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**KAA Gent**

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Group L - Matchday 2



**TSG 1899 Hoffenheim**

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## Previous meetings

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No UEFA competition matches have been played between these two teams

### KAA Gent - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

#### UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
07/11/2019	GS	VfL Wolfsburg - <b>KAA Gent</b>	1-3	Wolfsburg	Victor 20; Yaremchuk 50, Depoitre 65, Ngadeu-Ngadjui 76
24/10/2019	GS	KAA Gent - VfL Wolfsburg	2-2	Ghent	Yaremchuk 41, 90+4; Weghorst 3, Victor 24

#### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
08/03/2016	R16	<b>VfL Wolfsburg</b> - KAA Gent	1-0 agg: 4-2	Wolfsburg	Schürrle 74
17/02/2016	R16	KAA Gent - <b>VfL Wolfsburg</b>	2-3	Ghent	Kums 80, K. Coulibaly 89; Draxler 44, 54, Kruse 60

#### UEFA Intertoto Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
21/07/2001	R3	<b>KAA Gent</b> - SV Werder Bremen	0-1 agg: 3-3 ag	Ghent	Herzog 83 (P)
14/07/2001	R3	SV Werder Bremen - <b>KAA Gent</b>	2-3	Oldenburg	Ailton Gonçalves 27, 83; Oyawole 58, 72, Anic 87

#### UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
06/11/1991	R2	Eintracht Frankfurt - <b>KAA Gent</b>	0-1 agg: 0-1	Frankfurt am Main	Vandenbergh 35
22/10/1991	R2	KAA Gent - Eintracht Frankfurt	0-0	Ghent	

### TSG 1899 Hoffenheim - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

TSG 1899 Hoffenheim have not played against a club from their opponents' country

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
KAA Gent	4	0	2	2	4	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	8	3	2	3	11	10
TSG 1899 Hoffenheim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

## Match background

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Gent will be hoping to break their European duck at home to German visitors as they strive to get off the mark in UEFA Europa League Group L against Hoffenheim, who have never won a continental fixture outside their homeland.

- As Gent's group campaign kicked off with a 1-0 defeat at Slovan Liberec, Hoffenheim claimed all three points at home to Crvena zvezda, Austrian international Christoph Baumgartner breaking the deadlock on his European debut before Israeli striker Munas Dabbur sealed a 2-0 win in added time with his 25th European goal.

### Previous meetings

- This is Gent's ninth UEFA fixture against German opposition and Hoffenheim's first against a club from Belgium. Gent have never defeated a Bundesliga side at home in four attempts (D2 L2) but have won three out of four fixtures in Germany. They took four points off Wolfsburg in last season's UEFA Europa League group stage (2-2 h, 3-1 a), having lost home (2-3) and away (0-1) against the same opponents in the 2015/16 UEFA Champions League round of 16.

### Form guide

#### Gent

- Runners-up in the abbreviated 2019/20 Belgian First Division A behind Club Brugge, Gent also reached the UEFA Europa League round of 32, where they went out to Roma (0-1 a, 1-1 h) having come through three qualifying rounds before finishing top of a section including Wolfsburg, St-Étienne and Olexandriya.

- Gent are competing in Europe for the sixth successive season, extending the longest sequence in the club's history. They entered the 2020/21 UEFA Champions League under new coach Wim De Decker in the third qualifying round, where they overcame Rapid Wien 2-1 at home, but were then beaten home and away by Dynamo Kyiv in the play-offs (1-2 h, 0-3 a), which booked them a fourth participation in the UEFA Europa League group stage. They have reached the knockout phase twice, in 2016/17 and last season, having missed the cut on their first appearance in 2010/11.

- Gent were undefeated in 13 European home games against foreign opposition (W8 D5), winning five out of seven last season, before the recent loss against Dynamo. They have only been defeated once at home in nine UEFA Europa League group stage matches (W5 D3), Shakhtar Donetsk prevailing 5-3 on Matchday 4 in 2016/17.

#### Hoffenheim

- Sixth place in the 2019/20 Bundesliga secured a return to European football for Hoffenheim after a one-year absence, putting them in the UEFA Europa League group stage for the second time.

- Hoffenheim failed to progress from their group on their previous appearance in the competition, finishing fourth on five points in 2017/18 in a group containing Braga, Ludogorets and İstanbul Başakşehir. They also finished bottom of their UEFA Champions League group the following season with three points, behind Manchester City, Lyon and Shakhtar Donetsk.

