008 (9)
- Kathrine Maaseide, 2004 (17), 2008 (9)
- Merita Berntsen, 1996 (9)
- Ragni Hestad, 1996 (9)
- Ingrid Torlen, 2004 (19), 2008 (9)

**Women's Olympic Beach Volleyball Participants**  
(player, year participated, placement)

**Portugal..... 2 Participants**

- Cristina Pereira, 2000 (9)
- Maria Jose Schuller, 2000 (9)

**Russia..... 2 Participants**

- Alexandra Shiryaeva, 2008 (19)
- Natalya Uryadova, 2008 (19)

**South Africa ..... 4 Participants**

- Judith Augoustides, 2008 (19)
- Leigh-Ann Naidoo, 2004 (19)
- Vitalina Nel, 2008 (19)
- Julia Willand, 2004 (19)

**Switzerland ..... 3 Participants**

- Simone Kuhn, 2004 (19), 2008 (19)
- Nicole Schnyder, 2004 (19)
- Lea Schwer, 2008 (19)

**United States ..... 12 Participants**

- Misty May-Treanor, 2000 (5), 2004 (1), 2008 (1)
  - Holly McPeak, 1996 (5), 2000 (5), 2004 (3)
  - Kerri Walsh, 2004 (1), 2008 (1)
  - Elaine Youngs, 2004 (3), 2008 (5)
  - Nicole Branagh, 2008 (5)
  - Gail Castro Kehl, 1996 (9)
  - Annett Davis, 2000 (5)
  - Barbra Fontana, 1996 (4)
  - Linda Hanley, 1996 (4)
  - Jenny Johnson Jordan, 2000 (5)
  - Nancy Reno, 1996 (5)
  - Deb Richardson, 1996 (9)
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## Women's Olympic Beach Volleyball Entries, Matches, Wins

Country	Olympics	Entries	Matches	Wins	Pct.
Australia	4	8	34	23	67.6%
Austria	1	1	5	3	60.0%
Belgium	1	1	5	2	40.0%
Brazil	4	8	45	34	75.6%
Bulgaria	2	2	7	3	42.9%
Canada	2	2	7	3	42.9%
China	3	6	27	14	51.9%
Cuba	3	4	16	7	43.8%
Czech Republic	2	3	8	3	37.5%
England	1	1	3	1	33.3%
France	2	2	6	3	50.0%
Georgia	1	1	4	1	25.0%
Germany	3	7	27	14	51.9%
Greece	3	5	18	5	27.8%
Indonesia	1	1	4	2	50.0%
Italy	3	4	14	6	42.9%
Japan	4	6	20	8	40.0%
Mexico	4	4	11	1	9.1%
Netherlands	4	4	10	0	0.0%
Norway	3	5	18	7	38.9%
Portugal	1	1	2	1	50.0%
Russia	1	1	3	0	0.0%
South Africa	2	2	6	0	0.0%
Switzerland	2	2	6	0	0.0%
United States	4	9	48	36	75.0%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>50.0%</b>

### Team - 3-Time Olympic Participation

- Fernandez Grasset/Larrea Peraza, Cuba, 2000, 2004, 2008

### Team - 2-Time Olympic Participation

- Adriana/Shelda, Brazil, 2000, 2004
- Celbova/Novakova, Czech Republic, 2000, 2004
- Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy, 2000, 2004
- Grasset/Peraza, Cuba, 2000, 2004
- Karadassiou/Sfyr, Greece, 2000, 2004
- Yanchulovas, Bulgaria, 2000, 2004
- Glesnes/Maaseide, Norway, 2004, 2008
- Hakedal/Torlen, Norway, 2004, 2008
- May-Treanor/Walsh, United States, 2004, 2008
- Pohl/Rau, Germany, 2004, 2008

### Individual - 4-time Olympic Participation (other than team)

- Cook, Australia, 1996, 2000, 2004, 2008

### Individual - 3-time Olympic Participation (other than team)

- Pottharst, Australia, 1996, 2000, 2004
- Pires, Brazil, 1996, 2000, 2004
- Müsch, Germany, 1996, 2000, 2004
- McPeak, United States, 1996, 2000, 2004
- Kadijk, Netherlands, 2000, 2004, 2008
- Karadassiou, Greece, 2000, 2004, 2008
- May- Treanor, United States, 2000, 2004, 2008
- Tian, China, 2000, 2004, 2008

### Individual - 2-time Olympic Participation (other than team)

- Gaxiola, Mexico, 2000, 2004
- Ishizaka, Japan, 1996, 2000
- Schoon Kadijk, Netherlands, 1996, 2000
- Solazzi, Italy, 1996, 2000
- Ana Paula, Brazil, 2004, 2008
- Arvaniti, Greece, 2004, 2008
- Garcia, Mexico, 2004, 2008
- Koutroumanidou, Greece, 2004, 2008
- Kuhn, Switzerland, 2004, 2008
- Kusuhara, Japan, 2004, 2008
- Teru Saiki, Japan, 2000, 2008
- Youngs, United States, 2004, 2008

