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Finland

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Group B - Matchday 3



Belgium

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Previous meetings

Head to Head

UEFA EURO 2008

Date	Stage reached	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
13/10/2007	QR (GS)	Belgium - Finland	0-0	Brussels	
06/06/2007	QR (GS)	Finland - Belgium	2-0	Helsinki	Johansson 27, A. Eremenko 71

FIFA World Cup

Date	Stage reached	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
09/10/1968	QR (GS)	Belgium - Finland	6-1	Waregem	Puis 18 (P), 77, Polleunis 30, 39, 63, Semmeling 49; Lindholm 88 (P)
19/06/1968	QR (GS)	Finland - Belgium	1-2	Helsinki	Flink 16; Devrindt 85, Polleunis 89

FIFA World Cup

Date	Stage reached	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/09/1953	QR (GS)	Belgium - Finland	2-2	Brussels	Bollen 23, 80; Lahtinen 83, Vaihela 90
25/05/1953	QR (GS)	Finland - Belgium	2-4	Helsinki	Lehtovirta 51, 75; Coppens 8, 25, 80, Anoul 10

	Qualifying								Final tournament				Total					
	Home				Away													
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
EURO																		
Finland	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	0	2	0
Belgium	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	-	-	-	-	2	0	1	1	0	2
FIFA*																		
Finland	2	0	0	2	2	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	4	0	1	3	6	14
Belgium	2	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	-	-	-	-	4	3	1	0	14	6
Friendlies																		
Finland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	2	0	11	6
Belgium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	0	2	3	6	11
Total																		
Finland	3	1	0	2	3	0	2	1	-	-	-	-	11	4	4	3	19	20
Belgium	3	1	2	0	3	2	0	1	-	-	-	-	11	3	4	4	20	19

* FIFA World Cup/FIFA Confederations Cup

Match background

Finland and Belgium conclude their Group B campaigns in Saint Petersburg, with history suggesting a close contest in prospect.

- Belgium have won their first two games, against Russia in Saint Petersburg (3-0) and Denmark in Copenhagen (2-1), to qualify for the round of 16 with a game to spare and will secure first place with a draw or victory.
- Finland followed their 1-0 win against Denmark with a defeat by the same scoreline in Russia, and are level with the Russians on three points. They will be through with a win, or a draw if Russia lose to Denmark in the other concluding Group B game. Finland will top the group if they win and Russia do not.

Previous meetings

- There has been little to choose between the teams in their 11 matches to date, Finland recording four wins to Belgium's three while scoring 19 goals, one fewer than their opponents.
- The side's last two matches have both been 1-1 friendly draws in Belgium, with a late equaliser in each contest. Most recently, Romelu Lukaku's 89th-minute strike cancelled out a Kasper Hämäläinen goal eight minutes into the second half in Brussels on 1 June 2016; in Ghent on 9 February 2011, with Markku Kanerva serving as the away side's caretaker coach, Finland's Roni Porokara struck in the 90th minute after Axel Witsel had put Belgium in front a minute past the hour.
- Those two draws extended Finland's unbeaten run against Belgium to seven matches (W4 D3), since a 6-1 FIFA World Cup qualifying loss in Waregem in October 1968 in which Lon Polleunis scored a hat-trick for the home side. That made it three Belgium wins and a draw in the teams' first four matches, in qualifiers for the 1954 and 1970 World Cups.
- The sides' sole previous EURO contests came in qualifying for UEFA EURO 2008, when Finland won 2-0 in Helsinki thanks to goals from Jonatan Johansson and Alexei Eremenko before a scoreless draw in Brussels. Neither side reached the finals, however, Finland finishing fourth in Group A on 24 points, one place and six points above the Red Devils.

EURO facts: Finland

- This is Finland's debut in the UEFA European Championship. The closest they previously came to reaching the finals was in the UEFA EURO 2008 preliminaries when they failed to beat Portugal in their final qualifier, allowing their opponents to qualify instead thanks to a 0-0 draw in Porto.
- Finland are the 34th country to have qualified for the EURO.
- Having never qualified for a FIFA World Cup, this is Finland's debut in a major tournament. They are one of two countries making their first appearance at UEFA EURO 2020, along with North Macedonia in Group C.
- Kanerva's side won six of their ten UEFA EURO 2020 qualifiers (L4) to finish second in Group J behind Italy.
- Teemu Pukki scored ten of Finland's 16 goals in qualifying. Having also provided an assist, he was involved in 68.75% of their qualifying strikes.
- This is Finland's second match in Saint Petersburg, where they lost to one of the 11 UEFA EURO 2020 hosts Russia on Matchday 2.

EURO facts: Belgium

- This is Belgium's second successive UEFA European Championship final tournament and their sixth EURO in total.
- The Red Devils' biggest achievement to date was reaching the final of this tournament in 1980, when they lost 2-1 to West Germany in Rome.
- In 2016, Belgium's first EURO finals since they co-hosted UEFA EURO 2000 with the Netherlands, a team coached by Marc Wilmots finished second in Group E and beat Hungary 4-0 in the round of 16 – their biggest EURO finals victory – only to suffer a 3-1 quarter-final defeat by Wales.
- This time round, Roberto Martínez's side won all ten of their qualifiers to finish first in Group I, increasing the number of countries to have reached the finals with a perfect record to eight, Italy also having achieved the feat in the UEFA EURO 2020 preliminaries. Of the previous six to have won every qualifier, however, only Spain (2012) went on to win the tournament itself.
- The 9-0 win against San Marino on 10 October 2019 is Belgium's biggest UEFA European Championship victory.
- Belgium were the top scorers in qualifying overall with 40 goals in their ten matches. Fifteen different Belgium players found the net in qualifying.
- The Red Devils conceded only three goals, the joint best record along with Turkey.

- Eden Hazard and Kevin De Bruyne both provided seven assists in qualifying, fewer only than the Netherlands' Memphis Depay (eight). Hazard scored five goals to De Bruyne's four; Romelu Lukaku managed seven goals and four assists.
- This is Belgium's fifth match in Saint Petersburg, where they beat Russia on Matchday 1. They lost 1-0 there to France in the 2018 World Cup semi-final but recovered to beat England 2-0 in the third-place play-off four days later thanks to goals from Thomas Meunier and Eden Hazard. Martínez's men also won 4-1 away to Russia in UEFA EURO 2020 qualifying, Eden Hazard scoring two goals and Thorgan Hazard and Lukaku once apiece on 16 November 2019. Lukaku (2) and Meunier were on target in the Matchday 1 win against Russia.

