

WOMEN'S NATIONAL MARATHON RECORDS BY COUNTRY/TERRITORY

(as of April 7, 2008)

<u>Country/Territory</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
Albania.....	Manushaque Taku	3:31:51	November 3, 1991	Khania
Algeria	Souad ait-Salem	2:25:08	March 18, 2007.....	Rome
Andorra.....	Cristina Bres.....	4:46:05	October 7, 2000.....	Santander
Antilles Netherlands.....	Nel Geerings.....	3:43:27	April 15, 1991	Boston
Argentina	Griselda Gonzalez	2:30:32	May 11, 1997.....	Turin
Armenia	Alexa Babakhanian	2:56:57	August 12, 2001	Edmonton
Aruba.....	Cornelia Melis	2:53:24	September 23, 1988	Seoul
Australia	Benita Johnson	2:22:36	October 22, 2006.....	Chicago
Austria	Suzanne Pumper	2:32:21	May 7, 2006.....	Vienna
Azerbaijan.....	Gulnara Mammadova	2:51:40	October 28, 2007.....	Istanbul
Bahamas	Giselle Pyfrom.....	2:54:37	December 16, 1995	Jacksonville
Bahrain	Nadia Ejjafini	2:37:25	December 2, 2007	Milan
Barbados	Caroline Morrat	3:06:07	June 7, 1987	Port-of-Spain
Belarus	Madina Biktagirova	2:26:23	March 1, 1992.....	Los Angeles
Belgium.....	Marleen Renders.....	2:23:05	April 7, 2002	Paris
Bermuda.....	Deborah Butterfield	2:54:18	January 14, 1990.....	Hamilton
Bolivia	Sonia Calizaya	2:45:05	November 4, 2007	Buenos Aires
Bosnia Herzegovina	Lucia Kimani.....	2:37:37	January 18, 2008.....	Dubai
Botswana.....	Onkemetse Solotata	2:51:32	February 10, 2008	Durban
Brazil	Carmen de Oliveira	2:27:41	April 18, 1994	Boston
Bulgaria	Galina Goranova	2:35:02	January 21, 1996.....	Houston
Cameroon.....	Cathrine Ngwang Give.....	3:07:15	June 11, 2000.....	Limbe
Canada.....	Sylvia Ruegger	2:28:36	January 6, 1985.....	Houston
Cape Verde Islands.....	Sonia Lopes	2:58:00	April 27, 2003	Padua
Cayman Islands	Michele Bush-Cuke	2:37:41	December 8, 1991	Sacramento
Central Africa.....	Virginie Gloum.....	3:28:41	July 11, 1994	Bondoufle
Chile	Erika Oliveira.....	2:32:23	April 18, 1999	Rotterdam
China	Sun Yingjie.....	2:19:39	October 19, 2003.....	Beijing
Colombia	Iglandini Gonzalez	2:35:19	March 3, 1996.....	Los Angeles
Comoros	Zalifa Ali	3:56:54	July 22, 2001	Ottawa
Congo.....	Ida-Brunelle Kiyindou	3:20:56	April 4, 2004	Paris
Congo, Democratic Rep. .	Kungu Bakombo.....	3:29:10	August 1, 1992	Barcelona
Cook Islands.....	Kiki Atonia	3:32:33	May 3, 1980	Rarotonga
Costa Rica.....	Vilma Sanchez Pena	2:44:33	April 12, 1992	London
Croatia.....	Tijana Krsek	2:39:25	April 16, 1989	Rotterdam
Cuba.....	Emperatriz Wilson.....	2:36:35	December 13, 1992.....	Caracas
Cyprus.....	Andri Avraam	2:39:19	January 31, 1990.....	Auckland
Czech Republic.....	Alena Peterkova	2:25:19	April 18, 1994	Boston
Denmark	Dorthe Rasmussen	2:29:34	April 23, 1989	London
Dominican Republic	Sandra Natal	2:46:46	October 29, 1995.....	Frankfurt
East Timor	Aquida Amara	3:03:53	December 12, 2003.....	Hanoi
Ecuador	Martha Tenorio	2:27:58	April 19, 1999	Boston
Egypt	Mona Mahmoud	3:36:56	October 8, 2004.....	Alexandria
El Salvador	Kriscia Lorena Garcia	2:49:34	May 15, 1988.....	San Salvador
Eritrea	Nebiat Habtemariam	2:37:46	October 28, 2007.....	Frankfurt
Estonia	Jane Salumae	2:27:04	May 11, 1997.....	Turin
Ethiopia	Berhane Adere.....	2:20:42	October 22, 2006.....	Chicago
Faroe Island	Rigmor Arge.....	3:13:23	October 28, 2006.....	Frederikstad
Fiji.....	Anasa Navavia	5:06:22	September, 1984	Suva
Finland	Ritva Lemittinen	2:28:00	April 2, 1995	London
France	Christelle Daunay.....	2:28:24	January 27, 2008.....	Osaka
French Polynesia.....	Sophie Gardon.....	2:52:29	February 12, 2005	Moorea
Gabon.....	Josiane Abougone	2:49:14	April 9, 2000	Paris
Germany	Uta Pippig	2:21:45	April 18, 1994	Boston
Ghana.....	Millicent Boadi	2:44:44	September 24, 2005	Accra
Gibraltar	Anabel Felipes.....	4:22:51	April 26, 1998	London