## Women's Olympic Beach Volleyball Placements

A total 126 players from 25 countries have competed in the women's Olympic Beach Volleyball competition, including **Australia** (8 team entries, 11 players), **Austria** (1, 2), **Belgium** (1, 2), **Brazil** (8, 10), **Bulgaria** (2, 2), **Canada** (2, 4), **China** (6, 10), **Cuba** (4, 4), **Czech Republic** (3, 4), **England** (1, 2), **France** (2, 3), **Georgia** (1, 2), **Germany** (7, 10), **Greece** (5, 5), **Indonesia** (1, 2), **Italy** (4, 5), **Japan** (7, 8), **Mexico** (4, 6), **Netherlands** (4, 5), **Norway** (5, 6), **Portugal** (1, 2), **Russia** (1, 2), **South Africa** (2, 4), **Switzerland** (2, 3) and **United States** (9, 12).

### Atlanta 1996

#### Placement, Team, Country (seed)

1. Sandra Pires/Jackie Silva, Brazil (1)
2. Monica Rodrigues/Adriana Samuel, Brazil (5)
3. Natalie Cook/Kerri Pottharst, Australia (6)
4. Barbra Fontana/Linda Hanley, United States (4)
5. Holly McPeak/Nancy Reno, United States (2)  
Sachiko Fujita/Yukiko Takahashi, Japan (8)
7. Beate Buhler/Danja Musch, Germany (7)  
Liane Fenwick/Anita Spring, Australia (9)
9. Gail Castro Kehl/Deb Richardson, United States (3)  
Yuki Ishizaka/Peko Nakano, Japan (10)  
Audrey Cooper/Amanda Glover, England (11)  
Merita Berntsen/Ragni Hestad, Norway (13)
13. Annamaria Solazzi/Consuelo Turetta, Italy (12)  
Debora Schoon Kadijk/Lisette Van de Ven, Netherlands (14)  
Eta Kaize/Timy Yudhani Rahayu, Indonesia (17)  
Brigitte Lesage/Anabelle Prawerman, France (18)
17. Velia Eguiluz Soto/Mayra Huerta, Mexico (15)  
Barb Broen Ouellette/Margo Malowney, Canada (16)

### Sydney 2000

#### Placement, Team, Country (seed)

1. Natalie Cook/Kerri Pottharst, Australia (1)
2. Shelda Bede/Adriana Behar, Brazil (2)
3. Sandra Pires/Adriana Samuel, Brazil (5)
4. Yukiko Takahashi/Mika Teru Saiki, Japan (6)
5. Annett Davis/Jenny Johnson Jordan, United States (3)  
Misty May-Treanor/Holly McPeak, United States (4)  
Tania Gooley/Pauline Manser, Australia (7)  
Laura Bruschini/Annamaria Solazzi, Italy (9)
9. Ulrike Schmidt/Gudi Staub, Germany (8)  
Maike Friedrichsen/Danja Musch, Germany (10)  
Rong Chi/Zi Xiong, China (12)  
Cristina Pereira/Maria Jose Schuller, Portugal (13)  
Eva Celbova/Sona Novakova, Czech Republic (14)  
Anabelle Prawerman/Cecile Rigaux, France (15)  
Daniela Gattelli/Lucilla Perrotta, Italy (18)  
Dalixia Fernandez Grasset/Tamara Larrea Peraza, Cuba (20)
17. Vasso Karadassiou/Efi Sfyri, Greece (16)  
Lina Yanchulova/Petia Yanchulova, Bulgaria (23)
19. Rebekka Kadijk/Debora Schoon Kadijk, Netherlands (11)  
Jia Tian/Jingkun Zhang, China (17)  
Yuki Ishizaka/Rii Seike, Japan (19)  
Martina Hudcova/Tereza Tobiasova, Czech Republic (21)  
Annette Huygens Tholen/Sarah Straton, Australia (22)  
Teresa Galindo/Hilda Gaxiola, Mexico (24)

### Athens 2004

#### Placement, Team, Country (seed)

1. Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States (1)
2. Shelda Bede/Adriana Behar, Brazil (2)
3. Holly McPeak/Elaine Youngs, United States (4)
4. Natalie Cook/Nicole Sanderson, Australia (5)
5. Ana Paula Connelly/Sandra Pires, Brazil (3)  
Stephanie Pohl/Okka Rau, Germany (8)  
Daniela Gattelli/Lucilla Perrotta, Italy (14)  
Guylaine Dumont/Annie Martin, Canada (16)
9. Vasso Karadassiou/Efi Sfyri, Greece (6)  
Jia Tian/Fei Wang, China (7)  
Suzanne Lahme/Danja Musch, Germany (10)  
Dalixia Fernandez Grasset/Tamara Larrea Peraza, Cuba (11)  
Eva Celbova/Sona Novakova, Czech Republic (12)  
Vassiliki Arvaniti/Efthalia Koutroumanidou, Greece (15)  
Summer Lochowicz/Kerri Pottharst, Australia (18)  
Lina Yanchulova/Petia Yanchulova, Bulgaria (20)
17. Susanne Glesnes/Kathrine Maaseide, Norway (21)  
Chiaki Kusuhara/Ryo Tokuno, Japan (24)
19. Simone Kuhn/Nicole Schnyder, Switzerland (9)  
Rebekka Kadijk/Marrit Leenstra, Netherlands (13)  
Lu Wang/Whenhui You, China (17)  
Mayra Garcia/Hilda Gaxiola, Mexico (19)  
Nila Ann Hakedal/Ingrid Torlen, Norway (22)  
Leigh-Ann Naidoo/Julia Willand, South Africa (23)