Links and trivia

- Finland's 2-0 UEFA EURO 2008 qualifying win against Belgium on 6 June 2007 marked a significant moment in Finnish football. An eagle owl appeared in the Helsinki Olympic Stadium, sitting on top of the crossbar and causing the game to be halted for several minutes. Finland, coached by Roy Hodgson, scored both goals after the giant bird had left and soon after adopted the nickname Huuhkajat – 'Eagle Owls' in Finnish.
- Has played in Belgium:
Jere Uronen (Genk 2016–)
- Have played together:
Jere Uronen & Timothy Castagne (Genk 2016/17)
- Pukki and Jason Denayer were briefly team-mates at Celtic in summer 2014.
- Nacer Chadli and substitute Dries Mertens both won their first caps for Belgium in the February 2011 friendly against Finland, for whom Joonas Toivio was also an international debutant and Lukáš Hrádecký made his first start in goal.
- De Bruyne made his debut for Belgium in a Turku friendly on 11 August 2010 that Finland won 1-0.
- Glen Kamara's Rangers posted four wins out of four against Belgian clubs in the 2020/21 UEFA Europa League, beating Standard Liège in the group stage (2-0 a, 3-2 h) and Antwerp in the round of 16 (4-3 a, 5-2 h). The Finland international was in the starting XI for all four matches.

Latest news

Finland

- Finland's opening success against Denmark is the only win they have managed in their last eight matches (D2 L5), a sequence that incorporated defeats in their two pre-tournament friendlies – 0-2 away to Sweden on 29 May and 0-1 at home to Estonia on 4 June – as well as the Matchday 2 loss to Russia.
- Joel Pohjanpalo's match-winning header against Denmark made him the first Finnish footballer to score at a major tournament. It was his tenth international goal and third in as many internationals following a double in a 3-2 friendly defeat against Switzerland in March. The Union Berlin striker has scored all of Finland's last three goals.
- While no Finland players had any major tournament experience until Matchday 1, only two of their 26-man squad experienced group stage European club football in 2020/21 – goalkeeper Lukas Hradecky with Bayer Leverkusen and Glen Kamara with Rangers, both in the UEFA Europa League.
- Kamara was a Scottish Premiership champion with Rangers in the season just ended, while Teemu Pukki scored 26 goals to help Norwich City win the English Championship and return after a year's absence to the Premier League. In 2020 Daniel O'Shaughnessy was also a Finnish domestic double winner with HJK Helsinki.
- Pukki's tally of ten EURO qualifying goals means he needs one more to become his country's all-time top scorer in the competition. He currently shares the honour with three other players – Mikael Forssell, Jari Litmanen and Mixu Paatelainen.

Belgium

- In beating Denmark 2-1 on Matchday 2, Belgium became the first team to come from behind and win at UEFA EURO 2020. The result also stretched their perfect record in this competition, qualifiers included, to 12 wins out of 12.
- Belgium's opening 3-0 win against Russia was their joint biggest victory in a EURO finals group game, matching the one by the same scoreline against the Republic of Ireland on Matchday 2 of UEFA EURO 2016.
- Belgium have the most experienced squad at UEFA EURO 2020, which now contains five players with 100 or more caps, Dries Mertens having joined Jan Vertonghen, Axel Witsel, Toby Alderweireld and Eden Hazard by reaching his century against Denmark.
- Roberto Martínez's side were held to a 1-1 draw by Greece in the first of their two pre-UEFA EURO 2020 Brussels friendlies on 3 June, Thorgan Hazard's first-half strike proving insufficient for victory, but they returned to winning ways

three days later by defeating Croatia 1-0 thanks to Romelu Lukaku's 60th international goal.

- Lukaku's double against Russia was his 17th for Belgium; he has scored two hat-tricks. He now has 62 goals for his country.
- Thomas Meunier's goal against Russia was his second in successive final tournament appearances, the wing-back having found the net for Belgium against England in the third place play-off of the 2018 FIFA World Cup (2-0) – a game also staged at the Saint Petersburg Stadium.
- Kevin De Bruyne's winner against Denmark was his first goal at the EURO finals, on his sixth appearance, and third in tournament football, having also scored at the 2014 and 2018 FIFA World Cups. Thorgan Hazard's equaliser – set up by half-time substitute De Bruyne – was his first at a major tournament.
- The Red Devils have now won 21 of their last 25 matches, the only defeat in that sequence coming against England at Wembley in the UEFA Nations League on 11 October 2020 (1-2), which makes them unbeaten in their last 11 (W9 D2). Despite that setback Belgium qualified for the UEFA Nations League finals in Italy later this year and will meet world champions France in the second semi-final in Turin on 7 October.
- Belgium's squad contains newly-crowned league title winners from England (De Bruyne, Manchester City), Italy (Lukaku, Internazionale) and Spain (Yannick Carrasco, Atlético de Madrid) as well as two Belgian champions in Club Brugge pair Simon Mignolet and Hans Vanaken. They also boast three 2020/21 domestic cup winners apiece from Borussia Dortmund (Thorgan Hazard, Meunier and Witsel) and Leicester City (Timothy Castagne, Dennis Praet and final match-winner Youri Tielemans).
- No fewer than 15 of Belgium's 23-man squad from UEFA EURO 2016 and 18 of their 2018 FIFA World Cup squad have returned to participate in this event. The only major tournament freshmen for UEFA EURO 2020 are Vanaken, Castagne, Praet, Matz Sels, Leandro Trossard and Jérémy Doku.
- Castagne has been ruled out of the remainder of the tournament having sustained facial fractures in the match against Russia.

Squad list

Finland

No.	Player	DoB	Age	Club	D	Current season				Overall	
						Qual.		FT		Team	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers											
1	Lukas Hradecky	24/11/1989	31	Leverkusen	-	9	0	2	0	65	-
12	Jesse Joronen	21/03/1993	28	Brescia	-	1	0	0	0	12	-
23	Anssi Jaakkola	13/03/1987	34	Bristol Rovers	-	0	0	0	0	3	-
Defenders											
2	Paulus Arajuuri	15/06/1988	33	Pafos	-	8	0	2	0	51	3
3	Daniel O'Shaughnessy	14/09/1994	26	HJK	*	0	0	2	0	12	-
5	Leo Väisänen	23/07/1997	23	Elfsborg	-	2	0	1	0	9	-
15	Nicholas Hämäläinen	05/03/1997	24	QPR	-	0	0	0	0	6	-
16	Thomas Lam	18/12/1993	27	Zwolle	-	1	0	0	0	26	-
18	Jere Uronen	13/07/1994	26	Genk	-	6	0	2	0	49	1
22	Jukka Raitala	15/09/1988	32	Minnesota	-	7	0	2	0	57	-
25	Robert Ivanov	19/09/1994	26	Warta Poznan	-	0	0	0	0	2	-
Midfielders											
4	Joona Toivio	10/03/1988	33	Häcken	-	10	0	2	0	71	3
6	Glen Kamara	28/10/1995	25	Rangers	*	10	0	2	0	33	1
7	Robert Taylor	21/10/1994	26	Brann	-	1	0	0	0	16	1
8	Robin Lod	17/04/1993	28	Minnesota	*	10	0	2	0	45	4
9	Fredrik Jensen	09/09/1997	23	Augsburg	-	4	2	1	0	19	7
11	Rasmus Schüller	18/06/1991	30	Djurgården	-	7	0	2	0	43	-
13	Pyry Soiri	22/09/1994	26	Esbjerg	-	9	1	1	0	32	5
14	Tim Sparv	20/02/1987	34	Larissa	*	7	0	1	0	78	1
17	Nikolai Alho	12/03/1993	28	MTK	-	0	0	0	0	12	-
19	Joni Kauko	12/07/1990	30	Esbjerg	-	5	0	2	0	23	-
24	Onni Valakari	18/08/1999	21	Pafos	-	0	0	0	0	5	-
Forwards											
10	Teemu Pukki	29/03/1990	31	Norwich	-	10	10	2	0	91	30
20	Joel Pohjanpalo	13/09/1994	26	Leverkusen	-	2	1	2	1	44	10
21	Lassi Lappalainen	24/08/1998	22	Montreal	-	5	0	1	0	7	-
26	Marcus Forss	18/06/1999	22	Brentford	-	0	0	1	0	6	-
Coach											
-	Markku Kanerva	24/05/1964	57		-	10	0	2	0	51	-

