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Aaron Pico vs Losene Keita

UFC 333 — Featherweight

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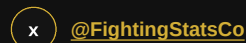
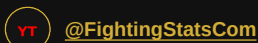
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MATCHUP BRIEF — Pico vs Keita

Matchup Brief — Aaron Pico vs Losene Keita

Fighting Stats Dashboard stats updated: 2026-10-18 (Greco weekly pull; data through UFC Fight Night: Allen vs. Duncan, Oct 10, 2026)
Research as-of: 2026-10-18 **Bout:** Featherweight — **Aaron Pico (Blue)** vs **Losene Keita (Red)** — UFC 333: Volkanovski vs Evloev (main card), Sat Oct 24, 2026, Etihad Arena, Yas Island, Abu Dhabi

1. Quick Tape

Aaron Pico (Blue)		Losene Keita (Red)
14-5-0 (UFC 1-1)	Record	17-2-0 (UFC 1-1)
30 (DOB Sep 23, 1996)	Age	28 (DOB Dec 30, 1997)
5'8" / 70" (UFC.com 70.5")	Height / Reach	5'8" / 72" (UFC.com 69" / 71.5")
Orthodox	Stance	Orthodox
Jackson Wink MMA Academy (Albuquerque)	Gym	Lamiro Fight Club (Kortrijk, Belgium)
#11 FW (UFC.com)	Ranking	Unranked
W1 (Freire)	Streak	W1 (Naimov)
Freire — UD W (Apr 11, 2026)	Last fight	Naimov — KO W R1 2:54 (Sep 5, 2026)
Pro: 9 KO / 2 SUB / 3 DEC	Win methods	Pro: 11 KO / 0 SUB / 6 DEC
No (4 KO/TKO incl. shoulder injury, 1 SUB)	Never finished?	No (1 TKO — leg injury); never stopped by strikes
~6.4 months (196 days)	Layoff into this bout	~1.6 months (49 days) — short-notice replacement
Career featherweight	Weight history	Oktagon champion at 145 and 155; missed weight (149) for a cancelled 2025 UFC booking

Keita replaced Arnold Allen, who was scratched on Sep 18, 2026 (MMA Fighting; MMA Junkie).

Featherweight division averages from Greco (n=304 with metrics). Both men have **two** UFC fights (about 18 minutes each), so percentiles are directional only.

Pico (2, 18.4 min)	Metric	Keita (2, 17.9 min)	Edge
6.16 (pctl 95)	SLpM	3.91 (pctl 67)	Pico (volume)
3.11 (pctl 64)	SAPM	3.97 (pctl 40)	Pico
53.8% (113/210)	Str Acc	47.0% (70/149)	Pico
45.2% (pctl 16)	Str Def	64.9% (pctl 91)	Keita
6.54 (8/16, 50%)	TD Avg /15	0.00 (0 attempts)	Pico
— (never tested)	TD Def	100% (1/1)	Untested both ways
0.00	Sub Avg /15	0.00	Even
4:26 (pctl 79)	CTRL /15	0:16 (pctl 8)	Pico
0	KD scored	2 (1.68/15)	Keita (power)
1 (Murphy)	KD against	0	Keita

Pico (2, 18.4 min)	Metric	Keita (2, 17.9 min)	Edge
Distance 85.8% / Clinch 8.0% / Ground 6.2%	Position share (sig landed)	Distance 88.6% / Clinch 0% / Ground 11.4%	Both mostly at range

Material Greco vs published ufcstats note: UFC.com shows Pico **2/16** on takedowns while its own **6.54** TD/15 and Greco both reflect **8/16**. UFC.com lists debut dates for both men that match cancelled bouts (Pico Jul 26, 2025; Keita Sep 6, 2025) and shows Keita's Wood loss as a win. Package math uses Greco.

3. Style Clash (sourced, how they normally win)

Pico path (how he has been winning): Boxing pressure into constant level changes — **16** takedown attempts and **4:26** of control per 15 in the UFC — then back takes and ground strikes (Carvalho, Corrales II). His left hook to the body is a finishing weapon (Kruchten, Morrison) and turned the Freire fight in R2. Six of his nine KO/TKO wins came in R1.

Keita path (how he has been winning): Long-range boxing with a heavy one-two and body shots. **11** KO/TKO wins, **2** knockdowns in his last fight, and **64.9%** strike defence. He has won five-round title fights by decision and late stoppage, so he does not fade.

Central tension: Pico's **wrestling volume** against Keita's **counter power** and untested takedown defence. Keita has faced **one** UFC takedown attempt; Pico averages more than six per 15 minutes. But Pico's losses come on the entry — Corrales's overhand, Borics's flying knee and Murphy's spinning elbow all landed as he stepped in or changed levels, and his **45.2%** defence (pctl 16) is the worst number on either side.

Orthodox vs orthodox + physicals: Same height (5'8") on UFC Stats; Keita has **+2"** reach (72" vs 70"). Keita has fought at lightweight for most of his Oktagon run. Wood beat Keita with low kicks (**33** leg strikes landed); Pico throws few (**9.7%** leg) but Freire's calf kicks visibly troubled him.

Layoffs: Pico **196 days**; Keita a **49-day** turnaround after his Paris knockout.

Shared opponents: None completed. Patricio Freire links them: Pico beat him at UFC 327, and Freire was Keita's cancelled 2025 debut opponent after Keita missed weight.

4. Optimal Matchup Path (keys — not picks)

For Pico (Blue)

- Wrestle early and often. Keita has no UFC takedown defence sample and no submission game; control time banks rounds.
- Set up the shot behind punches and feints rather than diving in from range — his last three stoppage losses came on entries.
- Go to the body. Pico's left hook downstairs is his best strike; only **5.6%** of what Keita has absorbed in the UFC went to the body, so that defence is largely untested.
- Take the back when Keita stands, as against Carvalho and Corrales II.

For Keita (Red)

- Keep it at range with the jab and one-two; Pico absorbed clean shots from Freire in R1 and was cut.
- Time the level change. A knee or uppercut on Pico's entry is the pattern that has stopped him.
- Get back up fast and make Pico re-shoot. Freire stood up within seconds of each R1 takedown and won the round on Sherdog's cards.
- Kick the calf. Freire's calf kicks bothered Pico, and Keita's own loss to Wood showed how much the low kick scores.

Expectation-break watch: (1) Keita's first real UFC takedown test — whether he can stay upright or get back up against an Olympic-level wrestler. (2) Pico's chin against the hardest puncher he has faced since Murphy. (3) A slow start from Pico, who lost R1 to Freire before taking over. (4) Keita's short turnaround and his late-round dip against Wood (**18** landed vs **31** absorbed in R3).

5. Last Five Fights (dates + time between)

Pico — last 5

#	Date	Opponent	Result	Method	Time since prior
1	Apr 11, 2026	Patricio Freire (UFC 327)	W	UD (30-27, 30-27, 29-28)	238 days after Murphy
2	Aug 16, 2025	Lerone Murphy (UFC 319)	L	KO (spinning back elbow) R1 3:21	539 days after Corrales II

#	Date	Opponent	Result	Method	Time since prior
3	Feb 24, 2024	Henry Corrales (PFL vs. Bellator Champions)	W	TKO (punches) R1 4:53	154 days after Carvalho
4	Sep 23, 2023	Pedro Carvalho (Bellator 299)	W	TKO (punches) R1 3:05	154 days after Gonzalez
5	Apr 22, 2023	James Gonzalez (Bellator 295)	W	UD	—

Into UFC 333 (Oct 24, 2026): 196 days (~6.4 months) since Freire.

Keita — last 5

#	Date	Opponent	Result	Method	Time since prior
1	Sep 5, 2026	Muhammadjon Naimov (UFC Fight Night 287)	W	KO (punch) R1 2:54 (POTN)	168 days after Wood
2	Mar 21, 2026	Nathaniel Wood (UFC Fight Night 270)	L	SD R3	447 days after Paradeiser II
3	Dec 29, 2024	Ronald Paradeiser (Oktagon 65)	W	TKO (elbow and punches) R2 4:02	99 days after Legierski
4	Sep 21, 2024	Mateusz Legierski (Oktagon 61)	W	UD	63 days after Bogdanovi■
5	Jul 20, 2024	Predrag Bogdanovi■ (Oktagon 59)	W	TKO (punch to the body) R2	—

Into UFC 333 (Oct 24, 2026): 49 days (~1.6 months) since Naimov.

6. Betting Snapshot

Disclaimer: Informational only. Not betting advice. As-of 2026-10-18.

Pico (Blue)	Metric	Keita (Red)
+105	Tapology odds board	-125
≈ 46.7%	Vig-free (from the above)	≈ 53.3%
40%	Tapology community picks	60%

A near pick'em with Keita a slight favourite. Opening lines were not located.

7. Social Handles

Fighter	Instagram	X / TikTok	Notes
Aaron Pico	—	—	No primary-source handle verified
Losene Keita	—	—	No primary-source handle verified

No invented posts. Keita's short-notice acceptance promo was reported by Cageside Press (Sep 18, 2026). No fight-week injury or withdrawal posts located for either fighter.

8. Sources

- Full reports: [aaron-pico-scouting-report-2026-10-18.md](#), [losene-keita-scouting-report-2026-10-18.md](#)
- UFC.com athletes (Aaron Pico; Losene Keita) and UFC 333 event page; UFC Stats fighter-details; Sherdog; Tapology (fighter pages and UFC 333 odds/picks); Wikipedia
- Sherdog round-by-round coverage and odds lines for both fighters' UFC and Bellator bouts

- MMA Fighting and MMA Junkie (Sep 18, 2026); Cageside Press (Sep 18, 2026); BJPenn.com (Sep 27, 2026); MMA Sucka (Oct 7, 2026)

Fighting Stats. Compact matchup package. As-of 2026-10-18.



SCOUTING REPORT — Aaron Pico (Blue)

Aaron Pico — Professional Scouting Report

Fighting Stats As-of: 2026-10-18 **Dashboard stats updated:** 2026-10-18 (Greco weekly pull; data through UFC Fight Night: Allen vs. Duncan, Oct 10, 2026) **Slug:** [aaron-pico](#)

Fighter Header / Tombstone

Field	Detail
Full Name	Aaron Pico
Nickname	None listed (UFC.com; UFC Stats; Tapology)
Weight Class & Ranking	UFC Featherweight — #11 (UFC.com rankings, Oct 2026)
Record	14-5-0; UFC 1-1 (Sherdog; Tapology; UFC.com)
DOB / Age	September 23, 1996 / 30 (as of 2026-10-18; 30 on fight night Oct 24, 2026)
Birthplace	Whittier, California, U.S. (UFC.com)
Fights Out Of	Albuquerque, New Mexico — moved there in 2019 (Wikipedia)
Gym	Jackson Wink MMA Academy (UFC.com; Sherdog "Jackson-Wink MMA"; Tapology)
Height / Reach	5'8" / 70" (UFC Stats TOTT; UFC.com and Tapology list 70.5" reach)
Stance	Orthodox (UFC Stats TOTT)
Sherdog	Sherdog
Tapology	Tapology
UFC	UFC
UFC Stats	UFC Stats

1. Early Life and Athletic Background

Pico was one of the most decorated American youth combat-sports athletes of his generation. In wrestling he won the **2013 Cadet (U17) World Championship at 63 kg**, was an alternate for the **2016 U.S. Olympic team**, and lost the 2016 Olympic Trials final to Frank Molinaro in a best-of-three (Wikipedia). In boxing he won the **2008 National PAL** title and the **2009 National Junior Golden Gloves**, and he also competed in pankration as a youngster (Wikipedia).

Bellator MMA signed him in **November 2014**, two and a half years before his 2017 debut (Wikipedia). Married to Kylie; their son Valentino was born in 2021 (Wikipedia; UFC.com). He keeps horses at home in New Mexico (Wikipedia).

Sources: Wikipedia; UFC.com athlete profile.

2. Training Gym, Coaches, and Training Partners

- **Primary:** **Jackson Wink MMA Academy**, Albuquerque, New Mexico (UFC.com; Sherdog; Tapology). Wikipedia dates his move to Albuquerque to 2019.
- **Earlier camp:** Sherdog's coverage of his June 2017 debut described him as an **American Kickboxing Academy** prospect.
- **Corner:** Sherdog's coverage of the Jeremy Kennedy fight (Oct 2022) names Jackson-Wink cornerman **Brandon Gibson**, who reset Pico's dislocated shoulder between rounds.
- **Base:** Freestyle wrestling (world cadet champion) and amateur boxing (Wikipedia). UFC.com lists his fighting style as boxing.

