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Previous meetings

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UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
11/12/2018	GS	Liverpool FC - SSC Napoli	1-0	Liverpool	Salah 34
03/10/2018	GS	SSC Napoli - Liverpool FC	1-0	Naples	Insigne 90

UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
04/11/2010	GS	Liverpool FC - SSC Napoli	3-1	Liverpool	Gerrard 76, 88 (P), 89; Lavezzi 28
21/10/2010	GS	SSC Napoli - Liverpool FC	0-0	Naples	

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
SSC Napoli	2	1	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	2	2	4
Liverpool FC	2	2	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	2	1	1	4	2

SSC Napoli - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
18/04/2019	QF	SSC Napoli - Arsenal FC	0-1 agg: 0-3	Naples	Lacazette 36
11/04/2019	QF	Arsenal FC - SSC Napoli	2-0	London	Ramsey 15, Koulibaly 25 (og)

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
01/11/2017	GS	SSC Napoli - Manchester City FC	2-4	Naples	Insigne 21, Jorginho 62 (P); Otamendi 34, Stones 48, Agüero 69, Sterling 90+2
17/10/2017	GS	Manchester City FC - SSC Napoli	2-1	Manchester	Sterling 9, Jesus 13; Diawara 73 (P)

UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
27/02/2014	R32	SSC Napoli - Swansea City AFC	3-1 agg: 3-1	Naples	Insigne 17, Higuaín 78, Inler 90+3; de Guzmán 30
20/02/2014	R32	Swansea City AFC - SSC Napoli	0-0	Swansea	

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
11/12/2013	GS	SSC Napoli - Arsenal FC	2-0	Naples	Higuaín 73, Callejón 90+3
01/10/2013	GS	Arsenal FC - SSC Napoli	2-0	London	Özil 8, Giroud 15

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
14/03/2012	R16	Chelsea FC - SSC Napoli	4-1 agg 5-4 (aet)	London	Drogba 29, Terry 47, Lampard 75 (P), Ivanović 105 ET; Inler 55
21/02/2012	R16	SSC Napoli - Chelsea FC	3-1	Naples	Lavezzi 39, 65, Cavani 45+2; Mata 27
22/11/2011	GS	SSC Napoli - Manchester City FC	2-1	Naples	Cavani 17, 49; Balotelli 33
14/09/2011	GS	Manchester City FC - SSC Napoli	1-1	Manchester	Kolarov 74; Cavani 69

Liverpool FC - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
02/05/2018	SF	AS Roma - Liverpool FC	4-2 agg: 6-7	Rome	Milner 15 (og), Džeko 52, Nainggolan 86, 90+4 (P); Mané 9, Wijnaldum 25
24/04/2018	SF	Liverpool FC - AS Roma	5-2	Liverpool	Salah 36, 45+1, Mané 56, Firmino 61, 69; Džeko 81, Perotti 85 (P)

UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
06/12/2012	GS	Udinese Calcio - Liverpool FC	0-1	Udine	Henderson 23
04/10/2012	GS	Liverpool FC - Udinese Calcio	2-3	Liverpool	Shelvey 23, Luis Suárez 75; Di Natale 46, Coates 70 (og), Pasquale 72

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
09/12/2009	GS	Liverpool FC - ACF Fiorentina	1-2	Liverpool	Benayoun 43; Jørgensen 63, Gilardino 90+2
29/09/2009	GS	ACF Fiorentina - Liverpool FC	2-0	Florence	Jovetić 28, 37

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
11/03/2008	R16	FC Internazionale Milano - Liverpool FC	0-1 agg: 0-3	Milan	Torres 64
19/02/2008	R16	Liverpool FC - FC Internazionale Milano	2-0	Liverpool	Kuyt 85, Gerrard 90

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/05/2007	F	AC Milan - Liverpool FC	2-1	Athens	F. Inzaghi 45, 82; Kuyt 89

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
25/05/2005	F	AC Milan - Liverpool FC	3-3 (aet, 2-3 pens)	Istanbul	Maldini 1, Crespo 39, 44; Gerrard 54, Šmicer 56, Xabi Alonso 60
13/04/2005	QF	Juventus - Liverpool FC	0-0 agg: 1-2	Turin	
05/04/2005	QF	Liverpool FC - Juventus	2-1	Liverpool	Hyypiä 10, Luis García 25; Cannavaro 63

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
19/03/2002	GS2	Liverpool FC - AS Roma	2-0	Liverpool	Litmanen 7 (P), Heskey 64
05/12/2001	GS2	AS Roma - Liverpool FC	0-0	Rome	

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
22/02/2001	R4	Liverpool FC - AS Roma	0-1 agg: 2-1	Liverpool	Guigou 69
15/02/2001	R4	AS Roma - Liverpool FC	0-2	Rome	Owen 46, 72

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
18/03/1992	QF	Liverpool FC - Genoa CFC	1-2 agg: 1-4	Liverpool	Rush 49; Aguilera 28, 72
04/03/1992	QF	Genoa CFC - Liverpool FC	2-0	Genoa	Fiorin 39, Branco 87

European Champions Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
29/05/1985	F	Juventus - Liverpool FC	1-0	Brussels	Platini 58 (P)

UEFA Super Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
16/01/1985	F	Juventus - Liverpool FC	2-0	Turin	Boniek 39, 78

European Champions Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
30/05/1984	F	AS Roma - Liverpool FC	1-1 (aet, 2-4 pens)	Rome	Pruzzo 43; Neal 14

UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
13/10/1965	PR	Liverpool FC - Juventus	2-0 agg: 2-1	Liverpool	Lawler 20, Strong 25
29/09/1965	PR	Juventus - Liverpool FC	1-0	Turin	Leoncini 81

European Champions Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
12/05/1965	SF	FC Internazionale Milano - Liverpool FC	3-0 agg: 4-3	Milan	Corso 8, Joaquín Peiró 9, Facchetti 60
04/05/1965	SF	Liverpool FC - FC Internazionale Milano	3-1	Liverpool	Hunt 4, Callaghan 34, St. John 75; Mazzola 10

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
SSC Napoli	8	5	1	2	8	0	2	6	0	0	0	0	16	5	3	8	17	23
Liverpool FC	12	8	0	4	12	3	3	6	5	0	2	3	29	11	5	13	35	35

Match background

Liverpool kick off their defence of the UEFA Champions League against a team who came perilously close to ousting them from last season's competition as they travel to Italy to take on Napoli.

- The teams were paired together in last season's group stage and both games featured late drama; indeed, only a vital late save from Liverpool goalkeeper Alisson Becker on matchday six prevented Napoli progressing to the round of 16 at the expense of the English side.
- While this is Napoli's fourth successive UEFA Champions League campaign, Liverpool are in the competition for the third year in a row having reached the final in 2018 and lifted the trophy 12 months later.

