



# 2015 NORCECA Beach Tour North Bay (CAN)

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## Winners of each Pool reach Women's Semis at North Bay

NORTH BAY, Canada, August 8, 2015.- The winners of each pool, Julie Gordon/Brandie Wilkerson (CAN-A), Sara Hughes/Kelly Claes (USA-A), Ana Rios/Bibiana Candelas (MEX) and Irene Hester/Caitlin Ledoux (USA-B) advanced to the women's semifinals of the third stage of the 2015 NORCECA Beach Volleyball Tour at North Bay.

On Sunday's semifinals at Canor Molsons Sand Centre, Sara Huges and Kelly Claes of USA-A will play Mexico's Ana Rios and Bibiana Candelas, while Julie Gordon and Brandi Wilkerson of Canada-A meet Irene Hester and Caitlin Ledoux of USA-B.

Pool A winners, Julie Gordon and Brandie Wilkerson of Canada A won their quarterfinal match to another home team, Kacie MacTavish and Caleigh Whitaker (CAN-B) comfortably 2-0 (21-14, 21-16).

"We play against Kacie and Caleigh almost every day so we know each other well and we knew we had to take care of our side of the net. We're glad things turned out very well for us" said Julie Gordon.

For Irene Hester and Caitlin Ledoux of United States-B, things weren't easy as they won their two matches of the day coming from behind, facing two local teams. To finish on top of Pool D they beat Claudia Seguin and Sophie Bukovec of Canada-D 2-1 (19-21, 21-17, 15-11). Their ticket into the semifinals came by defeating Victoria Altomare and Kelsey Veltman of Canada-C by 2-1 (16-21, 21-13, 15-13).

Caitlin Ledoux said "even if it was a tough day, we had a lot of fun facing the home teams. We want to congratulate Volleyball Canada and their teams for such a great venue, it has been amazing. We are really excited to be in the semifinals".

Sara Hughes and Kelly Claes of United States-A, U-21 players, topped Pool B to face Gina Flores/Martha Euceda of Honduras in their quarterfinal match, winning their spot in the semifinals 2-0 (21-5, 21-4).

"We play for the same college back home with Kelly; we're very excited to be in the semis. Our game plan has been taking one match at a time, finding our rhythm. This has been a nice tournament, everything has been running well" said Sara Hughes.

For Mexico's Ana Rios and Bibiana Candelas advancing into the semifinals exceeds their expectations as this is their first tournament together and for Rios her first Norceca Tour; they finished first in Pool D while prevailing over Altomare/Veltman (CAN-C) 2-1 (14-21, 21-14, 15-13). In the quarterfinals, Rios/Candelas defeated Claudia Seguin and Sophie Bukovec of Canada-D in three tight sets 2-1 (21-17, 17-21, 15-13). "The tournament has been demanding because we are adjusting to play together and trying to reach the goal of advancing as far as possible. I have focused in using my experience to help Ana and we are thrilled to be among the top four" said Candelas.



### Women's results Saturday

**QF** CAN-A d CAN-B 2-0 (21-14, 21-16); USA-B d CAN-C 2-1 (16-21, 21-13, 15-13); USA-A d HON 2-0 (21-5, 21-4); MEX d CAN-D 2-1 (

**Pool A** CAN-A d HON 2-0 (21-9, 21-13); **Pool B** CAN-B d ISV 2-0 (21-1, 21-5); USA-A d ESA 2-0 (21-10, 21-6); **Pool C** GUA d TTO 2-0 (21-14, 21-11); **Pool D** USA-B d CAN-D 2-1 (19-21, 21-17, 15-11); CRC d JAM 2-0 (21-15, 21-8) **Consolation** ESA (bye); GUA d JAM 2-1 (21-16, 14-21, 17-15); CRC d TTO 2-0 (21-12, 22-20); ANT d ISV 2-0 (21-12, 21-13).

### Ganadoras de cada grupo avanzan a las semifinales en North Bay

NORTH BAY, Canadá, 8 de agosto de 2015.- Las ganadoras de cada grupo, Julie Gordon/Brandie Wilkerson (CAN-A), Sara Hughes/Kelly Claes (EUA-A), Ana Rios/Bibiana Candelas (MEX) e Irene Hester/Caitlin Ledoux (EUA-B) avanzaron a las semifinales de la tercera parada de Tour NORCECA 2015 de Voleibol de Playa en North Bay.

