

# FC Bayern München - Sporting Clube de Portugal

## MATCH PRESS KIT

Fußball Arena München, Munich

Tuesday 10 March 2009 - 20.45CET

Matchday 8 - First knockout round, second leg



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### Match background

FC Bayern München prepare for the return leg of their UEFA Champions League first knockout round tie against Sporting Clube de Portugal confident that they can record another victory against Portuguese opponents. In the nine previous occasions they have played host to Liga visitors in UEFA club competition, Bayern have won seven and drawn the other two.

- After withstanding an early spell of Sporting pressure Bayern turned on the style at the Estádio José Alvalade on Matchday 7 with Franck Ribéry in inspirational form. The French international broke the deadlock three minutes before half-time and, after Miroslav Klose had scored a second, made it 3-0 three minutes past the hour from the penalty spot following Fábio Rochemback's foul on Philipp Lahm. Luca Toni's late double completed the biggest ever away win in the UEFA Champions League knockout round and the joint highest away victory in the competition's history.

- The precedents were there, for history also shows that the Munich giants find the target with relative ease in these fixtures, scoring six goals, five, and four (twice) in the first five occasions that teams from Portugal visited the Olympiastadion, starting with a second round tie against Vitória FC in the 1967/68 UEFA Cup Winners' Cup. More recently, however, Bayern have not had things so easy with only two goals scored in their last three home ties, the latest being a 1-0 victory against CF Os Belenenses in last season's UEFA Cup first round.

- Sporting must make UEFA Champions League history if they are to mount the unlikeliest of fightbacks. While Bayern can bask in the security of the largest ever first-leg advantage, surpassing Manchester United FC's 4-0 defeat of FC Porto in the 1996/97 quarter-finals, the most impressive comeback belongs to FC Deportivo La Coruña, who recovered from losing 4-1 to AC Milan in the 2003/04 quarter-finals first leg to win the return 4-0. The Spanish side, however, had home advantage for the second leg.

- Bayern faced Sporting in a 2006/07 UEFA Champions League group-stage contest at the Fußball Arena München which ended 0-0. It followed a 1-0 win for Bayern in the corresponding fixture at the Estádio José Alvalade with Bastian Schweinsteiger's 19th-minute goal proving the difference. The German international later blotted his copybook by getting sent off.

- The lineups for the goalless match in Munich on 31 October 2006 were:

**Bayern:** Oliver Kahn, Willy Sagnol, Daniel Van Buyten, Martín Demichelis, Philipp Lahm, Hasan Salihamidžić, Christian Lell (Julio dos Santos), Andreas Ottl, Roy Makaay, Claudio Pizarro, Roque Santa Cruz (Ali Karimi).

**Sporting:** Ricardo, Anderson Polga, Carlos Martins (Nani), Rodrigo Tello, Marco Caneira, Tonel, Yannick Djaló (Alecsandro), Custódio, João Moutinho, Liedson, Carlos Paredes (Pontus Farnerud).



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- It was the only time Sporting have avoided defeat on the seven occasions they have played an official fixture in Germany. In addition, the Lisbon team have lost all four of their knockout ties against Bundesliga opposition. Bayern, in contrast, have come out on top in all seven occasions when they have played Portuguese opponents in a knockout tie although the game they will not recall fondly was the 1986/87 European Champion Clubs' Cup final at the Ernst-Happel-Stadion in Vienna, which Porto won 2-1. That was Bayern's only defeat in 21 matches against Portuguese opposition.
- When Bayern missed out on last year's tournament, it broke a run of ten successive UEFA Champions campaigns. During that sequence, they lifted the trophy in 2001 having finished as runners-up two years earlier. They also managed to qualify for the knockout rounds in four straight years between 2003/04 and 2006/07. Two seasons ago they beat Real Madrid CF on away goals at this stage after the teams were tied 4-4 on aggregate but then lost 4-2 on aggregate to eventual winners Milan in the quarter-finals.
- This time round Jürgen Klinsmann's Bayern were unbeaten in Group F with four wins and two draws and a 3-2 victory at Olympique Lyonnais on Matchday 6 enabled them to finish with a three-point advantage at the top of the section. At home they drew with Lyon and recorded 3-0 successes against both FC Steaua Bucureşti and ACF Fiorentina.
- Sporting, who will now almost certainly not match their achievement of 1982/83 when they reached the European Cup quarter-finals, had never previously progressed from the group phase in their four previous campaigns. Away from home in Group C they won at FC Basel 1893 and FC Shakhtar Donetsk and lost against FC Barcelona.
- The Portuguese side can perhaps take heart from Bayern's performances in the UEFA Cup Round of 16 in 2007/08, the German side winning 5-0 at RSC Anderlecht in the first leg before a 2-1 home loss.
- Klinsmann scored for FC Internazionale Milano in their 2-0 semi-final second leg victory at home to Sporting en route to winning the 1990/91 UEFA Cup. The Lisbon leg had finished 0-0. Klinsmann – scoring a record 15 goals – also lifted the trophy in 1995/96 with Bayern. In the third round that season they beat SL Benfica, the striker scoring all the goals in a 4-1 home win. In Lisbon, he struck twice in Bayern's 3-1 victory.
- João Moutinho and Hélder Postiga played for Portugal in a 3-2 defeat by Germany in the UEFA EURO 2008™ quarter-finals in Basel. In the opposing side were Lahm, Tim Borowski, Schweinsteiger, Klose and Lukas Podolski. Moutinho also encountered Halil Altıntop in Portugal's 2-0 defeat of Turkey in Group A.
- Postiga appeared as a second-half substitute as Portugal lost to France in the 2006 FIFA World Cup semi-final. Ribéry was on the opposite side.
- Bayern have won all three of their previous penalty shoot-outs in UEFA club competition:  
4-3 v Åtvidabergs FF, 1973/74 European Cup first round  
9-8 v PAOK FC, 1983/84 UEFA Cup second round  
5-4 v Valencia CF, 2000/01 UEFA Champions League final
- By contrast, Sporting have lost both previous penalty shoot-outs in UEFA competition:  
3-5 v FC Dinamo Minsk, 1984/85 UEFA Cup second round  
3-4 v SSC Napoli, 1989/90 UEFA Cup first round
- The draw for the UEFA Champions League quarter-finals and semi-finals will take place at UEFA's headquarters in Nyon, Switzerland on 20 March.

### Match facts

#### Bayern

##### UEFA milestones

- Bayern have conceded 348 goals in UEFA club competition to date.

##### UEFA Champions League statistics

- Michael Rensing, Bastian Schweinsteiger and Miroslav Klose have featured in all seven games, Rensing playing every minute.
- Klose's goal in Lisbon took him on to six in this season's competition, making him the joint-highest scorer along with Lisandro.

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- Franck Ribéry has provided seven assists, more than any other player.
- Bayern have suffered 140 fouls to date, more than any other side. Luca Toni alone has been fouled 27 times, a higher total than any player still involved in the competition.

### Disciplinary information

- Tim Borowski and Mark van Bommel will incur a ban with their next bookings.

### Latest domestic information

#### • Saturday 7 March: FC Bayern München 5-1 Hannover 96

(Van Buyten 20, Klose 25, Altıntop 34, Podolski 73, Demichelis 89; Štajner 15)

Bayern claimed only their second league victory of 2009 in some style, but had to come from behind after Jiří Štajner had given the visitors an early lead. Within ten minutes the hosts were in charge, however, as Daniel Van Buyten and then Klose headed in Schweinsteiger free-kicks. Hamit Altıntop extended the advantage before half-time, and further headers from Lukas Podolski and Martín Demichelis – both from Zé Roberto crosses – sealed Bayern's first domestic win in five attempts.

• "It was a deserved win," said Bayern coach Jürgen Klinsman, "even by this margin. The team will drive home today full of compliments from me. We forced the win and the table looks better now, but we still have a lot of work to do to become German champions."

• With Van Bommel suspended and Toni, Borowski and Ribéry ruled out through injury, Philipp Lahm, Schweinsteiger, Van Buyten and Podolski were restored to the starting lineup.

• Six of Bayern's last seven goals have come from headers.

• Bayern have chalked up five goals three times in nine games since the turn of the year, having already claimed away wins against VfB Stuttgart (5-1 in the German Cup) and Sporting.

• The Bavarian side were unable to follow either up with a victory, however, losing to Hamburger SV after the Stuttgart win. On 1 March they marked their return to domestic action after the Sporting triumph with a goalless draw against a Werder Bremen team that played 75 minutes with only ten men after Naldo's early dismissal.

