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**Eintracht Frankfurt**

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**Arsenal FC**

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## Previous meetings

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No UEFA competition matches have been played between these two teams

### Eintracht Frankfurt - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

#### UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
09/05/2019	SF	<b>Chelsea FC</b> - Eintracht Frankfurt	1-1 agg: 2-2 (aet, 4-3 pens)	London	Loftus-Cheek 28; Jović 49
02/05/2019	SF	Eintracht Frankfurt - <b>Chelsea FC</b>	1-1	Frankfurt am Main	Jović 23; Pedro Rodríguez 45

#### UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
30/11/2006	GS	Eintracht Frankfurt - Newcastle United FC	0-0	Frankfurt am Main	

#### UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
17/03/1982	QF	Eintracht Frankfurt - <b>Tottenham Hotspur</b>	2-1 agg: 2-3	Frankfurt am Main	Borchers 2, Cha 14; Hoddle 80
03/03/1982	QF	<b>Tottenham Hotspur</b> - Eintracht Frankfurt	2-0	London	Miller 57, Hazard 81

#### UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
14/04/1976	SF	<b>West Ham United FC</b> - Eintracht Frankfurt	3-1 agg: 4-3	London	Brooking 49, 77, Robson 67; Beverungen 88
31/03/1976	SF	<b>Eintracht Frankfurt</b> - West Ham United FC	2-1	Frankfurt am Main	Neuberger 29, Kraus 47; Paddon 9

#### UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
26/09/1972	R1	Eintracht Frankfurt - <b>Liverpool FC</b>	0-0 agg: 0-2	Frankfurt am Main	
12/09/1972	R1	<b>Liverpool FC</b> - Eintracht Frankfurt	2-0	Liverpool	Keegan 12, Hughes 75

### Arsenal FC - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

#### UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/11/2017	GS	<b>1. FC Köln</b> - Arsenal FC	1-0	Cologne	Guirassy 62 (P)
14/09/2017	GS	<b>Arsenal FC</b> - 1. FC Köln	3-1	London	Kolašinac 49, Alexis Sánchez 67, Bellerín 82; Córdoba 9

### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
07/03/2017	R16	Arsenal FC - <b>FC Bayern München</b>	1-5 agg: 2-10	London	Walcott 20; Lewandowski 55 (P), Robben 68, Douglas Costa 78, Vidal 80, 85
15/02/2017	R16	<b>FC Bayern München</b> - Arsenal FC	5-1	Munich	Robben 11, Lewandowski 53, Thiago Alcántara 56, 63, Müller 88; Alexis Sánchez 30

### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
04/11/2015	GS	<b>FC Bayern München</b> - Arsenal FC	5-1	Munich	Lewandowski 10, Müller 29, 89, Alaba 44, Robben 55; Giroud 69
20/10/2015	GS	<b>Arsenal FC</b> - FC Bayern München	2-0	London	Giroud 77, Özil 90+4

### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
26/11/2014	GS	<b>Arsenal FC</b> - Borussia Dortmund	2-0	London	Sanogo 2, Alexis Sánchez 57
16/09/2014	GS	<b>Borussia Dortmund</b> - Arsenal FC	2-0	Dortmund	Immobile 45, Aubameyang 48

### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
11/03/2014	R16	<b>FC Bayern München</b> - Arsenal FC	1-1 agg: 3-1	Munich	Schweinsteiger 55; Podolski 57
19/02/2014	R16	Arsenal FC - <b>FC Bayern München</b>	0-2	London	Kroos 54, Müller 88
06/11/2013	GS	Borussia Dortmund - <b>Arsenal FC</b>	0-1	Dortmund	Ramsey 62
22/10/2013	GS	Arsenal FC - <b>Borussia Dortmund</b>	1-2	London	Giroud 41; Mkhitarjan 16, Lewandowski 82

### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
13/03/2013	R16	<b>FC Bayern München</b> - Arsenal FC	0-2 agg: 3-3 ag	Munich	Giroud 3, Koscielny 86
19/02/2013	R16	Arsenal FC - <b>FC Bayern München</b>	1-3	London	Podolski 55; Kroos 7, Müller 21, Mandžukić 77
06/11/2012	GS	FC Schalke 04 - Arsenal FC	2-2	Gelsenkirchen	Huntelaar 45+2, Farfán 67; Walcott 18, Giroud 26
24/10/2012	GS	Arsenal FC - <b>FC Schalke 04</b>	0-2	London	Huntelaar 76, Afellay 86

### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/11/2011	GS	<b>Arsenal FC</b> - Borussia Dortmund	2-1	London	Van Persie 49, 86; Kagawa 90+2
13/09/2011	GS	Borussia Dortmund - Arsenal FC	1-1	Dortmund	Perišić 88; Van Persie 42

### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
21/11/2006	GS	<b>Arsenal FC</b> - Hamburger SV	3-1	London	Van Persie 52, Eboué 83, Júlio Baptista 88; Van der Vaart 4
13/09/2006	GS	Hamburger SV - <b>Arsenal FC</b>	1-2	Hamburg	Sanogo 90+1; Gilberto Silva 12 (P), Rosický 53

### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
09/03/2005	R16	Arsenal FC - <b>FC Bayern München</b>	1-0 agg: 2-3	London	Henry 66
22/02/2005	R16	<b>FC Bayern München</b> - Arsenal FC	3-1	Munich	Pizarro 4, 58, Salihamidžić 65; Touré 88

### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
30/10/2002	GS1	<b>Borussia Dortmund</b> - Arsenal FC	2-1	Dortmund	Rosický 38, 62 (P); Henry 18
17/09/2002	GS1	<b>Arsenal FC</b> - Borussia Dortmund	2-0	London	Bergkamp 62, Ljungberg 77

### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
27/02/2002	GS2	<b>Arsenal FC</b> - Bayer 04 Leverkusen	4-1	London	Pirès 5, Henry 7, Vieira 48, Bergkamp 83; Sebens 86
19/02/2002	GS2	Bayer 04 Leverkusen - Arsenal FC	1-1	Leverkusen	Kirsten 90; Pirès 56
30/10/2001	GS1	<b>FC Schalke 04</b> - Arsenal FC	3-1	Gelsenkirchen	Mulder 2, Vermant 60, Möller 64; Wiltord 71
19/09/2001	GS1	<b>Arsenal FC</b> - FC Schalke 04	3-2	London	Ljungberg 33, Henry 36, 47 (P); van Hoogdale 43, Emile Mpenza 59

### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
14/03/2001	GS2	<b>FC Bayern München</b> - Arsenal FC	1-0	Munich	Elber 10
05/12/2000	GS2	Arsenal FC - FC Bayern München	2-2	London	Henry 3, Kanu 54; Tarnat 56, Scholl 66

## UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/03/2000	QF	SV Werder Bremen - <b>Arsenal FC</b>	2-4 agg: 2-6	Bremen	Bode 41, Bogdanović 59; Parlour 8, 25, 70, Henry 59
16/03/2000	QF	<b>Arsenal FC</b> - SV Werder Bremen	2-0	London	Henry 21, Ljungberg 76

## UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
25/09/1996	R1	<b>VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach</b> - Arsenal FC	3-2 agg: 6-4	Cologne	Juskowiak 22, 89, Effenberg 74; I. Wright 42, Merson 49
10/09/1996	R1	Arsenal FC - <b>VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach</b>	2-3	London	Merson 54, I. Wright 90; Juskowiak 37, Effenberg 46, Passlack 81

## UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
07/11/1979	R2	1. FC Magdeburg - <b>Arsenal FC</b>	2-2 agg: 3-4	Magdeburg	Streich 50 (P), Stahmann 87; Price 41, Brady 85
24/10/1979	R2	<b>Arsenal FC</b> - 1. FC Magdeburg	2-1	London	Young 3, Sunderland 60; Pommerenke 40

## UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
27/09/1978	R1	1. FC Lokomotive Leipzig - <b>Arsenal FC</b>	1-4 agg: 1-7	Leipzig	Stapleton 72 (og); Brady 20 (P), Sunderland 51, Stapleton 62, 66
13/09/1978	R1	<b>Arsenal FC</b> - 1. FC Lokomotive Leipzig	3-0	London	Stapleton 67, 68, Sunderland 80

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
Eintracht Frankfurt	5	2	3	0	4	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	9	2	4	3	7	11
Arsenal FC	19	12	1	6	19	5	5	9	0	0	0	0	38	17	6	15	63	62

## Match background

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One of the feature games of the 2019/20 UEFA Europa League's opening night brings together last season's semi-finalists Eintracht Frankfurt and runners-up Arsenal. The German club have come through three qualifying ties to return to the group stage, whereas the visitors are playing their first European match since last season's 4-1 defeat in the all-English Baku final against Chelsea.

### Previous meetings

- Despite the clubs' European pedigree, they have never previously faced each other in UEFA competition.
- Eintracht are unbeaten in five matches against English visitors but have drawn three of them, including 1-1 against Chelsea in the first leg of last season's semi-final. They also drew the return leg at Stamford Bridge by the same score before losing 4-3 on penalties.
- Arsenal have played 38 UEFA matches against German clubs with the record W17 D6 L15. Their last four fixtures on German soil have all ended in defeat, most recently at Köln (0-1) in the 2017/18 UEFA Europa League group stage, the previous two having been 5-1 routs in the UEFA Champions League at Bayern München. Their all-time away record in Germany is W5 D5 L9.

### Form guide

#### Eintracht

- Frankfurt's 14-match UEFA Europa League adventure in 2018/19 brought memorable knockout phase wins over three teams that had crossed over in mid-season from the UEFA Champions League – Shakhtar Donetsk, Internazionale and Benfica. It was accompanied by a seventh-placed finish in the Bundesliga.
- The 1980 UEFA Cup winners embarked on this UEFA Europa League campaign in the second qualifying round, where they comfortably saw off Estonia's Flora and Liechtenstein's Vaduz before having to come from behind to eliminate Strasbourg (0-1 a, 3-0 h) in the play-offs and reach the group stage for the third time. Their first appearance, in 2013/14, also resulted in further progress before they lost to Porto on away goals in the round of 32.
- Eintracht's overall record in the UEFA Europa League, home and away and including qualifying, is an eye-catching W21 D6 L3. Their home record in the competition is an equally impressive W12 D3, with only Porto, Inter and Chelsea – UEFA Champions League winners all – having denied them victory. In the group stage it is six wins out of six with 17 goals scored and just one conceded.

