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AFC Ajax

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Previous meetings

Head to Head

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/11/10	GS	AFC Ajax - Real Madrid CF	0-4	Amsterdam	Benzema 36, Arbeloa 44, Cristiano Ronaldo 70, 81(p)
15/09/10	GS	Real Madrid CF - AFC Ajax	2-0	Madrid	Anita 31(og), Higuaín 73

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
22/11/95	GS	Real Madrid CF - AFC Ajax	0-2	Madrid	Litmanen 65, Kluivert 76
13/09/95	GS	AFC Ajax - Real Madrid CF	1-0	Amsterdam	Overmars 14

European Champion Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
25/04/73	SF	Real Madrid CF - AFC Ajax	0-1 agg: 1-3	Madrid	Mühren 51
11/04/73	SF	AFC Ajax - Real Madrid CF	2-1	Amsterdam	Hulshoff 67, Krol 77; Pirri 83

European Champion Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
11/10/67	R1	Real Madrid CF - AFC Ajax	2-1 agg 3-2 (aet)	Madrid	Gento 58, Veloso 101 ET; Groot 59
20/09/67	R1	AFC Ajax - Real Madrid CF	1-1	Amsterdam	Cruyff 17; Pirri 36

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
Real Madrid CF	4	2	0	2	4	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	8	3	1	4	10	8
AFC Ajax	4	2	1	1	4	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	8	4	1	3	8	10

Real Madrid CF - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Super Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
30/08/02	F	Real Madrid CF - Feyenoord	3-1	Monaco	Paauwe 15(og), Roberto Carlos 21, Guti 60; Van Hooijdonk 56

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
10/12/92	R3	Real Madrid CF - Vitesse	1-0 agg: 2-0	Madrid	Zamorano 31
26/11/92	R3	Vitesse - Real Madrid CF	0-1	Arnhem	Hierro 72

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
06/11/91	R2	Real Madrid CF - FC Utrecht	1-0 agg: 4-1	Madrid	Hagi 18
23/10/91	R2	FC Utrecht - Real Madrid CF	1-3	Utrecht	Smolarek 18; Prosinečki 45, Roest 66(og), Pérez Villarroja 75

European Champion Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
15/03/89	QF	Real Madrid CF - PSV Eindhoven	2-1 agg 3-2 (aet)	Madrid	Sánchez 61, Martín Vázquez 105 ET; Romário 82
01/03/89	QF	PSV Eindhoven - Real Madrid CF	1-1	Eindhoven	Romário 53; Butragueño 47

European Champion Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
20/04/88	SF	PSV Eindhoven - Real Madrid CF	0-0 agg: 1-1 ag	Eindhoven	
06/04/88	SF	Real Madrid CF - PSV Eindhoven	1-1	Madrid	Sánchez 6(p); Linskens 19

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
03/11/71	R2	PSV Eindhoven - Real Madrid CF	2-0 agg: 3-3 ag	Eindhoven	Mulders 9, Hoekema 56
20/10/71	R2	Real Madrid CF - PSV Eindhoven	3-1	Madrid	Anzarda 2, Aguilar 34, Amancio Amaro 47(p); Hoekema 22

UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
28/04/71	SF	Real Madrid CF - PSV Eindhoven	2-1 agg: 2-1	Madrid	Zoco 33, Pirri 82; van den Dungen 58
14/04/71	SF	PSV Eindhoven - Real Madrid CF	0-0	Eindhoven	

European Champion Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
22/09/65	PR	Real Madrid CF - Feyenoord	5-0 agg: 6-2	Madrid	Puskás 12, 22, 35, 86, Grosso 44
08/09/65	PR	Feyenoord - Real Madrid CF	2-1	Rotterdam	Venneker 77, Kraay 85; Puskás 38

AFC Ajax - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
30/11/06	GS	AFC Ajax - RCD Espanyol	0-2	Amsterdam	Pandiani 35, Coro 77

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
04/11/03	GS	RC Celta de Vigo - AFC Ajax	3-2	Vigo	Luccin 25(p), Milošević 39, Vagner 63; Sonck 53, Van der Vaart 82
22/10/03	GS	AFC Ajax - RC Celta de Vigo	1-0	Amsterdam	Ibrahimović 53

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
11/03/03	2ndGS	AFC Ajax - Valencia CF	1-1	Amsterdam	Pasanen 57; Kily González 28(p)
27/11/02	2ndGS	Valencia CF - AFC Ajax	1-1	Valencia	Angulo 90+2; Ibrahimović 88

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
09/12/99	R3	RCD Mallorca - AFC Ajax	2-0 agg: 3-0	Palma de Mallorca	Soler 3, Biagini 72
25/11/99	R3	AFC Ajax - RCD Mallorca	0-1	Amsterdam	Tristán 35

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
19/03/97	QF	Club Atlético de Madrid - AFC Ajax	2-3 agg 3-4 (aet)	Madrid	Kiko 29, Pantic 106 ET(p); Ronald de Boer 49, Dani 100 ET, Babangida 119 ET
05/03/97	QF	AFC Ajax - Club Atlético de Madrid	1-1	Amsterdam	Kluivert 53; Esnaider 8

UEFA Super Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
28/02/96	F	AFC Ajax - Real Zaragoza	4-0 agg: 5-1	Amsterdam	Bogarde 41, Finidi 53, Blind 63(p), 68
06/02/96	F	Real Zaragoza - AFC Ajax	1-1	Zaragoza	Xavi Aguado 28; Kluivert 71

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
11/12/91	R3	AFC Ajax - CA Osasuna	1-0 agg: 2-0	Dusseldorf	Bergkamp 12
27/11/91	R3	CA Osasuna - AFC Ajax	0-1	Pamplona	Bergkamp 48

UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
22/04/87	SF	AFC Ajax - Real Zaragoza	3-0 agg: 6-2	Amsterdam	Van't Schip 17, Witschge 73, Rijkaard 90
08/04/87	SF	Real Zaragoza - AFC Ajax	2-3	Zaragoza	Ardaiz 13, Señor 71(p); Witschge 16, Bosman 47, 55

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
27/09/78	R1	AFC Ajax - Athletic Club	3-0 agg: 3-2	Amsterdam	Clarke 38(p), 55, Lerby 89
13/09/78	R1	Athletic Club - AFC Ajax	2-0	Bilbao	Churruca 9, Vidal 58

European Champion Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
28/04/71	SF	AFC Ajax - Club Atlético de Madrid	3-0 agg: 3-1	Amsterdam	Keizer 8, Suurbier 76, Neeskens 85
14/04/71	SF	Club Atlético de Madrid - AFC Ajax	1-0	Madrid	Irureta 43

Record versus clubs from opponents' country

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
Real Madrid CF	11	8	1	2	11	3	4	4	1	1	0	0	23	12	5	6	34	19
AFC Ajax	13	7	3	3	12	5	1	6	2	1	1	0	27	13	5	9	36	29

Match background

Real Madrid CF scored six goals without reply when they faced AFC Ajax in last season's UEFA Champions League group stage and will be looking for a similar show of strength when the teams reunite at Santiago Bernabéu.

- The Spanish side opened Group D with a 1-0 win at GNK Dinamo Zagreb, Ángel Di María scoring the only goal and Madrid holding on despite Marcelo's red card. The same night Ajax were held 0-0 by Olympique Lyonnais in Amsterdam.

Previous meetings

- Madrid launched their campaign 12 months ago with a 2-0 home win against Ajax, a Vurnon Anita own goal and Gonzalo Higuaín securing the points.

- The lineups in Madrid on 15 September 2010 were:

Madrid: Casillas, Carvalho, Pepe, Marcelo, Arbeloa, Alonso (L Diarra 83), Di María (León 80), Özil (Canales 88), Khedira, Ronaldo, Higuaín.

Ajax: Stekelenburg, Van der Wiel, Alderweireld, Anita, Ooijer, Enoh, De Jong, Emanuelson, De Zeeuw (Tainio 69), Sulejmani (Eriksen 85), El Hamdaoui.

- Two months later Cristiano Ronaldo scored twice as Madrid won 4-0 in Amsterdam despite having both Xabi Alonso and Sergio Ramos sent off in the closing stages. First-half goals from Karim Benzema and Álvaro Arbeloa helped ensure Madrid would finish top of their group for the third time in the last four editions.

Match background

- Before last season Ajax were the dominant force in encounters between the sides; indeed they still have four wins to Madrid's three, with the other match drawn.

- In the 1972/73 European Champion Clubs' Cup semi-final, Ajax won 2-1 at home to Madrid then triumphed 1-0 in Spain thanks to Gerrie Mühren's goal.

- Madrid's home record against teams from the Netherlands is W8 D1 L2; the visitors' away record against Spanish sides is W5 D2 L6.

- The Merengues ended a run of six successive last-16 eliminations when they made it through to last season's semi-finals, where they lost 3-1 on aggregate to FC Barcelona thanks largely to a 2-0 first-leg defeat at the Bernabéu. In their 15 participations to date they have never once failed to progress to the knockout rounds.

- Ajax, who are competing in the UEFA Champions League for the tenth time, followed their defeat in Madrid in last season's group stage with a 2-1 loss at AJ Auxerre and a 2-0 victory at AC Milan to finish third in the section.

Team ties

- During four years as a Barcelona player between 1999 and 2003, Frank de Boer faced Madrid nine times in the Liga and UEFA Champions League, winning two, losing two and drawing five.

- In the Dutchman's first year at Barcelona, José Mourinho was an assistant to coach Louis van Gaal.

- De Boer was part of the Ajax side that beat Madrid 1-0 in the group stage in September 1995, missing the 2-0 return victory at the Santiago Bernabéu through injury.

- Gregory van der Wiel was in the Netherlands team that lost 1-0 to Spain in the 2010 FIFA World Cup final in Johannesburg; Iker Casillas, Sergio Ramos and Xabi Alonso were on the winning side.

- Van der Wiel and André Ooijer played in the Dutch team that beat Kaká's Brazil 2-1 in last year's World Cup quarter-final in Port Elizabeth.

- Christian Eriksen appeared as a substitute in Denmark's UEFA EURO 2012 qualifying defeat by a Portugal side including Ricardo Carvalho, Pepe, Fábio Coentrão and Ronaldo in October 2010, the latter scoring the final goal in a 3-1 win.

- Nuri Şahin was on loan at Feyenoord from Borussia Dortmund in 2007/08, scoring six goals in 29 matches.

- Jan Vertonghen and Toby Alderweireld were in the Belgium side beaten 1-0 at home by a Germany team featuring Mesut Özil and Sami Khedira in the sides' opening UEFA EURO 2012 qualifier in September 2010.

- Nuri was in the Turkey team which lost a World Cup qualifier 2-0 to Belgium in Brussels on 10 October 2009, Vertonghen playing for the home side.

- Hamit Altıntop scored in Turkey's 3-2 UEFA EURO 2012 qualifying victory against a Belgium side that included Vertonghen and Toby Alderweireld in Istanbul on 7 September 2010.

Match facts

Real Madrid

UEFA milestones

- None

UEFA Champions League statistics

- Madrid had 11 shots on goal on matchday one, the joint highest total in the competition along with LOSC Lille Métropole and Chelsea FC. Cristiano Ronaldo managed four of them, more than any other player involved.
- The Spanish team were caught offside on seven occasions in their first game, more than any other team.
- Coach José Mourinho completes a three-game suspension; Marcelo is also banned following his red card on matchday one.

