

# **UEFA EURO 2012**

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# Quarter-finals Arena Gdansk, Gdansk Friday 22 June 2012 20.45CET (20.45 local time)

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# **Previous meetings**

# **Head to Head**

# **FIFA World Cup**

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
28/03/01	QR (GS)	Greece - <b>Germany</b>	2-4		Charisteas 20, Georgiadis 43; Rehmer 6, Ballack 25(p), Klose 82, Bode 90
02/09/00	QR (GS)	Germany - Greece	2-0	Hamburg	Deisler 18, Scholl 79

# 1980 UEFA European Championship

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
17/06/80	GS-FT	Greece - Germany	0-0	Turin	

# 1976 UEFA European Championship

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
11/10/75	PR (GS)	Germany - Greece	1-1	Dusseldorf	Heynckes 67; Delikaris 79
20/11/74	PR (GS)	Greece - Germany	2-2		Delikaris 12, Eleftherakis 70; Cullmann 51, Wimmer 82

# **FIFA World Cup**

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
22/10/61	QR (GS)	Germany - Greece	2-1	Augsburg	Seeler 5, 27; Papaemanouil 59
20/11/60	QR (GS)	Greece - Germany	0-3	Athens	Dörfel 8, Brülls 32, Haller 42

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	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
EURO																		
Germany	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	3	0	3	3
Greece	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	3	0	3	3
FIFA*																		
Germany	2	2	0	0	2	2	0	0	-	-	-	-	4	4	0	0	11	3
Greece	2	0	0	2	2	0	0	2	-	-	-	-	4	0	0	4	3	11
Friendly matches																		
Germany	-	-	ı	-	-	-	ı	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	0	3	1
Greece	-	-	ı	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	0	1	1	3
Total																		
Germany	3	2	1	0	3	2	1	0	1	0	1	0	8	5	3	0	17	7
Greece	3	0	1	2	3	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	8	0	3	5	7	17

<sup>\*</sup> FIFA World Cup / FIFA Confederations Cup

# Match background

Something has to give when Greece and Germany meet in the last eight of UEFA EURO 2012 at the Arena Gdansk – neither team has ever lost a UEFA European Championship guarter-final before.

- Germany are competing in their fifth quarter-final and have gone on to the final on each previous occasion while Greece hope to pull off a shock to match their dethroning of defending champions France on their one previous appearance at this stage in 2004.
- That Greek victory came under Otto Rehhagel, the German who famously guided Greece all the way to the final and the Henri Delaunay Cup in 2004. Now, after climbing off the foot of Group A with a surprise defeat of Russia, Fernando Santos's side are back in the quarter-finals and planning another upset against Germany, the Group B victors who remain the only team to have won every game so far.
- The winners of this tie will play England or Italy in the semi-finals in Warsaw on 28 June.

#### Head-to-head record

- Greece first played West Germany in 1960 and, 52 years on, are still seeking a first win. Germany hold the upper hand with five victories and three draws from the nations' eight previous encounters.
- Greece lost home (0-3) and away (1-2) to West Germany when they first met in qualifying for the 1962 FIFA World Cup. There was an identical outcome when the teams last squared off in qualifying for the 2002 finals, Germany winning 2-0 in Hamburg and 4-2 in Athens.
- More encouragingly for the Greeks, their three matches with Germany on the UEFA European Championship stage all ended in draws in two qualifiers for the 1976 tournament and in the eight-team final round in Italy in 1980.
- Greece also played East Germany seven times, winning two games but losing the others.

# Selected previous meetings

28 March 2001: Greece 2-4 Germany (Charisteas 20, Georgiadis 43; Rehmer 6, Ballack 25 pen, Klose 82, Bode 90) – Olympic Stadium Athens, FIFA World Cup qualifier

**Greece**: Eleftheropoulos, Kostoulas (Mavrogenidis 35), Goumas, Patsatzoglou, Zagorakis, Karagounis (Niniadis 74), Georgiadis, Georgatos, Basinas, Liberopoulos, Charisteas (Alexandris 83).

**Germany**: Kahn, Wörns, Rehmer, Nowotny, Heinrich, Ziege, Jeremies (Ramelow 90), Deisler, Ballack, Neuville (Klose 67), Jancker (Bode 78).

• Germany had already defeated Greece 2-0 at home the previous September and followed up that victory with a success notable for a goal by substitute Miroslav Klose, the only survivor from a team then coached by Rudi Völler. The Greece side included Giorgos Karagounis and Nikos Liberopoulos, both members of their UEFA EURO 2012 squad.

# 17 June 1980: Greece 0-0 West Germany – Stadio Comunale Turin, 1980 UEFA European Championship group stage

**Greece**: Poupakis, Gounaris, Ravousis, Nikolaou, Livathinos, Nikoloudis (Koudas 65), Kouis, Ardizoglou, Galakos, Xanthopoulos, Mavros (Kostikos 79).

**West Germany:** Schumacher, Briegel, Cullmann, K Förster, B Förster (Votava 46), Kaltz, Müller, Memering, Stielike, Rummenigge (Del'Haye 66), Hrubesch.

• After two victories, Jupp Derwall's team went into the game knowing a point would secure passage to the final as group winners and managed it despite Hristos Ardizoglou hitting a post for Greece. West Germany went on to beat Belgium in the final, while Alketas Panagoulias's Greece headed home with only the point gained against the champions-elect to show for their first taste of a major tournament.

# Form guide

- Greece have lost just one of 13 games in this EURO campaign, qualifying included. Under Fernando Santos their record reads P24 W12 D10 L2.
- Greece's only previous quarter-final appearance in any major tournament was the 1-0 win over France at UEFA EURO 2004, courtesy of an Angelos Charisteas goal.
- Germany are on a run of 14 consecutive competitive victories, a national record. Their 100% record in Group B was the first time they had won every game of a EURO group stage.
- For Germany this is their third quarter-final appearance since the EURO became a 16-team tournament in 1996. Their past results were:

2008 Portugal 3-2

**1996** Croatia 2-1

As West Germany, they twice competed in two-legged quarter-finals to reach the four-team final round – and won both times.

**1976** Spain 1-1 a, 2-0 h (3-1 agg)

**1972** England 3-1 a, 0-0 h (3-1 agg)

• Germany also reached the semi-finals or better in 1980, 1988 and 1992, when there were no quarter-finals.

