2020-21 UEFA Europa League knockout phase

2020-21 UEFA Europa League knockout phase \leftarrow 2019-20 2021-22 \rightarrow

The **2020-21 UEFA Europa League knockout phase** began on 18 February with the round of 32 and will end on 26 May 2021.

Qualified teams

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The knockout phase involves 32 teams: the 24 teams which qualified as winners and runners-up of each of the 12 groups in the group stage, and the eight third-placed teams from the Champions League group stage.

Europa League group stage winners and runners-up

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Winners Runners-up

Group (seeded in round of 32 draw) (unseeded in round of 32 draw)

A	<u>Italy</u> Roma	Switzerland Young Boys
<u>B</u>	England Arsenal	Norway Molde
<u>C</u>	Germany Bayer Leverkusen	Czech Republic Slavia Prague
\mathbf{D}	Scotland Rangers	Portugal Benfica
<u>E</u>	Netherlands PSV Eindhoven	Spain Granada
\mathbf{F}	<u>Italy Napoli</u>	Spain Real Sociedad
<u>G</u>	England Leicester City	Portugal Braga
<u>H</u>	Italy Milan	France Lille
I	Spain Villarreal	Israel Maccabi Tel Aviv
J	England Tottenham Hotspur	Belgium Antwerp
K	Croatia Dinamo Zagreb	Austria Wolfsberger AC
L	Germany 1899 Hoffenheim	Serbia Red Star Belgrade

Champions League group stage third-placed teams

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Seed	Grp	Team	Pld	W	\mathbf{D}	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	Seeding
1	H	England Manchester U	In6te	<u>a</u> B	0	3	15	10	+5	9	
2	F	Belgium Club Brugge	6	2	2	2	8	10	- 2	8	Seeded in round
3	B	Ukraine Shakhtar Don	et6k	2	2	2	5	12	- 7	8	of 32 draw
4	D	Netherlands Ajax	6	2	1	3	7	7	0	7	
5	E	Russia Krasnodar	6	1	2	3	6	11	- 5	5	
6	A	Austria Red Bull Salzb	u r 6g	1	1	4	10	17	- 7	4	Unseeded in round of 32
7	G	<u>Ukraine Dynamo Kyiv</u>	6	1	1	4	4	13	- 9	4	draw
8	<u>C</u>	Greece Olympiacos	6	1	0	5	2	10	-8	3	araw

Source: **UEFA**

Rules for classification: 1) Points; 2) Goal difference; 3) Goals scored; 4) Away goals scored; 5) Wins; 6) Away wins; 7) Disciplinary points; 8) Club coefficient (UCL

Regulations Article 16.04).[1]

Format

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Each tie in the knockout phase, apart from the final, is played over two legs, with each team playing one leg at home. The team that scores more goals on aggregate over the two legs advances to the next round. If the aggregate score is level, the away goals rule is applied, i.e. the team that scores more goals away from home over the two legs advances. If away goals are also equal, then extra time is played. The away goals rule is again applied after extra time, i.e. if there are goals scored during extra time and the aggregate score is still level, the visiting team advances by virtue of more away goals scored. If no goals are scored during extra time, the winners are decided by a penalty shoot-out. In the final, which is played as a single match, if the score is level at the end of normal time, extra time is played, followed by a penalty shoot-out if the score is still level. The mechanism of the draws for each round is as follows:

- In the draw for the round of 32, the twelve group winners and the four third-placed teams from the Champions League group stage with the better group records were seeded, and the twelve group runners-up and the other four third-placed teams from the Champions League group stage were unseeded. The seeded teams were drawn against the unseeded teams, with the seeded teams hosting the second leg. Teams from the same group or the same association could not be drawn against each other.
- In the draws for the round of 16, quarter-finals and semi-finals, there are no seedings, and teams from the same group or the same association can be drawn against each other. As the draws for the quarter-finals and semi-finals are held together before the quarter-finals are played, the identity of the quarter-final winners is not known at the time of the semi-final draw. A draw is also held to determine

which semi-final winner is designated as the "home" team for the final (for administrative purposes as it is played at a neutral venue).

