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Previous meetings

Head to Head

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
19/10/2021	GS	Paris Saint-Germain - RB Leipzig	3-2	Paris	Mbappé 9, Messi 67, 74 (P); André Silva 28, Mukiele 57

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
24/11/2020	GS	Paris Saint-Germain - RB Leipzig	1-0	Paris	Neymar 11 (P)
04/11/2020	GS	RB Leipzig - Paris Saint-Germain	2-1	Leipzig	Nkunku 42, Forsberg 57 (P); Di María 6

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
18/08/2020	SF	RB Leipzig - Paris Saint-Germain	0-3	Lisbon	Marquinhos 13, Di María 42, Bernat 57

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
RB Leipzig	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	3	4	8
Paris Saint-Germain	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	1	8	4

RB Leipzig - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
10/12/2019	GS	Olympique Lyonnais - RB Leipzig	2-2	Decines	Aouar 50, Depay 82; Forsberg 9 (P), Werner 33 (P)
02/10/2019	GS	RB Leipzig - Olympique Lyonnais	0-2	Leipzig	Depay 11, Terrier 65

UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
12/04/2018	QF	Olympique de Marseille - RB Leipzig	5-2 agg: 5-3	Marseille	Ilsanker 6 (og), Sarr 9, Thauvin 38, Payet 60, Sakai 90+4; Bruma 2, Augustin 55
05/04/2018	QF	RB Leipzig - Olympique de Marseille	1-0	Leipzig	Werner 45+1

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
21/11/2017	GS	AS Monaco FC - RB Leipzig	1-4	Monaco	Falcao 43; Jemerson 6 (og), Werner 9, 31 (P), Keita 45

UEFA Champions League

13/09/2017	GS	RB Leipzig - AS Monaco FC	1-1	Leipzig	Forsberg 33; Tielemans 34
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Paris Saint-Germain - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
13/04/2021	QF	Paris Saint-Germain - FC Bayern München	0-1 agg: 3-3 ag	Paris	Choupo-Moting 40
07/04/2021	QF	FC Bayern München - Paris Saint-Germain	2-3	Munich	Choupo-Moting 37, Müller 60; Mbappé 3, 68, Marquinhos 28

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/08/2020	F	Paris Saint-Germain - FC Bayern München	0-1	Lisbon	Coman 59
11/03/2020	R16	Paris Saint-Germain - Borussia Dortmund	2-0 agg: 3-2	Paris	Neymar 28, Bernat 45+1
18/02/2020	R16	Borussia Dortmund - Paris Saint-Germain	2-1	Dortmund	Haaland 69, 77; Neymar 75

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
05/12/2017	GS	FC Bayern München - Paris Saint-Germain	3-1	Munich	Lewandowski 8, Tolisso 37, 69; Mbappé 50
27/09/2017	GS	Paris Saint-Germain - FC Bayern München	3-0	Paris	Dani Alves 2, Cavani 31, Neymar 63

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
12/03/2014	R16	Paris Saint-Germain - Bayer 04 Leverkusen	2-1 agg: 6-1	Paris	Marquinhos 13, Lavezzi 53; Sam 6
18/02/2014	R16	Bayer 04 Leverkusen - Paris Saint-Germain	0-4	Leverkusen	Matuidi 3, Ibrahimović 39 (P), 42, Cabaye 88

UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
04/11/2010	GS	Paris Saint-Germain - Borussia Dortmund	0-0	Paris	
21/10/2010	GS	Borussia Dortmund - Paris Saint-Germain	1-1	Dortmund	Nuri Şahin 50 (P); Chantôme 87

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
26/02/2009	R3	VfL Wolfsburg - Paris Saint-Germain	1-3 agg: 1-5	Wolfsburg	Hasebe 63; Luyindula 38 (P), 73, Rothen 60
18/02/2009	R3	Paris Saint-Germain - VfL Wolfsburg	2-0	Paris	Hoarau 80, 83

UEFA Cup

23/10/2008	GS	FC Schalke 04 - Paris Saint-Germain	3-1	Gelsenkirchen	Mabiala 12 (og), Kuranyi 39, Halil Altıntop 70; Chantôme 90+2
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UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
18/10/2000	GS1	FC Bayern München - Paris Saint-Germain	2-0	Munich	Salihamidžić 3, Paulo Sérgio 89
26/09/2000	GS1	Paris Saint-Germain - FC Bayern München	1-0	Paris	Laurent Leroy 90

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
05/11/1997	GS	Paris Saint-Germain - FC Bayern München	3-1	Paris	Gava 17, Maurice 73, Leroy 75; Babel 28
22/10/1997	GS	FC Bayern München - Paris Saint-Germain	5-1	Munich	Elber 4, 73, Jancker 21, 47, Helmer 51; Simone 48

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/11/1994	GS	FC Bayern München - Paris Saint-Germain	0-1	Munich	Weah 80
14/09/1994	GS	Paris Saint-Germain - FC Bayern München	2-0	Paris	Weah 39, Bravo 80

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
RB Leipzig	4	2	1	1	5	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	10	3	2	5	14	19
Paris Saint-Germain	11	9	1	1	11	4	1	6	1	0	0	1	24	14	2	8	39	27

Match background

Paris Saint-Germain are looking to consolidate first place in Group A at Leipzig, who are in danger of slipping out of the reckoning after three defeats.