Sources: UFC.com; Sherdog; Tapology; Wikipedia.

2B. Social Media Deep Dive

Platform	Handle / URL	Status (as of 2026-10-18)
Instagram	—	No primary-source handle verified
X (Twitter)	—	No active primary account verified
TikTok	—	No verified primary account located

Posts and interviews that matter (sourced, not invented captions):

- On MMA Junkie Radio (reported by BJPenn.com, Sep 27, 2026), Pico said he had expected to fight **Aljamain Sterling** before the Arnold Allen booking: “It’s been a crazy few months, because I thought I was going to fight Aljamain Sterling.” On rankings: “sitting around and waiting for a ranked guy is not in my agenda. I just want to fight, get experience, and ultimately become a champion.”
- On Keita (MMA Junkie interview, quoted by MMA Sucka, Oct 7, 2026): “The obvious is he’s a power puncher, swings really, really hard, and he’s very, very good.”

3. Injury History and Medical Information

Documented items:

- **Dislocated shoulder (Oct 2022):** Against Jeremy Kennedy at Bellator 286 his shoulder dislocated in R1. His corner reset it between rounds, but he could not lift the arm over his head for the doctor, who stopped the fight — recorded as a **TKO (doctor stoppage / shoulder injury) at 5:00 of R1** (Sherdog; Wikipedia).
- **Medical withdrawal (Apr 2021):** Pulled from a Bellator bout for medical issues (Wikipedia).
- **Movsar Evloev bookings (2025):** A planned UFC debut against Evloev for May 17, 2025 was not finalized; a rebooking for July 26, 2025 fell through when **Evloev** withdrew injured (Wikipedia). Not a Pico injury.
- **UFC 333 opponent change:** Original opponent **Arnold Allen** was scratched — MMA Fighting (Sep 18, 2026) reported it was not a new injury but continued rehab from past treatments. Keita stepped in the same day (MMA Junkie, Sep 18, 2026).
- **Durability: 4 KO/TKO losses** (Corrales 2019, Borics 2019, Kennedy 2022 injury, Murphy 2025) and **1** submission loss. Greco credits 1 knockdown absorbed in 18.4 UFC minutes.
- **Into Keita (Oct 2026): 196 days** since the Pitbull win (Apr 11, 2026). Booked and active on UFC.com; no public injury disclosure located.

Sources: Sherdog; Sherdog round-by-round coverage; Wikipedia; MMA Fighting; MMA Junkie; Greco.

4. Professional Fight Promotions and Career Trajectory

Bellator MMA (2017–2024): 13-4. Debuted at Bellator 180 at Madison Square Garden in June 2017 and was choked out by Zach Freeman in **24 seconds**. Rebuilt with four straight first-round stoppages (Linn, Kruchten, Morrison, Higo), then lost back-to-back to Henry Corrales (R1 KO, Jan 2019) and Adam Borics (R2 flying-knee TKO, Jun 2019). After moving to Jackson Wink he won **six straight** (2020–2022), including an anaconda choke of Aiden Lee and a decision over then-unbeaten Justin Gonzales. The Kennedy shoulder injury (Oct 2022) was followed by four more wins: James Gonzalez (UD), Pedro Carvalho (R1 TKO), and a **R1 TKO of Henry Corrales** in their rematch at PFL vs. Bellator Champions (Feb 2024) (Sherdog; Wikipedia).

Free agency and other sport (2025–2026): Became a free agent in January 2025; the UFC signing was reported on April 8, 2025 (Wikipedia). He returned to freestyle wrestling in 2026, signing with Real American Freestyle on April 30, 2026 and beating Lance Palmer by **technical fall** at RAF 10 on June 13, 2026 (Wikipedia).

UFC (2025–present): 1-1.

- **Aug 2025, UFC 319:** KO'd by a **spinning back elbow** from then-unbeaten Lerone Murphy at 3:21 of R1 as a –185 favourite.
- **Apr 2026, UFC 327:** UD over former Bellator two-division champion Patricio “Pitbull” Freire (**30-27, 30-27, 29-28**), as a –345 favourite.

Sources: Sherdog; Wikipedia; UFC.com; Sherdog fight-night odds lines.

5. Professional Record and Method Breakdown

Method pies — counts (overall pro — Sherdog / UFC.com / Tapology)

Wins (14): KO/TKO **9** (64%) · Submission **2** (14%) · Decision **3** (21%) **Losses (5):** KO/TKO **4** (80%) · Submission **1** (20%) · Decision **0**

UFC.com: **7** first-round finishes.

UFC wins (1 — Greco): KO/TKO **0** · Submission **0** · Decision **1** **UFC losses (1):** KO/TKO **1** · Submission **0** · Decision **0**

Finish subtype pies (UFC-only — UFC Stats METHOD+DETAILS)

UFC KO/TKO wins: none **UFC SUB wins:** none **UFC finishing losses (1):** Elbows 1 (Murphy — spinning back elbow to the head at distance)

Complete professional record (Sherdog; UFC rows cross-checked to Greco; totals match Tapology)

Opponent record = opponent's pro record entering the bout (computed from Sherdog fight histories).

Date	Opponent	Opp. record	Result	Method	R	Time	Event	Opp. UFC rec (at fight)
2026-04-11	Patricio Freire	37-8-0	W	Decision (unanimous)	3	5:00	UFC 327	—
2025-08-16	Lerone Murphy	16-0-1	L	KO (spinning back elbow)	1	3:21	UFC 319	8-0-1
2024-02-24	Henry Corrales	21-7-0	W	TKO (punches)	1	4:53	PFL vs. Bellator Champions	—
2023-09-23	Pedro Carvalho	13-7-0	W	TKO (punches)	1	3:05	Bellator 299	—
2023-04-22	James Gonzalez	10-5-0	W	Decision (unanimous)	3	5:00	Bellator 295	—
2022-10-01	Jeremy Kennedy	17-3-0 (1 NC)	L	TKO (doctor stoppage — shoulder injury)	1	5:00	Bellator 286	—
2022-04-15	Adli Edwards	9-1-0	W	TKO (punches)	3	0:55	Bellator 277	—
2021-11-12	Justin Gonzales	12-0-0	W	Decision (unanimous)	3	5:00	Bellator 271	—
2021-06-11	Aiden Lee	9-4-0	W	Submission (anaconda choke)	3	1:33	Bellator 260	—
2020-11-12	John de Jesus	13-8-0	W	KO (punch)	2	4:12	Bellator 252	—
2020-07-24	Chris Hatley Jr.	8-2-0	W	Submission (rear-naked choke)	1	2:10	Bellator 242	—
2020-01-25	Daniel Carey	7-3-0	W	KO (punch)	2	0:15	Bellator 238	—
2019-06-14	Adam Borics	12-0-0	L	TKO (flying knee and punches)	2	3:55	Bellator 222	—
2019-01-26	Henry Corrales	16-3-0	L	KO (punches)	1	1:07	Bellator 214	—
2018-09-29	Leandro Higo	18-4-0	W	TKO (punches)	1	3:19	Bellator 206	—
2018-05-12	Lee Morrison	19-8-0	W	TKO (punches)	1	1:10	Bellator 199	—
2018-01-20	Shane Kruchten	12-3-0	W	KO (punch to the body)	1	0:37	Bellator 192	—
2017-09-23	Justin Linn	7-3-0	W	KO (punch)	1	3:45	Bellator 183	—
2017-06-24	Zach Freeman	8-2-0	L	Submission (guillotine choke)	1	0:24	Bellator 180	—

Thirteen of his 19 pro opponents entered with 10 or more wins; three were unbeaten (Murphy, Gonzales, Borics).

Finish Subtype Trends — Aaron Pico

UFC-only subtypes parsed from UFC Stats METHOD + DETAILS (no invention). **Full pro (Research)** subtypes appear only where the scouting report already states them. Coverage differs for pre-UFC bouts — labels mark the source.

UFC-only win finishes (METHOD + DETAILS)

KO/TKO wins: 0 · Submission wins: 0

KO/TKO subtypes

Subtype	Wins	Share
— none in sample —	0	—

Submission subtypes

Subtype	Wins	Share
— none in sample —	0	—

Pico — UFC-only KO/TKO win subtypes (Greco DETAILS)

No finishes in sample

Pico UFC KO/TKO

No finishes

Pico — Full pro KO/TKO win subtypes (Research)

No finishes in sample

Full pro win finishes (Research Markdown)

KO/TKO wins (Research subtypes): 0 · Submission wins: 0 — includes pre-UFC.

Family	Subtype	Wins	Share	Source
—	none stated	0	—	Research

Pico — Full pro Submission win subtypes (Research)

No finishes in sample

Pico — Full pro KO/TKO win subtypes (Research)

No finishes in sample

Trend reads

- UFC-only: no KO/TKO wins on record.

- UFC-only: no submission wins on record.
- UFC finishing losses: Elbows x1 (KO/TKO).

UFC finishing losses (for context)

- KO/TKO — Elbows x1

AARON PICO — FIGHT NARRATIVES

Round stats from UFC Stats / UFC Stats. Official results from Sherdog / Greco DETAILS. Odds from Sherdog fight-night lines.

vs Patricio Freire (Apr 11, 2026) — W UD (30-27, 30-27, 29-28) — UFC 327, Miami, –345 favourite

- **R1:** Freire's calf kicks and overhand rights got to him early; a one-two-three stumbled Pico and a cut opened on the bridge of his nose. Pico briefly put Freire down twice, but Freire was up in seconds each time (1/4 TD). All three Sherdog scorers gave the round to Freire. 22/56 SS vs 17/28.
- **R2:** Pico's best round in the UFC: a left to the liver, a stinging uppercut, a trip takedown and a left hand that put Freire on his seat (UFC Stats does not log a knockdown). 49/77 SS vs 19/33; 2/4 TD. All three Sherdog scorers: Pico.
- **R3:** Led behind the jab and wrestled (3/5 TD, 1:57 CTRL). In the last 20 seconds he stayed out of range while Freire motioned for him to fight.
- **Fight:** 100/181 SS vs 49/88; 6/13 TD; 3:25 CTRL; Freire 0/0 TD.
- **Tape signal:** Lost the first round, then out-landed a former champion 78–32 over the last ten minutes.

vs Lerone Murphy (Aug 16, 2025) — L KO R1 3:21 (spinning back elbow) — UFC 319, Chicago, –185 favourite

- **R1:** Pico came out fast — jab, low kick, body shots — and pushed Murphy to the fence. Murphy fell back into a ninja-choke attempt (Greco logs 1 sub attempt), and Pico later completed a double-leg (2/3 TD, 2:01 CTRL). Murphy answered with knees to the body and front kicks. As Pico stepped right to set up a left hand, Murphy landed a spinning back elbow to the temple that ended it.
- **Fight:** 13/29 SS vs 8/16; 1 KD against; UFC debut.
- **Tape signal:** Winning the minutes on control, then caught by a spinning strike — the same shape as the Borics loss (flying knee off a level change).

vs Henry Corrales II (Feb 24, 2024) — W TKO R1 4:53 — PFL vs. Bellator Champions, Riyadh

- **R1:** Leg kicks, repeated takedowns and trips, a head kick as Corrales stood, standing elbows and body kicks. Corrales gave up his back against the cage and a flurry ended it. Revenge for the 2019 knockout loss.

vs Pedro Carvalho (Sep 23, 2023) — W TKO R1 3:05 — Bellator 299, Dublin

- **R1:** Three takedowns in the first two minutes, taking the back each time Carvalho stood, then a body punch and a fourth takedown. Pico poured on punches as Carvalho got to his knees, and Carvalho collapsed trying to stand after the stoppage.

vs Jeremy Kennedy (Oct 1, 2022) — L TKO (doctor stoppage) R1 5:00 — Bellator 286

- **R1:** His shoulder dislocated in the round; he survived Kennedy's rear-naked-choke attempts to the horn. The corner popped the shoulder back in, but he could not raise the arm and the doctor ended it.

vs Adam Borics (Jun 14, 2019) — L TKO R2 3:55 — Bellator 222

- Pico controlled long stretches with takedowns, keeping Borics pinned at the fence and switching angles. On the next level change, Borics met him with a flying knee and finished with hammerfists.

vs Henry Corrales I (Jan 26, 2019) — L KO R1 1:07 — Bellator 214

- Pico took Corrales down and dug body punches in the clinch; Corrales got up and dropped him with an overhand right, finishing on the mat. Sherdog noted Corrales had been a big underdog.

