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Group H - Matchday 6



Andorra

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Previous meetings

Head to Head

2020 UEFA European Championship

Date	Stage reached	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
11/06/2019	QR (GS)	Andorra - France	0-4	Andorra la Vella	Mbappé 11, Ben Yedder 30, Thauvin 45+1, Zouma 60

UEFA EURO 2000

Date	Stage reached	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
09/06/1999	PR (GS)	Andorra - France	0-1	Barcelona	Leboeuf 85 (P)
14/10/1998	PR (GS)	France - Andorra	2-0	Paris	Candela 54, Djorkaeff 59

	Qualifying								Final tournament				Total					
	Home				Away													
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
EURO																		
France	1	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	-	-	-	-	3	3	0	0	7	0
Andorra	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	-	-	-	-	3	0	0	3	0	7
FIFA*																		
France	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Andorra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Friendlies																		
France	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	0	4	0
Andorra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	0	1	0	4
Total																		
France	1	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	-	-	-	-	4	4	0	0	11	0
Andorra	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	-	-	-	-	4	0	0	4	0	11

* FIFA World Cup/FIFA Confederations Cup

Squad list

France

No.	Player	DoB	Age	Club	D	Current season					
						Qual.		FT			
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls		
Goalkeepers											
-	Hugo Lloris	26/12/1986	32	Tottenham	-	5	0	0	0		
-	Alphonse Areola	27/02/1993	26	Real Madrid	-	0	0	0	0		
-	Mike Maignan	03/07/1995	24	LOSC	-	0	0	0	0		
Defenders											
-	Lucas Digne	20/07/1993	26	Everton	-	2	0	0	0		
-	Kurt Zouma	27/10/1994	24	Chelsea	-	1	1	0	0		
-	Raphaël Varane	25/04/1993	26	Real Madrid	-	4	1	0	0		
-	Clément Lenglet	17/06/1995	24	Barcelona	-	2	0	0	0		
-	Lucas Hernández	14/02/1996	23	Bayern	-	1	0	0	0		
-	Benjamin Pavard	28/03/1996	23	Bayern	-	4	0	0	0		
-	Léo Dubois	14/09/1994	24	Lyon	-	1	0	0	0		
Midfielders											
-	Blaise Matuidi	09/04/1987	32	Juventus	-	4	0	0	0		
-	Moussa Sissoko	16/08/1989	30	Tottenham	-	3	0	0	0		
-	Steven Nzonzi	15/12/1988	30	Galatasaray	-	0	0	0	0		
-	Thomas Lemar	12/11/1995	23	Atlético	-	4	0	0	0		
-	Corentin Tolisso	03/08/1994	25	Bayern	-	1	0	0	0		
-	Jonathan Ikoné	02/05/1998	21	LOSC	-	1	1	0	0		
-	Mattéo Guendouzi	14/04/1999	20	Arsenal	-	0	0	0	0		
Forwards											
-	Antoine Griezmann	21/03/1991	28	Barcelona	-	5	2	0	0		
-	Olivier Giroud	30/09/1986	32	Chelsea	-	5	3	0	0		
-	Wissam Ben Yedder	12/08/1990	29	Monaco	-	2	1	0	0		
-	Kingsley Coman	13/06/1996	23	Bayern	-	2	2	0	0		
-	Nabil Fekir	18/07/1993	26	Betis	-	2	0	0	0		
Coach											
-	Didier Deschamps	15/10/1968	50		-	5	0	0	0		

Andorra

No.	Player	DoB	Age	Club	D	Current season					
						Qual.		FT			
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls		
Goalkeepers											
-	Josep Gomes	03/12/1985	33	Inter Escaldes	-	5	0	0	0		
-	Francisco Pires	25/01/1998	21	UE Santa Coloma	-	0	0	0	0		
-	Iker	25/07/2001	18	CD Roda	-	0	0	0	0		
Defenders											
-	Ildefons Lima	10/12/1979	39	Inter Escaldes	*	5	0	0	0		
-	Marc Garcia	21/03/1988	31	EC Granollers	-	1	0	0	0		
-	Jordi Rubio	01/11/1987	31	UE Santa Coloma	-	1	0	0	0		
-	Emili Garcia	11/01/1989	30	Inter Escaldes	-	1	0	0	0		
-	Moisés San Nicolás	17/09/1993	25	FC Santa Coloma	-	5	0	0	0		
-	Chus Rubio	09/09/1994	25	FC Santa Coloma	-	4	0	0	0		
-	Max Llovera	08/01/1997	22	EC Granollers	-	5	0	0	0		
-	Joan Cervós	24/02/1998	21	FC Andorra	-	5	0	0	0		
Midfielders											
-	Sergi Moreno	25/11/1987	31	Inter Escaldes	-	1	0	0	0		
-	Marc Vales	04/04/1990	29	Sandefjord	-	5	0	0	0		
-	Marcio Vieira	10/10/1984	34	Monzón	-	5	0	0	0		
-	Marc Rebés	03/07/1994	25	FC Santa Coloma	*	5	0	0	0		
-	Marc Ferré	11/01/1994	25	Engordany	-	0	0	0	0		
-	Victor Rodríguez	07/09/1987	32	FC Santa Coloma	-	3	0	0	0		
-	Jordi Aláez	23/01/1998	21	FC Santa Coloma	-	5	0	0	0		
Forwards											
-	Ludovic Clemente	09/05/1986	33	FC Andorra	-	4	0	0	0		
-	Cristian Martínez	16/10/1989	29	Inter Escaldes	*	3	0	0	0		
-	Sebastià Gómez	01/11/1983	35	Engordany	-	0	0	0	0		
-	Aaron Sánchez	05/06/1996	23	Engordany	-	1	0	0	0		
-	Alex Martínez	10/10/1998	20	FC Andorra	-	3	0	0	0		
Coach											
-	Koldo Alvarez	04/09/1970	49		-	5	0	0	0		

