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Previous meetings

Head to Head

FIFA World Cup

Date	Stage reached	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
29/08/1937	QR (GS)	Germany - Estonia	4-1	Konigsberg	Lehner 51, 65, Gauchel 52, 86; Siimenson 34

	Qualifying								Final tournament				Total					
	Home				Away													
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
EURO																		
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FIFA*																		
Germany	1	1	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	0	4	1
Estonia	-	-	-	-	1	0	0	1	-	-	-	-	1	0	0	1	1	4
Friendlies																		
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	0	0	7	0
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	0	0	2	0	7
Total																		
Germany	1	1	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	0	0	11	1
Estonia	-	-	-	-	1	0	0	1	-	-	-	-	3	0	0	3	1	11

* FIFA World Cup/FIFA Confederations Cup

Squad list

Germany

No.	Player	DoB	Age	Club	D	Current season				Overall	
						Qual.		FT		Team	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers											
-	Manuel Neuer	27/03/1986	33	Bayern	-	2	0	0	0	83	-
-	Kevin Trapp	08/07/1990	28	Frankfurt	-	0	0	0	0	3	-
-	Sven Ulreich	03/08/1988	30	Bayern	-	0	0	0	0	-	-
Defenders											
-	Nico Schulz	01/04/1993	26	Hoffenheim	-	2	1	0	0	5	2
-	Niklas Süle	03/09/1995	23	Bayern	-	2	0	0	0	17	1
-	Niklas Stark	14/04/1995	24	Hertha	-	0	0	0	0	-	-
-	Jonathan Tah	11/02/1996	23	Leverkusen	-	1	0	0	0	6	-
-	Thilo Kehrer	21/09/1996	22	Paris	-	1	0	0	0	4	-
-	Matthias Ginter	19/01/1994	25	Mönchengladbach	-	2	0	0	0	22	-
-	Marcel Halstenberg	27/09/1991	27	Leipzig	-	0	0	0	0	2	-
-	Lukas Klostermann	03/06/1996	23	Leipzig	-	1	0	0	0	2	-
-	Jonas Hector	27/05/1990	29	Köln	-	0	0	0	0	41	3
Midfielders											
-	İlkay Gündoğan	24/10/1990	28	Man. City	-	2	0	0	0	31	4
-	Marco Reus	31/05/1989	30	Dortmund	-	2	1	0	0	38	11
-	Julian Draxler	20/09/1993	25	Paris	-	1	0	0	0	48	6
-	Leon Goretzka	06/02/1995	24	Bayern	-	2	0	0	0	20	7
-	Julian Brandt	02/05/1996	23	Leverkusen	-	1	0	0	0	23	2
-	Leroy Sané	11/01/1996	23	Man. City	-	2	2	0	0	16	3
-	Joshua Kimmich	08/02/1995	24	Bayern	-	2	0	0	0	37	3
-	Kai Havertz	11/06/1999	20	Leverkusen	-	0	0	0	0	3	-
Forwards											
-	Serge Gnabry	14/07/1995	23	Bayern	-	2	1	0	0	5	5
-	Timo Werner	06/03/1996	23	Leipzig	-	0	0	0	0	19	8
Coach											
-	Marcus Sorg	24/12/1965	53		-	1	0	0	0	1	-

Estonia

No.	Player	DoB	Age	Club	D	Current season				Overall	
						Qual.		FT		Team	
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls
Goalkeepers											
-	Mihkel Aksalu	07/11/1984	34	SJK	-	0	0	0	0	40	-
-	Sergei Lepmets	05/04/1987	32	Levadia	-	2	0	0	0	2	-
-	Marko Meerits	26/04/1992	27	Trans	-	0	0	0	0	9	-
Defenders											
-	Gert Kams	25/05/1985	34	Flora	-	2	0	0	0	52	1
-	Ken Kallaste	31/08/1988	30	Korona	-	0	0	0	0	38	-
-	Joonas Tamm	02/02/1992	27	Korona	-	2	0	0	0	17	3
-	Artur Pikk	05/03/1993	26	Miedz	-	2	0	0	0	27	1
-	Karol Mets	16/05/1993	26	AIK	-	2	0	0	0	49	-
-	Märten Kuusk	05/04/1996	23	Flora	-	0	0	0	0	-	-
-	Madis Vihmann	05/10/1995	23	Stabæk	-	2	0	0	0	7	-
-	Vlasiy Sinyavskiy	27/11/1996	22	Flora	-	1	0	0	0	1	-
-	Vladislav Kreida	25/09/1999	19	Flora	-	0	0	0	0	-	-
Midfielders											
-	Konstantin Vassiljev	16/08/1984	34	Flora	-	2	1	0	0	105	25
-	Sander Puri	07/05/1988	31	Kalju	-	0	0	0	0	67	4
-	Taijo Teniste	31/01/1988	31	Brann	-	1	0	0	0	64	-
-	Artjom Dmitrijev	14/11/1988	30	Okzhetpes	-	2	0	0	0	13	-
-	Henrik Ojamaa	20/05/1991	28	Miedz	-	1	0	0	0	29	-
-	Rauno Sappinen	23/01/1996	23	Den Bosch	-	2	0	0	0	15	2
-	Mattias Käit	29/06/1998	20	Fulham	-	2	0	0	0	16	4
-	Martin Miller	25/09/1997	21	Flora	-	0	0	0	0	4	-
Forwards											
-	Sergei Zenjov	20/04/1989	30	Shakhter	-	2	0	0	0	70	13
-	Mark Oliver Roosnupp	12/05/1997	22	Levadia	-	0	0	0	0	1	-
-	Erik Sorga	08/07/1999	19	Flora	-	1	0	0	0	1	-
Coach											
-	Martin Reim	14/05/1971	48		-	2	0	0	0	21	-

