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**LOSC Lille Métropole**



**Valencia CF**

**Lille Métropole, Villeneuve d'Ascq**

**Thursday 17 September 2009 - 19.00CET (19.00 local time)**

**Group B - Matchday 1**

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## Match background

### Previous meetings

None

### LOSC Lille Métropole - record versus clubs from opponents' country

#### UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
15/03/06	R16	Sevilla FC - LOSC Lille Métropole	2-0 agg: 2-1	Sevilla	Kanouté 29, Luis Fabiano 45+2
09/03/06	R16	LOSC Lille Métropole - Sevilla FC	1-0	Villeneuve d'Ascq	Dernis 24

#### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
07/12/05	GS	Villarreal CF - LOSC Lille Métropole	1-0	Villarreal	Guayre 67
27/09/05	GS	LOSC Lille Métropole - Villarreal CF	0-0	Paris	

#### UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
15/12/04	GS	LOSC Lille Métropole - Sevilla FC	1-0	Villeneuve d'Ascq	Moussilou 77

#### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/10/01	GS	RC Deportivo La Coruña - LOSC Lille Métropole	1-1	La Coruna	Tristán 14 (p); Cheyrou 20 (p)
10/10/01	GS	LOSC Lille Métropole - RC Deportivo La Coruña	1-1	Lille	Olufade 87; Valerón 49

### Valencia CF - record versus clubs from opponents' country

#### UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
17/12/08	GS	AS Saint-Etienne - Valencia CF	2-2	Saint-Etienne	Ilan 29,44; Morientes 33, Žigic 72

#### UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
19/05/04	F	Valencia CF - Olympique de Marseille	2-0	Gothenburg	Vicente 45+3 (p), Mista 58
14/04/04	QF	Valencia CF - FC Girondins de Bordeaux	2-1 agg: 4-2	Valencia	Pellegrino 52, Rufete 60; Eduardo Costa 71
08/04/04	QF	FC Girondins de Bordeaux - Valencia CF	1-2	Bordeaux	Riera 18; Baraja 75, Rufete 88

#### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
17/10/00	GS	Olympique Lyonnais - Valencia CF	1-2	Lyon	Marlet 90; Sánchez 45, Baraja 86
27/09/00	GS	Valencia CF - Olympique Lyonnais	1-0	Valencia	Zahović 77

#### UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
15/03/00	2ndGS	FC Girondins de Bordeaux - Valencia CF	1-4	Bordeaux	Wiltford 54; Djukić 41, Mendieta 48, Kily González 72, Sánchez 93
23/11/99	2ndGS	Valencia CF - FC Girondins de Bordeaux	3-0	Valencia	Farinós 60, Ilie 68, Kily González 89

#### UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
30/09/93	R1	Valencia CF - FC Nantes	3-1 aet, agg: 4-2	Valencia	Penev 62 (p), Gálvez 104, Fernando 111; Pedros 50
16/09/93	R1	FC Nantes - Valencia CF	1-1	Nantes	Ouédec 13; Mijatović 16

**UEFA Cup Winners' Cup**

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
01/10/80	R1	AS Monaco FC - <b>Valencia CF</b>	3-3 agg: 3-5	Monaco	Petit 7,50, Barberis 21; Morena 36, Kempes 74, Felman 77
17/09/80	R1	<b>Valencia CF</b> - AS Monaco FC	2-0	Valencia	Kempes 61, Morena 90 (p)

**UEFA Cup Winners' Cup**

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
23/04/80	SF	<b>Valencia CF</b> - FC Nantes	4-0 agg: 5-2	Valencia	Bonhof 9, Subirats 43, Kempes 59,76
09/04/80	SF	<b>FC Nantes</b> - Valencia CF	2-1	Nantes	Baronchelli 26,80; Kempes 56

**Record versus clubs from opponents' country**

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
LOSC Lille Métropole	4	2	2	0	3	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	7	2	3	2	4	5
Valencia CF	6	6	0	0	7	3	3	1	1	1	0	0	14	10	3	1	32	13

LOSC Lille Métropole coach Rudi Garcia and his Valencia CF counterpart Unai Emery have unblemished European records to protect when they meet in the opening UEFA Europa League Group B game.