Head coach

Didier Deschamps

Date of birth: 15 October 1968

Nationality: French

Playing career: Nantes, Marseille (twice), Bordeaux, Juventus, Chelsea, Valencia

Coaching career: Monaco, Juventus, Marseille, France

- A product of Nantes's highly rated youth system, Deschamps had success with Marseille as a defensive midfielder, winning Ligue 1 in 1990 and 1992 and captaining them to UEFA Champions League glory in 1993. Signed for Juve in 1994 and won the UEFA Champions League again in 1996, adding three Serie A titles, a Coppa Italia and a European/South American Cup.
- Left in 1999 for Chelsea, staying one season and lifting the FA Cup, before ending his career with a year in Valencia, watching from the bench as they lost the 2001 UEFA Champions League final to Bayern München. Skipped France to victory on home soil at the 1998 FIFA World Cup and also at UEFA EURO 2000, retiring that year with 103 caps.
- Started coaching career in 2001 with Monaco, landing the French League Cup in 2003 and reaching the UEFA Champions League final a year later, going down to José Mourinho's Porto. Resigned in September 2005 and joined his old club Juventus, then in Serie B, the following June. Stepped down after securing promotion back to Serie A in May 2007.
- Appointed Marseille boss in May 2009, replacing Eric Gerets. Ended OM's 18-year wait for the Ligue 1 championship in his first term and added a maiden League Cup, retaining the latter trophy in the next two campaigns.
- Succeeded Laurent Blanc after UEFA EURO 2012 and guided France to the 2014 World Cup, where they lost to eventual winners Germany in the quarter-finals, and then to the final of UEFA EURO 2016 on home soil only to lose to Portugal in extra time. Redemption followed at Russia 2018, where France went all the way to lift the trophy, making Deschamps only the third man to win the World Cup as both player and coach after Mário Zagallo and Franz Beckenbauer.

Koldo Alvarez

Date of birth: 4 September 1970

Nationality: Andorran

Playing career: Aurrerá Vitória, Atlético Madrid, Toledo (loan), Salamanca, FC Andorra (twice), Balaguer

Coaching career: Andorra

- A reserve goalkeeper at Atlético, Koldo came through the club's youth ranks and lifted the Copa del Rey with the Spanish side in 1990/91.
- Leaving the capital in search of first-team football, Koldo played for Toledo before winning promotion to the Spanish second division with Salamanca in 1993/94.
- Signed for FC Andorra in the summer of 1994, dividing his time between playing for the club's first team and acting as a youth coach with the national Under-17, U19 and U21 sides.
- Capped 78 times by Andorra before his retirement following a 6-0 loss to England at Wembley in June 2009 having been named his country's best player of the last 50 years by the Andorran Football Federation (FAF) six years earlier.
- Took over as coach of the national team in February 2010, his side finishing bottom of their qualifying groups for UEFA EURO 2012 and the 2014 FIFA World Cup. That was again the case in the UEFA EURO 2016 preliminaries, although Andorra did score four goals – setting a new best mark for the competition – and overcame Hungary in June 2017 in 2018 World Cup qualifying, their first competitive win since 2004.

Match officials

Referee	Mykola Balakin (UKR)
Assistant referees	Valentyn Kutsev (UKR) , Volodymyr Vysotskyi (UKR)
Fourth official	Yaroslav Kozyk (UKR)
UEFA Delegate	Graham Hover (ENG)
UEFA Referee observer	Haim Jakov (ISR)

Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA EURO matches	UEFA matches
Mykola Balakin	05/01/1989	0	17

UEFA European Championship matches featuring the two countries involved in this match

No such matches refereed

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
09/05/2019	U17	GS-FT	France	Netherlands	2-0	Dublin
16/05/2019	U17	SF	France	Italy	1-2	Dublin

Match-by-match lineups

France

Final tournament - Qualifying round

Group H

Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
France	5	4	0	1	16	4	12
Turkey	5	4	0	1	10	2	12
Iceland	5	4	0	1	8	5	12
Albania	5	2	0	3	6	7	6
Moldova	5	1	0	4	2	13	3
Andorra	5	0	0	5	0	11	0

