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Bayer 04 Leverkusen

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Previous meetings

Head to Head

No UEFA competition matches have been played between these two teams

BSC Young Boys - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
24/08/2016	PO	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach - BSC Young Boys	6-1 agg: 9-2	Monchengladbach	T. Hazard 9, 64, 84, Raffael 33, 40, 77; Ravet 79
16/08/2016	PO	BSC Young Boys - VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	1-3	Berne	Sulejmani 56; Raffael 11, Hahn 67, Rochat 69 (og)

UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
01/12/2010	GS	BSC Young Boys - VfB Stuttgart	4-2	Berne	D. Degen 39, Sutter 81, Mayuka 82, 87; Pogrebnyak 48, Schiplock 68
16/09/2010	GS	VfB Stuttgart - BSC Young Boys	3-0	Stuttgart	Cacau 23 (P), Gentner 59, Tasci 90+1

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
01/10/1975	R1	Hamburger SV - BSC Young Boys	4-2 agg: 4-2	Hamburg	Reimann 15, Bertl 50, 67, Bjørnmoose 85; Siegenthaler 65, 87
17/09/1975	R1	BSC Young Boys - Hamburger SV	0-0	Berne	

European Champions Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
27/11/1960	R1	Hamburger SV - BSC Young Boys	3-3 agg: 8-3	Hamburg	Stürmer 13, Dörfel 72, Walker 86 (og); Bigler 21 (P), Meier 25, Schneiter 48
02/11/1960	R1	BSC Young Boys - Hamburger SV	0-5	Berne	Stürmer 24, 52, Seeler 34, 39, Neisner 72

European Champions Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
25/11/1959	R1	Eintracht Frankfurt - BSC Young Boys	1-1 agg: 5-2	Frankfurt am Main	Bäumler 68 (P); Schneider 90
04/11/1959	R1	BSC Young Boys - Eintracht Frankfurt	1-4	Berne	Meier 23; Weilbacher 4, Stein 72, Bäumler 76 (P), Meier 82

European Champions Clubs' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
01/04/1959	QF (Rep)	BSC Young Boys - FC Wismut Aue	2-1 (Rep)	Amsterdam	Meier 21, Wechselberger 33; Tröger 75 (P)
18/03/1959	QF	FC Wismut Aue - BSC Young Boys	0-0 agg: 2-2	Aue	
11/03/1959	QF	BSC Young Boys - FC Wismut Aue	2-2	Berne	Meier 22, Rey 87; Wagner 45, Zink 59

Bayer 04 Leverkusen - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
08/11/2018	GS	Bayer 04 Leverkusen - FC Zürich	1-0	Leverkusen	Jedvaj 60
25/10/2018	GS	FC Zürich - Bayer 04 Leverkusen	3-2	Zurich	Marchesano 44, Domgjoni 59, Odey 78; Bellarabi 50, 54

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
19/12/2007	GS	FC Zürich - Bayer 04 Leverkusen	0-5	Zurich	Greško 19, Bulykin 23, 57, Barnetta 50, Kiessling 80

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
28/09/2006	R1	Bayer 04 Leverkusen - FC Sion	3-1 agg: 3-1	Leverkusen	Voronin 62, Ramelow 76, Schneider 86 (P); Fernandes 75
14/09/2006	R1	FC Sion - Bayer 04 Leverkusen	0-0	Geneva	

	Home				Away				Final				Neutral				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
BSC Young Boys	6	1	2	3	6	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	13	2	5	6	17	34
Bayer 04 Leverkusen	2	2	0	0	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	3	1	1	11	4

Match background

The reigning Swiss champions take on last season's UEFA Europa League quarter-finalists as Young Boys, making their first springtime European appearance for six years, meet Bayer Leverkusen in the round of 32.

- Despite losing both games to Roma, Young Boys finished as runners-up to the Italian side in Group A, clinching their place with a 2-1 home win against CFR Cluj on Matchday 6. Leverkusen were the group stage's top scorers with 21 goals as they won Group C, completing their campaign with a 4-0 home win against fellow qualifiers Slavia Praha.

Previous meetings

- This is the clubs' first meeting in UEFA competition.
- Young Boys have won just two of their 13 previous matches against German opposition (D5 L6) and have lost all four of their two-legged knockout ties against Bundesliga sides, most recently going down 9-2 on aggregate to Borussia Mönchengladbach in the 2016/17 UEFA Champions League play-offs (1-3 h, 1-6 a). Their one home win against German visitors was a 4-2 success against Stuttgart in the 2010/11 group stage – the only previous UEFA Europa League encounter.
- The most recent of Leverkusen's three visits to Switzerland – and the only one in the UEFA Europa League – brought their first defeat, Zürich beating them 3-2 on Matchday 3 of 2018/19 despite Karim Bellarabi's double. The Werkself's overall record against Swiss clubs is W3 D1 L1.

