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**Celtic FC**

**Celtic Park - Glasgow**  
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Group B - Matchday 1



**Rosenborg BK**

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## Previous meetings

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#### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
01/08/2018	2QR	Rosenborg BK - <b>Celtic FC</b>	0-0 agg: 1-3	Trondheim	
25/07/2018	2QR	<b>Celtic FC</b> - Rosenborg BK	3-1	Glasgow	Edouard 43, 75, Ntcham 46; Meling 16

#### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
02/08/2017	QR3	Rosenborg BK - <b>Celtic FC</b>	0-1 agg: 0-1	Trondheim	Forrest 69
26/07/2017	QR3	<b>Celtic FC</b> - Rosenborg BK	0-0	Glasgow	

#### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/10/2001	GS1	<b>Rosenborg BK</b> - Celtic FC	2-0	Trondheim	Brattbakk 19, 36
10/10/2001	GS1	<b>Celtic FC</b> - Rosenborg BK	1-0	Glasgow	Thompson 21

#### European Champions Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
27/09/1972	R1	Rosenborg BK - <b>Celtic FC</b>	1-3 agg: 2-5	Trondheim	Christiansen 38; Macari 55, 88, Hood 83
13/09/1972	R1	<b>Celtic FC</b> - Rosenborg BK	2-1	Glasgow	Macari 15, Deans 45; Wirkola 55

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
Celtic FC	4	3	1	0	4	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	8	5	2	1	10	5
Rosenborg BK	4	1	1	2	4	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	8	1	2	5	5	10

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

#### UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
05/11/2015	GS	<b>Celtic FC</b> - Molde FK	1-2	Glasgow	Commons 26; Elyounoussi 21, D. Hestad 37
22/10/2015	GS	<b>Molde FK</b> - Celtic FC	3-1	Molde	Kamara 11, Forren 18, Elyounoussi 56; Commons 55

### Rosenborg BK - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

#### UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
25/07/2013	2QR	<b>St Johnstone FC</b> - Rosenborg BK	1-1 agg: 2-1	Perth	C. Martin 21; Søderlund 5

### UEFA Europa League

18/07/2013	2QR	Rosenborg BK - <b>St Johnstone FC</b>	0-1	Trondheim	Wright 18
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### UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
02/10/1974	R1	<b>Hibernian FC</b> - Rosenborg BK	9-1 agg: 12-3	Edinburgh	Harper 19, 22, Munro 20, 33, Stanton 37, 85, Cropley 61 (P), 80 (P), Gordon 69; Iveersen 16
18/09/1974	R1	Rosenborg BK - <b>Hibernian FC</b>	2-3	Trondheim	Iveersen 60, 89; Stanton 18, Gordon 37, Cropley 59

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
Celtic FC	5	3	1	1	5	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	10	5	2	3	12	10
Rosenborg BK	6	1	1	4	6	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	12	1	3	8	9	24

## Match background

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Two of the 12 reigning national champions competing in the UEFA Europa League group stage meet in Glasgow on matchday one as Celtic entertain Rosenborg. It is the Norwegian club's third visit to Celtic Park in two seasons, the previous two having ended in a draw and defeat and ultimately elimination from the UEFA Champions League qualifying phase.

### Previous meetings

- Celtic have recorded five wins and two draws in their eight matches against Rosenborg. At home they are unbeaten in the fixture (W3 D1), the third of those victories having come in this season's UEFA Champions League second qualifying round first leg, when two goals from Odsonne Édouard and one from Olivier Ntcham earned a 3-1 win. A goalless draw in Trondheim subsequently sent Celtic through.
- The Scottish champions also got the better of their Norwegian counterparts in last season's UEFA Champions League third qualifying round, winning 1-0 away after a goalless draw at home, James Forrest delivering the tie-winning strike in Trondheim. Rosenborg have not won in six visits to Scotland.

### Form guide

#### Celtic

- Celtic won the Scottish treble of Premiership, Scottish Cup and League Cup for the second successive season in 2017/18, but they were unable to secure a hat-trick of UEFA Champions League group stage appearances this term, their elimination of Rosenborg followed by defeat to AEK Athens. A 4-1 aggregate victory over Lithuanian champions Sūduva in the UEFA Europa League play-offs maintained Celtic's post-summer interest in Europe.
- This is Celtic's fifth season in the UEFA Europa League group stage. Three of their four previous campaigns have ended in elimination, the exception 2014/15, when they reached the round of 32. They also got to that stage of the competition last season after finishing third in their UEFA Champions League group, but lost to Zenit.
- The Glasgow club are without a home win in ten European group stage fixtures (D2 L8) but are unbeaten in continental contests at Celtic Park in 2018 (W4 D1).

