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### Total

Spain: 7 for, 5 against
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Spain - Germany

Match press kit

Stadio Friuli, Udine

Sunday 30 June 2019 - 20.45CET (20.45 local time)
Spain and Germany meet in the final for the second successive UEFA European Under-21 Championship, with the latter looking to defend the trophy they won in Poland two years ago to the day.

• Germany, 1-0 winners in Krakow in 2017, have scored 14 goals in four games at these finals. They beat Denmark 3-1 and Serbia 6-1 before a 1-1 draw against Austria to finish top of Group B; Romania were beaten 4-2 in the semi-final, Nadiem Amiri and Luca Waldschmidt both scoring twice with the last two goals from free-kicks coming in the 90th and 94th minutes.

• Spain, in contrast, eased past France 4-1 in the last four, although they had to come from behind. The four-time champions had also recovered from an opening 3-1 defeat by Italy to finish top of Group A on three-way head-to-head records thanks to wins against Belgium (2-1) and Poland (5-0).

Final facts
• This is the third time the same combination of teams have met in a U21 final. England played West Germany in 1982 and Germany in 2009; Spain and Italy have met in three finals, in 1986, 1996 and 2013.


• No holders have ever lost in the U21 final; however, Spain (1986, 1998) and the Czech Republic (2002) won their titles having lost in the final two years previously.

• Only East Germany (1978, 1980) have lost successive U21 finals.

Previous meetings
• The teams have met in seven competitive fixtures at U21 level, with Spain registering four wins to Germany’s two.

• Two years ago, however, Mitchell Weiser scored a 40th-minute winner for Stefan Kuntz’s Germany in the final in Krakow to give his side the trophy at the expense of a Spain side coached by Albert Celades.

• The line-ups at the Krakow Stadium on 30 June 2017 were:
  Germany: Pollersbeck, Toljan, Stark, Kempf, Gerhardt, Haberer (Kohr 82), Weiser, Meyer, Arnold, Gnabry (Amiri 81), Philipp (Öztunalı 87).
  Spain: Arrizabalaga, Bellerín, Jorge Meré, Jesús Vallejo, Jonny (Gayà 51), Saúl, Llorente (Mayoral 83), Ceballos, Asensio, Sandro (Williams 71), Deulofeu.

• Dani Ceballos, Jorge Meré and Jesús Vallejo, plus substitute Borja Mayoral, are all in Spain’s 2019 squad, as are Carlos Soler, Mikel Oyarzabal and Mikel Merino, who were unused replacements.

• Levin Öztunalı and Amiri, who both came off the bench in Krakow, are Germany’s 2017 final survivors, with Waldemar Anton and Mahmoud Dahoud unused substitutes. Anton had been called up as a late replacement for Jonathan Tah.

• On the two other occasions the sides met in final tournaments, both times in the group stage, one of them went on to lift the trophy.

• The first encounter came on the opening day of the 2009 finals, a goalless draw in Halmstad, Sweden. Spain bowed out after the group stage; Germany beat England in the final.

• In 2013 the teams were again paired in the group phase, Julen Lopetegui’s Spain overcoming Rainer Adrion’s Germany with a goal four minutes from time by Álvaro Morata. This time Germany went home after the group while Spain advanced to the final where they beat Italy.

• West Germany edged Spain 2-1 on aggregate in a two-legged quarter-final in 1982. Spain won the home leg 1-0 in Tenerife and held the lead until ten minutes from time in Augsburg before goals from Rudi Völler (80) and Pierre Littbarski (89) turned it round for the Germans. West Germany went on to reach the final, losing 5-4 to England over two legs.

• Spain were winners in the sides’ last friendly, on 4 March 2014 in Palencia. Strikes by Morata (52) and Isco (54) earned the hosts a 2-0 victory.

• Merino and Mayoral were both on target as Spain beat Germany 3-0 in the group stage of their victorious 2015 U19 EURO campaign. Antonio Sivera, Aarón Martín, Jorge Meré, Jesús Vallejo, Dani Ceballos and Alfonso Pedraza also featured for Spain, with Unai Simón an unused substitute; Tah captained a Germany side also including Amiri and Waldschmidt.

• Öztunalı was in the Germany side that beat Spain 3-1 in the 2014 European U19 Championship elite round; Jorge
Meré was an unused Spanish substitute.

- A Germany team including Arne Meier were beaten 2-1 by Spain in the 2016 U17 EURO semi-finals.

- Johannes Eggestein helped Germany beat Spain 4-2 on penalties in the 2015 U17 EURO quarter-finals after a goalless draw, despite Dani Olmo's successful spot kick for the Spanish. Markus Schubert was an unused Germany substitute.

