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Sevilla FC

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Previous meetings

Head to Head

UEFA Super Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
25/08/2006	F	FC Barcelona - Sevilla FC	0-3	Monaco	Renato 7, Kanouté 45, Maresca 90 (P)

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
05/12/1995	R3	FC Barcelona - Sevilla FC	3-1 agg: 4-2	Barcelona	Bakero 62, G. Popescu 79, Roger García 81; Moya 80
21/11/1995	R3	Sevilla FC - FC Barcelona	1-1	Seville	Šuker 45; Hagi 65

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
FC Barcelona	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	3	1	1	1	4	5
Sevilla FC	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	1	1	1	5	4

FC Barcelona - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
09/04/2014	QF	Club Atlético de Madrid - FC Barcelona	1-0 agg: 2-1	Madrid	Koke 5
01/04/2014	QF	FC Barcelona - Club Atlético de Madrid	1-1	Barcelona	Neymar 71; Diego 56

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
03/05/2011	SF	FC Barcelona - Real Madrid CF	1-1 agg: 3-1	Barcelona	Pedro Rodríguez 54; Marcelo 64
27/04/2011	SF	Real Madrid CF - FC Barcelona	0-2	Madrid	Messi 76, 87

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
01/05/2002	SF	Real Madrid CF - FC Barcelona	1-1 agg: 3-1	Madrid	Raúl González 43; Iván Helguera 49 (og)
23/04/2002	SF	FC Barcelona - Real Madrid CF	0-2	Barcelona	Zidane 55, McManaman 90+2

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
15/03/2001	QF	RC Celta de Vigo - FC Barcelona	3-2 agg: 4-4 ag	Vigo	Catania 34, Gustavo López 64 (P), Mostovoi 90; Rivaldo 29, 43
08/03/2001	QF	FC Barcelona - RC Celta de Vigo	2-1	Barcelona	Kluivert 12, 54; Coira 68

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
10/05/2000	SF	FC Barcelona - Valencia CF	2-1 agg: 3-5	Barcelona	F. de Boer 78, Cocu 90; Mendieta 69
02/05/2000	SF	Valencia CF - FC Barcelona	4-1	Valencia	Angulo 10, 43, Mendieta 45+2 (P), Claudio López 90; Pellegrino 27 (og)

UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
19/03/1980	QF	Valencia CF - FC Barcelona	4-3 agg: 5-3	Valencia	Saura 10, 77, Bonhof 30, Kempes 86 (P); Cano 15, 89, Landáburu 25
05/03/1980	QF	FC Barcelona - Valencia CF	0-1	Barcelona	Pablo Rodríguez 49

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
16/03/1977	QF	FC Barcelona - Athletic Club	2-2 agg: 3-4	Barcelona	Cruyff 24, 63; Irureta 13, 29
03/03/1977	QF	Athletic Club - FC Barcelona	2-1	Bilbao	Churruca 40, Dani 63 (P); Asensi 13

European Champions Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/11/1960	R1	FC Barcelona - Real Madrid CF	2-1 agg: 4-3	Barcelona	Verges 33, Evaristo 82; Canário 87
09/11/1960	R1	Real Madrid CF - FC Barcelona	2-2	Madrid	Mateos 3, Gento 33; Suárez 27, 87 (P)

European Champions Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
27/04/1960	SF	FC Barcelona - Real Madrid CF	1-3 agg: 2-6	Barcelona	Kocsis 89; Puskás 25, 75, Gento 68
21/04/1960	SF	Real Madrid CF - FC Barcelona	3-1	Madrid	Di Stéfano 17, 84, Puskás 28; Martinez 37

Sevilla FC - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
19/03/2015	R16	Sevilla FC - Villarreal CF	2-1 agg: 5-2	Seville	Iborra 69, Suárez 83; G. Dos Santos 73
12/03/2015	R16	Villarreal CF - Sevilla FC	1-3	Villarreal	Vietto 48; Vitolo 1, Mbia 26, Gameiro 50

UEFA Super Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
12/08/2014	F	Real Madrid CF - Sevilla FC	2-0	Cardiff	Ronaldo 30, 49

UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
01/05/2014	SF	Valencia CF - Sevilla FC	3-1 agg: 3-3 ag	Valencia	Feghouli 14, Beto 26 (og), Mathieu 69; Mbia 90+4
24/04/2014	SF	Sevilla FC - Valencia CF	2-0	Seville	Mbia 33, Bacca 36
20/03/2014	R16	Real Betis Balompié - Sevilla FC	0-2 agg: 2-2 (aet, 3-4 pens)	Seville	Reyes 20, Bacca 75
13/03/2014	R16	Sevilla FC - Real Betis Balompié	0-2	Seville	Baptistão 15, Salva Sevilla 77