#### Rosenborg

- A record 25th Norwegian title in 2017 earned Rosenborg a place in this season's UEFA Champions League qualifying phase. After going out to Celtic they won all four of their UEFA Europa League qualifiers against Cork City and Shkëndija to secure a second successive season in the group stage.
- Rosenborg finished third in their UEFA Europa League group last season – behind Zenit and Real Sociedad – and have yet to progress into the knockout phase in four attempts. Indeed their last 12 European group stage participations across all competitions have been unsuccessful.
- A pair of 2-0 away wins against Cork and Shkëndija reversed Rosenborg's fortunes on their European travels after five games without a win (D1 L4). They have won only once away from home in the UEFA Europa League group stage (D2 L9), 2-1 at Rapid Wien on matchday one in 2012/13.

### Links and trivia

- Celtic's Swedish international defender Mikael Lustig played for Rosenborg between 2008 and 2012, winning two league titles.
- Celtic's Kristoffer Ajer and Rosenborg's Matthías Vilhjálmsson played together in the 2014 and 2015 Norwegian top flight for IK Start. Ajer is a current Norwegian international and team-mate of Rosenborg pair Tore Reginiussen and Birger Meling.

### The coaches

- Celtic's Northern Irish boss Brendan Rodgers retired early as a player but made his name in management at Swansea, steering the Welsh club into England's top flight before leaving for Liverpool in June 2012. He led the Reds to a Premier League runners-up spot in 2013/14 but was dismissed in October 2015, resurfacing at Celtic, where he won the Scottish treble with an undefeated record in his first season. All three trophies were successfully defended in 2017/18, making Rodgers the first Hoops manager to win the 'Double Treble'.
- A defender who played for Go Ahead Eagles, Heracles, De Graafschap and AZ Alkmaar in his native Netherlands, Rini Coolen has over 20 years of coaching experience, albeit mostly as an assistant. Before taking over as Rosenborg's interim boss in July 2018 following the dismissal of Kåre Ingebrigtsen, his last head coach role had been a brief stint at the helm of the Aruba national team in 2015. He has also worked in Australia and Dubai.

## Team facts

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### Celtic FC

**Formed:** 1888

**Nickname:** The Hoops, The Bhoys

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

- European Champion Clubs' Cup (1): 1967, (1970)
- UEFA Cup: (2003)
- European/South American Cup: (1967)

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

League title: 49 (2018)

Scottish Cup: 38 (2018)

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

**2017/18:** round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

**2016/17:** UEFA Champions League group stage

**2015/16:** group stage (having transferred from the UEFA Champions League play-offs)

**2014/15:** round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League play-offs)

**2013/14:** UEFA Champions League group stage

**2012/13:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

**2011/12:** group stage

**2010/11:** play-offs (having transferred from the UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

**2009/10:** group stage (having transferred from the UEFA Champions League play-offs)

**2008/09:** UEFA Champions League group stage

### Records

#### UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

**9-0:** Celtic v KPV Kokkola

16/09/70, European Champion Clubs' Cup first round first leg

- Biggest away win

**0-7:** Waterford United v Celtic

21/10/70, European Champion Clubs' Cup second round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

**0-5:** Celtic v Paris

12/09/17, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

**7-0:** Barcelona v Celtic

13/09/16, UEFA Champions League group stage

#### UEFA Europa League/UEFA Cup

- Biggest home win

**8-1:** Celtic v Sūduva

19/09/02, first round first leg

**7-0:** Celtic v Jeunesse Esch

24/08/00, qualifying round second leg

- Biggest away win

**0-6:** Cwmbran Town v Celtic

12/08/99, qualifying round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

**1-3:** Celtic v Salzburg

27/11/14, group stage

**0-2:** Celtic v Hamburg

10/09/96, first round first leg

- Heaviest away defeat

**5-1:** Neuchâtel Xamax v Celtic

22/10/91, second round first leg

**4-0:** Utrecht v Celtic

26/08/10, play-off second leg

## Rosenborg BK

**Formed:** 1917

**Nickname:** Troilongan ('The Troll Kids' in the local dialect)

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

- UEFA Intertoto Cup: 2008

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

League title: 25 (2017)

Norwegian Cup: 11 (2016)

