

U.S. Rankings — Women's Marathon

1956–75

(event not ranked)

1976

(only ranked 5-deep)

- 1..... Kim Merritt
- 2..... Miki Gorman
- 3..... Gayle Barron
- 4..... Jackie Hansen
- 5..... Doris Heritage

1977

- 1..... Miki Gorman
- 2..... Kim Merritt
- 3..... Gayle Barron
- 4..... Leal Reinhart
- 5..... Cindy Dalrymple
- 6..... Marilyn Bevans
- 7..... Nina Kuscsik
- 8..... Judy Leydig
- 9..... Tena Anex
- 10..... Lisa Lorrain

1978

- 1..... Marty Cooksey
- 2..... Gayle Barron
- 3..... Julie Brown
- 4..... Patti Catalano
- 5..... Sue Petersen
- 6..... Heather Tolford
- 7..... Cindy Dalrymple
- 8..... Lauri Pedrinan
- 9..... Jane Killion
- 10..... Kim Merritt

Shalane Flanagan claimed 5 No. 1s



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1979

- 1..... Joan Samuelson
- 2..... Patti Catalano
- 3..... Kim Merritt
- 4..... Beth Guerin
- 5..... Gail Kingma
- 6..... Sue Petersen
- 7..... Sue Krenn
- 8..... Cindy Dalrymple
- 9..... Karen Doppes
- 10..... Sue Kinsey

1980

- 1..... Patti Catalano
- 2..... Nancy Conz
- 3..... Joan Samuelson
- 4..... Marty Cooksey
- 5..... Beth Guerin
- 6..... Karen Fitz
- 7..... Laurie Binder
- 8..... Kathleen Samet
- 9..... Ellison Goodall
- 10..... Kiki Sweigart

1981

- 1..... Patti Catalano
- 2..... Joan Samuelson
- 3..... Julie Shea
- 4..... Nancy Conz
- 5..... Laurie Binder
- 6..... Jane Wipf
- 7..... Kiki Sweigart
- 8..... Laura DeWald
- 9..... Jan Ettle
- 10..... Julie Brown

1982

- 1..... Joan Samuelson
- 2..... Julie Brown
- 3..... Laurie Binder
- 4..... Nancy Conz
- 5..... Julie Isphording
- 6..... Karen Dunn
- 7..... Eileen Claugus
- 8..... Jan Ettle
- 9..... Ellen Hart
- 10..... Sue King

1983

- 1..... Joan Samuelson
- 2..... Marianne Dickerson
- 3..... Julie Brown
- 4..... Debbie Eide
- 5..... Nancy Ditz
- 6..... Margaret Groos
- 7..... Karen Dunn
- 8..... Jenny Spangler
- 9..... Mary Shea
- 10..... Laura DeWald

1984

- 1..... Joan Samuelson
- 2..... Lisa Weidenbach
- 3..... Julie Brown
- 4..... Julie Isphording
- 5..... Margaret Groos
- 6..... Jan Ettle
- 7..... Nancy Ditz
- 8..... Katy Schilly-Laetsch
- 9..... Martha White
- 10..... Cathy O'Brien

1985

- 1..... Joan Samuelson
- 2..... Julie Isphording
- 3..... Sue King
- 4..... Nancy Ditz
- 5..... Katy Schilly-Laetsch
- 6..... Lisa Weidenbach
- 7..... Jan Ettle
- 8..... Janis Klecker
- 9..... Julie Brown
- 10..... Kim Jones

1986

- 1..... Kim Jones
- 2..... Nancy Ditz
- 3..... Connie Prince
- 4..... Cathie Twomey
- 5..... Deborah Raunig
- 6... Francie Larrieu Smith
- 7.. Maureen Custy-Roben
- 8..... Gail Kingma
- 9..... Jan Ettle
- 10..... Laura Albers

1987

- 1..... Nancy Ditz
- 2.. Maureen Custy-Roben
- 3..... Janis Klecker
- 4..... Jan Ettle
- 5..... Kim Jones
- 6..... Cyndie Welte
- 7..... Lisa Weidenbach
- 8..... Laurie Crisp
- 9..... Gail Kingma
- 10..... Sue Schneider

