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Portugal



Netherlands

Group B - Matchday 3
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Previous meetings

Head to Head

FIFA World Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
25/06/06	1/8	Portugal - Netherlands	1-0	Nuremberg	Maniche 23

UEFA EURO 2004

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
30/06/04	SF	Portugal - Netherlands	2-1	Lisbon	Cristiano Ronaldo 26, Maniche 58; Jorge Andrade 63(og)

FIFA World Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
28/03/01	QR (GS)	Portugal - Netherlands	2-2	Porto	Pauleta 83, Luís Figo 90; Hasselbaink 18(p), Kluivert 48
11/10/00	QR (GS)	Netherlands - Portugal	0-2	Rotterdam	Rui Costa 11, Pauleta 44

EURO '92

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
16/10/91	PR (GS)	Netherlands - Portugal	1-0	Rotterdam	Witschge 20
17/10/90	PR (GS)	Portugal - Netherlands	1-0	Porto	Aguas 54

	Qualifying								Final tournament				Total					
	Home				Away				Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L										
EURO																		
Portugal	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	2	0	1	3	2
Netherlands	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	3	1	0	2	2	3
FIFA*																		
Portugal	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	3	2	1	0	5	2
Netherlands	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	1	2	2	5
Friendly matches																		
Portugal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	2	0	4	1
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	0	2	2	1	4
Total																		
Portugal	2	1	1	0	2	1	0	1	2	2	0	0	10	6	3	1	12	5
Netherlands	2	1	0	1	2	0	1	1	2	0	0	2	10	1	3	6	5	12

* FIFA World Cup / FIFA Confederations Cup

Match background

Portugal will look to maintain an unbeaten record against the Netherlands that stretches back more than 20 years when the teams meet in their final UEFA EURO 2012 Group B fixture.

- Portugal revived their qualification hopes on matchday two, when they followed a 1-0 defeat by Germany with a gripping 3-2 victory against Denmark, Silvestre Varela scoring an 87th-minute winner. The Dutch, however, are on bottom of the section having lost to Denmark (0-1) and Germany (1-2).
- The Netherlands must win by a two-goal margin and hope Denmark lose to Germany in Lviv. Portugal will be through with victory unless Denmark win by a one-goal margin other than 2-1 and 1-0. They will progress with a draw unless Denmark win. Portugal will be through if they lose by a one-goal margin and Denmark are beaten.

Head-to-head record

- Portugal have an exceptional record against the Netherlands, given the relative strength of their opponents. It reads W6 D3 L1. The teams have never scored more than twice against each other; their highest scoring fixture was a 2-2 World Cup qualifying draw in Porto on 28 March 2001.
- The sides first met in Porto on 17 October 1990 in a UEFA European Championship qualifier which Portugal won 1-0. The Netherlands prevailed by the same score in the return fixture in Rotterdam, on 16 October 1991, but have not beaten their opponents in eight encounters over the ensuing two decades, drawing three and losing five.
- The nations have twice met at major final tournaments – at the 2006 FIFA World Cup and at UEFA EURO 2004 in Portugal – with Portugal winning both fixtures.
- Under-21 sides representing the two countries met at the 2007 UEFA European U21 Championship finals in the Netherlands on 13 June 2007, with the Jong Oranje prevailing 2-1 in Groningen. Ryan Babel (33) and Maceo Rigters (75) put Foppe de Haan's team in front, before Miguel Veloso (77) replied for José Couceiro's side. The hosts went on to win the tournament.
- The Netherlands had previously landed the 2006 U21 title in Portugal, with Klaas-Jan Huntelaar the top marksman at the finals with four goals, two of them coming in the 3-0 final victory against Ukraine.

Selected previous meetings

25 June 2006: Portugal 1-0 Netherlands (Maniche 23) – Frankenstadion, Nuremberg, 2006 FIFA World Cup round of 16

Portugal: Ricardo, Nuno Valente, Ricardo Carvalho, Fernando Meira, Miguel, Maniche, Deco, Costinha, Luís Figo (Tiago 84), Pauleta (Petit 46), Cristiano Ronaldo (Simão 34).

Netherlands: Van der Sar, Van Bronckhorst, Mathijsen (Van der Vaart 56), Ooijer, Boulahrouz, Cocu (Vennegoor of Hesselink 84), Sneijder, Van Bommel (Heitinga 67), Robben, Kuyt, Van Persie.

- Eventual semi-finalists Portugal eliminated Marco van Basten's Oranje from the 2006 World Cup in the countries' most recent meeting, when both sides finished with nine men. Luiz Felipe Scolari's Portugal had Costinha (45+1) and Deco (78) dismissed, while Khalid Boulahrouz (63) and Giovanni van Bronckhorst (90+5) saw red for the Netherlands. With 16 yellow cards awarded, it was the World Cup finals' worst ever game in terms of discipline.

30 June 2004: Portugal 2-1 Netherlands (Cristiano Ronaldo 26, Maniche 56; Jorge Andrade og 63) – Estádio José Alvalade, Lisbon, UEFA EURO 2004 semi-finals

Portugal: Ricardo, Miguel, Jorge Andrade, Ricardo Carvalho, Nuno Valente, Cristiano Ronaldo (Petit 67), Maniche (Fernando Couto 87), Costinha, Luís Figo, Deco, Pauleta (Nuno Gomes 75).

Netherlands: Van der Sar, Reiziger, Stam, Bouma (Van der Vaart 56), Van Bronckhorst, Davids, Seedorf, Cocu, Overmars (Makaay 46), Van Nistelrooy, Robben (Van Hooijdonk 81).

- Scolari's Portugal reached the final with this victory in Lisbon. Maniche's splendid strike proved decisive, even if Jorge Andrade's subsequent inadvertent conversion of a Van Bronckhorst cross gave Dick Advocaat's Oranje hope.

16 October 1991: Netherlands 1-0 Portugal (Witschge 20) – De Kuip, Rotterdam, EURO '92 qualifying

Netherlands: Van Breukelen, Blind, Van Tiggelen, R Koeman, E Koeman, Wouters, Rijkaard (Winter 74), Bergkamp, Van Basten, Gullit, Witschge (Van't Schip 87).

Portugal: Vítor Baía, João Pinto, José Leal, Pedro Venâncio, Fernando Couto, Emilio Peixe (Cesar Dualte 80), Oceano, Rui Barros, Jorge Cadete, Paulo Futre, Nelo (Luís Figo 56).

- The Netherlands' only win to date against Portugal came in this qualifier in Rotterdam, with midfielder Richard Witschge hitting the only goal for Rinus Michels' men – his sole international strike in 31 appearances. Carlos Queiroz's side would miss out on the final tournament.

Form guide

- Having made their debut at the 1984 finals, Portugal have featured at every UEFA European Championship since EURO '96, and have never failed to progress beyond the group stage, famously reaching the final on home soil at UEFA EURO 2004 but losing to outsiders Greece.
- The Netherlands have missed just one EURO since they picked up bronze medals on their finals debut in 1976, missing the cut for the 1984 finals. Since winning the competition in 1988, they have never failed to progress beyond the group stage, though they have also not reached the final since.

