

2025 World Championships Statistics – Women's 800m by K Ken Nakamura

The records to look for in Tokyo:

- 1) Can Hodgkinson finally win gold?
- 2) Can Moraa complete medal set by winning silver?

Summary:

All time Performance List at the World Championships

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8	7	1:55.84	Ana Quirot	CUB	4	Roma	1987
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	1:57.90	Natalya Gorelova	RUS	Sevilla	1999

World Championships:

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2023	Mary Moraa	KEN	1:56.03	Keely Hodgkinson	GBR	1:56.34	Athing Mu	USA	1:56.61
2022	Athing Mu	USA	1:56.30	Keely Hodgkinson	GBR	1:56.38	Mary Moraa	KEN	1:56.71
2019	Halimah Nakaayi	UGA	1:58.04	Raevyn Rogers	USA	1:58.18	Ajee Wilson	USA	1:58.84
2017	Caster Semenya	RSA	1:55.16	Francine Niyonsaba	BDI	1:55.92	Ajee Wilson	USA	1:56.65
2015	Marina Arzamasova	BLR	1:58.03	Melissa Bishop	CAN	1:58.12	Eunice Sum	KEN	1:58.18
2013	Eunice Jepkoech Sum	KEN	1:57.38	Brenda Martinez	USA	1:57.91	Ayasia Montaro	USA	1:57.95
2011	Caster Semenya	RSA	1:56.35	Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	1:57.42	Alysia Montano	USA	1:57.48
2009	Caster Semenya	RSA	1:55.45	Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	1:57.90	Jennifer Meadows	GBR	1:57.93
2007	Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	1:56.04	Hasna Benhassi	MAR	1:56.99	Mayte Martinez	ESP	1:57.62

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12		1:56.11	Lyubov Gurina		2	Helsinki	1983
12		1:56.11	Ana Quirot		1	Göteborg	1995
14		1:56.17	Janeth Jepkosgei		1sf3	Osaka	2007
15	11	1:56.30	Athing Mu	USA	1	Eugene	2022
16	12	1:56.34	Keely Hodgkinson	GBR	2	Budapest	2023
17		1:56.35	Caster Semenya		1	Daegu	2011
18	13	1:56.38	Keely Hodgkinson		2	Eugene	2022
19		1:56.61	Athing Mu		3	Budapest	2023
20	14	1:56.65	Ajee Wilson	USA	3	London	2017
21	15	1:56.68	Letitia Vriesde	SUR	2	Göteborg	1995
21	16	1:56.68	Ludmila Formanova	CZE	1	Sevilla	1999
23		1:56.71	Mary Moraa		3	Eugene	2022
24		1:56.72	Maria Mutola		2	Sevilla	1999
25	17	1:56.84	Hasna Benhassi	MAR	2sf3	Osaka	2007
26	18	1:56.93	Svetlana Masterkova	RUS	3	Sevilla	1999
27	19	1:56.95	Kelly Holmes	GBR	3	Göteborg	1995
28		1:56.98	Maria Mutola		3sf3	Osaka	2007
29		1:56.99	Hasna Benhassi		2	Osaka	2007
30	20	1:56.02	Diribe Welteji	ETH	4	Eugene	2022
31	21	1:57.04	Patricia Djate	FRA	4	Göteborg	1995
32		1:57.10	Lyubov Gurina		2	Stuttgart	1993
33		1:57.14	Ana Quirot		1	Athinai	1997
34		1:57.17	Maria Mutola		1	Edmonton	2001
35	22	1:57.20	Stephanie Graf	AUT	2	Edmonton	2001
36	23	1:57.31	Tina Paulino	MOZ	1sf2	Stuttgart	1993
37		1:57.35	Letitia Vriesde		3	Edmonton	2001
38	24	1:57.38	Eunice Jepkoech Sum	KEN	1	Moskva	2013
39	25	1:57.40	Jearl Miles-Clark	USA	4	Sevilla	1999
40		1:57.42	Janeth Jepkosgei		2	Daegu	2011
41	26	1:57.45	Raevyn Rogers	USA	4	Budapest	2023
42	27	1:57.46	Ella Kovacs	ROM	2sf2	Stuttgart	1993
43	28	1:57.48	Alysia Montano	USA	3	Daegu	2011
44		1:57.49	Maria Mutola		1sf1	Athinai	1997
45	29	1:57.50	Liliya Nurutdinova	URS	1	Tokyo	1991
46	30	1:57.52	Melissa Bishop	CAN	1sf3	Beijing	2015
47	31	1:57.54	Marina Arzamaova	BLR	2sf3	Beijing	2015
47	32	1:57.54	Margaret Wambui	KEN	4	London	2017
49	33	1:57.55	Ana Quirot		2	Tokyo	1991
50	34	1:57.56	Yelena Afanasyeva	RUS	2	Athinai	1997
50		1:57.56	Eunice Sum		3sf3	Beijing	2015
52	35	1:57.58	Yekaterina Podkopayeva	URS	3	Helsinki	1983
52		1:57.58	Ella Kovacs	ROM	3	Tokyo	1991
54		1:57.59	Maria Mutola		3	Athinai	1997

