



# Statistical Kit

## FIFA Women's World Cup France 2019™

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## The 24 finalists

GROUP A			
		TEAM	2019 Appearance
	A1	FRANCE (FRA) - HOST	4 <sup>th</sup> appearance
	A2	KOREA REPUBLIC (KOR)	3 <sup>rd</sup> appearance
	A3	NORWAY (NOR)	8 <sup>th</sup> appearance
	A4	NIGERIA (NGA)	8 <sup>th</sup> appearance
GROUP B			
	B1	GERMANY (GER)	8 <sup>th</sup> appearance
	B2	CHINA PR (CHN)	7 <sup>th</sup> appearance
	B3	SPAIN (ESP)	2 <sup>nd</sup> appearance
	B4	SOUTH AFRICA (RSA)	1 <sup>st</sup> appearance
GROUP C			
	C1	AUSTRALIA (AUS)	7 <sup>th</sup> appearance
	C2	ITALY (ITA)	3 <sup>rd</sup> appearance
	C3	BRAZIL (BRA)	8 <sup>th</sup> appearance
	C4	JAMAICA (JAM)	1 <sup>st</sup> appearance
GROUP D			
	D1	ENGLAND (ENG)	5 <sup>th</sup> appearance
	D2	SCOTLAND (SCO)	1 <sup>st</sup> appearance
	D3	ARGENTINA (ARG)	3 <sup>rd</sup> appearance
	D4	JAPAN (JPN)	8 <sup>th</sup> appearance
GROUP E			
	E1	CANADA (CAN)	7 <sup>th</sup> appearance
	E2	CAMEROON (CMR)	2 <sup>nd</sup> appearance
	E3	NEW ZEALAND (NZL)	5 <sup>th</sup> appearance
	E4	NETHERLANDS (NED)	2 <sup>nd</sup> appearance
GROUP F			
	F1	USA (USA)	8 <sup>th</sup> appearance
	F2	THAILAND (THA)	2 <sup>nd</sup> appearance
	F3	CHILE (CHI)	1 <sup>st</sup> appearance
	F4	SWEDEN (SWE)	8 <sup>th</sup> appearance

## Match schedule

Group A				
Date	Match	City	Match no.	Time (LT)
7 June 2019	France - Korea Republic	PARIS	1	21:00
8 June 2019	Norway - Nigeria	REIMS	2	21:00
12 June 2019	Nigeria - Korea Republic	GRENOBLE	14	15:00
12 June 2019	France - Norway	NICE	13	21:00
17 June 2019	Nigeria - France	RENNES	25	21:00
17 June 2019	Korea Republic - Norway	REIMS	26	21:00
Group B				
Date	Match	City	Match no.	Time (LT)
8 June 2019	Germany - China PR	RENNES	3	15:00
8 June 2019	Spain - South Africa	LE HAVRE	4	18:00
12 June 2019	Germany - Spain	VALENCIENNES	15	18:00
13 June 2019	South Africa - China PR	PARIS	16	21:00
17 June 2019	South Africa - Germany	MONTPELLIER	27	18:00
17 June 2019	China PR - Spain	LE HAVRE	28	18:00
Group C				
Date	Match	City	Match no.	Time (LT)
9 June 2019	Australia - Italy	VALENCIENNES	5	13:00
9 June 2019	Brazil - Jamaica	GRENOBLE	6	15:30
13 June 2019	Australia - Brazil	MONTPELLIER	17	18:00
14 June 2019	Jamaica - Italy	REIMS	18	18:00
18 June 2019	Jamaica - Australia	GRENOBLE	29	21:00
18 June 2019	Italy - Brazil	VALENCIENNES	30	21:00
Group D				
Date	Match	City	Match no.	Time (LT)
9 June 2019	England - Scotland	NICE	7	18:00
10 June 2019	Argentina - Japan	PARIS	8	18:00
14 June 2019	Japan - Scotland	RENNES	20	15:00
14 June 2019	England - Argentina	LE HAVRE	19	21:00
19 June 2019	Japan - England	NICE	31	21:00
19 June 2019	Scotland - Argentina	PARIS	32	21:00
Group E				
Date	Match	City	Match no.	Time (LT)
10 June 2019	Canada - Cameroon	MONTPELLIER	9	21:00
11 June 2019	New Zealand - Netherlands	LE HAVRE	10	15:00
15 June 2019	Netherlands - Cameroon	VALENCIENNES	22	15:00
15 June 2019	Canada - New Zealand	GRENOBLE	21	21:00
20 June 2019	Netherlands - Canada	REIMS	33	18:00
20 June 2019	Cameroon - New Zealand	MONTPELLIER	34	18:00
Group F				
Date	Match	City	Match no.	Time (LT)
11 June 2019	Chile - Sweden	RENNES	12	18:00
11 June 2019	USA - Thailand	REIMS	11	21:00
16 June 2019	Sweden - Thailand	NICE	24	15:00
16 June 2019	USA - Chile	PARIS	23	18:00
20 June 2019	Sweden - USA	LE HAVRE	35	21:00
20 June 2019	Thailand - Chile	RENNES	36	21:00

