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Chelsea FC

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Previous meetings

Head to Head

No UEFA competition matches have been played between these two teams

PAOK FC - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Europa League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
30/11/2011	GS	Tottenham Hotspur FC - PAOK FC	1-2	London	Modrić 38 (P); Salpingidis 6, Athanasiadis 13
15/09/2011	GS	PAOK FC - Tottenham Hotspur FC	0-0	Salonika	

UEFA Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
30/09/1997	R1	Arsenal FC - PAOK FC	1-1 agg: 1-2	London	Bergkamp 22; Vryzas 87
16/09/1997	R1	PAOK FC - Arsenal FC	1-0	Salonika	Frantzeskos 61

Chelsea FC - Record versus clubs from opponents' country

UEFA Champions League

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
05/03/2008	R16	Chelsea FC - Olympiacos FC	3-0 agg: 3-0	London	Ballack 5, Lampard 25, Kalou 48
19/02/2008	R16	Olympiacos FC - Chelsea FC	0-0	Piraeus	

UEFA Cup Winners' Cup

Date	Stage	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
30/09/1970	R1	Chelsea FC - Aris Thessaloniki FC	5-1 agg: 6-2	London	Hollins 7, 27, Hutchinson 20, 56, Hinton 52; Alexiadis 85
16/09/1970	R1	Aris Thessaloniki FC - Chelsea FC	1-1	Salonika	Alexiadis 45; Osgood 75

	Home				Away				Final				Total					
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
PAOK FC	2	1	1	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	2	0	4	2
Chelsea FC	2	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	2	0	9	2

Match background

Two domestic cup holders kick off their UEFA Europa League Group L campaign in an intriguing match-up in Salonika as PAOK, who have never lost to English opposition, host Chelsea, who are undefeated against teams from Greece.

Previous meetings

- Although the teams have never met, they both have favourable records against opposition from the other's country, each winning two and drawing two of their four matches.
- At home PAOK have won one and drawn one against English clubs – both from London – and are yet to concede, whereas Chelsea have held their hosts to draws on both their previous two trips to Greece.

Form guide

PAOK

- PAOK enjoyed a successful 2017/18 on the domestic front, atoning for a rare early exit in Europe – they lost to Swedish debutants Östersund in the UEFA Europa League play-offs – by retaining the Greek Cup and finishing runners-up to AEK Athens in the Superleague.
- They harboured high hopes of reaching the UEFA Champions League group stage for the first time this season when they knocked out Basel and Spartak Moskva in qualifying ties and then held Benfica 1-1 in Lisbon in the first leg of their play-off – only to suffer a second-leg 1-4 defeat in Salonika.
- That means they have extended their record of having participated in every season of the UEFA Europa League to a tenth successive year. They have reached the group stage in six previous campaigns, four of which have extended into the knockout phase but never beyond the round of 32. Schalke were the most recent team to end their interest at that juncture with a 4-1 aggregate win in 2016/17.
- The Salonika side are unbeaten at home on matchday one (W2 D2), one of those draws having come against Tottenham in 2011/12 (0-0). However, they have won just once at home in their last nine fixtures in the UEFA Europa League proper (D4 L4).

Chelsea

- Chelsea could finish only fifth in defence of their Premier League title last season, but they booked a first ever place in the UEFA Europa League group stage twice over by also winning the FA Cup for the eighth time, defeating Manchester United 1-0 in the final.
- Although the west London side are new to this stage of the UEFA Europa League, they won the competition on their only previous participation, in 2013, having crossed over to the knockout phase in mid-season from the UEFA Champions League. Their route to the final, where they defeated Benfica 2-1, incorporated two wins and two defeats on their travels.
- Chelsea are without a win in four European matches following their UEFA Champions League round of 16 exit to Barcelona last season. They have lost two of their last three continental away fixtures 3-0.

