MEDIA GUIDE

MACHINESEEKER EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE 2023/24 QUARTER-FINALS

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FOUR TANTALISING PAIRINGS IN LAST STEP ON GOLDEN ROAD TO COLOGNE

The Machineseeker EHF Champions League 2023/24 threw off seven months ago with 16 teams on the starting grid. After 14 intense rounds of the group phase followed by the captivating play-offs, only eight clubs can still dream of lifting the coveted trophy this season.

Which teams *dare to rise* to the occasion in crunch time?

The last step on the Golden Road to Cologne are the quarter-finals, with the opening leg to be played on 24/25 April and the all-decisive return leg on 1/2 May. The eight matches will determine the quartet that advances to the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2024 at LANXESS arena on 8/9 June.

The stunning quality of the quarter-final lineup guarantees handball fans worldwide of two midweeks full of excitement and drama. Five (former) titleholders are still in the mix, while the three other teams have played the EHF Champions League final at least once in the past. It is really game on!

Two teams that are yet to win their first title meet when Telekom Veszprém HC take on Aalborg Håndbold in a hard-to-predict Hungarian-Danish clash.

Record champions Barça hope to get back onto the throne after two years, but the Spanish side will need to get past Paris Saint-Germain Handball, who aim to finally realise their trophy ambitions.

A second French side is still in the running, as two-time champions Montpellier HB face four-time titleholders THW Kiel for a ticket to Cologne.

Germany also has a second team still in the race, as defending champions SC Magdeburg are set to meet Industria Kielce again, a rematch of last season's final. This duel will be the highlighted Match of the Week in the first leg.

The race to the most coveted trophy in men's club handball has now reached its business end. Enjoy the quarter-finals!

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Join the conversation and engage with fellow fans on social media. The EHF Champions League accounts provide a steady stream of sharable and engaging content: on **Facebook**, **X** (Twitter), **YouTube**, and **Instagram**, and now also on **Twitch** and **TikTok**.

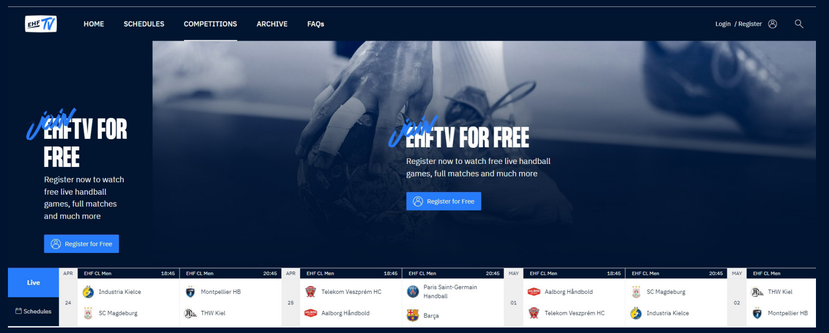
LISTEN TO THE STARS

Hosted by Víctor Tomás, Martin Vilstrup, and Bengt Kunkel, EHF's weekly podcast 'The Spin – We talk handball' takes an in-depth look at the EHF Champions League each Monday with a range of special guests. All episodes are available on the **YouTube Home of Handball channel**.



EHFTV

The OTT portal of the EHF and EHF Marketing, **EHFTV** enables handball fans around the world to watch EHF games for free – live and on demand – and to enjoy additional content created for the EHF competitions. Since its redesign in 2020, EHFTV has been fully adaptable to all devices, so all fans can access the best action – whether at home or on the go.



LIVE BROADCASTERS

Broadcasters will show the Machineseeker EHF Champions League 2023/24 quarter-finals in over 30 countries; fans in countries not covered will have access to EHFTV.

AUT – DAZN
BIH – Arena Sport
CRO – Arena Sport
CAN – DAZN (EHF FINAL4)
CZE – AMC
DEN – Handball Kanalen
ESP – TV3
ESP – DAZN
FIN – Handball Kanalen
FRA – Eurosport
GEO – Silknet
GER – DAZN
GER – DYN
HUN – AMC
ISR – SportTV
ISL – Handball Kanalen
ITA – tbd
JPN – DAZN (EHF FINAL4)
KOS – Arena Sport
MKD – Arena Sport
NED – Ziggo (EHF FINAL4)
NOR – Handball Kanalen
POL – Eurosport
POR – Sport TV
POR – Porto Canal
ROU – Orange Sport
ROU – Prima Sport
ROU – Digi Sport **SRB** – Arena Sport
SLO – Arena Sport
SUI – DAZN
SVK – AMC
SWE – Handball Kanalen
TUR – TRT (EHF FINAL4)
UK – Viaplay
USA – Handball Kanalen
Worldwide – EHFTV*

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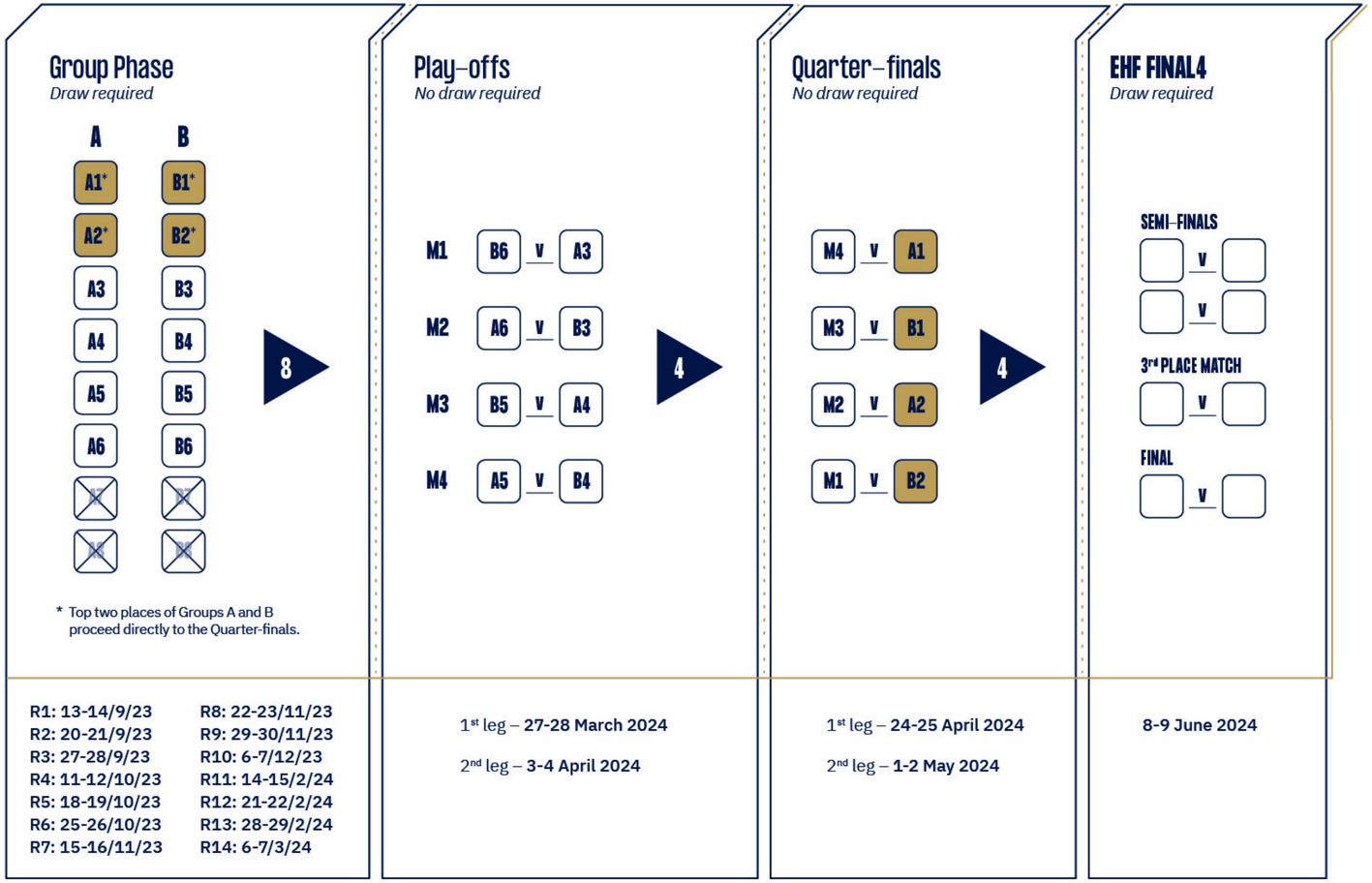
SEASON 2023/24



MACHINESEEKER EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE

2023/24 SEASON

Playing system and dates




GOLDEN ROAD TO
COLOGNE
PLAY–OFFS
QUARTER–FINALS
QUARTER–FINALS
PLAY–OFFS
A5
B4
A1
A2
A6
B3
B5
A4
B1
B2
B6
A3
TRUCKSCOUT24
EHF FINAL4
8/9 JUNE, COLOGNE
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LEAGUE

All eight quarter-finalists this season have played in an EHF Champions League final in the past; five of them have actually lifted the trophy, most of them on multiple occasions. The eight teams represent six different countries, as Germany and France are both left with two contenders in the mix.

Read many more numbers and stats as the Machineseeker EHF Champions League continues with the quarter-finals.

ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW BEFORE THE QUARTER–FINALS

0 quarter-final pairings feature two teams from the same country.

1

sustainable trophy, designed in 2020 and showing the moment a ball hits the net, is the prize the eight teams left in the 2023/24 competition are playing for.

1 play-off match was attended by more than 10,000 fans: 15,600 spectators came to watch HC Zagreb against Montpellier HB – a record attendance so far for the 2023/24 season.

1 of the eight play-off matches ended in a draw: Zagreb vs Montpellier 27:27; the following week, the French side won the return leg 30:24.

1 team only managed to defend their trophy since the implementation of the EHF FINAL4 format in 2010, when Barça beat Aalborg Håndbold to the 2021 title and Industria Kielce the following year.

1 winner at the EHF FINAL4 in Cologne has lifted the trophy both as player and coach: Filip Jicha, in 2010 and 2012 as player and in 2020 as coach – and each time with THW Kiel.

2 players can win their fifth EHF Champions League title: Aitor Ariño and Gonzalo Pérez de Vargas (both Barça); Nikola Karabatic (Paris Saint-Germain HB) and Ludovic Fabregas (Telekom Veszprém HC) are three-time winners with their former clubs.

4 (all) EHF FINAL4 2023 participants are still in the race this season: SC Magdeburg, Kielce, Barça, and PSG.

4

of the eight coaches still in competition have won the EHF Champions League as players: Talant Dujshebaev, Momir Ilic, Filip Jicha, and Bennet Wiegert.

5 (former) EHF Champions League winners, with 19 trophies in total, are part of the quarter-finals: Barça (10), Kiel (four), Magdeburg, Montpellier (two each), and Kielce (one).

5 goals was the smallest aggregate winning margin in the four play-offs ties: PSG beat Orlen Wisla Plock 64:59.

5 times only since the implementation in 2010 have the titleholders qualified for the EHF FINAL4 the next year: Barça in 2012, 2022, and 2023; Kiel in 2013; and Vardar in 2018.

6

countries are represented in the quarter-finals: France, Germany (with two teams each), Denmark, Hungary, Poland, and Spain (with one team each).

6 coaches of the eight teams still in competition have won the EHF Champions League as coaches: Carlos Ortega (coach of Barça/won with Barça), Talant Dujshebaev (Kielce/Ciudad Real and Kielce), Filip Jicha (Kiel/Kiel), Patrice Canayer (Montpellier/Montpellier), Bennet Wiegert (Magdeburg/Magdeburg), and Raul Gonzalez (PSG/Vardar).

6 of the eight quarter-finalists also reached this stage of the competition last season.

8

goals was the biggest winning margin in a play-off match, when Kielce beat GOG 33:25; Veszprém defeated OTP Bank - Pick Szeged by seven goals twice.

8 (all) quarter-finalists have played at the EHF FINAL4 in Cologne at least once in the past.

9 matches so far this season ended in a draw: eight in the group phase, one in the play-offs.

10 times have record champions Barça won the EHF Champions League: in 1995-2000, 2011, 2015, 2021, and 2022.

11 matches this season, including Veszprém vs Szeged in the play-offs, featured 70 or more goals.

12

matches long is the unbeaten streak of Magdeburg, who started the group phase with two defeats but have won all their matches since.

14 goals was the biggest aggregate winning margin in the play-offs, when Veszprém beat Szeged 76:62; 13 goals was the margin between Kielce and GOG, 66:53.

15

goals were scored in the play-offs by PSG line player Kamil Syprzak, who leads the top scorer standings going into the quarter-finals.

39 of the 120 matches so far this season have been attended by 5,000 or more fans; four of those matches took place in the play-offs.

57 of the 120 matches before the quarter-finals featured 60 or more goals.

67 matches were won by the home team; 44 times, the visitors took both points.

72 was the highest number of goals in a play-off match, when Veszprém beat Szeged 39:32; 78 is the highest number for the season and also involves Veszprém, who beat FC Porto 44:34.

100 goals scored by Kamil Syprzak make the PSG line player the top scorer of the competition before the quarter-finals; the next player who is still in competition is Barça's Dika Mem with 82.

488 goals were scored in the eight play-off matches, an average of 61 per game.

7,098 goals have been scored since the start of the group phase, including 6,610 in the 112 group matches – an average of 59.15 goals per match.

15,200 spectators at Zagreb vs Montpellier in the first leg of the play-offs made for the highest attendance figure at a match so far this season; this mark will be passed at the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 at LANXESS arena in Cologne in June.

TEAMS BY AGE AVERAGE

Telekom Veszprém HC	**28.9**	(07/05/1995)
THW Kiel	**28.4**	(14/12/1995)
SC Magdeburg	**27.9**	(09/05/1996)
Aalborg Håndbold	**27.2**	(06/01/1997)
CL average	**27.0**	
Paris Saint-Germain HB	**26.8**	(27/06/1997)
Industria Kielce	**26.4**	(04/12/1997)
Barça	**26.0**	(11/04/1998)
Montpellier HB	**24.8**	(01/06/1999)

TEAMS BY HEIGHT AVERAGE

Industria Kielce	**195.6**
THW Kiel	**194.7**
Telekom Veszprém HC	**194.2**
Aalborg Håndbold	**193.3**
CL average	**192.6**
Paris Saint-Germain HB	**192.3**
Barça	**190.8**
Montpellier HB	**190.6**
SC Magdeburg	**189.9**

SHORTEST



173 cm

Luc Steins

Paris Saint-Germain Handball

Luc Steins	NED	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**173**
Jaime Fernandez	ESP	Montpellier HB	**176**
Sebastian Karlsson	SWE	Montpellier HB	**178**
Pol Valera	ESP	Barça	**179**
Stas Skube	SLO	Montpellier HB	**179**
Louis Perreux	FRA	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**179**
Daniel Pettersson	SWE	SC Magdeburg	**179**
Oriol Zarzuela	ESP	Barça	**180**
Gasper Marguc	SLO	Telekom Veszprém HC	**180**
Patrick Wiesmach	DEN	Aalborg Håndbold	**181**
Frederik Munch	DEN	Aalborg Håndbold	**182**
Adrien Dubois	FRA	Montpellier HB	**182**
Remi Desbonnet	FRA	Montpellier HB	**182**
Lukas Mertens	GER	SC Magdeburg	**182**
Arkadiusz Moryto	POL	Industria Kielce	**182**
Aleix Gómez	ESP	Barça	**183**
Lucas Pellas	SWE	Montpellier HB	**183**
Théo Ducap	FRA	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**183**
Fritz-Leon Haake	GER	SC Magdeburg	**183**
five more players			**183**

TALLEST



212 cm

Tomasz Gebala

Industria Kielce

Tomasz Gebala	POL	Industria Kielce	**212**
Kamil Syprzak	POL	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**207**
Mike Jensen	DEN	Telekom Veszprém HC	**207**
Patrik Ligetvári	HUN	Telekom Veszprém HC	**205**
Hassan Kaddah	EGY	Industria Kielce	**205**
Veron Nacinovic	CRO	Montpellier HB	**204**
Ruben Marchan	ESP	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**204**
Leo Villain	FRA	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**204**
Simon Hald	DEN	Aalborg Håndbold	**203**
Piotr Chrapkowski	POL	SC Magdeburg	**203**
Hendrik Pekeler	GER	THW Kiel	**203**
Luka Karabatic	FRA	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**202**
Luca Schwormstede	GER	THW Kiel	**202**
Niklas Landin	DEN	Aalborg Håndbold	**201**
Dominik Mathe	HUN	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**201**
Tomas Mrkva	CZE	THW Kiel	**201**
Jesper Nielsen	SWE	Aalborg Håndbold	**200**
Javier Rodríguez	ESP	Barça	**200**
Mathis Mougin	FRA	Montpellier HB	**200**
12 more players			**200**

YOUNGEST



18/10/2006

Ben Janos Szilágyi

THW Kiel

Ben Janos Szilágyi	AUT	THW Kiel	**18/10/2006**
Théo Ducap	FRA	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**03/04/2006**
Djordje Cikusa i Jelicic	ESP	Barça	**08/12/2005**
Petar Cikusa i Jelicic	ESP	Barça	**08/12/2005**
Hjalte Møller	DEN	Aalborg Håndbold	**20/11/2005**
Daniel Jensen	DEN	Aalborg Håndbold	**10/11/2005**
Amara Karamoko	FRA	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**05/07/2005**
Jens Rasmussen	DEN	Aalborg Håndbold	**24/06/2005**
Tidiane Firmesse	FRA	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**18/05/2005**
Mathis Becker Fischer	FRA	Montpellier HB	**08/03/2005**
Thibault Dambacher	FRA	Montpellier HB	**04/03/2005**
Filip Saric	BIH	Barça	**08/10/2004**
Niels Martin	FRA	Montpellier HB	**20/09/2004**
Jarnes Faust	GER	THW Kiel	**26/08/2004**
Marcus Kløve	DEN	Aalborg Håndbold	**24/08/2004**
Roland Terjek	HUN	Montpellier HB	**14/08/2004**
Fritz-Leon Haake	GER	SC Magdeburg	**29/07/2004**
Frederik Munch	DEN	Aalborg Håndbold	**04/07/2004**
Matéo Caille	FRA	Montpellier HB	**27/06/2004**
Georg Löwen	GER	SC Magdeburg	**08/06/2004**

OLDEST



11/04/1984

Nikola Karabatic

Paris Saint-Germain Handball

Nikola Karabatic	FRA	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**11/04/1984**
Henrik Møllgaard	DEN	Aalborg Håndbold	**02/01/1985**
Andreas Palicka	SWE	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**10/07/1986**
Steffen Weinhold	GER	THW Kiel	**19/07/1986**
Vincent Gérard	FRA	THW Kiel	**16/12/1986**
Mikkel Hansen	DEN	Aalborg Håndbold	**22/10/1987**
Eduardo Gurbindo	ESP	THW Kiel	**08/11/1987**
Piotr Chrapkowski	POL	SC Magdeburg	**24/03/1988**
Luka Karabatic	FRA	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**19/04/1988**
Domagoj Duvnjak	CRO	THW Kiel	**01/06/1988**
Jannick Green	DEN	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	**29/09/1988**
Igor Karacic	CRO	Industria Kielce	**02/11/1988**
Niklas Landin	DEN	Aalborg Håndbold	**19/12/1988**
Niclas Ekberg	SWE	THW Kiel	**23/12/1988**
Kristian Bjørnsen	NOR	Aalborg Håndbold	**10/01/1989**
Tomas Mrkva	CZE	THW Kiel	**20/01/1989**
Thiagus Petrus	BRA	Barça	**25/01/1989**
Patrick Wiencek	GER	THW Kiel	**22/03/1989**
Jesper Nielsen	SWE	Aalborg Håndbold	**30/09/1989**
Stas Skube	SLO	Montpellier HB	**15/11/1989**

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN TWO TEAMS HAVE THE SAME NUMBER OF POINTS

All matches shall be played in accordance with the IHF's current Rules of the Game. Variations on a technical level are possible. All matches of the play-offs and the quarter-finals shall be played in 2 x 30 minutes with a half-time break of 15 minutes.

The matches shall be scored as follows:
a) win = 2 points
b) draw = 1 point
c) loss = 0 points

Teams' rankings are obtained by adding up the number of points won.

PLAY-OFF AND QUARTER-FINALS

If, after completion of the two matches, both clubs have won the same number of points (no overtime will be played), the teams' standings shall be determined by the following criteria:
a) goal difference
b) penalty throws

RULES FOR EXECUTION OF PENALTY THROWS

> Prior to penalty throwing, each team shall name five players eligible to play at the end of the match by handing the referees a list of numbers. These players shall then take one throw each until a decision (a winner) is reached, alternating with their opponents. Each team is free to determine the sequence in which throwers will take their throws
> The goalkeepers may be freely selected from the match report and exchanged in accordance with the Rules of the game. Goalkeepers may take throws and throwers may play as goalkeepers.
> The referees shall choose the goal at which throws are taken. The team taking the first penalty throw shall be determined by the referees by drawing lots. The team winning the draw may choose whether it wishes to throw first or last.
> If scores are equal after the first round of penalty throwing, it shall be continued until a decision is reached. In the second round, the other team shall start. Again five players shall be named who are eligible to play (the players named before may be named once again).
> In the second round, a decision (a winner) is reached when a goal difference arises after both teams have taken one throw each.
> Eligible players are players entered in the match report who have not been disqualified or suspended at the time of the final whistle.
> Serious infractions committed during penalty throwing shall be sanctioned by disqualification. If a thrower is disqualified or suffers an injury, an eligible substitute player shall be named supplementary.
> While the throws are being taken, only the player taking the throw, the current goalkeeper and the referees may enter the respective half of the playing area.
> If the number of eligible players falls below five, players may be named to take a second throw in the same round.

