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UEFA Champions League

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|------------|-------|--------------------------------|--------|--------|---|
| 27/11/2018 | GS | FC Bayern München - SL Benfica | 5-1 | Munich | Robben 13, 30, Lewandowski 36, 51, Ribéry 76; Gedson Fernandes 46 |
| 19/09/2018 | GS | SL Benfica - FC Bayern München | 0-2 | Lisbon | Lewandowski 10, Renato Sanches 54 |

UEFA Champions League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------|---|
| 13/04/2016 | QF | SL Benfica - FC Bayern München | 2-2 agg: 2-3 | Lisbon | Jiménez 27, Talisca 76; Vidal 38, Müller 52 |
| 05/04/2016 | QF | FC Bayern München - SL Benfica | 1-0 | Munich | Vidal 2 |

UEFA Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------|---------------------------------------|
| 05/12/1995 | R3 | SL Benfica - FC Bayern München | 1-3 agg: 2-7 | Lisbon | Valdo 14; Klinsmann 31, 67, Herzog 82 |
| 21/11/1995 | R3 | FC Bayern München - SL Benfica | 4-1 | Munich | Klinsmann 26, 31, 43, 46; Dimas 30 |

European Champions Clubs' Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------|---|
| 04/11/1981 | R2 | FC Bayern München - SL Benfica | 4-1 agg: 4-1 | Munich | D. Hoeness 27, 35, 53, Breitner 81; Nené 65 |
| 21/10/1981 | R2 | SL Benfica - FC Bayern München | 0-0 | Lisbon | |

European Champions Clubs' Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------|--|
| 17/03/1976 | QF | FC Bayern München - SL Benfica | 5-1 agg: 5-1 | Munich | Dürnberger 50, 55, K-H. Rummenigge 68, G. Müller 73, 83; Barros 70 |
| 03/03/1976 | QF | SL Benfica - FC Bayern München | 0-0 | Lisbon | |

| | Home | | | | Away | | | | Final | | | | Total | | | | | |
|-------------------|------|---|---|---|------|---|---|---|-------|---|---|---|-------|---|---|---|----|----|
| | Pld | W | D | L | Pld | W | D | L | Pld | W | D | L | Pld | W | D | L | GF | GA |
| SL Benfica | 5 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 7 | 26 |
| FC Bayern München | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 26 | 7 |

SL Benfica - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Champions League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--------------------------------|--------|---------|---|
| 27/11/2019 | GS | RB Leipzig - SL Benfica | 2-2 | Leipzig | Forsberg 90 (P), 90+6; Pizzi 20, Carlos Vinícius 59 |
| 17/09/2019 | GS | SL Benfica - RB Leipzig | 1-2 | Lisbon | Seferović 84; Werner 69, 78 |

UEFA Europa League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|---|--------------------|-------------------|--|
| 18/04/2019 | QF | Eintracht Frankfurt - SL Benfica | 2-0 agg: 4-4 ag | Frankfurt am Main | Kostić 37, Rode 67 |
| 11/04/2019 | QF | SL Benfica - Eintracht Frankfurt | 4-2 | Lisbon | João Félix 21 (P), 43, 54, Rúben Dias 50; Jović 40, Gonçalo Paciência 72 |

UEFA Champions League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|----------|----------------------------------|
| 08/03/2017 | R16 | Borussia Dortmund - SL Benfica | 4-0 agg: 4-1 | Dortmund | Aubameyang 4, 61, 85, Pulišić 59 |
| 14/02/2017 | R16 | SL Benfica - Borussia Dortmund | 1-0 | Lisbon | Mitroglou 48 |

UEFA Champions League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|---|--------|------------|--|
| 09/12/2014 | GS | SL Benfica - Bayer 04 Leverkusen | 0-0 | Lisbon | |
| 01/10/2014 | GS | Bayer 04 Leverkusen - SL Benfica | 3-1 | Leverkusen | Kiessling 25, Son 34, Hakan Çalhanoğlu 64 (P); Salvio 62 |

UEFA Europa League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|---|-----------------|------------|--------------------------------|
| 21/02/2013 | R32 | SL Benfica - Bayer 04 Leverkusen | 2-1 agg: 3-1 | Lisbon | John 60, Matić 77; Schürrle 75 |
| 14/02/2013 | R32 | Bayer 04 Leverkusen - SL Benfica | 0-1 | Leverkusen | Cardozo 61 |

UEFA Europa League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|--------------------------------|
| 24/02/2011 | R32 | VfB Stuttgart - SL Benfica | 0-2 agg: 1-4 | Stuttgart | Salvio 31, Cardozo 78 |
| 17/02/2011 | R32 | SL Benfica - VfB Stuttgart | 2-1 | Lisbon | Cardozo 70, Jara 81; Harnik 21 |

UEFA Champions League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|-----------------------------------|--------|---------------|----------------------------------|
| 07/12/2010 | GS | SL Benfica - FC Schalke 04 | 1-2 | Lisbon | Luisão 87; Jurado 19, Höwedes 81 |
| 29/09/2010 | GS | FC Schalke 04 - SL Benfica | 2-0 | Gelsenkirchen | Farfán 73, Huntelaar 85 |

UEFA Europa League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|--------|--|
| 23/02/2010 | R32 | SL Benfica - Hertha BSC Berlin | 4-0 agg: 5-1 | Lisbon | Aimar 25, Cardozo 48, 62, Javi García 59 |
| 18/02/2010 | R32 | Hertha BSC Berlin - SL Benfica | 1-1 | Berlin | Javi García 33 (og); Di María 4 |

UEFA Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|---------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------------------------|
| 23/10/2008 | GS | Hertha BSC Berlin - SL Benfica | 1-1 | Berlin | Pantelić 74; Di María 51 |

UEFA Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|--|
| 21/02/2008 | R3 | 1. FC Nürnberg - SL Benfica | 2-2 agg: 2-3 | Nuremberg | Charisteads 59, Saenko 66; Cardozo 89, Di María 90+1 |
| 14/02/2008 | R3 | SL Benfica - 1. FC Nürnberg | 1-0 | Lisbon | Makukula 43 |

UEFA Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|-----------------------------------|--------|-----------|-------------------------------|
| 04/11/2004 | GS | VfB Stuttgart - SL Benfica | 3-0 | Stuttgart | Cacau 31, Lahm 52, Kuranyi 72 |

UEFA Champions League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--|--------|----------------|---|
| 25/11/1998 | GS | SL Benfica - 1. FC Kaiserslautern | 2-1 | Lisbon | Nuno Gomes 31, João Pinto 70; Rische 90 |
| 16/09/1998 | GS | 1. FC Kaiserslautern - SL Benfica | 1-0 | Kaiserslautern | Wagner 41 |

UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|---|--------------------|------------|---|
| 15/03/1994 | QF | Bayer 04 Leverkusen - SL Benfica | 4-4 agg: 5-5 ag | Leverkusen | Kirsten 24, 80, Schuster 57, Hapal 82; Abel Xavier 59, João Pinto 60, Kulkov 78, 85 |
| 01/03/1994 | QF | SL Benfica - Bayer 04 Leverkusen | 1-1 | Lisbon | Isaías 90; Happe 66 |

UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--|-----------------|------------|--|
| 22/04/1981 | SF | SL Benfica - FC Carl Zeiss Jena | 1-0 agg: 1-2 | Lisbon | Reinaldo 60 |
| 08/04/1981 | SF | FC Carl Zeiss Jena - SL Benfica | 2-0 | Jena | Bielau 8, Raab 20 |
| 18/03/1981 | QF | SL Benfica - Fortuna Düsseldorf | 1-0 agg: 3-2 | Lisbon | Chalana 88 |
| 04/03/1981 | QF | Fortuna Düsseldorf - SL Benfica | 2-2 | Dusseldorf | Wenzel 2, Dusend 38; Carlos Manuel 34, Jesus Coelho 75 |

UEFA Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--|----------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|
| 01/11/1978 | R2 | VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach - SL Benfica | 2-0 agg 2-0 (aet) | Monchengladbach | Bruns 95 ET (P), Klinkhammer 119 ET |
| 18/10/1978 | R2 | SL Benfica - VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach | 0-0 | Lisbon | |

European Champions Clubs' Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--|-----------------|---------|-------------------------|
| 29/09/1976 | R1 | SL Benfica - 1. FC Dynamo Dresden | 0-0 agg: 0-2 | Lisbon | |
| 15/09/1976 | R1 | 1. FC Dynamo Dresden - SL Benfica | 2-0 | Dresden | Kotte 74 (P), Riedel 78 |

UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--|--------------------|--------|-------------------|
| 06/11/1974 | R2 | SL Benfica - FC Carl Zeiss Jena | 0-0 agg: 1-1 ag | Lisbon | |
| 23/10/1974 | R2 | FC Carl Zeiss Jena - SL Benfica | 1-1 | Jena | Vogel 76; Nené 20 |

UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--|---------------------------------|------------------|------------------------|
| 04/11/1970 | R2 | FK Vorwärts Berlin - SL Benfica | 2-0 agg: 2-2 (aet, 5-3 pens) | Frankfurt (Oder) | Wruck 25, Frässdorf 67 |
| 21/10/1970 | R2 | SL Benfica - FK Vorwärts Berlin | 2-0 | Lisbon | Eusébio 3, Costa 66 |

European Champions Clubs' Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|----------|---|
| 04/12/1963 | R1 | Borussia Dortmund - SL Benfica | 5-0 agg: 6-2 | Dortmund | Konietzka 33, Brungs 35, 37, 47, Wosab 58 |
| 06/11/1963 | R1 | SL Benfica - Borussia Dortmund | 2-1 | Lisbon | Simões 46, Eusébio 67; Wosab 54 |

European Champions Clubs' Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|--|
| 22/02/1962 | QF | SL Benfica - 1. FC Nürnberg | 6-0 agg: 7-3 | Lisbon | Águas 3, Eusébio 4, 55, Coluna 21, José Augusto 63, 78 |
| 01/02/1962 | QF | 1. FC Nürnberg - SL Benfica | 3-1 | Nuremberg | Flachenecker 31, 85, Strehl 40; Cavém 10 |

FC Bayern München - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Champions League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|--------|---|
| 21/04/2015 | QF | FC Bayern München - FC Porto | 6-1 agg: 7-4 | Munich | Thiago Alcántara 14, Boateng 22, Lewandowski 27, 40, Müller 36, Xabi Alonso 88; Martínez 73 |
| 15/04/2015 | QF | FC Porto - FC Bayern München | 3-1 | Porto | Quaresma 3 (P), 10, Martínez 65; Thiago Alcántara 28 |

UEFA Champions League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|---|------------------|--------|--|
| 10/03/2009 | R16 | FC Bayern München - Sporting Clube de Portugal | 7-1 agg: 12-1 | Munich | Podolski 7, 34, Polga 39 (og), Schweinsteiger 43, Van Bommel 74, Klose 82 (P), Müller 90; João Moutinho 42 |
| 25/02/2009 | R16 | Sporting Clube de Portugal - FC Bayern München | 0-5 | Lisbon | Ribéry 42, 63 (P), Klose 57, Toni 84, 90+1 |

UEFA Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--|-----------------|--------|----------------------------|
| 29/11/2007 | GS | SC Braga - FC Bayern München | 1-1 | Braga | Linz 66; Klose 47 |
| 04/10/2007 | R1 | Os Belenenses - FC Bayern München | 0-2 agg: 0-3 | Lisbon | Toni 59, Hamit Altıntop 76 |
| 20/09/2007 | R1 | FC Bayern München - Os Belenenses | 1-0 | Munich | Toni 34 |

UEFA Champions League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|---|--------|--------|-------------------|
| 31/10/2006 | GS | FC Bayern München - Sporting Clube de Portugal | 0-0 | Munich | |
| 18/10/2006 | GS | Sporting Clube de Portugal - FC Bayern München | 0-1 | Lisbon | Schweinsteiger 19 |

UEFA Champions League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|--|--------|--------|---------------|
| 26/02/2002 | GS2 | FC Bayern München - Boavista FC | 1-0 | Munich | Santa Cruz 81 |
| 20/02/2002 | GS2 | Boavista FC - FC Bayern München | 0-0 | Porto | |

UEFA Champions League

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|--------|--|
| 19/04/2000 | QF | FC Bayern München - FC Porto | 2-1 agg: 3-2 | Munich | Paulo Sérgio 15, Linke 90+2; Jardel 90 |
| 04/04/2000 | QF | FC Porto - FC Bayern München | 1-1 | Porto | Jardel 47; Paulo Sérgio 80 |

European Champions Clubs' Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|--------|------------------------|
| 20/03/1991 | QF | FC Porto - FC Bayern München | 0-2 agg: 1-3 | Porto | Ziege 18, Bender 71 |
| 06/03/1991 | QF | FC Bayern München - FC Porto | 1-1 | Munich | Bender 30; Domingos 65 |

European Champions Clubs' Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|------------------------------|
| 27/05/1987 | F | FC Bayern München - FC Porto | 1-2 | Vienna | Kögl 25; Madjer 77, Juary 80 |

UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

| Date | Stage | Match | Result | Venue | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|---------|--|
| 14/11/1967 | R2 | Vitória FC - FC Bayern München | 1-1 agg: 3-7 | Setubal | Freitas Pereira Pedras 68; Ohlhauser 75 |
| 08/11/1967 | R2 | FC Bayern München - Vitória FC | 6-2 | Munich | G. Müller 8, 59, 89 (P), Brenninger 20, Ohlhauser 27, Nafziger 50; Freitas Pereira Pedras 7, Tomé 81 |

| | Home | | | | Away | | | | Final | | | | Total | | | | | |
|-------------------|------|----|---|---|------|---|---|----|-------|---|---|---|-------|----|----|----|----|----|
| | Pld | W | D | L | Pld | W | D | L | Pld | W | D | L | Pld | W | D | L | GF | GA |
| SL Benfica | 24 | 12 | 8 | 4 | 26 | 2 | 7 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 14 | 15 | 21 | 56 | 81 |
| FC Bayern München | 13 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 28 | 17 | 9 | 2 | 65 | 21 |

Match background

Second takes on first in the third set of Group E fixtures as Benfica welcome to Lisbon a Bayern München side that lifted the UEFA Champions League trophy in their stadium in August 2020 and are on a record run of 19 away games in the competition without defeat.

- The German visitors are looking for their third victory having triumphed 3-0 at Barcelona before a 5-0 victory against Dynamo Kyiv in Munich. Benfica were held 0-0 in Ukraine on Matchday 1 but impressed last time out with a 3-0 dismantling of Barcelona on home soil.

Previous meetings

- Benfica and Bayern have met in ten previous UEFA matches; the Portuguese side have yet to record a victory.
- The clubs' paths last crossed in 2018/19, their first contests in the UEFA Champions League group stage. Bayern won 2-0 in Lisbon on Matchday 1 thanks to goals from Robert Lewandowski (10) and former Benfica midfielder Renato Sanches (54). Lewandowski (36, 51) added two more goals in a 5-1 Matchday 5 victory in Munich, Arjen Robben (13, 30) also scoring twice with Franck Ribéry (76) the other Bayern scorer, Gedson Fernandes getting the sole Benfica response in the 46th minute.
- The teams have met in four previous two-legged ties and Bayern have won all of them, including the quarter-final of their victorious 1975/76 European Champion Clubs' Cup campaign and the second round of the 1981/82 competition. In both instances a goalless first leg in Lisbon was followed by a big Bayern win in Munich; 5-1 in the first campaign and 4-1 in the latter.
- Jürgen Klinsmann was the standout performer in the clubs' 1995/96 UEFA Cup third round tie. The striker scored all four goals in Bayern's 4-1 home first-leg victory, then added two more in a 3-1 Lisbon success. Bayern went on to beat Bordeaux in the final, Klinsmann finishing with a competition-record 15 goals for the season.
- Bayern were also 3-2 aggregate victors in the 2015/16 UEFA Champions League quarter-final, a 1-0 win in Munich preceding a 2-2 draw in Portugal in which Thomas Müller scored the decisive second goal.

Form guide

Benfica

- Third in the Portuguese Liga in 2020/21, nine points adrift of champions Sporting CP, the most recent of Benfica's 15 UEFA Champions League group stage campaigns came in 2019/20 – their tenth in succession.
- Two seasons ago Benfica bowed out after the group stage for the third year running, finishing third in their section behind Leipzig and Lyon with seven points, ahead of Zenit on head-to-head record. They went on to lose 5-4 on aggregate to Shakhtar Donetsk in the UEFA Europa League round of 32.
- That was the tenth time Benfica had failed to reach the UEFA Champions League knockout phase in their 15 attempts.
- Benfica began their 2021/22 European campaign in the third qualifying round, where they won 2-0 both away and at home against Spartak Moskva. They then edged out PSV Eindhoven in the play-offs (2-1 h, 0-0 a) in a repeat of the 1988 European Cup final.
- Benfica's 2020/21 UEFA Champions League campaign lasted a single match, a 2-1 defeat at PAOK in the third qualifying round. They went on to finish second in their UEFA Europa League section behind Rangers before losing 4-3 on aggregate to Arsenal in the round of 32, a 1-1 draw in Rome preceding a 3-2 loss in Piraeus with both games played at neutral venues.
- The Portuguese side are unbeaten in nine European games in Lisbon (W7 D2), winning the last four; a 2-1 loss against Leipzig on Matchday 1 of the 2019/20 UEFA Champions League is their sole defeat in 15 European matches at their own stadium (W10 D4).
- The Lisbon giants have reached seven European Cup finals, winning the trophy in 1961 and 1962 but losing on their five subsequent appearances, most recently against AC Milan in 1990.
- Benfica's last games against Bundesliga opponents came in the 2019/20 UEFA Champions League group stage, when they went down 2-1 at home to Leipzig on Matchday 1 before a 2-2 Matchday 5 draw in Germany.
- That made it 50 games against German opposition for Benfica, whose record is now W14 D15 L21. That defeat by Leipzig was only their fourth in the 24 home games (W12 D8), although they have been beaten in two of the last three.