### Beijing 2008

#### Placement, Team, Country (seed)

1. Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States (2)
2. Jia Tian/Jie Wang, China (1)
3. Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China (4)
4. Talita Antunes/Renata Ribeiro, Brazil (6)
5. Ana Paula Connelly/Larissa Franca, Brazil (3)  
Nicole Branagh/Elaine Youngs, United States (5)  
Tamsin Barnett/Natalie Cook, Australia (10)  
Doris Schwaiger/Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria (18)
9. Stephanie Pohl/Okka Rau, Germany (8)  
Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig, Germany (9)  
Nila Ann Hakedal/Ingrid Torlen, Norway (11)  
Susanne Glesnes/Kathrine Maaseide, Norway (12)  
Liesbeth Mouha/Liesbet Van Breedam, Belgium (13)  
Dalixia Fernandez Grasset/Tamara Larrea Peraza, Cuba (14)  
Efthalia Koutroumanidou/Maria Tsiartsiani, Greece (16)  
Milagros Crespo/Imara Esteves Ribalta, Cuba (17)
17. Bibiana Candelas/Mayra Garcia, Mexico (19)  
Andreza "Rtvelo" Martins/Cristine "Saka" Santanna, Georgia (22)
19. Vassiliki Arvaniti/Vasso Karadassiou, Greece (7)  
Alexandra Shiryaeva/Natalya Uryadova, Russia (15)  
Rebekka Kadijk/Merel Mooren, Netherlands (20)  
Judith Augoustides/Vitalina Nel, South Africa (21)  
Chiaki Kusuhara/Mika Teru Saiki, Japan (23)  
Simone Kuhn/Lea Schwer, Switzerland (24)

# Women's Olympic Beach Volleyball Match Results

## Atlanta 1996

### Winner's Bracket, First-round

- Kaize/Yudhani, Indonesia (No. 17-seeded team) def. Malowney/Oullette, Canada (16), 15-10 (44 minutes)
- Prawerman/Lesage, France (18) def. Hernandez/Soto, Mexico (15) 15-11 (28)

### Winner's Bracket, Second-round

- Fenwick/Spring, Australia (9) def. Fujita/Takahashi, Japan (8), 15-10 (26)
- Rodrigues/Samuel, Brazil (5) def. Solazzi/Turetta, Italy (12) 17-15 (57)
- Fontana/Hanley, United States (4) def. Bernsten/Hestad, Norway (13) 15-4 (41)
- Castro/Richardson, United States (3) def. Kadijk/Van de Ven, Netherlands (14) 15-8 (34)
- Cook/Pottharst, Australia (6) def. Cooper/Glover, England (11) 15-4 (38)
- Buhler/Musch, Germany (7) def. Ishizaka/Nakano, Japan (10) 15-8 (36)
- Silva/Pires, Brazil (1) def. Kaize/Yudhani, Indonesia (17) 15-2 (26)
- McPeak/Reno, United States (2) def. Prawerman/Lesage, France (18) 15-4 (33)

### Winner's Bracket, Third-round

- Silva/Pires, Brazil (1) def. Fenwick/Spring, Australia (9), 15-13 (45)
- Rodrigues/Samuel, Brazil (5) def. Fontana/Hanley, United States (4), 15-10 (55)
- Cook/Pottharst, Australia (6) def. Castro/Richardson, United States (3), 15-7 (38)
- McPeak/Reno, United States (2) def. Buhler/Musch, Germany (7), 15-6 (36)

### Winner's Bracket, Fourth-round

- Silva/Pires, Brazil (1) def. Rodrigues/Samuel, Brazil (5), 15-4 (33)
- Cook/Pottharst, Australia (6) def. McPeak/Reno, United States (2), 15-13 (65)

### Loser's Bracket, First-round (losers eliminated, place 17th)

- Prawerman/Lesage, France (18) def. Malowney/Oullette, Canada (16), 15-13 (68)
- Kaize/Yudhani, Indonesia (17) def. Hernandez/Soto, Mexico (15) 15-11 (29)

### Loser's Bracket, Second-round (losers eliminated, place 13th)

- Cooper/Glover, England (11) def. Kadijk/Van de Ven, Netherlands (14), 15-12 (50)
- Bernsten/Hestad, Norway (13) def. Solazzi/Turetta, Italy (12) 15-11 (42)
- Ishizaka/Nakano, Japan (10) def. Prawerman/Lesage, France (18) (26)
- Fujita/Takahashi, Japan (8) def. Kaize/Yudhani, Indonesia (17), 15-0 (18)