PAIRINGS



INDUSTRIA KIELCE VS SC MAGDEBURG

FIRST LEG: WEDNESDAY 24 APRIL 2024, 18:45 CEST, KIELCE (POL)
SECOND LEG: WEDNESDAY 1 MAY 2024, 20:45 CEST, MAGDEBURG (GER)

- qualified for the quarter-finals by beating GOG in the play-offs by 13 goals (66:53) on aggregate
- in the group phase, they finished fourth in group A, with 16 points (six wins, four draws and four losses)
- played the last two EHF Champions League finals, but lost to Barça and SC Magdeburg, respectively
- did win the EHF Champions League trophy when they played their first final in 2016, beating Veszprém
- coach Talant Dujshebaev is the second most successful coach in EHF Champions League history, with four trophies (2006, 2008, 2009, and 2016)
- their leading scorer in the competition, Alex Dujshebaev, has scored 64 goals so far this season

- qualified directly for the quarter-finals after overtaking leaders Barça in the last round of the group phase to win group B
- during the group phase, they managed to beat Barça at home and Veszprém away to secure the top spot
- last season, they beat Kielce in the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 final 30:29 after overtime; that is the only time the two clubs met in an official match before the 2023/24 quarter-finals
- are playing their sixth season in Europe's top flight; they won the title twice in their previous five appearances
- also won the EHF European League in 2021, as well as the EHF Cup three times
- their best scorer so far has been Ómar Ingi Magnússon, who netted 75 times in the group phase

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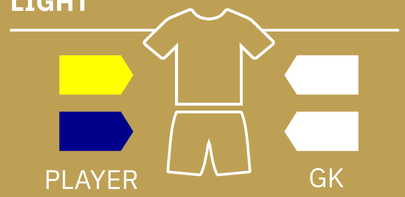


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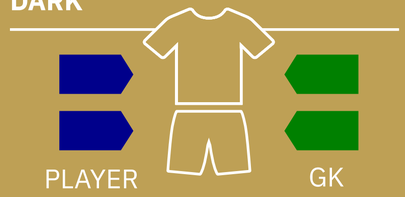
Capacity:
4,200

KIT COLOURS

LIGHT



DARK



ROAD TO THE QUARTER–FINALS

FINAL STANDINGS GROUP A:

	MP PTS	*GD*
1. Kiel	14 - 22	+31
2. Aalborg	14 - 19	+48
3. PSG	14 - 19	+19
4. Kielce	**14 - 17**	**+11**
5. Zagreb	14 - 16	0
6. Szeged	14 - 13	-13
7. Kolstad	14 - 11	-8
8. Pelister	14 - 0	-88

PLAY-OFFS:

@ GOG	W25:33 (10:18)
vs GOG	W33:28 (16:12)



INDUSTRIA KIELCE

MAIN FACTS

- the 2016 champions played their third EHF FINAL4 final in June 2023, but lost 30:29 after overtime against SC Magdeburg
- this defeat was Kielce's second straight loss in an EHF Champions League final, after falling to Barça the year before
- qualified for the 2023/24 edition as Polish champions, winning the domestic title for the 12th time in a row and 20th overall
- celebrated the biggest win of all eight play-off matches when they defeated GOG by eight goals (33:25) in the first leg
- one player from the 'golden' squad from 2016 is still playing for Kielce: right back Pawel Paczkowski

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League
Participations (including 2023/24 season): 21
Winners (1): 2015/16
Runners-up (2): 2021/22, 2022/23
Semi-finals (3): 2012/13, 2014/15, 2018/19
Quarter-finals (1): 2017/18
Play-offs (1): 2020/21
Last 16 (7): 1993/94, 1994/95, 2009/10, 2011/12, 2013/14, 2016/17, 2019/20* (* *Last 16 cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic)*
Group Matches (3): 1999/2000, 2003/04, 2010/11
Last 32 (2): 1996/97, 1998/99
Other
EHF Cup: Quarter-finals 1997/98, 2005/06
Cup Winners' Cup: Quarter-finals 1995/96
Polish league: 20 titles (1993-94, 1996, 1998-99, 2003, 2009-10, 2012-23)
Polish cup: 17 titles (1985, 2000, 2003-04, 2006, 2009-19, 2021)

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
1999/00 KS Iskra-Lider Market POL	6	3	0	3	173:186		-13	6:6	3rd Gr. B
2003/04 KS 'Vive' Kielce POL	6	2	1	3	159:177		-18	5:7	3rd Gr. G
2009/10 KS Vive Targi Kielce POL	12	5	1	6	345:344		+1	11:13	Last 16
2010/11 KS Vive Targi Kielce POL	10	1	2	7	276:300		-24	4:16	6th Gr. A
2011/12 KS Vive Targi Kielce POL	12	6	1	5	345:336		+9	13:11	Last 16
2012/13 KS Vive Targi Kielce POL	16	14	0	2	469:400		+69	28:4	Third Place
2013/14 KS Vive Targi Kielce POL	12	7	1	4	362:331		+31	15:9	Last 16
2014/15 KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	16	14	0	2	483:439		+44	28:4	Third Place
2015/16 KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	20	14	4	2	614:577		+37	32:8	Winners
2016/17 KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	16	9	0	7	469:451		+18	18:14	Last 16
2017/18 PGE Vive Kielce POL	18	8	3	7	555:524		+31	19:17	Quarter-finals
2018/19 PGE Vive Kielce POL	20	9	1	10	631:624		+7	19:21	Fourth Place
2019/20 PGE VIVE Kielce POL	14	8	2	4	421:389		+32	18:10	Last 16*
2020/21 Lomza Vive Kielce POL	16	10	1	5	498:472		+26	21:11	Play-offs
2021/22 Lomza Vive Kielce POL	18	13	0	5	582:537		+45	26:10	Runners-up
2022/23 Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	18	13	1	4	579:537		+42	27:9	Runners-up
2023/24 Industria Kielce POL	16	8	4	4	479:455		+24	20:12	
Total:	**246**	**144**	**22**	**80**	**7,440:7,079**		**+361**	**310:182**	

** Last 16 and quarter-finals cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic*

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

11 **MATCHES**
Longest winning run

18 **MATCHES**
Longest unbeaten run

41 **GOALS**
Most goals

Biggest win	41:17 (21:8) v Rhein-Neckar Löwen GER (h), 24.03.2018
Biggest defeat	30:41 (19:19) v Fotex KC Veszprém HUN (h), 15.11.2003
	37:26 (19:10) v Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA (a), 23.02.2021
Longest winning run	11 matches (25.09.2014 – 15.03.2015)
Longest unbeaten run	18 matches (15.11.2015 – 15.10.2016)
Longest losing run	5 matches (13.02.2010 – 27.03.2010)
	5 matches (19.02.2011 – 09.10.2011)
Longest run without win	6 matches (26.09.2010 – 27.11.2010)
Most goals	41 v Rhein-Neckar Löwen GER 41:17W (h), 24.03.2018
Most goals opponent	42 v Barça Lassa ESP 36:42L (h), 24.11.2018
Most goals both teams	78 v Barça Lassa ESP 36:42L (h), 24.11.2018
Fewest goals	21 v HC Bosna BH Gas BIH 25:21L (a), 27.02.2010
	21 v HC Metalurg MKD 21:20W (h), 24.11.2012
Fewest goals opponent	17 v Rhein-Neckar Löwen GER 41:17W (h), 24.03.2018
Fewest goals both teams	41 v HC Metalurg MKD 21:20W (h), 24.11.2012

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
1	Milosz	Walach	POL	Goalkeeper	23/11/2001	Pruchnik, POL	196
5	Michal	Olejniczak	POL	Left back	31/01/2001	Gorzów, POL	197
6	Szymon	Wiaderny	POL	Left back	20/08/1997	Dabrowa Bialostocka, POL	200
7	Benoit	Kounkoud	FRA	Right wing	19/02/1997	Le Chesnay, FRA	190
9	Szymon	Sicko	POL	Left back	20/08/1997	Dabrowa Bialostocka, POL	200
10	**Alex**	**Dujshebaev C**	**ESP**	**Right back**	**17/12/1992**	**Santander, ESP**	**188**
11	Nicolas	Tournat	FRA	Line player	05/04/1994	Niort, FRA	200
12	Nikodem	Blazejewski	POL	Goalkeeper	27/02/2004	Kielce, POl	200
18	Igor	Karacic	CRO	Centre back	02/11/1988	Mostar, BIH	191
23	Arkadiusz	Moryto	POL	Right wing	31/08/1997	Kraków, POL	182
24	Daniel	Dujshebaev	ESP	Left back	04/07/1997	Santander, ESP	196
25	Haukur	Thrastarson	ISL	Centre back	14/04/2001	Selfoss, ISL	193
27	Cezary	Curgiel	POL	Left wing	18/09/2002	Kielce, POL	189
30	Elliot	Stenmalm	SWE	Left back	04/05/2002	Skogslyckan, SWE	200
32	Sandro	Mestric	CRO	Goalkeeper	31/08/1996	Zagreb, CRO	198
33	Andreas	Wolff	GER	Goalkeeper	03/03/1991	Euskirchen, GER	198
34	Pawel	Paczkowski	POL	Right back	14/06/1993	Swiecie, POL	195
42	Hassan	Kaddah	EGY	Left back	01/05/2000	Cairo, EGY	205
48	Tomasz	Gebala	POL	Left back	23/11/1995	Gdynia, POL	212
50	Artsem	Karalek	BLR	Line player	20/02/1996	Grodno, BLR	197
99	Dylan	Nahi	FRA	Left wing	30/11/1999	Paris, FRA	192



COACH



Talent Dujshebaev

- first person in men’s handball to win the CL as a player (once, in 1994) and as a coach (four times)
- won many trophies during his playing career with three different national teams: CIS, Russia, and Spain
- named IHF World Player of the Year twice, in 1994 and 1996
- enjoying successful coaching career spanning well over a decade, which saw him win the CL four times
- father of Alex and Daniel, who both play in Kielce as backs

CL: 1994 (player), 2006, 2008, 2009, 2016 (coach); EHF Cup: 1993;
CWC: 2002, 2003
OG: G 1992, B 1996, 2000; WCh: G 1993; EURO: S 1996, 1998, B 2000

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

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ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

Szymon Wiaderny	<	(Kielce youth/POL)
Cezary Surgiel	<	(Kielce youth/POL)



GOALKEEPER

Andreas Wolff

@andi_jo_wo

- joined Kielce for his first foreign club in 2019, arriving from THW Kiel
- started his career at Wetzlar before moving to Kiel in 2016
- named German handball player of the year in 2015 and 2016
- excelled during Germany's golden EHF EURO 2016 in Poland with a save rate of over 50% in final against Spain
- was named All-star goalkeeper of the EHF EURO 2016

EHF Cup: 2019
EURO: G 2016; OG: B 2016



LEFT WING

Dylan Nahi

@dylan_nahi99

- joined Kielce in 2021 from PSG, following his breakthrough CL season with 67 goals for the French club and making the CL All-star Team
- third-best scorer for Kielce, with 73 goals, in his first CL season with the Polish side
- made debut for PSG at age 15 in August 2015 and became youngest player ever at EHF FINAL4 – in 2017, at 17 years and 185 days

EURO: G 2024; WCh: S 2023



LEFT BACK

Daniel Dujshebaev

@danidujshe44

- son of head coach Talant Dujshebaev and younger brother of right back Alex
- at 26, he has been playing in the CL for the last eight seasons
- played for the Spanish youth teams before making the step to the senior national team
- won two EHF EURO gold medals with Spain, in 2018 and 2020

EURO: G 2018, 2020; WCh: B 2021, 2023



CENTRE BACK

Igor Karacic

@igorkaracicc18

- joined Kielce in 2019, replacing fellow Croatian Luka Cindric, after winning CL for second time with Vardar
- awarded MVP of EHF FINAL4 2019 and All-star centre back of EHF EURO 2020
- speedy and tough player, excelling in one-on-one situations but prefers giving assists over scoring himself
- born in Mostar, he plays for the Croatian national team, but brother Ivan plays for Bosnia Herzegovina

CL: 2017, 2019
EURO: S 2020, B 2016



LINE PLAYER

Artsem Karalek

@karalek_artsem

- joined Kielce in 2018 and has become a leading player trough the years; awarded MVP of EHF FINAL4 2022
- born in Grodno, started at local side Kronon, moved to SKA Minsk in 2014
- joined Saint-Raphaël Var in France in 2016 and reached EHF Cup final with them in 2017/18
- developed from the country's biggest talent into experienced key player for Belarus, in national team since age 17



LINE PLAYER

Nicolas Tournat

@nicolas_tournat

- arrived from HBC Nantes in 2020 as successor of Julen Aguinagalde
- played and lost all three European finals he played with Nantes (EHF Cup 2013, 2016; CL 2018), and both finals he played with Kielce (CL 2022, 2023)
- best line player of French league in three straight years before moving to Poland in 2020
- scored 850 goals for Nantes in six years with the club (2014-20)

OG: G 2020; EURO: G 2024, B 2018; WCh: S 2023



RIGHT BACK

Alex Dujshebaev

@alexdujshebaev

- son of coach Talant Dujshebaev, who joined Kielce in 2017 and became CL top scorer the next season
- had a four-year stay in Vardar, winning first CL trophy in club's history in 2017
- usually plays right back but also used in the centre back position
- important player for Spain, helped team win back-to-back EHF EURO titles in 2018 and 2020

CL: 2017
OG: B 2020; EURO: G 2018, 2020, S 2016;
WCh: B 2021, 2023



RIGHT WING

Arkadiusz Moryto

@arekmoryto

- arrived at Kielce from Lubin in 2018, after becoming youngest top scorer of Polish league in 2017/18
- ended CL 2022/23 season on 100 goals, the first time in his career he reached that milestone
- his role model was Ivan Cupic, who he replaced at Kielce in 2018
- part of Polish national team since WCh 2017; was team's top scorer at EHF EURO 2022 with 46 goals

2023/24
TOP SCORERS AFTER PLAY-OFFS



Alex Dujshebaev

@alexdujshebaev

64 GOALS



Dylan Nahi

@dylan_nahi99

61 GOALS



Szymon Sicko

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58 GOALS



Igor Karacic

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51 GOALS



Nicolas Tournat

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41 GOALS

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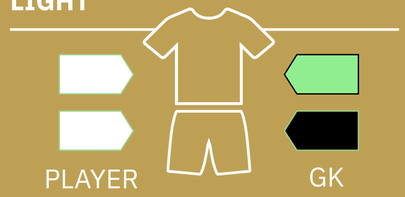
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ROAD TO THE QUARTER–FINALS

FINAL STANDINGS GROUP B:

	MP	*PTS*	*GD*
1. Magdeburg	**14**	**24**	**+55**
2. Barça	14	22	+64
3. Veszprém	14	20	+53
4. Montpellier	14	14	+15
5. GOG	14	13	-16
6. Plock	14	11	-10
7. Porto	14	8	-71
8. Celje	14	0	-90

PLAY-OFFS:
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QUARTER–FINALS



SC MAGDEBURG

MAIN FACTS

- started their title defence with two straight defeats – against Veszprém and Barça – but then won the remaining 12 matches in the group, the longest winning run in the club's EHF Champions League history
- last season's EHF FINAL 4 MVP Gísli Kristjánsson missed almost the entire group phase following shoulder surgery
- defeated MT Melsungen 30:19 in the DHB Cup final mid-April to win the German cup for the first time since 2016, and the eighth time in total
- won the IHF Super Globe for a third straight year in November, beating Kielce in the semi-finals and Füchse Berlin in the final in Saudi Arabia
- Ómar Ingi Magnússon, with 75 goals, is the sixth-best scorer among players who are still in the competition

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League
Participations (including 2023/24 season): 6
Winners (2): 2001/02, 2022/23
Semi-final (1): 2003/04
Quarter-final (1): 2002/03
Last 16 (1): 2005/06

Other
EHF European League: Winners 2020/21, Runners-up 2021/22
EHF Cup: Winners 1998/99, 2000/01, 2006/07
EHF Champions Trophy: Winners 2000/01, 2001/02

German league: 12 titles (1970, 1977, 1980, 1981-85, 1988, 1991 (GDR); 2001, 2022)
German cup: 8 titles (1970, 1977, 1978, 1984, 1990 (GDR); 1996, 2016, 2024)

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2001/02 Sportclub Magdeburg GER	12	7	2	3	327:289		+38	16:8	Winner
2002/03 Sportclub Magdeburg GER	8	4	1	3	235:226		+9	9:7	Quarter-final
2003/04 SC Magdeburg GER	12	9	0	3	366:340		+26	18:6	Semi-final
2005/06 SC Magdeburg GER	8	4	0	4	238:222		+16	8:8	Last 16
2022/23 SC Magdeburg GER	18	12	3	3	575:537		+38	27:9	Winner
2023/24 SC Magdeburg GER	14	12	0	2	439:384		+55	24:4	
Total:	**72**	**48**	**6**	**18**	**2,180:1,998**		**+182**	**102:42**	

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

12 **MATCHES**
Longest winning run

12 **MATCHES**
Longest unbeaten run

41 **GOALS**
Most goals

Biggest win	39:23 (20:13) v RK Celje Pivovarna Laško SLO (h), 27.09.2023
Biggest defeat	38:25 (16:9) v FC Barcelona ESP (a), 29.11.2003
Longest winning run	12 matches (27.09.2023 – 07.03.2024)
Longest unbeaten run	12 matches (27.09.2023 – 07.03.2024)
Longest losing run	3 matches (12.11.2005 - 10.12.2005)
Longest run without win	3 matches (15.12.2002 – 08.03.2003)
	3 matches (12.11.2005 - 10.12.2005)
Most goals	41 v FC Porto POR 41:36W (h), 24.11.2022
Most goals opponent	39 v Barça ESP 40:39W (n), 17.06.2023
Most goals both teams	79 v Barça ESP 40:39W (n), 17.06.2023
Fewest goals	20 v Fotex KC Veszprém HUN 24:20L (a), 25.11.2001
	20 v SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER 30:20L (a), 13.03.2004
	20 v Barça ESP 32:20L (a), 21.09.2023
Fewest goals opponent	17 v Panellinios AC Athens GRE 17:29W (a), 09.11.2002
Fewest goals both teams	44 v Fotex KC Veszprém HUN 24:20L (a), 25.11.2001
	44 v Fotex KC Veszprém HUN 23:21L (a), 21.04.2002
	44 v Orlen Wisla Plock POL 22:22D (a), 10.04.2023

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
1	Sergey	Hernandez	ESP	Goalkeeper	17/06/1995	Kropotkin, RUS	198
2	Lucas	Meister	SUI	Line player	16/08/1996	Muttenz, SUI	197
3	Piotr	Chrapkowski	POL	Left back	24/03/1988	Kartuzy, POL	203
4	Robin	Pfeil	GER	Left wing	08/09/2003	Brandenburg, GER	190
5	Alexander	Möller	GER	Centre back	23/02/2003	Demmin, GER	188
6	Matthias	Musche	GER	Left wing	18/07/1992	Burg, GER	187
7	Felix	Claar	SWE	Centre back	05/01/1997	Vrinnevi, SWE	192
10	Gisli	Kristjansson	ISL	Centre back	30/07/1999	Reykjavik, ISL	191
11	Daniel	Pettersson	SWE	Right wing	06/05/1992	Eskitstuna, SWE	179
13	Janus	Smarason	ISL	Centre back	01/01/1995	Reykjavik, ISL	184
14	Ómar Ingi	Magnusson	ISL	Right back	12/03/1997	Selfoss, ISL	186
15	Leon	Kirschberger	GER	Right wing	26/12/2000	Berlin, GER	188
16	Niclas	Behrendt	GER	Goalkeeper	11/01/2002	Lüneburg, GER	184
17	Tim	Hornke	GER	Right wing	04/08/1990	Hannover, GER	188
18	Fritz-Leon	Haake	GER	Centre back	29/07/2004	Schkeuditz, GER	183
20	Philipp	Weber	GER	Left back	15/09/1992	Schönebeck, GER	194
21	Albin	Lagergren	SWE	Right back	11/09/1992	Varberg, SWE	186
22	Lukas	Mertens	GER	Left wing	22/03/1996	Wilhelmshaven, GER	182
23	Magnus	Saugstrup	DEN	Line player	12/07/1996	Aalborg, DEN	195
24	**Christian**	**O'Sullivan C**	**NOR**	**Centre back**	**22/08/1991**	**Oslo, NOR**	**190**
33	Georg	Löwen	GER	Line player	09/06/2004	Ekibastus, KAZ	194
34	Michael	Damgaard	DEN	Left back	18/03/1990	Rødby, DEN	192
54	Oscar	Bergendahl	SWE	Line player	08/03/1995	Kungsbacka, SWE	192
80	Nikola	Portner	SUI	Goalkeeper	19/11/1993	Lyon, FRA	194
85	Mikael	Aggefors	SWE	Goalkeeper	20/01/1985	Stockholm, SWE	191



hintere Reihe (v.l.): Dino SPIRANEC (Torwarttrainer), Oscar BERGENDAHL, Philipp WEBER, Piotr CHRAPKOWSKI, Lucas MEISTER, Magnus SAUGSTRUP, Marc-Henrik SCHMEDT (Geschäftsführer)
mittlere Reihe (v.l.): Yves GRAFENHORST (Co-Trainer), Janus Dadi SMARASON, Omar Ingi MAGNUSSON, Michael DAMGAARD, Felix CLAAR, Gisli KRISTJANSSON, Albin LAGERGREN, Andreas GROTE (Physiotherapeut)
vordere Reihe (v.l.): Bennet WIEGERT (Trainer), Daniel PETTERSSON, Matthias MUSCHE, Nikola PORTNER, Christian O'SULLIVAN, Sergey HERNÁNDEZ, Tim HORNKE, Lukas MERTENS, Daniel MÜLLER (Athletiktrainer)