**Form guide**

**Spain**

- Spain are in the final for the fourth time in five tournaments, and the eighth overall – a new record, having previously been level with Italy on seven. Spain's final record is W4 L3:
  - 1984: England L 0-3 on aggregate (0-1 home, 0-2 away)
  - 1986: Italy W 3-0 pens, 3-3 on aggregate (1-2 away, 2-1 home)
  - 1996: Italy L 1-1 (aet; 2-4 pens)
  - 1998: Greece W 1-0
  - 2011: Switzerland W 2-0
  - 2013: Italy W 4-2
  - 2017: Germany L 0-1

- Victory in Udine would take La Rojita level with Italy on a record five titles.

- This is Spain's seventh appearance in the U21 final tournament since 1998, and a fifth in the competition's last six editions. They have only failed to get past the group stage once in those seven participations, in 2009, and have now reached the final in each of their last four, lifting the trophy in 2011 and 2013.

- This time Spain qualified by finishing top of Group 2, winning nine of their ten qualifying fixtures with 31 goals scored and ten conceded.

- Defeat by Germany in the 2017 final ended Spain's ten-match unbeaten run in competitive U21 matches (W7 D3); the opening loss to Italy at these finals was only the third in their last 25 European U21 Championship games (W19 D3), the other in qualification at home to Northern Ireland on 11 September 2018 (1-2).

- Spain have won 17 of their last 20 matches at the final tournament (D1 L2); the matchday one defeat by Italy was their first in the group stage since a 2-0 reverse to England on 18 June 2009.

- The 5-0 defeat of Poland on matchday three equalled Spain's biggest win in the U21 final tournament, and was the fourth time in their last 11 matches, qualifying included, they had scored five or more goals.

- Coach Luis de la Fuente, who succeeded Celades in July 2018, led Spain to the 2015 UEFA European Under-19 Championship title in Greece with a squad including Sivera, Simón, Jorge Meré, Merino, Pedraza, Ceballos and Mayoral.

**Germany**

- This is Germany's fourth U21 final; their record is W2 L1:
  - 1982: England L 4-5 on aggregate (1-3 away, 3-2 home – as West Germany)
  - 2009: England W 4-0
  - 2017: Spain W 1-0

- This is the first time Germany have reached successive U21 finals – six teams had reached two or more in a row before the 2019 tournament.

- Two years ago in Poland, Germany finished second in Group C, qualifying for the semi-finals as the best runners-up over the three sections; they beat England 4-3 on penalties in the last four after a 2-2 draw before seeing off Spain.

- This is the eighth time Germany have qualified for an eight or 12-team final tournament. Aside from their two titles, they were semi-finalists in 2015 and quarter-finalists in 1998. They also reached the last eight in 1990, 1992 and 1996.

- As West Germany, they were runners-up to England in 1982.

- Germany qualified for these finals as Group 5 winners, picking up 25 points from their ten fixtures (W8 D1 L1) and scoring 33 goals – the most of any of the 11 qualified teams, though non-qualifiers Portugal matched that figure. Germany's results at these finals have now extended their unbeaten run in competitive games to 11 (W9 D2).

- A 1-0 loss against Italy on matchday three in 2017 is Germany's sole defeat in their last nine matches in the final tournament (W6 D2).

- A U21 champion two years ago, Öztunalı was also part of the victorious Germany side at the 2014 European U19
Championship in Hungary.

- Lukas Nmecha scored England's winner in both the semi-final and the final at the 2017 European U19 Championship; having switched his international allegiance, the Hamburg-born striker made his Germany U21 debut against England in March.

**Links and trivia**

- Waldschmidt is the tournament top scorer with seven goals; he is the first German player to find the net in four consecutive games at a U21 finals.

- Aarón Martín has been a Mainz team-mate of Öztunalı and Florian Müller since August 2018.

- Jorge Meré joined Köln in July 2017, scoring once in his 48 league appearances.

- Mayoral spent 2016/17 on loan at Wolfsburg, scoring twice in 19 Bundesliga appearances.

- Jesús Vallejo featured 25 times in a loan spell at Eintracht Frankfurt in 2016/17, when Merino made eight Bundesliga appearances for Borussia Dortmund.
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Head coach

Luis de la Fuente

Date of birth: 21 June 1961
Nationality: Spanish
Playing career: Athletic Club (twice), Sevilla, Alavés
Coaching career: Portugalete, Aurrerá, Athletic Club B (twice), Alavés, Spain U19, Spain U21

- Full-back De la Fuente came through the famous Ledesma youth set-up in Bilbao, graduating to the Athletic first team in 1981. Went on to win two league titles, including the club's most recent in 1984, and was also part of the side that won the Copa del Rey the same year to complete a domestic double.

