

# **AFC Rapid Bucuresti v Paris Saint-Germain FC**

## **MATCH PRESS KIT**

### **Giulesti, Bucharest**

#### **Thursday, 19 October 2006 - 21:00 local time**

#### **Group G**



After seeing their last encounter with Paris Saint-Germain FC cut disappointingly short by power failure, AFC Rapid Bucuresti will hope to make amends as the sides lock horns again in UEFA Cup Group G.

- Having earned a goalless draw in the first leg of the 2001/02 UEFA Cup first round tie in Paris, the match went into extra time at the Giulesti stadium after the 90 minutes ended goalless.
- José Aloisio broke the deadlock for PSG in added time but the game ended in confusion as a power cut turned off the floodlights with seven minutes of the match remaining. The game was subsequently awarded as a 3-0 win for PSG.
- Those two matches marked the two sides' only previous meetings in European competition.
- Rapid's biggest European achievements have been reaching the quarter-finals of the 1972/73 UEFA Cup Winners' Cup and last season's UEFA Cup.
- Rapid have played French opponents on three previous occasions, playing one-off ties against Olympique Lyonnais and Stade Rennais FC as well as that two-legged tie against PSG.
- Thus far they have overcome French opposition only once at home, beating Rennes 2-0 in last year's UEFA Cup group stage.
- Victors in the 1995/96 UEFA Cup Winners' Cup and 2001 UEFA Intertoto Cup winners, PSG have won over half of the 120 games they have played in UEFA club competition to date.
- They have faced Romanian opposition on eight previous occasions, recording six wins, one draw and one defeat.
- That sole defeat came against Rapid's neighbours FC Steaua Bucuresti in the second qualifying round of the 1997/98 UEFA Champions League.
- The first-leg encounter in Bucharest ended as a 3-2 win for Steaua, but the game was subsequently awarded as a 3-0 win for the Romanian side as PSG had fielded an ineligible player - Laurent Fournier, who went on to coach them.
- Nonetheless, the French side made amends, winning 5-0 in the return leg.
- Group G's other Matchday 1 fixture sees Panathinaikos FC face Hapoel Tel-Aviv FC in the Netherlands.

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### Team facts

#### AFC Rapid Bucuresti

##### UEFA club competition milestones

- Prior to last season, Rapid's best performance in UEFA club competition came in the 1972/73 UEFA Cup Winners' Cup when they advanced to the quarter-finals before losing 8-1 on aggregate to Leeds United AFC. Earlier in the competition, Rapid had accounted for Landskrona BoIS and SK Rapid Wien.

- Last season, Rapid entered the UEFA Cup at the first qualifying round stage and defeated Andorran side UE Sant Julià (aggregate: 10-0), FK Vardar (agg: 4-1) and Feyenoord (agg: 2-1) to take their place in the group stage. Three wins from their opening three fixtures against Stade Rennais FC, FC Shakhtar Donetsk and PAOK FC provided Rapid with a place in the knockout stage and though they would lose out to VfB Stuttgart on the final matchday, the Romanian side still finished as group winners.

Rapid then brushed aside two German sides, Hertha BSC Berlin and Hamburger SV, to book their place in the last eight. Hertha were defeated twice as Rapid recorded a 3-0 aggregate success. Valentin Marian Negru scored the only goal when the two sides met at Berlin's Olympiastadion, scoring from the penalty spot after 68 minutes. In the return in the Romanian capital, goals from Niculae (50) and Mugurel Buga (79) confirmed Rapid's superiority. Buga's (51) second-half strike proved decisive as Rapid edged into the last eight on away goals following an absorbing 3-1 defeat by Hamburg in Germany. Buga also registered with two minutes remaining in the first leg, giving the Romanian team a two-goal cushion, but Hamburg clawed their way back into the tie at the AOL Arena. Benjamin Lauth (24) raised home hopes with the opener midway through the first half, and by the interval Sergej Barbarez (36) had brought the Bundesliga side level on aggregate. But Buga's 51st-minute effort left Thomas Doll's men needing to score twice and although Rafael van der Vaart managed one, a second proved elusive.