COACH



Bennet Wiegert

- > former German international on the left wing, who played for Magdeburg from 1998-2013, interrupted for brief stints at Wilhelmshaven and Gummersbach between 2004 and 2007
- > won CL with the club as a player in 2002, and as a coach in 2023
- > won the inaugural EHF European League as a coach in 2021 and finished runners-up the following year
- > replaced Ger Sveinsson as head coach of Magdeburg in December 2015; previously worked as director of the club's youth academy
- > his father, Ingolf, won Olympic gold as a player in 1980 and later was also Magdeburg coach

CL: 2002 (as player), 2023 (as coach); EL: 2021 (as coach)

DEPARTURES

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ARRIVALS

Mikael Aggefors	<	(out of retirement)
Robin Pfeil	<	(Magdeburg youth/GER)
Alexander Möller	<	(Magdeburg youth/GER)
Leon Kirschberger	<	(Magdeburg youth/GER)
Niclas Behrendt	<	(Magdeburg youth/GER)
Fritz-Leon Haake	<	(Magdeburg youth/GER)
Georg Löwen	<	(Magdeburg youth/GER)



GOALKEEPER

Sergey Hernández

@sergeyhf25

- Spanish international, who joined Magdeburg in summer of 2023 after three seasons at Benfica
- was born in Russia and grew up in Denmark, where he started to play handball at age 12
- gained first European cup experience with Spanish side Anaitasuna in EHF Cup 2015/16
- won European League with Benfica in 2022 – beating Magdeburg in the final
- has played more than 50 matches for Spain since his debut in October 2017

EL: 2022
EURO: S 2022; WCh: B 2021



LEFT WING

Lukas Mertens

@lukasmertens22

- regular in German national team since 2021, played first major event at EURO 2022
- thanks to his high-speed counter attacks his nickname is “Speedy”
- started his career at his home club Wilhelmshaven, joined SCM in 2017
- silver medallist and All-star Team left wing at M20 EHF EURO in 2018
- studies sports science at Magdeburg University

CL: 2023; EL: 2021



LEFT BACK

Michael Damgaard

@dgaard34

- joined Magdeburg in 2015 from TTH Holstebro in his native Denmark
- started professional career at GOG before moving to Holstebro in 2010
- was Magdeburg’s best scorer in the last EHF Cup 2019/20 season
- his older brother, Allan, is also a professional handball player, for Holstebro
- Danish international since 2013, played all matches in Denmark’s run to silver at EHF EURO 2024

CL: 2023; EL: 2021
OG: G 2016; WCh: G 2019; EURO: S 2024



CENTRE BACK

Christian O’Sullivan

@christianosullivan24

- team captain of Magdeburg and key player for Norwegian national team
- arrived from Swedish side IFK Kristianstad in 2016 at SCM
- his motto for handball is: “I want to make my teammates better”
- son of a British handball international, asked to become captain of Team GB at 2012 London Olympics but did not want to change citizenship

CL: 2023; EL: 2021
EURO: B 2020; WCh: S 2017, 2019



CENTRE BACK

Gisli Kristjansson

@gislithorgeir

- Icelandic international, joined in 2020 from domestic league rivals Kiel
- famously played and won CL final with Magdeburg against Kielce in 2023, one day after dislocating his shoulder in the semi-final
- was then named the MVP of the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2023; was also MVP of Bundesliga that season
- underwent shoulder injury in summer of 2023, making him miss most of the CL 2023/24 group phase
- first played for Iceland national team in Octber 2017

CL: 2023; EL: 2021; EHF Cup: 2019



CENTRE BACK

Janus Smarason

@jannid3

- joined Magdeburg in 2023 as back-up for injured Gisli Kristjansson
- made an immediate impact with 41 goals in the group phase
- set to join Szeged in summer of 2024
- left Haukar in his native Iceland in 2017 to move to Aalborg in Denmark, Göppingen in Germany, and Kolstad in Norway, respectively
- winning IHF Super Globe and DHB Cup with Magdeburg this season are his first trophies on senior club level
- Icelandic international since 2016



LINE PLAYER

Magnus Saugstrup

@magnussaugstrup

- joined Magdeburg in 2021 after an impressive season with Aalborg, leading the Danish side to the CL final
- arrived at Aalborg at age 18, played more than 250 matches for them
- was the X-factor for Denmark at their golden 2021 WCh, scoring 29 goals, including 17 in the knockout phase
- winning silver at EHF EURO 2024 was his fifth medal with the national team; made All-star Team as best defender

CL: 2023
OG: S 2020; WCh: G 2021, 2023; EURO: S 2024, B 2022



RIGHT BACK

Ómar Ingi Magnússon

@omaringim

- Icelandic back, who joined Magdeburg in summer of 2020 after four years in Denmark with Aarhus and Aalborg
- second-best scorer in EL 2020/21, when Magdeburg won the title
- made national team debut for Iceland at age 18
- missed EHF EURO 2020 due to a consussion, but was EHF EURO top scorer with 59 goals two years later
- was part of the Iceland team that won bronze at 2015 Junior WCh

CL: 2023; EL: 2021

2023/24

TOP SCORERS AFTER GROUP PHASE



Ómar Ingi Magnússon

@omaringim

75 GOALS



Felix Claar

@felixclaar

64 GOALS



Janus Smarason

@jannid3

41 GOALS



Tim Hornke

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38 GOALS



Michael Damgaard

@dgaard34

35 GOALS

MONTPELLIER HB VS THW KIEL

FIRST LEG: WEDNESDAY 24 APRIL 2024, 20:45 CEST, MONTPELLIER (FRA)
SECOND LEG: THURSDAY 2 MAY 2024, 18:45 CEST, KIEL (GER)

- battled past HC Zagreb in the play-offs (57:51) in order to progress to the quarter-finals
- before that, they finished fourth in group B, notably beating Barça away in the last round (37:34)
- won the EHF Champions League twice in 2003 and 2018
- have been to the EHF Champions League quarter-finals six times: most recently in 2022, when they were eliminated by eventual finalists Kielce, 61:50 on aggregate
- head coach Patrice Canayer is set to leave the club in the summer of 2024, having been in charge for 30 years
- their two leading scorers so far this season are both on 67 goals going into the quarter-finals: Sebastian Karlsson and Bryan Monte

- made it directly to the quarter-finals after taking the top spot in group A at the end of the group phase
- finished the group phase with 22 points, which included two wins against PSG, and a win and a draw against Kielce
- have won the EHF Champions League four times (2007, 2010, 2012, 2020) and played in the final a further four times
- also won the EHF Cup four times, most recently in 2019
- this season marks their 23rd appearance in the EHF Champions League quarter-finals
- their best scorer in the EHF Champions League this season is Niclas Ekberg with 80 goals; the Swedish wing is the third-best scorer still in competition, behind PSG's Kamil Syprzak (100 goals) and Barça's Dika Mem (82)

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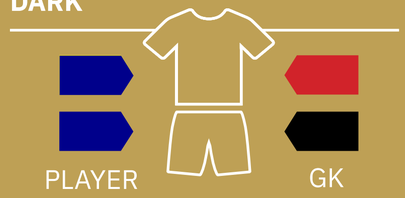


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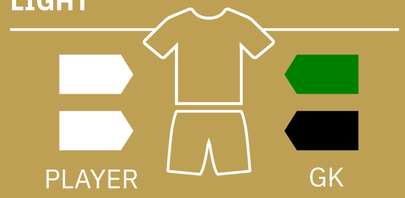
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ROAD TO THE QUARTER–FINALS

FINAL STANDINGS GROUP B:

	MP PTS	*GD*
1. Magdeburg	14 - 24	+55
2. Barça	14 - 22	+64
3. Veszprém	14 - 20	+53
4. Montpellier	**14 - 14**	**+15**
5. GOG	14 - 13	-16
6. Plock	14 - 11	-10
7. Porto	14 - 8	-71
8. Celje	14 - 0	-90

PLAY-OFFS:

@ Zagreb	D27:27 (11:13)
vs Zagreb	W30:24 (14:14)



MONTPELLIER HB

MAIN FACTS

- no other coach in European club handball has a longer tenure than Patrice Canayer: now in his last season with the club, he has led Montpellier for 30 straight years since 2014
- had an up-and-down group phase campaign, which included defeats against Orlen Wisla Plock and GOG but also an away win over Barça
- made the difference in the play-offs against Zagreb only in the second half of the return leg
- Montpellier are still the only French club that have won the EHF Champions League, in 2003 and 2018
- after winning the French league 14 times in total, Montpellier have not added another domestic league title since 2012

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League
Participations (including 2023/24 season): 24
Winners (2): 2002/03, 2017/18
Semi-finals (1): 2004/05
Quarter-finals (6): 2000/01, 2005/06, 2009/10, 2010/11, 2016/17, 2021/22
Last 16 (7): 1995/96, 2003/04, 2006/07, 2011/12, 2014/15, 2016/17, 2019/20* (** Last 16 cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic)*
Main Round (2): 2007/08, 2008/09
Group Phase (4): 1998/99, 1999/00, 2012/13, 2018/19
Qualification (1): 2013/14

Other
EHF European League: Semi-finals 2022/23; Quarter-finals 2020/21
EHF Cup: Runners-up 2013/14; Quarter-finals: 1996/97
French league: 14 titles (1995, 1998-2000, 2002-06, 2008-12)
French cup: 13 titles (1999-2003, 2005-06, 2008-10, 2012-13, 2016)



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
1998/99 Montpellier HB FRA	6	3	0	3	134:134		0	6:6	3rd Gr. A
1999/00 Montpellier HB FRA	6	3	0	3	139:148		-9	6:6	3rd Gr. A
2000/01 Montpellier HB FRA	8	4	1	3	193:193		0	9:7	Quarter-final
2002/03 Montpellier HB FRA	12	8	1	3	334:311		+23	17:7	Winner
2003/04 Montpellier HB FRA	8	6	0	2	216:199		+17	12:4	Last 16
2004/05 Montpellier HB FRA	12	9	0	3	375:328		+47	18:6	Semi-final
2005/06 Montpellier HB FRA	10	6	0	4	282:272		+10	12:8	Quarter-final
2006/07 Montpellier HB FRA	8	5	1	2	224:198		+26	11:5	Last 16
2007/08 Montpellier HB FRA	12	7	0	5	358:348		+10	14:10	3rd MR Gr. 2
2008/09 Montpellier HB FRA	10	6	1	3	295:275		+20	13:7	4th MR Gr. 3
2009/10 Montpellier HB FRA	14	10	2	2	447:372		+75	22:6	Quarter-final
2010/11 Montpellier Agglomeration HB FRA	14	10	0	4	442:379		+63	20:8	Quarter-final
2011/12 Montpellier Agglomeration HB FRA	12	6	0	6	357:357		0	12:12	Last 16
2012/13 Montpellier Agglomeration HB FRA	10	2	2	6	301:311		-10	6:14	5th Gr. A
2014/15 Montpellier Agglomeration HB FRA	12	4	2	6	351:377		-26	10:14	Last 16
2015/16 Montpellier HB FRA	16	3	1	12	429:472		-43	7:25	Last 16



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2016/17 Montpellier HB FRA	16	11	1	4	476	425	+51	23:9	Quarter-final
2017/18 Montpellier HB FRA	18	14	1	3	530	464	+66	29:7	Winner
2018/19 Montpellier HB FRA	14	3	1	10	377	414	-37	7:21	7th Gr. A
2019/20 Montpellier HB FRA	14	8	1	5	386	375	+11	17:11	Last 16*
2021/22 Montpellier HB FRA	18	8	4	6	538	526	+12	20:16	Quarter-final
2023/24 Montpellier HB FRA	16	8	1	7	468	447	+21	17:15	
Total:	**266**	**144**	**20**	**102**	**7,652**	**7,325**	**+327**	**308:224**	

** Last 16 and quarter-finals cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic*

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

8 MATCHES
Longest winning run

11 MATCHES
Longest unbeaten run

46 GOALS
Most goals

Biggest win	46:20 (26:9) v AC PAOK GRE (h), 04.10.2009
Biggest defeat	37:20 (16:10) v Prosesa Ademar Leon ESP (a), 06.11.1999
Longest winning run	8 matches (15.10.2016 – 04.03.2017)
	8 matches (16.09.2017 – 19.11.2017)
Longest unbeaten run	11 matches (15.10.2016 – 02.04.2017)
Longest losing run	6 matches (14.02.2016 – 27.03.2016)
Longest run without win	7 matches (15.09.2018 – 07.11.2018)
Most goals	46 v AC PAOK GRE 46:20W (h), 04.10.2009
Most goals opponent	38 v Kolding KIF DEN 38:29L (a), 05.12.2004
	38 v Pick Szeged HUN 38:35L (a), 19.11.2011
Most goals both teams	78 v VfL Gummersbach GER 41:37W (h), 09.02.2008
Fewest goals	17 v Fotex KC Veszprém HUN 26:17L (a), 03.01.1999
	17 v FC Barcelona ESP 24:17L (a), 10.12.2000
Fewest goals opponent	16 v HC Portovik Yuzhny UKR 26:16W (h), 07.10.2006
Fewest goals both teams	38 v Fotex KC Veszprém HUN 21:17W (h), 08.11.1998

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
2	Sebastian	Karlsson	SWE	Right wing	21/01/1995	Savedalen, SWE	178
3	Matéo	Caille	FRA	Line player	27/06/2004	Montpellier, FRA	198
4	Diego	Simonet	ARG	Centre back	26/12/1989	Buenos Aires, ARG	189
5	Kyllian	Villeminot	FRA	Centre back	20/05/1998	Lyon, FRA	189
6	Mathis	Becker-Fischer	FRA	Left back	08/03/2005	Sarreguemines, FRA	195
7	Thibault	Dambacher	FRA	Right back	04/03/2005	Saverne, FRA	193
10	Lucas	Pellas	SWE	Left wing	28/08/1995	Farsta, SWE	183
11	Mathis	Mougin	FRA	Left back	07/07/2002	Besancon, FRA	200
12	Charles	Bolzinger	FRA	Goalkeeper	14/12/2000	Sète, FRA	198
15	Ahmed	Hesham	EGY	Left back	15/05/2000	Cairo, EGY	194
17	Jaime	Fernandez	ESP	Left wing	27/01/1997	Leon, ESP	176
18	Marko	Panic	BIH	Right back	10/03/1991	Jajce, BIH	197
19	Arthur	Lenne	FRA	Line player	02/05/2001	Colmar, FRA	194
20	Stas	Skube	SLO	Centre back	15/11/1989	Celje, SLO	179
21	Kylian	Prat	FRA	Left back	20/02/2004	Le Blanc Mesnil, FRA	191
22	Karl	Konan	FRA	Left back	03/06/1995	Cocody, CIV	196
23	Mathieu	Cornette	FRA	Centre back	30/06/2003	Aix en Provence, FRA	188
24	Adrien	Dubois	FRA	Left wing	21/03/2001	Beziers, FRA	182
25	Lucas	Guigon	FRA	Right back	18/07/2003	Montpellier, FRA	197
26	Bryan	Monte	BRA	Left back	06/04/2003	S. Joao de Meriti, BRA	193
27	Léo	Fournié	FRA	Line player	10/04/2004	Rodez, FRA	188
28	**Valentin**	**Porte C**	**FRA**	**Right back**	**07/09/1990**	**Versaille, FRA**	**190**
29	Niels	Martin	FRA	Goalkeeper	20/09/2004	Lyon, FRA	197
31	Roland	Terjek	HUN	Right wing	14/08/2004	Salgótarján, HUN	189
32	Yanis	Lenne	FRA	Right wing	29/06/1996	Colmar, FRA	187
71	Alexis	Berthier	FRA	Right back	12/03/2002	Aubagne, FRA	193
92	Remi	Desbonnet	FRA	Goalkeeper	28/02/1992	Montpellier, FRA	182
93	Veron	Nacinovic	CRO	Line player	07/03/2000	Rijeka, CRO	204



COACH



Patrice Canayer

- will have been in charge of Montpellier for 30 straight years when he steps down from his role as head coach after the 2023/24 season
- has won more than 40 titles with Montpellier, most notably the CL in 2003 and 2018, and is still the only French coach to win the CL
- was voted coach of the CL 2017/18 All-star Team after the club had won their second CL title
- played for Stade Pessacais UC, Bordeaux and Racing Paris in his active years

CL 2003, 2018 (as coach)

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

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ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

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GOALKEEPER

Charles Bolzinger

@charles.bolzinger

- French international, who arrived at the club as a youth player in 2018
- became fixed part of the senior team in 2021, when we was still only 20
- made national team debut shortly before the 2023 WCh; then played at the WCh as the youngest goalkeeper ever for France at a major event
- Branko Karabatic, the late father of Nikola and Luka, was his godfather

EURO: G 2024; WCh: S 2023



LEFT WING

Lucas Pellas

@pellaslucas

- arrived at Montpellier in 2020 for the first club outside his native Sweden
- started career at Söder and spent 12 years at Hammarby and four at Lugi before his move to France
- made national team debut in June 2019; missed most of Sweden's golden EHF EURO 2022 having tested positive for the coronavirus
- contributed 25 goals to Sweden's run to bronze at EHF EURO 2024

EURO: G 2022, B 2024; WCh: S 2021



LEFT BACK

Karl Konan

@karlkonan

- defensive specialist, who arrived at Montpellier from PAUC in 2022
- born in Ivory Coast, started to play at local club Bingerville
- moved to France in 2014 after former national team goalkeeper Daouda Karaboué had spotted his talent
- played first time for France national team in May 2021, was part of the team that won the EHF EURO in 2024

EURO: G 2024



CENTRE BACK

Diego Simonet

@chinosimomet

- Argentinian international, who first arrived in Europe in 2009 when he joined Torrevieja in Spain
- then played two seasons for Ivry before joining Montpellier in 2013
- winning the CL in 2018 is his biggest triumph; was named MVP of the EHF FINAL4 that year
- both his parents were international handball players, while his brothers Sebastian and Pablo also play the sports professionally

CL: 2018



CENTRE BACK

Stas Skube

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- joined Montpellier in summer of 2022 from Meshkov Brest, three years after winning CL with Vardar
- made senior debut for Trebnje in his native Slovenia at age 17, alongside older brother Sebastian
- later played for Velenje and Szeged
- scored personal best 72 goals in CL 2013/14 when Velenje reached the Last 16
- one of Slovenia's best playmakers

CL: 2019



LINE PLAYER

Veron Nacinovic

@veronnacinovic

- born in Rijeka and stayed with his local youth club Zamet until age 20
- spent one season with Celje in Slovenia before moving to France and joining Montpellier in 2021
- made national team debut for Croatia in 2021
- son of Alvaro Nacinovic, who was part of the Croatian team that won Olympic gold in 1996



RIGHT BACK

Valentin Porte

@valhand28

- arrived in Montpellier from French league rivals Toulouse in 2016
- reached CL quarter-finals in his debut season, and won the CL in his second year with the club
- intially played on the right wing, but France national team coach Claude Onesta moved him to right back
- rose to prominence during EHF EURO 2014, scoring 16 goals in semi-final and final to help France win gold

CL: 2018
OG: G 2020, S 2016; WCh: G 2015, 2017, S 2023, B 2019; EURO: G 2014, 2024, B 2018



RIGHT WING

Yanis Lenne

@lenne_yanis

- French international, who returned to France in 2019 after two seasons with Barça – though he spent one of those years on loan at PAUC Handball
- has scored more than 30 goals in each of Montpellier's European seasons since rejoining the club in 2019
- his younger brother, Arthur, also plays for Montpellier, as line player
- made national team debut in November 2016

EURO: G 2024; WCh: S 2023

2023/24
TOP SCORERS AFTER PLAY-OFFS



Sebastian Karlsson

@sebbepercy

67 GOALS



Bryan Monte

@bryanmontte

67 GOALS



Lucas Pellas

@pellaslucas

54 GOALS



Valentin Porte

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38 GOALS



Kyllian Villeminot

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33 GOALS

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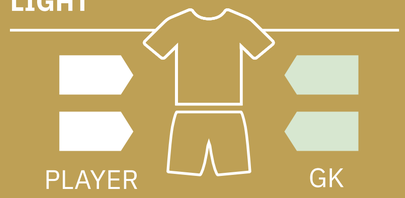