Latest domestic information

- **Saturday 24 September: Real Madrid CF 6-2 Rayo Vallecano de Madrid (Ronaldo 39 51pen 84pen, Higuain 45+1, Varane 67, Benzema 73; Michu 1 55)**
Casillas; Ramos, Varane, Albiol, Marcelo; Di María, Diarra (Özil 29), Alonso, Kaká (Khedira 59), Ronaldo; Higuain (Benzema 59)
- Cristiano Ronaldo, who struck a Liga record 40 goals in 2010/11, ended a three-game goal drought with his second hat-trick this term. He has scored ten in his last eight appearances for club and country.
- Ángel Di María was sent off just before the hour, with Raphael Varane later scoring his first Madrid goal.
- A 1-0 loss to Levante UD on 18 September ended Madrid's nine-game unbeaten run on the road in the Liga, a sequence dating back to their 1-0 defeat by CA Osasuna in late January.
- Madrid failed to score for the second successive top-flight match when, with Varane making his debut, they drew 0-0 with Real Racing Club three days later. It was their first back-to-back Liga blanks since January/February 2007.
- Ronaldo scored a hat-trick as the Merengues began their Liga campaign with a 6-0 victory at Real Zaragoza on 28 August, the best ever opening-day win by an away team in Spain's top division.
- The first round of matches – and Madrid's home game against Athletic Club – was postponed due to a players' strike.
- The Merengues lost 5-4 on aggregate to FC Barcelona in the Spanish Super Cup, following a 2-2 home draw on 14 August with a 3-2 defeat at the Camp Nou three days later.

Injury news

- Ricardo Carvalho missed the Rayo triumph with concussion suffered against Racing.
- Hamit Altıntop (back) and Nuri Şahin (knee ligaments) are yet to make their Madrid debuts.
- Sami Khedira was sent off against Levante on what was his first appearance since suffering an adductor injury in the Spanish Super Cup second leg on 17 August.
- Pepe (left thigh) and Fábio Coentrão (left calf) will miss the Ajax match with injuries sustained at Levante. Kaká returned to the starting lineup in that game after a bruised heel prevented him from featuring on matchday one.

Summer transfers

• In

Nuri Şahin (Borussia Dortmund)
Hamit Altıntop (FC Bayern München)
José Callejón (RCD Espanyol)
Raphaël Varane (RC Lens)
Fábio Coentrão (SL Benfica)

• Out

Royston Drenthe (Everton FC, loan)
Fernando Gago (AS Roma, loan)
Pedro León (Getafe CF, loan)
Sergio Canales (Valencia CF, loan)
Ezequiel Garay (SL Benfica)
Jerzy Dudek (retired)

Ajax

UEFA milestones

- Ajax have conceded 295 goals in UEFA competition.

UEFA Champions League statistics

- Ajax committed seven fouls in their first game, the joint lowest total along with Arsenal FC.

Latest domestic information

• Saturday 24 September: AFC Ajax 1-1 FC Twente (Sulejmani 10; De Jong 87)

Vermeer; Van der Wiel, Alderweireld, Vertonghen, Anita; De Jong, Eriksen, Janssen; Sulejmani (Enoh 63), Sigthórsson (Bulykin 81), Boerriqter

- Unused substitute Lorenzo Ebecilio returned from suspension as Frank de Boer's team stretched their unbeaten run to 13 Eredivisie matches, winning ten since a 3-2 loss at ADO Den Haag on 20 March. It was, however, the end of Ajax's ten-game winning streak at home in the Eredivisie.
- Ajax have not kept a clean sheet in domestic competition in 14 games, though the goalless draw with Olympique Lyonnais was the first time Ajax had prevented the opposition scoring in 12 games in all competitions.
- Four days after making his Ajax debut as a substitute on matchday one, Dmitri Bulykin scored his first goal for the Dutch champions in a 2-2 draw with PSV Eindhoven.
- Bulykin was also on target during his first start for the club on 21 September as Ajax, beaten finalists last term, started their Dutch Cup campaign with a 3-1 second round win at third tier VV Noordwijk. Debutant Lesley de Sa rounded off the scoring for the visitors.
- Ajax started their season with a 2-1 defeat by Twente in the Dutch Super Cup at the Amsterdam ArenA.

Injury news

- Miralem Sulejmani returned against Twente from the hamstring injury he sustained on matchday one.
- Vurnon Anita also made his comeback against Twente after bruising an ankle against PSV. Nicolai Boilesen is expected to be out for six weeks after tearing his right hamstring during the same match.
- Aras Özbiliz's first game of the season following a back problem, at Noordwijk, was cut short by an ankle injury.
- Bruno Silva dislocated a shoulder last winter and is not in Ajax's UEFA Champions League squad.

Summer transfers

• In

Mats Rits (K. Beerschot AC)
Thulani Serero (Ajax Cape Town FC)
Theo Janssen (FC Twente)
Derk Boerriqter (RKC Waalwijk)
Kolbeinn Sigthórsson (AZ Alkmaar)
Jasper Cillessen (NEC Nijmegen)
Dmitri Bulykin (RSC Anderlecht)

• Out

Maarten Stekelenburg (AS Roma)
Demy de Zeeuw (FC Spartak Moskva)
Marvin Zeegelaar (RCD Espanyol)
Rasmus Lindgren (FC Salzburg)
Mitchell Donald (Roda JC)
Hyun Jun Suk (FC Groningen)
Ronald Graafland (Feyenoord)
Evander Sno (RKC Waalwijk)
Oleguer (released)
Thimothée Atouba (released)
Darío Cvitanich (CA Boca Juniors, loan)
Florian Jozefzoon (NAC Breda, loan)
Roly Bonevacia (NAC Breda, loan)