- Hoffenheim have scored in all 15 of their European fixtures but have won only two of them, losing eight. They have yet to record a victory outside Germany (D3 L4).

### Links and trivia

- Hoffenheim's Algerian forward Ishak Belfodil played in Belgium for Standard Liège, scoring 17 goals in all competitions in 2016/17 – though none against Gent.

- Three Gent players have operated in Germany – skipper Vadis Odjidja-Ofoe (Hamburg 2008–09) and German imports Tim Kleindienst (Energie Cottbus 2013–15, Freiburg 2015–19, Heidenheim 2016/17 loan & 2019/20) and Niklas Dorsch (Bayern München 2015–18, Heidenheim 2018–20)

- Dorsch and Hoffenheim's Dennis Geiger are Germany Under-21 team-mates.

## Team facts

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### KAA Gent

**Formed:** 1864

**Nickname:** De Buffalos (The Buffalos)

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

• UEFA Intertoto Cup: (2006), (2007)

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

League titles: 1 (2015)

Belgian Cup: 3 (2010)

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

**2019/20:** round of 32

**2018/19:** play-offs

**2017/18:** third qualifying round

**2016/17:** round of 16

**2015/16:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

**2014/15:** did not take part in UEFA competition

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

**2012/13:** third qualifying round

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

**2010/11:** group stage (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

### Records

#### UEFA club competition

• Biggest home win

**5-0:** Gent v Viitorul Constanța

28/07/16, UEFA Europa League third qualifying round first leg

• Biggest away win

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

25/08/16, play-off second leg

• Heaviest home defeat

**1-7:** Gent v Roma

06/08/09, UEFA Europa League third qualifying round second leg

**0-6:** Gent v Ajax

12/09/00, UEFA Cup first round first leg

• Heaviest away defeat

**7-1:** Paris Saint-Germain v Gent

01/08/01, UEFA Intertoto Cup semi-final second leg

#### UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League

• Biggest home win

**5-0:** Gent v Viitorul Constanța (see above)

• Biggest away win

**0-4:** Shkëndija v Gent (see above)

• Heaviest home defeat

**1-7:** Gent v Roma (see above)

**0-6:** Gent v Ajax (see above)

• Heaviest away defeat

**5-0:** Shakhtar Donetsk v Gent

20/10/16, group stage

### TSG 1899 Hoffenheim

**Formed:** 1899

**Nickname:** Die Kraichgauer (Kraichgau is their native region)

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

• None

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

None

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

**2019/20:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2018/19:** UEFA Champions League group stage

**2017/18:** group stage (having transferred from UEFA Champions League play-offs)

**2016/17:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2015/16:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2014/15:** did not take part in UEFA competition