#### Team ties

- Greece coach Santos posted home and away wins over Hertha BSC Berlin with FC Porto in the second group stage of the 1999/2000 UEFA Champions League. In 2004 with AEK Athens FC, Santos suffered a 2-0 home loss to TSV Alemannia Aachen.
- Joachim Löw's first taste of UEFA competition was against Greek opposition when as an Eintracht Frankfurt player he earned a 2-0 victory against PAOK FC in a UEFA Cup Winners' Cup first round match in 1981/82.
- When Greece and Germany met in 2013 UEFA European Under-21 Championship qualifying, Giannis Fetfatzidis and Kostas Fortounis lined up against İlkay Gündoğan. Fourtounis scored but was sent off in Germany's 5-4 away victory on 11 November last year. Gündoğan played again when Germany won the return fixture 1-0.
- Sotiris Ninis and Konstantinos Mitroglou both found the net when a Greece side captained by Sokratis Papastathopoulos beat Germany 3-2 in the semi-final of the 2007 UEFA European U19 Championship in Austria. Germany's team included Benedikt Höwedes, Jérôme Boateng and Mesut Özil.
- When the countries met in the group stage of the same tournament in 2005, Manuel Neuer was in the Germany side that prevailed 3-0 while Giannis Maniatis played for Greece.
- Papastathopoulos and Tim Wiese are team-mates at SV Werder Bremen.
- Kyriakos Papadopoulos plays with Benedikt Höwedes at FC Schalke 04 and was there with Neuer in 2010/11.
- Fortounis was relegated from the Bundesliga this season with 1. FC Kaiserslautern.
- Fanis Gekas was the Bundesliga's 20-goal top scorer in 2006/07 while on loan at VfL Bochum 1848, and later had spells at Bayer 04 Leverkusen, Hertha and Eintracht Frankfurt.
- José Holebas was born in Aschaffenburg, Bavaria and began his career in Germany with TSV 1860 Munich where he played alongside Lars Bender.
- Holebas struck the opening goal when Olympiacos FC beat Borussia Dortmund 3-1 at home in the group stage of the 2011/12 UEFA Champions League. Avraam Papadopoulos, Maniatis and Fetfatzidis were also involved with Mats Hummels, Marcel Schmelzer, Mario Götze and Gündogan featuring for Dortmund, who won the return game 1-0.
- Per Mertesacker's Arsenal FC played in that same section and he helped his team beat an Olympiacos side including Holebas and Vassilis Torossidis 2-1 in London last September.
- In the 2007/08 UEFA Cup, Kostas Chalkias was on the receiving end of a 6-0 defeat by FC Bayern München with Aris Thessaloniki FC, Philipp Lahm hitting the final goal.
- Klose scored both home and away for Bremen when they faced Panathinaikos FC in the 2005/06 UEFA Champions League group stage losing in Athens but winning 5-1 in Germany.
- Giorgos Tzavellas has been an Eintracht Frankfurt player since 2010 but spent the first half of this year on loan at AS Monaco FC. In March 2011 he broke the Bundesliga record for the longest distance goal scored after beating Neuer, then of Schalke, from 73 metres.
- Although born in Greece, Mitroglou was brought up in Germany and started his career in VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach's youth ranks before joining Olympiacos in 2007.

# **Match facts**

## **GERMANY**

- Jérôme Boateng is available after serving a suspension; Holger Badstuber is a yellow card away from a ban.
- Joachim Löw's side have won their last 14 competitive games, a national record.
- Germany have scored at least one goal in each of their last 19 games, their longest run since 1989-91 (20).
- The Greece game will be Löw's 83rd as Bundestrainer he is behind only Berti Vogts (102), Helmut Schön (139) and Sepp Herberger (167) in longevity as West Germany/Germany coach and has won 56, lost 12.
- This is the first time Germany have completed a UEFA European Championship group stage with a 100% record.
- Lukas Podolski won his 100th cap against Denmark, becoming West Germany/Germany's seventh centurion after Thomas Hassler, Franz Beckenbauer, Jürgen Kohler, Jürgen Klinsmann, Miroslav Klose and Lothar Matthäus.
- Lars Bender scored his first goal for Germany in the Denmark win.
- Germany have won all 13 UEFA European Championship games in which they have been two goals up.

## Injury news

None

## **Miscellaneous**

- Mesut Özil (v Portugal), Mario Gomez (v Netherlands) and Podolski (v Denmark) have all won Carlsberg Man of the Match awards at UEFA EURO 2012.
- The squad gathered at a camp in Sardinia on 11/05, with the Borussia Dortmund contingent linking up on 18/05 after the German Cup as the party moved to Tourrettes, France. The FC Bayern München players arrived on 26/05 following the UEFA Champions League final. The squad had three days off before heading to Gdansk on 04/06.
- Six Germany players have UEFA European Championship experience: Philipp Lahm (2004, 2008), Per Mertesacker (2008), Bastian Schweinsteiger (2004, 2008), Klose (2004, 2008), Podolski (2004, 2008) and Gomez (2008).
- Goalkeepers Ron-Robert Zieler and Tim Wiese are yet to make a competitive appearance for Germany.

#### **Pre-tournament friendlies**

31/05 Germany 2-0 Israel (Gomez 40, Schürrle 82)

26/05 Switzerland 5-3 Germany (Derdiyok 21 23 50, Lichtsteiner 67, Mehmedi 76; Hummels 45, Schürrle 64, Reus 72)

# **UEFA EURO 2012 qualifying**

- Germany won ten out of ten in Group A, becoming one of only five sides to go through a qualifying campaign with a 100% record in the history of the UEFA European Championship.
- Germany were the second highest scorers in qualifying, their 34 goals in ten games only three shy of the Netherlands.
- Manuel Neuer played every minute of qualifying, while Lahm played all but the last six as he was substituted against Belgium. Thomas Müller was Germany's only other ever-present.
- Germany conceded fewer fouls than any other side in qualifying.
- Three of the final tournament squad did not feature in qualifying: Wiese, Zieler and Bender.

## **Domestic information**

- Neuer, Lahm, Boateng, Schweinsteiger, Toni Kroos, Müller and Gomez all started as Bayern lost the UEFA Champions League final to Chelsea on 19/05. Müller scored in a 1-1 draw and Lahm, Gomez and Neuer all converted penalties before Schweinsteiger was crucially denied in a 4-3 shoot-out defeat.
- Mats Hummels, Marcel Schmelzer, İlkay Gündoğan and Mario Götze helped Dortmund to the first domestic double in the club's history, with Hummels scoring a penalty against Bayern in the German Cup final on 12/05.
- Gomez's 26 goals this season was his second highest return in the Bundesliga two shy of his 28 last term while Podolski and Marco Reus registered personal bests with 18 goals. Gomez scored 12 goals in the UEFA Champions League including four in the 7-0 triumph over FC Basel 1893 to finish second highest scorer behind Lionel Messi (14). In any other season the return would have earned top spot.
- Özil and Sami Khedira helped Real Madrid CF win the Spanish Liga for the first time in four campaigns.