Earlier Bellator stoppages

- **Linn (2017):** Slipped a right cross and countered with a left hook for the KO.
- **Kruchten (2018):** Two left hooks to the body; the second ended it at 0:37.
- **Morrison (2018):** A left hook to the liver set up the ground-strike finish.
- **Freeman (2017, debut):** Hurt by a right uppercut and choked by a guillotine in 24 seconds.

Cardio / trends: In two UFC fights he averages 17.5 significant strikes landed in R1 against 12.5 absorbed; his one R2 and R3 (Freire) were 49 and 29 landed against 19 and 13 (Greco). Six of his nine KO/TKO wins came in R1 (seven R1 finishes overall, counting the Hatley

RNC). His takedowns are where he gets countered: Borics's flying knee and Murphy's spinning elbow both came as he changed levels or stepped in.

UFC Stats — Condensed Identity

Field	Value
Nickname	—
DOB (age as of 2026-10-18)	Sep 23, 1996 (30)
Height / Weight / Reach	5'8" / 145 lbs / 70"
Stance	Orthodox
UFC record	1-1 (2 timed fights, 18.4 min)

Career rates vs men's Featherweight division (Greco + division averages, n=304)

Two fights and 18.4 minutes: percentiles are shown but carry little weight.

Metric	Pico	Div avg	Δ	Read
SLpM	6.16	3.48	+2.68	High volume (pctl 95)
SApM	3.11	3.93	−0.82	Below avg absorbed (pctl 64)
SS Acc	53.8% (113/210)	44.1%	+9.7	Accurate (pctl 88)
SS Def	45.2%	53.5%	−8.3	Low (pctl 16)
TD Acc	50.0% (8/16)	35.5%	+14.5	Above avg (pctl 74)
TD Avg /15	6.54	—	—	Shoots constantly
TDD	— (0 attempts)	57.4%	—	Untested
CTRL /15	4:26	2:44	+1:42	High (pctl 79)
CTRL against /15	0:00	3:20	—	Never controlled
KD rate /15	0.00	0.36	−0.36	No UFC knockdowns
KD against /15	0.82	0.59	+0.23	1 KD absorbed (pctl 17)
Sub Avg /15	0.00	—	—	0 attempts

Material published ufcstats vs Greco: UFC.com's takedown display reads **2 of 16** landed, while its own takedown average (**6.54** per 15) and Greco's fight logs both show **8 of 16**. UFC.com also lists an Octagon debut of Jul 26, 2025 — the cancelled Evloev date; Greco and Sherdog have the Murphy fight (Aug 16, 2025) as his first UFC bout. Package math uses Greco.

Striking mix: **Head 76.1%** / Body 14.2% / Leg 9.7% · **Distance 85.8%** / Clinch 8.0% / Ground 6.2%. Absorbed mix: Head 56.1% / **Body 31.6%** / Leg 12.3% · Distance 75.4% / **Clinch 22.8%** / Ground 1.8%.

6. Fighting Style, Strengths, and How They Win

- **Wrestle-boxer pressure:** Walks forward behind the jab and hooks, then changes levels — **16** takedown attempts in 18.4 UFC minutes and **4:26** of control per 15. He chains doubles, trips and back takes and rarely lets opponents settle.
- **Body-punch power:** A left hook to the liver finished Kruchten and Morrison and turned the Freire fight in R2. Nine KO/TKO wins, six in R1.
- **Volume when he gets going:** **6.16** landed per minute (pctl 95) and **100** landed on Freire.
- **Back-take finishing:** Takes the back when opponents stand from takedowns (Carvalho, Corrales II) and has an RNC and an anaconda on his record.
- **Risk flags:** **4 KO/TKO losses**, three to strikes he walked into while entering — Corrales's overhand, Borics's flying knee and Murphy's spinning elbow. Low **45.2%** defence (pctl 16) and **22.8%** of absorbed strikes come in the clinch. Freire's calf kicks visibly

bothered him in R1 (Sherdog). Hasn't won a UFC bout by finish.

Sources: Greco; UFC Stats; § narratives; UFC.com; Wikipedia; Sherdog round-by-round coverage.

Expectation Breaks

- **Zach Freeman (Jun 2017):** A hyped debut at Madison Square Garden ended in **24 seconds** by guillotine; Sherdog called it perhaps 2017's biggest upset.
- **Henry Corrales I (Jan 2019):** Knocked out in R1 by a fighter Sherdog described as a huge underdog.
- **Lerone Murphy (Aug 2025):** A –185 favourite on debut, KO'd in R1 by a spinning back elbow.
- **Patricio Freire (Apr 2026):** Lost R1 on all three Sherdog cards and was cut, then out-landed Freire **78–32** over R2–R3 for a 30-27 decision.
- **Henry Corrales II (Feb 2024):** Reversed a R1 KO loss with a R1 TKO five years later.

7. Community / Expert Predictions and Sentiment

Label: opinion / media narrative — not facts about fight outcome.

- **Market:** Slight underdog. +105 Pico / –125 Keita on Tapology's UFC 333 odds board (Oct 18, 2026).
- **Fan picks:** Tapology community picks **60% Keita / 40% Pico**.
- **Framing:** BJPenn.com (Sep 27, 2026): "Keita is widely regarded as a dangerous opponent for Pico, who is risking his spot on the UFC featherweight rankings."
- **Pico on the matchup:** Keita is "a power puncher" — "part of being a world champion, you have to be able to take on guys that have a different arsenal" (MMA Junkie via MMA Sucka).

No anonymous forum picks are included beyond sourced public pages.

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Fighting Stats. As-of 2026-10-18. Opinions labeled in §7.

SCOUTING REPORT — Losene Keita (Red)

Losene Keita — Professional Scouting Report

Fighting Stats As-of: 2026-10-18 **Dashboard stats updated:** 2026-10-18 (Greco weekly pull; data through UFC Fight Night: Allen vs. Duncan, Oct 10, 2026) **Slug:** [losene-keita](#)

Fighter Header / Tombstone

Field	Detail
Full Name	Losene Keita
Nickname	"Black Panther" (UFC.com; Tapology)
Weight Class & Ranking	UFC Featherweight — unranked
Record	17-2-0; UFC 1-1 (Sherdog; Tapology)
DOB / Age	December 30, 1997 / 28 (as of 2026-10-18; 28 on fight night Oct 24, 2026)
Birthplace	Conakry, Guinea (UFC.com; Tapology; Wikipedia)
Fights Out Of	Kortrijk, Belgium (Tapology; Wikipedia) — holds Belgian and French nationality (Wikipedia)
Gym	Lamiro Fight Club (UFC.com; Sherdog; Tapology)
Height / Reach	5'8" / 72" (UFC Stats TOTT; UFC.com lists 69" height, 71.5" reach, 42.5" leg reach; Tapology 5'7" / 72"; Sherdog 5'9")
Stance	Orthodox (UFC Stats TOTT)
Sherdog	Sherdog
Tapology	Tapology
UFC	UFC
UFC Stats	UFC Stats

1. Early Life and Athletic Background

Born in Conakry, Guinea, Keita moved to Paris at 11 and later settled in Kortrijk, Belgium (Wikipedia). Wikipedia reports he served four months in prison in his youth. Sherdog lists a **3-0** amateur MMA record (UFC.com: "reported 3-0"); Wikipedia describes more than eight amateur fights.

From his UFC.com Q&A: the "Black Panther" nickname comes from his speed playing soccer as a kid. He calls himself a Brazilian jiu-jitsu **purple belt** who prefers not to talk about it because he has no submission wins yet. His toughest fight was his first five-rounder, against Ronald Paradeiser, which he fought while sick. He has one son.

Cageside Press named him its **2022 African Prospect of the Year** (Wikipedia).

Sources: Wikipedia; UFC.com athlete Q&A; Sherdog.

2. Training Gym, Coaches, and Training Partners

- **Primary:** **Lamiro Fight Club**, Kortrijk, Belgium (UFC.com; Sherdog; Tapology).
- **Base:** Striker. **11** of 17 wins by KO/TKO, no submission wins (Sherdog; Tapology).
- **Other combat sports (Tapology, not part of his MMA record):** a Muay Thai bout with Milan Paleš at Oktagon 38 (Dec 2022) and submission-grappling matches at LSFC 1 (Mar 2023, a draw) and PML 20 (May 2026).

Sources: UFC.com; Sherdog; Tapology; Wikipedia.

2B. Social Media Deep Dive

Platform	Handle / URL	Status (as of 2026-10-18)
Instagram	—	No primary-source handle verified
X (Twitter)	—	No verified primary account located
TikTok	—	No verified primary account located

Posts that matter (sourced, not invented captions):

- Cageside Press (Sep 18, 2026) reported that Keita posted a promo accepting the short-notice UFC 333 fight, and noted the viral celebration with the Paris crowd after his Naimov knockout.

3. Injury History and Medical Information

Documented items:

- **Leg/foot injury stoppage (Jul 2023):** Defending his Oktagon interim featherweight title against Mate Sanikidze, he lost by **TKO (leg injury) at 1:08 of R1** (Sherdog; Tapology lists "foot injury"). It is his only stoppage loss.
- **Missed weight (Sep 2025):** Weighed **149 lbs** for his planned UFC debut against Patricio "Pitbull" Freire in Paris (Sep 6, 2025), and the bout was cancelled (Wikipedia; Tapology).
- **Opponent change (Dec 2022):** A planned Oktagon 38 MMA bout with Ahmed Vila was rebooked; he fought a Muay Thai bout on that card instead (Tapology).
- **Durability:** Never knocked out by strikes. UFC: **0** knockdowns absorbed in 17.9 minutes (Greco).
- **Into Pico (Oct 2026):** Short turnaround — **49 days** after the Naimov KO (Sep 5, 2026). Took the fight on short notice when Arnold Allen was scratched (MMA Fighting; MMA Junkie, Sep 18, 2026). No public injury disclosure located.

Sources: Sherdog; Tapology; Wikipedia; MMA Fighting; MMA Junkie; Cageside Press; Greco.

4. Professional Fight Promotions and Career Trajectory

Regional Europe (2019–2021): 6-0. Turned pro in October 2019 with three straight three-round decisions at welterweight (Strength & Honour Championship 15, Atlas MMA 6, Ultimate Contest 11). Then three first-round knockouts in the Dutch World Fighting League, the last winning the **WFL welterweight title** against Bartosz Gorczyca (Aug 2021) (Sherdog; Tapology).

Oktagon MMA (2021–2024): 10-1.

- **2021–2022:** Body-shot KO of Karol Ryšavý; five-round UD over Ronald Paradeiser for the **interim lightweight title**; R1 TKO of 46-fight veteran **Ivan Buchinger** (Jun 2022) for the lightweight title.
- **2023:** Down to featherweight — R3 TKO of Samuel Bark (8-1; **POTN**), R4 TKO of Jakub Tichota for the **interim featherweight title**, the leg-injury loss to Mate Sanikidze, then a R2 KO of Niko Samsonidse for the **vacant featherweight title**.
- **2024:** UD over Agy Sardari, R2 body-shot TKO of Predrag Bogdanović (16-1), UD over Mateusz Legierski, and a R2 TKO (elbow and punches) of Paradeiser in their rematch for the **lightweight title** (Dec 29, 2024; **POTN**). Tapology lists a disclosed **\$300,000** base purse for that bout.

UFC (2025–present): 1-1. Signed August 15, 2025 (Wikipedia). The planned debut with Pitbull was cancelled after he missed weight. Debuted in London in March 2026 with a **split-decision loss** to Nathaniel Wood as a –220 favourite, then knocked out Muhammadjon Naimov in R1 in Paris (Sep 5, 2026) for **POTN**.

Sources: Sherdog; Tapology; Wikipedia; UFC.com; Sherdog fight-night odds lines.