**Previous meetings**

- Lille are yet to lose in four home games against Spanish opposition, recording two wins and two draws.
- Valencia have not lost in their last six visits to France, recording three wins and three draws since losing 2-1 at FC Nantes Atlantique in the semi-final of the UEFA Cup Winners' Cup on 9 April 1980.

**Match background**

- Lille have won all four of their games in Europe this season, with their last defeats in continental competition a pair of 1-0 losses against Manchester United FC in the 2006/07 UEFA Champions League first knockout round.
- Valencia are unbeaten in their last 12 European matches, recording five wins and seven draws since suffering back-to-back 2-0 defeats by Rosenborg BK in the 2007/08 UEFA Champions League group stage.
- Los Ché have lost only one UEFA Cup away fixture since winning the competition in 2004, losing 2-0 at FC Steaua Bucureşti in the 2004/05 round of 32.

**Team facts**

- With regular Lille No1 Mickaël Landreau out with a long-term injury, Ludovic Butelle is expected to line up against his former club. Having joined Valencia from FC Metz in 2004, the 26-year-old played in nine Spanish Liga games for the Mestalla outfit but joined Les Dogues this summer after a successful season-long loan.
- The clubs share a famous old boy in former France right-back Jocelyn Angloma, who represented Lille from 1987-90 and later played for Valencia between 1997 and 2002. He was on the losing side with Valencia in the 2000 and 2001 UEFA Champions League finals.
- The current Valencia squad also boasts French talent in the form of left-back Jérémy Mathieu, who joined the club from Toulouse FC this summer.
- Lille captain Rio Antonio Mavuba played for Valencia's local rivals Villarreal CF in the 2007/08 season.
- Valencia have yet to lose a European game under coach Emery, who has recorded five wins and five draws since replacing Ronald Koeman in May 2008.
- Garcia, once a midfielder with the club, has recorded wins in all four of his European matches thus far as Lille coach. His father José was also a footballer and, as his surname suggests, he has Spanish ancestry.
- Lille visit SK Slavia Praha on Matchday 2, while Valencia are at home against Genoa CFC on the same night, 1 October.

## Team facts

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### **LOSC Lille Métropole**

**Formed:** 1944

**Nickname:** Les Dogues (The Mastiffs)

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

- UEFA Intertoto Cup: 2004

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

League title: 2 (1954)

French Cup: 5 (1955)

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

**2008/09:** did not compete in UEFA club competition

**2007/08:** did not compete in UEFA club competition

**2006/07:** UEFA Champions League first knockout round

**2005/06:** round of 16 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

**2004/05:** round of 16 (having transferred from UEFA Intertoto Cup)

**2003/04:** did not compete in UEFA club competition

**2002/03:** UEFA Intertoto Cup finals

**2001/02:** fourth round (having transferred from the UEFA Champions League first group stage)

**2000/01:** did not compete in UEFA club competition

**1999/00:** did not compete in UEFA club competition

### **Records**

#### **UEFA club competition**

- Biggest home win

**3-0:** Lille v FK Rabotnicki

09/08/06, UEFA Champions League third qualifying round first leg

**3-0:** Lille v NK Slaven Kopriwnica

28/07/04, UEFA Intertoto Cup semi-finals first leg

- Biggest away win

**0-2** on six occasions, most recently v FK Sevojno (30/07/09 UEFA Europa League third qualifying round first leg)

- Heaviest home defeat

**0-1** on three occasions, most recently v Manchester United FC (20/02/07 UEFA Champions League first knockout round first leg)