55	36	1:57.62	Mayte Martinez	ESP	3	Osaka	2007
56		1:57.63	Maria Mutola		4	Tokyo	1991
56	37	1:57.63	Meredith Rainey	USA	3sf2	Stuttgart	1993

Slowest winning time: 1:59.89 by Maria Mutola in 2003

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Difference between first and third

	Diff	Winning time	3 rd place time	Winner's Name	Nat	Venue	Year
Max	2.90	1:54.68	1:57.58	Jarmila Kratochvilova	TCH	Helsinki	1983
Min	0.08	1:57.50	1:57.58	Liliya Nurutdinova	URS	Tokyo	1991

Difference between third and fourth (medal versus no medal)

	Difference	3 rd place time	Name	Nat	Venue	Year
Max	1.63 second	1:57.35	Letitia Vriesde	SUR	Edmonton	2001
Min	0.05 second	1:57.58	Ella Kovacs	ROU	Tokyo	1991

Fastest time in each round

Round	Time	Name	Nat	Venue	Year
Final	1:54.68	Jarmila Kratochvilova	TCH	Helsinki	1983
Semi-final	1:56.17	Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	Osaka	2007
First round	1:58.69	Marina Arzamasova	BLR	Beijing	2015
	1:58.83	Diribe Welteji	ETH	Eugene	2022
	1:58.95	Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	Osaka	2007

Fastest non-qualifier for the final

Time	Position	Name	Nat	Venue	Year
1:58.50	5sf3	Sifan Hassan	NED	Beijing	2015
1:58.62	3sf1	Lucia Klocova	SVK	Osaka	2007

Average from last twelve (21st century) World Championships

	Average	2023	2022	2019	2017	2015	2013	2011	2009	2007	2005	2003	2001
Winning Time	1:57.0	1:56.03	1:56.30	1:58.04	1:55.16	1:58.03	1:57.38	1:56.35	1:55.45	1:56.04	1:58.82	1:58.89	1:57.17
Winning Medal	1:57.9	1:56.61	1:56.71	1:58.84	1:56.65	1:58.18	1:57.95	1:57.48	1:57.93	1:57.62	1:59.60	2:00.29	1:57.35
Slowest to Make Final	2:00.5	2:00.47	1:59.97	2:00.80	2:01.19	1:58.86	2:00.90	1:58.98	2:01.01	1:59.32	2:01.59	2:01.01	2:02.16
Fastest non-qualifier	1:59.8	1:59.05	1:59.88	2:00.72	1:59.74	1:58.50	2:00.55	1:59.07	1:59.96	1:58.62	1:59.45	2:00.56	2:01.04

400m – 800m double gold medalists:

Name	Nation	Venue	Year
Jarmila Kratochvilova	TCH	Helsinki	1983

800m – 1500m double gold medalists: None

Best Marks for Places in the World Championships

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1	1:54.68	Jarmila Kratochvilova	TCH	Helsinki	1983
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8	1:58.69	Natalya Dukhnova	BLR	Sevilla	1999