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

**2017/18:** group stage (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

**2016/17:** play-offs (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

**2015/16:** group stage

**2014/15:** third qualifying round

**2013/14:** second qualifying round

**2012/13:** group stage

**2011/12:** play-offs (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

**2010/11:** group stage (having transferred from UEFA Champions League play-offs)

**2009/10:** second qualifying round

**2008/09:** group stage (having transferred from UEFA Intertoto Cup)

## Records

### UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

**7-1:** Rosenborg v Astana

08/08/07, UEFA Champions League second qualifying round second leg

**6-0** twice, most recently v Ventspils

15/10/03, UEFA Cup first round second leg

- Biggest away win

**1-4:** Ventspils v Rosenborg

24/09/03, UEFA Cup first round first leg

**0-3** three times, most recently v Crusaders

05/07/12, UEFA Europa League first qualifying round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

**0-4** twice, most recently v Valencia

27/11/08, UEFA Cup group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

**9-1:** Hibernian v Rosenborg

02/10/74, UEFA Cup first round second leg

### UEFA Europa League/UEFA Cup

- Biggest home win

**6-0** twice, most recently v Ventspils (see above)

- Biggest away win

**1-4:** Ventspils v Rosenborg (see above)

**0-3:** Crusaders v Rosenborg (see above)

- Heaviest home defeat

**0-4:** Rosenborg v Valencia (see above)

- Heaviest away defeat

**9-1:** Hibernian v Rosenborg (see above)

# Squad list

## Celtic FC

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season								All-time			
						UCL		QUAL		UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>																	
1	Craig Gordon	SCO	31/12/1982	35	-	6	-	2	-	-	-	5	-	24	-	67	-
29	Scott Bain	SCO	22/11/1991	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Ryan Mullen	SCO	18/05/2001	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
65	Conor Hazard	NIR	05/03/1998	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>																	
3	Emilio Izaguirre	HON	10/05/1986	32	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	47	-
4	Jack Hendry	SCO	07/05/1995	23	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	6	-
5	Jozo Šimunović	BIH	04/08/1994	24	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	14	-	39	-
12	Cristian Gamboa	CRC	24/10/1989	28	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	17	-
20	Dedryck Boyata	BEL	28/11/1990	27	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	1	14	-	27	3
23	Mikael Lustig	SWE	13/12/1986	31	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	4	-	22	1	99	6
32	Filip Benković	CRO	13/07/1997	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	15	-
35	Kristoffer Ajer	NOR	17/04/1998	20	-	5	-	2	1	-	-	4	-	2	-	12	1
44	Daniel Church	SCO	21/07/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	Wallace Duffy	SCO	12/04/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
56	Anthony Ralston	SCO	16/11/1998	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
57	Stephen Welsh	SCO	19/01/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
63	Kieran Tierney	SCO	05/06/1997	21	-	6	-	2	-	-	-	5	-	6	-	35	-
71	Lewis Bell	SCO	29/04/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Midfielders</b>																	
8	Scott Brown	SCO	25/06/1985	33	-	6	-	2	-	-	-	5	-	18	1	103	3
11	Scott Sinclair	ENG	25/03/1989	29	-	6	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	27	7
15	Jonny Hayes	IRL	09/07/1987	31	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	22	3
16	Lewis Morgan	SCO	30/09/1996	21	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
18	Tom Rogic	AUS	16/12/1992	25	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	5	-	34	3
21	Olivier Ntcham	FRA	09/02/1996	22	-	6	1	2	1	-	-	4	2	2	-	19	3
27	Youssuf Mulumbu	COD	25/01/1987	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	-
41	Scott Robertson	SCO	27/07/2001	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	Callum McGregor	SCO	14/06/1993	25	-	6	2	2	1	-	-	5	-	9	2	40	9
49	James Forrest	SCO	07/07/1991	27	-	6	2	1	-	-	-	5	-	15	-	75	7
51	Paul Kennedy	SCO	02/03/2001	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
52	Ewan Henderson	SCO	27/03/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
55	Kerr McInroy	SCO	31/08/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60	Ross McLaughlin	SCO	22/06/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
61	Mark Hill	SCO	10/07/1998	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
64	Regan Hendry	SCO	21/01/1998	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
70	David Mckay	SCO	07/03/2001	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
73	Michael Johnston	SCO	19/04/1999	19	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	3	-
75	Kristi Marku	SCO	23/02/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

## Celtic FC

						Current season						All-time					
						UCL		QUAL		UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
88	<b>Eboué Kouassi</b>	CIV	13/12/1997	20	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	<b>1</b>	-	8	-	13	1
<b>Forwards</b>																	
9	<b>Leigh Griffiths</b>	SCO	20/08/1990	28	-	2	-	2	1	-	-	<b>5</b>	-	9	1	42	12
17	<b>Ryan Christie</b>	SCO	22/02/1995	23	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	<b>3</b>	-	-	-	10	2
22	<b>Odsonne Edouard</b>	FRA	16/01/1998	20	-	5	3	-	-	-	-	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	1	-	8	3
62	<b>Kieran Mcgrath</b>	SCO	28/03/2001	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
74	<b>Grant Savoury</b>	SCO	07/07/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Coach</b>																	
-	<b>Brendan Rodgers</b>	NIR	26/01/1973	45	-	6	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	56	-