Matchday 1 (22/03/2019)

Moldova 1-4 France

Goals: 0-1 Griezmann 24, 0-2 Varane 27, 0-3 Giroud 36, 0-4 Mbappé 87, 1-4 Ambros 89

France: Lloris, Pavard, Varane, Umtiti, Pogba, Griezmann (73 Thauvin), Giroud (81 Fekir), Mbappé, Kanté, Matuidi (73 Lemar), Kurzawa

Matchday 2 (25/03/2019)

France 4-0 Iceland

Goals: 1-0 Umtiti 12, 2-0 Giroud 68, 3-0 Mbappé 78, 4-0 Griezmann 84

France: Lloris, Pavard, Varane, Umtiti, Pogba, Griezmann, Giroud (90 Sissoko), Mbappé, Kanté (80 Lemar), Matuidi, Kurzawa (85 Kimpembe)

Matchday 3 (08/06/2019)

Turkey 2-0 France

Goals: 1-0 Kaan Ayhan 30, 2-0 Cengiz Ünder 40

France: Lloris, Pavard, Varane, Umtiti, Pogba, Griezmann, Giroud (72 Ben Yedder), Mbappé, Digne (46 Mendy), Matuidi (46 Coman), Sissoko

Matchday 4 (11/06/2019)

Andorra 0-4 France

Goals: 0-1 Mbappé 11, 0-2 Ben Yedder 30, 0-3 Thauvin 45+1, 0-4 Zouma 60

France: Lloris, Mendy, Pogba, Griezmann, Mbappé, Zouma, Dubois, Lenglet, Thauvin (81 Lemar), Ndombele (64 Sissoko), Ben Yedder (73 Giroud)

Matchday 5 (07/09/2019)

France 4-1 Albania

Goals: 1-0 Coman 8, 2-0 Giroud 27, 3-0 Coman 68, 4-0 Ikoné 85, 4-1 Çikalleshi 90 (P)

France: Lloris, Pavard, Varane, Griezmann, Lemar (84 Fekir), Giroud, Coman (77 Ikoné), Tolisso, Matuidi, Lenglet, Lucas (80 Digne)

Matchday 6 (10/09/2019)

France-Andorra

Matchday 7 (11/10/2019)

Iceland-France

Matchday 8 (14/10/2019)

France-Turkey

Matchday 9 (14/11/2019)

France-Moldova

Matchday 10 (17/11/2019)

Albania-France

Andorra

Final tournament - Qualifying round

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Moldova	5	1	0	4	2	13	3
Andorra	5	0	0	5	0	11	0

Matchday 1 (22/03/2019)

Andorra 0-2 Iceland

Goals: 0-1 B. Bjarnason 22, 0-2 Kjartansson 80

Andorra: Gomes, C. Martínez (81 Clemente), Vales, Rebés, Ildefons Lima, M. Vieira, M. San Nicolás, Cervós, Chus Rubio (87 Juli Sánchez), Llovera, Alex Martínez (71 Aláez)

Matchday 2 (25/03/2019)

Andorra 0-3 Albania

Goals: 0-1 Sadiku 21, 0-2 Balaj 87, 0-3 Abrashi 90+6

Andorra: Gomes, C. Martínez (74 Aláez), Vales (84 Pujol), Rebés, Ildefons Lima, M. Vieira, Clemente (67 Cervós), M. San Nicolás, Chus Rubio, Llovera, Rodríguez

Matchday 3 (08/06/2019)

Moldova 1-0 Andorra

Goals: 1-0 Armaş 8

Andorra: Gomes, Vales, Rebés (69 Moreno), Ildefons Lima, Clemente, M. Vieira, Aláez (82 A. Sánchez), M. San Nicolás, Cervós, Chus Rubio (72 Alex Martínez), Llovera

Matchday 4 (11/06/2019)

Andorra 0-4 France

Goals: 0-1 Mbappé 11, 0-2 Ben Yedder 30, 0-3 Thauvin 45+1, 0-4 Zouma 60

Andorra: Gomes, Vales, Rebés, Ildefons Lima, M. Vieira, Aláez (85 Juli Sánchez), M. San Nicolás, Alex Martínez (58 Jordi Rubio), Cervós (81 Rodríguez), Chus Rubio, Llovera

Matchday 5 (07/09/2019)

Turkey 1-0 Andorra

Goals: 1-0 Ozan Tufan 89

Andorra: Gomes, C. Martínez, Vales, Rebés, Ildefons Lima, M. Vieira (87 Emili Garcia), Clemente (79 Aláez), M. San Nicolás, Cervós, Llovera, Rodríguez (63 Marc Garcia)

Matchday 6 (10/09/2019)

France-Andorra

Matchday 7 (11/10/2019)

Andorra-Moldova

Matchday 8 (14/10/2019)

Iceland-Andorra

Matchday 9 (14/11/2019)

Albania-Andorra

Matchday 10 (17/11/2019)

Andorra-Turkey

Legend

:: 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

Other abbreviations

(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

PId: 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