• Three days later Bayer 04 Leverkusen ended Bayern's hopes of defending their German Cup crown when they beat Klinsmann's team 4-2 in the quarter-finals thanks to a spell of three goals in 16 second-half minutes. Bayern responded, cutting Leverkusen's lead through headers from Lucio and Klose, but as they pushed for an equaliser Stefan Kiessling struck on the counterattack in added time.

• It was Bayern's fourth loss in eight games in all competitions since the turn of the year. They ended 2008 on a 16-match unbeaten run and made it 17 with a cup win against Stuttgart before losing to Hamburg on 30 January, their first defeat since a 1-0 reverse at Hannover on 27 September.

• Of the 31 goals Bayern have conceded in the Bundesliga this term, 20 have come at home. The Bavarian side shipped only 21 goals in the whole of last season, eight at home.

• Bayern have scored in every match at the Fußball Arena München in all competitions this season.

• Rensing is the only Bayern player to have appeared in every game in all competitions this term.

### UEFA Champions League squad list changes

#### • In:

Landon Donovan (Los Angeles Galaxy, loan)

#### • Out:

Toni Kroos (Bayer 04 Leverkusen, loan)

Georg Niedermeier (VfB Stuttgart, loan)

• Willy Sagnol announced his retirement in early February due to an achilles tendon injury. He suffered the injury during training in July 2008 and complications linked to the surgery he underwent at the time have prevented a comeback.

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### Injury news

- Lukas Podolski – out 19 November to 21 February (injury and illness)
  - Luca Toni – out 14-25 February and since 25 February (achilles)
  - Philipp Lahm – out since 25 February to 7 March (flu)
  - Franck Ribéry – out since 4 March (bruised tibia)
  - Tim Borowski – out since 4 March (thigh)
  - Hamit Altıntop – out since 7 March (right hamstring)
- Altıntop was replaced by Andreas Ottl after 65 minutes against Hannover and left the stadium on crutches. A preliminary diagnosis suggests the midfielder has torn his right hamstring.
- Ribéry, Borowski and Toni all sat out the Hannover win, Ribéry and Borowski having picked up knocks against Leverkusen. Toni has been troubled by a persistent achilles problem, which flared up again following the first leg against Sporting.

### Miscellaneous

- Bayern have confirmed that FC Zenit St. Petersburg captain Anatoliy Tymoshchuk will join them in the summer, for a fee thought to be in the region of €11m.
- Ivica Olić will join Bayern from Hamburg on a free transfer on 1 July after agreeing a three-year contract.
- The Fußball Arena München has been chosen to host the UEFA Champions League final in 2012.

### Sporting

#### UEFA milestones

- Hélder Postiga's next appearance in UEFA club competition will be his 50th.
- Liedson became Sporting's highest ever scorer in Europe when he struck against Barcelona on Matchday 5. The goal was his 19th in continental competition for the club, enough for him to move above João Lourenço and Manuel Fernandes in the all-time standings.

#### UEFA Champions League statistics

- Anderson Polga, Bruno Pereirinha, João Moutinho and Derlei have appeared in all seven games, Polga and Moutinho playing every minute.
- Fábio Rochemback has committed 20 fouls, the joint-highest total in the competition along with Jérémy Toulalan.
- Sporting have conceded 13 goals, more than any other team left in the competition.

#### Disciplinary information

- Marco Caneira and Tonel are both a booking away from suspension.

#### Latest domestic information

- **Saturday 7 March: Sporting Clube de Portugal 2-0 FC Paços de Ferreira (Liedson 8, Derlei 34)**  
Moutinho set up both goals as Sporting enjoyed a straightforward victory against the Liga strugglers at the Estádio José Alvalade. The Sporting captain found Liedson unmarked inside the penalty area early on and then supplied the corner from which Derlei headed in the second before half-time.  
  
• "The early lead allowed us to relax and control the game," said Paulo Bento, whose side remain four points behind Liga leaders FC Porto. "But we continue to miss a lot of chances. It was a fair result but we could have scored one or two more goals. We have to wait for our opponents to slip up [to go top of the Liga] but we still believe it's possible. As for Bayern, well, there are 90 minutes to play and we have to correct our mistakes from the first leg. Above all, we have our pride and dignity to play for."  
  
• Bento made three changes to the team that started the goalless draw with Porto on 28 February. Rui Patrício's return to fitness meant Tiago dropped to the substitutes' bench, while Caneira and Adrien Silva replaced injured pair Leandro Grimi and Rochemback. Back from injury, substitute Simon Vukčević came on just before the hour.  
  
• Moutinho became the youngest Sporting player to reach 200 appearances in all competitions when he started against Paços de Ferreira. The 22-year-old made his debut on 4 January 2005 as a substitute in a Portuguese Cup match at FC Pampilhosa.

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- Moutinho's absence against CF Os Belenenses on 14 February meant the midfielder fell one short of a personal record of 96 successive appearances for Sporting in all competitions. He played in 95 consecutive matches between 24 February 2005 and 17 March 2007 and repeated the feat between 7 April 2007 and 8 February.
- Adrien Silva has featured in ten matches in all competitions this term and is yet to suffer a defeat, Sporting winning nine and drawing once.
- Liedson marked his first game as captain by becoming Sporting's all-time leading foreign scorer when he struck a hat-trick during the 5-1 League Cup defeat of Paços de Ferreira in January. His subsequent goals in the 3-2 win against SL Benfica and in the Liga against Paços de Ferreira have taken the Brazilian's total to 132 goals, six more than Argentinian club legend Héctor Yazalde, and up to 13th on the club's overall list.
- Sporting will face Benfica in the Portuguese League Cup final on 21 March.

### UEFA Champions League squad list changes

#### • In:

Vítor Golas  
Cedric Soares  
Luís Oliveira  
Renato Santos  
Ricardo Alves  
Nuno Reis

#### • Out:

Vladimir Stojković (Getafe CF, loan)

### Injury news

- Rui Patrício – out 8 February to 7 March (left hand)
- Adrien Silva – out since 18-28 February (right ankle)
- Simon Vukčević – out 25 February to 7 March (flu)
- Miguel Veloso – out since 20 February (left thigh)
- Hélder Postiga – out since 21 February (left knee)
- Fábio Rochemback – out since 28 February (left shoulder)
- Leandro Grimi – out since 28 February (left knee)
- Leandro Romagnoli – out since 25 February (achilles)
- Postiga sprained his knee against Benfica, limping off midway through the first half.
- Patrício fractured a finger during the 3-2 defeat by SC Braga on 8 February, but wearing a specially-designed glove he resumed full training on 3 March – as did Veloso – and lined up against Paços de Ferreira four days later.
- Sporting suffered a double injury setback against Porto. Grimi twisted his left knee and is ruled out for "at least four months", while Rochemback went off with a shoulder problem eight minutes from time.
- Rochemback, Romagnoli and Postiga have all been ruled out of the second leg against Bayern and will remain in Lisbon with the rested Liedson.

### Miscellaneous

- Adrien Silva celebrates his 20th birthday on 15 March while Romagnoli is 28 two days later. Pereirinha turned 21 on 2 March.
- Bento became Sporting's second longest serving coach when he led the team for a 157th match in all competitions against CD Nacional on 24 January. He has some way to go to catch Joseph Szabo, who coached the Lions for 346 games between 1937-44 and 1953-54. Bento also became only the second Sporting coach to reach 100 wins when his team defeated Belenenses on 14 February. Szabo managed 256.