### Loser's Bracket, Third-round (losers eliminated, place ninth)

- Fontana/Hanley, United States (4) def. Ishizaka/Nakano, Japan (10), 15-6 (32)
- Fenwick/Spring, Australia (9) def. Cooper/Glover, England (11), 15-12 (38)
- Buhler/Musch, Germany (7) def. Bernsten/Hestad, Norway (13), 15-9 (45)
- Fujita/Takahashi, Japan (8) def. Castro/Richardson, United States (3), 15-11 (49)

### Loser's Bracket, Fourth-round (losers eliminated, place seventh)

- Fontana/Hanley, United States (4) def. Fenwick/Spring, Australia (9), 15-6 (37)
- Fujita-Takahashi, Japan (8) def. Buhler/Musch, Germany (7), 15-4 (32)

### Loser's Bracket, Fifth-round (losers eliminated, place fifth)

- Fontana/Hanley, United States (4) def. McPeak/Reno, United States (2), 15-10 (49)
- Rodrigues/Samuel, Brazil (5) def. Fujita/Takahashi, Japan (8), 15-6 (45)

### Semi-finals

- Silva/Pires, Brazil (1) def. Fontana/Hanley, United States (4), 15-8 (39)
- Rodrigues/Samuel, Brazil (5) def. Cook/Pottharst, Australia (6), 15-3 (27)

### Bronze Medal Match

- Cook/Pottharst, Australia (6) def. Fontana/Hanley, United States (4), 12-11 and 12-7 (111)

### Gold Medal Match

- Silva/Pires, Brazil (1) def. Rodrigues /Samuel, Brazil (5), 12-11 and 12-6 (69)
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## Women's Olympic Beach Volleyball Match Results

### Sydney 2000

#### **Preliminary** (winners advanced to Round of 16)

- Prawerman/Cécile Rigaux, France (15) def. Friedrichsen/Müsch, Germany (10), 16-14 (67)
- Schmidt/Gudula Staub, Germany (8) def. Zhang Jingkun/Tian Jia, China (17), 17-15 (48)
- May/McPeak, United States (4) def. Hudcova/Tobiasova, Czech Republic (21), 15-5 (22)
- Gooley/Pauline Manser, Australia (7) def. Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (18), 15-9 (38)
- Schuller /Ana Cristina Pereira, Portugal (13) def. Zi Xiong/Rong Chi, China (12), 15-5 (28)
- Bruschini/Solazzi, Italy (9) def. Karadassiou/Sfyri, Greece (16), 15-2 (34)
- Takahashi/Teru Saiki, Japan (6) def. Ishizaka/Seike, Japan (19), 15-3 (31)
- Celbova/Dosoudilova, Czech Republic (14) def. Schoon/Kadijk, Netherlands (11), 17-15 (42)
- Pires/ Brazil (5) def. Fernandez Grossat/Larrea Peraza, Cuba (20), 15-4 (25)
- Davis/Johnson Jordan, United States (3) def. Huygens Tholen/Straton, Australia (22), 15-13 (38)
- Adriana/Shelda, Brazil (2) def. L. Yanchulova/P. Yanchulova, Bulgaria (23), 15-3 (25)
- Cook/Pottharst, Australia (1) def. Galindo/Gaxiola, Mexico (24), 15-11 (41)

#### **Preliminary Elimination** (losers eliminated, place 19th)

- Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (18) def. Ishizaka/Rii Seike, Japan (19), 15-5 (44)
- Zi Xiong/Rong Chi, China (12) def. Galindo/Gaxiola, Mexico (24), 16-14 (50)
- Karadassiou/Sfyri, Greece (16) def. Hudcova/Tobiasova, Czech Republic (21), 15-6 (29)
- Friedrichsen/Müsch, Germany (10) def. Huygens Tholen/Straton, Australia (22), 15-9 (38)
- L. Yanchulova/P. Yanchulova, Bulgaria (23) def. Schoon/Kadijk, Netherlands (11), 17-15 (55)
- Fernandez Grossat/Larrea Peraza, Cuba (20) def. Zhang Jingkun/Tian Jia, China (17), 15-12 (34)

#### **Preliminary Elimination** (winners advance to Round of 16 plus team with highest point ratio; losers eliminated, place 17th)

- Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (18) def. Zi Xiong/Rong Chi, China (12), 15-9 (45)
- Friedrichsen/Müsch, Germany (10) def. Karadassiou/Sfyri, Greece (16), 15-7 (36)
- Fernandez Grossat/Larrea Peraza, Cuba (20) def. L. Yanchulova/P. Yanchulova, Bulgaria (23), 15-3 (23)

#### **Round of 16** (losers eliminated, place ninth)

- Bruschini/Solazzi, Italy (9) def. Schmidt/Staub, Germany (8), 15-12 (34)
- Takahashi/Teru Saiki, Japan (6) def. Celbova/Dosoudilova, Czech Republic (14), 15-2 (25)
- Gooley/Manser, Australia (7) def. Prawerman/ Rigaux, France (15), 15-3 (29)
- Davis/Johnson Jordan, United States (3) def. Fernandez Grossat/Larrea Peraza, Cuba (20), 15-9 (34)
- May/McPeak, United States (4) def. Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (18), 15-13 (46)
- Pires/Samuel, Brazil (5) def. Maria José/Ana Cristina, Portugal (13), 15-6 (36)
- Adriana/Shelda, Brazil (2) def. Friedrichsen/Müsch, Germany (10), 15-9 (50)
- Cook/Pottharst, Australia (1) def. Zi Xiong/Rong Chi, China (12), 15-2 (30)