Squad list

Real Madrid CF

No	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time			
						QUAL		UCL		League		UCL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers															
1	Iker Casillas	ESP	20/05/81	30	-	-	-	1	-	5	-	113	-	119	-
13	Antonio Adán	ESP	13/05/87	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
25	Tomás Mejías	ESP	30/01/89	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31	Fernando Pacheco	ESP	18/05/92	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders															
2	Ricardo Carvalho	POR	18/05/78	33	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	78	3	88	3
3	Pepe	POR	26/02/83	28	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	41	2	42	2
4	Sergio Ramos	ESP	30/03/86	25	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	44	3	50	4
12	Marcelo	BRA	12/05/88	23	S	-	-	1	-	5	1	30	2	30	2
15	Fábio Coentrão	POR	11/03/88	23	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	7	2	29	3
17	Álvaro Arbeloa	ESP	17/01/83	28	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	38	1	42	1
18	Raúl Albiol	ESP	04/09/85	26	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	29	2	44	2
19	Raphaël Varane	FRA	25/04/93	18	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-
23	Pedro Mendes	POR	01/10/90	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27	Nacho	ESP	18/01/90	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	Daniel Carvajal	ESP	11/01/92	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midfielders															
5	Nuri Şahin	TUR	05/09/88	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	2
6	Sami Khedira	GER	04/04/87	24	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	19	-	29	1
10	Mesut Özil	GER	15/10/88	22	-	-	-	1	-	5	-	22	1	43	2
11	Esteban Granero	ESP	02/07/87	24	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	8	-	17	4
14	Xabi Alonso	ESP	25/11/81	29	-	-	-	1	-	5	1	66	3	75	3
16	Hamit Altıntop	TUR	08/12/82	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	1	59	8
21	José Callejón	ESP	11/02/87	24	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
24	Lassana Diarra	FRA	10/03/85	26	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	29	-	31	1
30	Álex Fernández	ESP	15/10/92	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36	Lucas	ESP	01/07/91	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forwards															
7	Cristiano Ronaldo	POR	05/02/85	26	-	-	-	1	-	5	7	71	28	77	29
8	Kaká	BRA	22/04/82	29	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	66	24	74	25
9	Karim Benzema	FRA	19/12/87	23	-	-	-	1	-	5	3	33	19	33	19
20	Gonzalo Higuaín	ARG	10/12/87	23	-	-	-	1	-	5	2	28	4	28	4
22	Ángel Di María	ARG	14/02/88	23	-	-	-	1	1	5	-	17	4	41	10
26	Álvaro Morata	ESP	23/10/92	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
28	Jesé Rodríguez	ESP	26/02/93	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29	Joselu	ESP	27/03/90	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Óscar Plano	ESP	11/02/91	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Denis Cheryshev	RUS	26/12/90	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coach															
-	José Mourinho	POR	26/01/63	48	S	-	-	1	-	-	-	83	-	97	-

AFC Ajax

No	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time			
						QUAL		UCL		League		UCL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers															
1	Kenneth Vermeer	NED	10/01/86	25	-	-	-	1	-	7	-	1	-	10	-
22	Jasper Cillessen	NED	22/04/89	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Jeroen Verhoeven	NED	30/04/80	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
36	Warner Hahn	NED	15/06/92	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders															
2	Gregory van der Wiel	NED	03/02/88	23	-	-	-	1	-	7	1	7	-	36	-
3	Toby Alderweireld	BEL	02/03/89	22	-	-	-	1	-	7	1	6	2	24	3
4	Jan Vertonghen	BEL	24/04/87	24	-	-	-	1	-	5	-	6	-	35	2
5	Vurnon Anita	NED	04/04/89	22	-	-	-	1	-	7	-	5	-	21	-
13	André Ooijer	NED	11/07/74	37	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	34	3	80	7
15	Nicolai Boilesen	DEN	16/02/92	19	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	1	-	1	-
17	Daley Blind	NED	09/03/90	21	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	5	-
31	Ruben Ligeon	NED	24/05/92	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	Stefano Denswil	NED	07/05/93	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Joeri de Kamps	NED	10/02/92	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	Dico Koppers	NED	31/01/92	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midfielders															
6	Eyong Enoh	CMR	23/03/86	25	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	6	-	27	1
8	Christian Eriksen	DEN	14/02/92	19	-	-	-	1	-	7	1	5	-	15	1
10	Siem de Jong	NED	28/01/89	22	-	-	-	1	-	7	2	6	-	25	2
16	Theo Janssen	NED	27/07/81	30	-	-	-	1	-	7	2	6	2	44	4
18	Nicolás Lodeiro	URU	21/03/89	22	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
25	Thulani Serero	RSA	11/04/90	21	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-
28	Ismail Aissati	MAR	16/08/88	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	19	-
29	Mats Rits	BEL	18/07/93	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Ouasim Bouy	NED	11/06/93	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forwards															
7	Miralem Sulejmani	SRB	05/12/88	22	-	-	-	1	-	6	5	7	-	34	5
9	Kolbeinn Sigthórsson	ISL	14/03/90	21	-	-	-	1	-	7	5	1	-	10	3
11	Lorenzo Ebecilio	NED	24/09/91	20	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	1	-	5	-
19	Dmitri Bulykin	RUS	20/11/79	31	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	1	-	29	10
21	Derk Boerrigter	NED	16/10/86	24	-	-	-	1	-	7	3	1	-	1	-
23	Aras Özbiliz	NED	09/03/90	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
24	Mounir El Hamdaoui	MAR	14/07/84	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	2	17	4
34	Ricardo van Rhijn	NED	13/06/91	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	Viktor Fischer	DEN	09/06/94	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
37	Jody Lukoki	NED	15/11/92	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Yener Arica	NED	28/02/92	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	Davy Klaassen	NED	21/02/93	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	Lesley de Sa	NED	02/04/93	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coach															
-	Frank De Boer	NED	15/05/70	41	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	6	-

