

Women's 200m Freestyle

World Records					
Time	Name	Country	Location	Date	US Team
2:56.0	Fanny Durack	AUS	Manly	3/4/1915	
2:47.6	C. Boyle	USA	New Brighton	8/25/1921	
2:45.2	Gertrude Ederle	USA	Brooklyn	4/4/1923	
2:40.6y	Martha Norelius	USA	Miami	2/28/1926	
2:34.6	Helene Madison	USA	St. Augustine	3/6/1930	
2:28.6	Willy den Ouden	NETH	Rotterdam	5/3/1933	
2:27.6y	Willy den Ouden	NETH	Durdee	5/5/1934	
2:25.3	Willy den Ouden	NETH	Copenhagen	9/8/1935	
2:24.6	Rie van Veen	NETH	Rotterdam	2/26/1938	
2:21.7	Ragnhild Hveger	DEN	Aarhus	9/11/1938	
2:20.7	Dawn Fraser	AUS	Sydney	2/25/1956	
2:19.3	Lorraine Crapp	AUS	Townsville	8/25/1956	
2:18.5	Lorraine Crapp	AUS	Sydney	10/20/1956	
2:17.7y [^]	Dawn Fraser	AUS	Adelaide	2/10/1958	
2:14.7y	Dawn Fraser	AUS	Melbourne	2/22/1958	
2:11.6y	Dawn Fraser	AUS	Sydney	2/27/1960	
2:10.5	Lillian 'Pokey' Watson	USA	Lincoln	8/19/1966	Santa Clara
2:09.7	Pamela Kruse	USA	Philadelphia	8/19/1967	Ft. Lauderdale
2:09.5	Sue Pedersen	USA	Santa Clara	7/6/1968	Arden Hills
2:08.8	Edith Wetzel	USA	Lincoln	8/2/1968	Lake Forest
2:06.7	Deborah Meyer	USA	Los Angeles	8/28/1968	Arden Hills
2:06.5	Shane Gould	AUS	London	5/1/1971	
2:05.8	Shane Gould	AUS	Sydney	11/26/1971	
2:05.21	Shirley Babashoff	USA	Chicago	8/14/1972	Huntington Beach
2:03.56	Shane Gould	AUS	Munich	9/1/1972	
2:03.22	Kornelia Ender	GDR	Vienna	8/23/1974	
2:02.94	Shirley Babashoff	USA	Concord	8/23/1974	Mission Viejo
2:02.94e	Shirley Babashoff	USA	Concord	8/31/1974	Mission Viejo
2:02.27	Kornelia Ender	GDR	Dresden	3/15/1975	
1:59.78	Kornelia Ender	GDR	Berlin	6/2/1976	
1:59.26	Kornelia Ender	GDR	Montreal	7/22/1976	
1:58.53	Cynthia Woodhead	USA	Berlin	8/22/1978	Riverside
1:58.43	Cynthia Woodhead	USA	San Juan	7/3/1979	Riverside
1:58.23	Cynthia Woodhead	USA	Tokyo	9/3/1979	Riverside
1:57.75	Kristin Otto	GDR	Magdeberg	5/23/1984	
1:57.55	Heike Friedrich	GDR	East Berlin	6/18/1986	
1:56.78	Franziska van Almsick	GER	Rome	9/6/1994	
1:56.64	Franziska Van Almsick	GER	Berlin	8/3/2002	
1:56.47	Federica Pellegrini	ITA	Melbourne	3/27/2007	
1:55.52	Laure Manaudou	FRA	Melbourne	3/28/2007	

American Records					
Time	Name			Date	US Team
2:15.1	Chris von Saltza			8/4/1960	
2:14.6	Carolyn House			8/19/1962	Los Angeles
2:12.6	Pokey Watson			7/12/1964	
2:12.3	Martha Randall			8/15/1965	

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2:11.6	Pokey Watson			7/29/1966	
2:11.4	Martha Randall			8/6/1966	
2:10.5	Pokey Watson		Lincoln	8/19/1966	Santa Clara
2:09.7	Pamela Kruse		Philadelphia	8/19/1967	Ft. Lauderdale
2:09.5	Sue Pederson		Santa Clara	7/6/1968	Arden Hills
2:08.8	Edith Wetzel		Lincoln	8/2/1968	Lake Forest
2:06.7	Debbie Meyer		Los Angeles	8/24/1968	Arden Hills
2:05.21	Shirley Babashoff		Chicago	8/14/1972	Huntington Beach
2:04.33	Shirley Babashoff			9/1/1972	
2:02.94	Shirley Babashoff		Concord	8/23/1974	Mission Viejo
2:02.94	Shirley Babashoff		Concord	8/31/1974	Mission Viejo
2:02.54	Shirley Babashoff			6/19/1975	
2:02.50	Shirley Babashoff			7/23/1975	
2:02.39	Shirley Babashoff			8/21/1975	
1:59.49	Cynthia Woodhead			8/3/1978	Riverside
1:58.53	Cynthia Woodhead		Berline	8/22/1978	Riverside
1:58.43	Cynthia Woodhead		San Juan	7/3/1979	Riverside
1:58.23	Cynthia Woodhead		Tokyo	9/2/1979	Riverside
1:57.90	Nicole Haislett		Barcelona	7/27/1992	
1:57.41r	Lindsay Benko		Barcelona	7/24/2003	Trojan
1:56.43	Natalie Coughlin		Melbourne	3/28/2007	California
1:56.08	Katie Hoff		Columbia	2/17/2008	North Baltimore