Bayern

- This is Bayern's 25th UEFA Champions League group campaign, fewer only than Barcelona and Real Madrid (both 26). They have won their section 17 times, including in each of the last three seasons. Only Barcelona (21) have done

so more often.

- In 2020/21, as holders, Bayern finished first in Group A, extending their UEFA Champions League record of successive victories to 15 before being held 1-1 at Atlético de Madrid on Matchday 5. Those were the only points they dropped in their section.
- A side coached by Hansi Flick then eased past Lazio in the round of 16 (4-1 a, 2-1) but a 3-2 home loss against Paris Saint-Germain – who Bayern had beaten 1-0 in the previous season's final – in the quarter-final first leg proved insurmountable, Bayern bowing out despite a subsequent 1-0 win in France.
- Flick left Bayern to take over as Germany coach in the summer, Julian Nagelsmann moving from Leipzig to succeed him in Munich.
- Bayern's last European away defeat was a 3-0 loss at Paris on Matchday 1 of the 2017/18 UEFA Champions League; their record since is W15 D4. Outside Munich they had won ten in a row before being held at Atleti last season, the only one of their last 14 away European matches they have failed to win; the victory at Lazio in the last 16 first leg surpassed Manchester United's UEFA Champions League record of 16 away games without defeat, a run that is now up to 19 matches.
- Bayern are the joint highest scorers in their season's group stage on eight goals, level with Liverpool.
- Champions of Germany for a record 31st time last season – with a landmark ninth successive Bundesliga title – Bayern have reached the UEFA Champions League quarter-finals or better in nine of the last ten seasons, the exception their defeat by eventual champions Liverpool in the 2018/19 round of 16.
- Flick's Bayern claimed their sixth European Cup in Lisbon in 2019/20, beating Barcelona 8-2 in the quarter-finals, Lyon 3-0 in the semis and Paris 1-0 in the final, Kingsley Coman scoring the only goal. The quarter-final and final were played at the Estádio do Sport Lisboa e Benfica with the semi-final at the Estádio José Alvalade.
- Bayern have suffered only two defeats by Portuguese clubs (W17 D9), both against Porto. In the 2014/15 UEFA Champions League quarter-finals, they went down 3-1 in the first game in Portugal, but turned the tie round spectacularly with a 6-1 second-leg success in Munich. They also lost to Porto in the 1987 European Cup final, 2-1 in Vienna.
- The Munich club's record in away games against Portuguese clubs is W6 D7 L1.

Links and trivia

- Have played in Germany:

Julian Weigl (1860 München 2010–15, Borussia Dortmund 2015–20)

Valentino Lázaro (Hertha Berlin 2017–19, Borussia Mönchengladbach 2020/21 loan)

Haris Seferović (Eintracht Frankfurt 2014–17)

Nemanja Radonjić (Hertha Berlin 2021 loan)

- Benfica's Greek international goalkeeper Odysseas Vlachodimos was born in Stuttgart and came through the ranks at his home-town club, making three first-team appearances before joining Panathinaikos in 2016.
- Fellow Austrian internationals Lázaro and Marcel Sabitzer were both in the Grazer AK youth system between 2002 and 2008.
- Seferović scored twice as Switzerland drew 3-3 with France in the UEFA EURO 2020 round of 16, going on to win 5-4 on penalties; Benjamin Pavard and substitute Kingsley Coman featured for France with Lucas Hernández an unused replacement.

Latest news

Benfica

- Benfica's seven-game winning start to the Portuguese Liga season – and 13-match unbeaten run in all competitions in 2021/22 (W11 D2) – was ended by a 1-0 home defeat against Portimonense on 3 October.
- Benfica's run of seven straight wins in their first seven league matches this season was the club's joint best start, matching Sven-Göran Eriksson's team in 1982/83.
- On Saturday Benfica needed extra time to see off second division Trofense 2-1 in the last 64 of the Portuguese Cup, Everton opening the scoring with his first goal of the season and André Almeida finally settling the contest with his first Benfica goal since July 2020.
- Darwin Núñez is Benfica's top scorer this season with six goals in all competitions, one more than Rafa Silva, with Roman Yaremchuk on four.
- Rafa Silva sat out Portugal's recent internationals with a knee injury and was also absent for Benfica's weekend cup game.

- Valentino Lázaro returned on Saturday having not played since suffering a muscle injury on Matchday 2, although he had to be replaced early in the second half at Trofense. Haris Seferović sat out Switzerland's October internationals with a similar problem and was absent on Saturday.
- Yaremchuk scored the decisive goal in Ukraine's 2-1 win in Finland in 2022 FIFA World Cup qualifying on 9 October.
- Jan Vertonghen played 90 minutes against both France (2-3) and hosts Italy (1-2) as Belgium finished fourth in the UEFA Nations League.
- On 9 October Rui Costa was voted in as Benfica's 34th club president with more than 40,000 members and associates casting ballots in the club's biggest ever poll.

Bayern

- Thomas Müller has scored 49 goals in the UEFA Champions League, group stage to final.
- Müller has played 126 matches in the UEFA Champions League, group stage to final; no German has played in the competition more. Manuel Neuer is second on the list with 121 appearances.
- Bayern have won ten of their 12 games this season in all competitions, the only exceptions a 1-1 draw at Borussia Mönchengladbach on 13 August on the first day of the Bundesliga season and a 2-1 defeat at home against Eintracht Frankfurt on 3 October.
- Bayern were 5-1 winners at Bayer Leverkusen on Sunday, Robert Lewandowski and Serge Gnabry both scoring twice and Müller getting the other. All Bayern's goals came in the first 37 minutes, the third fastest a side has hit five goals in Bundesliga history.
- The Munich club have scored 29 goals in their first eight Bundesliga matches this season, equalling their own competition record from 1976/77.
- Müller had scored his 218th goal for Bayern in a 3-1 win at Greuther Fürth on 24 September, moving him to third in his own right in the all-time list, above Karl-Heinz Rummenigge (217). Only Gerd Müller (563 goals) and Lewandowski (309) have more than Müller's current total of 219.
- Julian Nagelsmann's team have already scored 52 goals in 12 games this season and have hit three or more in ten of their last 11, the exception the Frankfurt defeat.
- Lewandowski's goal against Bochum on 18 September made him the first player in Bundesliga history to score in 13 successive home matches; he had been level with Gerd Müller and Jupp Heynckes on 12. His run ended against Frankfurt, the first time he had failed to score in a Bundesliga match at the Fußball Arena München since a 3-3 draw with Leipzig on 5 December 2020.
- Bayern have scored in 83 successive matches in all competitions, a record for the top five European leagues; the previous best was Real Madrid's 73 set in 2017.
- Lewandowski's double on Sunday were his first goals in three Bundesliga games after scoring in the first five league matches, seven goals in all, including a hat-trick against Hertha Berlin on 28 August. All in all he has scored 15 goals in 11 club games this season, and has 18 in 16 including his three international goals in five games for Poland.
- Lewandowski had scored in 19 consecutive games for Bayern, finding the net 30 times over that stretch, before drawing a blank at Greuther Fürth.
- Lewandowski has now scored 286 league goals for Borussia Dortmund and Bayern combined, the second highest Bundesliga total of all time, behind only former Bayern striker Gerd Müller (365 goals).
- In the first round of the German Cup Bayern won 12-0 at fifth tier Bremer SV on 25 August, Eric Maxim Choupo-Moting scoring four of their goals. Nagelsmann's side will visit Mönchengladbach in the second round on 27 October.
- Benjamin Pavard, Lucas Hernández and Dayot Upamecano were part of the victorious France squad at the UEFA Nations League Finals. Pavard played against Belgium (3-2) on 7 October and three days later against Spain (2-1) in the final, Hernández appearing in the semi-final and Upamecano coming on as a first-half substitute in the final.
- On 8 October goals from Serge Gnabry – his 20th in international football – and Müller – his 40th – guided Germany to a 2-1 comeback win at home to Romania in 2022 FIFA World Cup qualifying.
- Marcel Sabitzer was on target for Austria in a 2-0 success away to the Faroe Islands the next day.
- On 11 October Jamal Musiala got his first international goal in Germany's 4-0 win at North Macedonia – the result booking his side's place at next year's World Cup – to become Germany's youngest competitive scorer aged 18 years 227 days.
- Josip Stanišić won his first two caps for Croatia in the recent World Cup qualifiers away to Cyprus (3-0) and at home to Slovakia (2-2), starting both matches.

