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**Bayer 04 Leverkusen**

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## Previous meetings

### Head to Head

No UEFA competition matches have been played between these two teams

### FC Krasnodar - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

#### UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
03/11/2016	GS	<b>FC Schalke 04</b> - FC Krasnodar	2-0	Gelsenkirchen	Júnior Caiçara 25, Bentaleb 28
20/10/2016	GS	FC Krasnodar - <b>FC Schalke 04</b>	0-1	Krasnodar	Konoplyanka 11

#### UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
26/11/2015	GS	<b>FC Krasnodar</b> - Borussia Dortmund	1-0	Krasnodar	Mamaev 2 (P)
17/09/2015	GS	<b>Borussia Dortmund</b> - FC Krasnodar	2-1	Dortmund	Ginter 45+1, Park 90+3; Mamaev 12

#### UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
06/11/2014	GS	<b>VfL Wolfsburg</b> - FC Krasnodar	5-1	Wolfsburg	Hunt 47, 57, Guilavogui 73, Bendtner 89 (P), 90+1; Wanderson 72
23/10/2014	GS	FC Krasnodar - <b>VfL Wolfsburg</b>	2-4	Krasnodar	Granqvist 51 (P), Wanderson 86; Granqvist 37 (og), De Bruyne 46, 80, Luiz Gustavo 64

### Bayer 04 Leverkusen - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

#### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
22/11/2016	GS	PFC CSKA Moskva - Bayer 04 Leverkusen	1-1	Moscow	Natcho 76 (P); Volland 16
14/09/2016	GS	Bayer 04 Leverkusen - PFC CSKA Moskva	2-2	Leverkusen	Mehmedi 9, Çalhanoğlu 15; Dzagoev 36, Eremenko 38

#### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
04/11/2014	GS	FC Zenit - <b>Bayer 04 Leverkusen</b>	1-2	St Petersburg	Rondón 89; Son 68, 73
22/10/2014	GS	<b>Bayer 04 Leverkusen</b> - FC Zenit	2-0	Leverkusen	Donati 58, Papadopoulos 63

## UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
10/04/2008	QF	<b>FC Zenit</b> - Bayer 04 Leverkusen	0-1 agg: 4-2	St Petersburg	Bulykin 18
03/04/2008	QF	Bayer 04 Leverkusen - <b>FC Zenit</b>	1-4	Leverkusen	Kiessling 33; Arshavin 20, Pogrebnyak 52, Anyukov 61, Denisov 64
08/11/2007	GS	<b>FC Spartak Moskva</b> - Bayer 04 Leverkusen	2-1	Moscow	Pavlyuchenko 63 (P), Mozart 77 (P); Freier 90+1

## UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
25/10/2000	GS1	<b>Bayer 04 Leverkusen</b> - FC Spartak Moskva	1-0	Leverkusen	Ballack 52
12/09/2000	GS1	<b>FC Spartak Moskva</b> - Bayer 04 Leverkusen	2-0	Moscow	Titov 51, Bezrodny 87

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
FC Krasnodar	3	1	0	2	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	5	5	14
Bayer 04 Leverkusen	4	2	1	1	5	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	9	4	2	3	11	12

## Match background

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Krasnodar's third UEFA Europa League round of 32 tie in the last four seasons brings a first meeting with former UEFA Cup winners Bayer Leverkusen, who have changed their coach since topping Group A in the autumn.

- Krasnodar finished runners-up to Sevilla in Group J, losing out on first place only on the head-to-head rule after matching the Spanish club's haul of 12 points. Leverkusen cruised through their section, posting 13 points and scoring 16 goals, but poor domestic form resulted in December's dismissal of Heiko Herrlich and his replacement by Peter Bosz, a 2016/17 UEFA Europa League runner-up as coach of Ajax.

### Previous meetings

- Krasnodar have lost five of their six matches against German clubs, all in the UEFA Europa League group stage, the only exception a 1-0 home victory against Borussia Dortmund in 2015/16, which helped them win the group and reach the round of 32 for the first time.

- Leverkusen have won four and lost three of their nine matches against Russian opposition. They are unbeaten, however, in their last five, the two most recent having resulted in a pair of draws against CSKA Moskva (2-2 home, 1-1 away) in the 2016/17 UEFA Champions League group stage.

### Form guide

#### Krasnodar

- Since making their European debut in the 2014/15 UEFA Europa League, Krasnodar have qualified for the competition every season since, failing to make the group stage only in 2017/18, when they lost a play-off to Crvena zvezda on away goals. Fourth place in last season's Russian Premier League secured their group stage berth this term.

