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A year on from watching Barça clinch their record-extending 11th EHF Champions League title at the LANXESS arena in Cologne, we are ready to do it all again! 16 of the best teams from across the continent began the Road to Cologne for the chance to lift the most coveted trophy in men's club handball, and now only four remain. Welcome to the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2025!

This time last year, Barça returned to the summit of European handball by beating Aalborg Håndbold in a final that was worthy of the captivating season that had unfolded before it. After another high-quality season in Europe's premier club competition, the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2025 is set to be even better.

Barça are back once again for their seventh consecutive trip to Cologne and hopes of a fourth trophy in five seasons are high among fans of the Spanish club, despite being pushed hard by OTP Bank - PICK Szeged in the quarter-finals. However, standing in their way in the semi-final at 15:00 CEST are the only other team to have taken the title in recent seasons, SC Magdeburg, who won their second EHF Champions League crown in 2023 and beat One Veszprém HC by one

goal over two legs in this year's quarter-finals. Saturday's second match, at 18:00 CEST, will see a repeat of their thrilling semi-final from two years ago, which Magdeburg won by the finest of margins. If their meeting is half as exciting this time, fans will be in for a treat!

Before the two recent champions lock horns, the action gets underway between two teams seeking their first ever EHF Champions League title. 2018 finalists HBC Nantes are back in Cologne for the first time since a fourth-placed finish in 2021, while their opponents, Füchse Berlin, have only reached the LANXESS arena once before, when they left without a win back in 2012. Both sides have excellent European pedigrees, as proven by them getting the better of the likes of Industria Kielce, Sporting CP, Orlen Wisla Plock and

Aalborg Håndbold on the Road to Cologne, yet the biggest prize in club handball is missing from their respective trophy cabinets. Their determination to put that right will make their meeting a semi-final to savour.

Following Saturday's semi-finals, the action reaches its crescendo on Sunday, with the 3rd place match at 15:00 CEST followed by the final of the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2025 at 18:00 CEST, when we discover who will be champions of Europe for the 2024/25 season. One thing is for certain – in such a high-class field, whichever side lifts the trophy will be worthy winners.

Enjoy the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2025!

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COVERING THE TRUCKSCOUT24 EHF FINAL4 2025 IN COLOGNE

ACCREDITATIONS

You can collect your accreditation from the accreditation centre at LANXESS arena. Please bring your confirmation email from the EHF and photo ID. The accreditation centre is located in the northwest of LANXESS arena outdoor area, access is from the western side entrances.

Opening hours accreditation centre:

Thursday 12 June: 08:00 - 18:00 CEST

Friday 13 June: 08:00 - 18:00 CEST

Saturday 14 June: 08:00 - 18:00 CEST

Sunday 15 June: 10:00 - 15:00 CEST

For further information please call the accreditation hotline: +49 (0)160-5730356.

PARKING

If you arrive by car, you can use the arena car parks P1, P2 and P4 for parking. You will receive an exit ticket upon request at the info desk in the media centre.

MEDIA CENTRE

The media centre is located at “Clubraum West” inside LANXESS arena; the entrance is opposite to the accreditation centre. The media centre is located close to the media seats and the mixed zone. The press conference room is directly next to the media working area.

Workspaces are available in the media working area. Food should not be consumed in the media working area. A dedicated media catering is available.

Opening hours media centre:

Friday 13 June: 10:00 - 23:00 CEST

Saturday 14 June: 10:00 - 23:00 CEST

Sunday 15 June: 10:00 - 23:00 CEST

CATERING

Coffee, soft drinks, and snacks are available in the catering area in the south-west of the media centre, just next to the mixed zone. Media representatives get a symbol integrated on their accreditation to indicate that they are permitted access to media catering. Please note that smoking is not permitted inside LANXESS arena.

MEDIA TRIBUNE

Media seats (with tables, cabled internet, Wi-Fi, and electricity points) are located in sector 214 of the lower tier in the west of LANXESS arena. A number of seats have been allocated prior to the event to written media representatives. Media volunteers can show you to your seats.

QUOTES SERVICE

Throughout the tournament and starting on Friday, the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 media team offers a flash quotes service. All quotes will be published on the official website and in the news section of the Media portal.

In addition to the flash quotes, the EHF Media Team will offer video statements throughout the event via the following link: https://bit.ly/TS24EHFFINAL4_2025_videostatements.

Same as the flash quotes, video statements will be available from the media call on Friday and after each match. When used in the broadcast or online video coverage, the mandatory video credit to the EHF must be used, e.g.: Source: EHF; Courtesy of EHF; Video credit: EHF.

PRESS CONFERENCES

The press conference room is located in the media centre of LANXESS arena. The post-match press conferences start approximately 20 minutes after each match (or the winners' ceremony) with the head coaches and key players. The attendance of the teams can be split; in that case, the head coach and a player of the losing team appear first. Press conferences are held in English, but questions in the participants' native language can be asked afterwards.

INFORMATION FOR PHOTOGRAPHERS

Photographers have to pick up their photo bibs from the info desk in the media centre. A small deposit might be required to ensure the return of the bibs after the event.

The mandatory photo briefings for photographers take place in the media centre. Photographers receive information about the matches and the procedures for the winners' ceremony. The photo briefing schedule is as follows:

- Saturday 14 June: 14:00 CEST
- Sunday 15 June: 13:30 CEST

Photo positions are located behind the goals. Photographers must wear their accreditation and the bib to be able to access them, and are requested to take their places in the photo positions ahead of the start of each game.

MEDIA GET-TOGETHER, 14 JUNE

We invite all media representatives to join us on Saturday evening for a Kölsch and a bite at the EHF FINAL4 Media Get-together at "Gaffel am Dom" at Bahnhofsvorplatz 1, 50667 Cologne from 20:30 CEST (or whenever you finish your work). The EHF and EHF Marketing GmbH are grateful to the City of Cologne for hosting this event.

No registration is required, but remember to bring your media accreditation – entry will not be possible without this.

FRIDAY 13 JUNE 2025

MEDIA CALLS

The team media calls take place at the RadissonBlu Hotel (Messe-Kreisel 3, 50679 Cologne). Media representatives are kindly asked to use the main entrance to the hotel; please pick up your media accreditation before attending the media calls.

From each of the four teams, the head coach and five key players are available for approximately 30 minutes for interviews and photos.

The schedule for the media calls is as follows:

12:40 - 12:45: Official opening by EHF President Michael Wiederer

12:45 - 13:15: Barça
(Dika Mem, Emil Nielsen, Jonathan Carlsbogard, Luís Frade, Melvyn Richardson, head coach Carlos Ortega)

13:15 - 13:45: Füchse Berlin
(Mathias Gidsel, Max Darj, Nils Lichtlein, Tim Freihöfer, Fabian Wiede, head coach Jaron Siewert)

13:45 - 14:15: SC Magdeburg
(Magnus Saugstrup, Sergey Hernandez, Philipp Weber, Felix Claar, Christian O'Sullivan, head coach Bennet Wiegert)

14:15 - 14:45: HBC Nantes
(Valero Rivera, Thibaud Briet, Aymeric Minne, Nicolas Tournat, Matej Gaber, head coach Gregory Cojean)

FRIDAY 13 JUNE 2025 (cont.)

OPEN TRAINING SESSIONS

Each team holds a training session open to media representatives (TV and photographers) for a minimum of the first 15 minutes on Friday 13 June to allow training to be filmed / photographed. Teams may permit interviews if they wish, but this is not obligatory.

The training schedule for the four teams is as follows:

Barça: 10:00 - 12:00 @ Bergischer Ring (Bergischer Ring 40, 50733 Cologne)

HBC Nantes: 10:00 - 12:00 @ Ostheim (Hartgenbuscher Kirchweg 100, 51107 Cologne)

Füchse Berlin: 11:00 - 12:30 @ Halle Berufskolleg (Beuthener Straße opp. no. 16, 51065 Cologne)

SC Magdeburg: 15:30 - 17:00 @ Bergischer Ring (Bergischer Ring 40, 50733 Cologne)

OPENING PARTY & TEAM PRESENTATIONS

The TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2025 Opening Party including the presentation of the four teams takes place in front of LANXESS arena on Friday 13 June.

The teams appear on stage at the following times approximately:

19:10: Füchse Berlin

19:20: HBC Nantes

19:30: Barça

19:40: SC Magdeburg

Following the on-stage presentations, players from all four teams are available for an autograph session inside LANXESS arena from 20:00 - 20:30 CEST.

SATURDAY 14 JUNE 2025

- 14:00: photographers' briefing in the media centre
- 15:00 : semi-final 1: Füchse Berlin vs HBC Nantes
- 18:00: semi-final 2: Barça vs SC Magdeburg
- 20:30: media get-together

SUNDAY 15 JUNE 2025

- 13:30: photographers' briefing in the media centre
- 15:00: 3/4 placement match
- 18:00: final

Watch the action live

The TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2025 matches are available to watch on [EHFTV](#) (geo-restrictions may apply) and at local broadcasters. Take a look at the list of live broadcasters on the next page.



































Visit the website and follow the live blog

All the information you need to know for the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2025 in Cologne is just one click away! Check out the official [EHF Champions League website](#) periodically to read previews and reviews of the matches, features with your favourite players and get insights from our team of editors and journalists. Dive deeper into the action by analysing the statistics from each game on the final weekend, available on the dedicated [match pages](#).

Behind-the-scenes updates and immediate reactions from the teams will be provided through our live blog, which starts on Friday, 13 June at noon and will stay up for the whole weekend. Read the live blog as the semi-finals and finals action unfolds to stay updated on the go!

Join the social media coverage

Experience the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2025 atmosphere by joining the conversation online on our dedicated social media channels. Watch videos and show your support for the teams on the EHF Champions League [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [X](#) pages, and make sure to take a look at the Home of Handball [TikTok](#) and [YouTube](#) channels for more exclusive clips. Being at the heart of the action has never been easier, so follow the online coverage and join the celebrations!

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	ARG — FOX		ITA — PallamanoTV
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	BIH — Arena Sport		MENA — KTV
	BRA — NSports		MKD — Arena Sport
	CRO — Arena Sport		MNE — Arena Sport
	CAN — DAZN		NED — Ziggo
	CZE — AMC		NOR — TV2
	DEN — DR		NOR — Viaplay
	DEN — Viaplay		POL — Eurosport
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	ESP — DAZN		ROU — Prima Sport
	FAR — DR		ROU — Digi Sport
	FAR — Viaplay		SRB — Arena Sport
	FIN — Viaplay		SLO — Arena Sport
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	GER — PlutoTV x DAZN Handball**		SWE — Viaplay
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COMPETITION



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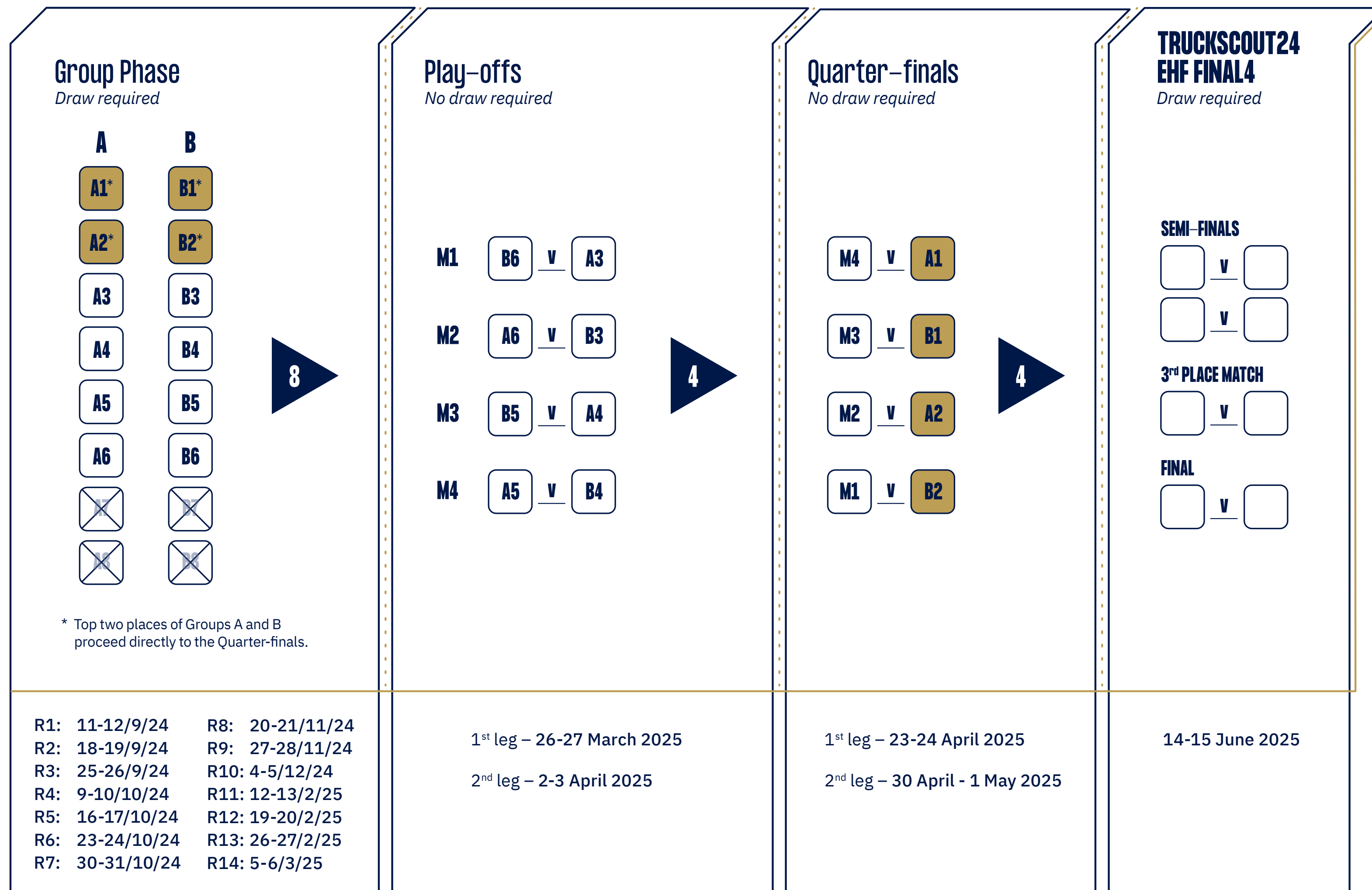
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MACHINESEEKER EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE

2024/25 SEASON

Playing system and dates



The most important numbers ahead of the TruckScout 24 EHF FINAL4 2025 in Cologne

The last two winners of the TruckScout 24 EHF FINAL4 are back in Cologne — and either SC Magdeburg (winners in 2023) or Barça (2021, 2022 and 2024 champions) will make it to this year’s final, after both proceeded from the quarter-finals. They will now duel on Saturday 14 June in a repeat of the 2023 semi-final.

The line-up for the 16th edition of the pinnacle event of European club handball, which will be staged on 14/15 June, is completed by HBC Nantes and Füchse Berlin, who will play in the second semi-final. Neither have ever won the trophy, but one of them will have the chance to play in this year’s final. Füchse Berlin’s superstar Mathias Gisdal is also close to becoming the top scorer of this competition for the first time.

Here is all you need to know before the TruckScout 24 EHF FINAL4 2025.

4 TEAMS, 3 COUNTRIES, 2 FORMER CHAMPIONS, 1 COVETED TROPHY

0 semi-finals will be played between teams from the same country, but a third all-German final, after 2007 and 2014’s meetings between THW Kiel and SG Flensburg-Handewitt, is still possible

1

quarter-final, between Magdeburg and Veszprém, ended in a draw (26:26)

1 team only that secured a direct ticket to the quarter-finals also qualified for the TruckScout4 EHF FINAL4: Barça. Group winners One Veszprém and runners-up Aalborg Håndbold and Sporting CP failed to reach the final weekend

1 team only has managed to defend the trophy since the implementation of the EHF FINAL4 in Cologne in 2010: Barça, winners of the 2021 final against Aalborg and the 2022 final against Kielce. Now the record winners could do it again, after winning the 2024 final against Aalborg

1 pairing of the semi-finals made up a previous Machineseker EHF Champions League semi-final: Barça versus Magdeburg. SCM made it to the final on their debut in Cologne, after winning the semi-final clash following overtime and a penalty shootout

1 goal was the smallest overall margin of victory in the quarter-finals, in Magdeburg’s 54:53 aggregate victory against Veszprém, decided by Gisli Kristjánsson’s buzzer-beater; ahead of a two-goal difference in the duel between Barça and OTP Bank - PICK Szeged (56:54)

1 former and current IHF World Handball Player of the Year is still in the competition, making it to Cologne for the first time: Füchse Berlin right back Mathias Gisdal, who won the award in 2023 and 2024

1 former EHF Champions League top scorer is still part of the competition: Aleix Gómez (Barça, top scorer in the 2021/22 season)

- 2 former EHF Champions League finalists were knocked out in the semi-finals: Aalborg and Veszprém
- 2 teams won both legs of the quarter-finals: Berlin (against Aalborg) and Nantes (against Sporting CP)
- 2 German teams made it to Cologne for the sixth time since 2010: Rhein-Neckar Löwen and Hamburg participated in 2011; Kiel and Berlin in 2012; Kiel and Hamburg in 2013; Flensburg and Kiel qualified for the final weekend in 2014; and Kiel and Magdeburg were the two German clubs present in 2024

2

of the eight quarter-final matches were won by the home teams, while five clashes were won by the away teams and one was a draw

- 2 former or current EHF Champions League winners, representing 13 trophies, are back in Cologne: Barça (11) and Magdeburg (2)
- 2 players are in the race for their sixth individual EHF Champions League title: Aitor Ariño and Gonzalo Perez de Vargas (both Barça), but Perez de Vargas will miss the rest of the season due to a knee injury. Both will transfer to Germany next season: Ariño to Berlin and Perez de Vargas to Kiel

- 2 coaches of the semi-finalists have previously won the EHF Champions League while at the helm of their current clubs: Carlos Ortega (Barça, with Barça) and Bennet Wiegert (Magdeburg, with Magdeburg); both have also won the competition as players of their current clubs
- 2 participants from the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2024 are also part of the competition this year: Barça and Magdeburg. Kiel did not qualify for the EHF Champions League, while Aalborg fell in the quarter-finals against Berlin

3

MVPs of the previous EHF FINAL4 tournaments are still part of the competition: Melvyn Richardson (Barça/2024), Gisli Kristjansson (Magdeburg/2023) and Gonzalo Perez de Vargas (Barça/2021)

- 3 matches so far have been attended by more than 10,000 fans, all in the group phase: two of them in Zagreb (13,524 fans against Kolstad Håndbold and 11,732 fans against Barça) and one in Nantes (10,356 fans against Magdeburg)
- 3 different countries (the same number as in the previous season) are represented by the four semi-finalists: Germany (two teams), France and Spain (one team each). The only change compared to the

previous season is that no Danish team qualified for the final weekend, while one French team is still in the competition

- 4 — which means all — participants of the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2025 have previously reached Cologne; three (all except Berlin) have previously reached the final
- 4 players have scored more than 1,000 goals in EHF Champions League history. The list is topped by Kiril Lazarov (1,482), while Timur Dibirov has just finished his international career ranked second with 1,214 goals, as his club HC Zagreb failed to qualify for the knockout stage
- 5 people have won the EHF Champions League as a player and a coach: Carlos Ortega, Bennet Wiegert, Talant Dujshebaev, Roberto Parrondo and Filip Jicha
- 6 matches since the start of the group phase ended in a margin of victory of 10 or more goals, including one in the play-offs, but none in the quarter-finals
- 6 of the 15 total titles of the previous EHF FINAL4 events were won by teams still in the race for the trophy: Barça (five) and Magdeburg (one)

6

quarter-final matches — in Berlin, Nantes, Szeged, Veszprém, Magdeburg and Aalborg — were attended by more than 5,000 fans

6 countries are represented by the previous 31 EHF Champions League champions: Spain (17 titles), Germany (eight), France (two), North Macedonia (two), Poland and Slovenia (one each).

7

times since 2010 and including the current season, the defending champions have made it to Cologne: Barça in 2012, 2022, 2023 and 2025, Kiel in 2013, Vardar in 2018 and Magdeburg in 2024

7 — for the seventh consecutive time, Barça have qualified for the EHF FINAL4, for Magdeburg this is the third participation in a row

8 goals was the biggest winning margin in a single quarter-final: Berlin's 37:29 win against Aalborg

8 times — Carlos Ortega has won the EHF Champions League six times as a player and twice as Barça's coach. After winning the trophy in 2024, the Spaniard passed the previous record holder Andrej Xepkin, who won the trophy seven times as a player for Barça (six times) and Kiel.