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
16/05/2007	F	RCD Espanyol - Sevilla FC	2-2 (aet, 1-3 pens)	Glasgow	Riera 28, Jônatas 115 ET; Adriano 18, Kanouté 105 ET
03/05/2007	SF	Sevilla FC - CA Osasuna	2-0 agg: 2-1	Seville	Luís Fabiano 37, Renato 53
26/04/2007	SF	CA Osasuna - Sevilla FC	1-0	Pamplona	Soldado 55

European Champions Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/02/1958	QF	Sevilla FC - Real Madrid CF	2-2 agg: 2-10	Seville	Paya 22, Pahueta 29; Pereda 48, 62
23/01/1958	QF	Real Madrid CF - Sevilla FC	8-0	Madrid	Di Stéfano 10, 55 (P), 85, 88, Kopa 37, 73, Marsal 48, Gento 81

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
FC Barcelona	10	4	3	3	10	1	3	6	1	0	0	1	21	5	6	10	28	38
Sevilla FC	6	3	2	1	6	2	0	4	3	1	1	1	15	6	3	6	21	26

Match background

- **Third all-Spanish UEFA Super Cup after 2006 and 2014, each involving Sevilla**
- **Sevilla beat Barcelona 3-0 in 2006 with Dani Alves their star man**
- **Alves hopes to equal Paolo Maldini's records of four wins and five appearances**
- **Barcelona, in record ninth appearance, aiming to match Milan's record of five wins**
- **Unai Emery without win in 19 meetings with Barcelona as coach, Lionel Messi scoring 22**
- **Tbilisi stages first UEFA football final having also hosted 2013 UEFA Futsal Cup**

For the second year running, **Sevilla** face Spanish opposition in the **UEFA Super Cup**, but will hope to emulate their **2006 defeat of Tbilisi opponents Barcelona** rather than the **loss against Real Madrid** 12 months ago in Cardiff.

- Barcelona booked a record ninth appearance with their **3-1 victory over Juventus** in the **UEFA Champions League** final in Berlin.
- The previous week Sevilla had retained the **UEFA Europa League** title, coming from behind to **beat Dnipro Dnipropetrovsk 3-2** in Warsaw.

UEFA Super Cup pedigree

- This is **Barcelona's ninth** UEFA Super Cup, **two more** than any other team. Their record is W4 L4:

1979: L1-2 agg v Nottingham Forest (0-1 a, 1-1 h)

1982: L1-3 agg v Aston Villa (1-0 h, 0-3aet a)

1989: L1-2 agg v AC Milan (1-1 h, 0-1 a)

1992: W3-2 agg v Werder Bremen (1-1 a, 2-1 h)

1997: W3-1 agg v Borussia Dortmund (2-0 h, 1-1 a)

2006: L0-3 v Sevilla (Monaco)

2009: W1-0aet v Shakhtar Donetsk (Monaco)

2011: W2-0 v FC Porto (Monaco)

- **A fifth win would equal Milan's record**; Barcelona's four defeats is already the most for any side.
- Their 1992, 2009 and 2011 triumphs, as well as 2006 loss, came as European Cup/UEFA Champions League holders.
- Barcelona's 1997 win and their 1979 and 1982 reverses were as UEFA Cup Winners' Cup holders.
- **Sevilla** have featured in three previous UEFA Super Cups, all as UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League winners. Their record is W1 L2:
2006: W3-0 v Barcelona (Monaco)
2007: L1-3 v AC Milan (Monaco)
2014: L0-2 v Real Madrid (Cardiff)
- This is the **third UEFA Super Cup between two Spanish clubs** after 2006 and 2014.
- There were previously two all-Italian games. Milan bettered Sampdoria in 1990 but lost to Parma three years later.

Head to head

- The sides have met **152 times** in all competitions, with **Barcelona recording 80 wins to Sevilla's 38**. There have been 34 draws.
- In the Liga last season, Barcelona defeated Sevilla 5-1 at the Camp Nou and drew 2-2 away to stretch their unbeaten record against their opponents to 11 matches since a 2-1 home loss in the Copa del Rey in January 2010.
- In the home 5-1 victory, Lionel Messi got a hat-trick for Barça to break Telmo Zarra's long-standing record of 251 Liga goals. Messi and Neymar put Barcelona 2-0 up in Seville before Éver Banega and Kevin Gameiro secured a draw.
- They may have lost the 2006 UEFA Super Cup, but **Barcelona beat Sevilla 4-1 on aggregate in the 1995/96 UEFA Cup round of 16**, drawing 1-1 away before a 3-1 Camp Nou success.
- **Barcelona also overcame Sevilla in the 2010 Spanish Super Cup**, losing 3-1 away but winning 4-0 at home courtesy of a Messi treble.

Key facts

- Dani Alves was named man of the match for Sevilla in the 2006 encounter, lining up against possible Tbilisi teammates Messi and substitute Andrés Iniesta.
- Having also won with Barcelona in 2009 and 2011, **Alves could equal Paolo Maldini's record of four UEFA Super Cup victories**.