5. Professional Record and Method Breakdown

Method pies — counts (overall pro — Sherdog / Tapology)

Wins (17): KO/TKO **11** (65%) · Submission **0** · Decision **6** (35%) **Losses (2):** KO/TKO **1** (leg injury) · Submission **0** · Decision **1**

UFC wins (1 — Greco): KO/TKO **1** · Submission **0** · Decision **0** **UFC losses (1):** KO/TKO **0** · Submission **0** · Decision **1**

Finish subtype pies (UFC-only — UFC Stats METHOD+DETAILS)

UFC KO/TKO wins (1): Punches at distance **1** (Naimov) **UFC SUB wins:** none **UFC finishing losses:** none

Complete professional record (Sherdog; UFC rows cross-checked to Greco; totals match Tapology)

Opponent record = opponent's pro record entering the bout (computed from Sherdog fight histories). A dash marks a finish time not published by Sherdog.

Date	Opponent	Opp. record	Result	Method	R	Time	Event	Opp. UFC rec (at fight)
2026-09-05	Muhammadjon Naimov	13-4-0	W	KO (punch)	1	2:54	UFC Fight Night 287 (Paris)	—
2026-03-21	Nathaniel Wood	22-6-0	L	Decision (split)	3	5:00	UFC Fight Night 270 (London)	10-3-0
2024-12-29	Ronald Paradeiser	21-8-0	W	TKO (elbow and punches)	2	4:02	Oktagon 65 (lightweight title)	—
2024-09-21	Mateusz Legierski	12-1-0	W	Decision (unanimous)	3	5:00	Oktagon 61	—
2024-07-20	Predrag Bogdanović	16-1-0	W	TKO (punch to the body)	2	4:15	Oktagon 59	—
2024-05-04	Agy Sardari	17-4-0	W	Decision (unanimous)	3	5:00	Oktagon 57	—
2023-12-09	Niko Samsonidse	10-2-0	W	KO (punches)	2	0:23	Oktagon 50 (vacant FW title)	—
2023-07-29	Mate Sanikidze	10-2-0	L	TKO (leg injury)	1	1:08	Oktagon 45	—
2023-04-29	Jakub Tichota	5-1-0	W	TKO (punch)	4	3:53	Oktagon 42 (interim FW title)	—
2023-02-11	Samuel Bark	8-1-0	W	TKO (punches)	3	0:30	Oktagon 39	—
2022-06-04	Ivan Buchinger	39-7-0	W	TKO (punches)	1	3:00	Oktagon 33 (LW title)	—
2022-02-26	Ronald Paradeiser	13-7-0	W	Decision (unanimous)	5	5:00	Oktagon 31 (interim LW title)	—
2021-12-04	Karol Ryšavý	9-3-0	W	KO (punch to the body)	1	2:55	Oktagon 29	—
2021-08-15	Bartosz Gorczyca	0-0-0	W	KO	1	—	WFL MMA 6 (WFL WW title)	—
2021-05-30	Raymond Jarman	18-38-0 (1 NC)	W	KO (punch)	1	—	WFL MMA 5	—
2020-02-16	Tayron AgterEEK Chavarro	0-0-0	W	TKO (punches)	1	—	WFL MMA 4	—
2019-12-07	Soufiene Oudina	5-6-0	W	Decision (unanimous)	3	5:00	Ultimate Contest 11	—
2019-11-02	Karol Michalak	2-0-0 (1 NC)	W	Decision	3	5:00	Atlas MMA 6	—
2019-10-05	Gracjan Gołbiowski	1-0-0	W	Decision	3	5:00	Strength & Honour Championship 15	—

Sherdog times the Bogdanović finish at **4:15** of R2; Tapology has **4:50**. Wikipedia dates his pro debut to March 5, 2019; Sherdog and Tapology both have October 5, 2019.

Finish Subtype Trends — Losene Keita

UFC-only subtypes parsed from UFC Stats METHOD + DETAILS (no invention). **Full pro (Research)** subtypes appear only where the scouting report already states them. Coverage differs for pre-UFC bouts — labels mark the source.

UFC-only win finishes (METHOD + DETAILS)

KO/TKO wins: 1 · Submission wins: 0

KO/TKO subtypes

Subtype	Wins	Share
Punches (Distance)	1	100.0%

Submission subtypes

Subtype	Wins	Share
— none in sample —	0	—

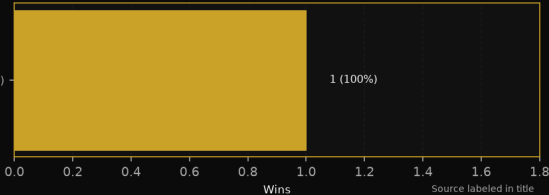
Keita — UFC-only Submission win subtypes (Greco DETAILS)

No finishes in sample

Keita UFC Submissions

No finishes

Keita — UFC-only KO/TKO win subtypes (Greco DETAILS)



Full pro win finishes (Research Markdown)

KO/TKO wins (Research subtypes): 0 · Submission wins: 0 — includes pre-UFC.

Family	Subtype	Wins	Share	Source
—	none stated	0	—	Research

Keita — Full pro Submission win subtypes (Research)

No finishes in sample

Keita — Full pro KO/TKO win subtypes (Research)

No finishes in sample

Trend reads

- UFC-only KO/TKO wins (1): top subtype Punches (Distance) (1/1, 100.0%).
- UFC-only: no submission wins on record.

LOSENE KEITA — FIGHT NARRATIVES

Round stats from UFC Stats / UFC Stats. Official results from Sherdog / Greco DETAILS. Odds from Sherdog fight-night lines, or Tapology where noted.

vs Muhammadjon Naimov (Sep 5, 2026) — W KO R1 2:54 · POTN — UFC Fight Night 287, Paris, –390 favourite (Tapology)

- **R1:** An early left hook staggered Naimov, whose clinch attempt went nowhere. Keita stalked from the centre with combinations and opened a cut near Naimov's left eye. A jab dropped Naimov; Keita followed with punches, let him stand, then caught him with a one-two — the overhand right put Naimov face-first on the canvas with no follow-up needed.
- **Fight:** 18/30 SS vs 4/24; 2 KD; 8 of his 18 landed on the ground after the first knockdown.
- **Tape signal:** Composure and shot selection — he hurt Naimov, reset and finished with a clean one-two rather than a wild swarm.

vs Nathaniel Wood (Mar 21, 2026) — L SD R3 (29-28 Paolillo for Keita; 28-29 Cartlidge, Cleary) — UFC Fight Night 270, London, –220 favourite

- **R1:** A measured feeling-out round. Wood chopped at the legs; Keita mixed front kicks to the body with straight and counter rights. 11/26 SS vs 17/56; Wood 0/1 TD. Sherdog's three scorers split 2–1 for Wood.
- **R2:** Keita's round on all three Sherdog cards — stiff jabs, an uppercut-led combination, a knee and long rights. 23/42 vs 19/56.
- **R3:** Wood's inside low kicks made Keita stumble; Wood pumped the jab while Keita swung big and missed. 18/51 vs 31/66. All three Sherdog scorers: Wood.
- **Fight:** 52/119 SS vs 67/178; Wood landed 33 leg strikes. Keita threw no takedowns.
- **Tape signal:** Out-landed in R3 by a volume kicker. The low kick was the scoring weapon against him.

Oktagon title run — key bouts

- **Paradeiser II (Dec 2024) — W TKO R2 4:02:** Finished with an elbow and ground punches in a five-round lightweight title fight; **POTN** (Tapology).
- **Bogdanovi█ (Jul 2024) — W TKO R2:** A body shot stopped a 16-1 opponent.
- **Samsonidse (Dec 2023) — W KO R2 0:23:** A right hook and ground punches for the vacant featherweight title (Tapology method detail).
- **Sanikidze (Jul 2023) — L TKO R1 1:08:** Stopped by a leg/foot injury as interim champion.
- **Tichota (Apr 2023) — W TKO R4 3:53:** A fourth-round finish in a five-round interim title fight.
- **Buchinger (Jun 2022) — W TKO R1 3:00:** Hooks finished a 39-7 veteran for the lightweight title.
- **Paradeiser I (Feb 2022) — W UD R5:** His first five-rounder, which he fought while sick (UFC.com Q&A).

Cardio / trends: Has won five-round title fights by decision (Paradeiser I) and by R4 stoppage (Tichota). In the UFC he averages **14.5** significant strikes landed in R1 against **10.5** absorbed; his one R3 (Wood) was **18** landed against **31** absorbed (Greco). His pre-UFC finishes came in every round from R1 to R4.

UFC Stats — Condensed Identity

Field	Value
Nickname	Black Panther
DOB (age as of 2026-10-18)	Dec 30, 1997 (28)
Height / Weight / Reach	5'8" / 145 lbs / 72"
Stance	Orthodox
UFC record	1-1 (2 timed fights, 17.9 min)

Career rates vs men's Featherweight division (Greco + division averages, n=304)

Two fights and 17.9 minutes: percentiles are shown but carry little weight.

Metric	Keita	Div avg	Δ	Read
SLpM	3.91	3.48	+0.43	Above avg (pctl 67)
SAPM	3.97	3.93	+0.04	Average (pctl 40)

Metric	Keita	Div avg	Δ	Read
SS Acc	47.0% (70/149)	44.1%	+2.9	Above avg (pctl 63)
SS Def	64.9%	53.5%	+11.4	Hard to hit (pctl 91)
TD Acc	— (0 attempts)	35.5%	—	Doesn't shoot
TDD	100% (1/1 stuffed)	57.4%	—	One attempt faced
CTRL /15	0:16	2:44	−2:28	Low (pctl 8)
CTRL against /15	0:00	3:20	—	Never controlled
KD rate /15	1.68	0.36	+1.32	2 KDs (pctl 97)
KD against /15	0.00	0.59	−0.59	None absorbed
Sub Avg /15	0.00	—	—	0 attempts

Material published ufcstats vs Greco: UFC.com lists his Octagon debut as Sep 6, 2025 — the cancelled Pitbull bout — and its fight list displays the Wood split-decision loss as a win. Greco, UFC Stats and Sherdog all record the Wood fight as a loss and his debut as Mar 21, 2026. Package math uses Greco.

Striking mix: Head **74.3%** / Body 21.4% / Leg 4.3% · **Distance 88.6%** / Clinch 0.0% / Ground 11.4%. Absorbed mix: Head 47.9% / Body 5.6% / **Leg 46.5%** · Distance **100%**.

6. Fighting Style, Strengths, and How They Win

- **Power puncher at range:** **88.6%** of his significant strikes land at distance. Jab, straight right and left hook, with the one-two his finishing shot (Naimov). **2** knockdowns in 17.9 UFC minutes.
- **Body attack:** **21.4%** of his strikes go to the body, and two pre-UFC finishes were body shots (Ryšavý, Bogdanović).
- **Defence:** **64.9%** strike defence (pctl 91) and no knockdowns absorbed. Never stopped by strikes in 19 pro fights.
- **Championship rounds:** Four five-round title fights in Oktagon, with a decision win and a R4 stoppage.
- **Risk flags:** Wood out-landed him with low kicks (**46.5%** of what he absorbs is to the legs) and won R3 on volume. He throws few leg kicks of his own (**4.3%**) and no takedowns, and he has faced one UFC takedown attempt, so his wrestling defence is unproven at this level. No submission wins. Missed weight for his first UFC booking (149 lbs, Sep 2025).

Sources: Greco; UFC Stats; § narratives; UFC.com; Sherdog; Tapology; Wikipedia.

Expectation Breaks

- **Ivan Buchinger (Jun 2022):** Tapology's community picked Buchinger heavily (**17%** for Keita); Keita stopped him in R1 for the Oktagon lightweight title.
- **Mate Sanikidze (Jul 2023):** A defending interim champion and heavy pick (**93%** on Tapology) stopped by a leg injury in **68 seconds**.
- **Nathaniel Wood (Mar 2026):** A −220 favourite on debut who won R2 on all three Sherdog cards but lost a split decision.
- **Muhammadjon Naimov (Sep 2026):** Two knockdowns and a R1 KO of a 13-4 UFC veteran who landed **4** significant strikes.

7. Community / Expert Predictions and Sentiment

Label: opinion / media narrative — not facts about fight outcome.

- **Market:** Slight favourite. −**125** Keita / +**105** Pico on Tapology's UFC 333 odds board (Oct 18, 2026).
- **Fan picks:** Tapology community picks **60% Keita**.
- **Framing:** MMA Junkie (Sep 18, 2026) billed the short-notice booking as a "UFC 333 banger." BJPenn.com (Sep 27, 2026): Keita is "widely regarded as a dangerous opponent for Pico."
- **Opponent's view:** Pico called him "a power puncher" who "swings really, really hard, and he's very, very good" (MMA Junkie via MMA Sucka).