- The French side made it seven points from three games with a 3-2 win at home to their German opponents on Matchday 3, Lionel Messi scoring twice (67, 74 pen) to secure the points. Kylian Mbappé's ninth-minute opener was cancelled out by André Silva (28) before Nordi Mukiele gave Leipzig a 57th-minute lead.
- Paris reached their first UEFA Champions League final thanks to a semi-final win against Leipzig in 2019/20; both sides won their home games in last season's group stage en route to the round of 16.

Previous meetings

- Leipzig prevailed 2-1 against Paris in Germany on Matchday 3 last season thanks to Emil Forsberg's 57th-minute penalty after Ángel Di María's sixth-minute opener for Paris had been cancelled out by former Paris midfielder Christopher Nkunku (42).
- The only goal in Paris on Matchday 4 also came from the spot, via Neymar in the 11th minute. That helped the French side finish first in the section, with Leipzig progressing as runners-up.
- Thomas Tuchel's Paris side were comfortable winners against Leipzig at the Estádio do Sport Lisboa e Benfica in the 2019/20 semi-final. An early Marquinhos goal (13) was added to by Di María three minutes before the break, Juan Bernat ending any lingering hopes for Julian Nagelsmann's Leipzig 12 minutes into the second half.
- While that was the teams' first competitive fixture, Leipzig defeated Paris 4-2 in a July 2014 friendly when they were in the German second tier. Paris defender Marquinhos scored an own goal with Yussuf Poulsen also on target for Leipzig.

Form guide

Leipzig

- This is Leipzig's fourth UEFA Champions League group campaign, all in the last five seasons.
- Semi-finalists in 2019/20, a team coached by Nagelsmann again reached the knockout stages last season, beating Manchester United 3-2 on Matchday 6 to secure second place in Group H behind Paris.
- Another English side proved too strong in the round of 16, however, Liverpool winning each leg 2-0 with both games played in Budapest.
- Nagelsmann left to succeed Germany-bound Hansi Flick as Bayern coach in the summer, Salzburg's Jesse Marsch taking his place at Leipzig.
- The German club opened Group A with a 6-3 defeat at last season's runners-up Manchester City before a 2-1 home loss against Club Brugge and defeat in Paris. This is the first time Leipzig have ever lost their opening three matches in a European campaign.
- Leipzig have won 12 of their 27 UEFA Champions League fixtures (D3 L12) but have lost eight of the last 12 and all the last five.
- Leipzig's total of 11 goals conceded is the joint highest in this season's group stage along with Swedish side Malmö in Group H.
- The German side had won four successive European games in Leipzig before losing to Club Brugge on Matchday 2, their first reverse on their own ground since a 2-0 loss to Lyon on Matchday 2 in 2019/20; their record between those defeats was W5 D1.
- Second in the Bundesliga in 2020/21, their joint highest finish, this is Leipzig's fifth European campaign. In 2017/18 they became the first team to make their European debut in the UEFA Champions League group stage.
- Nkunku's Matchday 1 hat-trick made him the fourth player to score three goals in a UEFA Champions League defeat, after Ronaldo (Manchester United 4-3 Real Madrid in 2002/03), Gareth Bale (Tottenham 3-4 Inter, 2010/11) and İrfan Can Kahveci (İstanbul Başakşehir 3-4 Leipzig, 2020/21).
- Leipzig's first ever European game was a 1-1 draw at home to Monaco in September 2017, on Matchday 1 of that season's UEFA Champions League. A 4-1 success in the return was the German club's first away European victory.
- The Matchday 3 defeat of Paris last season is Leipzig's only win in their last seven games against Ligue 1 opponents (D1 L5); they had been unbeaten in their first three matches (W2 D1).

Paris

- Runners-up to Bayern München in the 2019/20 UEFA Champions League final, losing 1-0 in Lisbon, Paris again reached the latter stages of last season's competition.

- A team coached by Tuchel were first in Group H last season, picking up 12 points to finish level with Leipzig but ahead on head-to-head record with Manchester United third and İstanbul Başakşehir fourth. Paris won four of their group games, losing at home to United and in Leipzig.
- With Mauricio Pochettino having replaced Tuchel as coach, Paris got the better of Barcelona (4-1 a, 1-1 h) and Bayern (3-2 a, 0-1 h) in the knockout stages before losing to Manchester City in the semi-finals (1-2 h, 0-2 a).
- Having lost at home to Bayern in the quarter-final second leg before being held 1-1 at Club Brugge in their first game this season, Paris were without a win in four UEFA Champions League games (D1 L3) before beating City 2-0 on Matchday 2. The win against Leipzig was only their third victory in their last eight (D2 L3).
- This is the French side's tenth successive UEFA Champions League campaign and 14th in total, two behind Lyon's national record.
- Although Paris missed out on the Ligue 1 title for only the second time in nine years in 2020/21, finishing second a point behind LOSC Lille, they did win the French Cup for the record 14th time overall and the sixth time in seven seasons.
- The French side have also been victorious in ten of their last 19 away UEFA Champions League fixtures (D3 L6). Their defeat at Leipzig last term was the only one in their last nine on the road in the group stage (W5 D3).
- Paris faced three German clubs in 2019/20 as well as Leipzig and Bayern last season. The victory at Bayern ended a run of three successive defeats in Germany; their overall record there is W4 D1 L6.
- A 3-1 defeat at Bayern on Matchday 6 of the 2017/18 UEFA Champions League ended Paris's seven-match unbeaten run against German clubs, home and away (W5 D2). Their overall record since then is W5 L4.
- Messi's goal on Matchday 2 means he has matched the record of Karim Benzema in scoring in 17 successive UEFA Champions League campaigns.