<b>Round of 16</b>				
<b>Date</b>	<b>Match</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>Match no.</b>	<b>Time (LT)</b>
22 June 2019	1B - 3ACD	GRENOBLE	38	17:30
22 June 2019	2A - 2C	NICE	37	21:00
23 June 2019	1D - 3BEF	VALENCIENNES	39	17:30
23 June 2019	1A - 3CDE	LE HAVRE	40	21:00
24 June 2019	2B - 1F	REIMS	41	18:00
24 June 2019	2F - 2E	PARIS	42	21:00
25 June 2019	1C - 3ABF	MONTPELLIER	43	18:00
25 June 2019	1E - 2D	RENNES	44	21:00
<b>Quarter-finals</b>				
<b>Date</b>	<b>Match</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>Match no.</b>	<b>Time (LT)</b>
27 June 2019	W37 v. W39	LE HAVRE	45	21:00
28 June 2019	W40 v. W41	PARIS	46	21:00
29 June 2019	W43 v. W44	VALENCIENNES	47	15:00
29 June 2019	W38 v. W42	RENNES	48	18:30
<b>Semi-finals</b>				
<b>Date</b>	<b>Match</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>Match no.</b>	<b>Time (LT)</b>
2 July 2019	W45 v. W46	LYON	49	21:00
3 July 2019	W47 v. W48	LYON	50	21:00
<b>Match for third place</b>				
<b>Date</b>	<b>Match</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>Match no.</b>	<b>Time (LT)</b>
6 July 2019	Match for 3 <sup>rd</sup> place	NICE	51	17:00
<b>Final</b>				
<b>Date</b>	<b>Match</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>Match no.</b>	<b>Time (LT)</b>
7 July 2019	W49 v. W50	LYON	52	17:00

LT = local time.

## Team fact sheets

### Group A FRANCE, KOREA REPUBLIC, NORWAY, NIGERIA

#### France (FRA) A1

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1919/1904
Confederation	UEFA
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	7 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	Automatically qualified as host
Coach Date of birth	DIACRE Corinne, FRA 04/08/1974
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	3 participations (2003, 2011, 2015)
Debut - achievement	2003 – group stage
Best achievement	Fourth place - 2011
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	14 (6 – 3 – 5)
Goals for/goals against	22/16
Biggest win	5-0 v. Mexico - 2015
Most capped player	14 caps GEORGES Laura FWWC 2003, 2011, 2015
Top scorer	5 goals DELIE Marie Laure FWWC 2011, 2015
Most matches as coach	6 matches BINI Bruno, FRA FWWC 2011
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament Best achievement	2 participations (2012, 2016) Fourth place - 2012
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Best achievement	7 participations (2002, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2014, 2016, 2018) Runners-up - 2016
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup Best achievement	2 participations (2008, 2012) Champions - 2012

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1995 SWE	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1999 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2003 USA	Group stage	LOISEL Elisabeth, FRA
2007 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2011 GER	Fourth place	BINI Bruno, FRA
2015 CAN	Quarter-finals	BERGEROO Philippe, FRA
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

## Team facts & figures

France are participating in their fourth women's world finals and the third in succession. Their best finish dates back to the 2011 edition, when they came fourth.