Great Britain/England*	Paula Radcliffe	2:15:25	April 13, 2003	London
Greece	Maria Polizou	2:33:40	August 23, 1998	Budapest
Greenland	Elisa-Laura Agtagkat	3:11:12	July 21, 2001	Nuuk
Grenada	Jennifer Boca	3:22:40	November 4, 1990	New York
Guam	Jen Allred	2:59:43	February 29, 1992	Pensacola
Guatemala	Maria del Pilar Menendez	2:51:33	September 23, 1988	Seoul
Guinea	Aida Diallo-Camara	3:20:11	November 23, 2003	Carqueiranne
Guyana	Adibime Charles	3:01:08	January 30, 2000	Port-of-Spain
Honduras	Magda Castillo	2:57:17	August 12, 2001	Edmonton
Hong Kong	Maggie Chan	2:37:53	November 9, 2002	Richmond
Hungary	Aniko Kalovics	2:26:43	October 15, 2006	Carpi
Iceland	Martha Ernstdottir	2:35:15	September 26, 1999	Berlin
India	Vally Sathyabhama	2:38:10	December 21, 1995	Madras
Indonesia	Ruwyati	2:34:29	December 13, 1995	Lamphun
Iran	Sadaf Sehati	3:25:02	March 6, 2005	Los Angeles
Ireland	Catherina McKiernan	2:22:23	November 1, 1998	Amsterdam
Israel	Nili Avramski	2:36:36	April 4, 2004	Paris
Italy	Maura Viceconte	2:23:47	May 21, 2000	Vienna
Jamaica	Jill Vincent	3:08:47	June 4, 2000	San Diego
Japan	Mizuki Noguchi	2:19:12	September 25, 2005	Berlin
Jordan	Souraya Soufi	3:45:46	October 19, 2003	Beirut
Kazakhstan	Zoya Ivanova	2:27:57	November 15, 1987	Tokyo
Kenya	Catherine Ndereba	2:18:47	October 7, 2001	Chicago
Kyrgyzstan	Irina Bogacheva	2:26:27	April 17, 2000	Boston
Laos	Sirivanh Ketavong	3:25:16	July 28, 1996	Atlanta
Latvia	Jelena Prokopcuka	2:22:56	January 30, 2005	Osaka
Lebanon	Maria Pia Nehme	3:11:16	April 9, 2006	Paris
Lesotho	Mamorallo Tjoka	2:39:38	February 10, 2008	Durban
Liberia	Monique Maddy	2:50:10	April 15, 2002	Boston
Liechtenstein	Maria Wille	2:58:48	April 26, 1992	Vienna
Lithuania	Zivile Balciunaite	2:25:15	November 20, 2005	Tokyo
Luxembourg	Daniele Kaber	2:29:23	September 23, 1988	Seoul
Macau	Leong Lai Heong	3:27:34	December 3, 2006	Macau
Madagascar	Clarisse Rasoarizay	2:38:21	September 6, 2003	Bambous
Malawi	Lucia Chandamale	3:16:24	July 26, 2003	Blantyre
Malaysia	Yuan Yufang	2:49:28	April 30, 2000	Kuala Lumpur
Malta	Carol Galea	2:36:52	December 1, 1996	Florence
Mauritius	Danielle Florens	2:47:49	July 4, 2004	Gold Coast
Mexico	Madai Perez	2:22:59	October 22, 2006	Chicago
Moldova	Tatyana Zuyeva	2:31:00	October 27, 1991	Carpi
Monacco	Adrienne Pastorelly	3:35:39	January 12, 1992	Marrakech
Mongolia	Lursanikhundy Otgonbayar	2:50:28	October 15, 2006	Beijing
Montenegro	Lidija Miklos	3:03:32	April 21, 2007	Belgrade
Morocco	Zhor El Kamch	2:26:10	April 4, 2004	Rotterdam
Myanmar	Pa Pa	2:38:42	April 13, 2004	Kangon
Namibia	Helalia Johannes	2:33:06	March 16, 2008	Seoul
Nepal	Nirmal Bharati	2:58:41	September 24, 2006	Berlin
Netherlands	Lornah Kiplagat	2:23:43	November 2, 2003	New York
New Caledonia*	Nadia Prasad	2:29:48	March 5, 1995	Los Angeles
New Zealand	Allison Roe	2:26:46	April 20, 1981	Boston
Nicaragua	Maria Ocon	3:13:31	January 11, 1990	Tegucigalpa
Nigeria	Mary Akor	2:40:37	April 3, 2004	St. Louis
North Korea	Ham Bong-sil	2:25:31	August 31, 2003	St. Denis
Northern Ireland*	Moira O'Neill	2:37:06	October 31, 1988	Dublin
Northern Mariana Islands	Akiko Nagiwaru	3:43:39	December 11, 2005	Honolulu
Norway	Ingrid Kristiansen	2:21:06	April 21, 1985	London
Pakistan	Sadia Parveen	4:12:36	February 24, 2002	Hong Kong
Palau	Krista Callinan	3:58:03	April 8, 2006	Koror
Panama	Gilda Mendez	3:04:58	March 5, 1995	Los Angeles
Papua New Guinea	Rosemary Turare	3:41:14	November 13, 1994	Goroka