Links and trivia

- Born in the Paris suburb of Lagny-sur-Marne, Nkunku joined Leipzig from Paris in summer 2019. He had signed for the French club in 2010 and made his first-team debut against Shakhtar Donetsk on Matchday 6 of the 2015/16 UEFA Champions League. Nkunku won three league titles, two Coupes de France and two Coupes de la Ligue with Paris, for whom he scored 11 goals in 78 senior appearances.
- Have also played in France:
Nordi Mukiele (Laval 2014–17, Montpellier 2017–18)
Benjamin Heinrichs (Monaco 2018–20)
Mohamed Simakan (Strasbourg 2017–21)
- Mukiele was also born in Paris, in the suburb of Montreuil.
- Have played in Germany:
Thilo Kehrer (Schalke 2012–18)
Julian Draxler (Schalke 2001–15, Wolfsburg 2015–17)
Abdou Diallo (Mainz 2017/18, Borussia Dortmund 2018/19)
Achraf Hakimi (Borussia Dortmund 2018–20 loan)
- Have played together:
André Silva & Danilo Pereira (Porto 2015–17)
André Silva & Gianluigi Donnarumma (AC Milan 2017/18, 2019)
- International team-mates:
Lukas Klostermann, Marcel Halstenberg, Benjamin Heinrichs & Thilo Kehrer, Julian Draxler (Germany)
Dani Olmo & Ander Herrera (Spain)
André Silva & Danilo Peirera (Portugal)
Nordi Mukiele & Kylian Mbappé, Presnel Kimpempe (France)
Nordi Mukiele, Christopher Nkunku & Abdou Diallo, Colin Dagba (France Under-21)

Latest news

Leipzig

- Leipzig have won only six of their 15 games this season in all competitions, losing six. They conceded a 94th-minute equaliser to draw 1-1 at Eintracht Frankfurt in the Bundesliga on Saturday.
- Yussuf Poulsen got Leipzig's goal at the weekend, the second successive league match in which he has found the net and his third strike in five Bundesliga appearances.
- Leipzig had been victorious in their previous two matches, 4-1 at home to Greuther Fürth in the Bundesliga on 23

October and 1-0 at fourth-tier Babelsberg in the German Cup second round three days later.

- Leipzig are unbeaten in their last six league games (W3 D3), winning all three at home.
- Substitute Hugo Novoa scored with his first touch in his first professional game for Leipzig against Fürth, becoming Leipzig's youngest ever Bundesliga scorer aged 18 years 272 days.
- Dominik Szoboszlai, who was also on target against Fürth, scored the winner at Babelsberg.
- Emil Forsberg has converted five penalties in his last ten matches for Leipzig and Sweden.
- Christopher Nkunku has eight goals in his last ten Leipzig games, but has not scored since 2 October.
- Lukas Klostermann has been out since Matchday 3 due to a thigh injury.
- Brian Brobbey suffered a hamstring injury in the Netherlands' 2-2 draw in Switzerland in 2023 UEFA European Under-21 Championship qualifying on 8 October and has not featured since.
- Dani Olmo was an 89th-minute substitute on Saturday having been out since 18 September with a thigh injury.
- Marcel Halstenberg is yet to feature this season because of an ankle injury, and has also been suffering with knee problems.
- Marcelo Saracchi, who has been left out of Leipzig's UEFA Champions League squad, has been sidelined since 23 July due to a knee injury.

Paris

- Matchday 3 was Lionel Messi's 152nd appearance in the UEFA Champions League, group stage to final, taking him ahead of former Barcelona team-mate Xavi Hernández. Only Cristiano Ronaldo (179 appearances) and Iker Casillas (177) have played more matches in the competition proper.
- Kylian Mbappé's next appearance in UEFA club competition will be his 50th.
- Messi has scored three times in three UEFA Champions League appearances for Paris but is yet to find the net in his five matches in Ligue 1 and was replaced at half-time in Friday's 2-1 win at home to champions LOSC Lille due to muscular pains.
- Goals in the final 16 minutes from Marquinhos – his first in Ligue 1 this season – and Ángel Di María, who found the net for the first time since 20 August, earned Paris a comeback victory at the weekend.
- Paris have picked up eight points with goals after the 85th minute this season, five more than any other side in Ligue 1.
- Paris were held 0-0 at Marseille on 23 October, the second time in four games they had failed to find the net.
- Achraf Hakimi was sent off just before the hour in Marseille, the second red card of his professional career and a first since being dismissed playing for Real Madrid Castilla in January 2017.
- Paris have been top of Ligue 1 since the third round of fixtures.
- Mauricio Pochettino's side have kept only four clean sheets in their 12 league games this season.
- Paris's eight-game winning start to the new Ligue 1 season, in which they scored 22 goals, was ended by a 2-0 loss at Rennes on 3 October.
- Pochettino's team joined Olympique Lillois (1936/37), Monaco (1960/61) and Thomas Tuchel's Paris (2018/19) in winning their first eight games in a Ligue 1 campaign.
- Idrissa Gueye, who found the net against Manchester City on Matchday 2, has scored three league goals this season, as many as in his first two years at Paris combined.
- Matchday 1 scorer Ander Herrera also has three goals in Ligue 1 this season; he managed one in each of his first two campaigns for Paris.
- Paris's run of eight successive French Super Cup wins ended on 1 August as they suffered a 1-0 defeat against Ligue 1 champions LOSC.
- Mbappé missed Paris's weekend win with an infection.
- Summer signing Sergio Ramos has not yet played for Paris due to a calf injury.
- Layvin Kurzawa (adductors) has been out since 1 August.
- Neymar missed Matchday 3 with an adductors injury but returned to start against both Marseille and LOSC.
- Marco Verratti is expected to be out for several weeks after suffering a hip injury in Marseille.