Squad list

**Bayern**

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	BL	Current season						All-time			
						UCLQ		UCL		League		UCL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>															
1	Michael Rensing	GER	14.05.1984	24	-	-	-	7	-	23	-	9	-	15	-
22	Hans Jörg Butt	GER	28.05.1974	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	2	68	2
35	Thomas Kraft	GER	22.07.1988	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>															
2	Willy Sagnol	FRA	18.03.1977	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64	-	81	-
3	Lucio	BRA	08.05.1978	30	-	-	-	6	-	21	-	52	5	67	7
5	Daniel Van Buyten	BEL	07.02.1978	31	-	-	-	4	1	12	3	20	4	51	9
6	Martín Demichelis	ARG	20.12.1980	28	-	-	-	6	-	19	2	30	2	40	2
21	Philipp Lahm	GER	11.11.1983	25	-	-	-	6	-	18	2	26	-	42	2
23	Massimo Oddo	ITA	14.06.1976	32	-	-	-	6	-	15	-	23	-	38	-
29	Björn Kopplin	GER	07.01.1989	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Christian Lell	GER	29.08.1984	24	-	-	-	3	-	13	-	7	-	18	1
33	Breno	BRA	13.10.1989	19	-	-	-	3	-	2	-	3	-	4	-
<b>Midfielders</b>															
7	Franck Ribéry	FRA	07.04.1983	25	-	-	-	6	3	16	6	6	3	33	9
8	Hamit Altıntop	TUR	08.12.1982	26	-	-	-	2	-	7	1	8	1	44	8
15	Zé Roberto	BRA	06.07.1974	34	-	-	-	6	2	21	3	59	5	79	5
16	Andreas Ottl	GER	01.03.1985	24	-	-	-	3	-	14	-	10	-	18	-
17	Mark van Bommel	NED	22.04.1977	31	*	-	-	6	-	18	1	54	4	90	10
20	José Ernesto Sosa	ARG	19.06.1985	23	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	6	-
24	Tim Borowski	GER	02.05.1980	28	*	-	-	6	1	20	5	27	3	39	7
25	Thomas Müller	GER	13.09.1989	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26	Mehmet Ekici	GER	25.03.1990	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
28	Holger Badstuber	GER	13.03.1989	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31	Bastian Schweinsteiger	GER	01.08.1984	24	-	-	-	7	1	21	3	33	4	45	4
36	Stephan Fürstner	GER	11.09.1987	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Forwards</b>															
9	Luca Toni	ITA	26.05.1977	31	-	-	-	6	3	16	9	6	3	19	13
11	Lukas Podolski	GER	04.06.1985	23	-	-	-	3	-	14	4	10	1	22	6
13	Landon Donovan	USA	04.03.1982	27	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	2	-	2	-
18	Miroslav Klose	GER	09.06.1978	30	-	-	-	7	6	22	10	28	11	63	22
27	Deniz Yilmaz	TUR	26.02.1988	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Coach</b>															
-	Jürgen Klinsmann	GER	30.07.1964	44	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	7	-	7	-

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<b>Goalkeepers</b>															
1	Rui Patrício	POR	15.02.1988	21	-	-	-	5	-	18	-	7	-	13	-
16	Tiago	POR	16.04.1975	33	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	6	-	16	-
19	Ricardo Batista	POR	19.11.1986	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	Vitor Golas	BRA	27.12.1990	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>															
3	Daniel Carricho	POR	04.08.1988	20	-	-	-	2	-	14	-	2	-	2	-
4	Anderson Polga	BRA	09.02.1979	30	-	-	-	7	-	20	-	18	2	41	2
5	Pedro Silva	BRA	25.04.1981	27	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-
8	Ronny	BRA	11.05.1986	22	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	-	7	-
12	Marco Caneira	POR	09.02.1979	30	*	-	-	5	-	14	-	16	1	38	1
13	Tonel	POR	13.04.1980	28	*	-	-	4	1	7	1	16	2	25	2
18	Leandro Grimi	ARG	09.02.1985	24	-	-	-	4	-	13	-	4	-	10	-
37	Michael Santos	POR	04.06.1990	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Pedro Mendes	POR	01.10.1990	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	Nuno Reis	POR	31.01.1991	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	Ricardo Alves	POR	09.05.1991	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
78	Abel	POR	22.12.1978	30	-	-	-	6	-	14	-	14	1	24	1
<b>Midfielders</b>															
6	Adrien Silva	POR	15.03.1989	19	-	-	-	1	-	5	-	2	-	4	-
7	Marat Izmailov	RUS	21.09.1982	26	-	-	-	5	-	19	3	27	2	48	4
10	Simon Vukčević	MNE	29.01.1986	23	-	-	-	3	-	12	4	9	-	31	5
24	Miguel Veloso	POR	11.05.1986	22	-	-	-	6	1	14	-	17	1	22	1
25	Bruno Pereirinha	POR	02.03.1988	21	-	-	-	7	-	16	-	10	-	16	2
26	Fábio Rochemback	BRA	10.12.1981	27	-	-	-	6	-	17	-	25	1	51	3
28	João Moutinho	POR	08.09.1986	22	-	-	-	7	-	20	2	19	1	38	1
30	Leandro Romagnoli	ARG	17.03.1981	27	-	-	-	5	-	11	1	11	-	17	-
33	André Martins	POR	21.01.1990	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	Diogo Rosado	POR	21.02.1990	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	Cedric Soares	POR	31.08.1991	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50	Diogo Amado	POR	21.01.1990	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Forwards</b>															
11	Derlei	BRA	14.07.1975	33	-	-	-	7	2	15	3	20	5	41	17
20	Yannick Djaló	POR	05.05.1986	22	-	-	-	5	1	9	1	14	1	16	1
22	Rodrigo Tiuí	BRA	04.12.1985	23	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	5	-
23	Hélder Postiga	POR	02.08.1982	26	-	-	-	5	-	17	4	32	1	49	7
31	Liedson	BRA	17.12.1977	31	-	-	-	4	2	17	9	15	6	39	19
39	Wilson Eduardo	POR	08.07.1990	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	Luís Oliveira	POR	09.06.1991	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	Renato Santos	POR	05.10.1991	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Coach</b>															
-	Paulo Bento	POR	20.06.1969	39	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	13	-	19	-

Head coach

**FC Bayern München: Jürgen Klinsmann**

**Date of birth:** 30 July 1964

**Nationality:** German

**Playing career:** SV Stuttgarter Kickers, VfB Stuttgart, FC Internazionale Milano, AS Monaco FC, Tottenham Hotspur FC, FC Bayern München, UC Sampdoria

**Coaching career:** Germany, FC Bayern München

One of the finest strikers in the world in the late 80s and early 90s, Jürgen Klinsmann is looking to prove just as inspirational on the bench as he was on the pitch, helping West Germany to triumph at the 1990 FIFA World Cup and then winning EURO '96™ with a reunited Germany team. He retired from international football with 47 goals in 108 appearances, making him the second most-capped player in German history.

Working under the likes of Arsène Wenger and Giovanni Trapattoni during a club career which took in spells at VfB Stuttgart, FC Internazionale Milano, AS Monaco FC, Tottenham Hotspur FC and FC Bayern München, Klinsmann has worked with plenty of great coaches. Scoring well over 200 league goals, Klinsmann was an exceptional talent, even though he was to end his club career with only two major trophies – the 1990/91 UEFA Cup won with Inter and the 1995/96 edition won at Bayern.

Initially it seemed that Klinsmann had turned his back on football after hanging up his boots in 1998, moving to the United States to work in sports marketing. However, he made several appearances for Orange County Blue Star in California under the pseudonym Jay Goppingen – a reference to his home town – in 2003 to keep his eye in, before accepting the job of Germany coach in July 2004.

Hired to lead the national team as hosts at the 2006 FIFA World Cup finals in tandem with his assistant and eventual successor Joachim Löw, Klinsmann's young side shone on the way to taking bronze. Stepping down despite clamour for him to stay on, Klinsmann said he yearned for normal family life but he was eventually tempted back to football by his old side, Bayern, replacing Ottmar Hitzfeld in July 2008.

**Sporting Clube de Portugal: Paulo Bento**

**Date of birth:** 20 June 1969

**Nationality:** Portuguese

**Playing career:** CF Estrela da Amadora, Vitória SC, SL Benfica, Real Oviedo CF, Sporting Clube de Portugal

**Coaching career:** Sporting Clube de Portugal

A former international midfielder who made an instant impact upon rising to the top job at Sporting Clube de Portugal in October 2005, Paulo Bento has been a winner throughout his footballing life. He began his playing career at CF Estrela da Amadora, helping them win the Portuguese Cup in 1989/90. He then moved on to Vitória SC before a switch to SL Benfica brought him another cup triumph in 1995/96, prior to four seasons in Spain with Real Oviedo CF.

He returned to Portuguese football and Sporting for the 2000/01 campaign, and a season later helped them win the Portuguese double. He retired from playing at the end of 2003/04, and quickly accepted a role in the Sporting coaching setup where he guided the youth team to the national title in 2004/05. In October 2005, he was promoted to first-team coach after the sacking of José Peseiro, and quickly improved the side's fortunes, leading Sporting on a run of ten straight victories between January and April 2006.

Overall, in his 27 league games in charge in 2005/06, he achieved 18 wins and six draws, although a 1-0 defeat against FC Porto in a decisive meeting meant a second-place finish. Sporting also lost to Porto after a penalty shoot-out in the Portuguese Cup semi-finals. The following campaign Sporting were again just pipped to the title by Porto but glory did come with a 1-0 win against CF Os Belenenses in the Portuguese Cup final. The 2007/08 season was Paulo Bento's first as a fully qualified coach for UEFA club competition purposes and after finishing third in their UEFA Champions League group, Sporting reached the UEFA Cup quarter-finals. They also ended second in Portugal behind Porto, whom they beat to retain the Portuguese Cup.