10 times in the 128 matches since the start of the group phase, 70 or more goals were scored, including Berlin's 40:36 win at Aalborg in the quarter-finals

10 different Spanish coaches have steered their teams to an overall of 20 EHF Champions League trophies so far: Valero Rivera (five), Talant Dujshebaev (four), Xavi Pascual (three), Carlos Ortega (two), Javier Cuesta, Julian Ruiz, Francisco Equisoain, Francesc Espar, Raul Gonzalez and Roberto Parrondo (one each). Dujshebaev (Kielce in 2016), Parrondo (Vardar in 2019) and Gonzalez (Vardar 2017) were the only ones to win the trophy with non-Spanish teams

11 matches since the start of the group phase ended in draws, the 26:26 tie between Magdeburg and Veszprém was the only one in the quarter-finals

11 times (1995-2000, 2011, 2015, 2021, 2022, 2024) FC Barcelona have won the EHF Champions League, making them the record winner. In addition, they won the forerunner competition, the Champions Cup, once

12

goals was the biggest overall margin of victory in the quarter-finals: Berlin's 77:65 aggregate win against Aalborg

13 — Barça have reached the EHF FINAL4 13 times in 16 editions, ahead of Kiel (nine), Veszprém (seven) and Paris Saint-Germain (six). Magdeburg and Nantes are on their third participations, Berlin their second

13 years after their debut in Cologne, Füchse Berlin are back in the LANXESS arena, in only their third EHF Champions League season

17 times have Spanish teams won the EHF Champions League — Barça (11), Ciudad Real (three), TEKA Santander, Bidasoa Irun and Portland San Antonio (one each)

18 goals is the biggest winning margin since the start of the group matches, when Sporting won 37:18 at Fredericia Håndbold Klub, ahead of 17 goals in Nantes' 44:27 win against Kolstad (both in the group phase)

19

matches played by Veszprém's Aron Palmarsson at EHF FINAL4 events, a record

20 goals were scored by Berlin's Mathias Gidsel in the quarter-finals: 11 in the first leg, nine in the second. The Dane was ahead of Dika Mem (17 for Barça) and the Szeged players Marko Sostaric (16) and Sebastian Frimmel (15)

28 years — the length of time, since 1997, that Barça did not lose a knockout match at home in the EHF Champions League, before they were defeated by Szeged 30:29 in the second quarter-final leg this year

30 times (including the current season) Veszprém have been part of the EHF Champions League; Barça are on their 28th season and the record holders are Zagreb with 31 participations

39 goals is the lowest score since the start of the group matches, when HC Eurofarm Pelister beat Orlen Wisla Plock 21:18, ahead of 40 goals in HC Zagreb's 22:18 victory against Magdeburg.

66 times since the start of the group phase, including three in the quarter-finals, 60 or more goals were scored in a single match

68

of the 128 matches since the start of the group matches were attended by 5,000 or more fans

70 matches since the start of the group phase (including two quarter-final games) were won by the home teams, 47 (including five in the quarter-finals) by the visitors, and there have been 11 draws

78 goals is the highest combined score since the start of the group phase, when Paris won 40:38 at Berlin, ahead of 76 goals in Berlin's 40:36 victory in Aalborg in the quarter-finals and 74 goals in the Berlin vs Kielce play-off (37:37)

96

of the 128 matches so far were attended by 3,000 or more fans, including seven in the quarter-finals

130 goals were scored by Mario Sostaric (Szeged) to be the top scorer after the quarter-finals ahead of Gidzel (126) and his Berlin teammate Lasse Andersson (107)

309 victories in 402 EHF Champions League matches (plus 25 draws and 68 defeats) were taken by Barça so far to top the all-time EHF Champions League table

476 goals were scored in the quarter-finals (topped by 142 in the Berlin against Aalborg duels), for an average of 59.5 goals per match

616

goals have been scored by Füchse Berlin so far in 18 matches (an average of 34.22 per match), giving them the top attack

7,648 goals have been scored since the start of the season, including 6,691 goals in the 112 group matches, 481 in the play-offs and 476 in the quarter-finals: an overall average of 59.75 goals per match

13,524 fans at the group match between Zagreb and Kolstad is the highest attendance so far; the biggest number of fans in the quarter-finals watched Berlin play Aalborg (8,520)

SHORTEST



170 cm

Jan Blas Cos

Barça

Jan Blas Clos	ESP	Barça	170
Tim Freihöfer	GER	Füchse Berlin	174
Manuel Ortega	ESP	Barça	175
Leo Prantner	ITA	Füchse Berlin	178
Daniel Pettersson	SWE	SC Magdeburg	179
Pol Valera	ESP	Barça	179
Oscar Grau Ibañez	ESP	Barça	180
Jerry Tollbring	SWE	Füchse Berlin	182
Lukas Mertens	GER	SC Magdeburg	182
Théo Avelange Demouge	FRA	HBC Nantes	183
Kauldi Odriozola	ESP	HBC Nantes	183
Aleix Gómez	ESP	Barça	183
Nils Lichtlein	GER	Füchse Berlin	183
Salomon Nassequela	COD	HBC Nantes	183
Edgar Gohier	FRA	HBC Nantes	183
Aitor Ariño	ESP	Barça	184
Florian Budde	AUT	Füchse Berlin	184
Valero Rivera	ESP	HBC Nantes	185
Manuel Štrlek	CRO	Füchse Berlin	185
Hampus Wanne	SWE	Barça	185

TALLEST



205 cm

Thibaud Briet

HBC Nantes

Thibaud Briet	FRA	HBC Nantes	205
Max Beneke	GER	Füchse Berlin	205
Lauro Pichiri	GER	Füchse Berlin	205
Mijajlo Marsenic	SRB	Füchse Berlin	202
Marko Milosavljevic	SRB	HBC Nantes	201
Nicolas Tournat	FRA	HBC Nantes	200
Ignacio Biosca	ESP	HBC Nantes	200
Javier Rodríguez	ESP	Barça	200
Pol Quiroga	ESP	Barça	200
Miguel Ángel Martín Duque	ESP	Barça	200
Thiagus Petrus	BRA	Barça	199
Matej Gaber	SLO	HBC Nantes	198
Sergey Hernandez	ESP	SC Magdeburg	198
Antonio Serradilla	ESP	SC Magdeburg	198
Lukas Herburger	AUT	Füchse Berlin	197
Ayoub Abdi	ALG	HBC Nantes	197
André Wenkegheu	FRA	HBC Nantes	197
Lennart Steltner	GER	Füchse Berlin	197
Lasse Andersson	DEN	Füchse Berlin	196
Dejan Milosavljev	SRB	Füchse Berlin	196

YOUNGEST



16/4/2008

**Adrian
Sola**

Barça

Adrian Sola	ESP	Barça	16/04/2008
Miguel Ángel Martín Duque	ESP	Barça	02/09/2007
Jan Blas Clos	ESP	Barça	17/11/2006
Oskar Stieglitz	GER	SC Magdeburg	31/10/2006
Noah Hensen	GER	SC Magdeburg	01/10/2006
Tim Schröder	GER	Füchse Berlin	24/08/2006
Leander Schöbe	GER	SC Magdeburg	24/07/2006
Jan Grüner	GER	Füchse Berlin	23/06/2006
Luca-Benjamin Thiel	GER	Füchse Berlin	11/06/2006
Yoni Peyrabout	FRA	HBC Nantes	07/06/2006
Moritz Wanjura	GER	Füchse Berlin	12/05/2006
Oriol San Felipe	ESP	Barça	26/04/2006
Sirius Rambaud	FRA	HBC Nantes	18/01/2006
Petar Cikusa	ESP	Barça	08/12/2005
Pablo Lange	GER	SC Magdeburg	07/10/2005
Willi Lücke	GER	SC Magdeburg	21/09/2005
Manuel Ortega	ESP	Barça	01/09/2005
Edgar Gohier	FRA	HBC Nantes	29/06/2005
Pol Quiroga	ESP	Barça	31/05/2005
Maximilian Grundmann	GER	Füchse Berlin	27/05/2005

OLDEST



22/2/1985

**Valero
Rivera**

HBC Nantes

Valero Rivera	ESP	HBC Nantes	22/02/1985
Vincent Gérard	FRA	Barça	16/12/1986
Tobias Reichmann	GER	Füchse Berlin	27/05/1988
Manuel Štrlek	CRO	Füchse Berlin	01/12/1988
Thiagus Petrus	BRA	Barça	25/01/1989
Ivan Pesic	CRO	HBC Nantes	17/03/1989
Michael Damgaard	DEN	SC Magdeburg	18/03/1990
Tim Hornke	GER	SC Magdeburg	04/08/1990
Gonzalo Perez de Vargas	ESP	Barça	10/01/1991
Matej Gaber	SLO	HBC Nantes	22/07/1991
Christian O'Sullivan	NOR	SC Magdeburg	22/08/1991
Max Darj	SWE	Füchse Berlin	27/09/1991
Daniel Pettersson	SWE	SC Magdeburg	06/05/1992
Matthias Musche	GER	SC Magdeburg	18/07/1992
Albin Lagergren	SWE	SC Magdeburg	11/09/1992
Philipp Weber	GER	SC Magdeburg	15/09/1992
Timothee N'guessan	FRA	Barça	18/09/1992
Aitor Ariño	ESP	Barça	05/10/1992
O'Brian Nyateu	FRA	HBC Nantes	07/11/1992
Baptiste Bonnefond	FRA	HBC Nantes	22/01/1993

WHAT HAPPENS IN CASE OF A DRAW AFTER 60 MINUTES

All matches of the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2025 shall be played in 2 x 30 minutes with a half-time break of 15 minutes.

If a semi-final match or the final (place 1/2) ends in a draw, there will be a five-minute break followed by one overtime of 2 x 5 minutes and a one-minute half-time break for the changeover of teams.

If the 3/4 placement match ends in a draw, there shall be no overtime and the match will be decided directly by penalty shots.

RULES FOR EXECUTION OF PENALTY SHOTS

If penalty shots are needed to decide the match, the procedure is as follows:

- > Prior to the penalty throws, 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 shot each, alternating with their opponents. Each team is free to determine the sequence in which players will take their shots.

- > The goalkeepers may be freely selected from the match report and exchanged in accordance with the Rules of the Game. Goalkeepers may take shots and players may perform as goalkeepers.
- > At the Technical Meeting the teams will be informed at which goal the penalty shots will be taken. The team taking the first penalty shot shall be determined by the referees by drawing lots. The team winning the draw may choose whether it wishes to shoot first or last.
- > If the scores are equal after the first round of penalty shots, 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 again).
- > In the second round, a decision is reached when a goal difference arises after both teams have taken one shot each.
- > Eligible players are players entered in the match report that have not been disqualified or suspended at the time of the final whistle.
- > Serious infractions committed during penalty shots shall be sanctioned by disqualification. If a shooter is disqualified or suffers an injury, an eligible substitute player shall be supplementary named.
- > While the shots are taken, only the player taking the shot, the current goalkeeper and the referees may enter the respective half of the playing court.
- > If the number of eligible players falls below five, players may be named to take a second shot in the same round.

PAIRINGS



I FÜCHSE BERLIN vs HBC NANTES

THROW-OFF: SATURDAY 14 JUNE 2025, 15:00 CEST / COLOGNE (GER)

REFEREES: JONAS ELIASSON / ANTON PALSSON (ISL)

DELEGATES: MARCO TRESPIDI (ITA) AND SHLOMO COHEN (ISR)



- finished third in group A in the group phase, before eliminating Industria Kielce in the play-offs (70:64 on aggregate) and Aalborg Håndbold in the quarter-finals (77:65 on aggregate)
- two Berlin players are among the top scorers in the EHF Champions League this season; Mathias Gidsel is ranked second (126 goals) and Lasse Andersson is third (107)
- with 469 goals across 14 games, Berlin had the most prolific attack in the group phase
- Valter Chrintz and Jerry Tollbring both suffered major injuries over the last year, forcing the club to sign Tobias Reichmann and Manuel Strlek to replace them
- three Füchse players have won the EHF FINAL4 before; Tobias Reichmann and Manuel Strlek in 2016 with Kielce and Dejan Milosavljev in 2019 with Vardar
- at 31, coach Jaron Siewert is the youngest coach to ever lead a team to the EHF FINAL4



- this season, they finished third in group B, before beating Wisla Plock in the play-offs (54:52 on aggregate) and Sporting CP in the quarter-finals (60:57 on aggregate)
- goalkeeper Ivan Pesic was key for the team this season, making 16 saves in the return leg against Sporting to help his team qualify
- Aymeric Minne is their current top scorer in the EHF Champions League this season with 84 goals, four more than Valero Rivera
- Rivera has finished as the competition's top scorer once before, in 2021, with 95 goals
- three Nantes players have already won the EHF Champions League in their careers; Baptiste Bonnefond and Julien Bos in 2018 with Montpellier, Valero Rivera in 2005 with Barça
- coach Gregory Cojean was an assistant to Alberto Entrerrios in 2021 when Nantes qualified for the EHF FINAL4, but this will be his first event as head coach



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PLAYING HALL



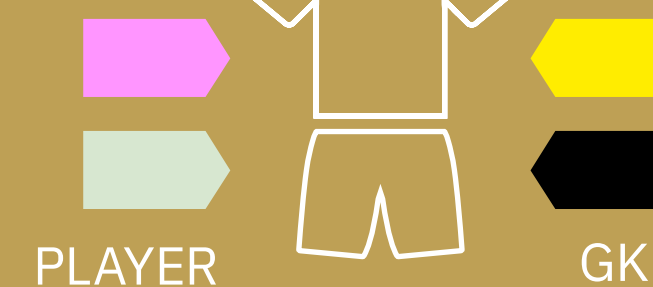
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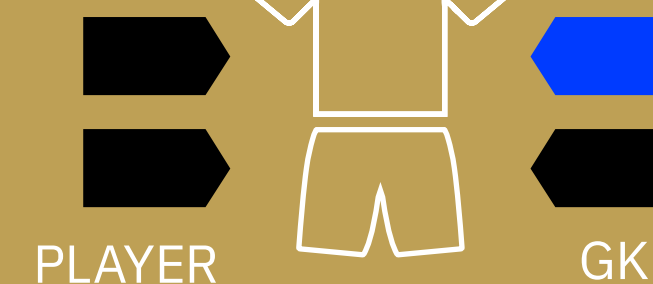
Capacity:
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KIT COLOURS

LIGHT



DARK



It is the third EHF Champions League participation for Füchse Berlin and the first since 2013. In the meantime, the team from the German capital won the EHF Cup and the IHF Super Globe twice and the EHF European League once. Berlin were part of an overall of eight final tournaments since 2012 (EHF Champions League, EHF European League, EHF Cup). The team of the young head coach Jaron Siewert finished second in the German Bundesliga and includes the current IHF World Player of the Year Mathias Gidsel and many more top class players. In 2024, they lost the EHF European League final against their country-fellows from Flensburg – and now Berlin aim to go all the way to the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 in Cologne.

TRUCKSCOUT24
EHF FINAL4



FÜCHSE BERLIN

MAIN FACTS

- › 2025 is their second participation at the EHF FINAL4 having finished fourth in 2012, which included a loss in the semi-final against THW Kiel (24:25)
- › have won the EHF European League and its predecessor, the EHF Cup three times – in 2015, 2018 and 2023 – and have reached the EHF Finals or the previous final four tournaments on four further occasions; 2017, 2019, 2021 and 2024
- › also won the IHF Super Globe in 2015 and 2016 and finished as runners-up in 2017, 2018 and 2023
- › this season is the first in the Machineseeker EHF Champions League for Füchse Berlin since 2013/14, as they have only played in the EHF Cup and EHF European League since then
- › their only ever domestic trophy before 2024/25 was the DHB Supercup last season
- › superstar right back Mathias Gidsel joined the club in 2022, kicking off a great era for Füchse Berlin who narrowly missed out on the Bundesliga title last season

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League

Participations (including 2024/25 season): 3

Semi-finals (1): 2011/12

Last 16 (1): 2012/13

Other

EHF European League

Winners (1): 2022/23

Runners-up (1): 2020/21

Last 16 (1): 2021/22

EHF Cup:

Winners (2): 2014/15, 2017/18

Runners-up (2): 2016/17, 2018/19

Semi-finals (1): 2013/14

German league: 2024/25

German cup: 1 title (2014)



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2011/12 Füchse Berlin GER	16	8	1	7	449:448		+1	17:15	Fourth Place
2012/13 Füchse Berlin GER	12	8	1	3	345:335		+10	17:7	Last 16
2024/25 Füchse Berlin GER	18	12	1	5	616:569		+47	25:11	
Total	46	28	3	15	1410:1352		+48	59:33	



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE
CLUB RECORDS

4 MATCHES
Longest
winning run

6 MATCHES
Longest
unbeaten run

40 GOALS
Most goals

Biggest win: 29:18 (13:6) v Reale Ademar Leon ESP (h), 29.04.2012

Biggest defeat: 34:23 (15:9) v Reale Ademar Leon ESP (a), 21.04.2012
34:23 (15:10) v FC Barcelona Intersport (a), 06.10.2012

Longest winning run: 4 matches (14.10.2012 – 24.11.2012)
4 matches (21.11.2024 – 13.02.2025)

Longest unbeaten run: 6 matches (27.02.2025 – 30.04.2025)

Longest losing run: 3 matches (17.10.2024 – 31.10.2024)

Longest run without win: 3 matches (17.03.2013 – 12.09.2024)
3 matches (17.10.2024 – 31.10.2024)

Most goals: 40 v Kadetten Schaffhausen SUI 35:40W (a), 14.02.2013
40 v Aalborg Håndbold DEN 36:40W (a), 30.04.2025

Most goals opponent: 40 v Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA 38:40L (h), 24.10.2024

Most goals both teams: 78 v Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA 38:40L (h), 24.10.2024

Fewest goals: 21 v AG København DEN 21:26L (n), 27.05.2012

Fewest goals opponent: 18 v Reale Ademar Leon ESP 29:18W (h), 29.04.2012

Fewest goals both teams: 47 v HSV Hamburg GER 23:24W (a), 25.03.2012
47 v Reale Ademar Leon ESP 29:18W (h), 29.04.2012
47 v AG København DEN 21:26L (n), 27.05.2012

TEAM ROSTER



No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
32	Anton	Preußner	GER	Right Back	13/01/2005	Northeim, GER	191
96	Dejan	Milosavljev	SRB	Goalkeeper	16/03/1996	Pancevo, SRB	196
98	Elie	Ona	FRA	Goalkeeper	23/08/2003	Toulouse, FRA	196
3	Fabian	Wiede	GER	Right Back	08/02/1994	Belzig, GER	194
13	Felix	Mart	GER	Centre Back	12/07/2004	Brandenburg an der Havel, GER	185
31	Florian	Budde	AUT	Right Back	15/03/2005	Salzburg, AUT	184
34	Hákun West	Av Teigum	FAR	Right Wing	19/02/2002	Thorshavn, FAR	189
28	Jan	Grüner	GER	Left Wing	23/06/2006	Berlin, GER	187
9	Jerry	Tollbring	SWE	Left Wing	13/09/1995	Rimbo, SWE	182
1	Lasse	Ludwig	GER	Goalkeeper	29/09/2002	Achern, GER	194
11	Lasse Bredekjaer	Andersson	DEN	Left Back	11/03/1994	Kopenhagen, DEN	196
24	Lauro	Pichiri	GER	Left Back	29/10/2004	Hannover, GER	205
37	Lennart	Steltner	GER	Right Wing	06/04/2005	Berlin, GER	197
6	Leo	Prantner	ITA	Right Wing	24/11/2001	Merano, ITA	178
22	Luca-Benjamin	Thiel	GER	Right Wing	11/06/2006	Berlin, GER	189
21	Lucas	Mohr	GER	Left Back	24/12/2002	Potsdam, GER	192
29	Lukas	Herburger	AUT	Line Player	19/12/1994	Bregenz, AUT	197
7	Manuel	Štrlek	CRO	Left Wing	01/12/1988	Zagreb, CRO	185
19	Mathias	Gidsel	DEN	Right Back	08/02/1999	Herning, DEN	190
25	Matthes	Langhoff	GER	Left Back	30/03/2002	Neubrandenburg, GER	192
27	Max	Beneke	GER	Right Back	27/05/2003	Greifswald, GER	205
5	Max	Darj	SWE	Line Player	27/09/1991	Masthuggs, SWE	191
16	Maximilian	Grundmann	GER	Goalkeeper	27/05/2005	Lübben, GER	194
93	Mijajlo	Marsenic	SRB	Line Player	09/03/1993	Berane, SCG	202
39	Moritz	Wanjura	GER	Right Back	12/05/2006	Berlin, GER	195
17	Nils	Lichtlein	GER	Centre Back	31/07/2002	Regensburg, GER	183
95	Paul	Drux	GER	Left Back	07/02/1995	Gummersbach, GER	192
20	Tim	Freihöfer	GER	Left Wing	21/08/2002	Reutlingen, GER	174
38	Tim	Schröder	GER	Line Player	24/08/2006	Berlin, GER	196
36	Tobias	Reichmann	GER	Right Wing	27/05/1988	Berlin, GER	188



COACH



Jaron Siewert

@jaron_siewert



- became head coach at Füchse in 2020, aged 26, replacing Michael Roth
- played for Füchse since childhood before ending his career at age 21 to become a coach; won the M18 EHF EURO 2012 playing for Germany
- started as youth coach at Füchse and assistant coach of Germany's national U18 team
- became head coach at second-division side TUSEM Essen in 2017/18, and led them to the Bundesliga two years later
- suffered a stroke before the start of the 2022/23 season, but came back after just a few matches and led Füchse to the EL title that season

EL: 2023 (as coach)

ARRIVALS

> Leo Prantner (HBW Balingen-Weilstetten)

DEPARTURES

< Jerry Tollbring (Ribe Esbjerg HH)

< Paul Drux (retired)



GOALKEEPER 

Dejan Milosavljev

@dejanmilosavljev

- Serbian international who arrived at Füchse in 2019 from Vardar, right after winning the CL
- second highest number of saves in the CL 2024/25, behind Barça's Emil Nielsen, with 151 ahead of the EHF FINAL4
- CL All-star goalkeeper in 2018/19; also crucial for Füchse in their run to the EL title in 2022/23
- made his senior club debut at age 16 and national team debut aged 18; played for Jugovic Kac, Red Star and Partizan before joining Vardar in 2018
- forms Füchse's goalkeeper duo with 2023 U21 world champion Lasse Ludwig

