



# **NORCECA** **Women Final Four**

**June 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

**Ponce, Puerto Rico**

DAILY BULLETIN 4  
June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026

# FINAL STANDING

1



**MEXICO**



2



**PUERTO RICO**



3



**CUBA**



4

**COSTA RICA**



# INDIVIDUAL AWARDS



**MVP**

SOFIA MALDONADO

No 3



**1st Best Spiker**

AMAYA GUERRECA

No 1



**2nd Best Spiker**

DECELISE CHAMPION

No 17



**Best Scorer**

DECILISE CHAMPION

No 17



**1st Best Blocker**

ADRIANA RODRÍGUEZ

No 15



**2nd Best Blocker**

JESSICA AGUILERA

No 15



**Best Libero**

RASHANNY SOLANO

No 3



**Best Server**

EVILANIA MARTINEZ

No 2



**Best Setter**

WILMARIE RIVERA

No 5



**Best Opposite**

YALAIN REGLA DE LA  
PENA

No 6



**Best Digger**

RASHANNY SOLANO

No 3



**Best Receiver**

SAMANTHA BRICIO

No 2

**Calendario y Formato de Competencia**  
**Competition Format and Match Schedule**

**MAIN COMPETITION HALL**

No.	Date	Time	Teams			Set	Result per set (points)				
							1	2	3	4	5
1	5-jun	19:00	CUB	vs	MEX	0-3	19-25	10-25	23-25		
2	5-jun	21:00	PUR	vs	CRC	3-0	25-19	25-16	25-12		
3	6-jun	19:00	MEX	vs	CRC	3-0	25-16	25-17	25-18		
4	6-jun	21:00	PUR	vs	CUB	3-1	20-25	25-20	25-13	25-21	
5	7-jun	17:00	CUB	vs	CRC	3-1	25-7	25-21	22-25	25-18	
6	7-jun	19:00	PUR	vs	MEX	3-2	28-26	19-25	21-25	25-19	11-15



## 2026 NORCECA Women Final Four

P-4 Collated results & ranking

Results as of 7 June 2026



### MATCHES RESULTS

#### Round Robin

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Duration	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
1	05-Jun-2026	CUB - MEX	0-3	19-25	10-25	23-25			52-75	1:26	150
2	05-Jun-2026	PUR - CRC	3-0	25-19	25-16	25-12			75-47	1:16	350
3	06-Jun-2026	MEX - CRC	3-0	25-16	25-17	25-18			75-51	1:04	200
4	06-Jun-2026	PUR - CUB	3-1	20-25	25-20	25-13	25-21		95-79	2:00	1300
5	07-Jun-2026	CUB - CRC	3-1	25-7	25-21	22-25	25-18		97-71	1:34	350
6	07-Jun-2026	PUR - MEX	2-3	28-26	19-25	21-25	25-19	11-15	104-110	2:46	1100

### TEAM RANKING

#### Round Robin

Rk	Code	Team	Matches			Pts	Results details						Sets			Points		
			W	L	T		3-0	3-1	3-2	2-3	1-3	0-3	W	L	Ratio	W	L	Ratio
1	MEX	Mexico	3	0	3	13	2	0	1	0	0	0	9	2	4.500	260	207	1.256
2	PUR	Puerto Rico	2	1	3	11	1	1	0	1	0	0	8	4	2.000	274	236	1.161
3	CUB	Cuba	1	2	3	5	0	1	0	0	1	1	4	7	0.571	228	241	0.946
4	CRC	Costa Rica	0	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	9	0.111	169	247	0.684





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[P-2] Match result

Round Robin

**Match:** 5    **Date:** 07/06/2026    **Spectators:** 350  
**City:** Ponce  
**Hall:** Cancha Salvador Dijols  
**Match duration:** **Start:** 17:00    **End:** 18:34    **Total:** 1:34

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
<b>CUB</b>	<b>3</b>	25	25	22	25		97
<b>CRC</b>	<b>1</b>	7	21	25	18		71
<b>Duration:</b>		0:15	0:24	0:24	0:22		1:25