Match officials

<b>Referee</b>	Martin Hansson (SWE)
<b>Assistant referees</b>	Henrik Andrén (SWE), Fredrik Nilsson (SWE)
<b>Fourth official</b>	Martin Ingvarsson (SWE)
<b>UEFA Delegate</b>	Eduard Dervishaj (ESP)
<b>UEFA Referee observer</b>	Donald Mcvicar (SCO)

Referee

Name	Nat.	Date of birth	UCL	UEFA
Martin Hansson	SWE	06.04.1971	8	28

As a man used to fighting fires, it is no surprise to find referee Martin Hansson in relaxed mood before a testing fixture. He followed in the footsteps of Ľuboš Michel' and Luis Medina Cantalejo when he took charge of the Netherlands' 3-0 defeat of Ukraine in the 2006 UEFA European Under-21 Championship final in Porto.

The appointment capped a memorable campaign for the imposing Swede who eight months earlier had made his UEFA Champions League group stage bow as Juventus defeated SK Rapid Wien. "When I stood in Turin before the game and the theme music started, the hairs on my arms stood up," he said. Based in Holmsjo, Hansson took up refereeing aged 15 as there was a shortage of officials at his club, and his status as a rising star was cemented when he earned his FIFA badge in 2001 before he had reached his 30th birthday.

He first tasted international tournament football at the 2001 UEFA European Under-16 Championship before going on to enjoy a number of high-profile UEFA Cup matches over the ensuing years. Hansson also oversaw Italy's first competitive match as world champions as they started their UEFA EURO 2008™ qualifying campaign with a 1-1 home draw against Lithuania, but refuses to get carried away with the razzamatazz of the modern game. "I work 80 per cent of the time as a fireman which provides me with a balance as otherwise there would be too much football," he said. A family man with two sons, he also takes a keen interest in his children's football team and fishing.

**UEFA Champions League matches involving teams from the two countries involved in this match**

Date	Comp.	Stage	Match	Res.	Venue
27.09.2006	UCL	GS	FC Spartak Moskva - Sporting Clube de Portugal	1-1	Moscow
02.10.2007	UCL	GS	VfB Stuttgart - FC Barcelona	0-2	Stuttgart
06.11.2007	UCL	GS	Celtic FC - SL Benfica	1-0	Glasgow

**Other matches - Matches involving teams from either of the two countries involved in this match**

Date	Comp.	Stage	Match	Res.	Venue
22.04.2001	U16	GS - FT	Germany - Belgium	1-2	Durham
16.10.2003	UCUP	R1	FK Teplice - 1. FC Kaiserslautern	1-0	Teplice
02.12.2004	UCUP	GS	KSK Beveren - SL Benfica	0-3	Beveren
16.02.2006	UCUP	1/16	FC Thun - Hamburger SV	1-0	Berne
25.05.2006	U21	GS - FT	Portugal - Serbia	0-2	Barcelos
23.11.2006	UCUP	GS	Bayer 04 Leverkusen - Tottenham Hotspur FC	0-1	Leverkusen
02.06.2007	EURO	QR	Belgium - Portugal	1-2	Brussels
13.10.2007	EURO	QR	Republic of Ireland - Germany	0-0	Dublin
13.03.2008	UCUP	1/8	Werder Bremen - Rangers FC	1-0	Bremen
18.12.2008	UCUP	GS	Olympiacos CFP - Hertha BSC Berlin	4-0	Athens

Domestic information

**FC Bayern München (Bundesliga)**

Comp.	Date	Opponent	Res.	Goalscorers
Cup	10/08/08	RW Erfurt (A)	4-3	Lahm 6, Podolski 23, Klose 57, Kroos 80
League	15/08/08	Hamburger SV (H)	2-2	Schweinsteiger 12, Podolski 16(pen)
League	23/08/08	BV Borussia Dortmund (A)	1-1	Borowski 75
League	31/08/08	Hertha BSC Berlin (H)	4-1	Toni 12, Lahm 54, Schweinsteiger 56(pen), Klose 70(pen)
League	13/09/08	1. FC Köln (A)	3-0	Toni 53, 60, Podolski 90
League	20/09/08	Werder Bremen (H)	2-5	Borowski 71, 85
Cup	24/09/08	1. FC Nürnberg (H)	2-0	Klose 7, Borowski 69
League	27/09/08	Hannover 96 (A)	0-1	
League	04/10/08	VfL Bochum 1848 (H)	3-3	Van Buyten 15, Zé Roberto 45, 68
League	18/10/08	Karlsruher SC (A)	1-0	Klose 87
League	25/10/08	VfL Wolfsburg (H)	4-2	Ribéry 41, Van Bommel 54, Borowski 63, Schweinsteiger 80
League	29/10/08	Eintracht Frankfurt (A)	2-1	Klose 65, Ribéry 70
League	01/11/08	DSC Arminia Bielefeld (H)	3-1	Klose 25, Ribéry 77, Podolski 85
League	09/11/08	FC Schalke 04 (A)	2-1	Toni 3, Ribéry 31
League	15/11/08	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (A)	2-2	Toni 21, Ribéry 65(pen)
League	22/11/08	FC Energie Cottbus (H)	4-1	Ribéry 29, Demichelis 38, Klose 54, Toni 59
League	29/11/08	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (A)	2-0	Toni 59, Klose 82
League	05/12/08	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (H)	2-1	Lahm 60, Toni 90
League	13/12/08	VfB Stuttgart (A)	2-2	Borowski 48, Toni 66
Cup	27/01/09	VfB Stuttgart (A)	5-1	Schweinsteiger 14, 55(pen), Ribéry 16, Toni 43, Zé Roberto 59
League	30/01/09	Hamburger SV (A)	0-1	
League	08/02/09	BV Borussia Dortmund (H)	3-1	Zé Roberto 24, Klose 87, 90
League	14/02/09	Hertha BSC Berlin (A)	1-2	Klose 61
League	21/02/09	1. FC Köln (H)	1-2	Van Buyten 84
League	01/03/09	Werder Bremen (A)	0-0	
<b>Lineups:</b> Rensing, Lucio, Oddo, Demichelis, Ribéry, Hamit Altıntop (Donovan 77), Zé Roberto, Van Bommel, Borowski (Ottl 78), Schweinsteiger (Podolski 46), Klose				
Cup	04/03/09	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (A)	2-4	Lucio 72, Klose 74
<b>Lineups:</b> Rensing, Lucio, Oddo (Van Buyten 83), Demichelis, Ribéry, Hamit Altıntop, Zé Roberto, Ottl (Podolski 63), Van Bommel, Borowski (Schweinsteiger 63), Klose				
League	07/03/09	Hannover 96 (H)	5-1	Van Buyten 20, Klose 25, Hamit Altıntop 34, Podolski 73, Demichelis 89
<b>Lineups:</b> Rensing, Lucio, Van Buyten (Breno 76), Lahm, Oddo, Demichelis, Hamit Altıntop (Ottl 65), Zé Roberto, Schweinsteiger, Podolski (Donovan 79), Klose				
League	14/03/09	VfL Bochum 1848 (A)		
League	21/03/09	Karlsruher SC (H)		
League	04/04/09	VfL Wolfsburg (A)		
League	11/04/09	Eintracht Frankfurt (H)		
League	18/04/09	DSC Arminia Bielefeld (A)		
League	25/04/09	FC Schalke 04 (H)		
League	02/05/09	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (H)		
League	09/05/09	FC Energie Cottbus (A)		
League	13/05/09	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (H)		
League	16/05/09	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (A)		
League	23/05/09	VfB Stuttgart (H)		

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Pos.	Clubs	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Hertha BSC Berlin	23	14	4	5	38	27	46
<b>2</b>	<b>FC Bayern München</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>42</b>
3	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim	23	12	6	5	49	31	42
4	VfL Wolfsburg	23	12	6	5	46	29	42
5	Hamburger SV	23	13	3	7	35	36	42
6	VfB Stuttgart	23	11	6	6	42	32	39
7	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	23	11	4	8	45	31	37
8	FC Schalke 04	23	10	7	6	30	21	37
9	BV Borussia Dortmund	23	7	12	4	32	27	33
10	Werder Bremen	23	7	8	8	42	34	29
11	1. FC Köln	23	8	5	10	25	31	29
12	Eintracht Frankfurt	23	6	6	11	28	37	24
13	Hannover 96	23	6	6	11	29	46	24
14	VfL Bochum 1848	23	4	10	9	28	37	22
15	DSC Arminia Bielefeld	23	3	12	8	20	33	21
16	FC Energie Cottbus	23	5	5	13	21	40	20
17	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	23	5	4	14	28	44	19
18	Karlsruher SC	23	5	2	16	18	40	17