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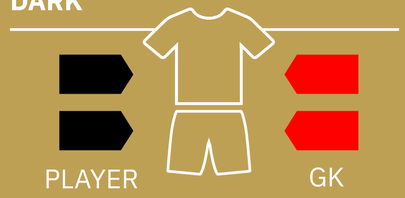
Capacity:
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ROAD TO THE QUARTER–FINALS

FINAL STANDINGS GROUP A:

	MP	*PTS*	*GD*
1. Kiel	**14**	**22**	**+31**
2. Aalborg	14	19	+48
3. PSG	14	19	+19
4. Kielce	14	17	+11
5. Zagreb	14	16	0
6. Szeged	14	13	-13
7. Kolstad	14	11	-8
8. Pelister	14	0	-88

PLAY-OFFS:
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QUARTER–FINALS



THW KIEL

MAIN FACTS

- last season, Kiel went out in the quarter-finals against an other team from France – PSG; this season, they beat PSG twice on their way to winning group A and skipping the play-offs
- Kiel's only two defeats in group A came against the new clubs from two stars who left Kiel before the 2023/24 season: Kolstad Handball with Sander Sagosen, and Aalborg Håndbold with Niklas Landin
- defence was key for Kiel, who conceded just 379 goals in 14 group matches; only HC Zagreb had fewer goals (373) scored against them
- Kiel have won the EHF Champions League four times in total, most recently in 2020; only Barça have won more titles in Europe's top flight
- Kiel celebrated their 23rd domestic title in 2022/23

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League
Participations (including 2023/24 season): 26
Winners (4): 2006/07, 2009/10, 2011/12, 2019/20
Final (4): 1999/2000, 2007/08, 2008/09, 2013/14
Semi-finals (6): 1996/97, 2000/01, 2012/13, 2014/15, 2015/16, 2021/22
Quarter-finals (9): 1998/99, 2002/03, 2004/05, 2005/06, 2010/11, 2016/17, 2017/18, 2020/21, 2022/23
Group Phase (2): 1994/95, 1995/96

Other
EHF Cup: Winners 1997/98, 2001/02, 2003/04, 2018/19
Champions Trophy: Winners 2006/07

German league: 23 titles (1957, 1962-63, 1994-96, 1998-2000, 2002, 2005-10, 2012-15, 2020-21, 2023)
German cup: 12 titles (1998-2000, 2007-09, 2011-13, 2017, 2019, 2022)

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
1994/95 THW Kiel GER	6	3	0	3	137:136		+1	6:6	2nd Gr. B
1995/96 THW Kiel GER	6	3	0	3	151:148		+3	6:6	2nd Gr. A
1996/97 THW Kiel GER	10	6	1	3	247:211		+36	13:7	Semi-finals
1998/99 TKW Kiel GER	8	7	0	1	229:199		+30	14:2	Quarter-finals
1999/00 THW Kiel GER	12	7	1	4	319:283		+36	15:9	Runners-up
2000/01 THW Kiel GER	10	5	1	4	279:255		+24	11:9	Semi-finals
2002/03 THW Kiel GER	8	4	1	3	234:211		+23	9:7	Quarter-finals
2004/05 THW Kiel GER	10	8	0	2	336:274		+62	16:4	Quarter-finals
2005/06 THW Kiel GER	10	8	0	2	346:293		+53	16:4	Quarter-finals
2006/07 THW Kiel GER	14	11	1	2	517:420		+97	23:5	Winners
2007/08 THW Kiel GER	16	13	0	3	533:462		+71	26:6	Runners-up
2008/09 THW Kiel GER	16	12	1	3	548:461		+87	25:7	Runners-up
2009/10 THW Kiel GER	16	14	1	1	534:444		+90	29:3	Winners
2010/11 THW Kiel GER	14	9	2	3	456:393		+63	20:8	Quarter-finals
2011/12 THW Kiel GER	16	12	3	1	496:414		+82	27:5	Winners
2012/13 THW Kiel GER	16	11	0	5	518:457		+61	22:10	Fourth Place

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2013/14 THW Kiel GER	16	13	1	2	491:427		+64	27:5	Runners-up
2014/15 THW Kiel GER	16	12	0	4	498:421		+77	24:8	Fourth Place
2015/16 THW Kiel GER	20	10	1	9	579:567		+12	21:19	Fourth Place
2016/17 THW Kiel GER	18	7	2	9	449:474		-25	16:20	Quarter-finals
2017/18 THW Kiel GER	18	9	2	7	478:467		+11	20:16	Quarter-finals
2019/20 THW Kiel GER	16	11	2	3	506:461		+45	24: 8	Winners
2020/21 THW Kiel GER	18	10	2	6	519:497		+22	22:14	Quarter-finals
2021/22 THW Kiel GER	18	12	2	4	557:526		+31	26:10	Third Place
2022/23 THW Kiel GER	18	7	3	8	588:563		+25	17:19	Quarter-finals
2023/24 THW Kiel GER	14	10	2	2	410:379		+31	22:6	
Total:	**360**	**234**	**29**	**97**	**10,955:9,843**		**+1,112**	**497:223**	

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

11 **MATCHES** Longest winning run

17 **MATCHES** Longest unbeaten run

50 **GOALS** Most goals

Biggest win	26:50 (13:24) v Banik OKD Karvina CZE (a), 22.10.2006
Biggest defeat	42:24 (22:10) v Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA (a), 12.03.2017
Longest winning run	11 matches (02.10.2014 – 22.03.2015)
Longest unbeaten run	17 matches (22.10.2011 – 11.10.2012)
Longest losing run	3 matches (07.02.1996 – 19.03.1996)
	3 matches (30.05.2015 – 17.09.2015)
	3 matches (30.04.2016 – 29.05.2016)
	3 matches (29.04.2017 – 24.09.2017)
	3 matches (19.11.2020 – 02.12.2020)
	3 matches (29.03.2023 – 17.05.2023)
Longest run without win	5 matches (15.02.2017 – 22.03.2017)
	5 matches (06.10.2022 – 30.11.2022)
Most goals	50 v Banik OKD Karvina CZE 26:50W (a), 22.10.2006
Most goals opponent	44 v FC Barcelona ESP 44:37L (a), 13.04.2008
Most goals both teams	81 v FC Barcelona ESP 44:37L (a), 13.04.2008
Fewest goals	13 v Badel 1862 Zagreb CRO 22:13L (a), 25.03.2000
Fewest goals opponent	15 v SKA Minsk BLR 15:27W (a), 10.11.1996
	15 v SKA Minsk BLR 21:15W (h), 12.01.1997
Fewest goals both teams	35 v Badel 1862 Zagreb CRO 22:13L (a), 25.03.2000

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
3	Sven	Ehrig	GER	Right wing	26/06/2000	Kiel, GER	197
4	**Domagoj**	**Duvnjak C**	**CRO**	**Centre back**	**01/06/1988**	**Dakovo, CRO**	**198**
6	Harald	Reinkind	NOR	Right back	17/08/1992	Tønsberg, NOR	197
7	Magnus	Landin Jacobsen	DEN	Left wing	20/08/1995	Helsingør, DEN	197
~~8~~	~~Ben Connar~~	~~Battermann~~	~~GER~~	~~Left back~~	~~28/03/2004~~	~~Lemgo, GER~~	~~195~~
11	Petter	Øverby	NOR	Line player	26/03/1992	Kongsvinger, NOR	200
12	Magnus	Bierfreund	GER	Goalkeeper	17/01/2004	Kiel, GER	190
13	Steffen	Weinhold	GER	Right back	19/07/1986	Fürth, GER	191
16	Tomas	Mrkva	CZE	Goalkeeper	20/01/1989	Havirov, CZE	201
17	**Patrick**	**Wiencek C**	**GER**	**Line player**	**22/03/1989**	**Duisburg, GER**	**200**
18	Niclas	Ekberg	SWE	Right wing	23/12/1988	Ystad, SWE	191
19	Henri	Pabst	GER	Right back	09/02/2004	Hamburg, GER	190
20	Jarnes	Faust	GER	Right wing	26/08/2004	Itzehoe, GER	183
21	Eric	Johansson	SWE	Left back	28/06/2000	Eskilstuna, SWE	197
23	Rune	Dahmke	GER	Left wing	10/04/1993	Kiel, GER	189
24	Ben Janos	Szilágyi	HUN	Left wing	18/10/2006	Kiel, GER	196
28	Eduardo	Gurbindo Martinez	ESP	Right back	08/11/1987	Pamplona, ESP	196
31	Luca Alexander	Schwormstede	GER	Left back	11/04/2002	Itzehoe, GER	202
34	Samir	Bellahcene	FRA	Goalkeeper	20/02/1995	Montpellier, FRA	191
49	Karl	Wallinius	SWE	Left back	14/01/1999	Lund, SWE	199
53	Nikola	Bilyk	AUT	Left back	28/11/1996	Tunis, TUN	198
~~57~~	~~Vincent~~	~~Gérard~~	~~FRA~~	~~Goalkeeper~~	~~16/12/1986~~	~~Woippy, FRA~~	~~188~~
61	Hendrik	Pekeler	GER	Line player	02/07/1991	Itzehoe, GER	203
71	Elias	Ellefsen á Skipagøtu	FAR	Centre back	19/05/2002	Tórshavn, FAR	186



COACH



Filip Jicha

- former Czech international, took over as head coach at THW Kiel in 2019 after one season as assistant
- became only the third THW head coach since 1993 – after Noka Serdarusic (1993-2008) and Alfred Gislason (2008-19)
- led Kiel to domestic and CL titles in his first season in charge, and was awarded best Bundesliga coach of 2019/20
- twice the CL top scorer, he ended his career in Barcelona in 2017
- first in handball to win the EHF FINAL4 in Cologne as a player (2010, 2012) and as a coach (2020), and third after Talant Dujshebaev and Roberto Parrondo to win the CL as a player and a coach

CL: 2010, 2012 (as player), 2020 (as coach); EC: 2006 (as player)

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

Vincent Gérard	>	(Istres/FRA)
Ben Connar Battermann	>	(Lemgo Lippe/GER)

ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

Jarnes Faust	<	(Kiel youth/GER)
Ben Janos Szilágyi	<	(Kiel youth/GER)
Samir Bellahcene	<	(Dunkerque/FRA)



GOALKEEPER

Samir Bellahcene

@samirbellahcene34

- arrived from Dunkerque in September 2023 to replace injured fellow French international Vincent Gérard
- one of the leading goalkeepers this CL season, with a save rate of 33.3%
- was born in Montpellier and played 10 seasons in their youth ranks and senior team, but left the club a year before they won the CL in 2018
- French international since April 2023, played seven matches for France at their golden EHF EURO 2024
- his younger brother Nasser plays for the Algerian national handball team

EURO: G 2024



LEFT WING

Rune Dahmke

@runedahmke

- born in Kiel, spent his entire senior career (since 2012) with THW
- won European trophies with Kiel in two consecutive seasons: the EHF Cup in 2019 and the CL in 2020
- contributed 35 goals to Kiel's CL winning campaign in 2019/20
- made national team debut in November 2015 and helped Germany win EHF EURO gold two months later
- his father, Frank, also played for Kiel
- is engaged to Norwegian centre back Stine Oftedal

CL: 2020; EC: 2019
EURO: G 2016



LEFT BACK

Eric Johansson

@johanssooneric

- Swedish international who joined Kiel in 2022, the same year he won the EHF EURO with Sweden
- having played his formative senior seasons with hometown club Eskilstuna Guif, Elverum signed him in the summer of 2021
- Johansson became a key attacking player in his first season in Norway but left the club again after one year
- the 197 cm-tall left back has made a name for himself with his wicked shooting arm but he is also a refined assist giver

EURO: G 2022, B 2024



CENTRE BACK

Domagoj Duvnjak

@domagojduvnjak88

- Croatian international, playing for Kiel since 2014/15, after five seasons at Hamburg
- one of the two THW team captains, alongside Patrick Wiencek
- IHF World Player of the Year 2013 and MVP of EHF EURO 2020, All-star Team member at EHF EURO 2014 and 2013 and 2017 WCh
- has more than 200 caps and is the record goal scorer for the national team of Croatia; has scored over 1,200 goals in the Bundesliga

CL: 2013, 2020; EC 2019
OG: B 2012; WCh: S 2009, B 2013; EURO: S 2008, 2010, 2020, B 2012, 2016



LINE PLAYER

Patrick Wiencek

@patrickwiencek

- the boss of the THW defence and one of the two team captains
- joined THW in 2012, previously played for Essen and Gummersbach
- named Germany's handball player of the year in 2019
- missed Germany's golden EHF EURO 2016 due to a knee injury
- forms line player quartet in national team with Hendrik Pekeler, Jannik Kohlbacher and Johannes Golla

CL: 2020; EC 2019; CWC 2011
OG: B 2016



LINE PLAYER

Hendrik Pekeler

@hendrikpekeler

- first played for THW in 2008/09, later joined Bergischer HC and TBV Lemgo
- had breakthrough as successor of Bjarte Myrhol at Rhein-Neckar Löwen
- returned to Kiel in 2018 as two-time German champion and EHF EURO gold medallist
- awarded best defender of EHF EURO 2020 and MVP of EHF FINAL4 2020
- tore Achilles tendon in CL 2021/22 quarter-final against PSG, returned to the courts in November 2022

CL: 2010, 2020; EC: 2019
EURO: G 2016; OG: B 2016



RIGHT BACK

Harald Reinkind

@haraldreinkind

- Norwegian back, playing his 10th season in Germany having arrived from FyllingenBergen in 2014
- first played for Rhein-Neckar Löwen until he joined Kiel in 2018, sharing the right-back position with Steffen Weinhold
- Norwegian international since his 2011 debut in a match against Germany; won silver at 2019 WCh and bronze at EHF EURO 2020

CL: 2020; EC: 2019
WCh: S 2019; EURO: B 2020



RIGHT WING

Niclas Ekberg

@ekbergniclas18

- joined Kiel after the 2012 Olympics, where he was silver medallist and top scorer for Sweden
- became Kiel's all-time top scorer during 2021/22 season, passing Filip Jicha, Kiel's current head coach
- MVP of EHF Cup Finals 2019 and Kiel's best scorer that season
- became CL top scorer with 85 goals and All-star right wing in Kiel's golden 2019/20 season
- Swedish international, part of the team that won EHF EURO 2022

CL: 2020; EC: 2019
OG: S 2012; EURO: G 2022

2023/24
TOP SCORERS AFTER GROUP PHASE



Niclas Ekberg

@ekbergniclas18

80 GOALS



E. Ellefsen à Skipagøtu

@skipagotu

48 GOALS



Nikola Bilyk

@nikolabilyk53

47 GOALS



Eric Johansson

@johanssooneric

44 GOALS



Harald Reinkind

@haraldreinkind

33 GOALS

TELEKOM VESZPRÉM HC VS AALBORG HÅNDBOLD

FIRST LEG: THURSDAY 25 APRIL 2024, 18:45 CEST, VESZPRÉM (HUN)
SECOND LEG: WEDNESDAY 1 MAY 2024, 18:45 CEST, AALBORG OST (DEN)

- qualified for the quarter-finals after two seven-goal wins over OTP Bank - Pick Szeged in the play-offs (76:62 on aggregate)
- finished third in group B with 20 points from 10 wins and four defeats; missed out on the second place after losing their last game against Magdeburg, 30:28
- notably won the away games at Barça (41:36) and in Magdeburg (33:28) during the group phase
- have been to the EHF FINAL4 seven times, but never won it
- were defeated by Kielce in the quarter-finals last season, 60:56 on aggregate
- have played the EHF Champions League quarter-finals 21 times, and qualified for the semi-finals 10 times
- Nedim Remili is their top scorer in the EHF Champions League after the group phase and play-offs, with 78 goals scored

- finished runners-up to THW Kiel in group A of the group phase and qualified directly for the quarter-finals
- gathered 19 points in the group phase, including away wins in Kiel and Kielce, and home draws against the same teams
- played the EHF Champions League quarter-finals two times in the last three years – in 2021 and 2022, their only previous appearances at this stage
- their best result in the competition dates back to 2021 and a loss in the EHF FINAL4 final against Barça, 36:23
- last season, they missed out on their third straight quarter-final berth after being defeated by fellow Danish side GOG in the play-offs, 60:54 on aggregate
- their leading scorer this season in the competition is Mads Hoxer, with 69 goals

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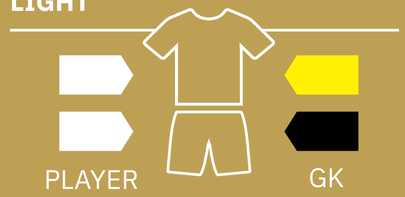


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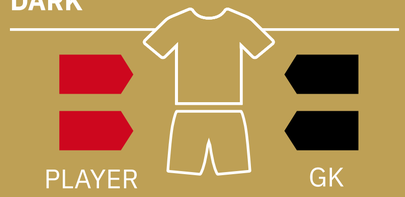
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KIT COLOURS

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ROAD TO THE QUARTER–FINALS

FINAL STANDINGS GROUP B:

	MP	*PTS*	*GD*
1. Magdeburg	14	24	+55
2. Barça	14	22	+64
3. Veszprém	**14**	**20**	**+53**
4. Montpellier	14	14	+15
5. GOG	14	13	-16
6. Plock	14	11	-10
7. Porto	14	8	-71
8. Celje	14	0	-90

PLAY-OFFS:

@ Szeged	W30:37 (17:20)
vs Szeged	W39:32 (19:15)

QUARTER–FINALS



TELEKOM VESZPRÉM HC

MAIN FACTS

- Veszprém are in their 29th season and have played 366 matches in Europe's top flight; only Barça have played more matches
- their 2023/24 group phase campaign included impressive wins over Magdeburg and Barça, but also clear defeats against GOG and Plock
- in the quarter-final against Aalborg, Veszprém aim for their eighth EHF FINAL4 ticket; they failed to lift the trophy on their first seven attempts
- in total, Veszprém have been in the semi-finals 10 times
- their biggest successes remain the four CL finals they played in 2002, 2015, 2016, and 2019

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League
Participations (including 2023/24 season): 29
Runners-up (4): 2001/02, 2014/15, 2015/16, 2018/19
Semi-finals (6): 2002/03, 2005/06, 2013/14, 2016/17, 2019/20, 2021/22
Quarter-finals (11): 1997/98, 1998/99, 1999/00, 2003/04, 2004/05, 2006/07, 2008/09, 2009/10, 2012/13, 2020/21, 2022/23
Last 16 (4): 1993/94, 2010/11, 2011/12, 2017/18
Group Phase (3): 1994/95, 1995/96, 2007/08

Other
Cup Winners' Cup: Winners 2008, Runners-up 1997
SEHA League: Winners 2015, 2016, 2020, 2021, 2022
Hungarian league: 27 titles (1985-86, 1992-1995, 1997-99, 2001-06, 2008-17, 2019, 2023)
Hungarian Cup: 30 titles (1984, 1988-1992, 1994-1996, 1998-2000, 2002-05, 2007, 2009-18, 2021, 2022, 2023)

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
1994/95 Fotex Veszprem HUN	6	2	2	2	131:147		-16	6:6	3rd Gr. A
1995/96 Fotex Veszprem HUN	6	3	0	3	147:144		+3	6:6	3rd Gr. A
1997/98 Fotex KC Veszprém HUN	8	5	1	2	228:204		+24	11:5	Quarter-final
1998/99 Fotex KC Veszprém HUN	8	3	1	4	200:188		+12	7:9	Quarter-final
1999/00 Fotex KC Veszprém HUN	8	4	0	4	203:202		+1	8:8	Quarter-final
2001/02 Fotex KC Veszprém HUN	12	9	0	3	310:267		+43	18:6	Runner-up
2002/03 Fotex KC Veszprém HUN	10	8	0	2	276:238		+38	16:4	Semi-final
2003/04 Fotex KC Veszprém HUN	10	7	0	3	306:276		+30	14:6	Quarter-final
2004/05 Fotex KC Veszprém HUN	10	7	0	3	317:259		+58	14:6	Quarter-final
2005/06 MKB Veszprém KC HUN	12	9	0	3	373:318		+55	18:6	Semi-final
2006/07 MKB Veszprém KC HUN	10	7	0	3	338:288		+50	14:6	Quarter-final
2007/08 MKB Veszprém KC HUN	6	2	2	2	184:171		+13	6:6	3rd Gr. F
2008/09 MKB Veszprém KC HUN	12	8	0	4	351:320		+31	16:8	Quarter-final
2009/10 MKB Veszprém KC HUN	14	11	0	3	419:368		+51	22:6	Quarter-final
2010/11 MKB Veszprém KC HUN	12	9	0	3	373:338		+35	18:6	Last 16
2011/12 MKB Veszprém KC HUN	12	7	0	5	321:322		-1	14:10	Last 16