Sara Huges y Kelly Claes de EUA-A se enfrentarán a las mexicanas Ana Ríos y Bibiana Candelas, en tanto que Julie Gordon y Brandi Wilkerson de Canadá-A se medirán ante Irene Hester y Caitlin Ledoux de EUA-B, en las semifinales del domingo en el Centro de Arena Canor Molsons.

Las ganadoras del Grupo A, Julie Gordon y Brandie Wilderson de Canadá-A vencieron cómodamente en cuartos de final a otro equipo local, Kacie MacTavish y Caleigh Whitaker (CAN-B) 2-0 (21-14, 21-16).

“Casi todos los días nos enfrentamos a Kacie y Caleigh así que nos conocemos muy bien, por ello sabíamos que había que preocuparse por nuestro lado de la red. Estamos contentas de que todo salió bastante bien para nosotras” dijo Julie Gordon.

Para Irene Hester y Caitlin Ledoux de Estados Unidos-B, el día fue difícil con dos triunfos viniendo de abajo, enfrentándose a los equipos de casa. Para llevarse el primer puesto del Grupo D derrotaron a Claudia Seguin y Sophie Bukovec de Canadá-D 2-1 (19-21, 21-17, 15-11). Obtuvieron su pase a la semifinal tras vencer a Victoria Altomare y Kelsey Veltman de Canadá-C por 2-1 (16-21, 21-13, 15-13).

Caitlin Ledoux dijo “a pesar de que fue un día exigente, disfrutamos jugar contra los equipos de acá. Queremos felicitar a Voleibol Canadá y a sus equipos por esta linda sede. Estamos muy emocionadas de alcanzar las semifinales”.

Sara Hughes y Kelly Claes de Estados Unidos-A, jugadoras sub-21, ganaron el Grupo B para enfrentarse a Gina Flores/Martha Euceda de Honduras en el juego de cuartos de final, llevándose el boleto a la semifinal por 2-0 (21-5, 21-4).

“Jugamos juntas en la Universidad con Kelly y es emocionante estar en semifinales. Nuestro plan de juego ha sido pensar en un juego a la vez, encontrando nuestro ritmo. Este ha sido un buen torneo, todo ha transcurrido bien” dijo Sara Hughes.



Para Ana Ríos y Bibiana Candelas de México avanzar a las semifinales es supercar sus expectativas puesto que este es su primer torneo juntas, además para Ríos es su primer Tour Norceca; finalizaron primeras en el Grupo D al derrotar a Altomare/Veltman (CAN-C) 2-1 (14-21, 21-14, 15-13).

En cuartos de final, Rios/Candelas derrotaron a Claudia Seguin y Sophie Bukovec de Canadá-D en tres apretados sets 2-1 (21-17, 17-21, 15-13). “El torneo ha tenido exigencias porque estamos acoplandonos y además tratando de avanzar lo más que podamos. Con mi experiencia me he concentrado en ayudar a Ana y estamos muy contentas de estar entre los cuatro finalistas” dijo Candelas.

#### **Resultados Mujeres sábado:**

**QF** CAN-A d CAN-B 2-0 (21-14, 21-16); USA-B d CAN-C 2-1 (16-21, 21-13, 15-13); EUA-A d HON 2-0 (21-5, 21-4); MEX d CAN-D 2-1 (

**Grupo A** CAN-A d HON 2-0 (21-9, 21-13); **Grupo B** CAN-B d ISV 2-0 (21-1, 21-5); EUA-A d ESA 2-0 (21-10, 21-6); **Grupo C** GUA d TTO 2-0 (21-14, 21-11); **Grupo D** EUA-B d CAN-D 2-1 (19-21, 21-17, 15-11); CRC d JAM 2-0 (21-15, 21-8) **Consolación** ESA (bye); GUA d JAM 2-1 (21-16, 14-21, 17-15); CRC d TTO 2-0 (21-12, 22-20); ANT d ISV 2-0 (21-12, 21-13).