Belgium

No.	Player	DoB	Age	Club	D	Current season				Overall	
						Qual.		FT		Team	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers											
1	Thibaut Courtois	11/05/1992	29	Real Madrid	-	9	0	2	0	86	-
12	Simon Mignolet	06/03/1988	33	Club Brugge	-	1	0	0	0	31	-
13	Matz Sels	26/02/1992	29	Strasbourg	-	0	0	0	0	1	-
Defenders											
2	Toby Alderweireld	02/03/1989	32	Tottenham	-	10	1	2	0	110	4
3	Thomas Vermaelen	14/11/1985	35	Vissel Kobe	-	7	1	2	0	81	2
4	Dedryck Boyata	28/11/1990	30	Hertha	-	2	0	1	0	24	-
5	Jan Vertonghen	24/04/1987	34	Benfica	-	8	0	2	0	128	9
15	Thomas Meunier	12/09/1991	29	Dortmund	-	4	1	2	1	49	8
18	Jason Denayer	28/06/1995	25	Lyon	-	3	0	1	0	26	1
21	Timothy Castagne	05/12/1995	25	Leicester	-	5	2	1	0	15	2
Midfielders											
6	Axel Witsel	12/01/1989	32	Dortmund	-	4	0	1	0	110	10
7	Kevin De Bruyne	28/06/1991	29	Man. City	-	6	4	1	1	81	22
8	Youri Tielemans	07/05/1997	24	Leicester	-	9	2	2	0	41	4
10	Eden Hazard	07/01/1991	30	Real Madrid	-	8	5	2	0	108	32
11	Yannick Carrasco	04/09/1993	27	Atlético	-	7	1	2	0	48	6
16	Thorgan Hazard	29/03/1993	28	Dortmund	*	7	1	2	1	37	7
17	Hans Vanaken	24/08/1992	28	Club Brugge	-	2	0	0	0	10	2
19	Leander Dendoncker	15/04/1995	26	Wolves	-	3	0	2	0	19	-
22	Nacer Chadli	02/08/1989	31	İstanbul Başakşehir	-	4	2	0	0	65	8
26	Dennis Praet	14/05/1994	27	Leicester	-	4	0	1	0	12	1
Forwards											
9	Romelu Lukaku	13/05/1993	28	Internazionale	-	5	7	2	2	94	62
14	Dries Mertens	06/05/1987	34	Napoli	-	9	2	2	0	100	21
20	Christian Benteke	03/12/1990	30	Crystal Palace	-	3	3	0	0	39	16
23	Michy Batshuayi	02/10/1993	27	Crystal Palace	-	6	6	0	0	34	22
24	Leandro Trossard	04/12/1994	26	Brighton	-	0	0	0	0	7	2
25	Jeremy Doku	27/05/2002	19	Rennes	-	0	0	0	0	8	2
Coach											
-	Roberto Martínez	13/07/1973	47		-	10	0	2	0	58	-

Head coach

Markku Kanerva

Date of birth: 24 May 1964

Nationality: Finnish

Playing career: HJK Helsinki (twice), Elfsborg, FinnPa

Coaching career: HJK Helsinki (assistant), Viikingit, Finland Under-21s, Finland (caretaker, twice), Finland (assistant), Finland

- A defender in his playing days, Markku Kanerva started out at home-town club HJK and won five Finnish titles and three Finnish Cups over two spells, returning for four years until his retirement in 1998 after an initial stay from 1983 to 1990.
- Contested five games in the 1998/99 UEFA Champions League with HJK, having rejoined after stints with Swedish side Elfsborg and Finnish outfit FinnPa; Kanerva also picked up 59 caps for his national team, scoring once.
- Began his coaching career as an assistant at HJK before briefly holding the reins at Viikingit in 2003 and entering the Football Association of Finland (SPL-FBF) coaching set-up the following year.
- Took charge of Finland's U21s between 2004 and 2009, earning recognition as Finland's coach of the year in 2008 after booking the side a historic maiden place at the 2009 UEFA European U21 Championship finals.
- Assistant coach of Finland's senior team between 2010 and 2016, Kanerva took over in an interim capacity in both 2011 and 2015 before being handed the role full time as Hans Backe's replacement in December 2016. A home win against Iceland was the highlight of the unsuccessful qualifying campaign for the 2018 FIFA World Cup but better was to follow as Finland won promotion to League B in the first UEFA Nations League.

Roberto Martínez

Date of birth: 13 July 1973

Nationality: Spanish

Playing career: Real Zaragoza, Balaguer, Wigan, Motherwell, Walsall, Swansea, Chester City

Coaching career: Swansea, Wigan, Everton, Belgium

- Born in Catalonia, Martínez started out at youth level with home-town club Balaguer before joining Zaragoza aged 16. The bulk of his three years there were spent in the youth and B teams, with a solitary appearance for the senior side before he returned to Balaguer in 1994, also running the club's football school.
- Moved to England and Wigan in 1995, forming the 'Three Amigos' with fellow Spaniards Jesús Seba and Isidro Díaz; over the next six years, helped the club win the third division title in 1997 and the Football League trophy two years later. A year with both Motherwell and Walsall preceded a lengthier spell at Swansea between 2003 and 2006, Martínez helping the club to promotion to the third tier. After a season with Chester, he returned to south Wales in 2007, initially as player-manager before quickly hanging up his boots.
- Guided Swansea to the League One championship in 2008 before leaving for Premier League Wigan the following year. Inspired an unlikely escape from relegation in 2011/12 and landed the Latics' first major trophy with victory against Manchester City FC in the FA Cup final 12 months later – although three days after that landmark triumph, Wigan were relegated.
- Martínez remained a man in demand and was appointed Everton manager in June 2013, steering the club to fifth place with their record Premier League points tally in his first term. Everton reached the 2014/15 UEFA Europa League round of 16 and both domestic cup semi-finals in the next campaign, but indifferent league form meant Martínez was dismissed in May 2016.
- Appointed Belgium coach three months later in the wake of Marc Wilmots' departure and led the side to the semi-finals of the 2018 FIFA World Cup, Belgium ultimately finishing third in Russia – their highest ever placing.

