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Group D - Matchday 1



FC Bayern München

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Previous meetings

Head to Head

No UEFA competition matches have been played between these two teams

SL Benfica - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

SL Benfica have not played against a club from their opponents' country

FC Bayern München - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

FC Bayern München have not played against a club from their opponents' country

Match background

Benfica, the first Portuguese side to reach the last 16 of this competition in any format, begin their Group D quest against last season's semi-finalists.

The Lisbon outfit, who scooped their maiden Campeonato Nacional Feminino title last term, despatched Israeli title holders Qiryat-Gat and Luxembourg champions Racing FC 4-0 and 7-0 respectively in Round 1 of qualifying, before getting the better of last season's Eredivisie winners FC Twente 5-1 on aggregate (1-1 a, 4-0 h).

Benfica's run in the competition last season – their first-ever campaign in the tournament – was ended in the round of 32 by eventual finalists Chelsea, with the Londoners easing through by an 8-0 scoreline over two legs (0-5 h, 0-3 a).

The Blues were also the conquerors of Bayern at the semi-final stage of the UEFA Women's Champions League last season, as Emma Hayes' charges overturned a 2-1 first-leg success for the German club to win 5-3 across both matches.

Jens Scheuer guided the Munich side to a fourth Frauen-Bundesliga crown in 2020/21, halting Wolfsburg's four-year reign on the German top-flight title.

Ones to watch - Benfica

Cloé Lacasse

The 28-year-old's impressive hat-trick against Dutch champions Twente ensured the Eagles would be the first Portuguese representatives to make the last 16 of this competition for the first time in any guise.

The Canadian-born striker is in her third campaign with the club, having previously plied her trade in Iceland with ÍBV, with whom she won the 2017 Icelandic Cup, netting the opener in the 3-2 extra-time showpiece victory against Stjarnan.

The forward's 16 strikes last term were integral to Benfica's maiden Campeonato Nacional Feminino trophy, a tally that included a four-goal haul in the 7-0 besting of Torreense on 17 January.

In 2019 she was granted Icelandic citizenship after spending four years plying her footballing trade in the country.

Francisca Nazareth

The 18-year-old found the net on three occasions in this season's qualifying campaign, including twice in the 7-0 Round 1 final success against Racing on 21 August.

The forward scored 11 goals in the second phase of last season's Campeonato Nacional Feminino, including a quick-fire treble after coming off the bench in the 7-0 victory over Condeixa on 16 May.

The Lisbon-born striker, known as "Kika", made her debut at the age of 16, signed her first professional contract with the club in October 2020.

The Portuguese international, who played under current Benfica coach Filipa Patão in the club's youth set-up, was first capped by her country early in 2020.

Silvia Rebelo

The defender was appointed the club's first-ever captain after signing from Braga in the summer of 2018.

The 32-year-old led the side to promotion in their historic 2018/19 campaign, also scooping the Taça de Portugal in the process that term. Taça da Liga success followed a year later, along with the maiden top-flight title as part of a domestic double with the league cup last season.

The skipper began her burgeoning career with Fundação Laura Santos, combining her football with working in the laundry for the Moimenta da Serra-based outfit.

The Portuguese international, who made her bow for the senior side back in 2008 and represented the Selecção at UEFA Women's Euro 2017, won her 100th cap for her country in October of last year.

Ones to watch - Bayern

Saki Kumagai

The 30-year-old joined the Bavarian outfit in May, following eight campaigns with serial winners Lyon where she clinched the league title in her first seven seasons with the club.

The midfielder, who can also slot into defence, is a five-time winner of the UEFA Women's Champions League as part of the Lyon side who dominated this competition from 2016 until 2020, converting her spot-kicks in the penalty drama of the 2016 & 2017 finals.

The Japanese international, who captains her country, also netted the decisive kick in the shoot-out success against the United States in the 2011 World Cup showpiece, having played every minute for her nation in the tournament that year.

She began her playing days with Saitama-based outfit Urawa Reds in her homeland, before starting her European career with German side FFC Frankfurt in 2011, and was part of their team that finished as runners-up to future employers Lyon in the 2012 UEFA Women's Champions League.