## **GREECE**

- Giorgos Karagounis, who equalled Theodoros Zagorakis's Greece record of 120 caps against Russia, is suspended. German-born José Holebas also serves a one-game ban after he too picked up two group stage bookings.
- Kyriakos Papadopoulos, Dimitris Salpingidis and Vassilis Torossidis are a booking away from a ban.
- Greece have scored a solitary goal in each of their last eight games, winning just twice during that run.
- Greece have scored in 21 of their 24 matches under Fernando Santos the exceptions all ended 0-0.
- Greece's victory over Russia was their first in six attempts at the EURO finals since winning the 2004 showpiece.
- Fanis Gekas struck his 22nd goal for Greece against the Czech Republic, moving level with Dimitris Saravakos in third on the nation's all-time top scorers' list, behind Angelos Charisteas (25) and Nikos Anastopoulos (29).
- Santos' side conceded two goals inside the opening six minutes against the Czech Republic on 12/06 no side had previously shipped two in a UEFA European Championship match before the 14th minute.
- Salpingidis took his tally to five international goals in under 12 months on matchday one two more than he managed in six previous years with the national team combined.

## Injury news

- Kostas Chalkias missed the Russia game with a hamstring injury he suffered in the first half against the Czechs.
- · Avraam Papadopoulos is unlikely to play again this year after suffering knee ligament damage against Poland.

#### Miscellaneous

- Sotiris Ninis will join Parma FC from Panathinaikos FC after UEFA EURO 2012.
- Greece convened on 22/05 and after a training camp at Kitzbuhel, Austria, arrived at Legionowo, near Warsaw, on 03/06.
- At 38, Chalkias is the oldest player at UEFA EURO 2012.
- There are three survivors of Greece's UEFA EURO 2004-winning squad in Poland/Ukraine: Karagounis, Kostas Katsouranis and Chalkias. Chalkias, understudy in 2004 and 2008, made his finals debut against Poland.
- Eight members of the UEFA EURO 2008 squad are back again: Karagounis, Katsouranis and Chalkias, Salpingidis, Nikos Liberopoulos, Giorgos Samaras, Gekas and Torossidis.
- Holebas and Kostas Fortounis made their competitive debuts for Greece against Poland on 08/06. Stelios Malezas awaits his, but has appeared in friendlies.

# **Pre-tournament friendlies**

31/05 Greece 1-0 Armenia (K Papadopoulos 23) 26/05 Slovenia 1-1 Greece (Kurtić 87; Torossidis 8)

# **UEFA EURO 2012 qualifying**

- Greece qualified undefeated for the first time in a major tournament.
- Karagounis was ever-present in the starting XI during qualifying; Salpingidis also played a part in every game.
- Greece were the lowest scorers of the sides that reached UEFA EURO 2012 with 14 goals. Those strikes came from 11 different players and ten came between the hour mark and full time.
- Of the final 23-man squad, four did not play in qualifying: Holebas, Fortounis, Chalkias and Malezas.

#### **Domestic information**

- Torossidis, Avraam Papadopoulos, Holebas, Maniatis and Fetfatzidis won the double in Greece with Olympiacos FC. Fetfatzidis won the Super League goal of the year award for his lob against Atromitos FC, on 22/04.
- Samaras celebrated his second league title in Scotland with Celtic FC in April.
- Kyriakos Papadopoulos made 11 appearances as FC Schalke 04 reached the UEFA Europa League quarter-finals.
- Tzavellas is the only player in Greece's squad who featured for a second-tier club this season, finishing eighth in France's Ligue 2 with AS Monaco FC.
- Fortounis's 1. FC Kaiserslautern were relegated after picking up just four Bundesliga wins all season.

# **Team facts**

# **Team facts: Germany**

# **UEFA European Championship record**

2008: runners-up

**2004:** group stage, final tournament **2000:** group stage, final tournament

**1996:** winners **1992:** runners-up

1988: semi-finals (as West Germany)

1984: group stage, final tournament (as West Germany)

1980: winners (as West Germany)
1976: runners-up (as West Germany)

1972: winners (as West Germany)

1968: did not qualify (as West Germany)