France are the third European country to host a Women's World Cup, following Sweden in 1995 and Germany in 2011.

*Les Bleues* won the FIFA Fair Play Award in the last global showpiece.

## Previous head-to-heads (France v. Korea Republic, Nigeria, Norway)

### France v. Korea Republic: 2 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2003-09-24	WASHINGTON DC (USA)	France	Korea Republic	1-0 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2015-06-21	MONTREAL (CAN)	France	Korea Republic	3-0 (2-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Round of 16

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
France	2	2	0	0	4	0
Korea Republic	2	0	0	2	0	4

### France v. Nigeria: 2 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2011-06-26	SINSHEIM (GER)	Nigeria	France	0-1 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2018-04-06	LE MANS (FRA)	France	Nigeria	8-0 (3-0)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
France	2	2	0	0	9	0
Nigeria	2	0	0	2	0	9

### France v. Norway: 20 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1980-11-08	POISSY (FRA)	France	Norway	0-3	Friendly	
1982-05-15	ASKER (NOR)	Norway	France	2-1	Friendly	
1992-03-28	MARSEILLES (FRA)	France	Norway	0-0	Friendly	
1997-05-07	TRAPPES (FRA)	France	Norway	0-0	Friendly	
1998-09-24	MOSS (NOR)	Norway	France	6-0 (3-0)	Friendly	
2001-02-17	BONNEUIL SUR MARNE (FRA)	France	Norway	0-0	Friendly	
2001-06-25	ULM (GER)	Norway	France	3-0 (3-0)	UEFA European Women's Championship	Group stage
2001-10-13	CANNES (FRA)	France	Norway	0-3 (0-2)	FIFA WWC 2003 Prel. Comp.	
2002-05-09	HALDEN (NOR)	Norway	France	3-1 (2-1)	FIFA WWC 2003 Prel. Comp.	
2003-03-20	QUARTEIRA (POR)	Norway	France	1-0 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2003-09-20	PHILADELPHIA (USA)	Norway	France	2-0 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2005-02-19	LA MANGA (ESP)	Norway	France	0-2 (0-1)	Friendly	
2005-02-22	LA MANGA (ESP)	Norway	France	0-1 (0-1)	Friendly	
2005-06-09	WARRINGTON (ENG)	France	Norway	1-1 (1-0)	UEFA European Women's Championship	Group stage
2006-01-22	GUANGZHOU (CHN)	Norway	France	1-1 (0-1)	Four Nations Tournament	
2007-03-12	LAGOS (POR)	Norway	France	0-1 (0-0)	Algarve Cup	
2009-08-30	HELSINKI (FIN)	Norway	France	1-1 (1-1)	UEFA European Women's Championship	Group stage
2013-06-29	REIMS (FRA)	France	Norway	1-0 (0-0)	Friendly	
2016-01-26	LA MANGA (ESP)	Norway	France	0-1 (0-0)	Friendly	
2017-07-11	SEDAN (FRA)	France	Norway	1-1 (1-0)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
France	20	5	7	8	12	27
Norway	20	8	7	5	27	12





## Korea Republic (KOR) A2

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1933/1948
Confederation	AFC
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	8 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	16/04/2018
Coach	YOON Dukyeo, KOR
Date of birth	25/03/1961
Top scorer	6 goals CHO Sohyun
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	8 (5 – 3 – 0)
Goals for/goals against	30/1
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	2 participations (2003, 2015)
Debut - achievement	2003 – Group stage
Best achievement	Round of 16– 2015
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	7 (1 – 1 – 5)
Goals for/goals against	5/19
Biggest win	2-1 v. Spain - 2015
Most capped player	7 caps KIM Jungmi FWWC 2003, 2015
Top scorers	5 players with 1 goal
Most matches as coach	4 matches YOON Dukyeo, KOR FWWC 2015
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup	5 participations (2004, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016) Third place - 2010
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup	3 participations (2008, 2010, 2018) Champions - 2010