CL: 2019; EL 2023



GOALKEEPER 

Lasse Ludwig

@lasse.ludwig

- a product of the Füchse youth ranks, who arrived at the club in 2019, aged 16
- became second goalkeeper at Berlin ahead of the 2024/25 season, after the departure of Viktor Kireev
- made his first appearance for the A team in the Bundesliga in December 2019, when he was 17; spent 2022–2024 mostly with Potsdam, playing the lower divisions
- made it on court at the EHF Finals Men 2024, facing 14 shots across the two matches and making three saves
- of the same generation as Freihöfer and Nils Lichtlein; won the M19 EHF EURO 2021 and 2023 Junior WCh

EL: 2023



LEFT WING 

Manuel Strlek

- arrived at Berlin from RK Nexe in November 2024 as a replacement for Jerry Tollbring; had been playing the EL with Nexe
- a highly experienced player at the top level, with 16 CL seasons behind him; his personal scoring record in the CL was 75 goals in 2021/22
- started his professional career at Zagreb; his subsequent clubs, before arriving at Next, were Kielce (2012–2018) and Veszprém (2018–2023)
- named All-star Team left wing of the EHF EURO 2010 and 2016, and for the CL 2015/16, when he won the trophy with Kielce
- previously a core member of the Croatia team; won medals at five championships and was named Croatian player of the year for 2016

CL: 2016
 EURO: S 2010, B 2012, 2016
 OG: B 2012; WCh: B 2013



LEFT BACK 

Lasse Andersson

@lasseandersson94

- Danish international who joined Füchse in 2020 after four years with Barça, enjoying his best season yet
- in 2024/25, passed the 100-goal mark in the CL for the first time, with 107 ahead of the EHF FINAL4
- also Füchse's second top scorer in the EL 2023/24, with 78 goals
- played for and made his CL debut with Kolding in Denmark before moving abroad in 2016
- made his national team debut in 2015; has won six medals with Denmark so far

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



LEFT BACK 

Matthes Langhoff

 @matthes30302



CENTRE BACK 

Nils Lichtlein

 @nilslichtl



LINE PLAYER 

Max Darj

 @darjmax



LINE PLAYER 

Lukas Herburger

 @herby_26

- another who came to Füchse as a youth player and split his time with Potsdam while waiting for his chance to be an ongoing member of the Berlin A team
- became a regular in the Berlin A team in 2023 but had a small role until this season
- has netted 39 goals in the CL 2024/25
- appeared in European cup competitions for the first time in 2020/21, scoring three goals in the EL
- also part of the generation that won the 2023 Junior WCh

- 22-year-old left hander who has scored 58 goals in what is his first CL season
- came through the Füchse youth ranks; played with different divisions at Berlin and some time with Potsdam before becoming a regular player for the Füchse A team in 2021
- made his national team debut in November 2023; played the EHF EURO 2024 and 2025 WCh but not the 2024 OG
- MVP of the 2023 Junior WCh, where he won the title with Germany
- nephew of former Germany goalkeeper Carsten Lichtlein

- Swedish international who joined Füchse in 2022; an important player in defence who also scored 13 goals this season, and passed the 30-goal mark in the past two EL seasons
- first moved to Germany in 2017, joining Bergischer HC; was named Swedish player of the year while there, in 2019
- started his professional career at Alingsås HK and made his European cup debut with the side, in the CL 2009/10
- played his first match for Sweden in 2014 but did not become a core part of the side until 2017, when he played his first major tournament – the WCh
- since 2017, played all major championships with Sweden except the 2025 WCh, which he missed due to injury

- arrived at Berlin for this season, coming from Swiss club Kadetten Schaffhausen
- mainly a defensive player, he has contributed 10 goals in the CL 2024/25
- his first professional club was Alpa HC Hard in his native Austria, where he spent seven seasons before joining Kadetten in 2018 and staying there until 2024
- debuted for Austria in April 2014 and counts almost 90 caps as of May 2025
- was among the top five Austria players for minutes on court at the EHF EURO 2024, playing a key role as they took surprise results such as draws versus Croatia and Spain

EL 2023

EL 2023

EL: 2023
EURO: G 2022, S 2018, B 2024; WCh: S 2021



LEFT WING 

Tim Freihöfer

 @tim.freihoefer

- one of the biggest prospects coming through Füchse's youth ranks in recent years; made his Bundesliga debut aged 18
- Füchse's third top scorer in the European cup competitions both this season and last; has scored 67 in the CL 2024/25 and netted 57 in the EL 2023/24
- has been playing for Berlin's senior team since 2019, but 2023/24 was his breakout season on an international level
- made his debut for the Germany A team in March this year, playing the EHF EURO 2026 Qualifiers
- won the M19 EHF EURO 2021 and the 2023 Junior WCh with Germany

EL: 2023



LINE PLAYER 


Mijajlo Marsenic

 @mikimarsenic93


- transferred to Berlin in 2018 — one year after winning the CL with Vardar
- forms the strong middle block in defence with Austrian Lukas Herburger and has also contributed 42 goals in the CL 2024/25
- started his career at Partizan Belgrade, becoming Serbian champion and Cup winner twice each
- moved to Skopje in 2014, first joining Metalurg — interrupted by a brief return home to Partizan due to financial problems at the club — then playing three seasons for Vardar
- debuted with the Serbia national team in 2012; has played four EHF EUROS and three WChs with the side

CL 2017; EL 2023



RIGHT BACK 

Max Beneke

 @mc.beneke

- joined Füchse on a full-time basis in the summer of 2024 after playing for Potsdam and appearing a small number of times for Berlin
- made his Bundesliga and European cup debuts in 2021/22
- played two games in the EHF EURO 2026 Qualifiers after appearing for the Germany A team for the first time in April 2023; yet to play a major championship
- part of the title-winning Germany side at the 2023 Junior WCh
- at 205 cm, ranks among the tallest players in the CL 2024/25

EL: 2023



RIGHT BACK 

Mathias Gidset

 @gidset

- started his professional career at GOG aged 18; made a high-profile transfer to Füchse in the summer of 2022
- with 126 goals, second top scorer of the CL 2024/25 ahead of the EHF FINAL4; likely to take the crown, as he is just four behind Szeged's Mario Sostaric
- current back-to-back IHF World Player of the Year; MVP of the 2020 and 2024 OG and the 2023 and 2025 WChs
- top scorer of the last four national team championships — the 2023 WCh, EHF EURO 2024 (joint with Martim Costa), 2024 OG and 2025 WCh; also top scorer for Füchse on the way to second place in the EL 2023/24
- at 92 caps for Denmark as of May 2025, he has already scored 555 national team goals — 554 of which were from the field; did not take a penalty for Denmark until the 2025 WCh

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



RIGHT BACK 

Fabian Wiede

 @fabian_w3

- a stalwart at Berlin, having played his entire professional career with the side
- named MVP of the EHF Finals Men 2023, as Berlin took the title
- while Füchse played two previous CL seasons since Wiede joined the A team, this is the first in which Wiede has had a major role and scored goals; arrives at the EHF FINAL4 with 44
- has 91 caps for Germany; won the EHF EURO in 2016 and Olympic bronze later that year
- named All-star Team right back of the 2019 WCh, where Germany ranked fourth

EL: 2023; EHF Cup: 2015, 2018
EURO: G 2016; OG: B 2016



RIGHT WING 

Leo Prantner

 @leo.prantner

- Italian international who signed with Berlin in January 2025; came from Balingen-Weilstetten to bolster the right wing after Tobias Reichmann's departure
- this is his debut CL season; gained his first European cup experience in the EL 2022/23 with Spanish side Rebi Balonmano Cuenca after starting out with Italian club Meran
- Italy's top scorer on their return to the WCh this year, scoring 37 goals in six games, which put him among the top 20 for the event overall
- scored 23 goals in the four EHF EURO 2026 Qualifiers he played; netted 15 against Latvia in round 3
- made his national team debut in 2020, aged 18; his father Jürgen played for Italy on the side's EHF EURO and WCh debuts in the 1990s and is now part of the coaching staff



RIGHT WING 

Hákun West Av Teigum

 @av_teigum

- Faroese international who joined Berlin in 2023 from Danish club Skanderborg-Aarhus
- moved to Skanderborg as a 16-year-old to join their academy; two seasons later, in 2020/21, he debuted in the Danish first division
- named All-star Team right wing of the Danish league in 2022/23; scored 68 goals to be Skanderborg-Aarhus' top scorer in the EL that same season
- one of the most important players for Faroe Islands; scored 23 goals in three games to be joint-top scorer for the side on their EHF EURO debut in 2024
- among the top scorers of the EHF EURO qualifiers overall for both the 2026 and 2024 editions



2024/25 TOP SCORERS*



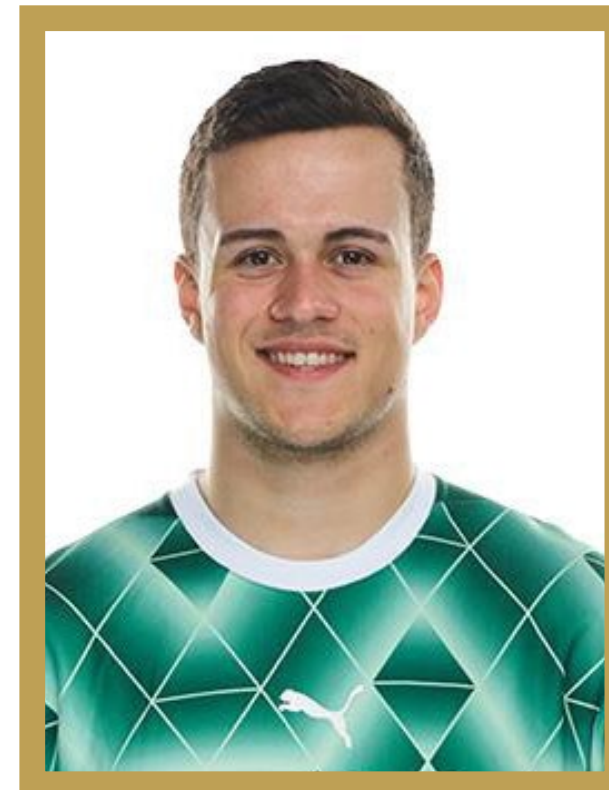
Mathias
Gidzel

126 GOALS



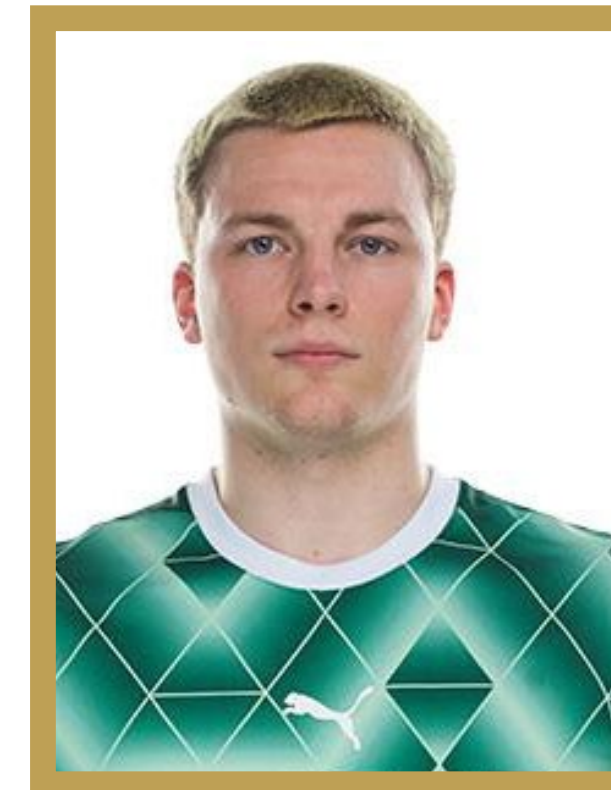
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Andersson

107 GOALS



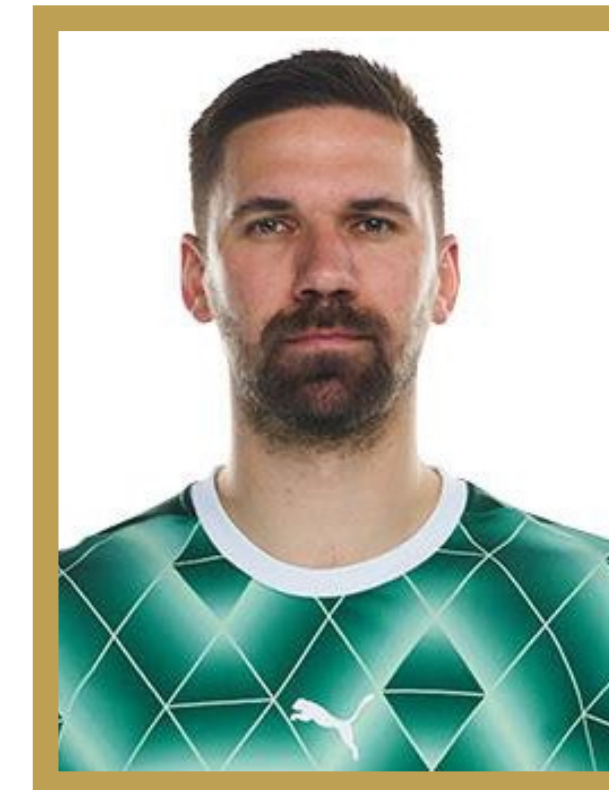
Tim
Freihöfer

67 GOALS



Nils
Lichtlein

58 GOALS



Fabian
Wiede

44 GOALS

* last updated: 30 May 2025 (after 2024/25 quarter-finals)



TRUCKSCOUT24 EHF FINAL4 — PLAYERS' GAME LOG

ANDERSSON, Lasse Bredekjaer DEN 2/2

01.06.2019 SF	Barça Lassa ESP	vs HC Vardar MKD	L 27:29	0	0
02.06.2019 3/4	Barça Lassa ESP	vs PGE Vive Kielce POL	W 40:35	2	2'

AV TEIGUM, Hákun West FAR

N/A

BENEKE, Max GER

N/A

BUDDE, Florian AUT

N/A

DARJ, Max SWE

N/A

FREIHÖFER, Tim GER

N/A

GIDSEL, Mathias DEN

N/A

GRUNDMANN, Maximilian GER

N/A

GRÜNER, Jan GER

N/A

HERBURGER, Lukas AUT

N/A

LANGHOFF, Matthes GER

N/A



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LICHTLEIN, Nils GER

N/A

LUDWIG, Lasse GER

N/A

MARSENIC, Mijajlo SRB 4/2

03.06.2017 SF	HC Vardar MKD	vs FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	W 26:25	0	0
04.06.2017 F	HC Vardar MKD	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 24:23	1	0
26.05.2018 SF	HC Vardar MKD	vs Montpellier HB FRA	L 27:28	0	0
27.05.2018 3/4	HC Vardar MKD	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	L 28:29	1	0

MART, Felix GER

N/A

MILOSAVLJEV, Dejan SRB 2/0

01.06.2019 SF	HC Vardar MKD	vs Barça Lassa ESP	W 29:27	0	0
02.06.2019 F	HC Vardar MKD	vs Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	W 27:24	0	0

MOHR, Lucas GER

N/A

ONA, Elie FRA

N/A

PICHIRI, Lauro GER

N/A

PRANTNER, Leo ITA

N/A



TRUCKSCOUT24 EHF FINAL4 — PLAYERS' GAME LOG

PREUßNER, Anton GER

N/A

REICHMANN, Tobias GER 8/18

29.05.2010 SF	THW Kiel GER	vs BM Ciudad Real ESP	W 29:27	0	0
30.05.2010 F	THW Kiel GER	vs FC Barcelona Borges ESP	W 36:34	0	0
26.05.2012 SF	THW Kiel GER	vs Füchse Berlin GER	W 25:24	0	0
27.05.2012 F	THW Kiel GER	vs BM Atletico Madrid ESP	W 26:21	0	0
30.05.2015 SF	KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	vs FC Barcelona ESP	L 28:33	2	0
31.05.2015 3/4	KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	vs THW Kiel GER	W 28:26	3	0
28.05.2016 SF	KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 28:26	4	0
29.05.2016 F	KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	vs MVM Veszprém HUN	W 39:38a7m	9	0

SCVHRÖDER, Tim GER

N/A

STELTNER, Lennart GER

N/A

ŠTRLEK, Manuel CRO 10/32

01.06.2013 SF	KS Vive Targi Kielce POL	vs FC Barcelona Intersport ESP	L 23:28	4	0
02.06.2013 3/4	KS Vive Targi Kielce POL	vs THW Kiel GER	W 31:30	5	0
30.05.2015 SF	KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	vs FC Barcelona ESP	L 28:33	2	0
31.05.2015 3/4	KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	vs THW Kiel GER	W 28:26	2	0
28.05.2016 SF	KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 28:26	4	0
29.05.2016 F	KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	vs MVM Veszprém HUN	W 39:38a7m	4	0
01.06.2019 SF	Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	vs PGE Vive Kielce POL	W 33:30	4	0



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02.06.2019 F	Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	vs HC Vardar MKD	L 24:27	0	0
18.06.2022 SF	Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	vs Lomza Vive Kielce POL	L 35:37	7	0
19.06.2022 3/4	Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	vs THW Kiel GER	L 35:37a7m	0	0
THIEL, Luca-Benjamin GER		N/A			
WANJURA, Moritz GER		N/A			
WIEDE, Fabian GER 2/0					
26.05.2012 SF	Füchse Berlin GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 24:25	0	0
27.05.2012 3/4	Füchse Berlin GER	vs AG Kobenhavn DEN	L 21:26	0	0



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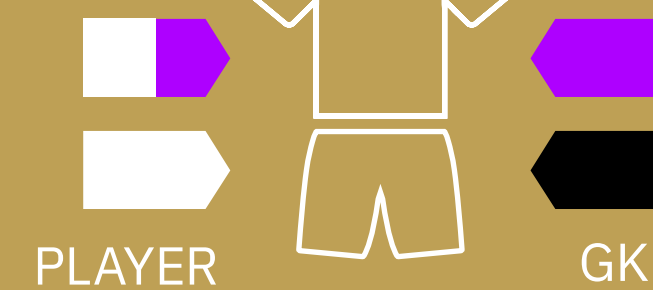


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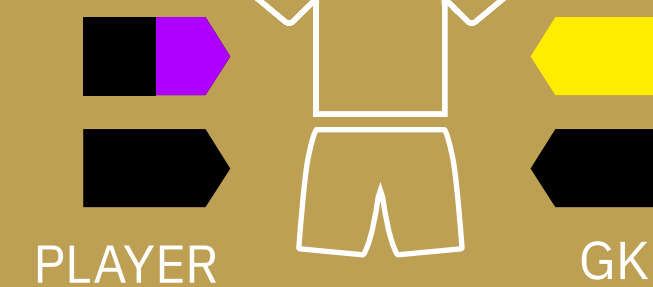
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Returning to the top flight after one season in the EHF European League, where they reached the quarter-finals, HBC Nantes are proud to be back in the Machineseecker EHF Champions League. They finished last season's French league just one point behind champions PSG and are now eager to show their strength in Europe again.

The 2018 runners-up have been strengthened by the arrival of the experienced Matej Gaber and Nicolas Tournat, who should make up for the off-season departure of several players. Nantes are in a tough group but have proven in the past they are up for the challenge.