#### Arsenal

- UEFA Champions League ever-presents for 19 successive seasons from 1998/99 to 2016/17, Arsenal reached the UEFA Europa League semi-finals at the first attempt in 2017/18, losing to eventual winners Atlético, before going one step further and reaching last season's final, where they were comprehensively defeated by London rivals Chelsea.
- Fifth place in the 2018/19 Premier League secured a third successive UEFA Europa League group stage berth for the Gunners, who had won five European games in a row – one against Rennes, two apiece against Napoli and Valencia – before the loss in Baku.
- The 1999/2000 UEFA Cup runners-up won all three away fixtures in last season's group stage without conceding, having won two out of three in 2017/18, the defeat at Köln the lone exception. Their overall away record in two UEFA Europa League campaigns is W9 D1 L4, with 25 goals scored and 12 conceded.

### Links and trivia

- Arsenal's squad contains German internationals Bernd Leno, Shkodran Mustafi and Mesut Özil. Eintracht have two Nationalmannschaft members on their books in goalkeeper Kevin Trapp and defender Erik Durm.
- Eintracht's Gelson Fernandes and Arsenal skipper Granit Xhaka are both Swiss internationals.
- Arsenal head coach Unai Emery is poised to take charge of his 75th UEFA Europa League game, group stage to final, extending his own record.

### The coaches

- Austrian coach Adi Hütter was appointed by Eintracht Frankfurt as the successor to Bayern München-bound Niko Kovač in May 2018, having just led Young Boys to their first Swiss league title in 32 years. He proved a shrewd acquisition, leading Frankfurt into the semi-finals of the UEFA Europa League and back into Europe via the Bundesliga. A midfielder who spent seven years with Salzburg, he returned to lead the club to a domestic double in 2014/15 after managerial spells at Altach and Grödig. He then crossed the border to spend the next three seasons in Berne.
- After two years with Paris Saint-Germain that yielded seven domestic trophies, Emery was appointed as Arsenal manager in May 2018, replacing the long-serving Arsène Wenger. The Spaniard oversaw Sevilla's historic hat-trick of successes in the UEFA Europa League from 2013/14 to 2015/16, having assumed control following a four-year tenure

at Valencia and a brief stint at Spartak Moskva. A finalist again with the Gunners in 2018/19, he has been in charge of more UEFA Europa League games than any other coach.

## Team facts

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### Eintracht Frankfurt

**Formed:** 1899

**Nickname:** Adler (Eagles)

### UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- European Champion Clubs' Cup: (1960)
- UEFA Cup: 1980

### Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 1 (1959)

German Cup: 5 (2018)

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

**2018/19:** semi-finals

**2017/18:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2016/17:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2015/16:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2014/15:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2013/14:** round of 32

**2012/13:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2011/12:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2010/11:** did not take part in UEFA competition

**2009/10:** did not take part in UEFA competition

### Records

#### UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

**9-0:** Eintracht v Widzew Łódź

30/09/92, UEFA Cup first round second leg

- Biggest away win

**0-6:** Dinamo Moskva v Eintracht

14/09/93, UEFA Cup first round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

**2-3:** Eintracht v Dynamo Kyiv

23/10/74, UEFA Cup Winners' Cup second round first leg

**1-2** on three occasions, most recently v Palermo

19/10/06, UEFA Cup group stage

**0-1:** Eintracht v Gent

06/11/91, UEFA Cup second round second leg

- Heaviest away defeat

**5-0:** Brøndby v Eintracht

19/09/90, UEFA Cup first round first leg

#### UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League

- Biggest home win

**9-0:** Eintracht v Widzew Łódź (see above)

- Biggest away win

**0-6:** Dinamo Moskva v Eintracht (see above)

- Heaviest home defeat

**1-2** twice, most recently v Palermo (see above)

**0-1:** Eintracht v Gent (see above)

- Heaviest away defeat

**5-0:** Brøndby v Eintracht (see above)

### Arsenal FC

**Formed:** 1886

**Nickname:** The Gunners

### UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)



- UEFA Champions League: (2006)
- UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League: (2000), (2019)
- UEFA Cup Winners' Cup (1): (1980), 1994, (1995)
- UEFA Super Cup: (1994)

#### **Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)**

League title: 13 (2004)

FA Cup: 13 (2017)

League Cup: 2 (1993)

