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Olympiacos FC

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FC Bayern München

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Previous meetings

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UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
24/11/2015	GS	FC Bayern München - Olympiacos FC	4-0	Munich	Douglas Costa 8, Lewandowski 16, Müller 20, Coman 69
16/09/2015	GS	Olympiacos FC - FC Bayern München	0-3	Piraeus	Müller 52, 90+2 (P), Götze 89

European Champions Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
01/10/1980	R1	FC Bayern München - Olympiacos FC	3-0 agg: 7-2	Munich	D. Hoeness 2, K-H. Rummenigge 7, Janzon 65 (P)
17/09/1980	R1	Olympiacos FC - FC Bayern München	2-4	Piraeus	Galakos 26, Ahlström 83; Dremmler 23, 63, K-H. Rummenigge 57, Kraus 67

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
Olympiacos FC	2	0	0	2	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	4	2	14
FC Bayern München	2	2	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	0	14	2

Olympiacos FC - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
21/11/2012	GS	FC Schalke 04 - Olympiacos FC	1-0	Gelsenkirchen	Fuchs 77
18/09/2012	GS	Olympiacos FC - FC Schalke 04	1-2	Piraeus	Abdoun 58; Höwedes 41, Huntelaar 59

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
01/11/2011	GS	Borussia Dortmund - Olympiacos FC	1-0	Dortmund	Grosskreutz 7
19/10/2011	GS	Olympiacos FC - Borussia Dortmund	3-1	Piraeus	Holebas 8, Djebbour 40, Modesto 78; Lewandowski 26

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
18/12/2008	GS	Olympiacos FC - Hertha BSC Berlin	4-0	Piraeus	Dudu 55, Galletti 68 (P), Torosidis 87, Diogo 88

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
11/12/2007	GS	Olympiacos FC - SV Werder Bremen	3-0	Piraeus	Stoltidis 12, 74, Kovačević 70
03/10/2007	GS	SV Werder Bremen - Olympiacos FC	1-3	Bremen	Hugo Almeida 32; Stoltidis 73, Patsatzoglou 82, Kovačević 87

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
29/10/2002	GS1	Bayer 04 Leverkusen - Olympiacos FC	2-0	Leverkusen	Juan 14, Schneider 90 (P)
18/09/2002	GS1	Olympiacos FC - Bayer 04 Leverkusen	6-2	Athens	Kleine 27 (og), Giannakopoulos 38, P. Djordjević 44, 64 (P), 73, Zetterberg 87; Eleftheropoulos 22 (og), Schneider 78 (P)

European Champions Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
03/11/1982	R2	Olympiacos FC - Hamburger SV	0-4 agg: 0-5	Athens	Magath 26, Hrubesch 50, Rolff 53, Bastrup 85
20/10/1982	R2	Hamburger SV - Olympiacos FC	1-0	Hamburg	Von Heesen 70

FC Bayern München - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
07/11/2018	GS	FC Bayern München - AEK Athens FC	2-0	Munich	Lewandowski 31 (P), 71
23/10/2018	GS	AEK Athens FC - FC Bayern München	0-2	Athens	Javi Martínez 61, Lewandowski 63

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
19/12/2007	GS	FC Bayern München - Aris Thessaloniki FC	6-0	Munich	Toni 25, 38, 64, 66, Lell 78, Lahm 81

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
02/11/1983	R2	FC Bayern München - PAOK FC	0-0 agg: 0-0 (aet, 9-8 pens)	Munich	
19/10/1983	R2	PAOK FC - FC Bayern München	0-0	Salonika	

UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
18/10/1967	R1	Panathinaikos FC - FC Bayern München	1-2 agg: 1-7	Athens	Kalaitzidis 68; G. Müller 8, Koulmann 89
20/09/1967	R1	FC Bayern München - Panathinaikos FC	5-0	Munich	G. Müller 13 (P), 46, Kupferschmidt 25, Beckenbauer 32, Jung 57

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
Olympiacos FC	8	4	0	4	7	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	15	5	0	10	22	29
FC Bayern München	6	5	1	0	5	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	11	9	2	0	31	3

Match background

Already three points clear in Group B, Bayern München will be looking to consolidate that position as they kick off their double header against an Olympiacos team they have beaten in all four previous contests.

- Emphatic wins against Crvena zvezda and, especially, Tottenham have put Bayern in control of the section, and they now face opponents who have picked up only one point from their first two fixtures.

Previous meetings

- Bayern have scored 14 goals in their four matches against Olympiacos, keeping clean sheets in the last three fixtures.
- Most recently, in the 2015/16 UEFA Champions League group stage, Robert Lewandowski, Thomas Müller and Kingsley Coman were all on target in a 4-0 home success in Munich. That followed a 3-0 victory in Greece in which Müller scored twice.
- Bayern's first game in Piraeus, in the 1980/81 European Champion Clubs' Cup first round, ended in a 4-2 win, setting up a 7-2 aggregate triumph.