- Leandro Paredes, who has not played for Paris since 25 September, has a thigh injury.
- Juan Bernat, who is not in Paris's UEFA Champions League squad, came on as a second-half substitute in a 2-1 home win against Angers on 15 October, his first appearance since suffering a cruciate ligament injury on 16 September 2020. He started against LOSC.
- Gianluigi Donnarumma, Messi, Mbappé and Neymar are on the 30-man shortlist for the Ballon d'Or, with the winner to be announced on 29 November.

Squad list

RB Leipzig

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time			
						UCLQ		UCL		League		UCL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers															
1	Péter Gulácsi	HUN	06/05/1990	31	-	-	-	3	-	10	-	27	-	59	-
29	Fabian Eutinger	GER	12/10/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31	Josep Martinez	ESP	27/05/1998	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Jonas Nickisch	GER	21/05/2004	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Luca Joel Grimpe	GER	18/05/2004	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders															
2	Mohamed Simakan	FRA	03/05/2000	21	-	-	-	2	-	10	-	2	-	7	-
3	Angeliño	ESP	04/01/1997	24	-	-	-	2	-	7	-	20	3	23	3
4	Willi Orbán	HUN	03/11/1992	28	-	-	-	3	-	9	-	19	1	33	1
16	Lukas Klostermann	GER	03/06/1996	25	-	-	-	3	-	7	-	21	-	35	-
22	Nordi Mukiele	FRA	01/11/1997	24	-	-	-	3	1	9	1	20	2	28	2
23	Marcel Halstenberg	GER	27/09/1991	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	-	20	-
28	Gustav Madsen	DEN	27/01/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	Joško Gvardiol	CRO	23/01/2002	19	-	-	-	3	-	9	-	3	-	16	1
39	Benjamin Henrichs	GER	23/02/1997	24	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	15	-	16	-
40	Julius Pfennig	GER	17/02/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	David Lelle	GER	09/03/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	Ben Klefisch	GER	02/06/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midfielders															
8	Amadou Haidara	MLI	31/01/1998	23	-	-	-	3	-	10	2	16	1	41	6
10	Emil Forsberg	SWE	23/10/1991	30	-	-	-	3	-	10	4	30	7	53	12
14	Tyler Adams	USA	14/02/1999	22	*	-	-	3	-	6	-	12	1	12	1
17	Dominik Szoboszlai	HUN	25/10/2000	21	-	-	-	2	-	9	3	13	3	18	5
18	Christopher Nkunku	FRA	14/11/1997	23	-	-	-	3	4	10	4	21	5	21	5
26	Ilaix Moriba	ESP	19/01/2003	18	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	2	-
27	Konrad Laimer	AUT	27/05/1997	24	-	-	-	3	-	7	1	14	1	39	2
35	Solomon Bonnah	NED	19/08/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36	Daniel Krasucki	GER	01/07/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
37	Lars Raebiger	GER	17/04/2005	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	Kevin Kampl	SVN	09/10/1990	31	-	-	-	1	-	9	-	32	2	70	10
47	Joscha Wosz	GER	20/07/2002	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	Eric Uhlmann	GER	05/01/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forwards															
9	Yussuf Poulsen	DEN	15/06/1994	27	-	-	-	3	-	9	3	23	1	36	3
21	Brian Brobbey	NED	01/02/2002	19	-	-	-	2	-	3	-	3	-	9	3
25	Dani Olmo	ESP	07/05/1998	23	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	17	4	40	10
33	André Silva	POR	06/11/1995	25	-	-	-	3	1	10	2	11	5	35	14
38	Hugo Novoa	ESP	24/01/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
45	Mehmet Ibrahimi	GER	09/02/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

RB Leipzig

Current season			All-time	
UCLQ	UCL	League	UCL	UEFA

Coach

-	Jesse Marsch	USA	08/11/1973	47	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	15	-	21	-
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Paris Saint-Germain