## Rosenborg BK

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season								All-time			
						UCL		QUAL		UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>																	
1	André Hansen	NOR	17/12/1989	28	-	4	-	4	-	-	-	22	-	11	-	32	-
24	Arild Østbø	NOR	19/04/1991	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Rasmus Sandberg	NOR	23/04/2001	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>																	
2	Vegar Hedenstad	NOR	26/06/1991	27	-	4	-	4	-	-	-	21	-	6	1	29	1
3	Birger Meling	NOR	17/12/1994	23	-	4	1	4	-	-	-	22	1	6	-	21	1
4	Tore Reginiussen	NOR	10/04/1986	32	-	4	-	4	1	-	-	22	2	18	-	55	5
16	Even Hovland	NOR	14/02/1989	29	-	4	-	3	1	-	-	19	-	-	-	16	1
20	Alex Gersbach	AUS	08/05/1997	21	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	9	-
21	Erlend Reitan	NOR	11/09/1997	21	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	3	-
26	Besim Šerbečić	BIH	01/05/1998	20	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	1
30	Igoh Ogbu	NGA	08/02/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Torbjørn Heggem	NOR	12/01/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	Robert Williams	NOR	15/01/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Midfielders</b>																	
5	Djordje Denić	SRB	01/04/1996	22	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	2	-
7	Mike Jensen	DEN	19/02/1988	30	-	4	-	4	-	-	-	22	4	12	-	64	8
8	Anders Konradsen	NOR	18/07/1990	28	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	14	5	9	1	28	1
15	Anders Trondsen	NOR	30/03/1995	23	-	4	1	2	1	-	-	18	2	6	-	12	2
23	Pål André Helland	NOR	04/01/1990	28	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	15	3	8	1	33	8
25	Marius Lundemo	NOR	11/04/1994	24	-	4	-	4	-	-	-	9	2	3	-	13	-
36	Olaus Skarsem	NOR	02/07/1998	20	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
37	Mikael Tørset Johnsen	NOR	04/07/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	Tobias Bjørnebye	NOR	09/12/1998	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Forwards</b>																	
9	Nicklas Bendtner	DEN	16/01/1988	30	-	4	2	4	1	-	-	18	5	14	7	65	20
10	Matthías Vilhjálmsson	ISL	30/01/1987	31	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	4	-	40	5
11	Yann-Erik De Lanlay	NOR	14/05/1992	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	1	8	-	20	3
14	Alexander Søderlund	NOR	03/08/1987	31	-	4	-	3	1	-	-	22	6	10	4	34	12
17	Jonathan Levi	SWE	23/01/1996	22	-	4	-	4	3	-	-	15	3	2	-	10	3
27	Issam Jebali	TUN	25/12/1991	26	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	4	3	-	-	2	1
28	Samuel Adegbenro	NGA	03/12/1995	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	6	-	8	3
31	Teodor Haltvik	NOR	09/04/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Erik Botheim	NOR	10/01/2000	18	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	4	1	1	-	4	-
42	Filip Brattbakk	NOR	24/04/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Coach</b>																	
-	Marinus Johannes Coolen	NED	12/02/1967	51	-	2	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-