- Heaviest away defeat

**2-0:** Sevilla FC v Lille

15/03/06, UEFA Cup round of 16 second leg

**2-0:** VfB Stuttgart v Lille

27/08/02, UEFA Intertoto Cup finals second leg

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

- Biggest home win

**4-2:** Lille v KRC Genk

27/08/2009, play-offs second leg

**2-0** on four occasions, most recently v FK Sevojno (06/08/09 third qualifying round second leg)

- Biggest away win

**0-2:** FK Sevojno v Lille (see above)

- Heaviest home defeat

**0-1:** Lille v AJ Auxerre

10/03/05, round of 16 first leg

- Heaviest away defeat

**2-0:** Sevilla FC v Lille (see above)

## **Valencia CF**

**Formed:** 1919

**Nickname:** Los Ché

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

- European Champion Clubs' Cup: (2000), (2001)
- UEFA Cup Winners' Cup (1): 1980
- UEFA Cup (1): 2004
- UEFA Super Cup (2): 1980, 2004
- UEFA Intertoto Cup (1): 1998

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

League title: 6 (2004)

Spanish Cup: 7 (2008)

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

**2008/09:** round of 32

**2007/08:** UEFA Champions League group stage

**2006/07:** UEFA Champions League quarter-finals

**2005/06:** UEFA Intertoto Cup final matches

**2004/05:** round of 32 (having transferred from the UEFA Champions League group stage)

**2003/04:** winners

**2002/03:** UEFA Champions League quarter-finals

**2001/02:** quarter-finals

**2000/01:** UEFA Champions League runners-up

**1999/00:** UEFA Champions League runners-up

## **Records**

### **UEFA club competition**

- Biggest home win

**6-1:** Valencia v Legia Warszawa

01/11/01, UEFA Cup second round second leg

**5-0:** Valencia v FC Chernomorets Novorossyisk

27/09/01, UEFA Cup first round second leg

- Biggest away win

**0-5:** SK Sturm Graz v Valencia

07/03/01, UEFA Champions League second group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

**1-5:** Valencia v FC Internazionale Milano

20/10/04, UEFA Champions League group stage

**1-5:** Valencia v SSC Napoli

16/09/92, UEFA Cup first round first leg

- Heaviest away defeat

**7-0:** Karlsruher SC v Valencia

02/11/93, UEFA Cup second round second leg

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

- Biggest home win

**6-1:** Valencia v Legia Warszawa (see above)

**5-0:** Valencia v FC Chernomorets Novorossyisk (see above)

- Biggest away win

**0-4:** Rosenborg BK v Valencia

27/11/08, group stage

**0-4:** Maccabi Haifa FC v Valencia

11/12/03, second round second leg

- Heaviest home defeat

**1-5:** Valencia v SSC Napoli (see above)

- Heaviest away defeat

**7-0:** Karlsruher SC v Valencia (see above)

# Squad list

## LOSC Lille Métropole

No	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time			
						UELQ		UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>															
1	Ludovic Butelle	FRA	03/04/83	26	-	4	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	-
16	Mickaël Landreau	FRA	14/05/79	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	-	51	-
30	Alexandre Oukidja	FRA	19/07/88	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Sammy Ndjock	CMR	25/02/90	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Barel Mouko	FRA	05/04/79	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>															
3	Jerry Vandam	FRA	08/12/88	20	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
15	Emerson	BRA	23/02/86	23	-	3	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	3	-
18	Franck Beria	FRA	23/05/83	26	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	-
23	Adil Rami	FRA	27/12/85	23	-	3	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	3	-
25	Nicolas Plestan	FRA	02/06/81	28	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	21	1
32	Pape Souare	SEN	06/06/90	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Midfielders</b>															
2	Mathieu Debuchy	FRA	28/07/85	24	-	4	-	-	-	4	-	8	1	25	1
4	Florent Balmont	FRA	02/02/80	29	-	4	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	4	-
5	Yannis Salibur	FRA	24/01/91	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Yohan Cabaye	FRA	14/01/86	23	-	4	1	-	-	4	-	6	-	20	1
10	Ludovic Obraniak	POL	10/11/84	24	-	2	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	4	-
22	Aurélien Chedjou	CMR	20/06/85	24	-	3	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	3	-
24	Rio Mavuba	FRA	08/03/84	25	-	4	-	-	-	5	-	12	1	21	1
26	Eden Hazard	BEL	07/01/91	18	-	3	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	3	2
29	Stéphane Dumont	FRA	06/09/82	27	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	10	-	21	2
31	Idrissa Gueye	SEN	20/06/89	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Pierre Baherle	FRA	07/07/91	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	Arnaud Souquet	FRA	12/02/92	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Forwards</b>															
9	Túlio De Melo	BRA	31/01/85	24	-	3	3	-	-	5	-	1	-	6	3
11	Pierre-Emerick Aubameyang	GAB	18/06/89	20	-	2	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	2	-
14	Robert Vittek	SVK	01/04/82	27	-	3	2	-	-	4	1	4	-	8	3
17	Pierre-Alain Frau	FRA	15/04/80	29	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	12	8	25	13
20	Larsen Touré	FRA	20/07/84	25	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
27	Gervinho	CIV	27/05/87	22	-	4	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	4	-
28	Emil Lyng	DEN	03/08/89	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Coach</b>															
-	Rudi Garcia	FRA	20/02/64	45	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-