## MATCH PRESS KIT

Fußball Arena München, Munich

### Sporting Clube de Portugal (Liga)

Comp.	Date	Opponent	Res.	Goalscorers
Cup	16/08/08	FC Porto (H)	2-0	Yannick Djaló 45, 57
League	23/08/08	CD Trofense (H)	3-1	Tonel 5, Izmailov 24, Yannick Djaló 28
League	01/09/08	SC Braga (A)	1-0	Hélder Postiga 3
League	20/09/08	CF Os Belenenses (H)	2-0	Hélder Postiga 33, Romagnoli 50(pen)
League	27/09/08	SL Benfica (A)	0-2	
League	05/10/08	FC Porto (H)	1-2	João Moutinho 28(pen)
Cup	18/10/08	UD Leiria (A)	1-0	Liedson 29
League	26/10/08	FC Paços de Ferreira (A)	0-0	
League	01/11/08	Rio Ave FC (A)	1-0	Liedson 40
Cup	09/11/08	FC Porto (H)	1-1	Liedson 29
League	15/11/08	Leixões SC (H)	0-1	
League	22/11/08	A. Naval 1° Maio (A)	1-0	Liedson 14
League	30/11/08	Vitória SC (H)	2-0	Hélder Postiga 8, Liedson 21
League	05/12/08	CF Estrela da Amadora (A)	3-1	Izmailov 9, Liedson 51, Vukčević 77
Cup	14/12/08	CS Marítimo (H)	3-0	Yannick Djaló 37, Liedson 70, Romagnoli 90
League	20/12/08	A. Académica de Coimbra (H)	0-0	
League	03/01/09	Vitória FC (A)	2-0	Liedson 17, João Moutinho 31
League	10/01/09	CS Marítimo (H)	2-0	Vukčević 11, Liedson 82
Cup	14/01/09	Rio Ave FC (A)	1-0	Vukčević 88
Cup	18/01/09	FC Paços de Ferreira (H)	5-1	Liedson 45, 48, 88, Izmailov 65, Vukčević 76
League	24/01/09	CD Nacional (A)	1-1	Vukčević 45
League	31/01/09	CD Trofense (A)	0-0	
Cup	04/02/09	FC Porto (H)	4-1	Romagnoli 36(pen), 48(pen), Derlei 66, 80
League	08/02/09	SC Braga (H)	2-3	Derlei 69, Izmailov 90
League	14/02/09	CF Os Belenenses (A)	2-1	Vukčević 74, Hélder Postiga 79
League	21/02/09	SL Benfica (H)	3-2	Liedson 11, 83, Derlei 47
<b>Lineups:</b> Tiago, Daniel Carriço, Polga, Pedro Silva, Grimi, Izmailov (Tonel 90), Vukčević (Pereirinha 74), Rochemback, João Moutinho, Hélder Postiga (Derlei 27), Liedson				
League	28/02/09	FC Porto (A)	0-0	
<b>Lineups:</b> Tiago, Daniel Carriço, Polga, Pedro Silva, Grimi (Marco Caneira 29), Izmailov (Yannick Djaló 68), Pereirinha, Rochemback (Adrien Silva 82), João Moutinho, Derlei, Liedson				
League	07/03/09	FC Paços de Ferreira (H)	2-0	Liedson 8, Derlei 34
<b>Lineups:</b> Rui Patrício, Pedro Silva, Daniel Carriço, Polga, Marco Caneira, Adrien Silva, Pereirinha, Izmailov (Vukčević 67), João Moutinho, Liedson (Rodrigo Tiuí 90), Derlei (Yannick Djaló 82)				
League	14/03/09	Rio Ave FC (H)		
League	05/04/09	Leixões SC (A)		
League	11/04/09	A. Naval 1° Maio (H)		
League	19/04/09	Vitória SC (A)		
League	26/04/09	CF Estrela da Amadora (H)		
League	03/05/09	A. Académica de Coimbra (A)		
League	10/05/09	Vitória FC (H)		
League	17/05/09	CS Marítimo (A)		
League	24/05/09	CD Nacional (H)		

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Pos.	Clubs	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	FC Porto	21	13	6	2	39	15	45
2	SL Benfica	21	12	7	2	36	20	43
<b>3</b>	<b>Sporting Clube de Portugal</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>41</b>
4	SC Braga	21	10	6	5	24	14	36
5	CD Nacional	21	10	5	6	33	23	35
6	Leixões SC	21	9	8	4	24	20	35
7	CS Marítimo	21	9	6	6	27	21	33
8	Vitória SC	21	7	6	8	22	24	27
9	CF Estrela da Amadora	21	6	8	7	18	24	26
10	A. Académica de Coimbra	21	6	6	9	18	23	24
11	A. Naval 1º Maio	21	6	5	10	20	27	23
12	FC Paços de Ferreira	21	5	4	12	25	36	19
13	Vitória FC	21	5	4	12	14	29	19
14	CD Trofense	21	4	6	11	17	27	18
15	Rio Ave FC	21	4	5	12	14	26	17
16	CF Os Belenenses	21	3	7	11	19	35	16

UEFA information

**Anti-racism conference in Warsaw**

The third Unite Against Racism conference was held last week in Warsaw, Poland, ending with a common determination to reinforce the battle against discrimination and intolerance in football. UEFA, the Football Against Racism in Europe network and the players' union FIFPro joined forces with delegates from associations, leagues, clubs, players, non-governmental organisations, the media and the world of politics to further the fight against a phenomenon that sadly continues to cast a shadow over football. UEFA General Secretary David Taylor emphasised UEFA's policy of zero tolerance towards acts of racism. "At UEFA we try to be vigilant and on our guard," he said, "and we're ready to take action where incidents occur."

UEFA first vice-president Şenes Erzik echoed the sentiments of all those present at the Warsaw gathering in his address. "Tolerance of racism, exclusion, sexism or homophobia is unacceptable," he said. "Skin colour is invisible under a football shirt. Today, UEFA is offering you its support as we continue to make progress together."

**Trophy Tour in Africa**

Thousands of football supporters enjoyed the moment of a lifetime when they came close to European club football's blue-riband prize – the UEFA Champions League trophy – as this spring's Trophy Tour of Africa, presented by Heineken, kicked off in Lagos, Nigeria. Following a three-hour procession through the Nigerian city, the public day on 28 February was opened by the ambassador for the tour's Nigerian leg, the former RSC Anderlecht and Chelsea FC full-back Celestine Babayaro – together with a special guest for the occasion, Jay-Jay Okocha, who enjoyed a fine career in Germany, Turkey, England and France. A total of 4,500 football fans revelled in the UEFA Champions League experience by wandering through the exhibition stands and viewing videos, pictures and the unique football memorabilia on display at the Heineken Champions Planet dome.

**UEFA Congress in Copenhagen**

Copenhagen, Denmark, is the venue for the XXXIII Ordinary UEFA Congress on 25 March. Representatives of UEFA's 53 national member associations come together for European football's annual parliament to hear and vote upon a variety of issues. Elections for the UEFA Executive Committee and the FIFA Executive Committee will be held at the Congress. A dozen representatives from UEFA's national associations have submitted their candidature for election to the UEFA Executive Committee, with nine seats available for the 2009-2013 period. Eight available positions are four-year terms and the other is for two years. Reports by the UEFA President and Executive Committee, and the UEFA administration, on activities for 2007/08 will be submitted for approval, and the Congress will hear reports from the chairman of the UEFA committees on the deliberations that took place in 2008. There will be an update on the ambitious UEFA HatTrick assistance programme on behalf of UEFA member associations.

**Red Cross presentation**

Before the start of the UEFA Champions League first knockout round second leg between FC Barcelona and Olympique Lyonnais at the Camp Nou, Barcelona midfielder Xavi Hernández will receive the uefa.com users' Team of 2008 award of €100,000 from William Gaillard, adviser to the UEFA President. Xavi – captain of the Team of the Year 2008, as chosen by uefa.com users – will use it to 'Score for the Red Cross' in support of the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) rehabilitation project for land-mine victims in Afghanistan. The UEFA EURO 2008™ Score for the Red Cross humanitarian campaign proved a resounding success, with just over €500,000 raised for the rehabilitation project for land-mine victims in Afghanistan. The tally of 77 goals at the EURO means that €308,000 was collected from UEFA alone. European football's governing body pledged to donate €4,000 per goal scored in the tournament. In addition, more than €200,000 collected from fans contributed to the web-driven campaign.

