

# UEFA CHAMPIONS LEAGUE - 2019/20 SEASON MATCH PRESS KITS



**SL Benfica**

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Group G - Matchday 1



**RB Leipzig**

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## UEFA CHAMPIONS LEAGUE OFFICIAL SPONSORS



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## Team facts

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### SL Benfica

**Formed:** 1904

**Nickname:** As Águias (The Eagles)

#### UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- European Cup (2): 1961, 1962, (1963), (1965), (1968), (1988), (1990)
- UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League: (1983), (2013), (2014)

#### Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 37 (2019)

Portuguese Cup: 26 (2017)

#### 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:** group stage

**2016/17:** round of 16

**2015/16:** quarter-finals

**2014/15:** group stage

**2013/14:** UEFA Europa League runners-up (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

**2012/13:** UEFA Europa League runners-up (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

**2011/12:** quarter-finals

**2010/11:** UEFA Europa League semi-finals (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

**2009/10:** UEFA Europa League quarter-finals

### Records

#### UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

**10-0:** Benfica v Stade Dudelange

05/10/65, European Champion Clubs' Cup preliminary round second leg

- Biggest away win

**0-8:** Stade Dudelange v Benfica

30/09/65, European Champion Clubs' Cup preliminary round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

**1-5:** Benfica v Manchester United

09/03/66, European Champion Clubs' Cup quarter-finals second leg

- Heaviest away defeat

**7-0:** Celta Vigo v Benfica

25/11/99, UEFA Cup third round first leg

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

- Biggest home win

**3-0:** Benfica v Celtic

01/11/06, group stage

- Biggest away win

**0-2** three times, most recently v Dynamo Kyiv

19/10/16, group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

**0-2** four times, most recently v Bayern

19/09/18, group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

**5-0:** Basel v Benfica

27/09/17, group stage

### RB Leipzig

**Formed:** 2009

#### UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- None

## Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

None

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

**2018/19:** UEFA Europa League group stage

**2017/18:** UEFA Europa League quarter-finals (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

**2016/17:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2015/16:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2014/15:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2013/14:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2012/13:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2011/12:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2010/11:** did not take part in UEFA competition

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

## Records

### UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

**4-0:** Leipzig v Håcken

26/07/18, UEFA Europa League second qualifying round first leg

- Biggest away win

**1-4:** Monaco v Leipzig

21/11/17, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

**0-2:** Leipzig v Napoli

22/02/18, UEFA Europa League round of 32 second leg

- Heaviest away defeat

**5-2:** Marseille v Leipzig

12/04/18, UEFA Europa League quarter-final second leg

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

- Biggest home win

**3-2:** Leipzig v Porto

17/10/17, group stage

- Biggest away win

**1-4:** Monaco v Leipzig (see above)

- Heaviest home defeat

**1-2:** Leipzig v Beşiktaş

06/12/17, group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

**3-1:** Porto v Leipzig

01/11/17, group stage

**2-0:** Beşiktaş v Leipzig

26/09/17, 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 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

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

### Other abbreviations

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

## Statistics

-: Denotes player substituted  
\*: Denotes player sent off

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

## Squad list

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**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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