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2012/13 MKB Veszprém KC HUN	14	11	0	3	410	348	+62	22:6	Quarter-final
2013/14 MKB-MVM Veszprém HUN	16	11	1	4	477	410	+67	23:9	Fourth Place
2014/15 MKB-MVM Veszprém HUN	16	13	1	2	480	423	+57	27:5	Runner-up
2015/16 MVM Veszprém HUN	20	15	2	3	600	539	+61	32:8	Runner-up
2016/17 Telekom Veszprém HUN	20	13	2	5	549	511	+38	28:12	Third Place
2017/18 Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	16	9	2	5	466	439	+27	20:12	Last 16
2018/19 Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	20	15	0	5	589	543	+46	30:10	Runner-up
2019/20 Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	16	10	0	6	509	453	+56	20:12	Fourth Place
2020/21 Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	18	12	2	4	583	511	+72	26:10	Quarter-final
2021/22 Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	20	10	2	8	651	616	+35	22:18	Fourth Place
2022/23 Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	18	10	3	5	579	545	+34	23:13	Quarter-final
2023/24 Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	16	12	0	4	565	498	+67	24:8	
Total:	**366**	**242**	**21**	**103**	**10,935**	**9,886**	**+1,049**	**505:227**	



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

12 **MATCHES**
Longest winning run

12 **MATCHES**
Longest unbeaten run

47 **GOALS**
Most goals

Biggest win	38:17 (18:9) v HC Granitas Kaunas LTU (h), 06.11.2004
Biggest defeat	30:18 (16:8) v Badel Zagreb CRO (a), 24.01.1995
Longest winning run	12 matches (17.11.2018 – 01.06.2019)
Longest unbeaten run	12 matches (17.11.2018 – 01.06.2019)
Longest losing run	4 matches (28.12.2020 – 09.02.2021)
Longest run without win	4 matches (09.01.1999 – 31.10.1999)
	4 matches (28.12.2020 – 09.02.2021)
Most goals	47 v CS Dinamo Bucuresti ROU 47:32W (h), 02.12.2021
Most goals opponent	39 v THW Kiel GER 39:32L (a), 01.03.2007
	39 v KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL 39:38L (n), 29.05.2016
	39 v Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA 39:40W (a), 10.03.2022
Most goals both teams	79 v CS Dinamo Bucuresti ROU 47:32W (h), 02.12.2021
	79 v Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA 39:40W (a), 10.03.2022
Fewest goals	15 v TEKA Santander ESP 25:15L (a), 15.03.1995
Fewest goals opponent	13 v SO Chambery FRA 29:13W (h), 18.11.2001
	13 v Panellinios AC Athens GRE 19:13W (h), 17.11.2002
Fewest goals both teams	32 v Panellinios AC Athens GRE 19:13W (h), 17.11.2002

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
~~1~~	~~Ignacio~~	~~Biosca~~	~~ESP~~	~~Goalkeeper~~	~~17/07/1995~~	~~Barcelona, ESP~~	~~193~~
5	Yahia	Omar	EGY	Right back	09/09/1997	Giza, EGY	197
9	Hugo	Descat	FRA	Left wing	16/08/1992	Paris, FRA	183
12	Rodrigo	Corrales	ESP	Goalkeeper	24/01/1991	Cangas, ESP	200
17	Lukas	Sandell	SWE	Right back	03/02/1997	Reslöv, SWE	191
18	Andreas	Nilsson C	SWE	Line player	12/04/1990	Trelleborg, SWE	196
21	Bjarki Már	Elísson	ISL	Left wing	16/05/1990	Reykjavik, ISL	190
23	Patrik	Ligetvári	HUN	Left back	13/02/1996	Várpalota, HUN	205
24	Gasper	Marguc	SLO	Right wing	20/08/1990	Celje, SLO	180
29	Nedim	Remili	FRA	Right back	18/07/1995	Creteil, FRA	195
~~32~~	~~Benedek~~	~~Nagy~~	~~HUN~~	~~Goalkeeper~~	~~17/11/2001~~	~~Budapest, HUN~~	~~195~~
35	Kentin	Mahé	FRA	Centre back	22/05/1991	Paris, FRA	186
39	Yehia	Elderaa	EGY	Centre back	17/07/1995	Cairo, EGY	190
46	Dragan	Pechmalbec	SRB	Line player	05/01/1996	Cahors, FRA	194
52	Szabó	Tas	ROU	Right back	03/02/2002	Sfantu Gheorghe, ROU	196
55	Mikita	Vailupau	BLR	Right wing	30/07/1995	Vitebsk, BLR	187
88	Agustín	Casado	ESP	Centre back	21/05/1996	Almería, ESP	193
89	Ludovic	Fabregas	FRA	Line player	01/07/1996	Perpignan, FRA	198
99	Sergei Mark	Kosorotov	RUS	Left back	16/06/1999	Moscow, RUS	200



COACH



Momir Ilic

- > former Serbian international, who took over from David Davis as Veszprém head coach in the summer of 2021
- > ended his playing career in 2019 after spending the last six seasons at Veszprém; previously played for Kiel and Gummersbach in Germany, and Velenje in Slovenia
- > won the CL two times with Kiel, in 2010 and 2012; scored just under 1,000 CL goals in his career
- > played 11 years for the national team and helped Serbia win silver at their home EHF EURO in 2012

CL: 2010, 2012; EC: 2009 (as player)
EURO: S 2012 (as player)

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

Ignacio Biosca	>	(Nantes/FRA)
Benedek Nagy	>	(Valladolid/ESP, on loan)

ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

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GOALKEEPER

Rodrigo Corrales

@rodrigao016

- joined Veszprém in 2020 after three season with PSG in France
- came through the youth ranks of Barça and first joined the A team in 2009, gaining his first CL experience in November 2011
- in 2014, moved to Plock, led by then national team coach Manolo Cadenas; made debut for Spain the same year
- won the EHF EURO twice – in 2018 and 2020; missed the 2024 edition due to a back injury

EURO: G 2018, 2020, S 2022; OG: B 2020; WCh: B 2021, 2023



LEFT WING

Hugo Descat

@hdescat

- arrived at Veszprém in 2023 after four years with Montpellier for his second international stint
- previously spent two years in Romania with Dinamo Bucuresti (2017-19), and earlier played six seasons for another French club, US Créteil
- was second-best goal scorer of (shortened) CL 2019/20 season with 75 goals
- made the 2020 Olympic All-star Team after France won gold in Tokyo

EURO: G 2024; OG: G 2020



LEFT BACK

Sergei Mark Kosorotov

@sergey_mark

- moved to Veszprém from Plock in the summer of 2023; previously played for Chekhovskie medvedi
- one of the leading players of his generation in Russia
- wears jersey number 99 because 1999 is his year of birth
- unusually for Russia, he has two first names but is usually called just Sergei
- his father was a judoka, his mother played handball at Luch Moscow



CENTRE BACK

Kentin Mahé

@kentinmahe35

- French international since 2010, joined Veszprém in 2018
- previously played in Germany for Flensburg, Hamburg, Gummersbach, and Dormagen, where he was coached by his father, Pascal
- scored 65 goals in CL 2021/22 – his personal best in a single season – and was named in the CL All-star Team
- played and lost three European finals with three different clubs: CL with Veszprém in 2019, EHF Cup with Hamburg in 2015, and Cup Winners' Cup with Gummersbach in 2012

OG: G 2020, S 2016; WCh: G 2015, 2017, S 2023, B 2019; EURO: G 2024, B 2018



LINE PLAYER

Ludovic Fabregas

@chiki_lf27

- three-time CL winner, who joined Veszprém in the summer of 2023
- after winning the CL in 2018 with Montpellier, scoring six goals in the final, lifted the trophy again with Barça in 2021 and 2022
- named in CL All-star Team multiple times, and voted best line player at EHF Excellence Awards 2023
- French international since winning Junior WCh in 2015
- was youth world champion in mountain biking before turning to handball only at age 15

CL: 2018, 2021, 2022
OG: G 2020, S 2016; WCh: G 2017, S 2023, B 2019; EURO: G 2024



RIGHT BACK

Lukas Sandell

@lukassandell

- Swedish international, who arrived at Veszprém in the summer of 2023 after three seasons with Aalborg
- started career at Ystad in his native Sweden, then spent two years with Elverum in Norway
- made his national team debut in Sweden's first match at 2021 WCh
- important part of the team that won the EHF EURO the following year
- has a great variety of shots and plenty of speed

EURO: G 2022, B 2024; WCh: S 2021



RIGHT BACK

Nedim Remili

@nedim_remili

- French international, who joined Veszprém from Kielce during the second half of the 2022/23 season
- previously played six years for PSG
- key player for France on their way to gold at the EHF EURO 2024, was named MVP of the tournament
- earlier was All-star right back of 2017 and 2023 WCh and 2020 Olympics
- his father, Kamel, was also a professional handball player

OG: G 2020; WCh: G 2017, S 2023, B 2019; EURO: G 2024, B 2018



RIGHT WING

Gasper Marguc

@gaspermarguc

- came to Veszprém in 2014 from his youth club Celje; those are the only two club teams in his long career
- had his best CL season for Veszprém in 2021/22, scoring 88 goals
- Slovenian international since 2010, took part in 'bronze' 2017 WCh
- shared top scorer title of M20 EHF EURO 2010 with France's Kentin Mahé, now a teammate at Veszprém
- his younger brothers Gal (Nexe) and Mai (Celje) also play handball

WCh: B 2017

2023/24
TOP SCORERS AFTER PLAY-OFFS



Nedim Remili

@nedim_remili

78 GOALS



Ludovic Fabregas

@chiki_lf27

63 GOALS



Mikita Vailupau

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49 GOALS



Dragan Pechmalbec

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48 GOALS



Hugo Descat

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45 GOALS

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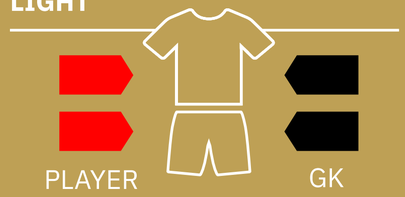


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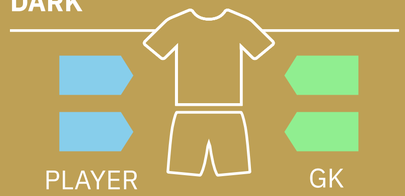
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ROAD TO THE QUARTER–FINALS

FINAL STANDINGS GROUP A:

	MP	*PTS*	*GD*
1. Kiel	14	22	+31
2. Aalborg	**14**	**19**	**+48**
3. PSG	14	19	+19
4. Kielce	14	17	+11
5. Zagreb	14	16	0
6. Szeged	14	13	-13
7. Kolstad	14	11	-8
8. Pelister	14	0	-88

PLAY-OFFS:
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QUARTER–FINALS



AALBORG HÅNDBOLD

MAIN FACTS

- Aalborg have already progressed one step further than last season, when they lost in the play-offs to fellow Danish side GOG
- they were beaten by GOG again in the Danish cup final last February
- the best result in Aalborg's EHF Champions League history is reaching the final of the 2020/21 season, which they lost 36:23 to Barça
- the team saw 10 players move to other clubs in the 2023 summer, but still finished runners-up in group A, ahead of teams like PSG and Kielce
- their group phase campaign included away wins at both Kiel and Kielce
- all eyes in their quarter-final duels will be on star player Mikkel Hansen, who has announced his retirement after the 2024 Olympics and competes in the last CL season of his illustrious career

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League
Participations (including 2023/24 season): 9
Final (1): 2020/21
Quarter-finals (1): 2021/22
Play-offs (1): 2022/23
Last 16 (2): 2013/14, 2019/20*
Group phase (3): 2010/11, 2014/15, 2017/18
** 2019/20 Last 16 cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic*

Other
EHF Cup: Quarter-finals 2003/04, Group phase 2015/16
Challenge Cup: Round 4 2002/03

Danish league: 6 titles (2010, 2013, 2017, 2019-21)
Danish cup: 2 titles (2019, 2022)

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2010/11 AaB Handball DEN	10	2	2	6	311:339		-28	6:14	6th Gr. C
2013/14 Aalborg Handball DEN	12	4	0	8	317:325		-8	8:16	Last 16
2014/15 Aalborg Handball DEN	12	2	3	7	289:329		-40	7:17	Last 16
2017/18 Aalborg Handbold DEN	14	2	1	11	364:405		-41	5:23	8th Gr. B
2019/20 Aalborg Handbold DEN	14	7	1	6	416:420		-4	15:13	Last 16*
2020/21 Aalborg Håndbold DEN	20	10	0	10	566:590		-24	20:20	Runner-up
2021/22 Aalborg Håndbold DEN	16	12	0	4	519:481		+38	24:8	Quarter-finals
2022/23 Aalborg Håndbold DEN	16	7	1	8	499:498		+1	15:17	Play-offs
2023/24 Aalborg Håndbold DEN	14	8	3	3	430:382		+48	19:9	
Total:	**128**	**54**	**11**	**63**	**3,711:3,769**		**-58**	**119:137**	

** Last 16 and quarter-finals cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic*

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

7 **MATCHES**
Longest winning run

7 **MATCHES**
Longest unbeaten run

41 **GOALS**
Most goals

Biggest win	38:23 (18:10) v HC Eurofarm Pelister MKD (h), 20.09.2023
Biggest defeat	11:31 (5:16) v FC Barcelona ESP (h), 15.03.2015
Longest winning run	7 matches (24.11.2021 – 09.03.2022)
Longest unbeaten run	7 matches (24.11.2021 – 09.03.2022)
Longest losing run	6 matches (01.12.2013 – 29.03.2014)
	6 matches (27.09.2017 – 18.11.2017)
Longest run without win	9 matches (16.11.2014 – 16.09.2017)
Most goals	41 v Pick Szeged HUN 29:41W (a), 06.10.2022
Most goals opponent	44 v Barça ESP 44:35L (a), 16.11.2019
Most goals both teams	79 v Barça ESP 44:35L (a), 16.11.2019
Fewest goals	11 v FC Barcelona ESP 11:31L (h), 15.03.2015
Fewest goals opponent	18 v THW Kiel GER 18:27W (a), 16.11.2023
	18 v Kolstad Handball NOR 18:29W (a), 29.11.2023
Fewest goals both teams	42 v FC Barcelona ESP 11:31L (h), 15.03.2015

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
1	Niklas	Landin Jacobsen	DEN	Goalkeeper	19/12/1988	Gladsaxe, DEN	201
2	Frederik	Munch	DEN	Left wing	04/07/2004	Aalborg, DEN	182
3	Lukas	Nilsson	SWE	Left back	16/11/1996	Ystad, SWE	194
4	Patrick	Wiesmach Larsen	DEN	Left back	23/03/1990	Aalborg, DEN	181
5	Marcus	Kløve	DEN	Line player	24/08/2004	Brønderslev, DEN	189
6	Sebastian	Barthold	NOR	Left wing	27/08/1991	Oslo, NOR	185
7	Thomas	Arnoldsen	DEN	Centre back	11/01/2002	Skanderborg, DEN	194
8	Jesper	Nielsen	SWE	Line player	30/09/1989	St. Johannes, SWE	200
9	Jens	Rasmussen	DEN	Right wing	24/06/2005	Aalborg, DEN	184
11	Simon	Hald Jensen	DEN	Line player	28/09/1994	Aalborg, DEN	203
12	Fabian	Norsten	SWE	Goalkeeper	11/07/2000	Turesø, SWE	196
13	Lukas	Studsgaard	DEN	Centre back	01/02/2004	Aalborg, DEN	187
14	Mads	Hoxer Hangaard	DEN	Right back	06/12/2000	Thisted, DEN	196
15	Jack	Thurin	SWE	Right back	09/06/1999	Skövde, SWE	200
16	Nikolai	Kaufmann	DEN	Goalkeeper	08/05/2004	Hjørring, DEN	192
17	Martin	Larsen	DEN	Right back	19/09/1992	Aalborg, DEN	198
18	Aleks	Vlah	SLO	Centre back	22/07/1997	Izola, SLO	191
19	Kristian	Bjørnsen	NOR	Right wing	10/01/1989	Stavanger, NOR	191
20	Hjalte	Møller	DEN	Left back	20/11/2005	Aalborg, DEN	184
21	Henrik	Møllgaard Jensen	DEN	Centre back	02/01/1985	Esbjerg, DEN	196
22	**Rene**	**Antonsen C**	**DEN**	**Line player**	**04/03/1992**	**Vesthimmerland, DEN**	**196**
23	Buster	Juul	DEN	Left wing	31/03/1993	Slagelse, DEN	200
24	Mikkel	Hansen	DEN	Left back	22/10/1987	Helsingør. DEN	196
25	Marinus	Munk	DEN	Left back	22/04/2003	Aalborg, DEN	200
26	Daniel Haslund	Jensen	DEN	Right back	10/11/2005	Aalborg, DEN	198



COACH



Stefan Madsen

- promoted from assistant to head coach at Aalborg Håndbold in summer of 2018
- became first coach to lead Aalborg to a CL final, in 2021
- combined his job at Aalborg with coaching Danish national under-21 team but stepped down from that job in May 2020
- previously worked with women's team of HC Leipzig in German Bundesliga
- generally calm, analytic and communicative coach

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

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ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

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GOALKEEPER

Niklas Landin

@niklaslandin

- returned to Denmark and joined Aalborg in 2023 after 11 years in Germany with Löwen and Kiel
- won the EHF Cup with both German teams, and the EHF Champions League with Kiel
- made national team debut in 2008 and soon become first-choice goalkeeper for Denmark
- captain of world-title winning Danish national team in 2023
- one of six players so far to win Olympics, WCh, EURO, and CL titles

CL: 2020; EC: 2013, 2019
OG: G 2016, S 2020; WCh: G 2019, 2021, 2023, S 2011, 2013; EURO: G 2012, S 2014, 2024, B 2022



LEFT WING

Buster Juul

@busterjuul

- has been playing for Aalborg since 2013, when he arrived from fellow Danish side Skanderborg
- scored over 1,300 goals and played in more than 410 matches for the club; only Rene Antonson has worn the Aalborg jersey more times
- scored 60 goals for Aalborg in his best CL season so far, in 2017/2018
- is penalty shot specialist for Aalborg, together with Mikkel Hansen
- made national team debut in 2016 but has not become a regular



LEFT BACK

Mikkel Hansen

@mikkelhansen24

- one of the all-time greats of the game, returned to Denmark in 2022 after 10 years with PSG in France
- has announcement his retirement after the 2023/24 season
- missed second part of the 2022/23 season due to stress symptoms
- played EHF FINAL4 five times (with Barça, København, and three times PSG) but is yet to lift the trophy
- holds CL record for most goals scored in a single season: 141, in 2015/16
- son of former Danish international Flemming Hansen

EURO: G 2012, S 2014, 2024; OG: G 2016, S 2020; WCh: G 2019, 2021, 2023, S 2011, S 2013



LEFT BACK

Henrik Møllgaard

@henrikmllgrd

- joined from PSG in 2018; had played in Aalborg before (2009-12)
- has represented two other Danish clubs: KIF Kolding and Skjern
- regular in Danish national team, part of all three world-title winning squads in 2019, 2021 and 2023
- is purely a defender in the national team, but plays at both ends of the court in Aalborg
- well into his 30s, but still a huge asset in defence as well as attack

OG: G 2016; WCh: G 2019, 2021, 2023, S 2013; EURO: S 2014, 2024, B 2022



LEFT BACK

Lukas Nilsson

@lukasnilsson

- experienced back, who joined Aalborg in summer of 2023 after seven years in German Bundesliga
- spent four seasons in Kiel (2016-20) and helped them win the EHF Cup in 2019; then joined Rhein-Neckar Löwen for three years (2020-23)
- made professional debut in 2013 at Swedish side Ystad, where he had also played in the youth ranks
- first played for Swedish national team in November 2015

EC: 2019
EURO: S 2018



CENTRE BACK

Aleks Vlah

@aleksvlah

- arrived in Aalborg in summer of 2023, joining after two years at Celje
- had a tremendous CL 2022/23 season at Celje with 88 goals, by far his personal best in a European season
- Aalborg are the fourth club in his career; he started at Koper before moving to Zagreb in 2019
- has been a regular in the Slovenia national team since 2017



RIGHT BACK

Mads Hoxer

@madshoxer_

- talented right back who joined Aalborg from Mors-Thy in 2022
- 2023/24 is his breakthrough season, having scored 69 goals in the group phase, including 12 in the last match against Kielce
- made national team debut for Denmark in May 2021
- was part of the Danish team that won WCh gold two years later

WCh: G 2023



RIGHT WING

Kristian Bjørnsen

@kristianbjornsen

- joined Aalborg in 2021 after five seasons with Wetzlar in Germany
- previously played for IFK Kristianstad in Sweden and for FyllingenBergen in his native Norway
- a tall and efficient wing, who is among the best all-time scorers for Norway's national team, with 550 goals
- his younger sister, Line, was also a top-level handball player

WCh: S 2017, 2019; EURO: B 2020

2023/24
TOP SCORERS AFTER GROUP PHASE



Mads Hoxer

@madshoxer_

69 GOALS



Mikkel Hansen

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63 GOALS



Aleks Vlah

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49 GOALS



Lukas Nilsson

@lukasnilsson

46 GOALS



Simon Hald

@simonhaldjensen

43 GOALS

PARIS SAINT-GERMAIN HANDBALL VS BARÇA

FIRST LEG: THURSDAY 25 APRIL 2024, 20:45 CEST, PARIS (FRA)
SECOND LEG: THURSDAY 2 MAY 2024, 20:45 CEST, BARCELONA (ESP)