No anonymous forum picks are included beyond sourced public pages.

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Aaron Pico

VS

Losene Keita

Blue OFFENSE

Red DEFENSE

Striking Distribution

Distance %	Clinch %	Ground %
85.8%	8.0%	6.2%

Striking Accuracy

Distance Acc	Clinch Acc	Ground Acc
51.9%	64.3%	77.8%

Offensive Knockdowns

KD	KD Rate
0	0.00

Head Target	Head Accuracy
76%	48%

Body Target	Body Accuracy
14%	80%

Leg Target	Leg Accuracy
10%	100%

Head Target Against	Head Strike Def
48%	77%

Body Target Against	Body Defense
6%	33%

Leg Target Against	Leg Strike Def
46%	30%

Strikes Against Distribution

Distance %	Clinch %	Ground %
100.0%	0.0%	0.0%

Striking Defense

Distance Def	Clinch Def	Ground Def
64.7%	100.0%	0.0%

Knockdowns Against

KD	KD Rate
0	0.00

Offensive Takedowns

TD Attempted	TD Success	TD Accuracy	Control (sec)	Control / TD	SUB.ATT	REV.
16	8	50.0%	326	40.8	0	0

Takedown Defense

TDD Att	TDD Success	TDD %	Control Against (s)	Ctrl allowed/TD	SUB.ATT ag	REV. ag
1	1	100.0%	0	0	0	0

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Blue DEFENSE

Red OFFENSE

Strikes Against Distribution

Distance %	Clinch %	Ground %
75.4%	22.8%	1.8%

Striking Defense

Distance Def	Clinch Def	Ground Def
52.2%	0.0%	0.0%

Knockdowns Against

KD	KD Rate
1	0.82

Head Target Against	Head Strike Def
56%	54%

Body Target Against	Body Defense
32%	28%

Leg Target Against	Leg Strike Def
12%	30%

Striking Distribution

Distance %	Clinch %	Ground %
88.6%	0.0%	11.4%

Striking Accuracy

Distance Acc	Clinch Acc	Ground Acc
44.3%	0.0%	88.9%

Offensive Knockdowns

KD	KD Rate
2	1.68

Takedown Defense

TDD Att	TDD Success	TDD %	Control Against (s)	Ctrl allowed/TD	SUB.ATT ag	REV. ag
0	0	N/A (0 att)	0	0	1	0

Offensive Takedowns

TD Attempted	TD Success	TD Accuracy	Control (sec)	Control / TD	SUB.ATT	REV.
0	0	0.0%	20	0	0	0

Statistical Matchup Package

Dashboard stats updated: 2026-10-18.

Tale of the Tape

Blue = Aaron Pico · Red = Losene Keita ("Black Panther").

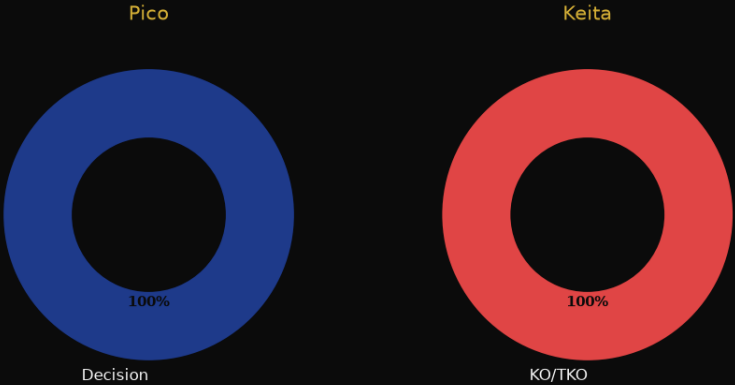
Acronym glossary

Term	Meaning
SLpM	Significant strikes landed per minute of fight time
SS Acc	Significant-strike accuracy (landed ÷ attempted)
Str Def	Striking defense % (share of opponent sig attempts missed)
TD Acc	Takedown accuracy (landed ÷ attempted)
TDD	Takedown defense % (stuff rate)
CTRL	Control time on the ground / clinch control clock
KD	Knockdowns scored (or absorbed, when labeled)
Stand/sig per 15	Projected significant-strike pace if stand-up lasted a full 15 min on striking-time basis (fight time – CTRL)
Striking time	Round/fight clock minus control time (mm:ss and % of round clock)

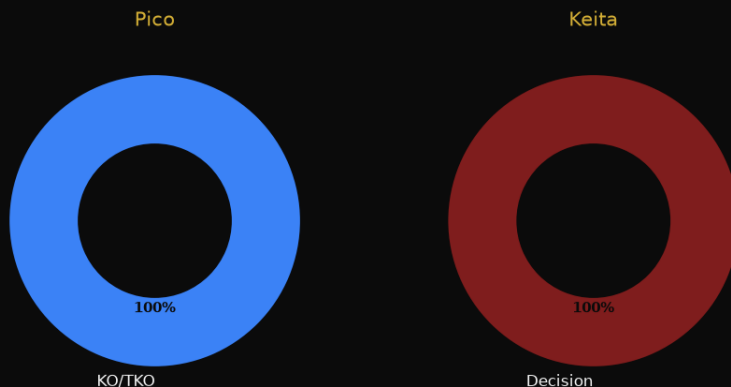
Tale of the Tape — Quick Look



Win Method Mix (UFC)



Loss Method Mix (UFC)



Matchup board read — Page A (Pico OFF vs Keita DEF)

Pico's accuracy is the pressure point into Keita's defense (Pico SS Acc **53.8%** into Keita Str Def **64.9%**). Most of Pico's work is at distance (**85.8%**). Wrestling leverage: Pico TD Acc **50.0%** vs Keita TDD **100.0%**. Power check: Pico KD scored **0** (0.0/15) vs Keita KD absorbed **0** (0.0/15).

Matchup board read — Page B (Pico DEF vs Keita OFF)

Keita needs clean entries into Pico's defense (Keita SS Acc **47.0%** into Pico Str Def **45.2%**). On the mat, Keita's TD Acc — (0/0) meets Pico TDD **N/A (0 att)** — that gap is the wrestling story. Expected control / 15: Keita **16.8s (1.9%)** vs Pico **266.5s (29.6%)** (Keita SUB.ATT **0**).

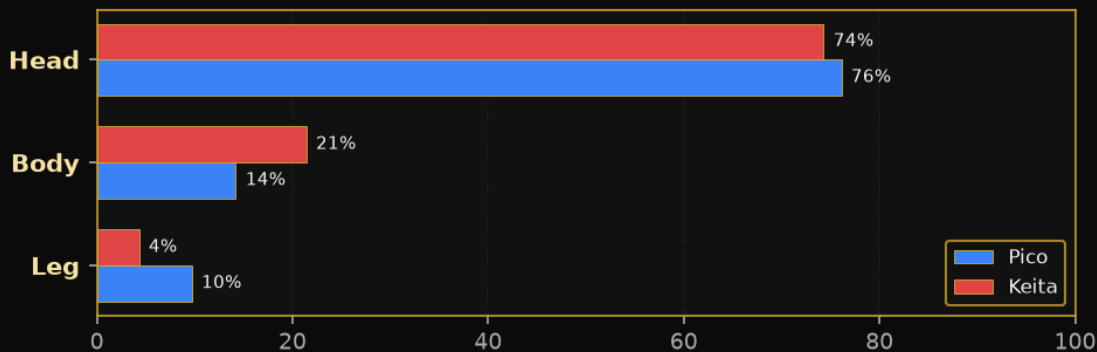


Career Striking Breakdown

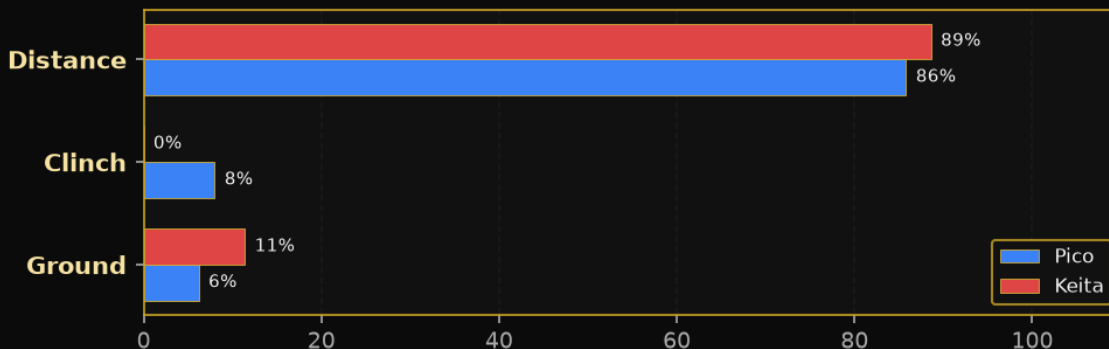
Layout: Blue (Aaron Pico) | metric | Red (Losene Keita). Dashboard stats updated: 2026-10-18.

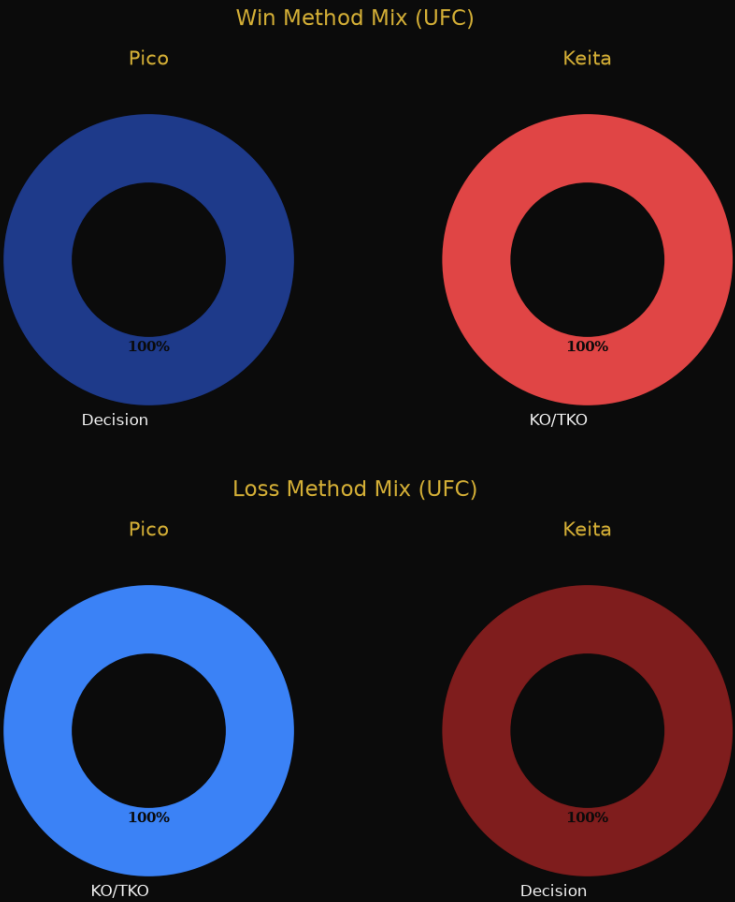
Blue	Metric	Red
113/210	Sig landed / thrown	70/149
53.8%	SS Acc	47.0%
76.1% / 48.0%	Head share / Acc	74.3% / 40.6%
14.2% / 80.0%	Body share / Acc	21.4% / 83.3%
9.7% / 100.0%	Leg share / Acc	4.3% / 100.0%
85.8% / 8.0% / 6.2%	Distance / Clinch / Ground share	88.6% / 0.0% / 11.4%
0	KD scored (offense)	2
1	KD absorbed (defense)	0
0.0	KD rate (scored / 15)	1.68
0.82	KD absorbed rate (/15)	0.0
1 per 57 sig abs	Knockdown rate (1 KD per N sig absorbed)	—
57/104	Sig absorbed (landed on)	71/202
45.2%	Str Def	64.9%

Target Mix (landed %)



Striking Range Mix (landed %)





Career Grappling Breakdown

Blue (Aaron Pico) | metric | Red (Losene Keita) — same titles side-by-side.

