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EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE WOMEN 2023/24 PLAY-OFFS

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GENERAL



The group phase is over and the best clubs in Europe are ready to return to the courts for the knockout phase of the EHF Champions League Women 2023/24!

The 31st season of Europe's top flight started back in September 2023 with 16 teams battling it out over 14 intense rounds for the coveted tickets to the play-offs and the quarter-finals.

Now under the slogan *Dare to Rise*, the competition saw its group phase fully live up to its billing, with many exciting matches, newcomers doing well, favourites struggling, and stars shining brightly – all the ingredients that make handball so attractive!

Now that the dust has settled on the group phase, we know the 12 teams that continue in the knockout phase, with the top two from both groups advancing to the quarter-finals directly.

This means that we see Györi Audi ETO KC and Odense Håndbold from group A and, after a tight finish with the final standings only confirmed in the last round, Metz Handball and Team Esbjerg from group B back in action in April.

But who are they going to meet as their opponents in the quarter-finals? That question will be answered during the play-offs, featuring four pairings that certainly promise eight great games.

The three-time defending champions, Vipers Kristiansand, will need to get past DVSC Schaeffler, the team from Hungary that have impressed upon their return to the competition after more than a decade.

The other finalists from last year's EHF FINAL4, FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria, are paired with the team that played the final two years earlier: Brest Bretagne Handball.

Two-time champions Krim Mercator Ljubljana are hoping to relive their historic successes from the past when they take on another former titleholder, CSM Bucuresti.

And last not but not least, SG BBM Bietigheim had a blistering start to the season but now face a real challenge to keep their dreams alive, as Ikast Handbold, the 2023 EHF European League winners, only just missed out on a top two spot in group B.

The road to the EHF FINAL4 in Budapest on 1/2 June 2024 is slowly approaching its final destination as fans around the world look forward to the play-offs. Only four teams can continue their journey and go to the quarter-finals.

Excitement and drama over two intense weekends of play-off matches, on 16/17 and 23/24 March, is guaranteed!

DARE TO RISE

After the success of the 30th anniversary season digital campaign, 'Handmade History', EHF Marketing launched a new campaign ahead of the current EHF Champions League season. The 360-degree campaign can be seen across all fields of the competition with the slogan 'Dare to Rise'.

Dare to Rise inspires players and fans to overcome challenges, face their fears, and reach their full potential. It encourages them to step out of their comfort zone, set their goals higher, and push themselves beyond their perceived limits.



STAY IN TOUCH WITH EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE WOMEN

Newsletter, app, social media – fans have the opportunity to follow the EHF Champions League Women and their favourite teams on multiple digital channels!

EHFCL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Subscribers of the EHFCL Weekly newsletter receive a fresh slice of the latest news directly to their inbox every Friday during the season. From exclusive interviews to a light-hearted look at handball in the Timeout section, EHFCL Weekly is the perfect way to end the working week and start the weekend. It includes the popular “This is me” feature, which this season will profile some of the game’s top active players.

<https://go.eurohandball.com/ehfcl>

HOME OF HANDBALL APP

The dedicated Home of Handball app is available on iOS and Android. It unites all of Europe’s major handball competitions – club as well as national teams – in one place. The app allows each user to completely individualise his or her experience by selecting their favourite club and/or favourite competition.

<https://www.eurohandball.com/en/services/the-home-of-handball-app/>

FOLLOW, COMMENT, SHARE

Of course, you can also join the conversation and engage with the EHFCL family on social media. The EHF Champions League accounts give fans a steady stream of sharable and engaging content, keeping them informed on all the latest results and news from handball’s top flight. In addition to Facebook, Twitter, YouTube and Instagram, the EHF’s newest channels, Twitch and TikTok, continue to grow.

The weekly Twitch show “The Spin” will return this season with a regular EHF Champions League presence showcasing the best of the competition, while the Home of Handball TikTok channel showcases quirky, creative, and viral video content.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/ehf.champions.league>

X: <https://twitter.com/ehfcl>

YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/TheHomeofHandball>

Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/ehfcl/>

Twitch: <https://www.twitch.tv/homeofhandball>

TikTok: <https://www.tiktok.com/@homeofhandball?lang=en>Digital channels



MOTW showcases the best of the best

MOTW – when these four letters pop up next to a match, fans are in for a special treat. The Match of the Week (MOTW) has continued in the 2023/24 season of the EHF Champions League Women as well as the Machineseker EHF Champions League.

Every round one match has the honour of shining in the spotlight and carrying the title of Match of the Week. Across all channels fans are treated to very special coverage that will bring the action even closer to everyone watching around the world.

On match days and during the week, fans should pay the EHFCL social media channels a visit to ensure they get the most out of the content.



Where to watch the play-offs

Broadcasters will beam the EHF Champions League Women 2023/24 play-off matches into fans' homes in over 30 countries.

Live broadcasters have been confirmed for nations around Europe with fans in those countries not covered able to access the EHF's on-demand platform, [EHFTV](#).

The coverage means fans will be able to keep track of their favourite teams as they progress through the play-offs, playing for a spot in the quarter-finals.

The general approach of EHFTV remains, offering the best handball content for free. This approach is complemented with the option to register to the portal for free. This registration gives handball fans the option to watch games live and on-demand, but also allows fans to improve and personalise their fan experience during the season – and all of that for free.

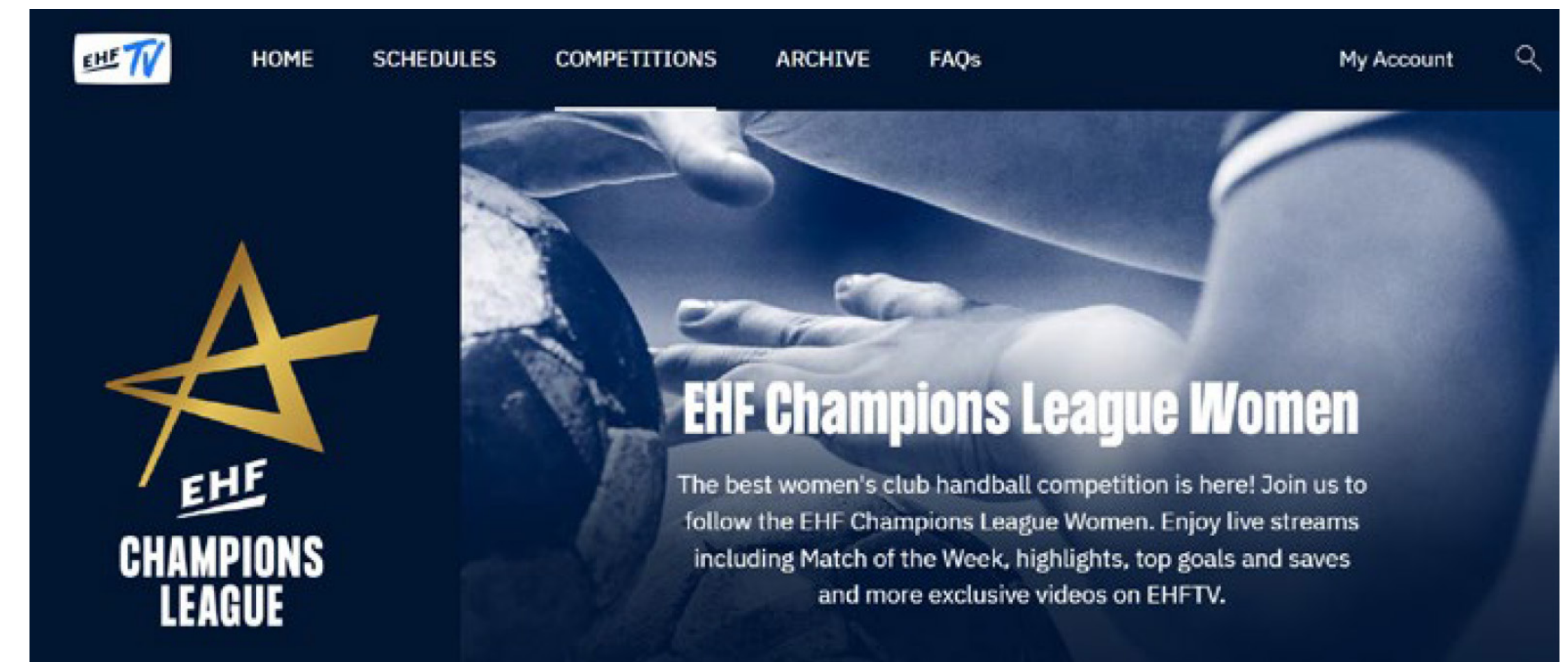
On EHFTV, matches from every EHF competition are available, complemented with highlights, the best goals and saves and plenty of additional content created exclusively for the portal. Since 2020 the new EHFTV has

been designed to be fully adaptable to all devices, regardless of whether fans are at home or on the go, the best handball action is accessible any time and from anywhere.

Once the fans enter their EHFTV account, they find an adapted filter menu, with an improved navigation through the portal and the option to personalise it to their favourite competition and/or club directly on their registered account. These features permit all users to find, select and enjoy the best handball in an easy manner.

Furthermore, the state-of-the-art video player, which also includes a multi-screen feature, guarantees the best quality and the perfect conditions to follow the EHF Champions League, whenever it is played.

Join EHFTV and get ready for a new handball era.



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WHERE TO WATCH THE EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE WOMEN 2023/24



AUT – DAZN	MNE – Arena Sport
BIH – Arena Sport	NED – Ziggo (EHF FINAL4)
CRO – Arena Sport	NOR – Infront / B2C OTT
CAN – DAZN (EHF FINAL4)	POL – Eurosport
CZE – AMC	POR – Sport TV
DEN – Infront / B2C OTT	ROU – Orange Sport
ESP – DAZN	ROU – Prima Sport
FRA – Eurosport	ROU – Digi Sport
GEO – Silknet	SRB – Arena Sport
GER – DAZN	SLO – Arena Sport
GER – DYN	SUI – DAZN
HUN – AMC	SVK – AMC
ISR – SportTV	SWE – Infront / B2C OTT
ITA – tbd	TUR – TRT (EHF FINAL4)
JPN – DAZN (EHF FINAL4)	UK – Viaplay
KOS – Arena Sport	WORLD – EHFTV*
MENA – tbd	
MKD – Arena Sport	

*Geo-restrictions may apply

TV Partners broadcasting the EHF Champions League Women 2023/24

AUT - DAZN	MNE – Arena Sport
BIH – Arena Sport	NED – Ziggo (EHF FINAL4)
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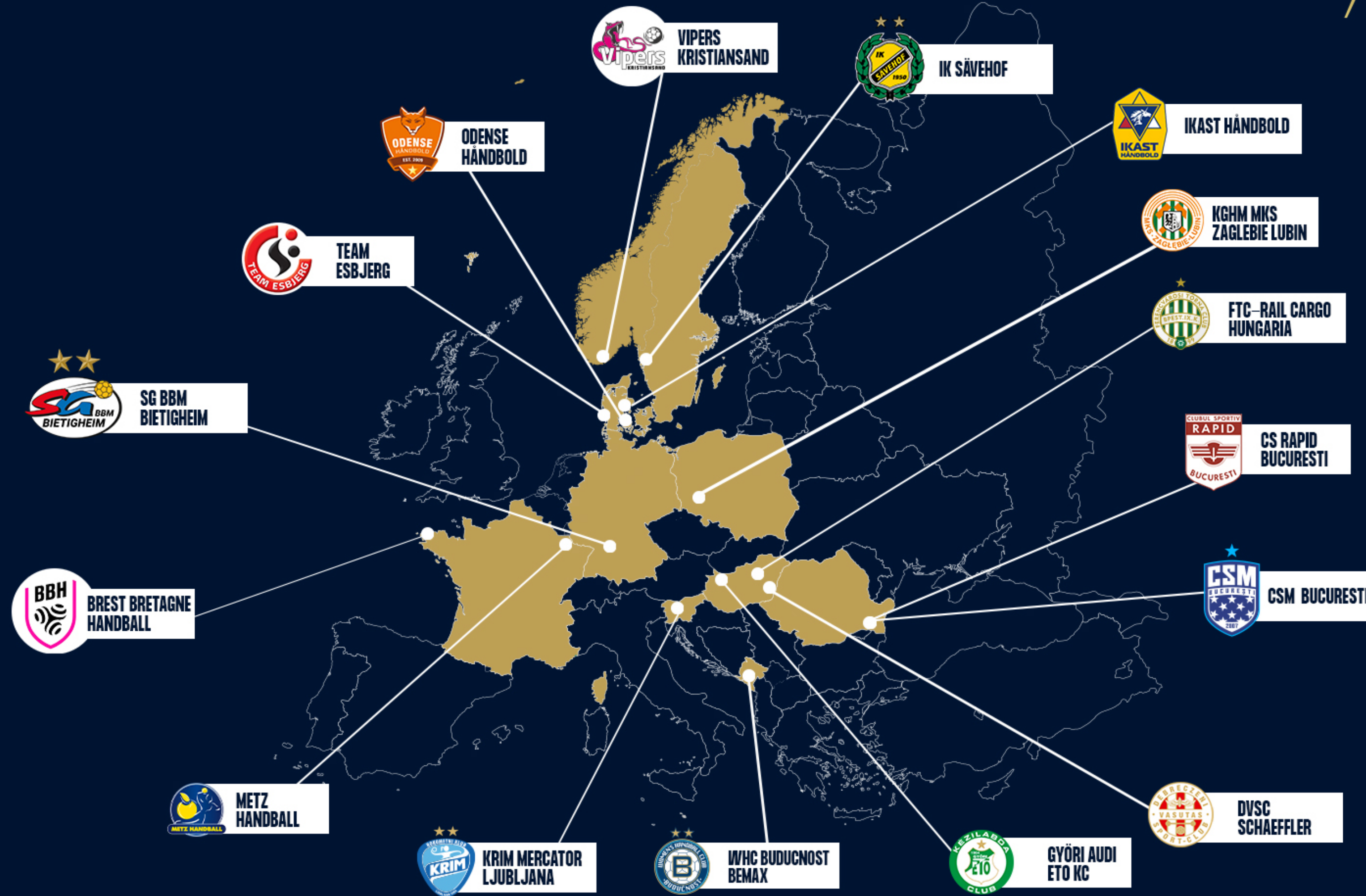
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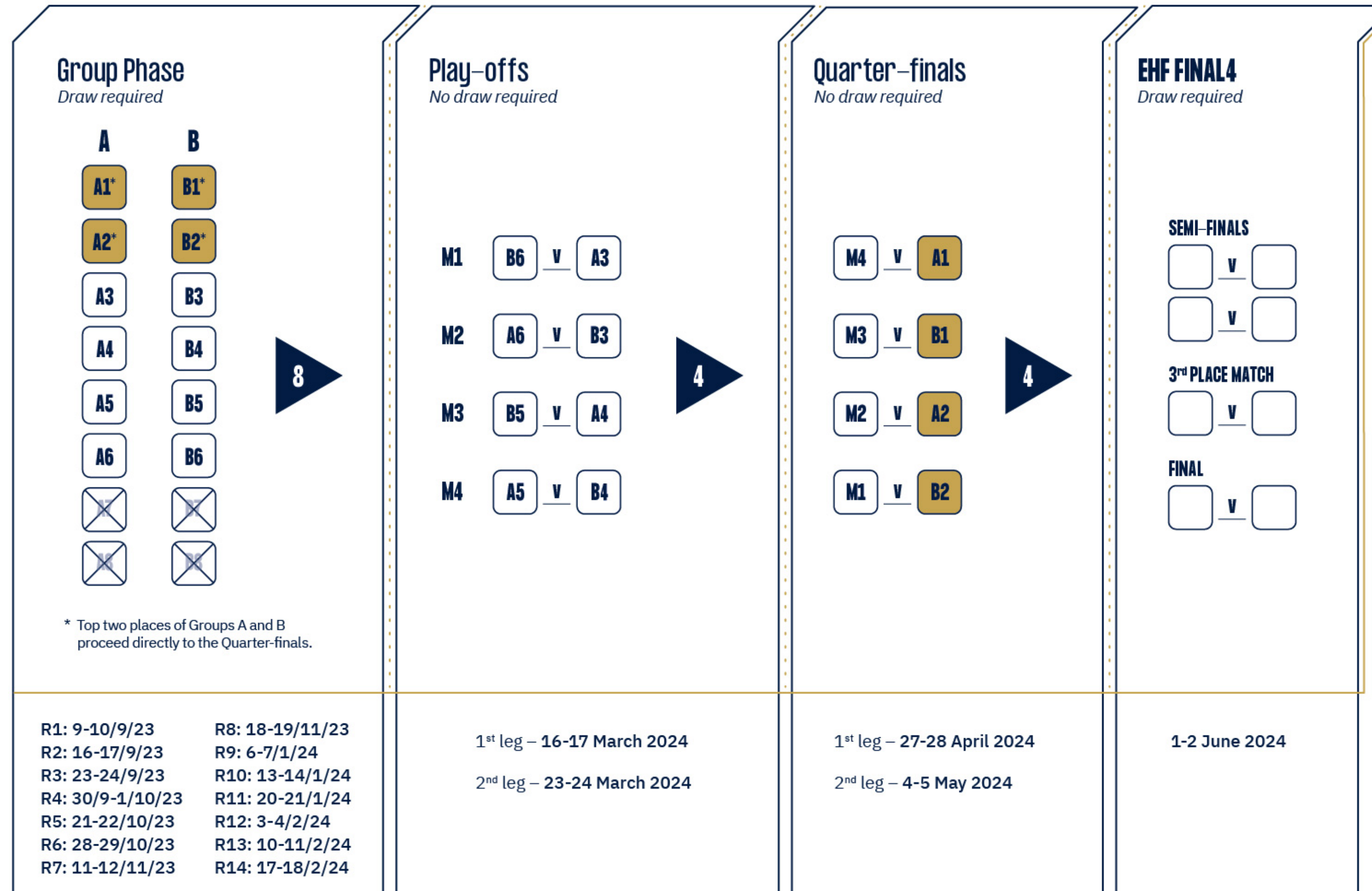
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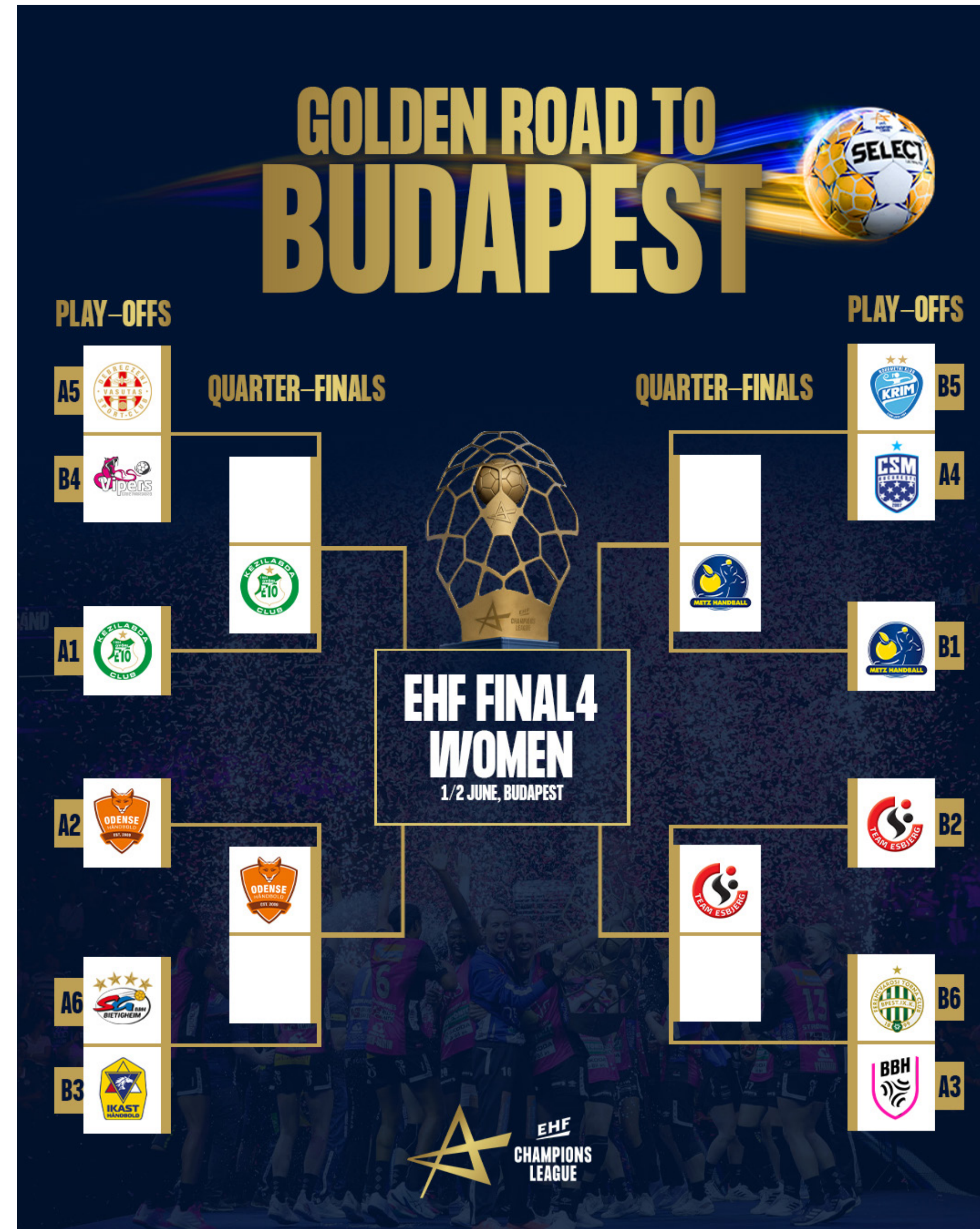


EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE WOMEN

2023/24 SEASON

Playing system and dates





0 debutants, 3 former champions, and 6,261 goals

The EHF Champions League Women is ready for the knockout phase, starting with the play-offs featuring the teams that finished between third and sixth position in their respective groups. Here are interesting facts and figures of the 2023/24 season after the group phase.

ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW BEFORE THE PLAY-OFFS

0 duels between teams from the same country take place in the play-offs.

0 teams finished the group phase unbeaten; group A winners Györ had the lowest number of defeats, two; Odense in group A, and Metz, Esbjerg, and Ikast in group B all lost three matches.

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EHF Champions League debutants are among the 12 teams left in the competition

1 player still in the competition can win her eighth CL trophy: Katrine Lunde (Vipers); Nora Mørk (Esbjerg) and Jana Knedlikova (Vipers) both aim for their seventh title.

1 group match ended with a margin of more than 20 goals, when Odense won 44:20 at Sävehof.

1 former CL winner didn't advance from the group phase: Buducnost, champions in 2012 and 2015.

1 more draw is needed this season – for the semi-finals; the pairings for the quarter-finals are decided by the final standings of the group phase.

2 teams from the same country played at the EHF FINAL4 for the first time in 2023: FTC and Györ.

2 teams have successfully defended their title at the EHF FINAL4 in Budapest (since 2014): Györ, who did it three times in a row in 2017-19, and Vipers, who managed the same feat in 2020-23.

2 nations are, for the first time, represented by three teams each in the knockout phase: Denmark (Odense, Esbjerg, and Ikast) and Hungary (Györ, DVSC, and FTC).

2 teams – Sävehof and Lubin – both finished the group phase on zero points; last season this happened to one team: Most.

2 former CL winners meet in the play-offs: Krim (2001, 2003) and CSM (2016).

2 recent CL finalists duel in the play-offs: Brest (2021) and FTC (2023).

2 players have scored more than 1,100 goals in CL history – and they will meet in the play-offs: Krim's Jovanka Radicevic and CSM's Cristina Neagu.

2 group matches were attended by 5,000 fans or more, both in Györ (against Odense and CSM).

2 duels between teams from the same country are possible in the quarter-finals: if DVSC beat Vipers in the play-offs, they will meet fellow Hungarian side Györ; and Ikast must beat Bietigheim to set up an all-Danish quarter-final against Odense.

3 former CL winners appear in the play-offs: defending champions Vipers, Krim, and CSM.

3 teams from last season's play-offs are in the same stage again this season: FTC, Brest, and Krim.

4 teams skip the play-offs and advance to the quarter-finals directly: Györ and Odense from group A, and Metz and Esbjerg from group B; last season, Györ and Metz also went straight to the quarter-finals after the group phase, alongside Vipers and CSM.

4 out of four teams from last season's EHF FINAL4 are still part of the competition this season: Vipers, FTC, Györ, and Esbjerg.

4 clubs from four countries have won the nine EHF FINAL4 events so far: Györ from Hungary (four titles), Vipers from Norway (three), Buducnost from Montenegro, and CSM from Romania (both one).

4 (former) IHF World Players of the Year, combining eight awards, are part of the knockout phase: CSM's Cristina Neagu, FTC's Andrea Lekic, and Györ's Stine Oftedal and Sandra Toft.

4 (former) CL winners are still in the race for the 2023/24 title: Vipers, Györ, CSM, and Krim: only one team that lifted the trophy at one of the EHF FINAL4 events (since 2014) is missing: Buducnost.

5 of the 112 group matches ended with 45 or less goals scored by both teams.

7 of 112 group matches ended in a draw: four in group A, three in group B; last season's group phase also included seven draws in total.

7 different countries are represented by the 12 teams in the knockout phase: Denmark, Hungary (three teams each), France (two), Germany, Norway, Romania, and Slovenia (one each).

8 of the 12 teams in the knockout phase have played at the EHF FINAL4 in the past: Brest, CSM, Esbjerg, FTC, Györ, Ikast (Midtjylland), Metz, Vipers.

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of the 112 matches in the group phase ended with more than 70 goals scored, the same number as last season.

9 of the 12 teams from the 2022/23 knockout phase are still in the competition this season: Vipers, FTC, Györ, Esbjerg, CSM, Odense, Krim, Brest, and Metz; new are Ikast, DVSC, and Bietigheim, who replace Rapid, Storhamar, and Buducnost.

11 nations are represented by all CL winners since 1994: Denmark, Hungary (both six titles), Austria, Norway (four each), Montenegro, Slovenia (two each), Croatia, North Macedonia, Romania, Russia, and Spain (one each).

11 matches was the longest winning streak by a team in the group phase: Györ, won their first 11 games but then earned just one more point from their last three.

13 different clubs played at the nine EHF FINAL4 events so far: Györ (seven times), Vardar (five), Buducnost, Vipers (four each), CSM, Metz (three each), Esbjerg, Rostov (two each), Brest, CSKA, FTC, Larvik, Midtjylland, and Volgograd (one each).

23 was the highest amount of points earned by a team in the group phase: Györ; Metz and Esbjerg both finished on 22, Odense and Ikast on 21.

24 goals was the biggest winning margin by far in a group phase match, when Odense won 44:20 at Sävehof; next in line was 19 goals, when Györ beat Sävehof 39:20.

36 group matches were attended by 3,000 or more fans – 10 matches more than last season.

40 was the lowest number of goals scored in a match during the group phase, when Brest and Buducnost drew 20:20; next in line was 43 goals, when FTC won 23:20 at Rapid.

42 goals was the biggest aggregate margin of the matches between two teams in the group phase, when Odense beat Sävehof 44:20 and 40:22.

44 was the highest number of goals by a team in one match, when Odense beat Sävehof 44:20, and CSM beat Buducnost 44:26, both in group A.

46 group matches ended with a margin of 10 or more goals, 17 more matches than last season.

48 of the 112 matches in the group phase were won by the visiting team; this happened 25 times in group A, and 23 times in group B; last season, 43 matches ended with a win for the away team.

55.90 goals on average were scored in the 112 matches in the group phase; last season, the average in the group phase was 1.34 higher.

57 of the 112 matches in the group phase were won by the home team (four less than last season): 30 matches in group A, 27 in group B.

75 was the highest number of goals scored in a group phase match, this happened both at Metz vs Ikast (36:39) and Vipers vs Esbjerg (37:38).

+102 made Odense the team with the best goal difference in the group phase, well ahead of Györ (+75) and Vipers (+68).

89 goals give Sarah Bouktit from Metz the lead in the CL top scorers list after the group phase.

356 goals conceded made Györ the team with the strongest defence in the group phase.

476 goals scored made Ikast the most productive team in the group phase.

6,261 goals were scored in the group phase: 3,167 in group A, and 3,094 in group B; last season the group phase featured 6,354 goals.

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN TWO OR MORE TEAMS HAVE THE SAME NUMBER OF POINTS

All matches shall be played in accordance with the IHF's current Rules of the Game. Variations on a technical level are possible. All matches shall be played in 2 x 30 minutes with a half-time break of 15 minutes.

The matches shall be scored as follows:

- a) win = 2 points
- b) draw = 1 point
- c) loss = 0 points

Teams' rankings are obtained by adding up the number of points won.

GROUP PHASE

If two or more teams have scored the same number of points, the ranking will be determined as follows:

During the matches of the group:

- a) higher goal difference in all matches;
- b) higher number of plus goals in all matches;

After completion of the group if two teams have scored the same number of points:

- a) number of points in matches of the two teams directly involved;
- b) goal difference in matches of the two teams directly involved;

- c) goal difference in all matches of the group;
- d) higher number of plus goals in all matches of the group;

After completion of the group if three or more teams have scored the same number of points:

- a) number of points in matches of all teams directly involved;
- b) goal difference in matches of all teams directly involved;
- c) higher number of plus goals in matches of all teams directly involved;
- d) goal difference in all matches of the group;
- e) higher number of plus goals in all matches of the group;

* If the ranking of one of these teams is determined, the criteria are consecutively followed until the ranking of all teams is determined.

* If no ranking can be determined, a decision shall be obtained by drawing lots. Lots shall be drawn by the EHF, if possible in the presence of each club.

PLAY-OFF AND QUARTER-FINALS

If, after completion of the two matches, both clubs have won the same number of points

(no extra-time will be played), the teams' standings shall be determined by the following criteria:

- a) goal difference
- b) penalty throws

RULES FOR EXECUTION OF PENALTY THROWS

- > Prior to penalty throwing, each team shall name five players eligible to play at the end of the match by handing the referees a list of numbers. These players shall then take one throw each until a decision (a winner) is reached, alternating with their opponents. Each team is free to determine the sequence in which throwers will take their throws
- > The goalkeepers may be freely selected from the match report and exchanged in accordance with the Rules of the game. Goalkeepers may take throws and throwers may play as goalkeepers.
- > The referees shall choose the goal at which throws are taken. The team taking the first penalty throw shall be determined by the referees by drawing lots. The team winning the draw may choose whether it wishes to throw first or last.
- > If scores are equal after the first round of penalty throwing, it shall be continued

until a decision is reached. In the second round, the other team shall start. Again five players shall be named who are eligible to play (the players named before may be named once again).

- > In the second round, a decision (a winner) is reached when a goal difference arises after both teams have taken one throw each.
- > Eligible players are players entered in the match report who have not been disqualified or suspended at the time of the final whistle.
- > Serious infractions committed during penalty throwing shall be sanctioned by disqualification. If a thrower is disqualified or suffers an injury, an eligible substitute player shall be named supplementary.
- > While the throws are being taken, only the player taking the throw, the current goalkeeper and the referees may enter the respective half of the playing area.
- > If the number of eligible players falls below five, players may be named to take a second throw in the same round.

PAIRINGS



FTC–RAIL CARGO HUNGARIA VS BREST BRETAGNE HANDBALL

FIRST LEG: SATURDAY 16 MARCH 2024, 16:00 CET, ÉRD (HUN)

SECOND LEG: SUNDAY 24 MARCH 2024, 18:00 CET, BREST (FRA)

HEAD TO HEAD

FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Brest Bretagne Handball 1-0-3 (94:102)

2:6

23.10.2021	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Brest Bretagne Handball, DELO EHF Champions League – Group A	28:27 (15:17)
29.01.2022	Brest Bretagne Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria, DELO EHF Champions League – Group A	30:25 (19:16)
24.09.2022	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Brest Bretagne Handball, EHF Champions League – Group A	20:21 (9:12)
22.01.2023	Brest Bretagne Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria, EHF Champions League – Group A	24:21 (14:10)



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PLAYING HALL



Erd Arena
Velencei ut 39-41
2030 Erd
Hungary

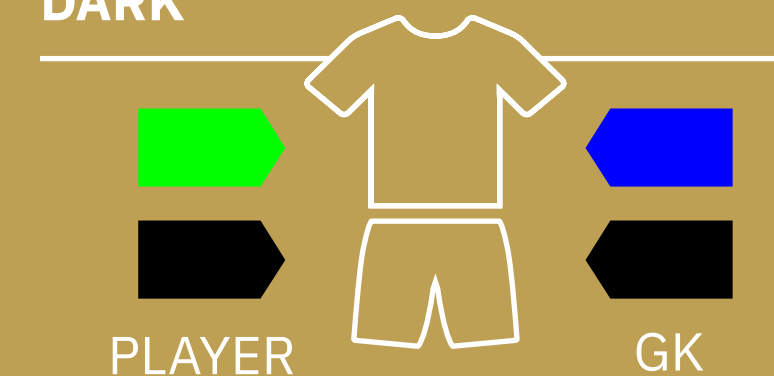
Capacity:
2,200

KIT COLOURS

LIGHT



DARK



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[ftc_kezilabda](https://www.instagram.com/ftc_kezilabda)

FINAL STANDINGS GROUP B

1. Metz Handball	14-22	(+68)
2. Team Esbjerg	14-22	(+37)
3. Ikast Handbold	14-21	(+41)
4. Vipers Kristiansand	14-15	(+42)
5. Krim Mercator Ljubljana	14-13	(+5)
6. FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	14-10	(-21)
7. CS Rapid Bucuresti	14-9	(-33)
8. MKS Zaglebie Lubin	14-0	(-139)

Metz and Esbjerg advance to the quarter-finals directly; Ikast, Vipers, Krim, and FTC continue in the play-offs



FTC—RAIL CARGO HUNGARIA

MAIN FACTS

- > the Hungarian side made it to the play-offs by finishing sixth in group B, where four wins out of 14 matches were enough to proceed
- > FTC won just two of their seven home matches and lost four times, the largest number of home defeats in a season in their CL history
- > last season's runners-up scored the lowest number of goals, 387, between the 12 teams which progressed from the group phase
- > this marks the eighth time in the past nine seasons that FTC have reached the CL knockout phase; their best result is getting to the final last season
- > right back Katrin Klujber is the team's top scorer after the group phase with 82 goals, the fifth best scorer in the CL this season
- > only three teams which progressed to the knockout phase conceded more goals than FTC (408) in the group phase

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League

Participations (including 2023/24 season): 24

Runners-up (2): 2001/02, 2022/23

Semi-finals (2): 1996/97, 2000/01

Quarter-finals (7): 1999/2000, 2002/03, 2003/04, 2015/16, 2016/17, 2017/18, 2018/19

Play-offs (2): 2020/21, 2021/22

Main Round (2): 2012/13, 2019/20

Group Matches (6): 1994/95, 1995/96, 1997/98, 2006/07, 2007/08, 2013/14

Qualification (2): 2009/10, 2014/15

Other

Cup Winners' Cup: Winners 2005/06; Semi-finals 2004/05

Women's EHF Cup: Winners 2010/11, 2011/12; Semi-finals 2006/07, 2014/15

Hungarian league: 13 titles (1966, 1968, 1969, 1971, 1994-97, 2000, 2002, 2007, 2015, 2021)

Hungarian cup: 15 titles (1967, 1970, 1972, 1977, 1993-97, 2001, 2003, 2017, 2022-24)



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
1994/95 Ferencvaros Budapest HUN	6	3	1	2	135:129		+6	7:5	3rd Gr. B
1995/96 Ferencvaros Budapest HUN	6	3	2	1	145:137		+8	8:4	2nd Gr. B
1996/97 Ferencvaros Budapest HUN	10	6	1	3	264:208		+56	13:7	Semi-final
1997/98 HERZ – FTC Budapest HUN	6	1	1	4	147:159		-12	3:9	3rd Gr. B
1999/00 HERZ – FTC Budapest HUN	8	4	0	4	204:201		+3	8:8	Quarter-final
2000/01 HERZ – FTC Budapest HUN	10	5	0	5	264:232		+32	10:10	Semi-final
2001/02 HERZ – FTC Budapest HUN	12	6	2	4	348:341		+7	14:10	Runner-up
2002/03 HERZ – FTC Budapest HUN	8	6	0	2	252:228		+24	12:4	Quarter-final
2003/04 FTC Budapest HUN	8	5	0	3	220:221		-1	10:6	Quarter-final
2006/07 FTC Budapest HUN	6	2	0	4	177:188		-11	4:8	3rd Gr. D
2007/08 Budapest Bank-FTC HUN	6	1	0	5	165:192		-27	2:10	4th Gr. D
2012/13 FTC Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	12	8	0	4	346:336		+10	16:8	3rd MR Gr. 2
2013/14 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	6	3	0	3	162:161		+1	6:6	3rd Gr. B
2015/16 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	14	7	2	5	378:383		-5	16:12	Quarter-final
2016/17 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	14	8	2	4	397:361		+36	18:10	Quarter-final
2017/18 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	14	8	0	6	400:382		+18	16:12	Quarter-final
2018/19 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	14	7	2	5	407:423		-16	16:12	Quarter-final
2019/20 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	12	4	1	7	334:348		-14	9:15	6th MR Gr. 1
2020/21 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	16	9	0	7	434:428		+6	18:14	Play-offs
2021/22 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	16	9	3	4	430:427		+3	21:11	Play-offs
2022/23 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	20	11	1	8	575:535		+40	23:17	Runner-up
2023/24 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	14	4	2	8	387:408		-21	10:18	
Total:	238	120	20	98	6571:6428		+143	260:216	



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

5

MATCHES
Longest
winning run

8

MATCHES
Longest
unbeaten run

46

GOALS
Most goals

Biggest win	42:16 (19:7) v Anagennisi Artas GRE (h), 18.01.1997
Biggest defeat	40:20 (18:9) v SG BBM Bietigheim GER (a), 18.09.2022
Longest winning run	5 matches (14.10.2012 – 11.11.2012) 5 matches (20.11.2016 – 25.02.2017)
Longest unbeaten run	8 matches (09.11.2013 – 22.11.2015) 8 matches (13.03.2021 – 13.11.2021)
Longest losing run	4 matches (12.01.2007 – 17.02.2007) 4 matches (27.10.2007 – 16.11.2007) 4 matches (02.03.2013 – 06.10.2013) 4 matches (11.03.2017 – 06.10.2017) 4 matches (11.03.2018 – 05.10.2018) 4 matches (07.04.2019 – 13.10.2019) 4 matches (04.04.2023 – 23.09.2023)
Longest run without win	6 matches (04.06.2023 – 22.10.2023)
Most goals	46 v DHK Banik Most CZE 27:46W (a), 22.10.2022
Most goals opponent	40 v Györi Audi ETO KC HUN 40:23L (a), 09.04.2016 40 v SG BBM Bietigheim GER 40:20L (a), 18.09.2022
Most goals both teams	73 v DHK Banik Most CZE 27:46W (a), 22.10.2022
Fewest goals	17 v Volgograd AKVA RUS 22:17L (a), 03.03.2001
Fewest goals opponent	16 v Anagennisi Artas GRE 42:16W (h), 18.01.1997 16 v TUS Walle Bremen GER 27:16W (h), 25.01.1997 16 v HC Podravka Vegeta CRO 28:16W (h), 18.10.2015
Fewest goals both teams	36 v Hypo Niederösterreich AUT 18:18D (h), 31.03.1996

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
2	Laura	Szabó	HUN	Field Player	25/07/2005	Gyömro, HUN	167
3	Beatrice	Edwige	FRA	Line Player	03/10/1988	Paris, FRA	182
13	Kinga	Janurik	HUN	Goalkeeper	06/11/1991	Budapest, HUN	176
14	Anett	Kisfaludy	HUN	Line Player	31/08/1990	Kapuvár	181
15	Júlia	Hársfalvi	HUN	Left Wing	12/11/1996	Zalaegerszeg, HUN	168
16	Blanka	Böde-Bíró C	HUN	Goalkeeper	22/09/1994	Vac, HUN	187
18	Anett	Kovács	HUN	Right Wing	12/11/1994	Mezotúr, HUN	168
20	Emily	Bölk	GER	Left Back	26/04/1998	Buxtehude, GER	182
21	Gréta	Márton	HUN	Left Wing	03/10/1999	Mohács, HUN	172
23	Zsuzsanna	Tomori	HUN	Left Back	18/06/1987	Budapest, HUN	187
24	Dorka	Papp	HUN	Right Wing	26/07/2006	Budapest, HUN	165
26	Angela	Malestein	NED	Right Wing	31/01/1993	Baam, NED	173
27	Anna	Kukely	HUN	Centre Back	27/05/2003	Békéscsaba	174
38	Petra Anna	Simon	HUN	Centre Back	12/11/2004	Budapest, HUN	168
42	Katrin	Klujber	HUN	Right Back	21/04/1999	Budapest, HUN	169
50	Luca	Kármán	HUN	Left Back	18/07/2004	Budapest, HUN	189
58	Réka	Bordás	HUN	Line Player	26/08/1997	Karcag, HUN	184
72	Dragana	Cvijic	SRB	Line Player	15/03/1990	Belgrade, SRB	183
77	Andrea	Lekic	SRB	Centre Back	06/09/1987	Belgrade, SRB	178
80	Jelena	Despotovic	MNE	Right Back	30/04/1994	Podgorica, MNE	180
84	Virág	Mészáros	HUN	Goalkeeper	19/10/2005	Budapest, HUN	181
86	Fanni	Török	HUN	Field Player	08/10/2005	Budapest, HUN	168
88	Fanni	Horváth	HUN	Field Player	29/10/2005	Vác, HUN	174
90	Szandra	Szöllosi-Zácsik	HUN	Left Back	22/04/1990	Budapest, HUN	185
91	Anikó	Cirjenics-Kovacsics	HUN	Centre Back	29/08/1991	Nagyatád, HUN	170
94	Anna	Tóth	HUN	Field Player	06/03/2004	Gyöngyös, HUN	173
95	Aida	Szabó	HUN	Field Player	26/06/2005	Miskolc, HUN	173





COACH

**Allan
Heine**

- > started the 2023/24 season at FTC as the assistant coach of fellow Dane Martin Albertsen, but took over as head coach after Albertsen and the club parted ways in October 2023
- > had arrived in Hungary in the summer of 2023 alongside Albertsen to replace legend FTC coach Gábor Elek
- > had previously worked together with Albertsen for two years leading the Swiss women's national team
- > started his coaching career as a 30-year-old at Aalborg in 2010
- > also worked at Ringkøbing, Viborg, and Nantes, and as an assistant at the Danish national team in 2015

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

Réka Bordas > (Váci NKSE/on loan)

ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

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GOALKEEPER



**Blanka
Böde-Bíró**

@biroblanka

- > born and raised in Vác, where she played for eight years
- > played internationally in the EHF Cup and the Cup Winners' Cup, and was first called up for the national team at age 18 - for the home EHF EURO 2014
- > the 1.86-m tall goalkeeper is a regular fixture for the national team
- > won silver with Hungary at the Women's 19 EURO in 2013
- > her husband Daniel Böde is a former Hungarian football international, who played for FTC in 2012-19