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

**2018/19:** runners-up

**2017/18:** semi-finals

**2016/17:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

**2015/16:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

**2014/15:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

**2013/14:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

**2012/13:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

**2011/12:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

**2010/11:** UEFA Champions League round of 16

**2009/10:** UEFA Champions League quarter-finals

#### **Records**

##### **UEFA club competition**

- Biggest home win

**7-0:** Arsenal v Slavia Praha

23/10/07, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Biggest away win

**0-7:** Standard Liège v Arsenal

03/11/93, UEFA Cup Winners' Cup second round second leg

- Heaviest home defeat

**1-5:** Arsenal v Bayern München

07/03/17, UEFA Champions League round of 16 second leg

- Heaviest away defeat

**5-1** twice, most recently v Bayern München

15/02/17, UEFA Champions League round of 16 first leg

**4-0:** AC Milan v Arsenal

15/02/12, UEFA Champions League round of 16 first leg

##### **UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League**

- Biggest home win

**6-0:** Arsenal v BATE Borisov

07/12/17, group stage

- Biggest away win

**1-4:** Lokomotive Leipzig v Arsenal

27/09/78, first round second leg

**0-3** three times, most recently v Vorskla Poltava

29/11/18, group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

**2-5:** Arsenal v Spartak Moskva

29/09/82, first round second leg

- Heaviest away defeat

**3-1:** Rennes v Arsenal

07/03/19, round of 16 first leg

*Arsenal also lost 4-1 to Chelsea in the 2019 final, a match in which they were the designated away team*

# Squad list

## Eintracht Frankfurt

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time			
						QUAL		UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>															
1	Kevin Trapp	GER	08/07/1990	29	-	3	-	-	-	4	-	19	-	36	-
32	Frederik Rønnow	DEN	04/08/1992	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	26	-
37	Jan Zimmermann	GER	19/04/1985	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	Max Hinke	GER	11/03/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>															
2	Evan N'Dicka	FRA	20/08/1999	20	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	9	-	12	-
3	Simon Falette	FRA	19/02/1992	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	7	-
13	Martin Hinteregger	AUT	07/09/1992	27	-	4	-	-	-	3	1	34	1	59	7
18	Almamy Touré	FRA	28/04/1996	23	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	15	-
19	David Abraham	ITA	15/07/1986	33	-	3	-	-	-	4	-	15	-	45	1
22	Timothy Chandler	USA	29/03/1990	29	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	-
23	Marco Russ	GER	04/08/1985	34	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	12	1	15	1
24	Danny da Costa	GER	13/07/1993	26	-	5	1	-	-	3	-	16	2	23	3
25	Erik Durm	GER	12/05/1992	27	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	20	-
<b>Midfielders</b>															
5	Gelson Fernandes	SUI	02/09/1986	33	-	4	-	-	-	1	-	26	1	36	1
8	Djibril Sow	SUI	06/02/1997	22	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	4	-	14	-
10	Filip Kostić	SRB	01/11/1992	26	-	5	3	-	-	3	-	12	4	19	7
11	Mijat Gaćinović	SRB	08/02/1995	24	-	6	1	-	-	2	-	14	2	23	3
15	Daichi Kamada	JPN	05/08/1996	23	-	6	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	6	-
17	Sebastian Rode	GER	11/10/1990	28	-	3	-	-	-	4	-	13	1	30	2
20	Makoto Hasebe	JPN	18/01/1984	35	-	5	-	-	-	4	-	22	1	33	1
26	Nils Stendera	GER	30/09/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
28	Dominik Kohr	GER	31/01/1994	25	-	5	1	-	-	4	-	13	2	20	3
30	Sahverdi Cetin	GER	28/09/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Patrick Finger	GER	01/01/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Forwards</b>															
7	Dejan Joveljić	SRB	07/08/1999	20	-	5	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	7	1
9	Bas Dost	NED	31/05/1989	30	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	16	4	36	9
33	André Silva	POR	06/11/1995	23	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
39	Gonçalo Paciência	POR	01/08/1994	25	-	6	3	-	-	4	3	6	1	14	4
<b>Coach</b>															
-	Adolf Hütter	AUT	11/02/1970	49	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	33	-	51	-

