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**Wigan Athletic FC**

**Wigan Athletic Stadium - Wigan**

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Group D - Matchday 2



**NK Maribor**

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## Previous meetings

### Head to Head

No UEFA competition matches have been played between these two teams

### Wigan Athletic FC - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

Wigan Athletic FC have not played against a club from their opponents' country

### NK Maribor - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

#### UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
08/11/2012	GS	Tottenham Hotspur FC - NK Maribor	3-1	London	Defoe 22, 49, 77; Berič 40
25/10/2012	GS	NK Maribor - Tottenham Hotspur FC	1-1	Maribor	Berič 42; G. Sigurdsson 58

#### UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
15/12/2011	GS	Birmingham City FC - NK Maribor	1-0	Birmingham	Rooney 24
29/09/2011	GS	NK Maribor - Birmingham City FC	1-2	Maribor	Volaš 29; Burke 64, Elliott 79

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
Wigan Athletic FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NK Maribor	2	0	1	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	3	3	7

## Match background

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Wigan Athletic FC will hope that their first home game in UEFA club competition coincides with their first UEFA Europa League Group D victory as NK Maribor head back to England.

### Previous meetings

- The two teams are meeting for the first time – no surprise given that this is only Wigan's second game in UEFA club competition.
- Maribor's record in four games against English sides is W0 D1 L3 (W0 D1 L1 at home – W0 D0 L2 in England). Like Maribor's first English opponents in the 2011/12 group stage, Birmingham City FC, Wigan are competing in Europe despite being relegated from the Premier League at the end of the previous season; Wigan won the 2012/13 FA Cup, Birmingham won the 2010/11 League Cup.
- As yet, no Slovenian club has overcome an English counterpart in seven UEFA club competition meetings (D2 L5).

### Match background

- Wigan were the only side entering the competition on matchday one this season with absolutely no previous experience of European football; the other three group stage contenders who are in their first European season – FC Kuban Krasnodar, Estoril Praia and CS Pandurii Târgu Jiu – all cut their teeth in qualifying.
- A 0-0 draw at SV Zulte Waregem on matchday one means that the Latics have yet to win or lose a European game.
- Maribor have reached the group stage of a major UEFA competition for the fourth time but have yet to make it through to the knockout rounds. They failed to record a victory when they made their UEFA Europa League group stage debut in 2011/12, but improved on that with a four-point haul last season.
- Maribor's 5-2 defeat to FC Rubin Kazan on matchday one matched the margin of their worst ever UEFA Europa League home defeat – a 4-1 loss to SS Lazio in the 2012/13 group stage.
- Maribor have now not won in five European games. They made it through this season's UEFA Champions League third qualifying round on away goals following two draws against APOEL FC, before losing home and away to FC Viktoria Plzeň in the play-offs.

### Team facts

- Maribor midfielder Željko Filipovič turns 25 on the day of the match; he turned 24 the day before appearing in a UEFA Europa League game last season, which Maribor lost 1-0 at Lazio.
- Wigan's Chilean midfielder Jean Beausejour faced Maribor twice in the 2011/12 group stage with Birmingham.
- Domestic double winners Maribor and Wigan are among 11 domestic cup winners in the group stage along with Vitória SC (Portugal), Legia Warszawa (Poland), Swansea City AFC (Wales, English League Cup), AZ Alkmaar (Netherlands), FC Girondins de Bordeaux (France), Apollon Limassol FC (Cyprus), KRC Genk (Belgium), Lazio (Italy) and Esbjerg fB (Denmark).