In the knockout phase, teams from the same or nearby cities (e.g., Arsenal and Tottenham Hotspur) are not scheduled to play at home on the same day, due to logistics and crowd control. To avoid such scheduling conflict, adjustments have to be made by UEFA. For the round of 32, since both teams were drawn to play at home for the second leg, the home match of the team which were not domestic cup champions in the qualifying season, or the team with the lower domestic ranking (if neither team were the domestic cup champions, e.g. Tottenham Hotspur for this season), were moved from Thursday to a different day. For the round of 16, quarter-finals and semifinals, if the two teams were drawn to play at home for the same leg, the order of legs of the tie involving the team which were not domestic cup champions in the qualifying season, or the team with the lower domestic ranking, will be reversed from the original draw.

Schedule

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The schedule is as follows (all draws are held at the UEFA headquarters in Nyon, Switzerland).

Round	Draw date	First leg	Second leg
Round of 32	14 December 2020, 13:00	18 February 2021	25 February 2021
Round of 16	26 February 2021, 13:00	11 March 2021	18 March 2021
Quarter- finals		8 April 2021	15 April 2021
Semi-finals	19 March 2021, 13:00	29 April 2021	6 May 2021
Final			<u>Stadion Miejski,</u> nńsk

Round of 32

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The draw for the round of 32 was held on 14 December 2020, 13:00 CET. [3]

Summary

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The first legs were played on 18 February, and the second legs were played

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Dynamo Kyiv Ukraine	2-1	Belgium Club Brugge	<u>1-1</u>	<u>1-0</u>
Real Sociedad Spain	0-4	England Manchester United	0-4	<u>0-0</u>
Benfica Portugal	3-4	England Arsenal	1-1	<u>2-3</u>
Red Star Belgrade Serbia	3-3 (a)	<u>Italy</u> <u>Milan</u>	<u>2-2</u>	1-1
Antwerp Belgium	5-9	Scotland Rangers	<u>3-4</u>	<u>2-5</u>
Slavia Prague Czech Republic	2-0	England Leicester City	<u>0-0</u>	2-0
Red Bull Salzburg Austria	1-4	Spain Villarreal	0-2	1-2
<u>Braga</u> <u>Portugal</u>	1-5	Italy Roma	<u>0-2</u>	<u>1-3</u>
Krasnodar Russia	2-4	Croatia Dinamo Zagreb	<u>2-3</u>	<u>0-1</u>
Young Boys Switzerland	6-3	Germany Bayer Leverkusen	<u>4-3</u>	<u>2-0</u>
Molde Norway		Germany 1899 Hoffenheim	<u>3-3</u>	2-0
Granada Spain	3-2	Italy Napoli	2-0	1-2
Maccabi Tel Aviv Israel	0-3	Ukraine Shakhtar Donetsk	<u>0-2</u>	<u>0-1</u>
Lille France	2-4	Netherlands Ajax	<u>1-2</u>	<u>1-2</u>
Olympiacos Greece	5-4	Netherlands PSV Eindhoven	<u>4-2</u>	<u>1-2</u>

Matches

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18 February 2021

18:55

Wolfsberger AC Austria 1-4 **England Tottenham Hotspur**

> Son Heung-min Goal 13' Liendl Goal 55' (pen.) Report

> > Bale Goal 28' Lucas Goal 34'

Carlos Vinícius Goal 88'

Puskás Aréna, Budapest (Hungary)[note 1]

Attendance: 0^{[6][note 2]}

Referee: Ali Palabıyık (Turkey)

24 February 2021 18:00 (17:00 GMT)

> **Tottenham Hotspur** 4-0 **Austria** Wolfsberger AC

> > **England**

Alli Goal 11' Report

Carlos Vinícius Goal 50', 83' Bale Goal 73'

Tottenham Hotspur Stadium, London

Attendance: 0^{[7][note 2]}

Referee: Matej Jug (Slovenia)

Tottenham Hotspur won 8-1 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

16:00 (17:00 EET)[note 3]

Dynamo Kyiv Ukraine 1-1 **Belgium Club Brugge**

> Buyalskyi Goal 62' Mechele Goal 67' Report

NSC Olimpiyskiy Stadium, Kyiv

Attendance: 3.284^[9]

Referee: Mattias Gestranius (Finland)

25 February 2021

21:00

Club Brugge Belgium 0 - 1**Ukraine** Dynamo Kyiv

> Buyalskyi Goal 83' Report

Jan Breydel Stadium, Bruges

Attendance: 0^{[10][note 2]}

Referee: Srđan Jovanović (Serbia)

Dynamo Kyiv won 2-1 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

18:55

Real Sociedad Spain 0-4**England Manchester**

United

Report

Fernandes Goal 27', 57' Rashford Goal 65' James Goal 90'