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time			
						UCLQ		UCL		League		UCL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers															
1	Keylor Navas	CRC	15/12/1986	34	-	-	-	2	-	7	-	62	-	76	-
40	Denis Franchi	ITA	22/10/2002	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50	Gianluigi Donnarumma	ITA	25/02/1999	22	-	-	-	1	-	5	-	1	-	23	-
60	Alexandre Letellier	FRA	11/12/1990	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders															
2	Achraf Hakimi	MAR	04/11/1998	22	-	-	-	3	-	11	3	23	4	23	4
3	Presnel Kimpembe	FRA	13/08/1995	26	-	-	-	3	-	12	-	36	1	36	1
4	Sergio Ramos	ESP	30/03/1986	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	129	15	139	18
5	Marquinhos	BRA	14/05/1994	27	-	-	-	3	-	8	1	68	9	68	9
17	Colin Dagba	FRA	09/09/1998	23	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	7	-	7	-
20	Layvin Kurzawa	FRA	04/09/1992	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	3	32	5
22	Abdou Diallo	SEN	04/05/1996	25	-	-	-	1	-	7	-	20	-	20	-
24	Thilo Kehrer	GER	21/09/1996	25	-	-	-	1	-	9	-	18	-	26	-
25	Nuno Mendes	POR	19/06/2002	19	-	-	-	3	-	6	-	3	-	5	-
31	El Chadaille Bitshiabu	FRA	16/05/2005	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	Teddy Allooh	FRA	23/01/2002	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Nehemiah Fernandez	FRA	11/12/2004	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midfielders															
6	Marco Verratti	ITA	05/11/1992	28	-	-	-	2	-	5	-	69	3	69	3
8	Leandro Paredes	ARG	29/06/1994	27	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	17	-	45	2
11	Ángel Di María	ARG	14/02/1988	33	-	-	-	-	-	8	2	94	22	118	28
15	Danilo	POR	09/09/1991	30	-	-	-	3	-	7	1	45	1	57	1
18	Georginio Wijnaldum	NED	11/11/1990	30	-	-	-	3	-	11	-	44	5	84	16
21	Ander Herrera	ESP	14/08/1989	32	-	-	-	3	1	11	3	30	1	61	5
23	Julian Draxler	GER	20/09/1993	28	-	-	-	2	-	9	2	61	8	76	11
27	Idrissa Gueye	SEN	26/09/1989	32	-	-	-	2	1	8	3	25	1	48	3
28	Junior Dina Ebimbe	FRA	21/11/2000	20	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-
34	Xavi Simons	NED	21/04/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	Ismael Gharbi	FRA	10/04/2004	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Edouard Michut	FRA	04/03/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	Nathan Bitumazala	FRA	10/12/2002	18	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Forwards															
7	Kylian Mbappé	FRA	20/12/1998	22	-	-	-	3	1	11	5	48	28	49	28
9	Mauro Icardi	ARG	19/02/1993	28	-	-	-	1	-	10	3	17	9	32	15
10	Neymar	BRA	05/02/1992	29	-	-	-	2	-	7	1	71	41	71	41
30	Lionel Messi	ARG	24/06/1987	34	-	-	-	3	3	5	-	152	123	156	126
Coach															
-	Mauricio Pochettino	ARG	02/03/1972	49	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	40	-	62	-

Match officials

Referee	Andreas Ekberg (SWE)
Assistant referees	Mehmet Culum (SWE) , Stefan Hallberg (SWE)
Video Assistant Referee	Massimiliano Irrati (ITA)
Assistant Video Assistant Referee	Marco Guida (ITA)
Fourth official	Fredrik Klitte (SWE)
UEFA Delegate	Peter Lundström (FIN)
UEFA Referee observer	Leslie Irvine (NIR)

Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Champions League matches	UEFA matches
Andreas Ekberg	02/01/1985	13	73

Andreas Ekberg

Referee since: 1998

First division: 2009

FIFA badge: 2013

Tournaments: 2019 FIFA U-17 World Cup, 2019 UEFA European Under-21 Championship, 2015 UEFA European Under-19 Championship, 2014 UEFA European Under-17 Championship

Finals

2018 UEFA Youth League

2014 UEFA European Under-17 Championship

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
12/12/2018	UCL	GS	Manchester City FC	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim	2-1	Manchester
28/10/2020	UCL	GS	İstanbul Başakşehir	Paris Saint-Germain	0-2	Istanbul
25/11/2020	UCL	GS	Olympique de Marseille	FC Porto	0-2	Marseille

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
15/05/2014	U17	GS-FT	Portugal	Germany	1-0	Ta' Qali
05/09/2014	U21	QR	Germany	Republic of Ireland	2-0	Halle
13/07/2015	U19	GS-FT	Russia	Germany	2-2	Katerini
16/07/2015	U19	SF	France	Spain	0-2	Katerini
26/11/2015	UEL	GS	FC Schalke 04	APOEL FC	1-0	Gelsenkirchen
03/11/2016	UEL	GS	RSC Anderlecht	1. FSV Mainz 05	6-1	Brussels
20/09/2018	UEL	GS	RB Leipzig	FC Salzburg	2-3	Leipzig
12/12/2018	UCL	GS	Manchester City FC	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim	2-1	Manchester
12/03/2020	UEL	R16	Eintracht Frankfurt	FC Basel 1893	0-3	Frankfurt am Main

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
28/10/2020	UCL	GS	İstanbul Başakşehir	Paris Saint-Germain	0-2	Istanbul
17/11/2020	UNL	GS-FT	Spain	Germany	6-0	Seville
25/11/2020	UCL	GS	Olympique de Marseille	FC Porto	0-2	Marseille
08/09/2021	WC	QR	Iceland	Germany	0-4	Reykjavik
16/09/2021	UEL	GS	Rangers FC	Olympique Lyonnais	0-2	Glasgow