- Departed for Sevilla in 1987, spending four years with the Andalusian outfit before rejoining Athletic. Finished his playing career at Alavés in 1994.

- After spells at lower-level clubs Portugalete and Aurrerá, De la Fuente was given the chance to take charge of Athletic Club's reserve side on two separate occasions. He also had a brief spell at Alavés in 2011 before joining the Spain staff in 2013, initially as Under-19 coach.

- He led a side including Jorge Meré, Dani Ceballos and Borja Mayoral to victory in the 2015 UEFA Under-19 European Championship in Greece, defeating Russia 2-0 in the final.

- De la Fuente stepped up to become U21 coach in July 2018, midway through qualifying for the 2019 finals, when Albert Celades left the post to join Julen Lopetegui at Real Madrid.

Stefan Kuntz

Date of birth: 30 October 1962
Nationality: German
Playing career: Borussia Neunkirchen (twice), Bochum (twice), Bayer Uerdingen, Kaiserslautern, Beşiktaş, Arminia Bielefeld
Coaching career: Borussia Neunkirchen, Karlsruhe, Waldhof Mannheim, Ahlen, Germany U21

- A former striker renowned for his clinical finishing, Kuntz stuck to his roots for the early part of his career and only left his local club Neunkirchen when he was 20 years old. At the time he made his Bundesliga debut for Bochum, Kuntz was also training to become a policeman.

- He left Bochum as the Bundesliga's top goalscorer in 1985/86 (22 goals) and spent three years at Bayer Uerdingen before joining Kaiserslautern. Kuntz described his six seasons with the Red Devils as the most memorable of his career, winning the German Cup (1990) and the Bundesliga title (1991).

- The first non-international to become Germany's footballer of the year, in 1991, he finally made his Germany debut aged 31. He played a significant role en route to winning EURO '96 in England, scoring in the semi-final against the hosts, and still holds Germany's record for most caps without defeat at 25 (W20 D5).

- After spells at Beşiktaş and Bielefeld, he ended his professional career back at Bochum, but continued to play in the lower leagues. The first phase of his life as a coach proved brief; having studied sports management, Kuntz then tried his hand as general manager for Koblenz and Bochum before serving as Kaiserslautern's CEO for eight years.

- In August 2016, he was suprisingly appointed as Germany's Under-21 coach and led the team to European glory at the finals in Poland the following summer.
Match officials

Referee
Srdjan Jovanović (SRB)

Assistant referees
Uroš Stojković (SRB), Milan Mihajlović (SRB)

Video Assistant Referee
Jochem Kamphuis (NED)

Assistant Video Assistant Referee
Bas Nijhuis (NED)

Fourth official
Serdar Gözübüyük (NED)

Reserve official
Charles Schaap (NED)

UEFA Delegate
Myrsini Psarropoulou (GRE)

UEFA Referee observer
Roberto Rosetti (ITA)

Referee

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Competition facts

Under-21 historical statistics (competitive matches)

Champions (hosts)
2017: Germany 1-0 Spain (Poland)
2015: Sweden 0-0 Portugal, aet, 4-3 pens (Czech Republic)
2013: Spain 4-2 Italy (Israel)
2011: Spain 2-0 Switzerland (Denmark)
2009: Germany 4-0 England (Sweden)
2007: Netherlands 4-1 Serbia (Netherlands)
2006: Netherlands 3-0 Ukraine (Portugal)
2004: Italy 3-0 Serbia and Montenegro (Germany)
2002: Czech Republic 0-0 France, aet, 3-1 pens (Switzerland)
2000: Italy 2-1 Czech Republic (Slovakia)
1998: Spain 1-0 Greece (Romania)
1996: Italy 1-1 Spain, aet, 4-2 pens (Spain)
1994: Italy 1-0 Portugal, aet (France)
1992 Italy 2-1 Sweden (agg; 2-0, 0-1)
1990 USSR 7-3 Yugoslavia (agg; 4-2, 3-1)
1988 France 3-0 Greece (agg; 0-0, 3-0)
1986 Spain 3-3 Italy (agg; 1-2, 2-1, 3-0 pens)
1984 England 3-0 Spain (agg; 1-0, 2-0)
1982 England 5-4 West Germany (agg; 3-1, 2-3)
1980 USSR 1-0 East Germany (agg; 0-0, 1-0)
1978 Yugoslavia 5-4 East Germany (agg; 1-0, 4-4)