Links and trivia

- PAOK trio Chuba Akpom, José Ángel Crespo and José Alberto Cañas have all played in the English Premier League.
- Akpom played alongside Olivier Giroud at Arsenal in 2014/15 while PAOK's Omar El Kaddouri was a team-mate of Jorginho at Napoli from the summer of 2015 to December 2016.

The coaches

- The son of Mircea Lucescu, Bucharest-born Răzvan spent most of his career as a goalkeeper with clubs from the Romanian capital. As a coach, he enjoyed early success with Rapid București, winning back-to-back domestic cups and also steering the club into the UEFA Cup quarter-finals. He then had two years in charge of the Romanian national team, but it was in Greece that he further enhanced his reputation, firstly with Xanthi, then as a Greek Cup winner and league runner-up in his debut season at PAOK.
- Named as the new Chelsea boss in succession to his fellow Italian, Antonio Conte, in July 2018, Maurizio Sarri is widely considered to be one of Europe's most progressive coaches. He paid his dues in Italy's lower leagues with a multitude of clubs before getting his big break at Empoli, whom he steered into Serie A, before replacing Rafael Benítez at Napoli in 2015. Three seasons in Naples all brought top-three finishes, his entertaining side running Juventus close for the Scudetto in 2017/18.

Team facts

PAOK FC

Formed: 1926

Nickname: Dikefalos tou Vora (Two-Headed Eagle of the North)

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

- None

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 2 (1985)

Greek Cup: 6 (2018)

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

2017/18: play-offs

2016/17: round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

2015/16: group stage

2014/15: group stage

2013/14: round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League play-offs)

2012/13: play-offs

2011/12: round of 32

2010/11: round of 32 (having transferred from UEFA Champions League third qualifying round)

2009/10: play-offs

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

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

6-0: PAOK v Lokomotiva Zagreb

23/07/15, UEFA Europa League second qualifying round second leg

- Biggest away win

0-7: Lokomotivi Tbilisi v PAOK

16/09/99, UEFA Cup first round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

1-4: PAOK v Benfica

29/08/18, UEFA Champions League play-off second leg

0-3 on four occasions, most recently v Schalke

16/02/17, UEFA Europa League round of 32 first leg

- Heaviest away defeat

6-1: Barcelona v PAOK

01/10/75, UEFA Cup first round second leg

UEFA Europa League/UEFA Cup

- Biggest home win

6-0: PAOK v Lokomotiva Zagreb (see above)

- Biggest away win

0-7: Lokomotivi Tbilisi v PAOK (see above)

- Heaviest home defeat

0-3 three times, most recently v Schalke (see above)

- Heaviest away defeat

6-1: Barcelona v PAOK (see above)

Chelsea FC

Formed: 1905

Nickname: The Blues

UEFA club competition honours (runners-up in brackets)

• UEFA Champions League (1): (2008), 2012

• UEFA Europa League (1): 2013

• UEFA Cup Winners' Cup (2): 1971, 1998

• UEFA Super Cup (1): 1998, (2012), (2013)

Domestic honours (most recent triumph in brackets)

League title: 6 (2017)

FA Cup: 8 (2018)

League Cup: 5 (2015)

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

2017/18: UEFA Champions League round of 16

2016/17: did not take part in UEFA competition

2015/16: UEFA Champions League round of 16

2014/15: UEFA Champions League round of 16

2013/14: UEFA Champions League semi-finals

2012/13: winners (having transferred from UEFA Champions League group stage)

