

# EUROPEAN QUALIFIERS - 2019/20 SEASON MATCH PRESS KITS



**Germany**

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Group C - Matchday 9



**Belarus**

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## EUROPEAN QUALIFIERS OFFICIAL SPONSORS



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## Previous meetings

### Head to Head

#### 2020 UEFA European Championship

Date	Stage reached	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
08/06/2019	QR (GS)	Belarus - <b>Germany</b>	0-2	Borisov	Sané 13, Reus 62

	Qualifying								Final tournament				Total					
	Home				Away													
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
<b>EURO</b>																		
Germany	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	0	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	0	2	0
Belarus	1	0	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	0	1	0	2
<b>FIFA*</b>																		
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belarus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Friendlies</b>																		
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	0	2	2
Belarus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	0	2	2
<b>Total</b>																		
Germany	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	0	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	0	4	2
Belarus	1	0	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	0	1	1	2	4

\* FIFA World Cup/FIFA Confederations Cup

## Head coach

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### Joachim Löw

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**Date of birth:** 3 February 1960

**Nationality:** German

**Playing career:** Freiburg (three times), Stuttgart, Eintracht Frankfurt, Karlsruhe, Schaffhausen, Winterthur, Frauenfeld

**Coaching career:** Winterthur (youth), Frauenfeld, Stuttgart, Fenerbahçe, Karlsruhe, Adanaspor, Tirol Innsbruck, Austria Wien, Germany (assistant), Germany

- A native of the Black Forest in south-west Germany, Löw spent most of his playing days with local club Freiburg, where he had three spells, before winding down his career in Switzerland.
- Operated as a player-coach in Switzerland before becoming an assistant, and later head coach, back in Germany with Stuttgart. Succeeded Rolf Fringer in 1996 and led the Swabian side to a German Cup win in his first season and the UEFA Cup Winners' Cup final against Chelsea in his second.
- Left Stuttgart for Fenerbahçe but struggled to match his early success until he joined Tirol Innsbruck, guiding the team to the 2001/02 Austrian Bundesliga title. After nine months with Austria Wien he was summoned by old friend Jürgen Klinsmann to become his assistant with Germany. The pair steered the Nationalmannschaft to a third-place finish on home soil at the 2006 FIFA World Cup.
- Replaced Klinsmann as head coach, taking the side to the UEFA EURO 2008 final and third place at the 2010 World Cup. They also reached the last four of UEFA EURO 2012, before qualifying unbeaten for the 2014 global finals. The real glory was to follow in Brazil, Löw leading the team to their fourth world title with a 1-0 final defeat of Argentina.
- Germany were unable to add the European title to their world crown, losing to hosts France in the UEFA EURO 2016 semi-finals. Löw led the team to a 2017 FIFA Confederations Cup triumph in Russia but a year later, in the same country, the holders' World Cup defence ended unexpectedly in the group stage.

### Mikhail Markhel

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**Date of birth:** 14 July 1966

**Nationality:** Belarusian

**Playing career:** Shinnik Bobruisk, Dinamo Minsk (twice), Dnepr Mogilev, Budućnost Titograd, Nyíregyháza, Hajdúnánás, Spartak Vladikavkaz, Torpedo Moskva, Chernomorets Novorossiysk, Torpedo-MAZ, Molodechno, Zvezda-VA-BGU

**Coaching career:** Zvezda-VA-BGU, Dinamo Brest, Dinamo Minsk (assistant), Belshina Bobruisk, Darida, Lokomotiv Minsk (assistant), Belarus U17, Belarus U19, Belarus (assistant), Belarus U21, Belarus

- As a player, Markhel played in the former Yugoslavia, Hungary and Russia as well as Belarus; the forward won three caps in 1994 while playing for Spartak Vladikavkaz, where he spent two seasons and scored 19 goals in 58 matches.
- Started coaching in 1997, specialising in youth development; he took Belarus' U17 and U19 teams to European elite rounds four times, and was assistant coach as Belarus finished third at the 2011 UEFA European Under-21 Championship in Denmark, before working at the 2012 Olympics in the same role.
- Oversaw a 10-0 win against Gibraltar in his first game after being named Belarus U21 coach in 2019, the biggest margin of victory for any Belarusian team at international level; he then succeeded Igor Kriushenko as head coach of the senior national side on 20 June 2019.

