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**Portugal**

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**Luxembourg**

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## EUROPEAN QUALIFIERS OFFICIAL SPONSORS



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## Previous meetings

### Head to Head

#### FIFA World Cup

Date	Stage reached	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
15/10/2013	QR (GS)	<b>Portugal</b> - Luxembourg	3-0	Coimbra	Varela 30, Nani 37, Hélder Postiga 79
07/09/2012	QR (GS)	Luxembourg - <b>Portugal</b>	1-2	Luxembourg	Da Mota 14; Ronaldo 27, Hélder Postiga 54

#### FIFA World Cup

Date	Stage reached	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
03/09/2005	QR (GS)	<b>Portugal</b> - Luxembourg	6-0	Faro-Loulé	Jorge Andrade 24, Ricardo Carvalho 30, Pauleta 38, 57, Simão 80, 85
17/11/2004	QR (GS)	Luxembourg - <b>Portugal</b>	0-5	Luxembourg	Federspiel 11 (og), Ronaldo 27, Maniche 51, Pauleta 66, 83

#### FIFA World Cup

Date	Stage reached	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
11/10/1989	QR (GS)	Luxembourg - <b>Portugal</b>	0-3	Saarbrücken	Rui Águas 43, 51, Barros 72
16/11/1988	QR (GS)	<b>Portugal</b> - Luxembourg	1-0	Porto	Fernando Gomes 31

#### FIFA World Cup

Date	Stage reached	Match	Result	Venue	Goalscorers
08/10/1961	QR (GS)	<b>Luxembourg</b> - Portugal	4-2	Luxembourg	Schmit 27, 53, 56, 84; Eusébio 82, Yauca 89
19/03/1961	QR (GS)	<b>Portugal</b> - Luxembourg	6-0	Lisbon	Águas 32, Yauca 49, 53, 61, Brosius 83 (og), Coluna 85

	Qualifying								Final tournament				Total					
	Home				Away													
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
<b>EURO</b>																		
Portugal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>FIFA*</b>																		
Portugal	4	4	0	0	4	3	0	1	-	-	-	-	8	7	0	1	28	5
Luxembourg	4	1	0	3	4	0	0	4	-	-	-	-	8	1	0	7	5	28
<b>Friendlies</b>																		
Portugal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	6	1	0	18	2

	Qualifying								Final tournament				Total					
	Home				Away													
	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	0	1	6	2	18
<b>Total</b>																		
Portugal	4	4	0	0	4	3	0	1	-	-	-	-	15	13	1	1	46	7
Luxembourg	4	1	0	3	4	0	0	4	-	-	-	-	15	1	1	13	7	46

\* FIFA World Cup/FIFA Confederations Cup

# Squad list

## Portugal

No.	Player	DoB	Age	Club	D	Current season					
						Qual.		FT			
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls		
<b>Goalkeepers</b>											
-	<b>Beto</b>	01/05/1982	37	Göztepe Izmir	-	0	0	0	0		
-	<b>Rui Patrício</b>	15/02/1988	31	Wolves	-	4	0	0	0		
-	<b>José Sá</b>	17/01/1993	26	Olympiacos	-	0	0	0	0		
<b>Defenders</b>											
-	<b>Pepe</b>	26/02/1983	36	Porto	-	2	0	0	0		
-	<b>José Fonte</b>	22/12/1983	35	LOSC	-	2	0	0	0		
-	<b>Rúben Dias</b>	14/05/1997	22	Benfica	-	4	0	0	0		
-	<b>Ricardo</b>	06/10/1993	26	Leicester	-	0	0	0	0		
-	<b>Raphaël Guerreiro</b>	22/12/1993	25	Dortmund	-	4	0	0	0		
-	<b>Nélson Semedo</b>	16/11/1993	25	Barcelona	-	1	0	0	0		
-	<b>Rúben Semedo</b>	04/04/1994	25	Olympiacos	-	0	0	0	0		
<b>Midfielders</b>											
-	<b>João Moutinho</b>	08/09/1986	33	Wolves	-	2	0	0	0		
-	<b>João Mário</b>	19/01/1993	26	Lokomotiv Moskva	-	1	0	0	0		
-	<b>Danilo</b>	09/09/1991	28	Porto	-	2	1	0	0		
-	<b>André Gomes</b>	30/07/1993	26	Everton	-	0	0	0	0		
-	<b>Gonçalo Guedes</b>	29/11/1996	22	Valencia	-	3	1	0	0		
-	<b>Rúben Neves</b>	13/03/1997	22	Wolves	-	2	0	0	0		
-	<b>Bernardo Silva</b>	10/08/1994	25	Man. City	-	4	1	0	0		
-	<b>Pizzi</b>	06/10/1989	30	Benfica	-	2	0	0	0		
-	<b>Bruno Fernandes</b>	08/09/1994	25	Sporting CP	-	2	0	0	0		
<b>Forwards</b>											
-	<b>Cristiano Ronaldo</b>	05/02/1985	34	Juventus	-	4	5	0	0		
-	<b>Bruma</b>	24/10/1994	24	PSV	-	0	0	0	0		
-	<b>André Silva</b>	06/11/1995	23	Frankfurt	-	2	0	0	0		
-	<b>João Félix</b>	10/11/1999	19	Atlético	-	2	0	0	0		
<b>Coach</b>											
-	<b>Fernando Santos</b>	10/10/1954	65		-	4	0	0	0		

