

2020 Olympic Games Statistics - Women's 1500m

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The records to look for in Tokyo:

- 1) Can Kipyegon become second (after Kazankina) 1500m runner to win the Olympic twice?
- 2) (If she run) Can Hassan win first medal for NED at the Olympic 1500m?
- 3) ETH never won an Olympic gold at W1500m; American never won gold nor silver at W1500m.

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All time Performance List at the Olympic Games

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3	3	3:56.56	Tatyana Kazankina	URS	1	Moskva	1980
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5	5	3:57.08	Qu Yunxia	CHN	3	Barcelona	1992
6	6	3:57.71	Christiane Wartenberg	GDR	2	Moskva	1980
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Fastest non-qualifier for the final

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Last eight Olympics:

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2016	Faith Kipyegon	KEN	4:08.92	Genzebe Dibaba	ETH	4:10.27	Jenny Simpson	USA	4:10.53
2012	Maryam Jamal	BRN	4:10.74	Tatyana Tomashova	RUS	4:10.90	Abeba Aregawi	SWE	4:11.03
2008	Nancy Lagat	KEN	4:00.23	Iryna Lischynska	UKR	4:01.63	Nataliya Tobias	UKR	4:01.78
2004	Kelly Holmes	GBR	3:57.90	Tatyana Tomashova	RUS	3:58.12	Maria Cioncan	ROU	3:58.39
2000	Nouria Merah-Benida	ALG	4:05.10	Violeta Szekely	ROU	4:05.15	Gabriela Szabo	ROU	4:05.27
1996	Svetlana Masterkova	RUS	4:00.83	Gabriela Szabo	ROU	4:01.54	Theresia Kiesl	AUT	4:03.02
1992	Hassiba Boulmerka	ALG	3:55.30	Lyudmila Rogachova	EUN	3:56.91	Qu Yunxia	CHN	3:57.08
1988	Paula Ivan	ROU	3:53.96	Laimute Baikauskaite	URS	4:00.24	Tatyana Samolenko	URS	4:00.30

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8	8	3:57.92	Tatyana Samolenko	EUN	4	Barcelona	1992
9	9	3:58.12	Tatyana Tomashova	RUS	2	Athinai	2004
10	10	3:58.39	Maria Cioncan	ROU	3	Athinai	2004
11	11	3:59.05	Natalya Yevdokimova	RUS	4	Athinai	2004
12	12	3:59.10	Daniela Yordanova	BUL	5	Athinai	2004
13		3:59.12	Tatyana Kazankina		1h1	Moskva	1980
14	13	3:59.27	Lidia Chojecka	POL	6	Athinai	2004
15	14	3:59.48	Nadezhda Olizarenko	URS	2h1	Moskva	1980
16		3:59.52	Nadezhda Olizarenko		3	Moskva	1980
17	15	4:00.15	Anna Jakubczak	POL	7	Athinai	2004
18	16	4:00.20	Liu Li	CHN	5	Barcelona	1992
19	17	4:00.23	Nancy Chebet Lagat	KEN	1	Beijing	2008
20	18	4:00.24	Laimute Baikauskaite	URS	2	Seoul	1988
21	19	4:00.30	Gabriella Dorio	ITA	4	Moskva	1980
22		4:00.30	Tatyana Samolenko		3	Seoul	1988
23		4:00.31	Christiane Wartenberg		3h1	Moskva	1980
24	20	4:00.59	Mayte Zuniga	ESP	6	Barcelona	1992
25	21	4:00.62	Ulrike Bruns	GDR	5	Moskva	1980
26	23	4:00.64	Christina Boxer Cahill	GBR	4	Seoul	1988
27	24	4:00.67	Elvan Abeylegesse	TUR	8	Athinai	2004
28	25	4:00.83	Svetlana Masterkova	RUS	1	Atlanta	1996
29	26	4:00.86	Lynn Williams	CAN	5	Seoul	1988
30	27	4:00.96	Andrea Hahmann	GDR	6	Seoul	1988
31	28	4:01.25	Lyubov Smolka	URS	6	Moskva	1980
32	29	4:01.26	Maricica Puica	ROU	7	Moskva	1980
33	30	4:01.38	Lyudmila Bragina	URS	1	Munchen	1972

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Difference between first and third