## Arsenal FC

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season				All-time			
						UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>													
1	Bernd Leno	GER	04/03/1992	27	-	-	-	5	-	13	-	54	-
26	Emiliano Martínez	ARG	02/09/1992	27	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	-
33	Matt Macey	ENG	09/09/1994	25	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
63	James Hillson	ENG	14/01/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
76	Arthur Okwonko	ENG	09/09/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>													
2	Héctor Bellerín	ESP	19/03/1995	24	-	-	-	-	-	8	1	23	1
3	Kieran Tierney	SCO	05/06/1997	22	-	-	-	-	-	12	1	41	1
5	Sokratis Papastathopoulos	GRE	09/06/1988	31	-	-	-	5	-	33	2	71	5
15	Ainsley Maitland-Niles	ENG	29/08/1997	22	-	-	-	5	-	19	1	20	1
16	Rob Holding	ENG	20/09/1995	23	-	-	-	-	-	13	1	14	1
20	Shkodran Mustafi	GER	17/04/1992	27	-	-	-	-	-	18	1	32	1
21	Calum Chambers	ENG	20/01/1995	24	-	-	-	1	-	8	-	18	-
23	David Luiz	BRA	22/04/1987	32	-	-	-	4	-	31	3	90	10
27	Konstantinos Mavropanos	GRE	11/12/1997	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31	Sead Kolašinac	GER	20/06/1993	26	-	-	-	3	-	29	2	38	2
37	Daniel Ballard	NIR	22/09/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Tolaji Bola	ENG	04/01/1999	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	Mark McGuiness	ENG	01/03/2002	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49	Zechariah Medley	ENG	09/07/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-
53	Joseph Olowu	ENG	27/11/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
54	Tobi Omole	ENG	17/12/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
59	Zak Swanson	ENG	28/09/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
74	Joel López	ESP	31/03/2002	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Midfielders</b>													
8	Dani Ceballos	ESP	07/08/1996	23	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	8	-
10	Mesut Özil	GER	15/10/1988	30	-	-	-	1	-	36	2	108	14
11	Lucas Torreira	ESP	11/02/1996	23	-	-	-	4	1	12	-	12	-
29	Mattéo Guendouzi	FRA	14/04/1999	20	-	-	-	5	-	11	1	11	1
34	Granit Xhaka	SUI	27/09/1992	26	-	-	-	4	-	31	3	59	6
41	Robbie Burton	WAL	26/12/1999	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	Harrison Clarke	ENG	02/03/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
52	James Olayinka	ENG	05/10/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
57	Matthew Smith	ENG	05/10/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
61	Nathan Tormey	ENG	25/05/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
69	Ben Cottrell	ENG	31/10/2001	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Forwards</b>													
9	Alexandre Lacazette	FRA	28/05/1991	28	-	-	-	3	2	35	17	61	23
14	Pierre-Emerick Aubameyang	GAB	18/06/1989	30	-	-	-	5	5	29	16	67	34
19	Nicolas Pépé	CIV	29/05/1995	24	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-
24	Reiss Nelson	ENG	10/12/1999	19	-	-	-	3	-	8	-	13	-

## Arsenal FC

						Current season				All-time			
						UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
28	Joe <b>Willock</b>	ENG	20/08/1999	20	-	-	-	4	-	8	1	8	1
32	Emile <b>Smith Rowe</b>	ENG	28/07/2000	19	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	4	2
35	Gabriel <b>Martinelli</b>	BRA	18/06/2001	18	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
38	Folarin <b>Balogun</b>	ENG	03/07/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Trae <b>Coyle</b>	ENG	11/01/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45	Tyreece <b>John-Jules</b>	ENG	14/02/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	Jordan <b>Mcneff</b>	IRL	08/01/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
77	Bukayo <b>Saka</b>	ENG	05/09/2001	18	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-
<b>Coach</b>													
-	Unai Emery	ESP	03/11/1971	47	-	-	-	-	-	82	-	132	-

## Fixtures and results

### Eintracht Frankfurt

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result		Goalscorers
25/07/2019	UEL	FC Flora Tallinn (A)	W	2-1	Torro 24, Joveljić 71
01/08/2019	UEL	FC Flora Tallinn (H)	W	2-1	Gonçalo Paciência 37, 54 (P)
08/08/2019	UEL	FC Vaduz (A)	W	5-0	Kostić 11, 27, Kohr 40, Gonçalo Paciência 53, Gaćinović 63
11/08/2019	Cup	SV Waldhof Mannheim (A)	W	5-3	Kamada 21, Kostić 45+1, Rebić 76, 81, 88
15/08/2019	UEL	FC Vaduz (H)	W	1-0	de Guzmán 31
18/08/2019	League	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (H)	W	1-0	Hinteregger 1
22/08/2019	UEL	Racing Club de Strasbourg Alsace (A)	L	0-1	
25/08/2019	League	RB Leipzig (A)	L	1-2	Gonçalo Paciência 89
29/08/2019	UEL	Racing Club de Strasbourg Alsace (H)	W	3-0	S. Mitrović 27 (og), Kostić 60, Da Costa 66
01/09/2019	League	Fortuna Düsseldorf (H)	W	2-1	Dost 57, Gonçalo Paciência 86
14/09/2019	League	FC Augsburg (A)	L	1-2	Gonçalo Paciência 73
19/09/2019	UEL	Arsenal FC (H)			
22/09/2019	League	Borussia Dortmund (H)			
27/09/2019	League	1. FC Union Berlin (A)			
03/10/2019	UEL	Vitória SC (A)			
06/10/2019	League	SV Werder Bremen (H)			
18/10/2019	League	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (H)			
24/10/2019	UEL	R. Standard de Liège (H)			
27/10/2019	League	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (A)			
30/10/2019	Cup	FC St Pauli (A)			
02/11/2019	League	FC Bayern München (H)			
07/11/2019	UEL	R. Standard de Liège (A)			
10/11/2019	League	SC Freiburg (A)			
23/11/2019	League	VfL Wolfsburg (H)			
28/11/2019	UEL	Arsenal FC (A)			
02/12/2019	League	1. FSV Mainz 05 (A)			
07/12/2019	League	Hertha BSC Berlin (H)			
12/12/2019	UEL	Vitória SC (H)			
14/12/2019	League	FC Schalke 04 (A)			
18/12/2019	League	1. FC Köln (H)			
21/12/2019	League	SC Paderborn 07 (A)			
18/01/2020	League	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (A)			
25/01/2020	League	RB Leipzig (H)			
01/02/2020	League	Fortuna Düsseldorf (A)			
08/02/2020	League	FC Augsburg (H)			
15/02/2020	League	Borussia Dortmund (A)			
22/02/2020	League	1. FC Union Berlin (H)			
29/02/2020	League	SV Werder Bremen (A)			
07/03/2020	League	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (A)			

