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Group E - Matchday 5



FC Bayern München

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Having qualified for the last 16 on Matchday 4, Bayern München will look to secure first place in Group E away to a Dynamo Kyiv side who have to win to stay in contention.

- The German champions have won all four of their fixtures in the 2021/22 UEFA Champions League, including a 5-0 home win against Dynamo on 29 September in which Robert Lewandowski's first-half double (12pen, 27) was added to after the break by Serge Gnabry (68), Leroy Sané (74) and Eric Maxim Choupo-Moting (87). Bayern, who had opened with a 3-0 victory at Barcelona, then beat Benfica away (4-0) and at home (5-2) to seal progress.
- Dynamo, who have still to score in Group E, collected their only point from a 0-0 draw at home to Benfica on Matchday 1; they also lost 1-0 both away and at home to Barcelona.
- Bayern will be confirmed in first place if they avoid defeat by Dynamo or Barcelona do not beat Benfica. Dynamo must beat Bayern and hope Benfica beat Barcelona to stay in contention to reach the round of 16. They will be confirmed in fourth place if they lose and Benfica do not, or if Dynamo draw and Benfica win.

Previous meetings

- The teams have met in 11 previous contests, although Matchday 2 was their first fixture since March 2000. Bayern have won six of those matches to Dynamo's four.
- Each side recorded a home win in the 1999/2000 UEFA Champions League second group stage, a late Paulo Sérgio goal giving Bayern a 2-1 win in Munich before Kakha Kaladze and Giorgi Demetradze secured Dynamo's 2-0 win in Kyiv. Despite that result in the final round of matches, Dynamo's first win against Bayern since 1977, Bayern still finished top of Group C to reach the quarter-finals. Dynamo were eliminated in third place having finished level on points with section runners-up Real Madrid, that season's eventual champions.
- Bayern also reached the 1998/99 UEFA Champions League final at Dynamo's expense, Mario Basler's goal in Munich securing a 1-0 home win in the second leg of their semi-final and a 4-3 aggregate success. Dynamo had led 2-0 and 3-1 in the first leg, Andriy Shevchenko scoring twice, with Stefan Effenberg and Carsten Jancker levelling for Bayern in the final 12 minutes.
- Dynamo won three of their first four meetings with Bayern, including both in the 1975 UEFA Super Cup, Oleh Blokhin scoring the only goal of the first leg in Munich and both in the Kyiv return.
- Dynamo have therefore won three of their five home games against Bayern (D1 L1).

Form guide

Dynamo

- This is Dynamo's 18th UEFA Champions League group appearance, a Ukrainian record, and a second in succession.
- Last season was the first time Dynamo had featured in the group stage since 2016/17, the Kyiv club finishing behind Juventus and Barcelona in Group G; all four of their points came against Ferencváros, a 1-0 win against the Hungarian club on Matchday 6 securing third place.
- Dynamo beat Club Brugge, who had also moved over from the UEFA Champions League, in the UEFA Europa League round of 32 (1-1 h, 1-0 a) but then lost to eventual winners Villarreal in the round of 16 (0-2 h, 0-2 a).
- Last season's win against Ferencváros is Dynamo's only success in their last seven home European matches (D2 L4).
- Mircea Lucescu guided Dynamo to their first league title since 2016 in 2020/21, a domestic cup triumph giving the club a first Ukrainian double since 2014/15 and a ninth overall.
- This is the first time Dynamo have qualified automatically for the UEFA Champions League group stage since 2016/17.
- Dynamo are one of two sides still to score in the 2021/22 UEFA Champions League, along with Malmö in Group H.
- Before Matchday 2 Dynamo had last faced a German club in the 2012/13 UEFA Champions League play-offs, when they beat Borussia Mönchengladbach 4-3 on aggregate (3-1 a, 1-2 h). The second leg was only their third defeat in their 14 home games against German visitors (W8 D3).

Bayern

- This is Bayern's 25th UEFA Champions League group campaign, fewer only than Barcelona and Real Madrid (both 26). They have won their section 17 times, including in each of the last three seasons. Only Barcelona (21) have done so more often.