Juventus Stadium, Turin (Italy)[note 4]

Attendance: 0^{[12][note 2]}

Referee: Sandro Schärer (Switzerland)

25 February 2021 21:00 (20:00 GMT)

Manchester United **England**

0-0

Spain Real Sociedad

Report

Old Trafford, Manchester Attendance: 0^{[13][note 2]}

Referee: Lawrence Visser (Belgium)

Manchester United won 4-0 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

21:00

Benfica Portugal 1-1 England Arsenal

Pizzi Goal 55' (pen.) Report Saka Goal 57'

Stadio Olimpico, Rome (Italy)[note 5]

Attendance: 0^{[15][note 2]}

Referee: Cüneyt Cakır (Turkey)

25 February 2021 18:55 (19:55 EET)

Arsenal England
Aubameyang Goal 21', 87'
Tierney Goal 67'

Aubameyang Goal 67'

Report
Gonçalves Goal 43'
Silva Goal 61'

Karaiskakis Stadium, Piraeus (Greece)[note 5]

Attendance: 0^{[16][note 2]}

Referee: Björn Kuipers (Netherlands)

Arsenal won 4-3 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

18:55

Red Star Belgrade Serbia 2-2 **Italy Milan**

> Kanga Goal 52' (pen.) Pankov Goal 42' (o.g.) Report Pavkov Goal 90+3' Hernandez Goal 61' (pen.)

Red Star Stadium, Belgrade Attendance: 0^{[17][note 2]}

Referee: Anastasios Sidiropoulos (Greece)

25 February 2021

21:00

Milan Italy 1-1 **Serbia** Red Star Belgrade

Kessié Goal 9' (pen.) Ben Goal 24' Report

San Siro, Milan

Attendance: 0^{[18][note 2]}

Referee: <u>Jesús Gil Manzano</u> (Spain)

3-3 on aggregate. Milan won on away goals.

18 February 2021

21:00

Antwerp Belgium 3-4 **Scotland Rangers** Report

Avenatti Goal 45' Refaelov Goal 45+8' (pen.)

Hongla Goal 67'

Aribo Goal 39' Barišić Goal 59' (pen.), 90' (pen.) Kent Goal 83'

Bosuilstadion, Antwerp Attendance: 0^{[19][note 2]}

Referee: Georgi Kabakov (Bulgaria)

25 February 2021 18:55 (17:55 GMT)

> 5-2 Rangers Scotland **Belgium** Antwerp

Morelos Goal 91 Patterson Goal 46' Kent Goal 55' Barišić Goal 79' (pen.) Itten Goal 90+2' (pen.) Report Refaelov Goal 32' Lamkel Zé Goal 57'

Ibrox Stadium, Glasgow

Attendance: 0^{[20][note 2]}

Referee: Paweł Raczkowski (Poland)

Rangers won 9-5 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

18:55

Slavia Prague Czech 0-0**England Leicester City** Republic

Report

Sinobo Stadium, Prague

Attendance: 600^[21]

Referee: Marco Guida (Italy)

25 February 2021 21:00 (20:00 GMT)

Leicester City England 0-2 Czech Republic Slavia

Prague

Report Provod Goal 49'
Sima Goal 79'

King Power Stadium, Leicester

Attendance: 0^{[22][note 2]}

Referee: Serdar Gözübüyük (Netherlands)

Slavia Prague won 2-0 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

21:00

Red Bull Salzburg Austria 0-2 Spain Villarreal

Report Alcácer Goal 41' Niño Goal 71'

Stadion Wals-Siezenheim, Wals-Siezenheim

Attendance: 0^{[23][note 2]}

Referee: Andris Treimanis (Latvia)

25 February 2021

18:55

Villarreal Spain 2-1 Austria Red Bull Salzburg

Gerard Goal 40', 89' (pen.) Report Berisha Goal 17'

Estadio de la Cerámica, Villarreal

Attendance: 0^{[24][note 2]}

Referee: Felix Zwayer (Germany)

Villarreal won 4-1 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

18:55 (17:55 WET)

Braga Portugal 0-2 Italy Roma

Report Džeko Goal 5'
Mayoral Goal 86'

Estádio Municipal, Braga Attendance: 0^{[25][note 2]}

Referee: István Kovács (Romania)

25 February 2021

21:00

Roma <u>Italy</u>

3-1 Report **Portugal** Braga

Cristante Goal 88' (o.g.)