Head coach

Real Madrid CF: José Mourinho

Date of birth: 26 January 1963

Nationality: Portuguese

Coaching career: SL Benfica, UD Leiria, FC Porto, Chelsea FC, FC Internazionale Milano, Real Madrid CF

- A former teacher, Mourinho had spells working at Sporting Clube de Portugal, Porto and FC Barcelona as a coaching assistant in the 1990s.
- As coach, had a brief, nine-game stay at Benfica and a highly successful tenure at Leiria before really making his mark after his arrival at Porto in January 2002. In his first full season, 2002/03, Porto won the UEFA Cup and a domestic double. The next year they retained their league title and claimed the UEFA Champions League with a 3-0 defeat of AS Monaco FC in Gelsenkirchen.
- Joined Chelsea in 2004 and led the club to the League Cup and their first league championship for 50 years in his first season. Followed up with the league title again in 2006, and both the League Cup and FA Cup in 2007.
- Left Chelsea in September 2007 and stayed out of football until joining Inter in June 2008. In his first campaign the Nerazzurri retained their Serie A crown, a feat they repeated in 2009/10 when they also added the Coppa Italia and the UEFA Champions League crown, their first European Cup win since 1965.
- Victory at the Santiago Bernabéu was Mourinho's last act as Inter coach before joining Madrid on a four-year deal. His first season featured the club's first Copa del Rey victory in 18 years and a UEFA Champions League semi-final appearance.

AFC Ajax: Frank de Boer

Date of birth: 15 May 1970

Nationality: Dutch

Playing career: AFC Ajax, FC Barcelona, Galatasaray AŞ, Rangers FC, Al Rayyan Sports Club

Coaching career: AFC Ajax (youth), Netherlands (assistant), Ajax

- Started out as a left-back but matured into a dominant centre-half at Ajax, where he came through the ranks along with his twin Ronald. Broke into the first team aged 18, winning the first of five Eredivisie titles in 1990.
- Part of the team that lifted the UEFA Cup in 1992, he then helped Ajax defeat AC Milan in the UEFA Champions League final in Vienna three years later, adding the UEFA Super Cup and European/South American Cup later that same year.
- Won the domestic double in 1997/98, his last full season with Ajax before moving to Barcelona with Ronald. A Liga title followed in 1999 and De Boer made over 150 appearances for the Catalan giants.
- Moved to Galatasaray in summer 2003, signing for Rangers the following January. Hung up his boots in April 2006 following a spell in Qatar, so ending a career that also included 112 caps for the Netherlands. With his country, De Boer reached the 1998 FIFA World Cup and UEFA EURO 2000 semi-finals, missing two penalties in a defeat by Italy in the latter.
- Returned to Ajax as a youth coach in 2007 and the following year was appointed assistant to Bert van Marwijk with the senior national side, who reached the 2010 World Cup final. In December 2010 was appointed Ajax's caretaker coach following the departure of Martin Jol, good results subsequently earning him a three-and-a-half year deal as his first season in charge ended with the club's first league title in seven years.

Match officials

Referee	Mark Clattenburg (ENG)
Assistant referees	Stephen Child (ENG), Simon Beck (ENG)
Additional assistant referees	Kevin Friend (ENG), Andre Marriner (ENG)
Fourth official	Lee Mason (ENG)
UEFA Delegate	Dennis Cruise (IRL)
UEFA Referee observer	Sándor Piller (HUN)

Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Champions League matches	UEFA matches
Mark Clattenburg	13/03/1975	1	28

- Born in Consett, County Durham, Mark Clattenburg trained as an electrician but refereeing has long been his focus. He started out in 1990 aged 15, and by 2006 had been promoted to the FIFA list.
- Clattenburg stepped up to the Football League in 1999, initially as an assistant before becoming a referee the following year. Joined the Premier League in 2004, by which stage he had been involved in European competition for several years, acting as fourth official in four matches at the 2001 UEFA European Under-16 Championship.
- Held the same role in four UEFA Champions League and one UEFA Cup game in 2005/06, going on to feature frequently as a fourth official in the former competition over the seasons that followed. Also given regular assignments as a referee in the UEFA Cup and UEFA Europa League.
- The referee for one UEFA EURO 2008 qualifier – acting as a fourth official in three more – Clattenburg took charge of qualifying fixtures in both the UEFA European Under-21 and Under-19 Championships in 2006/07.
- Now based in Newcastle, he was referee for three UEFA Europa League games in 2009/10, working as fourth official in three UEFA Champions League matches. His group stage debut in the latter competition came on matchday four of 2010/11 when AJ Auxerre took on AFC Ajax and he finished the season with four matches at the FIFA U-20 World Cup, including Brazil's 2-0 semi-final defeat of Mexico.

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

Date	Competition	Stage	Home	Away	Result	Venue
03/11/10	UCL	GS	AJ Auxerre	AFC Ajax	2-1	Auxerre

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

Date	Competition	Stage	Home	Away	Result	Venue
04/10/07	UCUP	R1	AFC Ajax	GNK Dinamo Zagreb	2-3	Amsterdam
25/10/07	UCUP	GS	FC Lokomotiv Moskva	Club Atlético de Madrid	3-3	Moscow
20/08/09	UCUP	PO	AFC Ajax	ŠK Slovan Bratislava	5-0	Amsterdam
16/09/10	UCUP	GS	Aris Thessaloniki FC	Club Atlético de Madrid	1-0	Salonika
09/10/10	U21	PO	Netherlands	Ukraine	1-3	Rotterdam
17/02/11	UCUP	R32	SSC Napoli	Villarreal CF	0-0	Naples
10/03/11	UCUP	R16	FC Twente	FC Zenit St Petersburg	3-0	Enschede