Previous meetings

- Each side recorded a 1-0 home win in last season's group stage, Lorenzo Insigne getting Napoli's 90th-minute winner at the Stadio San Paolo on matchday two. Mohamed Salah was the Liverpool match-winner at Anfield on matchday six, his 34th-minute strike proving enough to take Jürgen Klopp's side into the knockout stages at the expense of their Italian opponents – although but for a last-gasp Alisson save to deny Arkadiusz Milik, Carlo Ancelotti's Napoli would have progressed instead.
- The clubs also met in the 2010/11 UEFA Europa League group stage. With the game in Naples having ended scoreless, Ezequiel Lavezzi gave Napoli a first-half lead at Anfield before Steven Gerrard's hat-trick in the final 15 minutes, including goals in the 88th and 89th minutes, secured a dramatic late win for Liverpool. The Reds went on to finish top of their section, with Napoli second; the Italian club were eliminated in the round of 32, Liverpool losing in the last 16.

Form guide

Napoli

- Serie A runners-up for the second season running in 2018/19, Napoli are in the group stage for the sixth time – all in the last nine seasons. They reached the round of 16 in 2011/12 and 2016/17 but have finished third in their section in the other three campaigns.
- The Partenopei picked up seven of their nine points in last season's group stage in Naples. Napoli have, however, won only four of their last nine home games in the UEFA Champions League, group stage to final; they have lost three in that sequence.
- Napoli have won only four of their last 12 UEFA Champions League matches (D3 L5) – all those victories coming at the Stadio San Paolo.
- Having finished third behind Paris Saint-Germain and Liverpool in last season's group stage, Napoli kicked off their UEFA Europa League campaign with a comfortable 5-1 aggregate win against Zürich before edging out Salzburg 4-3 over two legs in the round of 16. They were then eliminated from a second European competition of the season by an English club, however, losing 2-0 away to Arsenal and 1-0 at home in the quarter-finals.
- Napoli have therefore lost their last three matches against Premier League clubs, home and away, and five of the last six. At home, they have been beaten in two of the last three games against English visitors, although their record in Naples overall is W5 D1 L2.

Liverpool

- Premier League runners-up in 2018/19, finishing a single point behind Manchester City, Liverpool are in the UEFA Champions League group stage for the 12th time; they have only failed to progress to the last 16 or further three times.
- Klopp's team lost all three away games in last season's group stage, but were rescued by three wins at Anfield as they edged out Napoli on goal difference. They then beat Bayern München 3-1 away in the second leg of their round of 16 tie, going through by the same aggregate score, before ousting Porto 6-1 over two legs in the quarter-finals (2-0 h, 4-1 a). The journey looked to be over when the Reds went down 3-0 at Barcelona in the semi-final first leg, but two goals apiece from Georginio Wijnaldum and Divock Origi sealed a rousing second-leg turnaround, before Salah and Origi secured the club's sixth European Cup with a 2-0 final defeat of Tottenham in Madrid.
- Liverpool's record in last season's UEFA Champions League was W8 D1 L4 F24 A12. They have won five of their last seven European fixtures (D1 L1) but have lost six of their last ten UEFA competition matches outside England.
- Klopp's side have lost their last two matches in Italy but have been beaten in only three of their last nine away games against Italian clubs, winning three.
- Liverpool have already claimed European silverware this term, beating Chelsea 5-4 on penalties after a 2-2 draw in the UEFA Super Cup in Istanbul.

Links and trivia

- Ancelotti was Chelsea manager between 2009 and 2011, winning the Premier League and the FA Cup in 2010.
- Klopp's Borussia Dortmund side were beaten 2-1 at Napoli on matchday one of the 2013/14 UEFA Champions League; the German club won the reverse fixture 3-1 and went on to the round of 16 alongside Arsenal, Napoli missing out as all three teams finished on 12 points.
- Salah played in Serie A for Fiorentina (2015) and Roma (2015–17), scoring for the latter in a 3-1 win at the Stadio San Paolo in October 2016.
- Have also played in Italy:
Alisson Becker (Roma 2016–18)
Xherdan Shaqiri (Inter 2015)
- Have played in England:
David Ospina (Arsenal 2014–18)
Fernando Llorente (Swansea 2016/17, Tottenham 2017–19)
- Llorente was an 81st-minute substitute in Spurs' defeat by Liverpool in last season's final, having scored the decisive goal of the quarter-final against Manchester City.
- Have played together:
Kostas Manolas & Mohamed Salah (Roma 2015–17)
Kostas Manolas & Alisson Becker (2016–18)
Kalidou Koulibaly & Sadio Mané (Metz 2011/12)
Dries Mertens & Georginio Wijnaldum (PSV Eindhoven 2011–13)
José Callejón & Fabinho (Real Madrid 2012/13)
- International team-mates:
Dries Mertens & Divock Origi (Belgium)
Kalidou Koulibaly & Sadio Mané (Senegal)

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Napoli

• Summer transfers

In: Giovanni Di Lorenzo (Empoli), David Ospina (Arsenal), Kostas Manolas (Roma), Elif Elmas (Fenerbahçe), Hirving Lozano (PSV), Fernando Llorente (free agent)

Out: Roberto Insigne (Benevento), Amadou Diawara (Roma), Raúl Albiol (Villarreal), Carlos Vinícius (Benfica), Marko Rog (Cagliari, loan), Gennaro Tutino (Hellas Verona, loan), Adam Ounas (Nice, loan), Vlad Chiricheş (Sassuolo, loan), Simone Verdi (Torino, loan)

- Napoli's first home game of the season ended in a 2-0 defeat of Sampdoria on Saturday evening, Dries Mertens scoring both goals – the Belgian's first double since a 3-1 UEFA Champions League win against Crvena zvezda on 28 November 2018.
- Mertens has scored in Napoli's last six home games in Serie A.
- Napoli started the Serie A season with two away games due to ongoing renovation at the Stadio San Paolo. Both matches finished 4-3, a victory at Fiorentina in which Lorenzo Insigne scored twice and defeat at Juventus, Kalidou Koulibaly with an added-time own goal after the Partenopei had managed to recover from 3-0 down in Turin.
- All three of Napoli's goals at Juve were scored by summer signings: Manolas, Lozano and Di Lorenzo.
- Elseid Hysaj was on target in Albania's 4-2 win against Iceland on 10 September.
- Insigne missed Italy's UEFA EURO 2020 qualifying games against Armenia and Finland due to a thigh injury; he returned as a late substitute against Sampdoria.
- A thigh injury also kept Arkadiusz Milik out of Poland's internationals, the striker having suffered the problem ahead of the game at Juventus. He also missed the Sampdoria match.