Match officials

Referee	Felix Brych (GER)
Assistant referees	Mark Borsch (GER) , Stefan Lupp (GER)
Video Assistant Referee	Marco Fritz (GER)
Fourth official	Davide Massa (ITA)
Assistant Video Assistant Referee	Christian Dingert (GER)
Assistant Video Assistant Referee	Christian Gittelmann (GER)
Assistant Video Assistant Referee	Kevin Blom (NED)
Reserve official	Stefano Alassio (ITA)
UEFA Delegate	Artur Azaryan (ARM)
UEFA Referee observer	Mehmet Ilgaz (TUR)

Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA EURO matches	UEFA matches
Felix Brych	03/08/1975	17	126

Felix Brych

Referee since: 1993

First division: 2004

FIFA badge: 2007

Tournaments: 2018 FIFA World Cup, UEFA EURO 2016, 2014 FIFA World Cup, 2013 FIFA Confederations Cup, 2012 Olympic Games

Finals

2017 UEFA Champions League

2014 UEFA Europa League

UEFA European Championship matches featuring the two countries involved in this match

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
12/06/2015	EURO	QR	Wales	Belgium	1-0	Cardiff
22/06/2016	EURO	GS-FT	Sweden	Belgium	0-1	Nice

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
27/11/2008	UEL	GS	Club Brugge	AS Saint-Étienne	1-1	Bruges
12/06/2015	EURO	QR	Wales	Belgium	1-0	Cardiff
22/06/2016	EURO	GS-FT	Sweden	Belgium	0-1	Nice
25/03/2017	WC	QR	Belgium	Greece	1-1	Brussels
13/04/2017	UEL	QF	RSC Anderlecht	Manchester United FC	1-1	Brussels
28/08/2019	UCL	PO	Club Brugge	LASK	2-1	Bruges

Team facts

UEFA European Championship records: Finland

History

2016 – did not qualify
2012 – did not qualify
2008 – did not qualify
2004 – did not qualify
2000 – did not qualify
1996 – did not qualify
1992 – did not qualify
1988 – did not qualify
1984 – did not qualify
1980 – did not qualify
1976 – did not qualify
1972 – did not qualify
1968 – did not qualify
1964 – did not participate
1960 – did not participate

Final tournament win

0-1: Denmark v Finland, 12/06/21

Final tournament defeat

0-1: Finland v Russia, 16/06/21

Qualifying win

8-0: Finland v San Marino, 17/11/10

Qualifying defeat

8-1: Greece v Finland, 11/10/78

Final tournament appearances

2: Paulus Arajuuri
2: Lukas Hradecky
2: Glen Kamara
2: Joni Kauko
2: Robin Lod
2: Daniel O'Shaughnessy
2: Joel Pohjanpalo
2: Teemu Pukki
2: Jukka Raitala
2: Rasmus Schüller
2: Joonas Toivio
2: Jere Uronen

Final tournament goals

1: Joel Pohjanpalo

Overall appearances

38: Jari Litmanen
33: Sami Hyypiä
29: Joonas Kolkka
28: Jonathan Johansson
27: Petri Pasanen
26: Mikael Forssell
25: Teemu Pukki
24: Joonas Toivio
24: Mika Väyrynen
23: Hannu Tihinen
22: Ari Hjelm
22: Lukas Hradecky
22: Mixu Paatelainen

22: Tim Sparv

Overall goals

10: Mikael Forssell

10: Jari Litmanen

10: Mixu Paatelainen

10: Teemu Pukki

5: Jonatan Johansson

5: Joel Pohjanpalo

4: Kasper Hämäläinen

4: Ari Hjelm

4: Sami Hyypiä

4: Atik Ismail

4: Joonas Kolkka

UEFA European Championship records: Belgium

History

2016 – quarter-finals

2012 – did not qualify

2008 – did not qualify

2004 – did not qualify

2000 – group stage

1996 – did not qualify

1992 – did not qualify

1988 – did not qualify

1984 – group stage

1980 – runners-up

1976 – quarter-finals

1972 – third place

1968 – did not qualify

1964 – did not qualify

1960 – did not participate

Final tournament win

4-0: Hungary v Belgium, 26/06/16

Final tournament defeat

5-0: France v Belgium, 16/06/84

Qualifying win

9-0: Belgium v San Marino, 10/10/19

Qualifying defeat

5-0: Netherlands v Belgium, 25/04/76

Final tournament appearances

7: Toby Alderweireld

7: Yannick Carrasco

7: Jan Ceulemans

7: Thibaut Courtois

7: Eden Hazard

7: Romelu Lukaku

7: Dries Mertens

7: Jean-Marie Pfaff

7: René Vandereycken

6: Kevin De Bruyne

6: Thomas Meunier

6: Erwin Vandenberg

6: Thomas Vermaelen

6: Jan Vertonghen

6: Axel Witsel

Final tournament goals

4: Romelu Lukaku

2: Jan Ceulemans
2: Radja Nainggolan
1: 19 players

Overall appearances

39: Jan Vertonghen
33: Toby Alderweireld
32: Eden Hazard
29: Dries Mertens
29: Timmy Simons
27: Eric Gerets
27: Axel Witsel
26: Jan Ceulemans
26: Thomas Vermaelen
24: Thibaut Courtois
24: Marouane Fellaini
24: Vincent Kompany

Overall goals

12: Eden Hazard
11: Romelu Lukaku
10: Kevin De Bruyne
9: François Van der Elst
8: Paul Van Himst
7: Nico Claesen
7: Marc Degryse
7: Marouane Fellaini
7: Erwin Vandenbergh

Match-by-match lineups

Finland

Final tournament - Qualifying round

(23/03/2019)

Italy 2-0 Finland

Goals: 1-0 Barella 7, 2-0 Kean 74

Finland: Hradecky, Arajuuri, Granlund (90 Soiri), Toivio, Väisänen, Kamara, Lod, Pukki (83 Karjalainen), Sparv, Pirinen, Hämäläinen (70 Lappalainen)

(26/03/2019)

Armenia 0-2 Finland

Goals: 0-1 Jensen 14, 0-2 Soiri 78

Finland: Hradecky, Arajuuri, Granlund, Toivio, Kamara, Lod (87 Taylor), Jensen (69 Schüller), Pukki, Sparv, Pirinen, Hämäläinen (57 Soiri)

(08/06/2019)