#### **Quarter-finals** (losers eliminated, place fifth)

- Takahashi/Teru Saiki, Japan (6) def. Davis/Johnson Jordan, United States (3), 15-9 (48)
- Adriana/Shelda, Brazil (2) def. Gooley/Manser, Australia (7), 15-7 (34)
- Cook/Pottharst, Australia (1) def. Bruschini/Solazzi, Italy (9), 15-11 (39)
- Pires/Samuel, Brazil (5) def. May/McPeak, United States (4), 16-14 (49)

#### **Semi-finals**

- Adriana/Shelda, Brazil (2) def. Takahashi/Teru Saiki, Japan (6), 15-10 (43)
- Cook/Pottharst, Australia (1) def. Pires/Samuel, Brazil (5), 15-6 (36)

#### **Bronze Medal Match**

- Pires/Samuel, Brazil (5) def. Takahashi/Teru Saiki, Japan (6), 12-4 and 12-6 (53)

#### **Gold Medal Match**

- Cook/Pottharst, Australia (1) def. Adriana/Shelda, Brazil (2), 12-11 and 12-10 (75)
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# Women's Olympic Beach Volleyball Match Results

Athens 2004

## Pool A

- May/Walsh, United States (1) def. Kusahara/Tokuno, Japan (24), 21-9, 21-16 (35 minutes)
- Celbova/Novakova, Czech Republic (12) def. Kadijk/Leenstra, Netherlands (13), 21-19, 21-16 (45)
- May/Walsh, United States (1) def. Kadijk/Leenstra, Netherlands (13), 21-11, 21-13 (33)
- Celbova/Novakova, Czech Republic (12) def. Kusahara/Tokuno, Japan (24), 23-21, 21-12 (42)
- Kusahara/Tokuno, Japan (24) def. Kadijk/Leenstra, Netherlands (13), 15-21, 21-17, 15-13 (58)
- May/Walsh, United States (1) def. Celbova/Novakova, Czech Republic (12), 21-17, 21-17 (40)

## Pool B

- Shelda/Adriana, Brazil (2) def. Naidoo/Willand, South Africa (23), 21-7, 21-10 (35)
- Fernandez Grasset/Larrea Peraza, Cuba (11) def. Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (14), 21-17, 18-21, 15-10 (61)
- Shelda/Adriana, Brazil (2) def. Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (14), 21-17, 21-17 (46)
- Fernandez Grasset/Larrea Peraza, Cuba (11) def. Naidoo/Willand, South Africa (23), 21-19, 21-16 (41)
- Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (14) def. Naidoo/Willand, South Africa (23), 21-18, 21-14 (46)
- Shelda/Adriana, Brazil (2) def. Larrea Peraza/Fernandez Grasset, Cuba (11), 21-14, 21-19 (45)

## Pool C

- Ana Paula/Pires, Brazil (3) def. Hakedal/Torlen, Norway (22), 21-18, 21-19 (47)
- Lahme/Musch, Germany (10) def. Arvaniti/Koutroumanidou, Greece (15), 21-16, 16-21, 15-10 (59)
- Ana Paula/Pires, Brazil (3) def. Arvaniti/Koutroumanidou, Greece (15), 21-13, 21-14 (34)
- Hakedal/Torlen, Norway (22) de. Lahme/Musch, Germany (10) 13-21, 21-17, 15-12 (54)
- Arvaniti/Koutroumanidou, Greece (15) def. Hakedal/Torlen, Norway (22) 21-11, 21-23, 15-12 (60)
- Lahme/Musch, Germany (10) def. Ana Paula/Pires, Brazil (3), 18-21, 21-15, 15-11 (53)

## Pool D

- McPeak/Youngs United States (4) def. Glesnes/Maaseide Norway, (21) 21-14, 21-14 (38)
- Dumont/Martin Canada (16) def. Kuhn/Schnyder, Switzerland (9), 21-16, 21-13 (39)
- McPeak/Youngs, United States (4) def. Dumont/Martin, Canada (16), 21-13, 12-21, 15-9 (48)
- Glesnes/Maaseide, Norway (21) def. Kuhn/Schnyder, Switzerland (9), 21-18, 17-21, 15-13 (61)
- Dumont/Martin, Canada (16) def. Glesnes/Maaseide, Norway (21), 21-19, 29-27 (52)
- McPeak/Youngs, United States (4) def. Kuhn/Schnyder, Switzerland (9), 22-24, 21-17, 15-12 (60)