- Krasnodar were unable to progress from their group at the first attempt, in 2014/15, but succeeded in both of the following two seasons, reaching the round of 32 in 2015/16, when they lost to Sparta Praha (0-1 away, 0-3 home), and the round of 16 in 2016/17 after claiming their first victory in a European knockout phase with a 2-1 aggregate success against Fenerbahçe (1-0 home, 1-1 away).

- Victorious in seven of their last ten European outings, the Russian club have won all of their last five continental home games, each of them by a one-goal margin, including 2-1 wins against Sevilla, Akhisar and Standard Liège in this season's group stage.

- Krasnodar have never been involved in a goalless draw in 24 home European matches (W17 D3 L4), losing all three games in which they failed to score. The only home European game they have lost in which they found the net was against German opposition – 2-4 versus Wolfsburg in 2014/15.

#### Leverkusen

- Absent from Europe in 2017/18, for the first time in eight years, Leverkusen booked direct access to the UEFA Europa League group stage by finishing fifth in last season's Bundesliga.

- This is the Rhinelanders' fourth appearance in the UEFA Europa League knockout phase. They also progressed from their group in 2010/11 and 2012/13, and transferred mid-season from the UEFA Champions League in 2015/16.

- Leverkusen have won two of their three previous UEFA Europa League round of 32 ties, beating Metalist Kharkiv in 2010/11 (4-0 away, 2-0 home) and Sporting CP in 2015/16 (1-0 away, 3-1 home) but losing to Benfica in 2012/13 (0-1 home, 1-2 away). They have not reached a European quarter-final since the 2007/08 UEFA Cup.

- The Werkself have lost only two of their last ten European away games (W4 D4), racking up ten goals in this season's group stage – 3-2 at Ludogorets, 2-3 at FC Zürich and, last time out, 5-1 at AEK Larnaca.

### UEFA Europa League squad changes

#### • Krasnodar

**In:** Kristoffer Olsson, Ivan Taranov

**Out:** Pavel Mamaev, Tornike Okriashvili, Roman Shishkin, Stefan Strandberg

#### • Leverkusen

**In:** Jan Boller

**Out:** none

### Links and trivia

- Krasnodar's Uroš Spajić and Leverkusen's Isaac Kiese Thelin were Belgian title winners at Anderlecht in 2016/17.

- Viktor Claesson (Krasnodar) and Kiese Thelin are Sweden team-mates.

- Between 2013 and 2015 Krasnodar's Cristian Ramírez played in Germany for Fortuna Düsseldorf and Nürnberg.

- Leverkusen lifted the UEFA Cup in 1987/88 and are one of ten former winners of the trophy in this season's knockout phase, along with Sevilla, Internazionale, Chelsea, Shakhtar Donetsk, Zenit, Valencia, Galatasaray, Napoli and Eintracht Frankfurt.

#### **The coaches**

- A Krasnodar man through and through, Murad Musaev made his mark by leading the club's Under-19s to the knockout phase of the 2017/18 UEFA Youth League, where they were only eliminated on penalties by Real Madrid in front of a competition-record crowd. That achievement helped him land the position of caretaker coach to the senior side following Igor Shalimov's dismissal in early April 2018. His position as the club's new head coach was subsequently confirmed during the summer.
- Peter Bosz was appointed as Leverkusen head coach on 23 December 2018, replacing Heiko Herrlich. The move came a year after he was dismissed just six months into his tenure at Borussia Dortmund. A Dutch title winner as a midfielder with Feyenoord, Bosz began his coaching career in the Netherlands, and after a brief spell in Israel with Maccabi Tel-Aviv returned to take charge of Ajax in May 2016, 12 months later steering the Amsterdam club to the UEFA Europa League final, which they lost 2-0 to Manchester United.

## Team facts

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### FC Krasnodar

**Formed:** 2008

**Nickname:** Byki (The Bulls)

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

- none

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

None

### Ten-year European record (UEFA Europa League/UEFA Cup unless indicated otherwise)

**2017/18:** play-offs

**2016/17:** round of 16

**2015/16:** round of 32

**2014/15:** group stage

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

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

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

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

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

**2008/09:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

### Records

#### UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

**5-0:** Krasnodar v Sillamäe Kalev

24/07/14, UEFA Europa League second qualifying round second leg

- Biggest away win

**1-5:** Diósgyőr v Krasnodar

31/07/14, UEFA Europa League third qualifying round first leg

**0-4:** Sillamäe Kalev v Krasnodar

27/07/14, UEFA Europa League second qualifying round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