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14/03/2020	League	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (H)		
21/03/2020	League	FC Bayern München (A)		
04/04/2020	League	SC Freiburg (H)		
11/04/2020	League	VfL Wolfsburg (A)		
18/04/2020	League	1. FSV Mainz 05 (H)		
25/04/2020	League	Hertha BSC Berlin (A)		
02/05/2020	League	FC Schalke 04 (H)		
09/05/2020	League	1. FC Köln (A)		
16/05/2020	League	SC Paderborn 07 (H)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	RB Leipzig	4	3	1	0	10	3	10
2	Borussia Dortmund	4	3	0	1	13	5	9
3	SC Freiburg	4	3	0	1	10	3	9
4	FC Bayern München	4	2	2	0	12	4	8
5	VfL Wolfsburg	4	2	2	0	7	3	8
6	FC Schalke 04	4	2	1	1	8	4	7
7	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	4	2	1	1	5	4	7
8	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	4	2	1	1	6	7	7
<b>9</b>	<b>Eintracht Frankfurt</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
10	SV Werder Bremen	4	2	0	2	8	9	6
11	Fortuna Düsseldorf	4	1	1	2	6	7	4
12	1. FC Union Berlin	4	1	1	2	5	8	4
13	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim	4	1	1	2	3	6	4
14	FC Augsburg	4	1	1	2	6	10	4
15	1. FC Köln	4	1	0	3	4	7	3
16	1. FSV Mainz 05	4	1	0	3	4	13	3
17	SC Paderborn 07	4	0	1	3	5	12	1
18	Hertha BSC Berlin	4	0	1	3	3	10	1

## Arsenal FC

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
11/08/2019	League	Newcastle United FC (A)	W	1-0 Aubameyang 58
17/08/2019	League	Burnley FC (H)	W	2-1 Lacazette 13, Aubameyang 64
24/08/2019	League	Liverpool FC (A)	L	1-3 Torreira 85
01/09/2019	League	Tottenham Hotspur (H)	D	2-2 Lacazette 45+1, Aubameyang 71
15/09/2019	League	Watford FC (A)	D	2-2 Aubameyang 21, 32
19/09/2019	UEL	Eintracht Frankfurt (A)		
22/09/2019	League	Aston Villa FC (H)		
24/09/2019	Cup	Nottingham Forest FC (H)		
30/09/2019	League	Manchester United FC (A)		
03/10/2019	UEL	R. Standard de Liège (H)		
06/10/2019	League	AFC Bournemouth (H)		
21/10/2019	League	Sheffield United FC (A)		
24/10/2019	UEL	Vitória SC (H)		

## Arsenal FC

27/10/2019	League	Crystal Palace FC (H)		
02/11/2019	League	Wolverhampton Wanderers FC (H)		
06/11/2019	UEL	Vitória SC (A)		
10/11/2019	League	Leicester City FC (A)		
23/11/2019	League	Southampton FC (H)		
28/11/2019	UEL	Eintracht Frankfurt (H)		
01/12/2019	League	Norwich City FC (A)		
03/12/2019	League	Brighton & Hove Albion FC (H)		
07/12/2019	League	West Ham United FC (A)		
12/12/2019	UEL	R. Standard de Liège (A)		
14/12/2019	League	Manchester City FC (H)		
21/12/2019	League	Everton FC (A)		
26/12/2019	League	AFC Bournemouth (A)		
28/12/2019	League	Chelsea FC (H)		
01/01/2020	League	Manchester United FC (H)		
11/01/2020	League	Crystal Palace FC (A)		
18/01/2020	League	Sheffield United FC (H)		
22/01/2020	League	Chelsea FC (A)		
01/02/2020	League	Burnley FC (A)		
08/02/2020	League	Newcastle United FC (H)		
22/02/2020	League	Everton FC (H)		
29/02/2020	League	Manchester City FC (A)		
07/03/2020	League	West Ham United FC (H)		
14/03/2020	League	Brighton & Hove Albion FC (A)		
21/03/2020	League	Southampton FC (A)		
04/04/2020	League	Norwich City FC (H)		
11/04/2020	League	Wolverhampton Wanderers FC (A)		
18/04/2020	League	Leicester City FC (H)		
25/04/2020	League	Tottenham Hotspur (A)		
02/05/2020	League	Liverpool FC (H)		
09/05/2020	League	Aston Villa FC (A)		
17/05/2020	League	Watford FC (H)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Liverpool FC	5	5	0	0	15	4	15
2	Manchester City FC	5	3	1	1	16	6	10
3	Tottenham Hotspur	5	2	2	1	11	6	8
4	Manchester United FC	5	2	2	1	8	4	8
5	Leicester City FC	5	2	2	1	6	4	8
6	Chelsea FC	5	2	2	1	11	11	8
<b>7</b>	<b>Arsenal FC</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>
8	West Ham United FC	5	2	2	1	6	7	8