Blue	Metric	Red
8 of 16 (50.0%)	TD landed / attempted (Acc)	0 of 0 (—)
0 of 0 (N/A (0 att))	TD against (TDD %)	0 of 1 (100.0%)
0	Submission attempts	0
0	Reversals	0
266.5s (29.6%)	Control expected / 15	16.8s (1.9%)
5:26	Career CTRL	0:20
0.0s (0.0%)	Control allowed / 15	0.0s (0.0%)
0:00	Career CTRL against	0:00

Matchup implications

- Keita TD Acc — into Pico TDD N/A (0 att)
→ Keita TD volume is limited — expect a stand-up fight unless chaos opens.
- Pico TD Acc 50.0% into Keita TDD 100.0%
→ Pico's sparse TD conversion into Keita's strong TDD — stuffed entries unless clinch/fence opens.

- Control allowed / 15: Pico 0.0s (0.0%) vs Keita 0.0s (0.0%)
→ *Pico has absorbed more mat time; Keita's sample shows almost no control allowed.*

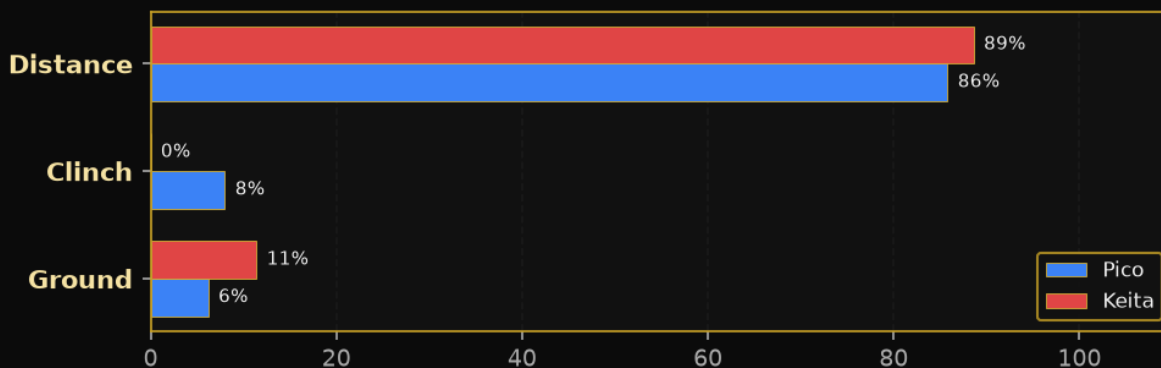


Striking Infographics

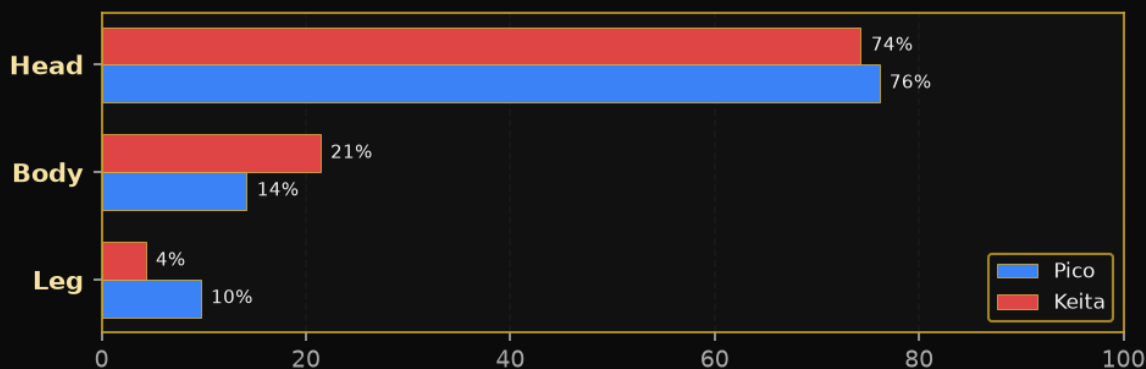
Striking Accuracy & Defense Gauges



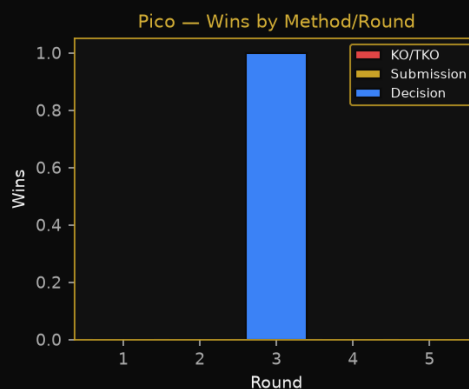
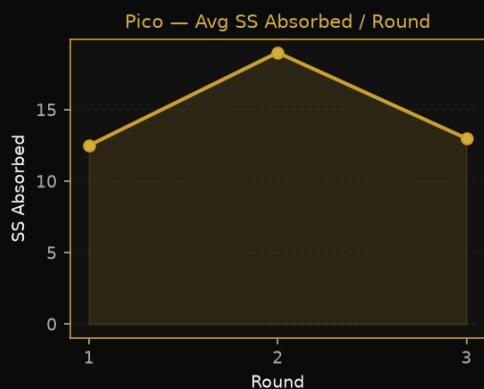
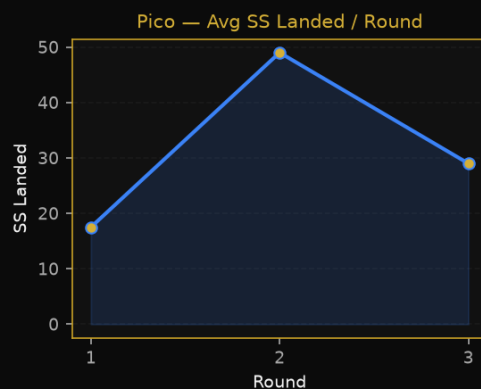
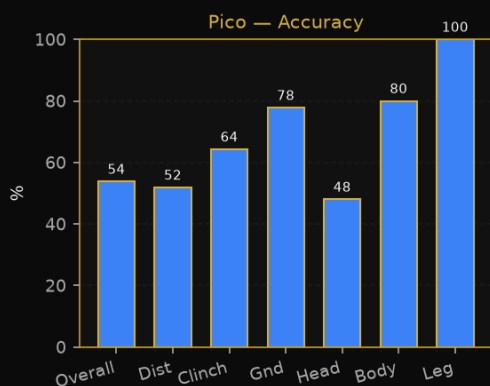
Striking Range Mix (landed %)



Target Mix (landed %)



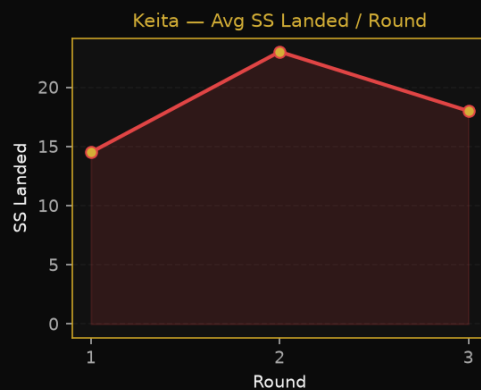
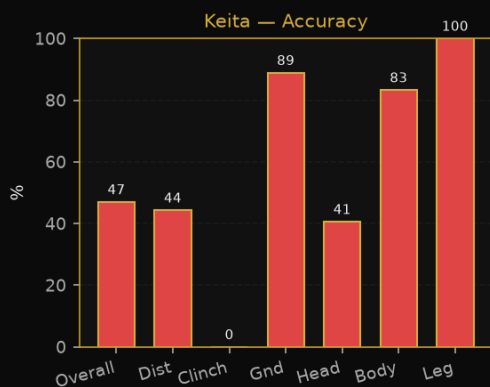
STRIKING — Aaron Pico (Blue)

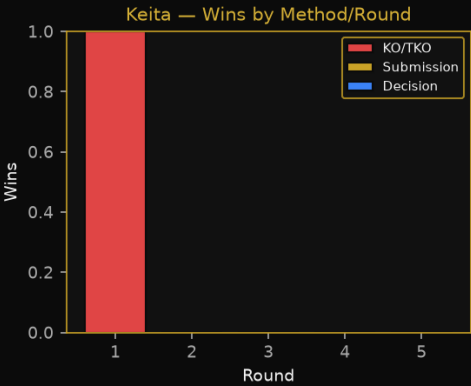
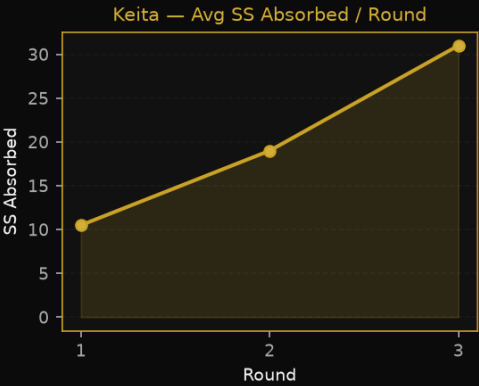


Pico striking snapshot

Career SS Acc **53.8%** · Def **45.2%** · Distance share **85.8%** · KD rate **0.0/15** · Absorbed KD rate **0.82/15**.

STRIKING — Losene Keita (Red)





Keita striking snapshot

Career SS Acc 47.0% · Def 64.9% · Distance share 88.6% · KD rate 1.68/15 · Absorbed KD rate 0.0/15.

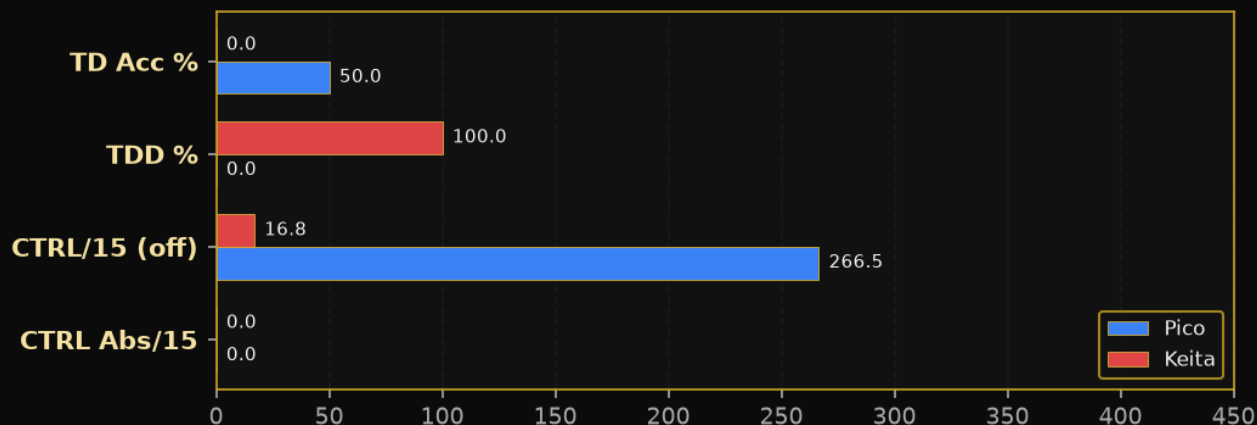


Grappling Infographics & Matchup Insights

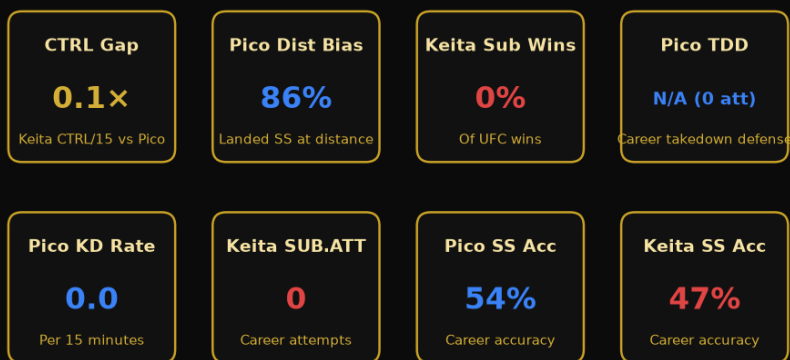
Takedown Accuracy & Defense Gauges



Grappling Snapshot



Matchup Snapshot — Expectation Breakers



Expectation-break insights

Insight

Control allowed: Pico CTRL against / 15 = 0.0s (0.0%) vs Keita 0.0s (0.0%) — Pico has been held; Keita's sample is near-zero.

Insight

TD volume vs TDD: Pico TD Att 16 / Acc 50.0% into Keita TDD 100.0% — sparse conversion into elite defense.

Insight

TD offense gate: Keita TD Acc — (0/0) — low TD volume offensively; expect a stand-up fight unless Pico forces chaos.