Form guide

Olympiacos

- The Piraeus club looked set to start the 2019/20 group stage with a defeat when Spurs established a 2-0 lead in Greece on Matchday 1, but battled back for a 2-2 draw. It was their turn to let an advantage slip in the second round of fixtures, however, Crvena zvezda running out 3-1 winners in Belgrade after Olympiacos had led.
- Second in the 2018/19 Greek Super League behind PAOK, Pedro Martins' side were unbeaten in this season's UEFA Champions League before losing last time out, having kicked off in the second qualifying round. They beat Viktoria Plzeň (0-0 a, 4-0 h) and İstanbul Başakşehir in the third qualifying round (1-0 a, 2-0 h) before overcoming Krasnodar in the play-offs (4-0 h, 2-1 a) and then drawing with Spurs.
- The point from Matchday 1 equalled the Greek side's six-match total from their last UEFA Champions League group stage campaign in 2017/18, when they finished bottom of a section including Barcelona, Juventus and Sporting CP.
- In 2018/19 Olympiacos went from the UEFA Europa League third qualifying round to the round of 32 thanks to a memorable Matchday 6 defeat of AC Milan in Piraeus. They were unable to get past Dynamo Kyiv in the first knockout round, however, going out 3-2 on aggregate (2-2 h, 0-1 a).
- This season's results have made it ten home European games without defeat for Olympiacos (W7 D3), since a 2-0 loss against Juventus on Matchday 6 of the 2017/18 UEFA Champions League.
- Olympiacos lost their first two home games against German clubs, but won the next four, scoring 16 goals in the process. They have been defeated in the last two, however, going down 2-1 against Schalke in the 2012/13 UEFA Champions League group stage prior to their 2015 reverse against Bayern.
- Olympiacos have lost their last five games against Bundesliga sides, home and away, scoring only one goal while conceding 11.

Bayern

- On Matchday 1 Kingsley Coman's diving header gave Bayern a first-half lead against Crvena zvezda, further goals from Robert Lewandowski (80) and Thomas Müller (90+1) wrapping up a 3-0 win late on.
- Bayern scored seven goals in a UEFA Champions League match for a record fifth time on matchday 2, Serge Gnabry becoming the 14th player to score four times in a match in the competition in a 7-2 success at Tottenham, and the first to hit four in the second half. It was the 19th time Bayern had scored five or more goals in a UEFA Champions League match, level with Barcelona as a competition record.
- This is Bayern's 23rd UEFA Champions League group campaign, fewer only than Barcelona and Real Madrid (both 24). They have won their section 15 times, although their first-place finish in 2018/19 was their first since 2015/16.
- Twelve months ago Bayern picked up seven points away, and 14 overall, to finish first in Group E ahead of Ajax, Benfica and AEK Athens. They drew 0-0 at Liverpool in the first leg of their round of 16 tie, but bowed out after going down 3-1 in the home return.
- Champions of Germany for a record 29th time last season – with a landmark seventh successive Bundesliga title – Bayern had reached the UEFA Champions League quarter-finals or better in seven successive campaigns before losing to Liverpool.
- In the 2018/19 group stage, Niko Kovač's side won 2-0 at both Benfica and AEK Athens before a 3-3 Matchday 6 draw at Ajax and the first-leg stalemate at Liverpool.

- Bayern are unbeaten in their last ten European away games (W7 D3), scoring at least two goals in all but the goalless draw at Liverpool last season. Before winning at Benfica the Munich club had not kept a clean sheet on their UEFA Champions League travels in 14 matches; they have now managed three in the last five.
- Bayern beat AEK 2-0 away and home in last season's group stage and have never lost to a Greek club (W9 D2). The German side have kept clean sheets in their last eight matches with Greek opponents, scoring 17 goals across the five most recent contests.

Links and trivia

- Has played in Germany:
Omar Elabdellaoui (Eintracht Braunschweig 2013–14)
- Have played together:
Mathieu Valbuena & Corentin Tolisso (Lyon 2015–17)
Yassine Benzia & Benjamin Pavard (LOSC Lille 2015/16)
- Lewandowski scored in Borussia Dortmund's 3-1 defeat at Olympiacos in the UEFA Champions League group stage in December 2011.
- Lewandowski was also on target as Poland drew 1-1 against Greece in the opening match of UEFA EURO 2012.
- Ivan Perišić scored Croatia's third goal in a 4-1 defeat of Greece in the 2018 FIFA World Cup play-offs.

Latest News

Olympiacos

- Mathieu Valbuena is the oldest player to score in this season's UEFA Champions League; he was aged 34 years 355 days when he converted a penalty against Tottenham on Matchday 1.
- The Matchday 2 loss at Crvena zvezda ended Olympiacos's 20-match unbeaten run in all competitions (W17 D3). Their previous defeat came on 28 February, when they lost 1-0 at home to Lamia in the Greek Cup quarter-final second leg.
- Olympiacos's record this season is now W11 D3 L1, with 30 goals scored and nine conceded. Five of those goals have been conceded in this season's UEFA Champions League group stage.
- The Piraeus club dropped their only points in this season's Super League on 22 September, in the away derby against Panathinaikos (1-1). They were 2-1 winners at home to OFI Crete on Saturday.
- Omar Elabdellaoui earned the penalty for Norway's late equaliser in the UEFA EURO 2020 qualifier against Spain on 12 October (1-1).
- Uncapped duo José Sá and Rúben Semedo were called up by Portugal for the UEFA EURO 2020 qualifiers against Luxembourg and Ukraine and were unused substitutes in both games.
- Valbuena suffered a right hamstring strain during training on Friday and is expected to be sidelined for the next fortnight.
- Daniel Podence suffered a groin injury during a 2-1 league win at Aris on 6 October, when Kostas Tsimikas picked up a knock that ruled him out of Greece's UEFA EURO 2020 qualifiers against Italy and Bosnia and Herzegovina; Podence returned on Saturday.
- Guilherme was laid low during a viral infection during the international break but recovered to play 90 minutes against OFI.
- Mohamed Camara suffered a minor injury against Crvena zvezda and missed the Aris game but returned as a late substitute at the weekend. Yassine Benzia picked up a minor injury in a training match between Olympiacos' seniors and the Under-19 team during the international break and did not feature against OFI.
- Pape Abou Cissé has not played since 14 September and spent 17 days in hospital with a respiratory infection. He is expected to return to action in November.
- Olympiacos captain Kostas Fortounis is expected to be out of action until March 2020 after suffering a knee ligament injury in a pre-season friendly against Hamburg on 10 July.
- Lazaros Christodouloupoulos has been sidelined since 17 February with a cruciate knee ligament injury and has not been included in this season's UEFA Champions League squad. He returned to full training in September and is expected to be back in action in November.
- On 15 October, Olympiacos announced the signing of 19-year old international Cypriot midfielder Giannis Kosti from Nea Salamina, where he will remain on loan for the rest of the season.
- Former player Alejandro Domínguez joined the Olympiacos scouting department on 20 September; he will focus

mainly on South America.

