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FACT SHEET – Olympic Bay Sanya Open

The Sanya Bay Resort District, Sanya City of Hainan Province, China, April 26 - May 1, 2011

Updated on **April 26, 2011**, this fact sheet provides information on the FIVB and the 2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour. The 2011 FIVB Swatch World Tour is scheduled over an eight-month period starting in April in Brazil and ending in November in Thailand. The US\$190,000 **Olympic Bay Sanya Open** is the first of three women’s only events and second of 15 total women’s events on the 2011 FIVB Swatch World Tour calendar. The FIVB Swatch World Tour returns to China for the 14th-straight year with Dalian hosting the first women’s event in 1998 and Lianyungang hosting the first men’s event in 2004. For more information regarding the FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour, please visit www.fivb.org.

- **April 26 – May 1, Olympic Bay Sanya Open, Women, \$190,000** - Sanya returns to the 2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour calendar for the third-straight season. It will be held at The Sanya Bay Resort District in the Hainan Province. This will be China’s 28th FIVB Swatch World Tour event, including 10 men’s and 17 previous women’s events. The 2011 Sanya stop also marks the 14th-straight season that China has staged a women’s event. Host country China has ten women’s medals, three gold including defending 2010 champions Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, four silver, and three bronze medals.
- The **Olympic Bay Sanya Open** starts April 26 and concludes May 1. The winning team will share the \$30,000 first-place prize. Here is the tentative schedule.
 - Tuesday, April 26 Country Quota Playoffs
 - Wednesday, April 27 Qualification Tournament
 - Thursday, April 28 Main Draw Matches
 - Friday, April 29 Main Draw Matches
 - Saturday, April 30 Main Draw and Semi-final matches
 - Sunday, May 1 Medal Matches
- A total of 66 teams from 28 countries have entered the **Olympic Bay Sanya Open** (as of April 26, 2011), including **Australia, Austria, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, China, Czech Republic, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Great Britain, Greece, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Mexico, The Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Puerto Rico, Russia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, and the United States.**
- The **Olympic Bay Sanya Open** will be the 219th women’s event on the FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour (open, grand slam, Olympic and Goodwill). The first women’s FIVB Swatch World Tour event was played August 14-16, 1992 at Almeria, Spain.

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2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour

Past Chinese Men's Medals - Brazil 17, Germany 4, China 2, Spain 2, Switzerland 2, Argentina 1, Netherlands 1, USA 1					
Site	Year	Gold Medal	Silver Medal	Bronze Medal	
1. Lianyungang	2004	Javier Bosma/Pablo Herrera, ESP	Emanuel Rego/Ricardo Santos, BRA	Pedro Cunha/Para Ferreira, BRA	
2. Shanghai	2005	C. Dieckmann/Andreas Scheuerpflug, GER	Emanuel/Ricardo, BRA	Markus Egger/Martin Laciga, SUI	
3. Shanghai	2006	Marcio Araujo/Fabio Magalhaes, BRA	Cunha/Franco Neto, BRA	Julius Brink/Christoph Dieckmann, GER	
4. Shanghai	2007	Harley Marques/Pedro Salgado, BRA	Marcio Araujo/Fabio, BRA	Patrick Heuscher/Sascha Heyer, SUI	
5. Shanghai	2008	Harley/Salgado, BRA	Penggen Wu/Linyin Xu, CHN	Cunha/Franco, BRA	
6. Beijing Olympics	2008	Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, USA	Marcio Araujo/Fabio, BRA	Emanuel/Ricardo, BRA	
7. Sanya	2008	Benjamin Insfran/Harley, BRA	Cunha/Roberto Pitta, BRA	Mariano Baracetti/Jose Salema, ARG	
8. Shanghai	2009	Alison Cerutti/Harley, BRA	Cunha/Salgado, BRA	Brink/Jonas Reckermann, GER	
9. Sanya	2009	Reinder Nummerdor/Richard Schuil, NED	Wu/Xu, CHN	Adrian Gavira Collado/Herrera, ESP	
10. Shanghai	2010	Harley/Salgado, BRA	Brink/Reckermann, GER	Benjamin/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, BRA	
Past Chinese Women's Medals - Brazil 16, USA 16, China 10, Australia 4, Germany 2, Netherlands 1, Norway 1, Switzerland 1					
Site	Year	Gold Medal	Silver Medal	Bronze Medal	
1. Dalian	1998	Shelda Bede/Adriana Behar, BRA	Lisa Arce/Holly McPeak, USA	Pauline Manser/Kerri Pottharst, AUS	
2. Dalian	1999	Shelda/Adriana, BRA	Annett Davis/Jenny J. Jordan, USA	Arce/Barbra Fontana, USA	
3. Dalian	2000	Liz Masakayan/Elaine Youngs, USA	Misty May-Treanor/McPeak, USA	Ron Chi/Zi Xiong, CHN	
4. Maoming	2001	Shelda/Adriana, BRA	Tatiana Minello/Sandra Pires, BRA	Natalie Cook/Kerri Pottharst, AUS	
5. Maoming	2002	May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, USA	McPeak/Youngs, USA	Cook/Pottharst, AUS	
6. Lianyungang	2003	Rebeka Kadijk/Marrit Leenstra, NED	Suzanne Lahme/Danja Musch, GER	Cook/Nicole Sanderson, AUS	
7. Shanghai	2004	McPeak/Youngs, USA	Davis/Johnson Jordan, USA	Shelda/Adriana, BRA	
8. Shanghai	2005	Juliana F. Silva/Larissa Franca, BRA	Shelda/Adriana, BRA	Ana Paula Connelly/Shaylyn Bede, BRA	
9. Shanghai	2006	Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, CHN	Jia Tian/Jie Wang, CHN	Juliana/Larissa, BRA	
10. Shanghai	2007	Tian/Wang, CHN	Nilia Ann Hakedal/Ingrid Torlen, NOR	Talita Antunes/Renata Ribeiro, BRA	
11. Shanghai	2008	Talita/Renata, BRA	Juliana/Larissa, BRA	Xue/Zhang, CHN	
12. Beijing Olympics	2008	May-Treanor/Walsh, USA	Tian/Wang, CHN	Xue/Zhang, CHN	
13. Sanya	2008	Jen Kessy/April Ross, USA	Ying Huang/Zhang, CHN	Nicole Branagh/Tyra Turner, USA	
14. Shanghai	2009	Maria Antonelli/Talita Antunes, BRA	Jie Wang/Man Zuo, CHN	Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, BRA	
15. Sanya	2009	Simone Kuhn/Nadine Zumkehr, SUI	Kessy/Ross, USA	Angie Akers/Turner, USA	
16. Shanghai	2010	Kessy/Ross, USA	Juliana/Larissa, BRA	Antonelli/Talita, BRA	
17. Sanya	2010	Xue/Zhang, CHN	Goller/Ludwig, GER	Kessy/Ross, USA	

2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour – Olympic Bay Sanya Open

After the Sanya stop, the 2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour calendar continues with a double-gender event in Shanghai, China (May 2-8). Myslowice, Poland (women) and Prague, Czech Republic (men) will then host single-gender events on May 17-22. After a two-week break, Beijing, China hosts the first grand slam event on the 2011 FIVB Swatch World Tour on June 6-11 followed the 2011 FIVB Swatch World Championships in Rome (June 13-19).