LEFT WING



**Gréta
Márton**

@gretamarton

- > Hungarian international, who scored a personal best 51 goals in the CL 2021/22 season
- > 2022/23 is her eighth straight CL season with FTC, after making her debut in 2015/16
- > was key member of the Hungarian team that won the 2019 Junior WCh; has been a regular in Hungarian national team since her debut in 2017



LEFT BACK



**Emily
Bölk**

@emily_boelk

- > German international, who joined FTC in 2020 from Thüringer HC
- > finished the 2022/23 season with 92 goals
- > joined Viborg's youth academy at age 14, made Bundesliga debut with Buxtehuder SV at 16, and played two seasons for THC before moving to FTC
- > became the youngest German international to pass the 100-goal mark
- > mother Andrea was also a national team player in Germany



CENTRE BACK



**Andrea
Lekić**

@lekicandrea

- > Serbian international, who arrived at FTC in the summer of 2022 from Krim
- > previously played CL with Budućnost, Vardar, CSM Bucuresti, Győr, and Krim
- > won the CL with Győr in 2012/13, was runner-up four times, and played in eight semi-finals
- > during the CL 2023/24 group phase, she became the fourth female player in CL history to pass the 1,000-goal mark
- > in 2013, won WCh silver with Serbia and was named World Player of the Year
- > EURO 2012 All-star Team centre back, IHF World Player of the Year 2013

CL: 2013

WCh: S 2013



LINE PLAYER 

Beatrice Edwige

 @edwige_beatrice

- > French international, who joined FTC from Rostov in February 2022
- > back on court after a knee injury she suffered in November 2022
- > born in Paris, moved to Mana in French Guiana, but returned to France at age 11
- > nicknamed Bea, she left France after 15 seasons at Cercle Dijon, OGC Nice and Metz Handball in the summer of 2019 to join Győr
- > in 2021, joined Grace Zaadi at Rostov
- > first Guianese player to take part in Olympics, best defender at EHF EURO 2016

OG: G 2020, S 2016; EURO: G 2018, S 2020, B 2016;
WCh: G 2017



LINE PLAYER 

Dragana Cvijic

 @dragana_cvijic

- > two-time CL winner, who arrived at FTC after playing for Krim and CSKA in 2021/22
- > had joined Buducnost in 2011 and won the CL in her first season with the club; lifted the CL trophy another time (2015) during her six-year stint in Podgorica
- > also played CL for Vardar (2017/18) and CSM Bucuresti (2018-21)
- > Serbian international, part of the team that won silver at their home WCh in 2013

WCh: S 2013



RIGHT BACK 

Katrin Klujber

 @keti_klujber

- > Hungarian international, scoring 100 times in CL 2022/23 before the quarter-finals and ending the season with 114 goals
- > has been a prolific scorer for FTC since her CL debut in 2018/19, netting 54, 84, 68, and 62 times respectively in her first four CL seasons
- > debuted in Hungarian league at age 16; won EHF Cup with Dunaújváros in 2016

EHF Cup: 2016



RIGHT WING 

Angela Malestein

 @angelamalestein

- > Dutch international, arrived in Budapest in summer of 2020 from Bietigheim
- > leading goal scorer for FTC in CL 2021/22 season, with 81 goals
- > first played in Dutch national team at age 16 and has been part of all the recent successes of the team, including winning the world title in 2019
- > named best left wing of the European club season 2022/23 at the inaugural EHF Excellence Awards 2023

EURO: S 2016, B 2018; WCh: B 2017, G 2019



2023/24 SEASON TOP SCORERS



**Katrin
Klujber**

@keti_klujber

82 GOALS



**Andrea
Lekic**

@lekicandrea

61 GOALS



**Emily
Bölk**

@emily_boelk

55 GOALS



**Angela
Malestein**

@angelamalestein

53 GOALS

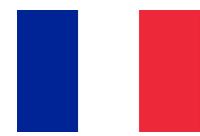


**Gréta
Márton**

@gretamarton

36 GOALS





BREST BRETAGNE HANDBALL

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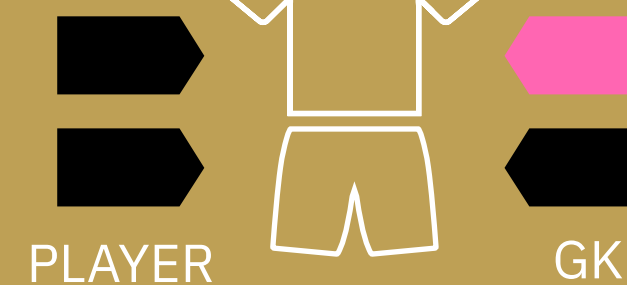


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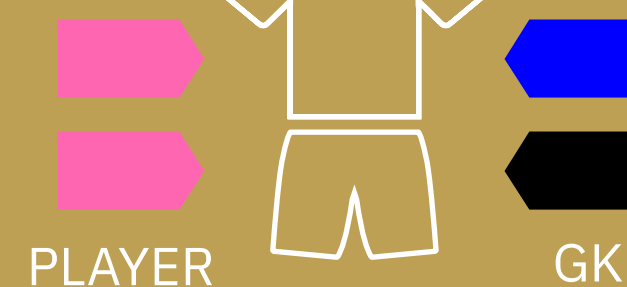
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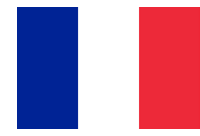
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FINAL STANDINGS GROUP A

1. Györi Audi ETO KC	14-23	(+76)
2. Odense Håndbold	14-21	(+102)
3. Brest Bretagne Handball	14-17	(+32)
4. CSM Bucuresti	14-17	(+48)
5. DVSC Schaeffler	14-15	(-20)
6. SG BBM Bietigheim	14-14	(+12)
7. WHC Buducnost BEMAX	14-5	(-122)
8. IK Sävehof	14-0	(-128)

Györ and Odense advance to the quarter-finals directly; Brest, CSM, DVSC, and Bietigheim continue in the play-offs



BREST BRETAGNE HANDBALL

MAIN FACTS

- > heading into the play-offs, Brest are one of the in-form teams with an eight-match unbeaten streak, including five wins and three draws
- > Brest have been formidable in away matches, conceding a single loss, against Bietigheim; on their home court they have lost twice
- > right back Valeriia Maslova is the team's top scorer after the group phase with 85 goals, the fourth best scorer in the competition so far
- > only three teams have conceded fewer goals this season than Brest (367), with the French team's defence being their main weapon so far
- > between the goalkeepers with at least 50 saves this season, Brest's Katharina Filter has the third best saving percentage: 35.08
- > this is the fifth time Brest are in the CL knockout phase; their best result is reaching the final at the EHF FINAL4 in 2021

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League

Participations (including 2023/24 season): 7

Final (1): 2020/21

Quarter-finals (2): 2019/20*, 2021/22

Play-offs (1): 2022/23

Main Round (1): 2018/19

Group Matches (1): 2017/18

* 2019/20 season not played to a finish due to Covid-19 pandemic

Other

EHF Cup: Quarter-finals 2016/17

French league: 2 titles (2012, 2021)

French cup: 3 titles (2016, 2018, 2021)



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2017/18 Brest Bretagne Handball FRA	6	0	0	6	132:157		-25	0:12	4th Gr. B
2018/19 Brest Bretagne Handball FRA	12	2	3	7	326:350		-24	7:17	6th MR Gr. 1
2019/20 Brest Bretagne Handball FRA	12	10	1	1	382:315		+67	21:3	Quarter-final*
2020/21 Brest Bretagne Handball FRA	20	10	6	4	562:512		+50	26:14	Runner-up
2021/22 Brest Bretagne Handball FRA	18	9	2	7	489:472		+17	20:16	Quarter-final
2022/23 Brest Bretagne Handball FRA	16	5	2	9	426:433		-7	12:20	Play-offs
2023/24 Brest Bretagne Handball FRA	14	7	3	4	399:367		+32	17:11	
Total:	98	43	17	38	2716:2606		+110	103:93	

* Quarter-finals and EHF FINAL4 cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic.



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

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MATCHES

Longest
winning run

10

MATCHES

Longest
unbeaten run

46

GOALS

Most goals

Biggest win

30:46 (14:22) v DHK Banik Most (a), 14.01.2023

Biggest defeat

39:26 (17:13) v Metz Handball FRA (a), 03.03.2019

Longest winning run

6 matches (05.10.2019 – 16.11.2019)

Longest unbeaten run

10 matches (10.03.2019 – 09.02.2020)

Longest losing run

7 matches (07.10.2017 - 06.10.2018)

Longest run without win

8 matches (07.10.2017 - 13.10.2018)

8 matches (10.11.2018 – 10.03.2019)

Most goals

46 v DHK Banik Most CZE 30:46W (a), 14.01.2023

Most goals opponent

39 v Metz Handball FRA 39:26L (a), 03.03.2019

Most goals both teams

70 v BV Borussia 09 Dortmund GER 29:41W (a), 20.09.2020

Fewest goals

17 v Györi Audi ETO KC HUN 26:17L (a), 18.11.2017

Fewest goals opponent

17 v IK Sävehof SWE 17:29W (a), 08.03.2020

Fewest goals both teams

40 v WHC Buducnost BEMAX MNE 20:20D (h), 11.11.2023

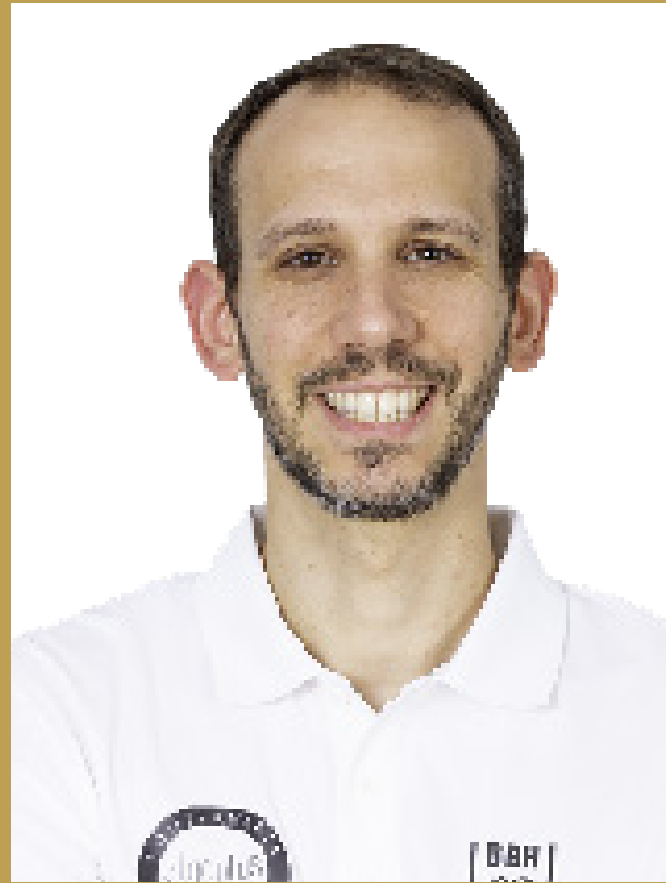
TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
2	Constance	Mauny	FRA	Left Wing	17/12/1998	Chambray-lès-Tours, FRA	172
3	Alicia	Toublanc	FRA	Right Wing	03/05/1996	Saint-Brieuc, FRA	170
5	Carla	Broquaire	FRA	Line Player	24/05/2004	Lorient, FRA	178
8	Corentine	Senant	FRA	Left Wing	08/02/2006	Landerneau, FRA	168
9	Djurdjina	Jaukovic	MNE	Left Back	24/02/1997	Niksic, MNE	186
10	Coralie	Lassource	FRA	Left Wing	01/09/1992	Maisons-Laffitte, FRA	170
11	Lou	Fauvarque	FRA	Centre Back	04/11/2005	Arpajon, FRA	174
12	Petra	Marinovic	CRO	Goalkeeper	29/06/2001	Split, CRO	180
13	Mélina	Cantin	FRA	Goalkeeper	25/11/2003	Brest, FRA	175
15	Juliette	Faure	FRA	Centre Back	23/10/1999	Ganges, FRA	164
16	Cléopatre	Darleux	FRA	Goalkeeper	01/07/1989	Mulhouse, FRA	175
19	Elisa	Techer	FRA	Left Back	14/10/2003	Sainte-Clotilde, FRA	182
20	Merel	Freriks	NED	Line Player	06/01/1998	Haarlemmermeer, NED	175
21	Aïssatou	Kouyaté	FRA	Right Back	19/04/1995	Clichy-la-Garenne, FRA	183
22	Pauletta	Foppa	FRA	Line Player	22/12/2000	Amilly, FRA	177
24	Katharina	Filter	GER	Goalkeeper	04/02/1999	Hamburg, GER	180
25	Hawa	N'diaye	FRA	Line Player	24/07/1995	Strasbourg, FRA	176
27	Charlotte	Cholevová	CZE	Left Back	29/07/2002	Ostrava, CZE	174
29	Justine	Raulo	FRA	Line Player	22/06/2003	Pontivy, FRA	180
30	Siobann	Delaye	FRA	Right Wing	01/06/2003	Romans-sur-Isère, FRA	173
42	Jenny	Carlson	SWE	Centre Back	17/04/1995	Göteborg, SWE	172
44	Romane	Lehuault-Parc	FRA	Goalkeeper	23/04/2005	Morlaix, FRA	183
55	Pauline	Coatanea	FRA	Right Wing	06/07/1993	Saint-Renan, FRA	165
61	Valeriia	Maslova	RUS	Right Back	23/01/2001	Rostov, RUS	188
63	Eva	Jarrige	FRA	Right Back	17/02/2000	Clermont-Ferrand, FRA	182
75	Audrey	Dembélé	FRA	Left Back	10/03/2001	Paris, FRA	183
86	Alexandrina	Cabral Barbosa	ESP	Left Back	05/05/1986	Alcántara, POR	175
91	Iva	Mladenovska	MKD	Right Back	14/01/2007	Skopje, MKD	180
97	Julie	Foggea	FRA	Goalkeeper	28/08/1990	Les Abymes, FRA	181





COACH



**Pablo
Morel**



- > took over in 2021 from Laurent Bezeau, who had been in charge since 2013 and led Brest to the CL 2020/21 final
- > started his coaching career in 2003, when he was just 20
- > previously worked at Paris 92 – initially as assistant (2011-14), then as head coach (2014-16) – and at Celles-sur-Belle
- > gained international experience from working under head coach Jackson Richardson with the men's national team of Gabon in 2017/18

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

Charlotte Cholevová > (Ramnicu Valcea/ROU)

ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

Hawa N'diaye < (Gloria Buzau/ROU)



GOALKEEPER 

Cleopatre Darleux

 @cleopatredarleux

- > played the 2011/12 season in Brest before moving to Viborg and Nice, and eventually coming back to Brest in 2016, where she was the MVP of the French league in 2018
- > part of the France team that won gold at the 2017 WCh and the Tokyo 2020 Olympics, but missed out on the gold medal at the EHF EURO 2018
- > gave birth to her first daughter in November 2019, came back to play handball a few months after
- > returned to the courts in March 2024 following a one-year break after she sustained a concussion

CWC 2014

OG: G 2020; EURO: S 2020; WCh: G 2017, S 2009, 2011



GOALKEEPER 

Katharina Filter

 @kathifilter

- > German international, who arrived at Brest in the summer of 2023 after one season with København in Denmark
- > played most of her career for German side Buxtehuder SV, but also spent a year at the youth academy of Viborg
- > made her national team debut in April 2021, and played for Germany at the EHF EURO 2022 and 2023 WCh
- > also plays for the successful beach handball national team; was named the All-star goalkeeper after Germany won gold at the EURO in 2021



LEFT WING 

Coralie Lassource

 @lassourcecoralie

- > born in France to parents from Martinique, she lived on the Caribbean Island for five years until she was 14
- > part of the French national team that won the Olympic and world title
- > her sister, Deborah, is also an international handball player
- > she was teammates with her sister at Paris 92 between 2014 and 2017, signed for Brest in 2019 and won her first trophies - the league title and the French Cup in 2021
- > known for her defensive abilities in the back court, she was the best defender in the French league in 2016 and the 2021 WCh All-star left wing

OG: G 2020; WCh: G 2023; EURO: S 2020



LEFT BACK 

Alexandrina Barbosa

 @shandybarbosa86

- > Portuguese-born left back who gained Spanish citizenship in 2012
- > has played for 14 clubs in six countries since 2003 – and played from 2004 until 2014 in the CL
- > won national championships in Portugal, Spain, Germany, France, Russia and Romania
- > after her third stint in Romania, with CSM Bucuresti and Gloria Bistrita, she returned to Spain in 2022 with Morvedre
- > speaks Spanish, Portuguese, English, French and Romanian

WCh: S 2019





CENTRE BACK 

Jenny Carlson


 @jennycaarlson / athletewithstoma

- > spent her early years at Swedish clubs Kärna and Lugåsa before moving to Denmark
- > left Holstebro in February 2022 after nearly two years to join Brest
- > had emergency ileostomy in 2018 after suffering with ulcerative colitis; uses her profile to raise awareness of life with a stoma
- > made national team debut in 2021 and was part of Sweden's OG, WCh and EURO 2022 squads, finishing fourth at the Tokyo OG



LINE PLAYER 

Pauletta Foppa

 @pauletta.sorea

- > French international, whose star has been rising in recent seasons, as she was named in the All-star Teams of the CL 2020/21, the OG 2020, the 2021 WCh and EHF EURO 2022
- > at age 17, she was one of the youngest players to make their debut in the French national team – in November 2018, just before the home EHF EURO
- > scored a personal best 62 CL goals for Brest in 2021/22, at age 22
- > All-star line player of the OG 2020, CL 2020/21, WCh 2021 and EURO 2022

EURO: G 2018, S 2020; WCh: G 2023; OG: G 2020




RIGHT BACK 

Valeriia Maslova


 @lrmasslova_

- > Russian international, who started her career in her native Rostov and made her CL debut with that club in the 2017/18 season
- > reached the EHF FINAL4 in 2019, where Rostov lost in the final to Győr
- > joined Buducnost in 2020 but returned to Russia to play for CSKA before moving to France in 2022
- > after one season at Metz, signed for Brest in summer of 2023
- > in May 2018, she made her debut in the Russian national team at age 17; won the 2018 Youth (U18) WCh in Poland three months later



RIGHT WING 

Alicia Toublanc

 @blantouu

- > French international, who joined the youth ranks of Brest in 2014; signed her first professional contract with the club three years later
- > had her breakthrough CL season in 2021/22, scoring 77 times for Brest, has 175 goals in five seasons in the CL before the start of the 2023/24 season
- > made senior national team debut at age 25 in October 2021; won silver at 2021 WCh and gold two years later
- > suffered two knee injuries when she was 19 and 21 years old, but came back stronger after each one

WCh: G 2023, S 2021



2023/24 SEASON TOP SCORERS



**Valeriia
Maslova**

@lrmasslova_

85 GOALS



**Pauletta
Foppa**

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60 GOALS



**Alicia
Toublanc**

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44 GOALS



**Alexandrina
Barbosa**

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44 GOALS



**Coralie
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32 GOALS



I KRIM MERCATOR LJUBLJANA VS CSM BUCURESTI

FIRST LEG: SATURDAY 16 MARCH 2024, 18:00 CET, LJUBLJANA (SLO)

SECOND LEG: SUNDAY 24 MARCH 2024, 16:00 CET, BUCHAREST (ROU)

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Krim Mercator Ljubljana vs CSM Bucuresti 2-1-7 (245:272)

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04.02.2017	RK Krim Mercator vs CSM Bucuresti, EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 2	21:24 (9:14)
03.03.2017	CSM Bucuresti vs RK Krim Mercator, EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 2	28:26 (14:12)
07.10.2017	CSM Bucuresti vs RK Krim Mercator, EHF Champions League – Group A	30:18 (15:7)
11.11.2017	RK Krim Mercator vs CSM Bucuresti, EHF Champions League – Group A	30:33 (16:17)
02.02.2019	CSM Bucuresti vs RK Krim Mercator, EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 2	32:26 (16:11)
02.03.2019	RK Krim Mercator vs CSM Bucuresti, EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 2	23:22 (12:11)
07.11.2020	RK Krim Mercator vs CSM Bucuresti, DELO EHF Champions League – Group A	23:25 (11:12)
14.11.2020	CSM Bucuresti vs RK Krim Mercator, DELO EHF Champions League – Group A	22:22 (12:11)
11.09.2022	CSM Bucuresti vs Krim Mercator Ljubljana, EHF Champions League – Group A	30:28 (17:19)
12.02.2023	Krim Mercator Ljubljana vs CSM Bucuresti, EHF Champions League – Group A	28:26 (13:14)



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PLAYING HALL

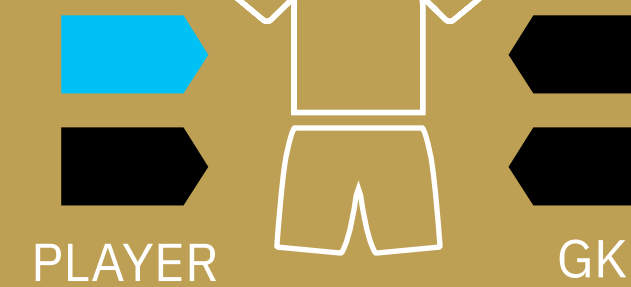


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FINAL STANDINGS GROUP B

1. Metz Handball	14-22	(+68)
2. Team Esbjerg	14-22	(+37)
3. Ikast Handbold	14-21	(+41)
4. Vipers Kristiansand	14-15	(+42)
5. Krim Mercator Ljubljana	14-13	(+5)
6. FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	14-10	(-21)
7. CS Rapid Bucuresti	14-9	(-33)
8. MKS Zagłębie Lubin	14-0	(-139)

Metz and Esbjerg advance to the quarter-finals directly; Ikast, Vipers, Krim, and FTC continue in the play-offs