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**B-3** Match results - Main draw



No.	Rnd.	Ct.	Date	Team A	Team B	Result	Dur.
1	PA	3	7 Aug	Flores/Euceda HON	Simon/Peters ANT	2-0 (23-21, 21-14)	0:46
2	PA		7 Aug	Gordon/Wilkerson CAN	Bye		
3	PB	3	7 Aug	Vasquez/Vargas ESA	Charles/Bennett ISV	2-0 (21-10, 21-9)	0:31
4	PB	2	7 Aug	Hughes/Claes USA	Whitaker/MacTavish CAN	2-0 (21-17, 21-14)	0:33
5	PC	3	7 Aug	Davidson/Dyette TRI	Candelas/Rios MEX	0-2 (11-21, 17-21)	0:32
6	PC	2	7 Aug	N. Giron/E. Bethancourth GUA	Altomare/Veltman CAN	0-2 (12-21, 13-21)	0:29
7	PD	2	7 Aug	Wright/Malcolm JAM	Hester/Ledoux USA	0-2 (13-21, 8-21)	0:28
8	PD	1	7 Aug	C. Charles/Alfaro CRC	Bukovec/Séguin CAN	0-2 (15-21, 17-21)	0:36
9	PA	1	7 Aug	Gordon/Wilkerson CAN	Simon/Peters ANT	2-0 (21-7, 21-8)	0:26
10	PA		7 Aug	Flores/Euceda HON	Bye		
11	PB	3	7 Aug	Hughes/Claes USA	Charles/Bennett ISV	2-0 (21-5, 21-5)	0:25
12	PB	1	7 Aug	Vasquez/Vargas ESA	Whitaker/MacTavish CAN	0-2 (13-21, 15-21)	0:31
13	PC	2	7 Aug	N. Giron/E. Bethancourth GUA	Candelas/Rios MEX	0-2 (11-21, 18-21)	0:29
14	PC	1	7 Aug	Davidson/Dyette TRI	Altomare/Veltman CAN	0-2 (17-21, 13-21)	0:30
15	PD	2	7 Aug	C. Charles/Alfaro CRC	Hester/Ledoux USA	0-2 (16-21, 15-21)	0:34
16	PD	1	7 Aug	Wright/Malcolm JAM	Bukovec/Séguin CAN	0-2 (8-21, 7-21)	0:27
17	PA	1	8 Aug	Gordon/Wilkerson CAN	Flores/Euceda HON	2-0 (21-9, 21-13)	0:33
18	PA		8 Aug	Simon/Peters ANT	Bye		
19	PB	2	8 Aug	Hughes/Claes USA	Vasquez/Vargas ESA	2-0 (21-10, 21-6)	0:22
20	PB	1	8 Aug	Charles/Bennett ISV	Whitaker/MacTavish CAN	0-2 (1-21, 5-21)	0:20
21	PC	3	8 Aug	N. Giron/E. Bethancourth GUA	Davidson/Dyette TRI	2-0 (21-14, 21-11)	0:28
22	PC	1	8 Aug	Candelas/Rios MEX	Altomare/Veltman CAN	2-1 (14-21, 21-14, 15-13)	0:44
23	PD	3	8 Aug	C. Charles/Alfaro CRC	Wright/Malcolm JAM	2-0 (21-15, 21-8)	0:29
24	PD	2	8 Aug	Hester/Ledoux USA	Bukovec/Séguin CAN	2-1 (19-21, 21-17, 15-11)	0:45
25	QF	2	8 Aug	Gordon/Wilkerson CAN	Whitaker/MacTavish CAN	2-0 (21-14, 21-16)	0:39
26	QF	1	8 Aug	Hester/Ledoux USA	Altomare/Veltman CAN	2-1 (16-21, 21-13, 15-13)	0:40
27	QF	1	8 Aug	Candelas/Rios MEX	Bukovec/Séguin CAN	2-1 (21-17, 17-21, 15-13)	0:49
28	QF	2	8 Aug	Hughes/Claes USA	Flores/Euceda HON	2-0 (21-5, 21-4)	0:24
29	QFL	2	8 Aug	Simon/Peters ANT	Charles/Bennett ISV	2-0 (21-12, 21-13)	0:31
30	QFL	1	8 Aug	C. Charles/Alfaro CRC	Davidson/Dyette TRI	2-0 (21-12, 22-20)	0:39
31	QFL	3	8 Aug	N. Giron/E. Bethancourth GUA	Wright/Malcolm JAM	2-1 (21-16, 14-21, 17-15)	0:47
32	QFL		8 Aug	Vasquez/Vargas ESA	Draw	2-0 (21-0, 21-0)	
33	LQ	3	9 Aug	Simon/Peters ANT	C. Charles/Alfaro CRC		
34	LQ	3	9 Aug	N. Giron/E. Bethancourth GUA	Vasquez/Vargas ESA		
35	SF	1	9 Aug	Gordon/Wilkerson CAN	Hester/Ledoux USA		
36	SF	1	9 Aug	Candelas/Rios MEX	Hughes/Claes USA		
37	LSF	2	9 Aug	Whitaker/MacTavish CAN	Altomare/Veltman CAN		
38	LSF	2	9 Aug	Bukovec/Séguin CAN	Flores/Euceda HON		
39	F11	3	9 Aug	Loser of match 33	Loser of match 34		
40	F9	3	9 Aug	Winner of match 33	Winner of match 34		
41	F7	2	9 Aug	Loser of match 37	Loser of match 38		