Sydney Lohmann

The 21-year-old notched an impressive ten Frauen-Bundesliga goals as Bayern broke Wolfsburg's dominance of the German top-flight in 2020/21, with only Lea Schüller (16) registering more for the club.

The midfielder was Bayern's top scorer in this competition last term, netting four in her six appearances.

She came through the ranks at Bayern, joining their youth system from SC Fürstfeldbruck, and made her senior debut for the Bavarians in March 2017.

The German international, capped 50 times at all levels by her country, was part of the squad that won successive UEFA Women's Under-17 Championships, overcoming Spain in both 2016 and 2017.

Lea Schüller

The 23-year-old moved to Bayern ahead of their Frauen-Bundesliga success of 2020/21 following seven years with first club SGS Essen.

The forward was the Bavarians' leading scorer in the top-flight last term, notching 16 strikes, including a treble in the 7-0 defeat of Werder Bremen in February.

The striker made her league bow for Essen way back in December 2013, just weeks after her 16th birthday.

The Germany international has netted nineteen times at senior level for her country, including one at the 2019 FIFA Women's World Cup en route to their quarter-final exit at the hands of Sweden.

Key stats

Benfica have lost only two of their previous eight UEFA Women's Champions League matches (W5 D1 L2)

Benfica have won three and drawn one of their previous four UEFA Women's Champions League matches this season F16 A1

Benfica have scored four or more goals in three of their previous four UEFA Women's Champions League matches this season

Bayern have won nine of their last 11 UEFA Women's Champions League matches (W9 L2)

Bayern have not drawn any of their last 16 UEFA Women's Champions League matches. Their last draw in the competition was a 1-1 draw vs Slavia Praha in March 2019

Bayern have not failed to score in their last 11 UEFA Women's Champions League matches

Squad list

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No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season				All-time			
						UWCLQ	UWCL	UWCL	UEFA	UWCL	UEFA	UWCL	UEFA
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers													
12	Leticia	BRA	13/08/1994	27	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	4	-
39	Carolina Vilão	POR	18/12/2000	20	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	-
71	Adriana Rocha	POR	25/09/2003	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders													
3	Ana Rita Seça	POR	25/03/2001	20	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	5	-
4	Sílvia Rebelo	POR	20/05/1989	32	-	3	-	-	-	2	-	7	-
5	Matilde Fidalgo	POR	15/05/1994	27	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	4	-
13	Lucia Alves	POR	22/10/1997	23	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	4	-
14	Carolina Correia	POR	03/04/2002	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Carole Costa	POR	03/05/1990	31	-	4	-	-	-	2	-	14	-
19	Catarina Amado	POR	21/07/1999	22	-	4	1	-	-	2	-	8	2
Midfielders													
6	Andreia Faria	POR	19/04/2000	21	-	4	-	-	-	1	-	7	-
10	Ana Vitória	BRA	06/03/2000	21	-	4	2	-	-	2	-	8	3
11	Maria Negrão	POR	23/12/2003	17	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
16	Christy Ucheibe	NGA	25/12/2000	20	-	4	-	-	-	1	-	7	-
17	Daniela Santos	POR	08/03/2001	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	Pauleta	ESP	11/08/1997	24	-	4	-	-	-	2	-	8	-
28	Madalina Tatar	ROU	19/12/2002	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	Beatriz Cameirão	POR	19/05/2001	20	-	4	2	-	-	2	-	8	2
Forwards													
7	Valéria Silva	BRA	10/09/1998	23	-	4	3	-	-	-	-	4	3
8	Marta Cintra	BRA	27/04/2000	21	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
9	Nycole Raysla	BRA	26/03/2000	21	-	4	2	-	-	2	-	8	4
18	Francisca Nazareth	POR	17/11/2002	18	-	4	3	-	-	2	-	7	3
20	Cloé Lacasse	ISL	07/07/1993	28	-	4	3	-	-	2	-	8	4
33	Lara Pintassilgo	POR	12/12/2002	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coach													
-	André Vale	POR	03/08/1987	34	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	4	-