### Coach information

- Owen Coyle took over at Wigan after Roberto Martínez left the relegated club for Everton in July 2013. Capped once by the Republic of Ireland at senior level, he spent most of his playing career in his native Scotland but enjoyed success south of the border as a coach with second-flight sides Burnley FC and Bolton Wanderers FC, having previously helped the latter win promotion to the Premier League as a player in 1994/95.
- Maribor dismissed their Croatian coach Ante Čačić on Sunday after just four months in charge, having secured just one win in their last six games. "We had to respond to a bad run of results," read a club statement. Čačić and AZ Alkmaar's Gertjan Verbeek were dismissed on the same day, making them the first coaching casualties of the 2013/14 UEFA Europa League group stage.
- Maribor have hired Ante Šimundža as their new coach, with the 42-year-old leaving NK Aluminij to return to the club he played over 200 games for as a striker. Capped three times by Slovenia, he played abroad with BSC Young Boys, Malmö FF and RAA Louviéroise, returning to Maribor as assistant to Darko Milanič. He subsequently took sole command of ND Mura 05, Austrian side Grazer AK and then Aluminij.

## Team facts

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### Wigan Athletic FC

**Formed:** 1932

**Nickname:** Latics

#### UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- none

#### Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

FA Cup: 1 (2013)

#### Ten-year European record (UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League unless indicated otherwise)

**2012/13:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

**2011/12:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

**2010/11:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

**2009/10:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

**2008/09:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

**2007/08:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

**2006/07:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

**2005/06:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

**2004/05:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

**2003/04:** did not take part in UEFA club competition

### Records

#### UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

**3-1:** Wigan v NK Maribor

03/10/13, UEFA Europa League group stage

- Biggest away win

**N/A**

- Heaviest home defeat

**N/A**

- Heaviest away defeat

**N/A**

#### UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League

- Biggest home win

**3-1:** Wigan v NK Maribor (see above)

- Biggest away win

**N/A**

- Heaviest home defeat

**N/A**

- Heaviest away defeat

**N/A**

### NK Maribor

**Formed:** 1960

**Nickname:** Vijoličasti (the Purples)

#### UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- UEFA Intertoto Cup: 2006

#### Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 11 (2013)

Slovenian Cup: 8 (2013)

#### Ten-year European record (UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League unless indicated otherwise)

**2012/13:** group stage (having transferred from UEFA Champions League play-off round)

**2011/12:** group stage (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

**2010/11:** play-offs

**2009/10:** play-offs (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

**2008/09:** did not take part in UEFA club competition  
**2007/08:** UEFA Intertoto Cup second round  
**2006/07:** second qualifying round  
**2005/06:** did not take part in UEFA club competition  
**2004/05:** first round  
**2003/04:** UEFA Champions League second qualifying round

## Records

### UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win  
**10-0:** Maribor v FC Norma Tallinn  
25/08/94, UEFA Cup Winners' Cup preliminary round second leg
- Biggest away win  
**1-4:** FC Norma Tallinn v Maribor  
11/08/94, UEFA Cup Winners' Cup preliminary round first leg  
**0-3** on four occasions, most recently v Birkirkara FC  
24/06/07, UEFA Intertoto Cup first round first leg
- Heaviest home defeat  
**0-4:** Maribor v SS Lazio  
19/10/99, UEFA Champions League first group stage
- Heaviest away defeat  
**9-1:** AFC Ajax v Maribor  
30/09/97, UEFA Cup first round second leg

### UEFA Cup/UEFA Europa League

- Biggest home win  
**3-0** twice, most recently v Panathinaikos FC  
20/09/12, group stage
- Biggest away win  
**2-3:** Hibernian FC v Maribor  
05/08/10, third qualifying round second leg  
**1-2:** FK Banat Zrenjanin v Maribor  
10/08/04, second qualifying round first leg  
**0-1:** FK Sileks v Maribor  
15/07/04, first qualifying round first leg
- Heaviest home defeat  
**2-5:** Maribor v FC Rubin Kazan  
19/09/13, group stage  
**1-4:** Maribor v SS Lazio  
06/12/12, group stage
- Heaviest away defeat  
**9-1:** AFC Ajax v Maribor (see above)