Paraguay	Aida Aguilar	3:05:54	November 4, 2007	Buenos Aires
Peru	Maria Portilla Cruz	2:35:24	March 5, 2000	Los Angeles
Philippines	Christabel Martes	2:38:44	July 24, 2005	Manila
Poland	Wanda Panfil	2:24:18	April 15, 1991	Boston
Portugal	Rosa Mota	2:23:29	October 20, 1985	Chicago
Puerto Rico	Yolanda Mercado	2:44:58	April 22, 2007	London
Reunion Islands *	Chantal Dallenbach	2:28:27	April 7, 2002	Paris
Romania	Constantina Tomescu-Dita	2:21:30	October 9, 2005	Chicago
Russia	Galina Bogomolova	2:20:47	October 22, 2006	Chicago
Rwanda	Marcianne Mukamurenzi	2:36:53	May 15, 1988	Paris
St. Pierre & Miquelon	Ursula Delcourt	3:50:45	October 9, 2005	Chicago
St. Vincent	Adelaide Carrington	3:18:44	January 26, 2003	Port-of-Spain
San Marino	Amy Cesaretti	3:10:00	May 1, 1983	ITA
Scotland*	Liz McColgan	2:26:52	April 13, 1997	London
Senegal	Marianne Diouf	5:16:00	1988	Dakar
Serbia	Olivera Jevtic	2:25:23	April 13, 2003	Rotterdam
Seychelles	Rachel Naiken	3:42:25	August 11, 1998	St. Paul
Singapore	Yvonne Danson Tan	2:34:41	December 13, 1995	Lamphun
Slovakia	Ludmila Melicherova	2:33:19	April 22, 1990	Vienna
Slovenia	Helena Javornik	2:27:33	October 17, 2004	Amsterdam
South Africa	Elena Meyer	2:25:15	April 18, 1994	Boston
South Korea	Kwong Eun-joo	2:26:12	October 26, 1997	Chunchon
Spain	Ana Isabel Alonso	2:26:51	October 15, 1995	San Sebastian
Sri Lanka	Kande Gamaralalage	2:51:00	October 15, 2006	Beijing
Sudan	Ali Abdelhadiri Mashaer	3:29:44	March 31, 2007	Xiamen
Suriname	Marianne Hiralal	3:45:24	November 27, 2005	Paramaribo
Swaziland	Priscilla Mamba	3:00:42	February 9, 2002	Secunda
Sweden	Lena Gavelin	2:30:39	August 31, 2003	St. Denis
Switzerland	Franziska Moser	2:25:51	April 19, 1999	Boston
Taiwan	Hsu Yu-Fang	2:39:53	March 27, 2004	Xiamen
Tajikstan	Gulsara Dadabayeva	2:39:03	October 26, 2003	Ljubljana
Tanzania	Banuela Mrashani	2:24:59	November 17, 2002	Tokyo