- On 17 October Olympiacos announced Podence has signed a contract extension until 2023.

Bayern

- Bayern are the top-scoring team in this season's UEFA Champions League with ten goals in two matches.
- Four days after winning at Tottenham, Bayern suffered their first Bundesliga defeat of the season, losing 2-1 against Hoffenheim at home. They dropped two further points on Saturday, conceding an added-time equaliser to draw 2-2 at Augsburg.
- Robert Lewandowski scored his 11th and 12th league goals of the season against Hoffenheim and Augsburg and is now the fourth best Bundesliga scorer of all time with 214 strikes.
- Lewandowski, whose goal against Crvena zvezda on Matchday 1 was his 200th competitive strike for Bayern, equalled Pierre-Emerick Aubameyang's 2015/16 feat of scoring in the first eight Bundesliga matches.
- The Polish striker, who has registered 16 goals in 12 competitive Bayern games this season, is the first Bayern player to score in the first eight league games of a season.
- In the European Qualifiers Lewandowski scored a hat-trick in Poland's 3-0 win at Latvia on 10 October, taking his total to 60 international goals.
- Lewandowski and Thiago Alcántara (Spain) both helped their countries qualify for UEFA EURO 2020 during the international break.
- Alphonso Davies scored for Canada in a 2-0 win against the United States in CONCACAF Nations League A on 15 October – their first success against their neighbours for 34 years.
- Serge Gnabry scored and set up the second goal in Germany's 2-2 friendly draw against Argentina on 9 October. He missed the UEFA EURO 2020 qualifier in Estonia four days later due to muscular problems but returned, and scored, at Augsburg on Saturday.
- David Alaba missed the Hoffenheim game and both Austria's EURO qualifiers against Israel and Slovenia due to a rib injury he suffered against Tottenham, but returned to team training on 15 October. He replaced Niklas Süle after 12 minutes at Augsburg, Süle having to be withdrawn after tearing the anterior cruciate ligament in his left knee.
- Jann-Fiete Arp underwent surgery on his left wrist on 26 September and has not featured since.
- Leon Goretzka made his first appearance in the Bundesliga this season as a late replacement at Augsburg having recovered from a thigh injury.

FootballPeople weeks

The FootballPeople weeks take place from 10 to 24 October 2019 and are organised by UEFA's social responsibility partner Fare. The weeks are a global campaign aimed at tackling discrimination and celebrating diversity in football. The UEFA Champions League is offering its full support to the FootballPeople weeks; teams will line up for a mixed photo with the referees, while an #EqualGame hashtag will also be on display. Videos will be played on giant screens at stadiums across Europe, and child mascots will be wearing #FootballPeople t-shirts. UEFA's collaboration with the Fare network's FootballPeople weeks has been running since 2001. The aim of this initiative fits in perfectly with the goals of #EqualGame, which is looking to promote inclusion, diversity and accessibility.

Squad list

Olympiacos 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	José Sá	POR	17/01/1993	26	-	6	-	2	-	7	-	7	-	20	-
16	Bobby Allain	FRA	28/11/1991	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	Ilias Karargyris	GRE	29/06/2002	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders															
3	Rúben Semedo	POR	04/04/1994	25	-	6	2	2	1	5	-	8	1	16	3
14	Omar Elabdellaoui	NOR	05/12/1991	27	-	6	-	2	-	6	-	18	-	39	-
20	Yassine Meriah	TUN	02/07/1993	26	-	5	-	2	-	3	-	2	-	11	-
21	Kostas Tsimikas	GRE	12/05/1996	23	-	6	-	2	-	3	-	2	-	17	-
34	Avraam Papadopoulos	GRE	03/12/1984	34	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	12	-	44	3
35	Vasilis Torosidis	GRE	10/06/1985	34	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	29	3	60	7
66	Pape Abou Cissé	SEN	14/09/1995	24	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	9	1
76	Bruno Gaspar	POR	21/04/1993	26	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	5	-
88	Apostolos-Ilias Martinis	GRE	08/01/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midfielders															
4	Mohamed Camara	GUY	28/02/1997	22	-	6	-	1	-	6	-	1	-	17	-
5	Andreas Bouchalakis	GRE	05/04/1993	26	-	6	-	2	-	4	-	3	-	22	1
6	Yassine Benzia	FRA	08/09/1994	25	S	-	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	17	2
8	Guilherme	ITA	05/04/1991	28	-	6	2	1	-	7	1	1	-	12	2
10	Daniel Podence	POR	21/10/1995	24	-	6	1	2	1	7	-	2	1	21	3
19	Giorgos Masouras	GRE	01/01/1994	25	-	6	1	2	-	5	1	2	-	14	2
22	Maximiliano Lovera	ARG	09/03/1999	20	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	1	-
28	Mathieu Valbuena	FRA	28/09/1984	35	-	6	1	1	1	6	2	46	4	100	8
53	Nikitas Nikolis	GRE	16/06/2002	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
57	Giorgos Xenitidis	GRE	04/09/1999	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
58	Georgios Fekkas	GRE	24/05/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
97	Lazar Randjelovic	SRB	05/08/1997	22	-	4	2	1	-	4	-	1	-	6	2
Forwards															
9	Miguel Ángel Guerrero	ESP	12/07/1990	29	-	5	2	2	-	5	2	2	-	16	6
11	Youssef El Arabi	FRA	03/02/1987	32	-	3	2	2	-	6	4	2	-	5	2
51	Alexandros Voilis	GRE	26/05/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
55	Emiliano Bullari	ALB	06/04/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
90	Vasilis Sourlis	GRE	16/11/2002	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coach															
-	Pedro Martins	POR	17/07/1970	49	-	6	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	20	-