Form guide

Young Boys

- Champions of Switzerland for the third season running in 2019/20, and the 14th time in all, Young Boys lost last season's UEFA Champions League play-off on away goals to Crvena zvezda but reached the UEFA Europa League group stage, where they finished third in a section containing Porto, Rangers and Feyenoord.
- YB missed out on UEFA Champions League qualification again this season, Gerardo Seoane's side losing 3-0 at Midtjylland in the third qualifying round after winning their opening tie 3-1 at home to KÍ Klaksvík. However, they beat Tirana 3-0 at the Stadion Wankdorf in the UEFA Europa League play-offs to reach the competition's group stage for the seventh time, and further progress ensued despite losses at home (1-2) and away (1-3) to Roma as they beat CSKA-Sofia twice (3-0 h, 1-0 a) and took four points off CFR.
- The Swiss side have lost both of their previous two ties in the UEFA Europa League round of 32, going down to Zenit in 2010/11 (2-1 h, 1-3 a) and Everton in 2014/15 (1-4 h, 1-3 a).
- Despite their defeat by Roma on Matchday 1, Young Boys have lost just two of their last 11 European encounters in the Swiss capital, winning seven including four of the last five.

Leverkusen

- Fifth place in the 2019/20 Bundesliga earned Leverkusen a return to the UEFA Europa League, where they reached the quarter-finals last season after finishing third in their UEFA Champions League group. They won both legs against Porto in the round of 32 (2-1 h, 3-1 a) and Rangers in the round of 16 (3-1 a, 1-0 h) before losing their last-eight encounter 2-1 to Internazionale in nearby Düsseldorf. They also reached the final of last season's DFB-Pokal, losing 4-2 to Bayern München.
- This season Peter Bosz's side kicked off their European campaign in the UEFA Europa League group stage and they made it four qualifications out of four by topping Group C with 15 points, the only blemish a 1-0 defeat at Slavia on Matchday 2 in which Bellarabi was sent off in the first half. That 4-0 win against the Czech side on Matchday 6 clinched first place, following high-scoring doubles over Hapoel Beer-Sheva (4-2 a, 4-1 h) and Nice (6-2 h, 3-2 a). Leverkusen's final tally of 21 goals was just one short of Napoli's UEFA Europa League group stage record.
- Leverkusen's record in five previous UEFA Europa League round of 32 ties is W3 L2 and has developed a pattern that they will want to break this term. They won the first, against Metalist Kharkiv in 2010/11 (4-0 a, 2-0 h), lost the second, against Benfica in 2012/13 (0-1 h, 1-2 a), won the third, against Sporting CP in 2015/16 (1-0 a, 3-1 h), lost the fourth, against Krasnodar in 2018/19 (0-0 a, 1-1 h), and won the fifth, against Porto last season.
- The Werkself were undefeated in nine UEFA Europa League matches (W6 D3) until last season's quarter-final defeat by Inter. They have lost only four of their last 16 European away fixtures, winning eight, including four of the last five.

UEFA Europa League squad changes

• Young Boys

In: none

Out: Nicolas Bürge (Paderborn, loan), Léo Seydoux (Westerlo), Taulant Seferi (Tirana, loan)

• Leverkusen

In: Demarai Gray (Leicester), Timothy Fosu-Mensah (Manchester United), Jeremie Frimpong (Celtic)

Out: Santiago Arias, Julian Baumgartlinger, Lennart Grill

Links and trivia

- Young Boys midfielder Gianluca Gaudino is German – the son of ex-Germany international Maurizio Gaudino – and began his professional career at Bayern München, making eight Bundesliga appearances for the club in 2014/15.
- YB skipper Fabian Lustenberger joined the club in 2019 after 12 years in Germany with Hertha BSC, for whom he made 208 Bundesliga appearances.
- Lustenberger's final appearance for Hertha before leaving to join Young Boys was a 1-5 home defeat by Leverkusen on 18 May 2019 in which Lucas Alario scored a hat-trick.
- Leverkusen's Mitchell Weiser is a former team-mate of both Gaudino at Bayern (2014/15) and Lustenberger at Hertha (2015–18).
- Two other Young Boys players also have experience of German football – Ulisses Garcia (Werder Bremen 2015–18, Nürnberg 2017/18 loan) and Vincent Sierro (Freiburg 2017/18).
- Leverkusen's Aleksandar Dragović played for YB's domestic rivals Basel from February 2011 to July 2013, winning the Swiss Super League in each of his three seasons plus the Swiss Cup in 2011/12. He also helped the club to the semi-finals of the UEFA Europa League in 2012/13.
- Young Boys have scored at least once in all of their last 15 UEFA Europa League games, play-offs included. The last time they failed to find the net was on Matchday 4 of the 2017/18 season when they lost 0-1 at home to Dynamo Kyiv.
- Leverkusen are one of six former UEFA Cup winners in this season's round of 32 – along with Ajax, Napoli, PSV Eindhoven, Shakhtar Donetsk and Tottenham Hotspur.