PLAY-OFFS



KRIM MERCATOR LJUBLJANA

MAIN FACTS

- > the Slovenian side has made the play-offs for the fourth season in a row; they advanced to the quarter-finals only in the 2021/22 season
- > after starting the season with three wins in a row, Krim have won only three more times in their next 11 matches
- > the two-time champions (2001, 2003) were stopped in the 2022/23 play-offs by Rapid Bucuresti, losing 54:53 on aggregate
- > only FTC (387) scored less in the group phase than Krim (389)
- > centre back Daria Dmitrieva is Krim's best scorer so far this CL season with 68 goals; right wing Jovanka Radicevic has scored 60 times
- > Krim had the best defence in their group, with only 384 goals conceded
- > line player Tatjana Brnovic had the largest number of blocked shots in the group phase: 17, an average of 1.31 blocked shots per match

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League

Participations (including 2023/24 season): 29

Winners (2): 2000/01, 2002/03

Final (3): 1998/99, 2003/04, 2005/06

Semi-finals (1): 2012/13

Quarter-finals (5): 1996/97, 1997/98, 2004/05, 2006/07, 2021/22

Play-offs (2): 2020/21, 2022/23

Last 16 (1): 1995/96

Main Round (10): 2008/09, 2009/10, 2010/11, 2011/12, 2013/14, 2014/15, 2016/17, 2017/18, 2018/19, 2019/20

Group Matches (4): 1999/00, 2001/02, 2007/08, 2015/16

Other

Champions Trophy: Winners 2002/03, 2003/04

Cup Winners' Cup: Semi-finals 2015/16

Slovenian league: 28 titles (1995-15, 2017-23)

Slovenian cup: 28 titles (1993-97, 1999-2019, 2023)



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
1996/97 Krim Electa Ljubljana SLO	8	4	0	4	197:178		+19	8:8	Quarter-final
1997/98 Krim Electa Ljubljana SLO	8	4	0	4	210:218		-8	8:8	Quarter-final
1998/99 Krim Electa Ljubljana SLO	12	6	1	5	298:287		+11	13:11	Runner-up
1999/00 Krim Electa NR Ljubljana SLO	6	2	1	3	153:146		+7	5:7	3rd Gr. B
2000/01 RK Krim Neutro Roberts SLO	12	6	3	3	302:270		+32	15:9	Winner
2001/02 RK Krim Neutro Roberts SLO	6	3	0	3	148:151		-3	6:6	3rd Gr. D
2002/03 Krim ETA N. Roberts Ljubljana SLO	12	10	0	2	357:302		+55	20:4	Winner
2003/04 Krim Ljubljana Slovenia SLO	12	7	0	5	344:309		+35	14:10	Runner-up
2004/05 Krim Ljubljana SLO	8	7	0	1	222:185		+37	14:2	Quarter-final
2005/06 Krim Ljubljana Slovenia SLO	12	8	0	4	312:285		+27	16:8	Runner-up
2006/07 RK Krim Mercator Ljubljana SLO	8	5	0	3	245:231		+14	10:6	Quarter-final
2007/08 RK Krim Mercator Ljubljana SLO	6	2	1	3	175:180		-5	5:7	3rd Gr. B
2008/09 RK Krim Mercator SLO	12	6	0	6	383:386		-3	12:12	4th MR Gr. 2
2009/10 RK Krim Mercator SLO	12	7	1	4	364:334		+30	15:9	3rd MR Gr. 1
2010/11 RK Krim Mercator SLO	12	6	0	6	364:356		+8	12:12	3rd MR Gr. 1
2011/12 RK Krim Mercator SLO	12	4	2	6	290:312		-22	10:14	3rd MR Gr. 2
2012/13 RK Krim Mercator SLO	14	8	0	6	355:355		0	16:12	Semi-final
2013/14 RK Krim Mercator SLO	12	5	1	6	300:295		+5	11:13	4th MR Gr. 2
2014/15 RK Krim Mercator SLO	12	2	0	10	305:374		-69	4:20	6th MR Gr. 1
2015/16 RK Krim Mercator SLO	6	0	0	6	160:208		-48	0:12	4th Gr. A
2016/17 RK Krim Mercator SLO	12	4	0	8	294:345		-51	8:16	5th MR Gr. 2
2017/18 RK Krim Mercator SLO	12	4	1	7	301:335		-34	9:15	6th MR Gr. 1
2018/19 RK Krim Mercator SLO	12	3	2	7	297:328		-31	8:16	5th MR Gr. 2
2019/20 RK Krim Mercator SLO	12	3	1	8	310:348		-38	7:17	5th MR Gr. 2
2020/21 RK Krim Mercator SLO	16	3	3	10	371:422		-51	9:23	Play-offs
2021/22 Krim Mercator Ljubljana SLO	18	5	2	11	466:498		-32	12:24	Quarter-final
2022/23 Krim Mercator Ljubljana SLO	16	7	0	9	452:459		-7	14:18	Play-offs
2023/24 Krim Mercator Ljubljana SLO	14	6	1	7	389:384		+5	13:15	
Total:	314	137	20	157	8364:8481		-117	294:334	



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

6	MATCHES Longest winning run
7	MATCHES Longest unbeaten run
42	GOALS Most goals

Biggest win	36:12 (18:3) v Anagennisi Artas GRE (h), 25.01.1997
Biggest defeat	39:20 (19:8) v Buducnost MNE (a), 15.03.2015
Longest winning run	6 matches (04.01.2003 – 22.02.2003) 6 matches (08.01.2005 – 19.02.2005)
Longest unbeaten run	7 matches (20.02.2000 – 10.02.2001)
Longest losing run	16 matches (09.11.2014 – 15.10.2016)
Longest run without win	16 matches (09.11.2014 – 15.10.2016)
Most goals	42 v DHK Banik Most CZE 29:42W (a), 24.09.2022 42 v DHK Banik Most CZE 42:31W (h), 22.01.2023
Most goals opponent	47 v WHC Vardar SCBT MKD 29:47L (h), 06.03.2015
Most goals both teams	76 v 'Buducnost' MNE 36:40L (h), 04.03.2011 76 v WHC Vardar SCBT MKD 29:47L (h), 06.03.2015
Fewest goals	15 v Buducnost MNE 30:15L (a), 09.02.2014
Fewest goals opponent	12 v Anagennisi Artas GRE 36:12W (h), 25.01.1997
Fewest goals both teams	34 v ESBF Besancon FRA 19:15W (h), 02.01.1999

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
3	Manca	Juric	SLO	Line Player	18/01/1995	Ljubljana, SLO	174
4	Jovanka	Radicevic	MNE	Right Wing	23/10/1986	Podgorica, MNE	169
5	Tjaša	Stanko	SLO	Left Back	05/11/1997	Maribor, SLO	173
7	Allison	Pineau	FRA	Left Back	02/05/1989	Marron, FRA	181
8	Tamara	Mavsar	SLO	Left Wing	01/04/1991	Ljubljana, SLO	172
9	Nina	Spreitzer	SLO	Centre Back	04/03/1998	Ljubljana, SLO	178
11	Daria	Dmitrieva	RUS	Centre Back	09/08/1995	Togliatti, RUS	181
12	Barbara	Arenhart	BRA	Goalkeeper	04/10/1986	Novo Hamburgo, BRA	181
15	Valentina	Klemencic	SLO	Line Player	05/02/2002	Kranj, SLO	185
16	Maja	Vojnovic	SLO	Goalkeeper	26/01/1998	Novo mesto, SLO	180
17	Elena	Erceg	SLO	Left Wing	07/06/2006	Ljubljana, SLO	186
18	Nina	Zulic	SLO	Centre Back	04/12/1995	Ljubljana, SLO	
20	Alja	Varagic	SLO	Right Back	11/12/1990	Celje, SLO	185
23	Betchaidelle	Ngombe	CGO	Left Back	23/04/2004	Brazzaville, CGO	190
25	Barbara	Lazovic C	SLO	Right Back	04/01/1988	Brezice, SLO	183
34	Tatjana	Brnovic	MNE	Line Player	09/11/1998	Cetinje, MNE	184
66	Aleksandra	Rosiak	POL	Left Back	07/07/1997	Lubin, POL	182
75	Dijana	Đajic	SLO	Goalkeeper	03/10/2004	Ljubljana, SLO	185
88	Ema	Abina	SLO	Left Wing	18/02/1999	Ljubljana, SLO	170
96	Itana	Grbic	MNE	Centre Back	01/09/1996	Podgorica, MNE	171





COACH



**Dragan
Adžić**



- > Montenegrin coach who led Buducnost to two CL titles in his 10-year stint at that club, arrived at Krim in summer of 2022 to replace Nataliya Derepasko
- > has also been in charge of Slovenian women's national team since 2021
- > retired from playing due to injury in 1998 and started as an assistant coach at Buducnost three years later
- > became head coach of Buducnost and the Montenegrin national team in 2010; won the CL, Olympic silver, and EHF EURO gold in 2012
- > stepped down from his national team duties in 2017, started working with the Slovenian national team four years later

**EC trophies: CL 2012, 2015; CWC 2010
EURO: G 2012; OG: S 2012**

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

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ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

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GOALKEEPER 

Barbara Arenhart

 @babiarenhart

- > came to Krim in 2021 after one season at Buducnost
- > played for Sagunto, Byasen, Hypo Niederösterreich, Baia Mare, Nykøbing and Vác
- > made her first appearance in the CL in the 2009/10 season
- > experienced goalkeeper and member of Brazilian national team
- > named the best goalkeeper at the WCh 2013
- > All-star goalkeeper of the WCh 2013, when Brazil won gold

CWC 2013
WCh: G 2013



LEFT WING 

Tamara Mavsar

 @tamciii

- > born in Ljubljana and started her handball career at Krim, played for Vardar, returned to Krim and had a one-year stint with Siófok KC before returning to Ljubljana
- > returned to the national team in April 2022 after a three-year absence, also became a mother in that period
- > made her CL debut aged 17 and was named among the best up-and-coming CL players in 2012/13
- > reached CL final with Vardar in 2016/17 season



LEFT BACK 

Tjaša Stanko

 @tjasastanko

- > Slovenian international, who scored 75 times in the CL 2021/22 in her first season back with Krim following stints with Podravka and Metz
- > was voted best young player of the CL 2017/18 during her first period at Krim
- > playing mainly at left back, but is also effective at centre and right back
- > also leading player for Slovenian national team; scored 12 goals when Slovenia beat eventual champions Netherlands 32:26 at the 2019 WCh



CENTRE BACK 

Itana Grbic

 @iiiiig96

- > born in Podgorica and learned to play handball at Buducnost, but started senior career at Vardar where she played between 2014 and 2016
- > arrived at Krim in the summer of 2023 after one season with Brest Bretagne; previously played for Buducnost, CSM Bucuresti, and FTC
- > can perform as both left wing and centre back
- > wears number 96 as a reference to her year of birth

EURO: B 2022



CENTRE BACK



**Daria
Dmitrieva**

@dashikdmitrieva07

- > Russian national team captain, joining Krim in 2022 on loan from CSKA
- > moved to CSKA in 2019 from Lada, but missed the entire 2019/20 season due to an Achilles tendon injury
- > born in Togliatti, played for Volgograd before rejoining home town club Lada in 2015
- > won Olympic gold in 2016 and was named in the All-star Team

OG: G 2016; EURO: S 2018



LINE PLAYER



**Tatjana
Brnovic**

@tbrnovic34

- > scored 34 goals in her debut CL season in 2017/18; was named Rookie of the Main Round by EHFTV viewers
- > in 2023 she joined Krim Mercator for the second time; previously played for the club in 2022 after brief spells at Rostov-Don and Brest Bretagne
- > made her national team debut for Montenegro in 2017, previously a member of the youth and junior national teams
- > has more than 50 caps for Montenegro

EURO: B 2022



RIGHT BACK



**Barbara
Lazovic**

@barbaralazovic

- > Slovenian international, who returned to Krim in the summer of 2022 after eight years
- > played for Vardar, CSM Bucuresti (twice), and Buducnost in the meantime; reached the CL final with Vardar twice, in 2017 and 2018
- > 2020/21 season was her personal best with 61 goals for CSM
- > married to Montenegrin national team player Vuk Lazovic



RIGHT WING



**Jovanka
Radicevic**

@jovankaradicevic4

- > Montenegrin international, who arrived at Krim in 2022 after one year at Kastamonu
- > scored 91 times and passed the 1,000-goal mark in the CL 2022/23 season; later became the first player to reach the 1,100-goal milestone
- > previously played for Buducnost (in her native Podgorica), Györ, Vardar, and CSM; won the CL with Györ in 2013
- > part of the Montenegrin team that won Olympic silver and EHF EURO gold in 2012
- > named in All-star Team of EHF EURO 2012 and 2022, and WCh 2015

CL: 2013

EURO: G 2012, B 2022; OG: S 2012



2023/24 SEASON TOP SCORERS



**Daria
Dmitrieva**

 @dashikdmitrieva07

68 GOALS



**Jovanka
Radicevic**

 @radicevicjoksi4

60 GOALS




**Tamara
Mavsar**

 @tamcilli

54 GOALS



**Tjaša
Stanko**

 @tjasastanko

39 GOALS



**Itana
Grbic**

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34 GOALS





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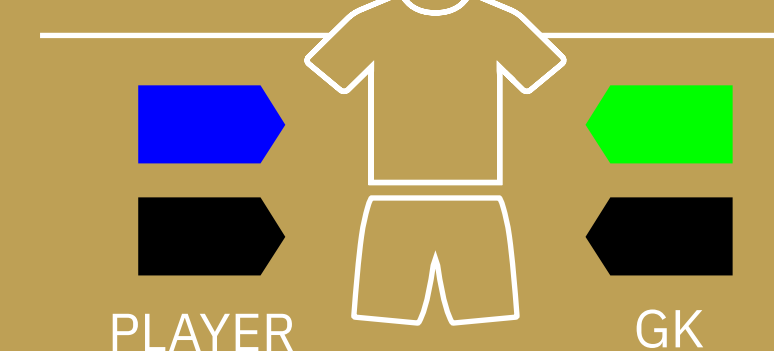
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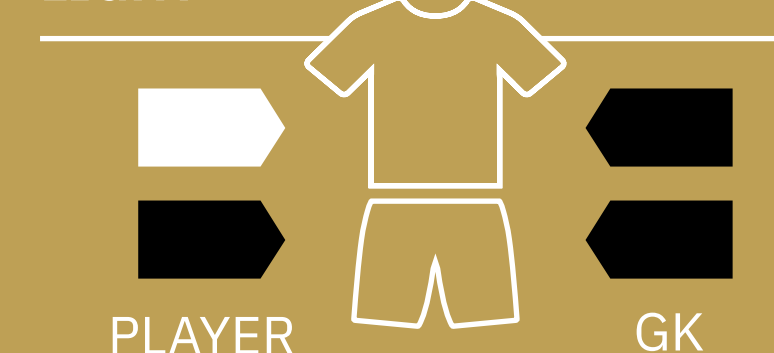
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FINAL STANDINGS GROUP A

1. Györi Audi ETO KC	14-23	(+76)
2. Odense Håndbold	14-21	(+102)
3. Brest Bretagne Handball	14-17	(+32)
4. CSM Bucuresti	14-17	(+48)
5. DVSC Schaeffler	14-15	(-20)
6. SG BBM Bietigheim	14-14	(+12)
7. WHC Buducnost BEMAX	14-5	(-122)
8. IK Sävehof	14-0	(-128)

Györ and Odense advance to the quarter-finals directly; Brest, CSM, DVSC, and Bietigheim continue in the play-offs

PLAY-OFFS

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CSM BUCUREȘTI

MAIN FACTS

- > CSM have made the CL knockout phase for the ninth consecutive season, and they have always qualified for the quarter-finals
- > the Romanian side has won four of their home matches this season, drawing another one and conceding two losses
- > only the top-two teams Győr (356) and Odense (359) conceded fewer goals than CSM (366) in group A
- > CSM's top scorer is Cristina Neagu with 72 goals; the left back became only the second female player to pass the 1,100-goal mark in the CL
- > having already lost five matches in the group phase, CSM are only two defeats shy of their highest number for a single season: in each of the 2018/19, 2020/21 and 2021/22 seasons they lost seven times

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League

Participations (including 2023/24 season): 9

Winners (1): 2015/16

Semi-finals (2): 2016/17, 2017/18

Quarter-finals (5): 2018/19, 2019/20*, 2020/21, 2021/22, 2022/23

* 2019/20 season not played to a finish due to Covid-19 pandemic

Other

EHF Cup: Last 16 2011/12

Romanian league: 6 titles (2015-18, 2021, 2023)

Romanian cup: 6 titles (2016-19, 2022, 2023)



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2015/16 CSM Bucuresti ROU	16	10	1	5	416:387		+29	21:11	Winner
2016/17 CSM Bucuresti ROU	16	10	1	5	427:407		+20	21:11	Third Place
2017/18 CSM Bucuresti ROU	16	10	1	5	455:395		+60	21:11	Third Place
2018/19 CSM Bucuresti ROU	14	6	1	7	400:390		+10	13:15	Quarter-final
2019/20 CSM Bucuresti ROU	12	7	1	4	314:288		+26	15:9	Quarter-final*
2020/21 CSM Bucuresti ROU	18	10	1	7	436:411		+25	21:15	Quarter-final
2021/22 CSM Bucuresti ROU	18	9	2	7	437:395		+42	20:16	Quarter-final
2022/23 CSM Bucuresti ROU	16	10	2	4	498:451		+47	22:10	Quarter-final
2023/24 CSM Bucuresti ROU	14	8	1	5	414:366		+48	17:11	
Total:	140	80	11	49	3797:3490		+307	171:109	

* Quarter-finals and EHF FINAL4 cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic.



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

6	MATCHES Longest winning run
7	MATCHES Longest unbeaten run
44	GOALS Most goals

Biggest win	44:26 (24:15) v WHC Budunost BEMAX MNE (h), 07.01.2024
Biggest defeat	33:23 (19:10) v FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN (a), 25.01.2020
Longest winning run	6 matches (04.12.2022 – 22.01.2023)
Longest unbeaten run	7 matches (04.12.2022 – 05.02.2023)
Longest losing run	3 matches (22.10.2016 – 04.11.2016)
	3 matches (10.11.2019 – 25.01.2020)
	3 matches (19.11.2020 – 16.01.2021)
	3 matches (11.04.2021 – 18.09.2021)
	3 matches (12.02.2023 – 07.05.2023)
Longest run without win	5 matches (23.02.2019 – 13.04.2019)
Most goals	42 v WHC Buducnost BEMAX MNE 42:26W (h), 07.01.2024
Most goals opponent	38 v HC Vardar MKD 33:38L (n), 06.05.2017
Most goals both teams	71 v HC Vardar MKD 33:38L (n), 06.05.2017
	71 v Odense Håndbold DEN 40:31W (h), 14.01.2023
Fewest goals	19 v CSKA RUS 24:19L (a), 11.04.2021
Fewest goals opponent	17 v IK Sävehof SWE 17:28W (a), 23.10.2015
Fewest goals both teams	42 v Rostov-Don RUS 20:22W (a), 11.11.2016

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
1	Laura	Glauser	FRA	Goalkeeper	20/08/1993	Besancon, FRA	178
2	Mihaela	Mihai	ROU	Right Wing	15/12/2004	Bucharest, ROU	178
3	Emilie Hegh	Arntzen	NOR	Left Back	01/01/1994	Porsgrunn, NOR	184
4	Ramona	Apuscaroae	ROU	Right Wing	25/10/2004	Bucharest, ROU	
5	Maria	Voicu	ROU	Centre Back	01/04/2006	Bucharest, ROU	
7	Grace	Zaadi	FRA	Centre Back	07/07/1993	Courcouronnes, FRA	171
8	Cristina	Neagu C	ROU	Left Back	26/08/1988	Bucharest, ROU	180
9	Dana	Rotaru	ROU	Centre Back	20/02/1994	Brasov, ROU	175
10	Angela	Stoica	ROU	Left Back	24/08/2003	Ploiesti, ROU	182
11	Mioara	Ciubotaru	ROU	Left Back	14/04/2006	Focsani, ROU	182
12	Marie	Skurtveit Davidsen	NOR	Goalkeeper	20/08/1993	Bergen, NOR	178
14	Zeljka	Nikolic	SRB	Right Wing	12/07/1991	Priboj, SRB	164
16	Evelina	Eriksson	SWE	Goalkeeper	20/08/1996	Österhaninge, SWE	185
17	Elizabeth	Omoregie	SLO	Centre Back	29/12/1996	Athens, GRE	178
18	Jennifer	Gutiérrez	ESP	Left Wing	20/02/1995	Horgen, SUI	169
20	Laura	Flippes	FRA	Right Back	13/12/1994	Strasbourg, FRA	171
21	Alexandra	Dindiligan	ROU	Left Wing	16/02/1997	Galati, ROU	174
22	Katia	Supiala	ROU	Line Player	21/03/2005	Bucharest, ROU	177
23	Larisa	Luca	ROU	Line Player	08/10/2005	Bucharest, ROU	
25	Trine	Jensen Østergaard	DEN	Right Wing	17/10/1991	Skanderborg, DEN	166
28	Monika	Kobylińska	POL	Right Back	09/04/1995	Zary, POL	177
31	Maria	Morogan	ROU	Right Back	20/05/2004	Bucharest, ROU	175
32	Ioana	Nita	ROU	Goalkeeper	04/05/2006	Bucharest, ROU	
40	Irina	Maxim	ROU	Right Back	28/11/2005	Tirgu Neamt, ROU	180
49	Andreea	Ailincăi	ROU	Line Player	15/12/2003	Bacau, ROU	185
51	Vilde	Ingstad	NOR	Line Player	18/12/1994	Oslo, NOR	178
77	Crina	Pintea	ROU	Line Player	03/04/1990	Podu Turcului, ROU	192





