Concacaf Nations League 2023/24

QUARTER-FINALS

# Jamaica vs. Canada

They will face each other for the first time in the history of the Nations League. Canada will be playing in a knockout stage series for the second consecutive time (in two different editions). Previously, in the 2022-2023 CNL edition, they played in the semifinals against Panama and won 2-0 but lost the final 2-0 against the United States. For Jamaica, it will be the first time they play in a direct elimination series in the CNL. The "Reggae Boyz" are undefeated in the CNL (9 wins and 5 draws).

In their last 15 matchups in all competitions, the series is even with six wins on each side. However, Canada has taken the advantage in the last 3 games with 2 wins and 1 draw. The last time they faced each other was in the Concacaf qualifiers for the FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022, with a 4-0 victory for Canada, with goals from Cyle Larin (13'), Tajon Buchanan (44'), Junior Hoilett (83'), and an own goal by Adrian Mariappa (89').

The last time they faced each other in a knockout stage match in Concacaf tournaments was in the quarter-finals of the 2017 Gold Cup, with a 2-1 victory for Jamaica, with goals from Shaun Francis (6') and Romario Williams (50') for Jamaica, and Junior Hoilett (61') for Canada.

**All-Time series: 22 games**

**10 wins for Canada**

**6 draws**

**6 wins for Jamaica**

**28 goals for Canada**

**17 goals for Jamaica**

**Jamaica (JAM)**

**Record in Concacaf Nations League**: GP-14 W-9 D-5 L-0 (GF-38 GA-11).

**Top Scorers**: Shamar Nicholson (6), Bobby Reid (4), Maalique Foster (3), Junior Flemmings (3), Leon Bailey (3), Demarai Gray (3), Alvas Powell (2), Dever Orgill (2).

**Top Assists**: Shamar Nicholson (6), Brian Lee Brown (2), Leon Bailey (2), Daniel Johnson (2).

**Record in CNL 2023-24**: GP-4 W-3 D-1 L-0 (GF-10 GA-5).

**Top Scorers in CNL 2023-24**: Demarai Gray (3), Bobby Reid (2), Shamar Nicholson (2), Romario Williams (1), Leon Bailey.

**All-Time Saves: 37**. **Goalkeepers**: Andre Blake (16), Jahmali Waite (10), Amal Knight (9), Akeem Chambers (2). Clean Sheets history (6).

**Saves in 2023/24**: (12).

**Victory with the most goals**: 6-0 vs. Antigua & Barbuda (League B - Group C / CNL 2019/20), 0-6 vs. Aruba (League B - Group C / CNL 2019/20).

**Appearances in CONMEBOL Copa America**: 2 (2015, 2016). Group Stage Chile 2015 and United States 2016.

**Record in CONMEBOL Copa América**: GP-6 W-0 D-0 L-6 (GF-0 GA-9).

**Players to watch:**

**Demarai Gray.** Scored (3) goals in the group stage of the CNL 2023/24 League A. All of his goals were from field play, with a shooting accuracy of 43%.

**Shamar Nicholson.** Was the player with the most (9) shots in the group stage of the CNL 2023/24. He scored goals against Grenada and Haiti. Furthermore, he is the all-time leader in assists in the CNL with 6.

**Bobby Reid.** Scored 2 goals, provided 1 assist, and made (8) ball recoveries in 3 appearances in the CNL. To date, he has attempted 6 shots with a passing accuracy of 92%.

**Canada (CAN)**

**Record in Concacaf Nations League**: GP-10 W-7 D-0 L-3 (GF-23 GA-9).

**Record in CNL 2022/23**: GP-6 W-4 D-0 L-2 (GF-13 GA-5).

**Top Scorers**: Alphonso Davies (5), Jonathan David (5), Junior Hoilett (3), Cyle Larín (3), Steven Vitoria (2), Lucas Cavallini (2), Jonathan Osorio (2).

**Top Scorers in CNL 2022/23**: Jonathan David (4), Cyle Larin (3), Alphonso Davies (3).

**Top Assists**: Jonathan Osorio (4), Jonathan David (3), Richie Laryea (2), Samuel Adekugbe (2).

**All-Time Saves**: 9. Goalkeepers: Milan Borjan (9). Clean Sheets history (5).

Saves 2022/23: (3).

**Victory with the most goals**: 6-0 vs. Cuba (League A - Group A / CNL 2019/20).

**Appearances in CONMEBOL Copa America**: 0

**Players to watch:**

**Jonathan David.** Alongside Alphonso Davies, he is Canada's top scorer in the CNL with (5) goals. Both scored goals in the CNL 2022/23 semifinal against Panama. David had the most shots (8) among Canadians in the FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022.

**Junior Hoilett.** Scored 1 goal, provided 2 assists, and had the most shots among Canadian players in the 2023 Gold Cup. He also scored the only goal in the recent friendly match against Japan in September.

**Alphonso Davies.** Has 42 appearances and has scored 14 goals for Canada. He scored 1 of the 2 goals in the FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022. Alongside Jonathan David, he is the top scorer in the CNL with (5) goals.