Olympic Bay Sanya Open FIVB Officials

- Ilya Volodarskiy, Russia..... Technical Supervisor
- André Trottier, CanadaReferee Delegate
- Li Ye, China..... Television Delegate
- Wang Jing Yu, ChinaMedia Operations Delegate

Olympic Bay Sanya Open International Referees

- Richard Casutt, New Zealand
- Thomas Chang, Hong Kong
- Kristada Panaseri, Thailand
- Mariko Satomi, Japan
- Catriona Tweedie, Australia

Beach Volleyball Major Championships

Men Olympic Champions Women

Karch Kiraly/Kent Steffes, United States **Atlanta 1996** Sandra Pires/Jackie Silva, Brazil
 Dain Blanton/Eric Fonoimoana, United States **Sydney 2000** Natalie Cook/Kerri Pottharst, Australia
 Emanuel/Ricardo Santos, Brazil **Athens 2004** Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States
 Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States **Beijing 2008** May-Treanor/Walsh, United States
 July 27-August 12, Horse Guards Parade **London 2012** www.london2012.com
 Copacabana **Rio 2016** hwww.rio2016.org.br

Men FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Champions Women

Para Ferreira/Guilherme Marquez, Brazil **Los Angeles 1997** Sandra Pires/Jackie Silva, Brazil
 Emanuel Rego/Jose Loiola, Brazil **Marseille 1999** Adriana Behar/Shelda Bede, Brazil
 Mariano Baracetti/Martin Conde, Argentina **Klagenfurt 2001** Adriana/Shelda, Brazil
 Emanuel/Ricardo Santos, Brazil **Rio de Janeiro 2003** Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States
 Marcio Araujo/Fabio Magalhaes, Brazil **Berlin 2005** May-Treanor/Walsh, United States
 Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States **Gstaad 2007** May-Treanor/Walsh, United States
 Julius Brink/Jonas Reckermann, Germany **Stavanger 2009** Jen Kessy/April Ross, United States
 June 17-26 **Rome 2011** www.beachvolleyroma.com

Men FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch Junior (U- 21) World Champions Women

Pedro Cunha/Anselmo Sigoli, Brazil **France 2001** Shaylyn Bede/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil
 Pablo Herrera/Raul Mesa, Spain **Italy 2002** Juliana Felisberta Silva/Taiana Lima, Brazil
 Cunha/Pedro Salgado, Brazil **France 2003** Anna Morozova/Alexandra Shiryaeva, Russia
 Miguel Angel Amo/Inocencio Lario, Spain **Portugal 2004** Taiana/Carolina Salgado, Brazil
 Martins Plavins/Aleksandrs Samoilovs, Latvia **Brazil 2005** Carolina/Camillinha Saldanha, Brazil
 Bruno Oscar Schmidt/Salgado, Brazil **Poland 2006** Carolina Aragao/Barbara Figueiredo Seixas, Brazil
 Francesco Giontella/Paolo Nicolai, Italy **Italy 2007** Liliane Maestrini/Seixas Figueiredo, Brazil
 Giontella/Nicolai, Italy **Great Britain 2008** Marleen Van Iersel/Daniëlle Remmers, Netherlands
 Michal Kadziola/Jakub Szalankiewicz, Poland .. **Great Britain 2009** Monika Brzostek/Kinga Kolosinka, Poland
 Garrett May/Sam Schachter, Canada **Alanya 2010** Tara Roenicke/Summer Ross, United States

Men FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch Youth (U-18/19) World Champions Women

Ian Borges/Pedro Salgado, Brazil **Greece 2002*** Sanne Keizer/Arjanne Stevens, Netherlands
 Sebastian Fuchs/Thomas Kaczmarek, Germany **Thailand 2003*** Jana Kohler/Laura Ludwig, Germany
 Arunas Kirsnyas/Arvydas Miseikis, Lithuania **Italy 2004*** Katarzyna Urban/Joanna Wiatr, Poland
 Tine Urnaut/Nejc Zemljak, Slovenia **France 2005#** Barbra Figueiredo Seixas /Carolina Aragao, Brazil
 Jonathan Erdmann/Marvin Klass, Germany **Bermuda 2006#** Becchara Palmer/Alice Rohkamper, Australia
 Michal Kadziola/Jakub Szalankiewicz, Poland **Poland 2007#** Danielle Remmers/Michelle Stiekema, Netherlands
 Kristo Kollo/Oliver Venno, Estonia **Netherlands 2008#** Chantal Laboureur/Levke Springer, Germany
 Sergiy Popov/Valeriy Samoday, Ukraine **Alanya 2009#** Christine Aulenbrock/Victoria Bieneck, Germany
 Piotr Kantor/Bartosz Losiak, Poland **Porto 2010#** Jane Croson/Summer Ross

*For players under the age of 18..... #for players under the age of 19

2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour

2011 Olympic Bay Sanya Open Entries (as of 26 April 2011)

Main Draw Entries, Country

Barbara Hansel/Sara Montagnoli, Austria
Doris Schwaiger/Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria
Maria Antonelli/Talita Antunes, Brazil
Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil
Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil
Ying Huang/Yuan Yue, China
Yuanyuan Ma/Fan Wang, China
Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China
Kristyna Kolocova/Marketa Slukova, Czech Republic
Emilia Nystrom/Erika Nystrom, Finland
Andreza "Rtvelo" Martins/Cristine "Saka" Santanna, Georgia
Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig, Germany
Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler, Germany
Jana Kohler/Julia Sude, Germany
Greta Cicolari/Marta Menegatti, Italy
Bibiana Candelas/Mayra Garcia, Mexico
Sanne Keizer/Marleen Van Iersel, Netherlands
Madelein Meppelink/Marloes Wesselink, Netherlands
Dariam Acevedo/Yarleen Santiago, Puerto Rico
Elsa Baquerizo/Liliana Fernandez Steiner, Spain
Simone Kuhn/Nadine Zumkehr, Switzerland
Angie Akers/Nicole Branagh, United States
Jennifer Kessy/April Ross, United States
Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States

Qualification Tournament Entries, Country

Tamsin Barnett Hinchley/Alice Rohkamper, Australia
Louise Bawden/Becchara Palmer, Australia
Liliane Maestrini/Angela Vieira, Brazil
Laura Giombini/Valeria Rosso, Italy
Roos Van der Hoeven/Jantine van der Vlist, Netherlands
Kathrine Maaseide/Ingrid Torlen, Norway

Ekaterina Khomyakova/Anna Vozakova, Russia
Evgenia Ukolova/Anastasia Vasina, Russia
Natalie Cook/Tara West, Australia
Claire Kelly/Adrienne White, Australia
Eva Tcholakova/Maria Todorova, Bulgaria
Heather Bansley/Elizabeth Maloney, Canada
Kacie MacTavish/Julie Rodrigue, Canada
Kristina Valjas/Caleigh Whitaker, Canada
Melody Benhamou/Deborah Giaoui, France
Emma Larche/Laura Longuet, France
Rieke Brink-Abeler/Angelina Grun, Germany
Lucy Boulton/Denise Johns, Great Britain
Zara Dampney/Shaua Mullin, Great Britain
JoAnna Papageorgiou/Christina Roubanis, Greece
Daniela Gioria/Giulia Momoli, Italy
Junko Komada/Keiko Urata, Japan
Ayumi Kusano/Mutsumi Ozaki, Japan
Sayaka Mizoe/Shinako Tanaka, Japan
Takemi Nishibori/Satoko Urata, Japan
Tatyana Mashkova/Irina Tsimbalova, Kazakhstan
Marina Pilipenko/Bakhtygul Samalikova, Kazakhstan
Rebekka Kadijk/Merel Mooren, Netherlands
Monika Brzostek/Kinga Kolosinska, Poland
Luisa Niemc/Karolina Suwinska, Poland
Karolina Sowala/Katarzyna Urban, Poland
Elizaveta Ryabova/Maria Ushkova, Russia
Alexandra Shiryaeva/Ekaterina Syrtseva, Russia
Erika Fabjan/Simona Fabjan, Slovenia
Martina Jakob/Andreja Vodeb, Slovenia
Nadia Campisi/Cristina Hopf, Spain
Tora Hansson/Camilla Nilsson, Sweden
Svitlana Baburina/Viktoriiia Smetaniuk, Ukraine
Jennifer Fopma/Brittany Hochevar, United States