- On 7 October Malik Tillman scored on his debut in Germany's 3-2 win against Israel in 2023 UEFA European Under-21 Championship qualifying. He also found the net in a 5-1 win in Hungary five days later.
- On 13 October Alphonso Davies scored for Canada in a 4-1 World Cup qualifying win against Panama.
- Davies was taken off five minutes before half-time on Sunday due to a thigh injury.
- Sven Ulreich has been sidelined since suffering a knee injury in training on 20 September.
- Kingsley Coman returned as a substitute on Sunday for his first appearance since 14 September after minor heart surgery; Corentin Tolisso, whose calf injury has kept him out since 25 August, was an unused replacement.
- Lewandowski is on the 30-man shortlist for the Ballon d'Or, with the winner to be announced on 29 November.

Squad list

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| No. | Player | Nat. | DoB | Age | D | Current season | | | | | | All-time | | | |
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| | | | | | | UCLQ | | UCL | | League | | UCL | | UEFA | |
| | | | | | | Pld | Gls | Pld | Gls | Pld | Gls | Pld | Gls | Pld | Gls |
| Goalkeepers | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | Mile Svilar | SRB | 27/08/1999 | 22 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | - | 3 | - |
| 24 | Samuel Soares | POR | 15/06/2002 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 45 | Leobrian Kokubo | JPN | 23/01/2001 | 20 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 77 | Helton Leite | BRA | 02/11/1990 | 30 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 4 | - |
| 99 | Odisseas Vlachodimos | GRE | 26/04/1994 | 27 | - | 4 | - | 2 | - | 8 | - | 14 | - | 41 | - |
| Defenders | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | Gilberto | BRA | 07/03/1993 | 28 | - | 3 | 1 | 2 | - | 5 | 1 | 2 | - | 11 | 1 |
| 3 | Alejandro Grimaldo | ESP | 20/09/1995 | 26 | - | 4 | - | 2 | - | 7 | 1 | 22 | 2 | 44 | 3 |
| 4 | Lucas Verissimo | BRA | 02/07/1995 | 26 | - | 4 | - | 1 | - | 7 | 2 | 1 | - | 7 | - |
| 5 | Jan Vertonghen | BEL | 24/04/1987 | 34 | - | 3 | - | 2 | - | 6 | - | 37 | 1 | 112 | 6 |
| 30 | Nicolás Otamendi | ARG | 12/02/1988 | 33 | - | 4 | - | 2 | - | 6 | - | 58 | 1 | 84 | 2 |
| 34 | André Almeida | POR | 10/09/1990 | 31 | - | 2 | - | 1 | - | 4 | - | 38 | - | 61 | - |
| 40 | Pedro Ganchas | POR | 31/05/2000 | 21 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 70 | Filipe Cruz | POR | 19/02/2002 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 72 | Tomás Araújo | POR | 16/05/2002 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 89 | Pedro Alvaro | | 02/03/2000 | 21 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 91 | Morato | BRA | 30/06/2001 | 20 | - | 3 | - | 1 | - | 4 | - | 1 | - | 4 | - |
| 97 | Ferro | POR | 26/03/1997 | 24 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 5 | - | 12 | 1 |
| Midfielders | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | Everton | BRA | 22/03/1996 | 25 | - | 4 | - | 1 | - | 8 | - | 1 | - | 14 | 1 |
| 11 | Soualiho Meité | FRA | 17/03/1994 | 27 | - | 2 | - | - | - | 5 | - | 1 | - | 16 | - |
| 17 | Diogo Gonçalves | POR | 06/02/1997 | 24 | - | 3 | - | - | - | 3 | - | 4 | - | 12 | 1 |
| 20 | João Mário | POR | 19/01/1993 | 28 | - | 4 | 1 | 2 | - | 7 | 1 | 12 | - | 26 | 2 |
| 21 | Pizzi | POR | 06/10/1989 | 32 | - | 3 | - | 2 | - | 6 | - | 39 | 3 | 64 | 14 |
| 22 | Valentino Lazaro | AUT | 24/03/1996 | 25 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 3 | - | 11 | - | 34 | 2 |
| 28 | Julian Weigl | GER | 08/09/1995 | 26 | * | 4 | 1 | 2 | - | 6 | 1 | 24 | 1 | 55 | 3 |
| 49 | Adel Taarabt | MAR | 24/05/1989 | 32 | - | 4 | - | 2 | - | 4 | - | 8 | - | 24 | - |
| 55 | Paulo Bernardo | POR | 24/01/2002 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 58 | Ronaldo Camará | POR | 05/01/2003 | 18 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 68 | Rafael Brito | POR | 19/01/2002 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 83 | Gedson Fernandes | POR | 09/01/1999 | 22 | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | - | 10 | 1 | 20 | 2 |
| Forwards | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | Darwin Núñez | URU | 24/06/1999 | 22 | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 7 |
| 14 | Haris Seferović | SUI | 22/02/1992 | 29 | - | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | 21 | 4 | 41 | 6 |
| 15 | Roman Yaremchuk | UKR | 27/11/1995 | 25 | - | 3 | - | 2 | - | 6 | 4 | 2 | - | 29 | 10 |
| 18 | Rodrigo Pinho | BRA | 30/05/1991 | 30 | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | 1 | - | - | 3 | 1 |
| 23 | Nemanja Radonjić | SRB | 15/02/1996 | 25 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | 3 | - | 26 | 6 |
| 27 | Rafa Silva | POR | 17/05/1993 | 28 | * | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 15 | 2 | 48 | 11 |
| 39 | Henrique Araújo | POR | 19/01/2002 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

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| 46 | Gerson Sousa | POR | 10/05/2002 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 47 | Tiago Gouveia | POR | 18/06/2001 | 20 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 85 | Umaro Embaló | POR | 06/05/2001 | 20 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 88 | Gonçalo Ramos | POR | 20/06/2001 | 20 | - | 4 | - | 1 | - | 5 | - | 1 | - | 7 | - |
| Coach | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| - | Jorge Jesus | POR | 24/07/1954 | 67 | - | 4 | - | 2 | - | - | - | 45 | - | 138 | - |

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| No. | Player | Nat. | DoB | Age | D | Current season | | | | | | All-time | | | |
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| | | | | | | UCLQ | | UCL | | League | | UCL | | UEFA | |
| | | | | | | Pld | Gls | Pld | Gls | Pld | Gls | Pld | Gls | Pld | Gls |
| Goalkeepers | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | Manuel Neuer | GER | 27/03/1986 | 35 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 8 | - | 121 | - | 130 | - |
| 26 | Sven Ulreich | GER | 03/08/1988 | 33 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 13 | - | 40 | - |
| 33 | Lukas Schneller | GER | 26/10/2001 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 36 | Christian Früchtl | GER | 28/01/2000 | 21 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 41 | Manuel Kainz | GER | 03/03/2002 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 43 | Tom Hülsmann | GER | 11/04/2004 | 17 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Defenders | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | Dayot Upamecano | FRA | 27/10/1998 | 22 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 7 | - | 22 | - | 37 | - |
| 3 | Omar Richards | ENG | 15/02/1998 | 23 | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Niklas Süle | GER | 03/09/1995 | 26 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 8 | - | 30 | 1 | 31 | 1 |
| 5 | Benjamin Pavard | FRA | 28/03/1996 | 25 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 2 | - | 17 | - | 18 | - |
| 6 | Joshua Kimmich | GER | 08/02/1995 | 26 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 8 | 3 | 55 | 10 | 56 | 10 |
| 19 | Alphonso Davies | CAN | 02/11/2000 | 20 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 8 | - | 16 | - | 17 | - |
| 20 | Bouna Sarr | FRA | 31/01/1992 | 29 | - | - | - | 1 | - | 3 | - | 6 | - | 30 | 1 |
| 21 | Lucas Hernández | FRA | 14/02/1996 | 25 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 5 | - | 31 | 1 | 41 | 1 |
| 44 | Josip Stanišić | CRO | 02/04/2000 | 21 | - | - | - | 1 | - | 7 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - |
| Midfielders | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | Serge Gnabry | GER | 14/07/1995 | 26 | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | 8 | 5 | 28 | 10 | 32 | 10 |
| 8 | Leon Goretzka | GER | 06/02/1995 | 26 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 8 | 1 | 28 | 3 | 46 | 7 |
| 10 | Leroy Sané | GER | 11/01/1996 | 25 | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 32 | 11 | 40 | 12 |
| 11 | Kingsley Coman | FRA | 13/06/1996 | 25 | - | - | - | 1 | - | 3 | - | 38 | 11 | 38 | 11 |
| 13 | Eric Maxim Choupo-Moting | CMR | 23/03/1989 | 32 | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 26 | 7 | 46 | 12 |
| 17 | Mickaël Cuisance | FRA | 16/08/1999 | 22 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 | - | 6 | - |
| 18 | Marcel Sabitzer | AUT | 17/03/1994 | 27 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 5 | - | 23 | 4 | 62 | 8 |
| 22 | Marc Roca | ESP | 26/11/1996 | 24 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | 10 | - |
| 23 | Tanguy Nianzou | FRA | 07/06/2002 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | 2 | - |
| 24 | Corentin Tolisso | FRA | 03/08/1994 | 27 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | 33 | 9 | 54 | 11 |
| 40 | Malik Tillman | GER | 28/05/2002 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 42 | Jamal Musiala | GER | 26/02/2003 | 18 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 7 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 8 | 1 |
| Forwards | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | Robert Lewandowski | POL | 21/08/1988 | 33 | - | - | - | 2 | 4 | 8 | 9 | 98 | 77 | 123 | 84 |
| 25 | Thomas Müller | GER | 13/09/1989 | 32 | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 126 | 49 | 130 | 49 |
| Coach | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| - | Julian Nagelsmann | GER | 23/07/1987 | 34 | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | 26 | - | 34 | - |