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42	F5	2	9 Aug	Winner of match 37	Winner of match 38		
43	F3	1	9 Aug	Loser of match 35	Loser of match 36		
44	F1	1	9 Aug	Winner of match 35	Winner of match 36		





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**B-4** Round Robin Ranking - Main draw



### Pool A

Rank	Team		Match points	Matches		Sets			Points		
				Won	Lost	Won	Lost	Ratio	Won	Lost	Ratio
1	Gordon/Wilkerson [1]	CAN	4	2	0	4	0	MAX	84	37	2.270
2	Flores/Euceda [8]	HON	3	1	1	2	2	1.000	66	77	0.857
3	Simon/Peters [9]	ANT	2	0	2	0	4	0.000	50	86	0.581

### Pool B

Rank	Team		Match points	Matches		Sets			Points		
				Won	Lost	Won	Lost	Ratio	Won	Lost	Ratio
1	Hughes/Claes [2]	USA	6	3	0	6	0	MAX	126	57	2.211
2	Whitaker/MacTavish [15]	CAN	5	2	1	4	2	2.000	115	76	1.513
3	Vasquez/Vargas [7]	ESA	4	1	2	2	4	0.500	86	103	0.835
4	Charles/Bennett [10]	ISV	3	0	3	0	6	0.000	35	126	0.278

### Pool C

Rank	Team		Match points	Matches		Sets			Points		
				Won	Lost	Won	Lost	Ratio	Won	Lost	Ratio
1	Candelas/Rios [11]	MEX	6	3	0	6	1	6.000	134	105	1.276
2	Altomare/Veltman [14]	CAN	5	2	1	5	2	2.500	132	105	1.257
3	N. Giron/E. Bethancourth [3]	GUA	4	1	2	2	4	0.500	96	109	0.881
4	Davidson/Dyette [6]	TRI	3	0	3	0	6	0.000	83	126	0.659

### Pool D

Rank	Team		Match points	Matches		Sets			Points		
				Won	Lost	Won	Lost	Ratio	Won	Lost	Ratio
1	Hester/Ledoux [12]	USA	6	3	0	6	1	6.000	139	101	1.376
2	Bukovec/Séguin [13]	CAN	5	2	1	5	2	2.500	133	102	1.304
3	C. Charles/Alfaro [4]	CRC	4	1	2	2	4	0.500	105	107	0.981
4	Wright/Malcolm [5]	JAM	3	0	3	0	6	0.000	59	126	0.468





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**B-2** Match schedule - Main draw