According to Christoph Harnisch, head of the ICRC external resources division, Xavi's involvement in promoting the Red Cross project is crucial. His support offers hope to children around the world. "It is a real encouragement to us," he said. "I have been in many countries where there are wars and conflicts, and I have met a lot of youngsters in very difficult situations, and all of them like football. There is a man, a patient in our rehabilitation centre in Kabul, who said to us: 'When I play football, I forget my handicap and the war.' Football and somebody like Xavi do give hope. For us, it is really great to have such a player involved."

Match-by-match lineups - FC Bayern München

**Group stage**

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
FC Bayern München	6	4	2	0	12	4	14
Olympique Lyonnais	6	3	2	1	14	10	11
ACF Fiorentina	6	1	3	2	5	8	6
FC Steaua Bucureşti	6	0	1	5	3	12	1

Date	Match	Result	Stadium/Venue
17.09.2008	Steaua - Bayern	0-1	Steaua Stadium, Bucharest
<b>Goals:</b> 0-1 Van Buyten 15			
<b>Bayern:</b> Rensing, Lucio, Van Buyten, Demichelis, Toni, Zé Roberto (Ottl 75), Van Bommel, Klose (Podolski 46), Lahm, Lell, Schweinsteiger (Borowski 84)			
30.09.2008	Bayern - Lyon	1-1	Fußball Arena München, Munich
<b>Goals:</b> 0-1 Demichelis 25 (o.g.) , 1-1 Zé Roberto 52			
<b>Bayern:</b> Rensing, Lucio, Demichelis, Ribéry (Borowski 82), Toni, Zé Roberto, Klose, Lahm, Oddo, Schweinsteiger, Breno			
21.10.2008	Bayern - Fiorentina	3-0	Fußball Arena München, Munich
<b>Goals:</b> 1-0 Klose 4, 2-0 Schweinsteiger 25, 3-0 Zé Roberto 90			
<b>Bayern:</b> Rensing, Lucio, Demichelis, Ribéry, Toni (Podolski 57), Zé Roberto, Van Bommel, Klose, Lahm (Lell 46), Oddo, Schweinsteiger (Borowski 65)			
05.11.2008	Fiorentina - Bayern	1-1	Artemio Franchi, Florence
<b>Goals:</b> 1-0 Mutu 11, 1-1 Borowski 78			
<b>Bayern:</b> Rensing, Lucio, Demichelis, Ribéry, Podolski (Ottl 89), Zé Roberto, Van Bommel, Klose, Oddo, Borowski, Schweinsteiger (Kroos 79)			
25.11.2008	Bayern - Steaua	3-0	Fußball Arena München, Munich
<b>Goals:</b> 1-0 Klose 57, 2-0 Toni 61, 3-0 Klose 71			
<b>Bayern:</b> Rensing, Lucio (Breno 78), Van Buyten, Ribéry, Toni (Borowski 82), Zé Roberto, Van Bommel, Klose, Lahm, Oddo, Schweinsteiger			
10.12.2008	Lyon - Bayern	2-3	Stade de Gerland, Lyon
<b>Goals:</b> 0-1 Klose 11, 0-2 Ribéry 34, 0-3 Klose 37, 1-3 Govou 52, 2-3 Benzema 68			
<b>Bayern:</b> Rensing, Van Buyten, Demichelis, Ribéry, Toni, Van Bommel, Klose (Ottl 68), Lahm, Oddo (Breno 90+3), Borowski, Schweinsteiger (Hamit Altintop 89)			

**First knockout round, first leg**

Date	Match	Result	Stadium, Venue
25/02/09	Sporting - Bayern	0-5	José Alvalade, Lisbon
<b>Goals:</b> 0-1 Ribéry 42, 0-2 Klose 57, 0-3 Ribéry 63 (pen) , 0-4 Toni 84, 0-5 Toni 90+1			
<b>Sporting:</b> Tiago, Polga, Izmailov (Vukčević 61), Derlei (Yannick Djaló 71), Marco Caneira, Tonel, Rochemback, João Moutinho, Romagnoli, Liedson, Abel (Pereirinha 61)			
<b>Bayern:</b> Rensing, Lucio (Van Buyten 78), Demichelis, Ribéry, Toni, Zé Roberto, Van Bommel, Klose, Lahm, Oddo (Lell 67), Schweinsteiger (Hamit Altintop 71)			

Match-by-match lineups - Sporting Clube de Portugal

**Group stage**

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
FC Barcelona	6	4	1	1	18	8	13
Sporting Clube de Portugal	6	4	0	2	8	8	12
FC Shakhtar Donetsk	6	3	0	3	11	7	9
FC Basel 1893	6	0	1	5	2	16	1

Date	Match	Result	Stadium/Venue
16.09.2008	Barcelona - Sporting	3-1	Camp Nou, Barcelona
<b>Goals:</b> 1-0 Márquez 21, 2-0 Eto'o 60 (pen) , 2-1 Tonel 72, 3-1 Xavi Hernández 87			
<b>Sporting:</b> Rui Patrício, Polga, Izmailov, Derlei, Marco Caneira (Pereirinha 79), Tonel, Yannick Djaló (Hélder Postiga 62), Rochemback, João Moutinho, Romagnoli (Miguel Veloso 66), Abel			
01.10.2008	Sporting - Basel	2-0	José Alvalade, Lisbon
<b>Goals:</b> 1-0 Zanni 55 (o.g.) , 2-0 Derlei 86			
<b>Sporting:</b> Rui Patrício, Polga, Derlei, Tonel, Grimi, Hélder Postiga (Yannick Djaló 73), Miguel Veloso, Rochemback (Vukčević 46), João Moutinho, Romagnoli (Pereirinha 87), Abel			
22.10.2008	Shakhtar - Sporting	0-1	RSC Olympiyskiy Stadium, Donetsk
<b>Goals:</b> 0-1 Liedson 76			
<b>Sporting:</b> Rui Patrício, Polga, Izmailov (Grimi 74), Derlei (Hélder Postiga 88), Tonel, Miguel Veloso, Rochemback, João Moutinho, Romagnoli (Pereirinha 68), Liedson, Abel			
04.11.2008	Sporting - Shakhtar	1-0	José Alvalade, Lisbon
<b>Goals:</b> 1-0 Derlei 73			
<b>Sporting:</b> Rui Patrício, Polga, Izmailov (Pereirinha 90+3), Marco Caneira, Grimi, Hélder Postiga (Derlei 69), Miguel Veloso, Rochemback, João Moutinho, Liedson, Abel			
26.11.2008	Sporting - Barcelona	2-5	José Alvalade, Lisbon
<b>Goals:</b> 0-1 Henry 14, 0-2 Piqué 17, 0-3 Messi 49, 1-3 Miguel Veloso 65, 2-3 Liedson 66, 2-4 Marco Caneira 67 (o.g.) , 2-5 Krkić 73 (pen)			
<b>Sporting:</b> Rui Patrício, Daniel Carriço, Polga, Marco Caneira, Grimi, Yannick Djaló (Tiago 73), Miguel Veloso, Pereirinha, João Moutinho, Romagnoli (Derlei 46), Liedson (Hélder Postiga 79)			
09.12.2008	Basel - Sporting	0-1	St. Jakob-Park, Basel
<b>Goals:</b> 0-1 Yannick Djaló 19			
<b>Sporting:</b> Tiago, Daniel Carriço, Polga, Izmailov, Vukčević (Abel 45), Derlei, Marco Caneira, Yannick Djaló, Pereirinha (Adrien Silva 46), Rochemback (Miguel Veloso 73), João Moutinho			

**First knockout round, first leg**

Date	Match	Result	Stadium, Venue
25/02/09	Sporting - Bayern	0-5	José Alvalade, Lisbon
<b>Goals:</b> 0-1 Ribéry 42, 0-2 Klose 57, 0-3 Ribéry 63 (pen) , 0-4 Toni 84, 0-5 Toni 90+1			
<b>Sporting:</b> Tiago, Polga, Izmailov (Vukčević 61), Derlei (Yannick Djaló 71), Marco Caneira, Tonel, Rochemback, João Moutinho, Romagnoli, Liedson, Abel (Pereirinha 61)			
<b>Bayern:</b> Rensing, Lucio (Van Buyten 78), Demichelis, Ribéry, Toni, Zé Roberto, Van Bommel, Klose, Lahm, Oddo (Lell 67), Schweinsteiger (Hamit Altıntop 71)			