- If Alves plays he will match Maldini's record of taking part in **five separate UEFA Super Cups**. The appearance record is eight by Maldini's Milan colleagues Alessandro Costacurta and Roberto Donadoni but those were in four two-legged pre-1997 encounters.
- Barcelona coach Luis Enrique was on the winning Barcelona team in 1997, opening the scoring in the first leg against Dortmund.
- Luis Enrique could become the **fourth man to lift the UEFA Super Cup as coach and player** after Josep Guardiola, Carlo Ancelotti and Diego Simeone (who between them have triumphed for the last four years).
- Both teams have already picked up continental trophies against fellow Spanish sides. Barcelona's came in a pre-UEFA Cup tournament, the 1966 Inter-Cities Fairs Cup, in which they pipped Real Zaragoza 4-3 on aggregate (four years after losing to Valencia).
- Sevilla, meanwhile, followed up their 2006 UEFA Super Cup triumph against Barcelona by beating Espanyol in the 2007 UEFA Cup final. After a 2-2 draw at Hampden Park, Glasgow, Sevilla prevailed 3-1 on penalties.
- Overall Barcelona have won five of their 21 games against Spanish teams in Europe, drawing six and losing ten.
- Sevilla have won six of their 15 European matches with Liga opponents, losing six with three draws.
- Having succumbed to Madrid in the UEFA Super Cup last season, Sevilla played Villarreal in the UEFA Europa League round of 16, winning 2-1 at home and 3-1 away (12 months earlier at the same stage they eliminated neighbours Real Betis).

Team ties

- Barcelona's squad has a strong **ex-Sevilla** flavour besides just **Dani Alves**. **Ivan Rakitić**, who made the move 12 months ago, spent three years with Sevilla and was named man of the match in the 2014 UEFA Europa League final triumph against Benfica.
- **Adriano** played 218 games for Sevilla between 2005 and 2010, landing two UEFA Cups, one UEFA Super Cup and the 2010 Copa del Rey.
- **Alex Vidal** switched from Sevilla in June after a sole UEFA Europa League-winning season at the club. However, Vidal will not be able to play for Barcelona until January due to their transfer embargo.
- Sevilla loanee **Denis Suárez** spent 2013/14 with Barcelona B, playing 36 games, but has never represented the first team at his parent club.
- **Unai Emery** has faced Barcelona on 19 occasions with four different clubs – Almería, Valencia, Spartak Moskva and Sevilla – but has never beaten the Blaugrana, drawing six matches and losing 13.
- **Messi** has scored 22 goals for Barcelona in those 19 games against teams coached by Emery.
- Luis Enrique and Emery have locked horns on four occasions as coaches, and **Emery has never beaten his counterpart**. Emery suffered two 1-0 defeats when Luis Enrique was in charge of Celta Vigo, and last season lost 5-1 at Barcelona before drawing 2-2 at home.

Summer transfers

Barcelona

- **In:** Alex Vidal (Sevilla)*, Arda Turan (Atlético Madrid)*
- **Out:** Xavi Hernández (al-Sadd), Gerard Deulofeu (Everton), Ibrahim Afellay (released, Stoke City FC)

*Not eligible to play until January

Sevilla

- **In:** Gaël Kakuta (Chelsea FC), Michael Krohn-Dehli (RC Celta de Vigo), Yevhen Konoplyanka (FC Dnipro Dnipropetrovsk), Sergio Escudero (Getafe CF), Adil Rami (AC Milan), Steven N'Zonzi (Stoke City FC), Ciro Immobile (Borussia Dortmund), Mariano Ferreira (FC Girondins de Bordeaux)
- **Out:** Alex Vidal (FC Barcelona), Stéphane Mbia (Trabzonspor AŞ), Alejandro Arribas (RC Deportivo La Coruña), Iago Aspas (RC Celta de Vigo), Carlos Bacca (AC Milan), Fernando Navarro (RC Deportivo La Coruña), Diogo Figueiras (Genoa CFC, loan), Cichinho (released), Manu del Moral (released), Baba Diawara (released), Mariano Barbosa (released)

Tbilisi 2015

- This is the **first UEFA football final to be played in Georgia** but Tbilisi did stage the 2013 UEFA Futsal Cup, in which Barcelona as holders finished third.
- For both Barcelona and Sevilla this is their first competitive game in Georgia.

- Sevilla's **Grzegorz Krychowiak** scored for Poland in their 4-0 UEFA EURO 2016 qualifying round win against Georgia at the Boris Paichadze Dinamo Arena on 14 November.
- Spain won 1-0 against Georgia at the UEFA Super Cup venue on 11 September 2012 in FIFA World Cup qualifying. Current Barcelona squad members Iniesta, Sergio Busquets and Jordi Alba started for Spain with Pedro Rodríguez coming off the bench.