2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour Men's & Women's Highlights & Schedule

The 2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour calendar is highlighted by the 2011 FIVB World Championships, six Grand Slam events and an Olympic test event as the international Beach Volleyball schedule starts in April and concludes in November.

- The international Beach Volleyball circuit will visit 18 sites in 16 countries over an eight-month period.
- With the 2011 calendar featuring 16 women's and 14 men's events within the African, Asian, European, North American and South American confederations, the FIVB Swatch World Tour will offer US\$7.64 million in prize money.
- Twelve of the tournaments will be combined men's and women's events, including all six Grand Slam stops.
- Women's-only stops will be in China (Sanya), Poland (Myslowice), Great Britain (London) and Thailand (Phuket).
- Men's only stops will be in May the Czech Republic (Prague) and in October in Morocco (Agadir).
- After hosting its first Grand Slam event in 2010, Rome will host the 2011 FIVB Swatch World Championships in June. The new Grand Slam event this year will be in China (Beijing) at the 2008 Olympic venue.
- The US\$3.6 million FIVB Swatch World Tour Grand Slam series will also return to Austria (Klagenfurt), Norway (Stavanger), Poland (Stare Jablonki), Russia (Moscow) and Switzerland (Gstaad).
- Klagenfurt, Gstaad and Stavanger have each staged 10 or more FIVB-sanctioned Beach Volleyball events. All three sites have hosted the FIVB Swatch World Championships with Klagenfurt in 2001, Gstaad in 2007 and Stavanger in 2009.
- The opening event on the 2011 FIVB Swatch World Tour calendar will be a double gender event in Brasilia April 17-23 as the Brazilian capital will be celebrating its 51st anniversary on the fifth day of competition. During the April 21 Brasilia celebration, crowds of more than 1-million will be attending various holiday activities around the Swatch event. Brazil has staged a FIVB Swatch World Tour event every year since the start of the tour for men in 1987 and women in 1992.
- A special Olympic test event for 24 women's teams will be held August 9-14 at London's Horse Guards Parade, venue for the London 2012 Olympic Games beach volleyball competition.
- China will stage three and Poland will present two FIVB Swatch World Tour stops in 2011.
- The men's international schedule will conclude in early October in Morocco (Agadir) while the women's competition will end in early November in Phuket. It will be the first time the tour has stopped in Africa since 2005.
- The international Beach Volleyball calendar will also feature world championships for players under the age of 21. Croatia will host the 2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch Youth World Championships June 21-26 in Umag for players under the age of 19. Canada will host in Halifax, Nova Scotia Aug. 31-Sept. 4 the 2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch Junior World Championships for players under the age of 21. This will be the first time for both countries to host these events. The U-19 world championships in 2010 were held in Porto, Portugal before Turkey hosted the U-21s in Alanya.
- IMG Sports Media will continue to have the exclusive distribution media rights for the 2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour. For the second straight year, the tour will exclusively use the Mikasa VLS 300 ball. It was introduced in 2009 in October and November at events in Sanya and Phuket.

2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour Schedule and Results (as of April, 24 2011)

Dates	Site	Gender.....Gold Medal Team / Prize Money (US dollars)
April 17-22	Brasília, Brazil	Women.....Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil
April 18-23	Brasília, Brazil	MenPhil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States
April 26-May 1	Sanya, China	Women.....\$190,000
May 2-8	Shanghai, China	Women & Men\$380,000
May 17-22	Myslowice, Poland	Women.....\$190,000
May 17-22	Prague, Czech Republic	Men\$190,000
June 6-11	Beijing, China	Grand Slam, Women & Men\$600,000
June 13-19	Rome, Italy	World Championships, Women & Men\$1,000,000
June 27-July 3	Stavanger, Norway	Grand Slam, Women & Men\$600,000
July 4-10	Gstaad, Switzerland	Grand Slam, Women & Men\$600,000
July 11-17	Moscow, Russia	Grand Slam, Women & Men\$600,000
July 19-24	Quebec, Canada	Women & Men\$380,000
July 25-31	Stare Jablonki, Poland	Grand Slam, Women & Men\$600,000
August 1-7	Klagenfurt, Austria	Grand Slam, Women & Men\$600,000
August 9-14	London, Great Britain	Women.....Olympic Test Event
August 15-21	Aland, Finland	Women & Men\$380,000
August 23-28	The Hague, Netherlands	Women & Men\$380,000
October 4-9	Agadir, Morocco	Men\$190,000
November 1-6	Phuket, Thailand	Women.....\$190,000

**2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball
Swatch World Tour Men's Leaders**

**2011 FIVB Beach Volleyball
Swatch World Tour Women's Leaders**

Men's Team Rank, points

- 1, Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States, 600
- 2, Alison Cerutti/Emanuel Rego, Brazil, 540
- 3, Penggen Wu/Linyin Xu, China, 480
- 4, Marcio Araujo/Ricardo Santos, Brazil, 420
- 5, Julius Brink/Jonas Reckermann, Germany, 360
- 5, Matt Fuerbringer/Nick Lucena, United States, 360
- 7, Benjamin Insfran/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, 300
- 7, Daniele Lupo/Paolo Nicolai, Italy, 300
- 9, Reinder Nummerdor/Richard Schuil, Netherlands, 240
- 9, Serguei Prokoviev/Konstantin Semenov, Russia, 240
- 9, Adrian Gavira Collado/Pablo Herrera, Spain, 240
- 9, Brad Keenan/Casey Patterson, United States, 240
- 13, Renato "Geor" Gomes/Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, Georgia, 180
- 13, Jonathan Erdmann/Kay Matysik, Germany, 180
- 13, Matteo Ingrosso/Paolo Ingrosso, Italy, 180
- 13, Jason Lochhead/Kirk Pitman, New Zealand, 180
- 17, Pedro Cunha/Pedro Salgado, Brazil, 120
- 17, Franco Neto/Lipe Rodrigues, Brazil, 120
- 17, Alexander Brouwer/Robert Meeuwssen, Netherlands, 120
- 17, Grzegorz Fijalek/Mariusz Prudel, Poland, 120
- 17, Yury Bogatov/Alexey Pastukhov, Russia, 120
- 17, Hannes Brinkborg/Stefan Gunnarsson, Sweden, 120
- 17, Jefferson Bellaguarda/Patrick Heuscher, Switzerland, 120
- 17, Jake Gibb/Sean Rosenthal, United States, 120