TRUCKSCOUT24
EHF FINAL4

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HBC NANTES

MAIN FACTS

- › HBC Nantes have played at the EHF FINAL4 twice before; in 2018, where they reached the final but were beaten by Montpellier (27:32), and in 2021, where they lost in the semi-final against Barça (26:31)
- › they also reached the final of the EHF Cup in 2013 and 2016, but lost to Rhein-Neckar Löwen and Göppingen, respectively
- › on the domestic front, Nantes have won the French cup three times; in 2017, 2023 and 2024, and won the French Supercup this season
- › in the last six seasons, Nantes never managed to qualify twice in a row for the Machineseker EHF Champions League, alternating between it and the EHF European League
- › Nantes have played against Füchse Berlin before, but only in the EHF European League; the French side have won three games, Berlin two and one ended in a draw
- › each of the three times Nantes have reached the EHF FINAL4, they have done so with a different coach; Thierry Anti in 2018, Alberto Entrerrios in 2021 and Gregory Cojean in 2025

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League

Participations (including 2024/25 season): 6
 Runners-up (1): 2017/18
 Semi-finals (1): 2020/21
 Quarter-finals (1): 2018/19
 Play-offs (1): 2022/23
 Last 16 (1): 2016/17

Other

EHF European League
 Quarter-finals (1): 2021/22
 EHF Cup
 Runners-up (2): 2012/13, 2015/16
 Quarter-finals (1): 2013/14
 French league: –
 French cup: 2 titles (2017, 2023)



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2016/17 HBC Nantes FRA	14	10	2	2	433:387		+46	22:6	Last 16
2017/18 HBC Nantes FRA	20	12	4	4	581:548		+33	28:12	Runner-up
2018/19 HBC Nantes FRA	18	6	4	8	534:530		+4	16:20	Quarter-final
2020/21 HBC Nantes FRA	20	7	2	11	562:556		+6	16:24	Fourth Place
2022/23 HBC Nantes FRA	16	7	2	7	539:513		+26	16:16	Play-offs
2024/25 HBC Nantes FRA	18	10	3	5	540:516		+24	23:13	
Total	106	52	17	37	3189:3050		+139	121:91	



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE
CLUB RECORDS

7 MATCHES
Longest
winning run

7 MATCHES
Longest
unbeaten run

44 GOALS
Most goals

Biggest win: 44:27 (26:11) v Kolstad Håndbold NOR (h), 10.10.2024

Biggest defeat: 35:27 (15:13) v Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA (a), 01.04.2017
27:35 (15:18) v Barça ESP (h), 01.10.2020
32:24 (16:9) v Aalborg Håndbold (a), 14.10.2020

Longest winning run: 7 matches (14.10.2017 – 10.02.2018)

Longest unbeaten run: 7 matches (14.10.2017 – 10.02.2018)
7 matches (25.02.2018 – 26.05.2018)

Longest losing run: 4 matches (20.05.2021 – 14.09.2022)

Longest run without win: 5 matches (18.11.2018 – 07.02.2019)
5 matches (23.02.2023 – 11.09.2024)

Most goals: 44 v Kolstad Håndbold 44:27W (h), 10.10.2024

Most goals opponent: 40 v Lomza Industria Kielce POL 40:33L (a), 14.09.2022

Most goals both teams: 78 v Elverum Handball NOR 36:42W (a), 15.02.2023

Fewest goals: 22 v HC Prvo plinarsko drustvo Zagreb CRO 23:22L (a), 17.02.2018

Fewest goals opponent: 19 v Besiktas Mogaz HT TUR 33:19W (h), 01.10.2016

Fewest goals both teams: 43 v HC PPD Zagreb CRO 23:20W (h), 03.11.2018
43 v Industria Kielce POL 23:20W (h), 18.09.2024

TEAM ROSTER



No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
22	Alban	Simonnet	FRA	Centre Back	04/01/2004	Orléans, FRA	191
28	André	Wenkegeu Tchambou Mouko	FRA	Line Player	10/05/2004	Paris, FRA	197
4	Aymeric	Minne	FRA	Centre Back	20/04/1997	Melun, FRA	186
8	Ayoub	Abdi	ALG	Right Back	16/02/1997	Chlef, ALG	197
6	Baptiste	Bonnefond	FRA	Left Back	22/01/1993	Lyon, FRA	193
23	Edgar	Gohier	FRA	Right Wing	29/06/2005	Tours, FRA	183
27	Eloi	Gnanhouan	FRA	Left Back	25/03/2003	Montbéliard, FRA	194
30	Ignacio	Biosca García	ESP	Goalkeeper	17/07/1995	Barcelona, ESP	200
1	Ivan	Pesic	CRO	Goalkeeper	17/03/1989	Rijeka, CRO	194
25	Jules	Berriau	FRA	Right Back	21/04/2005	Saint Herblain, FRA	188
13	Julien	Bos	FRA	Right Back	18/08/1998	Pessac, FRA	188
19	Kauldi	Odriozola Yeregui	ESP	Right Wing	07/01/1997	Zumaia, ESP	183
32	Leo	Grenapin	FRA	Goalkeeper	10/03/2005	Le Mans, FRA	188
14	Lucas	De la Breteche	FRA	Centre Back	19/11/2001	Saint-Nazaire, FRA	193
2	Marko	Milosavljevic	SRB	Left Back	13/09/1998	Belgrade, SRB	201
15	Matej	Gaber	SLO	Line Player	22/07/1991	Kranj, SLO	198
21	Mathys	Lobgeois	FRA	Line Player	11/03/2005	Compiègne, FRA	195
11	Nicolas	Tournat	FRA	Line Player	05/04/1994	Niort, FRA	200
17	Noam	Leopold	SUI	Left Wing	17/07/2002	Thun, SUI	186
16	O'Brian	Nyateu	FRA	Centre Back	07/11/1992	Bordeaux, FRA	188
26	Pierre-Alexis	Favril	FRA	Left Wing	15/10/2004	Dreux, FRA	187
10	Rok	Ovnicsek	SLO	Centre Back	29/01/1995	Slovenj Gradec, SLO	185
18	Romain	Lagarde	FRA	Left Back	05/03/1997	Lorient, FRA	194
20	Salomon	Nassequela	COD	Right Back	15/01/2004	Kinshasa, COD	183
5	Shuichi	Yoshida	JPN	Line Player	26/03/2001	Wakayama, JPN	193
12	Sirius	Rambaud	FRA	Goalkeeper	18/01/2006	Nogent sur Marne, FRA	196
9	Théo	Avelange Demouge	FRA	Right Wing	11/03/1996	Besançon, FRA	183
3	Thibaud	Briet	FRA	Left Back	14/12/1999	Rouen, FRA	205
7	Valero	Rivera Folch	ESP	Left Wing	22/02/1985	Barcelone, ESP	185
24	Yoni	Peyrabout	FRA	Left Wing	07/06/2006	Martigues, FRA	195



COACH



Grégory Cojean



- joined Nantes as a coach in 2005, when he was only 27; took over as head coach of the A team in 2022
- after coaching the B team, he sat on the bench of the A team for the first time in 2009
- was assistant coach under Thierry Anti and Alberto Entrerrios
- won the French Cup in his first season in charge and defended it in 2023/24; also led the team to be French league runners-up in 2023/24
- has helped several young players emerge from the club's youth division, including Dragan Pechmalbec, Thibaud Briet and Theo Monar

ARRIVALS

> Romain Lagarde (PAUC Handball)

DEPARTURES



GOALKEEPER 

Ivan Pesic

 @ivanpesicsenj



GOALKEEPER 

Ignacio Biosca Garcia

 @nachobiosca



LEFT WING 

Noam Leopold

 @noamleo35



LEFT WING 

Valero Rivera

 @valerorivera

- joined TVB Stuttgart from Meshkov Brest in November 2021 before moving to Nantes in 2022; previously played for Maribor, RK Zagreb, and Veszprém after starting his professional career at Rijeka
- instrumental in Nantes reaching the EHF FINAL4, with 111 saves in the season, ranking him among the top 10 keepers for 2024/25
- debuted for Croatia in 2008 and was selected for several major championships, but has not been a steadfast member of the senior squad
- won gold at the M18 EHF EURO in 2006 and silver at the 2007 Men's Youth WCh
- had a kidney removed after being stabbed in a 2009 nightclub incident, in which his Veszprém teammate Marian Cozma was killed

WCh: S 2025

- arrived at Nantes in March 2024, after starting the season with Veszprém
- had made 84 saves in the CL 2024/25, placing him among the top 15 in the competition
- started his career at Barcelona; moved to Ademar Leon in 2014, to Kadetten Schaffhausen in 2019, to Plock in 2022 then to Veszprém in 2023
- first called up to the Spain national team in 2018 and has played nine games with the side but no major championships

- 22-year-old who is one of the biggest rising talents in Swiss handball
- arrived at Nantes from Pfadi Winterthur in 2024 and has scored 28 goals in what is his first CL season
- netted 60 goals for Pfadi in eight games in the EL 2023/24, ranking as the side's clear top scorer
- top scorer of the Swiss league in 2023/24, with 273 goals — 34 goals clear of the next player
- debuted for Switzerland in 2022; the 2025 WCh was his first major tournament

- an experienced left wing who was world and European champion with Spain
- returned to Nantes from Barça in 2018 after an earlier spell with Nantes from 2010 to 2016
- All-star left wing of the EHF Champions League 2020/21 and 2015 IHF World Championship
- top scorer of the EHF Champions League 2020/21 with 95 goals and EHF EURO 2016 with 48 goals; has recorded a tally above 55 goals in all but one European cup season since 2014/15
- son of Valero Rivera Sr., former Barça and Spain coach; married to former handball player Marion Anti, daughter of previous Nantes coach Thierry Anti

CL: 2005; EHF Cup: 2003
EURO: G 2018, S 2016, B 2014; WCh: G 2013



LEFT BACK 

Thibaud Briet

 @thibaud_briet

- Nantes is his first professional club; he arrived in 2019 to join the academy and debuted with the A team that season
- has scored 54 goals in the CL 2024/25; also passed 50 goals in his previous CL season, in 2022/23
- debuted for France in 2021; the EHF EURO 2022 was his first major tournament and he has since won two medals with the side
- among the tallest players in the CL 2024/25, at 205 cm

WCh: S 2023, B 2025



LEFT BACK 

Baptiste Bonnefond

 @baptiste_bonnefond

- joined Nantes in 2023, arriving from Nimes, where he spent one season
- came through the Montpellier academy and made his professional debut with the side, scoring his first CL goals in 2012/13
- left Montpellier in 2019 to move to PAUC, then transferred to Meshkov Brest in 2021; spent less than a season at Brest, returning to France, to Nimes, in March 2022
- typically used more as a defensive player, he has scored two goals this season; his personal record in the CL was 39, while playing for Meshkov
- played one match for France, in the Golden League in 2015

CL: 2018



LEFT BACK 

Romain Lagarde

 @romainl56

- returned to Nantes for his second stint with the club in February 2025, arriving earlier than planned due to injuries at HBC
- originally recruited to the Nantes academy in 2014 by former coach Thierry Anti, he started his professional career there in 2016
- moved to his only foreign club so far, Rhein-Neckar Löwen, in 2019 then returned to France in 2021, joining PAUC
- named best young player in the CL 2017/18, when he reached the final with Nantes and scored a career high 49 goals in the top flight
- after being part of a very successful YAC generation, which won both the M18 EHF EURO 2014 and 2015 Youth WCh, made his debut for France in October 2017

EURO: B 2018
OG: G 2020
WCh: S 2023, B 2019, 2025



CENTRE BACK 

Rok Ovnicek

 @rok.ovnicek

- arrived at Nantes in 2019/20 from RK Celje, where he played one season; his only other professional club before Celje was RK Gorenje Velenje
- his first CL season was with Velenje, where he played alongside new Nantes line player and Slovenian compatriot Matej Gaber
- missed part of this season due to injury, but played seven CL 2024/25 matches including the quarter-finals
- one of Slovenia's many great centre backs, he has played some major championships but is not a core part of the national team
- was part of the Slovenia team that reached the EHF EURO 2020 semi-finals, placing fourth



CENTRE BACK 

Aymeric Minne

 @aymericminne

- joined Nantes in the summer of 2019 after four seasons with Aix, his only other professional club
- Nantes' top scorer in the CL 2024/25, with 84 goals, ranking him among the top 10 of the season
- All-star centre back of the French league for 2023/24, when he scored a career high 155 goals in the competition
- scored 62 goals in the EL 2023/24 and at least 49 goals in each of the previous three European cup seasons
- made his national team debut for France in 2021; France's second top scorer at the 2025 WCh, with 38 goals, including 10 in the bronze-medal match

WCh: B 2025



LINE PLAYER 

Nicolas Tournat

 @nicolas_tournat

- returned to Nantes, where he started his professional career and came through the youth ranks, after a stint at Kielce from 2020 to 2024
- awarded best line player in the French league for three years straight from 2018 to 2020
- scored over 40 goals in eight CL seasons, including the current one, with 60 for Nantes in 2024/25; his career high in the top flight was 76 for Nantes in 2017/18
- has played five European cup finals — two in the EHF Cup and three in the CL — but never won an international club title
- has been Olympic and European champion with France

OG: G 2020
EURO: G 2024, B 2018
WCh: S 2023 B 2025



LINE PLAYER 

Matej Gaber

 @matejgaber22

- returned to France in 2024 after eight years with Szeged in Hungary
- played for Montpellier, his first club outside his native Slovenia, from 2013 to 2016
- not typically a high scorer and used more at the defensive end, his career high goal tally in the CL is 29, scored in 2023/24 and 2013/14
- a former Slovenia international, who retired from the national team after the Paris 2024 OG; part of the bronze medal-winning side at the 2017 WCh
- his first European cup experience was in the EHF Cup with RD Merkur in 2008/09

WCh: B 2017



LINE PLAYER 

Shuichi Yoshida

 @s.yoshida_handball

- Japanese international who joined Nantes ahead of this season; has scored six goals in the CL 2024/25 — his first in the top flight
- came to Europe in 2020/21 aged 19, joining Polish club Tarnów; played the EL with the side the following season, scoring six goals
- first moved to France to join Dunkirk, scoring 59 goals in the French league in 2023/24
- named best line player at the 2024 Asian Championship, where Japan placed second
- the 2021 WCh was his first national team tournament; he was Japan's third top scorer at the 2024 OG, with 18 goals

Asian Ch: S 2024



RIGHT BACK 

Ayoub Abdi

 @ayoub_abdi87

- Algerian international who joined HBC Nantes in 2024 after five seasons with Toulouse; has scored 48 goals in what is his first CL season
- played two international seasons with Toulouse, in the EL 2020/21 and 2021/22, scoring over 30 goals in both
- named All-star right back of the French league for 2023/24; netted his personal best 153 goals in the domestic competition that season
- 15th on the top scorer chart at the 2021 WCh, with 36 goals in six games
- has won two African Championship medals with Algeria

Af.Ch: S 2024, B 2020



RIGHT BACK 

Julien Bos

 @julienbos13

- formed at Montpellier, he transferred to Nantes in 2023
- has scored a career high 72 goals in the CL 2024/25
- had a breakout season in 2021/22, scoring 65 CL goals for Montpellier; backed that up with the same tally in the EL 2022/23
- has played a few games for the France senior team; won his first medal with the side at the 2025 WCh, contributing 13 goals
- part of a golden French generation that won medals at every YAC event — three gold and one silver across the EHF EUROs and WChs

WCh: B 2025



RIGHT WING 

Kauldi Odriozola Yeregui

 @kauldi4

- joined Nantes from Bidasoa Irun in 2022; scored a career high 52 goals in his first CL season with the French team
- Bidasoa Irun was his only other club; he made his CL debut with the side in 2019/20
- named best newcomer in the ASOBAL league for 2016/17
- has scored over 200 goals in 77 caps for Spain, as of May 2025; first called up in 2017 and has won a string of medals since
- won the Junior WCh alongside Daniel Dujshebaev and Aleix Gomez in 2017 and the M20 EHF EURO in 2016

EURO: S 2022; OG: B 2024; WCh: B 2023



RIGHT WING 

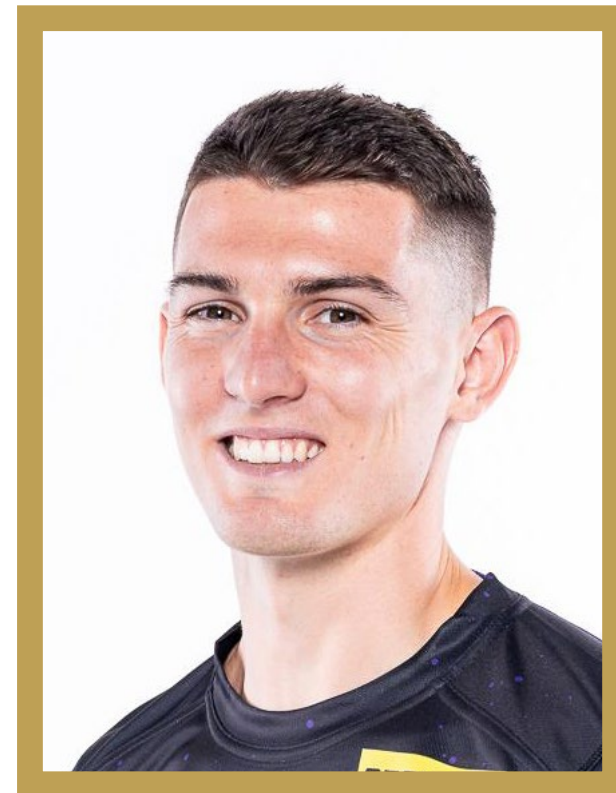
Théo Avelange Demouge

 @theo.ademouge

- arrived at Nantes in 2023 after two seasons with Dunkirk; has scored 18 goals in the CL this season, which is his first in the top flight
- debuted in international club competitions with Nantes, contributing 33 goals in the EL 2023/24
- has always played in France; his previous clubs aside from Dunkirk were Besançon, Pontault and Saran
- ranked sixth on the top scorer list of the French league in 2022/23, netting 172 goals in his last season with Dunkirk
- his career high in the domestic league was 216 while playing for Saran



2024/25 TOP SCORERS*



Aymeric
Minne

84 GOALS



Valero
Rivera

80 GOALS



Julien
Bos

72 GOALS



Nicolas
Tournat

60 GOALS



Thibaud
Briet

54 GOALS

* last updated: 30 May 2025 (after 2024/25 quarter-finals)



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ABDI, Ayoub ALG		N/A			
AVELANGE DEMOUGE, Théo FRA		N/A			
BERRIAU, Jules FRA		N/A			
BIOSCA GARCIA, Ignacio ESP		N/A			
BONNEFOND, Baptiste FRA 2/0					
26.05.2018 SF	Montpellier HB FRA	vs HC Vardar MKD	W 28:27	0	0
27.05.2018 F	Montpellier HB FRA	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 32:27	0	0
BOS, Julien FRA		N/A			
BRIET, Thibaud FRA 2/3					
12.06.2021 SF	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Barça ESP	L 26:31	0	0
13.06.2021 3/4	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball	L 28:31	3	0
FAVRIL, Pierre-Alexis FRA		N/A			
GABER, Matej SLO		N/A			
GNANHOUAN, Eloi FRA		N/A			



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GOHIER, Edgar	FRA		N/A			
GREPIN, Leo	FRA		N/A			
LAGARDE, Romain	FRA	2/5				
26.05.2018	SF	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 32:28	3	2'
27.05.2018	F	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Montpellier HB FRA	L 27:32	2	0
LEOPOLD, Noam	SUI		N/A			
LOBGEOIS, Mathys	FRA		N/A			
MILOSAVLJEVIC, Marko	SRB		N/A			
MINNE, Aymeric	FRA	2/6				
12.06.2021	SF	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Barça ESP	L 26:31	1	2'
13.06.2021	3/4	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball	L 28:31	5	0
NASSEQUELA, Salomon	COD		N/A			
NYATEU, O'Brian	FRA		N/A			
ODRIOZOLA YEREGUI, Kauldi	ESP		N/A			



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OVNICEK, Rok SLO 2/2

12.06.2021 SF	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Barça ESP	L 26:31	2	0
13.06.2021 3/4	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball	L 28:31	0	0

PESIC, Ivan CRO

N/A

PEYRABOUT, Yoni FRA

N/A

RAMBAUD, Sirius FRA

N/A

RIVERA FOLCH, Valero ESP 4/18

03.06.2017 SF	FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	vs HC Vardar MKD	L 25:26	4	0
04.06.2017 3/4	FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	vs Telekom Veszprém HUN	L 30:34	5	2'
12.06.2021 SF	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Barça ESP	L 26:31	6	0
13.06.2021 3/4	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball	L 28:31	3	2'

TOURNAT, Nicolas FRA 6/18

26.05.2018 SF	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 32:28	8	4'
27.05.2018 F	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Montpellier HB FRA	L 27:32	0	0
18.06.2022 SF	Lomza Vive Kielce POL	vs Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	W 37:35	4	0
19.06.2022 F	Lomza Vive Kielce POL	vs Barça ESP	L 35:37a7m	2	0
17.06.2023 SF	Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 25:24	2	0
18.06.2023 F	Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 29:30aet	2	2'



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WENKEGHEU TCHAMBOU MOUKO, André FRA N/A

YOSHIDA, Shuichi JPN N/A

I BARÇA VS SC MAGDEBURG

THROW-OFF: SATURDAY 14 JUNE 2025, 18:00 CEST / COLOGNE (GER)

REFEREES: SLAVE NIKOLOV / GJORGJI NACHEVSKI (MKD)

DELEGATES: LIDIJA BOJIC-CACIC (CRO) AND OYVIND TOGSTAD (NOR)



- they finished first in group B with 22 points, before beating OTP Bank - PICK Szeged in the quarter-finals (56:54 on aggregate) on their way to Cologne
- signed retired goalkeeper Vincent Gérard as a replacement for Gonzalo Perez de Vargas, who suffered a knee injury in the winter
- the Frenchman was key for his new team in the quarter-finals, with four important saves in the return leg against Szeged
- 17 players in this season's Barça squad have already won the EHF Champions League, including 16 with Barça
- Luis Frade and Melvyn Richardson are Barça's current top scorers in the competition, having scored 64 goals each



- they finished fourth in group B this season with 13 points, before eliminating Dinamo Bucuresti in the play-offs (65:55 on aggregate) and One Veszprém HC in the quarter-finals (54:53 on aggregate)
- Gisli Kristjansson was instrumental in the quarter-final, scoring the buzzer-beater to help Magdeburg win the second leg by one goal
- Omar Ingi Magnusson is their top scorer in the competition this season, with 64 goals, which places him 27th overall
- important players all suffered major injuries at some point of the season, with Felix Claar, Omar Ingi Magnusson, Gisli Kristjansson, Oscar Bergendahl and Matthias Musche all being out at some point



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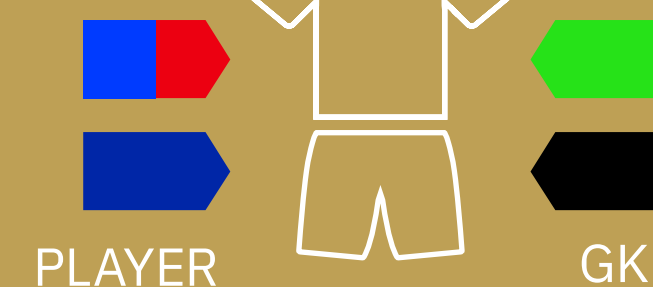
Capacity:
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Barça returned to the throne of European men’s club handball in 2024, winning the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 in Cologne in convincing manner for their record-extending 11th top-flight trophy. It was their third title in the last four seasons – a series only interrupted by Magdeburg in 2023.

And with their vastly unchanged quad, Barça will top many lists of pre-season favourites again when the group phase of the Machineseker EHF Champions League 2024/25 gets underway, despite the strong opposition from the likes of Magdeburg, Kielce, and last season’s runners-up Aalborg, who all share the same group.