Team ties

- Arjen Robben and Wesley Sneijder made their Netherlands debuts in a 1-1 friendly draw against Portugal in Eindhoven on 30 April 2003.
- The Netherlands' Rafael van der Vaart played alongside Portugal's Cristiano Ronaldo and Pepe at Real Madrid CF in 2009/10. In 2008/09, Pepe played with Sneijder, Huntelaar, Robben and Van der Vaart at Madrid.
- Stijn Schaars plays at Sporting Clube de Portugal alongside Rui Patrício and João Pereira.
- The Netherlands' Dirk Kuyt and Portugal's Raul Meireles were team-mates at Liverpool FC in 2010/11. Kuyt scored Liverpool's equaliser in a 1-1 UEFA Champions League group stage draw at Porto on 18 September 2007, and also hit the opener in the Reds' 4-1 win against SL Benfica in the UEFA Europa League quarter-finals on 8 April 2010.
- Ricardo Quaresma and Sneijder played together at FC Internazionale Milano in 2009/10, helping to win the UEFA Champions League and an Italian double under Portuguese coach José Mourinho.
- Robin van Persie scored twice in Arsenal FC's 4-0 home win against FC Porto on 30 September 2008.
- Mark van Bommel was one of the scorers in FC Bayern München's huge 12-1 aggregate win against Sporting in the 2008/09 UEFA Champions League round of 16.
- As Sporting eliminated FC Twente on away goals in the 2009/10 UEFA Champions League third qualifying round, goalkeeper Rui Patrício came up for a late corner, and his header was deflected in by Peter Wisgerhof. The 1-1 draw gave the Lisbon side – who also featured Veloso, João Moutinho and Postiga – an away-goals success.
- Ron Vlaar's AZ Alkmaar lost to Sporting in the 2004/05 UEFA Cup semi-finals, João Moutinho setting up Miguel Garcia to make it 3-2 late in extra time and take Sporting through. Custódio also appeared for the Lisbon club.
- Meireles missed last month's UEFA Champions League final through suspension as his Chelsea FC side overcame FC Bayern München, for whom Robben missed an extra-time penalty, to win the trophy for the first time.

Competition format

- If two or more teams are equal on points on completion of the group matches, the following criteria are applied to determine the rankings:
 - a) Higher number of points obtained in the matches played between the teams in question;
 - b) Superior goal difference resulting from the matches played between the teams in question;
 - c) Higher number of goals scored in the matches played between the teams in question;
 - d) If, after having applied criteria a) to c), two teams still have an equal ranking, criteria a) to c) are reapplied exclusively to the matches between the two teams in question to determine the final rankings of the two teams. If this procedure does not lead to a decision, criteria e) to i) apply in the order given;
 - e) superior goal difference in all group matches;
 - f) higher number of goals scored in all group matches;
 - g) position in the UEFA national team coefficient ranking system (see annex I, paragraph 1.2.2);
 - h) fair play conduct of the teams (final tournament);
 - i) drawing of lots
- The Group B coefficients are as follows:
Netherlands 40.860
Germany 40.446
Portugal 31.717
Denmark 31.205
- If two teams which have the same number of points, the same number of goals scored and conceded play their last group match against each other and are still equal at the end of that match, the ranking of the two teams in question is determined by kicks from the penalty mark provided no other teams within the group have the same number of points on completion of all group matches. Should more than two teams have the same number of points, the criteria listed under paragraph 8.07 apply.

Match facts

PORTUGAL

- Portugal were four games without a win in 2012, scoring just once in that time, before beating Denmark 3-2.
- Hélder Postiga's goal against Denmark meant he became only the sixth player to score at three UEFA European Championships, after Jürgen Klinsmann, Vladimír Šmicer, Nuno Gomes, Thierry Henry and Zlatan Ibrahimović.
- Pepe scored Portugal's opening goal at UEFA EURO 2012, as he did in Austria/Switzerland four years ago.
- Fábio Coentrão, Postiga, Cristiano Ronaldo and Raul Meireles are a booking away from a suspension.
- At 24 years and 115 days, Rui Patrício became Portugal's youngest ever goalkeeper at a final tournament against Germany on matchday one, breaking a mark set by Vítor Baía, who was 26 at EURO '96.

Injury news

- Carlos Martins withdrew from the initial 23-men squad due to a calf injury, with Hugo Viana taking his place.

Miscellaneous

- Viana had not represented Portugal for five years before his late call-up – he was also a last-minute replacement at the 2002 FIFA World Cup, coming in for the suspended Daniel Kenedy.
- Eleven of the squad have been in past EURO squads: Ronaldo (2004, 2008), Postiga (2004, 2008), Pepe (2008), Bruno Alves (2008), Miguel Veloso (2008), João Moutinho (2008), Meireles (2008), Ricardo Quaresma (2008), Nani (2008), Hugo Almeida (2008) and Patrício (2008). This is Ronaldo's fifth successive major tournament.
- Miguel Lopes had to postpone his wedding on 26/05 after receiving his first call-up. "It's OK," he said, "it's for a good cause. We [he and his wife] were going to the Bahamas [for honeymoon] but that can wait."
- Portugal gathered on 16/05 for their pre-tournament team camp in Obidos, 100km north of Lisbon. Ronaldo, Coentrão, Pepe, Meireles, Patrício and João Pereira joined five days later due to club commitments and Viana followed on the 24th. Portugal arrived at their EURO base of Opalenica, Poland, on 04/06.

Pre-tournament friendlies

02/06 Portugal 1-3 Turkey (Nani 57; Umut 35 51, Pepe og 88)
26/05 Portugal 0-0 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

- Ronaldo had a penalty saved at 2-1 against Turkey, when Miguel Lopes and Custódio won their first caps.

UEFA EURO 2012 qualifying

- Nani and Meireles started all ten of Portugal's qualifiers, each passing 50 caps during the campaign.
- Ronaldo struck seven times in eight qualifiers, taking his international goals tally to 32, level with Luís Figo in third place on Portugal's top scorer list. Only Pauleta (47) and Eusébio (41) lie ahead.
- Bento replaced Carlos Queiroz two games – and one point – into UEFA EURO 2012 qualifying. He handed João Pereira an international debut in his first game in charge: a 3-1 win against Denmark.
- Of the final 23-men squad, six players did not feature in qualifying: Beto, Miguel Lopes, Ricardo Costa, Custódio, Viana and Néilson Oliveira.
- Ronaldo had 23 shots on target in qualifying; more than any other player.

Domestic information

- Meireles helped Chelsea FC to their fourth FA Cup win in six years and a maiden UEFA Champions League triumph, though he was suspended for the Munich final.
- Ronaldo, Pepe and Coentrão helped Real Madrid CF to their first Spanish Liga title in four years.
- Ronaldo was ever-present, and eclipsed his record of 40 Spanish top-flight goals set in 2010/11 with 46 this time round – that was, however, four shy of leading scorer Lionel Messi.
- Rolando, Moutinho and Silvestre Varela were part of the FC Porto squad that earned their sixth Portuguese championship in seven years.
- Bruno Alves helped FC Zenit St Petersburg retain the Russian title in a 44-game, 14-month campaign as the Premier-Liga made the transition from summer to winter league.
- Beto helped CFR 1907 Cluj to their third Romanian championship.

NETHERLANDS

- The Netherlands have won just three of their last nine official games.
- Mark van Bommel, Jetro Willems and Nigel de Jong are all a booking away from a suspension.
- Maarten Stekelenburg is set to win his 50th cap against Portugal.
- Wesley Sneijder had created 15 chances in the first two games before Robin van Persie converted No16 against Germany.
- The Netherlands had never lost two group stage matches in a UEFA European Championship before here.
- Only once before UEFA EURO 2012 have the Netherlands lost their opening UEFA European Championship group game, against the Soviet Union in 1988 – they went on to avenge that defeat in the final.
- At 18 years and 72 days, Willems became the youngest player to grace a EURO final tournament against Denmark, breaking a record held by Belgium's Enzo Scifo, who was 18 years, 115 days against Yugoslavia in 1984.
- Tim Krul and Luciano Narsingh are yet to make a competitive appearance for the Netherlands though they have played friendlies.
- Rafael van der Vaart has made 98 international appearances and is on course to become the fifth Dutchman to reach 100 caps, after Edwin van der Sar, Frank de Boer, Giovanni van Bronckhorst and Phillip Cocu.

Injury news

- Joris Mathijsen started against Germany on his return from a strained hamstring suffered in the Bulgaria win on 26/05.

Miscellaneous

- The Netherlands had pre-tournament training camps in Hoenderloo near Apeldoorn and Lausanne before arriving at their EURO base in Krakow on 04/06.
- Ten of the side that started the 2010 FIFA World Cup final defeat by Spain are in the squad; the 11th, Van Bronckhorst, retired after the game in Johannesburg.
- There are 13 survivors from UEFA EURO 2008 in Poland/Ukraine: Van der Vaart, Sneijder, John Heitinga, Arjen Robben, Wilfred Bouma, Klaas-Jan Huntelaar, Stekelenburg, Van Persie, Dirk Kuyt, Mathijsen, De Jong, Ibrahim Afellay and Khalid Boulahrouz. Van der Vaart, Sneijder, Heitinga, Robben and Bouma were at UEFA EURO 2004.