1964: did not enter 1960: did not enter

# **Team EURO records**

#### Final tournament win

**3-0:** West Germany v Soviet Union, 18/06/72, final **0-3:** Russia v Germany, 16/06/96, group stage

## **Final tournament loss**

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

# Qualifying win

0-13: San Marino v Germany, 06/09/06

# **Qualifying loss**

0-3: Germany v Czech Republic, 17/10/07

## **Player EURO records**

# Final tournament appearances

13: Jürgen Klinsmann

13: Thomas Hässler

12: Andreas Brehme

12: Philipp Lahm

# Final tournament goals

5: Jürgen Klinsmann

4: Gerd Müller

4: Lukas Podolski

4: Rudi Völler

4: Dieter Müller

# **Overall appearances**

34: Miroslav Klose

31: Lothar Matthäus

31: Philipp Lahm

28: Lukas Podolski

26: Jürgen Klinsmann

25: Thomas Hässler

24: Bastian Schweinsteiger

# Overall goals

18: Miroslav Klose

16: Gerd Müller

15: Jürgen Klinsmann

15: Lukas Podolski

12: Rudi Völler

11: Mario Gomez

# Germany v Greece MATCH PRESS KIT

**Team facts: Greece** 

# **UEFA European Championship record**

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**2004:** winners

2000: did not qualify

1996: did not qualify

1992: did not qualify

1988: did not qualify

1984: did not qualify

1980: group stage, final tournament

1976: did not qualify

1972: did not qualify

1968: did not qualify

1964: did not qualify

1960: last 16

#### **Team EURO records**

#### Final tournament win

1-2: Portugal v Greece, 12/06/04, group stage

1-0: four times, most recently Greece v Russia, 16/06/12, group stage

#### **Final tournament loss**

1-3: Greece v Czechoslovakia, 14/06/80, group stage

0-2: Greece v Sweden, 10/06/08, group stage

# **Qualifying win**

8-1: Greece v Finland, 11/10/78

# **Qualifying loss**

7-1: France v Greece, 01/10/58

# **Player EURO records**

# Final tournament appearances

12: Kostas Katsouranis

10: Giorgos Karagounis

9: Antonis Nikopolidis

9: Traianos Dellas

9: Angelos Charisteas

# Final tournament goals

4: Angelos Charisteas

2: Giorgos Karagounis

1: Six players

# **Overall appearances**

38: Giorgos Karagounis

36: Theodoros Zagorakis

32: Kostas Katsouranis

26: Angelos Charisteas

25: Antonis Nikopolidis

25: Stelios Giannakopoulos

# Overall goals

11: Angelos Charisteas

11: Nikos Anastopoulos

7: Nikos Machlas

7: Fanis Gekas

6: Dimitrios Saravakos

6: Panagiotis Tsalouchidis

# **Squad list**

# Germany

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No.	Player	DoB	Age	Club	D	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Go	oalkeepers										
1	Manuel Neuer	27/03/86	26	FC Bayern München	-	10	-	3	-	29	-
12	Tim Wiese	17/12/81	30	SV Werder Bremen	-	-	-	-	-	6	-
22	Ron-Robert Zieler	12/02/89	23	Hannover 96	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
De	fenders										
3	Marcel Schmelzer	22/01/88	24	Borussia Dortmund	-	1	-	-	-	6	-
4	Benedikt Höwedes	29/02/88	24	FC Schalke 04	-	4	-	-	-	8	-
5	Mats Hummels	16/12/88	23	Borussia Dortmund	-	4	-	3	-	17	1
14	Holger Badstuber	13/03/89	23	FC Bayern München	*	9	1	3	-	23	1
16	Philipp Lahm	11/11/83	28	FC Bayern München	-	10	-	3	-	89	4
17	Per Mertesacker	29/09/84	27	Arsenal FC	-	7	-	-	-	81	1
20	Jérôme Boateng	03/09/88	23	FC Bayern München	-	2	-	2	-	23	-
Mi	dfielders										
2	İlkay Gündoğan	24/10/90	21	Borussia Dortmund	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
6	Sami Khedira	04/04/87	25	Real Madrid CF	-	8	-	3	-	30	1
7	Bastian Schweinsteiger	01/08/84	27	FC Bayern München	-	5	1	3	-	93	23
8	Mesut Özil	15/10/88	23	Real Madrid CF	-	9	5	3	-	36	8
9	André Schürrle	06/11/90	21	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	ı	5	3	1	-	15	7
13	Thomas Müller	13/09/89	22	FC Bayern München	-	10	3	3	-	30	10
15	Lars Bender	27/04/89	23	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	ı	-	-	3	1	9	1
18	Toni Kroos	04/01/90	22	FC Bayern München	-	8	-	3	-	29	2
19	Mario Götze	03/06/92	20	Borussia Dortmund	-	4	1	-	-	14	2
21	Marco Reus	31/05/89	23	VfL Borussia Mönchengladbach	-	2	-	-	-	6	1
Fo	rwards										
10	Lukas Podolski	04/06/85	27	1. FC Köln	-	9	3	3	1	100	44
11	Miroslav Klose	09/06/78	34	S.S. Lazio	-	6	9	3	-	119	63
23	Mario Gomez	10/07/85	26	FC Bayern München	-	6	6	3	3	55	25
Co	ach										
-	Joachim Löw	03/02/60	52	-	-	10	-	3	-	8	-

# **Greece**

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No.	Player	DoB	Age	Club	D	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	
Go	alkeepers											
1	Kostas Chalkias	30/05/74	38	PAOK FC	-	-	-	2	-	32	-	
12	Alexandros Tzorvas	12/08/82	29	US Città di Palermo	-	3	-	-	-	16	-	
13	Michalis Sifakis	09/09/84	27	Aris Thessaloniki FC	-	6	-	2	-	14	-	
De	fenders											
2	Giannis Maniatis	12/10/86	25	Olympiacos FC	-	3	-	3	-	12	-	
3	Giorgos Tzavellas	26/11/87	24	Eintracht Frankfurt	-	3	-	1	-	7	-	
4	Stelios Malezas	11/03/85	27	PAOK FC	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	
5	Kyriakos Papadopoulos	23/02/92	20	FC Schalke 04	*	4	2	3	-	11	3	
15	Vassilis Torossidis	10/06/85	27	Olympiacos FC	*	7	2	3	-	47	6	
19	Sokratis Papastathopoulos	09/06/88	24	SV Werder Bremen	-	8	-	2	-	30	-	
20	José Holebas	27/06/84	27	Olympiacos FC	S	-	-	3	-	7	-	
Mie	dfielders											
6	Grigoris Makos	18/01/87	25	AEK Athens FC	-	3	-	1	-	12	-	
10	Giorgos Karagounis	06/03/77	35	Panathinaikos FC	S	10	1	3	1	120	9	
16	Giorgos Fotakis	29/10/81	30	PAOK FC	-	2	1	1	-	11	2	
18	Sotiris Ninis	03/04/90	22	Panathinaikos FC	-	7	1	2	-	21	2	
21	Kostas Katsouranis	21/06/79	33	Panathinaikos FC	-	9	-	3	-	94	9	
22	Kostas Fortounis	16/10/92	19	1. FC Kaiserslautern	-	-	-	2	-	5	•	
23	Giannis Fetfatzidis	21/12/90	21	Olympiacos FC	-	6	2	-	-	13	3	
Fo	rwards											
7	Giorgos Samaras	21/02/85	27	Celtic FC	-	8	1	3	-	57	7	
9	Nikos Liberopoulos	04/08/75	36	AEK Athens FC	-	2	-	-	-	75	13	
11	Kostas Mitroglou	12/03/88	24	Atromitos FC	-	5	-	1	-	14	-	
14	Dimitris Salpingidis	18/08/81	30	PAOK FC	*	10	1	3	1	59	8	
17	Fanis Gekas	23/05/80	32	Samsunspor	-	4	1	3	1	61	22	
Со	ach											
-	Fernando Santos	10/10/54	57	-	-	10	-	3	-	3	-	

# Head coach

Germany: Joachim Löw Date of birth: 3 February 1960

Nationality: German

Playing career: SC Freiburg (three times), VfB Stuttgart, Eintracht Frankfurt, Karlsruher SC, FC Schaffhausen, FC

Winterthur, FC Frauenfeld

**Coaching career:** FC Winterthur (youth), FC Frauenfeld, VfB Stuttgart, Fenerbahçe SK, Karlsruher SC, Adanaspor AŞ, FC Tirol Innsbruck, FK Austria Wien, Germany (assistant), Germany

- A native of the Black Forest in south-west Germany, Löw spent most of his playing days with local club Freiburg, where he had three spells, before winding down his career in Switzerland.
- Operated as a player-coach in Switzerland before becoming an assistant, and later head coach, back in Germany with Stuttgart. Succeeded Rolf Fringer in 1996 and led the Swabian side to a German Cup win in his first season and the UEFA Cup Winners' Cup final against Chelsea FC in his second.
- Left Stuttgart for Fenerbahçe but struggled to match his early success until he joined Tirol Innsbruck, guiding the team to the 2001/02 Austrian Bundesliga title.
- After nine months with Austria Wien he was summoned by old friend Jürgen Klinsmann to become his assistant with Germany. The pair led the Nationalmannschaft to a third-place finish on home soil at the 2006 FIFA World Cup.
- Replaced Klinsmann as head coach, taking the team to a runners-up spot at UEFA EURO 2008 and, subsequently, to the 2010 World Cup finals. There Germany again reached the semi-finals, ultimately claiming third place once more, and went on to win all ten UEFA EURO 2012 qualifiers with Löw subsequently signing a new two-year deal running until 2014.