Best Marks for Places – all competitions

Pos	Time	Name	Nat	Venue	Day Month Year
1	1:53.28	Jarmila Kratochivilova	TCH	München	26 July 1983
	1:53.43	Nadezhda Olizarenko	URS	Moskva	27 July 1980
2	1:54.81	Olga Mineyeva	URS	Moskva	27 July 1980
	1:55.19	Keely Hodgkinson	GBR	Eugene	17 Sept 2023
	1:55.29	Maria Mutola	MOZ	Köln	24 Aug 1997
3	1:55.46	Tatyana Providokhina	URS	Moskva	27 July 1980
	1:55.56	Lyubov Gurina	URS	Roma	31 Aug 1987
4	1:55.74	Anita Weiss	GDR	Montreal	26 July 1976
	1:55.84	Ana Fidelia Quirot	CUB	Roma	31 Aug 1984
5	1:56.44	Svetlana Styrkina	URS	Montreal	26 July 1976
	1:56.6	Tamara Sorokina	URS	Podolsk	21 Aug 1982
6	1:56.9	Olga Dvirna	URS	Podolsk	21 Aug 1982
	1:57.15	Natalya Tsyganova	RUS	Zurich	11 Aug 1999
7	1:57.3	Lyubov Gurina	URS	Podolsk	21 Aug 1982
8	1:57.3	Tatyana Providokhina	URS	Podolsk	21 Aug 1982

Multiple Gold Medalists:

Ana Quirot (CUB): 1995, 1997
 Maria Mutola (MOZ): 1993, 2001, 2003
 Caster Semenya (RSA): 2009, 2011, 2017

Multiple Medalists:

Mary Moraa (KEN) 2022 Bronze, 2023 Gold
 Keely Hodgkinson (GBR): 2022 Silver, 2023 Silver
 Athing Mu (USA) 2022 Gold, 2023 Bronze
 Ajee Wilson (USA): 2019 Bronze, 2017 Bronze
 Alysia Montano (USA): 2011 Bronze, 2013 Bronze
 Caster Semenya (RSA): 2009 Gold, 2011 Gold, 2017 Gold
 Janeth Jepkosgei (KEN): 2007 Gold, 2009 Silver, 2011 Bronze
 Hasna Benhassi (MAR): 2005 Silver, 2007 Silver
 Kelly Holmes (GBR): 1995 Bronze, 2003 Silver
 Letitia Vriesde (SUR): 1995 Silver, 2001 Bronze,
 Ana Quirot (CUB): 1991 Silver, 1995 Gold, 1997 Gold
 Ella Kovacs (ROU): 1991 Bronze, 1993 Bronze
 Maria Mutola (MOZ): 1993 Gold, 1997 Bronze, 1999 Silver, 2001 Gold, 2003 Gold
 Lyubov Gurina (URS): 1983 Silver, 1987 Bronze, 1993 Silver

Multiple Medals by athletes from a single nation

Nation	Year	Gold	Silver	Bronze
USA	2019		Raevyn Rogers	Ajee Wilson
GDR	1987	Sigrun Wodars	Christine Wachtel	
URS	1983		Lyubov Gurina	Yekaterina Podkopayeva

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

Nation	Men	Women	Venue	Year
RSA	Mbulaeni Mulaudzi	Caster Semenya	Berlin	2009

Medals by Countries:

Nation	Gold	Silver	Bronze
MOZ	3	1	1
CUB	3	1	

RSA	3		
KEN	3	2	2
USA	1	2	5
URS	1	1	2
GDR	1	1	
CZE	1		
TCH	1		
BLR	1		
UGA	1		
RUS		2	3
GBR		3	2
MAR		2	
SUR		1	1
AUT		1	
CAN		1	
BDI		1	
ROU			2
ESP			1

Fastest known splits in the World Championships

	Time	Final Pos	Name	Winner	Winning time	Venue	Year
First 400m	55.49	5 th	Meredith Rainey	Maria Mutola	1:55:43	Stuttgart	1993
Last 400m	56.63	1 st	Caster Semenya	Caster Semenya	1:55.16	London	2017

World Champion with Olympic gold medal

Name	Nat	World Championships	Olympics
Athing Mu	USA	2022	2021
Caster Semenya	RSA	2009, 2011, 2017	2012, 2016
Maria Mutola	MOZ	1993, 2001, 2003	2000
Sigrun Wodars	GDR	1987	1988

World Champion with World Indoor Championships Gold medal

Name	Nat	World Championships	World Indoor Championships
Ludmila Formanova	CZE	1999	1999
Maria Mutola	MOZ	1993, 2001, 2003	1993, 1995, 1997, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2006