# Squad list

## Wigan Athletic FC

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time			
						QUAL		Tournament		League		Tournament		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>															
1	Scott Carson	ENG	03/09/1985	28	-	-	-	1	-	8	-	9	-	12	-
13	Lee Nicholls	ENG	05/10/1992	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>															
3	Stephen Craaney	SCO	22/06/1981	32	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	4	-	6	-
4	Ryan Shotton	ENG	30/10/1988	24	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	11	1	11	1
6	Thomas Rogne	NOR	29/06/1990	23	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	2	-	7	-
17	Emmerson Boyce	BRB	24/09/1979	34	-	-	-	1	-	8	-	1	-	1	-
23	Juan García	HON	08/03/1988	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	James Perch	ENG	28/09/1985	28	-	-	-	1	-	7	-	10	-	10	-
25	Leon Barnett	ENG	30/11/1985	27	-	-	-	-	-	8	2	-	-	-	-
43	Adam Buxton	ENG	12/05/1992	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45	Josh Langley	ENG	13/08/1992	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Midfielders</b>															
7	Chris McCann	IRL	21/07/1987	26	-	-	-	1	-	5	-	1	-	1	-
8	Ben Watson	ENG	09/07/1985	28	-	-	-	1	-	7	1	1	-	1	-
10	Shaun Maloney	SCO	24/01/1983	30	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	10	1	33	2
14	Jordi Gómez	ESP	24/05/1985	28	-	-	-	1	-	5	2	1	-	1	-
15	Callum McManaman	ENG	25/04/1991	22	-	-	-	1	-	5	-	1	-	1	-
16	James McArthur	SCO	07/10/1987	26	-	-	-	1	-	6	-	1	-	1	-
18	Roger Espinoza	HON	25/10/1986	26	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-
19	Nick Powell	ENG	23/03/1994	19	-	-	-	1	-	3	1	1	-	3	-
22	Jean Beausejour	CHI	01/06/1984	29	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	8	1	8	1
39	Tim Chow	ENG	18/01/1994	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	Jack Phillips	ENG	15/10/1993	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	Luke Ainscough	ENG	11/11/1994	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	Ryan Meadows	ENG	24/01/1995	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Forwards</b>															
9	Grant Holt	ENG	12/04/1981	32	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	-	-	-	-
11	James McClean	IRL	22/04/1989	24	-	-	-	1	-	7	-	1	-	1	-
29	Nouha Dicko	FRA	14/05/1992	21	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
32	Marc-Antoine Fortuné	FRA	02/07/1981	32	-	-	-	1	-	7	-	13	4	19	4
<b>Coach</b>															
-	Owen Coyle	SCO	14/07/1966	47	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2	-

## NK Maribor

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time			
						UCL		Tournament		League		Tournament		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
<b>Goalkeepers</b>															

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						Current season						All-time			
						UCL		Tournament		League		Tournament		UEFA	
12	Marko Pridigar	SVN	18/05/1985	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	10	-
33	Jasmin Handanovič	SVN	28/01/1978	35	-	6	-	1	-	11	-	17	-	31	-
34	Dragan Topić	SVN	12/03/1993	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Defenders</b>															
3	Matjaž Kek	SVN	04/01/1991	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Aleš Mejač	SVN	18/03/1983	30	-	5	-	1	-	8	-	17	1	34	1
16	Damjan Vukliševič	SVN	28/06/1995	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	Nejc Potokar	SVN	02/12/1988	24	-	3	-	-	-	4	-	8	-	15	-
24	Dejan Trajkovski	SVN	14/04/1992	21	-	-	-	1	-	6	-	6	-	10	-
26	Aleksander Rajčevič	SVN	17/11/1986	26	-	6	-	1	-	9	-	23	-	39	-
28	Mitja Viler	SVN	01/09/1986	27	-	5	-	-	-	5	-	15	2	21	2
44	Argħus	ITA	19/01/1988	25	-	5	-	1	-	5	-	13	-	27	-
45	Nejc Mevlja	SVN	12/06/1990	23	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Midfielders</b>															
5	Željko Filipovič	SVN	03/10/1988	25	-	5	-	1	-	10	-	12	-	26	-
6	Martin Milec	SVN	20/09/1991	22	-	6	-	1	1	6	-	12	1	22	1
8	Dejan Mezga	SVN	16/07/1985	28	-	2	-	-	-	4	-	19	2	36	3
10	Agim Ibraimi	MKD	29/08/1988	25	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	14	3	29	3
18	Petar Stojanovič	SVN	07/10/1995	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	Goran Cvijanovič	SVN	09/09/1986	27	-	6	-	1	-	7	-	23	-	43	1
21	Amir Derviševič	SVN	04/07/1992	21	-	2	-	-	-	5	1	-	-	2	-
23	Dino Hotič	SVN	26/07/1995	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25	Ranko Moravac	SVN	25/01/1995	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29	Timotej Dodlek	SVN	23/11/1989	23	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	5	-	6	-
32	Pablo Ceppelini	ITA	11/09/1991	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
70	Aleš Mertelj	SVN	22/03/1987	26	-	4	-	1	-	10	1	24	-	42	-
92	Matic Črnic	SVN	12/06/1992	21	-	-	-	1	-	8	2	4	-	4	-
<b>Forwards</b>															
9	Tavares	BRA	30/03/1984	29	-	6	-	1	-	10	5	22	6	44	6
11	Luka Zahovič	SVN	15/11/1995	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Jean Philippe Mendy	FRA	04/03/1987	26	Y	4	-	1	-	10	6	3	1	7	1
17	Nusmir Fajić	BIH	12/01/1987	26	-	5	-	1	1	11	4	8	3	13	3
27	Alen Ploj	SVN	30/06/1992	21	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
39	Damjan Bohar	SVN	18/10/1991	21	-	6	-	1	-	8	3	9	-	15	-
<b>Coach</b>															
-	Ante Šimundža	SVN	28/09/1971	42	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-

