# 2016-17 Liga I

Liga I

**Season** 2016–17

**Dates** 23 July 2016 - May 2017

Champions Viitorul Constanța

1st title

Relegated Pandurii Târgu Jiu

Târgu Mureș

**Champions League** Viitorul Constanța Steaua Bucuresti

Dinamo Bucuresti

Europa League Universitatea Craiova

Astra Giurgiu

Matches played 268

**Goals scored** 613 (2.29 per match) **Top goalscorer** Azdren Llullaku (16)

Average attendance 4,178

 $\leftarrow 2015-16$  2017-18  $\rightarrow$ 

The **2016-17 Liga I** was the 99th season of Liga I, which is the top division football league in Romania. The season began on 23 July 2016 and ended in May 2017. Viitorul Constanța won the tournament.

#### **Teams**

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• Astra Giurgiu

• Botosani

• Clui

• Concordia Chiajna

• <u>Universitatea Craiova</u>

• <u>Municipal Studențesc Iași</u>

• Dinamo Bucuresti

• Gaz Metan Medias

• Pandurii Târqu Iiu

• Poli Timisoara

• Steaua Bucuresti

Târqu Mures

• Viitorul Constanta

• Voluntari

### **Results**

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Pos	Team	Pld	W D	L	GF	GA	GD	<u>Pts</u>	Qualification or relegation
1	Viitorul Constanța	26	16 3	7	39	22	+17	<b>51</b>	Qualification to
2	Steaua București	26	13 8	5	34	22	+12	<b>47</b>	Championship round
3	Astra Giurgiu	26	13 5	R	32	28	+4	44	

4	<u>Cluj</u>	26	14	7	5	42	23	+19	<b>43</b>	
5	<u>Universitatea</u> <u>Craiova</u>	26	13	4	9	36	26	+10	<b>43</b>	
6	Dinamo București	26	12	5	9	40	33	+7	<b>41</b>	
7	Gaz Metan Mediaș	26	10	9	7	36	27	+9	<b>39</b>	
8	<u>Botoșani</u>	26	9	5	12	30	31	-1	<b>32</b>	
9	<u>Voluntari</u>	26	8	6	12	30	37	-7	<b>30</b>	
10	<u>Municipal</u> Studențesc Iași	26	8	5	13	28	31	-3	29	Qualification to Relegation round
11	Concordia Chiajna	26	6	7	13	17	32	-15	<b>25</b>	Relegation round
12	Pandurii Târgu Jiu	26	6	7	13	24	42	-18	<b>19</b>	
13	Poli Timișoara	26	7	7	12	25	42	-17	<b>14</b>	
14	<u>Târgu Mureș</u>	26	5	6	15	20	37	-17	<b>12</b>	

<sup>\*</sup> Rapid București, CFR Cluj and Târgu Mureș were all subtracted points for failing to comply with licensing requirements. [1]

## **Championship round**

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Teams start the Championship round with their points from the Regular season halved, rounded upwards, and no other records carried over from the Regular season. [2]

Pos	Team	Pld	W	<u>D</u> I	_ GF	GA	GD	Pts	Qualification or relegation
1	Viitorul Constanța <b>(C)</b>	10	5	3 2	2 12	8	+4	44	Qualification to Champions League third qualifying
2	<u>Steaua</u> <u>București</u>	10	6	2 2	2 15	7	+8	44	round
3	<u>Dinamo</u> <u>București</u>	10	5	4 1	15	8	+7	40	Qualification to Europa League third qualifying round
4	<u>Cluj</u>	10	3	2 5	8 6	14	-6	<b>33</b>	
5	<u>Universitatea</u> <u>Craiova</u>	10	2	3 5	5 8	14	-6	31	Qualification to Europa League third qualifying round
6	Astra Giurgiu	10	1	2 7	7 10	17	-7	27	Qualification for the Europa League second qualifying round

### **Relegation round**

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Teams start the Relegation round with their points from the Regular season halved, rounded upwards, and no other records carried over from the Regular season.

Pos	Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	Qualification or relegation
7	Municipal Studențesc Iași	14	7	7	0	16	5	+11	<b>43</b>	
8	Gaz Metan Mediaș	14	4	7	3	17	11	+6	<b>39</b>	
9	<b>Voluntari</b>	14	6	4	4	17	16	+1	<b>37</b>	
10	Botoșani	14	4	5	5	15	12	+3	<b>33</b>	
11	Concordia Chiajna	14	4	4	6	14	18	-4	<b>29</b>	
12	Poli Timișoara	14	5	5	4	16	14	+2	27	Qualification to Relegation play-offs
13	Pandurii Târgu Jiu	14	4	5	5	12	18	-6	<b>27</b>	Relegation to Liga II
14	Târgu Mureș	14	1	5	8	5	18	<b>-</b> 13	<b>14</b>	Neiegation to <u>Liga n</u>

# **Play-offs**

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12 June 2017	ACS Poli Timișoara	2-1	UTA Arad	Timișoara
20:30	Pedro Henrique Goal 22' <u>Cânu</u> Goal 25'		Strătilă Goal 52'	Stadium: <u>Dan</u> <u>Păltinișanu</u> Attendance: 12,000 Referee: George Găman ( <u>Craiova</u> )
15 June 2017	UTA Arad	1-3	ACS Poli Timișoara	Şiria
17:30	<u>Curtuiuş</u> Goal 5'		Bărbuţ Goal 17' Drăghici Goal 21' Pedro Henrique Goal 88'	Stadium: Otto Greffner Attendance: 4,000 Referee: Radu Petrescu (Bucharest)

ACS Poli Timișoara wins play-offs and stays in the Liga I.

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