Their reward was a cross-city derby at the quarter-finals stage against FC Steaua Bucuresti in which the only goals of the tie were scored in the opening leg. Steaua bagged an 'away' goal after only four minutes at the Giulesti stadium and though Viorel Moldovan levelled for the home side four minutes into the second half, they were unable to breach their opponents defence once and exited the competition via an away goals defeat.

##### UEFA club competition honours

- None

##### Ten-year record (including current season)

- Rapid are making their tenth appearance in eleven seasons of UEFA club competition. Overall, they have participated in 16 seasons of European football having made their first appearance in the first round of the 1967/68 European Champion Clubs' Cup.

- This season, Rapid again entered the competition at the first qualifying round stage, defeating Sliema Wanderers FC (agg: 6-0), FK Sarajevo (agg: 2-1) and CD Nacional (agg: 3-1 after extra time) to secure their place in the group stage of the competition.

**1997/98:** UEFA Intertoto Cup - group stage

**1998/99:** UEFA Cup Winners' Cup - first round

**1999/00:** European Champion Clubs' Cup - second qualifying phase

**2000/01:** UEFA Cup - first round

**2001/02:** UEFA Cup - first round

**2002/03:** UEFA Cup - first round

**2003/04:** European Champion Clubs' Cup - second qualifying phase

**2004/05:** Did not compete in UEFA club competition

**2005/06:** UEFA Cup - quarter-finals

**2006/07:** UEFA Cup - group stage

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### 2005/06 season

**Domestic record:** Rapid also played second best to Steaua in the Romanian championship last season, finishing five points behind their Bucharest rivals, and three points ahead of FC Dinamo 1948 Bucuresti and FC Sportul Studentesc Bucuresti. Rapid won 17 of their 30 matches, drew eight and lost five with 47 goals scored and 23 conceded.

**European record:** See above

### Key facts

- **UEFA club competition record:** Pld: 76, won: 36, drawn: 15, lost: 25, goals scored: 119, goals conceded: 79.
- **UEFA Cup record:** Pld: 52, won: 28, drawn: 8, lost: 16, goals scored: 83, goals conceded: 46.

**Last updated:** 1 October 2006

## Paris Saint-Germain FC

### UEFA club competition milestones

• For the first, and only, time the UEFA Cup Winners' Cup was won by a French team when on 8 May 1996 at the Roi Baudouin stadium in Brussels, Luís Fernández's PSG defeated SK Rapid Wien 1-0. The only goal came after half an hour when Youri Djorkaeff touched a free-kick to his right and Bruno N'Gotty let fly from long range. A deflection off Peter Schöttel's knee gave goalkeeper Michael Konsel no chance to make the save.

Earlier in the competition, PSG eliminated Parma AC in the quarter-finals, with two Raí penalties and a strike by Patrice Loko allowing them to overhaul a 1-0 first-leg deficit. They then showed grit and concentration in beating RC Deportivo La Coruña 1-0 both home and away, with Djorkaeff and Loko providing the goals before N'Gotty had the final say.

### UEFA club competition honours

- UEFA Cup Winners' Cup: 1995/96
- UEFA Intertoto Cup: 2001

### Ten-year record (including current season)

• PSG are involved in UEFA club competition action for the seventh time in the last decade, and the UEFA Cup for the third time in six years. They have competed in all four UEFA club competitions.

• PSG overcame Irish side Derry City FC in the UEFA Cup first round, holding their opponents to a scoreless draw in Ireland before winning 2-0 in the French capital thanks to first-half goals from Edouard Cissé (7 minutes) and Pauleta (42).