Džeko Goal 24' Pérez Goal 75'

Mayoral Goal 90+1'

Stadio Olimpico, Rome

Attendance: $0^{[26][note\ 2]}$

Referee: Andreas Ekberg (Sweden)

Roma won 5-1 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

18:55 (20:55 MSK)

2-3 Krasnodar Russia Croatia Dinamo Zagreb

Berg Goal 28' Claesson Goal 69' Report

Petković Goal 15', 54' Atiemwen Goal 75'

Krasnodar Stadium, Krasnodar

Attendance: 9,897^[27]

Referee: Bartosz Frankowski (Poland)

25 February 2021

21:00

1-0 Russia Krasnodar Dinamo Zagreb Croatia

> Oršić Goal 31' Report

Stadion Maksimir, Zagreb

Attendance: 0^{[28][note 2]}

Referee: Halil Umut Meler (Turkey)

Dinamo Zagreb won 4-2 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

18:55

Young Boys Switzerland 4-3 **Germany Bayer** Leverkusen

> Fassnacht Goal 3' Siebatcheu Goal 19', 89' Elia Goal 44'

Report

Schick Goal 49', 52' Diaby Goal 68'

Stadion Wankdorf, Bern

Attendance: 0^{[29][note 2]}

Referee: Antonio Mateu Lahoz (Spain)

25 February 2021

21:00

Bayer Leverkusen 0-2**Switzerland Young Boys**

Germany

Report

Report

Siebatcheu Goal 48' Fassnacht Goal 86'

BayArena, Leverkusen Attendance: 0^{[30][note 2]}

Referee: Davide Massa (Italy)

Young Boys won 6-3 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

21:00

3-3 **Germany 1899 Hoffenhein Molde Norway**

Ellingsen Goal 41' Andersen Goal 70' Fofana Goal 74' Dabbur Goal 8', 28' Baumgartner Goal 45+3'

Estadio de la Cerámica, Villarreal (Spain)[note 6]

Attendance: 0^{[32][note 2]}

Referee: Stéphanie Frappart (France)

25 February 2021

18:55

1899 Hoffenheim Germany 0-2**Norway Molde**

> Report Andersen Goal 20', 90+5'

Rhein-Neckar-Arena, Sinsheim

Attendance: 0^{[33][note 2]}

Referee: Aleksei Kulbakov (Belarus)

Molde won 5-3 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

21:00

Granada Spain 2-0 **Italy Napoli**

Herrera Goal 19' Kenedy Goal 21'

Report

Nuevo Los Cármenes, Granada

Attendance: 0^{[34][note 2]}

Referee: Sergei Karasev (Russia)

25 February 2021

18:55

Napoli <u>Italy</u> 2-1 **Spain** Granada Montoro Goal 25'

Zieliński Goal 31 Report Fabián Goal 59'

Stadio San Paolo, Naples

Attendance: 0^{[35][note 2]}

Referee: <u>Daniel Siebert</u> (<u>Germany</u>)

18 February 2021 21:00 (22:00 IST)

Maccabi Tel Aviv Israel 0-2 Ukraine Shakhtar Donetsl

Report Patrick Goal 31'
Tetê Goal 90+3'

Bloomfield Stadium, Tel Aviv

Attendance: 0^{[36][note 2]}

Referee: François Letexier (France)

25 February 2021 18:55 (19:55 EET)

Shakhtar Donetsk <u>Ukraine</u> 1-0 <u>Israel</u> Maccabi Tel Aviv

Moraes Goal 67' (pen.) Report

NSC Olimpiyskiy Stadium, Kyiv^[note 7]

Attendance: 10,217^[37]

Referee: José María Sánchez Martínez (Spain)

Shakhtar Donetsk won 3-0 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

21:00

<u>Lille France</u> 1-2 <u>Netherlands Ajax</u>

Weah Goal 72'
Report
Tadić Goal 87' (pen.)
Brobbey Goal 89'

Stade Pierre-Mauroy, Villeneuve-d'Ascq

Attendance: 0^{[38][note 2]}

Referee: Ivan Kružliak (Slovakia)

25 February 2021

18:55

Ajax Netherlands 2-1 France Lille

Klaassen Goal 15' Report Yazıcı Goal 78' (pen.) Neres Goal 88'

Johan Cruyff Arena, Amsterdam

Attendance: 0^{[39][note 2]}

Referee: Willie Collum (Scotland)

Ajax won 4-2 on aggregate.