Team facts

FC Barcelona

Formed: 1899

Nicknames: Azulgrana (Blue and Reds, Spanish), Blaugrana (Blue and Reds, Catalan)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- European Cup (5): (1961), (1986), 1992, (1994), 2006, 2009, 2011, 2015
- UEFA Cup Winners' Cup (4): (1969), 1979, 1982, 1989, (1991), 1997
- UEFA Super Cup (4): (1979), (1982), (1989), 1992, 1997, (2006), 2009, 2011
- European/South American Cup: (1992)

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 23 (2015)

Spanish Cup: 27 (2015)

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

2014/15: winners

2013/14: quarter-finals

2012/13: semi-finals

2011/12: semi-finals

2010/11: winners

2009/10: semi-finals

2008/09: winners

2007/08: semi-finals

2006/07: round of 16

2005/06: winners

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

8-0: twice, most recently v ŠKM Púchov
15/10/03, UEFA Cup first round second leg

- Biggest away win

0-7: Hapoel Beer Sheva FC v Barcelona
12/09/95, UEFA Cup first round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

0-4: twice, most recently v FC Dynamo Kyiv
05/11/97, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

4-0: AC Milan v Barcelona
18/05/94, UEFA Champions League final (played in Athens)

4-0: FC Bayern München v Barcelona
23/04/13, UEFA Champions League semi-final first leg

UEFA Champions League (group stage to final only)

- Biggest home win

7-1: Barcelona v Bayer 04 Leverkusen
07/03/12, round of 16 second leg

- Biggest away win

0-5: twice, most recently v FC BATE Borisov
28/09/11, group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

0-4: Barcelona v FC Dynamo Kyiv (see above for details)

- Heaviest away defeat

4-0: AC Milan v Barcelona (see above for details)
4-0: FC Bayern München v Barcelona (see above for details)

Sevilla FC

Formed: 1905

Nickname: Los Hispalenses (from Hispalis, Seville's ancient name), Los Blanquirrojos (white-and-reds)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League (4): 2006, 2007, 2014, 2015
- UEFA Super Cup (1): 2006, (2007), (2014)

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

Spanish title: 1 (1946)
Spanish Cup: 5 (2010)

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

2014/15: UEFA Europa League winners
2013/14: UEFA Europa League winners
2012/13: did not take part in UEFA club competition
2011/12: UEFA Europa League play-offs
2010/11: UEFA Europa League round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League play-offs)
2009/10: round of 16
2008/09: UEFA Europa League group stage
2007/08: round of 16
2006/07: UEFA Europa League winners
2005/06: UEFA Europa League winners

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win
4-0 on four occasions, most recently v FC Karpaty Lviv
04/11/10, UEFA Europa League group stage
- Biggest away win
1-6: FK Mladost Podgorica v Sevilla
09/08/13, UEFA Europa League third qualifying round second leg
0-5: WKS Śląsk Wrocław v Sevilla
29/08/13, UEFA Europa League play-off second leg
- Heaviest home defeat
0-2: Sevilla v Real Betis Balompié
13/03/14, UEFA Europa League round of 16 first leg
- Heaviest away defeat
8-0: Real Madrid CF v Sevilla
23/01/58, European Champion Clubs' Cup quarter-finals first leg

UEFA Champions League (group stage to final)

- Biggest home win
4-2: Sevilla v SK Slavia Praha
02/10/07, group stage
3-1: Sevilla v Arsenal FC
27/11/07, group stage
2-0: Sevilla v FC Unirea Urziceni
16/09/09, group stage
- Biggest away win
0-3: SK Slavia Praha v Sevilla
12/12/07, group stage
- Heaviest home defeat
1-2: Sevilla v PFC CSKA Moskva
16/03/10, round of 16 second leg
- Heaviest away defeat
3-0: Arsenal FC v Sevilla
19/09/07, group stage