**1997/98:** UEFA Champions League - group stage

**1998/99:** UEFA Cup Winners' Cup - first round

**1999/00:** Did not compete in UEFA club competition

**2000/01:** UEFA Champions League - second group stage

**2001/02:** UEFA Cup - third round (having qualified via the UEFA Intertoto Cup)

**2002/03:** UEFA Cup - third round

**2003/04:** Did not compete in UEFA club competition

**2004/05:** UEFA Champions League - group stage

**2005/06:** Did not compete in UEFA club competition

**2006/07:** UEFA Cup - group stage

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### 2005/06 season

**Domestic record:** PSG finished ninth in Ligue 1, 32 points adrift of champions Olympique Lyonnais. However, they beat Olympique de Marseille 2-1 in the French Cup final on 29 April 2006 at Stade de France to qualify for the UEFA Cup. Bonaventure Kalou (4) and Vikash Dhorasoo (49) scored the goals to ensure PSG's seventh cup success. Marseille scored their consolation through Toifilou Maoulida midway through the second half.

**European record:** Did not compete in UEFA club competition

### Key facts

- **UEFA club competition record:** Pld: 120, won: 62, drawn: 26, lost: 32, goals scored: 197, goals conceded: 116.
- **UEFA Cup record:** Pld: 32, won: 14, drawn: 10, lost: 8, goals scored: 46, goals conceded: 25.

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### UEFA information

#### **FARE Action Week**

Anti-racism activities will take place at all games on UEFA Champions League Matchday 3 as part of the seventh FARE (Football Against Racism in Europe) Action Week against racism and discrimination between 17 and 30 October. The activities will include the captains of all the teams wearing Unite Against Racism armbands, player-escort children sporting Unite Against Racism T-shirts, announcements being made to fans in stadiums over the loudspeaker calling for opposition to all forms of racism, and Unite Against Racism adverts being placed in matchday programmes as well as the official UEFA Champions League magazine Champions.

Such activities have been going on for several years, as UEFA has consolidated its partnership with the FARE network since the 2000/01 season by way of financial support - including UEFA's 2001 charity cheque worth CHF1m (€629,000) - conferences, publications and campaigns. A new guide called 'Tackling racism in club football' has been published by FARE and UEFA, and advises clubs on dealing with racist conduct on and off the field. A letter from the UEFA CEO was sent with the guide to all UEFA member associations, FIFA, FIFPro, UEFA disciplinary body members, and leading European clubs on 6 October.

"UEFA is proud to be backing FARE Action Week against racism and discrimination," said UEFA President Lennart Johansson. "We appreciate the opportunity to underline our unwavering commitment to eradicating racism in our game. We know racism can't be beaten in a single week, but we hope these activities will be a catalyst that engages more and more members of the football family in the fights against racism and discrimination."

Piara Powar, the director of FARE's UK partner Kick It Out, added: "As a unique coming together of the football family - from fan groups, migrants and ethnic minorities, to the biggest clubs in the game - the FARE Action Week is a statement as to the type of sport we all want to be involved with. The importance of an inclusive and discrimination-free game that actively reaches out to all communities is our goal. With the support of UEFA we know these ends are achievable."

#### **2008 and 2009 finals**

The Luzhniki stadium in Moscow and the Stadio Olimpico in Rome will stage the 2008 and 2009 UEFA Champions League finals respectively. UEFA's Executive Committee made the decision at its meeting in Ljubljana, Slovenia on 4 October. The committee made its choice after assessing criteria such as stadium capacity, safety and security, access, transport, supporters' facilities and commercial potential. Athens will stage the 2007 final.

#### **Strasbourg call**

The call for political and sporting bodies to work together for the good of European sport came out loud and clear in Strasbourg at the conclusion of the PACE-UEFA Play Fair With Sport conference on 29 September. "A healthy future for sport in Europe can only be achieved by politics and sport working together," read part of the closing statement from the conference at the Council of Europe, organised jointly by the Council of Europe Parliamentary Assembly and UEFA.