Team facts

BSC Young Boys

Formed: 1898

Nickname: YB, Die Gelb-Schwarzen (Yellow and Blacks)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- None

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 14 (2020)

Swiss Cup: 7 (2020)

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

2019/20: group stage (having transferred from UEFA Champions League play-offs)

2018/19: UEFA Champions League group stage

2017/18: group stage (having transferred from UEFA Champions League play-offs)

2016/17: group stage (having transferred from UEFA Champions League play-offs)

2015/16: play-offs (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

2014/15: round of 32

2013/14: did not take part in UEFA competition

2012/13: group stage

2011/12: play-offs

2010/11: round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League play-offs)

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

5-0: Young Boys v Slovan Bratislava

18/09/14, UEFA Europa League group stage

- Biggest away win

0-5: Limerick v Young Boys

31/08/60, European Cup preliminary round

- Heaviest home defeat

0-5: Young Boys v Hamburg

02/11/60, European Cup first round first leg

- Heaviest away defeat

6-0: Steaua București v Young Boys

03/10/79, European Cup Winners' Cup first round second leg

UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League

- Biggest home win

5-0: Young Boys v Slovan Bratislava (see above)

- Biggest away win

0-3: Midtjylland v Young Boys

23/08/12, play-off first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

1-4: Young Boys v Everton

19/02/15, round of 32 first leg

- Heaviest away defeat

5-1: Lens v Young Boys

30/08/07, second qualifying round second leg

Bayer 04 Leverkusen

Formed: 1904

Nickname: Werkself (Works XI)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- UEFA Champions League: (2002)

- UEFA Cup (1): 1988

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

German Cup: 1 (1993)

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

2019/20: quarter-finals

2018/19: round of 32

2017/18: did not take part in UEFA competition

2016/17: UEFA Champions League round of 16

2015/16: round of 16 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2014/15: UEFA Champions League round of 16

2013/14: UEFA Champions League round of 16

2012/13: round of 32

2011/12: UEFA Champions League round of 16

2010/11: round of 16

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

6-1: Leverkusen v Dinamo Tbilisi

13/08/97, UEFA Champions League second qualifying round first leg

5-0 twice, most recently v Baník Ostrava

11/08/04, UEFA Champions League third qualifying round first leg

- Biggest away win

1-6: Tervis Pärnu v Leverkusen

08/07/95, UEFA Intertoto Cup group stage

0-5: Zürich v Leverkusen

19/12/07, UEFA Cup group stage

- Heaviest home defeat

0-5: Leverkusen v Manchester United

27/11/13, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

7-1: Barcelona v Leverkusen

07/03/12, UEFA Champions League round of 16 second leg

UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League

- Biggest home win

5-0: Leverkusen v Kispest Honvéd

01/11/94, second round second leg

- Biggest away win

0-5: Zürich v Leverkusen (see above)

- Heaviest home defeat

1-4: Leverkusen v Zenit

03/04/08, quarter-final first leg

0-3: Leverkusen v Osasuna

05/04/07, quarter-final first leg

- Heaviest away defeat

3-0 on three occasions, most recently v Parma

18/04/95, semi-final second leg

Squad list

BSC Young Boys

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season								All-time			
						UCL		QUAL		UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers																	
26	David von Ballmoos	SUI	30/12/1994	26	-	2	-	1	-	6	-	18	-	17	-	31	-
43	Joschua Neuenschwander	SUI	28/06/2000	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
61	Leandro Zbinden	SUI	30/07/2002	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
91	Guillaume Faivre	SUI	20/02/1987	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	5	-	19	-
Defenders																	
4	Mohamed Ali Camara	GUI	28/08/1997	23	S	2	-	1	-	4	-	16	-	4	-	11	-
5	Cédric Zesiger	SUI	24/06/1998	22	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	17	-	9	-	11	-
6	Esteban Petignat	SUI	17/05/2000	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	Ulisses Garcia	SUI	11/01/1996	25	-	1	-	1	-	5	-	13	1	11	-	17	-
24	Quentin Maceiras	SUI	10/10/1995	25	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	11	-	2	-	5	-
25	Jordan Lefort	FRA	09/08/1993	27	-	2	-	1	-	4	-	17	1	4	-	7	-
36	Silvan Hefti	SUI	25/10/1997	23	-	1	-	1	-	6	-	17	-	6	-	10	1
62	Lewin Blum	SUI	27/07/2001	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
66	Simon Geiger	SUI	16/03/2002	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
67	Benjamin Kabeya	SUI	16/06/2001	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
71	Sadin Crnovrsanin	SUI	04/02/2002	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midfielders																	
7	Marvin Spielmann	SUI	23/02/1996	24	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	1	4	1
8	Vincent Sierro	SUI	08/10/1995	25	-	1	-	1	-	5	-	8	-	6	-	12	-
10	Miralem Sulejmani	SRB	05/12/1988	32	-	2	1	-	-	3	1	18	-	41	6	84	9
11	Gianluca Gaudino	GER	11/11/1996	24	-	-	-	1	-	6	1	16	-	9	1	11	1
13	Nicolas Moumi Ngamaleu	CMR	09/07/1994	26	-	2	1	1	-	5	-	18	1	16	1	35	4
16	Christian Fassnacht	SUI	11/11/1993	27	-	2	-	1	1	5	1	20	4	16	4	33	6
20	Michel Aebischer	SUI	06/01/1997	24	*	2	-	-	-	6	-	14	-	19	-	30	-
22	Nico Maier	SUI	02/07/2000	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
28	Fabian Lustenberger	SUI	02/05/1988	32	-	2	-	1	-	4	-	14	-	23	-	34	-
30	Sandro Lauper	SUI	25/10/1996	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	3	-	-	5	-
35	Christopher Martins	LUX	19/02/1997	23	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	3	-	6	-
60	Fabian Rieder	SUI	16/02/2002	19	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	13	-	5	-	5	-
65	Mischa Eberhard	SUI	11/04/2002	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
72	Joël Ris	SUI	16/01/2001	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forwards																	
15	Meschack Elia	COD	06/08/1997	23	-	-	-	1	-	6	-	18	4	6	-	7	-
17	Jordan Siebatcheu	FRA	26/04/1996	24	-	1	-	1	-	5	-	19	8	13	1	15	1
18	Jean-Pierre Nsame	FRA	01/05/1993	27	S	2	1	1	2	6	4	16	11	18	6	31	9
19	Felix Mambimbi	SUI	18/01/2001	20	-	1	-	1	-	5	2	16	3	7	2	9	2
64	Jonathan De Donno	SUI	16/02/2002	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
70	Shkelqim Vladi	SUI	21/09/2000	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coach																	