2011/12: UEFA Champions League winners

2010/11: UEFA Champions League quarter-finals

2009/10: UEFA Champions League round of 16

2008/09: UEFA Champions League semi-finals

Records

UEFA club competition

- Biggest home win

13-0: Chelsea v Jeunesse Hautcharage

29/09/71, European Cup Winners' Cup first round second leg

- Biggest away win

0-8: Jeunesse Hautcharage v Chelsea

15/09/71, European Cup Winners' Cup first round first leg

- Heaviest home defeat

1-3: Chelsea v Atlético de Madrid

30/04/14, UEFA Champions League semi-final second leg

0-2: Chelsea v Beşiktaş

01/10/03, UEFA Champions League group stage

- Heaviest away defeat

5-1: Barcelona v Chelsea

18/04/00, UEFA Champions League quarter-final second leg

UEFA Europa League/UEFA Cup

- Biggest home win

3-0: Chelsea v Levski Sofia

20/09/01, first round first leg

- Biggest away win

0-2: Levski Sofia v Chelsea

27/09/01, first round second leg

- Heaviest home defeat

N/A

- Heaviest away defeat

4-2: Viking v Chelsea

03/10/02, first round second leg

2-0 twice, most recently v Hapoel Tel-Aviv

18/10/01, second round first leg

Squad list

PAOK FC

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season						All-time			
						UCL		UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers															
1	Rodrigo Rey	ITA	08/03/1991	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-
31	Alexandros Paschalakis	GRE	28/07/1989	29	-	6	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	10	-
99	Marios Siampanis	GRE	28/09/1999	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Defenders															
3	Léo Matos	BRA	02/04/1986	32	S	6	-	-	-	3	1	27	-	47	2
5	Fernando Varela	POR	26/11/1987	30	-	6	1	-	-	1	-	12	-	36	2
6	Alin Toșca	ROU	14/03/1992	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	14	-
13	Stelios Malezas	GRE	11/03/1985	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	1	26	1
15	José Ángel Crespo	ESP	09/02/1987	31	-	6	-	-	-	3	-	10	-	25	1
20	Vieirinha	POR	24/01/1986	32	-	4	-	-	-	3	-	23	5	46	10
32	Leftheris Lyratzis	GRE	22/02/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Yevhen Khacheridi	UKR	28/07/1987	31	-	3	-	-	-	2	-	33	1	68	1
45	Marios Tsaousis	GRE	11/05/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49	Giannis Michailidis	GRE	18/02/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
56	Apostolos Diamantis	GRE	20/05/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
70	Stelios Kitsiou	GRE	28/09/1993	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	1	25	2
Midfielders															
7	Omar El Kaddouri	BEL	21/08/1990	28	-	5	1	-	-	3	1	19	1	27	3
8	Maurício	BRA	21/10/1988	29	-	6	-	-	-	2	-	5	1	13	1
10	Dimitris Pelkas	GRE	26/10/1993	24	-	6	1	-	-	1	-	9	1	26	5
18	Dimitris Limnios	GRE	27/05/1998	20	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	1
19	Pontus Wernbloom	SWE	25/06/1986	32	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	16	3	72	12
21	Diego Biseswar	NED	08/03/1988	30	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	8	-	15	-
28	Yevhen Shakhov	UKR	30/11/1990	27	-	6	-	-	-	2	-	21	4	42	6
37	Zisis Chatzistravos	GRE	16/12/1999	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Thomas Karamperis	GRE	29/01/2002	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
51	Theocharis Tsiggaras	GRE	20/08/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
52	Serafeim Maniotis	GRE	17/05/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
54	Konstantinos Balomenos	GRE	11/03/2002	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
74	Amr Warda	EGY	17/09/1993	25	-	6	1	-	-	3	-	2	-	8	1
87	José Cañas	ESP	27/05/1987	31	-	6	1	-	-	3	-	12	-	25	1
Forwards															
9	Aleksandar Prijović	SRB	21/04/1990	28	-	6	4	-	-	2	1	6	2	36	14
11	Nikos Karelis	GRE	24/02/1992	26	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	11	4	25	5
25	Alexandros Gkargkalatzidis	GRE	12/04/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36	Giorgos Tzovaras	GRE	03/11/1999	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	Chuba Akpom	ENG	09/10/1995	22	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	-
58	Antonis Gaitanidis	GRE	18/03/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
98	Léo Jabá	BRA	02/08/1998	20	-	4	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	4	-

PAOK FC

Current season			All-time	
UCL	UEL	League	UEL	UEFA

Coach

-	Răzvan Lucescu	ROU	17/02/1969	49	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-
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Chelsea FC