## Fixtures and results

### Wigan Athletic FC

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result		Goalscorers
03/08/2013	League	Barnsley FC (A)	W	4-0	Watson 37, Holt 54, Barnett 79, Maloney 88
17/08/2013	League	AFC Bournemouth (A)	L	0-1	
20/08/2013	League	Doncaster Rovers (H)	D	2-2	Maloney 57, Barnett 89
25/08/2013	League	Middlesbrough FC (H)	D	2-2	Holt 17 (P), Jordi Gómez 84
31/08/2013	League	Nottingham Forest FC (H)	W	2-1	Maloney 14 (P), Jordi Gómez 34
14/09/2013	League	Leicester City FC (A)	L	0-2	
19/09/2013	UEL	SV Zulte Waregem (A)	D	0-0	
22/09/2013	League	Ipswich Town FC (H)	W	2-0	Shotton 12, Powell 90
24/09/2013	Cup	Manchester City FC (A)	L	0-5	
28/09/2013	League	Watford FC (A)	L	0-1	
03/10/2013	UEL	NK Maribor (H)			
06/10/2013	League	Blackburn Rovers FC (H)			
19/10/2013	League	Blackpool FC (A)			
24/10/2013	UEL	FC Rubin Kazan (H)			
27/10/2013	League	Charlton Athletic FC (A)			
30/10/2013	League	Queens Park Rangers FC (H)			
02/11/2013	League	Huddersfield Town FC (H)			
07/11/2013	UEL	FC Rubin Kazan (A)			
10/11/2013	League	Yeovil Town FC (A)			
23/11/2013	League	Brighton & Hove Albion (H)			
28/11/2013	UEL	SV Zulte Waregem (H)			
01/12/2013	League	Derby County FC (H)			
04/12/2013	League	Leeds United AFC (A)			
07/12/2013	League	Millwall FC (A)			
12/12/2013	UEL	NK Maribor (A)			
15/12/2013	League	Bolton Wanderers FC (H)			
21/12/2013	League	Reading FC (A)			
26/12/2013	League	Birmingham City FC (H)			
29/12/2013	League	Burnley FC (H)			
01/01/2014	League	Derby County FC (A)			
11/01/2014	League	AFC Bournemouth (H)			
18/01/2014	League	Doncaster Rovers (A)			
25/01/2014	League	Barnsley FC (H)			
28/01/2014	League	Middlesbrough FC (A)			
01/02/2014	League	Charlton Athletic FC (H)			
08/02/2014	League	Huddersfield Town FC (A)			
15/02/2014	League	Yeovil Town FC (H)			
22/02/2014	League	Brighton & Hove Albion (A)			
01/03/2014	League	Nottingham Forest FC (A)			
08/03/2014	League	Leicester City FC (H)			
11/03/2014	League	Sheffield Wednesday FC (H)			
15/03/2014	League	Ipswich Town FC (A)			