No.	Rnd.	Br.	Date	Team A	Team B	Referees	Court	Time
1	PA	A	07-Aug	Flores/Euceda (HON)	Simon/Peters (ANT)		3	18:00
2	PA	A	07-Aug	Gordon/Wilkerson (CAN)	Bye			
3	PB	B	07-Aug	Vasquez/Vargas (ESA)	Charles/Bennett (ISV)		3	14:00
4	PB	B	07-Aug	Hughes/Claes (USA)	Whitaker/MacTavish (CAN)		2	14:00
5	PC	C	07-Aug	Davidson/Dyette (TRI)	Candelas/Rios (MEX)		3	12:00
6	PC	C	07-Aug	N. Giron/E. Bethancourth (GUA)	Altomare/Veltman (CAN)		2	12:00
7	PD	D	07-Aug	Wright/Malcolm (JAM)	Hester/Ledoux (USA)		2	13:00
8	PD	D	07-Aug	C. Charles/Alfaro (CRC)	Bukovec/Séguin (CAN)		1	13:00
9	PA	A	07-Aug	Gordon/Wilkerson (CAN)	Simon/Peters (ANT)		1	14:00
10	PA	A	07-Aug	Flores/Euceda (HON)	Bye			
11	PB	B	07-Aug	Hughes/Claes (USA)	Charles/Bennett (ISV)		3	17:00
12	PB	B	07-Aug	Vasquez/Vargas (ESA)	Whitaker/MacTavish (CAN)		1	17:00
13	PC	C	07-Aug	N. Giron/E. Bethancourth (GUA)	Candelas/Rios (MEX)		2	19:00
14	PC	C	07-Aug	Davidson/Dyette (TRI)	Altomare/Veltman (CAN)		1	19:00
15	PD	D	07-Aug	C. Charles/Alfaro (CRC)	Hester/Ledoux (USA)		2	18:00
16	PD	D	07-Aug	Wright/Malcolm (JAM)	Bukovec/Séguin (CAN)		1	18:00
17	PA	A	08-Aug	Gordon/Wilkerson (CAN)	Flores/Euceda (HON)		1	09:00
18	PA	A	08-Aug	Simon/Peters (ANT)	Bye			
19	PB	B	08-Aug	Hughes/Claes (USA)	Vasquez/Vargas (ESA)		2	10:00
20	PB	B	08-Aug	Charles/Bennett (ISV)	Whitaker/MacTavish (CAN)		1	10:00
