

# ALL-TIME TOP 100 WOMEN'S WORLD MARATHON PERFORMANCES

(as of September 28, 2008)

#	Name	Time	Place	Date	Location
1.	Paula Radcliffe (GBR)	2:15:25	(1)	April 13, 2003	London
2.	Paula Radcliffe (GBR) - 2	2:17:18	(1)	October 13, 2002	Chicago
3.	Paula Radcliffe (GBR) - 3	2:17:42	(1)	April 17, 2005	London
4.	Catherine Ndereba (KEN)	2:18:47	(1)	October 7, 2002	Chicago
5.	Paula Radcliffe (GBR) - 4	2:18:56	(1)	April 14, 2002	London
6.	Mizuki Noguchi (JPN)	2:19:12	(1)	September 25, 2005	Berlin
7.	Irina Mikitenko (GER)	2:19:19	(1)	September 28, 2008	Berlin
8.	Catherine Ndereba (KEN) - 2	2:19:26	(2)	October 13, 2002	Chicago
9.	Deena Kastor (USA)	2:19:36	(1)	April 23, 2006	London
10.	Sun Yingjie (CHN)	2:19:39	(1)	October 19, 2003	Beijing
11.	Yoko Shibui (JPN)	2:19:41	(1)	September 26, 2004	Berlin
12.	Naoko Takahashi (JPN)	2:19:46	(1)	September 30, 2001	Berlin
13.	Zhou Chunxiu (CHN)	2:19:51	(1)	March 12, 2006	Seoul
14.	Catherine Ndereba (KEN) - 3	2:19:55	(2)	April 13, 2003	London
15.	Zhou Chunxiu (CHN) - 2	2:20:38	(1)	April 22, 2007	London
16.	Berhane Adere (ETH)	2:20:42	(1)	October 22, 2006	Chicago
17.	Tegla Loroupe (KEN)	2:20:43	(1)	September 26, 1999	Berlin
17.	Margaret Okayo (KEN)	2:20:43	(1)	April 15, 2002	Boston
19.	Tegla Loroupe (KEN) - 2	2:20:47	(1)	April 19, 1998	Rotterdam
19.	Galina Bogomolova (RUS)	2:20:47	(2)	October 22, 2006	Chicago
21.	Paula Radcliffe (GBR) - 5	2:20:57	(1)	August 14, 2005	Helsinki
22.	Sun Yingjie (CHN) - 2	2:21:01	(1)	October 16, 2005	Beijing
23.	Ingrid Kristiansen (NOR)	2:21:06	(1)	April 21, 1985	London
24.	Zhou Chunxiu (CHN) - 3	2:21:11	(2)	October 16, 2005	Beijing
25.	Catherine Ndereba (KEN) - 4	2:21:12	(2)	April 15, 2002	Boston
26.	Deena Kastor (Drossin) (USA) - 2	2:21:16	(3)	April 13, 2003	London
27.	Mizuki Noguchi (JPN) - 2	2:21:18	(1)	January 26, 2003	Osaka
28.	Joan Benoit Samuelson (USA)	2:21:21	(1)	October 20, 1985	Chicago
28.	Sun Yingjie (CHN) - 3	2:21:21	(2)	October 20, 2002	Beijing
30.	Yoko Shibui (JPN) - 2	2:21:22	(3)	October 13, 2002	Chicago
31.	Deena Kastor (USA) - 3	2:21:25	(1)	October 9, 2006	Chicago
32.	Ludmila Petrova (RUS)	2:21:29	(2)	April 23, 2006	London
33.	Constantina Tomescu-Dita (ROM)	2:21:30	(2)	October 9, 2006	Chicago
34.	Svetlana Zakharova (RUS)	2:21:31	(4)	October 13, 2002	Chicago
34.	Askale Tafa Magarsa (ETH)	2:21:31	(2)	September 28, 2008	Berlin
36.	Catherine Ndereba (KEN) - 5	2:21:33	(1)	October 22, 2000	Chicago
37.	Gete Wami (ETH)	2:21:34	(1)	September 24, 2006	Berlin
38.	Mizuki Noguchi (JPN) - 3	2:21:37	(1)	November 18, 2007	Tokyo
39.	Uta Pippig (GER)	2:21:45	(1)	April 18, 1994	Boston
39.	Masako Chiba (JPN)	2:21:45	(2)	January 26, 2003	Osaka
39.	Gete Wami (ETH) - 2	2:21:45	(2)	April 22, 2007	London
42.	Susan Chepkemi (KEN)	2:21:46	(3)	April 23, 2006	London