Insight

Sub threat: Pico career SUB.ATT 0 (0.0% of UFC wins) vs Keita 0 (0.0% of UFC wins) — submission equity is Blue's underdog path.

Insight

KD profile: Pico KD rate 0.0/15 vs Keita 1.68/15; Pico has absorbed 1 KD in UFC.

Insight

Distance bias: Pico 85.8% landed SS at distance vs Keita 88.6%; Pico absorbs 75.4% of damage at distance.

Insight

Accuracy vs defense gate: Pico Acc 53.8% → Keita Def 64.9%; Keita Acc 47.0% → Pico Def 45.2%.

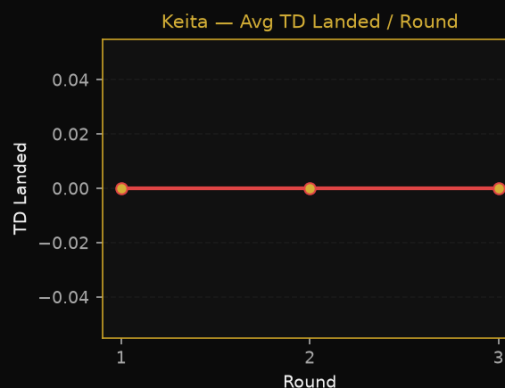
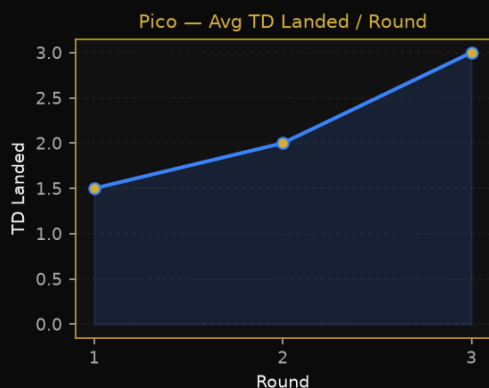
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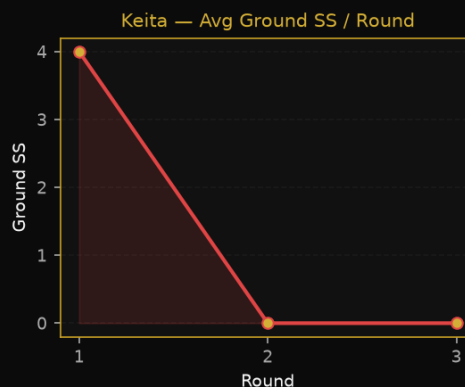
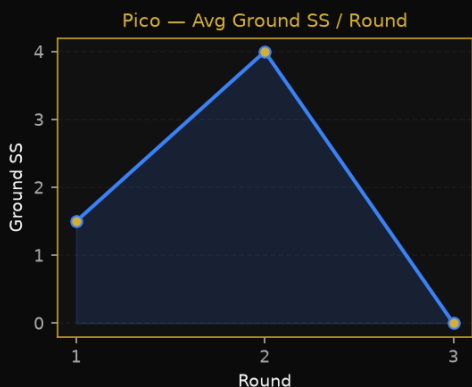
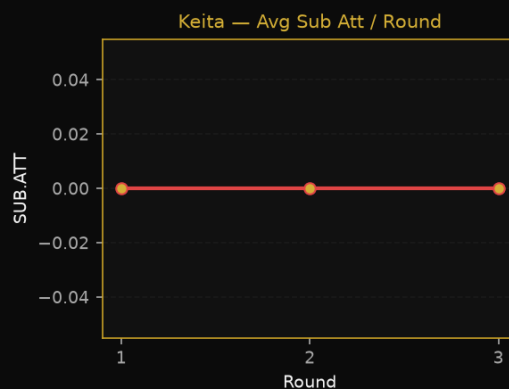
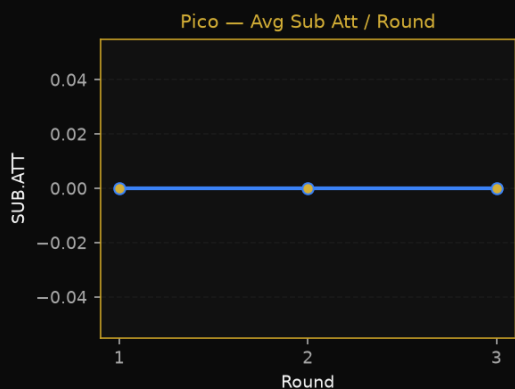
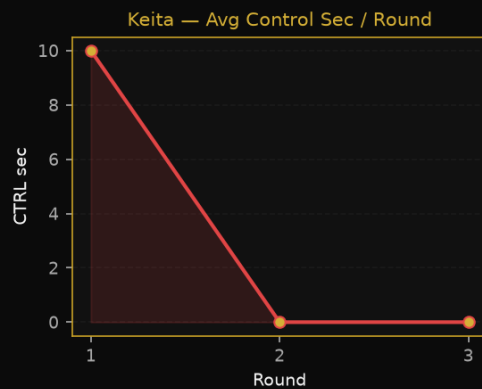
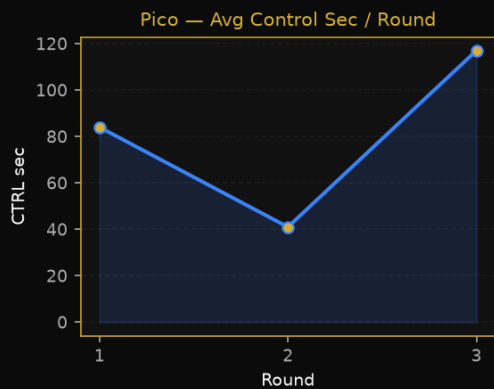
Division: billed Featherweight at UFC 333: Volkanovski vs. Evloev (Oct 24, 2026, Etihad Arena, Abu Dhabi). Compare each fighter's last Greco class to the billed pool.

Insight

Age / mileage: Pico 30 (2 UFC) vs Keita 28 (2 UFC).

By-round grappling





Leg Strikes — Offense vs Defense

UFCStats **LEG** column = significant strikes to the legs (**leg sig strikes / low-kick proxy**). Parsed as “a of b” from UFC fight stats. No limp/establishment narrative — volume, accuracy, share, and vs-average only. Tables sorted **most recent** → **oldest**. As of 2026-10-18.

Keita Leg Output vs Pico Leg Absorption

Side-by-side career board so FightingStats can compare **Keita low-kick/leg output** vs **Pico's leg absorption pattern**.

Metric	Keita OFFENSE (leg)	Pico DEFENSE (leg abs)	Pico OFFENSE (leg)	Keita DEFENSE (leg abs)
Leg sig landed	3	7	11	33
Leg sig attempted	3	10	11	47
Leg accuracy %	100.0%	70.0%	100.0%	70.2%
Leg share % of sig landed	4.3%	12.3%	9.7%	46.5%
Avg leg landed / round	0.75	1.75	2.75	8.25
Avg leg landed / fight	1.50	3.50	5.50	16.50
Sample rounds / fights	4/2	4/2	4/2	4/2

Δ (Keita OFF avg leg/rnd – Pico DEF avg leg abs/rnd) = **-1.0**. Δ leg share pp (Keita OFF share – Pico DEF share) = **-8.0**. Keita career leg volume: **3 of 3** (100.0% acc · 4.3% of sig landed). Pico career leg absorbed: **7 of 10** (12.3% of sig absorbed). Featherweight division avg leg L/rnd $\approx$ **2.77**.

Read — volume only

Keita averages **0.75** leg sig landed per round (1.50/fight). Pico absorbs **1.75** leg sig per round historically (3.50/fight). Leg landed / attempted from fight stats (significant strikes to the legs).

Leg-Kick Finishes & Fight Narratives (sourced)

Wins by leg kicks (UFC METHOD/DETAILS): No UFC KO/TKO win for either fighter lists leg/calf/low kick in UFC Stats METHOD/DETAILS for this package (check DETAILS per bout).

No sourced fight summaries found where leg kicks were a key part of how the bout played out.

Keita Leg Offense — Round × Opponent

Losene Keita — **offensive** leg sig / low-kick proxy. Columns: Date · Opponent · Round · Sig landed · Leg L/T · Acc% · Share% · vs Opp Avg Abs (Above/Below).

Baseline: round Leg Lnd vs that opponent's career avg leg sig absorbed/rnd (Above/Below/≈Avg; Δ in parentheses). Featherweight division avg leg L/rnd ≈ 2.77.

Career: 3 of 3 leg sig (100.0% · 4.3% of 70 sig landed).

Date	Opponent	Rnd	Sig Lnd	Leg Lnd	Leg Att	Leg Acc%	Leg Share%	vs Opp Avg Abs
2026-09-05	Muhammad Naimov	1	18	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-3.05) vs 3.05
2026-03-21	Nathaniel Wood	1	11	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.88) vs 2.88
2026-03-21	Nathaniel Wood	2	23	2	2	100.0%	8.7%	Below (-0.88) vs 2.88
2026-03-21	Nathaniel Wood	3	18	1	1	100.0%	5.6%	Below (-1.88) vs 2.88



Pico Leg Defense — Absorbed (Round × Opponent)

Aaron Pico — **defensive** leg sig absorbed (opponent LEG in that EVENT+BOUT+ROUND). Columns: Date · Opponent · Round · Sig abs · Leg Abs L/T · Opp Acc% · Share% · vs Own Avg Abs.

Baseline: round Leg Abs vs this fighter's own career avg leg sig absorbed/rnd (Above/Below/=Avg; Δ in parentheses). Featherweight division avg leg L/rnd ≈ 2.77.

Career absorbed: 7 of 10 (70.0% opponent leg acc · 12.3% of sig absorbed).

Date	Opponent	Rnd	Sig Abs	Leg Abs	Leg Att	Opp Acc%	Leg Share%	vs Own Avg Abs
2026-04-11	Patricio Pitbull	1	17	2	3	66.7%	11.8%	=Avg (+0.25) vs 1.75
2026-04-11	Patricio Pitbull	2	19	4	4	100.0%	21.1%	Above (+2.25) vs 1.75
2026-04-11	Patricio Pitbull	3	13	1	2	50.0%	7.7%	Below (-0.75) vs 1.75
2025-08-16	Lerone Murphy	1	8	0	1	0.0%	0.0%	Below (-1.75) vs 1.75



Pico Leg Offense — Round × Opponent

Aaron Pico — **offensive** leg sig / low-kick proxy. Same columns as Keita offense (Date · ... · vs Opp Avg Abs).

Baseline: round Leg Lnd vs that opponent's career avg leg sig absorbed/rnd (Above/Below≈Avg; Δ in parentheses). Featherweight division avg leg L/rnd ≈ 2.77.

Career: 11 of 11 leg sig (100.0% · 9.7% of 113 sig landed).

Date	Opponent	Rnd	Sig Lnd	Leg Lnd	Leg Att	Leg Acc%	Leg Share%	vs Opp Avg Abs
2026-04-11	Patricio Pitbull	1	22	4	4	100.0%	18.2%	Above (+1.50) vs 2.50
2026-04-11	Patricio Pitbull	2	49	4	4	100.0%	8.2%	Above (+1.50) vs 2.50
2026-04-11	Patricio Pitbull	3	29	2	2	100.0%	6.9%	Below (-0.50) vs 2.50
2025-08-16	Lerone Murphy	1	13	1	1	100.0%	7.7%	Below (-1.29) vs 2.29



Keita Leg Defense — Absorbed (Round × Opponent)

Losene Keita — **defensive** leg sig absorbed. Same columns as Pico defense (Date · ... · vs Own Avg Abs).

Baseline: round Leg Abs vs this fighter's own career avg leg sig absorbed/rnd (Above/Below/=Avg; Δ in parentheses). Featherweight division avg leg L/rnd ≈ 2.77.

Career absorbed: 33 of 47 (70.2% opponent leg acc · 46.5% of sig absorbed).

Date	Opponent	Rnd	Sig Abs	Leg Abs	Leg Att	Opp Acc%	Leg Share%	vs Own Avg Abs
2026-09-05	Muhammad Naimov	1	4	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-8.25) vs 8.25
2026-03-21	Nathaniel Wood	1	17	8	11	72.7%	47.1%	≈Avg (-0.25) vs 8.25
2026-03-21	Nathaniel Wood	2	19	10	14	71.4%	52.6%	Above (+1.75) vs 8.25
2026-03-21	Nathaniel Wood	3	31	15	22	68.2%	48.4%	Above (+6.75) vs 8.25



Opponent Career Historical Avg — Leg Sig Absorbed

For each UFC opponent faced: career historical average leg sig strikes **absorbed** (what opponents land on them across their UFC career). This is the offense-row baseline for the Above/Below column. Opponents ordered by most recent appearance.