Match officials

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| Referee | Ovidiu Hațegan (ROU) |
| Assistant referees | Radu Ghinguleac (ROU) , Sebastian Gheorghe (ROU) |
| Video Assistant Referee | Pol van Boekel (NED) |
| Fourth official | Marcel Birsan (ROU) |
| Assistant Video Assistant Referee | Jochem Kamphuis (NED) |
| UEFA Delegate | Metin Kazancioglu (TUR) |
| UEFA Referee observer | Konrad Plautz (AUT) |

Referee

| Name | Date of birth | UEFA Champions League matches | UEFA matches |
|----------------|---------------|-------------------------------|--------------|
| Ovidiu Hațegan | 14/07/1980 | 40 | 119 |

Ovidiu Hațegan

Referee since: 1996
First division: 2006
FIFA badge: 2008

Tournaments: UEFA EURO 2020, 2019 FIFA Club World Cup, 2017 FIFA U-17 World Cup, 2016 Olympic Games, UEFA EURO 2016, 2015 FIFA U-20 World Cup, 2013 UEFA European Under-21 Championship, 2009 UEFA European Under-19 Championship

Finals
N/A

UEFA Champions League matches involving teams from the two countries involved in this match

| Date | Competition | Stage reached | Home | Away | Result | Venue |
|------------|-------------|---------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|--------|------------|
| 07/11/2012 | UCL | GS | FC Bayern München | LOSC Lille | 6-1 | Munich |
| 26/11/2013 | UCL | GS | FC Porto | FK Austria Wien | 1-1 | Porto |
| 25/11/2014 | UCL | GS | FC BATE Borisov | FC Porto | 0-3 | Borisov |
| 08/12/2015 | UCL | GS | SL Benfica | Club Atlético de Madrid | 1-2 | Lisbon |
| 14/03/2017 | UCL | R16 | Juventus | FC Porto | 1-0 | Turin |
| 27/09/2017 | UCL | GS | Sporting Clube de Portugal | FC Barcelona | 0-1 | Lisbon |
| 01/11/2017 | UCL | GS | FC Porto | RB Leipzig | 3-1 | Porto |
| 20/02/2018 | UCL | R16 | FC Bayern München | Beşiktaş JK | 5-0 | Munich |
| 28/11/2018 | UCL | GS | FC Porto | FC Schalke 04 | 3-1 | Porto |
| 17/09/2019 | UCL | GS | Borussia Dortmund | FC Barcelona | 0-0 | Dortmund |
| 08/08/2020 | UCL | R16 | FC Bayern München | Chelsea FC | 4-1 | Munich |
| 06/04/2021 | UCL | QF | Manchester City FC | Borussia Dortmund | 2-1 | Manchester |
| 15/09/2021 | UCL | GS | Club Atlético de Madrid | FC Porto | 0-0 | Madrid |

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

| Date | Competition | Stage reached | Home | Away | Result | Venue |
|------------|-------------|---------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|--------|---------------|
| 11/10/2008 | U19 | QR | Germany | Lithuania | 5-0 | Salmrohr |
| 25/08/2011 | UEL | PO | Sporting Clube de Portugal | FC Nordsjælland | 2-1 | Lisbon |
| 07/11/2012 | UCL | GS | FC Bayern München | LOSC Lille | 6-1 | Munich |
| 14/03/2013 | UEL | R16 | FC Girondins de Bordeaux | SL Benfica | 2-3 | Bordeaux |
| 26/11/2013 | UCL | GS | FC Porto | FK Austria Wien | 1-1 | Porto |
| 02/10/2014 | UEL | GS | VfL Wolfsburg | LOSC Lille | 1-1 | Wolfsburg |
| 25/11/2014 | UCL | GS | FC BATE Borisov | FC Porto | 0-3 | Borisov |
| 31/03/2015 | FRIE. | GS-FT | Portugal | Cape Verde Islands | 0-2 | Estoril |
| 08/12/2015 | UCL | GS | SL Benfica | Club Atlético de Madrid | 1-2 | Lisbon |
| 08/10/2016 | WC | QR | Germany | Czech Republic | 3-0 | Hamburg |
| 14/03/2017 | UCL | R16 | Juventus | FC Porto | 1-0 | Turin |
| 20/04/2017 | UEL | QF | FC Schalke 04 | AFC Ajax | 3-2 | Gelsenkirchen |
| 27/09/2017 | UCL | GS | Sporting Clube de Portugal | FC Barcelona | 0-1 | Lisbon |
| 01/11/2017 | UCL | GS | FC Porto | RB Leipzig | 3-1 | Porto |
| 20/02/2018 | UCL | R16 | FC Bayern München | Beşiktaş JK | 5-0 | Munich |
| 08/03/2018 | UEL | R16 | RB Leipzig | FC Zenit | 2-1 | Leipzig |
| 19/11/2018 | UNL | GS-FT | Germany | Netherlands | 2-2 | Gelsenkirchen |
| 28/11/2018 | UCL | GS | FC Porto | FC Schalke 04 | 3-1 | Porto |
| 21/02/2019 | UEL | R32 | SL Benfica | Galatasaray AŞ | 0-0 | Lisbon |
| 14/03/2019 | UEL | R16 | FC Internazionale Milano | Eintracht Frankfurt | 0-1 | Milan |
| 09/05/2019 | UEL | SF | Chelsea FC | Eintracht Frankfurt | 1-1 | London |
| 17/09/2019 | UCL | GS | Borussia Dortmund | FC Barcelona | 0-0 | Dortmund |
| 08/08/2020 | UCL | R16 | FC Bayern München | Chelsea FC | 4-1 | Munich |
| 14/11/2020 | UNL | GS-FT | Germany | Ukraine | 3-1 | Leipzig |
| 06/04/2021 | UCL | QF | Manchester City FC | Borussia Dortmund | 2-1 | Manchester |
| 15/09/2021 | UCL | GS | Club Atlético de Madrid | FC Porto | 0-0 | Madrid |

Fixtures and results

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| Date | Competition | Opponent | Result | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------------|--------------------------------|-----------|---|
| 04/08/2021 | UCL | FC Spartak Moskva (A) | W 2-0 | Rafa Silva 51, Gilberto 74 |
| 07/08/2021 | League | Moreirense FC (A) | W 2-1 | Verissimo 8, Waldschmidt 19 |
| 10/08/2021 | UCL | FC Spartak Moskva (H) | W 2-0 | João Mário 58, Gigot 90+2 (og) |
| 14/08/2021 | League | FC Arouca (H) | W 2-0 | Waldschmidt 38, Yaremchuk 43 |
| 18/08/2021 | UCL | PSV Eindhoven (H) | W 2-1 | Rafa Silva 10, Weigl 42 |
| 21/08/2021 | League | Gil Vicente FC (A) | W 2-0 | Verissimo 84, Grimaldo 88 |
| 24/08/2021 | UCL | PSV Eindhoven (A) | D 0-0 | |
| 29/08/2021 | League | CD Tondela (H) | W 2-1 | Rafa Silva 71, Gilberto 88 |
| 11/09/2021 | League | CD Santa Clara (A) | W 5-0 | Rodrigo Pinho 42, Nuñez 54, 62, Rafa Silva 58, Yaremchuk 68 |
| 14/09/2021 | UCL | FC Dynamo Kyiv (A) | D 0-0 | |
| 20/09/2021 | League | Boavista FC (H) | W 3-1 | Nuñez 14, 61, Weigl 34 |
| 25/09/2021 | League | Vitória SC (A) | W 3-1 | Yaremchuk 30, 41, João Mário 73 |
| 29/09/2021 | UCL | FC Barcelona (H) | W 3-0 | Nuñez 3, 79 (P), Rafa Silva 69 |
| 03/10/2021 | League | Portimonense SC (H) | L 0-1 | |
| 16/10/2021 | Cup | CD Trofense (A) | W 2-1 aet | Everton 21, André Almeida 94 ET |
| 20/10/2021 | UCL | FC Bayern München (H) | | |
| 24/10/2021 | League | Vizela (A) | | |
| 30/10/2021 | League | Estoril Praia (A) | | |
| 02/11/2021 | UCL | FC Bayern München (A) | | |
| 07/11/2021 | League | SC Braga (H) | | |
| 23/11/2021 | UCL | FC Barcelona (A) | | |
| 27/11/2021 | League | Os Belenenses (A) | | |
| 03/12/2021 | League | Sporting Clube de Portugal (H) | | |
| 08/12/2021 | UCL | FC Dynamo Kyiv (H) | | |
| 12/12/2021 | League | FC Famalicao (A) | | |
| 19/12/2021 | League | CS Marítimo (H) | | |
| 29/12/2021 | League | FC Porto (A) | | |
| 08/01/2022 | League | FC Paços de Ferreira (H) | | |
| 16/01/2022 | League | Moreirense FC (H) | | |
| 23/01/2022 | League | FC Arouca (A) | | |
| 30/01/2022 | League | Gil Vicente FC (H) | | |
| 06/02/2022 | League | CD Tondela (A) | | |
| 13/02/2022 | League | CD Santa Clara (H) | | |
| 20/02/2022 | League | Boavista FC (A) | | |
| 27/02/2022 | League | Vitória SC (H) | | |
| 06/03/2022 | League | Portimonense SC (A) | | |
| 13/03/2022 | League | Vizela (H) | | |
| 20/03/2022 | League | Estoril Praia (H) | | |
| 03/04/2022 | League | SC Braga (A) | | |
| 10/04/2022 | League | Os Belenenses (H) | | |