**Referees:** 1st: Maricela Candelaria Delgado (PUR) 2nd: Yamil Gomez Rodriguez (PUR)

CUB - Cuba													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
2	Martinez	OH	2	2	2	2	2	5	5	4	1	15	
6	Peña	OP	4	4				3	5			8	
8	Sanchez	OH				19							
15	Aguilera	MB	3	3	3	3	3	4	1	3	8		
16	Attilah (L)	L	L	L	L	L							
17	Gomez	OH											
19	Suarez (C)	MB	6	6	6	6	6	2	1	2	5	10	
20	Fine	OP		23	4	4			4	4	8		
23	Macaró	S	1	1	1	1	1	1		1	2		
25	Vila	OH				2				1	1		
27	Garraway	S		6									
99	Madan	OH	5	5	5	5	5	2	2	1	3	8	

**Coach:**  
**Assistant:**

CRC - Costa Rica													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
2	Abarca	OH		1	10				1			1	
3	Solano (L)	L	L	L	L	L							
4	Barley	OH	5	4	4	4	4	3	7	7	4	21	
6	Vargas	OH	21	4	1	1	1		2	3	5		
9	Barrantes	S	15	20	20	15	15						
10	Álvarez	S	1	6	6	3	3		1	1	2		
11	S. Marín (C)	OP	10	3	15	10	10	1	4	1	1	7	
15	Blackwood	OH	4		3	6	6		1		1		
16	León	MB											
17	Alfaro	MB	6	5	2	2	2	2	1	2	5		
20	C. Matinez	MB	3	2	5	5	5	1	1	5	7		
21	Venegas	OH	2					1			1		

**Coach:** Ciro Zoratti  
**Assistant:** José Miguel Briceño Torres

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
<b>38</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
8	23	2	Martinez
8	20	20	Fine
7	21	99	Madan
<b>11</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
5	16	15	Aguilera
3	11	19	Suarez
1	2	6	Peña
<b>11</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
7	32	2	Martinez
3	6	6	Peña
1	8	19	Suarez
<b>37</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	
<b>97</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
15	57	2	Martinez
10	31	19	Suarez
8	20	6	Peña

Scoring Skills
<b>Attack</b>
<b>Block</b>
<b>Serve</b>
<b>Opp. error</b>
<b>Total</b>
<b>Best scorers</b>

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
<b>38</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
19	51	4	Barley
5	13	11	S. Marín
4	25	6	Vargas
<b>6</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
2	10	20	C. Matinez
1	2	4	Barley
1	1	6	Vargas
<b>6</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
2	10	10	Álvarez
1	11	4	Barley
1	7	11	S. Marín
<b>21</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	
<b>71</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	
21	64	4	Barley
7	22	11	S. Marín
7	27	20	C. Matinez

■ Starting line-up with position    Atts = Attempts    (C) = Captain    MB = Middle blocker    S = Setter  
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[P-2] Match result

Round Robin

**Match:** 6    **Date:** 07/06/2026    **Spectators:** 1,100  
**City:** Ponce  
**Hall:** Cancha Salvador Dijols  
**Match duration:** **Start:** 19:17    **End:** 21:46    **Total:** 2:46

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
<b>PUR</b>	<b>2</b>	28	19	21	25	11	104
<b>MEX</b>	<b>3</b>	26	25	25	19	15	110
<b>Duration:</b>		0:29	0:27	0:31	0:29	0:21	2:17

**Referees:** 1st: Lourdes Perez Perez (CUB) 2nd: Ana Marleny Rodriguez Torres (DOM)

PUR - Puerto Rico															
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.		
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5			
1	Garcia	OH	5	5	3		5					3			3
5	Rivera W.	S	6	1	6	2	2				1		1		2
6	Nogueras	S	26	26	5		8								
8	Vazquez	OH	1	2	1	5	5	2	3	3					8
9	Correa (L)	L	L	L	L	L	L								
15	Rodriguez	MB	5	6	5	1	1	5	2	1	2	1			11
17	Champion	OH	4	5	4	3	3	5	3	7	6	3			24
18	Hernandez	MB				4	4					6			6
24	Valle (L)	L	L	L	L	L	L								
25	Baez	MB													
26	Gonzalez	OP	3	4				2	1						3
27	Rosado	OH			8										
29	Jusino	MB	2	3	2					1					1
37	Mangual	OH	29	15	29	6	6	1					1		2