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22/03/2014	League	Watford FC (H)		
25/03/2014	League	Queens Park Rangers FC (A)		
29/03/2014	League	Bolton Wanderers FC (A)		
05/04/2014	League	Leeds United AFC (H)		
08/04/2014	League	Millwall FC (H)		
12/04/2014	League	Birmingham City FC (A)		
19/04/2014	League	Reading FC (H)		
21/04/2014	League	Burnley FC (A)		
26/04/2014	League	Blackpool FC (H)		
03/05/2014	League	Blackburn Rovers FC (A)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Queens Park Rangers FC	9	7	2	0	10	2	23
2	Burnley FC	9	6	2	1	17	6	20
3	Leicester City FC	9	6	2	1	15	9	20
4	Watford FC	9	5	3	1	20	9	18
5	Nottingham Forest FC	9	5	3	1	15	9	18
6	Reading FC	9	5	3	1	13	7	18
7	Blackpool FC	9	5	3	1	13	9	18
8	Huddersfield Town FC	9	3	4	2	11	7	13
9	Ipswich Town FC	9	4	1	4	13	10	13
10	AFC Bournemouth	9	4	1	4	12	20	13
11	Blackburn Rovers FC	9	3	3	3	15	11	12
12	Brighton & Hove Albion	9	3	3	3	9	8	12
<b>13</b>	<b>Wigan Athletic FC</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>
14	Derby County FC	9	3	2	4	14	13	11
15	Leeds United AFC	9	3	2	4	7	9	11
16	Millwall FC	9	3	2	4	10	14	11
17	Doncaster Rovers	8	2	3	3	9	10	9
18	Middlesbrough FC	9	1	5	3	12	16	8
19	Birmingham City FC	9	2	1	6	8	13	7
20	Charlton Athletic FC	8	1	2	5	7	13	5
21	Yeovil Town FC	9	1	2	6	4	12	5
22	Sheffield Wednesday FC	8	0	4	4	8	14	4
23	Bolton Wanderers FC	9	0	4	5	7	17	4
24	Barnsley FC	9	1	1	7	10	24	4

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Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
12/07/2013	League	NK Zavrč (H)	W 2-1	Bohar 52, Fajić 89
16/07/2013	UCL	Birkirkara FC (A)	D 0-0	
20/07/2013	League	NK Rudar Velenje (A)	W 3-0	Tavares 7, Fajić 43, Mendy 79
24/07/2013	UCL	Birkirkara FC (H)	W 2-0	Cvijanovič 28, Viler 47
27/07/2013	League	FC Koper (H)	W 6-1	Mendy 3, Bohar 40, Črnic 47, 56, Ibraimi 73 (P), 87
31/07/2013	UCL	APOEL FC (A)	D 1-1	Tavares 64