## Luxembourg

No.	Player	DoB	Age	Club	D	Current season					
						Qual.		FT			
						Pld	Gls	Pld	Gls		
<b>Goalkeepers</b>											
-	Anthony <b>Moris</b>	29/04/1990	29	Virton	-	5	0	0	0		
-	Emanuel <b>Cabral</b>	02/08/1996	23	Fola	-	0	0	0	0		
-	Ralph <b>Schon</b>	20/01/1990	29	UNA Strassen	-	0	0	0	0		
<b>Defenders</b>											
-	Kevin <b>Malget</b>	15/01/1991	28	Virton	*	2	0	0	0		
-	Laurent <b>Jans</b>	05/08/1992	27	Paderborn	-	5	0	0	0		
-	Marvin <b>Martins</b>	17/02/1995	24	Karpaty	-	1	0	0	0		
-	Maxime <b>Chanot</b>	21/11/1989	29	New York City	-	4	0	0	0		
-	Tim <b>Hall</b>	15/04/1997	22	Karpaty	-	0	0	0	0		
-	Dirk <b>Carlson</b>	01/04/1998	21	Karlsruhe	-	4	0	0	0		
-	Vahid <b>Selimović</b>	03/04/1997	22	Apollon	-	1	0	0	0		
<b>Midfielders</b>											
-	Lars <b>Gerson</b>	05/02/1990	29	Norrköping	-	4	0	0	0		
-	Chris <b>Philipps</b>	08/03/1994	25	Legia	-	0	0	0	0		
-	Florian <b>Bohnert</b>	09/11/1997	21	Mainz	-	0	0	0	0		
-	Aldin <b>Skenderovic</b>	28/06/1997	22	Progrès	-	0	0	0	0		
-	Olivier <b>Thill</b>	17/12/1996	22	Ufa	*	5	0	0	0		
-	Danel <b>Sinani</b>	05/04/1997	22	Dudelange	-	3	0	0	0		
-	Leandro <b>Barreiro Martins</b>	03/01/2000	19	Mainz	*	5	1	0	0		
-	Vincent <b>Thill</b>	04/02/2000	19	Orleans	-	5	0	0	0		
<b>Forwards</b>											
-	Daniel <b>Da Mota</b>	11/09/1985	34	Racing Union	-	3	0	0	0		
-	Stefano <b>Bensi</b>	11/08/1988	31	Fola	-	4	0	0	0		
-	Dave <b>Turpel</b>	19/10/1992	26	Virton	-	5	2	0	0		
-	Gerson <b>Rodrigues</b>	20/06/1995	24	Dynamo Kyiv	-	5	2	0	0		
-	Alessio <b>Curci</b>	16/02/2002	17	Mainz	-	0	0	0	0		
<b>Coach</b>											
-	Luc Holtz	14/06/1969	50		-	5	0	0	0		

## Head coach

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### Fernando Santos

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**Date of birth:** 10 October 1954

**Nationality:** Portuguese

**Playing career:** Benfica, Estoril (twice), Marítimo

**Coaching career:** Estoril, Estrela da Amadora, Porto, AEK Athens (twice), Panathinaikos, Sporting CP, Benfica, PAOK, Greece, Portugal

