

# EUROPEAN QUALIFIERS - 2016/18 SEASON MATCH PRESS KITS



**Bulgaria**

**Natsionalen Stadion Vasil Levski -  
Sofia**

Saturday 7 October 2017  
20.45CET (21.45 local time)  
Group A - Matchday 9



**France**

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## EUROPEAN QUALIFIERS OFFICIAL SPONSORS



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## Match officials

<b>Referee</b>	Antonio Mateu Lahoz (ESP)
<b>Assistant referees</b>	Pau Cebrián Devís (ESP) , Roberto del Palomar (ESP)
<b>Fourth official</b>	Alejandro Hernandez (ESP)
<b>FIFA Match Commissioner</b>	David Findlay (SCO)
<b>Referee observer</b>	Jørn West Larsen (DEN)

## Referee

Name	Date of birth		UEFA matches
Antonio Mateu Lahoz	12/03/1977	4	50

## FIFA World Cup matches involving 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
19/07/2012	UEL	2QR	PFC Lokomotiv Plovdiv	Vitesse	4-4	Lovech
04/10/2012	UEL	GS	Newcastle United FC	FC Girondins de Bordeaux	3-0	Newcastle
04/12/2012	UCL	GS	Montpellier Hérault SC	FC Schalke 04	1-1	Montpellier
06/08/2013	UCL	3QR	Grasshopper Club Zürich	Olympique Lyonnais	0-1	Zurich
26/11/2013	UCL	GS	Arsenal FC	Olympique de Marseille	2-0	London
13/03/2014	UEL	R16	Olympique Lyonnais	FC Viktoria Plzeň	4-1	Lyon
10/10/2014	EURO	QR	Bulgaria	Croatia	0-1	Sofia
26/11/2014	UCL	GS	PFC Ludogorets 1945	Liverpool FC	2-2	Sofia
21/02/2017	UCL	R16	Manchester City FC	AS Monaco FC	5-3	Manchester
13/04/2017	UEL	QF	Olympique Lyonnais	Beşiktaş JK	2-1	Decines
03/05/2017	UCL	SF	AS Monaco FC	Juventus	0-2	Monaco
27/09/2017	UCL	GS	Paris Saint-Germain	FC Bayern München	3-0	Paris

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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

## Other abbreviations

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**(aet):** After extra time  
**No.:** Number  
**ag:** Match decided on away goals  
**agg:** Aggregate  
**AP:** Appearances  
**Comp.:** Competition  
**D:** Drawn  
**DoB:** Date of birth  
**ET:** Extra Time  
**GA:** Goals against  
**GF:** Goals for  
**gg:** Match decided by golden goal  
**L:** Lost  
**Nat.:** Nationality

**pens:** Penalties  
**og:** Own goal  
**P:** Penalty  
**Pld:** Matches played  
**Pos.:** Position  
**Pts:** Points  
**R:** Sent off (straight red card)  
**Res.:** Result  
**sg:** Match decided by silver goal  
**t:** Match decided by toss of a coin  
**W:** Won  
**Y:** Booked  
**Y/R:** Sent off (two yellow cards)  
**N/A:** 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

**Overall:** Total appearances in the UEFA European Under-21 Championship final tournament only

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