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

- 1, Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States, 1, 1 \$30,000
- 2, Alison Cerutti/Emanuel Rego, Brazil, 1, 0 \$21,000
- 3, Penggen Wu/Linyin Xu, China, 1, 0 \$15,000
- 4, Marcio Araujo/Ricardo Santos, Brazil, 1, 0 \$11,200
- 5, Julius Brink/Jonas Reckermann, Germany, 1, 0 \$9,100
- 5, Matt Fuerbringer/Nick Lucena, United States, 1, 0 \$9,100
- 7, Benjamin Insfran/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, 1, 0 \$7,600
- 7, Daniele Lupo/Paolo Nicolai, Italy, 1, 0 \$7,600
- 9, Reinder Nummerdor/Richard Schuil, Netherlands, 1, 0 \$6,000
- 9, Serguei Prokoviev (II)/Konstantin Semenov, Russia, 1, 0 \$6,000
- 9, Adrian Gavira Collado/Pablo Herrera, Spain, 1, 0 \$6,000
- 9, Brad Keenan/Casey Patterson, United States, 1, 0 \$6,000
- 13, Renato "Geor" Gomes/Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, Georgia, 1, 0 \$4,250
- 13, Jonathan Erdmann/Kay Matysik, Germany, 1, 0 \$4,250
- 13, Matteo Ingrosso/Paolo Ingrosso, Italy, 1, 0 \$4,250
- 13, Jason Lochhead/Kirk Pitman, New Zealand, 1, 0 \$4,250
- 17, Pedro Cunha/Pedro Salgado, Brazil, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Franco Neto/Lipe Rodrigues, Brazil, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Alexander Brouwer/Robert Meeuwssen, Netherlands, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Grzegorz Fijalek/Mariusz Prudel, Poland, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Yury Bogatov/Alexey Pastukhov, Russia, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Hannes Brinkborg/Stefan Gunnarsson, Sweden, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Jefferson Bellaguarda/Patrick Heuscher, Switzerland, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Jake Gibb/Sean Rosenthal, United States, 1, 0 \$2,800

Women's Team Rank, points

- 1, Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil, 600
- 2, Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States, 540
- 3, Jennifer Kessy/April Ross, United States, 480
- 4, Lauren Fendrick/Brooke Hanson, United States, 420
- 5, Maria Antonelli/Talita Antunes, Brazil, 360
- 5, Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig, Germany, 360
- 7, Doris Schwaiger/Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria, 300
- 7, Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China, 300
- 9, Louise Bawden/Becchara Palmer, Australia, 240
- 9, Kristyna Kolocova/Marketa Slukova, Czech Republic, 240
- 9, Sanne Keizer/Marleen Van Iersel, Netherlands, 240
- 9, Angie Akers/Nicole Branagh, United States, 240
- 13, Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil, 180
- 13, Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler, Germany, 180
- 13, Greta Cicolari/Marta Menegatti, Italy, 180
- 13, Simone Kuhn/Nadine Zumkehr, Switzerland, 180
- 17, Vivian Cunha/Tatiana Lima, Brazil, 120
- 17, Ying Huang/Yuan Yue, China, 120
- 17, Lenka Hajeckova Felbabova/Hana Klapalova, Czech Republic, 120
- 17, Andrezza "Rtvelo" Martins/Cristine "Saka" Santanna, Georgia, 120
- 17, Laura Giombini/Valeria Rosso, Italy, 120
- 17, Ekaterina Khomyakova/Anna Vozakova, Russia, 120
- 17, Elizaveta Ryabova/Maria Ushkova, Russia, 120
- 17, Evgenia Ukolova/Anastasia Vasina, Russia, 120

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

- 1, Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil, 1, 1 \$30,000
- 2, Misty May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, United States, 1, 0 \$21,000
- 3, Jennifer Kessy/April Ross, United States, 1, 0 \$15,000
- 4, Lauren Fendrick/Brooke Hanson, United States, 1, 0 \$11,200
- 5, Maria Antonelli/Talita Antunes, Brazil, 1, 0 \$9,100
- 5, Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig, Germany, 1, 0 \$9,100
- 7, Doris Schwaiger/Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria, 1, 0 \$7,600
- 7, Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China, 1, 0 \$7,600
- 9, Louise Bawden/Becchara Palmer, Australia, 1, 0 \$6,000
- 9, Kristyna Kolocova/Marketa Slukova, Czech Republic, 1, 0 \$6,000
- 9, Sanne Keizer/Marleen Van Iersel, Netherlands, 1, 0 \$6,000
- 9, Angie Akers/Nicole Branagh, United States, 1, 0 \$6,000
- 13, Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil, 1, 0 \$4,250
- 13, Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler, Germany, 1, 0 \$4,250
- 13, Greta Cicolari/Marta Menegatti, Italy, 1, 0 \$4,250
- 13, Simone Kuhn/Nadine Zumkehr, Switzerland, 1, 0 \$4,250
- 17, Vivian Cunha/Tatiana Lima, Brazil, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Ying Huang/Yuan Yue, China, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Lenka Hajeckova Felbabova/Hana Klapalova, Czech Republic, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Andrezza "Rtvelo" Martins/Cristine "Saka" Santanna, Georgia, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Laura Giombini/Valeria Rosso, Italy, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Ekaterina Khomyakova/Anna Vozakova, Russia, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Elizaveta Ryabova/Maria Ushkova, Russia, 1, 0 \$2,800
- 17, Evgenia Ukolova/Anastasia Vasina, Russia, 1, 0 \$2,800

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2010 FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour Highlights & Results

- . The international Beach Volleyball circuit visited 17 sites in 14 countries over an eight-month period (April to November).
- . A total of 702 players (375 men and 327 women) from 51 countries competed on the 2010 FIVB Swatch World Tour.
- . The 2010 calendar featured 15 women's and 14 men's events within the Asian, European and South American confederations, the FIVB Swatch World Tour offered US\$6.83 million in prize money.
- . Twelve of the tournaments were combined men's and women's events, including all six Grand Slam stops.
- . Women's-only stops were in China (Sanya), Korea (Seoul) and Thailand (Phuket).
- . After a year's absence, the Czech Republic capital of Prague returned to the tour and staged the second of two men's-only events in June following the Polish stop in Myslowice in late May.
- . With Rome scheduled to host the 2011 FIVB Swatch World Championships, the Italian capital was one of two new Grand Slam events on the 2010 calendar along with Stare Jablonki, Poland.
- . The \$3.6-million FIVB Swatch World Tour Grand Slam series also returned to Austria (Klagenfurt), Norway (Stavanger), Russia (Moscow) and Switzerland (Gstaad).
- . Klagenfurt, Gstaad and Stavanger have each staged 10 or more FIVB-sanctioned Beach Volleyball events. Each site has hosted the FIVB Swatch World Championships (Klagenfurt in 2001, Gstaad in 2007 and Stavanger in 2009).
- . The opening event on the 2010 FIVB Swatch World Tour calendar was a double gender event in Brasília as the Brazilian capital celebrated its 50th anniversary on the third day of competition. Brazil has staged a FIVB Swatch World Tour event every year since the start of the international circuit for men in 1987 and women in 1992.
- . China and Norway joined Poland in each staging two FIVB Swatch World Tour stops in 2010.
- . Mariehamn in the Finnish islands of Åland and The Hague in The Netherlands were also on the 2010 calendar. The two events concluded the men's international schedule in late August while the women's competition ended in October and November with events in Sanya and Phuket, respectively.
- . The FIVB sanctioned two world championships for players under the age of 21. Turkey hosted the 10th annual FIVB Swatch Junior World Championships for players under the age of 21 in Alanya September 15-19. Portugal hosted the ninth edition of the FIVB Swatch Youth World Championships for players under the age of 19 in Porto July 21-25.