## Match-by-match lineups

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### Germany

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#### Final tournament - Qualifying round

##### Group C

Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Netherlands	6	5	0	1	19	7	15
<b>Germany</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>15</b>
Northern Ireland	6	4	0	2	8	7	12
<b>Belarus</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4</b>
Estonia	7	0	1	6	2	21	1

##### Matchday 2 (24/03/2019)

###### Netherlands 2-3 Germany

Goals: 0-1 Sané 15, 0-2 Gnabry 34, 1-2 De Ligt 48, 2-2 Depay 63, 2-3 Schulz 90

Germany: Neuer, Kehrer, Ginter, Kimmich, Kroos, Schulz, Süle, Rüdiger, Goretzka (70 Gündoğan), Sané, Gnabry (88 Reus)

##### Matchday 3 (08/06/2019)

###### Belarus 0-2 Germany

Goals: 0-1 Sané 13, 0-2 Reus 62

Germany: Neuer, Ginter, Tah, Kimmich, Reus (76 Brandt), Klostermann, Schulz, Süle, Sané, Gnabry (71 Draxler), Gündoğan (81 Goretzka)

##### Matchday 4 (11/06/2019)

###### Germany 8-0 Estonia

Goals: 1-0 Reus 10, 2-0 Gnabry 17, 3-0 Goretzka 20, 4-0 Gündoğan 26 (P) , 5-0 Reus 37, 6-0 Gnabry 62, 7-0 Werner 79, 8-0 Sané 88

Germany: Neuer, Kehrer, Ginter, Kimmich, Reus (65 Werner), Schulz (46 Halstenberg), Süle, Goretzka, Sané, Gnabry, Gündoğan (53 Draxler)

##### Matchday 5 (06/09/2019)

###### Germany 2-4 Netherlands

Goals: 1-0 Gnabry 9, 1-1 F. de Jong 59, 1-2 Tah 66 (og) , 2-2 Kroos 73 (P) , 2-3 Malen 79, 2-4 Wijnaldum 90+1

Germany: Neuer, Ginter (84 Brandt), Tah, Kimmich, Kroos, Werner (61 Havertz), Reus (61 Gündoğan), Klostermann, Schulz, Süle, Gnabry

##### Matchday 6 (09/09/2019)

###### Northern Ireland 0-2 Germany

Goals: 0-1 Halstenberg 48, 0-2 Gnabry 90+3

Germany: Neuer, Ginter (40 Tah), Kimmich, Kroos, Werner (68 Havertz), Brandt, Reus (85 Emre Can), Klostermann, Süle, Halstenberg, Gnabry

##### Matchday 8 (13/10/2019)

###### Estonia 0-3 Germany

Goals: 0-1 Gündoğan 51, 0-2 Gündoğan 57, 0-3 Werner 71

Germany: Neuer, Kimmich, Havertz, Brandt (86 Amiri), Reus (77 Serdar), Klostermann, Süle, Halstenberg, Waldschmidt (66 Werner), Gündoğan, Emre Can

##### Matchday 9 (16/11/2019)

Germany-Belarus

##### Matchday 10 (19/11/2019)

Germany-Northern Ireland

### Belarus

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#### Final tournament - Qualifying round

## Group C

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Netherlands	6	5	0	1	19	7	15
<b>Germany</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>15</b>
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<b>Belarus</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4</b>
Estonia	7	0	1	6	2	21	1

### Matchday 1 (21/03/2019)

#### Netherlands 4-0 Belarus

Goals: 1-0 Depay 1, 2-0 Wijnaldum 21, 3-0 Depay 55 (P) , 4-0 Van Dijk 86

Belarus: Gorbunov, Dragun (86 Laptev), Martynovich, Shitov, Polyakov , Kovalev (79 Savitski), Signevich (63 Saroka), Putilo, Sivakov, Maevski, Stasevich

### Matchday 2 (24/03/2019)

#### Northern Ireland 2-1 Belarus

Goals: 1-0 J. Evans 30, 1-1 Stasevich 33, 2-1 Magennis 87

Belarus: Klimovich, Dragun, Martynovich, Shitov (73 Polyakov ), Savitski (85 Nekhaychik), Laptev, Hleb (66 Putilo), Sivakov, Maevski, M. Volodko, Stasevich