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Valencia CF

No	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time			
						UELQ		UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>															
1	César Sánchez	ESP	02/09/71	38	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	24	-
13	Miguel Ángel Moyá	ESP	02/04/84	25	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-
31	Salva	ESP	19/02/88	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	Sergio Garabato	ESP	16/05/89	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>															
2	Bruno Saltor	ESP	01/10/80	28	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	-
4	David Navarro	ESP	25/05/80	29	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	9	1	22	1
5	Carlos Marchena	ESP	31/07/79	30	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	21	1	50	1
11	Asier Del Horno	ESP	19/01/81	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	4	22	4
15	Ángel Dealbert	ESP	01/01/83	26	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-
20	Alexis	ESP	04/08/85	24	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	4	-
22	Jérémy Mathieu	FRA	29/10/83	25	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	14	2	23	3
23	Miguel	POR	04/01/80	29	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	15	1	36	1
34	Arturo Navarro	ESP	14/03/89	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
37	Borja Navarro	ESP	13/05/88	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Sergio Cuesta	ESP	20/01/90	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Manuel Castellano	ESP	27/03/89	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Midfielders</b>															
3	Hedwiges Maduro	NED	13/02/85	24	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	26	-
6	David Albelda	ESP	01/09/77	32	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	22	2	81	2
8	Rubén Baraja	ESP	11/07/75	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	5	67	13
10	Juan Mata	ESP	28/04/88	21	-	2	-	-	-	2	2	6	1	9	1
14	Vicente Rodríguez	ESP	16/07/81	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	3	63	6
17	Joaquín	ESP	21/07/81	28	-	2	1	-	-	1	-	13	2	38	3
18	Manuel Fernandes	POR	05/02/86	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	32	1
19	Pablo Hernández	ESP	11/04/85	24	-	1	1	-	-	2	1	15	5	16	6
24	Éver Banega	ARG	29/06/88	21	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	5	-
25	Nacho González	ITA	14/05/82	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
28	Jordi Alba	ESP	21/03/89	20	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
30	Michel	ESP	29/07/88	21	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
33	Carles Martínez	ESP	03/01/88	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	Timor	ESP	17/10/89	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36	Ximo Forner	ESP	27/01/90	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	Iván	ESP	01/03/91	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Forwards</b>															
7	David Villa	ESP	03/12/81	27	-	1	1	-	-	2	2	15	4	40	14
9	Nikola Žigić	SRB	25/09/80	28	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	14	8	29	20
16	Miku	HUN	19/08/85	24	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3
21	David Silva	ESP	08/01/86	23	-	1	-	-	-	2	1	3	1	23	5
29	Daniel Olcina	ESP	28/02/89	20	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
40	Isco	ESP	21/04/92	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	Carles	ESP	22/11/92	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	Enrique Tortosa	ESP	10/02/91	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Coach</b>															
-	Unai Emery	ESP	03/11/71	37	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	10	-