- A left-back, Santos – who holds a degree in electrical and telecommunications engineering – started his playing days at home-town club Benfica before spending most of his career with Estoril.
- He retired from playing in 1987, going immediately into coaching at Estoril, where he was head coach for six years, guiding the club to two promotions and into the Portuguese top flight.
- Had four seasons with Estrela da Amadora prior to joining Porto in 1998. Led his side to the Liga title in his first term, adding two domestic cups before departing for AEK in 2001. Again made an instant impact, lifting the 2002 Greek Cup. Went to Panathinaikos that summer followed by spells at Sporting, AEK again and Benfica.
- He then revived PAOK's fortunes after taking over in 2007, steering them to runners-up spot in the 2009/10 Super League to earn a place in the UEFA Champions League third qualifying round. Announced his departure in May 2010 and was confirmed as Otto Rehhagel's successor as Greece coach six weeks later, proving an immediate hit as he helped them to the quarter-finals of UEFA EURO 2012. Repeated the feat for the 2014 FIFA World Cup, guiding Greece to the last 16, before stepping down.
- He was appointed by Portugal that September after Paulo Bento's departure and led them to UEFA EURO 2016 thanks to seven successive victories. The crowning glory was to come in France, Portugal remaining unbeaten throughout the tournament and defeating the hosts in the St-Denis final thanks to Éder's extra-time goal; two years later, Santos and his team reached the last 16 of the World Cup, following that with victory in the first UEFA Nations League, beating Switzerland and the Netherlands on home soil in the Finals.

### Luc Holtz

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**Date of birth:** 14 June 1969

**Nationality:** Luxembourger

**Playing career:** Red Boys Differdange, Avenir Beggen, Etzella Ettelbruck

**Coaching career:** Etzella Ettelbruck, Luxembourg Under-21s, Luxembourg

- Holtz started his career with Red Boys Differdange, a club which today is part of leading top-flight outfit Differdange 03.
- A creative playmaker with a keen eye for goal, Holtz moved to Avenir Beggen in 1992 where he went on to win the domestic double in 1993 and 1994. He was chosen as Luxembourg's footballer of the year in 1993.
- Played until 2008 when, aged 38, he finished his career at Etzella having gone there from Beggen in 1999 to take over as player-coach.
- Led Etzella to promotion to the top flight in 1999, his first season in charge. Lifting the cup two years later but was relegated in 2002, only to bounce back immediately. Proceeded to reach the cup final in 2003 and 2004, although both ended in defeat.
- Having earned 55 caps for Luxembourg, he accepted an offer to coach the national U21 side in 2008. He was then handed the reins of the senior team following the resignation of Guy Hellers in August 2010; has achieved some notable results, most recently a goalless draw away to eventual winners France in qualifying for the 2018 FIFA World Cup.

## Match officials

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<b>Referee</b>	Daniel Stefanski (POL)
<b>Assistant referees</b>	Marcin Boniek (POL) , Dawid Igor Golis (POL)
<b>Fourth official</b>	Pawel Gil (POL)
<b>UEFA Delegate</b>	William Campbell (NIR)
<b>UEFA Referee observer</b>	Mehmet Ilgaz (TUR)

## Referee

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Name	Date of birth	UEFA EURO matches	UEFA matches
Daniel Stefanski	02/07/1977	1	42

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

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No such matches refereed

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

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No such matches refereed

## Match-by-match lineups

### Portugal

#### Final tournament - Qualifying round

##### Group B

Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Ukraine	5	4	1	0	11	1	13
<b>Portugal</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>
Serbia	5	2	1	2	10	12	7
<b>Luxembourg</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>
Lithuania	5	0	1	4	4	15	1

##### Matchday 1 (22/03/2019)

###### Portugal 0-0 Ukraine

**Portugal:** Rui Patrício, João Cancelo, Pepe, Rúben Dias, Raphaël Guerreiro, Ronaldo, João Moutinho (87 João Mário), André Silva (73 Dyego Sousa), Bernardo Silva, William Carvalho, Rúben Neves (62 Rafa Silva)

##### Matchday 2 (25/03/2019)

###### Portugal 1-1 Serbia

**Goals:** 0-1 Tadić 7 (P) , 1-1 Danilo 42

**Portugal:** Rui Patrício, João Cancelo, Pepe, Rúben Dias, Raphaël Guerreiro, Ronaldo (30 Pizzi), Bernardo Silva, Danilo, William Carvalho, Rafa Silva (84 Gonçalo Guedes), Dyego Sousa (57 André Silva)