- In 2020/21, as holders, Bayern finished first in Group A, extending their UEFA Champions League record of successive victories to 15 before being held 1-1 at Atlético de Madrid on Matchday 5. Those were the only points they dropped in their section.
- A side coached by Hansi Flick then eased past Lazio in the round of 16 (4-1 a, 2-1) but a 3-2 home loss against Paris Saint-Germain – who Bayern had beaten 1-0 in the previous season's final – in the quarter-final first leg proved insurmountable, Bayern bowing out despite a subsequent 1-0 win in France.
- Flick left Bayern to take over as Germany coach in the summer, Julian Nagelsmann moving from Leipzig to succeed him in Munich.
- Bayern's last European away defeat was a 3-0 loss at Paris on Matchday 1 of the 2017/18 UEFA Champions League; their record since is W16 D4. Outside Munich they had won ten in a row before being held at Atleti last season, the only one of their last 15 away European matches they have failed to win; the victory at Lazio in the last 16 first leg surpassed Manchester United's UEFA Champions League record of 16 away games without defeat, a run that is now up to 20 matches.
- Bayern are the highest scorers in their season's group stage on 17 goals. The record for the group stage is 25 scored by Paris in 2017/18; Bayern's own record is 24 in 2019/20.
- Lewandowski's Matchday 4 hat-trick made him the top scorer in this season's competition with eight goals. He is one of three players to have found the net in all four matches, along with Ajax's Sébastien Haller and Cristiano Ronaldo of Manchester United.
- Champions of Germany for a record 31st time last season – with a landmark ninth successive Bundesliga title – Bayern have reached the UEFA Champions League quarter-finals or better in nine of the last ten seasons, the exception their defeat by eventual champions Liverpool in the 2018/19 round of 16.
- Bayern are one of four sides to have won their first four games, along with Liverpool (Group B), Ajax (C) and Juventus (H).
- The Munich club are through to the knockout phase of the UEFA Champions League for the 24th time in 25 attempts and the 14th season in a row.
- Aside from their 11 games against Dynamo, Bayern's only other experience of Ukrainian opponents came in the 2014/15 UEFA Champions League round of 16 when, after a 0-0 draw away to Shakhtar Donetsk in Lviv, they won the return 7-0 – their joint biggest victory in the competition. Thomas Müller, with a penalty, and Robert Lewandowski were both on target.

Links and trivia

- Lewandowski and Tomasz Kędziora are team-mates for Poland.
- Oleksandr Karavaev set up Serhiy Sydorchuk to score Ukraine's goal in a 1-1 2022 FIFA World Cup draw away to France on 24 March. Kingsley Coman, Lucas Hernández and Benjamin Pavard were all in the France side.
- Mykola Shaparenko was on target as Ukraine drew 1-1 against Coman's France in World Cup qualifying on 4 September.
- Marcel Sabitzer played 90 minutes as Austria defeated Ukraine 1-0 on Matchday 3 at UEFA EURO 2020. Dynamo's Georgiy Bushchan, Karavaev, Illia Zabarnyi, Vitaliy Mykolenko, Shaparenko, Sydorchuk, Viktor Tsygankov and Artem Besedin all featured for Ukraine, with both sides reaching the round of 16.
- Sané scored for Germany in their 3-1 home UEFA Nations League defeat of Ukraine on 14 November 2020. Leon Goretzka provided two assists.
- Goretzka got Germany's winner in their 2-1 victory away to Ukraine at Kyiv's NSK Olimpiyskiy on 10 October 2020.
- Corentin Tolisso was on target in France's 7-1 friendly win against Ukraine on 7 October 2020. Bushchan, Tsygankov, Zabarnyi, Mykolenko and Shaparenko all featured for Ukraine.
- Kędziora set up the only goal in Poland's 1-0 win against Sabitzer's Austria's in UEFA EURO 2020 qualifying on 21 March 2019. Lewandowski also featured for Poland.
- Müller scored against Ukraine at NSK Olimpiyskiy in Germany's 3-3 friendly draw on 11 November 2011.

Latest news

Dynamo

- On Friday Dynamo were 6-1 winners at Chornomorets Odesa, Vitaliy Buyalskiy and Vitinho both scoring twice. The result took them back to the top of the Ukrainian Premier League, above Shakhtar Donetsk on goal difference.
- Substitute Denys Garmash was also on target, making it seven league goals in 2021/22 – his most productive

campaign since hitting nine in 2016/17.

- Dynamo suffered their first league defeat of the season on 6 November, losing 2-1 at home to Vorskla Poltava; that ended their 30-match unbeaten run in the Ukrainian Premier League.
- That was the Kyiv club's first Ukrainian Premier League loss since a 3-0 home defeat by Shakhtar on 8 November 2020.
- Vitinho scored his first goal for Dynamo against Vorskla, his double at Chornomorets making it three in two games.
- The Kyiv club drew 0-0 with Shakhtar Donetsk on 3 October – their sixth successive clean sheet in the league – but have conceded in four of their last five league games.
- A 3-2 victory at Mariupol on 30 October was the first time Dynamo had conceded more than one goal in 27 league matches, since a 2-2 draw at home to Kolos Kovalivka on 12 December 2020. They conceded twice again in their next game against Vorskla.
- Dynamo suffered their first defeat of the season on 22 September, losing 3-0 to Shakhtar in the Ukrainian Super Cup. Their only other losses prior to losing to Vorskla had come in the UEFA Champions League.
- Viktor Tsygankov has found the net in seven of his last 11 league fixtures, eight goals in total.
- Dynamo reached the Ukrainian Cup quarter-finals with a 2-1 win at Mariupol on 27 October, Benjamin Verbič and Artem Shabanov scoring their first goals of the season.
- Substitute Mykola Shaparenko recorded an assist for Ukraine's second goal in a 2-0 away defeat of Bosnia and Herzegovina on 16 November, a result that put them in the 2022 FIFA World Cup play-offs as a second-placed team in Group D. Tsygankov's deflected cross was finished by Oleksandr Zinchenko for the opener.
- Vitaliy Mykolenko was sidelined for the recent international break having been out since 29 October through injury but played 90 minutes for Dynamo on Friday.
- Verbič was substituted in the first half of Slovenia's 2-1 win against Cyprus on 14 November due to injury; he missed Dynamo's victory at Chornomorets.
- Summer signing Vladyslav Kulach returned as a substitute on Friday having been out since 4 September, first with a heart problem and then due to illness; he marked his first game since 8 August with his first goal for Dynamo.
- Centre-back Denys Popov has not been included in Dynamo's UEFA Champions League squad having suffered a cruciate ligament injury on 1 August.
- Another centre-back, Mykyta Burda, has returned to training after rupturing his Achilles tendon in September 2020; his last competitive game for Dynamo was on 16 July 2020.
- Artem Besedin is expected to be out until the end of the year having suffered a knee injury in extra time during Ukraine's 2-1 defeat of Sweden in the UEFA EURO 2020 round of 16 on 29 June.*