## Pool E

- Cook/Sanderson Australia (5) def. L. Yanchulova/P. Yanchulova Bulgaria (20) 21-16, 21-12 (39)
- Pohl/Rau Germany (8) def. Whenhui You/Lu Wang China (17) 21-17, 21-18 (46)
- Cook/Sanderson, Australia (5) def. Whenhui You/Lu Wang China (17) 21-19, 17-21, 17-15 (57)
- L. Yanchulova/P. Yanchulova, Bulgaria (20) def. Pohl/Rau, Germany (8) 18-21, 21-19, 15-13 (68)
- L. Yanchulova/P. Yanchulova, Bulgaria (20) def. Lu Wang/Whenhui You China (17) 21-19, 21-17 (38)
- Pohl/Rau, Germany (8) def. Cook/Sanderson, Australia (5) 21-10, 22-20 (0:41)

## Pool F

- Karadassiou/Sfyri, Greece (6) def. Garcia/Gaxiola, Mexico (19), 21-17, 21-13 (41)
- Lochowicz/Pottharst, Australia (18) def. Jia Tian/Fei Wang, China (7), 21-18, 21-18 (45)
- Lochowicz/Pottharst, Australia (18) def. Karadassiou/Sfyri, Greece (6), 21-15, 15-21, 16-14 (55)
- Jia Tian/Fei Wang, China (7) def. Garcia/Gaxiola, Mexico (19), 21-19, 21-15 (0:44)
- Lochowicz/Pottharst, Australia (18) def. Garcia/Gaxiola, Mexico (19), 26-24, 22-20 (50)
- Karadassiou/Sfyri, Greece (6) def. Jia Tian/Fei Wang China (7), 21-14, 21-17 (47)

## Elimination Bracket – First Round (losers eliminated, place 9th)

- May/Walsh, United States (1) def. Jia Tian/Fei Wang, China (7), 21-11, 21-18 (36)
- Dumont/Martin, Canada (16) def. Fernandez Grasset/Larrea Peraza, Cuba (11) 21-18, 21-19 (40)
- Pohl/Rau, Germany (8) def. Arvaniti/Koutroumanidou, Greece (15), 21-12, 19-21, 15-11 (62)
- McPeak/Youngs, United States (4) def. Celbova/Novakova, Czech Republic (12), 21-16, 21-16 (41)
- Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (14) def. Lahme/Musch, Germany (10), 16-21, 21-17, 21-19 (70)
- Cook/Sanderson, Australia (5) def. Lochowicz/Kerri Pottharst, (18), 21-15, 21-16 (41)
- Ana Paula/Pires, Brazil (3) def. Karadassiou/Sfyri, Greece (6), 21-16, 21-19 (40)
- Shelda/Adriana, Brazil (2) def. L. Yanchulova/P. Yanchulova, Bulgaria (20), 18-21, 21-16, 15-11 (59)

## Elimination Bracket – Quarter-finals (losers eliminated, place 5th)

- May/Walsh, United States (1) def. Dumont/Martin, Canada (16), 21-19, 21-14 (38)
- McPeak/Youngs, United States (4) def. Pohl/Rau, Germany (8), 21-17, 21-17 (43)
- Cook/Sanderson, Australia (5) def. Gattelli/Perrotta, Italy (14) 21-16, 14-21, 15-12 (63)
- Shelda/Adriana, Brazil (2) def. Ana Paula/Pires, Brazil (3), 15-21, 21-13, 15-13 (59)

## Semi-finals

- May/Walsh, United States (1) def. McPeak/Youngs, United States (4), 21-18, 21-15 (41)
- Shelda/Adriana, Brazil (2) def. Cook/Sanderson, Australia (5), 21-17, 21-16 (39)

## Bronze Medal Match

- McPeak/Youngs, United States (4) def. Cook/Sanderson, Australia (5), 21-18, 15-21, 15-9 (71)

## Gold Medal Match

- May/Walsh, United States (1) def. Shelda/Adriana, Brazil (2), 21-17, 21-11 (42)

# Women's Olympic Beach Volleyball Match Results

Beijing 2008

## Pool A

- Tian/Wang, China (1) def. Kuhn/Schwer, Switzerland (24) 21-12, 21-18 (41 minutes)
- Glesnes/Maaseide, Norway (12) def. Mouha/ Van Breedam, Belgium (13) 24-22, 21-18 (49)
- Tian/Wang, China (1) def. Mouha/Van Breedam, Belgium (13) 18-21, 21-19, 15-13 (60)
- Glesnes/Maaseide, Norway (12) def. Kuhn/Schwer, Switzerland (24) 21-11, 21-17 (35)
- Mouha/Van Breedam, Belgium (13) def. Kuhn/Schwer, Switzerland (24) 21-18, 21-17 (42)
- Tian/Wang, China (1) def. Glesnes/Maaseide, Norway (12) 17-21, 21-14, 15-8 (64)

## Pool B

- May-Treanor/Walsh, United States (2) def. Kusahara/Teru Saiki, Japan (23) 21-12, 21-15 (36)
- Fernandez Grasset/Larrea Peraza, Cuba (14) def. Hakedal/Torlen, Norway (11) 22-20, 21-19 (51)
- May-Treanor/Walsh United States (2) def. Fernandez Grasset/Larrea Peraza, Cuba (14) 21-15, 21-16 (37)
- Hakedal/Torlen Norway (11) def. Kusahara/Teru Saiki, Japan (23) 21-8, 21-18 (41)
- Fernandez Grasset/Larrea Peraza Cuba (14) def. Kusahara/Teru Saiki, Japan (23) 21-18, 21-17 (41)
- May-Treanor/Walsh United States (2) def. Hkedal/Torlen, Norway (11) 21-12, 21-15 (37)