**0-3:** Krasnodar v Sparta Praha

25/02/16, UEFA Europa League round of 32 second leg

- Heaviest away defeat

**5-1:** Wolfsburg v Krasnodar

06/11/14, UEFA Europa League group stage

#### UEFA Europa League/UEFA Cup

- Biggest home win

**5-0:** Krasnodar v Sillamäe Kalev (see above)

- Biggest away win

**1-5:** Diósgyőr v Krasnodar (see above)

**0-4:** Sillamäe Kalev v Krasnodar (see above)

- Heaviest home defeat

**0-3:** Krasnodar v Sparta Praha (see above)

- Heaviest away defeat

**5-1:** Wolfsburg v Krasnodar (see above)

### Bayer 04 Leverkusen

**Formed:** 1904

**Nickname:** Werkself (Factory Team)

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

- UEFA Champions League: (2002)

- UEFA Cup (1): 1988

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

German Cup: 1 (1993)

### **Ten-year European record (UEFA Europa League/UEFA Cup unless indicated otherwise)**

**2017/18:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

**2016/17:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

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

**2014/15:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

**2013/14:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

**2012/13:** round of 32

**2011/12:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

**2010/11:** round of 16

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

**2008/09:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

### **Records**

#### **UEFA club competition**

- Biggest home win

**6-1:** Leverkusen v Dinamo Tbilisi

13/08/97, UEFA Champions League second qualifying round first leg

**5-0** twice, most recently v Baník Ostrava

11/08/04, UEFA Champions League third qualifying round first leg

- Biggest away win

**1-6:** Tervis Pärnu v Leverkusen

08/07/95, UEFA Intertoto Cup group stage

**0-5:** Zürich v Leverkusen

19/12/07, UEFA Cup group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

**0-5:** Leverkusen v Manchester United

27/11/13, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

**7-1:** Barcelona v Leverkusen

07/03/12, UEFA Champions League round of 16 second leg

#### **UEFA Europa League/UEFA Cup**

- Biggest home win

**5-0:** Leverkusen v Kispest Honvéd

01/11/94, second round second leg

- Biggest away win

**0-5:** Zürich v Leverkusen (see above)

- Heaviest home defeat

**1-4:** Leverkusen v Zenit

03/04/08, quarter-finals first leg

**0-3:** Leverkusen v Osasuna

05/04/07, quarter-finals first leg

- Heaviest away defeat

**3-0** on three occasions, most recently v Parma

18/04/95, semi-finals second leg

# Squad list

## FC Krasnodar

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season				All-time			
						UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>													
1	Stanislav Kritsyuk	RUS	01/12/1990	28	-	3	-	12	-	11	-	13	-
39	Matvei Safonov	RUS	25/02/1999	19	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	2	-
66	Denis Adamov	RUS	20/02/1998	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Andrei Sinitsin	RUS	23/06/1988	30	-	1	-	4	-	5	-	14	-
<b>Defenders</b>													
3	Jón Gudni Fjóluson	ISL	10/04/1989	29	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	11	1
4	Aleksandr Martynovich	BLR	26/08/1987	31	*	6	-	17	-	12	-	30	-
5	Uroš Spajić	SRB	13/02/1993	26	-	5	-	16	-	14	-	20	-
6	Cristian Ramirez	ECU	12/08/1994	24	S	5	-	14	-	8	-	17	-
15	Nikolai Markov	RUS	20/04/1985	33	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	-
22	Ivan Taranov	RUS	22/06/1986	32	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	7	-
40	Andrey Ivashin	RUS	30/06/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	Sergei Borodin	RUS	30/01/1999	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
61	Ilya Martynov	RUS	25/01/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
65	Nikolai Bochko	RUS	01/03/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
94	Evgenii Nazarov	RUS	07/04/1997	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
98	Sergei Petrov	RUS	02/01/1991	28	-	6	-	10	-	20	-	30	1
<b>Midfielders</b>													
7	Wanderson	BEL	07/10/1994	24	-	6	1	17	4	8	1	15	2
8	Yuri Gazinski	RUS	20/07/1989	29	S	6	1	16	1	28	1	42	3
14	Mats Kristoffer Olsson	SWE	30/06/1995	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	Viktor Claesson	SWE	02/01/1992	27	-	5	1	16	6	14	4	39	11
20	Christian Cueva	PER	23/11/1991	27	-	6	-	15	-	6	-	6	-
33	Mauricio Pereyra	URU	15/03/1990	28	-	6	1	14	-	23	2	36	6
47	Daniil Utkin	RUS	12/10/1999	19	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
50	Artem Golubev	RUS	21/01/1999	20	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
53	Aleksandr Chernikov	RUS	01/02/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
62	Aleks Matsukatov	RUS	11/01/1999	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
63	Nikita Sergeev	RUS	17/10/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
77	Charles Kaboré	FRA	09/02/1988	31	*	6	-	14	1	38	2	68	2
89	Dmitri Stotski	RUS	01/12/1989	29	-	4	-	15	-	4	-	4	-
93	Magomed Suleymanov	RUS	16/12/1999	19	-	4	1	9	5	4	1	7	2
<b>Forwards</b>													
9	Ari	RUS	11/12/1985	33	-	4	2	10	6	25	9	53	19
60	German Onugkha	RUS	06/07/1996	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
80	Aleksandr Butenko	RUS	20/07/1998	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
85	Ivan Ignatyev	RUS	06/01/1999	20	-	4	-	12	4	4	-	6	1
<b>Coach</b>													
-	Oleg Fomenko	RUS	03/08/1972	46	-	6	-	-	-	6	-	6	-