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

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

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

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

### **Records**

#### **UEFA club competition**

- Biggest home win

**3-1:** Hoffenheim v İstanbul Başakşehir

19/10/17, UEFA Europa League group stage

**2-0:** Hoffenheim v Crvena zvezda

22/10/20, UEFA Europa League group stage

- Biggest away win

N/A

- Heaviest home defeat

**2-3:** Hoffenheim v Shakhtar Donetsk

27/11/18, UEFA Champions League group stage

**1-2** three times, most recently v Manchester City

02/10/18, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

**4-2:** Liverpool v Hoffenheim

23/08/17, UEFA Champions League play-off second leg

**3-1:** Braga v Hoffenheim

23/11/17, UEFA Europa League group stage

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

- Biggest home win

**3-1:** Hoffenheim v İstanbul Başakşehir (see above)

**2-0:** Hoffenheim v Crvena zvezda (see above)

- Biggest away win

N/A

- Heaviest home defeat

**1-2:** Hoffenheim v Braga

14/09/17, group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

**3-1:** Braga v Hoffenheim (see above)

# Squad list

## KAA Gent

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time			
						UCL		UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>															
1	<b>Sinan Bolat</b>	BEL	03/09/1988	32	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	17	-	33	1
26	Owen <b>Jochmans</b>	BEL	28/01/2003	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Davy <b>Roef</b>	BEL	06/02/1994	26	-	3	-	1	-	6	-	6	-	14	-
40	René <b>Vanden Borre</b>	BEL	19/01/2004	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>															
5	Michael <b>Ngadeu-Ngadjui</b>	CMR	23/11/1990	29	-	3	-	1	-	7	-	24	3	43	3
14	Alessio <b>Castro-Montes</b>	BEL	17/05/1997	23	-	3	-	1	-	10	1	5	-	12	-
15	Milad <b>Mohammadi</b>	IRN	29/09/1993	27	-	1	-	-	-	6	-	3	-	5	-
17	Jordan <b>Botaka</b>	NED	24/06/1993	27	-	2	-	1	-	5	-	1	-	3	-
21	Andreas <b>Hanche-Olsen</b>	NOR	17/01/1997	23	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	1	-	1	-
25	Núrio <b>Fortuna</b>	POR	24/03/1995	25	-	3	-	1	-	4	-	1	-	4	-
32	Igor <b>Plastun</b>	BUL	20/08/1990	30	-	1	-	1	-	8	2	16	-	41	1
36	Dino <b>Arslanagić</b>	BEL	24/04/1993	27	-	1	-	-	-	4	-	7	-	19	-
<b>Midfielders</b>															
6	Elisha <b>Owusu</b>	FRA	07/11/1997	22	-	3	-	-	-	7	-	8	-	17	-
8	Vadis <b>Odjidja-Ofoe</b>	BEL	21/02/1989	31	-	2	-	-	-	4	-	36	2	80	6
9	Roman <b>Bezus</b>	UKR	26/09/1990	30	-	2	-	-	-	7	-	28	1	42	3
10	Giorgi <b>Chakvetadze</b>	GEO	29/08/1999	21	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	8	-
19	Matisse <b>Samoise</b>	BEL	21/11/2001	18	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-
22	Sulayman <b>Marreh</b>	GAM	15/01/1996	24	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	3	-
24	Sven <b>Kums</b>	BEL	26/02/1988	32	-	1	-	1	-	8	1	18	-	40	2
28	Wouter <b>George</b>	BEL	03/03/2002	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Niklas <b>Dorsch</b>	GER	15/01/1998	22	-	3	1	-	-	9	2	-	-	3	1
<b>Forwards</b>															
7	Roman <b>Yaremchuk</b>	UKR	27/11/1995	24	-	2	1	1	-	8	3	7	3	20	9
11	Anderson <b>Niangbo</b>	CIV	06/10/1999	21	-	1	-	1	-	8	1	8	-	9	-
20	Osman <b>Bukari</b>	GHA	13/12/1998	21	-	1	-	1	-	5	-	1	-	7	-
29	Laurent <b>Depoitre</b>	BEL	07/12/1988	31	-	3	-	1	-	9	2	9	4	25	9
34	Tim <b>Kleindienst</b>	GER	31/08/1995	25	-	3	1	1	-	8	1	1	-	6	1
<b>Coach</b>															
-	Wim De Decker	BEL	06/04/1982	38	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	8	-