**Coach:** Juan Carlos Nunez  
**Assistant:** Mielles Monge Jose

MEX - Mexico															
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.		
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5			
1	Guereca	OH	33	6	3	3	4				4	6	4	1	15
2	Bricio	OH	1	6	6	6	1	1	4	7	4	1			17
3	Maldonado	OH	3	2	2	2	3	10	9	5	4	9			37
6	Castro	OH	4	3	33	33	2	3							4
7	Ung A.	S	6	5	5	5	6	1		1	1				3
8	Ovalle	OP													
10	Marquez	MB	7												
11	Urias	MB	5	4	4	4	5	3		2	1				6
12	Landeros (L)	L	L	L	L	L	L								
13	Tanguma	MB													
15	Rivera	S	3			3									
16	Muñoz	L													
20	Topete	OH		2											
33	F. Gamez	MB	2	1	1	1	2				3	1			4

**Coach:** Nicola Negro  
**Assistant:** Marinho Ferreira Alexandre

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Points	Total Atts	No Name
<b>47</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
23	68	17 Champion
8	15	15 Rodriguez
7	26	8 Vazquez
<b>7</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
4	7	18 Hernandez
1	4	1 Garcia
1	18	15 Rodriguez
<b>6</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
2	15	15 Rodriguez
1	5	1 Garcia
1	19	8 Vazquez
<b>44</b>		<b>Total Team</b>
<b>104</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>Total Team</b>

24	90	17 Champion
11	48	15 Rodriguez
8	48	8 Vazquez

Scoring Skills
<b>Attack</b>
<b>Block</b>
<b>Serve</b>
<b>Opp. error</b>
<b>Total</b>
<b>Best scorers</b>

Won Points	Total Atts	No Name
<b>68</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
31	72	3 Maldonado
13	37	2 Bricio
12	30	1 Guereca
<b>9</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
4	8	3 Maldonado
1	3	1 Guereca
1	5	2 Bricio
<b>9</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
3	16	2 Bricio
2	11	1 Guereca
2	17	3 Maldonado
<b>24</b>		<b>Total Team</b>
<b>110</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>Total Team</b>

37	97	3 Maldonado
17	58	2 Bricio
15	44	1 Guereca

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[P-5] Players ranking by skills

All matches



## Best Scorers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Attack	Block	Serve	Total
1	17	Champion Decelise Annalee	OH	PUR	50	5	3	58
2	3	Maldonado Diaz Sofia	OH	MEX	45	6	4	55
3	4	Barley Morgan Nhya Raldisha	OH	CRC	37	2	1	40
4	1	Guereca Parra Uxue Amaya	OH	MEX	25	2	7	34
5	8	Vazquez Gomez Valeria	OH	PUR	25	2	3	30
6	2	Martinez Luis Evilania	OH	CUB	19	2	7	28
99		Madan Rosales Dezirett De La Caridad	OH	CUB	27	1	0	28
	2	Bricio Samantha	OH	MEX	22	1	5	28
	15	Rodriguez De Jesus Adriana	MB	PUR	16	9	3	28
10	6	De La Peña Gonzalez Yalain Regla	OP	CUB	20	3	3	26
11	15	Aguilera Carbajal Jessica	MB	CUB	12	7	1	20
12	11	Sayles Marin Tatiana	OP	CRC	16	1	1	18
	19	Suarez Hernandez Laura Beatriz	MB	CUB	10	6	2	18
14	20	Fine Martinez Greisy	OP	CUB	16	1	0	17
	6	Castro López Grecia Esther	OH	MEX	15	0	2	17
	26	Gonzalez Aponte Nayeli Nahir	OP	PUR	14	0	3	17
17	1	Garcia Melendez Nataly Michelle	OH	PUR	12	2	2	16
18	29	Jusino Ana Sofia	MB	PUR	10	3	1	14
19	21	Venegas Grant Maria del Sol	OH	CRC	12	0	0	12
	33	Flores Gamez Karina Angelica	MB	MEX	7	5	0	12
21	20	Martinez Wilson Charlotte Elizabeth	MB	CRC	6	3	2	11
22	17	Alfaro Bolaños Maria Fernanda	MB	CRC	5	3	2	10
23	11	Urias Jocelyn	MB	MEX	8	1	0	9
	5	Rivera Wilmarie	S	PUR	3	3	3	9
25	25	Vila Wittingham Ivy May	OH	CUB	7	0	1	8
	7	Ung Enriquez Gloria Argentina	S	MEX	4	2	2	8
	10	Marquez Ceja Arleth Yuridia	MB	MEX	3	5	0	8
	13	Rettke Tanguma Aitana	MB	MEX	6	0	2	8
	18	Hernandez Alba	MB	PUR	3	5	0	8
30	2	Abarca Mora Melina Ester	OH	CRC	6	0	0	6
	6	Vargas Vargas Krystel Fiorella	OH	CRC	5	1	0	6
	10	Álvarez Cortés Sheyla Dayana	S	CRC	3	0	3	6
	23	Oliva Macaro Sheyla de la Caridad	S	CUB	2	1	3	6
	20	Topete Pardo Aime Margarita	OH	MEX	4	2	0	6
35	15	Blackwood Bennett Ivanny Sey	OH	CRC	4	0	1	5
	8	Ovalle Leyva Marian Aylin	OP	MEX	4	1	0	5
37	27	Garraway Mustelier Daykelin de Regla	S	CUB	2	0	0	2
	37	Mangual Duran Leandra Sofia	OH	PUR	1	0	1	2
39	9	Barrantes Vega Lucía	S	CRC	1	0	0	1
	15	Rivera Herrera Karen Paola	S	MEX	1	0	0	1
	6	Nogueras Jennifer	S	PUR	0	0	1	1
	25	Baez Carlo Marcelle	MB	PUR	0	1	0	1
	27	Rosado Flecha Valeria Enid	OH	PUR	1	0	0	1
<b>Total tournament</b>					489	86	69	644