TRUCKSCOUT24
 EHF FINAL4

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MAIN FACTS

- › Barça are the record holders for most EHF Champions League wins, with 11 trophies; they have lost the final four times
- › this season will be their 11th participation in the EHF FINAL4, which they have already won five times, including in 2024
- › Barça hold many other records, including being the only team to have won all their matches en route to winning the trophy, back in 2021
- › they are also the only club to have won the EHF FINAL4 back-to-back; in 2021 and 2022
- › Barça have already won the Spanish league this season as well as the Copa ASOBAL
- › coach Carlos Ortega won the EHF Champions League both as a player (six times between 1996 and 2005) and as a coach (2022 and 2024)
- › the victory in 2022 was during Ortega's first season on the Barça bench

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League

Participations (including 2024/25 season): 27

Winners (11): 1995/96, 1996/97, 1997/98, 1998/99, 1999/00, 2004/05, 2010/11, 2014/15, 2020/21, 2021/22, 2023/24

Final (4): 2000/01, 2009/10, 2012/13, 2019/20

Semi-finals (4): 2007/08, 2013/14, 2016/17, 2018/19

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

IHF European Champions Cup: 1990/91

IHF Super Globe: 2013, 2014, 2017, 2018

Spanish league: 32 titles (1969, 1973, 1980, 1982, 1986, 1988-92, 1996-2000, 2003, 2006, 2011-25)

Spanish cup: 29 titles (1969, 1972-73, 1983-85, 1988, 1990, 1993-94, 1997-98, 2000, 2004, 2007, 2009-10, 2014-2025)



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	535:426		+109	25:7	Third Place
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



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
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	18	15	0	3	596:510		+86	30:6	Winner
2024/25 Barça ESP	16	11	2	3	510:463		+47	24:8	
Total	402	309	25	68	12688:10663		+2025	643:161	



**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 (25.03.2000 – 22.04.2000) 2 matches (16.10.2004 – 23.10.2004) 2 matches (11.12.2004 – 05.03.2005) 2 matches (15.03.2008 – 06.04.2008) 2 matches (23.11.2008 – 14.02.2009) 2 matches (30.05.2010 – 25.09.2010) 2 matches (03.06.2017 – 04.06.2017) 2 matches (31.03.2018 – 12.09.2018) 2 matches (18.11.2021 – 24.11.2021) 2 matches (29.02.2024 – 07.03.2024)
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 v ABC Braga POR 21:21D (a), 09.11.1997 21 v SC Pick Szeged HUN 22:21L (a), 23.10.2004 21 v Portland San Antonio ESP 25:21L (a), 25.02.2006 21 v SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER 31:21L (a), 23.02.2007 21 v Rhein-Neckar Löwen GER 22:21L (a), 20.09.2015
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

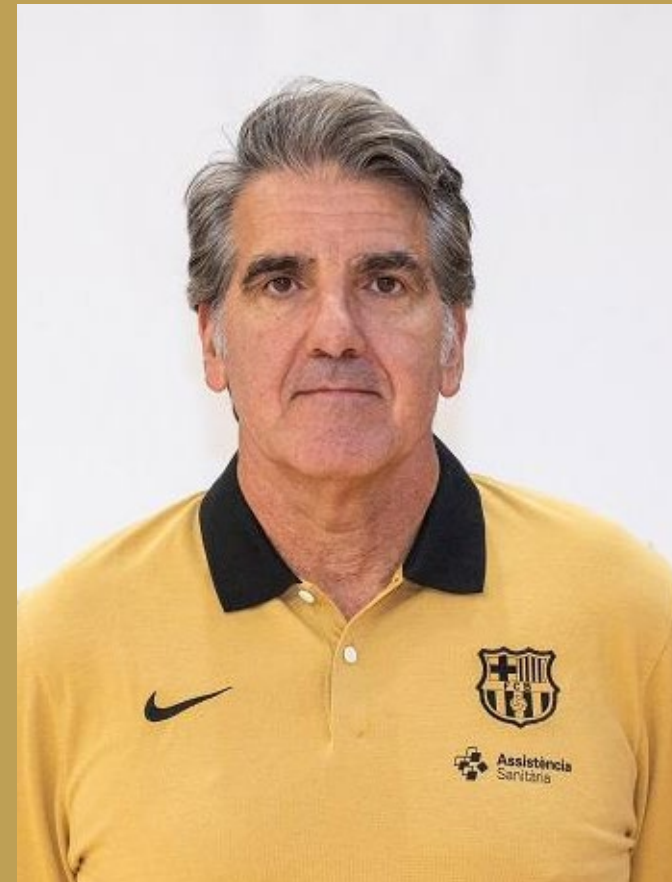
TEAM ROSTER



No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
23	Adrian	Sola Basterra	ESP	Right Wing	16/04/2008		
13	Aitor	Ariño Bengoechea	ESP	Left Wing	05/10/1992	Penarth, WAL	184
20	Aleix	Gómez Abelló	ESP	Right Wing	07/05/1997	Sabadell, ESP	183
3	Antonio	Bazan Legasa	ESP	Line Player	19/05/1996	Pamplona, ESP	195
18	Blaz	Janc	SLO	Right Wing	20/11/1996	Brezice, SLO	186
10	Dika	Mem	FRA	Right Back	31/08/1997	Paris, FRA	194
35	Domen	Makuc	SLO	Line Player	01/07/2000	Celje, SLO	188
12	Emil	Nielsen	DEN	Goalkeeper	10/03/1997	Aarhus, DEN	195
21	Filip	Saric	BIH	Goalkeeper	08/10/2004	Madrid, ESP	195
1	Gonzalo	Perez de Vargas Moreno	ESP	Goalkeeper	10/01/1991	Toledo, ESP	188
15	Hampus	Wanne	SWE	Left Wing	10/12/1993	Goteborg, SWE	185
17	Jan	Blas Clos	ESP	Right Wing	17/11/2006	Palautordera, ESP	170
99	Javier	Rodríguez Moreno	ESP	Line Player	22/07/2002	Madrid, ESP	200
9	Jonathan	Carlsbogard	SWE	Left Back	19/04/1995	Goteborg, SWE	195
44	Juan	Palomino Morón	ESP	Left Back	11/10/2001	Antequera, ESP	195
82	Luis Diogo	Sousa Frade	POR	Line Player	11/09/1998	Rio Tinto, POR	193
40	Manuel	Ortega Ezcurdia	ESP	Left Wing	01/09/2005	Santander, ESP	175
66	Melvyn	Richardson	FRA	Right Back	31/01/1997	Marseille, FRA	190
24	Miguel Ángel	Martín Duque	ESP	Right Back	02/09/2007	Tahiche, ESP	200
27	Oscar	Grau Ibañez	ESP	Line Player	16/01/2004	Barcelona, ESP	180
88	Petar	Cikusa i Jelcic	ESP	Right Back	08/12/2005	Bordils, ESP	185
33	Pol	Quiroga Duran	ESP	Goalkeeper	31/05/2005	Gerona, ESP	200
6	Pol	Valera Rovira	ESP	Centre Back	19/08/1998	La Garriga, ESP	179
70	Sanfelipe Vilarrasa	Oriol	ESP	Left Back	26/04/2006	Barcelona, ESP	190
22	Thiagus Petrus	Gonçalves dos Santos	BRA	Field Player	25/01/1989	Juiz de Fora, BRA	199
19	Timothey	N'guessan	FRA	Left Back	18/09/1992	Massy, FRA	195
57	Vincent	Gérard	FRA	Goalkeeper	16/12/1986	Woippy, FRA	195



COACH



Carlos Ortega



- took the helm at Barça in 2021, succeeding Xavi Pascual; played 11 years for the club before returning as coach
- has won two CL trophies with Barça, plus six as a player, making him the only person ever to win eight titles in the top flight
- playing as a right back and wing, Ortega was part of Barça’s five back-to-back CL trophy wins from 1996 to 2000
- scored more than 500 goals for the Spain national team; took two EHF EURO medals and Olympic bronze with the side
- started coaching in 2005; worked at Veszprém, Kolding, and Hannover, and had two stints coaching the Japan men, including at Paris 2024

CL: 1996–2000, 2005 (as player), 2022, 2024 (as coach); CWC: 1995; EC: 2003
OG: B 2000; EURO: S 1998, B 2000 (all as player)

ARRIVALS

> Vincent Gérard (from retirement)

DEPARTURES



GOALKEEPER 

Emil Nielsen

 @emilnielsen97



GOALKEEPER 

Vincent Gérard

 @gerardvin



LEFT WING 

Hampus Wanne

 @hampusw



LEFT WING 

Aitor Ariño

 @aitorarino13

- arrived at Barça in 2022 after three seasons with HBC Nantes in France; started his career at Aarhus and Skjern
- top goalkeeper of the CL 2024/25, with 162 saves at a rate of 32.6 per cent across the 16 matches played before the EHF FINAL4
- named MVP and goalkeeper of the 2023/24 season at the EHF Excellence Awards, and All-star Team goalkeeper at the 2025 WCh
- Danish international since 2018 but cemented his status with a superb EHF EURO 2024 campaign; now the number one in Denmark's goal
- at 39.49 per cent, had the highest save rate at the EHF EURO 2024; followed that with the most saves at the 2025 WCh one year later, with 125 at a rate of 43 per cent

- former French international who came out of retirement when Barça called ahead of the quarter-finals, replacing injured Gonzalo Perez de Vargas
- had retired following the 2024 OG at home; was a regular in the France team since his first tournament, the EHF EURO 2014
- his career at the top level started at Montpellier, where he returned in 2015 following stints at Dunkirk and Istres; he then moved to PSG in 2019 and on to THW Kiel in 2023
- his time at Kiel was interrupted by injury and the contract was terminated early; he spent the rest of what he thought was his last club season back at Istres
- named All-star Team goalkeeper at the EHF EURO 2018, 2020 OG and 2017 WCh

- Swedish international who left Flensburg after nine years to join Barça in 2022
- scored the decisive penalty for Flensburg in the shootout against Barça in legendary the CL 2013/14 semi-final
- made the CL All-star Team in 2021/22; also All-star Team left wing at the EHF EURO 2024 and 2021 WCh
- named Swedish Handballer of the Year in 2021
- made his national team debut in 2017 and has over 450 goals for Sweden in 113 caps as of May 2025

- has spent his entire professional career at Barça, becoming a regular part of the A team in 2013; will join Fühse Berlin this summer
- his career high goal count in the CL was 50 in 2019/20; this season, he has netted 36
- ranks among the top on the list of most titles won in the CL, with five — only six players have more than him
- debuted for Spain in 2013; has been a part of three titles and two other medals with the side
- has played 89 matches for Spain and scored 156 goals as of May 2025

CL: 2024
OG: G 2024; WCh: G 2021, 2025; EURO: S 2024

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

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

CL: 2011, 2015, 2021, 2022, 2024
EURO: G 2018, 2020, S 2022; WCh: G 2013, B 2021



LEFT BACK 

Timothee N'Guessan

 @timoute19

- French international who arrived at Barça in the summer of 2016 from his only previous club, Chambéry
- scored over 40 goals for Barça in each of the last three CL seasons plus the current one (59), with his highest tally at 72 in 2022/23
- has won all major trophies in handball, with 2021 and 2024 being standout years, in which he won both a national team title and the CL
- after being left off the 14-player list for the 2024 OG, announced his retirement from the national team in October that year; his final record was 255 goals in 114 games
- part of the French back-court axis that is a key asset for Barça, with Dika Mem and Melvyn Richardson

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



LEFT BACK 

Jonathan Carlsbogard

 @carlsbogard

- arrived at Barça in 2022, coming from TBV Lemgo in Germany, where he spent four seasons
- his only other professional club prior to Lemgo was Redbergslids IK, where he played from 2013 to 2018
- a Swedish international since 2020, he has scored 175 goals in 89 games for the side as of May 2025
- has played seven championships with Sweden and been part of their return to the top rankings
- named Swedish player of the year for 2023

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



LEFT BACK 

Thiagus Petrus

 @thiaguspetrus

- Brazilian international who is the anchor of Barça's defence; arrived at the club in 2018 and will leave for Veszprém this summer
- previously played for Szeged, from 2015 to 2018, and made his European cup debut playing for La Rioja from 2012 to 2015
- La Rioja was his first European club; he moved there from ES Pinheiros in Brazil
- named defender of the 2022/23 season at the first EHF Excellence Awards; MVP of the 2022 South and Central American Championship and All-star left back at the 2018 Pan American Championship
- has played for Brazil since 2010

CL: 2021, 2022, 2024
 SCA Ch: G 2022, 2024, S 2020
 Pan Am Ch: G 2016, S 2010, 2012, 2018



CENTRE BACK 

Domen Makuc

 @domen.makuc

- Slovenian international who arrived at Barça in 2019, hailed as a big talent
- started his career at Celje and was the first player born in the 21st century to score a CL goal; he was 17 at the time
- missed most of the 2023/24 season due to injury but recovered in time to play a small role at the EHF FINAL4; comes to Cologne with 29 goals in 2024/25
- made his debut for the Slovenia A team in 2021; missed the 2024 OG due to not being 100 per cent following his injury
- part of the Slovenia side that won the country's first M20 EHF EURO title in 2018 on home ground

CL: 2021, 2022, 2024



LINE PLAYER 

Luís Frade

 @frade_98

- Portuguese international who joined Barça from Sporting CP in 2020, the same year he played his first major championship — the EHF EURO 2020
- joint-top scorer for Barça in the CL 2024/25, with 64 goals; scored a career high 74 goals for Barça in the 2023/24 season
- joined Águas Santas as a youth player then switched to Sporting in 2018
- regular and important player for Portugal in both attack and defence; part of the team that reached the WCh semi-finals for the first time ever in January 2025
- made the All-star Team when Portugal took fourth place at the 2019 Junior WCh

CL: 2021, 2022, 2024



LINE PLAYER 

Javier Rodríguez

 @javirodriguezmoreno

- arrived at Barça in 2023 after two seasons with La Rioja, where he made his European cup debut in the EL
- 2023/24 was his breakthrough season; he won the CL, debuted in the national team and ended it by taking his first medal with Spain at the 2024 OG
- named All-star Team line player at both the M20 EHF EURO 2022 and M19 EHF EURO 2021
- started his professional career at BM Alcobendas (2018–2020) then spent one season with Guadalajara before transferring to La Rioja in 2021
- was 16 when he first played the ASOBAL league

CL: 2024
OG: B 2024



RIGHT BACK 

Melvyn Richardson

 @Melvyn_richardson

- French international who joined Barça in 2021 from Montpellier HB; now three-time CL winner
- joint-top scorer for Barça in the CL 2024/25, with 64 goals as of the end of the quarter-finals
- MVP of the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2024; scored 13 goals on the final weekend
- son of Jackson Richardson, who won the CL in 2000/01 with Portland San Antonio — 17 years before Melvyn repeated the feat with Montpellier
- won gold at the Tokyo 2020 OG and EHF EURO 2024; debuted in the France A team in June 2017

CL: 2018, 2022, 2024
OG: G 2020; WCh: S 2023, B 2019, 2025
EURO: G 2024



RIGHT BACK 

Dika Mem

 @dikamem

- Barça's team captain since 2023/24; third top scorer for the side in the CL 2024/25, with 63 goals ahead of the EHF FINAL4
- grabbed attention as a big talent from an early age, joining Barça from Tremblay in 2016 at age 19; made his debut for the France A team in October that year
- a superb long-range shooter who has hit the 100-goal mark in two of the last three CL seasons; three-time CL All-star Team right back who was also named right back of the 2023/24 season at the EHF Excellence Awards
- completed the hat-trick of major titles with France in 2024 by winning the EHF EURO; won gold at the 2020 OG and the 2017 WCh
- France's top scorer at the last three major tournaments, scoring 54 goals on the path to 2025 WCh bronze and 49 towards the EHF EURO 2024 title

CL: 2021, 2022, 2024
OG: G 2020; WCh: G 2017, S 2023, B 2019, 2025
EURO: G 2024, B 2018



RIGHT BACK 

**Petar Cikusa
i Jelcic**

@petar.cikusa

- formed at Barça, he debuted in the CL in 2023/24, scoring 24 goals
- comes to the EHF FINAL4 with 29 goals in 2024/25
- alongside his twin Djordje, was the second youngest debutant ever for Spain, aged 17 years and 10 months when he played his first national team game in 2023; has played 13 matches as of May 2025
- MVP of the M20 EHF EURO 2024, where Spain won the title
- also won the M18 EHF EURO 2022, where he was named best player of the final, and the 2023 Youth WCh

CL: 2024



RIGHT WING 

Aleix Gomez

@aleixgomez11

- came through club's youth ranks, joining in 2009; previously shared the right wing position with club icon Víctor Tomás, who retired in 2020
- CL top scorer in 2021/22 after netting 22 goals at the EHF FINAL4 and raising his season tally to 104
- passed the 70-goal mark in every CL season from 2018 to 2024 except one; has netted 55 this season
- has been the all-time top scorer at the EHF FINAL4 since 2023, with 82 goals ahead of the 2025 edition
- Spanish international who has won medals at all major national team championships; named in the All-star Team at the 2020 OG and the EHF EURO 2022

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



RIGHT WING 

Blaz Janc

@janc8

- Slovenian international who can play both right wing and back; plays only on the wing for Barça and shares his position with Aleix Gomez
- joined Barça from Kielce in 2020, after three seasons with the Polish side
- made his CL debut with RK Celje, scoring his first goal in the top flight at the age of 16
- his younger brother Mitja also played at Celje and is now establishing himself in the national team
- key in Slovenia's maiden OG semi-final appearance, contributing 43 goals to be the side's second top scorer; named Paris 2024 All-star Team right wing

CL: 2021, 2022, 2024
WCh: B 2017



2024/25 TOP SCORERS*





Luís Frade
64 GOALS




Melvyn Richardson
64 GOALS




Dika Mem
63 GOALS




Timothy N'guessan
59 GOALS




Aleix Gómez
55 GOALS

* last updated: 30 May 2025 (after 2024/25 quarter-finals)



TRUCKSCOUT24 EHF FINAL4 — PLAYERS' GAME LOG

ADRIAN, Sola Basterra ESP

N/A

ARIÑO BENGOCHEA, Aitor ESP 14/20

31.05.2014 SF	FC Barcelona ESP	vs SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER	L 39:41a7m	0	0
01.06.2014 3/4	FC Barcelona ESP	vs MKB-MVM Veszprém HUN	W 26:25	0	0
30.05.2015 SF	FC Barcelona ESP	vs KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	W 33:28	0	0
31.05.2015 F	FC Barcelona ESP	vs MKB-MVM Veszprém HUN	W 28:23	0	0
03.06.2017 SF	FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	vs HC Vardar MKD	L 25:26	1	0
04.06.2017 3/4	FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	vs Telekom Veszprém HUN	L 30:34	4	0
01.06.2019 SF	Barça Lassa ESP	vs HC Vardar MKD	L 27:29	3	0
02.06.2019 3/4	Barça Lassa ESP	vs PGE Vive Kielce POL	W 40:35	0	0
28.12.2020 SF	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:32	1	0
29.12.2020 F	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:33	4	0
18.06.2022 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 34:30	1	0
19.06.2022 F	Barça ESP	vs Lomza Vive Kielce POL	W 37:35a7m	3	0
08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	3	2'
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	0	0

BAZAN LEGASA, Antonio ESP

N/A

BLAS CLOS, Jan ESP

N/A



TRUCKSCOUT24 EHF FINAL4 — PLAYERS' GAME LOG

CARLSBOGARD, Jonathan SWE 4/5

17.06.2023 SF	Barça ESP	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 39:40a7m	0	0
18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	1	0
08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	2	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	2	0

CIKUSA I JELICIC, Petar ESP 2/5

08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	4	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	1	0

DA SOUSA FRADE, Luis Diogo POR 6/5

28.12.2020 SF	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:32	0	2'
29.12.2020 F	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:33	0	0
12.06.2021 SF	Barça ESP	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 31:26	1	0
13.06.2021 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 36:23	1	0
17.06.2023 SF	Barça ESP	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 39:40a7m	1	0
18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	2	0
08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	2	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	2	0



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GÉRARD, Vincent FRA 6/0

26.05.2018 SF	Montpellier HB FRA	vs HC Vardar MKD	W 28:27	0	0
27.05.2018 F	Montpellier HB FRA	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 32:27	0	0
28.12.2020 SF	Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	vs Barça ESP	L 32:37	0	0
29.12.2020 3/4	Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	vs Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	W 31:26	0	0
12.06.2021 SF	Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 33:35	0	0
13.06.2021 3/4	Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 31:28	0	0

GÓMEZ ABELLÓ, Aleix ESP 12/82

01.06.2019 SF	Barça Lassa ESP	vs HC Vardar MKD	L 27:29	9	0
02.06.2019 3/4	Barça Lassa ESP	vs PGE Vive Kielce POL	W 40:35	2	2'
28.12.2020 SF	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:32	2	0
29.12.2020 F	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:33	10	0
12.06.2021 SF	Barça ESP	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 31:26	4	0
13.06.2021 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 36:23	9	0
18.06.2022 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 34:30	12	0
19.06.2022 F	Barça ESP	vs Lomza Vive Kielce POL	W 37:35a7m	10	0
17.06.2023 SF	Barça ESP	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 39:40a7m	8	0
18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	12	0
08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	2	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	2	0



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GONÇALVES DOS SANTOS, Thiagus Petrus BRA 12/4

01.06.2019 SF	Barça Lassa ESP	vs HC Vardar MKD	L 27:29	2	2' (D)
02.06.2019 3/4	Barça Lassa ESP	vs PGE Vive Kielce POL	W 40:35	0	6' (D)
28.12.2020 SF	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:32	0	2'
29.12.2020 F	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:33	1	4'
12.06.2021 SF	Barça ESP	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 31:26	0	0
13.06.2021 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 36:23	0	0
18.06.2022 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 34:30	0	2'
19.06.2022 F	Barça ESP	vs Lomza Vive Kielce POL	W 37:35a7m	1	2'
17.06.2023 SF	Barça ESP	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 39:40a7m	0	0
18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	0	0
08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	0	2'
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	0	2'