Squad list

FC Barcelona

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season		All-time			
						League		SCUP		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers											
1	Marc-André ter Stegen	GER	30/04/1992	23	-	-	-	-	-	22	-
13	Claudio Bravo	CHI	13/04/1983	32	-	-	-	-	-	7	-
25	Jordi Masip	ESP	03/01/1989	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders											
2	Douglas	BRA	06/08/1990	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Gerard Piqué	ESP	02/02/1987	28	-	-	-	1	-	77	9
6	Daniel Alves	BRA	06/05/1983	32	-	-	-	4	-	123	9
14	Javier Mascherano	ARG	08/06/1984	31	-	-	-	1	-	91	1
15	Marc Bartra	ESP	15/01/1991	24	-	-	-	-	-	18	-
18	Jordi Alba	ESP	21/03/1989	26	-	-	-	-	-	46	3
21	Adriano	BRA	26/10/1984	30	-	-	-	2	-	77	7
23	Thomas Vermaelen	BEL	14/11/1985	29	-	-	-	-	-	51	2
24	Jérémy Mathieu	FRA	29/10/1983	31	-	-	-	-	-	66	4
Midfielders											
4	Ivan Rakitić	CRO	10/03/1988	27	-	-	-	-	-	61	6
5	Sergio Busquets	ESP	16/07/1988	27	-	-	-	2	-	69	4
8	Andrés Iniesta	ESP	11/05/1984	31	-	-	-	2	-	114	10
12	Rafinha	ESP	12/02/1993	22	-	-	-	-	-	8	-
20	Sergi Roberto	ESP	07/02/1992	23	-	-	-	-	-	9	1
26	Sergi Samper	ESP	20/01/1995	20	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
30	Alen Halilović	CRO	18/06/1996	19	-	-	-	-	-	11	-
Forwards											
7	Pedro Rodríguez	ESP	28/07/1987	28	-	-	-	2	1	63	16
9	Luis Suárez	URU	24/01/1987	28	-	-	-	-	-	52	28
10	Lionel Messi	ARG	24/06/1987	28	-	-	-	3	1	102	78
11	Neymar	BRA	05/02/1992	23	-	-	-	-	-	22	14
29	Sandro Ramírez	ESP	09/07/1995	20	-	-	-	-	-	3	1
31	Munir El Haddadi	ESP	01/09/1995	19	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Coach											
-	Luis Enrique	ESP	08/05/1970	45	-	-	-	-	-	13	-

Sevilla FC

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season		All-time			
						League	Gls	SCUP	Gls	UEFA	Gls
Goalkeepers											
1	Sergio Rico	ESP	01/09/1993	21	-	-	-	-	-	11	-
13	Beto	POR	01/05/1982	33	-	-	-	1	-	25	-
31	David Soria	ESP	04/04/1993	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Juan Soriano	ESP	23/08/1997	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders											
2	Benoît Trémoulinas	FRA	28/12/1985	29	-	-	-	-	-	44	1
3	Adil Rami	FRA	27/12/1985	29	-	-	-	-	-	40	6
5	Timothée Kolodziejczak	FRA	01/10/1991	23	-	-	-	-	-	13	-
18	Sergio Escudero	ESP	02/09/1989	25	-	-	-	-	-	7	-
23	Coke	ESP	26/04/1987	28	-	-	-	1	-	23	2
25	Mariano	BRA	23/06/1986	29	-	-	-	-	-	9	-
26	David Carmona	ESP	11/01/1997	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29	José Matos	ESP	06/05/1995	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Diego Gonzalez Polanco	ESP	28/01/1995	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midfielders											
4	Grzegorz Krychowiak	POL	29/01/1990	25	-	-	-	1	-	14	2
7	Michael Krohn-Dehli	DEN	06/06/1983	32	-	-	-	-	-	15	2
8	Vicente Iborra	ESP	16/01/1988	27	-	-	-	-	-	35	5
10	José Antonio Reyes	ESP	01/09/1983	31	-	-	-	2	1	91	12
12	Gaël Kakuta	FRA	21/06/1991	24	-	-	-	-	-	8	-
14	Sebastián Cristóforo	URU	23/08/1993	21	-	-	-	-	-	7	-
15	Steven N'Zonzi	FRA	15/12/1988	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	Luismi	ESP	05/05/1992	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	Denis Suárez	ESP	06/01/1994	21	-	-	-	1	-	10	3
19	Éver Banega	ARG	20/06/1988	27	-	-	-	-	-	39	-
20	Vitolo	ESP	02/11/1989	25	-	-	-	1	-	28	7
22	Yevhen Konoplyanka	UKR	29/09/1989	25	-	-	-	-	-	39	8
27	Antonio Cotán	ESP	19/05/1996	19	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Forwards											
9	Kevin Gameiro	FRA	09/05/1987	28	-	-	-	-	-	38	13
11	Ciro Immobile	ITA	20/02/1990	25	-	-	-	-	-	7	4
28	Carlos Fernández	ESP	22/05/1996	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Juan Muñoz	ESP	12/11/1995	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coach											
-	Unai Emery	ESP	03/11/1971	43	-	-	-	1	-	85	-