## Bayer 04 Leverkusen

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season				All-time			
						UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>													
1	Lukas Hradecky	FIN	24/11/1989	29	-	4	-	19	-	4	-	12	-
24	Thorsten Kirschbaum	GER	20/04/1987	31	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
28	Ramazan Özcan	AUT	28/06/1984	34	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	2	-
40	Tomasz Kucz	POL	06/07/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>													
3	Panagiotis Retsos	GRE	09/08/1998	20	-	1	-	-	-	8	-	13	-
4	Jonathan Tah	GER	11/02/1996	23	-	1	-	20	1	5	-	18	-
5	Sven Bender	GER	27/04/1989	29	-	2	-	17	-	16	-	47	-
6	Aleksandar Dragović	AUT	06/03/1991	27	*	6	-	11	2	41	1	79	2
16	Tin Jedvaj	CRO	28/11/1995	23	-	3	1	12	-	6	1	15	1
18	Wendell	BRA	20/07/1993	25	-	6	-	19	2	10	-	28	-
23	Mitchell Weiser	GER	21/04/1994	24	*	6	1	17	1	11	1	16	1
33	Jan Boller	GER	14/03/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Midfielders</b>													
7	Paulinho	BRA	15/07/2000	18	-	4	1	8	-	4	1	4	1
8	Lars Bender	GER	27/04/1989	29	*	5	-	14	1	20	-	50	1
10	Julian Brandt	GER	02/05/1996	22	-	5	1	20	4	9	1	33	2
15	Julian Baumgartlinger	AUT	02/01/1988	31	-	3	-	8	-	8	-	26	2
20	Charles Aránguiz	CHI	17/04/1989	29	-	2	-	11	-	2	-	10	-
21	Dominik Kohr	GER	31/01/1994	25	-	5	2	12	-	13	2	15	2
29	Kai Havertz	GER	11/06/1999	19	-	4	3	21	8	4	3	7	3
30	Sam Schreck	GER	29/01/1999	20	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2	-
32	Jakub Bednarczyk	POL	02/01/1999	20	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
36	Adrian Stanilewicz	GER	22/02/2000	18	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
38	Karim Bellarabi	GER	08/04/1990	28	-	2	2	15	5	8	6	30	10
<b>Forwards</b>													
9	Leon Bailey	JAM	09/08/1997	21	-	6	-	20	2	12	4	20	7
11	Isaac Kiese Thelin	SWE	24/06/1992	26	*	5	1	6	-	12	2	28	5
13	Lucas Alario	ARG	08/10/1992	26	-	5	4	17	3	5	4	5	4
17	Joel Pohjanpalo	FIN	13/09/1994	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	3
31	Kevin Volland	GER	30/07/1992	26	-	3	-	21	8	3	-	9	1
37	Bernard Bukusu	GER	03/04/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Coach</b>													
-	Peter Bosz	NED	21/11/1963	55	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	29	-