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| 16/04/2022 | League | Sporting Clube de Portugal (A) | | |
| 24/04/2022 | League | FC Famalicao (H) | | |
| 30/04/2022 | League | CS Marítimo (A) | | |
| 08/05/2022 | League | FC Porto (H) | | |
| 15/05/2022 | League | FC Paços de Ferreira (A) | | |

| Pos. | Clubs | P | W | D | L | GF | GA | Pts |
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| 1 | SL Benfica | 8 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 19 | 5 | 21 |
| 2 | FC Porto | 8 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 18 | 5 | 20 |
| 3 | Sporting Clube de Portugal | 8 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 13 | 4 | 20 |
| 4 | Estoril Praia | 8 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 12 | 7 | 15 |
| 5 | Portimonense SC | 8 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 4 | 14 |
| 6 | SC Braga | 8 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 12 | 8 | 13 |
| 7 | Vitória SC | 8 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 7 | 10 |
| 8 | Boavista FC | 8 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| 9 | Gil Vicente FC | 8 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 10 | 10 | 9 |
| 10 | CD Tondela | 8 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 12 | 14 | 9 |
| 11 | FC Paços de Ferreira | 8 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 11 | 9 |
| 12 | Vizela | 8 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 13 | 8 |
| 13 | CS Marítimo | 8 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 9 | 7 |
| 14 | Moreirense FC | 8 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 10 | 16 | 7 |
| 15 | CD Santa Clara | 8 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 16 | 6 |
| 16 | FC Arouca | 8 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 8 | 16 | 5 |
| 17 | Os Belenenses | 8 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 12 | 4 |
| 18 | FC Famalicao | 8 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 8 | 14 | 3 |

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| Date | Competition | Opponent | Result | Goalscorers |
|------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--------|--|
| 13/08/2021 | League | VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (A) | D 1-1 | Lewandowski 42 |
| 22/08/2021 | League | 1. FC Köln (H) | W 3-2 | Lewandowski 50, Gnabry 59, 71 |
| 25/08/2021 | Cup | Bremer SV (A) | W 12-0 | Choupo-Moting 8, 28, 35, 82, Musiala 16, 48, Warm 27 (og), Tillman 47, Sané 65, Cuisance 80, Sarr 86, Tolisso 88 |
| 28/08/2021 | League | Hertha BSC Berlin (H) | W 5-0 | Müller 6, Lewandowski 35, 70, 84, Musiala 49 |
| 11/09/2021 | League | RB Leipzig (A) | W 4-1 | Lewandowski 12 (P), Musiala 47, Sané 54, Choupo-Moting 90+2 |
| 14/09/2021 | UCL | FC Barcelona (A) | W 3-0 | Müller 34, Lewandowski 56, 85 |
| 18/09/2021 | League | VfL Bochum 1848 (H) | W 7-0 | Sané 17, Kimmich 27, 65, Gnabry 32, Lampropoulos 43 (og), Lewandowski 61, Choupo-Moting 79 |
| 24/09/2021 | League | SpVgg Greuther Fürth (A) | W 3-1 | Müller 10, Kimmich 31, Griesbeck 68 (og) |
| 29/09/2021 | UCL | FC Dynamo Kyiv (H) | W 5-0 | Lewandowski 12 (P), 27, Gnabry 68, Sané 74, Choupo-Moting 87 |
| 03/10/2021 | League | Eintracht Frankfurt (H) | L 1-2 | Goretzka 29 |
| 17/10/2021 | League | Bayer 04 Leverkusen (A) | W 5-1 | Lewandowski 3, 30, Müller 34, Gnabry 35, 37 |

FC Bayern München

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|------------|--------|----------------------------------|--|--|
| 20/10/2021 | UCL | SL Benfica (A) | | |
| 23/10/2021 | League | TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (H) | | |
| 27/10/2021 | Cup | VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (A) | | |
| 30/10/2021 | League | 1. FC Union Berlin (A) | | |
| 02/11/2021 | UCL | SL Benfica (H) | | |
| 06/11/2021 | League | SC Freiburg (H) | | |
| 19/11/2021 | League | FC Augsburg (A) | | |
| 23/11/2021 | UCL | FC Dynamo Kyiv (A) | | |
| 27/11/2021 | League | DSC Arminia Bielefeld (H) | | |
| 04/12/2021 | League | Borussia Dortmund (A) | | |
| 08/12/2021 | UCL | FC Barcelona (H) | | |
| 11/12/2021 | League | 1. FSV Mainz 05 (H) | | |
| 15/12/2021 | League | VfB Stuttgart (A) | | |
| 18/12/2021 | League | VfL Wolfsburg (H) | | |
| 08/01/2022 | League | VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (H) | | |
| 15/01/2022 | League | 1. FC Köln (A) | | |
| 22/01/2022 | League | Hertha BSC Berlin (A) | | |
| 05/02/2022 | League | RB Leipzig (H) | | |
| 12/02/2022 | League | VfL Bochum 1848 (A) | | |
| 19/02/2022 | League | SpVgg Greuther Fürth (H) | | |
| 26/02/2022 | League | Eintracht Frankfurt (A) | | |
| 05/03/2022 | League | Bayer 04 Leverkusen (H) | | |
| 12/03/2022 | League | TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (A) | | |
| 19/03/2022 | League | 1. FC Union Berlin (H) | | |
| 02/04/2022 | League | SC Freiburg (A) | | |
| 09/04/2022 | League | FC Augsburg (H) | | |
| 16/04/2022 | League | DSC Arminia Bielefeld (A) | | |
| 23/04/2022 | League | Borussia Dortmund (H) | | |
| 30/04/2022 | League | 1. FSV Mainz 05 (A) | | |
| 07/05/2022 | League | VfB Stuttgart (H) | | |
| 14/05/2022 | League | VfL Wolfsburg (A) | | |

| Pos. | Clubs | P | W | D | L | GF | GA | Pts |
|------|------------------------------|---|---|---|---|----|----|-----|
| 1 | FC Bayern München | 8 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 29 | 8 | 19 |
| 2 | Borussia Dortmund | 8 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 22 | 14 | 18 |
| 3 | Bayer 04 Leverkusen | 8 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 21 | 12 | 16 |
| 4 | SC Freiburg | 8 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 12 | 6 | 16 |
| 5 | 1. FC Union Berlin | 8 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 12 | 9 | 15 |
| 6 | VfL Wolfsburg | 8 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 10 | 13 |
| 7 | 1. FC Köln | 8 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 13 | 14 | 12 |
| 8 | RB Leipzig | 8 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 16 | 8 | 11 |
| 9 | TSG 1899 Hoffenheim | 8 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 17 | 11 | 11 |
| 10 | VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach | 8 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 11 | 11 |
| 11 | 1. FSV Mainz 05 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 8 | 10 |

| Pos. | Clubs | P | W | D | L | GF | GA | Pts |
|------|-----------------------|---|---|---|---|----|----|-----|
| 12 | VfB Stuttgart | 8 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 13 | 14 | 9 |
| 13 | Hertha BSC Berlin | 8 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 10 | 21 | 9 |
| 14 | Eintracht Frankfurt | 8 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 9 | 12 | 8 |
| 15 | VfL Bochum 1848 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 16 | 7 |
| 16 | FC Augsburg | 8 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 14 | 6 |
| 17 | DSC Arminia Bielefeld | 8 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 11 | 5 |
| 18 | SpVgg Greuther Fürth | 8 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 20 | 1 |