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[P-5] Players ranking by skills

All matches



### Best Attackers

Limit:15.00%

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Attacks	Faults	Shots	Total Attempts	Succ. %
1	1	Guereca Parra Uxue Amaya	OH	MEX	25	9	22	56	44.64
2	17	Champion Decelise Annalee	OH	PUR	50	15	58	123	40.65
3	3	Maldonado Diaz Sofia	OH	MEX	45	19	48	112	40.18
4	4	Barley Morgan Nhya Raldisha	OH	CRC	37	27	35	99	37.37
5	2	Martinez Luis Evilania	OH	CUB	19	9	26	54	35.19
6	2	Bricio Samantha	OH	MEX	22	6	35	63	34.92
7	99	Madan Rosales Dezirett De La Caridad	OH	CUB	27	15	38	80	33.75
8	11	Sayles Marin Tatiana	OP	CRC	16	8	24	48	33.33
9	8	Vazquez Gomez Valeria	OH	PUR	25	10	43	78	32.05
10	6	De La Peña Gonzalez Yalain Regla	OP	CUB	20	9	42	71	28.17
<b>Total tournament</b>					489	221	679	1,389	35.21



### Best Blockers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Kill Blocks	Faults	Rebounds	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	15	Rodriguez De Jesus Adriana	MB	PUR	9	8	22	39	0.75
2	15	Aguilera Carbajal Jessica	MB	CUB	7	15	19	41	0.64
3	19	Suarez Hernandez Laura Beatriz	MB	CUB	6	11	23	40	0.55
	3	Maldonado Diaz Sofia	OH	MEX	6	4	4	14	0.55
5	10	Marquez Ceja Arleth Yuridia	MB	MEX	5	5	7	17	0.45
	33	Flores Gamez Karina Angelica	MB	MEX	5	5	16	26	0.45
7	17	Champion Decelise Annalee	OH	PUR	5	4	5	14	0.42
	18	Hernandez Alba	MB	PUR	5	1	3	9	0.42
9	17	Alfaro Bolaños Maria Fernanda	MB	CRC	3	10	5	18	0.30
	20	Martinez Wilson Charlotte Elizabeth	MB	CRC	3	4	8	15	0.30
<b>Total tournament</b>					86	141	199	426	1.95