FC Bayern München

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season				All-time			
						UWCLQ	UWCL	UWCL	UEFA	UWCL	UEFA	UWCL	UEFA
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers													
1	Laura Benkarth	GER	14/10/1992	28	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	13	-
22	Maria-Luisa Grohs	GER	13/06/2001	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Janina Leitzig	GER	16/04/1999	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders													
4	Kristin Demann	GER	07/04/1993	28	-	-	-	-	-	17	3	17	3
5	Hanna Glas	SWE	16/04/1993	28	-	-	-	-	-	14	2	14	2
8	Maximiliane Rall	GER	18/11/1993	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Glódís Viggósdóttir	ISL	27/06/1995	26	-	-	-	-	-	22	2	22	2
19	Carina Wenninger	AUT	06/02/1991	30	-	-	-	-	-	28	2	29	2
27	Marina Hegering	GER	17/04/1990	31	-	-	-	-	-	19	2	22	2
30	Carolin Simon	GER	24/11/1992	28	-	-	-	-	-	12	1	12	1
35	Julia Landenberger	GER	22/12/2003	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midfielders													
3	Saki Kumagai	JPN	17/10/1990	30	-	-	-	-	-	62	8	62	8
7	Giulia Gwinn	GER	02/07/1999	22	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-
10	Linda Dallmann	GER	02/09/1994	27	-	-	-	-	-	12	3	12	3
12	Sydney Lohmann	GER	19/06/2000	21	-	-	-	-	-	12	4	12	4
16	Lina Magull	GER	15/08/1994	27	-	-	-	-	-	37	11	37	11
17	Klara Bühl	GER	07/12/2000	20	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	5	1
18	Viviane Asseyi	FRA	20/11/1993	27	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	7	-
23	Karólína Lea Vilhjálmisdóttir	ISL	08/08/2001	20	-	-	-	-	-	7	2	10	3
25	Sarah Zadrazil	AUT	19/02/1993	28	-	-	-	-	-	9	1	9	1
80	Sofia Jakobsson	SWE	23/04/1990	31	-	-	-	-	-	26	12	29	12
Forwards													
6	Lineth Beerensteyn	NED	11/10/1996	24	-	-	-	-	-	28	6	31	10
9	Jovana Damnjanović	SRB	24/11/1994	26	-	-	-	-	-	14	4	14	4
11	Lea Schüller	GER	12/11/1997	23	-	-	-	-	-	8	3	8	3
15	Ivana Rudelic	GER	25/01/1992	29	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-
Coach													
-	Jens Scheuer	GER	12/10/1978	42	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	13	-

Match officials

Referee	Marta Huerta De Aza (ESP)
Assistant referees	Guadalupe Porras Ayuso (ESP) , Eliana Fernández González (ESP)
Fourth official	Marta Frias Acedo (ESP)
UEFA Delegate	Charles Schaack (LUX)
UEFA Referee observer	Ingrid Jonsson (SWE)

Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Women's Champions League matches	UEFA matches
Marta Huerta De Aza	31/03/1990	10	30

UEFA Women's Champions League matches involving teams from the two countries playing this match

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
16/10/2019	UWCL	R16	VfL Wolfsburg	FC Twente '65	6-0	Wolfsburg

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
21/03/2016	WU17	ELITE	Germany	Russia	3-0	Lindabrunn
19/09/2017	FWWC	QR	Czech Republic	Germany	0-1	Ústí nad Labem
28/11/2017	FWWC	QR	Portugal	Italy	0-1	Estoril
16/10/2019	UWCL	R16	VfL Wolfsburg	FC Twente '65	6-0	Wolfsburg