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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	Oliver <b>Baumann</b>	GER	02/06/1990	30	-	1	-	4	-	12	-	20	-
12	Philipp <b>Pentke</b>	GER	01/05/1985	35	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
37	Luca <b>Philipp</b>	GER	28/11/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	Daniel <b>Klein</b>	GER	13/03/2001	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>													
3	Pavel <b>Kadeřábek</b>	CZE	25/04/1992	28	-	-	-	3	-	15	1	36	2
6	Håvard <b>Nordtveit</b>	NOR	21/06/1990	30	-	-	-	-	-	16	1	33	2
15	Kasim Adams <b>Nuhu</b>	GHA	22/06/1995	25	-	-	-	1	-	8	-	14	-
17	Ryan <b>Sessegnon</b>	ENG	18/05/2000	20	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	4	1
21	Benjamin <b>Hübner</b>	GER	04/07/1989	31	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	5	1
25	Kevin <b>Akpoguma</b>	GER	19/04/1995	25	-	1	-	5	-	1	-	3	-
32	Melayro <b>Bogarde</b>	NED	28/05/2002	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Stefan <b>Posch</b>	AUT	14/05/1997	23	-	1	-	4	-	5	-	7	-
<b>Midfielders</b>													
8	Dennis <b>Geiger</b>	GER	10/06/1998	22	-	1	-	5	1	5	-	7	-
11	Florian <b>Grillitsch</b>	AUT	07/08/1995	25	-	1	-	3	-	4	1	10	2
14	Christoph <b>Baumgartner</b>	AUT	01/08/1999	21	-	1	1	5	-	1	1	1	1
16	Sebastian <b>Rudy</b>	GER	28/02/1990	30	-	1	-	2	-	3	-	20	2
18	Diadié <b>Samassékou</b>	MLI	11/01/1996	24	-	1	-	4	-	26	-	40	1
20	Mijat <b>Gaćinović</b>	SRB	08/02/1995	25	-	1	-	5	-	19	2	28	3
22	Kevin <b>Vogt</b>	GER	23/09/1991	29	-	1	-	5	-	6	-	12	-
29	Robert <b>Skov</b>	DEN	20/05/1996	24	-	1	-	4	-	9	1	17	3
30	Marco <b>John</b>	GER	02/04/2002	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Forwards</b>													
7	Jacob <b>Bruun Larsen</b>	DEN	19/09/1998	22	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	8	1
9	Ihlas <b>Bebou</b>	GER	23/04/1994	26	-	1	-	4	-	1	-	1	-
10	Munas <b>Dabbur</b>	ISR	14/05/1992	28	-	1	1	5	1	43	19	65	25
19	Ishak <b>Belfodil</b>	ALG	12/01/1992	28	-	1	-	3	-	6	3	14	4
23	Sargis <b>Adamyan</b>	ARM	23/05/1993	27	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
27	Andrej <b>Kramarić</b>	CRO	19/06/1991	29	-	-	-	3	6	17	6	38	14
33	<b>Klauss</b>	BRA	01/03/1997	23	-	-	-	1	-	9	3	13	5
35	Maximilian <b>Beier</b>	GER	17/10/2002	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Coach</b>													
-	Sebastian Hoeneß	GER	12/05/1982	38	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-

## Fixtures and results

### KAA Gent

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
09/08/2020	League	K. Sint-Truidense VV (A)	L	1-2 Plastun 43
15/08/2020	League	KV Kortrijk (H)	L	1-2 Plastun 59
22/08/2020	League	Royal Antwerp FC (A)	L	0-1
30/08/2020	League	KV Mechelen (H)	W	1-0 Niangbo 36
11/09/2020	League	KAS Eupen (A)	L	1-2 Kums 63
15/09/2020	UCL	SK Rapid Wien (H)	W	2-1 Dorsch 36, Yaremchuk 59 (P)
19/09/2020	League	R. Excel Mouscron (A)	W	1-0 Dorsch 14
23/09/2020	UCL	FC Dynamo Kyiv (H)	L	1-2 Kleindienst 41
26/09/2020	League	Oud-Heverlee Leuven (H)	L	2-3 Dorsch 71 (P), Kleindienst 74 (P)
29/09/2020	UCL	FC Dynamo Kyiv (A)	L	0-3
04/10/2020	League	KFCO Beerschot Wilrijk (H)	W	5-1 Yaremchuk 12, 15, Depoitre 29, 61, Samoïse 79
17/10/2020	League	Cercle Brugge KSV (A)	L	2-5 Hanche-Olsen 14, Yaremchuk 64 (P)
22/10/2020	UEL	FC Slovan Liberec (A)	L	0-1
26/10/2020	League	KRC Genk (H)	L	1-2 Castro-Montes 24
29/10/2020	UEL	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (H)		
01/11/2020	League	Waasland-Beveren (A)		
05/11/2020	UEL	FK Crvena zvezda (A)		
08/11/2020	League	RSC Anderlecht (H)		
22/11/2020	League	R. Charleroi SC (A)		
26/11/2020	UEL	FK Crvena zvezda (H)		
29/11/2020	League	SV Zulte Waregem (H)		
03/12/2020	UEL	FC Slovan Liberec (H)		
06/12/2020	League	KV Oostende (A)		
10/12/2020	UEL	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (A)		
13/12/2020	League	R. Standard de Liège (H)		
15/12/2020	Cup	KFC Heur Tongeren (H)		
18/12/2020	League	Club Brugge (A)		
22/12/2020	League	Waasland-Beveren (H)		
26/12/2020	League	KV Kortrijk (A)		
15/01/2021	League	Royal Antwerp FC (H)		
22/01/2021	League	Oud-Heverlee Leuven (A)		
26/01/2021	League	K. Sint-Truidense VV (H)		
29/01/2021	League	RSC Anderlecht (A)		
05/02/2021	League	KAS Eupen (H)		
09/02/2021	League	KRC Genk (A)		
12/02/2021	League	R. Excel Mouscron (H)		
19/02/2021	League	KV Mechelen (A)		
26/02/2021	League	Club Brugge (H)		
05/03/2021	League	KV Oostende (H)		
12/03/2021	League	KFCO Beerschot Wilrijk (A)		
12/03/2021	League	KFCO Beerschot Wilrijk (A)		
19/03/2021	League	Cercle Brugge KSV (H)		



