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Group A

# JAMAICA - TRINIDAD

Jamaica leads the all-time series in regulation time GP-45 W-18 D-12 L-15 (GF-54 GA-52).

It’s a Caribbean Classic on Wednesday at CITYPARK in Saint Louis, Missouri, when Jamaica meets Trinidad and Tobago in a Concacaf Gold Cup Group A showdown. It is the first time the Caribbean teams will meet at the Gold Cup.

**JAMAICA (JAM)**

**Gold Cup Appearances:** 13 (1991, 1993, 1998, 2000, 2003, 2005, 2009, 2011, 2015, 2017, 2019, 2021, 2023).

**Best Result:** Runner-up in Gold Cup 2015, 2017.

**Gold Cup Record:** GP-51 W-20 D-10 L-21 (GF-58 GA-69).

**Top scorers in Gold Cup:** Darren Mattocks (5), Shamar Nicholson (3), Demar Phillips (3).

**Assists Leader in Gold Cup (Editions 2013-2023):** Kemar Lawrence (4), Darren Mattocks (2), Joel McAnuff (2), Je-Vaughn Watson (2), Dane Richards (2).

**Players with the most appearances:** Kemar Lawrence (21), Je-Vaughn Watson (17), Jermaine Taylor (16), Alvas Powell (15), Andre Blake (15), Damion Lowe (15), Darren Mattocks (14).

**Saves (Editions 2015-2023):** 85. **Top Goalkeepers:** Andre Blake (49), Ryan Thompson (27), Dwayne Miller (9).

**Penalty Shootout:** 0.

**Victory with the most goals:** 4-0 vs. Granada (Luton Shelton, Ryan Johnson, Demar Phillips y Omar Daley), Group B - 2011, The Home Depot Center, Carson (6-JUN).

**Players to Watch:**

**Damion Lowe** scored Jamaica's goal in the 1-1 draw against the United States and was the player with the most clearances (6) and passes (42). The defender has recorded 2 goals in 15 matches in the Gold Cup history.

**Leon Bailey** led in shots in the opening game against the United States (3). He missed a penalty in the 28th minute, saved by Matthew Turner. He has played 7 Gold Cup matches in 3 editions. He provided 1 assist against the United States in the semifinals of the 2019 Gold Cup

**Demarai** **Gray** provided the assist for Damion Lowe's goal in his debut for the Jamaica National Team. He contributed with 1 clearance, 1 ball recovery, and 18 passes against the United States.

**Andre Blake** made 3 saves and 1 clearance in the debut against the United States (1-1). The Golden Glove of the 2017 edition has a total of 49 saves in his participation in the history of the Gold Cup in 15 matches (6 clean sheets).

**TRINIDAD (TRI)**

**Gold Cup Appearances:** 11 (1991, 1996, 1998, 2000, 2002, 2005, 2007, 2013, 2015, 2019, 2021, 2023).

**Best Result:** 3° Place in Gold Cup 2000.

**Gold Cup Record:** GP-36 W-9 D-11 L-16 (GF-50 GA-60)

**Top scorers in Gold Cup:** Arnold Dwarika (4), Kevin Molino (4), Kenwyne Jones (4), Stern John (3), Russell Latapy (3).

**Assists Leader in Gold Cup (Editions 2013-2023):** Kenwyne Jones (3), Khaleem Hyland (2), Duane Muckette (2), Neveal Hackshaw (2).

**Players with the most appearances:** Aubrey David (13), Joevin Jones (11), Kevin Molino (11), Marvin Andrews (11), Khaleem Hyland (10), Angus Eve (10), Kenwyne Jones (10 PJ).

**Saves (Editions 2015-2023):** 49**. Top Goalkeepers:** Marvin Phillip (48), Nicklas Frenderup (16), Jan Michael Williams (4), Adrian Foncette (1).

**Penalty Shootout:** 2. **WIN:** 1. **LOST:** 1. Won: Trinidad 1-1 (8-7) French Guiana (Kevin Molino; Arnold Abelinti), Second Round - Prelims Gold Cup 2021, DRV PNK Stadium, Fort Lauderdale (6-JUL-2021). Lost: Trinidad 1-1 (5-6) Panama (Kenwyne Jones; Luis Tejada), QF - Gold Cup 2015, MetLife Stadium (19-JUL-2015).

**Victory with the most goals:** 6-1 vs. Montserrat (Kevin Molino, Marcus Joseph, Ryan Telfer, Judah García y Reon Dale x2; Lyle Taylor), First Round - Prelims Gold Cup 2021, DRV PNK Stadium, Fort Lauderdale (2-JUL-2021).

**Players to Watch:**

**Neveal Hackshaw** had a direct involvement in 2 out of Trinidad & Tobago's 3 goals in their 2023 Gold Cup debut against Saint Kitts and Nevis (3-0) with 2 assists. The midfielder took 2 shots and led in passes (64) with 97% accuracy.

**Alvin Jones** scored the first goal in Trinidad's 3-0 victory against Saint Kitts in the 2023 Gold Cup debut. The 28-year-old defender has featured in the last 3 editions of the tournament (2019, 2021, and 2023).

**Ajani Fortune** contributed with a goal in Trinidad and Tobago's first Group A match in the 2023 edition. He was one of the players with the most shots against Saint Kitts and Nevis (2), alongside Kaile Auvray and Levi García.

**Nicklas Frenderup** kept a clean sheet in Trinidad's 3-0 victory against Saint Kitts in their debut match. The goalkeeper made 2 clearances and 1 save in the current competition's debut. He had 15 saves in 305 minutes played in the Copa Oro (including the Prelims 2021).