Head coach

Luis Enrique

Date of birth: 8 May 1970

Nationality: Spanish

Playing career: Real Sporting de Gijón, Real Madrid CF, FC Barcelona

Coaching career: FC Barcelona B, AS Roma, RC Celta de Vigo, FC Barcelona

- Known for his versatility, Luis Enrique spent the bulk of his playing career with Spain's two most successful clubs having started out at hometown side Sporting Gijón.
- Won the Liga and Copa del Rey with Madrid and Barcelona – whom he surprisingly joined on a free transfer from the Merengues in 1996 – and the UEFA Cup Winners' Cup and UEFA Super Cup at the Camp Nou, where he played under, among others, Sir Bobby Robson, Louis van Gaal and Frank Rijkaard.
- A scorer of 12 goals in 57 appearances for Spain and an Olympic gold medallist on home soil in 1992, Enrique moved into coaching with Barcelona B in 2008, succeeding his former Azulgrana team-mate Josep Guardiola.
- Appointed coach of Roma in June 2011 but held the post for just one season after a disappointing campaign. Resurfaced at Celta in summer 2013, leading the Galician side to a ninth-place finish in the Liga in his only season in charge.
- Left in May 2014 and was soon announced as Gerardo Martino's replacement at Barcelona on a two-year contract. After a challenging first half of the season, 17 wins from 19 league games helped secured a Liga title with the Copa del Rey and UEFA Champions League following as Luis Enrique emulated Guardiola in winning the treble in his first season in charge.

Unai Emery

Date of birth: 3 November 1971

Nationality: Spanish

Playing career: Real Sociedad de Fútbol, CD Toledo, Racing de Ferrol, CD Leganés, Lorca Deportiva CF

Coaching career: Lorca Deportiva CF, UD Almería, Valencia CF, FC Spartak Moskva, Sevilla FC

- The son and grandson of famous goalkeepers, Unai Emery took his first steps as a footballer in the youth ranks at Real Sociedad, where he played as a left-sided midfielder. Failed to reach the first team but carved out a career in the lower leagues with Toledo, Ferrol, Leganés and Lorca before being forced to retire at 33 having suffered a knee injury.
- He was immediately offered the chance to coach Lorca – the club with whom he had ended his playing career – and took them up to the second division in his first season in charge, 2004/05. After coming close to taking Lorca into the Spanish top flight the following season, was appointed by UD Almería ahead of 2006/07 and duly won promotion to the Liga.
- Almería shone among the Spanish elite, finishing the season in eighth place while their manager's reputation soared, earning him a call to replace Ronald Koeman at Valencia, whom he guided to third place in the Liga in both 2009/10 and 2010/11.
- Repeated the third-place finish in 2011/12 but stepped down at the end of the campaign, agreeing a two-year contract to take charge of Spartak in May 2012 but lasted only till that November.
- Swiftly returned to Spain, and Sevilla, who he led to the 2013/14 UEFA Europa League final victory against SL Benfica via a semi-final defeat of Valencia. Repeated the trick a year later, Sevilla seeing off FC Dnipro Dnipropetrovsk in Warsaw to retain the trophy.

Match officials

Referee	William Collum (SCO)
Assistant referees	Damien MacGraith (IRL) , Francis Connor (SCO)
Additional assistant referees	Bobby Madden (SCO) , Kevin Clancy (SCO)
Fourth official	Graham Chambers (SCO)
UEFA Delegate	Steve Stride (ENG)
UEFA Referee observer	Levan Paniashvili (GEO)

Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Super Cup matches	UEFA matches
William Collum	18/01/1979	0	71

William Collum

Referee since: 1993
First division: 2005
FIFA badge: 2006

Tournaments: 2011 FIFA U-20 World Cup, 2008 UEFA European Under-19 Championship, 2006 UEFA European Under-17 Championship

Finals

2008 UEFA European Under-19 Championship

UEFA Super Cup matches featuring teams from the two countries involved in this match

No such matches refereed

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
14/07/2008	U19	GS-FT	Germany	Spain	2-1	Pfizen
05/11/2009	UEL	GS	CD Nacional	Athletic Club	1-1	Funchal
12/10/2010	U21	PO	Croatia	Spain	0-3	Varazdin
14/04/2011	UEL	QF	FC Twente	Villarreal CF	1-3	Enschede
06/12/2011	UCL	GS	FC Barcelona	FC BATE Borisov	4-0	Barcelona
15/03/2012	UEL	R16	PSV Eindhoven	Valencia CF	1-1	Eindhoven
18/09/2013	UCL	GS	Club Atlético de Madrid	FC Zenit	3-1	Madrid
27/11/2013	UCL	GS	Real Madrid CF	Galatasaray AŞ	4-1	Madrid
21/10/2014	UCL	GS	FC Barcelona	AFC Ajax	3-1	Barcelona
09/12/2014	UCL	GS	Juventus	Club Atlético de Madrid	0-0	Turin

