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## FIP Platinum Mexico, day 4 Men's and women's, first two pairs in the finals

A very long and exciting day, the fourth of the **FIP Platinum Mexico**. Two rounds, quarter-finals and semifinals, in just a few hours, brought the first two pairs of the seeding in both the men's and women's draw to the finals, with an eye on the **Race to the Premier Padel Finals in Barcelona**. Among the men, at 8.30 pm Mexican time (3.30 am CET), **Javi Garrido** and **Lucas Bergamini** (1) will face off against **Alex Ruiz** and **Alex Arroyo** (2), the last three respectively number 17, 18 and 19 in the Race. Nos. 15 and 16 were eliminated: **Pablo Cardona** (15), paired with **Javi Garcia**, was beaten 7-6 6-7 7-5 in the quarters by **Ruiz/Arroyo**, who then repeated in the semifinals against **José Diestro** and **Sanyo Gutierrez** (16), with a score of 6-4 6-2. **Garrido** and **Bergamini** instead defeated first **Victor** and **Javi Ruiz** (7-5 6-0), then **Enrique Goenaga** and **Teo Zapata** (2-6 7-6 6-4).

**WOMEN** In the women's draw, on the other hand, **Ale Alonso** and **Lucia Sainz** (1) will face **Virginia Riera** and **Julieta Bidahorria** (2) at 6 p.m. Mexican time (1 CET). **Alonso**, with 150 points already earned, returns to the Top 16 by overcoming Aranzazu Osoro, after victories against **Jimena Velasco** and **Noa Canovas** (6-1 6-4) and against **Esther Carnicero** and **Marta Barrera** (7-6 6-2). **Riera** and **Bidahorria** overcame **Ana Catarina Nogueira** and **Laia Rodriguez** with a score of 6-2 6-2, then followed this up with a semifinal victory over **Ksenia Sharifova** and **Marta Marrero** (7-6 6-3).

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