- qualified for the quarter-finals by defeating Orlen Wisla Plock in the play-offs, 64:59 on aggregate
- before that, they finished third in group A, having beaten Aalborg twice and Kielce once
- have played in the quarter-finals of the EHF Champions League 10 times before, advancing to the semis six times
- their best result in the EHF Champions League is finishing runners-up to HC Vardar in 2017, losing the final 24:23
- this season is three-time champion Nikola Karabatic's last opportunity to win the trophy with a fourth different team
- line player Kamil Syprzak is currently the top scorer in the EHF Champions League, with 100 goals

- qualified directly to the quarter-finals; lost the lead in group B near the end of the group phase but placed second
- finished the group phase with 22 points after losing three times – two defeats happened at home in Palau Blaugrana, against Veszprém and Montpellier
- by far the most successful club in EHF Champions League history with 10 trophies
- played in the EHF Champions League quarter-finals 23 times before, more than any other club
- lost against eventual champions Magdeburg in the semi-finals in Cologne last season, 40:39 after a shootout
- Dika Mem is second in the top scorers list with 82 goals

PARIS SAINT-GERMAIN HANDBALL

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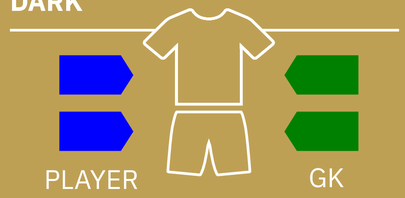


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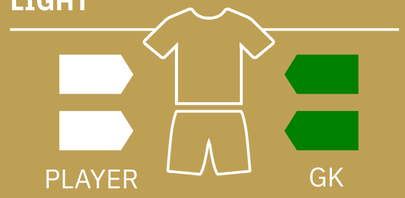
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ROAD TO THE QUARTER-FINALS

FINAL STANDINGS GROUP A:

	MP PTS	*GD*
1. Kiel	14 - 22	+31
2. Aalborg	14 - 19	+48
3. PSG	**14 - 19**	**+19**
4. Kielce	14 - 17	+11
5. Zagreb	14 - 16	0
6. Szeged	14 - 13	-13
7. Kolstad	14 - 11	-8
8. Pelister	14 - 0	-88

PLAY-OFFS:

@ Plock	W26:30 (12:13)
vs Plock	W34:33 (18:15)

PARIS SAINT-GERMAIN HANDBALL

MAIN FACTS

- last season, PSG finished fourth at the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 as their wait for the club's first CL trophy was extended
- 2023/24 is their 11th straight EHF Champions League season, and 13th overall; they have reached the quarter-finals each year since 2013
- in the play-offs, PSG advanced with the smallest winning margin of all four pairings, beating Orlen Wisla Plock 64:59 on aggregate
- PSG enter the CL 2023/24 quarter-finals coming off a 31:23 defeat by HBC Nantes in the French cup final
- set to retire after the 2024 Olympics, Nikola Karabatic has one final chance to win the CL with PSG, after he lifted the trophy three times before in his career – with Montpellier, Kiel, and Barça, respectively

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League
Participations (including 2023/24 season): 13
Final (1): 2016/17
Semi-finals (5): 2015/16, 2017/18, 2019/20, 2020/21, 2022/23
Quarter-finals (4): 2013/14, 2014/15, 2018/19, 2021/22
Last 16 (1): 2005/06
Group phase (1): 1996/97

Other
EHF Cup: Quarter-finals 2006/07, Last 16 2003/04

French league: 10 titles (2013, 2015-23)
French cup: 6 titles (2007, 2014-15, 2018, 2021, 2022)

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
1996/97 PSG Asnières FRA	6	1	0	5	131:161		-30	2:10	4th Gr. D
2005/06 Paris Handball FRA	8	4	1	3	212:229		-17	9:7	Last 16
2013/14 PSG Handball FRA	14	7	1	6	429:402		+27	15:13	Quarter-finals
2014/15 Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	14	8	1	5	395:367		+28	17:11	Quarter-finals
2015/16 Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	18	14	1	3	557:496		+61	29: 7	Third Place
2016/17 Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	20	15	2	3	622:543		+79	32: 8	Runners-up
2017/18 Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	18	14	1	3	550:498		+52	29: 7	Third Place
2018/19 Paris Saint-Germain HB FRA	16	14	0	2	514:445		+69	28: 4	Quarter-finals
2019/20 Paris Saint-Germain HB FRA	16	12	0	4	507:452		+55	24: 8	Third Place
2020/21 Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	20	13	1	6	583:496		+87	27:13	Third Place
2021/22 Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	18	9	4	5	581:519		+62	22:14	Quarter-finals
2022/23 Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	18	14	0	4	610:557		+53	28: 8	Fourth Place
2023/24 Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	16	10	1	5	495:471		+24	21:11	
Total:	**202**	**135**	**13**	**54**	**6,186:5,636**		**+550**	**283:121**	

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

9 **MATCHES** Longest winning run

10 **MATCHES** Longest unbeaten run

44 **GOALS** Most goals

Biggest win	42:24 (22:10) v THW Kiel GER (h), 12.03.2017
Biggest defeat	44:28 (22:12) v THW Kiel GER (a), 10.12.2005
Longest winning run	9 matches (08.10.2017 – 17.02.2018)
	9 matches (27.05.2018 – 14.11.2018)
Longest unbeaten run	10 matches (11.02.2017 – 03.06.2017)
Longest losing run	4 matches (23.11.1996 – 18.01.1997)
Longest run without win	4 matches (23.11.1996 – 18.01.1997)
	4 matches (26.10.2023 – 30.11.2023)
Most goals	44 v Elverum Handball NOR 29:44W (a), 02.03.2021
Most goals opponent	44 v THW Kiel GER 44:28L (a), 10.12.2005
Most goals both teams	79 v Telekom Veszprém HC HUN 39:40L (h), 10.03.2022
Fewest goals	20 v Celje Pivovarna Lasko SLO 20:26L (h), 11.01.1997
	20 v Caja Cantabria Santander ESP 26:20L (a), 18.01.1997
	20 v MVM Veszprém HUN 28:20L (a), 28.11.2015
Fewest goals opponent	18 v HC Banik Karvina CZE 21:18W (h), 09.10.2005
	18 v RK Celje Pivovarna Lasko SLO 27:18W (h), 13.10.2019
Fewest goals both teams	39 v HC Banik Karvina CZE 21:18W (h), 09.10.2005

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
1	Stanis	Soullier	FRA	Goalkeeper	20/02/2004	Grenoble, FRA	196
2	Ruben	Marchan Criado	ESP	Line player	20/09/1994	Manzanares, ESP	204
3	Théo	Ducap	FRA	Right wing	03/04/2006	Saint-Denis, FRA	183
6	Luc	Steins	NED	Centre back	22/03/1995	Voerendaal, NED	173
7	Sadou	N'Tanzi	FRA	Centre back	07/01/2000	Longjumeau, FRA	183
8	Noa	Narcisse	FRA	Left back	25/01/2004	Chambéry, FRA	183
9	Adama	Keita	FRA	Left wing	05/06/1997	Paris, FRA	185
12	Andreas	Palicka	SWE	Goalkeeper	10/07/1986	Nöbbelöv, SWE	189
14	Ferran	Sole Sala	ESP	Right wing	25/08/1992	Barcelona, ESP	192
15	Kent Robin	Tønnesen	NOR	Right back	05/06/1991	Partille, SWE	195
16	Jannik	Green	DEN	Goalkeeper	29/09/1988	Lemvig, DEN	195
18	Tidiane	Firmesse	FRA	Left wing	18/05/2005	Antony, FRA	183
19	David	Balaguer	ESP	Right wing	17/08/1991	Barcelona, ESP	185
20	Mathieu	Grebille	FRA	Left wing	06/10/1991	Paris, FRA	198
21	Kamil	Syprzak	POL	Line player	23/07/1991	Plock, POL	207
22	**Luka**	**Karabatic C**	**FRA**	**Line player**	**19/04/1988**	**Strasbourg, FRA**	**202**
23	Dominik	Mathe	HUN	Right back	01/04/1999	Nyiregyhaza, HUN	201
26	Louis	Perreux	FRA	Centre back	28/04/2002	Lyon, FRA	179
27	Tony	Mendy	FRA	Right back	10/12/2002	Brou-sur-Chant., FRA	195
28	Yoann	Gibelin	FRA	Left back	26/11/1999	Créteil, FRA	198
32	Jacob Tandrup	Holm	DEN	Left back	05/09/1995	Esbjerg, DEN	194
33	Victor	Crenn	FRA	Right back	17/02/2003	Nogent sur Marne, FRA	197
44	Nikola	Karabatic	FRA	Centre back	11/04/1984	Nis, SRB	196
45	Leo	Villain	FRA	Goalkeeper	06/11/2002	Saint-Jean-de-Braye, FRA	204
47	Wallem-Konrad	Peleka	FRA	Left back	18/01/2002	Stains, FRA	196
71	Elohim	Prandi	FRA	Left back	24/08/1998	Istres, FRA	193
90	Léo	Plantin	FRA	Left wing	01/05/2003	Toulouse, FRA	186
98	Amara	Karamoko	FRA	Centre back	05/07/2005	Paris, FRA	192



COACH



Raul Gonzalez Gutierrez

- arrived at PSG in 2018, a year after he had defeated the French club as head coach of Vardar in the CL 2016/17 final
- made the CL 2016/17 All-star Team as best coach of the season
- started his coaching career at Atletico Madrid and Ciudad Real, working with current Kielce coach Talant Dujshebaev
- also coached the Macedonian national team in 2017-19
- former stalwart of BM Valladolid and a member of the Spanish national team

CL: 2017

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

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ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

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GOALKEEPER

Jannick Green

@jannickgreen

- started professional career at age 19 in his native Denmark; played for Lemvig, Aalborg, and Silkeborg
- signed with PSG in 2022 after eight seasons at SC Magdeburg
- won inaugural EL title with Magdeburg in 2021, and was named MVP of the EHF Finals that year
- faces strong competition in national team from Niklas Landin and Emil Nielsen, but was part of team that won 2016 Olympics and 2019 WCh

EL: 2021
OG: G 2016; WCh: S 2013, G 2019;
EURO: S 2014, B 2022



LEFT WING

Mathieu Grébille

@mat_grebille

- played for Montpellier throughout his career before joining PSG in the summer of 2020
- former back court player who turned wing after a shoulder injury in 2017 and a torn ACL the year before
- made his way back into the national team and won bronze at 2019 WCh
- has passion for tattoos and drawings, sharing them on his social media channels

EURO: G 2014; WCh: G 2015, S 2023, B 2019;
OG: S 2016



LEFT BACK

Nikola Karabatic

@nikolakarabatic44

- one of the all-time greats of the sport, will retire after the 2023/24 season
- won the CL three times with three different clubs, but not yet with PSG
- missed most of 2020/21 following knee surgery and the decisive part of 2022/23 due to phlebitis
- twice EHF EURO MVP (2008, 2014); also named IHF World Handball Player of the Year three times
- won all major prizes on club level and with the French national team multiple times, with the EHF EURO 2024 title the latest addition

CL: 2003, 2007, 2015
EURO: G 2006, 2010, 2014 2024, B 2008, 2018;
OG: G 2008, 2012, 2020, S 2016; WCh: G 2009, 2011, 2015, 2017, S 2023, B 2003, 2005, 2019



CENTRE BACK

Luc Steins

@luc_steins

- joined PSG in November 2020, initially to replace Nikola Karabatic during his injury lay-off, but had an instant impact and never left the club again
- arrived in France in 2016, first played for Massy in the second league, before joining Tremblay and later Toulouse
- at 173 cm, he is among the shortest players in the CL
- All-star centre back of EHF EURO 2022 and key factor for Netherlands' successful tournament



LINE PLAYER

Luka Karabatic

@lukakarabatic

- team captain, who started career in Montpellier before moving to Aix and ultimately to PSG in 2015
- PSG are the third club where he plays alongside his older brother, Nikola
- two-time world champion with France; EHF EURO 2024 was his fifth ECh, having debuted in 2014 but missed the 2020 edition
- was a national-level tennis player until the age of 19 when he chose handball

EURO: G 2014, 2024, B 2018; OG: G 2020, S 2016; WCh: G 2015, G 2017, S 2023, B 2019



LINE PLAYER

Kamil Syprzak

@kamil_syprzak

- Polish international, moved from Plock to Barça in 2015 and to PSG four years later
- scored a personal best 103 goals in CL 2022/23, after becoming PSG's main penalty shooter in 2021/22
- among the most experienced players, and also the tallest (207 cm) in the team
- scored Poland's winning goal against Spain (29:28) in the bronze medal match at the 2015 WCh

WCh: B 2015



RIGHT BACK

Kent Robin Tønnesen

@kente15

- internationally experienced player, who signed with PSG in 2023 after two seasons at Szeged
- had joined Szeged from rivals Veszprém two years earlier
- started his club career in Norway, at Haslum, before joining IK Sävehof in 2012 and Füchse Berlin in 2015
- made his debut for Norway in 2010 and has scored over 330 goals in 130 matches for the national team since

WCh: S 2017



RIGHT WING

Ferran Sole Sala

@ferransole14

- joined PSG in summer of 2020 after stints at Toulouse and Granollers
- made his CL debut aged 28 in 2020/21 season
- part of Spanish national team that won EHF EURO titles in 2018 and 2020; named best right wing of EHF EURO 2018 and WCh 2019 and 2021
- was top scorer of EHF Cup 2015/16, with 70 goals for Granollers

EURO: G 2018, 2020, S 2022; WCh: B 2021

2023/24
TOP SCORERS AFTER PLAY-OFFS



Kamil Syprzak

@kamil_syprzak

100 GOALS



Elohim Prandi

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77 GOALS



Luc Steins

@luc_steins

50 GOALS



Mathieu Grébille

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46 GOALS



Kent Robin Tønnesen

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43 GOALS

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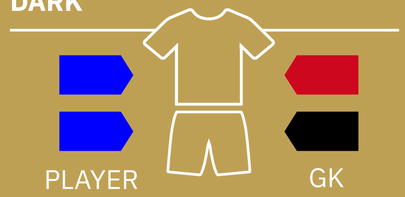


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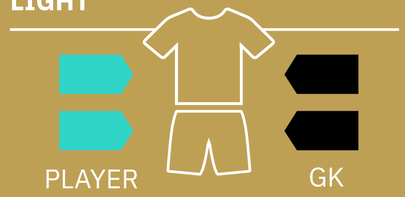
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KIT COLOURS

DARK



LIGHT



ROAD TO THE QUARTER–FINALS

FINAL STANDINGS GROUP B:

	MP PTS	*GD*
1. Magdeburg	14 - 24	+55
2. Barça	**14 - 22**	**+64**
3. Veszprém	14 - 20	+53
4. Montpellier	14 - 14	+15
5. GOG	14 - 13	-16
6. Plock	14 - 11	-10
7. Porto	14 - 8	-71
8. Celje	14 - 0	-90

PLAY-OFFS:
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QUARTER–FINALS



BARÇA

MAIN FACTS

- in their 26 previous EHF Champions League seasons, Barça made it at least to the semi-finals 19 times and won the trophy a record 10 times
- they surprisingly ended the 2023/24 group phase with two straight defeats – against Magdeburg and Montpellier; Barça have never lost more than two matches in a row in their long CL history
- Barça won their 31st Spanish title in 2024, including each year since 2011; they also won the domestic cup every year since 2014
- head coach Carlos Ortega is in his third season; he won the CL in his first year in charge for his seventh triumph, after winning it six times as a player in the past

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League
Participations (including 2022/24 season): 27
Winners (10): 1995/96, 1996/97, 1997/98, 1998/99, 1999/00, 2004/05, 2010/11, 2014/15, 2020/21, 2021/22
Runners-up (4): 2000/01, 2009/10, 2012/13, 2019/20
Semi-finals (5): 2007/08, 2013/14, 2016/17, 2018/19, 2022/23
Quarter-finals (4): 2005/06, 2006/07, 2011/12, 2015/16
Last 16 (2): 2003/04, 2017/18
Main Round (1): 2008/09
Other
EHF Cup: Winners 2002/03, Runners-up 2001/02
Cup Winners' Cup: Winners 1993/94, 1994/95
Spanish league: 31 titles (1969, 1973, 1980, 1982, 1986, 1988-92, 1996-2000, 2003, 2006, 2011-24)
Spanish cup: 27 titles (1969, 1972-73, 1983-85, 1988, 1990, 1993-94, 1997-2000, 2004, 2007, 2009-10, 2014-2023)

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
1995/96 FC Barcelona ESP	8	5	2	1	213:173		+40	12:4	Winner
1996/97 FC Barcelona ESP	12	10	1	1	358:264		+94	21:3	Winner
1997/98 FC Barcelona ESP	12	9	1	2	358:284		+74	19:5	Winner
1998/99 FC Barcelona ESP	12	8	3	1	357:289		+68	19:5	Winner
1999/00 FC Barcelona ESP	12	10	0	2	345:271		+74	20:4	Winner
2000/01 FC Barcelona ESP	12	8	2	2	316:281		+35	18:6	Runner-up
2003/04 FC Barcelona ESP	8	5	1	2	262:212		+50	11:5	Last 16
2004/05 FC Barcelona Cifec ESP	14	8	0	6	400:360		+40	16:12	Winner
2005/06 FC Barcelona-Cifec ESP	10	9	0	1	293:244		+49	18:2	Quarter-final
2006/07 FC Barcelona-Cifec ESP	10	8	0	2	314:263		+51	16:4	Quarter-final
2007/08 FC Barcelona ESP	14	11	0	3	475:407		+68	22:6	Semi-final
2008/09 FC Barcelona Borges ESP	10	6	0	4	307:275		+32	12:8	3rd MR Gr. 4
2009/10 FC Barcelona Borges ESP	16	13	1	2	545:461		+84	27:5	Runner-up
2010/11 FC Barcelona Borges ESP	16	10	3	3	501:451		+50	23:9	Winner
2011/12 FC Barcelona Intersport ESP	14	11	0	3	459:357		+102	22:6	Quarter-final
2012/13 FC Barcelona Intersport ESP	16	13	0	3	488:404		+84	26:6	Runner-up
2013/14 FC Barcelona ESP	16	12	1	3	535:546		+109	25:7	Third Place

EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2014/15 FC Barcelona ESP	16	14	1	1	527	408	+119	29:3	Winner
2015/16 FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	16	12	1	3	480	431	+49	25:7	Quarter-final
2016/17 FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	18	13	1	4	517	460	+57	27:9	Fourth Place
2017/18 FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	16	10	2	4	463	433	+30	22:10	Last 16
2018/19 Barça Lassa ESP	18	15	0	3	614	506	+108	30:6	Third Place
2019/20 Barça ESP	16	14	0	2	550	445	+105	28:4	Runner-up
2020/21 Barça ESP	20	20	0	0	721	562	+159	40:0	Winner
2021/22 Barça ESP	18	13	2	3	551	487	+64	28:8	Winner
2022/23 Barça ESP	18	16	1	1	633	536	+97	33:3	Runner-up
2023/24 Barça ESP	14	11	0	3	473	409	+64	22:6	
Total:	**382**	**294**	**23**	**65**	**12,055**	**10,099**	**+1,956**	**611:153**	



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

22 MATCHES
Longest winning run

25 MATCHES
Longest unbeaten run

46 GOALS
Most goals

Biggest win	17:43 (9:21) v HC Bosna BH Gas Sarajevo BIH (a), 19.11.2011
Biggest defeat	31:21 (13:10) v SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER (a), 23.02.2007
	41:31 (20:15) v THW Kiel GER (a), 06.04.2008
Longest winning run	22 matches (21.09.2019 – 28.12.2020)
Longest unbeaten run	25 matches (02.12.2021 – 18.05.2023)
Longest losing run	2 matches (10 times)
Longest run without win	3 matches (30.05.2010 – 03.10.2010)
	3 matches (03.06.2017 – 17.09.2017)
	3 matches (28.10.2021 – 24.11.2021)
Most goals	46 v KIF Kolding DEN 46:36W (h), 17.10.2009
	46 v Elverum Handball NOR 30:46W (a), 06.10.2022
Most goals opponent	41 v THW Kiel GER 41:31L (a), 06.04.2008
	41 v SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER 39:41L (n), 31.05.2014
	41 v Telekom Veszprém HC HUN 36:41L (h), 26.10.2023
Most goals both teams	82 v KIF Kolding DEN 46:36W (h), 17.10.2009
Fewest goals	21 (five matches)
Fewest goals opponent	11 v Aalborg Handball DEN 11:31W (a), 15.03.2015
Fewest goals both teams	38 v Elgorriaga Bidasoa ESP 23:15W (h), 20.04.1996
	38 v Vardar Vatrost. Skopje MKD 12:26W (a), 06.11.2004