COACH

**Adrian Vasile**

- > former right wing for Steaua Bucuresti between 2001 and 2011, won the Challenge Cup in 2006
- > started coaching career as strength and conditioning coach at Steaua before joining CSM in 2014 as assistant to Mette Klit
- > won the CL in 2016 as assistant coach of Kim Rasmussen; took over as head coach of CSM in 2019

Challenge Cup 2006 (as player)

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

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ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

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GOALKEEPER 


**Laura
Glauser**

 @lauraglauser


- > French international, who arrived at CSM in the summer of 2022 from Győr
- > spent 10 years at Metz in her native France before joining Győr in 2020 and made the CL 2021/22 All-star Team
- > gave birth to daughter Kaniela in 2018, returned to the court after three months
- > made national team debut in 2012, won six medals since 2016, most recently the world title in 2023

OG: S 2016; EURO: G 2018, S 2020, B 2016;
WCh: G 2023, S 2021



LEFT WING 

**Jennifer
Gutierrez**

 @gb_jenni

- > born in Horgen, Switzerland, but has Spanish citizenship; lived there until she was six and her parents went back to Spain
- > joined from city rivals Rapid Bucurestin 2023; had arrived at Rapid after two seasons with Dortmund, her first foreign club
- > previously played for Spanish sides Elche, Malaga, and Mecalía
- > best left wing in 2016/17 and MVP in 2019/20 of the Spanish league, an important member of Spain's national handball team
- > also a beach handball international; won world title with Spain in 2016

WCh: S 2019



LEFT BACK 

**Cristina
Neagu**

 @cristinaneaguofficial

- > four-time IHF World Player of the Year, widely regarded as best Romanian player ever
- > left Romania in 2013 for Buducnost but returned to her hometown club CSM in 2017
- > three times the top scorer of the CL (2015, 2018, 2022), is the second player to pass the 1,100-goal mark
- > all-time top scorer of EHF EURO with 303 goals, named All-star left back of the competition four times
- > 2015 WCh MVP and top scorer, EURO 2010 top scorer
- > best left back at the EHF Excellence Awards 2023

CL: 2015
EURO: B 2010; WCh: B 2015



CENTRE BACK 

**Grace
Zaadi**

 @gracezaadi

- > French international, who left Rostov to return to her former club Metz in March 2022 and play the EHF FINAL4 2022, before joining CSM in the summer of 2022
- > has Cameroonian heritage, her name, Grace, which can be translated to “mercy” or “blessing”, was passed to her by her grandmother
- > leading French national team player, won eight medals with France since 2016, including a golden hat-trick at the EHF EURO, world championship and Olympic Games
- > started playing handball at the age of nine; also tried football before falling in love with handball

EURO: G 2018, S 2020, B 2016; OG: G 2020, S 2016;
WCh: G 2017, 2023, S 2021



- > joined Esbjerg from Norwegian league club Oppsal IF in the summer of 2016, moved to CSM Bucuresti in the summer of 2023
- > a big and physically strong line player who is also very good in defence, became a crucial member of Norway's national team, with whom she won the gold medal at the EHF EURO and World Championship
- > Norwegian international, who was voted best league player in Denmark in 2018/19
- > hailing from a Norwegian mother and a Danish father, Ingstad has earned over 100 caps for Norway

EURO: G 2016, 2022

WCh: G 2015, 2021, S 2017, 2023



- > rejoined from Győr in summer of 2022, after her earlier stint with CSM between 2019 and 2021
- > won CL with Győr in 2019 and was named CL All-star line player that season
- > her younger sister, Andreea Ailincai, is also a professional handball player with CSM
- > has an Eiffel tower tattoo since playing for Paris changed her life
- > her passion is knitting, used it to create facemasks during the Covid-19 pandemic

CL: 2019

WCh: B 2015



- > a key player in both attack and defence, for both club and country, one of the most experienced Polish players
- > after playing for Gliwice and Plock, she moved to Gdynia, where she became the Polish league's top scorer in 2015/16 with 207 goals
- > won the Polish championship in 2017 and the Polish Cup in 2015 and 2016 with Gdynia
- > moved to German club Metzingen in 2017 before joining French side Brest Bretagne in 2019, where she spent four years before moving to CSM
- > has played for Poland's national team since 2015 and was a CL finalist with Brest in 2021



- > Danish international, who arrived at CSM in 2023 after playing for fellow CL 2023/24 play-off sides Bietigheim, Odense, and Midtjylland (currently Ikast)
- > gained a lot of CL experience during her nine seasons spent at Ikast, the club which formed her as a player, before moving to Odense in 2017
- > regular in the Danish national team since 2011, made the top 15 in the all-time top goal scorers and the top 20 in the all-time number of games played for Denmark
- > was also a decent football player until opting to play only handball at age 15

EL: 2022; EHF Cup: 2011; CWC: 2015

EURO: S 2022; WCh: B 2013, 2021, 2023



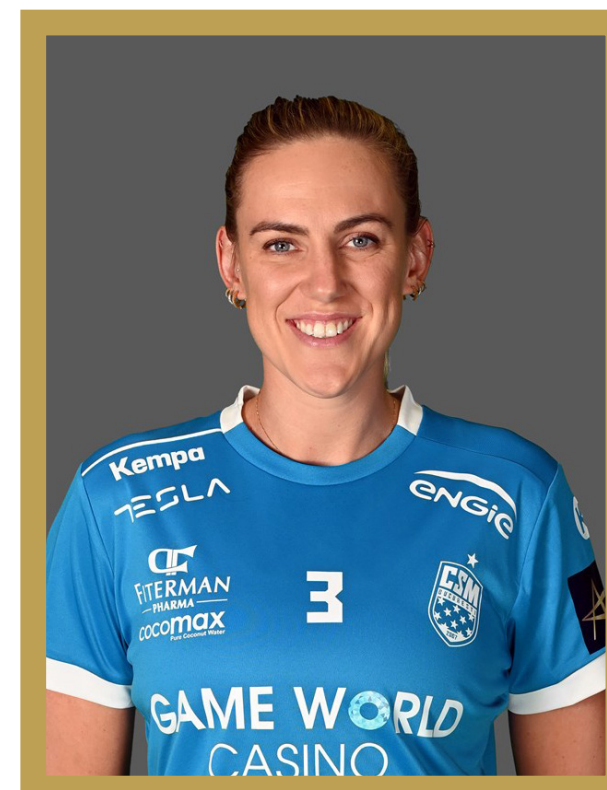
2023/24 SEASON TOP SCORERS



**Cristina
Neagu**

@cristinaneaguofficial

72 GOALS



**Emilie
Høgh Arntzen**

@emiliehegh

50 GOALS



**Vilde
Ingstad**

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49 GOALS



**Trine
Østergaard**

@toestergaard

39 GOALS



**Alexandra
Dindiligan**

@dnd.alexandra

36 GOALS



I DVSC SCHAEFFLER VS VIPERS KRISTIANSAND

FIRST LEG: SUNDAY 17 MARCH 2024, 14:00 CET, DEBRECEN (HUN)

SECOND LEG: SATURDAY 23 MARCH 2024, 18:00 CET, KRISTIANSAND (NOR)

HEAD TO HEAD

DVSC Schaeffler vs Vipers Kristiansand 0-0-0

No previous encounters in European competitions



DVSC SCHAEFFLER

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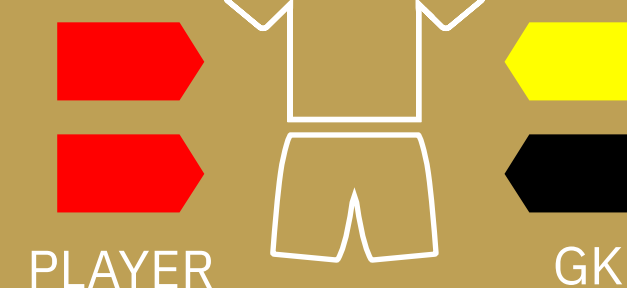
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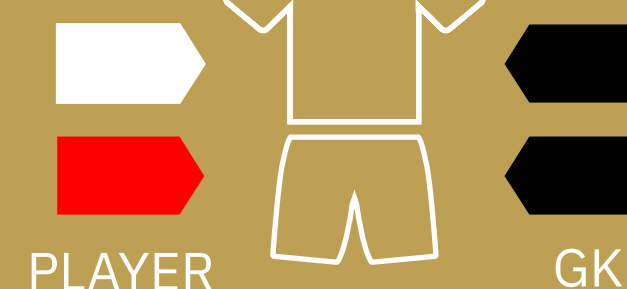
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KIT COLOURS

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FINAL STANDINGS GROUP A

1. Györi Audi ETO KC	14-23	(+76)
2. Odense Håndbold	14-21	(+102)
3. Brest Bretagne Handball	14-17	(+32)
4. CSM Bucuresti	14-17	(+48)
5. DVSC Schaeffler	14-15	(-20)
6. SG BBM Bietigheim	14-14	(+12)
7. WHC Buducnost BEMAX	14-5	(-122)
8. IK Sävehof	14-0	(-128)

Győr and Odense advance to the quarter-finals directly; Brest, CSM, DVSC, and Bietigheim continue in the play-offs

PLAY-OFFS

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DVSC SCHAEFFLER

MAIN FACTS

- > in their return to the CL after more than a decade, DVSC had a superb group phase and won seven matches
- > DVSC are one of two teams that qualified for the play-offs with a negative goal difference, and both teams are Hungarian: DVSC ended group A with a -20 goal difference, FTC had on -21 in group B
- > between the teams qualified for the knock-out phase, only FTC (387) and Krim (389) scored fewer goals than DVSC's 394
- > left back Gréta Kácsor is the team's top scorer with 68 goals
- > right wing Alexandra Töpfner has scored the most penalties in the group phase: 39, nine more than any other player
- > DVSC were the one of the in-form teams near the end of the group phase, winning four of their last five matches, including against Győr

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League

Participations (including 2023/24 season): 3

Group Matches (1): 2010/11

Qualification (1): 2011/12

Other

EHF Cup: Winners 1994/95, 1995/96; Final 1993/94

Champions Trophy: Final 1994/95

Hungarian league: 2 titles (1955, 1987)

Hungarian cup: 5 titles (1985, 1987, 1989, 1990, 1991)



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2010/11 DVSC – Korvex HUN	6	1	0	5	143:171		-28	2:10	4th Gr. B
2023/24 DVSC Schaeffler	14	7	1	6	394:414		-20	15:13	
Total:	20	8	1	11	537:585		-48	17:23	



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

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MATCHES
Longest
winning run

4

MATCHES
Longest
unbeaten run

36

GOALS
Most goals

Biggest win	27:36 (14:18) v IK Sävehof SWE (a), 18.02.2024
Biggest defeat	39:24 (20:14) v Itxako Reyno De Navarra ESP (a), 20.11.2010
Longest winning run	3 matches (04.02.2024 – 18.02.2024)
Longest unbeaten run	4 matches (21.10.2023 – 18.11.2023)
Longest losing run	5 matches (13.10.2010 – 20.11.2010)
Longest run without win	5 matches (13.10.2010 – 20.11.2010)
Most goals	36 v IK Sävehof SWE 27:36W (a), 18.02.2024
Most goals opponent	39 v Itxako Reyno De Navarra ESP 39:24L (a), 20.11.2010
Most goals both teams	66 v Brest Bretagne Handball FRA 38:28L (a), 06.01.2024)
Fewest goals	19 v HC Leipzig GER 19:20L (h), 07.11.2010
Fewest goals opponent	20 v HC Leipzig GER 19:20L (h), 07.11.2010
Fewest goals both teams	39 v HC Leipzig GER 19:20L (h), 07.11.2010

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
5	Konszuéla	Hámori	HUN	Right Back	04/08/1996	Salgótarján, HUN	168
7	Elinore	Johansson	SWE	Right Back	19/03/1996	Hässleholm, SWE	180
10	Inez	Szijjártó	HUN	Left Wing	16/03/2005	Debrecen, HUN	176
13	Petra	Füzi-Tóvizi	HUN	Line Player	15/03/1999	Nyíregyháza, HUN	178
16	Gabrijela	Bartulovic	CRO	Goalkeeper	06/12/1994	Zagreb, CRO	175
18	Vivien	Grosch	HUN	Right Wing	17/04/1997	Budapest, HUN	168
22	Jovana	Jovovic	SRB	Left Back	04/12/2001	Vrbas, SRB	181
24	Míra	Vámos	HUN	Left Wing	23/02/2003	Ózd, HUN	170
25	Liliána	Csernyánszki	HUN	Centre Back	25/08/2004	Debrecen, HUN	164
28	Alexandra	Töpfner	HUN	Right Wing	08/02/1996	Szekszárd, HUN	170
29	Nóra	Nagy	HUN	Right Back	09/03/2004	Jászberény, HUN	176
31	Csege	Kiss	HUN	Right Wing	12/04/2005	Komárom, HUN	175
35	Lili	Csamangó	HUN	Centre Back	01/12/2005	Szeged, HUN	169
38	Petra	Vámos C	HUN	Centre Back	14/09/2000	Ózd, HUN	170
39	Laura	Demjén	HUN	Goalkeeper	20/10/2005	Budapest, HUN	180
40	Veronika	Fodor	HUN	Line Player	11/05/2005	Debrecen, HUN	168
43	Szimonetta	Planeta	HUN	Right Back	12/12/1993	Kazinccarcika, HUN	196
44	Gréta	Kácsor	HUN	Left Back	24/04/2000	Budapest, HUN	175
45	Réka	Lakatos	HUN	Goalkeeper	04/03/2005	Miskolc, HUN	181
55	Tamara	Haggerty	NED	Line Player	29/04/1996	Haarlem, NED	178
71	Mirtill	Petrus	HUN	Left Wing	14/11/2001	Debrecen, HUN	169
81	Nina	Szabó	HUN	Centre Back	18/12/2001	Debrecen, HUN	171
83	Dorina	Kelemen	HUN	Left Back	05/09/2004	Mátészalka, HUN	172
88	Mariana	Costa	BRA	Right Wing	14/10/1992	Sao Paulo/SP, BRA	166
92	Dóra	Hornyák	HUN	Left Back	24/01/1992	Debrecen, HUN	179
94	Catherine	Gabriel	FRA	Goalkeeper	04/09/1994	Yaoundé, CMR	172





COACH



Zoltán Szilágyi



- > son of former Hungarian international Istvan Szilagyi, who played 214 games and scored 541 goals for the national team
- > his brother, Viktor, was also a handball player and represented Austria, winning the CL with Kiel in 2007, and is now Kiel's sporting director
- > managed men's team Dabas before coming to Vác in 2016, his first stint as a coach of a women's team
- > moved to Debrecen in 2021 after five years with Vác, is also the coach of the women's junior national team

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

Mariana Costa > (unknown)

ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

Nina Szabó < (MTK Budapest, back from loan)



GOALKEEPER



Catherine Gabriel

@cath__gabriel

- > born in Cameroon, moved to France when she was a kid, started playing handball at a young age
- > had a dual career when she was younger, also winning beauty pageants aside from handball
- > moved to Paris in 2020 after playing for Besançon, her first professional club, and Nantes, from 2018 to 2020, signing for DVSC in 2022 was her first experience outside of France
- > represented France in the younger age categories, also made her debut for the senior national team

EURO: G 2018



LEFT BACK



Jovana Jovović

@jovana jovovic

- > Serbian international, who arrived at DVSC in November 2022
- > previously played for Hungarian sides Dunaújváros and Budaörs
- > scored 28 goals in the group phase of 2023/24, her first season in the CL, including five in a remarkable 29:28 win over five-time CL winners Győr
- > still in her early 20s, but already an established player for the Serbian national team
- > playing the 2019 WCh at age 17, she became the youngest ever Serbian player to compete at a major event



LEFT BACK



Gréta Kácsor

@kacsorgreta4

- > discovered by Hungarian league rivals Vác when she was only 14, in 2014; joined DVSC as her second professional club in 2022
- > leading scorer for DVSC in the CL 2023/24 group phase with 68 goals
- > won gold at Junior WCh in 2018 and at W19 EHF EURO 2019 with Hungary
- > made her debut in the national team in 2020 and played at the EHF EURO final tournament that year
- > named the best Hungarian youth handball player of the year twice, in 2017 and 2018



CENTRE BACK



Petra Vámos

@petra.vamos38

- > started handball at age eight, also competed in athletics until she was 13
- > former captain of Hungary's junior national, she also started physical therapy and physical classes at the University of Debrecen
- > sister Mira is a teammate in Debrecen; both started in Ozd, their hometown, before joining the Hungarian National Handball Academy
- > named Hungary's Talent of the Year in 2019, when she won the W19 EHF EURO with Hungary



LINE PLAYER



**Tamara
Haggerty**

@tamarahaggerty5

- > Dutch international, who played in the Netherlands, Germany, Sweden, and Denmark before signing for DVSC in the summer of 2023
- > was just 20 when she first went abroad in 2016, joining Bad Wildungen in Germany
- > the 2023 WCh, where Netherlands finished fifth, was for first major event playing for the national team
- > made her CL debut in 2022 with Sävehof, in the same season she won her first trophy, the Swedish league



LINE PLAYER



**Szimonetta
Planeta**

@szimiplaneta

- > at 1.96m, Planeta is the tallest player in the CL this season, a huge advantage in defence
- > bred at Györ, she played for Veszprém Barabas, Thüringer HC, and Chambray Touraine, before moving back to Hungary and join DVSC in 2021
- > won three domestic titles and four Cups with Györ, played over 60 matches for the national team of Hungary
- > switched to a vegan diet when playing in France, at Chambray



RIGHT BACK



**Elinore
Johansson**

@johanssonelinore

- > Swedish international, who joined DVSC in 2023 for her first club outside Scandinavia; will move to German side Metzingen in the summer of 2024
- > previously played for domestic club Lugj HK and Norwegian sides Larvik HK and Storhamar
- > during her stint as Larvik, she worked part-time as a waitress in a local restaurant
- > stood out as a youth player for Sweden and has played several senior games for her country



RIGHT WING



**Alexandra
Töpfner**

- > Hungarian international, who arrived at DVSC in the summer of 2022 for the fifth Hungarian side in her career; has never played for a foreign club
- > was among DVSC's best scorers in the CL 2023/24 group phase with 61 goals, already her personal best by far in a European club season
- > made her national team debut for Hungary shortly before EHF EURO 2022; also played at the 2023 WCh, where she scored nine times



2023/24 SEASON TOP SCORERS



**Gréta
Kácsor**

 @kacsorgreta4

68 GOALS



**Alexandra
Töpfner**

61 GOALS



**Petra
Vámos**

 @petra.vamos38

52 GOALS




**Konszuéla
Hámori**

34 GOALS



**Jovana
Jovovic**

 @jovanajovoviic

28 GOALS





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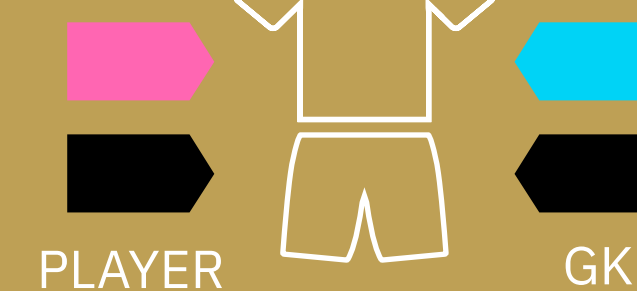


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FINAL STANDINGS GROUP B

1. Metz Handball	14-22	(+68)
2. Team Esbjerg	14-22	(+37)
3. Ikast Handbold	14-21	(+41)
4. Vipers Kristiansand	14-15	(+42)
5. Krim Mercator Ljubljana	14-13	(+5)
6. FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	14-10	(-21)
7. CS Rapid Bucuresti	14-9	(-33)
8. MKS Zagłębie Lubin	14-0	(-139)

Metz and Esbjerg advance to the quarter-finals directly; Ikast, Vipers, Krim, and FTC continue in the play-offs



VIPERS KRISTIANSAND

MAIN FACTS

- > the reigning champions head to the play-offs for the first time since the 2020/21 season, when they won their maiden CL title
- > Vipers have lost six matches this season, as many as in the previous two seasons combined, and finished fourth in their group
- > they lost three matches on home court and won three away matches
- > Vipers have won four of their last five matches for a late surge
- > right back Anna Vyakhireva is the third best scorer in the CL after the group phase with 86 goals, three less than leader Sarah Bouktit
- > Vipers goalkeeper Katrine Lunde has made the third largest number of saves (141) though she played in only 11 of the 14 matches

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League

Participations (including 2023/24 season): 7

Winners (3): 2020/21, 2021/22, 2022/23

Semi-finals (1): 2018/19

Main round (1): 2019/20

Group matches (1): 2017/18

Other

Cup Winners' Cup: Quarter-finals 2015/16

EHF Cup: Final 2017/18; Semi-final 2003/04; Last 16 2004/05

Norwegian league: 6 titles (2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023)

Norwegian cup: 6 titles (2018-23)



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2017/18 Vipers Kristiansand NOR	6	1	0	5	144:154		-10	2:10	4th Gr. D
2018/19 Vipers Kristiansand NOR	16	10	1	5	451:416		+35	21:11	Third Place
2019/20 Vipers Kristiansand NOR	12	3	1	8	339:356		-17	7:17	5th MR Gr. 1
2020/21 Vipers Kristiansand NOR	20	11	3	6	516:490		+26	25:15	Winners
2021/22 Vipers Kristiansand NOR	18	14	0	4	566:477		+89	28:8	Winners
2022/23 Vipers Kristiansand NOR	18	15	1	2	592:488		+104	31:5	Winners
2023/24 Vipers Kristiansand NOR	14	7	1	6	445:403		+42	15:13	
Total:	104	61	7	36	3053:2784		+269	129:79	