World Champion who previously won World Junior gold medal

Name	Nat	World Championships	World Junior Championships
Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	2007	2002

World Championships medalist who previously won World Youth gold medal:

Name	Nat	World Championships		World Youth Championships
Ajee Wilson	USA	2019	Bronze	2011

World Champion with European Championships gold medal

Name	Nat	World Championships	European Championships
Sigrun Wodars	GDR	1987	1990
Marina Arzamasova	BLR	2015	2014

World Championships medalists with Asian Games medal: None

The highest finish by Asian athlete (Liu Li) at the World Championships is sixth in 1993

World Champion with All Africa Games gold medal

Name	Nat	World Championships	Africa Games
Mary Moraa	KEN	2023	2024 (400m)
Caster Semenya	RSA	2009, 2011, 2017	2015

Maria Mutola	MOZ	1993, 2001, 2003	1991, 1995, 1999
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World Champion with African championships gold medal

Name	Nat	World Championships	African championships
Caster Semenya	RSA	2009, 2011, 2017	2016, 2018
Eunice Sum	KEN	2013	2014
Maria Mutola	MOZ	1993, 2001, 2003	1990, 1993, 1998, 2002
Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	2007	2006

World Champion with Pan American Games gold medal:

Name	Nat	World Championships	Pan American Games
Ana Quirot	CUB	1995, 1997	1987, 1991

World Champion with Commonwealth Games gold medal

Name	Nat	World Championships	Commonwealth Games
Mary Moraa	KEN	2023	2022
Eunice Sum	KEN	2013	2014
Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	2007	2006
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1987	Sigrun Wodars	GDR	1:55.26	Christine Wachtel	GDR	1:55.32	Lyubov Gurina	URS	1:55.56
1983	Jarmila Kratochvilova	TCH	1:54.68	Lyubov Gurina	URS	1:56.11	Yekaterina Podkopayeva	URS	1:57.58

Last seven Olympics:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2024	Keely Hodgkinson	GBR	1:56.72	Tsige Duguma	ETH	1:57.15	Mary Moraa	KEN	1:57.42
2021	Athing Mu	USA	1:55.21	Keely Hodgkinson	GBR	1:55.88	Raevyn Rogers	USA	1:56.82
2016	Caster Semenya	RSA	1:55.28	Francine Niyonsaba	BDI	1:56.49	Margaret Wambui	KEN	1:56.89
2012	Caster Semenya	RSA	1:57.23	Yekaterina Poistogova	RUS	1:57.53	Pamela Jelimo	KEN	1:57.59
2008	Pamela Jelimo	KEN	1:54.87	Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	1:56.07	Hasna Benhassi	MAR	1:56.73
2004	Kelly Holmes	GBR	1:56.38	Hasna Benhassi	MAR	1:56.43	Jolanda Ceplak	SLO	1:56.43
2000	Maria Mutola	MOZ	1:56.15	Stephanie Graf	AUT	1:56.64	Kelly Holmes	GBR	1:56.80

Last twelve World Indoor Championships:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2025	Prudence Sekgodiso	RSA	1:58.40	Nigist Getachew	ETH	1:59.63	Patricia Silva	POR	1:59.80

2024	Tsige Duguma	ETH	2:01.90	Jemma Reekie	GBR	2:02.72	Noelie Yarigo	BEN	2:03.15
2022	Ajee Wilson	USA	1:59.09	Freweyni Hailu	ETH	2:00.54	Halimah Nakaayi	UGA	2:00.66
2018	Francine Niyonsaba	BDI	1:58.31	Ajee Wilson	USA	1:58.99	Shelayna Oskan-Clarke	GBR	1:59.81
2016	Francine Niyonsaba	BDI	2:00.01	Ajee Wilson	USA	2:00.27	Margaret Wambui	KEN	2:00.44
2014	Chanelle Price	USA	2:00.09	Angelika Cichocka	POL	2:00.45	Marina Arzamasova	BLR	2:00.79
2012	Pamela Jelimo	KEN	1:58.83	Natalia Lupu	UKR	1:59.67	Erica Moore	USA	1:59.97
2010	Mariya Savinova	RUS	1:58.26	Jennifer Meadows	GBR	1:58.43	Alysia Johnson	USA	1:59.60
2008	Tamsyn Lewis	AUS	2:02.57	Tatyana Petlyuk	UKR	2:02.66	Maria Mutola	MOZ	2:02.97
2006	Maria Mutola	MOZ	1:58.90	Kenia Sinclair	JAM	1:59.54	Hasna Benhassi	MAR	2:00.34
2004	Maria Mutola	MOZ	1:58.50	Jolanda Ceplak	SLO	1:58.72	Jo Fenn	GBR	1:59.50
2003	Maria Mutola	MOZ	1:58.94	Stephanie Graf	AUT	1:59.39	Mayte Martinez	ESP	1:59.53