2010 Men's FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour Results

Dates	Site	Gold Medal Team
April 20-25	Brasília, Brazil	Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States
May 3-8	Shanghai, China	Harley Marques/Pedro Salgado, Brazil
May 18-23	Rome, Italy	Grand Slam Dalhausser/Rogers, United States
May 25-30	Myslowice, Poland	Grand Slam Dalhausser/Rogers, United States
June 8-14	Moscow, Russia	Grand Slam Penggen Wu/Linyin Xu, China
June 15-20	Prague, Czech Republic	Grand Slam Dalhausser/Rogers, United States
June 29-July 4	Stavanger, Norway	Grand Slam David Klemperer/Eric Koreng, Germany
July 6-11	Gstaad, Switzerland	Grand Slam Dalhausser/Rogers, United States
July 20-25	Marseille, France	Grand Slam Wu/Xu, China
July 27-Aug. 1	Klagenfurt, Austria	Grand Slam Dalhausser/Rogers, United States
August 3-8	Stare Jablonki, Poland	Grand Slam Dalhausser/Rogers, United States
August 10-15	Kristiansand, Norway	Grand Slam Dalhausser/Rogers, United States
August 17-22	Åland, Finland	Grand Slam Dalhausser/Rogers, United States
August 24-29	The Hague, Netherlands	Grand Slam Casey Jennings/Kevin Wong, United States

2010 Women's FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour Results

Dates	Site	Gold Medal Team
April 19-24	Brasília, Brazil	Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil
May 4-9	Shanghai, China	Jen Kessy/April Ross, United States
May 17-22	Rome, Italy	Grand Slam Kessy/Ross, United States
May 25-30	Seoul, Korea	Grand Slam Juliana/Larissa, Brazil
June 7-13	Moscow, Russia	Grand Slam Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China
June 28-July 3	Stavanger, Norway	Grand Slam Juliana/Larissa, Brazil
July 5-10	Gstaad, Switzerland	Grand Slam Juliana/Larissa, Brazil
July 19-25	Marseille, France	Grand Slam Maria Antonelli/Talita Antunes, Brazil
July 26-31	Klagenfurt, Austria	Grand Slam Juliana/Larissa, Brazil
August 2-7	Stare Jablonki, Poland	Grand Slam Juliana/Larissa, Brazil
August 9-14	Kristiansand, Norway	Grand Slam Juliana/Larissa, Brazil
August 16-21	Åland, Finland	Grand Slam Xue/Zhang, China
August 23-29	The Hague, Netherlands	Grand Slam Antonelli/Talita, Brazil
October 26-31	Sanya, China	Grand Slam Xue/Zhang, China
November 2-7	Phuket, Thailand	Grand Slam Nicole Branagh/Kerri Walsh, United States

**Final 2010 FIVB Beach Volleyball
Swatch World Tour Men's Leaders**

**Final 2010 FIVB Beach Volleyball
Swatch World Tour Women's Leaders**

Men's Team Rank, points

- 1, Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States, 6,960
- 2, Alison Cerutti/Emanuel Rego, Brazil, 5,100
- 3, Adrian Gavira Collado/Pablo Herrera, Spain, 4,420
- 4, Penggen Wu/Linyin Xu, China, 4,120
- 5, Julius Brink/Jonas Reckermann, Germany, 3,840
- 6, Marcio Araujo/Ricardo Santos, Brazil, 3,780
- 7, Benjamin Insfran/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, 3,640
- 8, Harley Marques/Pedro Salgado, Brazil, 3,580
- 9, Grzegorz Fijalek/Mariusz Prudel, Poland, 3,480
- 10, David Klemperer/Eric Koreng, Germany, 3,440
- 11, Matt Fuerbringer/Nick Lucena, United States, 3,320
- 12, Jake Gibb/Sean Rosenthal, United States, 3,040
- 13, Pedro Cunha/Thiago Santos Barbosa, Brazil, 2,980
- 14, Florian Gosch/Alexander Horst, Austria, 2,560
- 15, Jefferson Bellaguarda/Martin Laciga, Switzerland, 2,500
- 15, Tarjei Skarlund/Martin Spinnangr, Norway, 2,500
- 17, Reinder Nummerdor/Richard Schuil, Netherlands, 2,300
- 18, Casey Jennings/Brad Keenan, United States, 2,200
- 19, Renato "Geor" Gomes/Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, Georgia, 1,960
- 20, Martins Plavins/Janis Smedins, Latvia, 1,900
- 20, Petr Benes/Premysl Kubala, Czech Republic, 1,900
- 20, Aleksandrs Samoilovs/Ruslans Sorokins, Latvia, 1,900
- 23, Igor Kolodinsky/Yaroslav Koshkarev, Russia, 1,680
- 24, Jason Lochhead/Kirk Pitman, New Zealand, 1,664

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

- 1, Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, United States, 12, 9, \$387,700
- 2, Alison Cerutti/Emanuel Rego, Brazil, 11, 0, \$175,200
- 3, Penggen Wu/Linyin Xu, China, 13, 2, \$159,050
- 4, Adrian Gavira Collado/Pablo Herrera, Spain, 13, 0, \$147,500
- 5, Julius Brink/Jonas Reckermann, Germany, 8, 0, \$132,300
- 6, David Klemperer/Eric Koreng, Germany, 9, 1, \$129,600
- 7, Marcio Araujo/Ricardo Santos, Brazil, 10, 0, \$122,050
- 8, Benjamin Insfran/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil, 14, 0, \$117,300
- 9, Harley Marques/Pedro Salgado, Brazil, 10, 1, \$115,300
- 10, Grzegorz Fijalek/Mariusz Prudel, Poland, 11, 0, \$101,800
- 11, Matt Fuerbringer/Nick Lucena, United States, 9, 0, \$99,550
- 12, Jake Gibb/Sean Rosenthal, United States, 10, 0, \$81,700
- 13, Tarjei Skarlund/Martin Spinnangr, Norway, 12, 0, \$81,600
- 14, Pedro Cunha/Thiago Santos Barbosa, Brazil, 10, 0, \$80,150
- 15, Jefferson Bellaguarda/Martin Laciga, Switzerland, 12, 0, \$70,400
- 16, Florian Gosch/Alexander Horst, Austria, 11, 0, \$69,400
- 17, Casey Jennings/Brad Keenan, United States, 10, 0, \$64,100
- 18, Martins Plavins/Janis Smedins, Latvia, 7, 0, \$57,500
- 19, Reinder Nummerdor/Richard Schuil, Netherlands, 8, 0, \$57,350
- 20, Renato "Geor" Gomes/Jorge "Gia" Terceiro, Georgia, 14, 0, \$54,700
- 21, Aleksandrs Samoilovs/Ruslans Sorokins, Latvia, 11, 0, \$53,300
- 22, Petr Benes/Premysl Kubala, Czech Republic, 9, 0, \$51,800
- 23, Andy Ces/Kevin Ces, France, 13, 0, \$46,000
- 24, Jason Lochhead/Kirk Pitman, New Zealand, 12, 0, \$45,600