	Diff	Winning time	3 rd place time	Winner's Name	Nat	Venue	Year
Max	6.34	3:53.96	4:00.30	Paula Ivan	ROU	Seoul	1988
Min	0.17	4:05.10	4:05.27	Nouria Merah-Benida	ALG	Sydney	2000

Difference between third and fourth (medal versus no medal)

	Difference	3 rd place time	Name	Nat	Venue	Year
Max	1.26	4:02.85	Paola Pigni Cacchi	ITA	München	1972

Min	0.06	4:05.27	Gabriela Szabo	ROU	Sydney	2000
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Fastest time in each round (2 rounds in 1980, 1984, 1988, 2008)

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Average of last nine Olympics

	Average	2016	2012	2008	2004	2000	1996	1992	1988	1984
Winning Time	4:01.80	4:08.92	4:10.74	4:00.23	3:57.90	4:05.10	4:00.83	3:55.30	3:53.96	4:03.25
Winning Medal (3 rd)	4:03.51	4:10:53	4:11.03	4:01.78	3:58.39	4:05.27	4:03.02	3:57.08	4:00.30	4:04.15
Missing Medal (4 th)	4:03.92	4:11.05	4:11.26	4:02.10	3:59.05	4:05.33	4:03.56	3:57.92	4:00.64	4:04.41
8 th place	4:06.99	4:13.14	4:16.57	4:04.86	4:00.67	4:08.30	4:05.92	4:02.03	4:02.49	4:08.92
Slowest to make final	4:08.32	4:06.41	4:05.47	4:14.34	4:07.39	4:07.65	4:11.12	4:04.55	4:07.22	4:10.69

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5	3:59.10	Daniela Yordanova	BUL	Athinai	2004
6	3:59.27	Lidia Chojecka	POL	Athinai	2004
7	4:00.15	Anna Jakubczak	POL	Athinai	2004
8	4:00.67	Elvan Abeylegesse	TUR	Athinai	2004

Best Marks for Places – All Competitions

Pos	Time	Name	Nat	Venue	DayMonthYear
1	3:50.07	Genzebe Dibaba	ETH	Monaco	17 July 2015
	3:50.46	Qu Yunxia	CHN	Beijing	11 Sept 1993
2	3:51.34	Lang Yinglai	CHN	Shanghai	18 Oct 1997
	3:51.92	Wang Junxia	CHN	Beijing	11 Sept 1993
3	3:53.91	Yin Lili	CHN	Shanghai	18 Oct 1997
	3:55.47	Zhang Ling (heat)	CHN	Shanghai	10 Oct 1997
	3:56.29	Shannon Rowbury	USA	Monaco	17 July 2015
4	3:53.97	Lan Lixin	CHN	Shanghai	18 Oct 1997
	3:55.82	Dong Yanmei (heat)	CHN	Shanghai	17 Oct 1997
	3:56.9	Zamira Zaytseva	URS	Moskva	6 July 1980
5	3:54.52	Zhang Ling	CHN	Shanghai	18 Oct 1997
	3:56.31	Liu Dong (heat)	CHN	Shanghai	17 Oct 1997

	3:57.4	Yekaterina Podkopayeva	RUS	Moskva	6 July 1980
6	3:55.07	Dong Yanmei	CHN	Shanghai	18 Oct 1997
	3:57.03	Liu Jing	CHN	Shanghai	18 Oct 1997
	3:58.20	Anita Weyermann	SUI	Monaco	8 Aug 1998

Multiple Gold Medalists:

Tatyana Kazankina (URS): 1976, 1980

Multiple Medalists:

Gabriela Szabo (ROU): 1996 Silver, 2000 Bronze

Gunhild Hoffmeister (GDR): 1972 Silver, 1976 Silver

Tatyana Kazankina (URS): 1976 Gold, 1980 Gold

Multiple Medals by athletes from a single nation

Nation	Year	Gold	Silver	Bronze
UKR	2008		Iryna Lishchnska	Nataliya Tobias
ROU	2000		Violeta Szekely	Gabriela Szabo
URS	1988		Laimute Baikauskaite	Tatyana Samolenko
ROU	1984		Doina Melinte	Marcica Puica
URS	1980	Tatyana Kazankina		Nadezhda Olizarenko
GDR	1976		Gunhild Hoffmeister	Ulrike Klapezynski