BSC Young Boys

										Current season				All-time							
										UCL		QUAL		UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
-	Gerardo Seoane	SUI	30/10/1978	42	-	2	-	1	-	6	-	-	-	12	-	25	-				

Bayer 04 Leverkusen

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season				All-time			
						UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers													
1	Lukas Hradecky	FIN	24/11/1989	31	-	5	-	21	-	16	-	30	-
33	Marcel Johnen	GER	11/10/2002	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36	Niklas Lomb	GER	28/07/1993	27	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	2	-
Defenders													
4	Jonathan Tah	GER	11/02/1996	25	-	5	-	16	1	16	-	34	-
5	Sven Bender	GER	27/04/1989	31	-	1	-	10	-	21	-	58	1
6	Aleksandar Dragović	AUT	06/03/1991	29	-	6	1	13	1	52	2	93	3
12	Edmond Tapsoba	BFA	02/02/1999	22	-	3	-	19	-	13	-	19	3
16	Tin Jedvaj	CRO	28/11/1995	25	-	4	-	1	-	10	1	19	1
18	Wendell	BRA	20/07/1993	27	-	6	-	9	-	20	-	42	-
22	Daley Sinkgraven	NED	04/07/1995	25	-	2	-	18	-	19	-	27	-
24	Timothy Fosu-Mensah	NED	02/01/1998	23	-	-	-	4	-	6	-	8	-
30	Jeremie Frimpong	NED	10/12/2000	20	-	-	-	1	-	6	-	9	-
Midfielders													
8	Lars Bender	GER	27/04/1989	31	-	4	-	13	-	28	-	62	1
9	Leon Bailey	JAM	09/08/1997	23	-	6	5	20	5	25	10	36	13
10	Kerem Demirbay	GER	03/07/1993	27	*	4	1	17	3	12	2	24	2
11	Nadiem Amiri	GER	27/10/1996	24	-	6	1	18	2	12	2	18	2
20	Charles Aránguiz	CHI	17/04/1989	31	-	-	-	10	-	7	2	20	2
25	Exequiel Palacios	ARG	05/10/1998	22	-	2	-	3	-	4	-	4	-
32	Samed Onur	GER	15/07/2002	18	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
38	Karim Bellarabi	GER	08/04/1990	30	-	5	3	14	-	16	9	43	13
39	Cem Türkmen	GER	29/03/2002	18	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2	-
Forwards													
13	Lucas Alario	ARG	08/10/1992	28	-	4	2	17	9	14	8	19	8
14	Patrik Schick	CZE	24/01/1996	25	-	3	1	16	6	5	1	19	1
19	Moussa Diaby	FRA	07/07/1999	21	-	6	3	21	3	10	4	13	4
27	Florian Wirtz	GER	03/05/2003	17	-	5	2	18	4	6	2	6	2
28	Demarai Gray	ENG	28/06/1996	24	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	5	-
37	Emrehan Gedikli	GER	25/04/2003	17	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	3	-
Coach													
-	Peter Bosz	NED	21/11/1963	57	-	6	-	-	-	28	-	48	-