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### Squad list

#### Rapid Bucuresti

No	Player	Nat.	DoB	All-time			
				UCUP		UEFA	
				Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>							
1	Danut Coman	ROM	28.03.79	13	-	17	-
32	Mihai Minca	ROM	08.10.84	1	-	3	-
<b>Defenders</b>							
6	Ionut Rada	ROM	06.07.82	14	1	23	1
14	Danut Perja	ROM	14.11.74	8	-	27	1
19	Cristian Sapunaru	ROM	05.04.84	-	-	4	-
23	Marius Constantin	ROM	25.10.84	14	-	21	-
24	Vasile Maftai	ROM	01.01.81	15	-	25	-
28	Nicolae Constantin	ROM	09.12.73	13	-	18	3
<b>Midfielders</b>							
2	Razvan Tincu	ROM	15.07.87	-	-	-	-
5	Ionut Stancu	ROM	17.01.83	4	-	14	1
8	Valentin Negru	ROM	04.09.82	5	1	8	1
9	Emanoil Badoi	ROM	16.12.75	16	-	26	-
10	Artavazd Karamyan	ARM	14.11.79	11	-	22	2
15	Costin Lazar	ROM	24.04.81	2	-	2	-
17	Marius Maldarasanu	ROM	19.04.75	16	2	32	5
18	Nicolae Grigore	ROM	19.07.83	4	-	10	1
21	Emil Dica	ROM	17.07.82	12	-	14	-
<b>Forwards</b>							
7	Ianis Zicu	ROM	23.10.83	13	2	18	5
11	Ryan Griffiths	AUS	21.08.81	2	-	5	-
13	Ciprian Vasilache	ROM	14.09.83	7	1	18	3
20	Lucian Burdujan	ROM	18.02.84	10	2	16	2
27	Ionut Mazilu	ROM	09.02.82	-	-	-	-
29	Mugurel Buga	ROM	16.12.77	16	5	27	13
99	Viorel Moldovan	ROM	08.08.72	21	12	39	19
<b>Coach</b>							
	Razvan Lucescu	ROM	17.02.69	14	-	22	-

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### Squad list

#### PSG

No	Player	Nat.	DoB	All-time			
				UCUP		UEFA	
				Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>							
1	Mickaël Landreau	FRA	14.05.79	18	-	34	-
16	Jérôme Alonzo	FRA	20.11.72	1	-	1	-
30	Nicolas Cousin	FRA	11.07.85	-	-	-	-
36	Jean-Baptiste Habert	FRA	24.02.87	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>							
4	David Rozehnal	CZE	05.07.80	13	-	28	-
5	Bernard Mendy	FRA	20.08.81	4	1	22	2
6	Mario Yepes	COL	13.01.76	-	-	8	1
17	Sammy Traoré	FRA	25.02.76	2	-	5	-
22	Sylvain Armand	FRA	01.08.80	8	1	28	2
26	Boukary Drame	FRA	22.07.85	2	-	2	-
31	Jean-Yves Mvoto Owono	FRA	06.09.88	-	-	-	-
32	Larrys Mabiala	FRA	08.10.87	-	-	-	-
<b>Midfielders</b>							
8	Edouard Cissé	FRA	30.03.78	5	1	43	3
15	Bonaventure Kalou	CIV	12.01.78	37	12	62	13
18	Samuel Pietre	FRA	10.02.84	-	-	-	-
20	Clément Chantôme	FRA	11.09.87	1	-	1	-
21	Cristian Rodriguez	URU	30.09.85	1	-	1	-
24	David Hellebuyck	FRA	12.05.79	7	-	13	-
25	Jérôme Rothen	FRA	31.03.78	4	1	26	3
27	Albert Banning	CMR	19.03.85	1	-	1	-
28	Paulo César	BRA	28.06.78	5	-	5	-
35	Youssuf Mulumbu	FRA	25.01.87	-	-	-	-
<b>Forwards</b>							
7	Pancrate Fabrice	FRA	02.05.80	2	-	7	1
9	Pauleta	POR	28.04.73	26	13	32	14
11	Amara Diané	CIV	19.08.82	9	2	9	2
13	Pierre-Alain Frau	FRA	15.04.80	9	5	22	10
14	David Ngog	FRA	01.04.89	-	-	-	-
34	Yannick Boli	FRA	13.01.88	-	-	-	-
<b>Coach</b>							
	Guy Lacombe	FRA	13.06.55	16	-	22	-