No.	Player	Nat.	DoB	Age	D	Current season				All-time			
						UEL		League		UEL		UEFA	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers													
1	Kepa Arrizabalaga	ESP	03/10/1994	23	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-
13	Willy Caballero	ARG	28/09/1981	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	-
Defenders													
2	Antonio Rüdiger	GER	03/03/1993	25	-	-	-	5	-	9	-	25	-
3	Marcos Alonso	ESP	28/12/1990	27	-	-	-	5	1	22	1	30	1
21	Davide Zappacosta	ITA	11/06/1992	26	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	5	1
24	Gary Cahill	ENG	19/12/1985	32	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	48	5
27	Andreas Christensen	DEN	10/04/1996	22	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	20	2
28	César Azpilicueta	ESP	28/08/1989	29	-	-	-	5	-	9	-	53	1
30	David Luiz	BRA	22/04/1987	31	-	-	-	5	-	25	3	84	10
33	Emerson Palmieri	ITA	03/08/1994	24	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	7	1
44	Ethan Ampadu	ENG	14/09/2000	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midfielders													
4	Cesc Fàbregas	ESP	04/05/1987	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	111	25
5	Jorginho	ITA	20/12/1991	26	-	-	-	5	1	9	-	19	2
7	N'Golo Kanté	FRA	29/03/1991	27	-	-	-	5	1	-	-	6	-
8	Ross Barkley	ENG	05/12/1993	24	-	-	-	4	-	5	-	5	-
10	Eden Hazard	BEL	07/01/1991	27	-	-	-	5	5	23	3	74	14
11	Pedro Rodríguez	ESP	28/07/1987	31	-	-	-	5	3	-	-	77	18
15	Victor Moses	NGA	12/12/1990	27	-	-	-	1	-	6	4	14	5
17	Mateo Kovačić	CRO	06/05/1994	24	-	-	-	4	-	10	-	54	6
22	Willian	BRA	09/08/1988	30	-	-	-	5	1	20	1	91	19
Forwards													
12	Ruben Loftus-Cheek	ENG	23/01/1996	22	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	-
18	Olivier Giroud	FRA	30/09/1986	31	-	-	-	4	-	6	3	41	17
29	Álvaro Morata	ESP	23/10/1992	25	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	43	12
Coach													
-	Maurizio Sarri	ITA	10/01/1959	59	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	26	-

Fixtures and results

PAOK FC

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result		Goalscorers
24/07/2018	UCL	FC Basel 1893 (H)	W	2-1	Cañas 32, Prijović 80
01/08/2018	UCL	FC Basel 1893 (A)	W	3-0	Varela 7, Prijović 52, El Kaddouri 60
08/08/2018	UCL	FC Spartak Moskva (H)	W	3-2	Prijović 29 (P), Limnios 37, Pelkas 44
14/08/2018	UCL	FC Spartak Moskva (A)	D	0-0	
21/08/2018	UCL	SL Benfica (A)	D	1-1	Warda 76
25/08/2018	League	Asteras Tripolis FC (H)	W	1-0	Prijović 58
29/08/2018	UCL	SL Benfica (H)	L	1-4	Prijović 13
02/09/2018	League	Panionios GSS (A)	W	1-0	El Kaddouri 68
15/09/2018	League	OFI Crete FC (A)	W	3-1	Biseswar 37, Léo Matos 45+5, Léo Jabá 53
20/09/2018	UEL	Chelsea FC (H)			
23/09/2018	League	AEK Athens FC (H)			
30/09/2018	League	Olympiacos FC (A)			
04/10/2018	UEL	FC BATE Borisov (A)			
07/10/2018	League	Apollon Smyrnis FC (H)			
20/10/2018	League	Aris Thessaloniki FC (A)			
25/10/2018	UEL	Vidi FC (H)			
27/10/2018	League	Panathinaikos FC (H)			
03/11/2018	League	Atromitos FC (A)			
08/11/2018	UEL	Vidi FC (A)			
10/11/2018	League	Panetolikos GFS (H)			
24/11/2018	League	Xanthi FC (H)			
29/11/2018	UEL	Chelsea FC (A)			
01/12/2018	League	PAS Lamia (A)			
08/12/2018	League	AE Larissa FC (H)			
13/12/2018	UEL	FC BATE Borisov (H)			
15/12/2018	League	Levadiakos FC (A)			
22/12/2018	League	PAS Giannina FC (H)			
12/01/2019	League	Asteras Tripolis FC (A)			
19/01/2019	League	Panionios GSS (H)			
26/01/2019	League	OFI Crete FC (H)			
02/02/2019	League	AEK Athens FC (A)			
09/02/2019	League	Olympiacos FC (H)			
16/02/2019	League	Apollon Smyrnis FC (A)			
23/02/2019	League	Aris Thessaloniki FC (H)			
02/03/2019	League	Panathinaikos FC (A)			
09/03/2019	League	Atromitos FC (H)			
16/03/2019	League	Panetolikos GFS (A)			
30/03/2019	League	Xanthi FC (A)			
06/04/2019	League	PAS Lamia (H)			
14/04/2019	League	AE Larissa FC (A)			
21/04/2019	League	Levadiakos FC (H)			
05/05/2019	League	PAS Giannina FC (A)			