## Fixtures and results

### Celtic FC

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result		Goalscorers
10/07/2018	UCL	Alashkert FC (A)	W	3-0	Edouard 45+2, Forrest 81, McGregor 90
18/07/2018	UCL	Alashkert FC (H)	W	3-0	Dembélé 8, 19 (P), Forrest 35
25/07/2018	UCL	Rosenborg BK (H)	W	3-1	Edouard 43, 75, Ntcham 46
01/08/2018	UCL	Rosenborg BK (A)	D	0-0	
04/08/2018	League	Livingston FC (H)	W	3-1	Rogic 8, Edouard 26, Ntcham 50
08/08/2018	UCL	AEK Athens FC (H)	D	1-1	McGregor 17
11/08/2018	League	Heart of Midlothian FC (A)	L	0-1	
14/08/2018	UCL	AEK Athens FC (A)	L	1-2	Sinclair 78
23/08/2018	UEL	FK Sūduva (A)	D	1-1	Ntcham 3
26/08/2018	League	Hamilton Academical FC (H)	W	1-0	Boyata 63
30/08/2018	UEL	FK Sūduva (H)	W	3-0	Griffiths 27, McGregor 53, Ajer 61
02/09/2018	League	Rangers FC (H)	W	1-0	Ntcham 62
14/09/2018	League	Saint Mirren FC (A)	D	0-0	
20/09/2018	UEL	Rosenborg BK (H)			
23/09/2018	League	Kilmarnock FC (A)			
29/09/2018	League	Aberdeen FC (H)			
04/10/2018	UEL	FC Salzburg (A)			
07/10/2018	League	St Johnstone FC (A)			
20/10/2018	League	Hibernian FC (H)			
25/10/2018	UEL	RB Leipzig (A)			
28/10/2018	League	Motherwell FC (H)			
31/10/2018	League	Dundee FC (A)			
03/11/2018	League	Heart of Midlothian FC (H)			
08/11/2018	UEL	RB Leipzig (H)			
11/11/2018	League	Livingston FC (A)			
24/11/2018	League	Hamilton Academical FC (A)			
29/11/2018	UEL	Rosenborg BK (A)			
02/12/2018	League	St Johnstone FC (H)			
05/12/2018	League	Motherwell FC (A)			
08/12/2018	League	Kilmarnock FC (H)			
13/12/2018	UEL	FC Salzburg (H)			
16/12/2018	League	Hibernian FC (A)			
22/12/2018	League	Dundee FC (H)			
26/12/2018	League	Aberdeen FC (A)			
29/12/2018	League	Rangers FC (A)			
23/01/2019	League	Saint Mirren FC (H)			
26/01/2019	League	Hamilton Academical FC (H)			
02/02/2019	League	St Johnstone FC (A)			
06/02/2019	League	Hibernian FC (H)			
16/02/2019	League	Kilmarnock FC (A)			
23/02/2019	League	Motherwell FC (H)			
27/02/2019	League	Heart of Midlothian FC (A)			

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09/03/2019	League	Aberdeen FC (H)		
16/03/2019	League	Dundee FC (A)		
30/03/2019	League	Rangers FC (H)		
03/04/2019	League	Saint Mirren FC (A)		
06/04/2019	League	Livingston FC (H)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Heart of Midlothian FC	5	5	0	0	11	2	15
<b>2</b>	<b>Celtic FC</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>
3	Livingston FC	5	3	1	1	6	4	10
4	Rangers FC	5	2	2	1	10	5	8
5	Hibernian FC	5	2	2	1	9	6	8
6	St Johnstone FC	5	2	2	1	5	5	8
7	Kilmarnock FC	5	2	1	2	6	4	7
8	Aberdeen FC	5	1	3	1	4	5	6
9	Motherwell FC	5	1	1	3	6	9	4
10	Saint Mirren FC	5	1	1	3	3	9	4
11	Hamilton Academical FC	5	1	0	4	3	8	3
12	Dundee FC	5	0	0	5	2	11	0

## Rosenborg BK

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
11/03/2018	League	Sarpsborg 08 FF (A)	L 0-1	
17/03/2018	League	Kristiansund BK (H)	D 2-2	Adegbenro 50, Konradsen 53
02/04/2018	League	Odds BK (A)	D 1-1	Helland 55
08/04/2018	League	Molde FK (H)	W 4-0	Bendtner 20, 69, Søderlund 30, Konradsen 52
16/04/2018	League	FK Bodø/Glimt (A)	W 1-0	Søderlund 47
19/04/2018	Cup	Trygg/Lade (A)	W 4-2	Zekhnini 28, Lundemo 47, Søderlund 53, Bjornstad 90 (og)
22/04/2018	League	IK Start (H)	W 2-0	Reginiussen 47, Konradsen 90+2
29/04/2018	League	Strømsgodset IF (A)	W 1-0	Jensen 32
02/05/2018	Cup	Steinkjer FK (A)	W 5-0	Trondsen 27, Botheim 29, 44, 89, Stamnestrø 84
05/05/2018	League	Ranheim (H)	D 1-1	De Lanlay 55
09/05/2018	Cup	Brattvag (A)	W 1-0	Jensen 64
13/05/2018	League	Stabæk Fotball (A)	W 1-0	Trondsen 49
16/05/2018	League	Lillestrøm SK (H)	W 3-0	Bendtner 13, Helland 61, Søderlund 75
21/05/2018	League	FK Haugesund (A)	W 2-1	Søderlund 2, 27
27/05/2018	League	SK Brann (H)	L 1-2	Søderlund 50
30/05/2018	Cup	Odds BK (H)	D 2-2 (aet, 7-6 pens)	Konradsen 26, Hoff 81 (og)
11/06/2018	League	Tromsø IL (A)	L 1-2	Reginiussen 63
24/06/2018	League	Vålerenga Fotball (H)	W 3-0	Konradsen 13, Helland 25, Bendtner 54 (P)
01/07/2018	League	Sandefjord Fotball (A)	W 1-0	Levi 83