Finals contested up to, and including 1992, were over two legs

Final statistics
• In 2007 the Netherlands became the first, and so far only, team to win the competition on home territory since the switch to a new format in 1994. Until then the final had been decided on a two-legged basis. Spain came closest in 1996, losing the final on penalties to Italy.
• Since the 1992-94 change Italy have won four finals, the 2013 loss to Spain their first final reverse. The only other sides to have won it more than once are Spain (1998, 2011, 2013), Germany (2009, 2017) and the Netherlands (2006, 2007).
• The 2013 edition was the highest-scoring single-match final as Thiago Alcântara's hat-trick helped Spain defeat Italy 4-2 in Jerusalem.
• Seven red cards have been issued in single-match finals, most recently for Serbia's Aleksandar Kolarov in 2007.
• Thiago's 2013 hat-trick was the first since 1994's move to a one-off game; Andrea Pirlo (Italy 2000), Klaas-Jan Huntelaar (Netherlands 2006) and Sandro Wagner (Germany 2009) have all scored twice in a one-off match. Prior to that Gary Owen (England 1982), Franck Sauzée (France 1988) and Andrei Sidelnikov (USSR 1990) had all scored twice in one leg of a final.
• Vahid Halilhodžić (for Yugoslavia v East Germany 1978) and Pierre Littbarski (for West Germany v England 1982) are the other players to have scored a final hat-trick.
• Since the single-match finals began three have ended in penalty shoot-outs, nine-man Italy triumphing 4-2 against Spain in 1996. The Czech Republic then prevailed 3-1 over France in 2002 and Sweden 4-3 against Portugal in 2015 following the competition's only two goalless finals.
• Only the 1994 final has been decided in extra time, substitute Pierluigi Orlandini winning it for Italy against Portugal with the only goal in the 97th minute.
• Germany’s victorious 2014 World Cup squad included six members of the squad that lifted the 2009 U21 title in Sweden: Manuel Neuer, Benedikt Höwedes, Mats Hummels, Jérôme Boateng, Sami Khedira and Mesut Özil.

• Laurent Blanc was the first player to achieve the treble of a U21 title (1988), a FIFA World Cup winners’ medal (1998) and a UEFA European Championship victory (2000). Spain duo Juan Mata and Javi Martínez were the next players to do so after glory at the 2010 World Cup, U21s in Denmark in 2011 and UEFA EURO 2012.

Leading scorers

All time (including qualifying)
Lampros Choutos (Greece) 15
Tomáš Pekhart (Czech Republic) 15
Klaas-Jan Huntelaar (Netherlands) 14
Roy Makaay (Netherlands) 14

All time (final tournaments)
Marcus Berg (Sweden) 7
Vahid Halilhodžić (Yugoslavia) 6
Pierre Littbarski (West Germany) 6
Adrian López (Spain) 5
Saúl Ñíguez (Spain) 5

Finals top scorers
2017: Saúl Ñíguez (Spain) 5
2015: Jan Kliment (Czech Republic) 3
2013: Álvaro Morata (Spain) 4
2011: Adrián (Spain) 5
2009: Marcus Berg (Sweden) 7
2007: Maceo Rigters (Netherlands) 4
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2004: Alberto Gilardino (Italy), Johan Elmander (Sweden) 4
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2000: David Jarolim (Czech Republic), Igor Tudor (Croatia), Lukáš Došek (Czech Republic) 2
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1990: Davor Šuker (Yugoslavia), Andrei Sidelnikov (USSR) 3
1988: Aris Karasavvidis (Greece) 5
1986: Gianluca Vialli (Italy) 4
1984: Mark Hateley (England) 6
1982: Pierre Littbarski (West Germany) 6
1980: Ramaz Shengelia (USSR) 3
1978: Vahid Halilhodžić (Yugoslavia) 6

Leading scorers per U21 campaign (qualifying to final)
2017: Patrik Schick (Czech Republic) 11
2015: Sadio Berainho (England) 10
2013: Rodrigo (Spain) 12
2011: Tomáš Pekhart (Czech Republic) 10
2009: Robert Acquafresca (Italy) 8
2007: Nikita Bazhenov (Russia), Igor Denisov (Russia), Dragan Mrdja (Serbia), Maceo Rigters (Netherlands), Theo Walcott (England) 4
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2000: Lampros Choutos (Greece) 15
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1994: Toni (Portugal) 8
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1990: Igor Kolyvanov (USSR) 9
1988: Aristidis Karasavvidis (Greece) 5
Biggest win:

All-time
14-0: Spain v San Marino, 08/02/05
2006 qualifying group stage, Santo Domingo, El Ejido