Finland 2-0 Bosnia and Herzegovina

Goals: 1-0 Pukki 56, 2-0 Pukki 68

Finland: Hradecky, Arajuuri, Granlund (38 Raitala), Toivio, Kamara, Lod, Pukki, Sparv, Skrabb (84 Schüller), Uronen, Forsell (63 Lappalainen)

(11/06/2019)

Liechtenstein 0-2 Finland

Goals: 0-1 Pukki 37, 0-2 Källman 57

Finland: Hradecky, Arajuuri, Toivio, Kamara, Källman, Lod, Pukki, Sparv (61 Schüller), Uronen, Lappalainen (74 Soiri), Raitala (86 Väisänen)

(05/09/2019)

Finland 1-0 Greece

Goals: 1-0 Pukki 52 (P)

Finland: Hradecky, Arajuuri, Toivio, Kamara, Lod, Pukki (85 Karjalainen), Soiri (93 Schüller), Sparv, Uronen, Tuominen (87 Jensen), Raitala

(08/09/2019)

Finland 1-2 Italy

Goals: 0-1 Immobile 59, 1-1 Pukki 72 (P), 1-2 Jorginho 79 (P)

Finland: Hradecky, Arajuuri, Granlund (82 Soiri), Toivio, Kamara, Lod, Pukki, Schüller (87 Kauko), Väisänen, Uronen, Lappalainen (75 Tuominen)

(12/10/2019)

Bosnia and Herzegovina 4-1 Finland

Goals: 1-0 I. Hajrović 29, 2-0 Pjanić 37 (P), 3-0 Pjanić 58, 4-0 Hodžić 73, 4-1 Pohjanpalo 79

Finland: Hradecky, Arajuuri (30 Väisänen), Toivio, Kamara, Tuominen, Lod, Pukki, Soiri (46 Pohjanpalo), Sparv (71 Kauko), Uronen, Raitala

(15/10/2019)

Finland 3-0 Armenia

Goals: 1-0 Jensen 31, 2-0 Pukki 61, 3-0 Pukki 88

Finland: Hradecky, Toivio, Kamara (87 Schüller), Lod, Jensen (53 Pohjanpalo), Pukki, Väisänen, Uronen, Kauko, Lappalainen (61 Soiri), Raitala

(15/11/2019)

Finland 3-0 Liechtenstein

Goals: 1-0 Tuominen 21, 2-0 Pukki 64 (P), 3-0 Pukki 75

Finland: Hradecky, Arajuuri, Toivio, Kamara, Tuominen, Lod, Pukki (84 Karjalainen), Soiri (78 Skrabb), Sparv (71 Kauko), Pirinen, Raitala

(18/11/2019)

Greece 2-1 Finland

Goals: 0-1 Pukki 27, 1-1 Mantalos 47, 2-1 Galanopoulos 70

Finland: Joronen, Toivio (59 Lam), Väisänen, Kamara, Lod, Pukki, Schüller (77 Jensen), Väisänen, Skrabb (77 Soiri), Kauko, Raitala

Final tournament - Group stage – final tournament

Group B

Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Belgium	3	3	0	0	7	1	9
Denmark	3	1	0	2	5	4	3
Finland	3	1	0	2	1	3	3
Russia	3	1	0	2	2	7	3

Matchday 1 (12/06/2021)

Denmark 0-1 Finland

Goals: 0-1 Pohjanpalo 60

Finland: Hradecky, Arajuuri, D. O'Shaughnessy, Toivio, Kamara, Lod, Pukki (76 Kauko), Sparv (76 Schüller), Uronen, Pohjanpalo (84 Forss), Raitala (90 Väisänen)

Matchday 2 (16/06/2021)

Finland 0-1 Russia

Goals: 0-1 Aleksei Miranchuk 45+2

Finland: Hradecky, Arajuuri, D. O'Shaughnessy, Toivio (85 Jensen), Kamara, Lod, Pukki (75 Lappalainen), Schüller (67 Kauko), Uronen, Pohjanpalo, Raitala (75 Soiri)

Matchday 3 (21/06/2021)

Finland-Belgium

Belgium

Final tournament - Qualifying round

(21/03/2019)

Belgium 3-1 Russia

Goals: 1-0 Tielemans 14, 1-1 Cheryshev 16, 2-1 E. Hazard 45 (P) , 3-1 E. Hazard 88

Belgium: Courtois, Alderweireld, Vertonghen, Dendoncker, Tielemans, E. Hazard, Mertens, T. Hazard (84 Chadli), Boyata, Castagne, Batshuayi

(24/03/2019)

Cyprus 0-2 Belgium

Goals: 0-1 E. Hazard 10, 0-2 Batshuayi 18

Belgium: Courtois, Alderweireld, Vermaelen, Vertonghen, Dendoncker, Tielemans, E. Hazard, Mertens (56 Januzaj), T. Hazard (68 Carrasco), Castagne, Batshuayi (89 Praet)

(08/06/2019)

Belgium 3-0 Kazakhstan

Goals: 1-0 Mertens 11, 2-0 Castagne 14, 3-0 Lukaku 50

Belgium: Courtois, Alderweireld, Kompany (78 Vermaelen), Vertonghen, Witsel, De Bruyne (67 Tielemans), Lukaku (72 Batshuayi), E. Hazard, Mertens, T. Hazard, Castagne

(11/06/2019)

Belgium 3-0 Scotland

Goals: 1-0 Lukaku 45+1, 2-0 Lukaku 57, 3-0 De Bruyne 90+2

Belgium: Courtois, Alderweireld, Kompany (90 Vermaelen), Vertonghen, Witsel, De Bruyne, Tielemans (78 Mertens), Lukaku, E. Hazard, Meunier, T. Hazard (90 Carrasco)

(06/09/2019)

San Marino 0-4 Belgium

Goals: 0-1 Batshuayi 43 (P) , 0-2 Mertens 57, 0-3 Chadli 63, 0-4 Batshuayi 90+2

Belgium: Courtois, Alderweireld, Denayer, Vertonghen, De Bruyne (76 Praet), Tielemans, Carrasco, Meunier, Origi (55 Mertens), Januzaj (56 Chadli), Batshuayi

(09/09/2019)

Scotland 0-4 Belgium

Goals: 0-1 Lukaku 9, 0-2 Vermaelen 24, 0-3 Alderweireld 32, 0-4 De Bruyne 82

Belgium: Courtois, Alderweireld, Vermaelen, Vertonghen, Dendoncker, De Bruyne, Tielemans (86 Verschaeren), Lukaku, Mertens, Meunier (90 Raman), Chadli (77 Carrasco)

(10/10/2019)

Belgium 9-0 San Marino

Goals: 1-0 Lukaku 28, 2-0 Chadli 31, 3-0 Brolli 35 (og) , 4-0 Lukaku 41, 5-0 Alderweireld 43, 6-0 Tielemans 45+1, 7-0 Benteke 79, 8-0 Verschaeren 84 (P) , 9-0 Castagne 90