## Rosenborg BK

07/07/2018	League	Tromsø IL (H)	W	2-1	Jensen 34, Botheim 48
11/07/2018	UCL	Valur Reykjavík (A)	L	0-1	
18/07/2018	UCL	Valur Reykjavík (H)	W	3-1	Bendtner 55 (P), 90+4 (P), Trondsen 72
25/07/2018	UCL	Celtic FC (A)	L	1-3	Meling 16
01/08/2018	UCL	Celtic FC (H)	D	0-0	
04/08/2018	League	Ranheim (A)	W	3-1	Jensen 12, Trondsen 26, Lundemo 77
09/08/2018	UEL	Cork City FC (A)	W	2-0	Levi 22, 44
12/08/2018	League	Stabæk Fotball (H)	D	1-1	Lundemo 59
16/08/2018	UEL	Cork City FC (H)	W	3-0	Šerbecić 26, Søderlund 34, Trondsen 58
19/08/2018	League	Kristiansund BK (A)	W	2-0	Konradsen 65, Jebali 72
23/08/2018	UEL	KF Shkëndija (H)	W	3-1	Jebali 11, Bendtner 15, Levi 44
26/08/2018	League	Strømsgodset IF (H)	W	4-3	Jebali 22, Meling 40, Bendtner 50, Jensen 65
30/08/2018	UEL	KF Shkëndija (A)	W	2-0	Hovland 67, Reginiussen 84
02/09/2018	League	FK Haugesund (H)	W	1-0	Levi 23
16/09/2018	League	Vålerenga Fotball (A)	W	3-2	Levi 45, Jääger 50 (og), Jebali 90+5
20/09/2018	UEL	Celtic FC (A)			
23/09/2018	League	Sarpsborg 08 FF (H)			
26/09/2018	Cup	Vålerenga Fotball (H)			
30/09/2018	League	Molde FK (A)			
04/10/2018	UEL	RB Leipzig (H)			
07/10/2018	League	Sandefjord Fotball (H)			
21/10/2018	League	Lillestrøm SK (A)			
25/10/2018	UEL	FC Salzburg (A)			
28/10/2018	League	SK Brann (A)			
05/11/2018	League	Odds BK (H)			
08/11/2018	UEL	FC Salzburg (H)			
11/11/2018	League	IK Start (A)			
25/11/2018	League	FK Bodø/Glimt (H)			
29/11/2018	UEL	Celtic FC (H)			
13/12/2018	UEL	RB Leipzig (A)			

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	<b>Rosenborg BK</b>	22	15	4	3	40	18	49
2	SK Brann	22	14	5	3	34	20	47
3	FK Haugesund	22	11	5	6	34	26	38
4	Molde FK	22	11	4	7	45	29	37
5	Ranheim	22	10	5	7	34	36	35
6	Vålerenga Fotball	22	9	6	7	30	32	33
7	Sarpsborg 08 FF	22	9	5	8	38	30	32
8	Odds BK	22	8	6	8	31	26	30
9	Tromsø IL	22	9	3	10	33	31	30
10	Kristiansund BK	22	7	7	8	29	32	28
11	FK Bodø/Glimt	22	6	9	7	27	27	27
12	Strømsgodset IF	22	5	8	9	36	36	23
13	Stabæk Fotball	22	4	8	10	24	38	20

<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>
14	IK Start	22	5	5	12	20	38	20
15	Lillestrøm SK	22	4	7	11	22	35	19
16	Sandefjord Fotball	22	2	7	13	22	45	13

## Match-by-match lineups

### Celtic FC

#### UEFA Champions League - First qualifying round

(10/07/2018)

##### Alashkert FC 0-3 Celtic FC

**Goals:** 0-1 Edouard 45+2, 0-2 Forrest 81, 0-3 McGregor 90

**Celtic FC:** Gordon, Hendry, Šimunović, Brown, Dembélé (68 Sinclair), Ntcham (68 Kouassi), Edouard (77 Morgan), Ajer, McGregor, Forrest, Tierney

(18/07/2018)