Fixtures and results

BSC Young Boys

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result		Goalscorers
26/08/2020	UCL	KÍ Klaksvík (H)	W	3-1	Nsame 51, Sulejmani 57, Moumi Ngamaleu 82
16/09/2020	UCL	FC Midtjylland (A)	L	0-3	
19/09/2020	League	FC Zürich (H)	W	2-1	Mambimbi 24, Fassnacht 69
26/09/2020	League	FC Sion (A)	D	0-0	
01/10/2020	UEL	KF Tirana (H)	W	3-0	Fassnacht 42, Nsame 52, 64
04/10/2020	League	FC Vaduz (H)	W	1-0	Nsame 62
17/10/2020	League	Servette FC (A)	D	0-0	
22/10/2020	UEL	AS Roma (H)	L	1-2	Nsame 14 (P)
25/10/2020	League	FC Luzern (H)	W	2-1	Elia 58, Nsame 69
29/10/2020	UEL	CFR 1907 Cluj (A)	D	1-1	Fassnacht 69
05/11/2020	UEL	PFC CSKA-Sofia (H)	W	3-0	Mambimbi 2, 32, Sulejmani 18
08/11/2020	League	FC St. Gallen (H)	D	0-0	
21/11/2020	League	FC Basel 1893 (H)	W	2-1	Nsame 41, Elia 61
26/11/2020	UEL	PFC CSKA-Sofia (A)	W	1-0	Nsame 34
29/11/2020	League	FC Lausanne-Sport (A)	W	3-0	Lefort 30, Mambimbi 53, Nsame 87
03/12/2020	UEL	AS Roma (A)	L	1-3	Nsame 34
06/12/2020	League	FC Luzern (A)	W	3-2	Nsame 19 (P), Fassnacht 24, Garcia 27
10/12/2020	UEL	CFR 1907 Cluj (H)	W	2-1	Nsame 90+3 (P), Gaudino 90+6
13/12/2020	League	Servette FC (H)	L	1-2	Mambimbi 84
16/12/2020	League	FC Basel 1893 (A)	W	2-0	Elia 12, Nsame 20
19/12/2020	League	FC Lugano (H)	D	2-2	Siebatcheu 19, 37 (P)
22/12/2020	League	FC St. Gallen (A)	W	2-1	Siebatcheu 68, 72
20/01/2021	League	FC Lugano (A)	W	2-0	Fassnacht 55, Nsame 75
24/01/2021	League	FC Vaduz (A)	D	0-0	
31/01/2021	League	FC Sion (H)	W	2-1	Moumi Ngamaleu 4, Lauper 34
03/02/2021	League	FC Zürich (A)	W	4-1	Lauper 26, Siebatcheu 43, 45, 63
07/02/2021	League	FC Lausanne-Sport (H)	W	4-2	Nsame 11, 24 (P), 33, Fassnacht 19
10/02/2021	League	FC Lausanne-Sport (H)	W	1-0	Siebatcheu 16
14/02/2021	League	FC Lugano (A)	W	3-1	Nsame 10 (P), Elia 17, Lauper 45+1
18/02/2021	UEL	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (H)			
21/02/2021	League	Servette FC (H)			
25/02/2021	UEL	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (A)			
28/02/2021	League	FC Luzern (A)			
03/03/2021	League	FC Basel 1893 (A)			
06/03/2021	League	FC Vaduz (H)			
14/03/2021	League	FC St. Gallen (A)			
20/03/2021	League	FC Zürich (H)			
05/04/2021	League	FC Sion (A)			
11/04/2021	League	FC St. Gallen (H)			
18/04/2021	League	FC Lugano (H)			
21/04/2021	League	FC Zürich (A)			
25/04/2021	League	FC Sion (H)			

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02/05/2021	League	Servette FC (A)		
09/05/2021	League	FC Basel 1893 (H)		
13/05/2021	League	FC Vaduz (A)		
16/05/2021	League	FC Luzern (H)		
21/05/2021	League	FC Lausanne-Sport (A)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	BSC Young Boys	20	14	5	1	36	15	47
2	FC Basel 1893	20	9	4	7	31	29	31
3	FC Zürich	20	8	4	8	31	27	28
4	FC St. Gallen	20	7	7	6	23	22	28
5	FC Lugano	20	5	12	3	21	21	27
6	Servette FC	20	6	7	7	22	26	25
7	FC Lausanne-Sport	20	6	5	9	25	28	23
8	FC Sion	20	4	9	7	24	30	21
9	FC Luzern	19	5	5	9	31	30	20
10	FC Vaduz	19	3	6	10	16	32	15

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Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
13/09/2020	Cup	FC Eintracht Norderstedt (A)	W 7-0	L. Bender 4, Amiri 10, 31, Alario 12, Wirtz 21, Aránguiz 30, Schick 77
20/09/2020	League	VfL Wolfsburg (A)	D 0-0	
26/09/2020	League	RB Leipzig (H)	D 1-1	Demirbay 20
03/10/2020	League	VfB Stuttgart (A)	D 1-1	Schick 7
17/10/2020	League	1. FSV Mainz 05 (A)	W 1-0	Alario 30
22/10/2020	UEL	OGC Nice (H)	W 6-2	Amiri 11, Alario 16, Diaby 61, Bellarabi 79, 83, Wirtz 87
26/10/2020	League	FC Augsburg (H)	W 3-1	Alario 16 (P), 74, Diaby 90+4
29/10/2020	UEL	SK Slavia Praha (A)	L 0-1	
01/11/2020	League	SC Freiburg (A)	W 4-2	Alario 29, 42, Amiri 64, Tah 76
05/11/2020	UEL	Hapoel Beer-Sheva FC (A)	W 4-2	Bailey 5, 75, Dadia 39 (og), Wirtz 88
08/11/2020	League	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (H)	W 4-3	Alario 27, 41, Bailey 68, Baumgartlinger 82
21/11/2020	League	DSC Arminia Bielefeld (A)	W 2-1	Bailey 27, Dragović 88
26/11/2020	UEL	Hapoel Beer-Sheva FC (H)	W 4-1	Schick 29, Bailey 48, Demirbay 76, Alario 80
29/11/2020	League	Hertha BSC Berlin (H)	D 0-0	
03/12/2020	UEL	OGC Nice (A)	W 3-2	Diaby 22, Dragović 32, Baumgartlinger 51
06/12/2020	League	FC Schalke 04 (A)	W 3-0	Thiaw 10 (og), Baumgartlinger 67, Schick 78
10/12/2020	UEL	SK Slavia Praha (H)	W 4-0	Bailey 8, 32, Diaby 59, Bellarabi 90+1
13/12/2020	League	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (H)	W 4-1	Bailey 4, 27, Wirtz 55, Alario 90+1 (P)
16/12/2020	League	1. FC Köln (A)	W 4-0	Weiser 8, Diaby 10, Schick 54, Wirtz 58
19/12/2020	League	FC Bayern München (H)	L 1-2	Schick 14
02/01/2021	League	Eintracht Frankfurt (A)	L 1-2	Amiri 9
09/01/2021	League	SV Werder Bremen (H)	D 1-1	Schick 70