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### Bookings list - Group G

#### Panathinaikos FC

No	Player	Matchday					KO1		KO2		QF		SF		F
		1	2	3	4	5	1st	2nd	1st	2nd	1st	2nd	1st	2nd	
6	Ricardo Bovio	*													



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### Domestic information

#### AFC Rapid Bucuresti (Divizia A)

	Date	Opponent	Res	Goalscorers
League	30.07.2006	v CS Pandurii Lignitul Târgu Jiu (A)	1-1	N. Constantin
League	05.08.2006	v CS Jiul Petrosani (H)	1-0	Griffiths
League	13.08.2006	v FCU Politehnica Timisoara (A)	0-0	
League	19.08.2006	v FC Universitatea Craiova (H)	1-1	V. Moldovan
League	27.08.2006	v FC UTA Arad (A)	0-1	
League	09.09.2006	v SC Vaslui (H)	2-0	V. Moldovan (2)
League	17.09.2006	v FC Steaua Bucuresti (A)	1-1	Grigore
League	21.09.2006	v FC 2005 SA Arges (H)	2-1	V. Moldovan, Badoi
League	24.09.2006	v FC Farul Constanta (H)	3-2	Zicu, Karamyan, Sapunaru
League	01.10.2006	v FC Dinamo 1948 Bucuresti (A)	1-3	Badoi (pen)
League	12.10.2006	v AFC Gloria 1922 Bistrita (H)	4-0	Badoi (pen), V. Moldovan (2), Buga
League	22.10.2006	v FC Politehnica Iasi (A)		
League	29.10.2006	v CFR Ecomax Cluj-Napoca (H)		
League	05.11.2006	v FC Otelul Galati (A)		
League	11.11.2006	v AFC Unirea Valahorum Urziceni (H)		
League	18.11.2006	v FC Ceahlăul Piatra Neamt (A)		
League	25.11.2006	v FC National 2000 Bucuresti (H)		

Rank	Clubs	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	FC Dinamo 1948 Bucuresti	11	11	0	0	24	7	33
2	FC Steaua Bucuresti	11	7	3	1	21	7	24
3	FC Otelul Galati	11	7	0	4	18	14	21
4	CFR Ecomax Cluj-Napoca	11	6	2	3	25	15	20
5	FCU Politehnica Timisoara	11	5	4	2	11	7	19
6	<b>AFC Rapid Bucuresti</b>	11	5	4	2	16	10	19
7	FC Politehnica Iasi	11	5	4	2	15	11	19
8	AFC Gloria 1922 Bistrita	11	5	1	5	14	11	16
9	FC UTA Arad	11	5	1	5	11	12	16
10	FC Farul Constanta	11	4	2	5	14	14	14
11	FC Ceahlăul Piatra Neamt	11	4	1	6	8	13	13
12	CS Pandurii Lignitul Târgu Jiu	11	4	1	6	9	13	13
13	FC Universitatea Craiova	11	3	3	5	12	24	12
14	AFC Unirea Valahorum Urziceni	11	4	0	7	9	13	12
15	FC National 2000 Bucuresti	11	2	3	6	9	15	9
16	SC Vaslui	11	2	3	6	12	22	9
17	CS Jiul Petrosani	11	1	4	6	5	12	7
18	FC 2005 SA Arges	11	1	0	10	6	19	3