## Competition facts

### **UEFA Champions League knockout stage:** Did you know?

- Teams have recovered from a first-leg deficit to go through to the next stage on 21 occasions, although only once – AFC Ajax's defeat of Panathinaikos FC in the 1995/96 semi-finals – has a side gone through after losing the first leg at home. The biggest losing margin a side has overturned was achieved by RC Deportivo La Coruña in the 2003/04 quarter-finals when they fought back from a 4-1 defeat at AC Milan to win 4-0 at home.
- Fifteen ties have been decided on the away goals rule, including five where the triumphant team lost the first leg.
- Manchester United FC hold the record for the biggest first-leg lead with a 4-0 home success against FC Porto in the 1996/97 quarter-finals, eventually going through by that margin after a goalless return.
- Nine ties have now gone to penalties. Five of these were finals – 1996, 2001, 2003, 2005 and 2008. The first two-legged tie decided on spot-kicks was PSV Eindhoven's 4-2 win against Olympique Lyonnais on 13 April 2005 after a 2-2 aggregate draw.
- In all, 16 ties have required extra time including, in 2007/08, Fenerbahçe SK's win against Sevilla FC, FC Schalke 04's triumph over Porto in the first knockout round and Manchester United's final victory against Chelsea, with all three ties eventually being settled on penalties. So far seven ties have been decided by extra time alone: four quarter-finals, two first knockout round encounters and last season's semi-final between Chelsea and Liverpool FC.
- Real Madrid CF have extended their record for knockout stage qualification in successive seasons. The 2008/09 campaign is the twelfth straight season since 1997/98 that they made it beyond the group stage, keeping them ahead of Manchester United, who appeared nine times in a row between 1996/97 and 2004/05. Overall, Real Madrid have now played in the knockout stage 13 times, one more than United and two more than FC Bayern München.
- The 2004/05 first knockout round encounter between Lyon and Werder Bremen featured more goals (12) over its two legs than any previous UEFA Champions League knockout tie as Lyon defeated Bremen 10-2.
- There has never been a knockout tie ending goalless after two legs. Nine have finished 1-0 on aggregate, most recently Manchester United's narrow victory against FC Barcelona in the 2007/08 semi-finals.
- Clarence Seedorf is the only player to win the European Champion Clubs' Cup with three clubs (AFC Ajax 1995, Madrid 1998, Milan 2003, 2007). Liverpool's Bob Paisley (1977, 1978, 1981) is the only coach to win three times.
- Ottmar Hitzfeld (BV Borussia Dortmund 1997, Bayern 2001) and Ernst Happel (Feyenoord 1970, Hamburger SV 1983) are the only coaches to win the trophy with two clubs.
- Only five capital cities have been home to teams that have won the European Cup: Madrid (Real Madrid), Belgrade (FK Crvena Zvezda), Bucharest (FC Steaua Bucureşti), Amsterdam (Ajax) and Lisbon (SL Benfica).
- Rome was awarded the 2009 UEFA Champions League final after a decision by the UEFA Executive Committee at its meeting in Ljubljana, Slovenia in October 2006. The Stadio Olimpico, home of AS Roma and S.S. Lazio, previously held European Cup finals in 1977, 1984 and 1996 – Liverpool winning the first two games and Juventus the last – and was also the venue for the 1990 FIFA World Cup final between West Germany and Argentina. Other major events at the stadium include the 1987 IAAF World Championships in athletics and the 1960 Olympic Games, for which it was constructed in 1953.

### **UEFA Champions League:** Did you know?

- S.S. Lazio goalkeeper Marco Ballotta became the oldest player to compete in the UEFA Champions League in 2007/08 when he featured against Olympiacos CFP on Matchday 1 aged 43 years and 168 days. The record was previously held by Alessandro Costacurta, the AC Milan defender who played against AEK Athens FC in 2006/07 aged 40 years and 211 days. Ballotta was 43 years 252 days when he featured against Real Madrid on Matchday 6.
- Laurent Blanc is the oldest player to score in the competition, aged 36 years and 339 days, having found the net for Manchester United in their 3-2 defeat of Olympiacos on 23 October 2002.
- Celestine Babayaro is the youngest player to have appeared. He was 16 years and 87 days when he started for RSC Anderlecht against FC Steaua Bucureşti on 23 November 1994. He was then sent off in the 37th minute.

Team facts

**FC Bayern München**

**UEFA club competition milestones**

• Four-time European champions, Bayern have reached seven European Champion Clubs' Cup finals and, together with AFC Ajax, dominated the competition during the 1970s by claiming three successive trophies, beating Club Atlético de Madrid (1973/74), Leeds United AFC (1974/75) and AS Saint-Etienne (1975/76). UEFA Cup Winners' Cup victors in 1966/67, Bayern completed the European club football hat-trick by seeing off FC Girondins de Bordeaux in the 1995/96 UEFA Cup final.

**UEFA Champions League milestones**

• Two years after the heartbreak of conceding two last-gasp goals to lose the final against Manchester United FC, Bayern claimed their fourth European Cup – and their only one since the onset of the UEFA Champions League – in 2000/01 when they overcame Valencia CF on penalties. Last season was the first edition Bayern had not taken part in since 1996/97.

**UEFA club competition honours**

- European Champion Clubs' Cup: 1973/74, 1974/75, 1975/76, 2000/01
- UEFA Cup: 1995/96
- UEFA Cup Winners' Cup: 1966/67
- European/South American Cup: 1976, 2001

**Ten-year record**

- 2007/08:** UEFA Cup – semi-finals
- 2006/07:** UEFA Champions League – quarter-finals
- 2005/06:** UEFA Champions League – first knockout round
- 2004/05:** UEFA Champions League – quarter-finals
- 2003/04:** UEFA Champions League – first knockout round
- 2002/03:** UEFA Champions League – first group stage
- 2001/02:** UEFA Champions League – quarter-finals
- 2000/01:** UEFA Champions League – winners
- 1999/00:** UEFA Champions League – semi-finals
- 1998/99:** UEFA Champions League – runners-up

**2007/08 season**

**Domestic record:** After coming fourth the previous season, Bayern romped to the Bundesliga title finishing ten points clear of the chasing pack and losing just two games throughout the campaign. Coach Ottmar Hitzfeld also led his side to the German Cup final where they defeated BV Borussia Dortmund 2-1 after extra time to secure the domestic double.

**European record:** Bayern topped UEFA Cup Group F with eight points following a first-round win against CF Os Belenenses. The Round of 32 brought a comprehensive defeat of Aberdeen FC and they also swept aside RSC Anderlecht. However, they needed two late strikes for a dramatic away goals quarter-final victory over Getafe CF and then met FC Zenit St. Petersburg in the last four. After a 1-1 draw at home, Bayern lost 4-0 in Russia to go out to the eventual champions.

**Records**

**UEFA club competition**

- Biggest win  
**10-0:** FC Bayern München v Anorthosis Famagusta FC  
28.09.1983, UEFA Cup first round second leg
- Biggest home win  
**10-0:** FC Bayern München v Anorthosis Famagusta FC (see above for details)

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### • Biggest away win

- 0-5:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v FC Bayern München  
25.02.2009, UEFA Champions League first knockout round first leg
- 0-5:** RSC Anderlecht v FC Bayern München  
06.03.2008, UEFA Cup Round of 16 first leg
- 0-5:** FC Lokomotiv Moskva v FC Bayern München  
26.09.1995, UEFA Cup, first round second leg
- 0-5:** Køge BK v FC Bayern München  
15.09.1976, European Champion Clubs' Cup first round first leg
- 0-5:** AS Jeunesse Esch v FC Bayern München  
17.09.1975, European Champion Clubs' Cup first round first leg

### • Heaviest defeat

- 4-0:** FC Zenit St. Petersburg v FC Bayern München  
01.05.2008, UEFA Cup semi-final second leg
- 6-2:** FC København v FC Bayern München  
22.10.1991, UEFA Cup second round first leg
- 5-1:** Eintracht Frankfurt v FC Bayern München  
22.04.1980, UEFA Cup semi-final second leg
- 4-0:** Eintracht Frankfurt v FC Bayern München  
23.11.1977, UEFA Cup third round first leg
- 4-0:** AFC Ajax v FC Bayern München  
07.03.1973, European Champion Clubs' Cup quarter-finals first leg