Women's Team Rank, points

- 1, Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil, 7,200
- 2, Maria Antonelli/Talita Antunes, Brazil, 6,180
- 3, Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China, 6,080
- 4, Jennifer Kessy/April Ross, United States, 5,440
- 5, Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig, Germany, 5,360
- 6, Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil, 4,240
- 7, Angie Akers/Tyra Turner, United States, 3,720
- 8, Doris Schwaiger/Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria, 3,680
- 9, Sanne Keizer/Marleen Van Iersel, Netherlands, 3,340
- 10, Barbara Hansel/Sara Montagnolli, Austria, 3,260
- 11, Nicole Branagh/Misty May-Treanor, United States, 3,240
- 12, Kristyna Kolocova/Marketa Slukova, Czech Republic, 2,940
- 13, Simone Kuhn/Nadine Zumkehr, Switzerland, 2,920
- 14, Vassiliki Arvaniti/Maria Tsiartsiani, Greece, 2,860
- 15, Emilia Nystrom/Erika Nystrom, Finland, 2,640
- 16, Andrezza "Rtvelo" Martins/Cristine "Saka" Santanna, Georgia, 2,440
- 17, Lenka Hajeckova/Hana Klapalova, Czech Republic, 2,400
- 18, Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler, Germany, 2,260
- 19, Bibiana Candelas/Mayra Garcia, Mexico, 2,000
- 20, Liesbeth Mouha/Liesbet Van Breedam, Belgium, 1,980
- 21, Madelein Meppelink/Marloes Wesselink, Netherlands, 1,884
- 22, Elsa Baquerizo/Liliana Fernandez Steiner, Spain, 1,850
- 23, Greta Cicolari/Marta Menegatti, Italy, 1,760
- 24, Louise Bawden/Becchara Palmer, Australia, 1,740

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

- 1, Juliana Felisberta Silva/Larissa Franca, Brazil, 12, 7, \$351,300
- 2, Chen Xue/Xi Zhang, China, 15, 3, \$268,700
- 3, Maria Antonelli/Talita Antunes, Brazil, 13, 2, \$232,300
- 4, Jennifer Kessy/April Ross, United States, 15, 2, \$213,350
- 5, Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig, Germany, 12, 0, \$182,500
- 6, Carolina Salgado/Maria Clara Salgado, Brazil, 15, 0, \$137,200
- 7, Angie Akers/Tyra Turner, United States, 13, 0, \$111,400
- 8, Doris Schwaiger/Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria, 12, 0, \$109,000
- 9, Barbara Hansel/Sara Montagnolli, Austria, 11, 0, \$95,600
- 10, Nicole Branagh/Misty May-Treanor, USA, 9, 0, \$95,550
- 11, Sanne Keizer/Marleen Van Iersel, Netherlands, 12, 0, \$91,000
- 12, Vassiliki Arvaniti/Maria Tsiartsiani, Greece, 14, 0, \$81,300
- 13, Kristyna Kolocova/Marketa Slukova, Czech Republic, 11, 0, \$77,700
- 14, Simone Kuhn/Nadine Zumkehr, Switzerland, 10, 0, \$73,550
- 15, Emilia Nystrom/Erika Nystrom, Finland, 13, 0, \$72,100
- 16, Lenka Hajeckova/Hana Klapalova, Czech Republic, 9, 0, \$67,600
- 17, Andrezza "Rtvelo" Martins/Cristine "Saka" Santanna, Georgia, 13, 0, \$64,300
- 18, Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler, Germany, 9, 0, \$60,850
- 19, Liesbeth Mouha/Liesbet Van Breedam, Belgium, 11, 0, \$55,300
- 20, Bibiana Candelas/Mayra Garcia, Mexico, 10, 0, \$52,700
- 21, Louise Bawden/Becchara Palmer, Australia, 12, 0, \$51,600
- 22, Vivian Cunha/Taiana Lima, Brazil, 9, 0, \$50,950
- 23, Madelein Meppelink/Marloes Wesselink, Netherlands, 12, 0, \$50,800
- 24, Greta Cicolari/Marta Menegatti, Italy, 9, 0, \$47,000

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Men's FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour - Country Medals & Final 4s

Including Open, Grand Slam, Olympics stops through April 23, 2011

Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Medals	4ths	Final 4s
Brazil	153	116	116	385	84	469
United States	48	40	35	123	29	152
Germany	13	26	20	59	22	81
Switzerland	9	22	15	46	15	61
Argentina	8	15	14	37	15	52
Norway	8	6	12	26	13	39
Canada	1	6	9	16	10	26
Spain	2	6	8	16	5	21
Australia	1	1	10	12	9	21
Netherlands	6	3	3	12	6	18
China	2	6	4	11	3	15
Russia	2	3	4	9	7	16
France	1	2	2	5	9	14
Cuba	1	2	1	4	2	6
Italy	0	2	1	3	6	9
Portugal	2	0	0	2	6	8
Austria	0	0	2	2	5	7
Latvia	0	2	0	2	0	2
Vacated	1	1	0	2	0	2
Estonia	1	0	0	1	3	4
Japan	0	0	1	1	2	3
New Zealand	0	0	1	1	1	2
Poland	0	0	1	1	2	3
Czech Republic	0	0	0	0	2	2
Georgia	0	0	0	0	1	1
Totals	258	258	259	775	257	1032

- There have been 258 men's FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour events (open, Grand Slam, Olympic and Goodwill). The first FIVB Swatch World Tour event was played February 17-22, 1987 in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.
- There have been 59 events that featured four different countries in the semi-finals. The last time was the 2010 season in Aland, Finland. Happened seven times in 2010, second-most all-time behind eight times in 2008.
- Brazil has advanced a team(s) to the semi-finals in 454 FIVB events.
 - Brazil's streak of 114-straight "final fours" ended at the France 2005 event (Event No. 171). Prior to France, Brazil's last non-semi-final appearance was Portugal 1996 (Event No. 56).
 - Brazil has had three teams advance to the semi-finals in 56 events.
 - Brazil has advanced four teams to the semi-finals seven times.
 - Brazil has captured all three podium finishes at 23 different events
- Brazil has had a team(s) in 208 Gold Medal matches.
 - Brazil has advanced two teams to the Gold Medal match in 60 events.
- United States has advanced two teams to the Gold Medal match in 10 events, including the 1996 Atlanta Olympic Games.
- Germany has advanced two teams to the Gold Medal match in one event.
- Switzerland has advanced two teams to the Gold Medal match in one event.
- There have been 186 events where two different countries battled for a FIVB Gold Medal.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brazil vs. United States..... United States leads 25-24 • Brazil vs. Germany..... Brazil leads 17-7 • Argentina vs. Brazil..... Brazil leads 14-8 • Brazil vs. Switzerland..... Brazil leads 16-4 • Brazil vs. Norway Tied 5-5 • Brazil vs. Canada..... Brazil leads 4-1 • Brazil vs. Spain Brazil leads 3-2 • Germany vs. Switzerland..... Tied 2-2 • Brazil vs. China Brazil leads 3-0 • Brazil vs. Netherlands..... Brazil leads 2-1 • Germany vs. United States..... United States leads 4-1 • Brazil vs. Cuba..... Brazil leads 2-0 • Brazil vs. Portugal..... Portugal leads 2-0 • Italy vs. United States..... United States leads 2-0 • Brazil vs. France..... Tied 1-1 • Russia vs. United States..... Tied 1-1 • Switzerland vs. United States..... Tied 1-1 • China vs. Netherlands..... Netherlands leads 2-0 • Germany vs. Netherlands..... Netherlands lead 2-0 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Argentina vs. Norway..... Norway leads 1-0 • Australia vs. Switzerland..... Australia leads 1-0 • Brazil vs. Australia..... Brazil leads 1-0 • Brazil vs. Russia..... Brazil leads 1-0 • Canada vs. United States..... United States leads 1-0 • Canada vs. Switzerland..... Switzerland leads 1-0 • China vs. United States..... tied 1-1 • China vs. Latvia..... China leads 1-0 • Cuba vs. United States..... Cuba leads 1-0 • Estonia vs. Switzerland..... Estonia leads 1-0 • France vs. Norway..... Norway leads 1-0 • Germany vs. Norway..... Germany leads 1-0 • Germany vs. Russia..... Germany leads 1-0 • Latvia vs. Russia..... Russia leads 1-0 • Netherlands vs. Spain..... Netherlands leads 1-0 • Netherlands vs. United States..... United States leads 1-0 • Norway vs. United States..... Norway leads 1-0 • Spain vs. United States..... United States leads 2-0
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Women's FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour – All-Time Country Medals & Final 4s