Head coach

Joachim Löw

Date of birth: 3 February 1960

Nationality: German

Playing career: Freiburg (three times), Stuttgart, Eintracht Frankfurt, Karlsruhe, Schaffhausen, Winterthur, Frauenfeld

Coaching career: Winterthur (youth), Frauenfeld, Stuttgart, Fenerbahçe, Karlsruhe, Adanaspor, Tirol Innsbruck, 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 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 steered the Nationalmannschaft to a third-place finish on home soil at the 2006 FIFA World Cup.
- Replaced Klinsmann as head coach, taking the side to the UEFA EURO 2008 final and third place at the 2010 World Cup. They also reached the last four of UEFA EURO 2012, before qualifying unbeaten for the 2014 global finals. The real glory was to follow in Brazil, Löw leading the team to their fourth world title with a 1-0 final defeat of Argentina.
- Germany were unable to add the European title to their world crown, losing to hosts France in the UEFA EURO 2016 semi-finals. Löw led the team to a 2017 FIFA Confederations Cup triumph in Russia but a year later, in the same country, the holders' World Cup defence ended unexpectedly in the group stage.

Martin Reim

Date of birth: 14 May 1971

Nationality: Estonian

Playing career: Tallinna Lõvid, Tallinna Sport, Norma Tallinn, Flora (twice), Lelle, KTP Kotka, Tervis Pärnu, Viimsi

Coaching career: Flora, Estonia U18, Estonia U21, Estonia U23, Estonia

- Reim was a defensive midfielder whose international career spanned 17 years after his debut for the newly-independent nation in June 1992 against Slovenia, a 1-1 draw. He won his 157th cap (then a European record) in June 2009, six months after ending club career.
- Took first steps in the game alongside goalkeeper Mart Poom. Began career in Soviet Estonia's top division aged 16, finishing top scorer in 1990 while playing for Norma.
- Spent bulk of his club career (a combined 16 years) in two stints at Flora, retiring with seven titles and three Estonian Cups to his name. He also reached the Finnish Cup final during his only overseas spell, 18 months at KTP Kotka.
- Returned to Flora as head coach in December 2009, having served as assistant to Janno Kivisild in the latter part of his playing career; won the Estonian title in 2010 and 2011. Also lifted the Estonian Cup in 2011, but left in October 2012 and established a football academy in Tallinn.
- Subsequently coached Estonia at various levels – youth, U21s and U23s – with some success. Was named successor to Magnus Pehrsson as senior Estonia coach on 14 September 2016 in the wake of a 5-0 defeat away to Bosnia and Herzegovina in the first match of 2018 FIFA World Cup qualifying and, though Estonia ultimately finished fourth in their section, did oversee a famous friendly 3-0 win against Croatia in March 2017.

Match officials

Referee	Ali Palabıyık (TUR)
Assistant referees	Kemal Yılmaz (TUR) , Serkan Olguncan (TUR)
Fourth official	Halil Umut Meler (TUR)
UEFA Delegate	Clive Whitehead (ENG)
UEFA Referee observer	Darko Čeferin (SVN)

Referee

Name	Date of birth	UEFA EURO matches	UEFA matches
Ali Palabıyık	14/08/1981	0	31

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

No such matches refereed

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

Date	Competition	Stage reached	Home	Away	Result	Venue
09/07/2017	U19	GS-FT	England	Germany	4-1	Tbilisi

Match-by-match lineups

Germany

European Qualifiers

(24/03/2019)

Netherlands 2-3 Germany

Goals: 0-1 Sané 15, 0-2 Gnabry 34, 1-2 De Ligt 48, 2-2 Depay 63, 2-3 Schulz 90

Germany: Neuer, Kehrer, Ginter, Kimmich, Kroos, Schulz, Süle, Rüdiger, Goretzka (70 Gündoğan), Sané, Gnabry (88 Reus)