### Best Servers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Aces	Faults	Serve Hits	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	2	Martinez Luis Evilania	OH	CUB	7	0	42	49	0.64
	1	Guereca Parra Uxue Amaya	OH	MEX	7	2	26	35	0.64
3	2	Bricio Samantha	OH	MEX	5	6	18	29	0.45
4	3	Maldonado Diaz Sofia	OH	MEX	4	8	15	27	0.36
5	10	Álvarez Cortés Sheyla Dayana	S	CRC	3	6	15	24	0.30
6	6	De La Peña Gonzalez Yalain Regla	OP	CUB	3	1	11	15	0.27
	23	Oliva Macaro Sheyla de la Caridad	S	CUB	3	2	34	39	0.27
8	5	Rivera Wilmarie	S	PUR	3	4	27	34	0.25
	8	Vazquez Gomez Valeria	OH	PUR	3	1	51	55	0.25
	15	Rodriguez De Jesus Adriana	MB	PUR	3	4	25	32	0.25
<b>Total tournament</b>					69	115	747	931	1.57





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All matches



## Best Diggers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Digs	Faults	Receptions	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	3	Solano Smith Rashanny Zenaya	L	CRC	57	12	9	78	5.70
2	16	Aguero Aguilera Aidachi Attilah	L	CUB	36	17	17	70	3.27
3	12	Landeros Palacios Joseline	L	MEX	33	9	7	49	3.00
4	5	Rivera Wilmarie	S	PUR	33	12	8	53	2.75
	8	Vazquez Gomez Valeria	OH	PUR	33	8	6	47	2.75
6	1	Guereca Parra Uxue Amaya	OH	MEX	30	8	3	41	2.73
7	2	Bricio Samantha	OH	MEX	28	6	7	41	2.55
8	99	Madan Rosales Dezirett De La Caridad	OH	CUB	27	9	7	43	2.45
9	9	Correa Rodriguez Yaleimid Charie	L	PUR	28	7	2	37	2.33
10	24	Valle Okiana	L	PUR	27	24	5	56	2.25
<b>Total tournament</b>					706	256	134	1,096	16.05



## Best Setters

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Running Sets	Faults	Still Sets	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	5	Rivera Wilmarie	S	PUR	39	0	207	246	3.25
2	7	Ung Enriquez Gloria Argentina	S	MEX	29	0	191	220	2.64
3	10	Álvarez Cortés Sheyla Dayana	S	CRC	17	2	169	188	1.70
4	15	Rivera Herrera Karen Paola	S	MEX	18	0	43	61	1.64
5	23	Oliva Macaro Sheyla de la Caridad	S	CUB	13	1	180	194	1.18
6	6	Nogueras Jennifer	S	PUR	6	0	21	27	0.50
7	27	Garraway Mustelier Daykelin de Regla	S	CUB	2	1	55	58	0.18
8	9	Barrantes Vega Lucía	S	CRC	1	0	64	65	0.10
N/A	3	Solano Smith Rashanny Zenaya	L	CRC	0	0	27	27	
	4	Barley Morgan Nhya Raldisha	OH	CRC	0	0	6	6	
<b>Total tournament</b>					125	4	1,177	1,306	2.84



## Best Receivers

Limit:20.00%

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Excellents	Faults	Serve Receptions	Total Attempts	Eff. %
1	2	Bricio Samantha	OH	MEX	31	0	34	65	47.69
2	3	Solano Smith Rashanny Zenaya	L	CRC	33	4	36	73	39.73
3	8	Vazquez Gomez Valeria	OH	PUR	21	4	54	79	21.52
4	99	Madan Rosales Dezirett De La Caridad	OH	CUB	18	5	40	63	20.63
5	17	Champion Decelise Annalee	OH	PUR	14	6	26	46	17.39
6	2	Martinez Luis Evilania	OH	CUB	14	5	33	52	17.31
7	4	Barley Morgan Nhya Raldisha	OH	CRC	9	10	42	61	-1.64
N/A	2	Abarca Mora Melina Ester	OH	CRC	2	1	11	14	
	6	Vargas Vargas Krystel Fiorella	OH	CRC	8	5	19	32	
	11	Sayles Marin Tatiana	OP	CRC	3	0	9	12	
<b>Total tournament</b>					264	64	483	811	24.66