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02/04/2021	League	R. Standard de Liège (A)		
09/04/2021	League	R. Charleroi SC (H)		
16/04/2021	League	SV Zulte Waregem (A)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Royal Antwerp FC	10	6	2	2	21	14	20
2	Club Brugge	10	6	1	3	23	8	19
3	R. Charleroi SC	9	6	1	2	15	7	19
4	KFCO Beerschot Wilrijk	10	6	0	4	24	23	18
5	R. Standard de Liège	10	5	3	2	13	9	18
6	Oud-Heverlee Leuven	10	5	3	2	17	15	18
7	RSC Anderlecht	10	4	5	1	20	15	17
8	KRC Genk	10	4	4	2	16	15	16
9	Cercle Brugge KSV	9	5	0	4	16	12	15
10	KV Oostende	9	4	3	2	15	8	15
11	KV Kortrijk	10	4	2	4	12	13	14
12	KAS Eupen	9	2	5	2	10	12	11
<b>13</b>	<b>KAA Gent</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>9</b>
14	K. Sint-Truidense VV	10	2	3	5	11	19	9
15	KV Mechelen	9	2	1	6	10	16	7
16	SV Zulte Waregem	10	2	1	7	11	24	7
17	Waasland-Beveren	8	1	1	6	12	22	4
18	R. Excel Mouscron	9	0	3	6	3	14	3

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Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
13/09/2020	Cup	Chemnitzer FC (A)	D 2-2 (aet, 3-2 pens)	Kramarić 48, 111 ET (P)
19/09/2020	League	1. FC Köln (A)	W 3-2	Kramarić 3, 45+3 (P), 90+2
27/09/2020	League	FC Bayern München (H)	W 4-1	Bičakčić 16, Dabbur 24, Kramarić 77, 90+2 (P)
03/10/2020	League	Eintracht Frankfurt (A)	L 1-2	Kramarić 18
17/10/2020	League	Borussia Dortmund (H)	L 0-1	
22/10/2020	UEL	FK Crvena zvezda (H)	W 2-0	Baumgartner 64, Dabbur 90+3
25/10/2020	League	SV Werder Bremen (A)	D 1-1	Geiger 22
29/10/2020	UEL	KAA Gent (A)		
02/11/2020	League	1. FC Union Berlin (H)		
05/11/2020	UEL	FC Slovan Liberec (H)		
08/11/2020	League	VfL Wolfsburg (A)		
21/11/2020	League	VfB Stuttgart (H)		
26/11/2020	UEL	FC Slovan Liberec (A)		
29/11/2020	League	1. FSV Mainz 05 (A)		
03/12/2020	UEL	FK Crvena zvezda (A)		
07/12/2020	League	FC Augsburg (H)		
10/12/2020	UEL	KAA Gent (H)		