### Matchday 3 (08/06/2019)

#### Belarus 0-2 Germany

Goals: 0-1 Sané 13, 0-2 Reus 62

Belarus: Gutor, Dragun, Martynovich, Shitov, Polyakov , Kovalev (69 Gordeichuk), Laptev (62 Skavysh), Gromyko (57 Korzun), Naumov, Maevski, M. Volodko

### Matchday 4 (11/06/2019)

#### Belarus 0-1 Northern Ireland

Goals: 0-1 McNair 86

Belarus: Gutor, Martynovich, Shitov (72 Veretilo), Polyakov , Kovalev, Korzun (46 Kislyak), Shikavka (58 Laptev), Naumov, Maevski, Stasevich, Nekhaychik

### Matchday 5 (06/09/2019)

#### Estonia 1-2 Belarus

Goals: 0-1 Naumov 48, 1-1 Sorga 54, 1-2 Skavysh 90+2

Belarus: Gutor, Dragun, Matveichik, Naumov, Polyakov , Politevich, Kovalev (77 Skavysh), Signevich (64 Bakhar), Yablonski, Maevski, Stasevich

### Matchday 7 (10/10/2019)

#### Belarus 0-0 Estonia

Belarus: Gutor, Dragun, Martynovich, Polyakov , Politevich, Savitski (59 Bakhar), Skavysh (64 Laptev), Yablonski (83 Lisakovich), Maevski, Stasevich, Matveichik

### Matchday 8 (13/10/2019)

#### Belarus 1-2 Netherlands

Goals: 0-1 Wijnaldum 32, 0-2 Wijnaldum 41, 1-2 Dragun 54

Belarus: Gutor, Dragun, Martynovich, Naumov, Polyakov , Kovalev (60 Skavysh), Bakhar (70 Ebong), Yablonski, Laptev (83 Shevchenko), Veretilo, Stasevich

### Matchday 9 (16/11/2019)

Germany-Belarus

## Legend

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### :: Previous meetings

Goals for/against: Goal totals include the outcome of disciplinary decisions (e.g. match forfeits when a 3-0 result is determined). Goals totals do not include goals scored during a penalty shoot-out after a tie ended in a draw

### :: Squad list

**Qual.:** Total European Qualifiers appearances/goals for UEFA EURO 2020 only.

**FT:** Total UEFA EURO 2020 appearances/goals in final tournament only.

**Overall:** Total international appearances/goals.

**DoB:** Date of birth

**Age:** Based on the date press kit was last updated

**D:** Disciplinary (\*: misses next match if booked, S: suspended)

### :: Team facts

**EURO finals:** The UEFA European Championship was a four-team event in 1960, 1964, 1968, 1972 and 1976 (when the preliminary round and quarter-finals were considered part of qualifying).

From 1980 it was expanded to an eight-team finals and remained in that format in 1984, 1988 and 1992 until 1996, when the 16-team format was adopted. UEFA EURO 2016 was the first tournament to be played as a 24-team finals.

### Records of inactive countries

A number of UEFA associations have been affected by dissolution or splits of member associations. For statistical purposes, the records of these inactive countries have been allocated elsewhere: therefore, all Soviet Union matches are awarded to Russia; all West Germany – but not East Germany – matches are awarded to Germany; all Yugoslavia and Serbia & Montenegro matches are awarded to Serbia; all Czechoslovakia matches are allocated to both the Czech Republic and Slovakia.

### Abandoned/forfeited matches

For statistical purposes, when a match has been started and then abandoned but later forfeited, the result on the pitch at the time of abandonment is counted. Matches that never started and were either cancelled or forfeited are not included in the overall statistics.

## Competitions

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### Other abbreviations

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**(aet):** After extra time

**No.:** Number

**ag:** Match decided on away goals

**agg:** Aggregate

**AP:** Appearances

**Comp.:** Competition

**D:** Drawn

**DoB:** Date of birth

**ET:** Extra Time

**GA:** Goals against

**GF:** Goals for

**gg:** Match decided by golden goal

**L:** Lost

**Nat.:** Nationality

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**pens:** Penalties

**og:** Own goal

**P:** Penalty

**Pld:** Matches played

**Pos.:** Position

**Pts:** Points

**R:** Sent off (straight red card)

**Res.:** Result

**sg:** Match decided by silver goal

**t:** Match decided by toss of a coin

**W:** Won

**Y:** Booked

**Y/R:** Sent off (two yellow cards)

**N/A:** Not applicable