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## Fixtures and results

### LOSC Lille Métropole

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
09/08/09	League	FC Lorient (H)	L 1-2	Monterrubio 66 (og)
16/08/09	League	Olympique de Marseille (A)	L 0-1	
23/08/09	League	Toulouse FC (H)	D 1-1	Vittek 44
30/08/09	League	Paris Saint-Germain FC (A)	L 0-3	
12/09/09	League	FC Sochaux-Montbéliard (H)	W 1-0	Frau 71
20/09/09	League	RC Lens (A)		
27/09/09	League	OGC Nice (H)		
04/10/09	League	US Boulogne (A)		
17/10/09	League	Stade Rennais FC (H)		
24/10/09	League	AJ Auxerre (A)		
28/10/09	League	AS Saint-Etienne (H)		
31/10/09	League	Grenoble Foot 38 (A)		
07/11/09	League	FC Girondins de Bordeaux (H)		
21/11/09	League	Montpellier Hérault SC (A)		
28/11/09	League	Valenciennes FC (H)		
05/12/09	League	Olympique Lyonnais (H)		
12/12/09	League	AS Monaco FC (A)		
19/12/09	League	Le Mans UC 72 (H)		
23/12/09	League	AS Nancy-Lorraine (A)		
16/01/10	League	Paris Saint-Germain FC (H)		
20/01/10	League	FC Sochaux-Montbéliard (A)		
30/01/10	League	RC Lens (H)		
06/02/10	League	OGC Nice (A)		
13/02/10	League	US Boulogne (H)		
20/02/10	League	Stade Rennais FC (A)		

Pos.	Clubs	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	FC Girondins de Bordeaux	5	4	1	0	12	3	13
2	Olympique Lyonnais	5	4	1	0	10	3	13
3	Montpellier Hérault SC	5	3	2	0	9	3	11
4	Olympique de Marseille	5	3	2	0	6	2	11
5	Paris Saint-Germain FC	5	3	1	1	10	6	10
6	Stade Rennais FC	5	2	3	0	8	4	9
7	AS Monaco FC	5	3	0	2	5	5	9
8	US Boulogne	5	2	2	1	4	5	8
9	AS Nancy-Lorraine	5	2	1	2	9	6	7
10	RC Lens	5	2	1	2	7	8	7
11	FC Lorient	5	2	1	2	5	6	7
12	FC Sochaux-Montbéliard	5	2	0	3	4	6	6
13	Toulouse FC	5	1	2	2	4	4	5
14	Le Mans UC 72	5	1	1	3	6	9	4
15	Valenciennes FC	5	1	1	3	5	8	4
<b>16</b>	<b>LOSC Lille Métropole</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>
17	AJ Auxerre	5	1	1	3	2	6	4
18	OGC Nice	5	1	1	3	3	10	4
19	AS Saint-Etienne	5	1	0	4	2	7	3
20	Grenoble Foot 38	5	0	0	5	2	8	0

## Valencia CF

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
30/08/09	League	Sevilla FC (H)	W 2-0	Mata 47, Pablo Hernández 80
13/09/09	League	Real Valladolid CF (A)	W 4-2	Silva 10, Villa 34, 55, Mata 45
20/09/09	League	Real Sporting de Gijón (H)		
23/09/09	League	Getafe CF (A)		
27/09/09	League	Club Atlético de Madrid (H)		
04/10/09	League	Real Racing Club Santander (A)		
18/10/09	League	FC Barcelona (H)		
25/10/09	League	UD Almería (A)		
01/11/09	League	Málaga CF (A)		
08/11/09	League	Real Zaragoza (H)		
22/11/09	League	CA Osasuna (A)		
29/11/09	League	RCD Mallorca (H)		
06/12/09	League	Athletic Club (A)		
13/12/09	League	Real Madrid CF (H)		
20/12/09	League	RC Deportivo La Coruña (A)		
03/01/10	League	RCD Espanyol (H)		
10/01/10	League	Xerez CD (A)		
17/01/10	League	Villarreal CF (H)		
24/01/10	League	CD Tenerife (A)		
31/01/10	League	Sevilla FC (A)		
07/02/10	League	Real Valladolid CF (H)		
14/02/10	League	Real Sporting de Gijón (A)		