Opponents faced by Aaron Pico — their career leg-absorbed averages

Opponent	Fights	Rnds	Leg Abs L/T	Avg Leg Abs /Fight	Avg /Rnd	Leg Acc% on them	Leg Share% of SS Abs
Patricio Pitbull	2	4	10 of 10	5.00	2.50	100.0%	8.3%
Lerone Murphy	11	34	78 of 107	7.09	2.29	72.9%	18.1%

Opponents faced by Losene Keita — their career leg-absorbed averages

Opponent	Fights	Rnds	Leg Abs L/T	Avg Leg Abs /Fight	Avg /Rnd	Leg Acc% on them	Leg Share% of SS Abs
Muhammad Naimov	8	19	58 of 71	7.25	3.05	81.7%	24.9%
Nathaniel Wood	15	43	124 of 149	8.27	2.88	83.2%	14.5%

Source: UFCStats **LEG** = significant strikes to the legs (leg sig / low-kick proxy). Landed of attempted parsed from fight-stats CSV. Sort: most recent → oldest.



Finish Path Mismatch — Callout

Shown only because the finish paths create a real matchup flag (otherwise finish pies live in scouting when research is present).

Finish mismatch

Losene Keita wins by KO/TKO often (1/1) while Aaron Pico has lost by KO/TKO (1/1).

UFC-only finish subtypes (Greco DETAILS)

Pico UFC KO/TKO subtypes

Keita UFC SUB subtypes

None

None



Featherweight Division Context

Upcoming bout is billed **Featherweight**. Division pool (n=304): Fighters whose majority of UFC bouts are in billed class 'Featherweight', OR whose most recent UFC bout is in that family. **Last Greco weight class:** Pico = **Featherweight Bout**; Keita = **Featherweight Bout**. Values: fighter · division average · delta · standing in division. Control rows show seconds and % of a 15-min fight.

Metric	Div Avg	Pico	Δ vs avg	Pico standing	Keita	Δ vs avg	Keita standing
SS Acc %	44.1%	53.8%	+9.7 pp	top 12%	47.0%	+2.9 pp	top 37%
SS Def %	53.5%	45.2%	-8.3 pp	top 84%	64.9%	+11.4 pp	top 8.9%
TD Acc %	35.5%	50.0%	+14.5 pp	top 26%	—	—	N/A
TDD %	57.4%	N/A (0 att)	—	N/A	100.0%	+42.6 pp	top 4.0%
Control expected / 15 min	164.4s (18.3%)	266.5s (29.6%)	+102.1s	top 21%	16.8s (1.9%)	-147.6s	top 92%
Control allowed / 15 min	199.8s (22.2%)	0.0s (0.0%)	-199.8s	top 1.6%	0.0s (0.0%)	-199.8s	top 1.6%
KD rate / 15	0.36	0.00	-0.36	top 100%	1.68	+1.32	top 3.3%
KD Abs rate / 15	0.59	0.82	+0.23	top 83%	0.00	-0.59	top 35%
SLpM	3.48	6.16	+2.68	top 4.9%	3.91	+0.43	top 33%
SApM	3.93	3.11	-0.82	top 36%	3.97	+0.04	top 60%

Control expected / allowed per 15 min = total CTRL (or CTRL against) seconds ÷ fight seconds × 900. Shown as seconds and % of a 15-minute (900s) fight (e.g. 290.4s ≈ 32.3%).

Pico vs division field

SS Acc **53.8%** (div avg 44.1%, top 12%) · SS Def **45.2%** (top 84%) · TDD **N/A (0 att)** (N/A). Last Greco class: Featherweight Bout.

Keita vs division field

SLpM **3.91** (top 33%) · TDD **100.0%** (top 4.0%) · SS Def **64.9%** (top 8.9%). Last Greco class: Featherweight Bout.

Standing = share of the Featherweight pool at or better on that metric ("top X%"). For Control allowed / 15, KD Abs rate, and SApM, lower is better.

Aaron Pico — A/B/C/D Fight Tables

Locked next-build tables. **A/B** = every UFC round × opponent (most recent first); sig by **distance / clinch / ground only** (no head/body/leg). Striking time = mm:ss [% of round clock] (clock – CTRL). Stand/15* = projected sig pace if stand-up lasted a full 15 min on striking-time basis. **C/D** = fight-level grappling. C/D styles: **bold gold wash** = ≥1 TD attempt; muted = 0 attempts; **teal wash** = landed ≥1 TD vs historically strong career TDD (≥70%). Diff = subject sig landed – absorbed.

A — Offensive Significant Strikes — Aaron Pico

SS T/L = thrown/landed. Dist/Clin/Gnd = sig landed/thrown by position. Tot D/C/G uses UFCStats position splits (all distance strikes are significant).

Date	Opponent	R	WC	SS T/L	Diff	KD	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot T/L	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Stand/15 *
Apr 11, 2026	Patricio Pitbull	1	Featherweight Bout	56/22	5	0	21/51	1/4	0/1	59/25	21/1/0	4:13 [84%]	74.7
Apr 11, 2026	Patricio Pitbull	2	Featherweight Bout	77/49	30	0	43/70	2/2	4/5	77/49	43/2/4	4:19 [86%]	149.4
Apr 11, 2026	Patricio Pitbull	3	Featherweight Bout	48/29	16	0	26/45	3/3	0/0	49/30	26/3/0	3:03 [61%]	127.9
Aug 16, 2025	Lerone Murphy	1	Featherweight Bout	29/13	5	0	7/21	3/5	3/3	30/13	7/3/3	1:20 [40%]	78.8

B — Defensive Significant Strikes — Aaron Pico

Absorbed mirror. Abs T/L = opponent thrown/landed on subject. KD↓ = knockdowns absorbed. Abs/15 = distance sig absorbed per 15 min of striking time.

Date	Opponent	R	WC	Abs T/L	Diff	KD↓	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot Abs	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Abs/15*
Apr 11, 2026	Patricio Pitbull	1	Featherweight Bout	28/17	5	0	15/26	2/2	0/0	28/17	15/2/0	4:13 [84%]	53.4
Apr 11, 2026	Patricio Pitbull	2	Featherweight Bout	33/19	30	0	16/30	3/3	0/0	33/19	16/3/0	4:19 [86%]	55.6
Apr 11, 2026	Patricio Pitbull	3	Featherweight Bout	27/13	16	0	6/20	7/7	0/0	27/13	6/7/0	3:03 [61%]	29.5
Aug 16, 2025	Lerone Murphy	1	Featherweight Bout	16/8	5	1	6/14	1/1	1/1	16/8	6/1/1	1:20 [40%]	67.5

C — Offensive Takedowns — Aaron Pico

Opp TD allwd/f = opponent career takedowns absorbed ÷ UFC fights. Opp Career TDD% = 1 – (TD landed on them / TD attempted on them).

Date	Opponent	R	Res	TD A/L	Opp TD allwd/f	CTRL	Sub	Rev	Opp Career TDD%
Apr 11, 2026	Patricio Pitbull	—	W	13/6	3.00	3:25	0	0	53.8%
Aug 16, 2025	Lerone Murphy	—	L	3/2	3.00	2:01	0	0	44.1%

D — Defensive Grappling — Aaron Pico

TD ag = takedown attempts/landed against subject. CTRL ag = opponent control. Fight TDD% = stuff rate in that fight; Opp TD Acc = opponent career offensive TD accuracy. Teal wash = opponent landed ≥1 TD despite subject's strong career TDD.

Date	Opponent	R	Res	TD ag A/L	CTRL ag	Sub ag	Rev ag	Fight TDD%	Opp TD Acc	Opp TD/f
Apr 11, 2026	Patricio Pitbull	—	W	0/0	0:00	0	0	—	—	0.00
Aug 16, 2025	Lerone Murphy	—	L	0/0	0:00	1	0	—	—	1.18

Losene Keita — A/B/C/D Fight Tables

Locked next-build tables. **A/B** = every UFC round × opponent (most recent first); sig by **distance / clinch / ground only** (no head/body/leg). Striking time = mm:ss [% of round clock] (clock – CTRL). Stand/15* = projected sig pace if stand-up lasted a full 15 min on striking-time basis. **C/D** = fight-level grappling. C/D styles: **bold gold wash** = ≥1 TD attempt; muted = 0 attempts; **teal wash** = landed ≥1 TD vs historically strong career TDD (≥70%). Diff = subject sig landed – absorbed.

A — Offensive Significant Strikes — Losene Keita

SS T/L = thrown/landed. Dist/Clin/Gnd = sig landed/thrown by position. Tot D/C/G uses UFCStats position splits (all distance strikes are significant).

Date	Opponent	R	WC	SS T/L	Diff	KD	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot T/L	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Stand/15 *
Sep 05, 2026	Muhammad Naimov	1	Featherweighth Bout	30/18	14	2	10/21	0/0	8/9	31/19	10/0/8	2:34 [89%]	58.4
Mar 21, 2026	Nathaniel Wood	1	Featherweighth Bout	26/11	-6	0	11/26	0/0	0/0	26/11	11/0/0	5:00 [100%]	33.0
Mar 21, 2026	Nathaniel Wood	2	Featherweighth Bout	42/23	4	0	23/42	0/0	0/0	42/23	23/0/0	5:00 [100%]	69.0
Mar 21, 2026	Nathaniel Wood	3	Featherweighth Bout	51/18	-13	0	18/51	0/0	0/0	51/18	18/0/0	5:00 [100%]	54.0

B — Defensive Significant Strikes — Losene Keita

Absorbed mirror. Abs T/L = opponent thrown/landed on subject. KD↓ = knockdowns absorbed. Abs/15 = distance sig absorbed per 15 min of striking time.

Date	Opponent	R	WC	Abs T/L	Diff	KD↓	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot Abs	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Abs/15*
Sep 05, 2026	Muhammad Naimov	1	Featherweighth Bout	24/4	14	0	4/24	0/0	0/0	24/4	4/0/0	2:34 [89%]	23.4
Mar 21, 2026	Nathaniel Wood	1	Featherweighth Bout	56/17	-6	0	17/55	0/1	0/0	56/17	17/0/0	5:00 [100%]	51.0
Mar 21, 2026	Nathaniel Wood	2	Featherweighth Bout	56/19	4	0	19/56	0/0	0/0	56/19	19/0/0	5:00 [100%]	57.0
Mar 21, 2026	Nathaniel Wood	3	Featherweighth Bout	66/31	-13	0	31/66	0/0	0/0	66/31	31/0/0	5:00 [100%]	93.0

C — Offensive Takedowns — Losene Keita

Opp TD allwd/f = opponent career takedowns absorbed ÷ UFC fights. Opp Career TDD% = 1 – (TD landed on them / TD attempted on them).

Date	Opponent	R	Res	TD A/L	Opp TD allwd/f	CTRL	Sub	Rev	Opp Career TDD%
Sep 05, 2026	Muhammad Naimov	—	W	0/0	1.12	0:20	0	0	73.5%
Mar 21, 2026	Nathaniel Wood	—	L	0/0	1.07	0:00	0	0	75.0%

D — Defensive Grappling — Losene Keita

TD ag = takedown attempts/landed against subject. CTRL ag = opponent control. Fight TDD% = stuff rate in that fight; Opp TD Acc = opponent career offensive TD accuracy. Teal wash = opponent landed ≥1 TD despite subject's strong career TDD.

Date	Opponent	R	Res	TD ag A/L	CTRL ag	Sub ag	Rev ag	Fight TDD%	Opp TD Acc	Opp TD/f
Sep 05, 2026	Muhammad Naimov	—	W	0/0	0:00	0	0	—	—	1.12
Mar 21, 2026	Nathaniel Wood	—	L	1/0	0:00	0	0	100.0%	—	1.13

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Period	W-L	Profit	Units	ROI
2024	386-648	\$61,106	+122.2u	14.7%
2025	716-989	\$183,271	+366.5u	25.6%
2026 YTD	696-757	\$36,879	+108.4u	6.7%
All-time since 2024	1798-2394	\$281,256	+597.2u	16.7%
2026 Live Betting	257-193	\$24,519	+58.5u	11.7%

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