Venue guide

Fixtures and results

FC Barcelona

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
11/08/2015	SCUP	Sevilla FC (H)		
23/08/2015	League	Athletic Club (A)		
29/08/2015	League	Málaga CF (H)		
13/09/2015	League	Club Atlético de Madrid (A)		
20/09/2015	League	Levante UD (H)		
23/09/2015	League	RC Celta de Vigo (A)		
27/09/2015	League	UD Las Palmas (H)		
04/10/2015	League	Sevilla FC (A)		
18/10/2015	League	Rayo Vallecano de Madrid (H)		
25/10/2015	League	SD Eibar (H)		
28/10/2015	League	Getafe CF (A)		
01/11/2015	League	Villarreal CF (H)		
08/11/2015	League	Real Madrid CF (A)		
22/11/2015	League	Real Sociedad de Fútbol (H)		
29/11/2015	League	Valencia CF (A)		
06/12/2015	League	RC Deportivo La Coruña (H)		
13/12/2015	League	Real Sporting de Gijón (A)		
20/12/2015	League	Real Betis Balompié (H)		
03/01/2016	League	RCD Espanyol (A)		
10/01/2016	League	Granada CF (H)		
17/01/2016	League	Athletic Club (H)		
24/01/2016	League	Málaga CF (A)		
31/01/2016	League	Club Atlético de Madrid (H)		
07/02/2016	League	Levante UD (A)		
14/02/2016	League	RC Celta de Vigo (H)		
21/02/2016	League	UD Las Palmas (A)		
28/02/2016	League	Sevilla FC (H)		
02/03/2016	League	Rayo Vallecano de Madrid (A)		
06/03/2016	League	SD Eibar (A)		
13/03/2016	League	Getafe CF (H)		
20/03/2016	League	Villarreal CF (A)		
03/04/2016	League	Real Madrid CF (H)		
10/04/2016	League	Real Sociedad de Fútbol (A)		
17/04/2016	League	Valencia CF (H)		
20/04/2016	League	RC Deportivo La Coruña (A)		
24/04/2016	League	Real Sporting de Gijón (H)		
01/05/2016	League	Real Betis Balompié (A)		
08/05/2016	League	RCD Espanyol (H)		
15/05/2016	League	Granada CF (A)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Athletic Club	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	Club Atlético de Madrid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
3	FC Barcelona	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	RC Celta de Vigo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	RC Deportivo La Coruña	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	SD Eibar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	RCD Espanyol	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	Getafe CF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	Granada CF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	UD Las Palmas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Levante UD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Málaga CF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	Rayo Vallecano de Madrid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	Real Betis Balompié	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	Real Madrid CF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Real Sociedad de Fútbol	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	Sevilla FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	Real Sporting de Gijón	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Valencia CF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Villarreal CF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Sevilla FC

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
11/08/2015	SCUP	FC Barcelona (A)		
21/08/2015	League	Málaga CF (A)		
30/08/2015	League	Club Atlético de Madrid (H)		
13/09/2015	League	Levante UD (A)		
20/09/2015	League	RC Celta de Vigo (H)		
23/09/2015	League	UD Las Palmas (A)		
27/09/2015	League	Rayo Vallecano de Madrid (H)		
04/10/2015	League	FC Barcelona (H)		
18/10/2015	League	SD Eibar (A)		
25/10/2015	League	Getafe CF (H)		
28/10/2015	League	Villarreal CF (A)		
01/11/2015	League	Real Madrid CF (H)		
08/11/2015	League	Real Sociedad de Fútbol (A)		
22/11/2015	League	Valencia CF (H)		
29/11/2015	League	RC Deportivo La Coruña (A)		
06/12/2015	League	Real Sporting de Gijón (H)		
13/12/2015	League	Real Betis Balompié (A)		
20/12/2015	League	RCD Espanyol (H)		
03/01/2016	League	Granada CF (A)		
10/01/2016	League	Athletic Club (H)		
17/01/2016	League	Málaga CF (H)		
24/01/2016	League	Club Atlético de Madrid (A)		
31/01/2016	League	Levante UD (H)		
07/02/2016	League	RC Celta de Vigo (A)		

Sevilla FC

14/02/2016	League	UD Las Palmas (H)		
21/02/2016	League	Rayo Vallecano de Madrid (A)		
28/02/2016	League	FC Barcelona (A)		
02/03/2016	League	SD Eibar (H)		
06/03/2016	League	Getafe CF (A)		
13/03/2016	League	Villarreal CF (H)		
20/03/2016	League	Real Madrid CF (A)		
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1	Athletic Club	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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4	RC Celta de Vigo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	RC Deportivo La Coruña	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	SD Eibar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	RCD Espanyol	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	Getafe CF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	Granada CF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	UD Las Palmas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Levante UD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Málaga CF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	Rayo Vallecano de Madrid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	Real Betis Balompié	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	Real Madrid CF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Real Sociedad de Fútbol	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	Sevilla FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	Real Sporting de Gijón	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Valencia CF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Villarreal CF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Competition facts