## Fixtures and results

### FC Krasnodar

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
29/07/2018	League	FC Rubin (A)	L	1-2 Smolov 31
04/08/2018	League	FC Ural Sverdlovsk Oblast (A)	W	2-1 Claesson 48, Mamaev 89
13/08/2018	League	FC Ufa (A)	W	1-0 Wanderson 86
18/08/2018	League	FC Spartak Moskva (H)	L	0-1
26/08/2018	League	FC Orenburg (A)	D	1-1 Suleymanov 88
01/09/2018	League	FC Lokomotiv Moskva (H)	W	2-1 Wanderson 39, Suleymanov 90+3
16/09/2018	League	FC Anji (A)	W	4-0 Wanderson 9, Claesson 14, Mamaev 58, Ignatyev 82
20/09/2018	UEL	Akhisar Belediyespor (A)	W	1-0 Claesson 26
24/09/2018	League	PFC Krylya Sovetov Samara (A)	W	3-0 Ari 69, 71, Suleymanov 81
27/09/2018	Cup	Avangard Kursk (A)	W	2-0 Markov 9, Shishkin 65
30/09/2018	League	FC Dinamo Moskva (H)	W	3-0 Ari 18, Claesson 45+1, 55
04/10/2018	UEL	Sevilla FC (H)	W	2-1 Pereyra 72, Okriashvili 88
07/10/2018	League	FC Zenit (A)	L	1-2 Mamaev 81 (P)
21/10/2018	League	FC Akhmat Grozny (H)	L	0-1
25/10/2018	UEL	R. Standard de Liège (A)	L	1-2 Ari 39
28/10/2018	League	PFC CSKA Moskva (A)	W	2-1 Ari 79, Claesson 81
01/11/2018	Cup	PFC Krylya Sovetov Samara (A)	W	2-1 aet Claesson 76, Ignatyev 111 ET
04/11/2018	League	FC Rostov (H)	D	2-2 Ari 16, 72
08/11/2018	UEL	R. Standard de Liège (H)	W	2-1 Suleymanov 79, Wanderson 82
11/11/2018	League	FC Yenisey Krasnoyarsk (H)	W	3-0 Gazinski 60, Claesson 70, Kaboré 85
25/11/2018	League	PFC Arsenal Tula (H)	W	3-0 Wanderson 40, Ignatyev 48, Suleymanov 76
29/11/2018	UEL	Akhisar Belediyespor (H)	W	2-1 Gazinski 49, Ari 57
02/12/2018	League	FC Ural Sverdlovsk Oblast (H)	W	2-0 Suleymanov 56, Ignatyev 76
05/12/2018	Cup	FC Rostov (H)	D	2-2 Ignatyev 17, Cueva 31
09/12/2018	League	FC Ufa (H)	D	1-1 Ignatyev 26
13/12/2018	UEL	Sevilla FC (A)	L	0-3
14/02/2019	UEL	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (H)		
21/02/2019	UEL	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (A)		
24/02/2019	Cup	FC Rostov (A)		
03/03/2019	League	FC Spartak Moskva (A)		
10/03/2019	League	FC Orenburg (H)		
17/03/2019	League	FC Lokomotiv Moskva (A)		
31/03/2019	League	FC Anji (H)		
07/04/2019	League	PFC Krylya Sovetov Samara (H)		
14/04/2019	League	FC Dinamo Moskva (A)		
21/04/2019	League	FC Zenit (H)		
23/04/2019	League	FC Akhmat Grozny (A)		
28/04/2019	League	PFC CSKA Moskva (H)		

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05/05/2019	League	FC Rostov (A)		
12/05/2019	League	FC Yenisey Krasnoyarsk (A)		
19/05/2019	League	PFC Arsenal Tula (A)		
26/05/2019	League	FC Rubin (H)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	FC Zenit	17	11	1	5	27	17	34
<b>2</b>	<b>FC Krasnodar</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>33</b>
3	PFC CSKA Moskva	17	8	6	3	23	8	30
4	FC Spartak Moskva	17	8	4	5	22	17	28
5	FC Lokomotiv Moskva	17	8	4	5	23	17	28
6	FC Rubin	17	5	10	2	17	14	25
7	FC Rostov	17	6	6	5	14	11	24
8	FC Akhmat Grozny	17	6	5	6	15	17	23
9	FC Ural Sverdlovsk Oblast	17	6	4	7	18	28	22
10	FC Orenburg	16	6	4	6	17	15	22
11	PFC Arsenal Tula	17	5	5	7	23	25	20
12	FC Dinamo Moskva	17	4	8	5	16	13	20
13	PFC Krylya Sovetov Samara	16	5	2	9	10	22	17
14	FC Ufa	17	3	7	7	12	18	16
15	FC Anji	17	4	3	10	9	25	15
16	FC Yenisey Krasnoyarsk	17	2	4	11	11	28	10