Liverpool

• Summer transfers

In: Harvey Elliott (Fulham), Sepp van den Berg (Zwolle), Adrián (West Ham)

Out: Daniel Sturridge (Trabzonspor), Alberto Moreno (Villarreal), Ádám Bogdán (released), Danny Ings (Southampton), Sheyi Ojo (Rangers, loan), Rafael Camacho (Sporting CP), Marko Grujić (Hertha Berlin, loan), Ben Woodburn (Oxford United, loan), Simon Mignolet (Club Brugge), Harry Wilson (Bournemouth, loan), Taiwo Awoniyi (Mainz), Ovie Ejaria (Reading, loan), Bobby Duncan (Fiorentina), Ryan Kent (Rangers)

- Virgil van Dijk was named UEFA Men's Player of the Year for 2018/19 in Monaco on 29 August; the Dutchman also collected the Defender of the Season award, with Alisson Becker taking the Goalkeeper's prize.
- James Milner's next appearance in UEFA club competition will be his 100th.
- Xherdan Shaqiri has played in 49 matches in UEFA club competition.
- The Reds kicked off the season by losing 5-4 on penalties to English champions Manchester City after a 1-1 draw in the FA Community Shield at Wembley on 4 August.
- Liverpool did come out on top on spot kicks against Chelsea in the UEFA Super Cup on 14 August, prevailing 5-4 after a 2-2 draw in Istanbul.
- The Merseyside club are the only team with maximum points after five games of the new Premier League season. They came from behind to beat Newcastle 3-1 at Anfield on Saturday and are five points clear of Manchester City.
- Liverpool have won their last 14 Premier League matches, and are unbeaten in 22 league fixtures (W18 D4), since a 2-1 loss at Manchester City on 3 January.
- Liverpool are the first team in the history of the English top flight to win 14 successive matches and score more than once in each win.
- The Reds also won their first five league matches in 2018/19, and are only the third team to do so in successive seasons in the Premier League era after Chelsea (2009/10, 2010/11) and Manchester City (2015/16, 2016/17).
- Georginio Wijnaldum scored in both the Netherlands' 4-2 UEFA EURO 2020 win in Germany on 6 September and the 4-0 success in Estonia three days later.
- Dejan Lovren's goal helped Croatia to a 4-0 defeat of Slovakia on 6 September.
- Alisson has been out since suffering a calf injury in Liverpool's 4-1 home win against Norwich on the first day of the Premier League season on 9 August.
- Naby Keïta has been sidelined with a groin problem picked up in the Community Shield on 4 August.
- Divock Origi was replaced in the 37th minute against Newcastle having suffered an ankle injury.

Squad list

SSC Napoli

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time			
						UCLQ		UCL		League		UCL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers															
1	Alex Meret	ITA	22/03/1997	22	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	6	-
25	David Ospina	COL	31/08/1988	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	6	-
27	Orestis Karnezis	GRE	11/07/1985	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-
72	Antonio Pio Daniele	ITA	10/07/2002	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders															
2	Kevin Malcuit	FRA	31/07/1991	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-
6	Mário Rui	POR	27/05/1991	28	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	8	-	16	-
13	Sebastiano Luperto	ITA	06/09/1996	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-
19	Nikola Maksimović	SRB	25/11/1991	27	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	8	-	30	-
22	Giovanni Di Lorenzo	ITA	04/08/1993	26	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-
23	Elseid Hysaj	ALB	02/02/1994	25	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	16	-	29	-
26	Kalidou Koulibaly	SEN	20/06/1991	28	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	19	-	61	-
31	Faouzi Ghoulam	ALG	01/02/1991	28	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	13	-	39	-
44	Kostas Manolas	GRE	14/06/1991	28	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	45	5	72	7
73	Alberto Senese	ITA	24/03/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
74	Claudio Manzi	ITA	21/06/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midfielders															
5	Allan	BRA	08/01/1991	28	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	20	-	40	-
8	Fabián Ruiz	ESP	03/04/1996	23	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	6	-	11	1
12	Eljif Elmas	MKD	24/09/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	11	1
20	Piotr Zieliński	POL	20/05/1994	25	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	18	2	29	4
Forwards															
7	José Callejón	ESP	11/02/1987	32	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	35	11	71	19
9	Fernando Llorente	ESP	26/02/1985	34	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	33	7	77	25
11	Hirving Lozano	MEX	30/07/1995	24	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	6	2	13	4
14	Dries Mertens	BEL	06/05/1987	32	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	26	10	87	27
24	Lorenzo Insigne	ITA	04/06/1991	28	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	25	9	55	14
34	Amin Younes	GER	06/08/1993	26	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	33	5
70	Gianluca Gaetano	ITA	05/05/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	Arkadiusz Milik	POL	28/02/1994	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	5	36	13
Coach															
-	Carlo Ancelotti	ITA	10/06/1959	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	160	-	208	-

Liverpool FC

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time				
						UCLQ		UCL		League		UCL		UEFA		
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	
Goalkeepers																
1	Alisson Becker	BRA	02/10/1992	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	25	-	36	-
13	Adrián	ESP	03/01/1987	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	-
22	Andy Lonergan	ENG	19/10/1983	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
62	Caoimhin Kelleher	IRL	23/11/1998	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders																
4	Virgil van Dijk	NED	08/07/1991	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	24	2	52	6
6	Dejan Lovren	CRO	05/07/1989	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	1	71	4
12	Joe Gomez	ENG	23/05/1997	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	14	-	18	-
26	Andy Robertson	SCO	11/03/1994	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	18	-	19	-
32	Joël Matip	CMR	08/08/1991	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	40	2	63	4
46	Adam Lewis	ENG	08/11/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
66	Trent Alexander-Arnold	ENG	07/10/1998	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	21	1	24	2
72	Sepp van den Berg	NED	20/12/2001	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midfielders																
3	Fabinho	BRA	23/10/1993	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	36	2	50	4
5	Georginio Wijnaldum	NED	11/11/1990	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	24	3	64	14
7	James Milner	ENG	04/01/1986	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	43	4	99	9
8	Naby Keïta	GUI	10/02/1995	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	3	29	4
14	Jordan Henderson	ENG	17/06/1990	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	26	1	46	2
15	Alex Oxlade-Chamberlain	ENG	15/08/1993	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	36	6	39	6
20	Adam Lallana	ENG	10/05/1988	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	9	-	24	3
23	Xherdan Shaqiri	SUI	10/10/1991	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	30	3	49	7
48	Curtis Jones	ENG	30/01/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
55	Herbie Kane	ENG	23/11/1998	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
65	Yasser Larouci	FRA	01/01/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
67	Harvey Elliott	ENG	04/04/2003	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forwards																
9	Roberto Firmino	BRA	02/10/1991	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	2	25	14	41	16
10	Sadio Mané	SEN	10/04/1992	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	4	24	14	46	22
11	Mohamed Salah	EGY	15/06/1992	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	4	40	18	79	27
24	Rhian Brewster	ENG	01/04/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27	Divock Origi	BEL	18/04/1995	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	8	3	29	6
Coach																
-	Jürgen Klopp	GER	16/06/1967	52	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61	-	93	-