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All matches



## Best Liberos

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Excellents	Faults	In Play	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	3	Solano Smith Rashanny Zenaya	L	CRC	90	16	45	151	9.00
2	12	Landeros Palacios Joseline	L	MEX	54	11	19	84	4.91
3	24	Valle Okiana	L	PUR	44	25	26	95	3.67
4	16	Aguero Aguilera Aidachi Attilah	L	CUB	40	22	43	105	3.64
5	9	Correa Rodriguez Yaleimid Charie	L	PUR	33	7	10	50	2.75
6	8	Sanchez Vincent Yanisleidis	OH	CUB	24	10	24	58	2.18
7	16	Muñoz Delgadillo Angela Paulet	OH	MEX	8	7	9	24	0.73
<b>Total tournament</b>					293	98	176	567	6.66





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## Best Scorers

Rk	Team	Attack	Block	Serve	Total
1	MEX Mexico	144	25	22	191
2	PUR Puerto Rico	135	30	20	185
3	CUB Cuba	115	21	17	153
4	CRC Costa Rica	95	10	10	115
<b>Total tournament</b>		489	86	69	644



## Best Attackers

Limit:15.00%

Rk	Team	Attacks	Faults	Shots	Total Attempts	Succ. %
1	MEX Mexico	144	50	164	358	40.22
2	PUR Puerto Rico	135	46	184	365	36.99
3	CUB Cuba	115	57	175	347	33.14
4	CRC Costa Rica	95	68	156	319	29.78
<b>Total tournament</b>		489	221	679	1,389	35.21



## Best Blockers

Rk	Team	Kill Blocks	Faults	Rebounds	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	PUR Puerto Rico	30	41	59	130	2.50
2	MEX Mexico	25	32	52	109	2.27
3	CUB Cuba	21	40	67	128	1.91
4	CRC Costa Rica	10	28	21	59	1.00
<b>Total tournament</b>		86	141	199	426	1.95



## Best Servers

Rk	Team	Aces	Faults	Serve Hits	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	MEX Mexico	22	37	198	257	2.00
2	PUR Puerto Rico	20	21	231	272	1.67
3	CUB Cuba	17	17	196	230	1.55
4	CRC Costa Rica	10	40	122	172	1.00
<b>Total tournament</b>		69	115	747	931	1.57





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### Best Diggers

Rk	Team	Digs	Faults	Receptions	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	PUR Puerto Rico	212	82	30	324	17.67
2	MEX Mexico	189	54	27	270	17.18
3	CUB Cuba	171	65	49	285	15.55
4	CRC Costa Rica	134	55	28	217	13.40
<b>Total tournament</b>		706	256	134	1,096	16.05



### Best Setters

Rk	Team	Running Sets	Faults	Still Sets	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	MEX Mexico	47	0	284	331	4.27
2	PUR Puerto Rico	45	0	296	341	3.75
3	CRC Costa Rica	18	2	288	308	1.80
4	CUB Cuba	15	2	309	326	1.36
<b>Total tournament</b>		125	4	1,177	1,306	2.84



### Best Receivers

Limit:20.00%

Rk	Team	Excellents	Faults	Serve Receptions	Total Attempts	Eff. %
1	MEX Mexico	86	7	84	177	44.63
2	PUR Puerto Rico	63	14	127	204	24.02
3	CRC Costa Rica	61	23	135	219	17.35
4	CUB Cuba	54	20	137	211	16.11
<b>Total tournament</b>		264	64	483	811	24.66



### Best Liberos

Rk	Team	Excellents	Faults	In Play	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	CRC Costa Rica	90	16	45	151	9.00
2	PUR Puerto Rico	77	32	36	145	6.42
3	CUB Cuba	64	32	67	163	5.82
4	MEX Mexico	62	18	28	108	5.64
<b>Total tournament</b>		293	98	176	567	6.66



## **Cuba Claims the Bronze Medal at the 2026 NORCECA Women's Final Four**

PONCE, Puerto Rico, June 7, 2026.- In the bronze-medal match of the 2026 NORCECA Women's Final Four, Cuba prevailed over Costa Rica 3-1 (25-7, 25-21, 22-25, 25-18).

In the opening set, Cuba jumped to a 5-0 lead and never looked back. Their momentum continued as they extended the advantage to 18-0 with an ace by Evilania Martínez Luis.

The Caribbean squad closed the set 25-7 after a service error by María Fernanda Alfaro Bolaños.

Cuba maintained control in the second set, but the third became complicated in the final stretch, with Costa Rica defending intensely to claim an emotional set and extend the match.