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1988

- 1..... Nancy Ditz
- 2..... Margaret Groos
- 3..... Lisa Weidenbach
- 4..... Cathy O'Brien
- 5..... Deborah Raunig
- 6..... Kim Jones
- 7..... Julie Isphording
- 8..... Joan Samuelson
- 9... Maureen Custy-Roben
- 10..... Lynn Nelson

1989

- 1..... Kim Jones
- 2..... Lisa Weidenbach
- 3..... Sue Marchiano
- 4..... Cathy O'Brien
- 5..... Julie Isphording
- 6..... Margaret Groos
- 7..... Gordon Bakoulis
- 8..... Maria Trujillo
- 9..... Nan Davis
- 10.... Linda Somers-Smith

1990

- 1... Francie Larrieu Smith
- 2..... Lisa Weidenbach
- 3..... Kim Jones
- 4..... Maria Trujillo
- 5..... Julie Isphording
- 6..... Kellie Cathey
- 7..... Jane Welzel
- 8..... Deborah Raunig
- 9..... Gordon Bakoulis
- 10..... Janis Klecker

1991

- 1..... Kim Jones
- 2... Francie Larrieu Smith
- 3..... Joan Samuelson
- 4..... Cathy O'Brien
- 5..... Lisa Weidenbach
- 6..... Joy Smith
- 7..... Maria Trujillo
- 8..... Janis Klecker
- 9..... Lesley Lehane
- 10..... Jan Ettle

1992

- 1..... Janis Klecker
- 2..... Cathy O'Brien
- 3... Francie Larrieu Smith
- 4..... Lisa Weidenbach
- 5..... Joan Samuelson
- 6..... Chris McNamara
- 7..... Joy Smith
- 8..... Maria Trujillo
- 9..... Jane Welzel
- 10..... Jan Ettle

1993

- 1..... Kim Jones
- 2..... Kristy Johnston
- 3.... Linda Somers-Smith
- 4..... Lisa Weidenbach
- 5..... Gordon Bakoulis
- 6..... Lorraine Hochella
- 7..... Joan Samuelson
- 8..... Joy Smith
- 9..... Jane Welzel
- 10..... Ann Boyd

1994

- 1..... Olga Appell
- 2..... Kristy Johnston
- 3..... Anne Marie Lauck
- 4..... Kim Jones
- 5.... Linda Somers-Smith
- 6..... Elaine Van Blunk
- 7..... Trina Painter
- 8..... Debbie Slusser
9. Debbie Kilpatrick-Morris
- 10..... Lisa Weidenbach

1995

- 1.... Linda Somers-Smith
- 2..... Kim Jones
- 3..... Olga Appell
- 4..... Gwyn Coogan
- 5..... Andrea Bowman
- 6..... Kristy Johnston
7. Debbie Kilpatrick-Morris
- 8..... Lisa Knoblich
- 9..... Maria Trujillo
- 10..... Cathy O'Brien

1996

- 1..... Anne Marie Lauck
- 2..... Jenny Spangler
- 3.... Linda Somers-Smith
- 4..... Olga Appell
- 5..... Kristy Johnston
- 6..... Gwyn Coogan
- 7..... Mary Alico
- 8.... Bonnie McReynolds
9. Debbie Kilpatrick-Morris
- 10..... Jeanne Peterson

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1997

- 1.....Chris McNamara
- 2.....Kim Jones
- 3..... Linda Somers-Smith
4. Debbie Kilpatrick-Morris
- 5..... Julia Kirtland
- 6.....Cheryl Collins
- 7..... Elaine Van Blunk
- 8.....Maria Trujillo
- 9.....Jane Welzel
- 10.....Mary Alico

1998

- 1.....Gwyn Coogan
- 2..... Libbie Hickman
- 3.....Kristy Johnston
- 4..... Linda Somers-Smith
- 5.....Kim Jones
- 6..... Julia Kirtland
- 7..... Mary-Lynn Currier
- 8.....Cindy James
- 9.....Kristin Schwartz
- 10.....Cheryl Collins

1999

- 1..... Libbie Hickman
- 2..... Marie Boyd
- 3.....Kristy Johnston
- 4..... Susannah Beck
- 5.....Lynn Jennings
- 6..... Kim Pawelek
- 7..... Julia Kirtland
- 8.....Maria Trujillo
- 9.....Ann Stewart
- 10..... Jennifer Tonkin