Thailand	Sunisa Pechpongprai	2:42:39	December 6, 1998	Bangkok
Trinidad	Cyrelene Nero	3:05:00	January 30, 2000	Port-of-Spain
Tunisia	Sonia Agoun	2:43:41	April 20, 1997	Rotterdam
Turkey	Mehtap Dogan	2:31:13	November 5, 2006	Istanbul
Turkmenistan	Tamara Tongush	2:57:36	December 5, 1985	Ashkhabad
Uganda	Margaret Nakintu	2:48:11	December 2, 2007	Las Vegas
Ukraine	Tatyana Hladyr	2:25:44	March 26, 2006	Rome
United States	Deena Kastor	2:19:36	April 23, 2006	London
Uruguay	Merceditas Cuevas	2:57:49	April 20, 2003	Santa Rosa
Uzbekistan	Nadezhda Usmanova	2:30:36	October 7, 1984	Vilnius
Venezuela	Elisabeth Oberli-Schuh	2:36:17	May 13, 1984	Frankfurt
Vietnam	Pham Thi Hien	2:48:34	December 9, 2007	Nakhon Rachasema
Virgin Islands	Lisha Hamilton	2:43:59	June 6, 2004	San Diego
Wales*	Susan Tooby	2:31:33	September 23, 1988	Seoul
Western Samoa	Mele Steiner	3:11:58	November 22, 1981	Auckland
Zambia	Lizzie Chansa	3:08:39	December 4, 2005	Singapore
Zimbabwe	Thabita Tsatsa	2:29:20	March 16, 2008	Seoul

* not an independent nation

Notes:

Botswana: Possible irregularities at Phikwe 2004. Alternate record 3:08:07, Solotate, July 27, 2003, Bosele

Brazil: Strong tailwinds at Boston 1994. Alternate record 2:29:34, de Oliveira, March 10, 1996 Nagoya

Czech Republic: Strong tailwinds at Boston 1994. Alternate record 2:27:00, Peterkova, April 29, 1995, Pardubice

Germany: Strong tailwinds at Boston 1994. Alternate record 2:24:25, Katrin Dorre, April 25, 1999, Hamburg

Hong Kong: On course with 184m drop, 2:35:49, Roper Chan, April 24, 2004, Salt Lake City

New Zealand: Allison Roe ran 2:25:29 in New York on October 25, 1981, on a course 148 meters short; approximately equivalent to 2:26:00

South Africa: Strong tailwinds at Boston 1994. Alternate record 2:26:35, Colleen De Reuck, Sept 29, 1996, Berlin

Swaziland: On course with 485m drop, 2:56:24, Mamba, March 19, 2005, Ngodwana