Bayern

- Robert Lewandowski made his 100th appearance in the UEFA Champions League, group stage to final, on Matchday 4; he has scored 81 goals.
- Thomas Müller has scored 49 goals in the UEFA Champions League, group stage to final.
- Bayern have won 15 of their 19 games this season in all competitions, beating Freiburg 2-1 in the Bundesliga on 6 November.
- The German champions drew 1-1 at Borussia Mönchengladbach on 13 August on the first day of the Bundesliga season and suffered a 2-1 league defeat at home against Eintracht Frankfurt on 3 October; they went down by the same scoreline at Augsburg on Friday but have won their other nine league games.
- The Munich club have scored 41 goals in their first 12 Bundesliga matches this season, a new record.
- Bayern have scored 101 Bundesliga goals in 2021, the first time in their history they have hit a century in a calendar year; only Köln in 1977 have previously achieved it.
- Bayern were beaten 5-0 at Gladbach in the German Cup second round on 27 October, their heaviest defeat in the competition and their biggest loss since a 7-1 Bundesliga defeat at Fortuna Düsseldorf on 9 December 1978. It was also the first time they had conceded five goals in a game since a 5-1 league loss at Eintracht Frankfurt on 2 November 2019.
- Bayern have been eliminated in the German Cup second round in each of the last two seasons.
- Müller scored his 218th goal for Bayern in a 3-1 win at Greuther Fürth on 24 September, moving him to third in his own right in the club's all-time list, above Karl-Heinz Rummenigge (217). Only Gerd Müller (563 goals) and

Lewandowski (316) have more than Müller's current total of 220.

- Julian Nagelsmann's team have already scored 73 goals in 19 games this season and have hit three or more in 14 of their last 18, the exceptions the Frankfurt, Gladbach and Augsburg defeats as well as the Freiburg win.
- Lewandowski's goal against Bochum on 18 September made him the first player in Bundesliga history to score in 13 successive home matches; he had been level with Gerd Müller and Jupp Heynckes on 12. His run ended against Frankfurt, the first time he had failed to score in a Bundesliga match at the Fußball Arena München since a 3-3 draw with Leipzig on 5 December 2020.
- Bayern had scored in 85 successive matches in all competitions before the Gladbach defeat, a record for the top five European leagues; the previous best was Real Madrid's 73 set in 2017.
- Lewandowski, who also scored against Freiburg and at Augsburg on Friday, has 14 Bundesliga goals in 12 games this season. All in all he has scored 24 goals in 18 club games this season, and has 29 in 24 including his five international goals in six games for Poland.
- Lewandowski had scored in 19 consecutive games for Bayern, finding the net 30 times over that stretch, before drawing a blank at Greuther Fürth.
- Lewandowski has now scored 291 league goals for Borussia Dortmund and Bayern combined, the second highest Bundesliga total of all time, behind only former Bayern striker Gerd Müller (365 goals).
- On 11 November Leroy Sané and Müller both scored twice for already qualified Germany in a 9-0 win against Liechtenstein in 2022 FIFA World Cup qualifying.
- The following day Lewandowski scored twice for Poland in a 4-1 win in Andorra, while Marcel Sabitzer registered for Austria in a 4-2 win against Israel.
- On 13 November France qualified for the World Cup with an 8-0 win against Kazakhstan. Dayot Upamecano, Lucas Hernández and Kingsley Coman all started, while Benjamin Pavard came on as a late substitute.
- Josip Stanišić came on as a late substitute as Croatia beat Russia 1-0 on 14 November to reach next year's finals.
- Stanišić (illness) and Kingsley Coman (muscular) both missed Friday's defeat at Augsburg.
- Niklas Süle (illness), Joshua Kimmich, Serge Gnabry and Jamal Musiala (all quarantine) missed both of Germany's European Qualifiers in November although only Süle and Kimmich were absent for Bayern on Friday.
- Lewandowski is on the 30-man shortlist for the Ballon d'Or, with the winner to be announced on 29 November.

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

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

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