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

9	MATCHES Longest winning run
9	MATCHES Longest unbeaten run
43	GOALS Most goals

Biggest win	21:43 (15:20) v DHK Banik Most CZE (a), 03.12.2022
Biggest defeat	22:31 (8:18) v Györi Audi ETO KC HUN (n), 11.05.2019 26:17 (12:10) v Metz Handball FRA (a), 03.11.2019
Longest winning run	9 matches (12.02.2022 – 24.09.2022) 9 matches (07.01.2023 – 04.06.2023)
Longest unbeaten run	9 matches (12.02.2022 – 24.09.2022) 9 matches (07.01.2023 – 04.06.2023)
Longest losing run	6 matches (25.01.2020 – 07.03.2020)
Longest run without win	7 matches (22.10.2017 – 20.10.2018)
Most goals	43 v DHK Banik Most CZE 21:43W (a), 03.12.2022
Most goals opponent	38 v Metz Handball FRA 38:38D (h), 20.10.2019
Most goals both teams	76 v Metz Handball FRA 38:38D (h), 20.10.2019
Fewest goals	17 v Metz Handball FRA 26:17L (a), 03.11.2019
Fewest goals opponent	18 v Buducnost MNE 25:18W (h), 13.04.2019
Fewest goals both teams	41 v Metz Handball FRA 23:18L (a), 26.09.2021

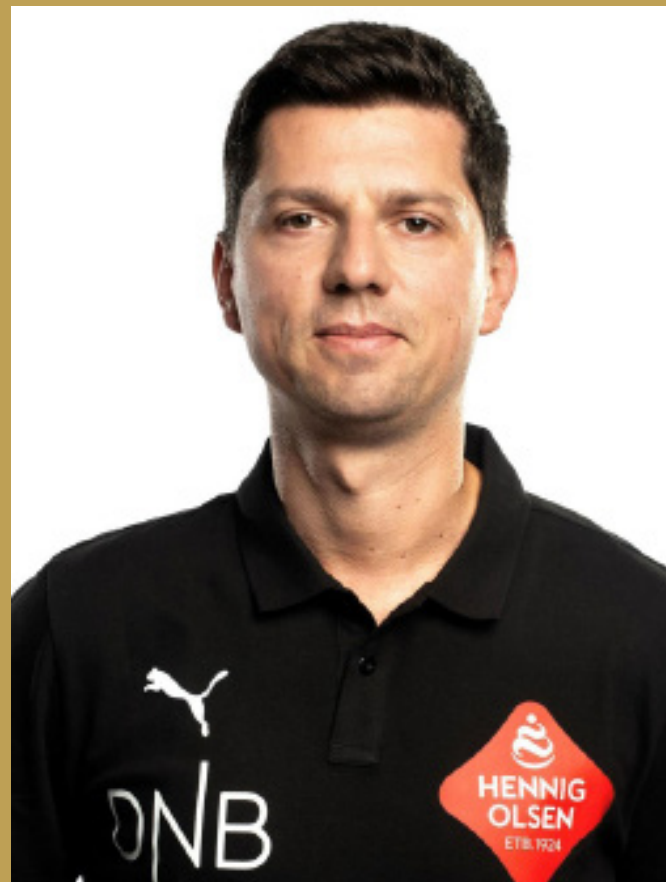
TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
1	Sofie	Börjesson	SWE	Goalkeeper	31/05/1997	Herrestad, SWE	186
6	Oceane	Sercien-Ugolin	FRA	Right Back	15/12/1997	Cherbourg-Octeville, FRA	175
7	Martine	Kårigstad Andersen	NOR	Left Back	07/05/2002	Kristiansand, NOR	175
8	Karine	Dahlum	NOR	Right Back	16/12/1999	Kristiansand, NOR	179
9	Jamina	Roberts	SWE	Left Back	28/05/1990	Bergsjön, SWE	176
10	Vilde	Kaurin Jonassen	NOR	Left Wing	01/09/1992	Kristiansand, NOR	164
11	Silje	Waade	NOR	Right Back	20/03/1994	Stjørdal, NOR	183
12	Julie	Stokkendal Poulsen	DEN	Goalkeeper	06/06/2001	Viborg, DEN	180
13	Anna	Vyakhireva	RUS	Right Back	13/03/1995	Volgograd, RUS	168
14	Tuva Ulsaker	Høve	NOR	Right Wing	11/06/2000	Trondheim, NOR	175
15	Tuva	Pharo	NOR	Line Player	07/07/2004	Bærum, NOR	176
16	Katrine	Lunde C	NOR	Goalkeeper	30/03/1980	Kristiansand, NOR	181
18	Mina	Hesselberg	NOR	Left Wing	20/04/2000	Langhus, NOR	177
20	Lysa	Tchaptchet	ESP	Line Player	20/12/2001	Yaoundé, CMR	183
21	Paula	Arcos	ESP	Back	21/12/2001	Petrer (Alicante), ESP	166
22	Marta	Tomac	NOR	Back	20/09/1990	Trondheim, NOR	179
23	Lois	Abbingh	NED	Centre Back	13/08/1992	Groningen, NED	177
27	Sunniva	Næs Andersen	NOR	Left Wing	12/11/1996	Porsgrunn, NOR	173
31	Ana	Debelic	CRO	Line Player	09/01/1994	Rijeka, CRO	183
32	Kjerstin	Boge Solås	NOR	Back	31/12/1997	Trondheim, NOR	175
33	Luisa	Schulze	GER	Line Player	14/09/1990	Altenburg, GER	190
37	Jana	Knedlikova	CZE	Right Wing	22/06/1989	Praha, CZE	168





COACH



**Tomáš
Hlavatý**



- > became Vipers head coach in the summer of 2023, having served as an assistant under the previous head coach, Ole Gustav Gjekstad
- > leads the three-time CL winners together with Danish legendary player Lene Rantala, who also is a goalkeeper coach
- > first started with coaching at the age of 16, helping his mother who was coaching the junior team in their hometown of Sala
- > before joining Vipers, he coached Michalovce, Partizanske, Slavia Prague, and Mosonmagyaróvár, and worked as an assistant at Győr, Rostov, and the Russian national team

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

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ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

Kjerstin Boge Solås < (Byåsen Håndball Elite/NOR)



GOALKEEPER



**Katrine
Lunde**

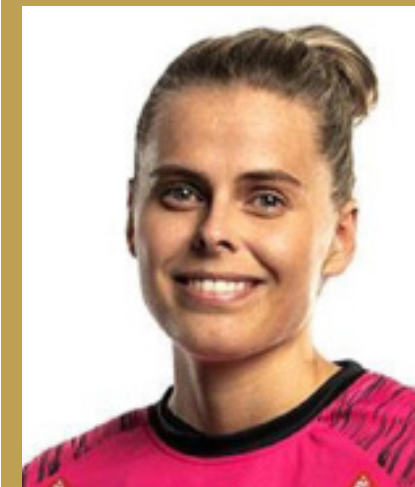
@katrinelundenor

- > Norwegian international, who is still a world-class goalkeeper in her 40s, with a storied career that included spells with Viborg, Győr, and Rostov-Don
- > has most saves (146) among all goalkeepers in CL 2022/23 quarter-finals
- > returned in 2020/21 from a severe knee injury, has won the CL each season since
- > record seven-time CL winner – two times each with Viborg and Győr, and three times with Vipers
- > winning silver with Norway at the 2023 WCh was her 18th medal with the national team

CL: 2009, 2010, 2013, 2014, 2021, 2022, 2023; EHF Cup 2017

EURO: G 2004, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2020, 2022, S 2002, 2012;

OG: G 2008, 2012, B 2016; WCh: G 2011, 2021, S 2007, 2017, 2023, B 2009



LEFT WING



**Sunniva
Andersen**

@sunnivaandersen

- > joined Vipers from Gjerpen IF in 2017; won CL three times and Norwegian league five times since
- > quit handball while playing for Gjerpen, but moved to Kristiansand to study, where then-Vipers coach Kenneth Gabrielsen ignited her passion for the sport again
- > contributed 51 goals to Vipers' CL success in 2022/23, raising her career CL tally to well over 100
- > made national team debut for Norway in 2021, won EHF EURO gold the following year

CL: 2021, 2022, 2023

EURO: G 2022; WCh: S 2023



LEFT BACK



**Jamina
Roberts**

@jaminaroberts

- > Swedish international, who joined Vipers in the summer of 2022 from IK Sävehof
- > has scored 81 goals in the CL 2022/23 group phase in her first season at Vipers
- > made the All-star Team at the Tokyo Olympics, where Sweden finished fourth
- > gave birth to her first child in August 2020, but returned to playing within weeks
- > her brother, Calvin, was the All-star left wing at the Men's 20 EHF EURO 2022

CL 2023 EHF EURO: S 2010, B 2014



CENTRE BACK




**Lois
Abbingh**

@loisabbingh1


- > joined Vipers from Odense in summer of 2023, three years after switching to Denmark after leaving Rostov-Don
- > was first Dutch player in Russian handball, joining Rostov in 2018 from Issy Paris; previously played for Emmen, Oldenburg (both NED) and Baia Mare (ROU)
- > scored her personal best of 84 goals in the 2020/21 CL season
- > one of the few players to constantly shoot the ball at speeds over 100 km/h
- > her parents, grandparents and aunt also played handball
- > in WCh 2019 final, scored the winning goal for the Netherlands against Spain

EURO: S 2016, B 2018; WCh: G 2019, S 2015, B 2017



LINE PLAYER 

Luisa Schulze

 @luisa_schulze3313

- > German international, who joined Vipers in summer of 2023 after six seasons with Bietigheim and one split between Neckarsulm and Metz
- > previously played for HC Leipzig from the age of 16
- > at 190 cm, is tallest player in her squads at both club and national team
- > went through all YAC national teams and is a regular in the senior team again since Henk Groener became the coach
- > best defensive player of W19 EHF EURO 2009



RIGHT BACK 

Anna Vyakhireva

 @annavyakhireva13

- > arrived at Vipers in summer of 2022 from Rostov-Don for her first club outside Russia
- > took a break from handball after the Tokyo Olympics, returned in the spring of 2022
- > MVP of 2016 and 2020 Olympics and EURO 2018; CL All-star left back twice
- > her father Viktor Vyakhirev was a handball coach, while her sister Polina Kuznetsova plays handball professionally as a left wing
- > MVP of the 2016 Olympics, EHF EURO 2018, EHF FINAL4 2023

CL: 2023; EHF Cup: 2017
EURO: S 2018; OG: G 2016, S 2020, WCh: B 2019



RIGHT BACK 

Océane Sercien Ugolin

 @oceane_sercien

- > French international, who arrived in the summer of 2022 from Slovenian side Krim
- > born in Cherbourg to parents originally from Guadeloupe, started career at Paris 92
- > scored 65 times for Krim in her maiden CL season 2020/21, by far her personal best
- > got bachelor's degree in Finance, Business and Administration Management, from an online education during her two-year stint in Ljubljana

CL: 2023
WCh: G 2023; OG: G 2020, EURO: S 2020



RIGHT WING 

Jana Knedlíková

 @jana_knedlikova

- > Czech international, who joined Vipers in 2020 after five years with Győr
- > became the first player from Czechia to win the CL – with Győr in 2017; is one of only four female players to have won the CL six times, but the only one to have it six times in a row
- > 2023/24 is already her personal best CL season by far, having scored 80 times in the group phase
- > used to do ice skating and ballet as a child

CL 2017, 2018, 2019, 2021, 2022, 2023



2023/24 SEASON TOP SCORERS



**Anna
Vyakhireva**

@annavyakhireva13

86 GOALS



**Jana
Knedlíková**

@jana_knedlikova

80 GOALS



**Lois
Abbingh**

@loisabbingh1

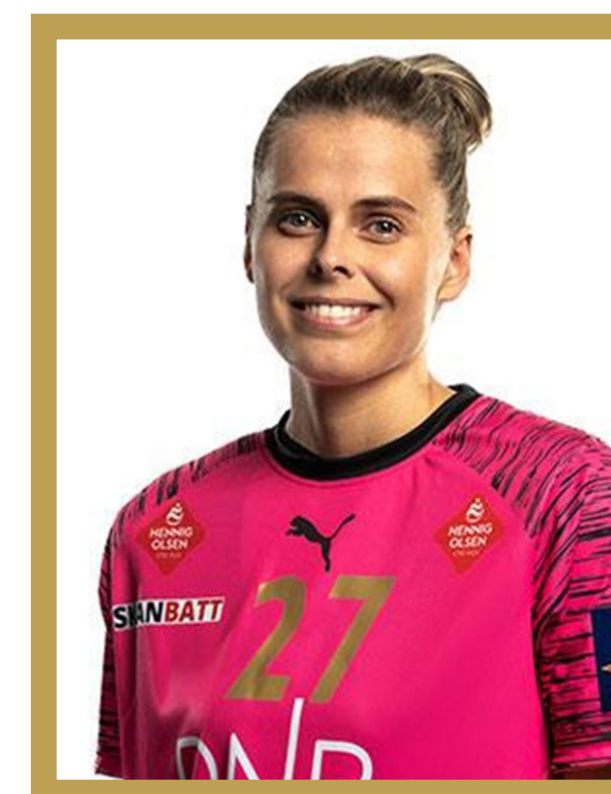
58 GOALS



**Jamina
Roberts**

@jaminaroberts

57 GOALS



**Sunniva
Andersen**

@sunnivaandersen

44 GOALS

SG BBM BIETIGHEIM VS IKAST HANDBOLD

FIRST LEG: SUNDAY 17 MARCH 2024, 16:00 CET, LUDWIGSBURG (GER)

SECOND LEG: SUNDAY 24 MARCH 2024, 14:00 CET, IKAST (DEN)

HEAD TO HEAD

SG BBM Bietigheim vs Ikast Handbold 1-1-1 (85:92)

3:3

18.01.2020	SG BBM Bietigheim vs Herning-Ikast Handbold, EHF Cup – Group D	26:26 (14:11)
25.01.2020	Herning-Ikast Handbold vs SG BBM Bietigheim, EHF Cup – Group D	33:25 (19:13)
14.05.2022	Herning-Ikast Handbold vs SG BBM Bietigheim, Energi Viborg EHF Finals – Semi-final	33:34 (12:14)



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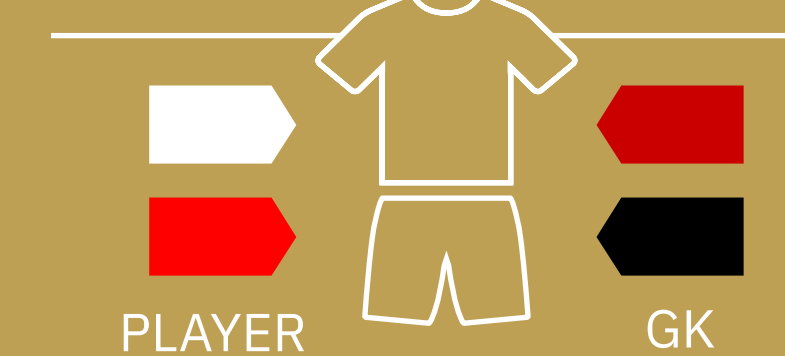
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FINAL STANDINGS GROUP A

1. Györi Audi ETO KC	14-23	(+76)
2. Odense Håndbold	14-21	(+102)
3. Brest Bretagne Handball	14-17	(+32)
4. CSM Bucuresti	14-17	(+48)
5. DVSC Schaeffler	14-15	(-20)
6. SG BBM Bietigheim	14-14	(+12)
7. WHC Buducnost BEMAX	14-5	(-122)
8. IK Sävehof	14-0	(-128)

Györ and Odense advance to the quarter-finals directly; Brest, CSM, DVSC, and Bietigheim continue in the play-offs



SG BBM BIETIGHEIM

MAIN FACTS

- > the German side have won only two of their last seven matches in the group phase as they dropped to the sixth position in group A
- > Bietigheim have won four out of seven matches on their home court, with their three other wins coming in away matches
- > back Karolina Kudlacz-Gloc has been Bietigheim's top scorer this season with 68 goals, including a 14-goal outing against Brest
- > goalkeeper Gabriela Moreschi has the second largest number of saves in the competition: 142, for a 32.2 per cent saving efficiency
- > Moreschi has also saved the largest number of penalties: 15, nearly a third of all penalties shots she has faced
- > Bietigheim eye their first quarter-final berth in the CL, as they have not reached that stage of the competitions in their five previous seasons

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League

Participations (including 2023/24 season): 6

Play-offs (1): 2020/21

Main Round (1): 2017/18

Group Phase (1): 2022/23

Group Matches (2): 2018/19, 2019/20

Other

EHF European League: Winners 2021/22

EHF Cup: Final 2016/17; Group Phase 2018/19, 2019/20

German league: 4 titles (2017, 2019, 2022, 2023)

German cup: 3 titles (2021, 2022, 2023)



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
2017/18 SG BBM Bietigheim GER	12	4	0	8	296:342		-46	8:16	6th MR Gr. 2
2018/19 SG BBM Bietigheim GER	6	1	1	4	162:182		-20	3:9	4th Gr. D
2019/20 SG BBM Bietigheim GER	6	1	0	5	171:197		-26	2:10	4th Gr. C
2020/21 SG BBM Bietigheim GER	16	1	1	14	366:455		-89	3:29	Play-offs
2022/23 SG BBM Bietigheim GER	14	5	2	7	432:388		+44	12:16	7th Gr. A
2023/24 SG BBM Bietigheim GER	14	7	0	7	414:402		+12	14:14	
Total:	68	19	4	45	1841:1966		-125	42:94	



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

5	MATCHES Longest winning run
5	MATCHES Longest unbeaten run
47	GOALS Most goals

Biggest win	23:46 (12:23) v DHK Banik Most CZE (a), 11.09.2022
Biggest defeat	20:37 (8:18) v Györi Audi ETO KC HUN (h), 07.03.2021
Longest winning run	5 matches (10.09.2023 – 22.10.2023)
Longest unbeaten run	5 matches (11.09.2022 – 16.10.2022) 5 matches (10.09.2023 – 22.10.2023)
Longest losing run	8 matches (21.10.2018 – 02.11.2019)
Longest run without win	8 matches (21.10.2018 – 02.11.2019) 8 matches (23.10.2022 – 04.02.2023)
Most goals	47 v DHK Banik Most CZE 47:25W (h), 12.02.2023
Most goals opponent	42 v Odense Håndbold DEN 42:29L (a), 29.10.2023
Most goals both teams	72 v DHK Banik Most CZE 47:25W (h), 12.02.2023
Fewest goals	20 v Györi Audi ETO KC HUN 20:37L (h), 07.03.2021
Fewest goals opponent	16 v WHC Buducnost BEMAX MNE 34:16W (h), 17.02.2024
Fewest goals both teams	44 v RK Krim Mercator SLO 22:22D (h), 10.01.2021

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
4	Kaba	Gassama Cissokho	ESP	Line Player	16/08/1997	Granollers, ESP	180
5	Antje	Döll	GER	Left Wing	03/10/1988	Haldensleben, GER	170
7	Klara	Birtic	CRO	Right Back	28/03/2002	Slavonski Brod, CRO	180
10	Inger	Smits	NED	Centre Back	17/09/1994	Geleen, NED	179
12	Melinda	Szikora	HUN	Goalkeeper	19/11/1988	Kiskunfélegyháza, HUN	175
14	Karolina	Kudlacz-Gloc	POL	Back	17/01/1985	Wabrzezno, POL	178
19	Anne	With Johansen	DEN	Right Back	22/04/2004	Ringsted, DEN	172
20	Sofia	Hvenfelt	SWE	Line Player	23/04/1996	Göteborg, SWE	180
21	Kelly	Dulfer	NED	Left Back	21/03/1994	Schiedam, NED	185
22	Xenia	Smits C	GER	Left Back	22/04/1994	Antwerpen, BEL	182
23	Isabelle	Andersson	SWE	Centre Back	12/03/2000	Ösmo, SWE	177
24	Danick	Snelder	NED	Line Player	22/05/1990	Pijnacker, NED	178
28	Sara Nørklit	Lønborg	DEN	Goalkeeper	13/07/1995	Copenhagen, DEN	175
30	Jenny	Behrend	GER	Right Wing	20/01/1996	Rendsburg, GER	172
48	Dorottya	Faluvégi	HUN	Right Wing	31/03/1998	Budapest, HUN	170
67	Veronika	Malá	CZE	Left Wing	06/05/1994	Pisek, CZE	169
94	Gabriela	Dias Moreschi	BRA	Goalkeeper	08/07/1994	Portugesa, BRA	190





COACH



Jakob Vestergaard



- > signed for Bietigheim in 2023, returning to the CL after seven years
- > previously coached Viborg, Oltchim and CSM Bucuresti in the European top competition
- > led Viborg to back-to-back CL titles, in 2009 and 2010, and reached the CL semi-finals with Oltchim in 2013
- > also led the national teams of Australia (2007-08) and Germany (2015-16)

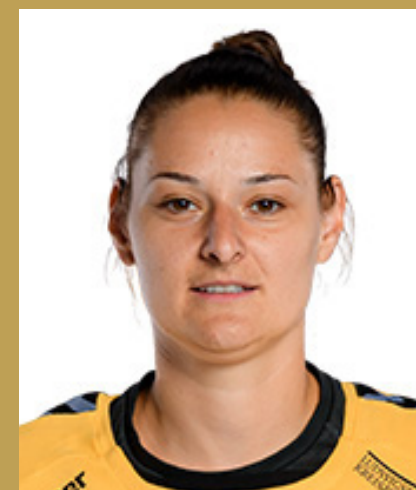
EC trophies: CL 2009, 2010 (as coach)

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

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ARRIVALS THE SEASON

Sara Nørklit Lønborg < (Ajax København/DEN)