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### Domestic information

#### Paris Saint-Germain FC (Ligue 1)

	Date	Opponent	Res	Goalscorers
League	05.08.2006	v FC Lorient (H)	2-3	Frau, Pancrate
League	12.08.2006	v Valenciennes FC (A)	0-0	
League	19.08.2006	v LOSC Lille Métropole (H)	1-0	Pauleta
League	26.08.2006	v FC Sochaux-Montbéliard (A)	2-3	Pauleta (2)
League	10.09.2006	v Olympique de Marseille (H)	1-3	Pauleta
League	17.09.2006	v AS Monaco FC (A)	2-1	Rozehnal, Hellebuyck
Cup	20.09.2006	v FC Lorient (H)	3-1	Pauleta (2), Pancrate
League	23.09.2006	v AS Nancy-Lorraine (H)	0-0	
League	01.10.2006	v AS Saint-Etienne (A)	0-1	
League	14.10.2006	v CS Sedan-Ardenne (H)	4-2	Frau, Yepes, Pauleta, Pauleta (pen)
League	22.10.2006	v AJ Auxerre (A)		
League	28.10.2006	v Stade Rennais FC (H)		
League	04.11.2006	v RC Lens (H)		
League	11.11.2006	v Le Mans UC 72 (A)		
League	18.11.2006	v FC Girondins de Bordeaux (H)		
League	25.11.2006	v FC Nantes Atlantique (A)		
League	02.12.2006	v Toulouse FC (H)		
League	09.12.2006	v Olympique Lyonnais (A)		
League	16.12.2006	v OGC Nice (H)		
League	23.12.2006	v ES Troyes Aube Champagne (A)		
League	13.01.2007	v Valenciennes FC (H)		
League	24.01.2007	v LOSC Lille Métropole (A)		
League	27.01.2007	v FC Sochaux-Montbéliard (H)		
League	03.02.2007	v Olympique de Marseille (A)		
League	10.02.2007	v AS Monaco FC (H)		
League	17.02.2007	v AS Nancy-Lorraine (A)		
League	24.02.2007	v AS Saint-Etienne (H)		
League	03.03.2007	v CS Sedan-Ardenne (A)		
League	10.03.2007	v AJ Auxerre (H)		
League	17.03.2007	v Stade Rennais FC (A)		
League	01.04.2007	v RC Lens (A)		
League	07.04.2007	v Le Mans UC 72 (H)		
League	14.04.2007	v FC Girondins de Bordeaux (A)		
League	21.04.2007	v FC Nantes Atlantique (H)		
League	28.04.2007	v Toulouse FC (A)		

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Rank	Clubs	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Olympique Lyonnais	9	8	1	0	22	7	25
2	Olympique de Marseille	9	6	2	1	17	5	20
3	AS Nancy-Lorraine	9	4	4	1	9	5	16
4	Toulouse FC	9	4	3	2	12	10	15
5	FC Girondins de Bordeaux	9	5	0	4	11	12	15
6	LOSC Lille Métropole	9	4	2	3	14	11	14
7	RC Lens	9	4	2	3	13	11	14
8	AS Saint-Etienne	9	4	2	3	13	12	14
9	Le Mans UC 72	9	3	4	2	12	12	13
10	FC Sochaux-Montbéliard	9	3	3	3	12	13	12
11	AJ Auxerre	9	3	3	3	11	14	12
12	<b>Paris Saint-Germain FC</b>	9	3	2	4	12	13	11
13	Valenciennes FC	9	3	2	4	9	13	11
14	FC Lorient	9	2	4	3	9	12	10
15	Stade Rennais FC	9	2	3	4	8	11	9
16	ES Troyes Aube Champagne	9	1	4	4	8	11	7
17	OGC Nice	9	2	1	6	9	13	7
18	AS Monaco FC	9	2	1	6	8	12	7
19	CS Sedan-Ardenne	9	1	4	4	11	16	7
20	FC Nantes Atlantique	9	1	3	5	7	14	6

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### Match officials

<b>Referee</b>	Nikolai Ivanov (RUS)
<b>Assistant referees</b>	Nikolai Golubev (RUS), Aleksandr Lagun (RUS)
<b>Fourth official</b>	Aleksandr Evstigneev (RUS)
<b>UEFA Delegate</b>	Danilo Filacchione (ITA)