Pre-tournament friendlies

02/06 Netherlands 6-0 Northern Ireland (Van Persie 11 29pen, Sneijder 15, Afellay 37 51, Vlaar 78)

30/05 Netherlands 2-0 Slovakia (Salata og 8, Van der Vaart 75)

26/05 Netherlands 1-2 Bulgaria (Van Persie 45; Popov 50pen, Micanski 90+3)

- At 18 years and 57 days, Willems became the Netherlands' youngest debutant since Gerald Vanenburg in 1982 against Bulgaria, the tenth youngest ever. Narsingh won his first cap against Slovakia.

UEFA EURO 2012 qualifying

- The Netherlands' 11-0 victory against San Marino on 02/09/2011 was their record win, with Van Persie becoming the first Dutchman to score four in a game since Marco van Basten's haul of five against Malta in 1990.
- The Netherlands qualified with a game to spare after winning their opening nine matches before a 3-2 loss to Sweden.
- Defenders Mathijsen and Gregory Van der Wiel played every minute of the Netherlands' campaign.
- Of the final 23-man squad, eight players did not feature in qualifying: Krul, Boulahrouz, Bouma, Ron Vlaar, Willems, Stijn Schaars, Robben and Narsingh.
- The Netherlands were the most prolific side in qualifying, scoring 37 goals in ten games while Huntelaar was the top individual scorer (12/8).

Domestic information

- De Jong was part of the Manchester City FC squad that earned their first top-flight title in 44 years in England. Van Persie was player of the year in England after scoring 30 goals in 38 Premier League appearances.
- Huntelaar became the first Dutchman to finish top scorer in the Bundesliga, scoring 29 for FC Schalke 04.
- Van der Wiel played 19 games as AFC Ajax claimed their 31st Dutch championship. Kevin Strootman, Willems and Bouma helped PSV Eindhoven to Dutch Cup glory.

Team facts

Team facts: Portugal

UEFA European Championship record

2008: quarter-finals

2004: runners-up

2000: semi-finals

1996: quarter-finals

1992: did not qualify

1988: did not qualify

1984: semi-finals

1980: did not qualify

1976: did not qualify

1972: did not qualify

1968: did not qualify

1964: preliminary round

1960: quarter-finals

Team EURO records

Qualifying win

8-0: Portugal v Liechtenstein, 09/06/99

8-0: Portugal v Liechtenstein, 18/12/94

Qualifying loss

5-0: USSR v Portugal, 27/04/83

5-0: Czechoslovakia v Portugal, 30/04/75

Final tournament win

3-0: Portugal v Germany, 20/06/00, group stage

0-3: Croatia v Portugal, 19/06/96, group stage

Biggest loss

2-0: Switzerland v Portugal, 15/06/08, group stage

Player EURO records

Final tournament appearances

14: Luís Figo

14: Nuno Gomes

12: Fernando Couto

12: Rui Costa

11: Cristiano Ronaldo

Final tournament goals

6: Nuno Gomes

3: Sérgio Conceição

3: Hélder Postiga

3: Cristiano Ronaldo

Overall appearances

34: Luís Figo

33: Vítor Baía

32: Rui Costa

32: Cristiano Ronaldo

29: Fernando Couto

28: Nuno Gomes

Overall goals

18: Cristiano Ronaldo

14: João Pinto

12: Rui Costa

9: Hélder Postiga

9: Nuno Gomes

Team facts: Netherlands

UEFA European Championship record

2008: quarter-finals

2004: semi-finals

2000: semi-finals

1996: quarter-finals

1992: semi-finals

1988: winners

1984: did not qualify

1980: group stage, final tournament

1976: third place

1972: did not qualify

1968: did not qualify

1964: last 16

1960: did not enter

Team EURO records

Final tournament win

6-1: Netherlands v Yugoslavia, 25/06/00, quarter-finals

Final tournament loss

1-4: Netherlands v England, 18/06/96, group stage

Qualifying win

11-0: Netherlands v San Marino, 02/09/11

Qualifying loss

4-1: Poland v Netherlands, 10/09/75

Player EURO records

Final tournament appearances

16: Edwin van der Sar

13: Phillip Cocu

13: Dennis Bergkamp

12: Edgar Davids

11: Giovanni van Bronckhorst

Final tournament goals

6: Patrick Kluivert

6: Ruud van Nistelrooy

5: Marco van Basten

4: Dennis Bergkamp

Overall appearances

37: Edwin van der Sar

31: Frank de Boer

31: Rafael van der Vaart

30: Ruud Gullit

29: Clarence Seedorf

Overall goals

16: Marco van Basten

15: Ruud van Nistelrooy

14: Klaas-Jan Huntelaar

13: Patrick Kluivert

12: Johan Cruyff

12: Ruud Gullit

12: Robin van Persie

Squad list

Portugal

No	Player	DoB	Age	Club	D	UEFA EURO 2012				Overall	
						Qual.		FT		Team	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers											
1	Eduardo	19/09/82	29	SL Benfica	-	5	-	-	-	28	-
12	Rui Patrício	15/02/88	24	Sporting Clube de Portugal	-	5	-	2	-	13	-
22	Beto	01/05/82	30	CFR 1907 Cluj	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Defenders											
2	Bruno Alves	27/11/81	30	FC Zenit St Petersburg	-	8	-	2	-	52	5
3	Pepe	26/02/83	29	Real Madrid CF	-	6	-	2	1	41	3
5	Fábio Coentrão	11/03/88	24	Real Madrid CF	*	7	-	2	-	24	1
13	Ricardo Costa	16/05/81	31	Valencia CF	-	-	-	-	-	11	-
14	Rolando	31/08/85	26	FC Porto	-	2	-	1	-	15	-
19	Miguel Lopes	19/12/86	25	SC Braga	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
21	João Pereira	25/02/84	28	Sporting Clube de Portugal	-	8	-	2	-	16	-
Midfielders											
4	Miguel Veloso	11/05/86	26	Genoa CFC	-	6	1	2	-	26	2
6	Custódio	24/05/83	29	SC Braga	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
8	João Moutinho	08/09/86	25	FC Porto	-	9	1	2	-	45	2
10	Ricardo Quaresma	26/09/83	28	Beşiktaş JK	-	4	-	-	-	35	3
15	Rúben Micael	19/08/86	25	Real Zaragoza	-	5	-	-	-	8	2
16	Raul Meireles	17/03/83	29	Chelsea FC	*	10	2	2	-	58	8
17	Nani	17/11/86	25	Manchester United FC	-	10	5	2	-	56	13
20	Hugo Viana	15/01/83	29	SC Braga	-	-	-	-	-	27	1
Forwards											
7	Cristiano Ronaldo	05/02/85	27	Real Madrid CF	*	8	7	2	-	92	32
9	Hugo Almeida	23/05/84	28	Beşiktaş JK	-	6	2	-	-	42	15
11	Nélson Oliveira	08/08/91	20	SL Benfica	-	-	-	2	-	5	-
18	Silvestre Varela	02/02/85	27	FC Porto	-	2	-	2	1	8	2
23	Hélder Postiga	02/08/82	29	Real Zaragoza	*	8	5	2	1	51	20
Coach											
-	Paulo Bento	20/06/69	42	-	-	8	-	2	-	2	-