Head coach

Carlo Ancelotti

Date of birth: 10 June 1959

Nationality: Italian

Playing career: Parma, Roma, AC Milan

Coaching career: Reggiana, Parma, Juventus, AC Milan, Chelsea, Paris Saint-Germain, Real Madrid, Bayern München, Napoli

- One of only seven people to have lifted the European Champion Clubs' Cup as both a player and coach and the second manager, after Bob Paisley, to win the trophy three times. A combative midfielder, Ancelotti helped Roma win the 1983 Serie A title and four Italian Cups before joining Milan in 1986 where he added two more league championships, as well as back-to-back European Cup triumphs in 1989 and 1990.
- Began coaching in 1995 with a year at Reggiana, earning them promotion from Serie B, before two seasons at Parma. Replaced Marcello Lippi at Juventus in February 1999 and returned to San Siro as coach of Milan in 2001. During eight seasons in charge, won the UEFA Champions League in 2003 and 2007, but lost the 2005 final on penalties to Liverpool after leading 3-0. Milan also won a Serie A title, a Coppa Italia and the 2007 FIFA Club World Cup.
- Resigned on 31 May 2009 and was named as Chelsea's new manager the following day. His first season in London ended with the club winning the league and cup double for the first time. Dismissed at the end of his second campaign, Ancelotti took charge of Paris in December 2011, steering the club to a first league title in 19 years in 2012/13, his sole full season in charge.
- Left to take over at Madrid, winning the Copa del Rey and the club's tenth European Cup in his first season and becoming only the fifth coach to win the trophy with two clubs in the process. Madrid then added the UEFA Super Cup, the fourth time Ancelotti had won that trophy as player or coach, before his dismissal at the end of 2014/15.
- That December he agreed to join Bayern, taking the reins in summer 2016 and winning the Bundesliga in his debut campaign, when he also became the first man to coach seven clubs in the UEFA Champions League. Dismissed in September 2017, Ancelotti returned to Italy to take over at Napoli the following year, his club finishing second in Serie A in his first season.

Jürgen Klopp

Date of birth: 16 June 1967

Nationality: German

Playing career: Glatten, Ergenzingen, Pforzheim, Eintracht Frankfurt, Viktoria Sindlingen, Rot-Weiss Frankfurt, Mainz

Coaching career: Mainz, Borussia Dortmund, Liverpool

- Having spent his early career in the lower leagues and failed to break into Eintracht's first team, Klopp turned professional with Mainz, starting off as a striker before becoming a no-nonsense defender. Never played in the top flight but made 325 second-division appearances from 1990 to 2001, setting a club record by scoring 52 goals.
- 'Kloppo' was appointed Mainz's caretaker coach on 28 February 2001, helping the club avoid relegation to the third tier. Duly won a permanent contract and built Mainz into one of the strongest clubs in the 2. Bundesliga; narrowly missed out on promotion in 2002 and 2003 before taking Mainz into the top flight for the first time in 2004 and kept them there until 2007, taking them into the 2005/06 UEFA Cup via the UEFA Fair Play ranking.
- After another promotion near-miss in 2007/08 Klopp left for Dortmund. Took them to sixth in his first season, led them into the UEFA Europa League the next year and then, with a squad full of exciting young talent, oversaw league title wins in 2010/11 and 2011/12, adding the German Cup in the latter campaign with a 5-2 final victory against Bayern München.
- Earned even greater admiration in 2012/13 as he steered Dortmund all the way to the UEFA Champions League final at Wembley, where they lost to Bayern. Dortmund reached more domestic cup finals in 2014 and 2015, losing to Bayern and Wolfsburg respectively, Klopp departing after the latter defeat.
- Succeeded Brendan Rodgers as Liverpool manager in October 2015 and reached the finals of the English League Cup and UEFA Europa League – helped by a quarter-final defeat of Dortmund – in his first season. Lost both, and there was more final disappointment in 2017/18, which ended in UEFA Champions League defeat by Real Madrid in Kyiv. Although Liverpool lost out to Manchester City in the 2018/19 Premier League, finishing second despite collecting 97 points and losing only once, solace came with victory against Tottenham in the UEFA Champions League final in Madrid. The Reds kicked off the following season by claiming the UEFA Super Cup on penalties at

Chelsea's expense.

Match officials

Referee	Felix Brych (GER)
Assistant referees	Mark Borsch (GER) , Stefan Lupp (GER)
Video Assistant Referee	Bastian Dankert (GER)
Assistant Video Assistant Referee	Marco Fritz (GER)
Fourth official	Martin Petersen (GER)
UEFA Delegate	Andrey Medintsev (BUL)
UEFA Referee observer	Peter Fröjdfeldt (SWE)

Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Champions League matches	UEFA matches
Felix Brych	03/08/1975	65	103

Felix Brych

Referee since: 1993
First division: 2004
FIFA badge: 2007

Tournaments: 2018 FIFA World Cup, UEFA EURO 2016, 2014 FIFA World Cup, 2013 FIFA Confederations Cup, 2012 Olympic Games

Finals

2017 UEFA Champions League
2014 UEFA Europa League

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
01/10/2008	UCL	GS	Liverpool FC	PSV Eindhoven	3-1	Liverpool
29/09/2009	UCL	GS	ACF Fiorentina	Liverpool FC	2-0	Florence
03/11/2009	UCL	GS	AC Milan	Real Madrid CF	1-1	Milan
28/09/2010	UCL	GS	AFC Ajax	AC Milan	1-1	Amsterdam
23/02/2011	UCL	R16	Olympique de Marseille	Manchester United FC	0-0	Marseille
05/04/2011	UCL	QF	Real Madrid CF	Tottenham Hotspur	4-0	Madrid
18/10/2011	UCL	GS	FC Oțelul Galați	Manchester United FC	0-2	Bucharest
14/03/2012	UCL	R16	Chelsea FC	SSC Napoli	4-1	London
18/04/2012	UCL	SF	Chelsea FC	FC Barcelona	1-0	London
03/10/2012	UCL	GS	FC Zenit	AC Milan	2-3	St Petersburg
07/11/2012	UCL	GS	SC Braga	Manchester United FC	1-3	Braga
13/02/2013	UCL	R16	Real Madrid CF	Manchester United FC	1-1	Madrid
22/10/2013	UCL	GS	AC Milan	FC Barcelona	1-1	Milan
18/03/2014	UCL	R16	Chelsea FC	Galatasaray AŞ	2-0	London
01/10/2014	UCL	GS	Club Atlético de Madrid	Juventus	1-0	Madrid
25/11/2014	UCL	GS	PFC CSKA Moskva	AS Roma	1-1	Khimki
24/02/2015	UCL	R16	Manchester City FC	FC Barcelona	1-2	Manchester