Pos.	Clubs	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	FC Barcelona	2	2	0	0	5	0	6
2	Real Madrid CF	2	2	0	0	6	2	6
<b>3</b>	<b>Valencia CF</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>
4	Athletic Club	2	2	0	0	2	0	6
5	RCD Mallorca	2	1	1	0	3	1	4
8	Sevilla FC	2	1	0	1	4	3	3
8	RC Deportivo La Coruña	2	1	0	1	3	3	3
9	Málaga CF	2	1	0	1	3	1	3
10	Getafe CF	2	1	0	1	4	3	3
10	Real Zaragoza	2	1	0	1	2	4	3
11	CD Tenerife	2	1	0	1	2	2	3
12	Real Sporting de Gijón	2	1	0	1	1	3	3
13	Villarreal CF	2	0	2	0	2	2	2
14	UD Almería	2	0	1	1	0	1	1
15	Real Valladolid CF	2	0	1	1	2	4	1
16	CA Osasuna	2	0	1	1	2	3	1
16	Real Racing Club Santander	2	0	1	1	2	5	1
17	Club Atlético de Madrid	2	0	1	1	1	4	1
19	Xerez CD	2	0	0	2	0	3	0
20	RCD Espanyol	2	0	0	2	0	4	0

## Match-by-match lineups

### LOSC Lille Métropole

#### Third qualifying round

(30/07/09)

**FK Sevojno 0-2 LOSC Lille Métropole**

**Goals:** 0-1 Vittek 34, 0-2 Hazard 39

**Lille:** Butelle, Balmont (Debuchy 83), Cabaye, Obraniak, Vittek (De Melo 67), Emerson, Beria, Rami, Mavuba, Plestan, Hazard (Gervinho 74)

(06/08/09)

**LOSC Lille Métropole 2-0 FK Sevojno** (agg: 4-0)

**Goals:** 1-0 Cabaye 72, 2-0 De Melo 85

**Lille:** Butelle, Debuchy, Cabaye (Dumont 77), De Melo, Vittek (Balmont 46), Emerson, Touré (Aubameyang 64), Chedjou, Rami, Mavuba, Gervinho

#### Play-Offs

(20/08/09)

**KRC Genk 1-2 LOSC Lille Métropole**

**Goals:** 0-1 Dumont 40, 0-2 Vittek 56, 1-2 Tózsér 58

**Lille:** Butelle, Debuchy, Balmont (Cabaye 86), Vittek (Touré 80), Beria, Chedjou, Rami, Mavuba, Hazard (Obraniak 67), Gervinho, Dumont

(27/08/09)

**LOSC Lille Métropole 4-2 KRC Genk** (agg: 6-3)

**Goals:** 1-0 De Melo 10, 1-1 Barda 24 (pen), 2-1 Dumont 59, 3-1 Hazard 70, 4-1 De Melo 73, 4-2 Tózsér 86

**Lille:** Butelle, Debuchy (Balmont 51), Cabaye, De Melo, Aubameyang, Emerson, Beria, Chedjou, Mavuba (Vandam 79), Gervinho (Hazard 62), Dumont

### Valencia CF

#### Play-Offs

(20/08/09)

**Stabæk IF 0-3 Valencia CF**

**Goals:** 0-1 Pablo Hernández 29, 0-2 Villa 35, 0-3 Joaquín 80

**Valencia:** César Sánchez, Bruno Saltor, Marchena, Villa (Žigic 76), Dealbert, Mata, Pablo Hernández (Joaquín 71), Alexis, Silva (Michel 82), Miguel, Banega

(27/08/09)