### FIFA Women's World Cup record

Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1995 SWE	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1999 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2003 USA	Group stage	AN Jong Goan, KOR
2007 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2011 GER	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2015 CAN	Round of 16	YOON Dukyeo, KOR
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

## Team facts & figures

Korea Republic are competing in their third Women's World Cup and the second in a row. In 2015 they advanced from the group stage for the first time, subsequently losing 3-0 to France in the Round of 16.

The *Taegeuk Nangja* have won only once in seven games played in the Women's World Cup, seeing off Spain 2-1 in 2015.

After narrowly failing to qualify for the semi-finals of the AFC Women's Asian Cup 2018 based on head-to-head goals scored, Korea Republic went on to defeat Philippines 5-0 in the fifth-place play-off, thereby securing the last World Cup berth available to Asian teams.

## Previous head-to-heads (Korea Republic v. France, Norway, Nigeria)

### Korea Republic v. France: 2 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2003-09-24	WASHINGTON DC (USA)	France	Korea Republic	1-0 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2015-06-21	MONTREAL (CAN)	France	Korea Republic	3-0 (2-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Round of 16

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
France	2	2	0	0	4	0
Korea Republic	2	0	0	2	0	4

### Korea Republic v. Norway: 3 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2003-09-27	FOXBOROUGH (USA)	Korea Republic	Norway	1-7 (0-4)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2013-01-12	CHONGQING (CHN)	Norway	Korea Republic	2-0 (1-0)	Four Nations Tournament	
2018-03-07	ALBUFEIRA (POR)	Korea Republic	Norway	0-0	Algarve Cup	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Korea Republic	3	0	1	2	1	9
Norway	3	2	1	0	9	1

### Korea Republic v. Nigeria: 0 matches



## Norway (NOR) A3

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1902/1908
Confederation	UEFA
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	8 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	04/09/2018
Coach	SJOGREN Martin, SWE
Date of birth	27/04/1977
Top scorer	7 goals UTLAND Lisa-Marie
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	8 (7 – 0 – 1)
Goals for/goals against	22/4
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	7 participations (1991, 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015)
Debut - achievement	1991 – Runners-up
Best achievement	Champions - 1995
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	35 (22 – 3 – 10)
Goals for/goals against	86/45
Biggest win	8-0 v. Nigeria - 1995
Most capped players	22 caps NORDBY Bente FWWC 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007 RIISE Hege FWWC 1991, 1995, 1999, 2003
Top scorer	10 goals AARONES Ann Kristin FWWC 1995, 1999
Most matches as coach	16 matches PELLERUD Even, NOR FWWC 1991, 1995, 2015
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament	3 participations (1996, 2000, 2008)
Best achievement	Gold medallists - 2000
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup	2 participations (2008, 2012)
Best achievement	Quarter-finals - 2012

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	Runners-up	PELLERUD Even, NOR
1995 SWE	Champions	PELLERUD Even, NOR
1999 USA	Fourth place	HOGMO Per-Mathias, NOR
2003 USA	Quarter-finalists	STEEN Age, NOR
2007 CHN	Fourth place	BERNTSEN Bjarne, NOR
2011 GER	Group stage	LANDSEM Eli, NOR
2015 CAN	Round of 16	PELLERUD Even, NOR
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

## Team facts & figures

Present in all eight editions, Norway were the first team to reach back-to-back Finals. The Norwegians finished runners-up to USA in the inaugural tournament in 1991 and pipped Germany to the title four years later.

Norway hold the tournament records for consecutive wins, with ten (between 1995 and 1999), and for scoring in the most consecutive matches, with 15 between 1991 and 1999.