Fixtures and results

Real Madrid CF

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
28/08/11	League	Real Zaragoza (A)	W 6-0	Cristiano Ronaldo 24, 71, 87, Marcelo 28, Xabi Alonso 64, Kaká 82
10/09/11	League	Getafe CF (H)	W 4-2	Benzema 14, 69, Cristiano Ronaldo 60 (p), Higuaín 88
14/09/11	UCL	GNK Dinamo Zagreb (A)	W 1-0	Di María 53
18/09/11	League	Levante UD (A)	L 0-1	
21/09/11	League	Real Racing Club (A)	D 0-0	
24/09/11	League	Rayo Vallecano de Madrid (H)	W 6-2	Cristiano Ronaldo 39, 51 (p), 84 (p), Higuaín 45+1, Varane 67, Benzema 73
27/09/11	UCL	AFC Ajax (H)		
02/10/11	League	RCD Espanyol (A)		
15/10/11	League	Real Betis Balompié (H)		
18/10/11	UCL	Olympique Lyonnais (H)		
23/10/11	League	Málaga CF (A)		
26/10/11	League	Villarreal CF (H)		
30/10/11	League	Real Sociedad de Fútbol (A)		
02/11/11	UCL	Olympique Lyonnais (A)		
06/11/11	League	CA Osasuna (H)		
20/11/11	League	Valencia CF (A)		
22/11/11	UCL	GNK Dinamo Zagreb (H)		
27/11/11	League	Club Atlético de Madrid (H)		
04/12/11	League	Real Sporting de Gijón (A)		
07/12/11	UCL	AFC Ajax (A)		
11/12/11	League	FC Barcelona (H)		
18/12/11	League	Sevilla FC (A)		
08/01/12	League	Granada CF (H)		
15/01/12	League	RCD Mallorca (A)		
22/01/12	League	Athletic Club (H)		
29/01/12	League	Real Zaragoza (H)		

Pos.	Clubs	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Real Betis Balompié	5	4	0	1	9	6	12
2	FC Barcelona	5	3	2	0	22	4	11
3	Levante UD	5	3	2	0	7	3	11
4	Sevilla FC	5	3	2	0	6	3	11
5	Real Madrid CF	5	3	1	1	16	5	10
6	Málaga CF	5	3	1	1	7	2	10
7	Valencia CF	5	3	1	1	8	6	10
8	Club Atlético de Madrid	5	2	1	2	8	6	7
9	Real Sociedad de Fútbol	5	2	1	2	6	6	7
10	RCD Espanyol	5	2	0	3	5	7	6
11	RCD Mallorca	5	2	0	3	3	5	6
12	CA Osasuna	5	1	3	1	3	10	6
13	Villarreal CF	5	1	2	2	5	9	5
14	Rayo Vallecano de Madrid	5	1	2	2	5	9	5
15	Real Zaragoza	5	1	2	2	5	11	5
16	Getafe CF	5	1	1	3	4	7	4
17	Granada CF	5	1	1	3	2	7	4
18	Real Racing Club	5	0	3	2	3	8	3
19	Athletic Club	5	0	2	3	5	8	2
20	Real Sporting de Gijón	5	0	1	4	2	9	1

AFC Ajax

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
07/08/11	League	De Graafschap (A)	W 4-1	Sulejmani 22, 62, Boerrigter 31, Janssen 65
14/08/11	League	sc Heerenveen (H)	W 5-1	Sigthórsson 37, Alderweireld 42, Boerrigter 51, Sulejmani 75, Van der Wiel 90+3
21/08/11	League	VVV-Venlo (A)	D 2-2	Janssen 68, Sigthórsson 69
26/08/11	League	Vitesse (H)	W 4-1	Eriksen 53, Boerrigter 62, Sigthórsson 63, 70
10/09/11	League	Heracles Almelo (A)	W 3-2	S. De Jong 45+2, 64, Sulejmani 81
14/09/11	UCL	Olympique Lyonnais (H)	D 0-0	
18/09/11	League	PSV Eindhoven (A)	D 2-2	Sigthórsson 45+4, Bulykin 79
21/09/11	Cup	VV Noordwijk (A)	W 3-1	S. De Jong 38, Bulykin 56, De Sa 61
24/09/11	League	FC Twente (H)	D 1-1	Sulejmani 10
27/09/11	UCL	Real Madrid CF (A)		
02/10/11	League	FC Groningen (A)		
15/10/11	League	AZ Alkmaar (H)		
18/10/11	UCL	GNK Dinamo Zagreb (A)		
23/10/11	League	Feyenoord (H)		
26/10/11	Cup	Roda JC (A)		
29/10/11	League	Roda JC (A)		
02/11/11	UCL	GNK Dinamo Zagreb (H)		
06/11/11	League	FC Utrecht (A)		
19/11/11	League	NAC Breda (H)		
22/11/11	UCL	Olympique Lyonnais (A)		
27/11/11	League	NEC Nijmegen (A)		
03/12/11	League	SBV Excelsior (H)		
07/12/11	UCL	Real Madrid CF (H)		
11/12/11	League	RKC Waalwijk (A)		
18/12/11	League	ADO Den Haag (H)		
22/01/12	League	AZ Alkmaar (A)		
29/01/12	League	Feyenoord (A)		
05/02/12	League	FC Utrecht (H)		
11/02/12	League	NAC Breda (A)		