**Valencia CF 4-1 Stabæk IF** (agg: 7-1)

**Goals:** 1-0 Miku 28, 2-0 Miku 29, 2-1 Farnerud 36, 3-1 Žigic 77, 4-1 Miku 80

**Valencia:** Moyá, Maduro, Navarro, Albelda (Banega 69), Žigic, Mata (Olcina 57), Joaquín, Mathieu, Miguel (Bruno Saltor 73), Miku, Michel

### Group B

#### Standings

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
SK Slavia Praha	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>LOSC Lille Métropole</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Valencia CF</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Genoa CFC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

#### Matchday 1 (17/09/09)

**LOSC Lille Métropole v Valencia CF**

#### Matchday 2 (01/10/09)

**SK Slavia Praha v LOSC Lille Métropole**

**Valencia CF v Genoa CFC**

#### Matchday 3 (22/10/09)

**Valencia CF v SK Slavia Praha**

**LOSC Lille Métropole v Genoa CFC**

#### Matchday 4 (05/11/09)

**SK Slavia Praha v Valencia CF**

**Genoa CFC v LOSC Lille Métropole**

#### Matchday 5 (02/12/09)

**Valencia CF v LOSC Lille Métropole**

#### Matchday 6 (17/12/09)

**LOSC Lille Métropole v SK Slavia Praha**

**Genoa CFC v Valencia CF**

## Match officials

<b>Referee</b>	Alexandru Dan Tudor (ROU)
<b>Assistant referees</b>	Cristian Constantin Nica (ROU), Aurel Onita (ROU)
<b>Additional assistant referee</b>	Ovidiu Alin Hategan (ROU)
<b>Additional assistant referee</b>	Ionut Marius Avram (ROU)
<b>Fourth official</b>	Radu Marian Petrescu (ROU)
<b>UEFA Delegate</b>	Odd Flattum (NOR)
<b>UEFA Referee observer</b>	John Edward Martin (ENG)

### Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEL matches *	UEFA matches
Alexandru Dan Tudor	13/09/1971	18	46

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

Date	Comp.	Stage	Match	Res.	Venue
19/09/02	UCUP	R1	RC Celta de Vigo - Odense BK	2-0	Vigo
31/10/02	UCUP	R2	Málaga CF - KKS Lech Poznań	2-1	Malaga
15/09/05	UCUP	R1	AS Monaco FC - Willem II	2-0	Monaco
19/10/06	UCUP	GS	FC Slovan Liberec - Sevilla FC	0-0	Liberec
05/12/07	UCUP	GS	Villarreal CF - IF Elfsborg	2-0	Villarreal
18/03/09	UCUP	R16	AS Saint-Etienne - Werder Bremen	2-2	Saint-Etienne

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

Date	Comp.	Stage	Match	Res.	Venue
27/04/01	U16	GS	Finland - France	0-5	Grimsby
16/10/02	EURO	QR	Malta - France	0-4	Ta' Qali
13/08/08	UCL	QR3	SK Brann - Olympique de Marseille	0-1	Bergen
04/11/08	UCL	GS	FC Barcelona - FC Basel 1893	1-1	Barcelona

\* Group stage to final only

## Competition information

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The UEFA Cup evolved from the Inter-Cities Fairs Cup, and was first contested as the UEFA Cup in 1971/72. This season the UEFA Cup has been reborn as the UEFA Europa League. The new name heralds major changes to the competition, which has a new 48-team group stage with centralised marketing of broadcast rights, a presenting sponsor - Spanish car manufacturer SEAT - and an official matchball in addition to centralised sponsorship from the knockout stage and a new logo and visual identity.

• **Disciplinary information:** As a rule, a player who is sent off is suspended for the next match in a UEFA club competition. The Control and Disciplinary Body is entitled to augment this punishment. In the case of repeated cautions, from the group stage a player is suspended for one match after three cautions in three different matches, as well as following any subsequent odd-numbered caution (fifth, seventh, ninth, etc). Single yellow cards and pending suspensions are always carried forward either to the next stage of the competition or to another club competition in the current season.