Fixtures and results

RB Leipzig

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result		Goalscorers
07/08/2021	Cup	SV Sandhausen (A)	W	4-0	Orbán 19, Haidara 45, Nkunku 60, Szoboszlai 81
15/08/2021	League	1. FSV Mainz 05 (A)	L	0-1	
20/08/2021	League	VfB Stuttgart (H)	W	4-0	Szoboszlai 38, 52, Forsberg 46, André Silva 65 (P)
29/08/2021	League	VfL Wolfsburg (A)	L	0-1	
11/09/2021	League	FC Bayern München (H)	L	1-4	Laimer 58
15/09/2021	UCL	Manchester City FC (A)	L	3-6	Nkunku 42, 51, 73
18/09/2021	League	1. FC Köln (A)	D	1-1	Haidara 71
25/09/2021	League	Hertha BSC Berlin (H)	W	6-0	Nkunku 16, 70, Y. Poulsen 23, Mukiele 45+3, Forsberg 60 (P), Haidara 77
28/09/2021	UCL	Club Brugge (H)	L	1-2	Nkunku 5
02/10/2021	League	VfL Bochum 1848 (H)	W	3-0	André Silva 69, Nkunku 73, 78
16/10/2021	League	SC Freiburg (A)	D	1-1	Forsberg 32 (P)
19/10/2021	UCL	Paris Saint-Germain (A)	L	2-3	André Silva 28, Mukiele 57
23/10/2021	League	SpVgg Greuther Fürth (H)	W	4-1	Y. Poulsen 46, Forsberg 53 (P), Szoboszlai 65, Novoa Ramos 88
26/10/2021	Cup	SV Babelsberg 03 (A)	W	1-0	Szoboszlai 45
30/10/2021	League	Eintracht Frankfurt (A)	D	1-1	Y. Poulsen 35
03/11/2021	UCL	Paris Saint-Germain (H)			
06/11/2021	League	Borussia Dortmund (H)			
20/11/2021	League	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (A)			
24/11/2021	UCL	Club Brugge (A)			
28/11/2021	League	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (H)			
04/12/2021	League	1. FC Union Berlin (A)			
07/12/2021	UCL	Manchester City FC (H)			
11/12/2021	League	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (H)			
15/12/2021	League	FC Augsburg (A)			
18/12/2021	League	DSC Arminia Bielefeld (H)			
08/01/2022	League	1. FSV Mainz 05 (H)			
15/01/2022	League	VfB Stuttgart (A)			
22/01/2022	League	VfL Wolfsburg (H)			
05/02/2022	League	FC Bayern München (A)			
12/02/2022	League	1. FC Köln (H)			
19/02/2022	League	Hertha BSC Berlin (A)			
26/02/2022	League	VfL Bochum 1848 (A)			
05/03/2022	League	SC Freiburg (H)			
12/03/2022	League	SpVgg Greuther Fürth (A)			
19/03/2022	League	Eintracht Frankfurt (H)			
02/04/2022	League	Borussia Dortmund (A)			
09/04/2022	League	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (H)			
16/04/2022	League	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (A)			

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23/04/2022	League	1. FC Union Berlin (H)		
30/04/2022	League	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (A)		
07/05/2022	League	FC Augsburg (H)		
14/05/2022	League	DSC Arminia Bielefeld (A)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	FC Bayern München	10	8	1	1	38	10	25
2	Borussia Dortmund	10	8	0	2	27	15	24
3	SC Freiburg	10	6	4	0	17	7	22
4	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	10	5	2	3	23	16	17
5	1. FSV Mainz 05	10	5	1	4	14	10	16
6	1. FC Union Berlin	10	4	4	2	15	15	16
7	VfL Wolfsburg	10	5	1	4	11	12	16
8	RB Leipzig	10	4	3	3	21	10	15
9	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim	10	4	2	4	19	15	14
10	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	10	4	2	4	12	13	14
11	1. FC Köln	10	3	4	3	15	18	13
12	Hertha BSC Berlin	10	4	0	6	11	23	12
13	VfB Stuttgart	10	2	4	4	15	19	10
14	VfL Bochum 1848	10	3	1	6	8	18	10
15	Eintracht Frankfurt	10	1	6	3	10	15	9
16	FC Augsburg	10	2	3	5	9	19	9
17	DSC Arminia Bielefeld	10	0	5	5	6	16	5
18	SpVgg Greuther Fürth	10	0	1	9	7	27	1

Paris Saint-Germain

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
07/08/2021	League	ES Troyes AC (A)	W 2-1	Hakimi 19, Icardi 21
14/08/2021	League	Racing Club de Strasbourg Alsace (H)	W 4-2	Icardi 3, Ajourque 25 (og), Draxler 27, Sarabia 86
20/08/2021	League	Stade Brestois 29 (A)	W 4-2	Herrera 23, Mbappé 36, Gueye 73, Di María 90
29/08/2021	League	Stade de Reims (A)	W 2-0	Mbappé 16, 63
11/09/2021	League	Clermont (H)	W 4-0	Herrera 20, 31, Mbappé 55, Gueye 65
15/09/2021	UCL	Club Brugge (A)	D 1-1	Herrera 15
19/09/2021	League	Olympique Lyonnais (H)	W 2-1	Neymar 66 (P), Icardi 90+3
22/09/2021	League	FC Metz (A)	W 2-1	Hakimi 5, 90+5
25/09/2021	League	Montpellier Hérault SC (H)	W 2-0	Gueye 14, Draxler 89
28/09/2021	UCL	Manchester City FC (H)	W 2-0	Gueye 8, Messi 74
03/10/2021	League	Stade Rennais FC (A)	L 0-2	
15/10/2021	League	Angers SCO (H)	W 2-1	Daniilo 69, Mbappé 87 (P)
19/10/2021	UCL	RB Leipzig (H)	W 3-2	Mbappé 9, Messi 67, 74 (P)
24/10/2021	League	Olympique de Marseille (A)	D 0-0	
29/10/2021	League	LOSC Lille (H)	W 2-1	Marquinhos 74, Di María 88
03/11/2021	UCL	RB Leipzig (A)		