Including Open, Grand Slam, Olympics stops through April 23, 2010

Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Medals	4ths	Final 4s
Brazil	114	97	93	304	69.....	373
United States	84	60	61	205	56.....	261
China	12	24	22	58	13.....	71
Australia	4	12	17	33	19.....	52
Germany	1	11	10	22	15.....	37
Greece	1	4	2	7	7.....	14
Czech Republic	0	0	4	4	6.....	10
Austria	0	2	2	4	4.....	8
Japan	0	2	2	4	4.....	8
Norway	0	2	2	4	2.....	6
Netherlands	1	0	1	2	9.....	11
Italy	0	1	1	2	4.....	6
Switzerland	1	0	1	2	3.....	5
Cuba	0	2	0	2	2.....	4
Russia	0	0	1	1	1.....	2
Ukraine	0	1	0	1	0.....	1
Georgia	0	0	0	0	1.....	1
Portugal	0	0	0	0	1.....	1
Canada	0	0	0	0	1.....	1
Totals	218	218	219	655	217.....	872

- There have been 218 women's FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour events (open, Grand Slam, Olympic and Goodwill). The first women's FIVB Swatch World Tour event was played August 14-16, 1992 at Almeria, Spain.
- There have been only 20 events that featured four different countries in the semi-finals. The last time was the 2010 FIVB Swatch World Tour stop in Phuket, Thailand (11/2-7/2010) (United States, Italy, Brazil and the Netherlands). Happened three times in 2010 as well as in 2003 and 2004.
- Brazil has advanced a team(s) to a FIVB semifinal 201 times.
 - Brazil has had three teams advance to the semi-finals in 40 events.
 - Brazil has captured all three podium finishes at 18 different events.
 - Brazil has captured all four semi-final berths three times.
- Brazil has had a team(s) in 166 Gold Medal matches.
 - Brazil has advanced two teams to the Gold Medal match 44 times.
- The United States has advanced a team(s) to a FIVB semifinal 158 times.
 - The United States has advanced three teams to the semifinals in 17 events.
 - The United States captured all three podium places twice (Norway 2004, France 2008).
- The United States has had a team(s) in 124 Gold Medal matches.
 - The United States has advanced two teams to the Gold Medal match in 20 events.
- China has advanced a team(s) to a FIVB semifinal 55 times.
 - China has advanced three teams to a semifinal once.
 - China has advanced two teams to a semifinal 15 times.
- China has had a team(s) in 33 Gold Medal matches.
 - China has advanced two teams to a gold medal match three times.
- Australia has advanced a team(s) to a FIVB semifinal 50 times.
 - Australia has advanced two teams to a FIVB semifinal twice.
- Germany has advanced a team to a FIVB semifinal 35 times
 - Germany has advanced two teams to a FIVB semifinal twice.
- There have been 150 events where two different countries competed for the Gold Medal

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TOP SEVEN - Six Brazilian women tandems finished among the top seven finishes in the 2004 Rio de Janeiro event. This was a "first" in FIVB Beach Volleyball Swatch World Tour history for either men or women teams.

MEN'S SWATCH FIVB WORLD TOUR SEASON OPENING EVENTS - Of the 24 season opening events, 12 have been staged in Brazil with host country teams winning five times. Overall, Brazilian teams have won 11 season-opening events. American men's teams won the first seven season-opening events and nine overall. Teams from Norway, Switzerland, Argentina and Germany have also won season opening events. As for season-opening event podium placements, Brazil has claimed 39 medals (11 gold, 17 silver and 11 bronze) followed by the United States 15 (9, 3, 3), Argentina 5 (1, 2, 2), Switzerland 4 (1, 1, 2), Germany 3 (1, 0, 2), Canada 2 (0, 0, 2), Australia 1 (0, 0, 1), Austria 1 (0, 0, 1), China 1 (0, 1, 0) and Norway 1 (1, 0, 0).