Fixtures and results

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Date	Competition	Opponent	Result		Goalscorers
18/08/2021	UWCL	FC Qiryat Gat (H)	W	4-0	Ana Vitória 52 (P), 55, Silva 69, Francisca Nazareth 85
21/08/2021	UWCL	Racing FC Union Lëtzebuerg (H)	W	7-0	Catarina Amado 1, Silva 21, 90+4, Francisca Nazareth 40 (P), 42, Nycole Raysla 90 (P), Cameirão 90+3
31/08/2021	UWCL	FC Twente '65 (A)	D	1-1	Cameirão 18
05/09/2021	League	Clube Atlético Ouriense (H)	W	3-2	
09/09/2021	UWCL	FC Twente '65 (H)	W	4-0	Lacasse 43, 50, 72, Nycole Raysla 47
26/09/2021	League	Sporting Clube de Portugal (A)	L	1-5	
02/10/2021	League	Amora (H)	W	5-0	
05/10/2021	UWCL	FC Bayern München (H)			
10/10/2021	League	Marítimo Women (A)			
14/10/2021	UWCL	Olympique Lyonnais (A)			
31/10/2021	League	Atlético CP (A)			
07/11/2021	League	Sport Clube União Torreense (H)			
10/11/2021	UWCL	BK Häcken FF (H)			
14/11/2021	League	Estoril Praia (A)			
17/11/2021	UWCL	BK Häcken FF (A)			
09/12/2021	UWCL	Olympique Lyonnais (H)			
15/12/2021	UWCL	FC Bayern München (A)			

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	SC Braga	3	3	0	0	13	0	9
2	Vilaverdense FC	3	3	0	0	10	3	9
3	FC Famalicão	3	2	0	1	7	2	6
4	Valadares Gaia FC	3	1	1	1	7	4	4
5	Clube de Albergaria	3	1	0	2	2	6	3
6	Clube Condeixa	3	0	1	2	1	4	1
7	Gil Vicente FC	3	0	1	2	1	15	1
8	Varzim SC	3	0	1	2	0	7	1

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Sporting Clube de Portugal	3	2	1	0	8	2	7
2	Sport Clube União Torreense	3	2	1	0	8	3	7
3	SL Benfica	3	2	0	1	9	7	6
4	Marítimo Women	3	1	1	1	4	3	4
5	Amora	3	1	1	1	6	7	4
6	Estoril Praia	3	0	2	1	1	3	2
7	Clube Atlético Ouriense	3	0	1	2	4	8	1
8	Atlético CP	3	0	1	2	2	9	1

FC Bayern München

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
29/08/2021	League	SV Werder Bremen (H)	W 8-0	
04/09/2021	League	SC Sand (A)	W 3-0	
11/09/2021	League	SC Freiburg (H)	W 4-0	
01/10/2021	League	1. FC Köln (A)	W 6-0	
05/10/2021	UWCL	SL Benfica (A)		
09/10/2021	League	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (H)		
14/10/2021	UWCL	BK Häcken FF (H)		
17/10/2021	League	Eintracht Frankfurt Fußball AG (A)		
06/11/2021	League	SGS Essen (A)		
10/11/2021	UWCL	Olympique Lyonnais (A)		
13/11/2021	League	VfL Wolfsburg (H)		
17/11/2021	UWCL	Olympique Lyonnais (H)		
21/11/2021	League	FC Carl Zeiss Jena (H)		
03/12/2021	League	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (H)		
09/12/2021	UWCL	BK Häcken FF (A)		
10/12/2021	League	1. FFC Turbine Potsdam (A)		
15/12/2021	UWCL	SL Benfica (H)		
17/12/2021	League	SV Werder Bremen (A)		
04/02/2022	League	SC Sand (H)		
11/02/2022	League	SC Freiburg (A)		
04/03/2022	League	1. FC Köln (H)		
11/03/2022	League	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim (A)		
18/03/2022	League	Eintracht Frankfurt Fußball AG (H)		
25/03/2022	League	SGS Essen (H)		
01/04/2022	League	VfL Wolfsburg (A)		
24/04/2022	League	FC Carl Zeiss Jena (A)		
06/05/2022	League	Bayer 04 Leverkusen (A)		
15/05/2022	League	1. FFC Turbine Potsdam (H)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	FC Bayern München	4	4	0	0	21	0	12
2	VfL Wolfsburg	4	3	1	0	11	2	10
3	TSG 1899 Hoffenheim	4	3	1	0	6	3	10
4	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	4	3	0	1	9	2	9
5	Eintracht Frankfurt Fußball AG	4	3	0	1	8	3	9
6	1. FFC Turbine Potsdam	4	2	0	2	8	7	6
7	SGS Essen	4	1	2	1	5	5	5
8	FC Carl Zeiss Jena	4	0	2	2	1	9	2
9	SC Freiburg	4	0	1	3	3	9	1
10	SC Sand	4	0	1	3	1	9	1
11	1. FC Köln	4	0	1	3	2	13	1
12	SV Werder Bremen	4	0	1	3	1	14	1