GRAU IBAÑEZ, Oscar ESP

N/A

JANC, Blaz SLO 12/35

01.06.2019 SF	PGE Vive Kielce POL	vs Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	L 30:33	4	0
02.06.2019 3/4	PGE Vive Kielce POL	vs Barça Lassa ESP	L 35:40	4	0
28.12.2020 SF	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:32	5	0
29.12.2020 F	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:33	0	2'
12.06.2021 SF	Barça ESP	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 31:26	1	2'
13.06.2021 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 36:23	3	0
18.06.2022 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 34:30	2	0



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19.06.2022 F	Barça ESP	vs Lomza Vive Kielce POL	W 37:35a7m	1	0
17.06.2023 SF	Barça ESP	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 39:40a7m	2	2'
18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	7	0
08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	4	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	2	0
MAKUC, Domen SLO 9/14					
28.12.2020 SF	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:32	0	0
12.06.2021 SF	Barça ESP	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 31:26	3	0
13.06.2021 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 36:23	2	0
18.06.2022 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 34:30	0	0
19.06.2022 F	Barça ESP	vs Lomza Vive Kielce POL	W 37:35a7m	1	0
17.06.2023 SF	Barça ESP	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 39:40a7m	3	0
18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	4	0
08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	1	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	0	0
MARTÍN DUQUE, Miguel Ángel ESP		N/A			
MEM, Dika FRA 14/58					
03.06.2017 SF	FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	vs HC Vardar MKD	L 25:26	2	0
04.06.2017 3/4	FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	vs Telekom Veszprém HUN	L 30:34	1	0
01.06.2019 SF	Barça Lassa ESP	vs HC Vardar MKD	L 27:29	3	4'
02.06.2019 3/4	Barça Lassa ESP	vs PGE Vive Kielce POL	W 40:35	8	0



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28.12.2020 SF	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:32	8	0
29.12.2020 F	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:33	4	2'
12.06.2021 SF	Barça ESP	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 31:26	6	2'
13.06.2021 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 36:23	2	2'
18.06.2022 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 34:30	4	2'
19.06.2022 F	Barça ESP	vs Lomza Vive Kielce POL	W 37:35a7m	6	0
17.06.2023 SF	Barça ESP	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 39:40a7m	4	0
18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	0	0
08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	3	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	7	4'
N'GUESSAN, Timothy FRA 13/52					
03.06.2017 SF	FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	vs HC Vardar MKD	L 25:26	3	2'
04.06.2017 3/4	FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	vs Telekom Veszprém HUN	L 30:34	6	0
02.06.2019 3/4	Barça Lassa ESP	vs PGE Vive Kielce POL	W 40:35	0	0
28.12.2020 SF	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:32	4	0
29.12.2020 F	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:33	1	0
12.06.2021 SF	Barça ESP	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 31:26	3	0
13.06.2021 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 36:23	6	0
18.06.2022 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 34:30	3	0
19.06.2022 F	Barça ESP	vs Lomza Vive Kielce POL	W 37:35a7m	4	0
17.06.2023 SF	Barça ESP	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 39:40a7m	9	2'
18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	5	0



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08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	2	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	6	0
NIELSEN, Emil DEN 6/0					
12.06.2021 SF	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Barça ESP	L 26:31	0	0
13.06.2021 3/4	HBC Nantes FRA	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball	L 28:31	0	0
17.06.2023 SF	Barça ESP	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 39:40a7m	0	0
18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	0	0
08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	0	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	0	0
ORIOLO, Sanfelipe Vilarrasa ESP		N/A			
ORTEGA EZCURDIA, Manuel ESP		N/A			
PALOMINO MORÓN, Juan ESP		N/A			
PEREZ DE VARGAS MORENO, Gonzalo ESP 18/3					
28.05.2011 SF	FC Barcelona Borges ESP	vs Rhein-Neckar Löwen GER	W 30:28	0	0
29.05.2011 F	FC Barcelona Borges ESP	vs Renovalia Ciudad Real ESP	W 27:24	0	0
30.05.2015 SF	FC Barcelona ESP	vs KS Vive Tauron Kielce POL	W 33:28	0	0
31.05.2015 F	FC Barcelona ESP	vs MKB-MVM Veszprém HUN	W 28:23	0	0
03.06.2017 SF	FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	vs HC Vardar MKD	L 25:26	0	0
04.06.2017 3/4	FC Barcelona Lassa ESP	vs Telekom Veszprém HUN	L 30:34	0	0



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01.06.2019 SF	Barça Lassa ESP	vs HC Vardar MKD	L 27:29	0	0
02.06.2019 3/4	Barça Lassa ESP	vs PGE Vive Kielce POL	W 40:35	0	0
28.12.2020 SF	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:32	0	0
29.12.2020 F	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:33	0	0
12.06.2021 SF	Barça ESP	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 31:26	0	0
13.06.2021 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 36:23	3	0
18.06.2022 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 34:30	0	0
19.06.2022 F	Barça ESP	vs Lomza Vive Kielce POL	W 37:35a7m	0	0
17.06.2023 SF	Barça ESP	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 39:40a7m	0	0
18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	0	0
08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	0	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	0	0

QUIROGA DURAN, Pol ESP

N/A

RICHARDSON, Melvyn FRA 8/31

26.05.2018 SF	Montpellier HB FRA	vs HC Vardar MKD	W 28:27	6	0
27.05.2018 F	Montpellier HB FRA	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 32:27	4	4'
18.06.2022 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 34:30	0	0
19.06.2022 F	Barça ESP	vs Lomza Vive Kielce POL	W 37:35a7m	3	0
17.06.2023 SF	Barça ESP	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 39:40a7m	0	0
18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	5	0
08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	5	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	8	0



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RODRÍGUEZ MORENO, Javier ESP 2/0

08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	0	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	0	0

SARIC, Filip BIH

N/A

VALERA ROVIRA, Pol ESP 1/3

18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	3	0
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WANNE, Hampus SWE 6/14

31.05.2014 SF	SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER	vs FC Barcelona ESP	W 41:39a7m	4	0
01.06.2014 F	SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:28	0	0
17.06.2023 SF	Barça ESP	vs SC Magdeburg GER	L 39:40a7m	3	0
18.06.2023 3/4	Barça ESP	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 37:31	5	0
08.06.2024 SF	Barça ESP	vs THW Kiel GER	W 30:18	1	0
09.06.2024 F	Barça ESP	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 31:30	1	0



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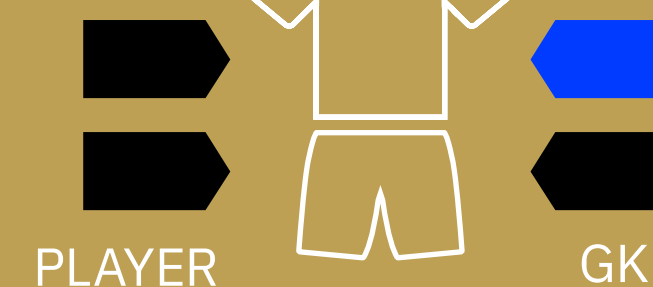
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SC Magdeburg won everything they could win last season – the domestic league and cup, and the IHF Super Globe – except for the Machineseecker EHF Champions League. Magdeburg made it to the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 again but could not repeat their title triumph from the 2022/23 season.

Avoiding major changes to their squad in the off-season, Magdeburg are part of the inner circle of main title contenders for the 2024/25 season again. Competition will be stiff in this tough group, but the German side aim for nothing less than direct entry into the quarter-finals.

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SC MAGDEBURG

MAIN FACTS

- › SC Magdeburg have won the EHF Champions League twice in their history; in 2002 and more recently in 2023, when they beat Industria Kielce in the final (30:29 after overtime)
- › this season is Magdeburg's seventh in the top-tier European competition, yet they have two final victories and have reached another semi-final
- › in recent years, Magdeburg have also won the German Bundesliga twice (2022 and 2024), the German Cup (2024), the EHF European League (2021) and the IHF Super Globe (2021, 2022 and 2023)
- › 12 players who won the EHF FINAL4 in 2023 are still present in Magdeburg's squad this season. Nikola Portner also won the competition in 2018 with Montpellier
- › Bennet Wiegert has been the team's coach since 2015, after playing for the club from 1998 to 2004 and from 2007 to 2013
- › Wiegert is one of five coaches to have also won the EHF Champions League as a player, alongside Filip Jicha, Talant Dujshebaev, Antonio Carlos Ortega and Roberto Garcia Parrondo

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League

Participations (including 2024/25 season): 7

Winners (2): 2001/02, 2022/23

Semi-final (1): 2003/04, 2023/24

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: 13 titles (1970, 1977, 1980, 1981-85, 1988, 1991 (GDR); 2001, 2022, 2024)

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	18	13	0	5	546:496		+50	26:10	Fourth Place
2024/25 SC Magdeburg GER	18	9	2	7	523:497		+26	20:16	
Total	94	58	8	28	2810:2607		+203	124:64	



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)
	3 matches (08.06.2024 – 12.09.2024)
	3 matches (10.10.2024 – 24.10.2024)
Longest run without win:	4 matches (25.09.2024 – 24.10.2024)
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:	18 v HC Zagreb CRO 22:18L (a), 20.11.2024
Fewest goals opponent:	17 v Panellinos AC Athens GRE 17:29W (a), 09.11.2002
Fewest goals both teams:	40 v HC Zagreb CRO 22:18L (a), 20.11.2024

TEAM ROSTER



No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
21	Albin	Lagergren	SWE	Right Back	11/09/1992	Varberg, SWE	186
15	Antonio	Serradilla Cuenca	ESP	Left Back	10/01/1999	Sevilla, ESP	198
24	Christian	O'Sullivan	NOR	Centre Back	22/08/1991	Oslo, NOR	190
11	Daniel	Pettersson	SWE	Right Wing	06/05/1992	Eskestuna, SWE	179
7	Felix	Claar	SWE	Centre Back	05/01/1997	Vrinnevi, SWE	192
10	Gisli Thorgeir	Kristjansson	ISL	Centre Back	30/07/1999	Reykjavik, ISL	191
3	Isak	Persson	SWE	Right Wing	07/11/2000	Lund, SWE	190
2	Josias	Liehr	GER	Right Back	19/09/2003	Magdeburg	187
38	Julius	Drachau	GER	Left Back	01/03/2004	Magdeburg	190
49	Leander	Schöbe	GER	Right Wing	24/07/2006		
18	Leon	Hein	GER	Line Player	30/01/2003	Magdeburg	190
22	Lukas	Mertens	GER	Left Wing	22/03/1996	Wilhelmshaven, GER	182
23	Magnus Saugstrup	Jensen	DEN	Line Player	12/07/1996	Aalborg, DEN	195
8	Manuel	Zehnder	SUI	Centre Back	24/10/1999	Aarau, SUI	190
6	Matthias	Musche	GER	Left Wing	18/07/1992	Burg, GER	187
34	Michael	Damgaard Nielsen	DEN	Left Back	18/03/1990	Rødby, DEN	192
80	Nikola	Portner	SUI	Goalkeeper	19/11/1993	Lyon, FRA	194
19	Noah	Hensen	GER	Right Back	01/10/2006		
14	Ómar Ingi	Magnusson	ISL	Right Back	12/03/1997	Selfoss, ISL	186
54	Oscar	Bergendahl	SWE	Line Player	08/03/1995	Kungsbacka, SWE	192
31	Oskar	Stieglitz	GER	Goalkeeper	31/10/2006		
5	Pablo	Lange	GER	Left Wing	07/10/2005	Magdeburg	190
20	Philipp	Weber	GER	Left Back	15/09/1992	Schönebeck, GER	194
55	Sebastian	Bialas	GER	Centre Back	04/02/2005	Magdeburg	185
1	Sergey	Hernandez Ferrer	ESP	Goalkeeper	17/06/1995	Kropotkin, RUS	198
17	Tim	Hornke	GER	Right Wing	04/08/1990	Hannover, GER	188
9	Tim	Zechel	GER	Line Player	28/09/1996	Goslar, GER	196
44	Willi	Lücke	GER	Goalkeeper	21/09/2005		



COACH



**Bennet
Wiegert**



- former Germany left wing, who played for Magdeburg from 1998 to 2013, interrupted by brief stints at Wilhelmshaven and Gummersbach between 2004 and 2007
- won the CL with Magdeburg as a player in 2002 and as a coach in 2023
- led Magdeburg to the EL title in 2021, three straight IHF Super Globe trophies from 2021 to 2023, the German Cup in 2016 and 2024, and the Bundesliga trophy in 2022 and 2024
- 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 was later Magdeburg coach

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

ARRIVALS

DEPARTURES



GOALKEEPER 

Nikola Portner

 @nikola_portner

- Swiss international who played six seasons of the CL before joining Magdeburg in 2022; arrived after two seasons with Chambéry
- spent four seasons with Montpellier, from 2016 to 2020, winning the CL title with the side
- awarded best goalkeeper of the French league for 2021/22 while playing for Chambéry
- Magdeburg is the first German club in his career and sixth overall; before moving to France, he played for Grauholz, Bern Muri, Kadetten Schaffhausen, all in Switzerland
- his father, Zlatko Portner, was world champion in 1986 and Olympic bronze medallist in 1988, playing for Yugoslavia

CL: 2018, 2023



GOALKEEPER 

Sergey Hernandez

 @sergeyhf25

- Spanish international who arrived at Magdeburg in 2023 after three seasons at SL Benfica
- MVP of the EHF Finals Men in 2022, when Benfica beat Magdeburg in the final; also MVP of the German Cup Final4 in 2024, leading Magdeburg to their third title in the competition
- started his professional career with five seasons at Helvetia Anaitasuna then two at Logroño, before moving to Benfica in 2020
- has a unique personal story: born in Russia, then adopted by Spanish parents who were both athletes; his father worked for Kolding in Denmark and that is where Hernandez discovered handball
- made his debut for the Spain national team in 2017; has won two medals with the side but played a small number of matches at those tournaments

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



LEFT WING 

Lukas Mertens

 @lukasmertens22

- started his career at his home club Wilhelmshaven; joined SCM in 2017
- scored a personal best 58 goals in European cup competitions in the EL 2020/21; netted 45 on the path to Magdeburg's CL title win in 2022/23
- regular in the Germany national team since 2021; the EHF EURO 2022 was his first major tournament
- reached the semi-finals at both major championships in 2024, placing fourth at the EHF EURO and taking the silver medal at the OG
- silver medallist and All-star Team left wing at the M20 EHF EURO in 2016; also All-star Team left wing at the 2017 Junior WCh

CL: 2023; EL: 2021
OG: S 2024



LEFT WING 

Pablo Lange

 @pablo_lange31

- brought from the YAC side into the A team following Matthias Musche's season-ending injury in the CL quarter-finals
- has played three games in the CL 2024/25 ahead of the EHF FINAL4, scoring one goal
- his goal was a penalty taken at the end of SCM's victory over Zagreb, in Zagreb, in the group phase in October 2024



LEFT BACK 

Felix Claar

 @felixclaar

- joined Magdeburg in 2023 after three years at Aalborg, scoring 85 goals in his first CL season with the German club; has netted 46 this year
- named centre back of the 2023/24 season at the EHF Excellence Awards, 2024 Swedish Handballer of the Year and MVP of the Swedish league in 2018/19 and 2019/20
- started his professional career at Alingsås (2013–2020) before moving to Aalborg
- a key part of the new golden Sweden generation that collected three medals in the four major international championships spanning from 2021 to 2024
- has played six championships with Sweden after making his national team debut in 2017; led the side with 38 goals and ranked 10th overall in that statistic at the EHF EURO 2024

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



LEFT BACK 

Michael Damgaard

 @dgaard34

- ranked among Magdeburg’s top scorers in the CL 2023/24 group phase; was the side’s top scorer in the final EHF Cup season, in 2019/20
- scored more than 30 goals in every European cup season from 2019/20 to 2023/24, including 55 on the path to the CL title in 2023 and 60 in the EL 2021/22
- Danish international first in 2013; has not played all major competitions with the side but has won the Olympic and WCh titles
- joined Magdeburg in 2015 from TTH Holstebro in his native Denmark
- started his professional career at GOG before moving to Holstebro in 2010

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

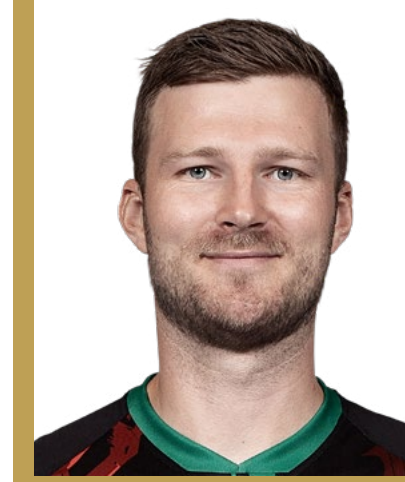



LEFT BACK 

Antonio Serradilla Cuenca


 @serradilla_15

- arrived at Magdeburg from Elverum ahead of the 2024/25 season; an important player in the side’s defence
- joined Elverum in February 2023 from Logroño in his native Spain, where he gained his first international club experience playing the EL 2021/22 and 2022/23
- prior to the 2021/22 season, had an operation to remove his right eye due to a tumour but was determined to come back to handball
- started his career with two seasons at Quabit Guadalajara before joining Logroño in 2020
- a part of the Spain A team’s extended squad prior to his eye operation and has yet to return to the side; won the silver medal at the 2017 Youth WCh



LEFT BACK 

Philipp Weber

 @philippweber20

- a product of the Magdeburg YAC teams who scored his first European cup goals for the side in the 2011/12 season, aged 19
- also made his Bundesliga debut in the 2011/12 season and passed 1,200 goals in the competition at the end of April 2025
- had two stints with Leipzig, from 2013 to 2016 then again from 2017 to 2021; in between, played for Wetzlar and was top scorer of the Bundesliga that season
- returned to Magdeburg in 2021 and scored his personal best 39 goals on the path to the EL 2021/22 final
- made his national team debut for Germany in January 2017; the EHF EURO 2018 was his first major tournament and he was part of the team that reached the EHF EURO 2024 semi-finals

CL: 2023



CENTRE BACK 

Gisli Kristjansson

 @gislithorgeir

- Icelandic international who joined Magdeburg in 2020 from domestic league rivals Kiel; arrived at THW in 2018
- a player who thrives in crunch time, he scored the last-second goal that qualified the side for the EHF FINAL4 this season; his CL tally for 2024/25 is 52 goals
- famously played and won the CL final against Kielce in 2023, one day after dislocating his shoulder in the semi-final
- MVP of the TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2023, MVP of Bundesliga 2022/23 and 2023 Icelandic Sportsperson of the Year
- first played for Iceland in October 2017 at age 18; also represented Iceland in football at a YAC level, winning bronze at the 2014 Youth OG

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



CENTRE BACK 

Christian O'Sullivan

 @christianosullivan24

- team captain of Magdeburg and key player for Norway; part of the historic first medal wins for the men's national team
- arrived at SCM from Swedish side IFK Kristianstad in 2016; started his professional career with Norwegian club Bækkelaget SK
- has played four matches at the EHF FINAL4 and received red cards in every one, when Magdeburg won the title in 2023 and again in 2024
- debuted for Norway in 2012; the EHF EURO 2014 was his first major tournament and he has now played 13 championships with the side
- son of a British handball international, he was asked to join the GB team for the 2012 OG but did not want to change citizenship

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



LINE PLAYER 

Magnus Saugstrup

 @magnussaugstrup

- joined Magdeburg in 2021 after an impressive season with Aalborg, where he led the Danish side to the CL final
- has won medals at seven international championships in a row, including gold at three straight WCh titles in 2021, 2023 and 2025
- an X-factor for Denmark, made captain of the side following Niklas Landin's retirement
- made the EHF EURO 2024 All-star Team as best defender and was then named defender of the 2023/24 season at the EHF Excellence Awards; MVP of the Bundesliga in 2023/24
- arrived at Aalborg to start his professional career at age 18; played more than 250 matches for the club

CL: 2023
OG: G 2024, S 2020; WCh: G 2021, 2023, 2025;
EURO: S 2024, B 2022



LINE PLAYER 

Tim Zechel

 @tim.zechel

- returned to Magdeburg, where he had been part of the YAC teams, ahead of the 2024/25 season and has netted 18 goals in what is his first year in the CL
- arrived at Magdeburg from HC Erlangen (2021–2024), where he was named the club's player of the season in his first year there
- Erlangen was his second top-level club; he played his debut season in the first Bundesliga after achieving promotion with TUSEM Essen for 2019/20
- graduated from YAC to the senior level while playing for Hildesheim; also played for Hannover-Burgwedel before spending four seasons with Essem from 2017 to 2021
- played his first match for Germany in 2022 and participated in the 2023 WCh, playing one game



RIGHT BACK 

Ómar Ingi Magnússon

 @omaringim

- joined Magdeburg in 2020 after four years in Denmark, with Aarhus and Aalborg; started his career at Selfoss then Valur in Iceland
- Magdeburg's top scorer in the CL 2024/25, with 62 goals; joint-third top scorer of the CL 2023/24, with a career high 98 in the top flight
- two-time Icelandic Sportsperson of the Year, in 2021 and 2022; also Icelandic Handball Player of the Year in 2021 and 2022 and MVP of the Bundesliga in 2021/22
- top scorer of the EHF EURO 2022 with 59 goals and the Bundesliga 2020/21 with 274
- made his national team debut for Iceland at age 18; was part of the Iceland team that won bronze at the 2015 Youth WCh