Man & Woman from the same team winning the corresponding event:

Nation	Men	Women	Venue	Year
KEN	Asbel Kiprop	Nancy Lagat	Beijing	2008

Individual Medals by Countries:

Nation	Gold	Silver	Bronze
URS	3	1	2
ALG	2		
KEN	2		
ROU	1	3	3
RUS	1	2	
ITA	1		1
BRN	1		
GBR	1		
GDR		3	1
UKR		1	1
EUN		1	
ETH		1	
CHN			1
AUT			1
SWE			1
USA			1

World Champion with Olympic Gold medal

Name	Nat	World Championships	Olympics

Faith Kipyegon	KEN	2017	2016
Svetlana Masterkova	RUS	1999	1996
Hassiba Boulmerka	ALG	1991, 1995	1992

World Indoor Championships medalist with Olympic medal

Name	Nat	World Indoor Championships	Year	Olympics	Year
Genzebe Dibaba	ETH	Gold	2012, 2018	Silver	2016
Maryam Jamal	BRN	Silver	2008	Gold	2012
Kelly Holmes	GBR	Silver	2003	Gold	2004
Violeta Szekely	ROU	Silver	1993, 1999, 2001	Silver	2000
Gabriela Szabo	ROU	Gold	1999	Silver	1996
Lyudmila Rogachova	URS	Gold	1991	Silver	1992
Tatyana Samolenko	URS	Silver	1987	Bronze	1988
Doina Melinte	ROU	Gold	1987, 1989	Silver	1984

Olympic medalist who previously won World Junior Championships medalist

Name	Nat	Olympic Games	Year	World Junior Championships	Year
Faith Kipyegon	KEN	Gold	2016	Gold	
Qu Yunxia	CHN	Bronze	1992	Gold	1990

Olympic Gold medalist who previously won World Youth gold medal:

Name	Nat	Olympic Games	World Youth Championships
Faith Kipyegon	KEN	2016	2011

Olympic gold medalist with European Championships gold medal

Name	Nat	Olympics	European Championships
Svetlana Masterkova	RUS	1996	1998

Olympic medalist with Asian Games/Asian Championships gold medal

Name	Nat	Olympics	Year	Asian Games	Asian Championships
Maryam Jamal	BRN	Gold	2012	2010, 2006	
Qu Yunxia	CHN	Bronze	1992	1994	1991

Olympic champion with African Championships gold medal:

Name	Nat	Olympics	African Championships
Nancy Lagat	KEN	2008	2010

Olympic medalist with Pan American Games medal: None

Olympic champion with Commonwealth Games Gold medal

Name	Nat	Olympics	Commonwealth Games
Faith Kipyegon	KEN	2016	2014
Nancy Lagat	KEN	2008	2010
Kelly Holmes	GBR	2004	1994, 2002

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Last ten World Championships:

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2019	Sifan Hassan	NED	3:51.95	Faith Kipyegon	KEN	3:54.22	Gudaf Tsegay	ETH	3:54.38
2017	Faith Kipyegon	KEN	4:02.59	Jennifer Simpson	USA	4:02.76	Caster Semenya	RSA	4:02.90
2015	Genzebe Dibaba	ETH	4:08.09	Faith Kipyegon	KEN	4:08.96	Sifan Hassan	NED	4:09.34
2013	Abeba Aregawi	SWE	4:02.67	Jennifer Simpson	USA	4:02.99	Hellen Obiri	KEN	4:03.86
2011	Jennifer Simpson	USA	4:05.40	Hannah England	GBR	4:05.68	Natalia Rodriguez	ESP	4:05.87
2009	Maryam Jamal	BRN	4:03.74	Lisa Dobriskey	GBR	4:03.75	Shannon Rowbury	USA	4:04.18
2007	Maryam Jamal	BRN	3:58.75	Irya Lishchynska	RUS	4:00.69	Daniela Yordanova	BUL	4:00.82
2005	Tatyana Tomashova	RUS	4:00.35	Olga Yegorova	RUS	4:01.46	Bouchra Ghezielle	FRA	4:02.45
2003	Tatyana Tomashova	RUS	3:58.52	Süreya Ayhan	TUR	3:59.04	Hayley Tullett	GBR	3:59.95
2001	Gabriela Szabo	ROU	4:00.57	Violeta Szekely	ROU	4:01.70	Natalya Gorelova	RUS	4:02.40

