

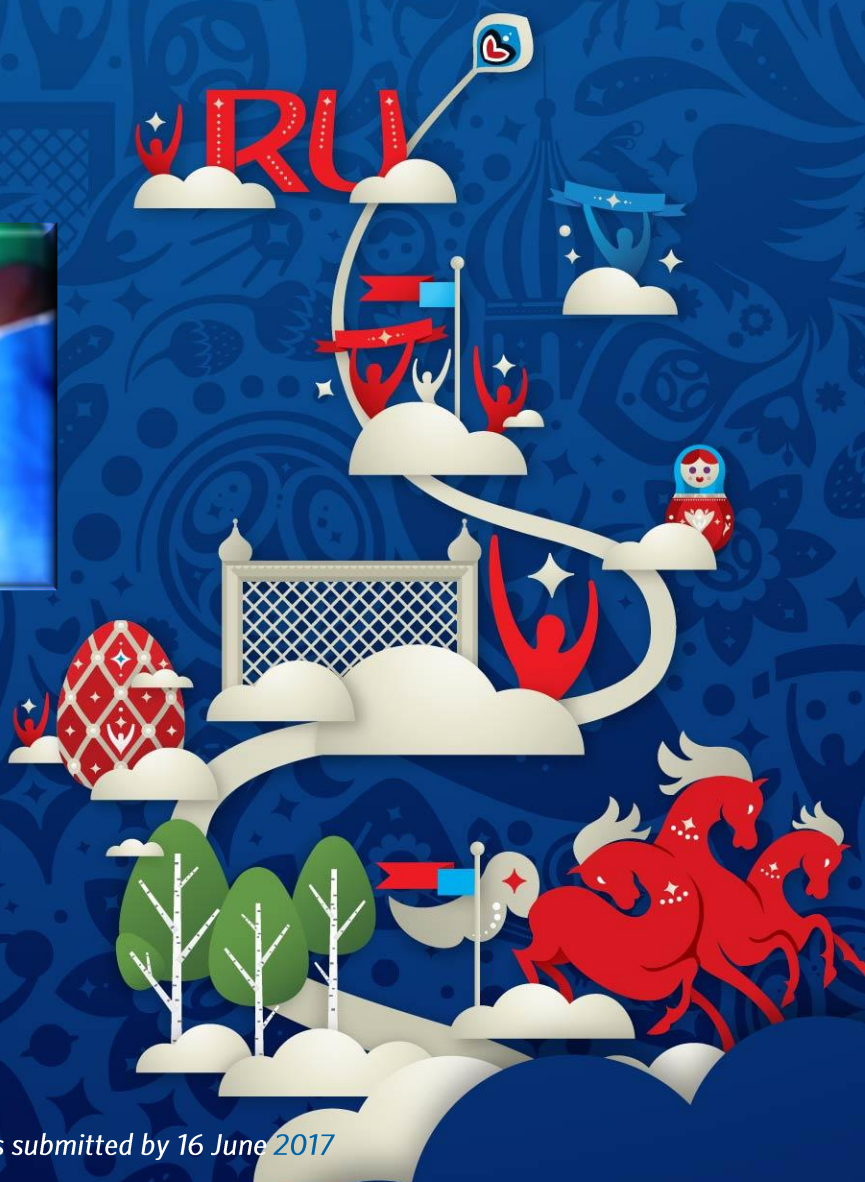


CONFEDERATIONS CUP
RUSSIA 2017

Player Statistical Kit

FIFA Confederations Cup Russia 2017

17 June – 2 July 2017



Statistics based on the final list of players submitted by 16 June 2017

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...



<i>When...</i>	<i>Turning...</i>
16 June	
Ernest Mabouka (CMR)	29
17 June	
Jair Marrufo (USA) - Referee	40
Nestor Pitana (ARG) - Referee	42
22 June	
Ambroise Oyongo (CMR)	26
23 June	
Adolphe Teikeu (CMR)	27
25 June	
Miguel Layun (MEX)	29
30 June	
Thomas Doyle (NZL)	25

THROUGH THE AGES

Top 5 oldest players of the participating teams

If fielded, Rafael Marquez could become the second-oldest player in FIFA Confederations Cup history behind Ali Boumnijel, who took to the field at the age of 39 years and two months in the 2005 edition, and ahead of Germany's Lothar Matthaeus by just a few days. Other possible top-ten entries in the competition's all-time list of oldest players are Tim Cahill and Johnny Herrera.

Years/months	
38/4	Rafael Marquez, MEX
37/6	Tim Cahill, AUS
36/1	Johnny Herrera, CHI
35/8	Shane Smeltz, NZL
35/6	Bruno Alves, POR

Top 5 youngest players of the participating teams

If Dane Ingham takes to the field, he will become the second-youngest player in Confederations Cup history behind his compatriot Chris Wood, who set the record aged 17 years and six months in 2009 and remains the only youth player fielded in the competition to date.