43.	Naoko Takahashi (JPN) - 2	2:21:47	(1)	December 6, 1998	Bangkok
44.	Naoko Takahashi (JPN) - 3	2:21:49	(1)	September 29, 2002	Berlin
45.	Naoko Sakamoto (JPN)	2:21:51	(3)	January 26, 2003	Osaka
46.	Berhane Adere (ETH) - 2	2:21:52	(4)	April 23, 2006	London
47.	Galina Bogomolova (RUS) - 2	2:21:58	(5)	April 23, 2006	London
48.	Catherine Ndereba (KEN) - 6	2:22:01	(2)	August 14, 2005	Helsinki
49.	Tegla Loroupe (KEN) - 3	2:22:07	(1)	April 20, 1997	Rotterdam
50.	Eri Yamaguchi (JPN)	2:22:12	(1)	November 21, 1999	Tokyo

51. Naoko Takahashi (JPN) - 4	2:22:19	(1)	March 12, 2000	Nagoya
51. Gete Wami (ETH) - 3	2:22:19	(1)	October 20, 2002	Amsterdam
53. Lornah Kiplagat (KEN)	2:22:22	(4)	January 26, 2003	Osaka
54. Catherina McKiernan (IRL)	2:22:23	(1)	November 1, 1998	Amsterdam
<b>55. Svetlana Zakharova (RUS) - 2</b>	<b>2:22:31</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>April 14, 2002</b>	<b>London</b>
<b>55. Margaret Okayo (KEN) - 2</b>	<b>2:22:31</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>November 2, 2003</b>	<b>New York</b>
<b>57. Ludmila Petrova (RUS) - 2</b>	<b>2:22:33</b>	<b>(3)</b>	<b>April 14, 2002</b>	<b>London</b>
<b>58. Margaret Okayo (KEN) - 3</b>	<b>2:22:35</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>April 18, 2004</b>	<b>London</b>
<b>59. Lornah Kiplagat (KEN) - 2</b>	<b>2:22:36</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>October 22, 2000</b>	<b>Chicago</b>
<b>59. Benita Johnson (AUS)</b>	<b>2:22:36</b>	<b>(3)</b>	<b>October 22, 2006</b>	<b>Chicago</b>
61. Zhang Yingying (CHN)	2:22:38	(1)	January 5, 2008	Xiamen
62. Berhane Adere (ETH) - 3	2:22:42	(1)	January 18, 2008	Dubai
<b>63. Joan Benoit Samuelson (USA) - 2</b>	<b>2:22:43</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>April 18, 1983</b>	<b>Boston</b>
<b>64. Reiko Tosa (JPN)</b>	<b>2:22:46</b>	<b>(4)</b>	<b>April 14, 2002</b>	<b>London</b>
<b>65. Ingrid Kristiansen (NOR) - 2</b>	<b>2:22:48</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>May 10, 1987</b>	<b>London</b>
65. Tegla Loroupe (KEN) - 4	2:22:48	(1)	April 18, 1999	Rotterdam
<b>65. Constantina Tomescu-Dita (ROM) - 2</b>	<b>2:22:50</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>April 17, 2005</b>	<b>London</b>
68. Galina Bogomolova (RUS) - 3	2:22:53	(1)	March 16, 2008	Rome
69. Lidia Simon (ROM)	2:22:54	(1)	January 30, 2000	Osaka
70. Harumi Hiroyama (JPN)	2:22:56	(2)	January 30, 2000	Osaka
70. Jelena Prokopchuka (LAT)	2:22:56	(1)	January 30, 2005	Osaka
<b>72. Madai Perez (MEX)</b>	<b>2:22:59</b>	<b>(4)</b>	<b>October 22, 2006</b>	<b>Chicago</b>
<b>73. Catherine Ndereba (KEN) - 7</b>	<b>2:23:03</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>November 2, 2003</b>	<b>New York</b>