##### Celtic FC 3-0 Alashkert FC (agg: 6-0)

**Goals:** 1-0 Dembélé 8, 2-0 Dembélé 19 (P) , 3-0 Forrest 35

**Celtic FC:** Gordon, Hendry, Šimunović, Brown, Dembélé (66 Christie), Ntcham, Edouard (64 Sinclair), Ajer, McGregor, Forrest (76 Johnston), Tierney

#### Second qualifying round

(25/07/2018)

##### Celtic FC 3-1 Rosenborg BK

**Goals:** 0-1 Meling 16, 1-1 Edouard 43, 2-1 Ntcham 46, 3-1 Edouard 75

**Celtic FC:** Gordon, Hendry, Brown, Sinclair, Gamboa , Ntcham (76 Rogic), Edouard, Ajer, McGregor, Forrest, Tierney

(01/08/2018)

##### Rosenborg BK 0-0 Celtic FC (agg: 1-3)

**Celtic FC:** Gordon, Hendry, Brown, Sinclair, Gamboa , Ntcham, Edouard (72 Christie), Ajer, McGregor, Forrest (63 Rogic), Tierney (85 Lustig)

#### Third qualifying round

(08/08/2018)

##### Celtic FC 1-1 AEK Athens FC

**Goals:** 1-0 McGregor 17, 1-1 Klonaridis 44

**Celtic FC:** Gordon, Hendry, Brown, Rogic (64 Griffiths), Ntcham, Edouard, Lustig (77 Sinclair), Ajer, McGregor, Forrest, Tierney

(14/08/2018)

##### AEK Athens FC 2-1 Celtic FC (agg: 3-2)

**Goals:** 1-0 Rodrigo Galo 6, 2-0 Livaja 50, 2-1 Sinclair 78

**Celtic FC:** Gordon, Hendry, Šimunović, Brown, Griffiths, Rogic (76 Sinclair), Ntcham, Lustig (60 Dembélé), McGregor, Forrest, Tierney

#### UEFA Europa League - Play-off

(23/08/2018)

##### FK Sūduva 1-1 Celtic FC

**Goals:** 0-1 Ntcham 3, 1-1 Verbickas 13

**Celtic FC:** Gordon, Šimunović (52 Lustig), Brown, Dembélé, Gamboa (66 Izaguirre), Ntcham, Ajer, McGregor, Forrest, Tierney, Johnston (66 Griffiths)

(30/08/2018)

##### Celtic FC 3-0 FK Sūduva (agg: 4-1)

**Goals:** 1-0 Griffiths 27, 2-0 McGregor 53, 3-0 Ajer 61

**Celtic FC:** Gordon, Brown, Griffiths (65 Christie), Sinclair, Boyata, Ntcham, Lustig, Ajer, McGregor, Tierney (69 Izaguirre), Johnston (78 Hayes)

#### Group stage

##### Group B

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Celtic FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

FC Salzburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RB Leipzig	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Rosenborg BK</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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

Celtic FC-Rosenborg BK

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

FC Salzburg-Celtic FC

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

RB Leipzig-Celtic FC

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

Celtic FC-RB Leipzig

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

Rosenborg BK-Celtic FC

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

Celtic FC-FC Salzburg

## Rosenborg BK

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### UEFA Champions League - First qualifying round

(11/07/2018)

#### Valur Reykjavík 1-0 Rosenborg BK

Goals: 1-0 Sigurbjörnsson 84

**Rosenborg BK:** André Hansen, Hedenstad (41 Lundemo), Meling, Reginiussen, Jensen, Bendtner, Trondsen, Hovland, Levi, Reitan, Botheim (64 Söderlund)

(18/07/2018)

#### Rosenborg BK 3-1 Valur Reykjavík (agg: 3-2)

Goals: 1-0 Bendtner 55 (P) , 2-0 Trondsen 72, 2-1 K. Sigurdsson 85 (P) , 3-1 Bendtner 90+4 (P)

**Rosenborg BK:** André Hansen, Hedenstad, Meling, Reginiussen, Jensen, Bendtner, Trondsen, Hovland, Levi (82 Söderlund), Helland, Lundemo (86 Vilhjálmsson)

### Second qualifying round

(25/07/2018)

#### Celtic FC 3-1 Rosenborg BK

Goals: 0-1 Meling 16, 1-1 Edouard 43, 2-1 Ntcham 46, 3-1 Edouard 75

**Rosenborg BK:** André Hansen, Hedenstad, Meling, Reginiussen, Jensen, Bendtner, Trondsen, Hovland, Levi, Helland (72 Gersbach), Lundemo (61 Söderlund)

(01/08/2018)