### Referee

Name	Nat.	DoB	UCUP	UEFA
Nikolai Ivanov	RUS	24.01.1964	14	21

### UEFA Cup matches involving teams from the two countries involved in this match

Date	Comp.	Stage	Match	Res	Venue
20.09.2001	UCUP	R1	FC Girondins de Bordeaux-Debreceni VSC	5-1	Bordeaux
17.02.2005	UCUP	1/16	Olympiacos CFP-FC Sochaux-Montbéliard	1-0	Athens
03.11.2005	UCUP	GS	PFC Levski Sofia-FC Dinamo 1948 Bucuresti	1-0	Sofia

### UEFA Cup Other matches

Date	Comp.	Stage	Match	Res	Venue
24.08.2000	UCUP	QR	Halmstads BK-Bangor City FC	4-0	Halmstad
29.08.2002	UCUP	QR	KSP Polonia Warszawa-Sliema Wanderers FC	2-0	Warsaw
19.09.2002	UCUP	R1	Ferencvárosi TC-Kocaelispor	4-0	Budapest
28.08.2003	UCUP	QR	BSC Young Boys-Myllykosken Pallo-47	2-2	Basle
24.09.2003	UCUP	R1	Newcastle United FC-NAC Breda	5-0	Newcastle
27.11.2003	UCUP	R2	Parma FC-FC Salzburg	5-0	Parma
16.09.2004	UCUP	R1	FK Bodø/Glimt-Besiktas JK	1-1	Bodo
04.11.2004	UCUP	GS	Heart of Midlothian FC-FC Schalke 04	0-1	Edinburgh
15.09.2005	UCUP	R1	FC Baník Ostrava-SC Heerenveen	2-0	Ostrava
15.02.2006	UCUP	1/16	Real Betis Balompié-AZ Alkmaar	2-0	Sevilla
14.09.2006	UCUP	R1	FC Artmedia-RCD Espanyol	2-2	Bratislava

### Other matches

Date	Comp.	Stage	Match	Res	Venue
10.05.2000	U18	IR	Finland-Slovakia	2-1*(5-4)	Kauniainen
12.07.2000	UCL	QR1	FC Haka-Linfield FC	1-0	Valkeakoski
25.11.2000	U16	QR	Cyprus-Austria	0-2	Limassol
17.06.2001	UIC	R1	Hapoel Haifa FC-FC TVMK Tallinn	2-0	Haifa
18.07.2001	UCL	QR1	FC Sheriff-FC Araks Ararat	2-0	Tiraspol
04.09.2001	U21	QR	Georgia-Lithuania	4-1	Tbilisi
22.06.2002	UIC	R1	Enosis Neon Paralimni FC-SW Bregenz	0-2	Paralimni
07.09.2002	U21	QR	Austria-Moldova	1-0	Ernstbrunn
05.07.2003	UIC	R2	Brescia Calcio-AFC Gloria 1922 Bistrita	2-1	Brescia
16.07.2003	U19	GS - FT	Liechtenstein-Portugal	0-5	Vaduz
20.07.2003	U19	GS - FT	Austria-France	1-1	Triesen
20.08.2003	FRIE.		Belarus-Iran	2-1	
28.07.2004	UIC	SF	OFK Beograd-Club Atlético de Madrid	1-3	Belgrade
04.06.2005	WC	QR	Sweden-Malta	6-0	Gothenburg
23.08.2005	UIC	F	Olympique de Marseille-RC Deportivo La Coruña	5-1	Marseille
07.09.2005	WC	QR	Cyprus-Switzerland	1-3	Nicosia
06.09.2006	EURO	QR	Iceland-Denmark	0-2	Reykjavik

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### Legend

#### :: All-time statistics

The all-time record of the competing clubs in UEFA club competition.

**UEFA club competitions:** These are the official statistics considered valid for communicating official records in UEFA club competitions defined as the European Champion Clubs' Cup, the UEFA Champions League, the UEFA Cup Winners' Cup, the UEFA Cup, the UEFA Super Cup (from the 1973 competition), the UEFA Intertoto Cup and the European/South American Cup. Matches in the Inter-Cities' Fairs Cup and the 1972 Super Cup are included only for information purposes as these competitions were not held under UEFA auspices.