Last thirteen World Junior Championships:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2024	Sarah Moraa	KEN	2:00.36	Claudia Hollingsworth	AUS	2:00.87	Sophia Gorriaran	USA	2:01.04
2022	Roisin Willis	USA	1:59.13	Audrey Werro	SUI	1:59.53	Juliette Whittaker	USA	2:00.18
2020	Ayal Dagnachew	ETH	2:02.96	Valentina Rosamilia	SUI	2:04.29	Elli Eftychia	GRE	2:04.66
2018	Diribe Welteji	ETH	1:59.74	Carley Thomas	AUS	2:01.13	Delia Scabas	SUI	2:01.29
2016	Samantha Watson	USA	2:04.52	Aaliyah Miller	USA	2:05.06	Tigist Ketema	ETH	2:05.13
2014	Margaret Wambui	KEN	2:00.49	Sahily Diago	CUB	2:02.11	Georgia Wassall	AUS	2:02.71
2012	Ajee Wilson	USA	2:00.91	Jessica Judd	GBR	2:00.96	M El Bahraoui	MAR	2:03.09
2010	Mirela Lavric	ROU	2:01.85	Cherono Koech	KEN	2:02.29	Annet Negesa	UGA	2:02.51
2008	Mirela Lavric	ROU	2:00.06	Merve Aydin	TUR	2:00.92	Machteld Mulder	NED	2:02.05
2006	Olga Cristea	MDA	2:04.52	Winnie Chebet	KEN	2:04.59	Rebekah Noble	USA	2:04.90
2004	Natalya Koreyvo	BLR	2:01.47	Simona Barcau	ROU	2:02.23	Kayann Thompson	JAM	2:02.67
2002	Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	2:00.80	Lucia Klocova	SVK	2:01.73	Juliana de Azevedo	BRA	2:03.81
2000	Jabet Langat	KEN	2:01.51	George Clarke	AUS	2:02.28	Lucia Klocova	SVK	2:04.00

World Youth Championships

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2017	Jackline Wambui	KEN	2:01.46	Lydia Jeruto Lagat	KEN	2:02.06	Hirut Meshesha	ETH	2:06.32
2015	Samantha Watson	USA	2:03.54	Gadese Ejara	ETH	2:03.67	Marta Zenoni	ITA	2:04.15
2013	Anita Henriksdottir	ISL	2:01.13	Sara Dureti Edao	ETH	2:03.25	Raevyn Rogers	USA	2:03.32
2011	Ajee Wilson	USA	2:02.64	Chunyu Wang	CHN	2:03.23	Jessica Judd	GBR	2:03.43
2009	Cherono Koech	KEN	2:01.67	Ciara Mageean	IRL	2:03.07	Rowena Cole	GBR	2:03.83
2007	Mireva Lavric	ROU	2:04.29	Alison Leonard	GBR	2:05.36	Juana Mendez	CUB	2:05.42
2005	Flavious Kwamboka	KEN	2:07.42	Winnie Chebet	KEN	2:08.15	Katherine Katsanevakis	AUS	2:08.35
2003	Mariya Chapayeva	RUS	2:03.40	Olga Cristea	MDA	2:04.30	Larisa Arcip	ROU	2:04.31
2001	Cherotich Kipkorir-Ruto	KEN	2:05.50	Veronika Plesarova	CZE	2:06.01	Carlene Robinson	JAM	2:06.18
1999	George Clarke	AUS	2:05.90	Tetyana Petlyuk	UKR	2:06.97	Mihaela Olaru	ROU	2:08.20