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
1	Gonzalo	Pérez de Vargas	ESP	Goalkeeper	10/01/1991	Toledo, ESP	188
6	Pol	Valera	ESP	Centre back	19/08/1998	La Garriga, ESP	179
9	Jonathan	Carlsbogard	SWE	Left back	19/04/1995	Gothenburg, SWE	195
10	**Dika**	**Mem C**	**FRA**	**Right back**	**31/08/1997**	**Paris, FRA**	**194**
11	Jaime	Gallego	ESP	Line player	10/12/2001	Madrid, ESP	199
12	Emil	Nielsen	DEN	Goalkeeper	10/03/1997	Aarhus, DEN	195
13	Aitor	Ariño	ESP	Left wing	05/10/1992	Penarth, WAL	184
15	Hampus	Wanne	SWE	Left wing	10/12/1993	Gothenburg, SWE	185
18	Blaz	Janc	SLO	Right wing	20/11/1996	Brezice, SLO	185
19	Timothey	N'guessan	FRA	Left back	18/09/1992	Massy, FRA	195
20	Aleix	Gómez	ESP	Right wing	07/05/1997	Sabadell, ESP	183
21	Filip	Saric	BIH	Goalkeeper	08/10/2004	Madrid, ESP	195
22	Thiagus	Petrus	BRA	Defender	25/01/1989	Juiz de Fora, BRA	199
23	Oriol	Zarzuela	ESP	Right wing	12/08/2002	Cardedeu, ESP	180
24	Djordje	Cikusa i Jelicic	ESP	Right back	08/12/2005	Bordils, Girona, ESP	191
35	Domen	Makuc	SLO	Line player	01/07/2000	Celje, SLO	188
37	Haniel	Langaro	BRA	Right back	07/03/1995	Umuarama, BRA	196
66	Melvyn	Richardson	FRA	Right back	31/01/1997	Marseille, FRA	190
82	Luis	Frade	POR	Line player	11/09/1998	Rio Tinto, POR	193
83	Ian	Barrufet	ESP	Right wing	19/05/2004	Teia, ESP	198
88	Petar	Cikusa i Jelicic	ESP	Right back	08/12/2005	Bordils, ESP	185
99	Javier	Rodríguez	ESP	Line player	22/07/2002	Madrid, ESP	200



COACH



Carlos Ortega

- > former Spanish international, who took over at Barça in 2021 from the legendary Xavi Pascual
- > successfully defended the CL trophy with Barça in 2021/22 for his first international trophy as a coach
- > started coaching in 2005; worked at Veszprém, Kolding, and Hannover
- > playing as a right back and wing, Ortega won the EHF Champions League six times in his 11 years with Barça
- > scored more than 500 goals for the Spanish national team

CL: 1996-2000, 2005 (as player), 2022 (as coach); CWC 1995; EC 2003
OG: B 2000; EURO: S 1998, B 2000 (all as player)

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

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ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

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GOALKEEPER

Gonzalo Pérez de Vargas

@perezdvargas

- was formed in Barcelona; returned to the club in 2014 after stints with Granollers and Toulouse
- won his fourth CL title in 2021/22
- will play one more season for Barça before joining Kiel in summer of 2025
- represented Spain in all age categories; in senior team, forms duo with Veszprém's Rodrigo Corrales
- was medallist at five consecutive EHF EUROs (2014-22) but that series ended when Spain finished only 13th at the 2024 edition

CL 2011, 2015, 2021, 2022
OG: B 2020; EURO: G 2018, 2020, S 2022, 2016, B 2014; WCh: B 2021, 2023



GOALKEEPER

Emil Nielsen

@emilnielsen97

- Danish international, who arrived at Barça in 2022 after three seasons with HBC Nantes in France
- started career at Aarhus and Skjern
- made international headlines in March 2018 when his spectacular saves helped Skjern upset Veszprém to reach the CL quarter-finals
- Danish international since 2018, forms duo with Niklas Landin
- his 39.49% was the best save rate of all goalkeepers at EHF EURO 2024, where Denmark took silver

WCh: G 2021; EURO: S 2024



LEFT WING

Hampus Wanne

@hampusw

- Swedish wing, who left Flensburg after nine years in 2022 to join Barça
- scored decisive penalty for Flensburg in shoot-out against Barça in legendary CL 2013/14 semi-final
- made All-star Team of CL 2021/22, also named best left wing after EHF EURO 2024
- has scored nearly 400 goals for Sweden since his debut in 2017
- married to former Swedish international Daniela Gustin

CL: 2014
EURO: G 2022, S 2018, B 2024; WCh: S 2021



LEFT BACK

Timothey N'guessan

@timothe19

- French international, who arrived at Barça in the summer of 2016 from his only previous club, Chambéry
- scored 41 goals for Barça on their way to the CL title in 2021/22
- struggled with injuries and missed EHF EURO 2020, but got back his best in the following seasons, winning two CL titles with Barça and Olympic and EHF EURO gold with France
- has scored more than 210 goals for France since his debut in 2013

CL: 2021, 2022
OG: G 2020, S 2016; WCh: G 2017, B 2019; EURO: G 2024, B 2018



LINE PLAYER

Luís Frade

@frade_98

- Portuguese international, who joined Barça from Sporting CP in 2020
- son of a rugby and a basketball player, he only picked up handball at age 14
- joined Águas Santas as a youth player, switched to Sporting in 2018
- led Portugal to fourth place at 2019 Junior WCh and made All-star Team
- regular in Portuguese senior national team; EHF EURO 2020 was his first major event

CL: 2021, 2022



RIGHT BACK

Melvyn Richardson

@melvyn_richardson

- French international, who joined Barça in 2021 from Montpellier HB
- son of Jackson Richardson, who won the CL in 2000/01 with Portland San Antonio — 17 years before Melvyn repeated the feat with Montpellier
- Melvyn won his second CL trophy four years later with Barça
- played for the first time with the French national team in June 2017
- won gold at Tokyo 2020 Olympic and at EHF EURO 2024

CL: 2018, 2022
OG: G 2020; WCh: S 2023, B 2019; EURO: G 2024



RIGHT BACK

Dika Mem

@dikamem

- French international, who joined from Tremblay in France in 2016 at age 19
- Barça's team captain since 2023/24
- contributed massively to Barça's back-to-back CL wins, scoring 93 goals in 2020/21 and 100 in 2021/22
- regularly appears in CL All-star Teams
- completed hat-trick of major titles with France in 2024 by winning the EHF EURO; earlier won gold at the 2020 Olympics and the 2017 WCh
- strong shooter with exceptional athletic skills

CL 2021, 2022
OG: G 2020; WCh: G 2017, S 2023, B 2019;
EURO: G 2024, B 2018



RIGHT WING

Aleix Gómez

@aleixgomez11

- came through club's youth ranks as a young talent since 2009
- CL top scorer in 2021/22 after netting 22 times at the EHF FINAL4 and raising his season tally to 104
- also played key role in Barça's CL win in 2020/21, contributing 92 goals
- since 2023, he is the EHF FINAL4 all-time top scorer with 70 goals
- previously shared right wing position with club icon Víctor Tomás, who retired in 2020

CL: 2021, 2022
OG: B 2020; WCh: B 2021; EURO: G2020, S 2022

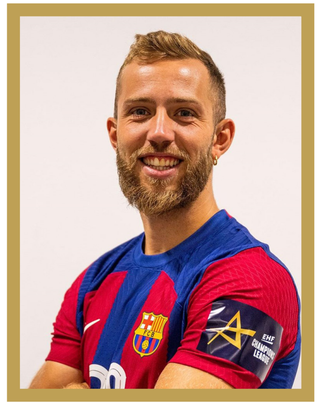
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TOP SCORERS AFTER GROUP PHASE



Dika Mem

@dikamem

82 GOALS



Aleix Gómez

@aleixgomez11

68 GOALS



Luís Frade

@frade_98

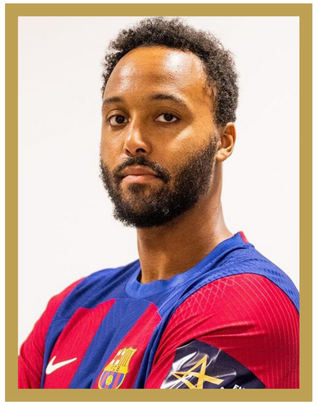
58 GOALS



Melvyn Richardson

@melvyn_richardson

49 GOALS



Timothey N’guessan

@timoute19

39 GOALS

Industria Kielce vs SC Magdeburg	**0-0-1 (29:30)**	**0:2**
18.06.2023	SC Magdeburg vs Barlinek Industria Kielce, TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 – Final	30:29 (13:15, 26:26)

Montpellier HB vs THW Kiel	**2-0-8 (273:301)**	**4:16**
31.10.1999	Montpellier HB vs THW Kiel, EHF Champions League – Group A	19:23 (8:12)
28.11.1999	THW Kiel vs Montpellier HB, EHF Champions League – Group A	24:18 (12:6)
29.09.2007	Montpellier HB vs THW Kiel, EHF Champions League – Group B	32:34 (12:20)
15.11.2007	THW Kiel vs Montpellier HB, EHF Champions League – Group B	32:24 (18:14)
09.10.2011	THW Kiel vs Montpellier Agglomeration HB, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group D	23:24 (14:10)
04.12.2011	Montpellier Agglomeration HB vs THW Kiel, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group D	31:34 (17:16)
19.10.2019	Montpellier HB vs THW Kiel, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group B	30:33 (16:17)
30.11.2019	THW Kiel vs Montpellier HB, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group B	33:32 (16:19)
30.09.2021	Montpellier HB vs THW Kiel, EHF Champions League – Group A	37:30 (18:14)
23.02.2022	THW Kiel vs Montpellier HB, EHF Champions League – Group A	35:26 (19:13)

Telekom Veszprém HC vs Aalborg Håndbold	**3-0-3 (190:178)**	**6:6**
04.11.2017	Telekom Veszprém HC vs Aalborg Handbold, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group B	30:24 (16:10)
26.11.2017	Aalborg Handbold vs Telekom Veszprém HC, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group B	29:26 (14:13)
18.11.2020	Aalborg Håndbold vs Telekom Veszprém HC, EHF Champions League – Group B	27:33 (18:16)
25.11.2020	Telekom Veszprém HC vs Aalborg Håndbold, EHF Champions League – Group B	30:32 (16:19)
12.05.2022	Telekom Veszprém HC vs Aalborg Håndbold, EHF Champions League – Quarter-final	36:29 (17:16)
18.05.2022	Aalborg Håndbold vs Telekom Veszprém HC, EHF Champions League – Quarter-final	37:35 (20:21)

Paris Saint-Germain Handball vs Barça	**1-1-8 (304:335)**	**3:17**
20.10.2013	PSG Handball vs FC Barcelona, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group C	29:33 (17:17)
15.02.2014	FC Barcelona vs PSG Handball, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group C	38:28 (19:9)
12.11.2016	Paris Saint-Germain Handball vs FC Barcelona Lassa, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group A	33:26 (15:12)
03.12.2016	FC Barcelona Lassa vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group A	35:32 (14:14)
19.10.2019	Barça vs Paris Saint-Germain HB, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group A	36:32 (19:15)
01.12.2019	Paris Saint-Germain HB vs Barça, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group A	32:35 (17:16)
28.12.2020	Barça vs Paris Saint-Germain HB, VELUX EHF FINAL4 – Semi-final	37:32 (18:14)
21.10.2021	Barça vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball, EHF Champions League – Group B	30:27 (13:13)
09.12.2021	Paris Saint-Germain Handball vs Barça, EHF Champions League – Group B	28:28 (17:15)
18.06.2023	Barça vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball, TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 – 3/4 Placement	37:31 (22:13)

HISTORY





100 GOALS

KAMIL SYPRZAK

Paris Saint-Germain Handball

Rank	Player	Club	Goals
1	**Kamil Syprzak (POL)**	**Paris Saint-Germain Handball (FRA)**	**100**
2	Emil Madsen (DEN)	GOG (DEN)	98
3	Aaron Mensing (DEN)	GOG (DEN)	93
4	Mario Sostaric (CRO)	OTP Bank - Pick Szeged (HUN)	88
5	Mitja Janc (SLO)	RK Celje Pivovarna Laško (SLO)	87
6	**Dika Mem (FRA)**	**Barça (ESP)**	**82**
7	**Niclas Ekberg (SWE)**	**THW Kiel (GER)**	**80**
8	Sigvaldi Gudjonsson (ISL)	Kolstad Handball (NOR)	79
9	**Nedim Remili (FRA)**	**Telekom Veszprém HC (HUN)**	**78**
10	**Elohim Prandi (FRA)**	**Paris Saint-Germain Handball (FRA)**	**77**
11	Tin Lucin (CRO)	Orlen Wisla Plock (POL)	76
12	**Ómar Ingi Magnússon (ISL)**	**SC Magdeburg (GER)**	**75**
13	Sander Sagosen (NOR)	Kolstad Handball (NOR)	73
14	**Mads Hoxer (DEN)**	**Aalborg Håndbold (DEN)**	**69**
15	**Aleix Goméz (ESP)**	**Barça (ESP)**	**68**
16	**Sebastian Karlsson (SWE)**	**Montpellier HB (FRA)**	**67**
	Bryan Monte (BRA)	**Montpellier HB (FRA)**	**67**
18	**Felix Claar (SWE)**	**SC Magdeburg (GER)**	**64**
	Alex Dujshebaev (ESP)	**Industria Kielce (POL)**	**64**
20	**Ludovic Fabregas (FRA)**	**Telekom Veszprém HC (HUN)**	**63**
	Mikkel Hansen (DEN)	**Aalborg Håndbold (DEN)**	**63**
22	Alexander Blonz (NOR)	GOG (DEN)	61
	Dylan Nahi (FRA)	**Industria Kielce (POL)**	**61**
24	Nikolaj Læsø (DEN)	FC Porto (POR)	60

- last updated: 4 April 2024 (after 2023/24 play-offs)
*- **bold** = part of 2023/24 quarter-finals*

Round	Goalkeeper	Left wing	Left back	Centre back	Line player	Right back	Right wing	Defender	MVP
1	Torbjørn Bergerud Kolstad Handball	Adrian Aalberg Kolstad Handball	Szymon Sicko Industria Kielce	Nedim Remili Telekom Veszprém	Patrick Wiencek THW Kiel	Dika Mem Barça	Sigvaldi Gudjonsson Kolstad Handball	Victor Iturriza FC Porto	Dika Mem Barça
2	Emil Nielsen Barça	Diogo Branquinho FC Porto	Gøran Johannessen Kolstad Handball	Morten Olsen GOG	Nicolas Tournat Industria Kielce	Dika Mem Barça	Mikita Vailupau Telekom Veszprém	Thiagus Petrus Barça	Emil Nielsen Barça
3	Matej Mandic HC Zagreb	Mathias Musche SC Magdeburg	Ahmed Hesham Montpellier HB	Nicolai Pedersen GOG	Luis Frade Barça	Yoel Cuni Morales HC Zagreb	Mario Sostaric OTP Bank-Pick Szeged	Magnus Saugstrup SC Magdeburg	Ahmed Hesham Montpellier HB
4	Torbjørn Bergerud Kolstad Handball	Bjarki Mar Elisson Telekom Veszprém	Bryan Monte Montpellier HB	Felix Claar SC Magdeburg	Nicolas Tournat Industria Kielce	Nedim Remili Telekom Veszprém	Tim Cokan RK Celje Pivovarna Laško	Hendrik Pekeler THW Kiel	Nedim Remili Telekom Veszprém
5	Tobias Thulin GOG	Dylan Nahi Industria Kielce	Sander Sagosen Kolstad Handball	Luc Steins PSG Handball	Kamil Syprzak PSG Handball	Emil Madsen GOG	Sigvaldi Gudjonsson Kolstad Handball	Nedim Remili Telekom Veszprém	Sander Sagosen Kolstad Handball
6	Nikola Mitrevski FC Porto	Mathias Musche SC Magdeburg	Sander Sagosen Kolstad Handball	Elias Ellefsen à Skipagøtu/THW Kiel	Ludovic Fabregas Telekom Veszprém	Mads Hoxer Aalborg Håndbold	Sebastian Karlsson Montpellier HB	Matej Gaber OTP Bank-Pick Szeged	Ludovic Fabregas Telekom Veszprém
7	Niklas Landin Aalborg Handbold	Hugo Descat Telekom Veszprém	Michael Damgaard SC Magdeburg	Sander Sagosen Kolstad Handball	Magnus Saugstrup SC Magdeburg	Magnus Rød Kolstad Handball	Sebastian Karlsson Montpellier HB	Henrik Mølgaard Aalborg Håndbold	Magnus Rød Kolstad Handball
8	Nikola Portner SC Magdeburg	Lucas Pellas Montpellier HB	Elohim Prandi PSG Handball	Sander Sagosen Kolstad Handball	Luis Frade Barça	Luka Stepancic OTP-Bank Pick Szeged	Aleix Gómez Barça	Magnus Saugstrup SC Magdeburg	Nikola Portner SC Magdeburg
9	Gonzalo Pérez de Vargas / Barça	Mathieu Grébille PSG Handball	Tin Lucin Orlen Wisla Plock	Haukur Thrastarson Industria Kielce	Ludovic Fabregas Telekom Veszprém	Mads Hoxer Aalborg Håndbold	Oskar Vind GOG	Hendrik Pekeler THW Kiel	Gonzalo Pérez de Vargas / Barça
10	Matej Mandic HC Zagreb	Lukas Mertens SC Magdeburg	Tin Lucin Orlen Wisla Plock	Luc Steins PSG Handball	Luis Frade Barça	Melvyn Richardson Barça	Niklas Ekberg THW Kiel	Imanol Garciandia OTP Bank-Pick Szeged	Tin Lucin Orlen Wisla Plock
11	Emil Nielsen Barça	Lukas Mertens SC Magdeburg	Eric Johansson THW Kiel	Mikkel Hansen Aalborg Handbold	Bence Banhidi OTP Bank-Pick Szeged	Alex Dujshebaev Industria Kielce	Niklas Ekberg THW Kiel	Karl Konan Montpellier HB	Bence Banhidi OTP Bank-Pick Szeged
12	Andreas Palicka PSG Handball	Lukas Mertens SC Magdeburg	Aaron Mensing GOG	Elias Ellefsen à Skipagøtu/THW Kiel	Kamil Syprzak PSG Handball	Omar Ingi Magnusson SC Magdeburg	Aleix Gómez Barça	Luka Karabatic PSG Handball	Andreas Palicka PSG Handball
13	Andreas Wolff Industria Kielce	Alexander Blonz GOG	Eric Johansson THW Kiel	Gisli Kristjansson SC Magdeburg	Luis Frade Barça	Luka Lovre Klarica HC Zagreb	Antonio Areia FC Porto	Hendrik Pekeler THW Kiel	Luka Lovre Klarica HC Zagreb
14	Sergey Hernández SC Magdeburg	Jaime Ferrnandez Montpellier HB	Bryan Monte Montpellier HB	Felix Claar SC Magdeburg	Kamil Syprzak PSG Handball	Mads Hoxer Aalborg Håndbold	Niklas Ekberg THW Kiel	Henrik Mølgaard Aalborg Håndbold	Sergey Hernández SC Magdeburg
Play-offs, leg 1	Andreas Wolff Industria Kielce	Hugo Descat Telekom Veszprém	Elohim Prandi PSG Handball	Diego Simonet Montpellier HB	Kamil Syprzak PSG Handball	Alex Dujshebaev Industria Kielce	Mikita Vailupau Telekom Veszprém	Dylan Nahi Industria Kielce	Elohim Prandi PSG Handball
Play-offs, leg 2	Andreas Wolff Industria Kielce	Bjarki Mar Elisson Telekom Veszprém	Elohim Prandi PSG Handball	Miguel Martins OTP Bank-Pick Szeged	Kamil Syprzak PSG Handball	Alex Dujshebaev Industria Kielce	Mikita Vailupau Telekom Veszprém	Karl Konan Montpellier HB	Elohim Prandi PSG Handball



107 GOALS

EMIL MADSEN

GOG

Season	Player	Club	Goals
2022/23	Emil Madsen (DEN)	GOG (DEN)	**107**
2021/22	Aleix Gómez (ESP)	Barça (ESP)	**104**
2020/21	Valero Rivera (ESP)	HBC Nantes (FRA)	**95**
2019/20	Niclas Ekberg (SWE)	THW Kiel (GER)	**85**
2018/19	Alex Dujshebaev (ESP)	PGE Vive Kielce (POL)	**99**
2017/18	Uwe Gensheimer (GER)	Paris Saint-Germain HB (FRA)	**92**
2016/17	Uwe Gensheimer (GER)	Paris Saint-Germain HB (FRA)	**115**
2015/16	Mikkel Hansen (DEN)	Paris Saint-Germain HB (FRA)	**141**
2014/15	Momir Ilić (SRB)	Telekom Veszprém HC (HUN)	**114**
2013/14	Momir Ilić (SRB)	Telekom Veszprém HC (HUN)	**103**
2012/13	Hans Lindberg (DEN)	HSV Hamburg (GER)	**101**
2011/12	Mikkel Hansen (DEN)	AG København (DEN)	**98**
2010/11	Uwe Gensheimer (GER)	Rhein-Neckar Löwen (GER)	**118**
2009/10	Filip Jicha (CZE)	THW Kiel (GER)	**119**



1,482 GOALS

KIRIL LAZAROV

retired / last club: HBC Nantes

Club of 1,000	Player	Current / last club	Goals*
1.	Kiril Lazarov (MKD)	retired / HBC Nantes (FRA)	**1,482**
2.	Nikola Karabatic (FRA)	Paris Saint-Germain HB (FRA)	**1,196**
3.	Timur Dibirov (RUS)	HC Zagreb (CRO)	**1,164**
4.	Mikkel Hansen (DEN)	Aalborg Håndbold (DEN)	**1,120**