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06/08/2013	UCL	APOEL FC (H)	D	0-0	
10/08/2013	League	NK Krka (H)	W	3-0	Mendy 41, Dervišević 58, Fajić 84
16/08/2013	League	NK Celje (H)	W	5-1	Tavares 5, 6, Mertelj 24, Bohar 49, Mendy 70
20/08/2013	UCL	FC Viktoria Plzeň (A)	L	1-3	Mejač 66
24/08/2013	League	ND Triglav (A)	W	1-0	Fajić 56
28/08/2013	UCL	FC Viktoria Plzeň (H)	L	0-1	
31/08/2013	League	ND Gorica (H)	D	1-1	Tavares 27
14/09/2013	League	NK Domžale (A)	W	1-0	Mendy 10
19/09/2013	UEL	FC Rubin Kazan (H)	L	2-5	Milec 35, Fajić 73
22/09/2013	League	NK Zavrč (A)	L	0-1	
25/09/2013	League	NK Rudar Velenje (H)	D	1-1	Mendy 50
28/09/2013	League	FC Koper (A)	L	1-2	Tavares 90
03/10/2013	UEL	Wigan Athletic FC (A)			
06/10/2013	League	NK Olimpija Ljubljana (H)			
19/10/2013	League	NK Krka (A)			
24/10/2013	UEL	SV Zulte Waregem (A)			
27/10/2013	League	NK Celje (A)			
02/11/2013	League	ND Triglav (H)			
07/11/2013	UEL	SV Zulte Waregem (H)			
10/11/2013	League	ND Gorica (A)			
23/11/2013	League	NK Domžale (H)			
28/11/2013	UEL	FC Rubin Kazan (A)			
01/12/2013	League	NK Zavrč (H)			
07/12/2013	League	NK Rudar Velenje (A)			
12/12/2013	UEL	Wigan Athletic FC (H)			
01/03/2014	League	FC Koper (H)			
08/03/2014	League	NK Olimpija Ljubljana (A)			
15/03/2014	League	NK Krka (H)			
22/03/2014	League	NK Celje (H)			
29/03/2014	League	ND Triglav (A)			
05/04/2014	League	ND Gorica (H)			
12/04/2014	League	NK Domžale (A)			
16/04/2014	League	NK Zavrč (A)			
19/04/2014	League	NK Rudar Velenje (H)			
26/04/2014	League	FC Koper (A)			
03/05/2014	League	NK Olimpija Ljubljana (H)			
07/05/2014	League	NK Krka (A)			
10/05/2014	League	NK Celje (A)			
17/05/2014	League	ND Triglav (H)			
23/05/2014	League	ND Gorica (A)			
31/05/2014	League	NK Domžale (H)			

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	NK Maribor	11	7	2	2	24	8	23
2	NK Zavrč	12	7	2	3	19	16	23

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3	FC Koper	12	6	3	3	15	14	21
4	NK Rudar Velenje	11	6	2	3	15	11	20
5	ND Gorica	12	5	4	3	19	12	19
6	NK Domžale	12	4	4	4	17	13	16
7	NK Olimpija Ljubljana	11	5	1	5	18	17	16
8	NK Celje	12	3	2	7	10	20	11
9	NK Krka	11	3	1	7	11	20	10
10	ND Triglav	12	1	1	10	7	24	4

## Match-by-match lineups

### Wigan Athletic FC

#### UEFA Europa League - Group stage

##### Group D

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
FC Rubin Kazan	1	1	0	0	5	2	3
<b>SV Zulte Waregem</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Wigan Athletic FC</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
NK Maribor	1	0	0	1	2	5	0

##### Matchday 1 (19/09/2013)

###### SV Zulte Waregem 0-0 Wigan Athletic FC

**Wigan Athletic FC:** Carson, Crainey, Shotton, McCann, McClean, Jordi Gómez (65 Watson), McManaman (65 Fortuné), McArthur, Boyce, Powell (83 Dicko), Perch

##### Matchday 2 (03/10/2013)

Wigan Athletic FC-NK Maribor

##### Matchday 3 (24/10/2013)

Wigan Athletic FC-FC Rubin Kazan

##### Matchday 4 (07/11/2013)

FC Rubin Kazan-Wigan Athletic FC

##### Matchday 5 (28/11/2013)

Wigan Athletic FC-SV Zulte Waregem

##### Matchday 6 (12/12/2013)

NK Maribor-Wigan Athletic FC

### NK Maribor

#### UEFA Champions League - Second qualifying round

(16/07/2013)

##### Birkirkara FC 0-0 NK Maribor

**NK Maribor:** J. Handanovič, Filipovič, Milec, Mejač, Mezga, Tavares (84 Fajić), Ibraimi, Cvijanovič, Rajčević, Arghus, Mertelj (69 Bohar)

(24/07/2013)