18 February 2021

18:55 (19:55 **EET**)

Olympiacos Greece 4-2 Netherlands PSV

Eindhoven

Bouchalakis Goal 9' Report Zahavi Goal 14', 40'

M'Vila Goal 37' El-Arabi Goal 45+2' Masouras Goal 83'

Karaiskakis Stadium, Piraeus

Attendance: $0^{[40][note 2]}$

Referee: Andreas Ekberg (Sweden)

25 February 2021

21:00

PSV Eindhoven 2-1 **Greece** Olympiacos **Netherlands** Zahavi Goal 23', 44' Hassan Goal 88'

Report

Philips Stadion, Eindhoven Attendance: 0^{[41][note 2]}

Referee: <u>Clément Turpin</u> (<u>France</u>)

Olympiacos won 5-4 on aggregate.

Round of 16

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The draw for the round of 16 was held on 26 February 2021, 13:00 CET. [42]

Summary

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The first legs were played on 11 March, and the second legs will be played

Team 1	Agg.	Team 2		2nd leg	Ajax Netherlands	Switzerland Young Boys	3- 18 0 Mar
<u>Dynamo Kyiv</u> <u>Ukraine</u>	2	<u>Spain</u> Villarreal	<u>0-2</u>	<u>18</u> Mar			
Roma Italy	3	Ukraine Shakhtar Donetsk	3-0	<u>18</u> Mar			
Olympiacos Greece	4	England Arsenal	<u>1-3</u>	18 Mar			
<u>Tottenham</u> <u>Hotspur</u> <u>England</u>	5 ^[A]	Croatia Dinamo Zagreb	<u>2-0</u>	18 Mar			
Manchester <u>United</u> <u>England</u>	6	Italy Milan	1-1	18 Mar			
Slavia Prague Czech Republic	7	Scotland Rangers	1-1	<u>18</u> Mar			

Granada 8 Norway 2-0 18 Spain 8 Molde 2-0 Mar

Notes

A. ↑ Order of legs between Tottenham Hotspur and Dinamo Zagreb were reversed after original draw, in order to avoid a scheduling conflict with the Arsenal v Olympiacos second leg in the same city on 18 March, as Arsenal were the domestic cup winners and given higher priority over Tottenham Hotspur. [43][44]

Matches

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11 March 2021

18:55

Ajax Netherlands 3-0 Switzerland Young Boys

Report

Klaassen Goal 62'
Tadić Goal 82'
Brobbey Goal 90+2'

Johan Cruvff Arena, Amsterdam

Attendance: 0^{[45][note 2]}
Referee: Marco Guida (Italy)

18 March 2021

21:00

Young Boys Switzerland v Netherlands Ajax

Report

Stadion Wankdorf, Bern

11 March 2021 18:55 (19:55 EET)

Dynamo Kyiv Ukraine 0-2 Spain Villarreal

Report Torres Goal 30'
Albiol Goal 52'

NSC Olimpiyskiy Stadium, Kyiv

Attendance: 12,751^[46]

Referee: Michael Oliver (England)

18 March 2021

21:00

Villarreal Spain v <u>Ukraine</u> Dynamo Kyiv

Report

Estadio de la Cerámica, Villarreal

11 March 2021

21:00

Roma Italy 3-0 **Ukraine Shakhtar Donetsl** Pellegrini Goal 23' Report El Shaarawy Goal 73' Mancini Goal 77' Stadio Olimpico, Rome Attendance: 0^{[47][note 2]} Referee: Artur Soares Dias (Portugal) 18 March 2021 18:55 (19:55 **EET**) **Shakhtar Donetsk Ukraine Italy** Roma \mathbf{v} Report NSC Olimpiyskiy Stadium, Kyiv [note 7] 11 March 2021 21:00 (22:00 EET) **Olympiacos Greece** 1-3 **England Arsenal** El-Arabi Goal 581 Ødegaard Goal 34' Report Gabriel Goal 80' Elneny Goal 85' Karaiskakis Stadium, Piraeus Attendance: 0^{[48][note 2]} Referee: Daniel Siebert (Germany) 18 March 2021 18:55 (17:55 GMT) **Arsenal England Greece** Olympiacos \mathbf{v} Report Emirates Stadium, London 11 March 2021 21:00 (20:00 GMT) **Tottenham Hotspur** 2-0 **Croatia Dinamo Zagreb England** Kane Goal 25', 70' Report Tottenham Hotspur Stadium, London Attendance: $0^{[49][note 2]}$ Referee: Serdar Gözübüyük (Netherlands) 18 March 2021 18:55 Dinamo Zagreb Croatia **England Tottenham** \mathbf{v} Hotspur Report Stadion Maksimir, Zagreb