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
9	AFC Bournemouth	5	2	1	2	8	9	7
10	Southampton FC	5	2	1	2	5	6	7
11	Everton FC	5	2	1	2	5	7	7
12	Crystal Palace FC	5	2	1	2	3	6	7
13	Norwich City FC	5	2	0	3	9	12	6
14	Burnley FC	5	1	2	2	6	7	5
15	Sheffield United FC	5	1	2	2	5	6	5
16	Brighton & Hove Albion FC	5	1	2	2	5	8	5
17	Aston Villa FC	5	1	1	3	4	6	4
18	Newcastle United FC	5	1	1	3	4	8	4
19	Wolverhampton Wanderers FC	5	0	3	2	6	10	3
20	Watford FC	5	0	2	3	4	10	2



# Match-by-match lineups

## Eintracht Frankfurt

### UEFA Europa League - Second qualifying round

(25/07/2019)

#### FC Flora Tallinn 1-2 Eintracht Frankfurt

**Goals:** 0-1 Torro 24, 1-1 Ainsalu 34, 1-2 Joveljić 71

**Eintracht Frankfurt:** Wiedwald, N'Dicka, Rebić, Kostić, Gaćinović (64 Kamada), Torro, Abraham, Hasebe, Da Costa (88 Chandler), Kohr, Gonçalo Paciência (64 Joveljić)

(01/08/2019)

#### Eintracht Frankfurt 2-1 FC Flora Tallinn (agg: 4-2)

**Goals:** 1-0 Gonçalo Paciência 37, 1-1 Sinyavskiy 40, 2-1 Gonçalo Paciência 54 (P)

**Eintracht Frankfurt:** Wiedwald, N'Dicka, Joveljić (67 Gaćinović), Kostić, Torro, Touré, Hasebe, Da Costa (85 Durm), Kohr (75 Fernandes), Gonçalo Paciência, Kamada

### Third qualifying round

(08/08/2019)

#### FC Vaduz 0-5 Eintracht Frankfurt

**Goals:** 0-1 Kostić 11, 0-2 Kostić 27, 0-3 Kohr 40, 0-4 Gonçalo Paciência 53, 0-5 Gaćinović 63

**Eintracht Frankfurt:** Wiedwald, Fernandes (66 de Guzmán), Kostić, Gaćinović, Hinteregger, Kamada (72 Rebić), Abraham, Hasebe, Da Costa, Kohr, Gonçalo Paciência (73 Joveljić)

(15/08/2019)

#### Eintracht Frankfurt 1-0 FC Vaduz (agg: 6-0)

**Goals:** 1-0 de Guzmán 31

**Eintracht Frankfurt:** Trapp, N'Dicka, de Guzmán, Joveljić, Gaćinović (66 Gonçalo Paciência), Torro, Rode (72 Kamada), Touré, Chandler, Russ (37 Hinteregger), Durm

### Play-off

(22/08/2019)

#### Racing Club de Strasbourg Alsace 1-0 Eintracht Frankfurt

**Goals:** 1-0 Zohi 33

**Eintracht Frankfurt:** Trapp, Rebić (46 Gonçalo Paciência), Fernandes (78 Kohr), Kostić, Gaćinović (46 Rode), Hinteregger, Kamada, Torro, Abraham, Hasebe, Da Costa

(29/08/2019)

#### Eintracht Frankfurt 3-0 Racing Club de Strasbourg Alsace (agg: 3-1)

**Goals:** 1-0 S. Mitrović 27 (og) , 2-0 Kostić 60, 3-0 Da Costa 66

**Eintracht Frankfurt:** Trapp, Rebić, Kostić, Hinteregger, Kamada, Rode (90 Joveljić), Touré, Hasebe, Da Costa, Kohr (75 Fernandes), Gonçalo Paciência (83 Gaćinović)

### Group stage

#### Group F

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Arsenal FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eintracht Frankfurt	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
R. Standard de Liège	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vitória SC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

#### Matchday 1 (19/09/2019)

Eintracht Frankfurt-Arsenal FC

#### Matchday 2 (03/10/2019)

Vitória SC-Eintracht Frankfurt

#### Matchday 3 (24/10/2019)

Eintracht Frankfurt-R. Standard de Liège

**Matchday 4 (07/11/2019)**

R. Standard de Liège-Eintracht Frankfurt

**Matchday 5 (28/11/2019)**

Arsenal FC-Eintracht Frankfurt

**Matchday 6 (12/12/2019)**

Eintracht Frankfurt-Vitória SC

## **Arsenal FC**

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### **UEFA Europa League - Group stage**