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10 TITLES

BARÇA (ESP)



4 TITLES

THW KIEL (GER)



3 TITLES

CIUDAD REAL (ESP)

Season	Champions	Runners-up	Result*
2022/23	**SC Magdeburg (GER)**	Kielce (POL)	30:29 after overtime
2021/22	**FC Barcelona (ESP)**	Kielce (POL)	37:35 after shootout
2020/21	**FC Barcelona (ESP)**	Aalborg Håndbold (DEN)	36:23
2019/20	**THW Kiel (GER)**	FC Barcelona (ESP)	33:28
2018/19	**HC Vardar (MKD)**	Veszprém HC (HUN)	27:24
2017/18	**Montpellier HB (FRA)**	HBC Nantes (FRA)	32:26
2016/17	**HC Vardar (MKD)**	Paris Saint-Germain HB (FRA)	24:23
2015/16	**Kielce (POL)**	Veszprém HC (HUN)	39:38 after shootout
2014/15	**FC Barcelona (ESP)**	Veszprém HC (HUN)	28:23
2013/14	**SG Flensburg-Handewitt (GER)**	THW Kiel (GER)	30:28
2012/13	**HSV Hamburg (GER)**	FC Barcelona (ESP)	30:29 after overtime
2011/12	**THW Kiel (GER)**	Atlético de Madrid (ESP)	26:21
2010/11	**FC Barcelona (ESP)**	Ciudad Real (ESP)	27:24
2009/10	**THW Kiel (GER)**	FC Barcelona (ESP)	36:34
2008/09	**Ciudad Real (ESP)**	THW Kiel (GER)	67:66 (34:39/33:27)
2007/08	**Ciudad Real (ESP)**	THW Kiel (GER)	58:54 (27:29/31:25)
2006/07	**THW Kiel (GER)**	SG Flensburg-Handewitt (GER)	57:55 (28:28/29:27)
2005/06	**Ciudad Real (ESP)**	Portland San Antonio (ESP)	62:47 (25:19/37:28)
2004/05	**FC Barcelona (ESP)**	Ciudad Real (ESP)	56:55 (27:28/29:27)
2003/04	**RK Celje (SLO)**	SG Flensburg-Handewitt (GER)	62:58 (34:28/28:30)
2002/03	**Montpellier HB (FRA)**	Portland San Antonio (ESP)	50:46 (19:27/31:19)
2001/02	**SC Magdeburg (GER)**	Veszprém HC (HUN)	51:48 (21:23/30:25)
2000/01	**Portland San Antonio (ESP)**	FC Barcelona (ESP)	52:49 (30:24/22:25)
1999/00	**FC Barcelona (ESP)**	THW Kiel (GER)	54:52 (25:28/29:24)
1998/99	**FC Barcelona (ESP)**	Zagreb (CRO)	51:40 (22:22/29:18)
1997/98	**FC Barcelona (ESP)**	Zagreb (CRO)	56:40 (28:18/28:22)
1996/97	**FC Barcelona (ESP)**	Zagreb (CRO)	61:45 (31:22/30:23)
1995/96	**FC Barcelona (ESP)**	Elgorriaga Bidasoa (ESP)	46:38 (23:15/23:23)
1994/95	**Elgorriaga Bidasoa (ESP)**	Zagreb (CRO)	56:47 (30:20/26:27)
1993/94	**Teka Santander (ESP)**	ABC Braga (POR)	45:43 (22:22/23:21)

** from 1994-2009: two-leg final with home and away matches; since 2010: one final match at EHF FINAL4 in Cologne*



7 TITLES

CARLOS ORTEGA

Barça

Titles/clubs	Player	Clubs
7 / 1	**Carlos Ortega (ESP)**	Barcelona (ESP) *[six times as player, once as coach]*
7 / 2	Andrei Xepkin (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP), Kiel (GER)
6 / 1	David Barrufet (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP)
	Xavier O'Callaghan (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP)
6 / 2	Tomas Svensson (SWE)	Irun (ESP), Barcelona (ESP)
6 / 3	Siarhei Rutenka (BLR)	Celje (SLO), Ciudad Real (ESP), Barceloa (ESP)
5 / 1	Enric Masip (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP)
	Inaki Urdangarin (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP)
	Rafael Guijosa (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP)
5 / 2	Mateo Garralda (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP), San Antonio (ESP)
5 / 3	**Talant Dujshebaev (ESP)**	Santander (ESP) *[once as player]*, Ciudad Real (ESP) *[three times as coach]*, Kielce (POL) *[once as coach]*
	Jose Javier Hombrados (ESP)	Santander (ESP), San Antonio (ESP), Ciudad Real (ESP)
4 / 1	**Aitor Ariño (ESP)**	Barcelona (ESP)
	Gonzalo Pérez de Vargas (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP)
4 / 2	Arpad Sterbik (ESP)	Ciudad Real (ESP), Vardar (MKD)
	Didier Dinart (FRA)	Montpellier (FRA), Ciudad Real (ESP)
	Fernando Barbeito (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP), San Antonio (ESP)
	Olafur Stefansson (SWE)	Magdeburg (GER), Ciudad Real (ESP)
	Thierry Omeyer (FRA)	Montpellier (FRA), Kiel (GER)
4 / 3	Uros Zorman (SLO)	Celje (SLO), Ciudad Real (ESP), Kielce (POL)
3	25 players, including **Ludovic Fabregas (FRA)**, **Nikola Karabatic (FRA)**, and **Filip Jicha (CZE)**	

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*- **bold** = part of 2023/24 quarter-finals*

TR	Club	MP	W	D	L	GF:FA	GD	P	NP	%
1	**Barça ESP**	**382**	**294**	**23**	**65**	**12,055:10,099**	**+1,956**	**611:153**	**(27)**	**79.97**
2	**Telekom Veszprém HC HUN**	**366**	**242**	**21**	**103**	**10,935:9,886**	**+1,049**	**505:227**	**(28)**	**68,99**
3	**THW Kiel GER**	**360**	**234**	**29**	**97**	**10,955:9,843**	**+1,112**	**497:223**	**(26)**	**69.03**
4	SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER	252	146	21	85	7,250:6,828	+422	313:191	(17)	62.10
5	**Industria Kielce POL**	**246**	**144**	**22**	**80**	**7,440:7,079**	**+361**	**310:182**	**(17)**	**63.01**
6	**Montpellier HB FRA**	**266**	**144**	**20**	**102**	**7,652:7,325**	**+327**	**308:224**	**(22)**	**57.89**
7	HC Zagreb CRO	346	133	38	175	8,968:9,211	-243	304:388	(30)	43.93
8	**Paris Saint-Germain HB FRA**	**202**	**135**	**13**	**54**	**6,186:5,636**	**+550**	**283:121**	**(13)**	**70,05**
9	OTP Bank - PICK Szeged HUN	264	123	22	119	7,355:7,366	-11	268:260	(21)	50.76
10	RK Celje Pivovarna Laško SLO	288	120	15	153	8,137:8,218	-81	255:321	(25)	44.27
11	BM Atletico Madrid ESP	144	111	5	28	4,502:3,803	+699	227:61	(10)	78.82
12	HC Vardar 1961 MKD	188	83	21	84	5,144:5,241	-97	187:189	(15)	49.73
13	Chekhovskie medvedi RUS	176	75	18	83	5,250:5,200	+50	168:184	(18)	47.73
14	Rhein-Neckar Löwen GER	134	72	17	45	3,971:3,774	+197	161:107	(9)	60.08
15	HSV Hamburg GER	98	68	9	21	3,088:2,670	+418	145:51	(7)	73.98
16	Portland San Antonio ESP	100	64	6	30	2,929:2,594	+335	134:66	(9)	67.00
17	Abanca Ademar Leon ESP	122	61	8	53	3,440:3,386	+54	130:114	(12)	53.28

18	Orlen Wisla Plock POL	170	54	15	101	4,515:4,808	-293	123:217	(15)	36.18
19	**Aalborg Håndbold DEN**	**128**	**54**	**11**	**63**	**3,711:3,769**	**-58**	**119:137**	**(9)**	**46.48**
20	KIF Kolding Kobenhavn DEN	118	54	9	55	3,330:3,361	-31	117:119	(12)	49.58
21	HC Motor UKR	120	48	11	61	3,394:3,511	-117	107:133	(9)	44.58
22	**SC Magdeburg GER**	**72**	**48**	**6**	**18**	**2,180:1,998**	**+182**	**102:42**	**(6)**	**70.83**
23	HBC Nantes FRA	88	42	14	32	2,649:2,534	+115	98:78	(5)	55.68
24	HC Meshkov Brest BLR	142	40	14	88	3,842:4,134	-292	94:190	(12)	33.10
25	GOG DEN	106	41	8	57	3,137:3,226	-89	90:122	(11)	42.45
27	FC Porto POR	94	31	10	53	2,601:2,761	-160	72:116	(7)	38.30
67	Kolstad Handball NOR	14	5	1	8	393:401	-8	11:17	(1)	39.29
115	HC Eurofarm Pelister MKD	20	1	0	19	472:612	-140	2:38	(2)	5.00

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- (x) = number of seasons played (including 2023/24)
- x% = winning percentage
*- **bold** = part of 2023/24 quarter-finals*

Biggest win:

31 HSV Hamburg GER @ Fyllingen Handball NOR 17:48 (10:25), 14.11.2009

29 ZTR Zaporozhye UKR @ AS Conversano 2003 ITA 12:41 (5:19), 29.11.2003

26 Montpellier HB FRA vs AC PAOK GRE 46:20 (26:9), 04.10.2009

26 FC Barcelona Intersport ESP @ HC Bosna BH Gas Sarajevo BIH 17:43 (9:21), 19.11.2011

25 FC Barcelona ESP vs Hapoel Rishon Le Zion ISR 42:17 (18:10), 15.11.1997

25 Kadetten Schaffhausen SUI vs HC Bosna BH Gas Sarajevo BIH 43:18 (23:8), 09.02.2012

Biggest home win:

26 Montpellier HB FRA vs AC PAOK GRE 46:20 (26:9), 04.10.2009

25 FC Barcelona ESP vs Hapoel Rishon Le Zion ISR 42:17 (18:10), 15.11.1997

25 Kadetten Schaffhausen SUI vs HC Bosna BH Gas Sarajevo BIH 43:18 (23:8), 09.02.2012

24 BM Ciudad Real ESP vs AS Conversano 2003 ITA 38:14 (19:8), 22.11.2003

24 RK Zagreb CRO vs Pelister Bitola MKD 37:13 (23:5), 16.10.2005

24 PGE Vive Kielce POL vs Rhein-Neckar Löwen GER 41:17 (21:8), 24.03.2018

24 Barça ESP vs RK Celje Pivovarna Lasko SLO 45:21 (21:13), 21.09.2019

Biggest away win:

31 HSV Hamburg GER @ Fyllingen Handball NOR 17:48 (10:25), 14.11.2009

29 ZTR Zaporozhye UKR @ AS Conversano 2003 ITA 12:41 (5:19), 29.11.2003

26 FC Barcelona Intersport ESP @ HC Bosna BH Gas Sarajevo BIH 17:43 (9:21), 19.11.2011

24 THW Kiel GER @ HC Banik OKD Karvina CZE 26:50 (13:24), 22.10.2006

24 Chekhovskie Medvedi RUS @ AC PAOK GRE 22:46 (12:24), 03.03.2010

22 BM Ciudad Real ESP @ Fyllingen Handball NOR 17:39 (10:23), 06.03.2010

21 BM Ciudad Real ESP @ ASE Doukas GRE 21:42 (11:14), 18.10.2008

21 HSV Hamburg GER @ RK Partizan SRB 21:42 (10:24), 16.02.2013

Biggest lead at half-time:

18 RK Zagreb CRO vs Pelister Bitola MKD 37:13 (23:5), 16.10.2005

17 Montpellier HB FRA vs AC PAOK GRE 46:20 (26:9), 04.10.2009

15 KIF Kolding Elite A/S DEN vs Wisla Plock SA POL 35:18 (19:4), 07.10.2006

15 MKB Veszprém KC HUN vs HC Bosna BH Gas BIH 35:18 (22:7), 14.11.2009

15 HSV Hamburg GER @ Fyllingen Handball NOR 17:48 (10:25), 14.11.2009

15 Kadetten Schaffhausen SUI vs HC Bosna BH Gas Sarajevo BIH 43:18 (23:8), 09.02.2012

Most goals one team:

50 THW Kiel GER @ HC Banik OKD Karvina CZE 26:50 (13:24), 22.10.2006

48 HSV Hamburg GER @ Fyllingen Handball NOR 17:48 (10:25), 14.11.2009

47 THW Kiel GER vs CS HCM Constanta ROU 47:31 (24:18), 12.11.2006

47 Telekom Veszprém HC HUN vs CS Dinamo Bucuresti ROU 47:32 ((22:15), 02.12.2021

46 MKB Veszprém KC HUN vs MSK SIRS Povazska Bystrica SVK 46:26 (20:14), 07.10.2006

46 MKB Veszprém KC HUN @ MSK SIRS Povazska Bystrica SVK 30:46 (16:22), 21.10.2006

46 Montpellier HB FRA vs AC PAOK GRE 46:20 (26:9), 04.10.2009

46 FC Barcelona Borges ESP vs KIF Kolding DEN 46:36 (23:19), 17.10.2009

46 Chekhovskie Medvedi RUS @ AC PAOK GRE 22:46 (12:24), 03.03.2010

46 Barça ESP @ Elverum Handball NOR 30:46 (15:23), 06.10.2022

Most goals both teams:

82 FC Barcelona Borges ESP vs KIF Kolding DEN 46:36 (23:19), 17.10.2009

81 FC Barcelona ESP vs THW Kiel GER 44:37 (19:20), 13.04.2008

80* FC Barcelona ESP vs SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER 39:41 (17:18, 32:32, 36:36), 31.05.2014

** after shootout*

Fewest goals one team:

11 Aalborg Handball DEN vs FC Barcelona ESP 11:31 (5:16), 15.03.2015

12 AS Conversano 2003 ITA vs ZTR Zaporozhye UKR 12:41 (5:19), 29.11.2003

12 Vardar Vatrost. Skopje MKD vs FC Barcelona ESP 12:26 (8:15), 06.11.2004

13 THW Kiel GER @ Badel 1862 Zagreb CRO 22:13 (8:7), 25.03.2000

13 SO Chambery FRA @ Fotex KC Veszprém HUN 29:13 (13:5), 18.11.2001

13 Panellinios AC Athens GRE @ Fotex KC Veszprém HUN 19:13 (9:7), 17.11.2002

13 Pelister Bitola MKD @ RK Zagreb CRO 37:13 (23:5), 16.10.2005

13 Wisla Plock SA POL @ Chambery Savoie HB FRA 21:13 (10:7), 15.10.2006

Fewest goals both teams:

32 SG Wallau-Massenheim GER vs UHK West Wien AUT 17:15 (7:6), 20.03.1994

32 Fotex KC Veszprém HUN vs Panellinios AC Athens GRE 19:13 (9:7), 17.11.2002

33 Panellinios AC Athens GRE vs Fotex KC Veszprém HUN 16:17 (8:9), 30.11.2002

34 Chambery Savoie HB FRA vs Wisla Plock SA POL 21:13 (10:7), 15.10.2006

35 UHK West Wien AUT vs Celje 'Pivovarna Lasko' SLO 18:17 (6:10), 06.04.1994

35 Badel 1862 Zagreb CRO vs THW Kiel GER 22:13 (8:7), 25.03.2000

35 HC Metalurg MKD vs Elverum Handball NOR 18:17 (8:7), 24.09.2016

Biggest deficit overcome after losing first half to win a game:

-9 KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL @ HC Motor Zaporozhye UKR 27:28 (19:10), 18.02.2015

-7 HC Vardar MKD @ Barça Lassa ESP 27:29 (16:9), 01.06.2019

-7 FC Porto POR @ RK Celje Pivovarna Laško SLO 29:30 (16:9), 20.09.2023

-6 FC Porto Sofarma POR vs HC Meshkov Brest BLR 27:25 (9:15), 14.09.2019

Biggest deficit overcome after losing first half to draw a game:

-6 FC Barcelona ESP @ GOG Gudme DEN 22:22 (16:10), 14.02.1996

-6 HC Croatia Osiguranje-Zagreb CRO vs HC Vardar PRO MKD 28:28 (10:16), 07.10.2007

-6 Pevafersa Valladolid ESP vs Pick Szeged HUN 35:35 (13:19), 27.02.2010

-6 Naturhouse La Rioja ESP vs SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER 32:32 (13:19), 19.10.2013

-6 Orlen Wisla Plock POL @ THW Kiel GER 24:24 (15:9), 03.12.2016

-6 Rhein-Neckar Löwen GER vs FC Barcelona Lassa ESP 31:31 (12:18), 17.09.2017

-6 HC Motor Zaporozhye UKR vs HC Metalurg MKD 28:28 (12:18), 08.10.2017

Most goals one team in one half:

26 Kolding KIF DEN vs RK Partizan Belgrad SCG – 2nd half 42:26 (16:13), 12.10.2003

26 Montpellier HB FRA vs AS Conversano 2003 ITA – 2nd half 44:25 (18:14), 10.10.2004

26 MKB Veszprém KC HUN vs MSK SIRS Povazska Bystrica SVK – 2nd half 46:26 (20:14), 07.10.2006

26 GOG Svendborg TGI Gudme DEN vs HC Banik OKD Karvina CZE – 2nd half 45:32 (19:15), 15.10.2006

26 THW Kiel GER @ HC Banik OKD Karvina CZE – 2nd half 26:50 (13:24), 22.10.2006

25 FC Barcelona ESP vs Celje Pivovarna Lasko SLO – 2nd half 39:25 (14:14), 18.03.2000

25 FC Barcelona ESP vs THW Kiel GER – 2nd half 44:37 (19:20), 13.04.2008

25 Barça Lassa ESP @ IFK Kristianstad SWE – 2nd half 25:44 (14:19), 29.09.2018

25 Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA @ Elverum Handball NOR – 2nd half 29:44 (12:19)

25 Telekom Veszprém HC HUN vs CS Dinamo Bucuresti ROU – 2nd half 47:32 (22:15), 02.12.2021

25 Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA vs GOG DEN – 2nd half 41:36 (16:16), 23.11.2022

Most goals both teams in one half:

45 PGE Vive Kielce POL vs Barça Lassa ESP – 2nd half 36:42 (15:18), 24.11.2018

45 Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA vs GOG DEN – 2nd half 41:36 (16:16), 23.11.2022

44 Sportclub Magdeburg GER vs Wisla Plock SSA POL – 2nd half 40:32 (17:11), 16.11.2002

Fewest goals one team in one half:

3 HC Metalurg MKD @ THW Kiel GER – 1st half 35:16 (17:3), 15.02.2015

4 Kolding IF DEN @ TEKA Santander ESP – 1st half 28:16 (16:4), 25.01.1995

4 Granitas Kaunas LTU vs ABC Braga POR – 1st half 16:22 (4:12), 10.11.1996

4 Schachtjor Donetsk UKR @ ABC Braga POR – 1st half 21:15 (11:4), 16.11.1996

4 Vardar Vatrost. Skopje MKD vs FC Barcelona ESP – 2nd half 12:26 (8:15), 06.11.2004

4 Wisla Plock SA POL @ KIF Kolding Elite A/S DEN – 1st half 35:18 (19:4), 07.10.2006

4 RK Gorenje Velenje SLO vs Pick Szeged HUN – 1st half 17:29 (4:14), 03.10.2007

4 HC Vardar MKD vs THW Kiel GER – 1st half 20:31 (4:16), 12.10.2019

4 FC Porto POR @ Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA – 1st half 33:19 (18:4), 18.11.2021

Fewest goals both teams in one half:

13 SG Wallau-Massenheim vs UHK West Wien AUT – 1st half 17:15 (7:6), 20.03.1994

14 Riihimäen Cocks FIN vs Abanca Ademar Leon ESP – 2nd half 19:19 (13:11), 12.09.2018

Longest winning run:

Barça	**22** matches (21.09.2019 – 28.12.2020)
BM Ciudad Real	**20** matches (23.10.2005 – 24.02.2007)
Barça	**14** matches (04.02.2021 – 23.09.2021)

Longest unbeaten run:

Barça	**25** matches (02.12.2021 - 18.05.2023)
Barça	**22** matches (21.09.2019 – 28.12.2020)
BM Ciudad Real	**20** matches (23.10.2005 – 24.02.2007)

Longest losing run:

HC Eurofarm Pelister	**18** matches (16.10.2005 – 06.03.2024)
HC PPD Zagreb	**17** matches (01.03.2020 – 22.09.2021)
RK Celje Pivovarna Laško	**17** matches (15.02.2023 – 07.03.2024)

Longest run without win:

HC PPD Zagreb	**22** matches (01.03.2020 – 17.11.2021)
Wacker Thun	**20** matches (21.09.2013 – 29.11.2018)
HC Eurofarm Pelister	**18** matches (16.10.2005 – 06.03.2024)

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