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12/01/2021	Cup	Eintracht Frankfurt (H)	W	4-1	Alario 27 (P), Tapsoba 49, Diaby 67, 87
15/01/2021	League	1. FC Union Berlin (A)	L	0-1	
19/01/2021	League	Borussia Dortmund (H)	W	2-1	Diaby 14, Wirtz 80
23/01/2021	League	VfL Wolfsburg (H)	L	0-1	
30/01/2021	League	RB Leipzig (A)	L	0-1	
02/02/2021	Cup	SC Rot-Weiss Essen (A)	L	1-2 aet	Bailey 105 ET
06/02/2021	League	VfB Stuttgart (H)	W	5-2	Demirbay 18, 31, Bailey 56, Wirtz 68, Gray 84
13/02/2021	League	1. FSV Mainz 05 (H)	D	2-2	Alario 14, Schick 84
18/02/2021	UEL	BSC Young Boys (A)			
21/02/2021	League	FC Augsburg (A)			
25/02/2021	UEL	BSC Young Boys (H)			
28/02/2021	League	SC Freiburg (H)			
06/03/2021	League	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach (A)			
14/03/2021	League	DSC Arminia Bielefeld (H)			
21/03/2021	League	Hertha BSC Berlin (A)			
03/04/2021	League	FC Schalke 04 (H)			
12/04/2021	League	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (A)			
17/04/2021	League	1. FC Köln (H)			
21/04/2021	League	FC Bayern München (A)			
24/04/2021	League	Eintracht Frankfurt (H)			
08/05/2021	League	SV Werder Bremen (A)			
15/05/2021	League	1. FC Union Berlin (H)			
22/05/2021	League	Borussia Dortmund (A)			

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	FC Bayern München	21	15	4	2	61	29	49
2	RB Leipzig	21	13	5	3	37	18	44
3	Eintracht Frankfurt	21	10	9	2	43	29	39
4	VfL Wolfsburg	21	10	9	2	32	19	39
5	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	21	10	6	5	39	23	36
6	Borussia Dortmund	21	10	3	8	41	31	33
7	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	21	8	9	4	37	31	33
8	SC Freiburg	21	8	7	6	35	33	31
9	1. FC Union Berlin	21	7	9	5	34	25	30
10	VfB Stuttgart	21	6	8	7	38	35	26
11	SV Werder Bremen	20	5	8	7	24	27	23
12	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim	21	6	5	10	32	39	23
13	FC Augsburg	21	6	4	11	21	34	22
14	1. FC Köln	21	5	6	10	20	35	21
15	Hertha BSC Berlin	21	4	6	11	26	37	18
16	DSC Arminia Bielefeld	20	5	3	12	18	35	18
17	1. FSV Mainz 05	21	3	5	13	21	42	14
18	FC Schalke 04	21	1	6	14	15	52	9

Match-by-match lineups

BSC Young Boys

UEFA Champions League - Second qualifying round

(26/08/2020)

BSC Young Boys 3-1 KÍ Klaksvík

Goals: 1-0 Nsame 51, 2-0 Sulejmani 57, 2-1 Johannesen 79, 3-1 Moumi Ngamaleu 82

BSC Young Boys: Von Ballmoos, Camara, Sierro, Sulejmani (63 Spielmann), Moumi Ngamaleu, Fassnacht, Nsame, Aebischer (75 C. Martins), Maceiras (63 Garcia), Lefort, Lustenberger

Third qualifying round

(16/09/2020)

FC Midtjylland 3-0 BSC Young Boys

Goals: 1-0 Lefort 51 (og), 2-0 Dreyer 62, 3-0 Mabil 84

BSC Young Boys: Von Ballmoos, Camara, Sulejmani (66 Spielmann), Moumi Ngamaleu (66 Siebatcheu), Fassnacht (81 Mambimbi), Nsame, Aebischer, Lefort, Lustenberger, C. Martins, Hefti

UEFA Europa League - Play-off

(01/10/2020)

BSC Young Boys 3-0 KF Tirana

Goals: 1-0 Fassnacht 42, 2-0 Nsame 52, 3-0 Nsame 64

BSC Young Boys: Von Ballmoos, Camara, Sierro, Moumi Ngamaleu (65 Gaudino), Elia, Fassnacht (72 Mambimbi), Nsame (72 Siebatcheu), Garcia, Lefort, Lustenberger, Hefti

Group stage

Group A

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
AS Roma	6	4	1	1	13	5	13
BSC Young Boys	6	3	1	2	9	7	10
CFR 1907 Cluj	6	1	2	3	4	10	5
PFC CSKA-Sofia	6	1	2	3	3	7	5

Matchday 1 (22/10/2020)

BSC Young Boys 1-2 AS Roma

Goals: 1-0 Nsame 14 (P), 1-1 Bruno Peres 69, 1-2 Kumbulla 74

BSC Young Boys: Von Ballmoos, Zesiger, Sierro (79 Gaudino), Moumi Ngamaleu (65 Mambimbi), Bürgy, Fassnacht (65 Elia), Nsame (79 Siebatcheu), Maceiras, Lustenberger, Hefti, Rieder (69 Aebischer)