2000

- 1..... Christine Clark
- 2.....Kristy Johnston
- 3..... Libbie Hickman
- 4..... Anne Marie Lauck
- 5..... Susannah Beck
- 6.....Liz Wilson
- 7... Christine Junkermann
- 8.... Ann Schaefers-Coles
- 9.....Kim Pawelek
- 10..... Joan Samuelson

2001

- 1.....Deena Kastor
- 2.....Milena Glusac
- 3.....Colleen De Reuck
- 4..... Jill Gaitenby
- 5..... Susannah Beck
- 6.....Jeanne Hennessy
- 7..... Monica Hostetler
- 8.. Magdalena Lewy Boulet
- 9.....Mary Knisley
- 10.....Michelle Simonaitis

2002

- 1..... Marla Runyan
- 2.....Deena Kastor
- 3.....Milena Glusac
- 4..... Sylvia Mosqueda
- 5..... Jill Gaitenby
- 6..... Susannah Beck
- 7..... Kim Fitchen-Young
- 8.....Jeanne Hennessy
- 9.. Magdalena Lewy Boulet
- 10..... Kelly Keane

2003

- 1.....Deena Kastor
- 2.....Colleen De Reuck
- 3.....Sara Wells
- 4..... Marla Runyan
- 5..... Blake Russell
- 6..... Deeja Youngquist
- 7..... Jill Gaitenby
- 8.. Magdalena Lewy Boulet
- 9..... Sylvia Mosqueda
- 10..... Jenny Spangler

2004

- 1.....Deena Kastor
- 2.....Colleen De Reuck
- 3.....Jen Rhines
- 4..... Marla Runyan
- 5..... Blake Russell
- 6.. Magdalena Lewy Boulet
- 7..... Heather Hanscom
- 8.....Sara Wells
- 9..... Jenny Spangler
- 10..... Jenny Crain

2005

- 1.....Deena Kastor
- 2.....Colleen De Reuck
- 3..... Blake Russell
- 4.... Turena Johnson Lane
- 5..... Kelly Keane
- 6..... Emily Levan
- 7..... Jill Boaz
- 8.....Jen Rhines
- 9..... Nicole Aish
- 10..... Jenny Crain

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2006

- 1.....Deena Kastor
- 2.....Jen Rhines
- 3..... Marla Runyan
- 4..... Katie McGregor
- 5..... Elva Dryer
- 6..... Samia Akbar
- 7..... Mary Akor
- 8.....Colleen De Reuck
- 9..... Zoila Gómez
- 10..... Michelle Lilienthal

2007

- 1.....Deena Kastor
- 2.....Kate O'Neill
- 3..... Ann Alyanak
- 4.....Kristin Price
- 5..... Elva Dryer
- 6..... Mary Akor
- 7.....Robyn Friedman
- 8..... Paige Higgins
- 9..... Zoila Gómez
- 10..... Chris Lundy

2008

- 1..... Kara Goucher
- 2.....Deena Kastor
- 3..Magdalena Lewy Boulet
- 4..... Blake Russell
- 5..... Katie McGregor
- 6..... Zoila Gómez
- 7..... Desiree Linden
- 8..... Tera Moody
- 9.....Colleen De Reuck
- 10..... Paige Higgins

2009

- 1..... Kara Goucher
- 2..... Desiree Linden
- 3.....Deena Kastor
- 4.....Colleen De Reuck
- 5.....Ilsa Paulson
- 6..Magdalena Lewy Boulet
- 7..... Tera Moody
8. Melissa Johnson-White
- 9.....Kristen Lehmkuhle
- 10..... Sally Meyerhoff

2010

- 1..Magdalena Lewy Boulet
- 2..... Shalane Flanagan
- 3..... Desiree Linden
- 4..... Katie McGregor
- 5..... Tera Moody
- 6.....Colleen De Reuck
- 7..... Zoila Gómez
- 8..... Paige Higgins
- 9.....Ilsa Paulson
- 10.....Kathy Newberry

2011

- 1..... Desiree Linden
- 2..... Kara Goucher
- 3.....Amy Cragg
- 4.....Molly Pritz
- 5.....Stephanie Bruce
- 6..... Tera Moody
- 7.....Dot McMahan
- 8..Magdalena Lewy Boulet
- 9..... Clara Santucci
- 10.....Jen Houck