Netherlands

No	Player	DoB	Age	Club	D	UEFA EURO 2012				Overall	
						Qual.		FT		Team	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers											
1	Maarten Stekelenburg	22/09/82	29	AS Roma	-	6	-	2	-	49	-
12	Michel Vorm	20/10/83	28	Swansea City AFC	-	4	-	-	-	9	-
22	Tim Krul	03/04/88	24	Newcastle United FC	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Defenders											
2	Gregory van der Wiel	03/02/88	24	AFC Ajax	-	10	-	2	-	34	-
3	John Heitinga	15/11/83	28	Everton FC	-	7	1	2	-	80	7
4	Joris Mathijsen	05/04/80	32	Málaga CF	-	10	-	1	-	81	3
5	Wilfred Bouma	15/06/78	34	PSV Eindhoven	-	-	-	-	-	37	2
13	Ron Vlaar	16/02/85	27	Feyenoord	-	-	-	1	-	8	1
15	Jetro Willems	30/03/94	18	PSV Eindhoven	*	-	-	2	-	4	-
21	Khalid Boulahrouz	28/12/81	30	VfB Stuttgart	-	-	-	-	-	35	-
Midfielders											
6	Mark van Bommel	22/04/77	35	AC Milan	*	8	-	2	-	79	10
8	Nigel de Jong	30/11/84	27	Manchester City FC	*	4	-	2	-	62	1
10	Wesley Sneijder	09/06/84	28	FC Internazionale Milano	-	8	3	2	-	86	24
11	Arjen Robben	23/01/84	28	FC Bayern München	-	-	-	2	-	59	17
14	Stijn Schaars	11/01/84	28	Sporting Clube de Portugal	-	-	-	-	-	19	-
17	Kevin Strootman	13/02/90	22	PSV Eindhoven	-	5	1	-	-	11	1
23	Rafael van der Vaart	11/02/83	29	Tottenham Hotspur FC	-	8	1	2	-	98	18
Forwards											
7	Dirk Kuyt	22/07/80	31	Liverpool FC	-	9	6	2	-	90	24
9	Klaas-Jan Huntelaar	12/08/83	28	FC Schalke 04	-	8	12	2	-	55	31
16	Robin van Persie	06/08/83	28	Arsenal FC	-	6	6	2	1	67	29
18	Luuk de Jong	27/08/90	21	FC Twente	-	2	1	-	-	7	1
19	Luciano Narsingh	13/09/90	21	sc Heerenveen	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
20	Ibrahim Afellay	02/04/86	26	FC Barcelona	-	6	3	2	-	40	5
Coach											
-	Bert van Marwijk	19/05/52	60	-	-	10	-	2	-	2	-

Head coach

Portugal: Paulo Bento

Date of birth: 20 June 1969

Nationality: Portuguese

Playing career: CF Estrela da Amadora, Vitória SC, SL Benfica, Real Oviedo CF, Sporting Clube de Portugal

Coaching career: Sporting Clube de Portugal, Portugal

- A former international midfielder who made an instant impact upon rising to the top job at Sporting in October 2005, Paulo Bento has enjoyed success throughout his footballing life. He began his playing career at Estrela da Amadora, helping them to the Portuguese Cup in 1989/90.
- Moved on to Vitória SC before a switch to Benfica brought another cup triumph in 1995/96, prior to four seasons in Spain with Real Oviedo.
- Returned to Sporting for 2000/01, helping them win the Portuguese double the following season. Retired from playing in summer 2004 and quickly accepted a role in the Sporting coaching set-up where he guided the youth team to the national title in 2004/05.
- In October 2005, promoted to first-team coach after the sacking of José Peseiro and quickly improved the side's fortunes, leading Sporting on a run of ten straight victories between January and April 2006.
- Started 2008/09 with a Super Cup win against FC Porto but failed to add to that and left the club midway through the following campaign after a run of poor results. In September 2010 was appointed Carlos Queiroz's successor as Portugal coach after the team had taken only one point from their first two UEFA EURO 2012 qualifying games and oversaw a revival that culminated in a play-off win against Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Netherlands: Bert van Marwijk

Date of birth: 19 May 1952

Nationality: Dutch

Playing career: Go Ahead Eagles, AZ Alkmaar, MVV Maastricht, Fortuna Sittard, FC Assent

Coaching career: FC Herderen, RKVCL Limmel, SV Meerssen, Fortuna Sittard, Feyenoord (twice), Borussia Dortmund, Netherlands

- Capped once by the Netherlands in 1975, Van Marwijk was a dynamic left-winger who racked up 393 appearances in the Dutch Eredivisie with four different clubs. His only trophy success was the 1978 Dutch Cup with AZ.
- Served a long coaching apprenticeship with several minor clubs before replacing Pim Verbeek at top-flight Fortuna Sittard in 1998. Steered Limburg club to Dutch Cup final in first full season before joining Feyenoord in 2000.
- Masterminded Feyenoord's UEFA Cup triumph in 2001/02, sealed with a 3-2 victory against Borussia Dortmund on home turf at De Kuip in the one-off final.
- Joined Dortmund in 2004 but finished seventh in the Bundesliga in both of his first two seasons and dismissed midway through his third. Returned to Feyenoord and led Rotterdam club to 2008 Dutch Cup win in their centenary year.
- Appointed Netherlands coach in succession to Marco van Basten in July 2008. Led Oranje through perfect 2010 FIFA World Cup qualifying campaign, winning all eight matches, and subsequently guided them all the way to the final, falling at the last to Spain. The Dutch bounced back by winning their first nine UEFA EURO 2012 qualifiers to book their place in Poland and Ukraine.

Match officials

Referee	Nicola Rizzoli (ITA)
Assistant referees	Renato Faverani (ITA), Andrea Stefani (ITA)
Additional assistant referees	Gianluca Rocchi (ITA), Paolo Tagliavento (ITA)
Fourth official	Martin Atkinson (ENG)
Reserve official	Michael Mullarkey (ENG)
UEFA Delegate	Ainar Leppänen (EST)
UEFA Referee observer	David R. Elleray (ENG)

Referee

Name	Date of birth	Nationality
Nicola Rizzoli	05/10/1971	ITA

• Born in the Italian town of Mirandola in October 1971, Nicola Rizzoli is following in the footsteps of one of the most famous referees of recent years, Pierluigi Collina, who also started his career as part of the group of match officials based in Bologna.

• An architect by profession, Rizzoli was promoted to the refereeing lists for Serie A and B in 2001, making his top-flight debut the following year.

• His major breakthrough came in 2006/07 when he took charge of some of Serie A's most high-profile fixtures, including the game between AS Roma and FC Internazionale Milano and the derbies in Milan and Rome. By the end of that season he had become a regular presence as a fourth official in the UEFA Champions League and UEFA Cup.

• Rizzoli made his only refereeing appearance in UEFA EURO 2008 qualifying in the Netherlands-Slovenia match in October 2007 having received his FIFA badge earlier that year. Also in the middle for three 2010 FIFA World Cup qualifiers.

• He was selected in the UEFA Champions League proper for the first time at the start of 2008/09, taking charge of two games in that season's group stage. Rizzoli oversaw six more the following season, which concluded with him refereeing the first UEFA Europa League final in Hamburg having taken charge of the Coppa Italia showpiece a week earlier, and was in the middle for five matches in the 2010/11 UEFA Champions League.

UEFA European Championship matches featuring teams from the two countries involved in this match

Date	Competition	Stage	Home	Away	Result	Venue
17/10/07	EURO	QR	Netherlands	Slovenia	2-0	Eindhoven
11/10/11	EURO	QR	Denmark	Portugal	2-1	Copenhagen

Other matches

Date	Competition	Stage	Home	Away	Result	Venue
07/09/10	EURO	QR	Switzerland	England	1-3	Basel
03/06/11	EURO	QR	Belgium	Turkey	1-1	Brussels
15/11/11	EURO	PO	Montenegro	Czech Republic	0-1	Podgorica
11/06/12	EURO	GS	France	England	1-1	Donetsk

Competition facts

UEFA European Football Championship final tournament: Did you know?