Pos.	Clubs	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	AZ Alkmaar	7	6	0	1	18	5	18
2	FC Twente	7	5	1	1	19	7	16
3	AFC Ajax	7	4	3	0	21	10	15
4	PSV Eindhoven	7	4	2	1	23	10	14
5	Feyenoord	7	4	2	1	16	6	14
6	Vitesse	7	4	1	2	14	9	13
7	RKC Waalwijk	7	4	1	2	10	6	13
8	FC Groningen	7	3	1	3	12	14	10
9	FC Utrecht	7	2	3	2	11	10	9
10	sc Heerenveen	7	2	3	2	13	15	9
11	Heracles Almelo	7	1	4	2	11	12	7
12	NAC Breda	7	2	1	4	8	11	7
13	ADO Den Haag	7	2	1	4	9	13	7
14	NEC Nijmegen	7	2	1	4	7	12	7
15	Roda JC	7	2	0	5	6	22	6
16	De Graafschap	7	1	2	4	7	17	5
17	VVV-Venlo	7	0	3	4	6	18	3
18	SBV Excelsior	7	0	1	6	4	18	1

Match-by-match lineups

Group D

Standings

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Real Madrid CF	1	1	0	0	1	0	3
Olympique Lyonnais	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
AFC Ajax	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
GNK Dinamo Zagreb	1	0	0	1	0	1	0

Matchday 1 (14/09/11)

Dinamo Zagreb 0-1 Real Madrid

Goals: 0-1 Di María 53

Real Madrid CF: Casillas, Carvalho, Pepe, Sergio Ramos, Cristiano Ronaldo, Benzema (Arbeloa 82), Özil (Higuain 78), Marcelo, Xabi Alonso, Fábio Coentrão, Di María (L. Diarra 78)

Ajax 0-0 Lyon

AFC Ajax: Vermeer, Van der Wiel, Alderweireld, Vertonghen, Sulejmani (Ebecilio 85), Eriksen, Sigthórsson (Bulykin 81), S. De Jong, Boleson, Janssen (Anita 70), Boerrigter

Matchday 2 (27/09/11)

Real Madrid v Ajax

Matchday 3 (18/10/11)

Real Madrid v Lyon

Dinamo Zagreb v Ajax

Matchday 4 (02/11/11)

Lyon v Real Madrid

Ajax v Dinamo Zagreb

Matchday 5 (22/11/11)

Real Madrid v Dinamo Zagreb

Lyon v Ajax

Matchday 6 (07/12/11)

Ajax v Real Madrid

Competition facts

UEFA Champions League: Group stage milestones

- Holders FC Barcelona are bidding to avoid becoming the first defending champions to fail to get through a group stage since the UEFA Champions League began. (This record, like the others, includes the seasons between 1999/2000 and 2002/03 that featured a second group stage).
- In 1992/93, Barcelona were the reigning European Champion Clubs' Cup holders and were beaten 4-3 on aggregate in the second round by PFC CSKA Moskva.
- No team has successfully defended the UEFA Champions League trophy with AC Milan (1989, 1990) the last club to win consecutive European Cups. Milan (1994, 1995), AFC Ajax (1995, 1996), Juventus (1996, 1997) and Manchester United (2008, 2009) have all returned to the UEFA Champions League final as holders only to lose.
- 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 FC on matchday one at the age of 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 at the age of 40 years and 211 days. Ballotta was aged 43 years 252 days when he featured against Real Madrid CF on matchday six.
- Ryan Giggs is the oldest player to score in the competition, aged 37 years and 289 days, in Manchester United's 11 draw at SL Benfica on 14 September 2011.
- Celestine Babayaro is the youngest player to have appeared in the UEFA Champions League. He was 16 years and 87 days when he started for RSC Anderlecht against FC Steaua București on 23 November 1994. He was then sent off in the 37th minute.
- Peter Ofori-Quaye is the youngest player to have scored in the UEFA Champions League, aged 17 years and 195 days. He found the net in Olympiacos's 5-1 defeat at Rosenborg BK on 1 October 1997.
- Barcelona and Manchester United FC have both finished as group winners on 12 occasions, one more than Real Madrid.
- Four teams have recorded six successive victories in a UEFA Champions League group stage: Milan (1992/93), Paris Saint-Germain FC (1994/95), FC Spartak Moskva (1995/96) and Barcelona (2002/03, first group stage).
- Twelve teams have gone through a UEFA Champions League group stage without picking up a single point, including MŠK Žilina and FK Partizan in 2010/11. The other ten are: Maccabi Haifa FC and Debreceni VSC (2009/10), FC Dynamo Kyiv (2007/08), PFC Levski Sofia (2006/07), SK Rapid Wien (2005/06), Anderlecht (2004/05), Spartak Moskva and Bayer 04 Leverkusen (2002/03, first and second group stage respectively), Fenerbahçe SK (2001/02, first group stage) and 1. FC Košice (1997/98).
- Manchester United scored 20 goals in the 1998/99 group stage, more than any other side has managed. Barcelona scored 19 times in the 1999/2000 first group stage.
- MŠK Žilina conceded 19 goals in their six outings in 2010/11, equalling the record let in during a group stage set by Debrecen (2009/10), Dynamo Kyiv (2007/08) and Ferencvárosi TC in 1995/96.
- No team has ever gone through a UEFA Champions League group stage without conceding a goal. Milan (1992/93), AFC Ajax (1995/96), Juventus (1996/97 and 2004/05), Chelsea FC (2005/06), Liverpool FC (2005/06), Villarreal CF (2005/06) and Manchester United (2010/11) all let in just one.
- Before their 3-1 win against Sporting Clube de Portugal on matchday six of the 2006/07 campaign, Spartak Moskva went 22 games without a victory in the competition, surpassing the unwanted record set by AEK Athens FC on matchday three of the same campaign.
- The lowest total for a team qualifying from the group stage is seven points. The first to do it, since three points for a win was introduced in 1995/96, were Legia Warszawa that same season before FC Dynamo Kyiv and Bayer 04 Leverkusen managed it in 1999/2000 and Liverpool in 2001/02. FC Lokomotiv Moskva and eventual finalists Juventus both progressed with seven points in 2002/03, a feat achieved by Rangers FC and SV Werder Bremen in 2005/06.