Final tournament
6-0: England v Turkey, 29/05/00
Group stage, Tehelné Pole Stadium, Bratislava

Final
4-0: Germany v England, 29/06/09
Malmö New Stadium, Malmo, Sweden

Most goals in a game:
14: Spain 14-0 San Marino, 08/02/05
2006 qualifying group stage, Santo Domingo, El Ejido

Final tournament
7: Czech Republic 4-3 Croatia, 01/06/00
Group stage, Mestský Stadium, Trencin, Slovakia

Final
8: Yugoslavia 4-4 East Germany, 31/05/78
(second leg, Yugoslavia won 5-4 on agg), Mostar, Yugoslavia

Record attendance:
42,000: Turkey 1-1 Germany, 18/11/03
2004 qualifying play-off, Şükrü Saracoğlu Stadium, Istanbul

Final tournament
35,500: Italy 1-1 Spain (Italy won 4-2 on pens) 31/05/96
Final, Olímpico de Montjuïc, Barcelona
## Match-by-match lineups

### Spain

#### Under-21 - Qualifying round

(05/09/2017)
**Estonia 0-1 Spain**
**Goals:** 0-1 Soler 65
**Spain:** Sivera, Carmona, Aarón Martín, Unai Nuñez, Jorge Meré, Rodri, Soler, Merino, Mayoral (77 Guaoal), Ceballos, Oyarzabal (37 Pedraza)

(10/10/2017)
**Slovakia 1-4 Spain**
**Goals:** 0-1 Merino 26, 0-2 Oyarzabal 49, 0-3 Rodri 56, 1-3 Vavro 59, 1-4 Ceballos 69
**Spain:** Unai Simón, Maffeo, Aarón Martín, Jorge Meré (43 Unai Nuñez), Vallejo, Rodri, Soler, Merino (89 Fabián Ruiz), Mayoral, Ceballos, Oyarzabal (76 Fornals)

(09/11/2017)
**Spain 1-0 Iceland**
**Goals:** 1-0 Fabián Ruiz 36
**Spain:** Unai Simón, Maffeo, Aarón Martín, Unai Nuñez, Vallejo, Rodri, Soler, Fabián Ruiz (77 Pedraza), Mayoral (82 Guaoal), Ceballos, Oyarzabal (91 Fornals)

(14/11/2017)
**Spain 5-1 Slovakia**
**Goals:** 0-1 Fabián Ruiz 23 (og), 1-1 Ceballos 38, 2-1 Córdoba 53, 3-1 Ceballos 55, 4-1 Ceballos 61, 5-1 Mayoral 86
**Spain:** Unai Simón, Maffeo, Aarón Martín (70 Lato), Jorge Meré, Vallejo, Rodri, Soler, Fabián Ruiz, Mayoral, Ceballos (83 Fornals), Oyarzabal (46 Córdoba)

(22/03/2018)
**Northern Ireland 3-5 Spain**
**Goals:** 0-1 Oyarzabal 15, 1-1 Donnelly 30 (P), 1-2 Oyarzabal 44, 2-2 Donnelly 45+2, 2-3 Mayoral 47, 3-3 Lavery 68, 3-4 Mayoral 75, 3-5 Mayoral 84
**Spain:** Sivera, Unai Nuñez, Aarón Martín, Jorge Meré, Fabián Ruiz, Merino, Soler, Fornals (76 Traoré), Mayoral (87 Carlos Fernández), Ceballos, Oyarzabal (89 Lato)

(27/03/2018)
**Spain 3-0 Estonia**
**Goals:** 1-0 Fabián Ruiz 8, 2-0 Mayoral 37, 3-0 Mayoral 51, 3-1 Sinyavskiy 59
**Spain:** Soriano, Maffeo, Lato, Vallejo, Merino, Garcia, Soler (87 Traoré), Fabián Ruiz, Mayoral, Ceballos, Oyarzabal (57 Córdoba)

(06/09/2018)
**Spain 3-0 Albania**
**Goals:** 1-0 Oyarzabal 5, 2-0 Mayoral 56, 3-0 Rafa Mir 90+2
**Spain:** Unai Simón, Maffeo, Junior Firpo, Jorge Meré, Unai Nuñez, Zubeldia, Soler (80 Méndez), Merino, Mayoral (75 Rafa Mir), Fornals, Oyarzabal (66 Pedraza)

(11/09/2018)
**Spain 1-2 Northern Ireland**
**Goals:** 0-1 Lavery 4, 0-2 Donnelly 8 (P), 1-2 Rafa Mir 90+2
**Spain:** Sivera, Francis, Pedraza, Jorge Meré, Unai Nuñez, Marc Roca, Soler (77 Cheikh), Fabián Ruiz (50 Rafa Mir), Mayoral, Fornals (68 Méndez), Oyarzabal