FC Bayern München

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	Manuel Neuer	GER	27/03/1986	33	-	-	-	2	-	8	-	102	-	110	-
26	Sven Ulreich	GER	03/08/1988	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	40	-
36	Christian Früchtl	GER	28/01/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	Ron-Torben Hoffmann	GER	04/04/1999	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders															
4	Niklas Süle	GER	03/09/1995	24	-	-	-	2	-	8	-	17	-	17	-
5	Benjamin Pavard	FRA	28/03/1996	23	-	-	-	2	-	8	1	2	-	2	-
8	Javi Martínez	ESP	02/09/1988	31	-	-	-	2	-	4	-	53	2	79	5
17	Jérôme Boateng	GER	03/09/1988	31	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	70	3	107	5
21	Lucas Hernández	FRA	14/02/1996	23	-	-	-	1	-	6	-	17	-	26	-
27	David Alaba	AUT	24/06/1992	27	-	-	-	1	-	4	1	75	5	77	5
33	Lars Lukas Mai	GER	31/03/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midfielders															
6	Thiago Alcántara	ESP	11/04/1991	28	-	-	-	2	-	6	-	53	8	53	8
10	Philippe Coutinho	BRA	12/06/1992	27	-	-	-	2	-	7	2	33	8	57	12
11	Mickaël Cuisance	FRA	16/08/1999	20	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
18	Leon Goretzka	GER	06/02/1995	24	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	11	-	28	3
19	Alphonso Davies	CAN	02/11/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-
24	Corentin Tolisso	FRA	03/08/1994	25	-	-	-	2	-	5	-	22	5	42	7
28	Sarpreet Singh	NZL	20/02/1999	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	Joshua Kimmich	GER	08/02/1995	24	-	-	-	2	1	8	-	37	8	37	8
34	Oliver Batista Meier	GER	16/02/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Daniels Ontužāns	LVA	07/03/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forwards															
9	Robert Lewandowski	POL	21/08/1988	31	-	-	-	2	3	8	12	82	56	106	63
14	Ivan Perišić	CRO	02/02/1989	30	-	-	-	2	-	4	2	19	1	53	7
15	Jann-Fiete Arp	GER	06/01/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	Serge Gnabry	GER	14/07/1995	24	-	-	-	2	4	7	2	12	4	15	4
25	Thomas Müller	GER	13/09/1989	30	-	-	-	1	1	8	-	106	43	109	43
29	Kingsley Coman	FRA	13/06/1996	23	-	-	-	2	1	7	1	23	6	23	6
35	Joshua Zirkzee	NED	22/05/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coach															
-	Niko Kovač	CRO	15/10/1971	48	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	10	-	10	-

Head coach

Pedro Martins

Date of birth: 17 July 1970

Nationality: Portuguese

Playing career: Feirense, Vitória SC, Sporting CP, Boavista, Santa Clara, Alverca

Coaching career: União Lamas, Lusitânia, Espinho, Marítimo B, Marítimo, Rio Ave, Vitória SC, Olympiacos

- Martins joined the youth ranks of Feirense at the age of 13 and made his professional debut five years later. He started as an attacking midfielder but dropped back into a more defensive role, going on to play almost 200 games in the Portuguese Liga and over 100 in the second division.
- Won his solitary cap for Portugal as a substitute against Northern Ireland in qualifying for the 1998 FIFA World Cup, hanging up his boots in 2004 having spent his entire playing career in his homeland.
- Two years after his retirement he landed his first coaching job at the helm of third division União Lamas, going on to have spells with Lusitânia and Espinho before taking over Marítimo's B team. In September 2010 he was promoted to their senior side and the transition proved successful, Martins taking them to fifth place in the top flight in 2011/12 and through two qualifying rounds into the UEFA Europa League group stage the following season.
- In 2014 accepted a new challenge at Rio Ave, also leading them into the UEFA Europa League via a sixth-placed finish in the league; returned to Vitória SC in Guimarães, where he had spent a season as a player, in 2016, taking them to fourth place and the Portuguese Cup final in 2016/17.
- Left his post in February 2018, taking over at Olympiacos two months later for his first post outside Portugal; ended his first full season in second place in the Greek Super League and in summer 2019 led the Piraeus club through qualifying to earn a place in the UEFA Champions League group stage.