Last ten World Indoor Championships:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2018	Genzebe Dibaba	ETH	4:05.27	Laura Muir	GBR	4:06.23	Sifan Hassan	NED	4:07.26
2016	Sifan Hassan	NED	4:04.96	Dawit Seyaum	ETH	4:05.30	Gudaf Tsegay	ETH	4:05.71
2014	Abeba Aregawi	SWE	4:00.61	Axumawit Embaye	ETH	4:07.12	Nicole Sifuentes	CAN	4:07.61
2012	Gezebe Dibaba	ETH	4:05.78	Mariam Alaoui Selsouli	MAR	4:07.78	Asli Cakir	TUR	4:08.74
2010	Kalkidan Gezahegne	ETH	4:08.14	Natalia Rodriguez	ESP	4:08.30	Gelete Burka	ETH	4:08:39
2008	Gelete Burka	ETH	3:59.75	Maryam Yusuf Jamal	BRN	3:59.79	Daniela Yordanova	BUL	4:04.19
2006	Yuliya Chizhenko	RUS	4:04.70	Yelena Soboleva	RUS	4:05.21	Maryam Jamal	BRN	4:05.53
2004	Kutre Dulecha	ETH	4:06.40	Carmen Douma-Hussar	CAN	4:08.18	Gulnara Samitova	RUS	4:08.26
2003	Regina Jacobs	USA	4:01.67	Kelly Holmes	GBR	4:02.66	Yekaterina Rozenberg	RUS	4:02.80
2001	Hasna Benhassi	MAR	4:10.83	Violeta Szekely	ROU	4:11.17	Natalya Gorelova	RUS	4:11.74

Last eleven World Junior Championships:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2018	Alemaz Samuel	ETH	4:09.67	Miriam Cherop	KEN	4:10.73	Delia Sclabas	SUI	4:11.98
2016	Adanech Anbesa	ETH	4:08.07	Fantu Worku	ETH	4:08.43	Christiana Aragon	USA	4:08.71
2014	Dawit Seyaum	ETH	4:09.86	Gudaf Tsegay	ETH	4:10.83	Sheila Chepngetich	KEN	4:11.21
2012	Faith Kipyegon	KEN	4:04.96	Amela Terzic	SRB	4:07.59	Senbere Teferi	ETH	4:08.28
2010	Tizita Bogale	ETH	4:08.06	Ciara Mageean	IRL	4:09.51	Nancy Chepkwemoi	KEN	4:11.04
2008	Stephanie Twell	GBR	4:15.09	Kalkedan Gezahegne	ETH	4:16.58	Emma Pallant	GBR	4:17.06
2006	Irene Jelagat	KEN	4:08.88	Mercy Kosgei	KEN	4:12.48	Yuriko Kobayashi	JPN	4:12.88
2004	Nelya Neporadna	UKR	4:15.90	Anna Alminova	RUS	4:16.32	Siham Hilali	MAR	4:17.39
2002	Viola Kibiwott	KEN	4:12.57	Birhane Hirpassa	ETH	4:13.59	Olesya Syreva	RUS	4:14.32
2000	Abebech Nigussie	ETH	4:19.93	Rose Kosgei	KEN	4:20.16	George Clarke	AUS	4:20.21
1998	Lan Lixin	CHN	4:10.45	Yimenashu Taye	ETH	4:11.97	Bouchra Benthani	MAR	4:12.76

Last ten World Youth Championships

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2017	Lemlem Hailu	ETH	4:20.80	Sindu Girma	ETH	4:22.14	Edina Jebitok	KEN	4:23.16
2015	Bedatu Hirpa	ETH	4:12.92	Dalila Abdulkadir	BRN	4:13.35	Joyline Cherotich	KEN	4:15.20