• **Locally-trained players rule:** In February 2005, UEFA announced the 'A' list that teams submit for UEFA club competitions will continue to be limited to 25 players, and from the 2008/09 season at least eight places are reserved for players trained by the club's own football academy of which half can be players trained by other clubs from within the same association of the said club. The 'B' list also continues to exist – involving an unlimited number of Under-21 players who have been at the club for any uninterrupted period of two years since their 15th birthday.

A club-trained player is defined as a player who has been registered for a minimum of three seasons with the club between the age of 15 and 21, whereas an association-trained player is one who has been registered for at least three seasons by the club or by other clubs affiliated to the same association between the age of 15 and 21.

• **Away goals rule:** For matches played under the cup (knockout) system, the team which scores the greater aggregate of goals in the two matches qualifies for the next round. If the two teams involved in a tie score the same number of goals over the two legs, the team which scores more away goals qualifies for the next stage. If this procedure does not produce a result, i.e. if the two teams score the same number of goals at home and away, extra time of two periods of 15 minutes shall be played at the end of the second leg. If during extra time, both teams score the same number of goals, away goals count double (i.e. the visiting club qualifies). If no goals are scored during extra time, penalty kicks determine which team qualifies.

• **Player registration:** UEFA regulations state that for all UEFA Europa League matches from the start of the Round of 32, a club may register a maximum of three new eligible players within their squad of 25 for the remaining matches in the current competition. One player from the above quota of three who has played UEFA club competition matches for another competing club in the current season may exceptionally be registered, provided that the player has not been fielded by another club in the UEFA Europa League this season or by a club that has transferred from the UEFA Champions League to the UEFA Europa League following the group stage.

• **Assistant referees experiment:** The 144 UEFA Europa League group-stage games will be overseen by six match officials, in an experiment endorsed by the International Football Association Board (IFAB), with two additional assistant referees taking up positions alongside each goal. The additional assistant referees will provide two extra pairs of eyes to monitor the game, informing the referee of incidents that he may otherwise have missed.

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• **UEFA Europa League Statistics Handbook:** This informative guide to the new competition and the teams involved in the group stage can be downloaded as four pdf files at <http://www.uefa.com/uefa/mediaservices/publications/index.html>.

## Legend

### :: Competitions

#### Club competitions

**ECCC:** European Champion Clubs' Cup/UEFA Champions 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:** Confederation 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 • **WCHAMP:** UEFA European Women's Championship

### :: Competition stages

**F:** Final

**GS:** Group stage

**GS1:** First group stage

**GS2:** Second group stage

**KO1:** First knockout round

**PR:** Preliminary round

**QF:** Quarter-finals

**QR:** Qualifying round

**QR1:** First qualifying round

**QR2:** Second qualifying round

**FT:** Final tournament

**ELITE:** Elite round

**P-O 3rd:** Third place play-off

**GS - FT:** Group stage - Final tournament

**QR3:** Third qualifying round

**R1:** First round

**R2:** Second round

**R3:** Third round

**R4:** Fourth round

**SF:** Semi-finals

**R16:** Second knockout round

**R32:** Round of 32

**1st:** first leg

**2nd:** second leg

**P-O:** Play-off

**(R):** Replay

**PO - FT:** Play-off for Final Tournament

**Prom/Rel P-O:** Promotion/Relegation play-off

### :: Other Abbreviations

**aet:** Match decided after extra time **N/a:** Not Applicable

**aetps:** Match decided after extra time and penalty shoot-out

**ag:** Match decided on away goals

**agg:** Aggregate

**AP:** Appearances

**Comp.:** Competition

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**DoB:** Date of birth

**GA:** Goals against

**GF:** Goals for

**L:** Lost

**Nat.:** Nationality

**o.g.:** Own goal

**(p):** Penalty

**Pld:** Matches played

**Pos.:** Position

**Pts:** Points

**R:** Sent off (red card)

**Res.:** Result

**W:** Won

**Y:** Booked

**Y/R:** Sent off (yellow card then direct red)

### :: Statistics

**(-):** Denotes player substituted

**(\*):** Denotes player dismissed/sent off

**(+):** Denotes player introduced

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

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