Cuba secured the fourth set and the victory with three straight points, including a successful block against Costa Rica, and sealed the match 25-18 following two attack errors by Nhya Raldisha Barley Morgan.

Statistically, Cuba led in blocking y aces 11-6, and both teams finished with 38 kills.

Evilania Martínez led Cuba with 15 points, including 7 aces, while Laura Suárez added 10 points.

Nhya Barley of Costa Rica was the match's leading scorer with 21 points.

### **Statements from Laura Beatriz Suárez Hernández (Cuba)**

Suárez Hernández described the tournament as "very productive" for such a young team with limited preparation, emphasizing that the progress shown is the result of steady work. She acknowledged that the match became complicated at times due to overconfidence and accumulated fatigue from a lack of physical training but highlighted that "the important thing is that the victory came."

Reflecting on the team's overall performance in the tournament, she expressed strong confidence in the group and in the long-term process they are building. She noted that the team maintains a positive mindset heading into upcoming commitments, including the Central American Games, which she described as a very demanding competition. She added that Cuba's participation in this Final Four "was better than expected."

## **Cuba conquista la medalla de bronce en el NORCECA Final Four Femenino 2026**

PONCE, Puerto Rico, 7 de junio de 2026.- En el partido por la medalla de bronce del NORCECA Final Four Femenino 2026, Cuba salió airoso ante su similar de Costa Rica 3-1 (25-7, 25-21, 22-25, 25-18).

En el primer set, las cubanas abrieron con un avance de 5-0 y no volvieron a mirar atrás en el resto del trayecto. Cuba continuó con su paso arrollador, extendiendo su ventaja a 18-0 con un servicio directo de Evilania Martínez Luis.

El conjunto caribeño cerró el parcial 25-7 tras un error en el servicio de María Fernanda Alfaro Bolaños.

Las cubanas volvieron a dominar en el segundo set, pero el tercero se les complicó en las postrimerías, cayendo en un emotivo parcial donde las costarricenses defendieron con intensidad para extender el partido a un set adicional.

Cuba aseguró el cuarto set y la victoria con tres puntos al hilo, incluyendo un bloqueo positivo sobre Costa Rica, y cerró el encuentro 25-18 tras dos ataques fallidos de Nhya Raldisha Barley Morgan.

En las estadísticas, Cuba dominó el bloqueo y el servicio 11-6, y ambos equipos finalizaron con 38 ataques.

Evilania Martínez lideró a Cuba con 15 puntos, 7 de ellos de saques directos y Laura Suárez aportó 10 puntos.

Nhya Barley, de Costa Rica, fue la máxima anotadora del partido con 21 puntos

### **Declaraciones de Laura Beatriz Suárez Hernández (Cuba)**

Suárez Hernández destacó que esta competencia ha sido “muy productiva” para un equipo tan joven y con tan poca preparación, subrayando que el progreso mostrado es fruto del trabajo constante. Reconoció que por momentos el partido se les complicó por exceso de confianza y cansancio acumulado debido a la falta de entrenamiento físico, pero valoró que “la victoria es lo importante”.

Al evaluar el desempeño general del torneo, expresó su confianza en el grupo y en el proceso a largo plazo que están construyendo. Señaló que el equipo mantiene una mentalidad positiva de cara a los próximos compromisos, incluyendo los Juegos Centroamericanos, que describió como una competencia muy exigente. Añadió que la participación en este Final Four “fue mejor de lo que se esperaba”.

# Mexico Rallies in Ponce to Dethrone Puerto Rico and Capture the 2026 Final Four Gold

**Ponce, Puerto Rico – June 7, 2026** – The Mexican National Team delivered a stunning comeback to claim the gold medal at the NORCECA Women’s Final Four 2026, held June 5–7 at the Salvador Dijols Coliseum. In a dramatic fifth set, Mexico surged from behind to defeat host nation Puerto Rico, sealing a victory that electrified the arena and rewrote the tournament’s recent history.

With the win, Mexico snapped Puerto Rico’s streak of three consecutive Final Four titles, preventing the home team from securing a historic fourth straight gold.

Set scores: 26–28, 25–19, 25–21, 19–25, 15–11.