Match-by-match lineups

SL Benfica

UEFA Champions League - Third qualifying round

(04/08/2021)

FC Spartak Moskva 0-2 SL Benfica

Goals: 0-1 Rafa Silva 51, 0-2 Gilberto 74

SL Benfica: Vlachodimos, Grimaldo (84 Gil Dias), Verissimo, Vertonghen, Seferović (37 Gonçalo Ramos), Diogo Gonçalves (65 Gilberto), João Mário, Pizzi (65 Everton), Rafa Silva (83 Taarabt), Weigl, Otamendi

(10/08/2021)

SL Benfica 2-0 FC Spartak Moskva (agg: 4-0)

Goals: 1-0 João Mário 58, 2-0 Gigot 90+2 (og)

SL Benfica: Vlachodimos, Grimaldo, Verissimo, Vertonghen (46 Morato), Diogo Gonçalves (77 Gilberto), João Mário, Pizzi (64 Everton), Rafa Silva (86 Taarabt), Weigl, Otamendi, Gonçalo Ramos (64 Yaremchuk)

Play-off

(18/08/2021)

SL Benfica 2-1 PSV Eindhoven

Goals: 1-0 Rafa Silva 10, 2-0 Weigl 42, 2-1 Gakpo 51

SL Benfica: Vlachodimos, Grimaldo, Verissimo, Yaremchuk (71 Gonçalo Ramos), Diogo Gonçalves (71 André Almeida), João Mário (86 Taarabt), Pizzi (71 Meïté), Rafa Silva, Weigl (71 Everton), Otamendi, Morato

(24/08/2021)

PSV Eindhoven 0-0 SL Benfica (agg: 1-2)

SL Benfica: Vlachodimos, Gilberto (61 André Almeida), Grimaldo, Verissimo, Yaremchuk (61 Gonçalo Ramos), João Mário (74 Everton), Rafa Silva (74 Meïté), Weigl, Otamendi, Taarabt (54 Vertonghen), Morato

Group stage

Group E

| Club | Pld | W | D | L | GF | GA | Pts |
|--------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| FC Bayern München | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 6 |
| SL Benfica | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 4 |
| FC Dynamo Kyiv | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 1 |
| FC Barcelona | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 0 |

Matchday 1 (14/09/2021)

FC Dynamo Kyiv 0-0 SL Benfica

SL Benfica: Vlachodimos, Gilberto (59 Lazaro), Grimaldo, Vertonghen, Everton (59 Radonjić), Yaremchuk (59 Nuñez), João Mário (85 Taarabt), Rafa Silva (90 Pizzi), Weigl, Otamendi, Morato

Matchday 2 (29/09/2021)

SL Benfica 3-0 FC Barcelona

Goals: 1-0 Nuñez 3, 2-0 Rafa Silva 69, 3-0 Nuñez 79 (P)

SL Benfica: Vlachodimos, Grimaldo (75 André Almeida), Verissimo, Vertonghen, Nuñez (86 Gonçalo Ramos), Yaremchuk (75 Taarabt), João Mário, Lazaro (46 Gilberto), Rafa Silva (86 Pizzi), Weigl, Otamendi

Matchday 3 (20/10/2021)

SL Benfica-FC Bayern München

Matchday 4 (02/11/2021)

FC Bayern München-SL Benfica

Matchday 5 (23/11/2021)

FC Barcelona-SL Benfica

Matchday 6 (08/12/2021)

SL Benfica-FC Dynamo Kyiv

FC Bayern München

UEFA Champions League - Group stage

Matchday 1 (14/09/2021)

FC Barcelona 0-3 FC Bayern München

Goals: 0-1 Müller 34, 0-2 Lewandowski 56, 0-3 Lewandowski 85

FC Bayern München: Neuer, Upamecano, Süle (82 Stanisic), Pavard (66 Hernández), Kimmich, Goretzka, Lewandowski, Sané (82 Coman), Davies, Müller (82 Sabitzer), Musiala (69 Gnabry)

Matchday 2 (29/09/2021)

FC Bayern München 5-0 FC Dynamo Kyiv

Goals: 1-0 Lewandowski 12 (P) , 2-0 Lewandowski 27, 3-0 Gnabry 68, 4-0 Sané 74, 5-0 Choupo-Moting 87

FC Bayern München: Neuer, Upamecano, Süle, Kimmich, Gnabry (69 Musiala), Goretzka (79 Sabitzer), Lewandowski (79 Choupo-Moting), Sané (79 Sarr), Davies (69 Pavard), Hernández, Müller

Matchday 3 (20/10/2021)

SL Benfica-FC Bayern München

Matchday 4 (02/11/2021)

FC Bayern München-SL Benfica

Matchday 5 (23/11/2021)

FC Dynamo Kyiv-FC Bayern München

Matchday 6 (08/12/2021)

FC Bayern München-FC Barcelona

Competition facts

UEFA Champions League: Did you know?

Overall records

- Chelsea in 2012/13 are the only defending champions to fail to get through a group stage since the UEFA Champions League began. (This record, like the others, includes the seasons between 1999/2000 and 2002/03 that featured a second group stage). In 1992/93, Barcelona were the reigning European Champion Clubs' Cup holders and lost 4-3 on aggregate in the second round to CSKA Moskva.
- In 2016/17 Real Madrid became the first team to successfully defend the UEFA Champions League trophy, with AC Milan (1989, 1990) the previous club to win consecutive European Cups. Milan (1994, 1995), Ajax (1995, 1996), Juventus (1996, 1997) and Manchester United (2008, 2009) all returned to the UEFA Champions League final as holders only to lose.
- Real Madrid then made it three wins in a row in 2017/18, becoming the fourth club to win three or more successive titles in European Cup history, and the first to do it twice.
- Only two teams have ever won the UEFA Champions League on home soil: Borussia Dortmund (1997, final in Munich) and Juventus (1996, final in Rome), while Manchester United lost the 2011 final in London and 12 months later Bayern München were beaten in the showpiece in their own stadium, the Fußball Arena München.
- Bayern's victory against Paris Saint-Germain in the 2020 UEFA Champions League final was their 11th successive win in the competition (18 September 2019 to 23 August 2020), setting a new record that they extended to 15 before being held at Atlético de Madrid on Matchday 5 in 2020/21. Bayern themselves (2 April 2013 to 27 November 2013) and Real Madrid (23 April 2014 to 18 February 2015) jointly held the previous best with ten, one more than Barcelona's winning run between 18 September 2002 and 18 February 2003.

Group stage

- Barcelona have finished as group winners on 21 occasions, four more than Real Madrid and Bayern München and six more than Manchester United. Barça also hold the record for the most unbeaten group stage campaigns with 13, five more than Real Madrid.
- Seven teams have recorded six successive victories in a UEFA Champions League group stage: Milan (1992/93), Paris Saint-Germain (1994/95), Spartak Moskva (1995/96), Barcelona (2002/03, first group stage), Real Madrid (2011/12 and 2014/15) and Bayern (2019/20).
- Twenty-one teams have gone through a UEFA Champions League group stage without picking up a single point, most recently AEK Athens in 2018/19.
- In 2017/18, Paris Saint-Germain set a new group stage record by scoring 25 goals, one more than Bayern München managed in 2019/20. Liverpool are next on the list having scored 23 in 2017/18 with Borussia Dortmund hitting 21 in 2016/17. Manchester United (1998/99), Barcelona (2011/12, 2016/17) and Real Madrid (2013/14) all managed 20.
- Only Deportivo La Coruña (2004/05), Maccabi Haifa (2009/10) and Dinamo Zagreb (2016/17) have failed to score in a group stage.
- BATE Borisov conceded 24 goals in 2014/15, a new group stage record which was matched by Legia Warszawa in 2016/17. The previous mark, 22, was held by Dinamo Zagreb (2011/12) and Nordsjælland (2012/13).
- No team has ever gone through a UEFA Champions League group stage without conceding a goal. Milan (1992/93), Ajax (1995/96), Juventus (1996/97 and 2004/05), Chelsea (2005/06), Liverpool (2005/06), Villarreal (2005/06), Manchester United (2010/11), Monaco (2014/15), Paris Saint-Germain (2015/16), Barcelona (2017/18) and Manchester City (2020/21) all let in just one.
- Matchday 6 of 2013/14 marked FCSB's 23rd successive game in the competition without a victory, surpassing the previous record of 22 set by Spartak Moskva between December 2000 and November 2006.
- Marseille hold the record for successive defeats in the competition, group stage to final, having lost 13 in a row between March 2012 and November 2020. The 2-0 loss at home to Porto on Matchday 4 of the 2020/21 competition surpassed Anderlecht's previous competition record of 12 losses in a row between December 2003 and November 2005. Dinamo Zagreb are next with 11 consecutive losses on two occasions, from September 2011 to November 2012 and September 2015 to December 2016.
- The lowest total for a team qualifying from the group stage is six points: Zenit in 2013/14 and Roma in 2015/16. Since three points for a win was introduced in 1995/96, ten teams have made it through with seven points: Legia Warszawa (1995/96), Dynamo Kyiv (1999/2000), Liverpool (2001/02, second group stage), Lokomotiv Moskva (2002/03, first group stage) and eventual finalists Juventus (2002/03, second group stage), Rangers and Werder

Bremen (2005/06), Galatasaray (2013/14), Basel (2014/15) and Atalanta (2019/20).