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
25/11/2015	UCL	GS	Juventus	Manchester City FC	1-0	Turin
09/03/2016	UCL	R16	Chelsea FC	Paris Saint-Germain	1-2	London
28/09/2016	UCL	GS	SSC Napoli	SL Benfica	4-2	Naples
02/11/2016	UCL	GS	F.C. Copenhagen	Leicester City FC	0-0	Copenhagen
23/11/2016	UCL	GS	Arsenal FC	Paris Saint-Germain	2-2	London
22/02/2017	UCL	R16	FC Porto	Juventus	0-2	Porto
03/06/2017	UCL	Final	Juventus	Real Madrid CF	1-4	Cardiff
01/11/2017	UCL	GS	SSC Napoli	Manchester City FC	2-4	Naples
21/11/2017	UCL	GS	Sevilla FC	Liverpool FC	3-3	Seville
13/02/2018	UCL	R16	Juventus	Tottenham Hotspur	2-2	Turin
04/04/2018	UCL	QF	Liverpool FC	Manchester City FC	3-0	Liverpool
24/04/2018	UCL	SF	Liverpool FC	AS Roma	5-2	Liverpool
19/09/2018	UCL	GS	Valencia CF	Juventus	0-2	Valencia
27/11/2018	UCL	GS	Manchester United FC	BSC Young Boys	1-0	Manchester
16/04/2019	UCL	QF	FC Barcelona	Manchester United FC	3-0	Barcelona
08/05/2019	UCL	SF	AFC Ajax	Tottenham Hotspur	2-3	Amsterdam

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
01/06/2007	U19	ELITE	Italy	Sweden	5-2	Katerini
06/06/2007	U19	ELITE	Croatia	Italy	3-1	Katerini
01/10/2008	UCL	GS	Liverpool FC	PSV Eindhoven	3-1	Liverpool
23/10/2008	UEL	GS	Udinese Calcio	Tottenham Hotspur	2-0	Udine
26/02/2009	UEL	R32	PFC CSKA Moskva	Aston Villa FC	2-0	Moscow
29/09/2009	UCL	GS	ACF Fiorentina	Liverpool FC	2-0	Florence
03/11/2009	UCL	GS	AC Milan	Real Madrid CF	1-1	Milan
28/09/2010	UCL	GS	AFC Ajax	AC Milan	1-1	Amsterdam
23/02/2011	UCL	R16	Olympique de Marseille	Manchester United FC	0-0	Marseille
05/04/2011	UCL	QF	Real Madrid CF	Tottenham Hotspur	4-0	Madrid
18/10/2011	UCL	GS	FC Oțelul Galați	Manchester United FC	0-2	Bucharest
14/03/2012	UCL	R16	Chelsea FC	SSC Napoli	4-1	London
18/04/2012	UCL	SF	Chelsea FC	FC Barcelona	1-0	London
03/10/2012	UCL	GS	FC Zenit	AC Milan	2-3	St Petersburg
07/11/2012	UCL	GS	SC Braga	Manchester United FC	1-3	Braga
13/02/2013	UCL	R16	Real Madrid CF	Manchester United FC	1-1	Madrid
22/10/2013	UCL	GS	AC Milan	FC Barcelona	1-1	Milan
18/03/2014	UCL	R16	Chelsea FC	Galatasaray AŞ	2-0	London
01/10/2014	UCL	GS	Club Atlético de Madrid	Juventus	1-0	Madrid
25/11/2014	UCL	GS	PFC CSKA Moskva	AS Roma	1-1	Khimki
24/02/2015	UCL	R16	Manchester City FC	FC Barcelona	1-2	Manchester
31/03/2015	FRIE.	GS-FT	Italy	England	1-1	Turin
07/05/2015	UEL	SF	Sevilla FC	ACF Fiorentina	3-0	Seville
13/10/2015	EURO	QR	Italy	Norway	2-1	Rome

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
25/11/2015	UCL	GS	Juventus	Manchester City FC	1-0	Turin
09/03/2016	UCL	R16	Chelsea FC	Paris Saint-Germain	1-2	London
16/06/2016	EURO	GS-FT	England	Wales	2-1	Lens Agglo
28/09/2016	UCL	GS	SSC Napoli	SL Benfica	4-2	Naples
06/10/2016	WC	QR	Italy	Spain	1-1	Turin
02/11/2016	UCL	GS	F.C. Copenhagen	Leicester City FC	0-0	Copenhagen
23/11/2016	UCL	GS	Arsenal FC	Paris Saint-Germain	2-2	London
22/02/2017	UCL	R16	FC Porto	Juventus	0-2	Porto
13/04/2017	UEL	QF	RSC Anderlecht	Manchester United FC	1-1	Brussels
03/06/2017	UCL	Final	Juventus	Real Madrid CF	1-4	Cardiff
01/11/2017	UCL	GS	SSC Napoli	Manchester City FC	2-4	Naples
21/11/2017	UCL	GS	Sevilla FC	Liverpool FC	3-3	Seville
13/02/2018	UCL	R16	Juventus	Tottenham Hotspur	2-2	Turin
04/04/2018	UCL	QF	Liverpool FC	Manchester City FC	3-0	Liverpool
24/04/2018	UCL	SF	Liverpool FC	AS Roma	5-2	Liverpool
19/09/2018	UCL	GS	Valencia CF	Juventus	0-2	Valencia
12/10/2018	UNL	GS-FT	Croatia	England	0-0	Rijeka
27/11/2018	UCL	GS	Manchester United FC	BSC Young Boys	1-0	Manchester
16/04/2019	UCL	QF	FC Barcelona	Manchester United FC	3-0	Barcelona
08/05/2019	UCL	SF	AFC Ajax	Tottenham Hotspur	2-3	Amsterdam