Niko Kovač

Date of birth: 15 October 1971

Nationality: Croatian

Playing career: Hertha Zehlendorf, Hertha Berlin (twice), Bayer Leverkusen, Hamburg, Bayern München, Salzburg

Coaching career: Croatia Under-21, Croatia, Eintracht Frankfurt, Bayern München

- Born in Berlin to parents hailing from Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kovač began his career at local side Hertha Zehlendorf before earning a move to 2. Bundesliga side Hertha Berlin in 1991. A defensive midfielder, he then joined Leverkusen, playing alongside younger brother Robert for the first time.
- Signed for Hamburg in 1999 but was reunited with Robert when the pair were snapped up by Bayern two years later. Won a league and cup double in 2002/03 yet struggled to tie down a starting spot and returned to Hertha in 2003, subsequently ending his playing days with Salzburg.
- Collected his first Croatia cap in 1996 and featured in 1998 FIFA World Cup qualifying, only for injury to rule him out of the finals. Ever-present at the 2002 World Cup and UEFA EURO 2004, he also featured in the 2006 World Cup and UEFA EURO 2008, retiring in 2009 with 83 caps and 14 international goals.
- Quickly turned to coaching, first overseeing Salzburg's youth side and then working as a first-team assistant. Left Salzburg in 2012 and took charge, assisted by brother Robert, of Croatia's U21 squad in January 2013 before stepping up to the senior side that October following Igor Štimac's resignation. Took Croatia to the 2014 World Cup via the play-offs but was unable to guide his side into the knockout rounds and dismissed in September 2015.
- Resurfaced at Eintracht in March 2016, guiding the club to Bundesliga survival that year and mid-table safety, plus the German Cup final, in 2016/17. Oversaw an eighth-place finish the following campaign and having been announced as the new Bayern coach in April 2018, Kovač bowed out at Eintracht by winning the club's first trophy since 1988 with victory in the German Cup final – against Bayern. Retained the cup in his first season in Munich, completing the domestic double after Bayern's Bundesliga triumph.

Match officials

Referee	Danny Makkelie (NED)
Assistant referees	Mario Diks (NED) , Hessel Steegstra (NED)
Video Assistant Referee	Jochem Kamphuis (NED)
Fourth official	Kevin Blom (NED)
Assistant Video Assistant Referee	Bas Nijhuis (NED)
UEFA Delegate	Claude Runavot (FRA)
UEFA Referee observer	Leslie Irvine (NIR)

Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Champions League matches	UEFA matches
Danny Makkelie	28/01/1983	23	64

Danny Makkelie

Referee since: 2005

First division: 2009

FIFA badge: 2011

Tournaments: 2015 UEFA European Under-21 Championship, 2012 UEFA European Under-19 Championship

Finals

2012 UEFA European Under-19 Championship

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
16/09/2015	UCL	GS	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	FC BATE Borisov	4-1	Leverkusen
08/12/2015	UCL	GS	Manchester City FC	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	4-2	Manchester
02/11/2016	UCL	GS	Borussia Dortmund	Sporting Clube de Portugal	1-0	Dortmund
22/08/2017	UCL	PO	HNK Rijeka	Olympiacos FC	0-1	Rijeka
31/10/2017	UCL	GS	Celtic FC	FC Bayern München	1-2	Glasgow
18/09/2018	UCL	GS	Club Brugge	Borussia Dortmund	0-1	Bruges
07/11/2018	UCL	GS	Olympique Lyonnais	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim	2-2	Decines
05/03/2019	UCL	R16	Borussia Dortmund	Tottenham Hotspur	0-1	Dortmund

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
29/02/2012	U21	QR	Germany	Greece	1-0	Halle
06/07/2012	U19	GS-FT	Estonia	Greece	1-4	Tallinn
15/07/2012	U19	Final	Spain	Greece	1-0	Tallinn
28/08/2014	UEL	PO	FC Midtjylland	Panathinaikos FC	1-2	Herning
02/10/2014	UEL	GS	Asteras Tripolis FC	FK Partizan	2-0	Tripoli Arkadia

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
14/10/2014	U21	PO	Germany	Ukraine	2-0	Essen
26/02/2015	UEL	R32	Olympiacos FC	FC Dnipro	2-2	Piraeus
10/06/2015	FRIE.	GS-FT	Germany	USA	1-2	Cologne
23/06/2015	U21	GS-FT	Czech Republic	Germany	1-1	Prague
16/09/2015	UCL	GS	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	FC BATE Borisov	4-1	Leverkusen
08/12/2015	UCL	GS	Manchester City FC	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	4-2	Manchester
02/11/2016	UCL	GS	Borussia Dortmund	Sporting Clube de Portugal	1-0	Dortmund
09/03/2017	UEL	R16	Olympiacos FC	Beşiktaş JK	1-1	Piraeus
22/08/2017	UCL	PO	HNK Rijeka	Olympiacos FC	0-1	Rijeka
05/10/2017	WC	QR	Northern Ireland	Germany	1-3	Belfast
31/10/2017	UCL	GS	Celtic FC	FC Bayern München	1-2	Glasgow
30/08/2018	UEL	PO	RB Leipzig	FC Zorya Luhansk	3-2	Leipzig
18/09/2018	UCL	GS	Club Brugge	Borussia Dortmund	0-1	Bruges
07/11/2018	UCL	GS	Olympique Lyonnais	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim	2-2	Decines
05/03/2019	UCL	R16	Borussia Dortmund	Tottenham Hotspur	0-1	Dortmund
26/03/2019	EURO	QR	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Greece	2-2	Zenica