## A Fifth Set That Flipped the Script

Puerto Rico appeared to be in control when it built a 10–6 lead in the decisive set. But the momentum shifted sharply as Sofía Maldonado Díaz took command of the court. The Mexican opposite unleashed five straight points from the right side, igniting a run that erased the deficit. Two attacking errors by Decelise Champion added to Puerto Rico’s collapse, giving Mexico a 13–10 advantage that proved insurmountable.

The match ended on a service ace by Grecia Esther Castro López, sparking a celebration at center court as Mexico completed its comeback.

Statistically, Mexico held clear advantages: 68–47 in attacks, 9–7 in blocks, and 9–6 in aces.

## Sofía Maldonado Díaz: The Spark of the Comeback

After the match, Sofía Maldonado Díaz reflected on the emotional intensity of the decisive moments and the significance of the victory for Mexico.

She described the closing stretch as “super exciting,” acknowledging the tension that defined the match and emphasizing that her scoring run was the product of collective effort. Playing in Puerto Rico, she noted, always brings a charged atmosphere, which made the triumph even more meaningful.

Stopping Puerto Rico’s three-title streak added weight to the win, but Maldonado highlighted an even broader objective: earning valuable points toward the world ranking. She explained that the team’s focus is long-term, guided by a coaching staff that prioritizes steady progress over comparisons with past champions.

“This win means a lot,” she said, underscoring that every point earned in NORCECA competitions—especially against teams like Puerto Rico or Cuba—is part of Mexico’s larger competitive project. The team, she affirmed, is “very happy” with both the victory and what it represents for their future.

## **México remonta en Ponce y destrona a Puerto Rico para conquistar el oro del Final Four 2026**

**Ponce, Puerto Rico – 7 de junio de 2026** – La Selección Nacional de México firmó una remontada memorable para quedarse con la medalla de oro del Final Four Femenino NORCECA 2026, celebrado del 5 al 7 de junio en el Coliseo Salvador Dijols.

En un dramático quinto parcial, viniendo de atrás, las mexicanas superaron al equipo anfitrión Puerto Rico para cerrar el torneo con una victoria que silenció al coliseo y puso fin a una racha histórica.

Con este triunfo, México detuvo la cadena de tres títulos consecutivos que Puerto Rico había acumulado en ediciones previas del Final Four, evitando que las boricuas alcanzaran un inédito cuarto oro al hilo.

Los parciales del encuentro fueron: 26-28, 25-19, 25-21, 19-25, 15-11.

### **El quinto set: el giro que cambió la historia**

Puerto Rico parecía encaminado al título cuando tomó ventaja de 10-6 en el parcial decisivo. Sin embargo, el cierre del partido perteneció por completo a Sofía Maldonado Díaz, quien se adueñó del momento con una racha de cinco puntos consecutivos atacando por zona dos. Sus remates, combinados con dos errores ofensivos de Decelise Champion, voltearon el marcador y colocaron a México al frente 13-10, una ventaja que jamás soltaron.

El punto final llegó con un servicio directo de Grecia Esther Castro López, desatando la celebración mexicana en el centro de la cancha.

México dominó las estadísticas colectivas: 68-47 en ataques, 9-7 en bloqueos y 9-6 en servicios directos.

### **Sofía Maldonado Díaz: la figura del cierre**

Tras el partido, Sofía Maldonado Díaz compartió sus impresiones sobre el intenso desenlace y el significado de la victoria para México. Su relato refleja la tensión, la emoción y el enfoque con el que vivió el momento decisivo.

Sofía describió el cierre como “súper emocionante”, reconociendo que el partido estaba cargado de tensión y que su aporte individual fue posible gracias al trabajo colectivo. Explicó que jugar en Puerto Rico siempre implica un ambiente intenso y que eso hizo aún más especial llevarse la victoria en un escenario tan exigente.

Sobre detener la racha de tres títulos consecutivos de Puerto Rico, Maldonado destacó que para México el triunfo tiene un valor doble: victoria deportiva y puntos importantes para el ranking mundial. Señaló que el equipo trabaja con una visión a largo plazo y que cada punto ganado en torneos NORCECA, especialmente ante rivales como Puerto Rico o Cuba, es parte fundamental del proyecto que lidera su cuerpo técnico.

“Estamos muy felices”, afirmó, subrayando que el enfoque del grupo no está en quién ha ganado más en el pasado, sino en construir un camino sólido hacia el futuro competitivo de México.