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06/11/2021	League	FC Girondins de Bordeaux (A)		
20/11/2021	League	FC Nantes (H)		
24/11/2021	UCL	Manchester City FC (A)		
28/11/2021	League	AS Saint-Étienne (A)		
01/12/2021	League	OGC Nice (H)		
05/12/2021	League	RC Lens (A)		
07/12/2021	UCL	Club Brugge (H)		
12/12/2021	League	AS Monaco FC (H)		
22/12/2021	League	FC Lorient (A)		
09/01/2022	League	Olympique Lyonnais (A)		
16/01/2022	League	Stade Brestois 29 (H)		
23/01/2022	League	Stade de Reims (H)		
06/02/2022	League	LOSC Lille (A)		
13/02/2022	League	Stade Rennais FC (H)		
20/02/2022	League	FC Nantes (A)		
27/02/2022	League	AS Saint-Étienne (H)		
06/03/2022	League	OGC Nice (A)		
13/03/2022	League	FC Girondins de Bordeaux (H)		
20/03/2022	League	AS Monaco FC (A)		
03/04/2022	League	FC Lorient (H)		
10/04/2022	League	Clermont (A)		
17/04/2022	League	Olympique de Marseille (H)		
20/04/2022	League	Angers SCO (A)		
24/04/2022	League	RC Lens (H)		
01/05/2022	League	Racing Club de Strasbourg Alsace (A)		
08/05/2022	League	ES Troyes AC (H)		
14/05/2022	League	Montpellier Hérault SC (A)		
21/05/2022	League	FC Metz (H)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Paris Saint-Germain	12	10	1	1	26	11	31
2	OGC Nice	12	7	3	2	23	9	23
3	Olympique de Marseille	12	6	4	2	20	12	22
4	RC Lens	12	6	3	3	21	14	21
5	Stade Rennais FC	12	5	4	3	18	11	19
6	Olympique Lyonnais	12	5	4	3	20	17	19
7	Racing Club de Strasbourg Alsace	12	5	2	5	22	16	17
8	Angers SCO	12	4	5	3	18	15	17
9	FC Nantes	12	5	2	5	16	14	17
10	AS Monaco FC	12	5	2	5	17	16	17
11	Montpellier Hérault SC	12	4	4	4	20	19	16
12	LOSC Lille	12	4	3	5	15	18	15
13	FC Lorient	12	3	6	3	12	18	15
14	ES Troyes AC	12	3	4	5	13	17	13

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
15	Clermont	12	3	4	5	14	23	13
16	FC Girondins de Bordeaux	12	2	6	4	16	24	12
17	Stade de Reims	12	2	5	5	14	17	11
18	Stade Brestois 29	12	1	6	5	14	20	9
19	FC Metz	12	1	4	7	13	27	7
20	AS Saint-Étienne	12	0	6	6	12	26	6

Match-by-match lineups

RB Leipzig

UEFA Champions League - Group stage

Group A

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Paris Saint-Germain	3	2	1	0	6	3	7
Manchester City FC	3	2	0	1	11	6	6
Club Brugge	3	1	1	1	4	7	4
RB Leipzig	3	0	0	3	6	11	0

Matchday 1 (15/09/2021)

Manchester City FC 6-3 RB Leipzig

Goals: 1-0 Aké 16, 2-0 Mukiele 28 (og) , 2-1 Nkunku 42, 3-1 Mahrez 45+2 (P) , 3-2 Nkunku 51, 4-2 Grealish 56, 4-3 Nkunku 73, 5-3 João Cancelo 75, 6-3 Jesus 85

RB Leipzig: Gulácsi, Angeliño, Orbán, Forsberg (60 Szoboszlai), Adams, Klostermann, Nkunku (81 Gvardiol), Mukiele, Olmo (72 Brobbey), Laimer (60 Haidara), André Silva (60 Y. Poulsen)

Matchday 2 (28/09/2021)

RB Leipzig 1-2 Club Brugge

Goals: 1-0 Nkunku 5, 1-1 Vanaken 22, 1-2 Rits 40

RB Leipzig: Gulácsi, Simakan (79 Adams), Orbán, Y. Poulsen (79 Brobbey), Forsberg, Klostermann, Szoboszlai (58 André Silva), Nkunku, Mukiele (46 Gvardiol), Laimer (46 Haidara), Kampl

Matchday 3 (19/10/2021)

Paris Saint-Germain 3-2 RB Leipzig

Goals: 1-0 Mbappé 9, 1-1 André Silva 28, 1-2 Mukiele 57, 2-2 Messi 67, 3-2 Messi 74 (P)

RB Leipzig: Gulácsi, Simakan (83 Y. Poulsen), Angeliño (83 Henrichs), Orbán, Haidara (62 Moriba), Adams, Klostermann (70 Gvardiol), Nkunku, Mukiele, Laimer, André Silva (83 Forsberg)

Matchday 4 (03/11/2021)

RB Leipzig-Paris Saint-Germain

Matchday 5 (24/11/2021)

Club Brugge-RB Leipzig

Matchday 6 (07/12/2021)

RB Leipzig-Manchester City FC

Paris Saint-Germain

UEFA Champions League - Group stage

Matchday 1 (15/09/2021)

