YU-GI-OH! CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES · HOUSTON 2026

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NRG Park · October 16-18, 2026 · Advanced and Genesys

1,074
duelists in Advanced

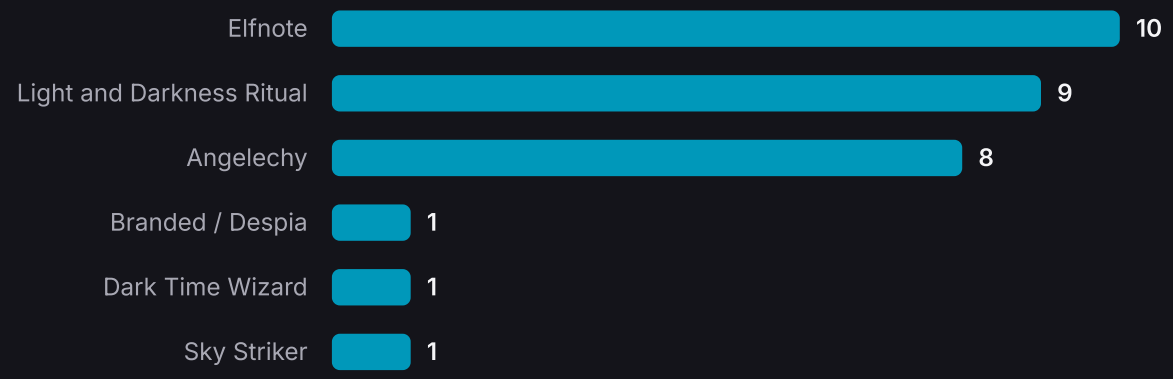
273
duelists in Genesys

3+3+2
Elfnote, Angelechy, L&D in the Top 8

Kewl Tune in the top 32

ADVANCED, THE TOP 32 BY DECK

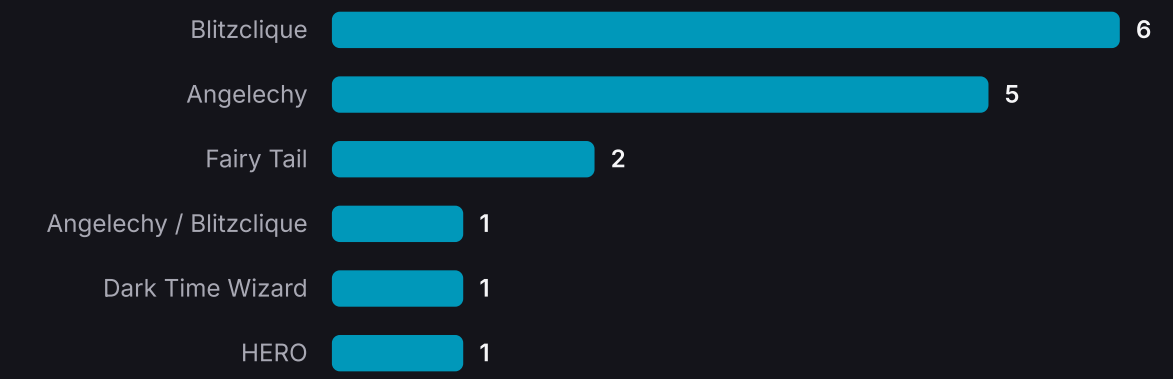
Deck families in the top 32 of the final standings



Yummy and D/D/D have one each as well. Parker wins with Light and Darkness Ritual in the Azamina and Dark Magician build.

GENESYS, THE TOP 16 BY DECK

Konami's points-based format



Enzo Fiallos wins with Blitzclique over Juan Sebastian Andrade Castro (Angelechy).

FROM FRIDAY TO SUNDAY

TWO TOURNAMENTS, TWO WINNERS

● A = Advanced · ● G = Genesys · ● F = final

THE HOUSTON WEEKEND

FRI	G	Genesys Day 1: 273 duelists.
SAT	A	Advanced Day 1: 1,074 duelists.
R8	A	Elfnote and Angelechy take up more than half of the top 20 tables.
SUN	A	Top 8: three Elfnote, three Angelechy, two Light and Darkness Ritual.
SF	A	Trifunoski (Elfnote) and Hunter (Angelechy) are out.
F	F	Parker (L&D Ritual) beats Funderburke (Elfnote) and wins Advanced.
F	G	Fiallos (Blitzclique) beats Andrade Castro (Angelechy) in Genesys.

Standings from ygoprodeck.com; round 8 tables from the Konami coverage.

ADVANCED, THE TOP 8

Pos.	Player	Country	Deck
1	Trevor Lee Parker	United States	L&D Ritual with Azamina and Dark Magician
2	Blake Funderburke	United States	Elfnote with Ars Magna
3-4	Steven Trifunoski	Canada	Elfnote with Ars Magna
3-4	Jamie Hunter	United Kingdom	Angelechy
5-8	Brian Mejia	United States	L&D Ritual with Horus and Azamina
5-8	Julien Kehon	United States	Elfnote with Ars Magna
5-8	Dylan Dallmeyer	United States	Angelechy
5-8	Roberto Hernandez Bonilla	United States	Angelechy

L&D Ritual = Light and Darkness Ritual. Variant names differ from source to source.

EXTRA

TRIVIA AND SOURCES

Familiar faces from Worlds and where the data comes from

TRIVIA

· Since September 21, Kewl Tune Rotary has been Forbidden in the Advanced format: that is why the World Championship deck is missing.
· Julien Kehon, a finalist at Worlds with Power Patron Artmage, makes the Top 8 with Elfnote.
· Logan Johnson, a top-four finisher at Worlds, ends in the top 32 with Angelechy.
· Juan Sebastian Andrade Castro, in Tokyo with Elfnote, reaches the Genesys final with Angelechy.
· Next YCS events: Orlando (November 6-8) and Santiago, Chile (November 27-29).

SOURCES AND RELIABILITY

Standings and decks from ygoprodeck.com (tournaments 5185 and 5186); schedule and the Forbidden and Limited List of September 21 from yugioh-card.com; the champion's deck from yugioh.fandom.com; round 8 tables from the coverage on yugiohblog.konami.com.