GOALKEEPER



**Melinda
Szikora**

@sziki_

- > Hungarian international, who signed for Bietigheim in 2021, after a career spanning more than 15 years at six clubs in her native Hungary
- > won the EL in her first season with Bietigheim
- > loves extreme sports, such as bungee jumping, but has taken a step back from them after two knee injuries that sidelined her for a year
- > regular in Hungarian national team, part of the squads for EHF EURO 2016 and 2020

EL 2022



LEFT WING

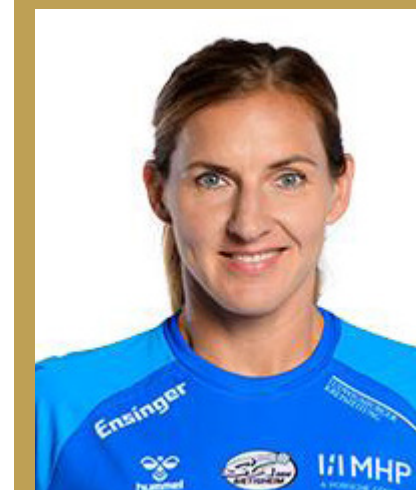


**Veronika
Malá**

@veronika_mala67

- > Czech left wing, who arrived in Bietigheim from Paris 92 in the summer of 2021
- > previously played one season in Germany – for VfL Oldenburg (2016/17)
- > one of the fastest left wings in Europe, prefers playing for teams with a fast attack
- > regular in Czechia national team since 2015; played at various EHF EUROs

EL 2022



LEFT BACK

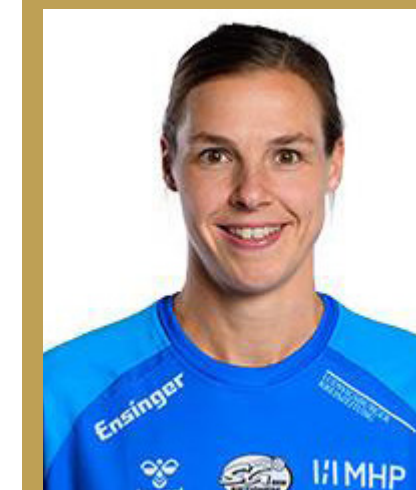


**Karolina
Kudlacz-Gloc**

@karolina_kudlacz_gloc

- > experienced Polish international, who has been plying her trade in Germany since 2006 – first at HC Leipzig, since 2017 at SG BBM Bietigheim
- > top scorer at the W19 EHF EURO 2004, with 76 goals
- > set an EHF EURO record by scoring 17 times for Poland against North Macedonia in 2006; a feat later matched by Sweden's Nathalie Hagman at the EHF EURO 2018
- > has a degree in psychology from the University of Leipzig and is the mother of a boy, Jakub, born in 2017

EL 2022



LEFT BACK

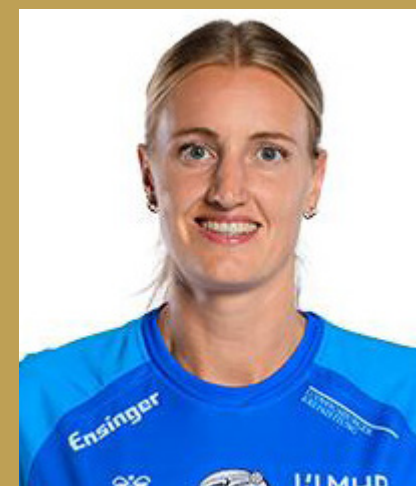


**Inger
Smits**

@ingersmits

- > daughter of former handball players, Gino Smits and Cecille Leenen, her brothers, Kay and Jorn, are also professional handball players
- > Smits started handball in the Netherlands, moved to VfL Oldenburg in Germany and TTH Holstebro in Denmark, before signing for Dortmund in 2019, and for Bietigheim in 2021
- > was part of the Dutch team that won the 2019 WCh in Japan; one of the mainstays of the team's defence
- > her favourite athlete is another Dutchman, Rico Verhoeven, a martial arts fighter

EL 2022



CENTRE BACK



**Kelly
Dulfer**

@kellydulfer

- > arrived from then-Bundesliga champions Dortmund in the summer of 2021 – and won the title again in her first two seasons with Bietigheim
- > an excellent defender, she was selected in the All-Star team for that position at the EHF EURO 2018
- > her first stint outside the Netherlands was for German side Oldenburg, between 2015 and 2017; moved to København Håndbold for two years before returning to Germany
- > won world title with Netherlands in 2019, she also secured silver and bronze medals both at the EHF EURO and at the world championship

EL 2022

EURO: S 2016, B 2018 ; WCh: G 2019, S 2015, B 2017



LINE PLAYER



**Kaba
Gassama**

@kabagassama

- > born in Granollers, near Barcelona, became the first player from KH-7 Granollers to be selected in Spain's national team
- > won the inaugural EL with Nantes, spent one season at Fleury Loiret, before signing for Bietigheim in 2022
- > Kaba's older brother, Mamadou, is also a handball player, while her younger brother, Sekou, plays football
- > with roots in Senegal, where her parents hail from, Gassama organised a handball tournament in the African country in the summer of 2023

EL 2021



RIGHT BACK



**Anne
With Johansen**

@annewithjohansen

- > born in Copenhagen, she has played in her junior years and in her maiden two senior years for local club Ajax
- > one of the best players in her generation in Denmark, winning silver both at the W19 EHF EURO 2023 and at 2022 Youth WCh
- > in spite of her lack of experience, she is a truly modern player, with a fast change of direction and an excellent penchant of building up the game
- > signing for Bietigheim has seen With Johansen try her first experience outside of Germany



RIGHT WING



**Dorottya
Faluvégi**

@Csibi48

- > her move to Bietigheim in the summer of 2023 is the first outside Hungary; played for rivals FTC between 2014 and 2019 and Győr since 2019
- > her brother, Rudolf, is a towering left back, who played for Balatonfüred, Csurgó, Nantes, Rennes and Stuttgart and also for the Hungarian national team
- > completed undergraduate studies at the Faculty of Economics and Management of the Budapest University of Technology in 2020
- > became the All-star right wing at the Junior WCh in 2018, where she won the gold medal with Hungary



2023/24 SEASON TOP SCORERS



**Karolina
Kudlacz-Gloc**

@karolina_kudlacz_gloc

68 GOALS



**Xenia
Smits**

@xenia_smits

57 GOALS



**Antje
Döll**

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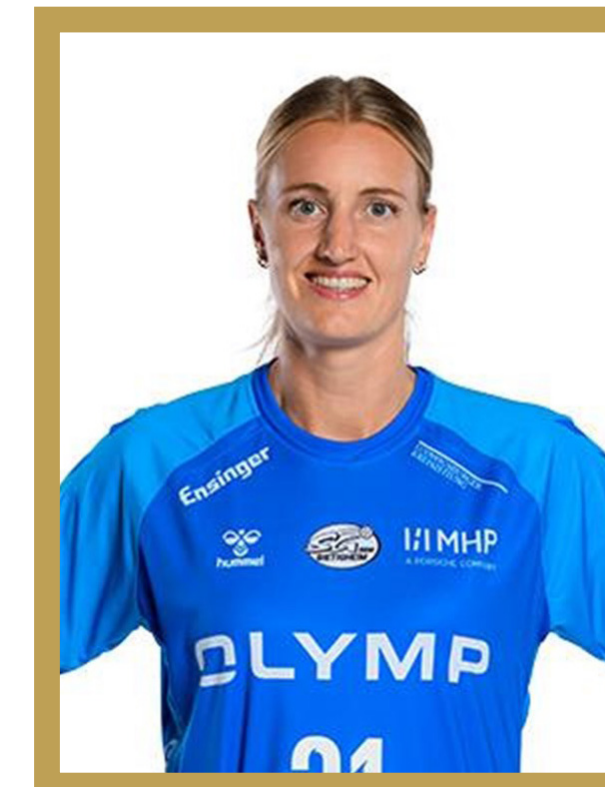
46 GOALS



**Veronika
Malá**

@veronika_mala67

43 GOALS



**Kelly
Dulfer**

@kellydulfer

39 GOALS





IKAST HÅNDBOLD

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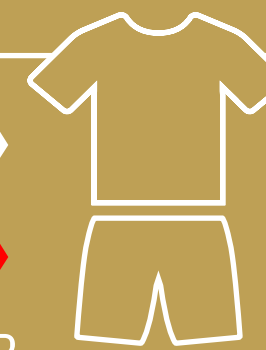
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FINAL STANDINGS GROUP B

1. Metz Handball	14-22	(+68)
2. Team Esbjerg	14-22	(+37)
3. Ikast Handbold	14-21	(+41)
4. Vipers Kristiansand	14-15	(+42)
5. Krim Mercator Ljubljana	14-13	(+5)
6. FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	14-10	(-21)
7. CS Rapid Bucuresti	14-9	(-33)
8. MKS Zaglebie Lubin	14-0	(-139)

Metz and Esbjerg advance to the quarter-finals directly; Ikast, Vipers, Krim, and FTC continue in the play-offs

PLAY-OFFS

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IKAST HÅNDBOLD

MAIN FACTS

- > Ikast, upon their return after six years, have been the top attacking team in the group phase, with 476 goals scored
- > in three of the last four editions of the CL they played, Ikast made the quarter-finals
- > between the 12 qualified in the knockout phase of the CL, Ikast have conceded the largest number of goals: 435
- > left back Markéta Jeřábková has scored 88 goals and trails leader Sarah Bouktit by a single goal on the CL top scorers list
- > goalkeeper Irma Schjött has made the fifth largest number of saves this season: 123, for a 28.6 per cent efficiency
- > Ikast have lost a single match on their home court so far, and that by a single goal: against fellow Danish side Team Esbjerg

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF Champions League

Participations (including 2023/24 season): 12

Semi-finals (2): 2002/03, 2013/14

Quarter-finals (4): 1998/99, 2004/05, 2016/17, 2017/18

Main Round (3): 2008/09, 2011/12, 2015/16

Group Matches (1): 2003/04

Qualification (1): 2014/15

Other

EHF European League: Winners 2022/23; Semi-finals 2020/21, 2021/22

Cup Winners' Cup: Winners 2003/04, 2014/15

EHF Cup: Winners 2001/02, 2010/11

Champions Trophy: Winners 1997/98

City Cup: Winners 1997/98

Danish league: 1 title (2015, as FC Midtjylland)

Danish cup: 1 title (2019)



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SUMMARY

	MP	W	T	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS	Stage
1998/99 Ikast FS DEN	8	4	2	2	198:173		+25	10:6	Quarter-final
2002/03 Ikast Bording EH DEN	10	5	0	5	266:266		0	10:10	Semi-final
2003/04 Ikast Bording EH DEN	6	3	0	3	162:159		+3	6:6	3rd Gr. B
2004/05 Ikast Bording EH DEN	8	5	1	2	233:226		+7	11:5	Quarter-final
2008/09 Ikast-Brandeburg EH DEN	12	3	1	8	325:367		-42	7:17	4th MR Gr. 1
2011/12 FC Midtjylland DEN	12	6	0	6	290:283		+7	12:12	4th MR Gr. 1
2013/14 FC Midtjylland DEN	14	8	1	5	365:349		+16	17:11	Fourth Place
2015/16 FC Midtjylland DEN	12	4	1	7	286:309		-23	9:15	5th MR Gr. 2
2016/17 FC Midtjylland DEN	14	6	0	8	345:344		+1	12:16	Quarter-final
2017/18 FC Midtjylland DEN	14	4	2	8	324:352		-28	10:18	Quarter-final
2023/24 Ikast Handbold DEN	14	10	1	3	476:435		+41	21:7	
Total:	124	58	9	57	3270:3263		+7	125:123	



EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE CLUB RECORDS

5	MATCHES Longest winning run
6	MATCHES Longest unbeaten run
41	GOALS Most goals

Biggest win	34:18 (16:10) v Motor Zaporoshje UKR (h), 14.11.1998
Biggest defeat	24:38 (14:19) v Viborg HK DEN (h), 07.02.2009
Longest winning run	5 matches (22.02.2004 – 30.01.2005) 5 matches (09.09.2023 – 21.10.2023)
Longest unbeaten run	6 matches (22.02.2004 – 12.02.2005) 6 matches (07.01.2024 – 17.02.2024)
Longest losing run	7 matches (18.01.2009 – 21.03.2009)
Longest run without win	9 matches (03.01.2009 – 21.03.2009)
Most goals	41 v MKS Zagłębie Lubin POL 41:29W (h), 21.10.2023
Most goals opponent	38 v Viborg HK DEN 24:38L (h), 07.02.2009
Most goals both teams	75 v Metz Handball FRA 36:39W (a), 17.09.2023
Fewest goals	15 v Budućnost MNE 22:15L (a), 03.11.2013 15 v HC Vardar MKD 15:25L (h), 08.11.2015
Fewest goals opponent	17 v Byasen NOR 17:19W (a), 01.10.2011
Fewest goals both teams	36 v Byasen NOR 17:19W (a), 01.10.2011

TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	cm
1	Irma	Schjött	SWE	Goalkeeper	18/11/1998	Fors, SWE	179
4	Julie	Scaglione	DEN	Left Back	20/08/2004	Skanderborg, DEN	183
6	Cecilie	Højgaard Brandt	DEN	Right Wing	16/11/2001	Herning, DEN	169
7	Stine	Skogrand C	NOR	Right Back	03/03/1993	Bergen, NOR	173
8	Simone	Böhme	DEN	Right Back	17/08/1991	Randers, DEN	173
9	Melissa Maria	Petrén	SWE	Left Back	18/01/1995	Flemingsberg, SWE	173
11	Sarah	Iversen	DEN	Line Player	10/04/1990	København, DEN	177
12	Filippa	Idéhn	SWE	Goalkeeper	15/08/1990	Sofia, DEN	183
14	Emma	Lindqvist	SWE	Centre Back	17/09/1997	Raus, SWE	177
15	Emma	Friis	DEN	Left Wing	31/10/1999	Herning, DEN	162
16	Andrea	Austmo Pedersen	NOR	Goalkeeper	19/04/1994	Agder, NOR	179
17	Simone	Petersen	DEN	Centre Back	28/08/1997	Ringsted, DEN	177
18	Maria	Schmidt Lykkegaard	DEN	Line Player	27/02/1996	Gentofte, DEN	175
19	Amanda	Loft Hansen	DEN	Line Player	13/01/2002	Skanderborg, DEN	182
21	Ingvild	Kristiansen Bakkerud	NOR	Left Back	09/07/1995	Sør-øst, NOR	187
23	Trine	Wacker Mortensen	DEN	Left Wing	14/09/1994	Roskilde, DEN	170
24	Johanne	Lasthein Andersen	DEN	Left Wing	12/08/2006	Svendborg, DEN	161
25	Freja	Dyrberg	DEN	Left Wing	29/11/2004	Farvskov, DEN	173
26	Anne	Nowak	DEN	Back	26/05/2006	Assens, DEN	179
27	Clara	Mendgaard Sørensen	DEN	Back	19/02/2006	Herning, DEN	183
28	Signe	Vendelbo Andersen	DEN	Back	17/01/2005	Herning, DEN	180
29	Caroline	Kottal Clausen	DEN	Right Wing	19/03/2006	Haderslev, DEN	174
33	Emma	Jessen	DEN	Goalkeeper	20/08/2006	Aabenraa, DEN	175
34	Simone Juel	Kristensen	DEN	Right Wing	25/12/2005	Aabenraa, DEN	174
35	Lina	Thorstein Lützhøft	DEN	Line Player	28/08/2006	Næstved, DEN	181
44	Ditte Marie Juel	Christensen	DEN	Goalkeeper	03/07/2006	Faaborg, DEN	177
51	Markéta	Jeřábková	CZE	Centre Back	08/02/1996	Plzen, CZE	175
55	Caroline	Søgaard Sørensen	DEN	Right Wing	09/07/2004	Herning, DEN	175
77	Line	Nørgaard Hougaard	DEN	Right Wing	06/10/1999	Herning, DEN	163





COACH



**Kasper
Christensen**



- > became head coach at Ikast when he replaced Mathias Madsen in the summer of 2020
- > the move marked Christensen's switch from men's to women's handball
- > led Ikast to third place in the Danish league in his first season in charge and to the European League trophy in 2022/23
- > a former Skjern Håndbold player, who previously worked as a coach with men's side SønderjyskE

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DEPARTURES

Caroline Søgaard > (unknown)

ARRIVALS

Simone Böhme < (CSM Târgu Jiu/ROU)
Melissa Maria Petrén < (Ringkøbing Håndbold/DEN)



GOALKEEPER 

Irma Schjött

 @irmaaschjott

- > Swedish goalkeeper, arrived at Ikast from Thüringer HC in 2023
- > had 119 saves (35%) in the EL 2022/23 season
- > previously played for Swedish clubs Eskilstuna, Västerås and Höörs
- > arrived to replace Jessica Ryde who moved to 2021 EL winners Nantes
- > played in all Swedish youth and junior national teams before making senior debut



LEFT WING 

Emma Friis

 @emmafriis15

- > born and bred in Herning, Friis started to play handball at Ikast; made her senior debut in 2016, aged 17
- > in her debut in a major tournament for the national team, Friis helped Denmark seal bronze at the 2021 WCh in 2021, scoring 16 goals
- > MVP of the EHF Finals Women 2023
- > led Denmark to silver at the EHF EURO 2022 with 40 goals and was named the All-star left wing

EL: 2023

EURO: S 2022; WCh: B 2021, 2023



LEFT BACK 

Ingvild Bakkerud

 @bakkerud

- > Norwegian international, who arrived at Ikast in 2020 after two seasons with Danish domestic rivals Odense
- > scored 70 goals for Ikast in the CL 2023/24 group phase, far more than in any previous European season
- > made her national team debut in 2018; contributed 18 goals to Norway's run to silver at 2023 WCh
- > in the early years of her career, she played both indoor and beach handball at Skrim, the local club in her native village of Kongsberg
- > her older sister, Henriette, is also a handball player

EL: 2023

WCh: S 2023



CENTRE BACK 

Markéta Jeřábková

 @marketa_jerabkova5

- > joined Ikast in 2023 from CL titleholders Vipers
- > previously played for Thüringer HC in Germany, Baník Most in her native Czechia, and and Érd in Hungary
- > was MVP of the EHF FINAL4 2022, where she scored 18 times to help Vipers lift the trophy
- > Vipers' leading scorer in CL 2022/23 after netting 118 times in total
- > top scorer of 2023 WCh with 63 goals
- > her father played football in the Czech top division, and her brother Jakub is an ice hockey international

CL: 2022, 2023



CENTRE BACK 

Emma Lindqvist

 @emmaalindqvist

- > joined from Swedish side H 65 Höörs HK in the summer of 2021
- > won domestic league title with Höör in Sweden and reached the Challenge Cup final in 2017
- > a key figure for Sweden's national team
- > very versatile player who can be used anywhere in the back court

EL 2023



LINE PLAYER 

Sarah Iversen

 @sarahiversen90

- > joined Ikast in 2018 after spending the previous nine seasons at fellow Danish sides Nykøbing and Odense
- > took a break from handball because of pregnancy in the summer of 2020; missed the EHF EURO that year but returned to the courts in 2021
- > her younger sister Rikke is a line player for Team Esbjerg
- > made national team debut for Denmark in 2015, was part of the team that won silver at EHF EURO 2022 and bronze at the 2023 WCh

EL: 2023

EURO: S 2022; WCh: B 2023



RIGHT BACK 

Stine Skogrand

 @sskogi

- > experienced Norwegian international, who is Ikast's team captain
- > has played for Ikast since she signed from Silkeborg-Voel KFUM in 2018
- > important part of Norway's national team as her defensive skills support Nora Mørk
- > a member of the national team since 2013

EL: 2023

EURO: G 2016, 2020, 2022; WCh: G 2015, S 2017, 2023



RIGHT WING 

Cecilie Brandt

 @cecilie.brandt

- > born in Denmark, but moved with her parents to Germany where she started to play handball in Hamburg
- > returned to Denmark in 2013 and joined Ikast in 2018
- > made a German regional selection while playing in Hamburg, but has been part of Danish national team squads since her return
- > made senior national team debut in March 2022; made the squad for EHF EURO 2022 but missed the tournament with an ankle injury

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2023/24 SEASON TOP SCORERS



**Markéta
Jeřábková**

@marketa_jerabkova5

88 GOALS



**Ingvild
Bakkerud**

@bakkerud

70 GOALS



**Emma
Friis**

@emmafriis15

65 GOALS



**Line Mai
Hougaard**

@linemaihougaard

43 GOALS



**Stine
Skogrand**

@sskogi

41 GOALS



HISTORY





89 GOALS

SARAH BOUKTIT

Metz Handball



Rank	Player	Club	Matches	Goals
1	Sarah Bouktit	Metz Handball	14	89
2	Markéta Jeřábková	Ikast Handbold	13	88
3	Anna Vyakhireva	Vipers Kristiansand	12	86
4	Valeriia Maslova	Brest Bretagne Handball	13	85
5	Katrin Klujber	FTC- Rail Cargo Hungaria	14	82
6	Nora Mørk	Team Esbjerg	13	81
7	Jana Knedlikova	Vipers Kristiansand	14	80
8	Kristina Jørgensen	Metz Handball	14	79
9	Henny Reistad	Team Esbjerg	12	76
	Chloé Valentini	Metz Handball	14	76
11	Kristina Breistøl	Team Esbjerg	13	73
12	Cristina Neagu	CSM Bucuresti	13	72
13	Maren Aardahl	Odense Håndbold	14	71
14	Ingvild Bakkerud	Ikast Handbold	14	70
15	Daria Dmitrieva	Krim Mercator Ljubljana	10	68
	Gréta Kácsor	DVSC Schaeffler	14	68
	Karolina Kudlacz-Gloc	SG BBM Bietigheim	14	68
18	Emma Friis	Ikast Handbold	13	65
19	Estelle Nze Minko	Györi Audi ETO KC	14	64
20	Andrea Lekic	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	10	61
	Alexandra Töpfner	DVSC Schaeffler	14	61
22	Pauletta Foppa	Brest Bretagne Handball	14	60
	Jovanka Radicevic	Krim Mercator Lubljana	13	60
24	Lois Abbingh	Vipers Kristiansand	13	58
25	Jamina Roberts	Vipers Kristiansand	14	57
	Xenia Smits	SG BBM Bietigheim	13	57