##### Matchday 5 (07/09/2019)

###### Serbia 2-4 Portugal

**Goals:** 0-1 William Carvalho 42, 0-2 Gonçalo Guedes 58, 1-2 Milenković 68, 1-3 Ronaldo 80, 2-3 A. Mitrović 85, 2-4 Bernardo Silva 86

**Portugal:** Rui Patrício, Semedo (65 João Cancelo), Rúben Dias, Raphaël Guerreiro, Fonte, Ronaldo, Bernardo Silva, Bruno Fernandes (85 João Moutinho), Danilo, William Carvalho, Gonçalo Guedes (70 João Félix)

##### Matchday 6 (10/09/2019)

###### Lithuania 1-5 Portugal

**Goals:** 0-1 Ronaldo 7 (P) , 1-1 Andriuskevičius 28, 1-2 Ronaldo 62, 1-3 Ronaldo 65, 1-4 Ronaldo 76, 1-5 William Carvalho 90+2

**Portugal:** Rui Patrício, Rúben Dias, Raphaël Guerreiro, Fonte, Ronaldo (79 Gonçalo Guedes), Bernardo Silva (89 Pizzi), Bruno Fernandes (56 Rafa Silva), William Carvalho, Rúben Neves, João Cancelo, João Félix

##### Matchday 7 (11/10/2019)

Portugal-Luxembourg

##### Matchday 8 (14/10/2019)

Ukraine-Portugal

##### Matchday 9 (14/11/2019)

Portugal-Lithuania

##### Matchday 10 (17/11/2019)

Luxembourg-Portugal

### Luxembourg

#### Final tournament - Qualifying round

##### Group B

Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Ukraine	5	4	1	0	11	1	13
<b>Portugal</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>
Serbia	5	2	1	2	10	12	7



<b>Luxembourg</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>
Lithuania	5	0	1	4	4	15	1

### Matchday 1 (22/03/2019)

#### Luxembourg 2-1 Lithuania

**Goals:** 0-1 Černych 14, 1-1 Barreiro Martins 45, 2-1 Rodrigues 55

**Luxembourg:** Moris, Chanot, Rodrigues, Gerson, C. Martins Pereira, Da Mota (58 Bensi), V. Thill (78 Turpel), Carlson, O. Thill, Barreiro Martins (67 Sinani), Jans

### Matchday 2 (25/03/2019)

#### Luxembourg 1-2 Ukraine

**Goals:** 1-0 Turpel 34, 1-1 Tsygankov 40, 1-2 Rodrigues 90+3 (og)

**Luxembourg:** Moris, Chanot, Malget, Rodrigues, C. Martins Pereira, V. Thill (74 Bensi), Carlson, O. Thill (91 Mutsch), Barreiro Martins, Jans, Turpel

### Matchday 3 (07/06/2019)

#### Lithuania 1-1 Luxembourg

**Goals:** 0-1 Rodrigues 21, 1-1 Novikovas 74

**Luxembourg:** Moris, Selimović, Gerson, C. Martins Pereira, V. Thill, Carlson (61 Malget), O. Thill (80 Sinani), Barreiro Martins, Rodrigues, Jans, Turpel (67 Bensi)

### Matchday 4 (10/06/2019)

#### Ukraine 1-0 Luxembourg

**Goals:** 1-0 Yaremchuk 6

**Luxembourg:** Moris, Chanot, Gerson, C. Martins Pereira, Da Mota (52 Bensi), V. Thill, O. Thill (77 Turpel), Barreiro Martins, Rodrigues, Jans, Martins

### Matchday 6 (10/09/2019)

#### Luxembourg 1-3 Serbia

**Goals:** 0-1 A. Mitrović 36, 0-2 Radonjić 55, 1-2 Turpel 66, 1-3 A. Mitrović 78

**Luxembourg:** Moris, Chanot, Gerson, V. Thill (85 Joachim), Carlson, Sinani (62 Da Mota), O. Thill, Barreiro Martins, Rodrigues, Jans, Deville (61 Turpel)

### Matchday 7 (11/10/2019)

Portugal-Luxembourg

### Matchday 9 (14/11/2019)

Serbia-Luxembourg

### Matchday 10 (17/11/2019)

Luxembourg-Portugal

## Legend

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### :: 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

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### Other abbreviations

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**(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