Fixtures and results

Olympiacos FC

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
23/07/2019	UCL	FC Viktoria Plzeň (A)	D 0-0	
30/07/2019	UCL	FC Viktoria Plzeň (H)	W 4-0	Guilherme 51, 73, Guerrero 70, Rúben Semedo 82
07/08/2019	UCL	İstanbul Başakşehir (A)	W 1-0	Masouras 53
13/08/2019	UCL	İstanbul Başakşehir (H)	W 2-0	Rúben Semedo 55, Valbuena 78 (P)
21/08/2019	UCL	FC Krasnodar (H)	W 4-0	Guerrero 30, Randjelovic 78, 85, Podence 89
24/08/2019	League	Asteras Tripolis FC (H)	W 1-0	El Arabi 7 (P)
27/08/2019	UCL	FC Krasnodar (A)	W 2-1	El Arabi 11, 48
01/09/2019	League	AE Larissa FC (A)	W 1-0	Valbuena 7 (P)
14/09/2019	League	Volos NFC (H)	W 5-0	Guilherme 12, El Arabi 71, Guerrero 79, Valbuena 83 (P), Soudani 90+3
18/09/2019	UCL	Tottenham Hotspur (H)	D 2-2	Podence 44, Valbuena 54 (P)
22/09/2019	League	Panathinaikos FC (A)	D 1-1	Guerrero 35
28/09/2019	League	PAS Lamia (H)	W 2-0	Soudani 61, El Arabi 70
01/10/2019	UCL	FK Crvena zvezda (A)	L 1-3	Rúben Semedo 37
06/10/2019	League	Aris Thessaloniki FC (A)	W 2-1	Masouras 33, El Arabi 38
19/10/2019	League	OFI Crete FC (H)	W 2-1	Soudani 11, 57
22/10/2019	UCL	FC Bayern München (H)		
27/10/2019	League	AEK Athens FC (H)		
02/11/2019	League	Xanthi FC (A)		
06/11/2019	UCL	FC Bayern München (A)		
10/11/2019	League	Atromitos FC (H)		
23/11/2019	League	Panionios GSS (A)		
26/11/2019	UCL	Tottenham Hotspur (A)		
01/12/2019	League	PAOK FC (H)		
07/12/2019	League	Panetolikos GFS (A)		
11/12/2019	UCL	FK Crvena zvezda (H)		
15/12/2019	League	Asteras Tripolis FC (A)		
19/12/2019	League	AE Larissa FC (H)		
23/12/2019	League	Volos NFC (A)		
06/01/2020	League	Panathinaikos FC (H)		
13/01/2020	League	PAS Lamia (A)		
19/01/2020	League	Aris Thessaloniki FC (H)		
23/01/2020	League	OFI Crete FC (A)		
27/01/2020	League	AEK Athens FC (A)		
03/02/2020	League	Xanthi FC (H)		
10/02/2020	League	Atromitos FC (A)		
17/02/2020	League	Panionios GSS (H)		
24/02/2020	League	PAOK FC (A)		
01/03/2020	League	Panetolikos GFS (H)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Olympiacos FC	7	6	1	0	14	3	19
2	PAOK FC	7	5	2	0	16	9	17
3	Xanthi FC	7	5	0	2	10	8	15
4	AEK Athens FC	7	4	2	1	12	8	14
5	OFI Crete FC	7	4	1	2	15	8	13
6	AE Larissa FC	7	2	3	2	9	7	9
7	Volos NFC	7	3	0	4	9	15	9
8	Aris Thessaloniki FC	7	2	2	3	11	9	8
9	Panathinaikos FC	7	2	2	3	5	10	8
10	Atromitos FC	7	2	2	3	11	11	8
11	Asteras Tripolis FC	7	2	0	5	8	12	6
12	PAS Lamia	7	0	4	3	4	11	4
13	Panetolikos GFS	7	0	2	5	5	12	2
14	Panionios GSS	7	1	1	5	5	11	-2

FC Bayern München

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
12/08/2019	Cup	FC Energie Cottbus (A)	W 3-1	Lewandowski 32, Coman 65, Goretzka 85
16/08/2019	League	Hertha BSC Berlin (H)	D 2-2	Lewandowski 24, 60 (P)
24/08/2019	League	FC Schalke 04 (A)	W 3-0	Lewandowski 20 (P), 50, 75
31/08/2019	League	1. FSV Mainz 05 (H)	W 6-1	Pavard 36, Alaba 45, Perišić 54, Coman 64, Lewandowski 78, Davies 80
14/09/2019	League	RB Leipzig (A)	D 1-1	Lewandowski 3
18/09/2019	UCL	FK Crvena zvezda (H)	W 3-0	Coman 34, Lewandowski 80, Müller 90+1
21/09/2019	League	1. FC Köln (H)	W 4-0	Lewandowski 3, 48, Coutinho 62 (P), Perišić 73
28/09/2019	League	SC Paderborn 07 (A)	W 3-2	Gnabry 15, Coutinho 55, Lewandowski 79
01/10/2019	UCL	Tottenham Hotspur (A)	W 7-2	Kimmich 15, Lewandowski 45, 87, Gnabry 53, 55, 83, 88
05/10/2019	League	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (H)	L 1-2	Lewandowski 73
19/10/2019	League	FC Augsburg (A)	D 2-2	Lewandowski 14, Gnabry 49
22/10/2019	UCL	Olympiacos FC (A)		
26/10/2019	League	1. FC Union Berlin (H)		
29/10/2019	Cup	VfL Bochum 1848 (A)		
02/11/2019	League	Eintracht Frankfurt (A)		
06/11/2019	UCL	Olympiacos FC (H)		
09/11/2019	League	Borussia Dortmund (H)		
23/11/2019	League	Fortuna Düsseldorf (A)		
26/11/2019	UCL	FK Crvena zvezda (A)		
30/11/2019	League	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (H)		
07/12/2019	League	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (A)		
11/12/2019	UCL	Tottenham Hotspur (H)		
14/12/2019	League	SV Werder Bremen (H)		
18/12/2019	League	SC Freiburg (A)		
21/12/2019	League	VfL Wolfsburg (H)		