Last nine European Championships:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2024	Keely Hodgkinson	GBR	1:58.65	Gabriela Gajanova	SVK	1:58.79	Anais Bourgoin	FRA	1:59.30
2022	Keely Hodgkinson	GBR	1:59.04	Renelle Lamote	FRA	1:59.49	Anna Wielgosz	POL	1:59.87
2018	Nataliya Pryshchepa	UKR	2:00.38	Renelle Lamote	FRA	2:00.62	Olha Lyakhova	UKR	2:00.79
2016	Nataliya Pryshchepa	UKR	1:59.70	Renelle Lamote	FRA	2:00.19	Lovisa Lindh	SWE	2:00.37
2014	Marina Arzamasova	BLR	1:58.15	Lynsey Sharp	GBR	1:58.80	Joanna Jozwik	POL	1:59.63
2012	Yelena Arzhakova	RUS	1:58.51	Lynsey Sharp	GBR	2:00.52	Irina Maracheva	RUS	2:00.66
2010	Mariya Savinova	RUS	1:58.22	Yvonne Hak	NED	1:58.85	Jennifer Meadows	GBR	1:59.39
2006	Olga Kotlyarova	RUS	1:57.38	Svetlana Klyuka	RUS	1:57.48	Rebecca Lyne	GBR	1:58.45
2002	Jolanda Ceplak	SLO	1:57.65	Mayte Martinez	ESP	1:58.86	Kelly Holmes	GBR	1:59.83

Last six Asian Games:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2023	Th Dissanayaka	SRI	2:03.20	Harmilan Kaur	IND	2:03.75	Wang Chunyu	CHN	2:03.90
2018	Wang Chunyu	CHN	2:01.80	Margarita Mukasheva	KAZ	2:02.40	Manal El Bahraoui	BRN	2:02.69
2014	Margarita Mukasheva	KAZ	1:59.02	Tintu Luka	IND	1:59.19	Zhao Jing	CHN	1:59.48
2010	Margarita Matsko	KAZ	2:00.29	Truong Thanh Hang	VIE	2:00.91	Tintu Luka	IND	2:01.36
2006	Maryam Yusuf Jamal	BRN	2:01.79	Viktoriya Yalovtseva	KAZ	2:03.19	Zamira Amirova	UZB	2:03.56
2002	K Mathews Beenamol	IND	2:04.17	Madhuri Singh	IND	2:04.94	Zamira Amirova	UZB	2:05.05

Last eleven Asian Championships:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2023	Tharushi Dissanayaka	SRI	2:00.66	K M Chanda	IND	2:01.58	Gayanthika Artigala	SRI	2:03.25
2019	Marimthu Gomathi	IND	2:02.70	Wang Chunyu	CHN	2:02.96	Margarita Mukasheva	KAZ	2:03.83
2017	Nimali Waliwarsha	SRI	2:05.23	Gayanthika Thushari	SIR	2:05.27	Fumika Omori	JPN	2:06.50
2015	Tintu Luka	IND	2:01.53	Zhao Jing	CHN	2:03.40	Liyandarachchi Nimali	SRI	2:03.94
2013	Wang Chunyu	CHN	2:02.47	Regasa Genzeb Shumu	BRN	2:04.16	Tintu Luka	IND	2:04.48
2011	Truong Thanh Hang	VIE	2:01.41	Margarita Matsko	KAZ	2:02.46	Tintu Luka	IND	2:02.55
2009	Zhou Haiyan	CHN	2:04.89	Margarita Matsko	KAZ	2:05.31	Truong Thanh Hang	VIE	2:05.33
2007	Truong Thanh Hang	VIE	2:04.77	Sinimol Paulose	IND	2:06.15	Ayako Jinnouchi	JPN	2:08.75
2005	Miho Sugimori	JPN	2:01.84	Santhi Soundarajan	IND	2:04.01	Zamira Amirova	UZB	2:04.22
2003	Yin Yin Khine	MYA	2:01.96	Tatyana Roslanova	KAZ	2:02.41	Zamira Amirova	UZB	2:02.84
2002	Miho Sugimori	JPN	2:03.59	Tatyana Borisova	KGZ	2:03.67	Zamira Amirova	UZB	2:04.48