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Olympiacos FC	3	3	0	0	8	1	9
2	AEK Athens FC	3	3	0	0	7	0	9
3	Aris Thessaloniki FC	3	3	0	0	7	0	9
4	PAOK FC	3	3	0	0	5	1	7
5	Atromitos FC	3	2	1	0	3	1	7
6	Panetolikos GFS	3	1	1	1	4	4	4
7	Panathinaikos FC	3	3	0	0	7	2	3
8	Levadiakos FC	3	1	0	2	1	3	3
9	AE Larissa FC	3	1	0	2	2	5	3
10	PAS Giannina FC	3	1	0	2	2	8	3
11	Xanthi FC	3	0	2	1	1	2	2
12	OFI Crete FC	3	0	1	2	4	7	1
13	Panionios GSS	3	0	1	2	2	7	1
14	Apollon Smyrnis FC	3	0	0	3	1	4	0
15	Asteras Tripolis FC	3	0	0	3	1	4	0
16	PAS Lamia	3	0	0	3	1	7	0

Chelsea FC

Date	Competition	Opponent	Result	Goalscorers
11/08/2018	League	Huddersfield Town FC (A)	W 3-0	Kanté 34, Jorginho 45 (P), Pedro Rodríguez 80
18/08/2018	League	Arsenal FC (H)	W 3-2	Pedro Rodríguez 9, Morata 20, Alonso 81
26/08/2018	League	Newcastle United FC (A)	W 2-1	E. Hazard 76 (P), Yedlin 87 (og)
01/09/2018	League	AFC Bournemouth (H)	W 2-0	Pedro Rodríguez 72, E. Hazard 85
15/09/2018	League	Cardiff City FC (H)	W 4-1	E. Hazard 37, 43, 80 (P), Willian 83
20/09/2018	UEL	PAOK FC (A)		
23/09/2018	League	West Ham United FC (A)		
26/09/2018	Cup	Liverpool FC (A)		
29/09/2018	League	Liverpool FC (H)		
04/10/2018	UEL	Vidi FC (H)		
07/10/2018	League	Southampton FC (A)		
20/10/2018	League	Manchester United FC (H)		
25/10/2018	UEL	FC BATE Borisov (H)		
28/10/2018	League	Burnley FC (A)		
04/11/2018	League	Crystal Palace FC (H)		
08/11/2018	UEL	FC BATE Borisov (A)		
11/11/2018	League	Everton FC (H)		
24/11/2018	League	Tottenham Hotspur FC (A)		
29/11/2018	UEL	PAOK FC (H)		
01/12/2018	League	Fulham FC (H)		
04/12/2018	League	Wolverhampton Wanderers FC (A)		
08/12/2018	League	Manchester City FC (H)		
13/12/2018	UEL	Vidi FC (A)		