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13/12/2020	League	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (A)		
16/12/2020	League	RB Leipzig (H)		
19/12/2020	League	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (A)		
02/01/2021	League	SC Freiburg (H)		
09/01/2021	League	FC Schalke 04 (A)		
16/01/2021	League	DSC Arminia Bielefeld (H)		
20/01/2021	League	Hertha BSC Berlin (A)		
23/01/2021	League	1. FC Köln (H)		
30/01/2021	League	FC Bayern München (A)		
06/02/2021	League	Eintracht Frankfurt (H)		
13/02/2021	League	Borussia Dortmund (A)		
20/02/2021	League	SV Werder Bremen (H)		
27/02/2021	League	1. FC Union Berlin (A)		
06/03/2021	League	VfL Wolfsburg (H)		
13/03/2021	League	VfB Stuttgart (A)		
20/03/2021	League	1. FSV Mainz 05 (H)		
03/04/2021	League	FC Augsburg (A)		
10/04/2021	League	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (H)		
17/04/2021	League	RB Leipzig (A)		
17/04/2021	League	RB Leipzig (A)		
21/04/2021	League	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (H)		
24/04/2021	League	SC Freiburg (A)		
08/05/2021	League	FC Schalke 04 (H)		
15/05/2021	League	DSC Arminia Bielefeld (A)		
22/05/2021	League	Hertha BSC Berlin (H)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	RB Leipzig	5	4	1	0	12	3	13
2	FC Bayern München	5	4	0	1	22	8	12
3	Borussia Dortmund	5	4	0	1	11	2	12
4	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	5	2	3	0	6	3	9
5	VfB Stuttgart	5	2	2	1	10	6	8
6	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	5	2	2	1	8	8	8
7	SV Werder Bremen	5	2	2	1	7	7	8
8	Eintracht Frankfurt	5	2	2	1	7	9	8
<b>9</b>	<b>TSG 1899 Hoffenheim</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>
10	VfL Wolfsburg	5	1	4	0	4	3	7
11	FC Augsburg	5	2	1	2	6	6	7
12	1. FC Union Berlin	5	1	3	1	8	6	6
13	SC Freiburg	5	1	3	1	6	9	6
14	DSC Arminia Bielefeld	5	1	1	3	4	8	4
15	Hertha BSC Berlin	5	1	0	4	9	12	3
16	1. FC Köln	5	0	2	3	5	9	2
17	FC Schalke 04	5	0	1	4	2	19	1

<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>
18	1. FSV Mainz 05	5	0	0	5	4	15	0

## Match-by-match lineups

### KAA Gent

#### UEFA Champions League - Third qualifying round

(15/09/2020)

##### KAA Gent 2-1 SK Rapid Wien

**Goals:** 1-0 Dorsch 36, 2-0 Yaremchuk 59 (P) , 2-1 Demir 90+3

**KAA Gent:** Roef, Ngadeu-Ngadjui, Owusu, Yaremchuk (89 Kleindienst), Chakvetadze (60 Bezus), Castro-Montes, Kums, Núrio Fortuna, Depoitre, Dorsch (63 Odjidja-Ofoe), Arslanagić

#### Play-off

(23/09/2020)

##### KAA Gent 1-2 FC Dynamo Kyiv

**Goals:** 0-1 Supryaha 9, 1-1 Kleindienst 41, 1-2 De Pena 79

**KAA Gent:** Roef, Ngadeu-Ngadjui, Owusu, Yaremchuk (25 Kleindienst), Odjidja-Ofoe (62 Botaka), Bezus, Castro-Montes, Núrio Fortuna, Depoitre (72 Mohammadi), Dorsch, Plastun

(29/09/2020)

##### FC Dynamo Kyiv 3-0 KAA Gent (agg: 5-1)

**Goals:** 1-0 Buyalskiy 9, 2-0 De Pena 36 (P) , 3-0 Rodrigues 49 (P)

**KAA Gent:** Roef, Ngadeu-Ngadjui, Owusu (54 Marreh), Niangbo, Castro-Montes (65 Botaka), Bukari, Núrio Fortuna, Depoitre (74 Samoise), Dorsch, Plastun, Kleindienst

#### UEFA Europa League - Group stage

##### Group L

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
FC Slovan Liberec	1	1	0	0	1	0	3
<b>TSG 1899 Hoffenheim</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>
FK Crvena zvezda	1	0	0	1	0	2	0
<b>KAA Gent</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>

##### Matchday 1 (22/10/2020)

###### FC Slovan Liberec 1-0 KAA Gent

**Goals:** 1-0 Yusuf Helal 29

**KAA Gent:** Roef, Ngadeu-Ngadjui, Yaremchuk, Castro-Montes, Botaka (77 Niangbo), Bukari, Hanche-Olsen, Marreh, Kums, Núrio Fortuna (87 Plastun), Kleindienst (77 Depoitre)

##### Matchday 2 (29/10/2020)

KAA Gent-TSG 1899 Hoffenheim

##### Matchday 3 (05/11/2020)

FK Crvena zvezda-KAA Gent

##### Matchday 4 (26/11/2020)

KAA Gent-FK Crvena zvezda

##### Matchday 5 (03/12/2020)

KAA Gent-FC Slovan Liberec

##### Matchday 6 (10/12/2020)

TSG 1899 Hoffenheim-KAA Gent

### TSG 1899 Hoffenheim

#### UEFA Europa League - Group stage

##### Matchday 1 (22/10/2020)

###### TSG 1899 Hoffenheim 2-0 FK Crvena zvezda

**Goals:** 1-0 Baumgartner 64, 2-0 Dabbur 90+3

**TSG 1899 Hoffenheim:** Baumann, Dabbur, Grillitsch (46 Samassékou), Baumgartner (78 Bebou), Rudy, Sessegnon (90 Skov), Belfodil (78 Bruun Larsen), Gaćinović (46 Geiger), Vogt, Akpoguma, Posch

