



UTPR DETAILS

What are USA Pickleball Tournament Player Ratings (UTPR):

- The calculated player rating, based on tournament win/loss results and opponents UTPR.
- Has both a 4-digit calculated rating and a rounded down 2-digit skill level.
- The official USA Pickleball rating for sanctioned tournament play. Players may have a doubles, mixed doubles and a singles rating (one for each type of event they participate in).
- Are used to register for sanctioned tournaments

Some important things to know about your UTPR - Members are able to:

- See his/her own 4-digit UTPR / See other USAPA members 2-digit UTPR rounded skill rating
- The Player Review Phase is ongoing. If you have not had a chance to review your player results in your member profile, please do so by logging in to your USA Pickleball member profile.
- Report issues to: <mailto:mMatchReview@PickleballTournaments.com>.

UTPR Specifics:

- UTPRs are based on tournament results that have been entered into PickleballTournaments.com over the past three years.
- UTPRs are more accurate than subjective self-ratings or tournament director ratings.
- The UTPR is not meant to be a “ranking” of players. Rankings will be available very soon.
- The UTPR may be used in USA Pickleball sanctioned tournaments for seeding events. This will result in more accurate bracketing and seeding.
 - Sanctioned tournament directors will have access to member player’s 4-digit ratings through PickleballTournaments.com.
 - Non-sanctioned tournament directors will not be able to view the 4-digit skill ratings but will be able to view the 2-digit skill rating. You may purchase the auto seeding feature in pickleballtournaments.com

- A player's UTPR may have age bias if players only participate in specific age categories
- A player's UTPR may have a regional bias if players only play local events
- The more tournament matches you play going forward, the more the ratings will "self-correct" and become more accurate.
- We continue to refine the UTPR system for increased accuracy.
- If you have not done so, please review the FAQ for all the details. Changes may be made to the FAQ over time as appropriate or because of adjustments to the ratings algorithm or tournament procedures.

Important Note:

When members do not request to preset their 4-digit UTPR with their determined self-rating, their initial 4-digit start rating becomes the average of the players playing in their first event bracket, hence a higher than expected UTPR was generated. Contact ratingsadmin@usapickleball.org today to preset your UTPR.