<b>74. Ingrid Kristiansen (NOR) - 3</b>	<b>2:23:05</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>October 20, 1985</b>	<b>Chicago</b>
74. Marleen Renders (BEL)	2:23:05	(1)	April 7, 2002	Paris
<b>76. Svetlana Zakharova (RUS) - 3</b>	<b>2:23:07</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>October 12, 2003</b>	<b>Chicago</b>
<b>77. Paula Radcliffe (GBR) - 6</b>	<b>2:23:09</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>November 4, 2007</b>	<b>New York</b>
77. Bezunesh Bekele (ETH)	2:23:09	(2)	January 18, 2008	Dubai
<b>79. Paula Radcliffe (GBR) - 7</b>	<b>2:23:10</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>November 7, 2004</b>	<b>New York</b>
80. Yoko Shibui (JPN) - 3	2:23:11	(1)	January 28, 2001	Osaka
<b>81. Susan Chepkemei (KEN) - 2</b>	<b>2:23:12</b>	<b>(4)</b>	<b>April 13, 2003</b>	<b>London</b>
81. Wei Yanan (CHN)	2:23:12	(1)	March 18, 2007	Seoul
<b>83. Susan Chepkemei (KEN) - 3</b>	<b>2:23:13</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>November 7, 2004</b>	<b>New York</b>
<b>84. Naoko Takahashi (JPN) - 5</b>	<b>2:23:14</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>September 24, 2000</b>	<b>Sydney</b>
<b>84. Ludmila Petrova (RUS) - 3</b>	<b>2:23:14</b>	<b>(5)</b>	<b>April 13, 2003</b>	<b>London</b>
86. Zhang Shujing (CHN)	2:23:17	(3)	October 20, 2002	Beijing
<b>86. Gete Wami (ETH) - 4</b>	<b>2:23:17</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>September 30, 2007</b>	<b>Berlin</b>
88. Zhang Shujing (CHN) - 2	2:23:18	(1)	March 16, 2003	Seoul
<b>89. Susan Chepkemei - 4</b>	<b>2:23:19</b>	<b>(5)</b>	<b>April 14, 2002</b>	<b>London</b>
<b>89. Constantina Tomescu-Dita (ROM) - 3</b>	<b>2:23:19</b>	<b>(3)</b>	<b>August 14, 2005</b>	<b>Helsinki</b>
<b>91. Fatuma Roba (ETH)</b>	<b>2:23:21</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>April 20, 1998</b>	<b>Boston</b>
<b>92. Joyce Chepchumba (KEN)</b>	<b>2:23:22</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>April 18, 1999</b>	<b>London</b>
<b>92. Lidia Simon (ROM) - 2</b>	<b>2:23:22</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>September 24, 2000</b>	<b>Sydney</b>
<b>92. Salina Kosgei (KEN)</b>	<b>2:23:22</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>September 24, 2006</b>	<b>Berlin</b>
95. Askale Tafa Magarsa (ETH) - 2	2:23:23	(3)	January 18, 2008	Dubai
96. Lidia Simon (ROM) - 3	2:23:24	(1)	January 31, 1999	Osaka
96. Zhou Chunxiu (CHN) - 4	2:23:24	(1)	March 13, 2005	Seoul
<b>98. Fatuma Roba (ETH) - 2</b>	<b>2:23:25</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>April 19, 1999</b>	<b>Boston</b>
<b>99. Hiromi Ominami (JPN)</b>	<b>2:23:26</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>September 26, 2004</b>	<b>Berlin</b>
99.. Harumi Hiroyama (JPN) - 2	2:23:26	(1)	December 3, 2006	Nagoya