#### Rosenborg BK 0-0 Celtic FC (agg: 1-3)

**Rosenborg BK:** André Hansen, Hedenstad, Meling, Reginiussen, Jensen, Bendtner, Söderlund, Trondsen (75 Vilhjálmsson), Hovland, Helland (58 Levi), Lundemo (92 Botheim)

### UEFA Europa League - Third qualifying round

(09/08/2018)

#### Cork City FC 0-2 Rosenborg BK

Goals: 0-1 Levi 22, 0-2 Levi 44

**Rosenborg BK:** André Hansen, Hedenstad, Meling, Reginiussen, Jensen, Bendtner, Söderlund (77 Botheim), Trondsen (86 Skarsen), Hovland, Levi, Lundemo

(16/08/2018)

#### Rosenborg BK 3-0 Cork City FC (agg: 5-0)

Goals: 1-0 Šerbečić 26, 2-0 Söderlund 34, 3-0 Trondsen 58

**Rosenborg BK:** André Hansen, Hedenstad (74 Reitan), Meling, Reginiussen, Jensen, Bendtner, Söderlund, Trondsen (60 Konradsen), Levi (60 Helland), Lundemo, Šerbečić

## Play-off

(23/08/2018)

### Rosenborg BK 3-1 KF Shkëndija

**Goals:** 1-0 Jebali 11, 2-0 Bendtner 15, 3-0 Levi 44, 3-1 Stênio Júnior 76

**Rosenborg BK:** André Hansen, Hedenstad (78 Reitan), Meling, Reginiussen, Jensen, Konradsen, Bendtner, Hovland, Levi (68 Helland), Lundemo (74 Denić), Jebali

(30/08/2018)

### KF Shkëndija 0-2 Rosenborg BK (agg: 1-5)

**Goals:** 0-1 Hovland 67, 0-2 Reginiussen 84

**Rosenborg BK:** André Hansen, Hedenstad, Meling, Reginiussen (87 Šerbečić), Jensen, Konradsen, Bendtner (74 Søderlund), Hovland, Levi (62 Denić), Lundemo, Jebali

## Group stage

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

Celtic FC-Rosenborg BK

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

Rosenborg BK-RB Leipzig

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

FC Salzburg-Rosenborg BK

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

Rosenborg BK-FC Salzburg

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

Rosenborg BK-Celtic FC

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

RB Leipzig-Rosenborg BK



## Match officials

<b>Referee</b>	Pawel Gil (POL)
<b>Assistant referees</b>	Konrad Sapela (POL) , Marcin Borkowski (POL)
<b>Additional assistant referees</b>	Krzysztof Jakubik (POL) , Piotr Lasyk (POL)
<b>Fourth official</b>	Adam Kupsik (POL)
<b>UEFA Delegate</b>	Luis Cuervas Del Real (ESP)
<b>UEFA Referee observer</b>	Jan Carlsen (DEN)

## Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Europa League matches	UEFA matches
Pawel Gil	28/06/1976	36	64

## Pawel Gil

**Referee since:** 1995  
**First division:** 2005  
**FIFA badge:** 2009

**Tournaments:** 2013 UEFA European Under-21 Championship, 2011 UEFA European Under-19 Championship, 2009 UEFA European Under-17 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
30/07/2009	UEL	3QR	Tromsø IL	NK Slaven Kopriwnica	2-1	Tromso
22/10/2015	UEL	GS	SS Lazio	Rosenborg BK	3-1	Rome
26/07/2018	UEL	2QR	NK Osijek	Rangers FC	0-1	Osijek

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
24/03/2009	U17	ELITE	Denmark	Norway	4-0	Soustons
29/03/2009	U17	ELITE	Belarus	Norway	0-1	Tarnos
30/07/2009	UEL	3QR	Tromsø IL	NK Slaven Kopriwnica	2-1	Tromso
13/11/2009	U19	QR	Norway	Kazakhstan	2-0	St. Nicolas
18/11/2009	U19	QR	Belgium	Norway	2-4	St. Nicolas
22/09/2010	U17	QR	Scotland	Switzerland	0-0	Junglinster
05/06/2013	U21	GS-FT	Israel	Norway	2-2	Netanya
12/06/2015	EURO	QR	Norway	Azerbaijan	0-0	Oslo
22/10/2015	UEL	GS	SS Lazio	Rosenborg BK	3-1	Rome
26/07/2018	UEL	2QR	NK Osijek	Rangers FC	0-1	Osijek

# Legend

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## Competitions

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### 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

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<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

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<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

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**-:** Denotes player substituted  
**\***: Denotes player sent off

**+**: Denotes player introduced  
**+/-:** Denotes player introduced and substituted

## Squad list

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**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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