(11/10/2018)
**Albania 0-1 Spain**
**Goals:** 0-1 Rafa Mir 84
**Spain:** Unai Simón, Lirola, Aarón Martín, Unai Nuñez, Jorge Meré, Zubeldia, Soler, Fabián Ruiz (60 Dani Olmo), Mayoral (66 Rafa Mir), Fornals (54 Pedraza), Oyarzabal

(16/10/2018)
**Iceland 2-7 Spain**
Goals: 0-1 Oyarzabal 24 (P), 0-2 Rafa Mir 25, 0-3 Rafa Mir 40, 1-3 Þorsteinsson 41, 1-4 Gunnarsson 45+2 (og), 1-5 Soler 54, 2-5 Karlsson 58, 2-6 Mayoral 87, 2-7 Fabián Ruiz 90

Spain: Unai Simón, Palencia, Angeliño, Vallejo, Jorge Meré, Marc Roca, Soler, Fabián Ruiz, Rafa Mir (67 Mayoral), Oyarzabal (73 Pedraza), Dani Olmo (58 Fornals)

Group stage – final tournament

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Matchday 1 (16/06/2019)
Italy 3-1 Spain
Goals: 0-1 Ceballos 9, 1-1 Chiesa 36, 2-1 Chiesa 64, 3-1 Pellegrini 82 (P)
Spain: Unai Simón, Vallejo, Aarón Martín, Jorge Meré, Fabián Ruiz (46 Merino), Soler, Mayoral, Ceballos, Oyarzabal (85 Rafa Mir), Zubeldia (67 Fornals), Martín Aguirregabiria

Matchday 2 (19/06/2019)
Spain 2-1 Belgium
Goals: 1-0 Dani Olmo 7, 1-1 Bornauw 24, 2-1 Fornals 89
Spain: Sivera, Vallejo, Jorge Meré, Soler (46 Fornals), Merino, Mayoral (69 Rafa Mir), Ceballos, Oyarzabal (69 Pedraza), Martín Aguirregabiria, Dani Olmo, Junior Firpo

Matchday 3 (22/06/2019)
Spain 5-0 Poland
Goals: 1-0 Fornals 17, 2-0 Oyarzabal 35, 3-0 Fabián Ruiz 39, 4-0 Ceballos 71, 5-0 Mayoral 90
Spain: Sivera, Aarón Martín, Jorge Meré, Unai Nuñez, Fabián Ruiz (75 Merino), Ceballos (87 Manu Vallejo), Oyarzabal (59 Mayoral), Martín Aguirregabiria, Dani Olmo, Marc Roca, Fornals

Semi-finals

Matchday 4 (27/06/2019)
Spain 4-1 France
Goals: 0-1 Mateta 16 (P), 1-1 Marc Roca 28, 2-1 Oyarzabal 45+5 (P), 3-1 Dani Olmo 47, 4-1 Mayoral 67
Spain: Sivera, Vallejo, Unai Nuñez, Fabián Ruiz (85 Merino), Ceballos (74 Soler), Oyarzabal (63 Mayoral), Martín Aguirregabiria, Dani Olmo, Junior Firpo, Marc Roca, Fornals

Final

Matchday 5 (30/06/2019)
Spain-Germany

Germany

Under-21 - Qualifying round

(05/09/2017)
Germany 1-0 Kosovo
Goals: 1-0 Eggestein 45
Germany: Nübel, Klostermann, Baumgartl, Anton (46 Neuhaus), Öztunali, Eggestein, Amiri, Horn, Hartel (66 Waldschmidt), Eggestein (77 Serra), Kehrre

(06/10/2017)
Germany 6-1 Azerbaijan
Goals: 1-0 Ochs 8, 2-0 Dahoud 34, 3-0 Ochs 37, 4-0 Krivotsyuk 53 (og), 5-0 Hartel 72, 6-0 Teuchert 83, 6-1 Safarzade 86
Germany: Nübel, Henrichs (67 Neuhaus), Klostermann, Tah, Baumgartl, Dahoud (71 Eggestein), Platte, Teuchert, Ochs, Hartel (75 Waldschmidt), Kehrre

(10/10/2017)
Norway 3-1 Germany
Goals: 0-1 Teuchert 31, 1-1 Thorsby 45, 2-1 Ødegaard 56, 3-1 Thorsby 71
Germany: Nübel, Henrichs, Tah, Baumgartl, Platte (73 Serra), Teuchert, Eggstein (81 Eggstein), Stenzel, Ochs (61 Passlack), Hartel, Kehrer

