

# 2023 World Championships Statistics - Men's 4x100m Relay

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The records to look for in Budapest:

- 1) Can GBR become fourth nation to win the event multiple times?
- 2) CAN if they win silver and US if they win bronze will have complete set of medals.

## Summary:

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### Fastest non-qualifier for the final

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### Best Marks for Places in the World Championships

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4	37.72	BRA	Doha	2019
5	37.73	RSA	Doha	2019
6	38.07	CHN	Doha	2019

### World Championships:

Year	Gold	Time	Silver	Time	Bronze	Time
2022	CAN	37.48	USA	37.55	GBR	37.83
2019	USA	37.10	GBR	37.36	JPN	37.43
2017	GBR	37.47	USA	37.52	JPN	38.04
2015	JAM	37.36	CHN	38.01	CAN	38.13
2013	JAM	37.36	USA	37.66	CAN	37.92
2011	JAM	37.04	FRA	38.20	SKN	38.49
2009	JAM	37.31	TTO	37.62	GBR	38.02
2007	USA	37.78	JAM	37.89	GBR	37.90
2005	FRA	38.08	TTO	38.10	GBR	38.27

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10		37.48	CAN	1	Eugene	2022
13		37.50	USA	1	Tokyo	1991
14		37.52	USA	2	London	2017
15		37.55	USA	2	Eugene	2022
16		37.56	GBR	1h1	Doha	2019
17		37.59	USA	1	Sevilla	1999
18	5	37.62	TTO	2	Berlin	2009
19	6	37.65	RSA	1h2	Doha	2019
20		37.66	USA	2	Moskva	2013
21		37.70	USA	1h1	London	2017
22	7	37.72	BRA	4	Doha	2019
23		37.73	GBR	2	Sevilla	1999
23		37.73	RSA	5	Doha	2019
25		37.75	USA	1h2	Tokyo	1991
26		37.76	GBR	2h1	London	2017
27		37.77	GBR	2	Stuttgart	1993
28		37.78	USA	1	Osaka	2007
28		37.78	JPN	2h2	Doha	2019
30		37.79	USA	1h1	Daegu	2011
30	8	37.79	CHN	3h2	Doha	2019
32	9	37.83	CAN	3	Stuttgart	1993
32		37.83	GBR	3	Eugene	2022
34		37.86	USA	1	Helsinki	1983
34		37.86	CAN	1	Athinai	1997
36	10	37.87	FRA	2	Tokyo	1991
36		37.87	USA	1h1	Eugene	2022
38		37.88	FRA	2h2	Beijing	2015
38		37.88	FRA	4h2	Doha	2019
40		37.89	JAM	2	Osaka	2007
41		37.90	USA	1	Roma	1987
41		37.90	GBR	3	Osaka	2007
41		37.90	BRA	2h1	Doha	2019
44		37.91	TTO	1h2	Daegu	2011
44		37.91	USA	1h1	Beijing	2015
44	11	37.91	NED	5h2	Doha	2019
44		37.91	CAN	6h2	Doha	2019
48		37.92	CAN	3	Moskva	2013
48		37.92	CHN	3h2	Beijing	2015
50	12	37.94	NGR	1sf2	Athinai	1997
51		37.95	JAM	1h2	London	2017
52		37.99	CAN	2sf1	Stuttgart	1993
52		37.99	USA	1sf1	Paris	2003
52		37.99	BRA	4	Osaka	2007

55	13	38.01	ANT		4h2	Beijing	2015
55		38.01		CHN	2	Beijing	2015
57	14	38.02	URS		2	Roma	1987
57		38.02		JAM	1h2	Osaka	2007
57		38.02		GBR	3	Berlin	2009
60		38.03		JPN	5	Osaka	2007
60		38.03		CAN	5h2	Beijing	2015
60		38.03		FRA	2h2	London	2017
60		38.03		USA	3h1	Doha	2019
64	15	38.04	GER		4	Moskva	2013
64		38.04		JPN	3	London	2017
66		38.05		GBR	3h1	Sevilla	1999
66		38.05		BRA	3	Sevilla	1999
68	16	38.06	CUB		2sf2	Athinai	1997
68		38.06		USA	1h1	Sevilla	1999
68		38.06		USA	1	Paris	2003
68		38.06		USA	1h2	Moskva	2013
68		38.06		JAM	4	Eugene	2022