**Goals for/against:** Goals totals include the outcome of disciplinary decisions (eg. match forfeits when a 3-0 result is determined). Goals totals do not include goals scored from the penalty mark during a penalty shoot-out after a tie ended in a draw.

#### :: Squad list

The eligible list of players ordered first by playing position and then numeric order.

**All-time - UCUP:** Total appearances in the UEFA Cup including all qualifying rounds. These are the official statistics considered valid for communicating official records in the competition.

**All-time - UEFA:** Total appearances in UEFA club competitions (as defined above) including all qualifying round matches. These are the official statistics considered valid for communicating official records in the competition.

#### :: Bookings list

The current disciplinary situation in the competition.

\*: Misses next match if booked

#: Suspended for at least one match

+: Provisionally suspended

R: Sent off (red card)

S: Suspended

Y: Booked (yellow card)

Y/R: Sent off (yellow card then direct red)

R\*: Sent off (red card) in the UEFA Champions League

S\*: Suspended following cautions received in the UEFA Champions League

Y\*: Booked (yellow card) in the UEFA Champions League

Y/R\*: Sent off (yellow card then direct red) in the UEFA Champions League

**Note:** The bookings list is destined for the press. It is given to the competing clubs for information purposes only and therefore has no legal value. In the event of any discrepancy, only the correspondence addressed directly to the clubs will be considered as the authoritative version.

#### :: Match officials

The match officials appointed to officiate the fixture.

**UCUP:** Total matches officiated in the UEFA Cup. Matches where the official has acted as the fourth official are not included in these statistics. These are the official statistics considered valid for communicating official records in the competition.

**UEFA:** Total matches officiated in UEFA club competitions including all qualifying round matches. Matches where the official has acted as the fourth official are not included in these statistics. These are the official statistics considered valid for communicating official records in the competition.

#### :: Competitions

##### Club competitions

**ECCLC:** European Champion Clubs' Cup/UEFA Champions League

**UCUP:** UEFA Cup • **UCWC:** UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

**SCUP:** UEFA Super Cup • **UIC:** UEFA Intertoto Cup

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### National team competitions

**EURO:** UEFA European Football Championship • **U21:** UEFA European Under-21 Championship

**WC:** FIFA World Cup • **CONFCUP:** FIFA Confederations Cup

**FRIE:** A International friendly matches • **U21 FRIE:** Under-21 international friendly matches

**U19:** UEFA European Under-19 Championship • **U18:** UEFA European Under-18 Championship

**U17:** UEFA European Under-17 Championship • **U16:** UEFA European Under-16 Championship

**RCUP:** UEFA Regions' Cup • **MERI:** UEFA-CAF Meridien Cup

### :: Competition stages

**F:** Final

**GS:** Group stage

**GS1:** First group stage

**GS2:** Second group stage

**KO1:** First knockout round

**PR:** Preliminary round

**QF:** Quarter-finals

**QR:** Qualifying round

**QR1:** First qualifying round

**QR2:** Second qualifying round

**QR3:** Third qualifying round

**R1:** First round

**R2:** Second round

**R3:** Third round

**R4:** Fourth round

**SF:** Semi-finals

**1/8:** Eighth-finals

**1/16:** Sixteenth-finals

**1st:** First leg

**2nd:** Second leg

### :: Other abbreviations

**AP:** Appearances

**Comp:** Competition

**D:** Drawn

**DoB:** Date of birth

**GA:** Goals against

**GF:** Goals for

**L:** Lost

**Nat:** Nationality

**N/a:** Not applicable

**No:** Number

**Pld:** Matches played

**Pos:** Position

**Pts:** Points

**R:** Sent off (red card)

**Res:** Result

**W:** Won

**Y:** Booked (yellow card)

**Y/R:** Sent off (yellow card then direct red)

### :: Statistics

**(-):** Denotes player substituted

**(+):** Denotes player introduced

**(\*):** Denotes player dismissed/sent off

**(+/-):** Denotes player introduced and substituted