## Bayer 04 Leverkusen

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
18/08/2018	Cup	1. CfR Pforzheim (A)	W 1-0	Alario 27 (P)
25/08/2018	League	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (A)	L 0-2	
01/09/2018	League	VfL Wolfsburg (H)	L 1-3	Bailey 24
15/09/2018	League	FC Bayern München (A)	L 1-3	Wendell 5 (P)
20/09/2018	UEL	PFC Ludogorets 1945 (A)	W 3-2	Havertz 38, 69, Kiese Thelin 63
23/09/2018	League	1. FSV Mainz 05 (H)	W 1-0	Havertz 62
26/09/2018	League	Fortuna Düsseldorf (A)	W 2-1	Volland 50, 60
29/09/2018	League	Borussia Dortmund (H)	L 2-4	Weiser 9, Tah 39
04/10/2018	UEL	AEK Larnaca FC (H)	W 4-2	Havertz 44, Alario 49, 88, Brandt 90+2
07/10/2018	League	SC Freiburg (A)	D 0-0	
20/10/2018	League	Hannover 96 (H)	D 2-2	L. Bender 34, Bellarabi 90+4
25/10/2018	UEL	FC Zürich (A)	L 2-3	Bellarabi 50, 54
28/10/2018	League	SV Werder Bremen (A)	W 6-2	Volland 8, Brandt 38, Bellarabi 45, Havertz 67, 77, Dragović 72
31/10/2018	Cup	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (A)	W 5-0	Brandt 5, Jedvaj 45+1, Bellarabi 67, 74, Volland 80
03/11/2018	League	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (H)	L 1-4	Bellarabi 30
08/11/2018	UEL	FC Zürich (H)	W 1-0	Jedvaj 60
11/11/2018	League	RB Leipzig (A)	L 0-3	
23/11/2018	League	VfB Stuttgart (H)	W 2-0	Volland 76, 83

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29/11/2018	UEL	PFC Ludogorets 1945 (H)	D	1-1	Weiser 85
03/12/2018	League	1. FC Nürnberg (A)	D	1-1	Havertz 29
08/12/2018	League	FC Augsburg (H)	W	1-0	Alario 75
13/12/2018	UEL	AEK Larnaca FC (A)	W	5-1	Kohr 28, 68, Alario 41 (P), 86, Paulinho 78
16/12/2018	League	Eintracht Frankfurt (A)	L	1-2	Bellarabi 65
19/12/2018	League	FC Schalke 04 (A)	W	2-1	Dragović 26, Alario 35
22/12/2018	League	Hertha BSC Berlin (H)	W	3-1	Volland 5, Havertz 23, 49
19/01/2019	League	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (H)	L	0-1	
26/01/2019	League	VfL Wolfsburg (A)	W	3-0	Havertz 45 (P), Volland 62, Brandt 88
02/02/2019	League	FC Bayern München (H)	W	3-1	Bailey 53, Volland 63, Alario 87
05/02/2019	Cup	1. FC Heidenheim 1846 (A)	L	1-2	Brandt 44
08/02/2019	League	1. FSV Mainz 05 (A)	W	5-1	Wendell 5, Havertz 19, Brandt 30, 64, Bellarabi 43
14/02/2019	UEL	FC Krasnodar (A)			
17/02/2019	League	Fortuna Düsseldorf (H)			
21/02/2019	UEL	FC Krasnodar (H)			
24/02/2019	League	Borussia Dortmund (A)			
02/03/2019	League	SC Freiburg (H)			
10/03/2019	League	Hannover 96 (A)			
17/03/2019	League	SV Werder Bremen (H)			
29/03/2019	League	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (A)			
06/04/2019	League	RB Leipzig (H)			
13/04/2019	League	VfB Stuttgart (A)			
20/04/2019	League	1. FC Nürnberg (H)			
27/04/2019	League	FC Augsburg (A)			
04/05/2019	League	Eintracht Frankfurt (H)			
11/05/2019	League	FC Schalke 04 (H)			
18/05/2019	League	Hertha BSC Berlin (A)			

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Borussia Dortmund	21	15	5	1	54	23	50
2	FC Bayern München	21	14	3	4	47	24	45
3	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	21	13	3	5	41	21	42
4	RB Leipzig	21	11	5	5	38	18	38
5	Eintracht Frankfurt	21	9	6	6	40	27	33
<b>6</b>	<b>Bayer 04 Leverkusen</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>33</b>
7	VfL Wolfsburg	21	9	5	7	32	30	32
8	Hertha BSC Berlin	21	8	7	6	34	31	31
9	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim	21	7	9	5	41	32	30
10	SV Werder Bremen	21	8	6	7	36	32	30
11	1. FSV Mainz 05	21	7	6	8	23	33	27
12	Fortuna Düsseldorf	21	7	4	10	25	39	25
13	SC Freiburg	21	5	8	8	29	37	23
14	FC Schalke 04	21	6	4	11	25	32	22
15	FC Augsburg	21	4	6	11	29	37	18