**Slowest winning time:** 38.47 by RSA in 2001

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	0.05 second	37.47	GBR	London	2017
	0.07 second	37.48	CAN	Eugene	2022
	0.11 second	37.78	USA	Osaka	2007
		38.47	RSA	Edmonton	2001

### Difference between first and third

	Diff	Winning time	3 <sup>rd</sup> place time	Winner	Venue	Year
Max	1.45	37.04	38.49	JAM	Daegu	2011
	0.81	38.06	38.87	USA	Paris	2003
Min	0.12	37.78	37.90	USA	Osaka	2007

### Difference between third and fourth (medal versus no medal)

	Diff	3 <sup>rd</sup> place time	Name	Venue	Year
Max	0.58	38.05	BRA	Sevilla	1999
Min	0.01	38.15	GBR	Athinai	1997
		38.27	GBR	Helsinki	2005
		38.49	SKN	Daegu	2011

### Fastest time in each round (no semi in 1991, 1999, 2005, 2011, 2013, 2015, 2017, 2019, 2022)

Round	Time	Name	Nat	Venue	Year
Final	37.04	Carter, Frater, Blake, Bolt	JAM	Daegu	2011
	37.10	Lyles, Coleman, Gatlin, Rodgers	USA	Doha	2019
Semi	37.40	Drummond, Cason, Mitchell, Burrell	USA	Stuttgart	1993
First round	37.41	Carter, Powell, Ashmeade, Bolt	JAM	Beijing	2015

	37.56	Kilty, Gemli, Hughes, Mitchell-Blake	GBR	Doha	2019
	37.70	Rodgers, Gatlin, B-J Lee, Coleman	USA	London	2017
	37.75	Cason, Burrell, Mitchell, Marsh	USA	Tokyo	1991

### Fastest non-qualifier for the final

Time	Position	Team	Venue	Year
37.91	6h2	CAN	Doha	2019
38.11	4h1	ITA	Doha	2019

### Average of last eleven (21<sup>st</sup> century) World Championships

	Average	2022	2019	2017	2015	2013	2011	2009	2007	2005	2003	2001
Winning Time	37.59	37.48	37.10	37.47	37.36	37.36	37.04	37.31	37.78	38.08	38.06	38.47
Winning Medal	38.16	37.83	37.43	38.04	38.13	37.92	38.49	38.02	37.90	38.27	38.87	38.83
Slowest to Make Final	38.56	38.58	38.03	38.48	38.57	38.41	38.47	38.72	38.70	38.65	38.63	38.97

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	37.66	USA	Moskva	2013
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	37.99	BRA	Osaka	2007
5	37.73	RSA	Doha	2019
	38.03	JPN	Osaka	2007
6	38.07	CHN	Doha	2019
	38.10	RSA	Eugene	2022
	38.39	JPN	Moskva	2013
7	38.25	BRA	Eugene	2022
	38.48	GER	Helsinki	2005
8	38.77	JPN	Helsinki	2005

### Best Marks for Places – all competitions

Pos	Time	Nation	Venue	Day Month Year
1	36.84	JAM	London	11 Aug 2012
	37.04	JAM	Daegu	4 Sept 2011
2	37.36	GBR	Doha	5 Oct 2019
	37.52	USA	London	12 Aug 2017
	37.55	USA	Eugene	23 July 2022
	37.60	JPN	Rio de Janeiro	19 Aug 2016
	37.62	TTO	Berlin	22 Aug 2009
3	37.43	JPN	Doha	5 Oct 2019