Last six All Africa Games:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2024	Tsige Duguma	ETH	1:57.73	Halimah Nakaayi	UGA	1:58.59	Vivian Chebet	KEN	2:00.27
2019	Hirut Meshesha	ETH	2:03.16	Rabab Arrafi	MAR	2:03.20	Halima Nakaayi	UGA	2:03.55
2015	Caster Semenya	RSA	2:00.97	Annet Mwanzi	KEN	2:01.54	Chaltu Shume	ETH	2:01.59
2011	Annet Negusa	UGA	2:01.81	Fantu Mangiso	ETH	2:03.22	Sylvia Chesebe	KEN	2:04.16
2007	Leonora Piuza	MOZ	2:02.83	Agnes Samaria	NAM	2:03.17	Nahida Touhami	ALG	2:03.79
2003	Grace Ebor	NGR	2:02.04	Akosua Serwah	GHA	2:02.40	Lwiza John	TAN	2:02.85

Last eleven African Championships:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2024	Sarah Moraa	KEN	2:00.27	Lilian Odira	KEN	2:00.36	Soukaina Hojii	MAR	2:00.91
2022	Jarinter Mwasya	KEN	2:02.80	Netsanet Desta	ETH	2:02.99	Prudence Sekgodisa	RSA	2:03.46
2018	Caster Semenya	RSA	1:56.06	Francine Niyonsaba	BDI	1:57.97	Habitam Alemu	ETH	1:58.86
2016	Caster Semenya	RSA	1:58.20	Akkaoui	MAR	2:00.24	E Jerotich	KEN	2:00.70
2014	Eunice Sum	KEN	1:59.74	Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	1:59.74	Agatha Kimaswei	KEN	1:59.84
2012	Francine Niyonsaba	BDI	1:59.11	Eunice Sum	KEN	1:59.13	Malika Akkaoui	MAR	1:59.90
2010	Zahra Bouras	ALG	2:00.22	Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	2:00.50	Malika Akkaoui	MAR	2:01.01
2008	Pamela Jelimo	KEN	1:58.70	Maria Mutola	MOZ	2:00.47	Agnes Samaria	NAM	2:00.62
2006	Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	2:00.64	Maria Mutola	MOZ	2:01.08	Nouriah Merah-Benida	ALG	2:02.18
2004	Saida El Mehdi	MA	2:03.52	Charity Wandia	KEN	2:04.08	Caroline Chepkwony	KEN	2:04.58
2002	Maria Mutola	MO	2:03.11	Agnes Samaria	NAM	2:03.63	Mina Ait Hammou	MAR	2:03.94

Last six Pan American Games:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2023	Sahily Diago	CUB	2:02.71	Deborah Rodriguez	URU	2:02.88	Ros M Almaza	CUB	2:03.68
2019	Natoya Goule	JAM	2:01.26	Rose Mary	CUB	2:01.64	Deborah Rodriguez	URU	2:01.66
2015	Melissa Bishop	CAN	1:59.62	Alysia Montano	USA	1:59.76	Flavia de Lima	BRA	2:00.40
2011	Adriana Muñoz	CUB	2:04.08	Gabriela Medina	MEX	2:04.41	Rosibel Garcia	COL	2:04.45
2007	Diane Cummins	CAN	1:59.75	Rosibel Garcia	COL	2:00.02	Zulia Calatayud	CUB	2:00.34
2003	Adriana Muñoz	CUB	2:02.96	Marian Burnett	GUY	2:03.58	Christiane dos Santos	BRA	2:04.37

Last six Commonwealth Games:

Year	Gold	Nat	Time	Silver	Nat	Time	Bronze	Nat	Time
2022	Mary Moraa	KEN	1:57.07	Keely Hodgkinson	ENG	1:57.40	Laura Muir	SCO	1:57.87
2018	Caster Semenya	RSA	1:56.68	Margaret Wambui	KEN	1:58.07	Natoya Goule	JAM	1:58.82
2014	Eunice Sum	KEN	2:00.31	Lynsey Sharp	SCO	2:01.34	Winnie Nanyondo	UGA	2:01.38
2010	Nancy Langat	KEN	2:00.01	Nikki Hamblin	NZL	2:00.05	Diane Cummins	CAN	2:00.13
2006	Janeth Jepkosgei	KEN	1:57.88	Kenia Sinclair	JAM	1:58.16	Maria Mutola	MOZ	1:58.77
2002	Maria Mutola	MO	1:57.35	Diane Cummins	CAN	1:58.82	Agnes Samaria	NAM	1:59.15