<b>Pos.</b>	<b>Clubs</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>GF</b>	<b>GA</b>	<b>Pts</b>
16	VfB Stuttgart	21	4	3	14	17	47	15
17	Hannover 96	21	3	5	13	20	44	14
18	1. FC Nürnberg	21	2	6	13	17	46	12

## Match-by-match lineups

### FC Krasnodar

#### UEFA Europa League - Group stage

##### Group J

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Sevilla FC	6	4	0	2	18	6	12
<b>FC Krasnodar</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>
R. Standard de Liège	6	3	1	2	7	9	10
Akhisar Belediyespor	6	0	1	5	4	14	1

##### Matchday 1 (20/09/2018)

###### Akhisar Belediyespor 0-1 FC Krasnodar

Goals: 0-1 Claesson 26

**FC Krasnodar:** Kritsyuk, Martynovich, Spajić, Ramirez, Wanderson (79 Cueva), Gazinski, Ari (84 S. Petrov), Claesson, Mamaev (69 Pereyra), Kaboré, Stotski

##### Matchday 2 (04/10/2018)

###### FC Krasnodar 2-1 Sevilla FC

Goals: 0-1 Kaboré 43 (og) , 1-1 Pereyra 72, 2-1 Okriashvili 88

**FC Krasnodar:** Kritsyuk, Martynovich, Spajić, Ramirez, Wanderson (84 Okriashvili), Gazinski, Claesson, Mamaev (73 Suleymanov), Cueva, Kaboré (69 Pereyra), S. Petrov

##### Matchday 3 (25/10/2018)

###### R. Standard de Liège 2-1 FC Krasnodar

Goals: 0-1 Ari 39, 1-1 Emond 47, 2-1 Laifis 90+3

**FC Krasnodar:** Sinitsin, Martynovich, Spajić, Ramirez, Wanderson (80 Suleymanov), Gazinski, Ari (76 Ignatyev), Claesson, Pereyra (76 Cueva), Kaboré, S. Petrov

##### Matchday 4 (08/11/2018)

###### FC Krasnodar 2-1 R. Standard de Liège

Goals: 0-1 Carcela 19, 1-1 Suleymanov 79, 2-1 Wanderson 82

**FC Krasnodar:** Safonov, Martynovich, Spajić, Wanderson, Gazinski, Ari, Claesson (65 Ignatyev), Cueva (46 Pereyra), Kaboré (73 Suleymanov), Stotski, S. Petrov

##### Matchday 5 (29/11/2018)

###### FC Krasnodar 2-1 Akhisar Belediyespor

Goals: 0-1 Serginho 24, 1-1 Gazinski 49, 2-1 Ari 57

**FC Krasnodar:** Safonov, Martynovich, Spajić, Ramirez, Wanderson, Gazinski, Ari (72 Pereyra), Cueva (70 Suleymanov), Kaboré, Stotski (46 Ignatyev), S. Petrov

##### Matchday 6 (13/12/2018)

###### Sevilla FC 3-0 FC Krasnodar

Goals: 1-0 Ben Yedder 5, 2-0 Ben Yedder 10, 3-0 Banega 49 (P)

**FC Krasnodar:** Kritsyuk, Fjóluson, Martynovich, Ramirez, Wanderson (77 Shishkin), Gazinski, Claesson, Pereyra (51 Stotski), Kaboré, Ignatyev (61 Cueva), S. Petrov

#### Round of 32

##### Matchday 7 (14/02/2019)

FC Krasnodar-Bayer 04 Leverkusen

##### Matchday 8 (21/02/2019)

Bayer 04 Leverkusen-FC Krasnodar

### Bayer 04 Leverkusen

#### UEFA Europa League - Group stage

## Group A

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
<b>Bayer 04 Leverkusen</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>
FC Zürich	6	3	1	2	7	6	10
AEK Larnaca FC	6	1	2	3	6	12	5
PFC Ludogorets 1945	6	0	4	2	5	7	4

### Matchday 1 (20/09/2018)

#### PFC Ludogorets 1945 2-3 Bayer 04 Leverkusen

Goals: 1-0 Keşerü 8, 2-0 Marcelinho 31, 2-1 Havertz 38, 2-2 Kiese Thelin 63, 2-3 Havertz 69