	37.64 37.79 37.79	CAN CHN (heat) CHN	Rio de Janeiro Doha Tokyo	19 Aug 2016 4 Oct 2019 6 Aug 2021
4	37.72 37.84 37.88 37.90	BRA JAM FRA (heat) CHN	Doha Tokyo Doha Rio de Janeiro	5 Oct 2019 6 Aug 2021 4 Oct 2019 19 Aug 2016
5	37.73 37.91 37.98 38.03 38.03	RSA NED (heat) GBR JPN CAN (heat)	Doha Doha Rio de Janeiro Osaka Beijing	5 Oct 2019 4 Oct 2019 19 Aug 2016 1 Sept 2007 29 Aug 2015
6	37.91 38.07 38.10 38.10 38.24	CAN (heat) CHN USA (heat) RSA GHA (heat)	Doha Doha Tokyo Eugene Doha	4 Oct 2019 5 Oct 2019 5 Aug 2021 23 July 2022 4 Oct 2019
7	38.16 38.24	DEN (heat) GER (heat)	Tokyo Doha	5 Aug 2021 4 Oct 2019

#### Multiple Gold Medalists:

JAM 2009, 2011, 2013, 2015  
CAN 1995, 1997, 2022  
USA 1983, 1987, 1991, 1993, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2019

#### Multiple Medalists:

TTO 2001 Silver, 2005 Silver, 2009 Silver  
BRA 1999 Bronze, 2003 Silver  
AUS 1995 Silver, 2001 Bronze  
CAN 1993 Bronze, 1995 Gold, 1997Gold, 2013 Bronze, 2015 Bronze, 2022 Gold  
GBR 1991Bronze, 1993Silver, 1997Bronze, 1999Silver, 2005Bronze, 2007Bronze, 2009Silver,  
2017 Gold, 2019 Silver, 2022 Bronze (complete set of medals)  
FRA 1991 Silver, 2005 Gold, 2011 Silver  
JAM 1987 Bronze, 2007 Silver, 2009 Gold, 2011 Gold; 2013 Gold; 2015 Gold  
URS 1983 Bronze, 1987 Silver  
ITA 1983 Silver, 1995 Bronze,  
USA 1983 Gold, 1987Gold, 1991Gold, 1993Gold, 1999Gold, 2003Gold, 2007Gold, 2013 Silver;  
2017 Silver, 2019 Gold, 2022 Silver  
JPN 2017 Bronze, 2019 Bronze

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

Nation	Venue	Year
JAM	Beijing	2015
JAM	Moskva	2013
JAM	Berlin	2009
USA	Osaka	2007
USA	Roma	1987

#### Medals by Countries:

Nation	Gold	Silver	Bronze
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USA	8	3	
JAM	4	1	1
CAN	3		3
GBR	1	3	6
FRA	1	2	
RSA	1		
TRI		3	
ITA		1	1
URS		1	1
AUS		1	1
BRA		1	1
NGR		1	
CHN		1	
JPN			2
NED			1
SKN			1

### Fastest known splits

Leg	Time	Name	Nat	Venue	Year
1	9.73	Chijindu Ujah	GBR	London	2017
2	8.84	Adam Gemili	GBR	London	2017
	8.91	Leroy Burrell	USA	Tokyo	1991
3	9.05	Tyson Gay	USA	Osaka	2007
4	8.69	Usain Bolt	JAM	Moskva	2013
	8.73	Asafa Powell	JAM	Berlin	2009
	8.80	Usain Bolt	JAM	Daegu	2011

**Highest finish by Asian team:** 2<sup>nd</sup> by CHN in 2015

**Highest finish by African team:** 1<sup>st</sup> by RSA in 2001

### World Championships:

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2022	CAN	37.48	USA	37.55	GBR	37.83
2019	USA	37.10	GBR	37.36	JPN	37.43
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2015	JAM	37.36	CHN	38.01	CAN	38.13
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2003	USA	38.06	BRA	38.26	NED	38.87
2001	RSA	38.47	TTO	38.58	AUS	38.83
1999	USA	37.59	GBR	37.73	BRA	38.05
1997	CAN	37.86	NGR	38.07	GBR	38.14
1995	CAN	38.31	AUS	38.50	ITA	39.07
1993	USA	37.48	GBR	37.77	CAN	37.83
1991	USA	37.50	FRA	37.87	GBR	38.09
1987	USA	37.90	URS	38.02	JAM	38.41
1983	USA	37.86	ITA	38.37	URS	38.41