##### NK Maribor 2-0 Birkirkara FC (agg: 2-0)

**Goals:** 1-0 Cvijanovič 28, 2-0 Viler 47

**NK Maribor:** J. Handanovič, Filipovič, Milec, Mezga (21 Bohar), Tavares, Ibraimi, Fajić (86 Mendy), Cvijanovič, Rajčević, Viler, Arghus (71 Potokar)

#### Third qualifying round

(31/07/2013)

##### APOEL FC 1-1 NK Maribor

**Goals:** 1-0 Esmaël Gonçalves 21, 1-1 Tavares 64

**NK Maribor:** J. Handanovič, Filipovič, Milec, Tavares (83 Potokar), Ibraimi (71 Mejač), Fajić (65 Mendy), Cvijanovič, Rajčević, Viler, Bohar, Arghus

(06/08/2013)

##### NK Maribor 0-0 APOEL FC (agg: 1-1)

**NK Maribor:** J. Handanovič, Filipovič, Milec, Tavares (81 Fajić), Ibraimi (84 Dervišević), Cvijanovič, Rajčević, Viler, Bohar, Arghus (73 Mejač), Mertelj

#### Play-off

(20/08/2013)

**FC Viktoria Plzeň 3-1 NK Maribor**

**Goals:** 1-0 Čišovský 8, 2-0 Darida 58, 2-1 Mejač 66, 3-1 Ďuriš 89

**NK Maribor:** J. Handanovič, Milec (85 Dervišević), Mejač, Tavares, Ibraimi (88 Mendy), Cvijanovič, Potokar, Rajčević, Viler, Bohar, Mertelj

(28/08/2013)

**NK Maribor 0-1 FC Viktoria Plzeň (agg: 1-4)**

**Goals:** 0-1 Tecl 3

**NK Maribor:** J. Handanovič, Milec, Tavares (66 Mendy), Ibraimi, Fajić, Cvijanovič, Rajčević, Viler, Bohar (75 Mejač), Arghus (46 Filipovič), Mertelj

**UEFA Europa League - Group stage**

**Matchday 1 (19/09/2013)**

**NK Maribor 2-5 FC Rubin Kazan**

**Goals:** 0-1 Gökdeniz Karadeniz 23, 0-2 Marcano 27, 1-2 Milec 35, 1-3 R. Eremenko 69, 2-3 Fajić 73, 2-4 Rondón 90, 2-5 Ryazantsev 90+4

**NK Maribor:** J. Handanovič, Filipovič, Milec, Mejač, Tavares, Mendy (64 Fajić), Cvijanovič (76 Črnic), Rajčević, Bohar, Arghus (44 Trajkovski), Mertelj

**Matchday 2 (03/10/2013)**

Wigan Athletic FC-NK Maribor

**Matchday 3 (24/10/2013)**

SV Zulte Waregem-NK Maribor

**Matchday 4 (07/11/2013)**

NK Maribor-SV Zulte Waregem

**Matchday 5 (28/11/2013)**

FC Rubin Kazan-NK Maribor

**Matchday 6 (12/12/2013)**

NK Maribor-Wigan Athletic FC

## Match officials

<b>Referee</b>	Aleksandar Stavrev (MKD)
<b>Assistant referees</b>	Marjan Kirovski (MKD) , Dejan Kostadinov (MKD)
<b>Additional assistant referees</b>	Dimitar Meckarovski (MKD) , Goran Spirkoski (MKD)
<b>Fourth official</b>	Dejan Nedelkoski (MKD)
<b>UEFA Delegate</b>	Dag Steinar Vestlund (NOR)
<b>UEFA Referee observer</b>	Johannes Reijgwart (NED)

## Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Europa League matches	UEFA matches
Aleksandar Stavrev	30/03/1977	12	50

**Referee since:** 1996

**First division:** 2002

**FIFA badge:** 2006

**Tournaments:** 2011 UEFA European Under-21 Championship, 2008 UEFA European Under-19 Championship, 2006 UEFA European Under-17 Championship