2013	Tigist Gashaw	ETH	4:14.25	Dawit Seyoum	ETH	4:15.51	Alexa Efraimson	USA	4:16.07
2011	Faith Chepngetich Kipyegon	KEN	4:09.48	Senbere Teferi	ETH	4:10.54	Genet Tibiese	ETH	4:11.56
2009	Nelly Chebet Ngeiywo	KEN	4:12.76	Gete Dima	ETH	4:15.16	Amela Terzic	SRB	4:16.71
2007	Sammary Cherotich	KEN	4:15.47	Jordan Hasay	USA	4:17.24	Sheila Chepkirui	KEN	4:19.26
2005	Sheila Chepkirui	KEN	4:12.29	Yuriko Kobayashi	JPN	4:13.96	Bizunesh Urgesa	ETH	4:19.34
2003	Alem Techale	ETH	4:17.41	Jelena Stina	LAT	4:17.43	Joyce Musungu	KEN	4:17.65
2001	Georgie Clarke	AUS	4:14.08	Florence Kyalo	KEN	4:15.71	Sentayehu Ejigu	ETH	4:17.51
1999	Zanelle Grobler	RSA	4:23.06	Chibiwott Kibet	KEN	4:24.43	Elaine du Plessis	RSA	4:24.59

Last eight European Championships:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2018	Laura Muir	GBR	4:02.32	Sofia Ennaoui	POL	4:03.08	Laura Weightman	GBR	4:03.75
2016	Angelika Cichocka	POL	4:33.00	Sifan Hassan	NED	4:33.76	Ciara Mageean	IRL	4:33.78
2014	Sifan Hassan	NED	4:04.18	Abeba Aregawi	SWE	4:05.08	Laura Weightman	GBR	4:06.32
2012	Gamze Bulut	TUR	4:06.04	Anna Mishchenko	UKR	4:07.74	Nuria Fernandez	ESP	4:08.80
2010	Nuria Fernandez	ESP	4:00.20	Hind Dehiba	FRA	4:01.17	Natalia Rodriguez	ESP	4:01.30
2006	Tatyana Tomashovva	RUS	3:56.91	Yuliya Chizhenko	RUS	3:57.61	Daniela Yordanova	BUL	3:59.37
2002	Süreya Ayhan	TUR	3:58.79	Gabriela Szabo	ROU	3:58.81	Tatyana Tomashova	RUS	4:01.28
1998	Svetlana Masterkova	RUS	4:11.91	Carla Sacramento	POR	4:12.62	Anita Weyermann	SUI	4:13.07

Last six Asian Games:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2018	Kalkidan Gezahegne	BRN	4:07.88	Tigist Gashaw	BRN	4:09.12	Unnikrishnan Chitra	IND	4:12.56
2014	Maryam Jamal	BRN	4:09.90	Mimi Belete	BRN	4:11.03	Orchatteri P Jaisha	IND	4:13.46
2010	Maryam Jamal	BRN	4:08.22	Truong Thanh Hang	VIE	4:09.58	Mimi Belete	BRN	4:10.42
2006	Maryam Jamal	BRN	4:08.63	Yuriko Kobayashi	JPN	4:14.96	Sinimole Paulose	IND	4:15.09
2002	Sunita Rani	IND	4:06.03	Tatyana Borisova	KGZ	4:12.53	Yoshiko Ichikawa	JPN	4:13.42
1998	Jyotirmoy Sikdar	IND	4:12:82	Wang Qingfen	CHN	4:13.19	Sunita Rani	IND	4:13.66

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2019	Unnikrishnan Chitra	IND	4:14.56	Tigirst Gashaw	BRN	4:14.81	Winfred Yavi	BR	4:16.18
2017	Chitra P U	IND	4:17.92	Geng Min	CHN	4:19.15	Ayako Jinnouchi	JPN	4:19.90
2015	Betlhem Desalegn	UAE	4:29.39	Zhang Jing	CHN	4:29.40	Maya Jinno	JPN	4:32.90
2013	Betlhem Belayneh	UAE	4:13.67	Gebregeiorges Mimi	BRN	4:14.04	Ayako Jinnouchi	JPN	4:16.73
2011	Genzeb Shumi Regasa	BRN	4:15.91	Truong Thanh Hang	VIE	4:18.40	O Orchatteri Puthiya	IND	4:21.41
2009	Zhou Haiyan	CHN	4:32.74	Liu Fang	CHN	4:33.35	Truong Thanh Hang	VIE	4:33.46
2007	Sinimol Paulose	IND	4:25.67	Sara Bekheet Youssef	BRN	4:26.21	Truong Thanh Hang	VIE	4:26.77
2005	Miho Sugimori	JPN	4:12.69	Svetlana Lukasheva	KAZ	4:13.83	Yuriko Kobayashi	JPN	4:14.15
2003	Tatyana Borisova	KGZ	4:15.97	Madhuri A Singh	IND	4:17.87	Svetlana Lukasheva	KAZ	4:23.12
2002	Tatyana Borisova	KGZ	4:16.27	Svetlana Lukasheva	KAZ	4:18.63	Mizuho Nasukawa	JPN	4:19.27
2000	Wu Qingdong	CHN	4:17.82	Zhang Ling	CHN	4:18.31	Tokgo Sun-Ok	PRK	4:20.04