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18/01/2020	League	Hertha BSC Berlin (A)		
25/01/2020	League	FC Schalke 04 (H)		
01/02/2020	League	1. FSV Mainz 05 (A)		
08/02/2020	League	RB Leipzig (H)		
15/02/2020	League	1. FC Köln (A)		
22/02/2020	League	SC Paderborn 07 (H)		
29/02/2020	League	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (A)		
07/03/2020	League	FC Augsburg (H)		
14/03/2020	League	1. FC Union Berlin (A)		
21/03/2020	League	Eintracht Frankfurt (H)		
04/04/2020	League	Borussia Dortmund (A)		
11/04/2020	League	Fortuna Düsseldorf (H)		
18/04/2020	League	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (A)		
25/04/2020	League	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (H)		
02/05/2020	League	SV Werder Bremen (A)		
09/05/2020	League	SC Freiburg (H)		
16/05/2020	League	VfL Wolfsburg (A)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	8	5	1	2	15	7	16
2	VfL Wolfsburg	8	4	4	0	11	5	16
3	FC Bayern München	8	4	3	1	22	10	15
4	Borussia Dortmund	8	4	3	1	20	11	15
5	RB Leipzig	8	4	3	1	16	8	15
6	SC Freiburg	8	4	2	2	15	9	14
7	FC Schalke 04	8	4	2	2	14	9	14
8	Eintracht Frankfurt	8	4	2	2	14	10	14
9	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	8	4	2	2	12	11	14
10	Hertha BSC Berlin	8	3	2	3	13	13	11
11	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim	8	3	2	3	8	11	11
12	SV Werder Bremen	8	2	3	3	13	17	9
13	Fortuna Düsseldorf	8	2	1	5	10	14	7
14	1. FC Union Berlin	8	2	1	5	8	13	7
15	1. FC Köln	8	2	1	5	8	16	7
16	FC Augsburg	8	1	3	4	10	21	6
17	1. FSV Mainz 05	8	2	0	6	7	18	6
18	SC Paderborn 07	8	0	1	7	9	22	1

Match-by-match lineups

Olympiacos FC

UEFA Champions League - Second qualifying round

(23/07/2019)

FC Viktoria Plzeň 0-0 Olympiacos FC

Olympiacos FC: José Sá, Rúben Semedo, Bouchalakis, Guilherme, Guerrero, Podence, Elabdellaoui, Masouras (81 Randjelovic), Tsimikas, Valbuena (57 Camara), Papadopoulos (22 Ba)

(30/07/2019)

Olympiacos FC 4-0 FC Viktoria Plzeň (agg: 4-0)

Goals: 1-0 Guilherme 51, 2-0 Guerrero 70, 3-0 Guilherme 73, 4-0 Rúben Semedo 82

Olympiacos FC: José Sá, Rúben Semedo, Bouchalakis, Guilherme, Guerrero (80 El Arabi), Podence (85 Randjelovic), Elabdellaoui, Masouras, Meriah, Tsimikas, Valbuena (66 Camara)

Third qualifying round

(07/08/2019)

İstanbul Başakşehir 0-1 Olympiacos FC

Goals: 0-1 Masouras 53

Olympiacos FC: José Sá, Rúben Semedo, Bouchalakis, Guilherme, Guerrero (89 El Arabi), Podence, Elabdellaoui, Masouras (83 Bruno), Meriah, Tsimikas, Valbuena (73 Camara)

(13/08/2019)

Olympiacos FC 2-0 İstanbul Başakşehir (agg: 3-0)

Goals: 1-0 Rúben Semedo 55, 2-0 Valbuena 78 (P)

Olympiacos FC: José Sá, Rúben Semedo, Bouchalakis, Guilherme (89 Koutris), Guerrero, Podence (68 Randjelovic), Elabdellaoui, Masouras, Meriah, Tsimikas, Valbuena (82 Camara)

Play-off

(21/08/2019)

Olympiacos FC 4-0 FC Krasnodar

Goals: 1-0 Guerrero 30, 2-0 Randjelovic 78, 3-0 Randjelovic 85, 4-0 Podence 89

Olympiacos FC: José Sá, Rúben Semedo, Bouchalakis, Guilherme, Guerrero, Podence (92 Torosidis), Elabdellaoui, Masouras (75 Randjelovic), Meriah, Tsimikas, Valbuena (87 Camara)

(27/08/2019)

FC Krasnodar 1-2 Olympiacos FC (agg: 1-6)

Goals: 1-0 Utkin 10, 1-1 El Arabi 11, 1-2 El Arabi 48

Olympiacos FC: José Sá, Rúben Semedo (65 Cissé), Bouchalakis, Guilherme, Podence (83 Camara), El Arabi (73 Soudani), Elabdellaoui, Masouras, Meriah, Tsimikas, Valbuena

Group stage

Group B

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
FC Bayern München	2	2	0	0	10	2	6
FK Crvena zvezda	2	1	0	1	3	4	3
Olympiacos FC	2	0	1	1	3	5	1
Tottenham Hotspur	2	0	1	1	4	9	1

Matchday 1 (18/09/2019)

Olympiacos FC 2-2 Tottenham Hotspur

Goals: 0-1 Kane 26 (P), 0-2 Moura 30, 1-2 Podence 44, 2-2 Valbuena 54 (P)

Olympiacos FC: José Sá, Rúben Semedo, Bouchalakis, Guilherme, Guerrero (89 El Arabi), Podence, Elabdellaoui, Masouras (78 Randjelovic), Meriah, Tsimikas, Valbuena (69 Benzia)