**Bayer 04 Leverkusen:** Hradecky, Tah, Dragović, Paulinho (46 Volland), L. Bender (72 Bailey), Brandt, Kiese Thelin (91 Alario), Wendell, Kohr, Weiser, Havertz

### Matchday 2 (04/10/2018)

#### Bayer 04 Leverkusen 4-2 AEK Larnaca FC

Goals: 0-1 Tričkovski 25, 1-1 Havertz 44, 2-1 Alario 49, 3-1 Alario 88, 3-2 Raspas 90+1, 4-2 Brandt 90+2

**Bayer 04 Leverkusen:** Hradecky, S. Bender, Dragović, L. Bender, Bailey (46 Alario), Wendell, Kohr (83 Jedvaj), Weiser, Havertz (70 Brandt), Volland, Bellarabi

### Matchday 3 (25/10/2018)

#### FC Zürich 3-2 Bayer 04 Leverkusen

Goals: 1-0 Marchesano 44, 1-1 Bellarabi 50, 1-2 Bellarabi 54, 2-2 Domgjoni 59, 3-2 Odey 78

**Bayer 04 Leverkusen:** Hradecky, S. Bender, Dragović (47 Weiser), L. Bender, Bailey (79 Brandt), Kiese Thelin (47 Volland), Jedvaj, Wendell, Kohr, Havertz, Bellarabi

### Matchday 4 (08/11/2018)

#### Bayer 04 Leverkusen 1-0 FC Zürich

Goals: 1-0 Jedvaj 60

**Bayer 04 Leverkusen:** Hradecky, Dragović, Bailey, Brandt (62 Kiese Thelin), Alario, Baumgartlinger, Jedvaj, Wendell (74 L. Bender), Aránguiz (62 Paulinho), Kohr, Weiser

### Matchday 5 (29/11/2018)

#### Bayer 04 Leverkusen 1-1 PFC Ludogorets 1945

Goals: 0-1 Marcelinho 69, 1-1 Weiser 85

**Bayer 04 Leverkusen:** Özcan, Retsos (34 Baumgartlinger), Dragović, Paulinho, Bailey, Kiese Thelin, Alario, Wendell, Aránguiz (63 L. Bender), Weiser, Schreck (73 Havertz)

### Matchday 6 (13/12/2018)

#### AEK Larnaca FC 1-5 Bayer 04 Leverkusen

Goals: 1-0 David Catala 26, 1-1 Kohr 28, 1-2 Alario 41 (P) , 1-3 Kohr 68, 1-4 Paulinho 78, 1-5 Alario 86

**Bayer 04 Leverkusen:** Kirschbaum, Dragović, Paulinho, Brandt (46 Bailey), Kiese Thelin, Alario (88 Stanilewicz), Baumgartlinger, Wendell (81 Bednarczyk), Kohr, Weiser, Schreck

## Round of 32

### Matchday 7 (14/02/2019)

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## Match officials

<b>Referee</b>	Davide Massa (ITA)
<b>Assistant referees</b>	Alberto Tegoni (ITA) , Giorgio Peretti (ITA)
<b>Additional assistant referees</b>	Michael Fabri (ITA) , Maurizio Mariani (ITA)
<b>Fourth official</b>	Ciro Carbone (ITA)
<b>UEFA Delegate</b>	Mikael Salzer (SWE)
<b>UEFA Referee observer</b>	Uno Tutk (EST)

## Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Europa League matches	UEFA matches
Davide Massa	15/07/1981	12	33

## Davide Massa

**Referee since:** 1997  
**First division:** 2012  
**FIFA badge:** 2014

**Tournaments:** 2017 UEFA European Under-19 Championship

**Finals**  
N/A

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
30/07/2015	UEL	3QR	Wolfsberger AC	Borussia Dortmund	0-1	Klagenfurt

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
05/06/2014	U19	ELITE	Germany	Spain	3-1	Vigo
30/07/2015	UEL	3QR	Wolfsberger AC	Borussia Dortmund	0-1	Klagenfurt
06/11/2018	UCL	GS	FC Porto	FC Lokomotiv Moskva	4-1	Porto



# Legend

## 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

**D:** Disciplinary

**\***: Misses next match if booked

**S:** Suspended

**QUAL:** All UEFA qualifiers

**UEL:** Current season total UEFA Europa League appearances from the group stage onwards prior to the current matchday

**UEL:** Total appearances in the UEFA Europa League, group stage to final only

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

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