Seven wins and one defeat were enough for the *Gresshoppene* to win their UEFA preliminary group and qualify directly for France 2019. Their only reverse was a 1-0 defeat away to the Netherlands, after Vivianne Miedema's last-gasp winner three minutes into second-half stoppage time.

## Previous head-to-heads (Norway v. France, Korea Republic, Nigeria)

### Norway v. France: 20 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1980-11-08	POISSY (FRA)	France	Norway	0-3	Friendly	
1982-05-15	ASKER (NOR)	Norway	France	2-1	Friendly	
1992-03-28	MARSEILLES (FRA)	France	Norway	0-0	Friendly	
1997-05-07	TRAPPES (FRA)	France	Norway	0-0	Friendly	
1998-09-24	MOSS (NOR)	Norway	France	6-0 (3-0)	Friendly	
2001-02-17	BONNEUIL SUR MARNE (FRA)	France	Norway	0-0	Friendly	
2001-06-25	ULM (GER)	Norway	France	3-0 (3-0)	UEFA European Women's Championship	Group stage
2001-10-13	CANNES (FRA)	France	Norway	0-3 (0-2)	FIFA WWC 2003 Prel. Comp.	
2002-05-09	HALDEN (NOR)	Norway	France	3-1 (2-1)	FIFA WWC 2003 Prel. Comp.	
2003-03-20	QUARTEIRA (POR)	Norway	France	1-0 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2003-09-20	PHILADELPHIA (USA)	Norway	France	2-0 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2005-02-19	LA MANGA (ESP)	Norway	France	0-2 (0-1)	Friendly	
2005-02-22	LA MANGA (ESP)	Norway	France	0-1 (0-1)	Friendly	
2005-06-09	WARRINGTON (ENG)	France	Norway	1-1 (1-0)	UEFA European Women's Championship	Group stage
2006-01-22	GUANGZHOU (CHN)	Norway	France	1-1 (0-1)	Four Nations Tournament	
2007-03-12	LAGOS (POR)	Norway	France	0-1 (0-0)	Algarve Cup	
2009-08-30	HELSINKI (FIN)	Norway	France	1-1 (1-1)	UEFA European Women's Championship	Group stage
2013-06-29	REIMS (FRA)	France	Norway	1-0 (0-0)	Friendly	
2016-01-26	LA MANGA (ESP)	Norway	France	0-1 (0-0)	Friendly	
2017-07-11	SEDAN (FRA)	France	Norway	1-1 (1-0)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
France	20	5	7	8	12	27
Norway	20	8	7	5	27	12

### Norway v. Korea Republic: 3 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2003-09-27	FOXBOROUGH (USA)	Korea Republic	Norway	1-7 (0-4)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2013-01-12	CHONGQING (CHN)	Norway	Korea Republic	2-0 (1-0)	Four Nations Tournament	
2018-03-07	ALBUFEIRA (POR)	Korea Republic	Norway	0-0	Algarve Cup	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Korea Republic	3	0	1	2	1	9
Norway	3	2	1	0	9	1

### Norway v. Nigeria: 3 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1995-06-06	KARLSTAD (SWE)	Norway	Nigeria	8-0 (2-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2000-09-17	CANBERRA (AUS)	Norway	Nigeria	3-1 (1-0)	Olympic Football Tournaments	Group stage
2003-08-02	ALESUND (NOR)	Norway	Nigeria	3-2 (2-2)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Nigeria	3	0	0	3	3	14
Norway	3	3	0	0	14	3