Match-by-match lineups

SL Benfica

UEFA Women's Champions League - First qualifying round

(18/08/2021)

SL Benfica 4-0 FC Qiryat Gat

Goals: 1-0 Ana Vitória 52 (P) , 2-0 Ana Vitória 55, 3-0 Silva 69, 4-0 Francisca Nazareth 85

SL Benfica: Letícia, Seïça, Fidalgo (46 Catarina Amado), Andreia Faria (71 Maria Negrão), Nycole Raysla (46 Silva), Ana Vitória, Alves, Carole Costa, Lacasse, Pauleta (60 Ucheibe), Cameirão (46 Francisca Nazareth)

(21/08/2021)

SL Benfica 7-0 Racing FC Union Lëtzebuerg

Goals: 1-0 Catarina Amado 1, 2-0 Silva 21, 3-0 Francisca Nazareth 40 (P) , 4-0 Francisca Nazareth 42, 5-0 Nycole Raysla 90 (P) , 6-0 Cameirão 90+3, 7-0 Silva 90+4

SL Benfica: Letícia, Sílvia Rebelo, Andreia Faria (65 Cameirão), Silva, Ana Vitória (46 Nycole Raysla), Alves (46 Cintra), Carole Costa, Francisca Nazareth (61 Ucheibe), Catarina Amado, Lacasse, Pauleta (61 Maria Negrão)

Second qualifying round

(31/08/2021)

FC Twente '65 1-1 SL Benfica

Goals: 0-1 Cameirão 18, 1-1 Kalma 41

SL Benfica: Letícia, Sílvia Rebelo, Andreia Faria (60 Francisca Nazareth), Cintra (50 Lacasse), Nycole Raysla (60 Silva), Ana Vitória, Alves, Carole Costa, Catarina Amado, Pauleta (78 Ucheibe), Cameirão

(09/09/2021)

SL Benfica 4-0 FC Twente '65 (agg: 5-1)

Goals: 1-0 Lacasse 43, 2-0 Nycole Raysla 47, 3-0 Lacasse 50, 4-0 Lacasse 72

SL Benfica: Letícia, Sílvia Rebelo, Andreia Faria (75 Francisca Nazareth), Nycole Raysla (63 Silva), Ana Vitória (83 Maria Negrão), Alves, Carole Costa, Catarina Amado, Lacasse (83 Cintra), Pauleta, Cameirão (75 Ucheibe)

Group stage – final tournament

Group D

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
BK Häcken FF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FC Bayern München	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Olympique Lyonnais	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SL Benfica	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Matchday 1 (05/10/2021)

SL Benfica-FC Bayern München

Matchday 2 (14/10/2021)

Olympique Lyonnais-SL Benfica

Matchday 3 (10/11/2021)

SL Benfica-BK Häcken FF

Matchday 4 (17/11/2021)

BK Häcken FF-SL Benfica

Matchday 5 (09/12/2021)

SL Benfica-Olympique Lyonnais

Matchday 6 (15/12/2021)

FC Bayern München-SL Benfica

FC Bayern München

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Matchday 1 (05/10/2021)

SL Benfica-FC Bayern München

Matchday 2 (14/10/2021)

FC Bayern München-BK Häcken FF

Matchday 3 (10/11/2021)

Olympique Lyonnais-FC Bayern München

Matchday 4 (17/11/2021)

FC Bayern München-Olympique Lyonnais

Matchday 5 (09/12/2021)

BK Häcken FF-FC Bayern München

Matchday 6 (15/12/2021)

FC Bayern München-SL Benfica

Legend

:: Squad list

No: number

DoB: date of birth

Qual: qualifying

FT: final tournament

Pld: played

Gls: goals

UWCLQ: UEFA Women's Champions League qualifiers

UWCL: UEFA Women's Champions League

All-time UEFA: All games played in the UEFA Women's Champions League plus the qualifiers

:: Match officials

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

:: Group statistics/Tournament schedule

Pos: position

Pld: played

W: won

D: drawn

L: lost

GF: goals for

GA: goals against

Pts: points

:: NOTE: All-time statistics

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

Competitions

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