## Pool C

- Ana Paula/Larissa, Brazil (3) def. "Rtvelo" Martins/"Saka" Santanna, Georgia (22) 23-25, 21-17, 15-5 (55)
- Barnett/Cook, Australia (10) def. Shiryayeva/Uryadova, Russia (15) 21-8, 19-21, 15-12 (55)
- Ana Paula/Larissa, Brazil (3) def. Shiryayeva/Uryadova, Russia (15) 19-21, 21-12, 15-13 (54)
- Barnett/Cook, Australia (10) def. "Rtvelo" Martins/"Saka" Santanna, Georgia (22) 21-18, 21-12 (40)
- "Rtvelo" Martins/"Saka" Santanna, Georgia (22) def. Shiryayeva/Uryadova, Russia (15) 10-21, 22-20, 15-12 (61)
- Barnett/Cook, Australia (10) def. Ana Paula/Larissa, Brazil (3) 23-21, 23-21 (51)

## Pool D

- Xue/Xi Zhang China (4) def. Judith Augoustides/Vitalina Nel South Africa (21) 21-13, 21-9 (32)
- Goller/Laura Ludwig Germany (9) def. Efthalia Koutroumanidou/Maria Tsiartsiani Greece (16) 24-22, 21-12 (39)
- Xue/Xi Zhang China (4) def. Efthalia Koutroumanidou/Maria Tsiartsiani Greece (16) 21-18, 19-21, 15-12 (57)
- Goller/Laura Ludwig Germany (9) def. Judith Augoustides/Vitalina Nel South Africa (21) 21-12, 21-14 (34)
- Koutroumanidou/Maria Tsiartsiani Greece (16) def. Judith Augoustides/Vitalina Nel South Africa (21) 21-12, 21-8 (34)
- Xue/Xi Zhang China (4) def. Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig Germany (9) 21-14, 21-18 (41)

## Pool E

- Branagh/Youngs, United States (5) def. Kadijk/Mooren, Netherlands (20) 21-19, 27-25 (51)
- Pohl/Rau, Germany (8) def. Crespo/Esteves Ribalta, Cuba (17) 21-17, 21-19 (47)
- Branagh/Youngs, United States (5) def. Crespo/Esteves Ribalta, Cuba (17) 21-19, 13-21, 15-12 (57)
- Pohl/Rau, Germany (8) def. Kadijk/Mooren, Netherlands (20) 21-19, 21-18 (43)
- Crespo/Esteves Ribalta, Cuba (17) def. Kadijk/Mooren, Netherlands (20) 21-11, 21-15 (34)
- Branagh/Youngs, United States (5) def. Pohl/Rau, Germany (8) 21-17, 21-16 (46)

## Pool F

- Talita/Renata, Brazil (6) def. Candelas/Garcia, Mexico (19) 18-21, 21-16, 15-8 (49)
- D. Schwaiger/S. Schwaiger, Austria (18) def. Arvaniti/Karadassiou, Greece (7) 21-18, 21-18 (44)
- Talita/Renata, Brazil (6) def. D. Schwaiger/S. Schwaiger, Austria (18) 21-18, 21-19 (40)
- Candelas/Garcia, Mexico (19) def. Arvaniti/Karadassiou, Greece (7) 21-17, 16-21, 15-12 (55)
- D. Schwaiger/S. Schwaiger, Austria (18) def. Candelas/Garcia, Mexico (19) 21-17, 21-10 (34)
- Talita/Renata, Brazil (6) def. Arvaniti/Karadassiou, Greece (7) 22-20, 21-19 (42)

## Lucky Losers

- Mouha/Liesbet Van Breedam, Belgium (13) def. "Rtvelo" Martins/"Saka" Santanna, Georgia (22) 21-13, 21-19 (39)
- Hakedal/Torlen, Norway (11) def. Candelas/Garcia, Mexico (19) 20-22, 21-12, 15-11 (49)
- **Elimination Bracket - First Round** (losers eliminated, place 9th)
- Tian/Wang, China (1) def. Hakedal/Torlen, (11) 21-13, 21-15 (34)
- D. Schwaiger/S. Schwaiger, Austria (18) def. Goller/Ludwig, Germany (9) 23-21, 11-21, 18-16 (54)
- Branagh/Youngs, United States (5) def. Fernandez Grasset/Larrea Peraza, Cuba (14) 21-15, 21-13 (37)
- Xue/Xi Zhang China (4) def. Crespo/Esteves Ribalta, Cuba (17) 21-19, 21-13 (40)
- Barnett/Cook, Australia (10) def. Koutroumanidou/Tsiartsiani, Greece (16) 22-20, 19-21, 15-12 (56)
- Talita/Renata, Brazil (6) def. Glesnes/Maaseide, Norway (12) 12-21, 21-19, 15-13 (50)
- Ana Paula/Larissa, Brazil (3) def. Pohl/Rau, (8) 21-18, 21-14 (40)
- May-Treanor/Walsh, United States (2) def. Mouha/Van Breedam, Belgium (13) 24-22, 21-10 (37)