Belgium: Courtois, Alderweireld, Vermaelen, Vertonghen, Vanaken, Tielemans, Lukaku (76 Benteke), E. Hazard (63 Carrasco), Mertens (63 Verschaeren), Castagne, Chadli

(13/10/2019)

Kazakhstan 0-2 Belgium

Goals: 0-1 Batshuayi 21, 0-2 Meunier 53

Belgium: Courtois, Alderweireld, Vermaelen (92 Mechele), Vertonghen, Witsel, E. Hazard, Mertens (78 Carrasco), Meunier, T. Hazard, Praet, Batshuayi (78 Benteke)

(16/11/2019)

Russia 1-4 Belgium

Goals: 0-1 T. Hazard 19, 0-2 E. Hazard 33, 0-3 E. Hazard 40, 0-4 Lukaku 72, 1-4 Dzhikiya 79

Belgium: Courtois, Alderweireld, Vermaelen (67 Denayer), Boyata, Witsel, De Bruyne, Lukaku (77 Batshuayi), E. Hazard, Mertens (52 Tielemans), T. Hazard, Castagne

(19/11/2019)

Belgium 6-1 Cyprus

Goals: 0-1 N. Ioannou 14, 1-1 Benteke 16, 2-1 De Bruyne 36, 3-1 De Bruyne 41, 4-1 Carrasco 44, 5-1 Kypros 51 (og) , 6-1 Benteke 68

Belgium: Mignolet, Alderweireld, Denayer, De Bruyne (68 Praet), Tielemans, E. Hazard (64 Verschaeren), Carrasco, Cobbaut, T. Hazard, Vanaken, Benteke (79 Origi)

Final tournament - Group stage – final tournament

Group B

Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
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Russia	3	1	0	2	2	7	3

Matchday 1 (12/06/2021)

Belgium 3-0 Russia

Goals: 1-0 Lukaku 10, 2-0 Meunier 34, 3-0 Lukaku 88

Belgium: Courtois, Alderweireld, Boyata, Vertonghen (77 Vermaelen), Tielemans, Lukaku, Carrasco (77 Praet), Mertens (72 E. Hazard), T. Hazard, Dendoncker, Castagne (27 Meunier)

Matchday 2 (17/06/2021)

Denmark 1-2 Belgium

Goals: 1-0 Y. Poulsen 2, 1-1 T. Hazard 55, 1-2 De Bruyne 70

Belgium: Courtois, Alderweireld, Vertonghen, Tielemans, Lukaku, Carrasco (59 E. Hazard), Mertens (46 De Bruyne), Meunier, T. Hazard (94 Vermaelen), Denayer, Dendoncker (59 Witsel)

Matchday 3 (21/06/2021)

Finland-Belgium

Competition facts

UEFA European Football Championship final tournament: Did you know?

- Spain (1964, 2008, 2012) and Germany (1972, 1980 – both as West Germany – 1996) are the competition's most successful sides having lifted the trophy three times each. Only France (1984, 2000) have also triumphed more than once.
- Only three teams have ever won the UEFA European Championship on home soil: Spain (1964), Italy (1968) and France (1984).
- In 2012 Spain became the first nation to retain the Henri Delaunay Cup, having also won in 2008. The Soviet Union (1960, 1964) and West Germany (1972, 1976) returned to the final as holders only to lose.
- Eight players have appeared in two victorious finals – Iker Casillas, Sergio Ramos, Andrés Iniesta, Xavi Hernández, Cesc Fàbregas and David Silva all started Spain's triumphs in 2008 and 2012, with Fernando Torres starting in 2008 and coming on four years later and Xabi Alonso coming on in the 2008 final and starting in 2012. Rainer Bonhof twice picked up a winners' medal with West Germany (1972, 1980) but did not play in either tournament.
- Berti Vogts was a winner as a player with West Germany in 1972 and as Germany coach in 1996, making him the only man to triumph in both roles.
- Since 1980, when the final tournament expanded to become an eight-team event, the hosts or co-hosts have only failed to reach the semi-finals – or better – four times: Italy (1980), Belgium (2000), Austria and Switzerland (2008) and Poland and Ukraine (2012).
- UEFA EURO 2020 is Germany's 13th successive UEFA European Championship final tournament – they last missed out as West Germany in 1968.
- Germany are appearing in the finals for the 13th time, one more than Russia (includes appearances as USSR). This is the 11th tournament for Spain.
- Eight teams have qualified for the finals with a perfect record, including Belgium and Italy this time round. The others are France (1992 and 2004), the Czech Republic (2000), Spain and Germany (2012) and England (2016).
- The Netherlands' 6-1 defeat of Yugoslavia in the UEFA EURO 2000 quarter-finals is the biggest win in a final tournament. Three games have finished 5-0, most recently Sweden's 2004 defeat of Bulgaria.
- Three teams have held the UEFA European Championship and FIFA World Cup at the same time. West Germany won the European title in 1972 and added the world crown two years later, while France claimed the 1998 World Cup and UEFA EURO 2000 and Spain triumphed at UEFA EURO 2008 and the 2010 World Cup. Spain's 2012 EURO victory made them the first country to win three major tournaments in a row; West Germany were within a shoot-out of achieving the feat before their 1976 loss to Czechoslovakia.
- For West Germany, Sepp Maier, Franz Beckenbauer, Hans-Georg Schwarzenbeck, Paul Breitner, Uli Hoeness and Gerd Müller played in both those finals, while Fabien Barthez, Marcel Desailly, Bixente Lizarazu, Lilian Thuram, Didier Deschamps, Youri Djorkaeff, Patrick Vieira, Zinédine Zidane and Christophe Dugarry achieved the feat for France.
- Iker Casillas, Sergio Ramos, Carles Puyol, Joan Capdevila, Andrés Iniesta, Xavi Hernández, Cesc Fàbregas, Xabi Alonso and Fernando Torres played in Spain's 2008 EURO final win and the 2010 World Cup success. Casillas, Ramos, Iniesta, Xavi, Fàbregas, Alonso and Torres appeared in all three of Spain's final wins between 2008 and 2012.
- In addition to the 24 players mentioned above, Dino Zoff (Italy 1968, 1982) and Germany's Thomas Hässler and Jürgen Klinsmann (1990, 1996) also featured in two final triumphs.
- In 2016 Portugal's Real Madrid pair Pepe and Cristiano Ronaldo joined a small group of players to have appeared in European Cup and UEFA European Championship final victories in the same year. Luis Suárez achieved the feat with Internazionale Milano and Spain in 1964, while in 1988 PSV Eindhoven quartet Hans van Breucklen, Ronald Koeman, Barry van Aerle and Gerald Vanenburg were all in the victorious Netherlands side. In 2012 Fernando Torres and Juan Mata both appeared in final wins for Chelsea and Spain.
- Wim Kieft and Nicolas Anelka narrowly missed out on this club. A European Champion Clubs' Cup finalist with PSV in 1988, Kieft was an unused substitute in the Netherlands' European Championship triumph, while Anelka was similarly thwarted with France in 2000 after appearing in Real Madrid's UEFA Champions League final. Anelka's Madrid team-mate Christian Karembeu holds the unique position of being an unused substitute in European Cup and European Championship final victories in the same year.
- In 2008 Germany's Michael Ballack, then with Chelsea, became the first player to appear in European Cup and

EURO final defeats in the same year.