Last six All Africa Games:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2019	Quaillyne Kiprop	KEN	4:19.33	Mary Kuria	KEN	4:20.19	Lemlem Hailu	ETH	4:20.60
2015	Dawit Seyaum	ETH	4:16.69	Besu Sado	ETH	4:18.86	Beatrice	KEN	4:19.16
2011	Irene Jelagat	KEN	4:13.67	Joyce Chepkirui	KEN	4:13.71	Tizita Bogale	ETH	4:14.41
2007	Gelete Burka	ETH	4:06.89	Veronica Nyaruai	KEN	4:09.11	Agnes Samaria	NAM	4:09.18
2003	Kutre Dulecha	ETH	4:21.63	Jackline Maranga	KEN	4:22.69	Naomi Mugo	KEN	4:24.33
1999	Kutre Dulecha	ETH	4:18.33	Nouria Merah-Benida	ALG	4:18.69	Jackline Maranga	KEN	4:19.31

Last ten African Championships:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2018	Winyi Chebet	KEN	4:14.02	Rabab Arrafi	MAR	4:14.12	Malika Akkaoui	MAR	4:14.17
2016	Caster Semenya	RSA	4:01.99	Arrafi	MAR	4:03.95	F Adanech	ETH	4:05.22
2014	Hellen Obiri	KEN	4:09.53	Dawit Seyaum	ETH	4:10.92	Rabab Arrafi	MAR	4:12.08
2012	Rabab Arafai	MAR	4:05.80	Mary Kuria	KEN	4:06.22	Margaret Muriuki	KEN	4:06.50
2010	Nancy Langat	KEN	4:10.43	GeleteBurka	ETH	4:11.12	Btissam Lakhoad	MAR	4:11.81
2008	Gelete Burka	ETH	4:08.25	Meskerem Asssefa	ETH	4:10.40	Agnes Samaria	NAM	4:13.91
2006	Nouriah Merah-Benida	ALG	4:23.26	Safa Issaoui	TUN	4:24.08	Birhane Hirpassa	ETH	4:24.09
2004	Nancy Langat	KEN	4:24.56	Saida El Mehdi	MAR	4:24.87	Jeruto Kiptum	KEN	4:25.85
2002	Jackline Maranga	KEN	4:18.91	Abir Nakhi	TUN	4:19.02	Hasna Benhassi	MAR	4:20.15
2000	Nouria Merah-Benida	ALG	4:16.14	Gladys Wamuyu	KEN	4:16.56	Berhane Herpassa	ETH	4:16.87

Last six Pan American Games:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2019	Dominique Hiltz	USA	4:07.14	Aisha Praught	JAM	4:08.26	Alexa Efraimson	USA	4:08.63
2015	Muriel Coneo	COL	4:09.05	Nicole Sifuentes	CAN	4:09.13	Sasha Gollish	CAN	4:10.11
2011	Adriana Muñoz	CUB	4:26.09	Rosibel Garcia	COL	4:26.78	Malindi Elmore	CAN	4:27.57
2007	Juliana dos Santos	BRA	4:13.36	Mary Harrelson	USA	4:15.24	Rosibel Garcia	COL	4:15.78
2003	Adriana Muñoz	CUB	4:09.57	Mary J Harrelson	USA	4:09.72	Mardrea Hyman	JAM	4:10.08
1999	Marla Runyan	USA	4:16.86	Leah Pells	CAN	4:16.86	Stephanie Best	USA	4:18.44