Fixtures and results

SSC Napoli

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result		Goalscorers
24/08/2019	League	ACF Fiorentina (A)	W	4-3	Mertens 38, Insigne 42 (P), 67, Callejón 56
31/08/2019	League	Juventus (A)	L	3-4	Manolas 66, Lozano 68, Di Lorenzo 81
14/09/2019	League	UC Sampdoria (H)	W	2-0	Mertens 13, 67
17/09/2019	UCL	Liverpool FC (H)			
22/09/2019	League	US Lecce (A)			
25/09/2019	League	Cagliari Calcio (H)			
29/09/2019	League	Brescia Calcio (H)			
02/10/2019	UCL	KRC Genk (A)			
06/10/2019	League	Torino FC (A)			
19/10/2019	League	Hellas Verona FC (H)			
23/10/2019	UCL	FC Salzburg (A)			
27/10/2019	League	SPAL (A)			
30/10/2019	League	Atalanta BC (H)			
02/11/2019	League	AS Roma (A)			
05/11/2019	UCL	FC Salzburg (H)			
09/11/2019	League	Genoa CFC (H)			
23/11/2019	League	AC Milan (A)			
27/11/2019	UCL	Liverpool FC (A)			
01/12/2019	League	Bologna FC (H)			
07/12/2019	League	Udinese Calcio (A)			
10/12/2019	UCL	KRC Genk (H)			
14/12/2019	League	Parma FC (H)			
22/12/2019	League	US Sassuolo Calcio (A)			
05/01/2020	League	FC Internazionale Milano (H)			
12/01/2020	League	SS Lazio (A)			
19/01/2020	League	ACF Fiorentina (H)			
26/01/2020	League	Juventus (H)			
02/02/2020	League	UC Sampdoria (A)			
09/02/2020	League	US Lecce (H)			
16/02/2020	League	Cagliari Calcio (A)			
23/02/2020	League	Brescia Calcio (A)			
01/03/2020	League	Torino FC (H)			
08/03/2020	League	Hellas Verona FC (A)			
15/03/2020	League	SPAL (H)			
22/03/2020	League	Atalanta BC (A)			
05/04/2020	League	AS Roma (H)			
11/04/2020	League	Genoa CFC (A)			
19/04/2020	League	AC Milan (H)			
22/04/2020	League	Bologna FC (A)			
26/04/2020	League	Udinese Calcio (H)			
03/05/2020	League	Parma FC (A)			
10/05/2020	League	US Sassuolo Calcio (H)			

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17/05/2020	League	FC Internazionale Milano (A)		
24/05/2020	League	SS Lazio (H)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	FC Internazionale Milano	3	3	0	0	7	1	9
2	Bologna FC	3	2	1	0	6	4	7
3	Juventus	3	2	1	0	5	3	7
4	SSC Napoli	3	2	0	1	9	7	6
5	Atalanta BC	3	2	0	1	7	6	6
6	Torino FC	3	2	0	1	6	5	6
7	AC Milan	3	2	0	1	2	1	6
8	AS Roma	3	1	2	0	8	6	5
9	SS Lazio	3	1	1	1	5	3	4
10	Genoa CFC	3	1	1	1	6	6	4
11	Hellas Verona FC	3	1	1	1	2	2	4
12	US Sassuolo Calcio	3	1	0	2	7	7	3
13	Cagliari Calcio	3	1	0	2	4	4	3
14	Brescia Calcio	3	1	0	2	4	5	3
15	Parma FC	3	1	0	2	4	5	3
16	SPAL	3	1	0	2	4	5	3
17	Udinese Calcio	3	1	0	2	2	4	3
18	US Lecce	3	1	0	2	2	6	3
19	ACF Fiorentina	3	0	1	2	4	6	1
20	UC Sampdoria	3	0	0	3	1	9	0

Liverpool FC

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
09/08/2019	League	Norwich City FC (H)	W 4-1	Hanley 7 (og), Salah 19, van Dijk 28, Origi 42
14/08/2019	SCUP	Chelsea FC (H)	D 2-2 (aet, 5-4 pens)	Mané 48, 95 ET
17/08/2019	League	Southampton FC (A)	W 2-1	Mané 45+1, Firmino 71
24/08/2019	League	Arsenal FC (H)	W 3-1	Matip 41, Salah 49 (P), 58
31/08/2019	League	Burnley FC (A)	W 3-0	Wood 33 (og), Mané 37, Firmino 80
14/09/2019	League	Newcastle United FC (H)	W 3-1	Mané 28, 40, Salah 72
17/09/2019	UCL	SSC Napoli (A)		
22/09/2019	League	Chelsea FC (A)		
25/09/2019	Cup	Milton Keynes Dons FC (A)		
28/09/2019	League	Sheffield United FC (A)		
02/10/2019	UCL	FC Salzburg (H)		
05/10/2019	League	Leicester City FC (H)		
20/10/2019	League	Manchester United FC (A)		
23/10/2019	UCL	KRC Genk (A)		
27/10/2019	League	Tottenham Hotspur (H)		
02/11/2019	League	Aston Villa FC (A)		

Liverpool FC

05/11/2019	UCL	KRC Genk (H)		
09/11/2019	League	Manchester City FC (H)		
23/11/2019	League	Crystal Palace FC (A)		
27/11/2019	UCL	SSC Napoli (H)		
30/11/2019	League	Brighton & Hove Albion FC (H)		
04/12/2019	League	Everton FC (H)		
07/12/2019	League	AFC Bournemouth (A)		
10/12/2019	UCL	FC Salzburg (A)		
14/12/2019	League	Watford FC (H)		
26/12/2019	League	Leicester City FC (A)		
28/12/2019	League	Wolverhampton Wanderers FC (H)		
01/01/2020	League	Sheffield United FC (H)		
11/01/2020	League	Tottenham Hotspur (A)		
18/01/2020	League	Manchester United FC (H)		
21/01/2020	League	Wolverhampton Wanderers FC (A)		
01/02/2020	League	Southampton FC (H)		
08/02/2020	League	Norwich City FC (A)		
22/02/2020	League	West Ham United FC (H)		
29/02/2020	League	Watford FC (A)		
07/03/2020	League	AFC Bournemouth (H)		
14/03/2020	League	Everton FC (A)		
21/03/2020	League	Crystal Palace FC (H)		
04/04/2020	League	Manchester City FC (A)		
11/04/2020	League	Aston Villa FC (H)		
18/04/2020	League	Brighton & Hove Albion FC (A)		
25/04/2020	League	Burnley FC (H)		
02/05/2020	League	Arsenal FC (A)		
09/05/2020	League	Chelsea FC (H)		
17/05/2020	League	Newcastle United FC (A)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Liverpool FC	5	5	0	0	15	4	15
2	Manchester City FC	5	3	1	1	16	6	10
3	Tottenham Hotspur	5	2	2	1	11	6	8
4	Manchester United FC	5	2	2	1	8	4	8
5	Leicester City FC	5	2	2	1	6	4	8
6	Chelsea FC	5	2	2	1	11	11	8
7	Arsenal FC	5	2	2	1	8	8	8
8	West Ham United FC	5	2	2	1	6	7	8
9	AFC Bournemouth	5	2	1	2	8	9	7
10	Southampton FC	5	2	1	2	5	6	7
11	Everton FC	5	2	1	2	5	7	7

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
12	Crystal Palace FC	5	2	1	2	3	6	7
13	Norwich City FC	5	2	0	3	9	12	6
14	Burnley FC	5	1	2	2	6	7	5
15	Sheffield United FC	5	1	2	2	5	6	5
16	Brighton & Hove Albion FC	5	1	2	2	5	8	5
17	Aston Villa FC	5	1	1	3	4	6	4
18	Newcastle United FC	5	1	1	3	4	8	4
19	Wolverhampton Wanderers FC	5	0	3	2	6	10	3
20	Watford FC	5	0	2	3	4	10	2