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15/12/2018	League	Brighton & Hove Albion FC (A)		
22/12/2018	League	Leicester City FC (H)		
26/12/2018	League	Watford FC (A)		
29/12/2018	League	Crystal Palace FC (A)		
01/01/2019	League	Southampton FC (H)		
12/01/2019	League	Newcastle United FC (H)		
19/01/2019	League	Arsenal FC (A)		
29/01/2019	League	AFC Bournemouth (A)		
02/02/2019	League	Huddersfield Town FC (H)		
09/02/2019	League	Manchester City FC (A)		
23/02/2019	League	Brighton & Hove Albion FC (H)		
27/02/2019	League	Tottenham Hotspur FC (H)		
02/03/2019	League	Fulham FC (A)		
09/03/2019	League	Wolverhampton Wanderers FC (H)		
16/03/2019	League	Everton FC (A)		
30/03/2019	League	Cardiff City FC (A)		
06/04/2019	League	West Ham United FC (H)		
13/04/2019	League	Liverpool FC (A)		
20/04/2019	League	Burnley FC (H)		
27/04/2019	League	Manchester United FC (A)		
04/05/2019	League	Watford FC (H)		
12/05/2019	League	Leicester City FC (A)		

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
1	Chelsea FC	5	5	0	0	14	4	15
2	Liverpool FC	5	5	0	0	11	2	15
3	Manchester City FC	5	4	1	0	14	3	13
4	Watford FC	5	4	0	1	10	5	12
5	AFC Bournemouth	5	3	1	1	10	7	10
6	Tottenham Hotspur FC	5	3	0	2	10	6	9
7	Arsenal FC	5	3	0	2	10	9	9
8	Manchester United FC	5	3	0	2	8	8	9
9	Wolverhampton Wanderers FC	5	2	2	1	5	5	8
10	Everton FC	5	1	3	1	8	9	6
11	Leicester City FC	5	2	0	3	8	9	6
12	Crystal Palace FC	5	2	0	3	4	6	6
13	Southampton FC	5	1	2	2	6	6	5
14	Brighton & Hove Albion FC	5	1	2	2	7	9	5
15	Fulham FC	5	1	1	3	7	12	4
16	West Ham United FC	5	1	0	4	5	11	3
17	Cardiff City FC	5	0	2	3	3	9	2
18	Huddersfield Town FC	5	0	2	3	2	11	2
19	Newcastle United FC	5	0	1	4	4	8	1

Pos.	Clubs	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
20	Burnley FC	5	0	1	4	3	10	1

Match-by-match lineups

PAOK FC

UEFA Champions League - Second qualifying round

(24/07/2018)

PAOK FC 2-1 FC Basel 1893

Goals: 1-0 Cañas 32, 2-0 Prijović 80, 2-1 Al. Ajeti 82

PAOK FC: Paschalakis, Léo Matos, Varela, Maurício, Prijović (83 Warda), Pelkas, Crespo, Limnios (92 Shakhov), Vieirinha, Cañas, Léo Jabá (72 El Kaddouri)

(01/08/2018)

FC Basel 1893 0-3 PAOK FC (agg: 1-5)

Goals: 0-1 Varela 7, 0-2 Prijović 52, 0-3 El Kaddouri 60

PAOK FC: Paschalakis, Léo Matos, Varela, El Kaddouri (74 Léo Jabá), Maurício, Prijović, Pelkas (85 Warda), Crespo, Limnios, Khacheridi, Cañas (82 Shakhov)

Third qualifying round

(08/08/2018)

PAOK FC 3-2 FC Spartak Moskva

Goals: 0-1 Popov 7, 0-2 Promes 17, 1-2 Prijović 29 (P) , 2-2 Limnios 37, 3-2 Pelkas 44

PAOK FC: Paschalakis, Léo Matos, Varela, El Kaddouri (61 Warda), Maurício (84 Shakhov), Prijović, Pelkas, Crespo, Limnios (79 Léo Jabá), Khacheridi, Cañas