- Four players have followed European Cup final defeat with EURO victory in the same year: Ignacio Zoco and Amancio Amaro (1964, Real Madrid and Spain) and Manny Kaltz and Horst Hrubesch (1980, Hamburg and West Germany).
- Gábor Király is the oldest player to have appeared in a UEFA European Championship finals; he was aged 40 years 86 days in Hungary's 4-0 loss against Belgium at UEFA EURO 2016.
- Poland's Kacper Kozłowski is the youngest player to have featured; he was 17 years and 246 days when he came on as a substitute against Croatia on Matchday 1 of UEFA EURO 2020.
- Cristiano Ronaldo became the first player to appear, and score, in five EUROs with his two goals against Hungary on Matchday 1 at UEFA EURO 2020. Twenty-one players have appeared in four final tournaments: Lothar Matthäus, Peter Schmeichel, Alessandro Del Piero, Edwin van der Sar, Lilian Thuram, Olof Mellberg, Gianluigi Buffon, Petr Čech, Zlatan Ibrahimović, Andreas Isaksson, Kim Källström, Jaroslav Plašil, Lukas Podolski, Tomáš Rosický, Bastian Schweinsteiger, Darijo Srna, Giorgio Chiellini, Sebastian Larsson, Luka Modrić, João Moutinho and Pepe.
- Austria's Ivica Vastic is the oldest player to have scored, having found the net in a 1-1 draw against Poland at UEFA EURO 2008 aged 38 years 257 days.
- Johan Vonlanthen was 18 years 141 days old when scoring in Switzerland's 3-1 defeat by France at UEFA EURO 2004, making him the youngest player to have struck at the finals.
- Russia's Dmitri Kirichenko scored the fastest goal in a UEFA European Championship; his effort against Greece at UEFA EURO 2004 was timed at 67 seconds.
- There have been eight hat-tricks in a final tournament: Dieter Müller (1976), Klaus Allofs (1980), Michel Platini (1984, twice), Marco van Basten (1988), Sérgio Conceição (2000), Patrick Kluivert (2000) and David Villa (2008).

UEFA European Championship final tournament: All-time records

• Leading scorer by tournament

1960: 2 François Heutte (FRA), Viktor Ponedelnik (URS), Valentin Ivanov (URS), Dražan Jerković (YUG)

1964: 2 Jesús María Pereda (ESP), Ferenc Bene (HUN), Deszö Novák (HUN)

1968: 2 Dragan Džajić (YUG)

1972: 4 Gerd Müller (FRG)

1976: 4 Dieter Müller (FRG)

1980: 3 Klaus Allofs (FRG)

1984: 9 Michel Platini (FRA)

1988: 5 Marco van Basten (NED)

1992: 3 Henrik Larsen (DEN), Karl-Heinz Riedle (GER), Dennis Bergkamp (NED), Tomas Brodin (SWE)

1996: 5 Alan Shearer (ENG)

2000: 5 Patrick Kluivert (NED), Savo Milošević (YUG)

2004: 5 Milan Baroš (CZE)

2008: 4 David Villa (ESP)

2012: 3 Fernando Torres (ESP), Alan Dzagoev (RUS), Mario Gomez (GER), Mario Mandžukić (CRO), Mario Balotelli (ITA), Cristiano Ronaldo (POR)

2016: 6 Antoine Griezmann (FRA)

• Oldest player

40yrs 86 days: Gábor Király (Hungary 0-4 Belgium, 26/06/16)

39yrs 91 days: Lothar Matthäus (Portugal 3-0 Germany, 20/06/00)

38yrs 308 days: Morten Olsen (Italy 2-0 Denmark, 17/06/88)

38yrs 271 days: Peter Shilton (England 1-3 Netherlands, 15/06/88)

• Youngest player

17 yrs 246 days: Kacper Kozłowski (Spain 1-1 Poland, 19/06/21)

17 yrs 349 days: Jude Bellingham (England 1-0 Croatia, 13/06/21)

18 yrs 71 days: Jetro Willems (Netherlands 0-1 Denmark, 09/06/12)

18yrs 115 days: Enzo Scifo (Belgium 2-0 Yugoslavia, 13/06/84)

18yrs 128 days: Valeri Bozhinov (Italy 2-1 Bulgaria, 22/06/04)

• Oldest goalscorer

38 yrs 257 days: Ivica Vastic (Austria 1-1 Poland, 12/06/08)

37 yrs 321 days: Goran Pandev (North Macedonia 1-3 Austria, 13/06/2021)

37 yrs 62 days: Zoltán Gera (Hungary 3-3 Portugal, 22/06/16)

36 yrs 194 days: Gareth McAuley (Ukraine 0-2 Northern Ireland, 16/06/16)

35 yrs 77 days: Jan Koller (Turkey 3-2 Czech Republic, 15/06/08)

• **Youngest goalscorer**

18yrs 141 days: Johan Vonlanthen (Switzerland 1-3 France, 21/06/04)

18yrs 237 days: Wayne Rooney (England 3-0 Switzerland, 17/06/04)

18yrs 317 days: Renato Sanches (Poland 1-1 Portugal (3-5 pens), 01/07/16)

• **Most goals in a match**

9 (4-5): France v Yugoslavia (06/07/60)

7 (5-2): France v Iceland (03/07/16)

7 (6-1): Netherlands v Yugoslavia (25/06/00)

7 (3-4): Yugoslavia v Spain (21/06/00)

• **Biggest victory**

6-1: Netherlands v Yugoslavia (25/06/00)

5-0: Sweden v Bulgaria (14/06/04)

5-0: Denmark v Yugoslavia (16/06/84)

5-0: France v Belgium (16/06/84)

• **Hat-tricks**

Dieter Müller (West Germany 4-2 Yugoslavia, semi-finals 17/06/76)

Klaus Allofs (West Germany 3-2 Netherlands, group stage 14/06/80)

Michel Platini (France 5-0 Belgium, group stage 16/06/84)

Michel Platini (France 3-2 Yugoslavia, group stage 19/06/84)

Marco van Basten (Netherlands 3-1 England, group stage 15/06/88)

Sérgio Conceição (Portugal 3-0 Germany, group stage 20/06/00)

Patrick Kluivert (Netherlands 6-1 Yugoslavia, quarter-finals 25/06/00)

David Villa (Spain 4-1 Russia, group stage 10/06/08)

• **Fastest hat-trick**

18mins: Michel Platini (France 3-2 Yugoslavia, 19/06/84)