CL: 2023; EL: 2021



RIGHT BACK 

Albin Lagergren

 @albinlagergren

- returned to Magdeburg from Rhein-Neckar Löwen in 2023; his first stint with SCM was from 2018 to 2020
- before moving to Germany, spent five seasons with IFK Kristianstad (2013–2018) in his native Sweden; previously played for Varberg and Redbergslids
- one of Magdeburg's most important attacking assets in the CL this season, with 58 goals — his highest since playing for SCM; led the side with an eight-goal outing in the first-leg quarter-final against Veszprém
- a Swedish international since 2016, he has played 130 matches and scored over 400 goals as of May 2025
- won gold at the 2013 Junior WCh

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



RIGHT WING 

Daniel Pettersson

 @daanielpettersson

- playing his ninth season with Magdeburg, having arrived at the club in 2016
- his only other club was Eskilstuna in Sweden, where he started handball and gained his first European cup experience
- scored a career high 58 goals in international club competitions the season before joining Magdeburg, in the EHF Cup 2014/15
- has played seven championships since debuting with Sweden in 2013
- won the 2013 Junior WCh alongside Albin Lagergren

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



RIGHT WING 

Tim Hornke

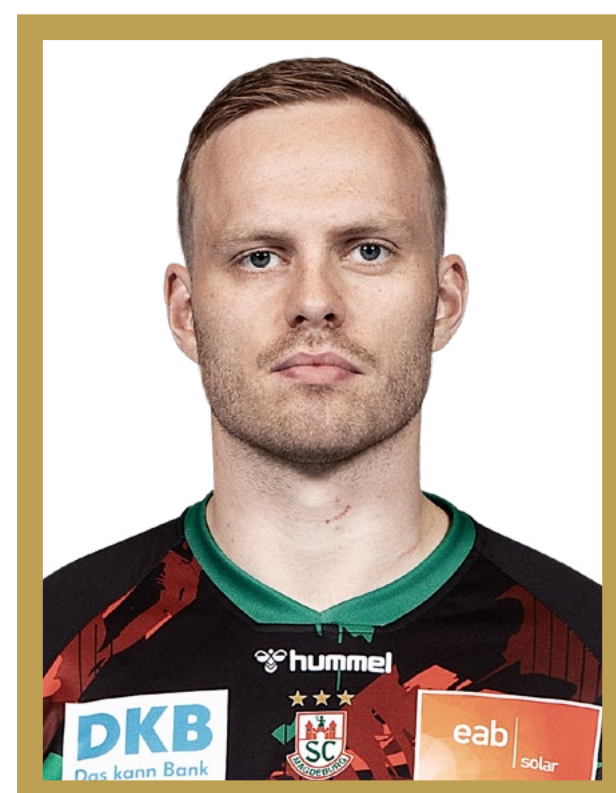
 @tim_hornke90 (private)

- missed the first part of the season due to an injury suffered in the first game at the 2024 OG; played his first match in the CL 2024/25 in February
- rejoined Magdeburg in 2019, having spent four years with the side from 2010 to 2014; played for TBV Lemgo in between and started his professional career at Hanover
- scored a career high 55 goals in international club competitions in the EL 2020/21; his personal best in the CL was 52 in 2023/24
- made his Germany A team debut in June 2017 but is not a regular member of the line-up
- won the 2011 Junior WCh and M18 EHF EURO 2008

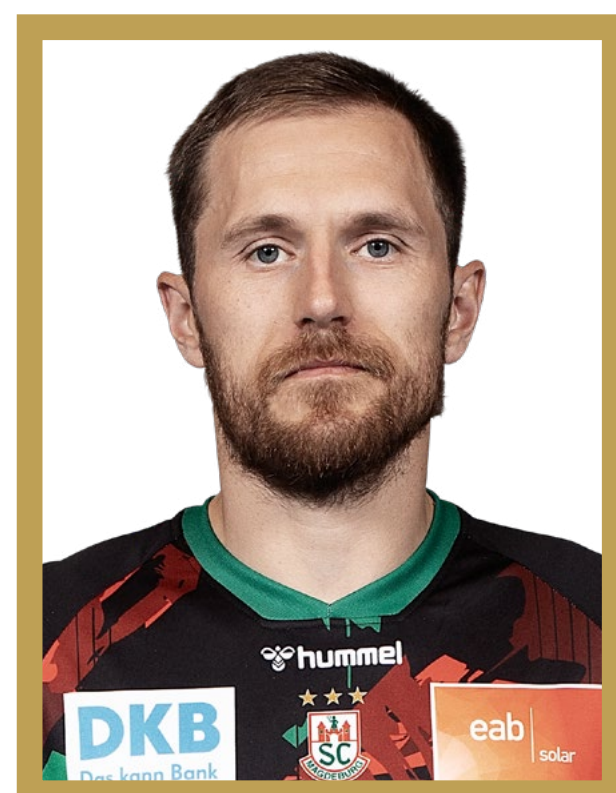
CL: 2023; EL: 2021
OG: S 2024



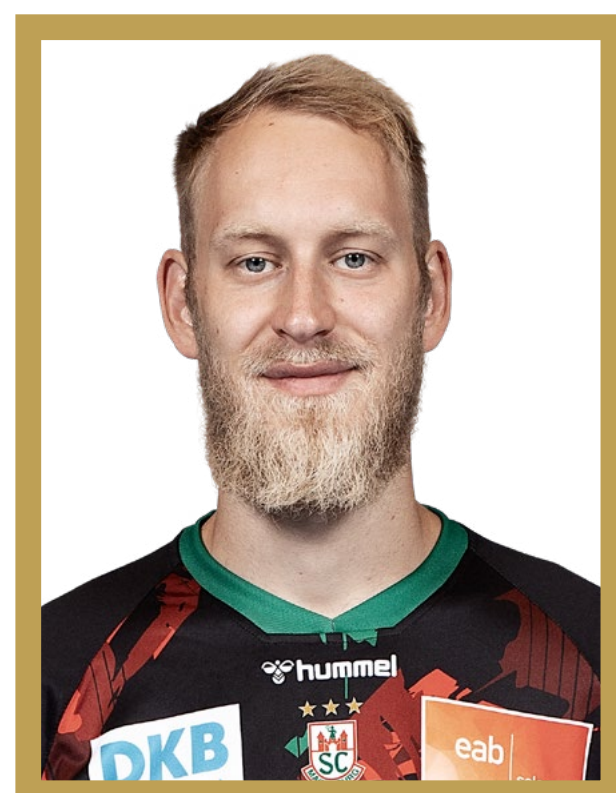
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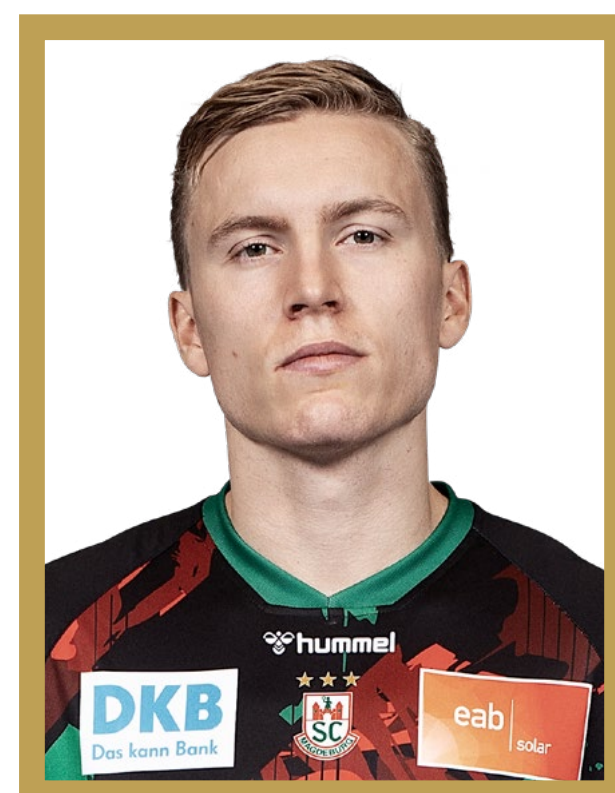

**Ómar
Magnússon**
62 GOALS



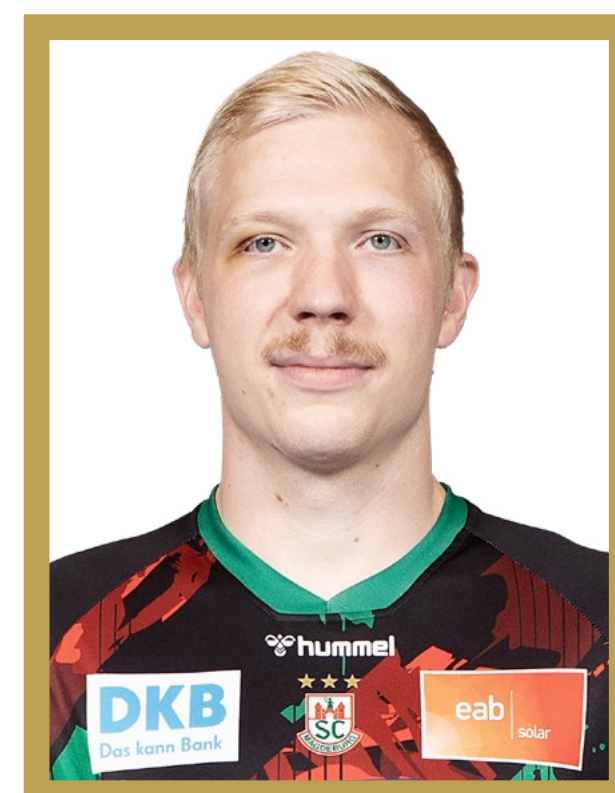

**Albin
Lagergren**
58 GOALS




**Matthias
Musche**
58 GOALS




**Gísli
Kristjánsson**
52 GOALS




**Magnus
Saugstrup**
48 GOALS

* last updated: 30 May 2025 (after 2024/25 quarter-finals)



TRUCKSCOUT24 EHF FINAL4 — PLAYERS' GAME LOG

BERGENDAHL, Oscar SWE 4/1

17.06.2023 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barça ESP	W 40:39a7m	0	2'
18.06.2023 F	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	W 30:29aet	1	0
08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	0	0
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	0	0

BIALAS, Sebastian GER

N/A

CLAAR, Felix SWE 4/19

12.06.2021 SF	Aalborg Håndbold DEN	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 35:33	9	0
13.06.2021 F	Aalborg Håndbold DEN	vs Barça ESP	L 23:36	2	0
08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	4	0
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	4	0

DAMGAARD NIELSEN, Michael DEN 2/14

17.06.2023 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barça ESP	W 40:39a7m	8	0
18.06.2023 F	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	W 30:29aet	6	0

DRACHAU, Julius GER

N/A

HEIN, Leon GER

N/A

HENSEN, Noah GER

N/A



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HERNANDEZ FERRER, Sergey ESP 2/0

08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	0	0
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	0	0

HORNKE, Tim GER 4/5

17.06.2023 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barça ESP	W 40:39a7m	1	0
18.06.2023 F	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	W 30:29aet	0	0
08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	0	0
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	4	0

JENSEN, Magnus Saugstrup DEN 6/15

12.06.2021 SF	Aalborg Håndbold DEN	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 35:33	4	0
13.06.2021 F	Aalborg Håndbold DEN	vs Barça ESP	L 23:36	2	0
17.06.2023 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barça ESP	W 40:39a7m	3	2'
18.06.2023 F	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	W 30:29aet	3	0
08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	1	2'
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	2	0

KRISTJANSSON, Gisli Thorgeir ISL 4/18

17.06.2023 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barça ESP	W 40:39a7m	5	2'
18.06.2023 F	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	W 30:29aet	6	0
08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	2	0
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	5	2'



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LAGERGREN, Albin SWE 2/0

08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	0	0
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	0	0

LANGE, Pablo GER

N/A

LIEHR, Josias GER

N/A

LÜCKE, Willi GER

N/A

MAGNUSSON, Ómar Íngi ISL 2/13

08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	10	0
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	3	0

MERTENS, Lukas GER 4/9

17.06.2023 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barça ESP	W 40:39a7m	2	0
18.06.2023 F	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	W 30:29aet	0	0
08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	0	0
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	7	2'



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MUSCHE, Matthias GER 4/8

17.06.2023 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barça ESP	W 40:39a7m	0	0
18.06.2023 F	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	W 30:29aet	4	0
08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	4	0
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	0	0

O'SULLIVAN, Christian NOR 2/2

17.06.2023 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barça ESP	W 40:39a7m	1	6' (D)
18.06.2023 F	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	W 30:29aet	1	6' (D)
08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	0	2' (D)
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	1	2' (D)

PERSSON, Isak SWE

N/A

PETERSSON, Daniel SWE 4/3

17.06.2023 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barça ESP	W 40:39a7m	0	0
18.06.2023 F	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	W 30:29aet	1	0
08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	2	0
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	0	2'



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PORTNER, Nikola SUI 4/1

26.05.2018 SF	Montpellier HB FRA	vs HC Vardar MKD	W 28:27	0	0
27.05.2018 F	Montpellier HB FRA	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 32:27	0	0
17.06.2023 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barça ESP	W 40:39a7m	1	0
18.06.2023 F	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	W 30:29aet	0	0

SCHÖBE, Leander GER

N/A

SERRADILLA CUENCA, Antonio ESP

N/A

STIEGLITZ, Oskar GER

N/A

WEBER, Philipp GER 4/2

17.06.2023 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barça ESP	W 40:39a7m	2	0
18.06.2023 F	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Barlinek Industria Kielce POL	W 30:29aet	0	0
08.06.2024 SF	SC Magdeburg GER	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 26:28	0	0
09.06.2024 3/4	SC Magdeburg GER	vs THW Kiel GER	L 28:32	0	0

ZECHEL, Tim GER

N/A

ZEHNDER, Manuel SUI

N/A

HEAD-TO-HEADS TRUCKSCOUT24 EHF FINAL4

Füchse Berlin vs HBC Nantes		2-1-3 (170:167)	5:7
23.11.2014	Füchse Berlin vs HBC Nantes, EHF Cup – Qualification Round 3		23:18 (10:8)
29.11.2014	HBC Nantes vs Füchse Berlin, EHF Cup – Qualification Round 3		28:23 (13:11)
29.03.2022	HBC Nantes vs Füchse Berlin, EHF European League – Last 16		25:24 (10:12)
05.04.2022	Füchse Berlin vs HBC Nantes, EHF European League – Last 16		30:33 (15:14)
23.04.2024	Füchse Berlin vs HBC Nantes, EHF European League – Quarter-final		33:33 (17:15)
30.04.2024	HBC Nantes vs Füchse Berlin, EHF European League – Quarter-final		30:37 (16:18)
Barça vs SC Magdeburg		6-0-4 (297:268)	12:8
19.12.1999	Sportclub Magdeburg vs FC Barcelona, ECh for Club Teams – Final		25:26 (13:14)
08.11.2003	SC Magdeburg vs FC Barcelona, EHF Champions League – Group B		28:26 (14:12)
29.11.2003	FC Barcelona vs SC Magdeburg, EHF Champions League – Group B		38:25 (16:9)
04.12.2005	SC Magdeburg vs FC Barcelona-Cifec, EHF Champions League – Last 16		24:26 (15:11)
10.12.2005	FC Barcelona-Cifec vs SC Magdeburg, EHF Champions League – Last 16		27:23 (12:10)
17.06.2023	SC Magdeburg vs Barça, TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 – Semi-final		40:39 (16:18, 31:31, 38:38)
21.09.2023	Barça vs SC Magdeburg, Machineseker EHF Champions League – Group B		32:20 (14:8)
29.02.2024	SC Magdeburg vs Barça, Machineseker EHF Champions League – Group B		29:28 (13:14)
24.10.2024	Barça vs SC Magdeburg, Machineseker EHF Champions League – Group B		32:26 (16:11)
27.11.2024	SC Magdeburg vs Barça, Machineseker EHF Champions League – Group B		28:23 (14:13)

POTENTIAL HEAD-TO-HEADS

Füchse Berlin vs Barça		1-0-1 (54:64)	2:2
06.10.2012	FC Barcelona Intersport vs Füchse Berlin, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group D		34:23 (15:10)
10.02.2013	Füchse Berlin vs FC Barcelona Intersport, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group D		31:30 (14:16)
Füchse Berlin vs SC Magdeburg		0-0-1 (25:28)	0:2
23.05.2021	SC Magdeburg vs Füchse Berlin, EHF European League – EHF Finals, Final		28:25 (15:8)
HBC Nantes vs Barça		1-1-9 (310:351)	3:19
07.10.2017	FC Barcelona Lassa vs HBC Nantes, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group A		31:25 (13:16)
02.12.2017	HBC Nantes vs FC Barcelona Lassa, VELUX EHF Champions League – Group A		29:25 (16:11)
24.04.2019	HBC Nantes vs Barça Lassa, VELUX EHF Champions League – Quarter-final		25:32 (12:16)
04.05.2019	Barça Lassa vs HBC Nantes, VELUX EHF Champions League – Quarter-final		29:26 (17:14)
01.10.2020	HBC Nantes vs Barça, EHF Champions League – Group B		27:35 (15:18)
17.02.2021	Barça vs HBC Nantes, EHF Champions League – Group B		30:29 (14:17)
12.06.2021	Barça vs HBC Nantes, EHF FINAL4 – Semi-final		31:26 (15:13)
03.11.2022	Barça vs HBC Nantes, Machineseecker EHF Champions League – Group B		34:29 (16:17)
15.12.2022	HBC Nantes vs Barça, Machineseecker EHF Champions League – Group B		33:37 (16:22)
31.10.2024	HBC Nantes vs Barça, Machineseecker EHF Champions League – Group B		31:31 (14:17)
21.11.2024	Barça vs HBC Nantes, Machineseecker EHF Champions League – Group B		36:30 (19:14)
HBC Nantes vs SC Magdeburg		2-1-5 (216:227)	5:11
24.02.2013	HBC Nantes vs SC Magdeburg, EHF Cup – Group D		20:27 (8:13)
09.03.2013	SC Magdeburg vs HBC Nantes, EHF Cup – Group D		26:26 (14:17)
23.02.2020	HBC Nantes vs SC Magdeburg, EHF Cup – Group C		28:31 (9:15)
01.03.2020	SC Magdeburg vs HBC Nantes, EHF Cup – Group C		29:28 (16:12)
26.04.2022	HBC Nantes vs SC Magdeburg, EHF European League – Quarter-final		25:28 (13:11)
03.05.2022	SC Magdeburg vs HBC Nantes, EHF European League – Quarter-final		30:28 (16:12)
16.10.2024	SC Magdeburg vs HBC Nantes, Machineseecker EHF Champions League – Group B		28:32 (16:15)
04.12.2024	HBC Nantes vs SC Magdeburg, Machineseecker EHF Champions League – Group B		29:28 (11:15)

STATS & HISTORY

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**130
GOALS**

MARIO SOSTARIC

OTP Bank - PICK Szeged



Rank	Player	Club	Goals
1	Mario Sostaric	OTP Bank - PICK Szeged	130
2	Mathias Gidsel	Füchse Berlin	126
3	Lasse Bredekjaer Andersson	Füchse Berlin	107
4	Martim Costa	Sporting CP	105
5	Kamil Syprzak	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	104
6	Filip Kuzmanovski	HC Eurofarm Pelister	87
7	Aymeric Minne	HBC Nantes	84
8	Valero Rivera Folch	HBC Nantes	80
9	Francisco Costa	Sporting CP	79
9	Nedim Remili	One Veszprém HC	79
11	Simon Jeppsson	Kolstad Håndbold	77
12	Orri Freyr Þorkelsson	Sporting CP	75
13	Elohim Prandi	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	74
14	Ludovic Fabregas	One Veszprém HC	72
14	Julien Bos	HBC Nantes	72
16	Thomas Arnoldsen	Aalborg Håndbold	68
17	Tim Freihöfer	Füchse Berlin	67
18	Filip Glavaš	HC Zagreb	66
18	Sigvaldi Björn Gudjonsson	Kolstad Håndbold	66
18	Yahia Khaled Fathy Omar	Paris Saint-Germain Handball	66
21	Luis Diogo da Sousa Frade	Barça	64
21	Dylan Nahi	Industria Kielce	64
21	Melvyn Richardson	Barça	64
24	Sergei Mark Kosorotov	One Veszprém HC	63
24	Dika Mem	Barça	63
26	Ómar Ingi Magnusson	SC Magdeburg	62
27	Sebastian Frimmel	OTP Bank - PICK Szeged	61
27	Jack Thurin	Aalborg Håndbold	61
29	Nicolas Tournat	HBC Nantes	60
29	Miha Zarabec	Orlen Wisla Plock	60

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- **bold** = part of TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2025



**112
GOALS**

KAMIL SYPRZAK

Paris Saint-Germain HB



Season	Player	Club	Goals
2023/24	Kamil Syprzak (POL)	Paris Saint-Germain HB (FRA)	112
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.	Timur Dibirov (RUS)	retired / HC Zagreb (CRO)	1,214
3.	Nikola Karabatic (FRA)	retired / Paris Saint-Germain (FRA)	1,198
4.	Mikkel Hansen (DEN)	retired / Aalborg Håndbold (DEN)	1,138

* last updated: 30 May 2025 (after 2024/25 quarter-finals); goals scored in qualification do not count towards all-time ranking



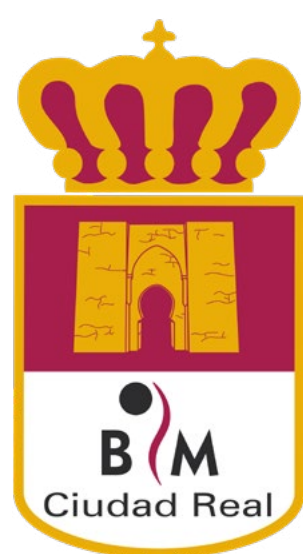
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TITLES