- Germany are the most competition's most successful side having lifted the trophy in 1972, 1980 (both as West Germany) and 1996, reaching the final in 1976, 1992 and 2008. Only Spain (1964, 2008) and France (1984, 2000) have also triumphed more than once.
- Only three sides have ever won the UEFA European Championship on home soil: Spain (1964), Italy (1968) and France (1984).
- No side has ever retained the trophy, and no player has ever appeared in two victorious UEFA European Championship finals. The Soviet Union (1960, 1964) and West Germany (1972, 1976) returned to the finals as holders only to lose, while Rainer Bonhof twice picked up a winners' medal with West Germany (1972, 1980) but did not play in either tournament.
- Berti Vogts was a winner as a player with West Germany in 1972 and as coach of Germany in 1996, making him the only man to win as player and coach.
- Since 1980, when the final tournament expanded to become an eight-team event, the hosts or co-hosts have only failed to reach the semi-finals – or better – three times: Italy (1980), Belgium (2000) and Austria and Switzerland (2008).
- UEFA EURO 2012 is Germany's 11th successive UEFA European Championship final tournament – they last missed out as West Germany in 1968. The Netherlands are taking part in the finals for the seventh successive edition.
- Germany are appearing in the finals for the eleventh time, one more than Russia. This is the ninth tournament for the Netherlands and Spain.
- Five teams have qualified for the finals with a perfect record, including Spain and Germany this time round. The others are France (1992 and 2004) and Czech Republic (2000).
- The Netherlands' 6-1 defeat of Yugoslavia in the UEFA EURO 2000 quarter-finals is the biggest win in a final tournament. Three games have finished 5-0, most recently Sweden's 2004 defeat of Bulgaria.
- Spain are seeking to retain the trophy having already become only the third team to hold the UEFA European Championship and FIFA World Cup at the same time. West Germany won the European title in 1972 and added the world crown two years later, while France won the 1998 World Cup and UEFA EURO 2000. No team has ever won three consecutive world and continental titles.
- A total of 15 players appeared in both those finals: for West Germany, Sepp Maier, Franz Beckenbauer, Hans-Georg Schwarzenbeck, Paul Breitner, Uli Hoeness and Gerd Müller played in both matches, while Fabien Barthez, Marcel Desailly, Bixente Lizarazu, Lilian Thuram, Didier Deschamps, Youri Djorkaeff, Patrick Vieira, Zinédine Zidane and Christophe Dugarry also achieved the feat for France.
- Iker Casillas, Sergio Ramos, Carles Puyol, Joan Capdevila, Andrés Iniesta, Xavi Hernández, Cesc Fàbregas, Xabi Alonso and Fernando Torres played in Spain's 2008 EURO final win and the 2010 World Cup success.
- Five players have appeared in European Cup and UEFA European Championship final victories in the same year: Luis Suárez achieved the feat with FC Internazionale Milano and Spain in 1964, while in 1988 PSV Eindhoven quartet Hans van Breucklen, Ronald Koeman, Barry van Aerle and Gerald Vanenburg were all in the victorious Netherlands side.
- Wim Kieft and Nicolas Anelka narrowly missed out on this club. A Champion Clubs' Cup finalist with PSV in 1988, Kieft was an unused substitute in the Netherlands' European triumph, while Nicolas Anelka was similarly thwarted with France in 2000 after appearing in Real Madrid CF's UEFA Champions League final. Anelka's Madrid team-mate Christian Karembou holds the unique position of being an unused substitute in both European Cup and European Championship final victories in the same year.
- In 2008 Germany's Michael Ballack, then with Chelsea FC, became the first player to appear in European Cup and EURO final defeats in the same year.
- Four players have followed European Cup final defeat with EURO victory in the same year: Ignacio Zoco and Amancio Amaro (1964, Real Madrid CF and Spain) and Manny Kaltz and Horst Hrubesch (1980, Hamburger SV and West Germany).

- Lothar Matthäus is the oldest player to appear in a UEFA European Championship finals; he was aged 39 years 91 days in Germany's 3-0 loss to Portugal at UEFA EURO 2000.
- Jetro Willems became the youngest player to grace a UEFA European Championship when he started the Netherlands' opening Group B match against Denmark at UEFA EURO 2012. The PSV Eindhoven defender was aged 18 years and 71 days, breaking the record held by Belgium's Enzo Scifo, who was 18 years and 115 days against Yugoslavia in 1984.
- Five players have appeared in four final tournaments: Lothar Matthäus, Peter Schmeichel, Alessandro Del Piero, Edwin van der Sar and Lilian Thuram.
- Austria's Ivica Vastic is the oldest player to score having found the net in a 1-1 draw against Poland at UEFA EURO 2008 aged 38 years 257 days.
- Johan Vonlanthen was 18 years 141 days old when scoring in Switzerland's 3-1 defeat by France at UEFA EURO 2004, making him the youngest player to strike in the finals.
- Russia's Dmitri Kirichenko scored the fastest goal in a UEFA European Championship; his effort against Greece at UEFA EURO 2004 was timed at 67 seconds.
- There have been eight hat-tricks in a final tournament: Dieter Müller (1976), Klaus Allofs (1980), Michel Platini (1984, twice), Marco van Basten (1988), Sérgio Conceição (2000), Patrick Kluivert (2000) and David Villa (2008).

Match-by-match lineups

Final tournament Group B

Standings

	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Germany	2	2	0	0	3	1	6
Portugal	2	1	0	1	3	3	3
Denmark	2	1	0	1	3	3	3
Netherlands	2	0	0	2	1	3	0

Matchday 1 (09/06/12)

Netherlands 0-1 Denmark

Goals: 0-1 Krohn-Dehli 24

Netherlands: Stekelenburg, Van der Wiel (Kuyt 85), Heitinga, Van Bommel, N. de Jong (Van der Vaart 71), Sneijder, Robben, Vlaar, Willems, Van Persie, Afellay (Huntelaar 71)

Germany 1-0 Portugal

Goals: 1-0 Gomez 72

Portugal: Rui Patrício, Bruno Alves, Pepe, Miguel Veloso, Fábio Coentrão, Cristiano Ronaldo, João Moutinho, Raul Meireles (Varela 80), Nani, João Pereira, Hélder Postiga (Nélson Oliveira 70)

Matchday 2 (13/06/12)

Denmark 2-3 Portugal

Goals: 0-1 Pepe 24, 0-2 Hélder Postiga 36, 1-2 Bendtner 41, 2-2 Bendtner 80, 2-3 Varela 87

Portugal: Rui Patrício, Bruno Alves, Pepe, Miguel Veloso, Fábio Coentrão, Cristiano Ronaldo, João Moutinho, Raul Meireles (Varela 84), Nani (Rolando 89), João Pereira, Hélder Postiga (Nélson Oliveira 64)

Netherlands 1-2 Germany

Goals: 0-1 Gomez 24, 0-2 Gomez 38, 1-2 Van Persie 73

Netherlands: Stekelenburg, Van der Wiel, Heitinga, Mathijsen, Van Bommel (Van der Vaart 46), N. de Jong, Sneijder, Robben (Kuyt 83), Willems, Van Persie, Afellay (Huntelaar 46)

Matchday 3 (17/06/12)

Portugal v Netherlands

UEFA information

UEFA statement on Warsaw incidents

UEFA condemns the isolated incidents that occurred on Tuesday in Warsaw prior to and after the Poland-Russia match, when some groups of known troublemakers pelted the police with missiles and attacked fans irrespective of the team they were supporting. Those arrested and charged will have to be dealt with by the relevant authorities. UEFA's philosophy is to create a welcoming environment coupled with a low-profile approach to policing. The focus should be on facilitating the enjoyment of the matches by genuine football fans and isolating the tiny percentage of troublemakers. UEFA is in a constant dialogue with the public authorities in order to achieve this aim. UEFA is determined that the overwhelmingly peaceful and festive atmosphere that has so far pervaded at UEFA EURO 2012 will be continued right up to and including the final in Kyiv on Sunday 1 July.

Vigilance at training sessions

Further to an incident that occurred at a Dutch national team training session on 8 June, UEFA has written to the mayors of the Polish and Ukrainian cities where open training sessions are scheduled to take place to ask that all effective and necessary measures – including an increased police presence – be implemented to prevent any display of discriminatory or racist behaviour at such public sessions. UEFA has also requested that the authorities ensure that any person found to be engaging in racist behaviour be immediately ejected from the stadium and its vicinity, and that criminal proceedings be launched against such individuals. A letter was also sent to the sports minister of Poland, Joanna Mucha, to ask for the full support of the Polish authorities in dealing with these important matters. Any such behaviour is totally incompatible with UEFA's zero-tolerance policy towards any type of discriminatory conduct. UEFA is nevertheless confident that the local authorities will deal adequately with the issue.