Last six Commonwealth Games:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2018	Caster Semenya	RSA	4:00.71	Beatrice	KEN	4:03.09	Melissa Courtney	WAL	4:03.44
2014	Faith Kipyegon	KEN	4:08.94	Laura Weightman	ENG	4:09.24	Kate Van Buskirk	CAN	4:09.41
2010	Nancy Langat	KEN	4:05.26	Nikki Hamblin	NZL	4:05.97	Stephanie Twell	SCO	4:06.15
2006	Lisa Dobriskey	ENG	4:06.21	Sarah Jamieson	AUS	4:06.64	Hayley Tullett	WAL	4:06.76
2002	Kelly Holmes	ENG	4:05.99	Hayley Tullett	WAL	4:07.52	Helen Pattinson	ENG	4:07.62
1998	Jackline Maranga	KEN	4:05.27	Kelly Holmes	ENG	4:06.10	Julia Sakara	ZIM	4:07.82

Fastest 1500m in Tokyo

Performance	Performer	Time	Name	Nat	Pos	DMY
1	1	4:02.21	Hassiba Boulmerka	ALG	1	31 Aug 1991
2	2	4:02.58	Tatyana Dorovskikh	URS	2	31 Aug 1991
3	3	4:02.72	Lyudmila Rogachova	URS	3	31 Aug 1991

Fastest 1500m in August

Performance	Performer	Time	Name	Nat	Pos	Venue	DMY
1	1	3:52.47	Tatyana Kazankina	URS	1	Zürich	13 Aug 1980
2	2	3:55.22	Laura Muir	GBR	1	Saint Denis	27 Aug 2016
3	3	3:55.30	Hassiba Boulmerka	ALG	1	Barcelona	8 Aug 1992
4	4	3:55.60	Sureyya Ayhan-Kop	TUR	1	Zürich	15 Aug 2003
5	5	3:56.18	Maryam Yusuf Jamal	BRN	1	Rieti	27 Aug 2006
6	6	3:56.22	Paula Ivan	ROU	1	Zürich	17 Aug 1988

Combined 2020 & 2021 World List

Performance	Performer	Time	Name	Nat	Pos	Venue	DMY
1	1	3:51.07	Faith Kipyegon	KEN	1	Monaco	9 July 2021
2	2	3:53.60	Sifan Hassan	NED	2	Monaco	9 July 2021
3		3:53.63	Sifan Hassan		1	Firenze	10 June 2021
4		3:53.81	Faith Kipyegon		2	Firenze	10 June 2021

5	3	3:54.01	Gudaf Tsegay	ETH	1	Chorzow	20 June 2021
6	4	3:55.59	Laura Muir	GBR	3	Firenze	10 June 2021
7	5	3:56.28	Freweyni Hailu	ETH	3	Monaco	9 July 2021
8		3:57.33	Freweyni Hailu		1	Hengelo	8 June 2021
9		3:57.40	Laura Muir		1	Berlin	13 Sept 2020
10		3:57.86	Laura Muir		1	Stockholm	23 Aug 2020
11	6	3:58.03	Elle Purrier St Pierre	USA	1	Eugene – OT	21 June 2021
12		3:58.24	Laura Muir		1	Chorzow	6 Sept 2020
13		3:58.36	Elle Purrier St Pierre		1	Walnut	9 May 2021
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	7	3:58.93	Diribe Welteji	ETH	2	Hengelo	8 June 2021
	8	3:59.43	Hirut Meshesha	ETH	2	Chorzow	20 June 2021
	9	3:59.67	Linden Hall	AUS	1	Melbourne	1 Apr 2021
	10	3:59.70	Sofia Ennaoui	POL	2	Chorzow	6 Sept 2020
	11	4:00.02	Karissa Schweizer	USA	1	Portland	21 July 2020
	12	4:00.09	Laura Weightman	GBR	2	Berlin	13 Sept 2020
	13	4:00.35	Lemlem Hailu	ETH	3	Hengelo	8 June 2021
	14	4:00.42	Jessica Hull	AUS	3	Berlin	13 Sept 2020
	15	4:00.46	Gabriela DeBues-Stafford	CAN	4	Firenze	10 June 2021
	16	4:00.67	Cory McGee	USA	2	Eugene – OT	21 Jun 2021
	17	4:00.73	Shannon Osika	USA	3	Walnut	9 May 2021
	18	4:00.84	Winnie Nanyondo	UGA	5	Firenze	10 June 2021

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