2012

- 1..... Shalane Flanagan
- 2..... Kara Goucher
- 3..... Desiree Linden
- 4.....Serena Burla
- 5.....Amy Cragg
- 6... Renee Metivier Baillie
- 7.....Janet Bawcom
- 8.....Deena Kastor
- 9..... Clara Santucci
- 10.....Dot McMahan

2013

- 1..... Shalane Flanagan
- 2..... Kara Goucher
- 3.....Serena Burla
- 4..... Desiree Linden
- 5.....Deena Kastor
- 6.....Annie Bersagel
- 7.....Becky Wade
- 8..... Clara Santucci
9. Melissa Johnson-White
- 10.....Laura Portis

2014

- 1..... Shalane Flanagan
- 2..... Desiree Linden
- 3.....Annie Bersagel
- 4.....Amy Cragg
- 5.....Adriana Nelson
- 6.....Deena Kastor
- 7.....Lauren Kleppin
- 8..... Clara Santucci
- 9..... Kara Goucher
- 10.....Serena Burla

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2015

- 1..... Desiree Linden
- 2..... Laura Thweatt
- 3..... Shalane Flanagan
- 4..... Deena Kastor
- 5..... Kellyn Taylor
- 6..... Serena Burla
- 7..... Annie Bersagel
- 8..... Blake Russell
- 9..... Sara Hall
- 10..... Lindsey Scherf

2016

- 1..... Shalane Flanagan
- 2..... Desiree Linden
- 3..... Amy Cragg
- 4..... Molly Huddle
- 5..... Kara Goucher
- 6..... Serena Burla
- 7..... Neely Spence Gracey
- 8..... Sara Hall
- 9..... Lindsay Flanagan
- 10..... Janet Bawcom

2017

- 1..... Shalane Flanagan
- 2..... Jordan Hasay
- 3..... Amy Cragg
- 4..... Desiree Linden
- 5..... Sara Hall
- 6..... Allie Kieffer
- 7..... Laura Thweatt
- 8..... Serena Burla
- 9..... Kellyn Taylor
- 10..... Maegan Krifchin

2018

- 1..... Amy Cragg
- 2..... Desiree Linden
- 3..... Shalane Flanagan
- 4..... Molly Huddle
- 5..... Kellyn Taylor
- 6..... Emma Bates
- 7..... Allie Kieffer
- 8..... Sara Hall
- 9..... Stephanie Bruce
- 10..... Sarah Crouch

2019

- 1..... Jordan Hasay
- 2..... Desiree Linden
- 3..... Sara Hall
- 4..... Emily Sisson
- 5..... Emma Bates
- 6..... Kellyn Taylor
- 7..... Aliphine Tuliamuk
- 8..... Roberta Groner
- 9..... Molly Huddle
- 10..... Stephanie Bruce

2021

- 1..... Molly Seidel (Puma)
- 2..... Emma Bates (Asics)
- 3..... Sara Hall (Asics)
- 4..... Keira D'Amato (unattached)
- 5..... Kellyn Taylor (HOKA NAZ Elite)
- 6..... Annie Frisbie (Minn Distance Elite)
- 7..... Laura Thweatt (Saucony)
- 8..... Nell Rojas (unattached)
- 9..... Dakotah Lindwurm (Minn Dist Elite)
- 10..... Sara Vaughn (Colorado)

2022

- 1..... Emily Sisson (New Balance)
- 2..... Sara Hall (Asics)
- 3..... Emma Bates (Asics)
- 4..... Keira D'Amato (Nike)
- 5..... Aliphine Tuliamuk (HOKA NAZ Elite)
- 6..... Nell Rojas (Nike)
- 7..... Lindsay Flanagan (Asics)
- 8..... Susanna Sullivan (TCS)
- 9..... Dakotah Lindwurm (Puma)
- 10..... Sara Sellers (unattached)

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2023

- 1..... Betsy Saina (Asics)
- 2..... Lindsay Flanagan (Asics)
- 3..... Emily Sisson (New Balance)
- 4..... Kellyn Taylor (HOKA NAZ Elite)
- 5..... Molly Seidel (Puma Verde TC)
- 6..... Emma Bates (Asics)
- 7..... Sara Vaughn (Puma Verde TC)
- 8..... Susanna Sullivan (Brooks)
- 9..... Lauren Hagens (HOKA NAZ Elite)
- 10..Aliphine Tuliamuk (HOKA NAZ Elite)