- Napoli failed to qualify from their group with 12 points in 2013/14, the highest total of any team not to reach the next stage when the top two in each section progressed. Dynamo Kyiv (1999/2000, second group stage), Borussia Dortmund (2002/03, second group stage), PSV Eindhoven (2003/04), Olympiacos and Dynamo Kyiv (both 2004/05), Werder Bremen (2006/07), Manchester City (2011/12), Chelsea and Cluj (both 2012/13), Benfica (2013/14), Porto (2015/16) and Ajax (2019/20) all missed out with ten points.

Goalscoring records

- Lionel Messi became the first player to score five goals in a match in Barcelona's 7-1 win against Bayer Leverkusen on 7 March 2012, a feat matched by Shakhtar Donetsk's Luiz Adriano at BATE Borisov on 21 October 2014. Fifteen more players, also including Messi and Robert Lewandowski twice, have scored four times in a game, most recently Sébastien Haller for Ajax at Sporting CP on Matchday 1 in 2021/22. That was the fifth quadruple in succession to be scored away from home after Bayern's Serge Gnabry and Lewandowski (group stage v Tottenham and Crvena zvezda respectively) and Josip Iličić (Atalanta v Valencia, round of 16 second leg) all achieved the feat in 2019/20 and Olivier Giroud did likewise for Chelsea at Sevilla in the 2020/21 group stage.

- Cristiano Ronaldo set a new record for a UEFA Champions League group stage with 11 goals in 2015/16, Messi got ten goals in 2016/17, a figure matched by Robert Lewandowski in 2019/20; Ronaldo (2013/14, 2017/18) and Luiz Adriano (2014/15) scored nine while Zlatan Ibrahimović (2013/14), Ruud van Nistelrooy (2004/05), Filippo Inzaghi, Hernán Crespo (both 2002/03), Lewandowski (2018/19) and Erling Braut Haaland (2019/20) all managed eight.

- Messi's hat-trick against PSV Eindhoven on Matchday 1 of the 2018/19 competition was his eighth in the competition, a mark Ronaldo matched against Atlético de Madrid in that season's round of 16 second leg.

Oldest and youngest players

- Lazio goalkeeper Marco Ballotta is the oldest player to compete in the UEFA Champions League having featured against Real Madrid on Matchday 6 in 2007/08 aged 43 years 252 days. Alessandro Costacurta is the oldest outfield player; the Milan defender was 40 years and 211 days when he played against AEK Athens in 2006/07.

- Francesco Totti is the oldest player to score in the competition, aged 38 years 59 days, in Roma's 1-1 draw at CSKA Moskva on 25 November 2014. Ryan Giggs (37 years 290 days) was the previous record holder.

- Youssoufa Moukoko is the youngest player to have appeared, aged 16 years 18 days for Borussia Dortmund at Zenit on 8 December 2020. He replaced Celestine Babayaro, who was 16 years 87 days when he started for Anderlecht against Steaua Bucureşti on 23 November 1994; Babayaro was sent off in the 37th minute.

- Ansu Fati's winner for Barcelona at Inter on Matchday 6 in 2019/20 made him the youngest goalscorer in UEFA Champions League history, at the age of 17 years 40 days. He eclipsed the previous record of Olympiacos's Peter Ofori-Quaye (17 years 195 days) that had lasted since 1 October 1997.

Team facts

SL Benfica

Formed: 1904

Nickname: As Águias (The Eagles)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- European Cup (2): 1961, 1962, (1963), (1965), (1968), (1988), (1990)
- UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League: (1983), (2013), (2014)

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 37 (2019)

Portuguese Cup: 26 (2017)

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

2020/21: UEFA Europa League round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

2019/20: UEFA Europa League round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2018/19: UEFA Europa League quarter-finals (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2017/18: group stage

2016/17: round of 16

2015/16: quarter-finals

2014/15: group stage

2013/14: UEFA Europa League runners-up (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2012/13: UEFA Europa League runners-up (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2011/12: quarter-finals

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

10-0: Benfica v Stade Dudelange

05/10/65, European Champion Clubs' Cup preliminary round second leg

- Biggest away win

0-8: Stade Dudelange v Benfica

30/09/65, European Champion Clubs' Cup preliminary round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

1-5: Benfica v Manchester United

09/03/66, European Champion Clubs' Cup quarter-finals second leg

- Heaviest away defeat

7-0: Celta Vigo v Benfica

25/11/99, UEFA Cup third round first leg

UEFA Champions League (group stage to final only)

- Biggest home win

3-0 three times, most recently v Barcelona

29/09/21, group stage

- Biggest away win

0-2 three times, most recently v Dynamo Kyiv

19/10/16, group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

0-2 four times, most recently v Bayern München

19/09/18, group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

5-0: Basel v Benfica

27/09/17, group stage

FC Bayern München

Formed: 1900

Nickname: Die Bayern (The Bavarians)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- European Cup/UEFA Champions League (6): 1974, 1975, 1976, (1982), (1987), (1999), 2001, (2010), (2012), 2013,

2020

- UEFA Cup (1): 1996
- UEFA Cup Winners' Cup (1): 1967
- UEFA Super Cup (2): (1975), (1976), (2001), 2013, 2020
- European/South American Cup (2): 1976, 2001

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 31 (2021)
German Cup: 20 (2020)

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

2020/21: quarter-finals

2019/20: winners

2018/19: round of 16

2017/18: semi-finals

2016/17: quarter-finals

2015/16: semi-finals

2014/15: semi-finals

2013/14: semi-finals

2012/13: winners

2011/12: runners-up

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

10-0: Bayern v Anorthosis Famagusta
28/09/83, UEFA Cup first round second leg

- Biggest away win

1-7: Roma v Bayern
21/10/14, UEFA Champions League group stage

0-6: Crvena zvezda v Bayern
26/11/19, UEFA Champions League group stage

Bayern also won 8-2 against Barcelona in the 2019/20 UEFA Champions League quarter-finals in Lisbon, a match in which they were the designated away side

- Heaviest home defeat

0-4: Bayern v Real Madrid
29/04/14, UEFA Champions League semi-final second leg

- Heaviest away defeat

6-2: B1903 v Bayern
22/10/91, UEFA Cup second round first leg
5-1: Eintracht Frankfurt v Bayern
22/04/80, UEFA Cup semi-finals first leg
4-0 on four occasions, most recently v Barcelona
08/04/09, UEFA Champions League quarter-finals first leg

UEFA Champions League (group stage to final only)

- Biggest home win

7-0 twice, most recently v Shakhtar Donetsk
11/03/15, round of 16 second leg

- Biggest away win

1-7: Roma v Bayern (see above)
0-6: Crvena zvezda v Bayern (see above)
Bayern also won 8-2 against Barcelona in the 2019/20 quarter-finals (see above)

- Heaviest home defeat

0-4: Bayern v Real Madrid (see above)

- Heaviest away defeat

4-0: Barcelona v Bayern (see above)

Legend

ALL-TIME STATISTICS

The all-time record 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 competition defined as European Champion Clubs' Cup, UEFA Champions League, UEFA Europa League, UEFA Cup Winner's Cup UEFA Super Cup, UEFA Intertoto Cup and European/South American Cup. Matches in the Inter-Cities Fairs Cup and the 1972 Super Cup are not included as they were not held under UEFA auspices, while the FIFA Club World Cup is excluded.

Match officials

UCL: Total matches officiated in the UEFA Champions League from 1992/93 season, group stage to final only. Matches where the official has acted as the fourth official are not included in these statistics. These are the official statistics considered valid for communicating official records.

UEFA: Total matches officiated in UEFA club competition including all qualifying round matches. Matches where the official has acted as the fourth official are not included in these statistics. These are the official statistics considered valid for communicating official records.

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

Other abbreviations

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

UCLQ: Current season total UEFA Champions League appearances in the qualifying rounds and play-offs only

UCL: Current season total UEFA Champions League appearances from group stage onwards prior to current matchday

UCL: Total appearances in the UEFA Champions League from 1992/93 season, group stage to final only

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

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