(14/08/2018)

FC Spartak Moskva 0-0 PAOK FC (agg: 2-3)

PAOK FC: Paschalakis, Léo Matos, Varela, El Kaddouri (46 Warda), Maurício, Prijović, Pelkas (78 Shakhov), Crespo, Limnios, Vieirinha (64 Khacheridi), Cañas

Play-off

(21/08/2018)

SL Benfica 1-1 PAOK FC

Goals: 1-0 Pizzi 45+1 (P) , 1-1 Warda 76

PAOK FC: Paschalakis, Léo Matos, Varela, Maurício, Prijović (87 Akpom), Pelkas, Crespo, Limnios (52 Warda), Vieirinha, Cañas, Léo Jabá (81 Shakhov)

(29/08/2018)

PAOK FC 1-4 SL Benfica (agg: 2-5)

Goals: 1-0 Prijović 13, 1-1 Jardel 20, 1-2 Salvio 26 (P) , 1-3 Pizzi 39, 1-4 Salvio 50 (P)

PAOK FC: Paschalakis, Léo Matos, Varela, El Kaddouri (76 Akpom), Maurício, Prijović, Pelkas, Crespo, Limnios (46 Warda), Vieirinha, Cañas (63 Shakhov)

UEFA Europa League - Group stage

Group L

Club	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Chelsea FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FC BATE Borisov	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PAOK FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vidi FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Matchday 1 (20/09/2018)

PAOK FC-Chelsea FC

Matchday 2 (04/10/2018)

FC BATE Borisov-PAOK FC

Matchday 3 (25/10/2018)

PAOK FC-Vidi FC

Matchday 4 (08/11/2018)

Vidi FC-PAOK FC

Matchday 5 (29/11/2018)

Chelsea FC-PAOK FC

Matchday 6 (13/12/2018)

PAOK FC-FC BATE Borisov

Chelsea FC

UEFA Europa League - Group stage

Matchday 1 (20/09/2018)

PAOK FC-Chelsea FC

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Chelsea FC-Vidi FC

Matchday 3 (25/10/2018)

Chelsea FC-FC BATE Borisov

Matchday 4 (08/11/2018)

FC BATE Borisov-Chelsea FC

Matchday 5 (29/11/2018)

Chelsea FC-PAOK FC

Matchday 6 (13/12/2018)

Vidi FC-Chelsea FC

Match officials

Referee	Alberto Undiano Mallenco (ESP)
Assistant referees	Raúl Cabanero (ESP) , Iñigo Prieto López De Cerain (ESP)
Additional assistant referees	José María Sanchez Martinez (ESP) , José Gonzalez (ESP)
Fourth official	Javier Rodriguez (ESP)
UEFA Delegate	Pierino L.G. Lardi (SUI)
UEFA Referee observer	Laurent Duhamel (FRA)

Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA Europa League matches	UEFA matches
Alberto Undiano Mallenco	08/10/1973	20	98

Alberto Undiano Mallenco

Referee since: 1988
First division: 2000
FIFA badge: 2004

Tournaments: 2013 FIFA U-20 World Cup, 2010 FIFA World Cup, 2009 FIFA U-20 World Cup, 2008 FIFA Club World Cup, 2007 FIFA U-20 World Cup, 2006 UEFA European Under-21 Championship, 2005 UEFA European Under-19 Championship

Finals

2007 FIFA U-20 World Cup

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
02/11/2006	UEL	GS	Tottenham Hotspur FC	Club Brugge	3-1	London
22/02/2007	UEL	R32	Blackburn Rovers FC	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	0-0	Blackburn
08/11/2007	UEL	GS	1. FC Nürnberg	Everton FC	0-2	Nuremberg
29/11/2007	UEL	GS	Panionios GSS	Galatasaray AŞ	0-3	Athens
16/02/2012	UEL	R32	Udinese Calcio	PAOK FC	0-0	Udine
20/08/2015	UEL	PO	PAOK FC	Brøndby IF	5-0	Salonika
17/09/2015	UEL	GS	FC Girondins de Bordeaux	Liverpool FC	1-1	Bordeaux
20/04/2017	UEL	QF	Manchester United FC	RSC Anderlecht	2-1	Manchester