• **Fastest goals**

1 min 7 secs: Dmitri Kirichenko (Russia 2-1 Greece, 20/06/04)

1 mins 39 secs: Yussuf Poulsen (Denmark 1-2 Belgium, 17/06/21)

1 min 40 secs: Robert Lewandowski (Poland 1-1 Portugal (3-5 pens), 01/07/16)

2 mins 0 secs: Robbie Brady (France 2-1 Republic of Ireland, 26/06/16)

2 mins 7 secs: Sergei Aleinikov (England 1-3 Soviet Union, 18/06/88)

2 mins 14 secs: Alan Shearer (Germany 1-1 England, 26/06/96)

2 mins 25 secs: Michael Owen (Portugal 2-2 England, 24/06/04)

2 mins 27 secs: Hristo Stoichkov (Bulgaria 1-0 Romania, 13/06/96)

2 mins 42 secs: Paul Scholes (Portugal 3-2 England, 17/06/00)

• **Appearances**

Players

Overall

58: Gianluigi Buffon (Italy)

58: Cristiano Ronaldo (Portugal)

51: Mario Frick (Liechtenstein)

50: Petr Čech (Czech Republic)

49: Andreas Isaksson (Sweden)

49: Kim Källström (Sweden)

49: Robbie Keane (Republic of Ireland)

49: Luka Modrić (Croatia)

49: Sergio Ramos (Spain)

48: Iker Casillas (Spain)

48: Sergei Ignashevich (Russia)

47: Sargis Hovsepyan (Armenia)

47: Darijo Srna (Croatia)

47: Lilian Thuram (France)

Final tournament

23: Cristiano Ronaldo (Portugal)

18: Bastian Schweinsteiger (Germany)

17: Gianluigi Buffon (Italy)

17: João Moutinho (Portugal)
17: Pepe (Portugal)
16: Cesc Fàbregas (Spain)
16: Andrés Iniesta (Spain)
16: Lilian Thuram (France)
16: Edwin van der Sar (Netherlands)
15: Nani (Portugal)
15: Sergio Ramos (Spain)
15: David Silva (Spain)
14: Iker Casillas (Spain)
14: Petr Čech (Czech Republic)
14: Giorgio Chiellini (Italy)
14: Philipp Lahm (Germany)
14: Luís Figo (Portugal)
14: Nuno Gomes (Portugal)
14: Rui Patrício (Portugal)
14: Karel Poborský (Czech Republic)
14: Zinédine Zidane (France)

Teams

Final tournament

12: West Germany/Germany
11: Soviet Union/Russia
10: Spain; Netherlands
9: Czech Republic; Denmark; England; France; Italy

• Appearing in five finals tournaments

Cristiano Ronaldo (Portugal, 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016, 2020)

• Appearing in four finals tournaments

4: Lothar Matthäus (West Germany/Germany 1980, 1984, 1988, 2000)
4: Peter Schmeichel (Denmark 1988, 1992, 1996, 2000)
4: Alessandro Del Piero (Italy 1996, 2000, 2004, 2008)
4: Edwin van der Sar (Netherlands 1996, 2000, 2004, 2008)
4: Lilian Thuram (France 1996, 2000, 2004, 2008)
4: Olof Mellberg (Sweden 2000, 2004, 2008, 2012)
4: Gianluigi Buffon (Italy 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016)
4: Petr Čech (Czech Republic 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016)
4: Zlatan Ibrahimović (Sweden 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016)
4: Andreas Isaksson (Sweden 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016)
4: Kim Källström (Sweden 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016)
4: Jaroslav Plašil (Czech Republic 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016)
4: Lukas Podolski (Germany 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016)
4: Tomáš Rosický (Czech Republic 2000, 2004, 2012, 2016)
4: Bastian Schweinsteiger (Germany 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016)
4: Darijo Srna (Croatia 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016)
4: Giorgio Chiellini (Italy 2008, 2012, 2016, 2020)
4: Sebastian Larsson (Sweden 2008, 2012, 2016, 2020)
4: Luka Modrić (Croatia 2008, 2012, 2016, 2020)
4: João Moutinho (Portugal 2008, 2012, 2016, 2020)
4: Pepe (Portugal 2008, 2012, 2016, 2020)

• Goals

Overall

43: Cristiano Ronaldo (Portugal)
25: Zlatan Ibrahimović (Sweden)
23: Robbie Keane (Republic of Ireland)
22: Robert Lewandowski (Poland)
22: Jon Dahl Tomasson (Denmark)
21: Jan Koller (Czech Republic)
21: Hakan Şükür (Turkey)
20: Wayne Rooney (England)

- 20: Davor Šuker (Yugoslavia/Croatia)
- 19: Klaas-Jan Huntelaar (Netherlands)
- 19: Miroslav Klose (Germany)
- 19: Raúl González (Spain)
- 18: Thierry Henry (France)
- 18: David Villa (Spain)
- 18: Zlatko Zahovič (Slovenia)

Final tournament

- 12: Cristiano Ronaldo (Portugal)
- 9: Michel Platini (France)
- 7: Antoine Griezmann (France)
- 7: Alan Shearer (England)
- 6: Zlatan Ibrahimović (Sweden)
- 6: Thierry Henry (France)
- 6: Patrick Kluivert (Netherlands)
- 6: Nuno Gomes (Portugal)
- 6: Ruud van Nistelrooy (Netherlands)

Legend

:: Previous meetings

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

:: Squad list

Qual.: Total European Qualifiers appearances/goals for UEFA EURO 2020 only.

FT: Total UEFA EURO 2020 appearances/goals in final tournament only.

Overall: Total international appearances/goals.

DoB: Date of birth

Age: Based on the date press kit was last updated

D: Disciplinary (*: misses next match if booked, S: suspended)

:: Team facts

EURO finals: The UEFA European Championship was a four-team event in 1960, 1964, 1968, 1972 and 1976 (when the preliminary round and quarter-finals were considered part of qualifying).

From 1980 it was expanded to an eight-team finals and remained in that format in 1984, 1988 and 1992 until 1996, when the 16-team format was adopted. UEFA EURO 2016 was the first tournament to be played as a 24-team finals.

Records of inactive countries

A number of UEFA associations have been affected by dissolution or splits of member associations. For statistical purposes, the records of these inactive countries have been allocated elsewhere: therefore, all Soviet Union matches are awarded to Russia; all West Germany – but not East Germany – matches are awarded to Germany; all Yugoslavia and Serbia & Montenegro matches are awarded to Serbia; all Czechoslovakia matches are allocated to both the Czech Republic and Slovakia.

Abandoned/forfeited matches

For statistical purposes, when a match has been started and then abandoned but later forfeited, the result on the pitch at the time of abandonment is counted. Matches that never started and were either cancelled or forfeited are not included in the overall statistics.

Competitions

Other abbreviations

(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

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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