### • Heaviest home defeat

- 0-2:** FC Bayern München v AC Milan  
11.04.2007, UEFA Champions League quarter-finals second leg
- 0-2:** FC Bayern München v FC Internazionale Milano  
23.11.1988, UEFA Cup third round first leg

### • Heaviest away defeat

- 4-0:** FC Zenit St. Petersburg v FC Bayern München (see above for details)
- 6-2:** FC København v FC Bayern München (see above for details)
- 5-1:** Eintracht Frankfurt v FC Bayern München (see above for details)
- 4-0:** Eintracht Frankfurt v FC Bayern München (see above for details)

### UEFA Champions League (group stage to final only)

#### • Biggest win

- 0-5:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v FC Bayern München (see above for details)

#### • Biggest home win

- 4-0:** FC Bayern München v FC Spartak Moskva  
12.09.2006, UEFA Champions League group stage
- 5-1:** FC Bayern München v Maccabi Tel-Aviv FC  
23.11.2004, UEFA Champions League group stage
- 5-1:** FC Bayern München v FC Spartak Moskva  
17.10.2001, UEFA Champions League first group stage
- 5-1:** FC Bayern München v Paris Saint-Germain FC  
22.10.1997, UEFA Champions League group stage

#### • Biggest away win

- 0-5:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v FC Bayern München (see above for details)

#### • Heaviest defeat

- 4-1:** AC Milan v FC Bayern München  
08.03.2006, UEFA Champions League first knockout round second leg
- 3-0:** Olympique Lyonnais v FC Bayern München  
06.03.2001, UEFA Champions League second group stage
- 5-2:** AFC Ajax v FC Bayern München  
19.04.1995, UEFA Champions League semi-finals second leg

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### • Heaviest home defeat

**0-2:** FC Bayern München v AC Milan

11.04.2007, UEFA Champions League quarter-finals second leg

### • Heaviest away defeat

**4-1:** AC Milan v FC Bayern München (see above for details)

**3-0:** Olympique Lyonnais v FC Bayern München (see above for details)

**5-2:** AFC Ajax v FC Bayern München (see above for details)

## Sporting Clube de Portugal

### UEFA club competition milestones

• Of Portugal's 'big three', Sporting are the only club never to have won the European Champion Clubs' Cup. They did lift the 1963/64 UEFA Cup Winners' Cup though, with a 4-3 aggregate win against MTK Budapest.

• Sporting's most recent shot at European success came in the 2004/05 UEFA Cup, when they got all the way to the final at their own Estádio José Alvalade in Lisbon only to lose 3-1 to PFC CSKA Moskva. Their best European Cup run came in reaching the 1982/83 quarter-finals but they lost 2-1 on aggregate to Real Sociedad de Fútbol despite winning the first leg 1-0 at home.

### UEFA Champions League milestones

• All four of the club's previous campaigns – in 1997/98, 2000/01, 2006/07 and 2007/08 – have ended in the group stage.

### UEFA club competition honours

• UEFA Cup Winners' Cup: 1963/64

### Ten-year record

**2007/08:** UEFA Cup – quarter-finals (having transferred from the UEFA Champions League group stage)

**2006/07:** UEFA Champions League – group stage

**2005/06:** UEFA Cup – first round (having transferred from European Champion Clubs' Cup third qualifying round)

**2004/05:** UEFA Cup – runners-up

**2003/04:** UEFA Cup – second round

**2002/03:** UEFA Cup – first round (having transferred from European Champion Clubs' Cup third qualifying round)

**2001/02:** UEFA Cup – third round

**2000/01:** UEFA Champions League – first group stage

**1999/00:** UEFA Cup – first round

**1998/99:** UEFA Cup – first round

### 2007/08 season

**Domestic record:** Sporting came second to FC Porto for the third season in a row, but did not truly challenge the champions after finishing 14 points adrift. However, they defeated those same rivals in the Portuguese Cup final winning 2-0 after extra time to secure their second consecutive triumph and their 15th overall.

**European record:** Sporting finished third in Group F missing out on the knockout phase, but two wins helped them into the UEFA Cup Round of 32. They swept aside FC Basel 1893 5-0 on aggregate and then defeated Bolton Wanderers FC in the last 16. However, Sporting came unstuck against another British club and the eventual runners-up, Rangers FC, in the quarter-finals after losing 2-0 at home following a goalless first leg in Scotland.

## Records

### UEFA club competition

• Biggest win

**16-1:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v APOEL FC

13.11.1963, European Champion Clubs' Cup first round first leg

• Biggest home win

**16-1:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v APOEL FC (see above for details)

• Biggest away win

**0-9:** ÍA Akranes v Sporting Clube de Portugal

17.09.1986, UEFA Cup first round first leg

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### • Heaviest defeat

- 0-5:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v FC Bayern München  
25.02.2009, UEFA Champions League first knockout round first leg
- 5-0:** Celtic FC v Sporting Clube de Portugal  
02.11.1983, UEFA Cup second round second leg
- 6-1:** Hibernian FC v Sporting Clube de Portugal  
27.09.1972, UEFA Cup Winners' Cup first round second leg
- 5-0:** Vasas SC v Sporting Clube de Portugal  
05.10.1966, European Champion Clubs' Cup first round first leg

### • Heaviest home defeat

- 0-5:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v FC Bayern München (see above for details)

### • Heaviest away defeat

- 5-0:** Celtic FC v Sporting Clube de Portugal (see above for details)
- 6-1:** Hibernian FC v Sporting Clube de Portugal (see above for details)
- 5-0:** Vasas SC v Sporting Clube de Portugal (see above for details)

### UEFA Champions League (group stage to final only)

#### • Biggest win

- 3-0:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v FC Dynamo Kyiv  
12.12.2007 UEFA Champions League group stage
- 3-0:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v AS Monaco FC  
17.09.1997, UEFA Champions League group stage

#### • Biggest home win

- 3-0:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v FC Dynamo Kyiv (see above for details)
- 3-0:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v AS Monaco FC (see above for details)

#### • Biggest away win

- 0-1:** FC Basel 1893 v Sporting Clube de Portugal  
09.12.2008, UEFA Champions League group stage
- 0-1:** FC Shakhtar Donetsk v Sporting Clube de Portugal  
22.10.2008, UEFA Champions League group stage
- 1-2:** FC Dynamo Kyiv v Sporting Clube de Portugal  
02.10.2007, UEFA Champions League group stage

#### • Heaviest defeat

- 0-5:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v FC Bayern München (see above for details)

#### • Heaviest home defeat

- 0-5:** Sporting Clube de Portugal v FC Bayern München (see above for details)

#### • Heaviest away defeat

- 4-0:** Real Madrid CF v Sporting Clube de Portugal (see above for details)

### Legend

#### :: All-time statistics

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

**UEFA club competition:** These are the official statistics considered valid for communicating official records in UEFA club competition defined as the European Champion Clubs' Cup, the UEFA Champions League, the UEFA Cup Winners' Cup (1960-1999), the UEFA Cup, the UEFA Super Cup (1973 - ), the UEFA Intertoto Cup and the European/South American Cup (1960-2004). Matches in the Inter-Cities' Fairs Cup and the 1972 Super Cup are included only for information as these were not held under UEFA auspices, while the FIFA Club World Cup is excluded.

#### :: Squad list

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

**Current season - UCLQ:** Total UEFA Champions League appearances in qualifying rounds only.

**Current season - UCL:** Total UEFA Champions League appearances from the group stage onwards prior to the current matchday.

**Current season - League:** Total league appearances based on the date press kit was last updated

**All-time - UCL:** Total appearances in the UEFA Champions League from the 1992/93 season, group stage to final only. These are the official statistics considered valid for communicating official records in the competition.

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

**Age:** based on the date press kit was last updated

**BL:** Booking list (\*: misses next match if booked, S: suspended, #: suspended for at least one match)

#### :: Match officials

The match officials appointed to officiate the fixture.

**UCL:** Total matches officiated in the UEFA Champions League from 1992/93 season, group stage to final only. 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.

**UEFA:** Total matches officiated in UEFA club competition 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.

#### :: Competitions

##### Club competitions

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

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

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

**ICF:** Inter-Cities Fairs Cup

##### National team competitions

**EURO:** UEFA European Football Championship

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

**FRIE:** Friendly internationals • **U21FRIE:** Under-21 friendly internationals

**U21:** UEFA European Under-21 Championship

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

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

#### :: 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

**FT:** Final tournament

**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

**P-O:** Play-off

#### :: 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

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

#### :: Statistics

**(-)** : Denotes player substituted

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

**(+)** : Denotes player introduced

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

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