Years/months	
18	Dane Ingham, NZL
20/1	Alex Gersbach, AUS
20/3	Benjamin Henrichs, GER
20/4	Clayton Lewis, NZL
20/6	Monty Patterson, NZL

Average age of the participating teams (oldest to youngest)

Chile's 2017 squad is the oldest in the tournament's history, eclipsing the previous record of 28 years and six months set by Uruguay in 2013.

Years/months	
29/1	Chile
28/7	Russia
28/5	Mexico
28/5	Portugal
26/7	Australia
26/2	New Zealand
25/7	Cameroon
24/4	Germany

Average age in the past FIFA Confederations Cup

The overall average age of players participating in the Confederations Cup 2017 is higher than in any previous edition.

Edition	Years/months
1992	25/2
1995	25/11
1997	25/11
1999	26/3
2001	26
2003	26
2005	26/10
2009	26/8
2013	27
2017	27/2

FAMILIAR FACES

Players and previous FIFA competitions

Fifteen players involved in the 2017 edition have also been members of previous Confederations Cup squads (11 from Mexico, three from New Zealand and one from Australia).

Mexico's Rafael Marquez is the only Confederations Cup veteran to have won the trophy, back in 1999, and this is his third outing after the 1999 and 2005 campaigns (the record of five participations is held by Dida of Brazil).

Fellow Mexican Javier Hernandez is the only player to have scored in a previous edition, netting once against Italy and twice against Japan in 2013.

This edition features three FIFA World Cup™ champions in Germany's Julian Draxler, Shkodran Mustafi and Matthias Ginter (although Ginter was an unused squad member at Brazil 2014).

Among players with previous World Cup experience, 60 were present in the 2014 campaign, 28 in 2010, six in 2006 and one (Marquez) in 2002.

Eight Mexican players competing in Russia (Javier Aquino, Nestor Araujo, Giovani Dos Santos, Marco Fabian, Hector Herrera, Raul Jimenez, Oribe Peralta and Diego Reyes) won Olympic gold at London 2012.

Three Mexicans (G. Dos Santos, Moreno and Vela) won the FIFA U-17 World Cup in 2005.

WHERE DO THEY COME FROM?

Number of players in domestic leagues

Percentage	Team
100 (23/23)	Russia
65,2 (15/23)	Germany
47,8 (11/23)	Portugal
43,5 (10/23)	Mexico
30,4 (7/23)	Chile
26,1 (6/23)	New Zealand
21,7 (5/23)	Australia
0 (0/0)	Cameroon

Clubs with the most players

A total of 118 clubs from 30 countries are represented in this edition.

Number of players	Playing at...
5	Bayer 04 Leverkusen, GER FC Porto, POR FC Spartak Moscow, RUS Sporting CP, POR Wellington Phoenix NZL
4	FC Rostov, RUS SL Benfica, POR TSG 1899 Hoffenheim, GER

Where they play by Confederation

Percentage (players)	Confederation
72,3% (133)	UEFA
9,8% (18)	CONCACAF
8,2% (15)	AFC
5,4% (10)	CONMEBOL
3,3% (6)	OFC
1,1% (2)	CAF

Where they play by Country

Players	Playing in...
24	Germany, Russia
16	England
15	Mexico
14	Portugal
13	Spain
10	France
9	Australia
7	Chile, Netherlands
6	Italy, New Zealand
3	Belgium, China PR, Greece, Turkey
2	Austria, Brazil, Canada, Scotland, Slovakia, USA
1	Angola, Argentina, Czech Republic, Indonesia, Japan, Norway, South Africa, Switzerland, United Arab Emirates

WHO'S THE BOSS?

(Coaches and their previous FIFA final competitions experiences)

AUSTRALIA

POSTECOGLOU Ange (AUS)

As a player he contested three games in the U-20 World Cup 1985.

As a coach he has guided Australia in one World Cup (2014), three U-20 World Cups (2001, 2003 and 2005) and three FIFA U-17 World Cups (2001, 2003 and 2005).

Also coached South Melbourne in the inaugural FIFA Club World Cup in 2000.

CAMEROON

BROOS Hugo (BEL)

Played for Belgium in three matches at the 1986 World Cup.

Is contesting his first FIFA finals tournament as a coach.

CHILE

PIZZI Juan Antonio (ESP)

Represented Spain in one match at the 1998 World Cup.

Is contesting his first FIFA finals tournament as a coach.

GERMANY

LOEW Joachim (GER)

Guided Germany in the last two World Cups, clinching the title in Brazil three years ago.

MEXICO

OSORIO Juan Carlos (COL)

Has never previously played or coached in a FIFA finals tournament.

NEW ZEALAND

HUDSON Anthony (ENG)

Has never previously played or coached in a FIFA finals tournament.

PORTUGAL

SANTOS Fernando (POR)

Managed Greece in the 2014 World Cup.

RUSSIA

CHERCHESOV Stanislav (RUS)

As a player he represented Russia in one match at the 1994 World Cup and was an unused squad member in the 2002 edition. He also played one game for the USSR at the U-20 World Cup 1983.

Is contesting his first FIFA finals tournament as a coach.