# **Greece: Fernando Santos**

Date of birth: 19 October 1954

Nationality: Portuguese

Playing career: SL Benfica, CS Marítimo, GD Estoril-Praia

**Coaching career:** GD Estoril-Praia, CF Estrela da Amadora, FC Porto, AEK Athens FC (twice), Panathinaikos FC, Sporting Clube de Portugal, SL Benfica, PAOK FC, Greece

- A left-back, Santos started his playing days at hometown club Benfica before two-year spells with Marítimo and Estoril-Praia. Retired in 1975.
- After a career change as a technician Santos holds a degree in electrical and telecommunications engineering he returned to football in 1987, taking over at former club Estoril-Praia. Stayed for seven years, guiding them to two promotions and the Portuguese top flight.
- Had four seasons with Estrela da Amadora prior to joining Porto in 1998. Led club to the league title in his first season, adding two domestic cups before leaving for AEK in 2001. Again made an instant impact, winning the 2002 Greek Cup.
- Joined Panathinaikos that summer but reign proved brief. Returned home to Sporting in 2003/04 before rejoining AEK in summer 2004, steadying the ship after a turbulent spell. Left in 2006 for Benfica, where he lasted a year, swiftly opting for yet another Greek sojourn with PAOK.
- Revived the club's fortunes, leading them to runners-up spot in the league in 2009/10 to win a place in the UEFA Champions League third qualifying round. Announced his departure in May 2010 and was confirmed as Otto Rehhagel's successor as Greece coach six weeks later, proving an immediate success as he led them to UEFA EURO 2012 as winners of qualifying Group F.

# **Match officials**

Referee
Assistant referees
Additional assistant referees
Fourth official
Reserve official
UEFA Delegate
UEFA Referee observer

Damir Skomina (SVN)
Primož Arhar (SVN), Matej Žunič (SVN)
Slavko Vinčić (SVN), Matej Jug (SVN)
Stéphane Lannoy (FRA)
Frédéric Cano (FRA)
Christian Schmöelzer (AUT)
Jaap Uilenberg (NED)

#### Referee

Name	Date of birth	Nationality
Damir Skomina	05/08/1976	SVN

- One of Europe's most promising young referees, Damir Skomina has steadily worked his way up the ranks both in his native Slovenia, where he has already taken charge of three cup finals, and abroad.
- He cut his teeth in international football at the 2003 UEFA European Under-17 Championship and made his UEFA Cup bow in October 2003, his first UEFA Champions League qualifying appearance coming the following July.
- Fourth official for the 2003 U17 final and 2005 European U19 Championship showpiece, Skomina was the youngest match official at the 2007 U21 finals in the Netherlands. There he oversaw three games, concluding with the hosts' 4-1 win against Serbia in the final.
- A father of two sons who works in real estate, Skomina continued his rise to prominence by taking charge of three UEFA EURO 2008 qualifiers. He was fourth official at three matches at the finals, also overseeing two fixtures at that August's Olympic Games.
- Skomina made his UEFA Champions League group stage bow on matchday three of the 2008/09 campaign as PSV Eindhoven took on Olympique de Marseille and has since become a regular in that competition and the UEFA Europa League. Ended the 2010/11 season by taking charge of the Slovenian Cup final.

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

No matches found

# Other matches

Date	Competition	Stage	Home	Away	Result	Venue
07/10/06	EURO	QR	Armenia	Finland	0-0	Yerevan
24/03/07	EURO	QR	Faroe Islands	Ukraine	0-2	Toftir
08/09/07	EURO	QR	Scotland	Lithuania	3-1	Glasgow
07/09/10	EURO	QR	Turkey	Belgium	3-2	Istanbul
04/06/11	EURO	QR	England	Switzerland	2-2	London
02/09/11	EURO	QR	Hungary	Sweden	2-1	Budapest
09/06/12	EURO	GS	Netherlands	Denmark	0-1	Kharkiv
15/06/12	EURO	GS	Sweden	England	2-3	Kyiv

# **Competition facts**

# **UEFA European 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.
- That 2000 Netherlands win is also the biggest margin of victory in a UEFA European Championship quarter-final, going back to 1960. Before the final tournament expanded to eight teams in 1980, five teams scored five goals in a single last-eight fixture: France (5-1 v Austria, 1960), Spain (5-1 v Republic of Ireland, 1964), Netherlands (5-0 v Belgium, 1976) and Yugoslavia twice (5-1 v both Portugal, 1960 and France, 1968).
- Since quarter-finals were re-introduced in 1996, the biggest margin of victory aside from the Dutch's 6-1 triumph in 2000 is the Czech Republic's 3-0 defeat of Denmark four years later. Only two other teams have scored three goals or more, both in 2008: Germany beat Portugal 3-2 and Russia were 3-1 victors against the Netherlands, the latter after extra time.
- 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 Karembeu 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.
- Before UEFA EURO 2012, five players had appeared in four final tournaments: Lothar Matthäus, Peter Schmeichel, Alessandro Del Piero, Edwin van der Sar and Lilian Thuram. Olof Mellberg and Iker Casillas joined the group in Poland and Ukraine.
- 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

# Germany

# **Final tournament Group B**

# **Standings**

	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Germany	3	3	0	0	5	2	9
Portugal	3	2	0	1	5	4	6
Denmark	3	1	0	2	4	5	3
Netherlands	3	0	0	3	2	5	0

# **Matchday 1** (09/06/12)

Germany 1-0 Portugal Goals: 1-0 Gomez 72

Germany: Neuer, Hummels, Khedira, Schweinsteiger, Özil (Kroos 87), Podolski, T. Müller (Bender 90+4), Badstuber, Lahm, Boateng, Gomez

(Klose 80)

Matchday 2 (13/06/12)

**Netherlands 1-2 Germany** 

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

Germany: Neuer, Hummels, Khedira, Schweinsteiger, Özil (Kroos 81), Podolski, T. Müller (Bender 90+2), Badstuber, Lahm, Boateng, Gomez

(Klose 72)

**Matchday 3** (17/06/12)

Denmark 1-2 Germany

Goals: 0-1 Podolski 19, 1-1 Krohn-Dehli 24, 1-2 Bender 80

Germany: Neuer, Hummels, Khedira, Schweinsteiger, Özil, Podolski (Schürrle 64), T. Müller (Kroos 84), Badstuber, Bender, Lahm, Gomez (Klose

74)

#### **Quarter-finals**

(22/06/12)

Germany v Greece

# **Greece**

# **Final tournament Group A**

# **Standings**

	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Czech Republic	3	2	0	1	4	5	6
Greece	3	1	1	1	3	3	4
Russia	3	1	1	1	5	3	4
Poland	3	0	2	1	2	3	2