Match-by-match lineups

SSC Napoli

UEFA Champions League - Group stage

Group E

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
FC Salzburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KRC Genk	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liverpool FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SSC Napoli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Matchday 1 (17/09/2019)

SSC Napoli-Liverpool FC

Matchday 2 (02/10/2019)

KRC Genk-SSC Napoli

Matchday 3 (23/10/2019)

FC Salzburg-SSC Napoli

Matchday 4 (05/11/2019)

SSC Napoli-FC Salzburg

Matchday 5 (27/11/2019)

Liverpool FC-SSC Napoli

Matchday 6 (10/12/2019)

SSC Napoli-KRC Genk

Liverpool FC

UEFA Super Cup - Final

Matchday 1 (14/08/2019)

Liverpool FC 2-2 Chelsea FC

Goals: 0-1 Giroud 36, 1-1 Mané 48, 2-1 Mané 95 ET, 2-2 Jorginho 101 (P) ET

Penalties: Firmino 1-0, Jorginho 1-1, Fabinho 2-1, Barkley 2-2, Origi 3-2, Mount 3-3, Alexander-Arnold 4-3, Emerson 4-4, Salah 5-4, Abraham 5-4 (missed)

Liverpool FC: Adrián, Fabinho, van Dijk, Milner (64 Wijnaldum), Mané (13 Origi), Salah, Gomez, Henderson, Oxlade-Chamberlain (46 Firmino), Robertson (1 Alexander-Arnold), Matip

UEFA Champions League - Group stage

Matchday 1 (17/09/2019)

SSC Napoli-Liverpool FC

Matchday 2 (02/10/2019)

Liverpool FC-FC Salzburg

Matchday 3 (23/10/2019)

KRC Genk-Liverpool FC

Matchday 4 (05/11/2019)

Liverpool FC-KRC Genk

Matchday 5 (27/11/2019)

Liverpool FC-SSC Napoli

Matchday 6 (10/12/2019)

FC Salzburg-Liverpool FC

Competition facts

UEFA Champions League: Did you know?

Overall records

- In 2012/13, Chelsea became 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 lost 4-3 on aggregate in the second round to CSKA Moskva.
- In 2016/17 Real Madrid became the first team to successfully defend the UEFA Champions League trophy, with AC Milan (1989, 1990) the previous club to win consecutive European Cups. Milan (1994, 1995), 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.
- Real Madrid then made it three wins in a row in 2017/18, becoming the fourth club to win three or more successive titles in European Cup history, and the first to do it twice.
- Only two teams have ever won the UEFA Champions League on home soil: Borussia Dortmund (1997, final in Munich) and Juventus (1996, final in Rome), while Manchester United lost the 2011 final in London and 12 months later Bayern were beaten in the showpiece in their own stadium, the Fußball Arena München.

Group stage

- Barcelona have finished as group winners on 20 occasions, four more than Real Madrid and five more than Bayern München and Manchester United. Barça also hold the record for the most unbeaten group stage campaigns with 12, four more than Real Madrid.
- Bayern München (2 April 2013 to 27 November 2013) and Real Madrid (23 April 2014 to 18 February 2015) jointly hold the record for successive wins in the UEFA Champions League proper with ten. Bayern surpassed the previous mark of nine, set by Barcelona between 18 September 2002 and 18 February 2003.
- Six teams have recorded six successive victories in a UEFA Champions League group stage: Milan (1992/93), Paris Saint-Germain (1994/95), Spartak Moskva (1995/96), Barcelona (2002/03, first group stage) and Real Madrid (2011/12 and 2014/15).
- Twenty-one teams have gone through a UEFA Champions League group stage without picking up a single point, most recently AEK Athens in 2018/19.
- In 2017/18, Paris Saint-Germain set a new group stage record by scoring 25 goals, with Liverpool (23) also eclipsing the old mark of 21 set by Borussia Dortmund in 2016/17. Manchester United (1998/99), Barcelona (2011/12, 2016/17) and Real Madrid (2013/14) all managed 20.
- Only Deportivo La Coruña (2004/05), Maccabi Haifa (2009/10) and Dinamo Zagreb (2016/17) have failed to score in a group stage.
- BATE Borisov conceded 24 goals in 2014/15, a new group stage record which was matched by Legia Warszawa in 2016/17. The previous mark, 22, was held by Dinamo Zagreb (2011/12) and Nordsjælland (2012/13); Malmö shipped 21 in 2015/16.
- No team has ever gone through a UEFA Champions League group stage without conceding a goal. Milan (1992/93), Ajax (1995/96), Juventus (1996/97 and 2004/05), Chelsea (2005/06), Liverpool (2005/06), Villarreal (2005/06), Manchester United (2010/11), Monaco (2014/15), Paris Saint-Germain (2015/16) and Barcelona (2017/18) all let in just one.
- Matchday six of the 2013/14 marked FCSB's 23rd successive game in the competition without a victory, surpassing the previous record of 22 set by Spartak Moskva between December 2000 and November 2006.
- Anderlecht hold the unwanted record for successive defeats in the competition, group stage to final, having lost 12 in a row between December 2003 and November 2005. Dinamo Zagreb are next with 11 consecutive losses on two occasions, from September 2011 to November 2012 and ongoing since September 2015.
- The lowest total for a team qualifying from the group stage is six points: Zenit in 2013/14 and Roma in 2015/16. Since three points for a win was introduced in 1995/96, nine teams have made it through with seven points: Legia Warszawa (1995/96), Dynamo Kyiv (1999/2000), Liverpool (2001/02, second group stage), in 2002/03 Lokomotiv Moskva (first group stage) and eventual finalists Juventus (second group stage), Rangers and Werder Bremen (2005/06), Galatasaray (2013/14) and Basel (2014/15).
- Napoli failed to qualify from their group with 12 points in 2013/14, the highest total of any team not to reach the next stage when the top two in each section progressed. Dynamo Kyiv (1999/2000, second group stage), Borussia

Dortmund (2002/03, second group stage), PSV Eindhoven (2003/04), Olympiacos and Dynamo Kyiv (both 2004/05), Werder Bremen (2006/07), Manchester City (2011/12), Chelsea and Cluj (both 2012/13), Benfica (2013/14) and Porto (2015/16) all missed out with ten points.