Suspended points deduction for RFS

The UEFA Control and Disciplinary Body has decided to impose a deduction of six points on the Football Union of Russia (RFS) for the qualifying competition of the next UEFA European Championship. This decision is suspended for a probationary period running from now until the end of the play-offs for the UEFA EURO 2016 finals. The RFS has also been fined €120,000. The RFS was facing charges for the improper conduct of its supporters (crowd disturbances), the setting off and throwing of fireworks and the display of illicit banners at last Friday's UEFA EURO 2012 Group A match against the Czech Republic in Wroclaw. An appeal can be lodged against this decision within three days of the dispatch of the written decision.

Bendtner proceedings opened

UEFA has opened disciplinary proceedings against Denmark striker Nicklas Bendtner for improper conduct (Law 4 of the Laws of the Game) at the Group B match against Portugal in Lviv on 13 June. The UEFA Control and Disciplinary Body will hear this case on Monday 18 June.

DFB faces proceedings

UEFA has opened disciplinary proceedings against the German Football Association (DFB) following the Group B match against the Netherlands in Kharkiv. The DFB is charged with the setting-off of fireworks and the throwing of missiles by supporters. The UEFA Control and Disciplinary Body will deal with the case on Monday 18 June.

EURO Legends choose Carlsberg Man of the Match

Legends who have graced past EUROS will be making a key contribution to UEFA EURO 2012 by voting for and helping to present the Carlsberg Man of the Match Award at each of the 31 games in Poland and Ukraine – and fans will join them in deciding who wins the coveted prize each time. A EURO legend, invited by UEFA President Michel Platini, will be present at each match. A fan vote will be accessible via the UEFA.com match centre, and the EURO Legend will take into consideration the fans' vote before making the final decision on the most outstanding man on the field during the match. A glittering array of superstars are being lined up to decide who wins each UEFA EURO 2012 Carlsberg Man of the Match Award. Fernando Couto (Portugal), Christian Karembeu (France), Predrag Mijatović (Montenegro), Peter Schmeichel (Denmark), Allan Simonsen (Denmark), Davor Šuker (Croatia) and Patrick Vieira (France) are among those who will act as award ambassadors in Poland and Ukraine.

UEFA charity donation for EURO goals

Committed to providing improved access and facilities for disabled football fans, UEFA is donating €3,000 for every goal scored at UEFA EURO 2012 to the Centre for Access to Football in Europe (CAFE), the official tournament charity. As part of the Respect programme at UEFA EURO 2012, UEFA is working with CAFE to manage separate Respect Inclusion initiatives, and football followers and other benefactors are being encouraged to donate money for upcoming schemes. CAFE was set up via UEFA's CHF1m charity cheque in 2009 to promote and ensure equal access across UEFA's member national associations. It provides support, guidance and advice to partners and stakeholders, which include UEFA, national associations, leagues and clubs, disabled fans and disabled supporter groups.

Legend

:: All-time statistics

The all-time record of the competing teams in the UEFA European Championship.

Final tournament: The UEFA European Championship was a four-team event in 1960, 1964, 1968, 1972 and 1976. From 1980 it was expanded to an eight-team finals and remained in that format in 1984, 1988 and 1992 until 1996, when the current 16-team format was adopted.

Goals for/against: Goals totals include the outcome of disciplinary decisions (eg match forfeits when a 3-0 result is determined). Goals totals do not include goals scored from the penalty mark during a penalty shoot-out after a tie ended in a draw.

:: Squad list

The eligible list of players ordered first by playing position and then numeric order.

UEFA EURO 2012 qualifying: Total UEFA EURO 2012 appearances/goals in qualifying competition only.

FT: Total UEFA EURO 2012 appearances/goals in final tournament only.

Overall: Total international appearances/goals.

DoB: Date of birth

Age: based on the date press kit was last updated

BL: Booking list (*: misses next match if booked, S: suspended)

:: Match officials

The match officials appointed to officiate the fixture.

National team competitions

EURO: UEFA European Football Championship

WC: FIFA World Cup • **CONFCUP:** FIFA Confederations Cup

FRIE: Friendly internationals • **U21FRIE:** Under-21 friendly internationals

U21: UEFA European Under-21 Championship

U17: UEFA Under-17 Championship • **U16:** UEFA European Under-16 Championship

U19: UEFA Under-19 Championship • **U18:** UEFA European Under-18 Championship

WWC: FIFA Women's World Cup • **WCHAMP:** UEFA European Women's Championship

:: Competition stages

F: Final

GS: Group stage

GS1: First group stage

GS2: Second group stage

KO1: First knockout round

PR: Preliminary round

QF: Quarter-finals

QR: Qualifying round

QR1: First qualifying round

QR2: Second qualifying round

FT: Final tournament

ELITE: Elite round

3rdPO: Third-place play-off

GS-FT: Group stage – final tournament

3QR: Third qualifying round

R1: First round

R2: Second round

R3: Third round

R4: Fourth round

SF: Semi-finals

R16: round of 16

R32: Round of 32

1st: first leg

2nd: second leg

PO: Play-off

(Rep): Replay

PO - FT: Play-off for Final

Prom/rel PO: Promotion/relegation play-off

:: Other abbreviations

(aet): Match decided after extra time

No.: Number

aetps: Match decided after extra time

o.g.: Own goal

and penalty shoot-out

ag: Match decided on away goals

(P): Penalty

agg: Aggregate

AP: Appearances

Comp.: Competition

D: Drawn

DoB: Date of birth

GA: Goals against

GF: Goals for

gg: Match decided by golden goal

L: Lost

Nat.: Nationality

N/a: Not applicable

(+): Denotes player introduced

(+/-): Denotes player introduced and substituted

W: Won

Y: Booked

Y/R: Sent off (two yellow cards)

R: Sent off (straight red card)

Res.: Result

sg: Match decided by silver goal

t: Match decided by toss of a coin

:: Statistics

(-): Denotes player substituted

(*): Denotes player sent off

:: Squad list

D: Disciplinary

S: Suspended

***:** Misses next match if booked

#: Suspended for at least one match

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- 12 Rui Patrício (GK)
- 2 Bruno Alves
- 3 Pepe
- 4 Miguel Veloso
- 5*(*) Fáblio Coentrão
- 7*(*) Cristiano Ronaldo (C)
- 8 João Moutinho
- 16*(*) Raul Meireles
- 17 Nani
- 21 João Pereira
- 23*(*) Hélder Postiga



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- 4 Joris Mathijsen
- 8*(*) Nigel de Jong
- 9 Klaas-Jan Huntelaar
- 10 Wesley Sneijder
- 11 Arjen Robben
- 13 Ron Vlaar
- 15*(*) Jetro Willems
- 16 Robin van Persie
- 23 Rafael van der Vaart (C)



- 1 Eduardo (GK)
- 22 Beto (GK)
- 6 Custódio
- 9 Hugo Almeida
- 10 Ricardo Quaresma
- 11 Néelson Oliveira
- 13 Ricardo Costa
- 14 Rolando
- 15 Rúben Micael
- 18 Silvestre Varela
- 19 Miguel Lopes
- 20 Hugo Viana

Paulo Bento (HC)

Referee:
Nicola Rizzoli (ITA)

Assistant referees:
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Andrea Stefani (ITA)

Additional assistant referees:
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Paolo Tagliavento (ITA)

- 12 Michel Vorm (GK)
- 22 Tim Krul (GK)
- 3 John Heitinga
- 5 Wilfred Bouma
- 6*(*) Mark van Bommel
- 7 Dirk Kuyt
- 14 Stijn Schaars
- 17 Kevin Strootman
- 18 Luuk de Jong
- 19 Luciano Narsingh
- 20 Ibrahim Afellay
- 21 Khalid Boulahrouz

Bert Van Marwijk (HC)

Fourth official:
Martin Atkinson (ENG)

UEFA delegate:
Ainar Leppänen (EST)

Weather Conditions: Clear Night / Temperature: 24°C / Humidity: 48%

(C) Captain (GK) Goalkeeper (*) Misses next match if booked (HC) Head coach

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Half-time report
Group B - Sunday 17 June 2012
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- 2 Bruno Alves
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Paulo Bento (HC)

