

West Region Tennis Tournament Seeding and Tie-Breaker Criteria

Tennis

Seeding: The seeds for the West Region Tournament shall be determined based on each team's overall regular-season conference finish. The regular season champion shall earn the top seed in the tournament. The remaining seeds are then determined based on their conference winning percentage. Once all seeds are determined, they will be placed accordingly in the tournament bracket.

In the event of a tie for a particular seed, the seed will be determined as follows:

- 1. Most wins in Head-to-Head WDA meetings.**
If still tied...
- 2. Won-Loss record among the tied teams.**
If still tied...
- 3. Most individual/doubles matches won in head to head play among tied teams.**
If still tied...
- 4. Most individual/doubles matches won against all conference teams.**
If still tied...
- 5. Coin flip**
If still tied...

Notes

*Determining seeds must start with No. 1 and then No. 2..No. 3..No. 4 and so forth until all seeds are determined.

*For all ties involving three or more teams, once the tie is broken among the three/multiple teams; the remaining tied teams will revert back to the first tie-break scenario.

Tie-Break Scenarios

A. Two Teams

Team A and Team B each finished 5-1 in the conference regular season standings. Therefore, a tie-breaker is necessary to properly seed the teams into the playoffs.

Tie-Break Criteria No. 1

Most wins in Head to Head meetings

Team A has 1 win against Team B

Team B has 0 wins against Team A

Team A wins the tie-breaker over Team B.

B. Three teams

Team A, Team B and Team C each finished 5-1 in the conference regular season standings. Therefore, a tie-breaker is necessary to properly seed the teams into the region tournament.

Tie-Break Criteria No. 1

Most wins in head to head meetings

Team A has 1 win against Team B

Team A has 0 wins against Team C

Team B has 0 wins against Team A

Team B has 1 win against Team C

Team C has 1 win against Team A

Team C has 0 wins against Team B

Since Team A, B and C all have 1 win in head to head meetings, they move on to Tie-Break Criteria No. 2.

Tie-Break Criteria No. 2

Won-Lost record among tied teams

Team A has a 1-1 record, collectively, against Teams B and C
Team B has a 1-1 record, collectively, against Teams C and A
Team C has a 1-1 record, collectively, against Teams B and A

Since Team A, B and C each have 1-1 records among tied teams, they move on to Tie-Break Criteria No. 3.

Tie-Break Criteria No. 3

Most individual/doubles matches won in head to head play among tied teams.

Team A defeated Team B, 6-3

Team A lost to Team C, 4-5

Team A has won 10 matches, collectively, against B and C.

Team B lost to Team A, 3-6

Team B defeated Team C, 8-1

Team B has won 11 matches, collectively, against A and C

Team C lost to Team B, 1-8

Team C defeated Team A, 5-4

Team C has won 6 matches, collectively, among tied teams

Team C is eliminated from the three-way tie-breaker and Teams A and B return to Tie-Break Criteria No. 1 to resolve tie.

Tie-Break Criteria No. 1

Most wins in head to head meetings

Team A has 1 win against Team B

Team B has 0 wins against Team A

Team A wins tie-breaker over Team B.

Now we have to determine the No. 2 seed from the remaining teams B and C.

Again, we revert back to Tie-Break Criteria No. 1 (most wins in head to head meetings)

Team B has 1 win against Team C

Team C has 0 wins against Team B

Team B wins tie-break and is the No. 2 seed.

Team C, therefore, is the No. 3 seed.

C. Three teams

Team A, Team B and Team C each finished 2-4 in the conference regular season standings. Therefore, a tie-breaker is necessary to properly seed the teams into the West Region Tournament.

Tie-Break Criteria No. 1

Most wins in head to head meetings

Team A has 1 win against Team B

Team A has 1 win against Team C

Team B has 0 wins against Team A

Team B has 1 win against Team C

Team C has 0 wins against Team A

Team C has 0 wins against Team B

Since Team A has more wins in head to head meetings among the three tied teams, it is seeded ahead of Teams B and C. Now, we have to resolve the tie-breaker between B and C. We go back to Tie-Break Criteria No. 1.

Tie-Break Criteria No. 1

Most wins in head to head meetings

Team B has 1 win against Team C

Team C has 0 wins against Team B

Team B wins tie-break criteria over Team C.

So, Team A is seeded ahead of Teams B and C.

Team B is seeded ahead of C