Goalscoring records

- Lionel Messi became the first player to score five goals in a match in Barcelona's 7-1 win against Bayer Leverkusen on 7 March 2012, a feat matched by Shakhtar Donetsk's Luiz Adriano at BATE Borisov on 21 October 2014. Eleven more players, also including Messi, have scored four times in a game, most recently Cristiano Ronaldo for Real Madrid on matchday six in 2015/16.
- Cristiano Ronaldo set a new record for a UEFA Champions League group stage with 11 goals in 2015/16, eclipsing his own mark of nine in 2013/14, which Luiz Adriano matched in 2014/15 and Ronaldo himself equalled in 2017/18. Lionel Messi got ten goals in 2016/17; Zlatan Ibrahimović (2013/14), Ruud van Nistelrooy (2004/05), Filippo Inzaghi, Hernán Crespo (both 2002/03) and Robert Lewandowski (2018/19) managed eight.
- Messi's hat-trick against PSV Eindhoven on matchday one of the 2018/19 competition was his eighth in the competition, a mark Ronaldo matched against Atlético Madrid in that season's round of 16 second leg.

Oldest and youngest players

- Lazio goalkeeper Marco Ballotta is the oldest player to compete in the UEFA Champions League having featured against Real Madrid on matchday six in 2007/08 aged 43 years and 252 days. Alessandro Costacurta is the oldest outfield player; the Milan defender was 40 years and 211 days when he played against AEK Athens in 2006/07.
- Francesco Totti is the oldest player to score in the competition, aged 38 years and 59 days, in Roma's 1-1 draw at CSKA Moskva on 25 November 2014. Ryan Giggs (37 years 290 days) was the previous record holder.
- Celestine Babayaro is the youngest player to have appeared; he was 16 years and 87 days when he started for Anderlecht against Steaua Bucureşti on 23 November 1994. He was 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 on 1 October 1997.

Team facts

SSC Napoli

Formed: 1926

Nickname: Partenopei (a reference to Parthenope, one of the Sirens of Greek mythology)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- UEFA Cup (1): 1989

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 2 (1990)

Italian Cup: 5 (2014)

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

2018/19: UEFA Europa League quarter-finals (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2017/18: UEFA Europa League round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2016/17: round of 16

2015/16: UEFA Europa League round of 32

2014/15: UEFA Europa League semi-finals (having transferred from UEFA Champions League play-offs)

2013/14: UEFA Europa League round of 16 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2012/13: UEFA Europa League round of 32

2011/12: round of 16

2010/11: UEFA Europa League round of 32

2009/10: did not take part in UEFA club competition

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

5-0 three times, most recently v Midtjylland

05/11/15, UEFA Europa League group stage

- Biggest away win

1-5: Valencia v Napoli

16/09/92, UEFA Cup first round first leg

0-4: Trabzonspor v Napoli

19/02/15, UEFA Europa League round of 32 first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

0-3: Napoli v Viktoria Plzeň

14/02/13, UEFA Europa League round of 32 first leg

- Heaviest away defeat

5-1: Werder Bremen v Napoli

06/12/89, UEFA Cup third round second leg

UEFA Champions League (group stage to final)

- Biggest home win

3-0: Napoli v Shakhtar Donetsk

21/11/17, group stage

- Biggest away win

0-2: Villarreal v Napoli

07/12/11, group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

2-4: Napoli v Manchester City

01/11/17, group stage

1-3: Napoli v Real Madrid

07/03/17, round of 16 second leg

- Heaviest away defeat

4-1: Chelsea v Napoli (aet)

14/03/12, round of 16 second leg

Liverpool FC

Formed: 1892

Nickname: The Reds

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- European Champion Clubs' Cup (6): 1977, 1978, 1981, 1984, (1985), 2005, (2007), (2018), 2019
- UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League (3): 1973, 1976, 2001, (2016)
- UEFA Cup Winners' Cup: (1966)
- UEFA Super Cup (4): 1977, (1978), (1984), 2001, 2005, 2019
- European/South American Cup: (1981), (1984)

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 18 (1990)

FA Cup: 7 (2006)

League Cup: 8 (2012)

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

2018/19: winners

2017/18: runners-up

2016/17: did not take part in UEFA competition

2015/16: UEFA Europa League runners-up

2014/15: UEFA Europa League round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2013/14: did not take part in UEFA competition

2012/13: UEFA Europa League round of 32

2011/12: did not take part in UEFA competition

2010/11: UEFA Europa League round of 16

2009/10: UEFA Europa League semi-finals (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

11-0: Liverpool v Strømsgodset

17/09/74, UEFA Cup Winners' Cup first round first leg

- Biggest away win

0-7: Maribor v Liverpool

17/10/17, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

0-3: Liverpool v Real Madrid

22/10/14, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

5-1: Ajax v Liverpool

07/12/66, European Champion Clubs' Cup second round first leg

UEFA Champions League (group stage to final only)

- Biggest home win

8-0: Liverpool v Beşiktaş

06/11/07, group stage

- Biggest away win

0-7: Maribor v Liverpool (see above)

- Heaviest home defeat

0-3: Liverpool v Real Madrid (see above)

- Heaviest away defeat

3-0: Barcelona v Liverpool

01/05/19, semi-final first leg

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 European Champion Clubs' Cup, UEFA Champions League, UEFA Europa League, UEFA Cup Winner's Cup UEFA Super Cup, UEFA Intertoto Cup and European/South American Cup. Matches in the Inter-Cities Fairs Cup and the 1972 Super Cup are not included as they were not held under UEFA auspices, while the FIFA Club World Cup is excluded.

Match officials

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
ECCC: European Champion Clubs' Cup
UEL: UEFA Europa 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
WEURO: UEFA European Women's Championship

Competition stages

F: Final	GS: Group stage
GS1: First group stage	GS2: Second group stage
3QR: Third qualifying round	R1: First round
R2: Second round	R3: Third round
R4: Fourth round	PR: Preliminary round
SF: Semi-finals	QF: Quarter-finals
R16: round of 16	QR: Qualifying round
R32: Round of 32	1QR: First qualifying round
1st: first leg	2QR: Second qualifying round
2nd: second leg	FT: Final tournament
PO: Play-off	ELITE: Elite round
Rep: Replay	3rdPO: Third-place play-off
PO - FT: Play-off for Final Tournament	GS-FT: Group stage – final tournament

Other abbreviations

(aet): After extra time	pens: Penalties
No.: Number	og: Own goal
ag: Match decided on away goals	P: Penalty
Pld: Matches played	agg: Aggregate
Pos.: Position	AP: Appearances
Pts: Points	Comp.: Competition
R: Sent off (straight red card)	D: Drawn
Res.: Result	DoB: Date of birth
sg: Match decided by silver goal	ET: Extra Time
GF: Goals for	GA: Goals against
gg: Match decided by golden goal	t: Match decided by toss of a coin
Y/R: Sent off (two yellow cards)	W: Won
f: Match forfeited	Y: Booked
	L: Lost
	Nat.: Nationality
	N/A: Not applicable

Statistics

-: Denotes player substituted
*: Denotes player sent off

+: Denotes player introduced
+/-: Denotes player introduced and substituted

Squad list

D: Disciplinary

*****: Misses next match if booked

S: Suspended

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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