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
03/09/2004	U21	QR	Austria	England	0-2	Krems
23/07/2005	U19	GS-FT	England	Norway	3-2	Newry
02/11/2006	UEL	GS	Tottenham Hotspur FC	Club Brugge	3-1	London
22/02/2007	UEL	R32	Blackburn Rovers FC	Bayer 04 Leverkusen	0-0	Blackburn
08/11/2007	UEL	GS	1. FC Nürnberg	Everton FC	0-2	Nuremberg
29/11/2007	UEL	GS	Panionios GSS	Galatasaray AŞ	0-3	Athens

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
10/03/2009	UCL	R16	Juventus	Chelsea FC	2-2	Turin
26/08/2009	UCL	PO	Olympiacos FC	FC Sheriff Tiraspol	1-0	Piraeus
09/09/2009	WC	QR	England	Croatia	5-1	London
20/10/2009	UCL	GS	Liverpool FC	Olympique Lyonnais	1-2	Liverpool
24/11/2009	UCL	GS	AZ Alkmaar	Olympiacos FC	0-0	Alkmaar
06/04/2011	UCL	QF	Chelsea FC	Manchester United FC	0-1	London
06/12/2011	UCL	GS	Olympiacos FC	Arsenal FC	3-1	Piraeus
16/02/2012	UEL	R32	Udinese Calcio	PAOK FC	0-0	Udine
02/10/2012	UCL	GS	CFR 1907 Cluj	Manchester United FC	1-2	Cluj-Napoca
04/12/2012	UCL	GS	Olympiacos FC	Arsenal FC	2-1	Piraeus
11/10/2013	WC	QR	England	Montenegro	4-1	London
23/10/2013	UCL	GS	SL Benfica	Olympiacos FC	1-1	Lisbon
17/09/2014	UCL	GS	FC Bayern München	Manchester City FC	1-0	Munich
14/06/2015	EURO	QR	Slovenia	England	2-3	Ljubljana
20/08/2015	UEL	PO	PAOK FC	Brøndby IF	5-0	Salonika
17/09/2015	UEL	GS	FC Girondins de Bordeaux	Liverpool FC	1-1	Bordeaux
24/11/2015	UCL	GS	Maccabi Tel-Aviv FC	Chelsea FC	0-4	Haifa
20/04/2017	UEL	QF	Manchester United FC	RSC Anderlecht	2-1	Manchester
07/10/2017	WC	QR	Cyprus	Greece	1-2	Nicosia

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	GS: Group stage
GS1: First group stage	GS2: Second group stage
3QR: Third qualifying round	R1: First round
R2: Second round	R3: Third round
R4: Fourth round	PR: Preliminary round
SF: Semi-finals	QF: Quarter-finals
R16: round of 16	QR: Qualifying round
R32: Round of 32	1QR: First qualifying round
1st: first leg	2QR: Second qualifying round
2nd: second leg	FT: Final tournament
PO: Play-off	ELITE: Elite round
Rep: Replay	3rdPO: Third-place play-off
PO - FT: Play-off for Final Tournament	GS-FT: Group stage – final tournament

Other abbreviations

(aet): After extra time	pens: Penalties
No.: Number	og: Own goal
ag: Match decided on away goals	P: Penalty
Pld: Matches played	agg: Aggregate
Pos.: Position	AP: Appearances
Pts: Points	Comp.: Competition
R: Sent off (straight red card)	D: Drawn
Res.: Result	DoB: Date of birth
sg: Match decided by silver goal	ET: Extra Time
GF: Goals for	GA: Goals against
gg: Match decided by golden goal	t: Match decided by toss of a coin
Y/R: Sent off (two yellow cards)	W: Won
f: Match forfeited	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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