Matchday 2 (29/10/2020)

CFR 1907 Cluj 1-1 BSC Young Boys

Goals: 1-0 Rondón 62, 1-1 Fassnacht 69

BSC Young Boys: Von Ballmoos, Camara (74 Sulejmani), Zesiger, Moumi Ngamaleu (74 Siebatcheu), Elia (63 Gaudino), Fassnacht, Nsame, Aebischer (74 Sierro), Maceiras, Lustenberger, Hefti (63 Garcia)

Matchday 3 (05/11/2020)

BSC Young Boys 3-0 PFC CSKA-Sofia

Goals: 1-0 Mambimbi 2, 2-0 Sulejmani 18, 3-0 Mambimbi 32

BSC Young Boys: Von Ballmoos, Camara (63 Garcia), Sierro (62 Aebischer), Sulejmani (70 Gaudino), Fassnacht, Nsame (70 Siebatcheu), Mambimbi (70 Elia), Lefort, Lustenberger, Hefti, Rieder

Matchday 4 (26/11/2020)

PFC CSKA-Sofia 0-1 BSC Young Boys

Goals: 0-1 Nsame 34

BSC Young Boys: Von Ballmoos, Camara, Sierro, Moumi Ngamaleu (87 Bürgy), Elia (60 Aebischer), Fassnacht (73 Mambimbi), Nsame, Garcia, Lustenberger (74 Lefort), Hefti, Rieder (74 Gaudino)

Matchday 5 (03/12/2020)

AS Roma 3-1 BSC Young Boys

Goals: 0-1 Nsame 34, 1-1 Mayoral 44, 2-1 Calafiori 59, 3-1 Džeko 81

BSC Young Boys: Von Ballmoos, Camara, Zesiger, Moumi Ngamaleu (76 Mambimbi), Fassnacht, Nsame (76 Siebatcheu), Aebischer (67 Gaudino), Garcia (67 Elia), Lefort, Hefti, Rieder (57 Sierro)

Matchday 6 (10/12/2020)

BSC Young Boys 2-1 CFR 1907 Cluj

Goals: 0-1 Debeljuh 84, 1-1 Nsame 90+3 (P) , 2-1 Gaudino 90+6

BSC Young Boys: Von Ballmoos, Sulejmani (59 Gaudino), Moumi Ngamaleu (82 Zesiger), Bürgy (85 Siebatcheu), Nsame, Mambimbi (59 Elia), Aebischer, Garcia, Lefort, Hefti, Rieder (58 C. Martins)

Round of 32

Matchday 7 (18/02/2021)

BSC Young Boys-Bayer 04 Leverkusen

Matchday 8 (25/02/2021)

Bayer 04 Leverkusen-BSC Young Boys

Bayer 04 Leverkusen

UEFA Europa League - Group stage

Group C

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Bayer 04 Leverkusen	6	5	0	1	21	8	15
SK Slavia Praha	6	4	0	2	11	10	12
Hapoel Beer-Sheva FC	6	2	0	4	7	13	6
OGC Nice	6	1	0	5	8	16	3

Matchday 1 (22/10/2020)

Bayer 04 Leverkusen 6-2 OGC Nice

Goals: 1-0 Amiri 11, 2-0 Alario 16, 2-1 Gouiri 31, 3-1 Diaby 61, 4-1 Bellarabi 79, 5-1 Bellarabi 83, 6-1 Wirtz 87, 6-2 Claude-Maurice 90

Bayer 04 Leverkusen: Hradecky, S. Bender (81 Tah), L. Bender (81 Dragović), Bailey, Amiri, Tapsoba, Alario (74 Bellarabi), Baumgartlinger, Wendell, Diaby, Palacios (74 Wirtz)

Matchday 2 (29/10/2020)

SK Slavia Praha 1-0 Bayer 04 Leverkusen

Goals: 1-0 Olayinka 80

Bayer 04 Leverkusen: Hradecky, Tah, Dragović, Demirbay, Alario (46 Bailey), Baumgartlinger, Jedvaj, Wendell, Diaby, Wirtz (67 Amiri), Bellarabi

Matchday 3 (05/11/2020)

Hapoel Beer-Sheva FC 2-4 Bayer 04 Leverkusen

Goals: 0-1 Bailey 5, 1-1 Acolatse 11, 2-1 Acolatse 25, 2-2 Dadia 39 (og) , 2-3 Bailey 75, 2-4 Wirtz 88

Bayer 04 Leverkusen: Hradecky, Tah, Dragović, Bailey, Demirbay, Amiri, Alario (46 Diaby), Jedvaj (62 L. Bender), Wendell, Palacios, Wirtz

Matchday 4 (26/11/2020)

Bayer 04 Leverkusen 4-1 Hapoel Beer-Sheva FC

Goals: 1-0 Schick 29, 2-0 Bailey 48, 2-1 Shviro 58, 3-1 Demirbay 76, 4-1 Alario 80

Bayer 04 Leverkusen: Hradecky, Tah, Dragović, Bailey (68 Diaby), Demirbay, Amiri (91 Baumgartlinger), Schick (68 Alario), Jedvaj, Wendell, Wirtz (80 Sinkgraven), Bellarabi (80 Gedikli)