UEFA Super Cup: All-time records

- There have been 39 previous UEFA Super Cup finals, including 15 at Monaco's Stade Louis II from when the showpiece moved to a one-off match on a permanent basis in 1998. The 2013 fixture took place in Prague with the 2014 fixture held in Cardiff.
- Of the 39 previous editions, the team that won the European Cup have triumphed on 20 occasions, most recently Real Madrid CF in 2014. Since the UEFA Cup winners began to take part in 2000 following the disbanding of the UEFA Cup Winners' Cup, seven of the 15 finals have been won by the side that lifted the UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League the preceding season.
- Spain holds the record for the number of times their teams have participated in the competition with 20 entries (FC Barcelona 8, Real Madrid CF 4, Sevilla FC 3, Valencia CF 2, Club Atlético de Madrid 2, Real Zaragoza 1). England have had 15 (Liverpool FC 5, Manchester United FC 3, Nottingham Forest FC 2, Chelsea FC 3, Arsenal FC 1, Aston Villa FC 1), one more than Italy (AC Milan 7, Juventus 2, FC Internazionale Milano 1, Parma FC 1, SS Lazio 1, UC Sampdoria 1).
- Spanish clubs have recorded the most victories with 11 (Barcelona 4, Valencia 2, Atlético 2, Real Madrid 2, Sevilla 1), two more than Italy and four more than England.
- Milan lead the way with five victories in the competition (1989, 1990, 1994, 2003 and 2007), with Barcelona one behind and Liverpool two.
- Four finals have been decided in extra time, the beneficiaries being Parma (1993, 2-1 versus Milan), Galatasaray SK (2000, 2-1 golden goal victory versus Real Madrid), Liverpool (2005, 3-1 versus PFC CSKA Moskva) and Barcelona (2009, 1-0 versus FC Shakhtar Donetsk).
- The 2013 edition was the first to involve a penalty shoot-out, Bayern beating Chelsea 5-4 on penalties after a 2-2 draw in Prague.
- Atlético became the first side to score four times in a one-off final with their 2012 defeat of Chelsea; Liverpool (2001, 2005), Real Madrid (2002), Sevilla (2006) and Milan (2007) all managed three goals.
- Atlético's 2012 win matched Sevilla's three-goal defeat of Barcelona in 2006 as the largest margin of victory.
- There have been four 1-0 results: Chelsea (1998), Lazio (1999) – the first two one-off finals – Milan (2003) and Barcelona (2009) the victors.
- There has never been a UEFA Super Cup finishing scoreless after 120 minutes.
- Four finals have pitted teams from the same country. Milan beat Sampdoria 3-1 on aggregate in 1990 and lost 2-1 to Parma three years later before the all-Spanish affair between Barcelona and Sevilla in 2006 and Real Madrid's 2014 defeat of Sevilla.
- The fastest goal came in the 1987 decider when Rui Barros struck the only goal of the first leg after five minutes for FC Porto away to AFC Ajax. For single-match finals since 1998, Falcao's sixth-minute opener for Atlético in 2012 is the quickest goal.
- Falcao (2012, Atlético v Chelsea) and Terry McDermott (1977, Liverpool v Hamburger SV, second leg) are the only players to have scored three times in one UEFA Super Cup game. McDermott's hat-trick was the faster, registered in a 17-minute spell either side of the interval.
- The only own goal seen in a UEFA Super Cup final since it permanently became a one-off match in 1998 came from Feyenoord's Patrick Paauwe 15 minutes into his team's 3-1 reverse to Real Madrid in 2002.
- Manchester United midfielder Paul Scholes became the first player sent off in the history of the competition against FC Zenit in 2008. Porto's Rolando and Fredy Guarín were both dismissed in 2011.

Competition history

The UEFA Super Cup was not staged in three seasons since its 1973 inception. In 1974, following political problems, Bayern of the Federal Republic of Germany did not play 1. FC Magdeburg of the German Democratic Republic. Then, in 1981, Liverpool and FC Dinamo Tbilisi failed to find a date to contest the competition. Following the Heysel tragedy on 29 May 1985, Juventus and Everton FC did not play the 1985 UEFA Super Cup.

Legend

Statistics

The statistics provided throughout this document are based on the all-time records of the competing clubs in UEFA club competition.

UEFA club competition: These are the official statistics considered valid for communicating official records in UEFA club competitions defined as the European Champion Clubs' Cup, the UEFA Champions League, the UEFA Cup Winners' Cup, the UEFA Cup, the UEFA Europa League, the UEFA Super Cup (from the 1973 competition), the UEFA Intertoto Cup and the European/South American Cup.

Match officials

Nat. - Nationality

DoB - Date of birth

UEFA: UEFA club competition (including qualifying matches)

2009/10 finals

Ex. - extra time

Team facts

Goals for/against: Goals totals include the outcome of disciplinary decisions (eg. match forfeits when a 3-0 result is determined). Goals totals do not include goals scored from the penalty mark during a penalty shoot-out after a tie ended in a draw.

Competitions

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

SCUP: Total appearances in the UEFA Super Cup

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

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