Team facts

Real Madrid CF

Formed: 1902

Nickname: Los Merengues (The Meringues)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- European Champion Clubs' Cup (9): 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, (1962), (1964), 1966, (1981), 1998, 2000, 2002
- UEFA Cup (2): 1985, 1986
- UEFA Cup Winners' Cup: (1971), (1983)
- UEFA Super Cup (1): (1998), (2000), 2002

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 31 (2008)

Spanish Cup: 18 (2011)

Ten-year European record (UEFA Champions league unless indicated otherwise)

2010/11: semi-finals

2009/10: round of 16

2008/09: round of 16

2007/08: round of 16

2006/07: round of 16

2005/06: round of 16

2004/05: round of 16

2003/04: quarter-finals

2002/03: semi-finals

2001/02: winners

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

9-0: Madrid v Odense BK

25/10/61, European Champion Clubs' Cup first round second leg

- Biggest away win

0-8: Olympiakos Nicosia FC v Madrid

24/09/69, European Champion Clubs' Cup first round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

2-4: Madrid v FC Bayern München

29/02/00, UEFA Champions League second group stage

1-3: Madrid v SK Spartak Moskva

20/03/91, European Champion Clubs' Cup semi-final second leg

0-2: on five occasions, most recently v FC Barcelona (27/04/11, UEFA Champions League semi-final first leg)

- Heaviest away defeat

5-0: twice, most recently v AC Milan

19/04/89, European Champion Clubs' Cup semi-final second leg

UEFA Champions League (group stage to final only)

- Biggest home win

6-0: Madrid v KRC Genk

25/09/02, first group stage

- Biggest away win

1-5: SK Sturm Graz v Madrid

05/11/98, group stage

0-4: AFC Ajax v Madrid

23/11/10, group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

2-4: Madrid v FC Bayern München (see above for details)

0-2: On three occasions, most recently Madrid v FC Barcelona (see above for details)

- Heaviest away defeat
- 4-0:** Liverpool FC v Madrid
10/11/09, round of 16 second leg

AFC Ajax

Formed: 1900

Nickname: Godenzonen (Sons of the Gods)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- European Champion Clubs Cup (4): (1969), 1971, 1972, 1973, 1995, (1996)
- UEFA Cup Winners' Cup (1): 1987, (1988)
- UEFA Cup (1): 1992
- UEFA Super Cup (2): 1973, (1987), 1995

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 30 (2011)

Dutch Cup: 18 (2010)

Ten-year European record (UEFA Champions League unless indicated otherwise)

2010/11: UEFA Europa League round of 16 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2009/10: UEFA Europa League round of 32

2008/09: UEFA Cup round of 16

2007/08: UEFA Cup first round (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

2006/07: UEFA Cup round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

2005/06: round of 16

2004/05: UEFA Cup round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2003/04: group stage

2002/03: quarter-finals

2001/02: UEFA Cup second round (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

14-0: Ajax v FA Red Boys Differdange

03/10/84, UEFA Cup first round second leg

- Biggest away win

1-8: HJK Helsinki v Ajax

19/09/79, European Champion Clubs' Cup first round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

0-4: Ajax v Real Madrid CF

23/11/10, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

5-1: FC Bayern München v Ajax

22/10/80, European Champion Clubs' Cup second round first leg

4-0 on three occasions, most recently v FC Bayern München

28/09/2004 UEFA Champions League group stage

UEFA Champions League (group stage to final only)

- Biggest home win

4-0: Ajax v Ferencvárosi TC

06/12/95, group stage

- Biggest away win

1-5: Ferencvárosi TC v Ajax

27/09/95, group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

0-4: Ajax v Real Madrid CF (see above for details)

- Heaviest away defeat

4-0: FC Bayern München v Ajax

28/09/2004, group stage

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 Europa League, the UEFA Cup, the UEFA Super Cup (1973-to date), 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.

:: 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

UCL: UEFA Champions League/UEFA Champions League

Tournament: UEFA Europa League/UEFA Champions League

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:** FIFA Confederations 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

WWC: FIFA Women's World Cup • **WCHAMP:** UEFA European Women's 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

ELITE: Elite round

3rdPO: Third-place play-off

GS-FT: Group stage – final tournament

3QR: Third qualifying round

R1: First round

R2: Second round

R3: Third round

R4: Fourth round

SF: Semi-finals

R16: round of 16

R32: Round of 32

1st: first leg

2nd: second leg

PO: Play-off

(Rep): Replay

PO - FT: Play-off for Final Tournament

Prom/rel PO: Promotion/relegation play-off

:: Other abbreviations

(aet): Match decided after extra time

No.: Number
aetps: Match decided after extra time

o.g.: Own goal and penalty shoot-out

ag: Match decided on away goals

agg: Aggregate

AP: Appearances

Comp.: Competition

D: Drawn

DoB: Date of birth

GA: Goals against

GF: Goals for

gg: Match decided on "Golden Goal"

L: Lost

Nat.: Nationality

N/a: Not applicable

(+): Denotes player introduced

(+/-): Denotes player introduced and substituted

(p): Penalty

Pld: Matches played

Pos.: Position

Pts: Points

R: Sent off (straight red card)

Res.: Result

sg: Match decided on "Silver Goal"

t: Match decided by toss of a coin

W: Won

Y: Booked

Y/R: Sent off (two yellow cards)

:: Statistics

(-): Denotes player substituted

(*): Denotes player sent off

:: Squad list

D: Disciplinary

S: Suspended

*****: Misses next match if booked

#: Suspended for at least one match

UCLQ: Current season total UEFA Champions League appearances in the qualifying rounds and play-offs only

UCL: Current season total UEFA Champions League appearances from group stage onwards prior to current matchday

UCL: Total appearances in the UEFA Champions League from 1992/93 season, group stage to final only

UEFA: All-time total appearances in UEFA club competition including qualifying

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