# Matchday 1 (08/06/12)

Poland 1-1 Greece

Goals: 1-0 Lewandowski 17, 1-1 Salpingidis 51

**Greece:** Chalkias, Maniatis, Samaras, Á. Papadopoulos (K. Papadopoulos 37), Karagounis, Torossidis, Gekas (Fortounis 68), Ninis (Salpingidis 46), Papastathopoulos, Holebas, Katsouranis

Matchday 2 (12/06/12)

Greece 1-2 Czech Republic

Goals: 0-1 Jiráček 3, 0-2 Pilař 6, 1-2 Gekas 53

 $\textbf{Greece:} \ \ \textbf{Chalkias (Sifakis 23), Maniatis, K. Papadopoulos, Samaras, Karagounis, Salpingidis, Torossidis, Fotakis (Gekas 46), Holebas, Katsouranis, Fotakis (Gekas 46), Holebas,  

Fortounis (Mitroglou 71)

Matchday 3 (16/06/12)

Greece 1-0 Russia

Goals: 1-0 Karagounis 45+2

Greece: Sifakis, Maniatis, Tzavellas, K. Papadopoulos, Samaras, Karagounis (Makos 67), Salpingidis (Ninis 83), Torossidis, Gekas (Holebas 64),

Papastathopoulos, Katsouranis

# **Quarter-finals**

(22/06/12)

Germany v Greece

# **UEFA** information

# 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.

#### Ban and fine for Bendtner

The UEFA Control and Disciplinary Body has suspended Denmark's Nicklas Bendtner for one competitive fixture for improper conduct at the Group B match against Portugal on 13 June. This suspension applies to the next 2014 FIFA World Cup match, including the qualifying competition, for which Bendtner is eligible. He has also been fined €100,000.

#### €80,000 fine for HNS

The Croatian Football Federation (HNS) has been fined €80,000 for the setting-off and throwing of fireworks, and the improper conduct of supporters (racist chants, racist symbols) at the Group C match against Italy in Poznan on 14 June.

# RFS appeal against decision

The Football Union of Russia (RFS) has appealed against the decision by the UEFA Control and Disciplinary Body on 13 June to impose a deduction of six points 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 was also 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 the Group A match against the Czech Republic in Wroclaw on 8 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.

### **Tobacco-free EURO**

UEFA has taken the health of football fans into account by banning the use, sale and promotion of tobacco in all stadiums during UEFA EURO 2012 in Poland and Ukraine. The ban applies unequivocally to all spaces within stadium perimeters, both indoors and out. This tobacco-free policy was developed and has been implemented in collaboration with the World Health Organisation (WHO), World Heart Federation, European Healthy Stadia Network, local organising committees (LOCs) in Poland and Ukraine and local health advocacy groups. Put into place to protect the health, safety and comfort of all fans and other tournament participants, the tobacco ban has complemented other activities during UEFA EURO 2012 under UEFA's Respect campaign, including the jersey exchange initiative which capitalises on the visibility and unifying factor of football to promote social harmony.

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#### :: 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

R1: First round

R3: Third round

SF: Semi-finals

R4: Fourth round

R16: round of 16

R32: Round of 32

2nd: second leg

(Rep): Replay

PO - FT: Play-off for Final

1st: first leg

PO: Play-off

Tournament

R2: Second round

3QR: Third qualifying round

#### :: 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

:: Statistics

:: Squad list D: Disciplinary

S: Suspended

(-): Denotes player substituted (\*): Denotes player sent off

:: Other abbreviations

(aet): Match decided after extra timeNo.: Number aetps: Match decided after extra timeo.g.: Own goal

and penalty shoot-out

ag: Match decided on away goals (P): Penalty agg: Aggregate Pld: Matches played AP: Appearances Pos.: Position Pts: Points Comp.: Competition

D: Drawn R: Sent off (straight red card) DoB: Date of birth Res.: Result

GA: Goals against sg: Match decided by silver goal GF: Goals for t: Match decided by toss of a coin

gg: Match decided by golden goal W: Won

L: Lost Y: Booked

Nat.: Nationality Y/R: Sent off (two yellow cards)

Prom/rel PO: Promotion/relegation N/a: Not applicable play-off

(+): Denotes player introduced

(+/-): Denotes player introduced and substituted

\*: Misses next match if booked

#: Suspended for at least one match

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# **Tactical lineups** Friday 22 June 2012 Arena Gdansk - Gdansk



# **GERMANY**

20.45 **CET** 

# **GREECE**

- Manuel Neuer (GK)
- Mats Hummels 5
- 6 Sami Khedira
- 7 Bastian Schweinsteiger
- 8 Mesut Özil
- 9 André Schürrle
- 11 Miroslav Klose
- 14 Holger Badstuber
- Philipp **Lahm ©**
- 20 Jérôme Boateng
- 21 Marco Reus



- 12 Tim Wiese (GK)
- 22 Ron-Robert Zieler (GK)
- 2 İlkay Gündoğan
- 3 Marcel Schmelzer
- 4 Benedikt Höwedes
- 10 Lukas Podolski
- 13 Thomas Müller
- 15 Lars Bender
- 17 Per Mertesacker
- 18 Toni Kroos
- 19 Mario Götze
- 23 Mario Gomez

Joachim Löw (HC)

Referee:

Damir Skomina (SVN)

Assistant referees:

Primož Arhar (SVN)

Matej Žunič (SVN)

Additional assistant referees:

Slavko Vinčić (SVN)

Matej Jug (SVN)

- 13 Michalis Sifakis (GK)
- 2 Giannis Maniatis
- Giorgos Tzavellas
- 5\* Kyriakos Papadopoulos
- Grigoris Makos
- Giorgos Samaras
- 14\* Dimitris Salpingidis
- 15\* Vassilis Torossidis
- 18 Sotiris Ninis
- 19 Sokratis Papastathopoulos
- 21 Kostas Katsouranis (C)



- 1 Kostas Chalkias (GK)
- 12 Alexandros Tzorvas GK
- 4 Stelios Malezas
- 9 Nikos Liberopoulos
- 11 Kostas Mitroglou
- 16 Giorgos Fotakis
- 17 Fanis Gekas
- 22 Kostas Fortounis
- 23 Giannis Fetfatzidis

Fernando Santos (HC)

Fourth official:

Stéphane Lannoy (FRA)

UEFA delegate:

Christian Schmöelzer (AUT)

