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AC Sparta Praha

**Generali Česká pojišťovna Arena -
Prague**

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Group A - Matchday 3



Olympique Lyonnais

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Team facts

AC Sparta Praha

Formed: 1893

Nickname: Železná Sparta (Iron Sparta)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- none

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 36 (2014)

Czechoslovakian/Czech Cups: 21 (2020)

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

2020/21: group stage

2019/20: third qualifying round

2018/19: second qualifying round

2017/18: third qualifying round

2016/17: round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

2015/16: quarter-finals (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

2014/15: group stage (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

2013/14: second qualifying round

2012/13: round of 32

2011/12: play-offs

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

10-0: Sparta v Anorthosis Famagusta

16/09/64, European Cup Winners' Cup preliminary round first leg

- Biggest away win

0-6: Anorthosis Famagusta v Sparta

20/09/64, European Cup Winners' Cup preliminary round second leg

- Heaviest home defeat

1-5: Sparta v Steaua București

07/09/88, European Champion Clubs' Cup first round first leg

- Heaviest away defeat

5-0 three times, most recently v Lyon

08/12/04, UEFA Champions League group stage

UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League

- Biggest home win

5-0: Sparta v Sarajevo

28/07/11, third qualifying round first leg

- Biggest away win

1-4: Celtic v Sparta

05/11/20, group stage

0-3 three times, most recently v Lazio

17/03/16, round of 16 second leg

- Heaviest home defeat

1-4: Sparta v LOSC Lille

22/10/20, group stage

0-3: Sparta v Copenhagen

16/12/09, group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

4-0 twice, most recently v Rostov

16/02/17, round of 32 first leg

Olympique Lyonnais

Formed: 1950

Nickname: Les Gones (The Kids)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- UEFA Intertoto Cup (1): 1997

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

- League title: 7 (2008)
- French Cup: 5 (2012)
- League Cup: 1 (2001)

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

- 2020/21:** did not take part in UEFA competition
- 2019/20:** UEFA Champions League semi-finals
- 2018/19:** UEFA Champions League round of 16
- 2017/18:** round of 16
- 2016/17:** semi-finals (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)
- 2015/16:** UEFA Champions League group stage
- 2014/15:** play-offs
- 2013/14:** quarter-finals (having transferred from UEFA Champions League play-offs)
- 2012/13:** round of 32
- 2011/12:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win
7-0: Lyon v Red Boys Differdange
17/09/74, UEFA Cup first round first leg
 - Biggest away win
1-7: Dinamo Zagreb v Lyon
07/12/11, UEFA Champions League group stage
 - Heaviest home defeat
2-5: Lyon v Borussia Mönchengladbach
05/11/74, UEFA Cup second round second leg
0-3 twice, most recently v Bayern München
27/04/10, UEFA Champions League semi-final second leg
Lyon also lost 0-3 to Bayern in the 2019/20 UEFA Champions League semi-final, a match in which they were the designated home team
 - Heaviest away defeat
5-1: Barcelona v Lyon
13/03/19, UEFA Champions League round of 16 second leg
4-0 three times, most recently v Real Madrid
18/10/11, UEFA Champions League group stage
- UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League**
- Biggest home win
7-0: Lyon v Red Boys Differdange (see above)
 - Biggest away win
1-4 three times, most recently v AZ Alkmaar
16/02/17, round of 32 first leg
 - Heaviest home defeat
2-5: Lyon v Borussia Mönchengladbach (see above)
 - Heaviest away defeat
4-0: Werder Bremen v Lyon
07/12/99, third round second leg

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

F: Final
GS1: First group stage
3QR: Third qualifying round
R2: Second round
R4: Fourth round
SF: Semi-finals
R16: round of 16
R32: Round of 32
1st: first leg
2nd: second leg
PO: Play-off
Rep: Replay
PO - FT: Play-off for Final Tournament
GS: Group stage
GS2: Second group stage
R1: First round
R3: Third round
PR: Preliminary round
QF: Quarter-finals
QR: Qualifying round
1QR: First qualifying round
2QR: Second qualifying round
FT: Final tournament
ELITE: Elite round
3rdPO: Third-place play-off
GS-FT: Group stage – final tournament

Other abbreviations

(aet): After extra time
No.: Number
ag: Match decided on away goals
Pld: Matches played
Pos.: Position
Pts: Points
R: Sent off (straight red card)
Res.: Result
sg: Match decided by silver goal
GF: Goals for
gg: Match decided by golden goal
Y/R: Sent off (two yellow cards)
f: Match forfeited
pens: Penalties
og: Own goal
P: Penalty
agg: Aggregate
AP: Appearances
Comp.: Competition
D: Drawn
DoB: Date of birth
ET: Extra Time
GA: Goals against
t: Match decided by toss of a coin
W: Won
Y: Booked
L: Lost
Nat.: Nationality
N/A: 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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