Club Brugge 1-1 Paris Saint-Germain

Goals: 0-1 Herrera 15, 1-1 Vanaken 27

Paris Saint-Germain: Navas, Hakimi, Kimpembe, Marquinhos, Mbappé (51 Icardi), Paredes (46 Danilo), Neymar, Wijnaldum (46 Draxler), Herrera, Diallo (75 Nuno Mendes), Messi

Matchday 2 (28/09/2021)

Paris Saint-Germain 2-0 Manchester City FC

Goals: 1-0 Gueye 8, 2-0 Messi 74

Paris Saint-Germain: G. Donnarumma, Hakimi, Kimpembe, Marquinhos, Verratti (78 Wijnaldum), Mbappé, Neymar, Herrera, Nuno Mendes, Gueye (90 Danilo), Messi

Matchday 3 (19/10/2021)

Paris Saint-Germain 3-2 RB Leipzig

Goals: 1-0 Mbappé 9, 1-1 André Silva 28, 1-2 Mukiele 57, 2-2 Messi 67, 3-2 Messi 74 (P)

Paris Saint-Germain: Navas, Hakimi, Kimpembe, Marquinhos, Verratti, Mbappé, Herrera (61 Wijnaldum), Draxler (90 Kehrer), Nuno Mendes, Gueye (61 Danilo), Messi

Matchday 4 (03/11/2021)

RB Leipzig-Paris Saint-Germain

Matchday 5 (24/11/2021)

Manchester City FC-Paris Saint-Germain

Matchday 6 (07/12/2021)

Paris Saint-Germain-Club Brugge

Competition facts

UEFA Champions League: Did you know?

Overall records

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

Group stage

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

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

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

Goalscoring records

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

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

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

Oldest and youngest players

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

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

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

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

Team facts

RB Leipzig

Formed: 2009

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- None

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

None

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

2020/21: round of 16

2019/20: semi-finals

2018/19: UEFA Europa League group stage

2017/18: UEFA Europa League quarter-finals (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

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: did not take part in UEFA competition

2012/13: did not take part in UEFA competition

2011/12: did not take part in UEFA competition

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

4-0: Leipzig v Häcken

26/07/18, UEFA Europa League second qualifying round first leg

- Biggest away win

1-4: Monaco v Leipzig

21/11/17, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

0-2 three times, most recently v Liverpool

16/02/21, UEFA Champions League round of 16 first leg

Leipzig also lost 0-3 to Paris Saint-Germain in the 2019/20 UEFA Champions League semi-final, a match in which they were the designated home team

- Heaviest away defeat

5-0: Manchester United v Leipzig

28/10/20, UEFA Champions League group stage

UEFA Champions League (group stage to final)

- Biggest home win

3-0: Leipzig v Tottenham

10/03/20, round of 16 second leg

- Biggest away win

1-4: Monaco v Leipzig (see above)

- Heaviest home defeat

0-2 twice, most recently v Liverpool (see above)

Leipzig also lost 0-3 to Paris Saint-Germain in the 2019/20 semi-final (see above)

- Heaviest away defeat

5-0: Manchester United v Leipzig (see above)

Paris Saint-Germain

Formed: 1970

Nickname: PSG

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- UEFA Champions League: (2020)

• UEFA Cup Winners' Cup (1): 1996, (1997)

• UEFA Super Cup: (1996)

• UEFA Intertoto Cup (1): 2001

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 9 (2020)
French Cup: 14 (2021)
French League Cup: 9 (2020)

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

2020/21: semi-finals
2019/20: runners-up
2018/19: round of 16
2017/18: round of 16
2016/17: round of 16
2015/16: quarter-finals
2014/15: quarter-finals
2013/14: quarter-finals
2012/13: quarter-finals
2011/12: UEFA Europa League group stage

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win
7-1 twice, most recently v Celtic
22/11/17, UEFA Champions League group stage
- Biggest away win
0-5 four times, most recently v Club Brugge
22/10/19, UEFA Champions League group stage
- Heaviest home defeat
1-6: Paris v Juventus
15/01/97, UEFA Super Cup first leg
- Heaviest away defeat
6-1: Barcelona v Paris
08/03/17, UEFA Champions League round of 16 second leg

UEFA Champions League (group stage to final)

- Biggest home win
7-1: Paris v Celtic (see above)
- Biggest away win
0-5 four times, most recently v Club Brugge (see above)
- Heaviest home defeat
0-3: Paris v Chelsea
14/09/04, group stage
- Heaviest away defeat
6-1: Barcelona v Paris (see above)

Legend

ALL-TIME STATISTICS

The all-time record of the competing clubs in UEFA club competition.

UEFA club competition: These are the official statistics considered valid for communicating official records in UEFA club competition defined as European Champion Clubs' Cup, UEFA Champions League, UEFA Europa League, UEFA Cup Winner's Cup UEFA Super Cup, UEFA Intertoto Cup and European/South American Cup. Matches in the Inter-Cities Fairs Cup and the 1972 Super Cup are not included as they were not held under UEFA auspices, while the FIFA Club World Cup is excluded.

Match officials

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

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

Competitions

Club competitions

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

National team competitions

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

Competition stages

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

Other abbreviations

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

Statistics

-: Denotes player substituted
*: Denotes player sent off

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

Squad list

D: Disciplinary

*: Misses next match if booked

S: Suspended

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

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

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

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

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