BARÇA (ESP)



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TITLES

THW KIEL (GER)



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TITLES

CIUDAD REAL (ESP)

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

Season	Champions	Runners-up	Result*
2023/24	Barça (ESP)	Aalborg Håndbold (DEN)	31:30
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)



8 TITLES

CARLOS ORTEGA

Barça



Titles/clubs	Player	Clubs
8 / 1	Carlos Ortega (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP) <i>[six times as player, twice as coach]</i>
7 / 2	Andrei Xepkin (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP), Kiel (GER)
6 / 1	David Barrufet (ESP) Xavier O'Callaghan (ESP)	Barcelona (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) Inaki Urdangarin (ESP) Rafael Guijosa (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP) Barcelona (ESP) Barcelona (ESP)
5 / 2	Mateo Garralda (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP), San Antonio (ESP)
5 / 3	Talant Dujshebaev (ESP)	Santander (ESP) <i>[once as player]</i> , Ciudad Real (ESP) <i>[three times as coach]</i>
	Jose Javier Hombrados (ESP)	Santander (ESP), San Antonio (ESP), Ciudad Real (ESP)
4 / 1	Aitor Ariño (ESP) Gonzalo Pérez de Vargas (ESP)	Barcelona (ESP) Barcelona (ESP)
4 / 2	Arpad Sterbik (ESP) Didier Dinart (FRA) Fernando Barbeito (ESP) Olafur Stefansson (SWE) Thierry Omeyer (FRA)	Ciudad Real (ESP), Vardar (MKD) Montpellier (FRA), Ciudad Real (ESP) Barcelona (ESP), San Antonio (ESP) Magdeburg (GER), Ciudad Real (ESP) Montpellier (FRA), Kiel (GER)
4 / 3	Uros Zorman (SLO)	Celje (SLO), Ciudad Real (ESP), Kielce (POL)
3	<i>25 players, including Filip Jicha (CZE)</i>	

- last updated: 18 June 2023 (after 2022/23 season)

- **bold** = part of TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 2024

Most matches played at EHF FINAL4:

19	Aron Palmarsson (Kiel, Veszprém, Barcelona)
18	Gonzalo Perez de Vargas Moreno (Barcelona)
16	Niclas Ekberg (Kobenhavn, Kiel)
16	Raul Entrerrios Rodriguez (Barcelona)
16	Mikkel Hansen (Barcelona, Kobenhavn, Paris, Aalborg)
16	Momir Ilic (Kiel, Veszprém)
16	Viran Morros de Argila (Ciudad Real, Barcelona, Paris)
16	Cedric Sorhaindo (Barcelona)

Most goals scored at EHF FINAL4:

82	Aleix Gómez Abelló (Barcelona)	12 matches
81	Mikkel Hansen (Barcelona, Kobenhavn, Paris, Aalborg)	16 matches
68	Kiril Lazarov (Ciudad Real, Madrid, Barcelona, Nantes)	14 matches
59	Aron Palmarsson (Kiel, Veszprém, Barcelona)	19 matches
58	Dika Mem (Barcelona)	14 matches
58	Momir Ilic (Kiel, Veszprém)	16 matches
57	Niclas Ekberg (Kobenhavn, Kiel)	16 matches

Most suspension minutes at EHF FINAL4:

22	Blaz Blagotinsek (Veszprém)	8 matches (D3)
22	Thiagus Petrus Gonçalves dos Santos (Barcelona)	12 matches (D2)
22	Patrick Wiencek (Kiel)	14 matches (D)
20	Laszlo Nagy (Barcelona, Veszprém)	14 matches
18	Jorge Maqueda Peno (Vardar, Veszprém)	8 matches (D)
18	Mirsad Terzic (Veszprém)	10 matches
18	Nikola Karabatic (Barcelona, Paris)	12 matches

Most goals scored in one game at EHF FINAL4:

13	Juan Garcia Lorenzana	30.05.2010	FC Barcelona Borges-THW Kiel	34:36
12	Petar Nenadic	01.06.2019	Telekom Veszprém HC-PGE Vive Kielce	33:30
12	Aleix Gómez Abelló	18.06.2022	THW Kiel-Barça	30:34
12	Kay Smits	17.06.2023	SC Magdeburg-Barça	40:39
11	Filip Jicha	30.05.2010	FC Barcelona Borges-THW Kiel	34:36
11	Filip Jicha	26.05.2012	Füchse Berlin-THW Kiel	24:25
11	Kiril Lazarov	26.05.2012	BM Atletico Madrid-AG Kobenhavn	25:23
11	Domagoj Duvnjak	01.06.2013	THW Kiel-HSV Hamburg	33:39
11	Siarhei Rutenka	01.06.2014	FC Barcelona-MKB-MVM Veszprém	26:25

Most goals scored in EHF Champions League final:

13	Siarhei Rutenka	18.04.2004	Celje Pivovarna Lasko-SG Flensburg-Handewitt	34:28
13	Juan Garcia Lorenzana	30.05.2010	FC Barcelona Borges-THW Kiel	34:36
12	Olafur Stefansson	11.05.2008	THW Kiel-BM Ciudad Real	25:31
11	Nenad Perunicic	22.04.2000	THW Kiel-FC Barcelona	28:25
11	Nikola Karabatic	26.04.2003	Portland San Antonio-Montpellier HB	27:19
11	Michael Guigou	04.05.2003	Montpellier HB-Portland San Antonio	31:19
11	Lars Christiansen	24.04.2004	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-Celje Pivovarna Lasko	30:28
11	Siarhei Rutenka	24.04.2004	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-Celje Pivovarna Lasko	30:28
11	Jonas Källman	11.05.2008	THW Kiel-BM Ciudad Real	25:31
11	Filip Jicha	30.05.2010	FC Barcelona Borges-THW Kiel	34:36

Most participations at TruckScout24 EHF FINAL4 (including this year):

13	Barça ESP
9	THW Kiel GER
7	Telekom Veszprém HC HUN
6	Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA
6	Barlinek Industria Kielce POL
3	BM Atletico Madrid ESP
3	HBC Nantes FRA
3	SC Magdeburg GER
3	HC Vardar MKD

Most goals in one match at EHF FINAL4:

41 SG Flensburg-Handewitt 31.05.2014 FC Barcelona-SG Flensburg-Handewitt 39:41 a7m

Barça Lassa scored 40 goals on 2 June 2019 in the regular playing time of the Place 3/4 game Barça Lassa-PGE Vive Kielce 40:35 (20:16)

Most goals in one match both teams at EHF FINAL4:

80 31.05.2014 FC Barcelona-SG Flensburg-Handewitt 39:41 a7m

Barça Lassa and PGE Vive Kielce scored 75 goals on 2 June 2019 in the regular playing time of the Place 3/4 game Barça Lassa-PGE Vive Kielce 40:35 (20:16)

Fewest goals in one match at EHF FINAL4:

18 THW Kiel 08.06.2024 Barça-THW Kiel 30:18

Fewest goals in one match both teams at EHF FINAL4:

47 27.05.2012 Füchse Berlin-AG Kobenhavn 21:26

47 27.05.2012 THW Kiel-BM Atletico Madrid 26:21

47 04.06.2017 Paris Saint-Germain Handball-HC Vardar 23:24

Biggest win at EHF FINAL4:

+13 Barça 13.06.2021 Barça-Aalborg Håndbold 36:23

Most goals at half-time at EHF FINAL4:

23 THW Kiel 09.06.2024 SC Magdeburg-THW Kiel (14:23)

Most goals at half-time both teams at EHF FINAL4:

37 30.05.2010 FC Barcelona Borges-THW Kiel (20:17)

37 18.06.2022 THW Kiel-Barça (18:19)

37 09.06.2024 SC Magdeburg-THW Kiel (14:23)

Fewest goals at half-time at EHF FINAL4:

9 Füchse Berlin 27.05.2012 Füchse Berlin-AG København (9:13)

9 HSV Hamburg 02.06.2013 FC Barcelona Intersport-HSV Hamburg (11:9)

9 FC Barcelona 01.06.2014 FC Barcelona-MKB-MVM Veszprém (9:10)

9 HC Vardar 01.06.2019 Barça Lassa-HC Vardar (16:9)

9 THW Kiel 08.06.2024 Barça-THW Kiel (15:9)

Fewest goals at half-time both teams at EHF FINAL4:

19 01.06.2014 FC Barcelona-MKB-MVM Veszprém (9:10)

Biggest lead at half-time at EHF FINAL4:

+9 Barça 18.06.2023 Barça-Paris Saint-Germain Handball (22:13)

+9 THW Kiel 09.06.2024 SC Magdeburg-THW Kiel (14:23)

Biggest change from half-time to full time at EHF FINAL4:

9 01.06.2019 Barça Lassa-HC Vardar 27:29 (16:9)

6* 28.05.2016 THW Kiel-MVM Veszprém 28:31 (15:12, 25:25)

6*** 19.06.2022 THW Kiel-Telekom Veszprém HC 37:35 (14:18, 34:34)

5 29.05.2010 BM Ciudad Real-THW Kiel 27:29 (15:12)

5 30.05.2010 FC Barcelona Borges-THW Kiel 34:36 (20:17)

5 26.05.2012 BM Atletico Madrid-AG København 25:23 (12:15)

5** 29.05.2016 KS Vive Tauron Kielce-MVM Veszprém 39:38 (13:17, 29:29, 35:35)

* = aet1 ** = aet1 and 7m *** = 7m

Most suspension minutes at EHF FINAL4:

18' KS Vive Tauron Kielce 28.05.2016 KS Vive Tauron Kielce-Paris Saint-Germain Handball 28:26

18' Barça Lassa 02.06.2019 Barça Lassa-PGE Vive Kielce 40:35

Most suspension minutes both teams at EHF FINAL4:

34' 02.06.2019 Barça Lassa-PGE Vive Kielce 40:35

Fewest suspension minutes at EHF FINAL4:

0 FC Barcelona 01.06.2014 FC Barcelona-MKB-MVM Veszprém 26:25

0 Barça 18.06.2023 Barça-Paris Saint-Germain Handball 37:31

0 Paris Saint-Germain Handball 18.06.2023 Barça-Paris Saint-Germain Handball 37:31

Fewest suspension minutes both teams at EHF FINAL4:

0 18.06.2023 Barça-Paris Saint-Germain Handball 37:31

Most penalty shots at EHF FINAL 4::

13 PGE Vive Kielce 02.06.2019 Barça Lassa-PGE Vive Kielce 40:35

Most penalty shots both teams at EHF FINAL 4:

20 02.06.2019 Barça Lassa-PGE Vive Kielce 40:35

Fewest penalty shots at EHF FINAL4:

0 THW Kiel 29.05.2010 BM Ciudad Real-THW Kiel 27:29

0 THW Kiel 01.06.2014 SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel 30:28

Fewest penalty shots both teams at EHF FINAL4:

1 01.06.2014 SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel 30:28

Most penalty shots scored at EHF FINAL4:

10 PGE Vive Kielce 02.06.2019 Barça Lassa-PGE Vive Kielce 40:35

10 Barça 19.06.2022 Barça-Lomza Vive Kielce 37:35

Most penalty shots scored both teams at EHF FINAL4:

17 19.06.2022 Barça-Lomza Vive Kielce 37:35

Fewest penalty shots scored at EHF FINAL4:

0 THW Kiel 29.05.2010 BM Ciudad Real-THW Kiel 27:29

0 THW Kiel 31.05.2014 MKB-MVM Veszprém-THW Kiel 26:29

0 THW Kiel 01.06.2014 SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel 30:28

0 THW Kiel 08.06.2024 Barça-THW Kiel 30:18

Fewest penalty shots scored both teams at EHF FINAL4:

1 01.06.2014 SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel 30:28

Disqualifications at EHF FINAL4:

Garcia Roberto Parrondo (BM Atletico Madrid) 27.05.2012 THW Kiel-BM Atletico Madrid 26:21

Denis Buntic ((KS Vive Targi Kielce) 02.06.2013 KS Vive Targi Kielce-THW Kiel 31:30

Renato Sulic (MKB-MVM Veszprém) 31.05.2014 MKB-MVM Veszprém-THW Kiel 26:29

Renato Sulic (MKB-MVM Veszprém) 30.05.2015 THW Kiel-MKB-MVM Veszprém 27:31

Piotr Chrapkowski (KS Vive Tauron Kielce) 31.05.2015 KS Vive Tauron Kielce-THW Kiel 28:26

Domagoj Duvnjak (THW Kiel) 31.05.2015 KS Vive Tauron Kielce-THW Kiel 28:26

Mateusz Kus (KS Vive Tauron Kielce) 28.05.2016 KS Vive Tauron Kielce-PSG Handball 28:26

Igor Vori (Paris Saint-Germain Handball) 28.05.2016 KS Vive Tauron Kielce-PSG Handball 28:26

Jorge Maqueda Pena (HC Vardar) 27.05.2018 Paris Saint-Germain Handball-HC Vardar 29:28

Blaz Blagotinsek (Telekom Veszprém HC) 01.06.2019 Telekom Veszprém HC-PGE Vive Kielce 33:30

Disqualifications at EHF FINAL4 (cont.):

Thiagus Petrus G. dos Santos (Barça Lassa)	01.06.2019	Barça Lassa-HC Vardar	27:29
Thiagus Petrus G. dos Santos (Barça Lassa)	02.06.2019	Barça Lassa-PGE Vive Kielce	40:35
Patrick Wiencek (THW Kiel)	28.12.2020	THW Kiel-Telekom Veszprém HC	36:35
Petar Nenadic (Telekom Veszprém HC)	28.12.2020	THW Kiel-Telekom Veszprém HC	36:35
Blaz Blagotinsek (Telekom Veszprém HC)	29.12.2020	Telekom Veszprém HC-PSG Handball	26:31
Blaz Blagotinsek (Telekom Veszprém HC)	18.06.2022	Telekom Veszprém HC-Lomza Vive Kielce	35:37
Youssef Ben Ali (Barça)	18.06.2022	THW Kiel-Barça	30:34
Christian O'Sullivan (SC Magdeburg)	17.06.2023	SC Magdeburg-Barça	40:39
Christian O'Sullivan (SC Magdeburg)	18.06.2023	SC Magdeburg-Barlinek Industria Kielce	30:29
Christian O'Sullivan (SC Magdeburg)	08.06.2024	SC Magdeburg-Aalborg Håndbold	26:28
Christian O'Sullivan (SC Magdeburg)	09.06.2024	SC Magdeburg-THW Kiel	28:32

Referees at EHF FINAL4:

Gousko/Repkin BLR	2014 3/4					
Gubica/Milosevic CRO	2010 3/4	2012 SF2	2017 3/4	2020 SF1	2020 F	2022 F
Horacek/Novotny CZE	2014 SF1	2017 SF2	2021 F	2023 SF2		
Gjeding/Hansen DEN	2011 SF2	2014 F	2018 SF1			
Hansen/Madsen DEN	2022 SF1					
Olesen/Pedersen DEN	2010 F					
Raluy Lopez/Sabroso Ramirez ESP	2016 F	2018 F				
Marin/Garcia Serradilla ESP	2020 SF2					
Bonaventura/Bonaventura FRA	2024 SF1					
Dentz/Reibel FRA	2013 SF2					

Referees at EHF FINAL4 (cont.):

Gasmi/Gasmi FRA	2022 3/4			
Lazaar/Reveret FRA	2011 F			
Geipel/Helbig GER	2016 SF1	2017 F	2019 F	
Biro/Kiss HUN	2024 3/4			
Horváth/Marton HUN	2011 3/4			
Eliasson/Palsson ISL	2016 3/4	2018 SF2	2023 SF1	
Leifsson/Palsson ISL	2013 SF1			
Sondors/Licis LAT [Stolarovs/Licis LAT]	2015 SF1	2019 SF2		
Nikolov/Nachevski MKD	2015 SF2	2017 SF1	2019 SF1	2024 F
Pavicevic/Raznatovic MNE	2020 3/4			
Abrahamsen/Kristiansen NOR	2012 SF1	2013 F		
Jorum/Kleven NOR	2023 3/4			
Togstad/Kristiansen NOR	2016 SF2			
Accoto Martins/Accoto Martins POR	2024 SF2			
Cacador/Nicolau POR	2013 3/4			
Santos/Fonseca POR	2019 3/4			
Dinu/Din ROU	2010 SF2	2015 F		
Krstic/Ljubic SLO	2011 SF1	2014 SF2		
Lah/Sok SLO	2018 3/4	2021 SF2	2023 F	
Nikolic/Stojkovic SRB	2012 F	2022 SF2		
Brunner/Salah SUI	2021 3/4			
Badura/Ondogrecula SVK	2012 3/4			
Canbro/Claesson SWE	2010 SF1			
Johansson/Kliko SWE	2015 3/4			
Kurtagic/Wetterwik	2021 SF1			

TR	Club	MP	W	D	L	GF:FA	GD	P
1.	Barça ESP	24	16	0	8	770:707	+63	32:16
2.	THW Kiel GER	18	9	0	9	530:541	-11	18:18
3.	Lomza Vive Kielce POL	12	6	0	6	368:380	-12	12:12
4.	Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	12	5	0	7	344:353	-9	10:14
5.	HC Vardar MKD	6	4	0	2	161:156	+5	8:4
6.	Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	14	4	0	10	422:432	-10	8:20
7.	HSV Hamburg GER	4	3	0	1	125:121	+4	6:2
8.	BM Atletico Madrid ESP	6	3	0	3	161:156	+5	6:6
9.	Montpellier HB FRA	2	2	0	0	60:54	+6	4:0
10.	SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER	2	2	0	0	71:67	+4	4:0
11.	SC Magdeburg GER	4	2	0	2	124:128	-4	4:4
12.	Aalborg Håndbold DEN	4	2	0	2	116:126	-10	4:4
13.	AG København DEN	2	1	0	1	49:46	+3	2:2
14.	HBC Nantes FRA	4	1	0	3	113:122	-9	2:6
15.	Rhein-Neckar Löwen GER	2	0	0	2	59:63	-4	0:4
16.	Füchse Berlin GER	2	0	0	2	45:51	-6	0:4
17.	Chekhovskie Medvedi RUS	2	0	0	2	55:70	-15	0:4

TR	Club	MP	W	D	L	GF:GA	GD	P	NP	%
1	Barça ESP	402	309	25	68	12688:10663	+2025	643:161	(28)*	79,98%
2	One Veszprém HC HUN	384	255	22	107	10516:10412	+1104	532:236	(29)*	69,27%
3	THW Kiel GER	364	236	29	99	11066:9961	+1105	501:227	(26)	68,82%
4	Industria Kielce POL	264	150	24	90	7945:7613	+332	324:204	(18)*	61,36%
5	SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER	252	146	21	85	7250:6828	+422	313:191	(17)	62,10%
6	HC Zagreb CRO	360	136	39	185	9341:9619	-278	311:409	(31)*	43,19%
7	Montpellier HB FRA	268	145	20	103	7712:7386	+326	310:226	(22)	57,84%
8	Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	220	145	13	62	6757:6219	+538	303:137	(14)*	68,86%
9	OTP Bank – PICK Szeged HUN	282	131	23	128	7895:7900	-5	285:279	(22)*	50,53%
10	RK Celje Pivovarna Laško SLO	288	120	15	153	8137:8218	-81	255:321	(25)	44,27%
11	BM Atletico Madrid ESP	144	111	5	28	4502:3803	+699	227:61	(10)	78,82%
12	HC Vardar 1961 MKD	188	83	21	84	5144:5241	-97	187:189	(15)	49,73%
13	Chekhovskie medvedi RUS	176	75	18	83	5250:5200	+50	168:184	(18)	47,73%
14	Rhein-Neckar Löwen GER	134	72	17	45	3971:3774	+197	161:107	(9)	60,08%
15	HSV Hamburg GER	98	68	9	21	3088:2670	+418	145:51	(7)	73,98%
16	Aalborg Håndbold DEN	148	64	13	71	4332:4384	-52	141:155	(10)*	47,64%
17	Orlen Wisla Plock POL	186	60	16	110	4937:5228	-291	136:236	(16)*	36,56%
18	Portland San Antonio ESP	100	64	6	30	2929:2594	+335	134:66	(9)	67,00%
19	Abanca Ademar Leon ESP	122	61	8	53	3440:3386	+54	130:114	(12)	53,28%

TR	Club	MP	W	D	L	GF:GA	GD	P	NP	%
20	SC Magdeburg GER	94	58	8	28	2810:2607	+203	124:64	(7)*	65,96%
21	HBC Nantes FRA	106	52	17	37	3189:3050	+139	121:91	(6)*	57,08%
22	KIF Kolding Kobenhavn DEN	118	54	9	55	3330:3361	-31	117:119	(12)	49,58%
23	HC Motor UKR	120	48	11	61	3394:3511	-117	107:133	(9)	44,58%
24	HC Meshkov Brest BLR	142	40	14	88	3842:4134	-292	94:190	(12)	33,10%
25	GOG DEN	106	41	8	57	3137:3226	-89	90:122	(11)	42,45%
26	Dinamo Bucuresti ROU	96	37	8	51	2792:2935	-143	82:110	(8)*	42,71%
31	Sporting CP POR	58	29	4	25	1714:1622	+92	62:54	(5)*	53,45%
33	Füchse Berlin GER	46	28	3	15	1410:1352	+48	59:33	(3)*	64,13%
57	Kolstad Håndball NOR	28	10	2	16	793:835	-42	22:34	(2)*	39,29%
73	HC Eurofarm Pelister MKD	34	4	2	28	818:1018	-200	10:58	(3)*	14,71%
107	Fredericia Håndbold Klub MKD	14	1	1	12	395:476	-81	3:25	(1)*	10,71%

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