21	PC	C	08-Aug	N. Giron/E. Bethancourth (GUA)	Davidson/Dyette (TRI)		3	10:00
22	PC	C	08-Aug	Candelas/Rios (MEX)	Altomare/Veltman (CAN)		1	11:00
23	PD	D	08-Aug	C. Charles/Alfaro (CRC)	Wright/Malcolm (JAM)		3	09:00
24	PD	D	08-Aug	Hester/Ledoux (USA)	Bukovec/Séguin (CAN)		2	09:00
25	QF	W	08-Aug	Gordon/Wilkerson (CAN)	Whitaker/MacTavish (CAN)		2	15:00
26	QF	W	08-Aug	Hester/Ledoux (USA)	Altomare/Veltman (CAN)		1	15:00
27	QF	W	08-Aug	Candelas/Rios (MEX)	Bukovec/Séguin (CAN)		1	16:00
28	QF	W	08-Aug	Hughes/Claes (USA)	Flores/Euceda (HON)		2	16:00
29	QFL	L	08-Aug	Simon/Peters (ANT)	Charles/Bennett (ISV)		2	14:00
30	QFL	L	08-Aug	C. Charles/Alfaro (CRC)	Davidson/Dyette (TRI)		1	14:00
31	QFL	L	08-Aug	N. Giron/E. Bethancourth (GUA)	Wright/Malcolm (JAM)		3	14:00
32	QFL	L	08-Aug	Vasquez/Vargas (ESA)	Draw			
33	LQ	L	09-Aug	Simon/Peters (ANT)	C. Charles/Alfaro (CRC)		3	09:00
34	LQ	L	09-Aug	N. Giron/E. Bethancourth (GUA)	Vasquez/Vargas (ESA)		3	10:00
35	SF	S	09-Aug	Gordon/Wilkerson (CAN)	Hester/Ledoux (USA)		1	10:00
36	SF	S	09-Aug	Candelas/Rios (MEX)	Hughes/Claes (USA)		1	09:00
37	LSF	L	09-Aug	Whitaker/MacTavish (CAN)	Altomare/Veltman (CAN)		2	09:00
38	LSF	L	09-Aug	Bukovec/Séguin (CAN)	Flores/Euceda (HON)		2	10:00
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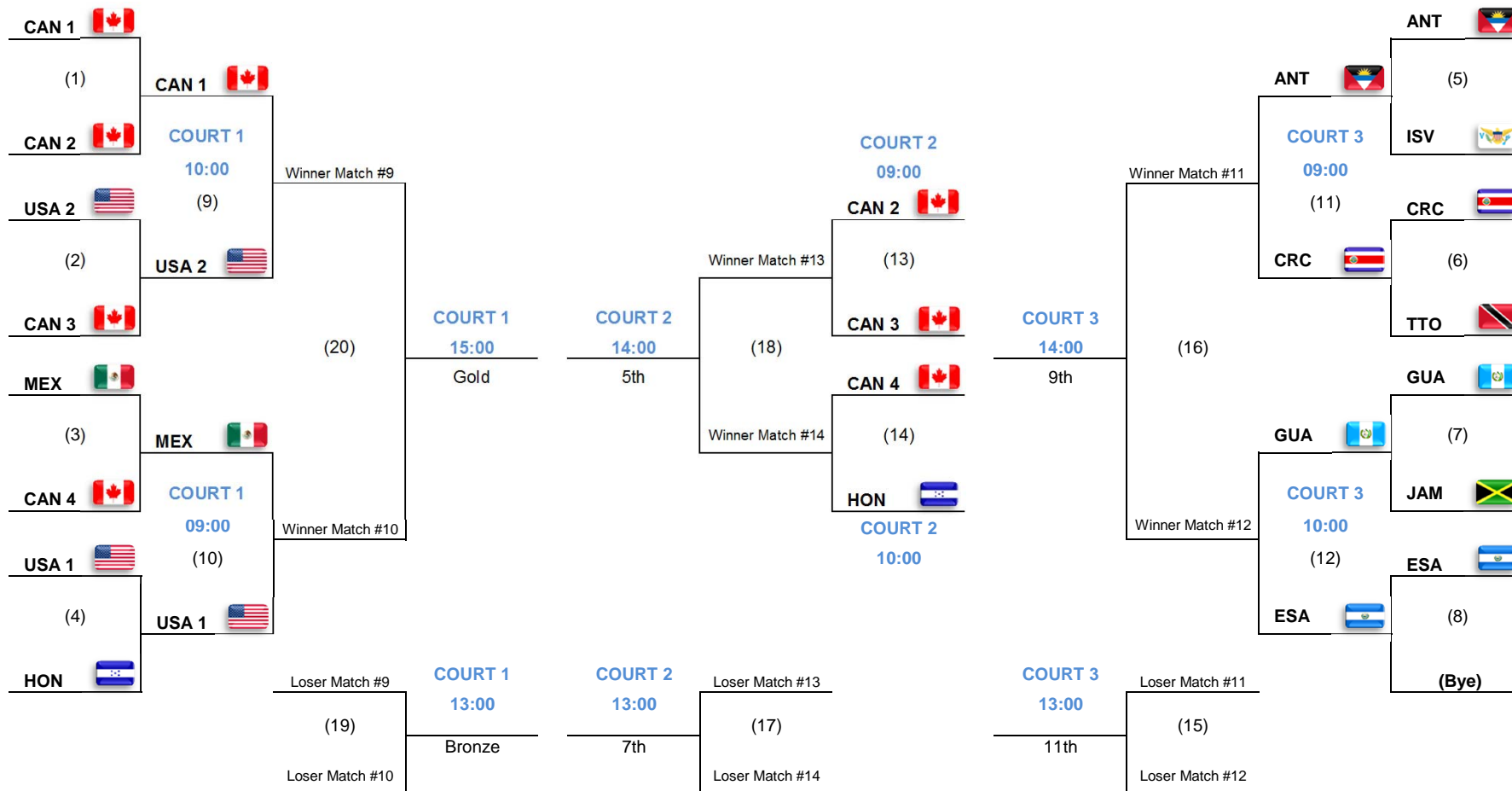


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