Matchday 5 (03/12/2020)

OGC Nice 2-3 Bayer 04 Leverkusen

Goals: 0-1 Diaby 22, 1-1 Kamara 26, 1-2 Dragović 32, 2-2 Ndoye 47, 2-3 Baumgartlinger 51

Bayer 04 Leverkusen: Hradecky, Tah, Dragović, L. Bender (46 Tapsoba), Demirbay (86 Wirtz), Amiri (67 Türkmén), Schick (46 Bailey), Baumgartlinger, Wendell, Diaby (68 Gedikli), Bellarabi

Matchday 6 (10/12/2020)

Bayer 04 Leverkusen 4-0 SK Slavia Praha

Goals: 1-0 Bailey 8, 2-0 Bailey 32, 3-0 Diaby 59, 4-0 Bellarabi 90+1

Bayer 04 Leverkusen: Lomb, Dragović, Bailey (46 Diaby), Amiri (74 Türkmen), Tapsoba, Schick (46 Gedikli), Baumgartlinger (62 L. Bender), Jedvaj, Wendell, Sinkgraven (62 Onur), Bellarabi

Round of 32

Matchday 7 (18/02/2021)

BSC Young Boys-Bayer 04 Leverkusen

Matchday 8 (25/02/2021)

Bayer 04 Leverkusen-BSC Young Boys

Match officials

Referee	Antonio Mateu Lahoz (ESP)
Assistant referees	Pau Cebrián Devís (ESP) , Roberto del Palomar (ESP)
Video Assistant Referee	Jesús Gil Manzano (ESP)
Fourth official	Hugo Miguel (POR)
Assistant Video Assistant Referee	Luis Godinho (POR)
UEFA Delegate	Peter Lundström (FIN)
UEFA Referee observer	Vlado Svilokos (CRO)

Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Europa League matches	UEFA matches
Antonio Mateu Lahoz	12/03/1977	25	86

Antonio Mateu Lahoz

Referee since: 1992

First division: 2008

FIFA badge: 2011

Tournaments: 2018 FIFA World Cup, 2017 FIFA U-20 World Cup, 2016 Olympic Games, 2015 FIFA U-20 World Cup

Finals

N/A

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
01/12/2011	UEL	GS	FC Schalke 04	FCSB	2-1	Gelsenkirchen
14/02/2013	UEL	R32	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	SL Benfica	0-1	Leverkusen
21/08/2014	UEL	PO	FK Sarajevo	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	2-3	Sarajevo
16/04/2015	UEL	QF	VfL Wolfsburg	SSC Napoli	1-4	Wolfsburg
21/02/2019	UEL	R32	Eintracht Frankfurt	FC Shakhtar Donetsk	4-1	Frankfurt am Main
06/08/2020	UEL	R16	FC Basel 1893	Eintracht Frankfurt	1-0	Basel

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
06/09/2011	U21	QR	Belarus	Germany	0-1	Borisov
01/12/2011	UEL	GS	FC Schalke 04	FCSB	2-1	Gelsenkirchen
12/10/2012	U21	PO	Germany	Switzerland	1-1	Leverkusen
04/12/2012	UCL	GS	Montpellier Hérault SC	FC Schalke 04	1-1	Montpellier
14/02/2013	UEL	R32	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	SL Benfica	0-1	Leverkusen

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
06/08/2013	UCL	3QR	Grasshopper Club Zürich	Olympique Lyonnais	0-1	Zurich
05/11/2013	UCL	GS	FC Viktoria Plzeň	FC Bayern München	0-1	Plzen
21/08/2014	UEL	PO	FK Sarajevo	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	2-3	Sarajevo
22/10/2014	UCL	GS	Galatasaray AŞ	Borussia Dortmund	0-4	Istanbul
24/02/2015	UCL	R16	Juventus	Borussia Dortmund	2-1	Turin
16/04/2015	UEL	QF	VfL Wolfsburg	SSC Napoli	1-4	Wolfsburg
06/09/2016	WC	QR	Switzerland	Portugal	2-0	Basel
27/09/2017	UCL	GS	Paris Saint-Germain	FC Bayern München	3-0	Paris
19/09/2018	UCL	GS	SL Benfica	FC Bayern München	0-2	Lisbon
12/10/2018	UNL	GS-FT	Belgium	Switzerland	2-1	Brussels
13/02/2019	UCL	R16	Tottenham Hotspur	Borussia Dortmund	3-0	London
21/02/2019	UEL	R32	Eintracht Frankfurt	FC Shakhtar Donetsk	4-1	Frankfurt am Main
02/10/2019	UCL	GS	RB Leipzig	Olympique Lyonnais	0-2	Leipzig
18/02/2020	UCL	R16	Borussia Dortmund	Paris Saint-Germain	2-1	Dortmund
06/08/2020	UEL	R16	FC Basel 1893	Eintracht Frankfurt	1-0	Basel
19/08/2020	UCL	SF	Olympique Lyonnais	FC Bayern München	0-3	Lisbon
02/12/2020	UCL	GS	Borussia Dortmund	SS Lazio	1-1	Dortmund
08/12/2020	UCL	GS	RB Leipzig	Manchester United FC	3-2	Leipzig

Legend

Competitions

Club competitions

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

National team competitions

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

Competition stages

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

QUAL: All UEFA qualifiers

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

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

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

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