11 March 2021 18:55 (17:55 GMT)

Manchester United 1-1 Italy Milan

England

<u>Diallo</u> Goal 50' <u>Report</u> <u>Kjær</u> Goal 90+2'

Old Trafford, Manchester Attendance: 0^{[50][note 2]}

Referee: Slavko Vinčić (Slovenia)

18 March 2021

21:00

Milan <u>Italy</u> v <u>England</u> Manchester

United

Report

San Siro, Milan

11 March 2021

18:55

Slavia Prague Czech 1-1 Scotland Rangers

Republic

Stanciu Goal 7' Report Helander Goal 36'

Sinobo Stadium, Prague

Attendance: 300^[51]

Referee: Ovidiu Hațegan (Romania)

18 March 2021 21:00 (20:00 GMT)

Rangers Scotland v Czech Republic Slavia

Prague

Report

Ibrox Stadium, Glasgow

11 March 2021

21:00

Granada Spain 2-0 **Norway Molde**

Molina Goal 26' Report

Soldado Goal 76'

Nuevo Los Cármenes, Granada

Attendance: 0^{[52][note 2]}

Referee: Paweł Raczkowski (Poland)

18 March 2021

18:55

Molde Norway v Spain Granada

Report

Quarter-finals

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The draw for the quarter-finals will be held on 19 March 2021, 13:00 CET.

Semi-finals

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The draw for the semi-finals will be held on 19 March 2021, 13:00 CET, aft

Final

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See the main article: 2021 UEFA Europa League Final

The final will be played on 26 May 2021 at the <u>Stadion Miejski</u> in <u>Gdańsk</u>. A draw will be held on 19 March 2021, after the quarter-final and semi-final draws, to determine the "home" team for administrative purposes. [54]

Notes

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- 1. ↑ The Wolfsberger AC v Tottenham Hotspur match, originally to be played at Wörthersee Stadion, Klagenfurt, instead of Wolfsberger AC regular stadium Lavanttal-Arena, Wolfsberg, was moved to Puskás Aréna, Budapest (Hungary), due to travel restrictions related to the COVID-19 pandemic from the United Kingdom to Austria. [4][5]
- 2. \uparrow 2.00 2.01 2.02 2.03 2.04 2.05 2.06 2.07 2.08 2.09 2.10 2.11 2.12 2.13 2.14 2.15 2.16 2.17 2.18 2.19 2.20 2.21 2.22 2.23 2.24 2.25 2.26 2.27 2.28 2.29 2.30 $\stackrel{2.31}{=}$ 2.32 2.33 Due to the COVID-19 pandemic in Europe, the match was played behind closed doors.
- 3. 1 The Dynamo Kyiv v Club Brugge match, originally scheduled at 18:55 CET (19:55 EET), was moved to 16:00 CET (17:00 EET), due to the very cold temperatures. [8]
- 4.

 1 The Real Sociedad v Manchester United match, originally to be played at Anoeta Stadium, San Sebastián, was moved to Juventus Stadium, Turin (Italy), due to travel restrictions related to the COVID-19 pandemic from the United Kingdom to Spain. [4][11]
- 5. ↑ 5.0 5.1 The Benfica v Arsenal tie, originally to be played at Estádio da Luz, Lisbon, and at Emirates Stadium, London, was moved to Stadio Olimpico, Rome (Italy), and Karaiskakis Stadium, Piraeus (Greece), due

- to <u>travel restrictions related to the COVID-19 pandemic</u> between Portugal and the United Kingdom. [4][11][14]
- 6. ↑ The Molde v 1899 Hoffenheim match, originally to be played at Aker Stadion, Molde, was moved to Estadio de la Cerámica, Villarreal (Spain), due to the quarantine restrictions in response to the COVID-19 pandemic in Norway. [4][31]
- 7. ↑ 7.0 7.1 Shakhtar Donetsk play their home matches at NSC Olimpiyskiy Stadium, Kyiv, instead of their regular stadium Donbas Arena, Donetsk, due to the war conditions in Eastern Ukraine.
- 8. 1 The Molde v Granada match will be played at Puskás Aréna, Budapest (Hungary), due to the quarantine restrictions in response to the COVID-19 pandemic in Norway. [53]

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