**Last six Olympics:**

Year	Gold	Time	Silver	Time	Bronze	Time
2020	ITA	37.50	CAN	37.70	CHN	37.79
2016	JAM	37.27	JPN	37.60	CAN	37.64
2012	JAM	36.84	TTO	38.12	FRA	38.16
2008	TTO	38.06	JPN	38.15	BRA	38.24
2004	GBR	38.07	USA	38.08	NGR	38.23
2000	USA	37.61	BRA	37.90	CUB	38.04

**Last twelve World Junior (U20) Championships:**

Year	Gold	Time	Silver	Time	Bronze	Time
2022	JPN	39.35	JAM	39.35	USA	39.57
2020	RSA	38.51	JAM	38.61	POL	38.90
2018	USA	38.88	JAM	38.96	GER	39.22
2016	USA	38.93	JPN	39.01	GER	39.13
2014	USA	38.70	JPN	39.02	JAM	39.12
2012	USA	38.67	JAM	38.97	JPN	39.02
2010	USA	38.93	JAM	39.55	TRI	39.72
2008	USA	38.98	JAM	39.25	RSA	39.70
2006	JAM	39.05	USA	39.21	GBR	39.24
2004	USA	38.66	JAM	39.27	JPN	39.43
2002	USA	38.92	JAM	39.15	TRI	39.17
2000	GBR	39.05	FRA	39.33	JPN	39.47

**Last eight European Championships:**

Year	Gold	Time	Silver	Time	Bronze	Time
2022	GBR	37.67	FRA	37.94	POL	38.15
2018	GBR	37.80	TUR	37.98	NED	38.03
2016	GBR	38.17	FRA	38.38	GER	38.47
2014	GBR	37.93	GER	38.09	FRA	38.47
2012	NED	38.34	GER	38.44	FRA	38.46
2010	FRA	38.11	ITA	38.17	GER	38.44
2006	GBR	38.91	POL	39.05	FRA	39.07
2002	UKR	38.53	POL	38.71	GER	38.88

**Last five Asian Games:**

Year	Gold	Time	Silver	Time	Bronze	Time
2018	JPN	38.16	INA	38.77	CHN	38.89
2014	CHN	37.99	JPN	38.49	HKG	38.98
2010	CHN	38.78	TPE	39.05	THA	39.09
2006	THA	39.21	JPN	39.21	CHN	39.62
2002	THA	38.82	JPN	38.90	CHN	39.09

**Last eleven Asian Championships:**

Year	Gold	Time	Silver	Time	Bronze	Time
2023	THA	38.55	CHN	38.87	KOR	38.99
2019	THA	38.99	TPE	39.18	OMA	39.36
2017	CHN	39.371	THA	39.372	HKG	39.53
2015	CHN	39.04	HKG	39.25	TPE	39.35
2013	HKG	38.94	JPN	39.11	CHN	39.17
2011	JPN	39.18	HKG	39.26	TPE	39.30
2009	JPN	39.01	CHN	39.07	TPE	39.57

2007	THA	39.34	QAT	39.64	CHN	39.71
2005	JPN	39.10	THA	39.23	KSA	39.25
2003	CHN	39.22	THA	39.57	JPN	39.59
2002	THA	38.99	KSA	39.16	QAT	39.39

#### Last six All Africa Games:

Year	Gold	Time	Silver	Time	Bronze	Time
2019	GHA	38.30	NGR	38.59	RSA	38.80
2015	CIV	38.93	NAM	39.22	GHA	39.71
2011	NGR	38.93	GHA	38.95	BOT	39.09
2007	NGR	38.91	RSA	39.11	ZIM	39.16
2003	GHA	38.63	NGR	38.70	SEN	39.79