**Matchday 2 (29/10/2020)**

KAA Gent-TSG 1899 Hoffenheim

**Matchday 3 (05/11/2020)**

TSG 1899 Hoffenheim-FC Slovan Liberec

**Matchday 4 (26/11/2020)**

FC Slovan Liberec-TSG 1899 Hoffenheim

**Matchday 5 (03/12/2020)**

FK Crvena zvezda-TSG 1899 Hoffenheim

**Matchday 6 (10/12/2020)**

TSG 1899 Hoffenheim-KAA Gent

## Match officials

<b>Referee</b>	Sandro Schärer (SUI)
<b>Assistant referees</b>	Stephane De Almeida (SUI) , Bekim Zogaj (SUI)
<b>Fourth official</b>	Fedayi San (SUI)
<b>UEFA Delegate</b>	Aristeidis Stavropoulos (GRE)
<b>UEFA Referee observer</b>	Stefan Messner (AUT)

## Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Europa League matches	UEFA matches
Sandro Schärer	06/06/1988	16	45

## Sandro Schärer

**Referee since:** 2005

**First division:** 2013

**FIFA badge:** 2015

**Tournaments:** 2018 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
13/12/2018	UEL	GS	GNK Dinamo Zagreb	RSC Anderlecht	0-0	Zagreb
03/10/2019	UEL	GS	Arsenal FC	R. Standard de Liège	4-0	London

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
09/10/2015	U19FRIE	R1	Germany	Mexico	1-0	Aspach
21/11/2017	UYL	GS	Borussia Dortmund	Tottenham Hotspur FC	1-3	Dortmund
15/11/2018	FRIE.	R1	Germany	Russia	3-0	Leipzig
13/12/2018	UEL	GS	GNK Dinamo Zagreb	RSC Anderlecht	0-0	Zagreb
03/10/2019	UEL	GS	Arsenal FC	R. Standard de Liège	4-0	London
05/09/2020	UNL	GS-FT	Denmark	Belgium	0-2	Copenhagen

# 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>(aet):</b> After extra time	<b>pens:</b> Penalties
<b>GS1:</b> First group stage	<b>GS2:</b> Second group stage	<b>No.:</b> Number	<b>og:</b> Own goal
<b>3QR:</b> Third qualifying round	<b>R1:</b> First round	<b>ag:</b> Match decided on away goals	<b>P:</b> Penalty
<b>R2:</b> Second round	<b>R3:</b> Third round	<b>PID:</b> Matches played	<b>agg:</b> Aggregate
<b>R4:</b> Fourth round	<b>PR:</b> Preliminary round	<b>Pos.:</b> Position	<b>AP:</b> Appearances
<b>SF:</b> Semi-finals	<b>QF:</b> Quarter-finals	<b>Pts:</b> Points	<b>Comp.:</b> Competition
<b>R16:</b> round of 16	<b>QR:</b> Qualifying round	<b>R:</b> Sent off (straight red card)	<b>D:</b> Drawn
<b>R32:</b> Round of 32	<b>1QR:</b> First qualifying round	<b>Res.:</b> Result	<b>DoB:</b> Date of birth
<b>1st:</b> first leg	<b>2QR:</b> Second qualifying round	<b>sg:</b> Match decided by silver goal	<b>ET:</b> Extra Time
<b>2nd:</b> second leg	<b>FT:</b> Final tournament	<b>GF:</b> Goals for	<b>GA:</b> Goals against
<b>PO:</b> Play-off	<b>ELITE:</b> Elite round	<b>gg:</b> Match decided by golden goal	<b>t:</b> Match decided by toss of a coin
<b>Rep:</b> Replay	<b>3rdPO:</b> Third-place play-off	<b>Y/R:</b> Sent off (two yellow cards)	<b>W:</b> Won
<b>PO - FT:</b> Play-off for Final Tournament	<b>GS-FT:</b> Group stage – final tournament	<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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