Fastest Performances on Asian Soil

Performance	Performer	Time	Name	Nat	Pos	Venue	DMY
1	1	1:54.87	Pamela Jelimo	KEN	1	Beijing	18 Aug 2008
2	2	1:54.98	Caster Semenya	RSA	1	Doha	3 May 2019
3	3	1:55.21	Athing Mu	USA	1	Tokyo	3 Aug 2021

Fastest Performances in Tokyo:

Performance	Performer	Time	Name	Nat	Pos	DMY
1	1	1:55.21	Athing Mu	USA	1	3 Aug 2021
2	2	1:55.88	Keely Hodgkinson	GBR	2	3 Aug 2021
3	3	1:56.81	Raevyn Rogers	USA	3	3 Aug 2021

Fastest Performances in September

Performance	Performer	Time	Name	Nat	Pos	Venue	DMY
1	1	1:54.44	Ana Fidelia Quirot	CUB	1	Barcelona	9 Sept 1989
2	2	1:54.77	Caster Semenya	RSA	1	Ostrava	9 Sept 2018
3	3	1:54.97	Athing Mu	USA	1	Eugene	17 Sept 2023

All-time World List

Performance	Performer	Time	Name	Nat	Pos	Venue	DMY
1	1	1:53.28	Jarmila Kratochvilova	TCH	1	Munchen	26 July 1983
2	2	1:53.43	Nadezhda Olizarenko	URS	1	Moskva	27 July 1980
3	3	1:54.01	Pamela Jelimo	KEN	1	Zurich	29 Aug 2008
4	4	1:54.25	Caster Semenya	RSA	1	Paris	30 June 2018
5	5	1:54.44	Ana Fidelia Quirot	CUB	1	Barcelona	9 Sept 1989
6		1:54.60	Caster Semenya		1	Monaco	20 July 2018
7	6	1:54.61	Keely Hodgkinson	GBR	1	London	20 July 2024

Combined 2024 & 2025 World List

Performance	Performer	Time	Name	Nat	Pos	Venue	DMY
1	1	1:54.61	Keely Hodgkinson	GBR	1	London	20 July 2024
2		1:54.74	Keely Hodgkinson		1	Chorzow	16 Aug 2025
3	2	1:55.61	Jemma Reekie	GBR	2	London	20 July 2024
4		1:55.69	Keely Hodgkinson		1	Lausanne	20 Aug 2025
5		1:55.78	Keely Hodgkinson		1	Eugene	25 May 2024
6	3	1:55.91	Audrey Werro	SUI	1	Zurich	28 Aug 2025
7	4	1:55.96	Georgia Hunter Bell	FBR	2	Zurich	28 Aug 2025
8		1:56.28	Georgia Hunter Bell		3	London	20 July 2024
9		1:56.29	Audrey Werro		1	Frauenfeld	24 Aug 2025
10	5	1:56.52	Lilian Odira	KEN	2	Chorzow	16 Aug 2025
11	6	1:56.56	Mary Moraa	KEN	1	Bruxelles	13 Sept 2024
12	7	1:56.64	Tsige Duguma	ETH	1	Shaoxing	3 May 2025
13		1:56.71	Mary Moraa		2	Eugene	25 May 2024
14		1:56.72	Keely Hodgkinson		1	Paris – OG	5 Aug 2024
15		1:56.74	Georgia Hunter Bell		1	London	19 July 2025
16	8	1:56.76	Oratile Nowe	BOT	3	Chorzow	16 Aug 2025
17	9	1:56.83	Natoya Goule-Toppin	JAM	4	London	20 July 2024
18	10	1:56.83	Addy Wiley	USA	1	Szczecin	28 Aug 2024

19		1:56.83	Keely Hodgkinson		1sf3	Paris	4 Aug 2024
20	11	1:56.97	Anais Bourgoin	FRA	3	Zurich	28 Aug 2025
21	12	1:57.00	Nelly Chepchirchir	KEN	1	Zagreb	8 Sept 2024
22	13	1:57.01	Nigist Getachew	ETH	1	Heusden	19 July 2025
23	14	1:57.06	Renelle Lamote	FRA	5	London	20 July 2024
24		1:57.08	Mary Moraa		1	Zurich	5 Sept 2024
25		1:57.10	Tsige Duguma		1	Eugene	5 July 2025

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