**142
GOALS**

HENNY REISTAD

Team Esbjerg



Season	Player	Club	Goals
2022/23	Henny Reistad (NOR)	Team Esberg (DEN)	142
2021/22	Cristina Neagu (ROU)	CSM Bucuresti (ROU)	110
2020/21	Ana Gros (SLO)	Brest Bretagne Handball (FRA)	135
2019/20	Jovanka Radicevic (MNE)	ZRK Buducnost (MNE)	97
2018/19	Linn Jørum Sulland (NOR)	Vipers Kristiansand (NOR)	89
2017/18	Cristina Neagu (ROU)	CSM Bucuresti (ROU)	110
2016/17	Andrea Penezic (CRO)	HC Vardar (MKD)	98
2015/16	Isabelle Gulldén (SWE)	CSM Bucuresti (ROU)	108
2014/15	Andrea Penezic (CRO)	HC Vardar (MKD)	102
	Cristina Neagu (ROU)	ZRK Buducnost (MNE)	102
2013/14	Anita Görbicz (HUN)	Györi Audi ETO KC (HUN)	87



**1,129
GOALS**

JOVANKA RADICEVIC

Krim Mercator Ljubljana



Club of 1,000	Player	Current / last club	Goals*
1.	Jovanka Radicevic (MNE)	Krim Mercator Ljubljana (SLO)	1,129
2.	Cristina Neagu (ROU)	CSM Bucuresti (ROU)	1,101
3.	Anita Görbicz (HUN)	retired / Györi Audi ETO KC (HUN)	1,016
4.	Andrea Lekic (SRB)	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria (HUN)	1,012

* goals scored in qualification matches do not count towards the all-time ranking



7 TITLES

KATRINE LUNDE

Vipers Kristiansand



Titles/clubs	Player	Clubs
7 / 3	Katrine Lunde (NOR)	Viborg (DEN), Györ (HUN), Vipers (NOR)
6 / 2	Jana Knedlikova (CZE)	Györ (HUN), Vipers (NOR)
	Ausra Fridrikas (AUT)	Hypo (AUT), Slagelse (DEN)
6 / 3	Nora Mørk (NOR)	Larvik (NOR), Györ (HUN), Vipers (NOR)
	Bojana Popovic (MNE)	Slagelse (DEN), Viborg (DEN), Buducnost (MNE)
5 / 1	Eduarda Amorim (BRA)	Györ (HUN)
	Anita Görbicz (HUN)	Györ (HUN)
5 / 3	Heidi Løke (NOR)	Larvik (NOR), Györ (HUN), Vipers (NOR)
4 / 1	Rima Sypkus (AUT)	Hypo (AUT)
	Tanja Dshandshagava (AUT)	Hypo (AUT)
4 / 2	Zsuzanna Tomori (HUN)	Györ (HUN), Vipers (NOR)
	Cristina Varzaru (ROU)	Viborg (DEN), CSM Bucuresti (ROU)
4 / 3	Katarina Bulatovic (MNE)	Slagelse (DEN), Buducnost (MNE), Györ (HUN)
3 / 1	Adrienn Orbán (HUN), Sára Afentaler (HUN), Bernadett Bódi (HUN), Kari Grimsbø (NOR), Nycke Groot (NED), Tamara Pál (HUN), Szidónia Puhálák (HUN)	all Györ (HUN)
	Chao Zhai (CHN), Grit Jurack (GER) Lene Lund-Nielsen (DEN), Rikke Skov (DEN), Louise Bager-Nørgaard (DEN)	all Viborg (DEN)
	Iris Morhammer (AUT), Stanca Bozovic (AUT)	both Hypo (AUT)
	Mette Melgaard (DEN)	Slagelse (DEN)
3 / 2	Anja Freser (SLO) Luminita Hutupan (Dinu) (ROU) Cecilie Leganger (NOR) Maja Savic (MNE)	Krim (SLO), Slagelse (DEN)
		Krim (SLO), Kometal (MKD)
		Slagelse (DEN), Larvik (NOR)
	Anja Althaus (GER)	Slagelse (DEN), Buducnost (MNE)
		Viborg (DEN), Györ (HUN)

TR	Name of the club	MP	W	D	L	GF:FA	GD	P	NP	%
1	Györi Audi ETO KC HUN	286	216	21	49	8414:7063	+1351	453:119	(20)	79,20%
2	WHC Buducnost BEMAX MNE	320	160	26	134	8339:8243	+96	346:294	(27)	54,06%
3	Krim Mercator Ljubljana SLO	314	137	20	157	8364:8481	-117	294:334	(28)	46,82%
4	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	238	120	20	98	6571:6428	+143	260:216	(22)	54,62%
5	Hypo Niederösterreich AUT	198	124	5	69	5285:5002	+283	252*:144	(23)	63,64%
6	Larvik HK NOR	202	115	10	77	5424:5072	+352	240:164	(20)	59,41%
7	Metz Handball FRA	190	104	13	73	5152:4850	+302	221:159	(17)	58,16%
8	Viborg HK DEN	164	87	12	65	4565:4323	+242	186:142	(17)	56,71%
9	CSM Bucuresti ROU	140	80	11	49	3797:3490	+307	171:109	(9)	61,07%
10	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU	146	72	9	65	3769:3688	+81	153:139	(13)	52,40%
11	Rostov-Don RUS	98	65	7	26	2570:2309	+261	137:59	(7)	69,90%
12	Vipers Kristiansand NOR	104	61	7	36	3053:2784	+269	129:79	(7)	62,02%
13	Ikast Handbold DEN	124	58	9	57	3270:3263	+7	125:123	(11)	50,40%
14	HC Podravka Vegeta CRO	166	55	8	103	4131:4565	-434	118:214	(22)	35,54%
15	HC Vardar MKD	78	55	6	17	2272:1959	+313	116:40	(5)	74,36%
16	Team Esbjerg DEN	92	53	7	32	2683:2477	+206	113:71	(6)	61,41%
17	CBM Astroc Sagunto ESP	100	52	3	45	2658:2582	+76	107:93	(12)	53,50%

* = point for Hypo NÖ deducted by official decision

18	Brest Bretagne Handball FRA	98	43	17	38	2716:2606	+110	103:93	(7)	52,55%
19	Kometal Gjorce Petrov MKD	98	47	6	45	2460:2410	+50	100:96	(12)	51,02%
20	Dinamo-Sinara RUS	94	38	9	47	2473:2520	-47	85:103	(11)	45,21%
21	Odense Håndbold DEN	78	39	6	33	2231:2101	+130	84:72	(5)	53,85%
22	Slagelse DT DEN	56	38	2	16	1514:1400	+114	78:34	(5)	69,64%
23	HC Lada RUS	62	33	2	27	1729:1737	-8	68:56	(7)	54,84%
24	Dunaferr NK HUN	52	29	4	19	1395:1285	+110	62:42	(6)	59,62%
25	Thüringer HC GER	86	25	7	54	2204:2360	-156	57:115	(8)	33,14%
29	SG BBM Bietigheim GER	68	19	4	45	1841:1966	-125	42:94	(6)	30,88%
31	IK Sävehof SWE	106	16	8	82	2652:3255	-603	40:172	(11)	18,87%
35	CS Rapid Bucuresti ROU	32	14	3	15	917:927	-10	31:33	(2)	48,44%
42	DVSC Schaeffler HUN	20	8	1	11	537:585	-48	17:23	(2)	42,50%
80	MKS Zagłębie Lubin POL	14	0	0	14	327:466	-139	0:28	(1)	0,00%

- last updated after 2023/24 group phase
- (x) = number of seasons played (including 2023/24)
- x% = winning percentage
- **bold** = part of 2023/24 knockout phase (play-offs/quarter-finals)

Biggest wins:

- 26 Ferencvaros Budapest HUN vs Anagennisi Artas GRE 42:16 (19:7), 18.01.1997
- 25 Györi Audi ETO KC HUN @ DHK Banik Most CZE 21:46 (13:23), 13.10.2019
- 25 Metz Handball FRA vs HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO 38:13 (20:6), 22.10.2022
- 24 BV Borussia 09 Dortmund GER vs HC Podravka Vegeta CRO 38:14 (16:8), 31.10.2021
- 24 Storhamar Handball Elite NOR vs HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO 37:13 (22:7), 17.09.2022
- 24 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN vs DHK Banik Most CZE 43:19 (20:11), 17.12.2022
- 24 Odense Håndbold DEN @ IK Sävehof SWE 20:44 (11:21), 11.11.2023
- 23 HC Vardar MKD @ HC Leipzig GER 22:45 (9:22), 19.11.2016
- 23 SG BBM Bietigheim GER @ DHK Banik Most CZE 23:46 (12:23), 11.09.2022

Biggest home wins:

- 26 Ferencvaros Budapest HUN vs Anagennisi Artas GRE 42:16 (19:7), 18.01.1997
- 25 Metz Handball FRA vs HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO 38:13 (20:6), 22.10.2022
- 24 BV Borussia 09 Dortmund GER vs HC Podravka Vegeta CRO 38:14 (16:8), 31.10.2021
- 24 Storhamar Handball Elite NOR vs HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO 37:13 (22:7), 17.09.2022
- 24 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN vs DHK Banik Most CZE 43:19 (20:11), 17.12.2022

Biggest away wins:

- 25 Györi Audi ETO KC HUN @ DHK Banik Most CZE 21:46 (13:23), 13.10.2019
- 24 Odense Håndbold DEN @ IK Sävehof SWE 20:44 (11:21), 11.11.2023
- 23 HC Vardar MKD @ HC Leipzig GER 22:45 (9:22), 19.11.2016
- 23 SG BBM Bietigheim GER @ DHK Banik Most CZE 23:46 (12:23), 11.09.2022
- 22 Vipers Kristiansand NOR @ DHK Banik Most CZE 21:43 (15:20), 03.12.2022
- 19 Oltchim Rm. Valcea ROU @ Buxtehuder SV GER 15:34 (6:14), 20.10.2012
- 19 Vipers Kristiansand NOR @ IK Sävehof SWE 23:42 (15:21), 09.01.2022
- 19 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN @ DHK Banik Most CZE 27:46 (11:26), 22.10.2022

Biggest lead at half-time:

- 17 Odense Håndbold DEN vs WHC Buducnost BEMAX MNE 39:24 (25:8), 16.09.2023
- 15 Krim Electa Ljubljana SLO vs Anagennisi Artas GRE 36:12 (18:3), 25.01.1997
- 15 Zvezda Zvenigorod RUS vs RK Krim Mercator Ljubljana SLO 36:31 (22:7), 09.11.2007
- 15 Larvik NOR vs Dinamo RUS 41:20 (24:9), 12.02.2011
- 15 Storhamar Handball Elite NOR vs HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO 37:13 (22:7), 17.09.2022
- 15 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN @ DHK Banik Most CZE 27:46 (11:26), 22.10.2022
- 15 Györi Audi ETO KC HUN vs WHC Buducnost BEMAX MNE 37:19 (23:8), 01.10.2023

Most goals Top 10:

- 47 WHC Vardar SCBT MKD @ RK Krim Mercator SLO 29:47 (12:24), 06.03.2015
- 47 SG BBM Bietigheim GER vs DHK Banik Most CZE 47:25 (22:12), 12.02.2023
- 46 Györi Audi ETO KC HUN @ DHK Banik Most CZE 21:46 (13:23), 13.10.2019
- 46 SG BBM Bietigheim GER @ DHK Banik Most CZE 23:46 (12:23), 11.09.2022
- 46 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN @ DHK Banik Most CZE 27:46 (11:26), 22.10.2022
- 46 Brest Bretagne Handball FRA @ DHK Banik Most CZE 30:46 (14:22), 14.01.2023
- 45 HC Vardar MKD @ HC Leipzig GER 22:45 (9:22), 19.11.2016
- 44 Györi Audi ETO KC HUN vs Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK TUR 44:25 (23:14), 18.09.2022
- 44 Odense Håndbold DEN @ IK Sävehof SWE 20:44 (11:21), 11.11.2023
- 44 CSM Bucuresti ROU vs WHC Buducnost BEMAX MNE 44:26 (24:15), 07.01.2024

Most goals both teams:

- 82 HC 'Lada Togliatti' RUS vs Byasen HB Elite Trondheim NOR 43:39 (22:19), 18.02.2007
- 76 RK Krim Mercator SLO vs 'Buducnost' MNE 36:40 (19:23), 04.03.2011
- 76 RK Krim Mercator SLO vs WHC Vardar SCBT MKD 29:47 (12:24), 06.03.2015
- 76 Vipers Kristiansand NOR vs Metz Handball FRA 38:38 (17:21), 20.10.2019
- 76 Brest Bretagne Handball FRA @ DHK Banik Most CZE 30:46 (14:22), 14.01.2023

Fewest goals:

- 10 Granicar Djurdjevac CRO @ Viborg HK DEN 27:10 (12:5), 05.01.1997
- 12 Anagennisi Artas GRE @ Krim Electa Ljubljana SLO 36:12 (18:3), 25.01.1997
- 12 Kometal Dj. P. Skopje MKD @ Hypo Niederösterreich AUT 26:12 (12:6), 21.02.1998
- 12 Slagelse FH DEN @ Kometal DP Skopje MKD 20:12 (9:4), 22.01.2005
- 12 Slagelse DT DEN vs Viborg HK A/S DEN 12:22 (7:12), 23.02.2008
- 13 Podravka Koprivnica CRO @ HYPO Niederösterreich AUT 17:13 (9:7), 04.05.1996
- 13 Granicar Djurdjevac CRO @ Kometal Dj. Petrov Skopje MKD 33:13 (19:7), 09.11.1996
- 13 Larvik NOR @ Buducnost MNE 23:13 (10:7), 08.04.2012
- 13 HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO @ Storhamar Handball Elite NOR 37:13 (22:7), 17.09.2022
- 13 HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO @ Metz Handball FRA 38:13 (20:6), 22.10.2022

Fewest goals both teams:

- 30 HYPO Niederösterreich AUT vs Podravka Koprivnica CRO 17:13 (9:7), 04.05.1996
- 31 Viborg HK DEN vs Hypo Niederösterreich AUT 15:16 (7:9), 04.01.1998
- 32 CB Mar Valencia ESP vs Hypo Niederösterreich AUT 14:18 (4:8), 20.03.1994
- 32 Kometal DP Skopje MKD vs Slagelse FH DEN 20:12 (9:4), 22.01.2005
- 32* WHC Vardar SCBT MKD vs Buducnost MNE 20:22 (6:11, 16:16), 03.05.2014
- 33 ASPTT Metz FRA vs Byasen Trondheim NOR 16:17 (7:9), 10.11.1996

Biggest deficit overcome after losing first half to win a game:

- 8 Byasen HB Elite Trondheim NOR vs ZRK Buducnost T-Mobile MNE 27:26 (10:18), 25.02.2007
- 6 Montex Lublin POL @ Henzo Swift Roermond NED 22:23 (16:10), 26.01.1997
- 6 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN vs Buducnost MNE 29:28 (9:15), 13.03.2021
- 6 IK Sävehof SWE vs Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK TUR 28:26 (11:17), 24.10.2021
- 6 Vipers Kristiansand NOR @ Krim Mercator Ljubljana SLO 26:27 (16:10), 30.10.2021

Biggest deficit overcome after losing first half to draw a game:

- 7 RK Krim Mercator SLO @ Viborg HK DEN 28:28 (16:9), 29.10.2011
- 7 Brest Bretagne Handball FRA vs Buducnost MNE 28:28 (11:18), 17.01.2021
- 6 Ferrobuss KU Mislata ESP vs Baekkelagets SK NOR 26:26 (10:16), 21.01.2001
- 6 Györi Graboplast ETO HUN vs RK Krim Neutro SLO 21:21 (7:13), 28.01.2001
- 6 Larvik NOR @ Grupo Asfi Itxako Navarra ESP 19:19 (12:6), 25.02.2012
- 6 Thüringer HC GER @ CSM Bucuresti ROU 23:23 (14:8), 08.03.2019
- 6 Vipers Kristiansand NOR @ Krim Mercator Ljubljana SLO 24:24 (15:9), 21.10.2023

Most goals in one half:

- 26 Györi Audi ETO KC HUN vs HC Podravka Vegeta CRO – 2nd half 43:28 (17:16), 19.09.2020
- 26 FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN @ DHK Banik Most CZE – 1st half 27:46 (11:26), 22.10.2022
- 25 CSM Bucuresti ROU vs DHK Banik Most CZE – 1st half 40:25 (25:13), 16.10.2022
- 25 Team Esbjerg DEN @ Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK TUR – 1st half 27:43 (12:25), 23.10.2022
- 25 SG BBM Bietigheim GER vs DHK Banik Most CZE – 2nd half 47:25 (22:12), 12.02.2023
- 25 Odense Håndbold DEN vs WHC Buducnost BEMAX MNE – 1st half 39:24 (25 :8), 16.09.2023

Most goals in one half both teams:

- 45 HC Leipzig GER vs Viborg HK A/S DEN – 2nd half 35:37 (11:16), 11.02.2007
- 42 1. FC Nürnberg GER vs HC 'Lada Togliatti' RUS – 1st half 31:39 (20:22), 23.02.2008
- 42 RK Krim Mercator SLO vs Viborg HK DEN – 1st half 38:34 (20:22), 15.11.2008
- 42 RK Krim Mercator SLO vs 'Buducnost' MNE – 1st half 36:40 (19:23), 04.03.2011
- 41 Slagelse FH DEN vs Hypo Niederösterreich AUT – 2nd half 38:26 (16:7), 10.01.2004
- 41 Viborg HK A/S DEN vs HC Leipzig GER – 2nd half 39:33 (18:13), 13.01.2007
- 41 HC 'Lada Togliatti' RUS vs Byasen HB Elite Trondheim NOR – 1st half 43:39 (22:19), 18.02.2007
- 41 HC 'Lada Togliatti' RUS vs Byasen HB Elite Trondheim NOR – 2nd half 43:39 (22:19), 18.02.2007
- 41 Györi Audi ETO KC HUN vs Vipers Kristiansand NOR – 1st half 35:37 (18:23), 03.06.2023

Fewest goals in one half:

- 3 Anagennisi Artas GRE @ Krim Electa Ljubljana SLO – 1st half 36:12 (18:3), 25.01.1997
- 4 CB Mar Valencia ESP vs Hypo Niederösterreich AUT – 1st half 14:18 (4:8), 20.03.1994
- 4 Viborg HK DEN @ Oltchim Valcea ROU – 1st half 22:19 (9:4), 08.11.1997
- 4 Slagelse FH DEN @ Kometal DP Skopje MKD – 1st half 20:12 (9:4), 22.01.2005
- 4 FC Midtjylland DEN vs HC Vardar MKD – 2nd half 15:25 (11:12), 08.11.2015
- 4 Glassverket NOR @ Thüringer HC GER – 1st half 24:16 (10:4), 16.10.2016
- 4 WHC Buducnost BEMAX MNE vs Odense Håndbold DEN – 2nd half 17:33 (13:16), 10.02.2024

Fewest goals in one half both teams:

- 11 Granicar Djurdjevac CRO vs Viborg HK DEN – 1st half 17:19 (5:6), 25.01.1997
- 11 Oltchim Valcea ROU vs Hypo Niederösterreich AUT – 2nd half 17:18 (11:13), 10.01.1998
- 12 CB Mar Valencia ESP vs Hypo Niederösterreich AUT – 1st half 14:18 (4:8), 20.03.1994
- 12 Podravka Koprivnica CRO vs Hypo Niederösterreich AUT – 1st half 17:14 (6:6), 29.04.1995
- 12 ZRK Buducnost MONET SCG vs Dunafer SE HUN – 2nd half 16:18 (10:12), 06.02.2005
- 13 Oltchim Valcea ROU vs Viborg HK DEN – 1st half 22:19 (9:4), 08.11.1997
- 13 Kometal DP Skopje MKD vs Slagelse FH DEN – 1st half 20:12 (9:4), 22.01.2005

Winning and losing streaks**Longest winning run:**

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|-------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Györi Audi ETO KC | 16 matches (05.02.2018 – 26.01.2019) |
| Larvik | 15 matches (18.10.2014 – 09.05.2015) |

Longest unbeaten run:

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|-------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Györi Audi ETO KC | 55 matches (05.02.2018 – 10.04.2021) |
| Györi Audi ETO KC | 22 matches (05.05.2013 – 23.11.2014) |
| Buducnost | 22 matches (19.10.2014 – 20.11.2015) |

Longest losing run:

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| Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK | 18 matches (12.09.2021 - 08.10.2022) |
| DHK Banik Most | 17 matches (02.11.2019 – 12.02.2023) |
| IK Sävehof | 17 matches (06.02.2022 – 18.02.2024) |
| RK Krim Mercator | 16 matches (09.11.2014 – 15.10.2016) |
| GAS Anagennisi Artas | 15 matches (09.01.1999 – 17.02.2001) |

Longest run without win:

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| HC Lokomotiva Zagreb | 20 matches (19.10.2014 – 12.02.2023) |
| DHK Banik Most | 19 matches (13.10.2019 – 12.02.2023) |
| Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK | 18 matches (12.09.2021 - 08.10.2022) |



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