Season	Site (Date), Prize Money, FIVB Event	Gold Medal Team	Seed	Silver Medal Team	Seed	Bronze Medal Team	Seed
1987	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/17-22), \$21,757, No. 1	Sinjin Smith/Randy Stoklos, USA		Karch Kiraly/Pat Powers, USA		Renan Dal Zotto/Jose Montanaro, BRA	
1988	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/20-28), \$51,500, No. 2	Kiraly/Powers, USA		Luis Amerigo/Bernard Rajzman, BRA		Renan/Montanaro, BRA	
1989	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/18-26), \$50,000, No. 3	Smith/Stoklos, USA		Edinho Goncalves /Eduardo Tinoco, BRA		Mike Dodd/Tim Hovland, USA	
1990	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/13-18), \$50,000, No. 6	Smith/Stoklos, USA		Dodd/Hovland, USA		Roberto Lopes/Franco Neto, BRA	
1991	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/19-23), \$50,000, No. 10	Smith/Stoklos, USA		Hovland/Kent Steffes, USA		Andrè Lima/Guilherme Marquez, BRA	
1992	Australia - Sydney (1/15-19), \$50,000, No. 16	Smith/Stoklos, USA		Andrè/Guilherme, BRA		Roberto Lopes/Franco, BRA	
1993	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/9-14), \$100,000, No. 21	Adam Johnson/Steffes, USA		Eduard Bacil/Jose Loiola, BRA	8	Roberto Lopes/Franco, BRA	5
1994	USA - Miami Beach (1/18-22), \$100,000, No. 23	Jan Kvalheim/Bjorn Maaseide, NOR	12	Roberto Lopes/Franco, BRA	5	Carlos Briceno/Jeff Williams, USA	3
1995	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/16-19), \$200,000, No. 30	Andre Gomes/Alemao Loss, BRA	11	Emanuel Rego/Zé Marco de Melo, BRA	7	Roberto Lopes/Franco, BRA	1
1996	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/8-11), \$200,000, No. 47	Roberto Lopes/Franco, BRA	1	Emanuel/Zé Marco, BRA	2	John Child/Mark Heese, CAN	5
1997	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/20-23), \$150,000, No. 63	Emanuel/Zé Marco, BRA	1	Bacil/Loiola, BRA	32	Jody Holden/Conrad Leinemann, CAN	12
1998	Argentina - Mar del Plata (1/16-18), \$170,000, No. 74	Martin Laciga/Paul. Laciga, SUI	7	Paulao Moreira/Paulo Emilio Silva, BRA	2	Emanuel/Loiola, BRA	1
1999	Argentina - Mar del Plata (1/15-17), \$170,000, No. 88	Emanuel/Loiola, BRA	1	Martin Conde/Eduardo Martinez, ARG	3	Guilherme/Para Ferreira, BRA	6
2000	Argentina - Mar del Plata (1/12-16), \$150,000, No. 101	Mariano Baracetti/Jose Salema, ARG	10	Ricardo Santos/Zé Marco, BRA	1	Julien Prosser/Lee Zahner, AUS	4
2001	Spain - Canary Islands (6/13-17), \$180,000, No. 116	Emanuel/Tande Ramos, BRA	1	M. Laciga/P. Laciga, SUI	4	Baracetti/Conde, ARG	22
2002	Germany - Berlin (6/12-16), \$150,000, No. 128	Harley Marques Silva/Pará, BRA	7	Baracetti/Conde, ARG	3	M. Dieckmann/Jonas Reckermann, GER	6
2003	Greece - Rhodes (6/4-8), \$150,000, No. 138	Dain Blanton/Jeff Nygaard, USA	24	Marcio Araujo/Benjamin Insfran, BRA	1	ikolas Berger/Clemens Doppler, AUT	14
2004	Brazil - Salvador (3/16-21), \$180,000, No. 148	Emanuel/Ricardo, BRA	1	Patrick Heuscher/Stefan Kobel, SUI	6	Baracetti/Conde, ARG	11
2005	China - Shanghai (5/18-22), \$200,000, No. 163	C. Dieckmann/Andreas Scheuerpflug, GER	3	Emanuel/Ricardo, BRA	1	Markus Egger/M. Laciga, SUI	6
2006	China - Shanghai (5/23-27), \$200,000, No. 178	Marcio Araujo/Fabio Magalhaes, BRA	2	Pedro Cunha/Franco, BRA	5	Julius Brink/C. Dieckmann, GER	6
2007	China - Shanghai (5/1-57), \$200,000, No. 192	Harley/Pedro Salgado, BRA	7	Marcio Araujo/Fabio, BRA	3	Heuscher/Sascha Heyer, SUI	8
2008	Australia - Adelaide (3/25-30), \$175,000, No. 209	Harley/Salgado, BRA	4	Penggen Wu/Linyin Xu, CHN	7	Phil Dalhausser/Todd Rogers, USA	2
2009	Brazil - Brasília (4/21-26), \$190,000, No. 230	Emanuel/Ricardo, BRA	3	Alison Cerutti/Harley, BRA	4	Marcio Araujo/Fabio, BRA	8
2010	Brazil - Brasília (4/20-25), \$190,000, No. 244	Dalhausser/Rogers, USA	3	Alison/Emanuel, BRA	5	Benjamin/Bruno Oscar Schmidt, BRA	6

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Season	Site (Date), Prize Money, FIVB Event	Gold Medal Team	Seed	Silver Medal Team	Seed	Bronze Medal Team	Seed
1992	Spain - Almeria (8/14-16), \$50,000, No. 1	Karolyn Kirby/Nancy Reno, USA		Linda Chisholm/Angela Rock, USA		Rose Moreira/Roseli Timm, BRA	
1993	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/9-14), \$50,000, No. 2	Kirby/Reno, USA		Monica Rodrigues/Adriana Samuel, BRA		Karina Silva/Jackie. Silva, BRA	
1994	USA - Miami Beach (1/15-22), \$50,000, No. 4	Isabel Salgado/Timm, BRA		Barbra Fontana/Lori Forsythe, USA		Kirby/Liz Masakayan, USA	
1995	Chile - LaSerena (2/9-12/95), \$50,000, No. 10	Sandra Pires/Jackie. Silva, BRA	12	Kirby/Deb Richardson, USA	6	Fontana/Forsythe, USA	5
1996	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/28-3/2/96), \$150,000, No. 21	Pires/Jackie, BRA	1	Natalie Cook/Kerri Pottharst, AUS	5	Adriana Behar /Shelda Bede, BRA	15
1997	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/13-16/97), \$120,000, No. 33	Rodrigues/Samuel, BRA	4	Lisa Arce/Holley McPeak, USA	3	Sandra/Jackie, BRA	1
1998	Brazil - Rio de Janeiro (2/26-3/1/98), \$170,000, No. 42	Adriana/Shelda, BRA	2	Pauline Manser/Pottharst, AUS	13	Sandra/Jackie, BRA	4
1999	Mexico - Acapulco (4/9-11/99), \$170,000, No. 51	Adriana/Shelda, BRA	1	Manser/Pottharst, AUS	4	Cook/Angela Clarke, AUS	15
2000	Brazil - Vitoria (2/3-6/00), \$150,000, No. 58	Masakayan/Elaine Youngs, USA	2	Sandra/Samuel, BRA	4	Yukiko Takahashi/Mika Teru Saiki, JPN	7
2001	Macau - Macau (4/4-8/01), \$180,000, No. 71	Cook/Pottharst, AUS	2	Adriana/Shelda, BRA	3	Misty May-Treanor/McPeak, USA	1
2002	Spain - Madrid (6/5-9/02), \$150,000, No. 83	May-Treanor/Kerri Walsh, USA	2	Ana Paula Connelly/Tatiana Minello, BRA	18	Cook/Pottharst, AUS	3
2003	Greece - Rhodes (6/11-15/03), \$150,000, No. 94	Ana Paula/Sandra, BRA	5	Adriana/Shelda, BRA	2	May-Treanor/Walsh, USA	1
2004	Brazil - Fortaleza (3/9-14/04), \$180,000, No. 106	May-Treanor/Walsh, USA	1	Adriana/Shelda, BRA	2	Juliana F. Silva/Larissa Franca, BRA	28
2005	China - Shanghai (5/17-21 /05), \$200,000, No. 119	Juliana/Larissa, BRA	2	Adriana/Shelda, BRA	1	Shaylyn Bedê/Ana Paula, BRA	5
2006	Italy - Modena (5/10-14/06), \$200,000, No. 135	Juliana/Larissa, BRA	2	May-Treanor/Walsh, USA	1	Jia Tian/Jie Wang, CHN	22
2007	China - Shanghai (5/2-6/07), \$200,000, No. 150	Tian/Wang, CHN	1	Hakedal/Torlen, NOR	5	Talita Antunes /Renata Ribeiro, BRA	4
2008	Australia - Adelaide (3/25-30/08), \$175,000, No. 167	Juliana/Larissa, BRA	1	Talita/Renata, BRA	5	Shelda/Ana Paula, BRA	11
2009	Brazil - Brasília (4/20-25), \$190,000, No. 187	Juliana/Larissa, BRA	5	Jen Kessy/April Ross, USA	1	Sara Goller/Laura Ludwig, GER	11
2010	Brazil - Brasília (4/19-24), \$190,000, No. 203	Juliana/Larissa, BRA	1	Goller/Ludwig, GER	5	Carolina Salgado/Maria C Salgado, BRA	9