(09/11/2017)
Azerbaijan 0-7 Germany
Goals: 0-1 Hartel 2, 0-2 Amiri 14, 0-3 Seydel 28, 0-4 Hartel 46, 0-5 Hartel 58, 0-6 Klostermann 60, 0-7 Öztunali 84
Germany: Nübel, Klostermann, Baumgartl, Anton, Öztunali, Dahoud (42 Neuhaus), Amiri, Ochs, Seydel, Hartel (61 Serra), Kehrer (56 Stenzel)

(14/11/2017)
Israel 2-5 Germany
Goals: 0-1 Dahoud 17, 1-1 Barshazky 44, 1-2 Klostermann 54, 2-2 Weissman 73, 2-3 Seydel 79, 2-4 Baumgartl 82, 2-5 Neuhaus 90+1
Germany: Nübel, Klostermann, Baumgartl, Anton (12 Neuhaus), Öztunali, Dahoud, Amiri, Teuchert (80 Löwen), Ochs, Hartel (67 Seydel), Kehrer (09/11/2017)

(22/03/2018)
Germany 3-0 Israel
Goals: 1-0 Löwen 11, 2-0 Teuchert 26, 3-0 Öztunali 88 (P)
Germany: Nübel, Henrichs, Klostermann, Tah, Anton, Öztunali, Dahoud (72 Neuhaus), Amiri, Teuchert (86 Serdar), Löwen, Kehrer, Neuhaus, Torunarigha (46 Serdar), Eggstein (76 Serra)

(27/03/2018)
Kosovo 0-0 Germany
Germany: Nübel, Henrichs, Klostermann, Anton, Öztunali (70 Ochs), Dahoud, Amiri, Teuchert (86 Serdar), Löwen, Torunarigha, Eggstein (76 Serra)

(11/09/2018)
Republic of Ireland 0-6 Germany
Goals: 0-1 Seydel 6, 0-2 Teuchert 22 (P), 0-3 Teuchert 66, 0-4 Teuchert 73 (P), 0-5 Serdar 83 (P), 0-6 Serdar 86
Germany: Nübel, Henrichs, Klostermann, Baumgartl, Anton, Seydel (54 Richter), Teuchert, Löwen (67 Maier), Neuhaus, Torunarigha (46 Serdar), Eggstein

(12/10/2018)
Germany 2-1 Norway
Goals: 1-0 Teuchert 21, 2-0 Waldschmidt 31, 2-1 Risa 46
Germany: Nübel, Henrichs, Klostermann, Tah, Baumgartl, Maier, Waldschmidt, Teuchert (72 Serra), Löwen (72 Koch), Neuhaus (86 Öztunali), Eggstein

(16/10/2018)
Germany 2-0 Republic of Ireland
Goals: 1-0 Serra 32, 2-0 Öztunali 40
Germany: Nicolas, Baumgartl (77 Klostermann), Koch, Öztunali, Sabiri, Serra (57 Waldschmidt), Mittelstädt, Ochs, Hartel, Uduokhai, Eggstein

Group stage – final tournament

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Matchday 1 (17/06/2019)
Germany 3-1 Denmark
Goals: 1-0 Richter 28, 2-0 Richter 52, 3-0 Waldschmidt 65, 3-1 Skov 73 (P)
Germany: Nübel, Henrichs, Klostermann, Tah, Baumgartl, Eggstein, Öztunali, Dahoud (79 Serdar), Waldschmidt, Richter (70 Amiri), Maier (46 Neuhaus)
**Matchday 2 (20/06/2019)**

Germany 6-1 Serbia

**Goals:** 1-0 Richter 16, 2-0 Waldschmidt 30, 3-0 Waldschmidt 37, 4-0 Dahoud 69, 5-0 Waldschmidt 80, 5-1 A. Živković 85 (P), 6-1 Maier 90+2

**Germany:** Nübel, Henrichs, Klostermann, Tah, Baumgartl, Eggestein (67 Maier), Öztunali (46 Amiri), Dahoud, Waldschmidt, Richter (74 L. Nmecha), Neuhaus

**Matchday 3 (23/06/2019)**

Austria 1-1 Germany

**Goals:** 0-1 Waldschmidt 14, 1-1 Danso 24 (P)

**Germany:** Nübel, Henrichs, Klostermann, Tah, Baumgartl, Eggestein (83 Koch), Öztunali, Dahoud, Waldschmidt, Richter (56 Amiri), Neuhaus (56 Serdar)

