

## PGA Professional Records for the PGA Championship

### Best First-Round Score

- 66 by Buddy Whitten in 1983
- 67 by Frank Dobbs in 1995
- 68 by Stan Thirsk in 1972
- 68 by Bob Benson in 1975
- 68 by John Jackson in 1982
- 68 by Jay Overton in 1988
- 68 by Rick Schuller in 2001

### Best Second-Round Score



- 64 by Don Bies in 1969
- 66 by Jay Overton in 1988
- 67 by Mark Mielke in 1995
- 68 by Jimmy Wright in 1969
- 68 by Maurice VerBrugge in 1975
- 68 by Jimmy Powell in 1975
- 68 by Dennis Tiziani in 1976
- 68 by Tommy Aycock in 1974
- 68 by Tom Dolby in 1994
- 68 by Jim White in 1994
- 68 by **Mike Small** in 2005

### Best Third-Round Score

- 67 by Larry Wise in 1972
- 67 by Denny Lyons in 1973
- 69 by Jimmy Wright in 1969
- 69 by Tommy Bolt in 1971
- 69 by Jim Woodward in 1987

### Best Fourth-Round Score

- 68 by Bob Boyd in 1983
- 69 by Tommy Bolt in 1971
- 69 by Sam Snead in 1972
- 69 by Stu Ingraham in 1993

### Best 36-Hole Score

- 134 (68-66) by Jay Overton in 1988
- 136 (66-70) by Buddy Whitten in 1983
- 138 (74-64) by Don Bies in 1969
- 138 (68-70) by Rick Schuller in 2001
- 139 (71-68) by Jimmy Wright in 1969
- 139 (69-70) by Ed Dougherty in 1975

### Best 54-Hole Score

- 208 (71- 68- 69) by Jimmy Wright in 1969
- 209 (74-64-71) by Don Bies in 1969
- 209 (66-70-73) by Buddy Whitten in 1983
- 210 (73-70-67) by Denny Lyons in 1973
- 210 (68-66-76) by Jay Overton in 1988
- 210 (68-70-72) by Rick Schuller in 2001

### Best 72-Hole Score

- 279 (71-68-69-71) by Jimmy Wright in 1969 — 4th place
- 281 (68-70-72-71) by Rick Schuller in 2001 — T44th place
- 283 (74-64-71-74) by Don Bies in 1969 — T11th place
- 283 (71-70-71-71) by Tom Wargo in 1993 — T31st place
- 283 (74-69-71-69) by Stu Ingraham in 1993 — T31st place
- 287 (72-71-73-71) by Chip Sullivan in 2004 — T31st place

### Most Appearances by a Competitor Who Qualified as a PGA Professional

- 11 by Larry Gilbert
- 11 by Jay Overton
- 10 by Bob Ford
- 10 by Bob Boyd
- 9 by Steve Schneiter
- 9 by Darrell Kestner
- 8 by Jimmy Wright
- 8 by Lonnie Nielsen
- 8 by Tim Thelean
- 7 by Ron Philo Jr.
- 7 by Bruce Zabriski
- 7 by Gene Borek
- 7 by Jeffrey Lankford
- 7 by Jim Albus
- 7 by John Jackson
- 7 Ken Schall
- 7 by Lynn Janson
- 7 by Robert Hoyt

### Best Finish

- Third by **Tommy Bolt** in 1971
- Fourth by Jimmy Wright in 1969
- Tied for fourth by Sam Snead in 1972
- Tied for ninth by Sam Snead in 1973
- Tied for 11th by Don Bies in 1969
- Tied for 11th by Tommy Aycock in 1974
- Tied for 11th by Lonnie Nielsen in 1986
- Tied for 12th by Denny Lyons in 1973
- Tied for 17th by Jay Overton in 1988
- Tied for 19th by Bob Boyd in 1990



## How The PGA Professional National Champion Has Fared in the PGA Championship

Year/National Championship	Champion	Year/Results in PGA Championship	Year/National Championship	Champion	Year/Results in PGA Championship
2008	Scott Hebert	2008/Cut (156)	1987	Jay Lumpkin	1988/Cut (156)
2007	Chip Sullivan	2007/Cut (158)	1986	Bob Lenzion	1987/Cut (162)
2006	Ron Philo Jr.	2006/Cut (155)	1985	Ed Dougherty	1986/Cut (152)
2005	Mike Small	2005/76th (295)	1984	Bill Schumaker	1985/Cut (157)
2004	Bob Sowards	2004/Cut (155)	1983	Larry Webb	1984/Cut (158)
2003	Tim Thelen	2003/Cut (154)	1982	Larry Gilbert	1983/73rd (296)
2002	Barry Evans	2002/Cut (156)	1981	Larry Gilbert	1982/Cut (153)
2001	Wayne DeFrancesco	2001/Cut (150)	1980	John Traub	1981/Cut (158)
2000	Tim Thelen	2000/Cut (164)	1979	Buddy Whitten	1980/Cut (159)
1999	Jeff Freeman	1999/Cut (153)	1978	John Gentile	1979/Cut (149)
1998	Mike Burke Jr.	1998/Cut (148)	1977	Laurie Hammer	1978/T64 (300)
1997	Bruce Zabriski	1997/Cut (153)	1976	Bob Galloway	1977/Cut (160)
1996	Darrell Kestner	1997/Cut (162)	1975	Roger Watson	1976/Cut (155)
1995	Steve Schneiter	1995/Cut (152)	1974	Roger Watson	1975/T60 (297)
1994	Sammy Rachels	1995/Did Not Play	1973	Rives McBee	1974/Cut (152)
1993	Jeff Roth	1994/Cut (146)	1972	Don Massengale	1973/Cut (157)
1992	Ron McDougal	1993/Cut (148)	1971	Sam Snead	1972/T4 (284)
1991	Larry Gilbert	1992/Cut (153)	1970	Rex Baxter	1971/Cut (158)
1990	Brett Upper	1991/Cut (153)	1969	Bob Rosburg	1970/63rd (302)
1989	Bruce Fleisher	1990/Cut (154)	1968	Howell Fraser	1969/T59 (294)
1988	Bob Boyd	1989/Cut (149)			