(08/06/2019)

Belarus 0-2 Germany

Goals: 0-1 Sané 13, 0-2 Reus 62

Germany: Neuer, Ginter, Tah, Kimmich, Reus (76 Brandt), Klostermann, Schulz, Süle, Sané, Gnabry (71 Draxler), Gündoğan (81 Goretzka)

(11/06/2019)

Germany-Estonia

(06/09/2019)

Germany-Netherlands

(09/09/2019)

Northern Ireland-Germany

(13/10/2019)

Estonia-Germany

(16/11/2019)

Germany-Belarus

(19/11/2019)

Germany-Northern Ireland

Estonia

European Qualifiers

(21/03/2019)

Northern Ireland 2-0 Estonia

Goals: 1-0 McGinn 56, 2-0 S. Davis 75 (P)

Estonia: Lepmets, Kams, Pikk, Käit, Henri Anier (76 Zenjov), Ojamaa (68 Vassiljev), Vihmann, Tamm, Mets, Dmitrijev (85 Sappinen), Baranov

(08/06/2019)

Estonia 1-2 Northern Ireland

Goals: 1-0 Vassiljev 25, 1-1 Washington 77, 1-2 Magennis 80

Estonia: Lepmets, Pikk, Käit (85 Tamm), Vihmann, Sinyavskiy, Zenjov, Vassiljev, Sappinen (61 Sorga), Mets, Dmitrijev, Teniste (85 Kams)

(11/06/2019)

Germany-Estonia

(06/09/2019)

Estonia-Belarus

(09/09/2019)

Estonia-Netherlands

(10/10/2019)

Belarus-Estonia

(13/10/2019)

Estonia-Germany

(19/11/2019)

Netherlands-Estonia

Team facts

UEFA European Championship records: Estonia

History

2016 – did not qualify
2012 – did not qualify
2008 – did not qualify
2004 – did not qualify
2000 – did not qualify
1996 – did not qualify

Qualifying win

5-0: Estonia v Faroe Islands, 04/06/98

Qualifying defeat

7-1: Croatia v Estonia, 03/09/95

Overall appearances

35: Mart Poom
33: Ragnar Klavan
32: Enar Jääger
28: Dmitri Kruglov
27: Raio Piiroja
27: Martin Reim
26: Joel Lindpere
25: Marko Kristal
25: Aleksandr Dmitrijev
24: Andres Oper
24: Konstantin Vassiljev

Overall goals

7: Konstantin Vassiljev
5: Martin Reim
4: Andres Oper
4: Raio Piiroja
4: Sergei Zenjov

Legend

:: Previous meetings

Goals for/against: Goal totals include the outcome of disciplinary decisions (e.g. match forfeits when a 3-0 result is determined). Goals totals do not include goals scored during a penalty shoot-out after a tie ended in a draw

:: Squad list

Qual.: Total European Qualifiers appearances/goals for UEFA EURO 2020 only.

FT: Total UEFA EURO 2020 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

D: Disciplinary (*: misses next match if booked, S: suspended)

:: Team facts

EURO finals: The UEFA European Championship was a four-team event in 1960, 1964, 1968, 1972 and 1976 (when the preliminary round and quarter-finals were considered part of qualifying).

From 1980 it was expanded to an eight-team finals and remained in that format in 1984, 1988 and 1992 until 1996, when the 16-team format was adopted. UEFA EURO 2016 was the first tournament to be played as a 24-team finals.

Records of inactive countries

A number of UEFA associations have been affected by dissolution or splits of member associations. For statistical purposes, the records of these inactive countries have been allocated elsewhere: therefore, all Soviet Union matches are awarded to Russia; all West Germany – but not East Germany – matches are awarded to Germany; all Yugoslavia and Serbia & Montenegro matches are awarded to Serbia; all Czechoslovakia matches are allocated to both the Czech Republic and Slovakia.

Abandoned/forfeited matches

For statistical purposes, when a match has been started and then abandoned but later forfeited, the result on the pitch at the time of abandonment is counted. Matches that never started and were either cancelled or forfeited are not included in the overall statistics.

Competitions

Other abbreviations

(aet): After extra time

No.: Number

ag: Match decided on away goals

agg: Aggregate

AP: Appearances

Comp.: Competition

D: Drawn

DoB: Date of birth

ET: Extra Time

GA: Goals against

GF: Goals for

gg: Match decided by golden goal

L: Lost

Nat.: Nationality

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pens: Penalties

og: Own goal

P: Penalty

Pld: Matches played

Pos.: Position

Pts: Points

R: Sent off (straight red card)

Res.: Result

sg: Match decided by silver goal

t: Match decided by toss of a coin

W: Won

Y: Booked

Y/R: Sent off (two yellow cards)

N/A: Not applicable