Matchday 2 (01/10/2019)

FK Crvena zvezda 3-1 Olympiacos FC

Goals: 0-1 Rúben Semedo 37, 1-1 Vulić 62, 2-1 Milunović 87, 3-1 Boakye 90

Olympiacos FC: José Sá, Rúben Semedo, Camara (89 El Arabi), Bouchalakis, Benzia, Guerrero, Masouras (79 Elabdellaoui), Meriah, Tsimikas, Lovera (61 Podence), Torosidis

Matchday 3 (22/10/2019)

Olympiacos FC-FC Bayern München

Matchday 4 (06/11/2019)

FC Bayern München-Olympiacos FC

Matchday 5 (26/11/2019)

Tottenham Hotspur-Olympiacos FC

Matchday 6 (11/12/2019)

Olympiacos FC-FK Crvena zvezda

FC Bayern München

UEFA Champions League - Group stage

Matchday 1 (18/09/2019)

FC Bayern München 3-0 FK Crvena zvezda

Goals: 1-0 Coman 34, 2-0 Lewandowski 80, 3-0 Müller 90+1

FC Bayern München: Neuer, Süle, Pavard, Thiago Alcántara, Lewandowski, Coutinho (83 Müller), Perišić (66 Gnabry), Hernández, Tolisso (65 Javi Martínez), Coman, Kimmich

Matchday 2 (01/10/2019)

Tottenham Hotspur 2-7 FC Bayern München

Goals: 1-0 Son 12, 1-1 Kimmich 15, 1-2 Lewandowski 45, 1-3 Gnabry 53, 1-4 Gnabry 55, 2-4 Kane 61 (P) , 2-5 Gnabry 83, 2-6 Lewandowski 87, 2-7 Gnabry 88

FC Bayern München: Neuer, Süle, Pavard, Lewandowski, Coutinho, Boateng (72 Javi Martínez), Gnabry, Tolisso, Alaba (46 Thiago Alcántara), Coman (71 Perišić), Kimmich

Matchday 3 (22/10/2019)

Olympiacos FC-FC Bayern München

Matchday 4 (06/11/2019)

FC Bayern München-Olympiacos FC

Matchday 5 (26/11/2019)

FK Crvena zvezda-FC Bayern München

Matchday 6 (11/12/2019)

FC Bayern München-Tottenham Hotspur

Competition facts

Team facts

Olympiacos FC

Formed: 1925

Nickname: Erythrolefki (Red and Whites), Thrylos (Legend)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- None

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 44 (2017)

Greek Cup: 27 (2015)

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

2018/19: UEFA Europa League round of 32

2017/18: group stage

2016/17: UEFA Europa League round of 16 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

2015/16: UEFA Europa League round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

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

2013/14: round of 16

2012/13: UEFA Europa League round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2011/12: UEFA Europa League round of 16 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2010/11: UEFA Europa League third qualifying round

2009/10: round of 16

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

6-1: Olympiacos v Besa

22/07/10, UEFA Europa League second qualifying round second leg

5-0 twice, most recently v Nordsjælland

02/10/08, UEFA Cup first round second leg

- Biggest away win

0-5: Besa v Olympiacos

15/07/10, UEFA Europa League second qualifying round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

0-4: Olympiacos v Hamburg

03/11/82, European Champion Clubs' Cup second round second leg

- Heaviest away defeat

7-0: Juventus v Olympiacos

10/12/03, UEFA Champions League group stage

UEFA Champions League (group stage to final only)

- Biggest home win

6-2: Olympiacos v Bayer Leverkusen

19/09/02, first group stage

- Biggest away win

0-3: Anderlecht v Olympiacos

02/10/13, group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

1-4: Olympiacos v Lyon

01/11/05, group stage

0-3 twice, most recently v Arsenal

09/12/15, group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

7-0: Juventus v Olympiacos (see above)

FC Bayern München

Formed: 1900

Nickname: Die Bayern (The Bavarians)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- European Cup/UEFA Champions League (5): 1974, 1975, 1976, (1982), (1987), (1999), 2001, (2010), (2012), 2013
- UEFA Cup (1): 1996
- UEFA Cup Winners' Cup (1): 1967
- UEFA Super Cup: (1975), (1976), (2001), 2013
- European/South American Cup (2): 1976, 2001

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 29 (2019)
German Cup: 19 (2019)

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

2018/19: round of 16

2017/18: semi-finals

2016/17: quarter-finals

2015/16: semi-finals

2014/15: semi-finals

2013/14: semi-finals

2012/13: winners

2011/12: runners-up

2010/11: round of 16

2009/10: runners-up

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

10-0: Bayern v Anorthosis Famagusta
28/09/83, UEFA Cup first round second leg

- Biggest away win

1-7: Roma v Bayern
21/10/14, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

0-4: Bayern v Real Madrid
29/04/14, UEFA Champions League semi-final second leg

- Heaviest away defeat

6-2: København v Bayern
22/10/91, UEFA Cup second round first leg

5-1: Eintracht Frankfurt v Bayern

22/04/80, UEFA Cup semi-finals first leg

4-0 on four occasions, most recently v Barcelona

08/04/09, UEFA Champions League quarter-finals first leg

UEFA Champions League (group stage to final only)

- Biggest home win

7-0 twice, most recently v Shakhtar Donetsk
11/03/15, round of 16 second leg

- Biggest away win

1-7: Roma v Bayern (see above)

- Heaviest home defeat

0-4: Bayern v Real Madrid (see above)

- Heaviest away defeat

4-0: Barcelona v Bayern (see above)

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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