The Isner–Mahut match at the 2010 Wimbledon Championships

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**Match start:**

The Isner–Mahut match at the 2010 Wimbledon Championships was one of the longest matches in tennis history. The match took place on the third day of the tournament on Wednesday, 23 June, and lasted over 8 hours and 11 minutes, breaking the previous record for the longest match ever. The match was played on the centre court at Wimbledon and was won by Andy Murray in five sets, 6–7(8), 3–6, 6–3, 6–4, 6–4. The match was played over three days, with play suspended on the second day due to darkness.

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In July, after Isner and Mahut were jointly awarded the 2010 ESPY Award for Best Moment for their match, the two players appeared at the BBC Empire State Building studio in New York to commemorate the match on behalf of the Open. They were joined by Isner’s coach and former pro player Dan Bern, who has written a book about the match. The duo were also joined by former Wimbledon singles champion John McEnroe to commentate on the match. The players were then interviewed by the BBC’s Christian Cudmore, and they both spent time signing autographs for fans. The studio was decorated with a large photo of the two Court 14 commemorating the match and a plaque placed commemorating the match at the 2011 Hopman Cup.

The previous record for games played in a singles match was the 122-game U.S. Open match in which Isner and Ferrer played in 2009. The match was also played in the United States, and Isner was the winner. The previous record for most aces in a match was set by Isner in his 2011 Hopman Cup singles match against Daniel Brands, when he served 147 aces. In addition, the AELTC placed a plaque commemorating the match at Court 14.

Players’ subsequent schedules

As the winner, Isner arrived at the second round where he played at the 2011 Hopman Cup. His opponent was Patricio Cornejo, who was also scheduled to play against Isner in his first match. The match was won by Isner in four sets, 6–4, 6–2, 2–6, 6–3, in two hours and 39 minutes. In the second round, Isner faced Thiemo de Bakker of the Netherlands. The match was won by Isner in four sets, 6–4, 7–6(7–5), 7–6(3), 6–3, in two hours and 29 minutes. In the quarterfinals, Isner faced Daniel Brands. Isner won the match in five sets, 6–2, 6–4, 3–6, 3–6, 6–1, in three hours and 18 minutes. In the semifinals, Isner faced Grega Mazur of Slovenia. Isner won the match in three sets, 6–3, 6–4, 6–2, in two hours and 13 minutes. In the final, Isner faced Radek Štěpánek of the Czech Republic. Isner won the match in four sets, 6–2, 6–4, 6–2, 7–5, in two hours and 29 minutes. Isner became the first American to win a Hopman Cup in 20 years.

Reactions

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Henman and the umpire were presented with a plaque on behalf of the Open. Henman joked that he was more interested in “seeing the score” than the match. Henman said, “This is an incredible match. I’m speechless. It’s incredible.” Henman added, “This is a match for the ages. It’s an incredible achievement. It’s an incredible result. It’s an incredible match.” Henman speculated, however, that the match might not be remembered for long. Henman said, “I don’t think this match will be remembered in 10 years. It’s too long. It’s too long.”

Henman also commented on the players’ self-esteem boost. Henman said, “This is beyond anything. This is absolutely amazing.” Henman added, “Whoever wins today, I think both of them are winners.”

Isner’s coach, Dan Bern, also commented on the match. Bern said, “This is an incredible match. It’s an incredible achievement. It’s an incredible result. It’s an incredible match.” Bern added, “This is an incredible match. It’s an incredible achievement. It’s an incredible result. It’s an incredible match.” Bern said, “This is an incredible match. It’s an incredible achievement. It’s an incredible result. It’s an incredible match.”

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### Detailed Statistics

- Winning Percentage: 67% (328/489)
- Losing Percentage: 24% (115/491)
- Total Points: 227

### References

External links

- Match statistics from Wimbledon.org


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The End: John Isner walks to the net to shake Nicolas Mahut's hand after their three-day Wimbledon match. Wimbledon 2010: Isner Wins The Longest Match. Jun242010. ATP Staff. Picking up at 59-59 in the fifth set, the first-round match on Court 18 at The Championships that has captivated a global audience, continued on serve with no break point opportunities until 6â€™9â€œ Isner fell on his back having kept his nerve to complete the longest tennis match on record for a 6-4, 3-6, 6-7(7). Isner won the longest match in tennis history, defeating Nicolas Mahut 70-68 in the fifth set of the first round at the 2010 Wimbledon Championships. That match lasted 11 hours and five minutes. Isner added a few more endurance records to his resume on Friday, playing the longest semifinal in Wimbledon history and longest match ever on Centre Court at the All England Club against Anderson. The match marked the second-longest in tournamentâ€™s history, behind only his meeting with Mahut. John Isner reacts after a point in his marathon semifinal match against Kevin Anderson at Wimbledon. Wimbledon 2010 first-round match. John Isner (23) vs. Nicolas Mahut (Q). On the next point, Isner passed Mahut at the net with a difficult inside-out forehand from the middle of the court that landed just inside the line and the service box. This brought up Isner's fifth match point (and the first in the day) and his 14th break point of the match, which he converted with a down-the-line backhand passing shot.