**Semi-finals**

**Matchday 4 (27/06/2019)**

Germany 4-2 Romania

**Goals:** 1-0 Amiri 21, 1-1 Puşcaş 26 (P), 1-2 Puşcaş 44, 2-2 Waldschmidt 51 (P), 3-2 Waldschmidt 90, 4-2 Amiri 90+4

**Germany:** Nübel, Klostermann, Tah, Baumgartl, Eggestein (88 Maier), Öztunali, Dahoud (93 Koch), Waldschmidt, Mittelstädt, Amiri, Neuhaus (79 L. Nmecha)

**Final**

**Matchday 5 (30/06/2019)**

Spain-Germany
Team facts

Spain

**Tournament record**
- 2017: runners-up
- 2015: play-offs
- 2013: winners
- 2011: winners
- 2009: group stage
- 2007: play-offs
- 2006: did not qualify
- 2004: play-offs
- 2002: play-offs
- 2000: third place
- 1998: winners
- 1996: runners-up
- 1994: third place
- 1992: did not qualify
- 1990: quarter-finals
- 1988: quarter-finals
- 1986: winners
- 1984: runners-up
- 1982: quarter-finals
- 1980: did not qualify
- 1978: did not qualify

**Biggest wins**

**Final tournament**
- 5-0 twice, most recently v Poland, 22/06/19
  Group stage, Renato Dall'Ara, Bologna

**Qualifying**
- 14-0: Spain v San Marino, 08/02/05
  Qualifying group stage, Santo Domingo, El Ejido

**Heaviest defeats**

**Final tournament**
- 3-1: Italy v Spain, 16/06/19
  Group stage, Renato Dall'Ara, Bologna
- 2-0 twice, most recently v England, 18/06/09
  Group stage, Gamla Ullevi, Gothenburg

**Qualifying**
- 5-0: Netherlands v Spain, 16/02/83
  Qualifying group stage, Galgenwaard, Utrecht

Germany

**Tournament record**
- 2017: winners
- 2015: semi-finals
- 2013: group stage
- 2011: did not qualify
- 2009: winners
- 2007: play-offs
- 2006: group stage
- 2004: group stage
- 2002: did not qualify
- 2000: did not qualify
- 1998: quarter-finals
- 1996: quarter-finals
- 1994: did not qualify
1992: quarter-finals
1990: quarter-finals (as West Germany)
1988: did not qualify (as West Germany)
1986: did not qualify (as West Germany)
1984: did not qualify (as West Germany)
1982: runners-up (as West Germany)
1980: did not enter
1978: did not enter

Biggest wins

Final tournament
6-1: Germany v Serbia, 20/06/19
Group stage, Nereo Rocco, Trieste
5-0: West Germany v USSR, 30/04/82
Semi-final, (Old) Tivoli, Aachen

Qualifying
0-11: San Marino v Germany, 17/11/09
Qualifying group stage, Stadio Olimpico, Serravalle

Heaviest defeats

Final tournament
5-0: Portugal v Germany, 27/06/15
Semi-final, Ander Stadium, Olomouc

Qualifying
4-1: Iceland v Germany, 11/08/10
Qualifying group stage, Kaplakrikavöllur, Hafnarfjördur
### Legend

:: **Squad list**

- No: number
- DoB: date of birth
- Qual: qualifying
- FT: final tournament
- Pld: played
- Gls: goals

:: **Match officials**

- Nat: nationality
- DoB: date of birth

- Under-21: Total matches officiated in the UEFA European U21 Championship including all qualifying round matches. Matches as the fourth official are not included in these statistics. These are the official statistics considered valid for communicating official records in the competition.

- UEFA: Total matches officiated in all UEFA competitions 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 in the competition.

:: **Group statistics/Tournament schedule**

- Pos: position
- Pld: played
- W: won
- D: drawn
- L: lost
- GF: goals for

:: **NOTE: All-time statistics**

Goals totals include the outcome of disciplinary decisions (eg. match forfeits when a 3-0 result is determined). Goals totals do not include goals scored from the penalty mark during a penalty shoot-out.

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### Competition stages

- GS: Group stage
- GS2: Second group stage
- GSFT: Group stage – final tournament
- F: Final
- GS1: First group stage
- GS2: Second group stage
- R3: Third round
- R4: Fourth round
- SF: Semi-finals
- R16: Round of 16
- R32: Round of 32
- 1st: first leg
- 2nd: second leg
- PO: Play-off
- Rep: Replay
- PO - FT: Play-off for Final Tournament

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

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

Squad list

D: Disciplinary
*: Misses next match if booked
S: Suspended

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

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