#### Last ten African Championships:

Year	Gold	Time	Silver	Time	Bronze	Time
2022	KEN	39.28	RSA	39.79	ZIM	39.81
2018	RSA	38.25	NGR	38.74	CIV	38.92
2016	RSA	38.84	CIV	38.98	ZAM	39.77
2014	NGR	38.80	GHA	39.28	ALG	39.89
2012	RSA	39.26	NGR	39.34	GHA	39.40
2010	RSA	39.12	NGR	39.22	GHA	39.31
2008	RSA	38.75	GHA	40.30	CMR	40.60
2006	NGR	39.63	RSA	39.68	GHA	40.12
2004	NGR	38.91	RSA	39.59	CMR	39.87
2002	NGR	39.76	SEN	40.08	MRI	40.27

#### Last five Pan American Games:

Year	Gold	Time	Silver	Time	Bronze	Time
2019	BRA	38.27	TTO	38.46	USA	38.79
2015	USA	38.27	BRA	38.68	TTO	38.69
2011	BRA	38.18	SKN	38.81	USA	39.17
2007	BRA	38.81	CAN	38.87	USA	38.88
2003	BRA	38.44	TRI	38.53	JAM	39.08

#### Last six Commonwealth Games:

Year	Gold	Time	Silver	Time	Bronze	Time
2022	ENG	38.35	TTO	38.70	NGR	38.81
2018	ENG	38.13	RSA	38.24	JAM	38.35
2014	JAM	37.58	ENG	38.02	TTO	38.10
2010	ENG	38.74	JAM	38.79	IND	38.89
2006	JAM	38.36	RSA	38.98	CAN	39.21
2002	ENG	38.62	JAM	38.62	AUS	38.97

#### Fastest Performances on European Soil

Performance	Performer	Time	Nation	Pos	Venue	DMY
1	1	36.84	JAM	1	London	11 Aug 2012
2		37.31	JAM	1	Berlin	22 Aug 2009
3		37.36	JAM	1	Moskva	18 Aug 2013

#### Fastest performances in Budapest:

Performance	Performer	Time	Team	Pos	DMY
1	1	38.47	GBR	1sf1	22 Aug 1998



2		38.52	GBR	1	22 Aug 1998
3	2	38.67	HUN	1	11 Aug 1986

### Fastest Performances in August

Performance	Performer	Time	Team	Pos	Venue	DMY
1	1	36.84	JAM	1	London	11 Aug 2012
2		37.27	JAM	1	Rio de Janeiro	19 Aug 2016
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### Combined 2022 & 2023 World List

Performance	Performer	Time	Nation	Pos	Venue	DMY
1	1	37.48	CAN	1	Eugene – WC	23 July 2022
2	2	37.55	USA	2	Eugene – WC	23 July 2022
3	3	37.67	GBR	1	Munchen – EC	21 Aug 2022
4		37.80	CAN	1	Gainesville	1 Apr <b>2023</b>
4	4	37.80	JPN	1	London	23 July <b>2023</b>
6		37.83	GBR	3	Eugene – WC	23 July 2022
7		37.87	USA	1h1	Eugene – WC	22 July 2022
8	5	37.90	LSU	1	Baton Rouge – SEC	13 May <b>2023</b>
9	6	37.93	Florida	2	Baton Rouge – SEC	13 May <b>2023</b>
10	7	37.94	FRA	2	Munchen – EC	21 Aug 2022
11	8	37.97	GER	1h2	Munchen – EC	19 Aug 2022
12		37.99	GER	1	Regensburg	3 June 2022
13		38.00	GBR	2	London	23 July <b>2023</b>
14		38.04	ITA	1	Grosseto	21 July <b>2023</b>
15		38.05	LSU	1	Austin – NCAA	9 June <b>2023</b>
16	9	38.06	JAM	4	Eugene – WC	23 July 2022
16		38.06	LSU	1sf2	Austin – NCAA	7 June <b>2023</b>
18	10	38.07	GHA	5	Eugene – WC	23 July 2022
19		38.08	USA	1	Austin – Texas Relays	1 Apr <b>2023</b>

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