## Elimination Bracket - Quarter-finals

 (losers eliminated, place 5th)

- Tian/Wang, China (1) def. D. Schwaiger/S. Schwaiger, Austria (18) 21-12, 21-12 (38)
- Xue/Zhang, China (4) def. Nicole Branagh/Elaine Youngs, United States (5) 21-17, 21-13 (40)
- Talita/Renata, Brazil (6) def. Tamsin Barnett/Natalie Cook, Australia (10) 24-22, 21-14 (46)
- May-Treanor/Walsh, United States (2) def. Ana Paula/Larissa, Brazil (3) 21-18, 21-15 (39)

## Semifinals

- Tian/Wang, China (1) def. Xue/Zhang, China (4) 22-24, 29-27, 15-8 (71)
- May-Treanor/Walsh, United States (2) def. Talita/Renata, Brazil (6) 21-12, 21-14 (38)

## Bronze Medal Match

- Xue/Zhang China (4) def. Talita/Renata, Brazil (6) 21-19, 21-17 (38)

## Gold Medal Match

- May-Treanor/Walsh, United States (2) def. Tian/Wang, China (1) 21-18, 21-18 (42)

## Olympic Beach Volleyball Referees

### Atlanta 1996

- Avelino Azevedo, Portugal
- Patrick Biau, France
- Maurizio Borgato, Italy
- Jeffery Brehaut, England
- Mireia Carreño, Spain
- Peter Hreszczuk, Australia
- Masaaki Konno, Japan
- Sue Lemaire, United States
- Aurélio Mendoza, Puerto Rico
- Steve Owen, United States
- Miguel Ramirez, Mexico
- Steve Robb, United States
- Patricia Salvatore, United States
- Maria Villas-Boas, Brazil

### Sydney 2000

- John Bennett, Australia
- Jeffery Brehaut, England
- Linda Chang, Australia
- Geir Dahle, Norway
- Rüdiger Franzen, Germany
- Darryl Friesen, Canada
- Andrea Haas, Austria
- Peter Hreszczuk, Australia
- Masaaki Konno, Japan
- Sue Lemaire, United States
- Elzir Oliveira, Brazil
- Miguel Ramirez, Mexico
- Roberto Reggiani, Italy
- Catriona Tweedie, Australia

### Athens 2004

- Stefano Cesare, Italy
- Tarek El Assad, Switzerland
- Rüdiger Franzen, Germany
- Darryl Friesen, Canada
- Takashi Fujii, Japan
- Pedro Garcia, Puerto Rico
- Andrea Haas, Austria
- Peter Hreszczuk, Australia
- Ronald Kaase, USA
- Fani Katsavouni, Greece
- Irene Moula, Greece
- Elzir Oliveira, Brazil
- Stefanos Vassiliadis, Greece
- Leijun Wang, China

### Beijing 2008

- Marc Berard, France
- Richard Casutt, New Zealand
- Stefano Cesare, Italy
- Geir Dahle, Norway
- Darryl Friesen, Canada
- Takashi Fujii, Japan
- Andrea Haas, Austria
- Marc Hagener, Germany
- Hongyu Liu, China
- Weiping Lu, China
- Jonas Personeni, Switzerland
- Miguel Ramirez, Mexico
- Glenn Sapp, United States
- Damien Searle, England
- Maria Villas-Boas, Brazil
- Leijun Wang, China

## Olympic Beach Volleyball Referees - Medal Matches

### Atlanta 1996

**Men's Gold** - Jeff Brehaut, Great Britain and Mirela Carreno, Spain

**Men's Bronze** - Peter Hreszczuk, Australia and Masaaki Konno, Japan

**Women's Gold** - Masaaki Konno, Japan and Patrick Biau, France

**Women's Bronze** - Patrick Biau, France and Maurizio Borgato, Italy

### Sydney 2000

**Men's Gold** - Andrea Haas, Austria and Jeff Brehaut, Great Britain

**Men's Bronze** - Masaaki Konno, Japan and Peter Hreszczuk, Australia

**Women's Gold** - Andrea Haas, Austria and Ruediger Franzen, Germany

**Women's Bronze** - Darryl Friesen, Canada and Sue Lemaire, United States

### Athens 2004

**Men's Gold** - Darryl Friesen, Canada and Peter Hreszczuk, Australia

**Men's Bronze** - Elzir Oliveiram, Brazil and Pedro Garcia, Puerto Rico

**Women's Gold** - Stefano Cesare, Italy and Stefanos Vassiliadis, Greece

**Women's Bronze** - Andrea Haas, Austria and Fani Katsavouni, Greece

### Beijing 2008

**Men's Gold** - Stefano Cesare, Italy and Leijun Wang, China

**Men's Bronze** - Darryl Friesen, Canada and Glenn Sapp, United States

**Women's Gold** - Andrea Haas, Austria and Maria Amélia Villas-Boas, Brazil

**Women's Bronze** - Geir Dahle, Norway and Damien Searle, Great Britain