Attempts total	11
Attempts on target	4
Saves	1
Corners	3
Offsides	2
Fouls committed	11
Fouls suffered	6
Free kicks to goal	0
Possession	41%
Ball in play	12'10"
Total ball in play	29'40"

Referee:
Nicola Rizzoli (ITA)
Assistant referees:
Renato Faverani (ITA)
Andrea Stefani (ITA)

Additional assistant referees:
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7 Cristiano Ronaldo 28'

11' 23 Rafael van der Vaart

45'

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- 1 Maarten Stekelenburg (GK)
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Bert Van Marwijk (HC)

Attempts total	6
Attempts on target	3
Saves	3
Corners	1
Offsides	1
Fouls committed	7
Fouls suffered	11
Free kicks to goal	0
Possession	59%
Ball in play	17'30"
Total ball in play	29'40"

Fourth official:
Martin Atkinson (ENG)
UEFA delegate:
Ainar Leppänen (EST)

Goal (Y) Booked (R) Sent off (S) Substitution (P) Penalty (O) Own goal (C) Captain (GK) Goalkeeper (* Misses next match if booked (HC) Head coach

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PORTUGAL **2-1** NETHERLANDS

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- 12 Rui Patrício (GK)
- 2 Bruno Alves
- 3 Pepe
- 4 Miguel Veloso
- 5 (✱) Fábio Coentrão
- 7 (✱) Cristiano Ronaldo (C)
- 8 João Moutinho
- 16 (✱) Raul Meireles
- 17 Nani
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Paulo Bento (HC)

Bert Van Marwijk (HC)

	Half	Full
Attempts total	11	22
Attempts on target	4	9
Saves	1	3
Corners	3	7
Offsides	2	4
Fouls committed	11	17
Fouls suffered	6	11
Free kicks to goal	0	0
Possession	41%	42%
Ball in play	12'10"	24'59"
Total ball in play	29'40"	60'06"

	Half	Full
Attempts total	6	13
Attempts on target	3	5
Saves	3	6
Corners	1	5
Offsides	1	1
Fouls committed	7	12
Fouls suffered	11	17
Free kicks to goal	0	0
Possession	59%	58%
Ball in play	17'30"	35'07"
Total ball in play	29'40"	60'06"

Referee:
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Assistant referees:
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Andrea Stefani (ITA)
Additional assistant referees:
Gianluca Rocchi (ITA)
Paolo Tagliavento (ITA)

Fourth official:
Martin Atkinson (ENG)
UEFA delegate:
Ainar Leppänen (EST)
Man of the match:
7, Cristiano Ronaldo (POR)
Attendance: **37,445**

⚽ Goal (Y) Booked (R) Sent off (S) Substitution (P) Penalty (O) Own goal (C) Captain (GK) Goalkeeper (✱) Misses next match if booked (HC) Head coach

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NETHERLANDS

28' Cristiano Ronaldo
74' Cristiano Ronaldo

11' Rafael van der Vaart

	First half		Second half		Total		Tournament average			Tournament high		
	Portugal	Netherlands	Portugal	Netherlands	Portugal	Netherlands	Portugal	Netherlands	All	Portugal	Netherlands	All
Scoring situations												
Goals scored	1	1	1	0	2	1	1.67	0.67	1.3	3	1	4
open play	1	1	1	0	2	1	1.67	0.67	1.28	3	1	4
penalty	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
direct from free-kick	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total attempts	11	6	11	7	22	13	16.67	18	12.55	22	28	28
on target	3	3	5	2	8	5	9	6.33	6.73	12	8	20
off target	8	3	6	5	14	8	7.67	11.67	5.83	14	20	20
Assists	1	1	1	0	2	1	1.67	0.67	1.1	3	1	4
Corners	3	1	4	4	7	5	8	7.33	4.9	11	11	12
Offsides	2	1	2	0	4	1	1.67	1	1.9	4	1	6
Saves	1	3	2	3	3	6	2.33	4.67	3.2	3	6	11
Time & distance												
Total time played (minutes)	45'03"		49'02"		94'05"							
Ball possession	41%	59%	41%	59%	41%	59%						
Distance covered (metres)	54356	54693	58267	55879	112623	110572	113296	109302	106868	114447	110572	118701
Discipline												
Yellow cards	0	0	1	2	1	2	1.67	1.67	1.83	2	2	5
Red cards	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.05	0	0	1
Fouls committed	11	7	6	5	17	12	17.67	10.33	13.6	19	12	26
Passing & solo runs												
Passes attempted	197	328	231	345	428	673	445.33	667.67	549.13	495	676	929
Long	34	45	39	45	73	90	74.33	72	66.38	78	90	106
Medium	109	207	143	237	252	444	276.33	455	353.23	326	464	565
Short	54	76	49	63	103	139	94.67	140.67	129.53	103	160	300
Passes completed	139	257	147	259	286	516	291.67	509	394.1	333	516	779
Long	20	30	16	23	36	53	36.33	44	37.6	41	53	58
Medium	77	171	97	191	174	362	188.33	361	262.2	227	362	485
Short	42	56	34	45	76	101	67	104	94.3	76	122	249
Passes completion rate	71%	78%	64%	75%	67%	77%	66%	76%	72%	67%	76%	84%
Long	59%	67%	41%	51%	49%	59%	49%	61%	57%	53%	59%	55%
Medium	71%	83%	68%	81%	69%	82%	68%	79%	74%	70%	78%	86%
Short	78%	74%	69%	71%	74%	73%	71%	74%	73%	74%	76%	83%
Delivery/solo runs	27	26	24	34	51	60	45	59.67	48.9	51	68	105
into the attacking third	21	21	17	27	38	48	37	47.67	40.98	39	50	87
into the key area	11	9	12	18	23	27	22.67	34	27.9	25	45	80
into the penalty area	8	6	9	7	17	13	10.33	13	9.13	17	18	22

Goals scored Penalty

Bold values: number 1 in the ranking

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From	TP	To														Long		Medium		Short		Total				
		Rui Patrício	Bruno Alves	Pepe	Miguel Veloso	Fábio Coentrão	Cristiano Ronaldo	João Moutinho	Raul Meireles	Nani	João Pereira	Hélder Postiga	Custódio	Nélson Oliveira	Rolando	PC	PA	PC	PA	PC	PA	PC	PA	%		
Rui Patrício	12	94'05"		4	3	2	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	8	15	8	11	0	0	16	26	62%
Bruno Alves	2	94'05"	3		4	-	3	-	1	2	3	1	4	-	1	-	7	15	15	25	0	1	22	41	54%	
Pepe	3	94'05"	2	3		4	-	5	5	5	3	2	1	-	1	-	7	10	15	24	9	11	31	45	69%	
Miguel Veloso	4	94'05"	-	6	3		4	3	2	1	5	2	1	1	1	-	3	4	19	23	7	10	29	37	78%	
Fábio Coentrão	5	94'05"	-	5	-	3		10	1	5	-	1	1	-	1	-	3	10	21	30	3	4	27	44	61%	
Cristiano Ronaldo	7	94'05"	-	1	-	3	5		4	2	3	-	2	-	-	-	0	1	16	25	4	9	20	35	57%	
João Moutinho	8	94'05"	-	1	3	4	3	3		5	12	4	4	-	1	-	4	9	24	28	12	20	40	57	70%	
Raul Meireles	16	71'19"	-	4	2	2	1	5	5		-	1	-	-	-	-	1	2	12	21	7	10	20	33	61%	
Nani	17	86'53"	-	-	1	2	-	5	7	2		5	2	1	-	-	0	3	14	21	11	14	25	38	66%	
João Pereira	21	94'05"	1	3	3	-	2	1	7	2	7		3	-	1	1	3	4	14	19	14	14	31	37	84%	
Hélder Postiga	23	63'54"	-	-	-	-	-	4	3	1	2	1		-	-	-	0	0	4	10	7	8	11	18	61%	
Custódio	6	22'46"	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	3	-		1	-	0	0	7	8	1	1	8	9	89%	
Nélson Oliveira	11	30'11"	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	0	0	4	6	1	1	5	7	71%	
Rolando	14	7'12"	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	100%	
Total passes received:			6	29	19	22	22	39	36	25	36	21	18	4	8	1	36	73	174	252	76	103	286	428	67%	