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22 Jun 2012





























# Half-time report

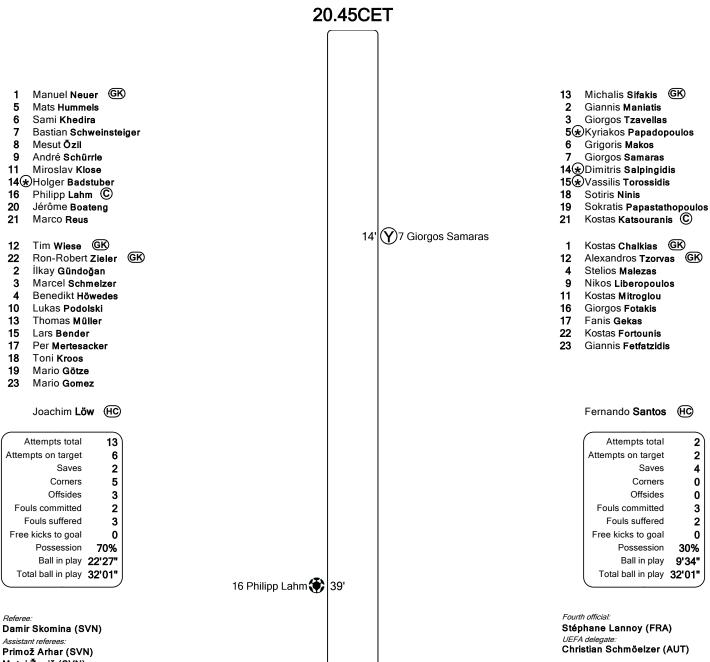
# Friday 22 June 2012 Arena Gdansk - Gdansk



**GERMANY** 

**GREECE** 





Assistant referees

Matej Žunič (SVN)

Slavko Vinčić (SVN) Matej Jug (SVN)

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22 Jun 2012











# Full-time report Friday 22 June 2012

Arena Gdansk - Gdansk



**GERMANY** 

**4-2** 

20.45CET

**GREECE** 







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Manuel Neuer GK
 Mats Hummels
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Joachim **Löw** (HC)

	Half	Full
Attempts total	13	24
Attempts on target	6	14
Saves	2	3
Corners	5	10
Offsides	3	5
Fouls committed	2	9
Fouls suffered	3	10
Free kicks to goal	0	0
Possession	70%	66%
Ball in play	22'27"	40'31"
Total ball in play	32'01"	61'12"

Referee:
Damir Skomina (SVN)
Assistant referees:
Primož Arhar (SVN)
Matej Žunič (SVN)
Additional assistant referees:
Slavko Vinčić (SVN)

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16 Philipp Lahm

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3 Giorgos Tzavellas

55' 7 Giorgos Samaras

61'
13 Thomas Müller
9 André Schürrle
67'
11 Miroslav Klose
68'

21 Marco Reus
72' 9 Nikos Liberopoulos
6 Grigoris Makos
75' 9 Sokratis Papastathopoulos
1 Miroslav Klose
80'
19 Sokratis Papastathopoulos
19 Mario Götze
80'
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Michalis Sifakis GK

2 Giannis Maniatis
3 Giorgos Tzavellas
5★Kyriakos Papadopoulos

6 Grigoris Makos
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9 Nikos Liberopoulos

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17 Fanis Gekas

22 Kostas Fortounis23 Giannis Fetfatzidis

Fernando Santos (HC)

'	Half	Full
Attempts total	2	9
Attempts on target	2	5
Saves	4	8
Corners	0	1
Offsides	0	2
Fouls committed	3	10
Fouls suffered	2	7
Free kicks to goal	0	0
Possession	30%	34%
Ball in play	9'34"	20'41"
Total ball in play	32'01"	61'12"

Fourth official

Stéphane Lannoy (FRA)
UEFA delegate:

Christian Schmöelzer (AUT)

Man of the match: 8, Mesut Özil (GER) Attendance: 38,751

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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 22 Jun 2012



Matej Jug (SVN)























90'

2'07"





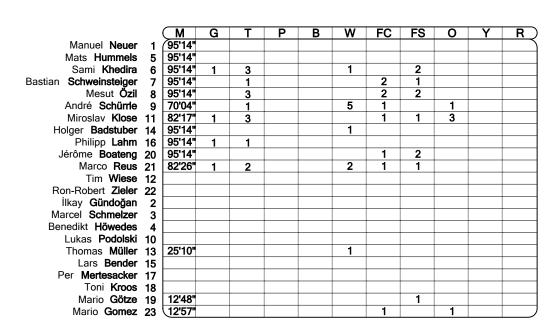


# **Player Summary Statistics** Friday 22 June 2012 Arena Gdansk - Gdansk



**GERMANY** 

**GREECE** 







M	G	Т	Р	В	W	FC	FS	0	Υ	R	)
95'14"										$\overline{}$	13 Michalis Sifakis
95'14"											2 Giannis Maniatis
48'07"											3 Giorgos Tzavellas
95'14"					1						5 Kyriakos Papadopoulos
74'10"		1									6 Grigoris Makos
95'14"	1	1			1	2			1		7 Giorgos Samaras
95'14"	1	1				1	2	1			14 Dimitris Salpingidis
95'14"											15 Vassilis Torossidis
48'07"		1									18 Sotiris Ninis
95'14"						4	3		1		19 Sokratis Papastathopoulos
95'14"							1				21 Kostas Katsouranis
											1 Kostas Chalkias
											12 Alexandros Tzorvas
											4 Stelios Malezas
21'04"					1	1					9 Nikos Liberopoulos
											11 Kostas Mitroglou
47'07"		1				2	1				16 Giorgos Fotakis
47'07"	, in the second				1			1			17 Fanis Gekas
											22 Kostas Fortounis
											23 Giannis Fetfatzidis

M Minutes played

Ō Offsides

Goals scored Attempts hitting bar Other attempts off target

Yellow cards

Attempts on target Fouls committed R Red cards

Attempts hitting post FS Fouls suffered

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# Team statistics: Full time

# Quarter-Final - 22 June 2012 Arena Gdansk - Gdansk



**GERMANY** 

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**GREECE** 

39' Philipp Lahm 61' Sami Khedira 68' Miroslav Klose 74' Marco Reus 55' Giorgos Samaras 89' P Dimitris Salpingidis