## Finals

N/A

## UEFA Europa League matches involving teams from the two countries involved in this match

Date	Competition	Stage	Home	Away	Result	Venue
25/08/2011	UEL	PO	Rangers FC	NK Maribor	1-1	Glasgow
21/02/2013	UEL	R32	Chelsea FC	AC Sparta Praha	1-1	London

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

Date	Competition	Stage	Home	Away	Result	Venue
14/07/2008	U19	GS-FT	Czech Republic	England	2-0	Jablonec nad Nisou
15/06/2011	U21	GS-FT	Ukraine	England	0-0	Herning
29/02/2012	FRIE.	R1	Slovenia	Scotland	1-1	Koper

# Legend

## Competitions

### Club competitions

**UCL:** UEFA Champions League  
**ECCC:** European Champion Clubs' Cup  
**UEL:** UEFA Europa League  
**UCUP:** UEFA Cup  
**UCWC:** UEFA Cup Winners' Cup  
**SCUP:** UEFA Super Cup  
**UIC:** UEFA Intertoto Cup  
**ICF:** Inter-Cities Fairs Cup

### 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  
**WEURO:** UEFA European Women's Championship

## Competition stages

**F:** Final  
**GS1:** First group stage  
**3QR:** Third qualifying round  
**R2:** Second 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 Tournament  
  
**GS:** Group stage  
**GS2:** Second group stage  
**R1:** First round  
**R3:** Third round  
**PR:** Preliminary round  
**QF:** Quarter-finals  
**QR:** Qualifying round  
**1QR:** First qualifying round  
**2QR:** Second qualifying round  
**FT:** Final tournament  
**ELITE:** Elite round  
**3rdPO:** Third-place play-off  
**GS-FT:** Group stage – final tournament

## Other abbreviations

**(aet):** After extra time  
**No.:** Number  
**ag:** Match decided on away goals  
**PId:** Matches played  
**Pos.:** Position  
**Pts:** Points  
**R:** Sent off (straight red card)  
**Res.:** Result  
**sg:** Match decided by silver goal  
**GF:** Goals for  
**gg:** Match decided by golden goal  
**Y/R:** Sent off (two yellow cards)  
  
**pens:** Penalties  
**og:** Own goal  
**P:** Penalty  
**agg:** Aggregate  
**AP:** Appearances  
**Comp.:** Competition  
**D:** Drawn  
**DoB:** Date of birth  
**ET:** Extra Time  
**GA:** Goals against  
**t:** Match decided by toss of a coin  
**W:** Won  
**Y:** Booked  
**L:** Lost  
**Nat.:** Nationality  
**N/A:** Not applicable

## Statistics

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

**+**: Denotes player introduced  
**+/-:** Denotes player introduced and substituted

## Squad list

**D:** Disciplinary  
**\***: Misses next match if booked  
**S:** Suspended  
**QUAL:** All UEFA qualifiers  
**UEL:** Current season total UEFA Europa League appearances from the group stage onwards prior to the current matchday  
**UEL:** Total appearances in the UEFA Europa League, group stage to final only  
**UEFA:** All-time total appearances in UEFA club competition including qualifying

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19 Nick Powell		<b>22'</b>	
8 Ben Watson		<b>34'</b>	
		<b>60'</b>	 9 Tavares
11 James McClean (вышел на поле)		<b>67'</b>	
15 Callum McManaman (ушел с поля)			
		<b>71'</b>	 14 Jean Philippe Mendy
		<b>77'</b>	 8 Dejan Mezga (вышел на поле) 20 Goran Cvijanovic (ушел с поля)
7 Chris McCann (вышел на поле)		<b>77'</b>	
8 Ben Watson (ушел с поля)			
		<b>83'</b>	 17 Nusmir Fajic (вышел на поле) 39 Damjan Bohar (ушел с поля)
		<b>83'</b>	 28 Mitja Viler (вышел на поле) 7 Ales Mejac (ушел с поля)
19 Nick Powell		<b>90' + 1'</b>	
29 Nouha Dicko (вышел на поле)		<b>90' + 2'</b>	
19 Nick Powell (ушел с поля)			