From	TP	To														Long		Medium		Short		Total		
		Maarten Stekelenburg	Gregory van der Wiel	Joris Mathijsen	Nigel de Jong	Klaas-Jan Huntelaar	Wesley Sneijder	Arjen Robben	Ron Vlaar	Jetro Willems	Robin van Persie	Rafaël van der Vaart	Ibrahim Afellay	PC	PA	PC	PA	PC	PA	PC	PA	%		
Maarten Stekelenburg	1	94'05"		9	11	2	4	3	3	7	1	3	4	-	17	25	27	29	3	3	47	57	82%	
Gregory van der Wiel	2	94'05"	7		3	13	1	2	8	8	-	2	6	5	5	9	38	52	12	18	55	79	70%	
Joris Mathijsen	4	94'05"	6	1		7	1	7	4	5	6	-	10	-	0	3	43	48	4	5	47	56	84%	
Nigel de Jong	8	94'05"	2	9	5		7	2	6	2	13	5	10	15	5	7	9	52	59	15	16	74	84	88%
Klaas-Jan Huntelaar	9	94'05"	-	3	-	1		3	1	-	1	-	4	2	1	3	8	17	6	12	15	32	47%	
Wesley Sneijder	10	94'05"	-	2	1	8	1		13	4	7	9	10	1	3	6	38	54	15	21	56	81	69%	
Arjen Robben	11	94'05"	-	4	1	3	1	14		-	1	2	10	-	1	3	28	33	7	11	36	47	77%	
Ron Vlaar	13	94'05"	10	6	12	8	3	1	3		-	3	4	1	8	11	39	41	4	5	51	57	89%	
Jetro Willems	15	67'01"	1	-	2	5	2	2	4	1		3	3	-	0	3	15	24	8	12	23	39	59%	
Robin van Persie	16	94'05"	-	2	1	2	4	7	2	-	5		3	-	1	2	18	23	7	12	26	37	70%	
Rafaël van der Vaart	23	94'05"	2	6	5	15	6	14	7	7	5	4		1	9	12	46	52	17	21	72	85	85%	
Ibrahim Afellay	20	27'04"	-	2	-	4	2	2	1	-	-	1	2		1	4	10	12	3	3	14	19	74%	
Total passes received:			28	44	41	68	27	61	48	45	31	37	71	15	53	90	362	444	101	139	516	673	77%	

TP: Time played PA: Passes attempted PC: Passes completed %: Passing success percentage

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64' (In) 11 Nélson Oliveira / (Out) 23 Hélder Postiga
72' (In) 6 Custódio / (Out) 16 Raul Meireles
87' (In) 14 Rolando / (Out) 17 Nani

67' (In) 20 Afellay / (Out) 15 Willems

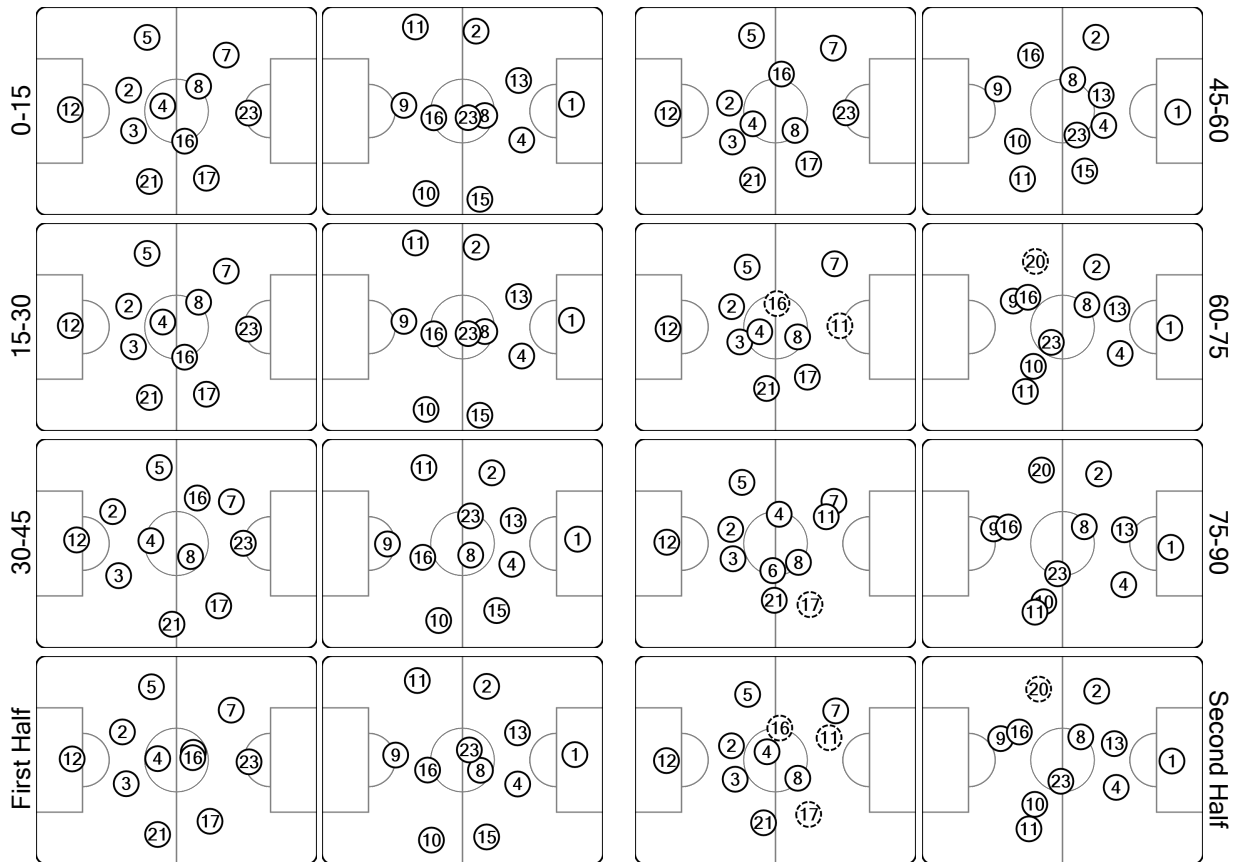
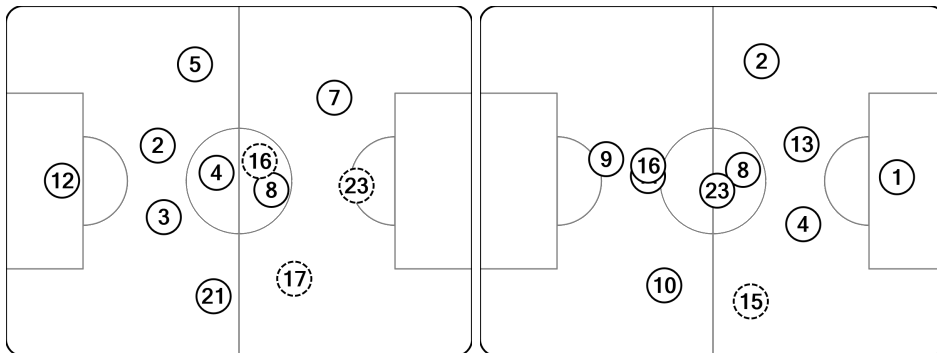
Total time played: 94'05"
42% - 24'59" Ball possession 58% - 35'07"

Actual formation

Direction of play --> <-- Direction of play

- Rui Patrício 12
- Bruno Alves 2
- Pepe 3
- Miguel Veloso 4
- Fábio Coentrão 5
- Cristiano Ronaldo 7
- João Moutinho 8
- Raul Meireles 16
- Nani 17
- João Pereira 21
- Hélder Postiga 23
- Custódio 6
- Nélson Oliveira 11
- Rolando 14

- 1 Stekelenburg
- 2 Van der Wiel
- 4 Mathijsen
- 8 N. de Jong
- 9 Huntelaar
- 10 Sneijder
- 11 Robben
- 13 Vlaar
- 15 Willems
- 16 Van Persie
- 23 Van der Vaart
- 20 Afellay



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