	First half		Second half		Total		Tournament average			Tournament high		
Scoring situations	Germany	Greece	Germany	Greece	Germany	Greece	Germany	Greece	All	Germany	Greece	All
Goals scored	1	0	3	2	4	2	2.25	1.25	1.29	4	2	4
open play	1	0	3	1	4	1	2.25	1	1.25	4	1	4
penalty	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0.25	0.02	0	1	1
direct from free-kick	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total attempts	13	2	11	7	24	9	15	7.25	13.35	24	9	28
on target	6	2	8	3	14	5	8.25	3.75	6.94	14	5	20
off target	7	0	3	4	10	4	6.75	3.5	6.41	10	5	20
Assists	1	0	3	1	4	1	2.25	0.5	1.1	4	1	4
Corners	5	0	5	1	10	1	5	2.75	5.6	10	5	12
Offsides	3	0	2	2	5	2	3	3	2.08	5	6	7
Saves	2	4	1	4	3	8	3	4	3.46	3	8	11
Time & distance												
Total time played (minutes)	45'	00"	47'(	07"	92'	07"						
Ball possession	71%	29%	62%	38%	67%	33%						
Distance covered (metres)	56806	54404	54119	49480	110925	103884	111408	102667	110754	112051	109675	118701
Discipline												
Yellow cards	0	1	0	1	0	2	0.75	2.75	1.96	2	4	6
Red cards	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.25	0.06	0	1	1
Fouls committed	2	3	7	7	9	10	9	12	14.08	14	16	26
Passing & solo runs												
Passes attempted	416	174	369	209	785	383	666.5	435.25	565.08	785	528	929
Long	23	29	16	32	39	61	53.5	68	69.66	62	83	106
Medium	288	109	252	137	540	246	462.5	274.5	361.02	540	335	565
Short	105	36	101	40	206	76	150.5	92.75	134.41	206	110	300
Passes completed	346	78	314	140	660	218	512.75	272.75	406.6	660	375	779
Long	17	11	11	19	28	30	33	34.75	39.25	43	44	59
Medium	250	55	216	99	466	154	369.75	179.25	269.58	466	255	485
Short	79	12	87	22	166	34	110	58.75	97.77	166	76	249
Passes completion rate	83%	45%	85%	67%	84%	57%	77%	63%	72%	84%	71%	84%
Long	74%	38%	69%	59%	72%	49%	62%	51%	56%	69%	53%	56%
Medium	87%	50%	86%	72%	86%	63%	80%	65%	75%	86%	76%	86%
Short	75%	33%	86%	55%	81%	45%	73%	63%	73%	81%	69%	83%
Delivery/solo runs	62	7	50	14	112	21	77.75	30.25	52.02	112	41	112
into the attacking third	50	6	38	12	88	18	63.25	27.75	43.14	88	36	88
into the key area	39	4	36	5	75	9	45.75	13.25	29.35	75	16	80
into the penalty area	12	1	13	3	25	4	14.75	5.5	10.18	25	8	25





Bold values: number 1 in the ranking

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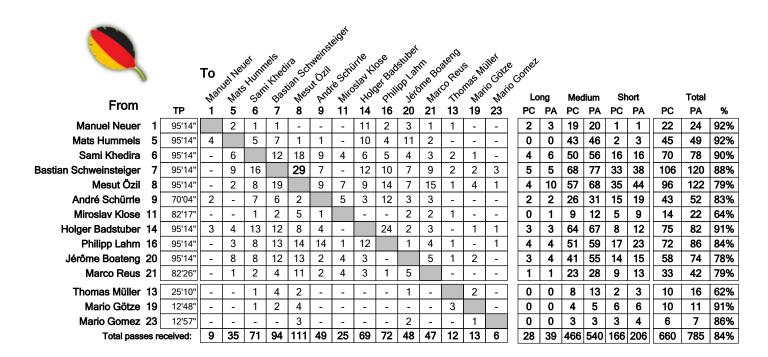


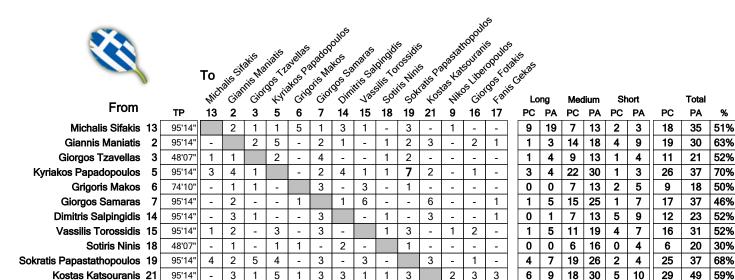
# Team / Players passing distribution: Full time Friday 22 June 2012 Arena Gdansk - Gdansk



**GERMANY** 

**GREECE** 





PA: Passes attempted PC: Passes completed %: Passing success percentage



Nikos Liberopoulos 9

Giorgos Fotakis 16

Fanis Gekas 17

Total passes received:















30 61 154 246



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89%

62%

58%

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383 57%











TP: Time played

21'04'

47'07

47'07'



# Tactical lineups: Full time Friday 22 June 2012 Arena Gdansk - Gdansk



**GERMANY** 

**GREECE** 

67' (In) 13 Müller / (Out) 9 Schürrle 80' (In) 23 Gomez / (Out) 11 Klose 80' (In) 19 Götze / (Out) 21 Reus

46'\( (In) 17 Gekas / (Out) 18 Ninis 46'(In) 16 Fotakis / (Out) 3 Tzavellas 72' (In) 9 Liberopoulos / (Out) 6 Makos

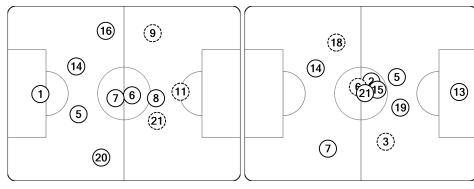
95'14" Total time played:

66% - 40'31" **Ball possession**  34% - 20'41"

## **Actual formation**

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

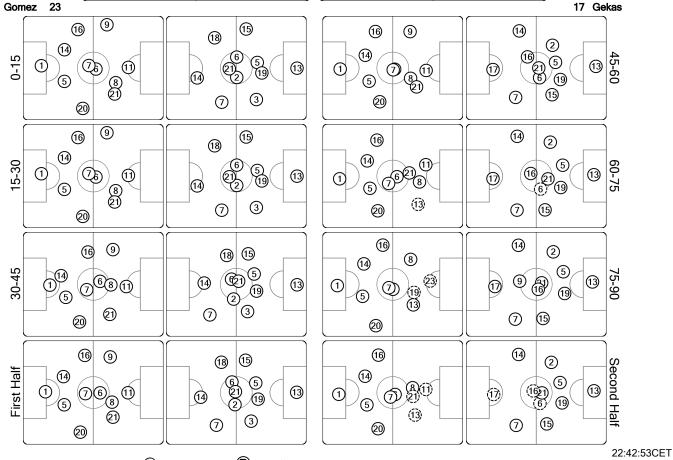
Neuer Hummels 5 Khedira 6 Schweinsteiger 7 Özil 8 Schürrle 9 **Klose** 11 Badstuber 14 16 Lahm **Boateng** 20 Reus 21 Müller 13 Götze 19



- 13 Sifakis
- 2 Maniatis
- **Tzavellas**
- 5 K. Papadopoulos
- Makos
- Samaras
- 14 Salpingidis
- Torossidis 18 Ninis

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- 19 Papastathopoulos
- Katsouranis
- 9 Liberopoulos
- 16 Fotakis
- 17 Gekas







did not play the entire match



substitution





(R) sent off











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