**Matchday 1 (19/09/2019)**

Eintracht Frankfurt-Arsenal FC

**Matchday 2 (03/10/2019)**

Arsenal FC-R. Standard de Liège

**Matchday 3 (24/10/2019)**

Arsenal FC-Vitória SC

**Matchday 4 (06/11/2019)**

Vitória SC-Arsenal FC

**Matchday 5 (28/11/2019)**

Arsenal FC-Eintracht Frankfurt

**Matchday 6 (12/12/2019)**

R. Standard de Liège-Arsenal FC

## Match officials

<b>Referee</b>	Davide Massa (ITA)
<b>Assistant referees</b>	Alberto Tegoni (ITA) , Stefano Alassio (ITA)
<b>Fourth official</b>	Fabrizio Pasqua (ITA)
<b>UEFA Delegate</b>	Jacob Erel (ISR)
<b>UEFA Referee observer</b>	Jaap Uilenberg (NED)

## Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Europa League matches	UEFA matches
Davide Massa	15/07/1981	15	39

## Davide Massa

**Referee since:** 1997  
**First division:** 2012  
**FIFA badge:** 2014

**Tournaments:** 2017 UEFA European Under-19 Championship

**Finals**  
N/A

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
31/07/2014	UEL	3QR	AS Trenčín	Hull City AFC	0-0	Zilina
30/07/2015	UEL	3QR	Wolfsberger AC	Borussia Dortmund	0-1	Klagenfurt
04/10/2018	UEL	GS	Qarabağ FK	Arsenal FC	0-3	Baku
14/02/2019	UEL	R32	FC Krasnodar	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	0-0	Krasnodar

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
05/06/2014	U19	ELITE	Germany	Spain	3-1	Vigo
31/07/2014	UEL	3QR	AS Trenčín	Hull City AFC	0-0	Zilina
30/07/2015	UEL	3QR	Wolfsberger AC	Borussia Dortmund	0-1	Klagenfurt
09/02/2016	UYL	PO	RSC Anderlecht	Arsenal FC	2-0	Brussels
06/07/2017	U19	GS-FT	England	Netherlands	1-0	Tbilisi
12/07/2017	U19	SF	England	Czech Republic	1-0	Tbilisi
14/03/2018	UYL	QF	Manchester City FC	Liverpool FC	1-1	Manchester
04/10/2018	UEL	GS	Qarabağ FK	Arsenal FC	0-3	Baku
14/02/2019	UEL	R32	FC Krasnodar	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	0-0	Krasnodar

# Legend

## Competitions

### Club competitions

**UCL:** UEFA Champions League  
**ECCC:** European Champion Clubs' Cup  
**UEL:** UEFA Europa League  
**UCUP:** UEFA Cup  
**UCWC:** UEFA Cup Winners' Cup  
**SCUP:** UEFA Super Cup  
**UIC:** UEFA Intertoto Cup  
**ICF:** Inter-Cities Fairs Cup

### National team competitions

**EURO:** UEFA European Football Championship  
**WC:** FIFA World Cup  
**CONFCUP:** FIFA Confederations Cup  
**FRIE:** Friendly internationals  
**U21FRIE:** Under-21 friendly internationals  
**U21:** UEFA European Under-21 Championship  
**U17:** UEFA Under-17 Championship  
**U16:** UEFA European Under-16 Championship  
**U19:** UEFA Under-19 Championship  
**U18:** UEFA European Under-18 Championship  
**WWC:** FIFA Women's World Cup  
**WEURO:** UEFA European Women's Championship

## Competition stages

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

## Other abbreviations

<b>(aet):</b> After extra time	<b>pens:</b> Penalties
<b>No.:</b> Number	<b>og:</b> Own goal
<b>ag:</b> Match decided on away goals	<b>P:</b> Penalty
<b>Pld:</b> Matches played	<b>agg:</b> Aggregate
<b>Pos.:</b> Position	<b>AP:</b> Appearances
<b>Pts:</b> Points	<b>Comp.:</b> Competition
<b>R:</b> Sent off (straight red card)	<b>D:</b> Drawn
<b>Res.:</b> Result	<b>DoB:</b> Date of birth
<b>sg:</b> Match decided by silver goal	<b>ET:</b> Extra Time
<b>GF:</b> Goals for	<b>GA:</b> Goals against
<b>gg:</b> Match decided by golden goal	<b>t:</b> Match decided by toss of a coin
<b>Y/R:</b> Sent off (two yellow cards)	<b>W:</b> Won
<b>f:</b> Match forfeited	<b>Y:</b> Booked
	<b>L:</b> Lost
	<b>Nat.:</b> Nationality
	<b>N/A:</b> Not applicable

## Statistics

**-:** Denotes player substituted  
**\***: Denotes player sent off

**+**: Denotes player introduced  
**+/-:** Denotes player introduced and substituted

## Squad list

**D:** Disciplinary

**\***: Misses next match if booked

**S:** Suspended

**QUAL:** All UEFA qualifiers

**UEL:** Current season total UEFA Europa League appearances from the group stage onwards prior to the current matchday

**UEL:** Total appearances in the UEFA Europa League, group stage to final only

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

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