## Nigeria (NGA) A4

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1945/1960
Confederation	CAF
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	8 participations
2019 FIFA Women's World Cup Preliminary Competition	
Date of qualification	27/11/2018
Coach	DENNERBY Thomas, SWE
Date of Birth	13/08/1959
Top scorer	6 goals OPARANOZIE Desire
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	7 (4 - 2 - 1)
Goals for/goals against	17/1
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	7 participations (1991, 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015)
Debut - achievement	1991 - Group stage
Best achievement	Quarter-finals - 1999
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	22 (3 - 3 - 16)
Goals for/goals against	18/56
Biggest win	2-0 v. Denmark in 1999
Most capped player	13 caps OMAGBEMI Florence FWWC 1991, 1995, 1999, 2003
Top scorer	3 goals NWADIKE Rita FWWC 1995, 1999 OKOSIEME Nkiru FWWC 1999
Most matches as coach	4 matches ISMAILA Mabo, NGA FWWC 1999
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament	3 participations (2000, 2004, 2008)
Best achievement	Quarter-finals - 2004
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup	9 participations (2002, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018)
Best achievement	Runners-up - 2010, 2014
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup	5 participations (2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016)
Best achievement	Quarter-finals - 2010, 2012, 2014

### FIFA Women's World Cup record

Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	Group stage	BONFRERE Jo, NED
1995 SWE	Group stage	HAMILTON Paul, ENG
1999 USA	Quarter-finals	ISMAILA Mabo, NGA
2003 USA	Group stage	OKPODU Samuel, NGA
2007 CHN	Group stage	EFFIOM Ntiero, NGA
2011 GER	Group stage	UCHE Ngozi, NGA
2015 CAN	Group stage	OKON Edwin, NGA
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

### Team facts & figures

Nigeria are one of seven sides, and the only African team, to feature in all eight editions. The Super Falcons achieved their best finish in 1999, when they were stopped in the quarter-finals by Brazil after extra time. In all their other campaigns, the west Africans exited in the group phase.

The record for the youngest footballer to have played in the Women's World Cup is held by a Nigerian. In 1999, Ifeanyi Chiejine took to the field against Korea DPR aged 16 years and 34 days. By contrast, her compatriot Perpetua Nkwocha became the second-oldest player in the competition's history at the age of 39 years and 160 days, behind United States' Christie Rampone (aged 40 years and 11 days).

Having qualified for France 2019 by winning their semi-final in the CAF Africa Women Cup of Nations against Cameroon on penalties, Nigeria went on to claim the continental crown by downing South Africa in another penalty shoot-out. It was the Nigerians' 11th title in the competition, and their fourth on the trot.

## Previous head-to-heads (Nigeria v. France, Korea Republic, Norway)

### Nigeria v. France: 2 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2011-06-26	SINSHEIM (GER)	Nigeria	France	0-1 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2018-04-06	LE MANS (FRA)	France	Nigeria	8-0 (3-0)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
France	2	2	0	0	9	0
Nigeria	2	0	0	2	0	9

### Nigeria v. Korea Republic: 0 matches

### Nigeria v. Norway: 3 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1995-06-06	KARLSTAD (SWE)	Norway	Nigeria	8-0 (2-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2000-09-17	CANBERRA (AUS)	Norway	Nigeria	3-1 (1-0)	Olympic Football Tournaments	Group stage
2003-08-02	ALESUND (NOR)	Norway	Nigeria	3-2 (2-2)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Nigeria	3	0	0	3	3	14
Norway	3	3	0	0	14	3

## Group B GERMANY, CHINA PR, SPAIN, SOUTH AFRICA



### Germany (GER) B1

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1900/1904
Confederation	UEFA
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	7 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	04/09/2018
Coach Date of birth	HRUBESCH Horst, GER 17/04/1951
Top scorers	6 goals POPP Alexandra SCHUELLER Lea
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	8 (7 - 0 - 1)
Goals for/goals against	38/3
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	7 participations (1991, 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015)
Debut - achievement	1991 – Fourth place
Best achievement	Champions – 2003, 2007
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	39 (26 – 5 – 8)
Goals for/goals against	111/37
Biggest win	11-0 v. Argentina - 2007
Most capped player	24 caps PRINZ Birgit FWWC 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011
Top scorer	14 goals PRINZ Birgit FWWC 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007
Most matches as coach	17 matches NEID Silvia, GER FWWC 2007, 2011, 2015
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament Best achievement	5 participations (1996, 2000, 2004, 2008, 2016) Gold medallists -2016
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Best achievement	9 participations (2002, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018) Champions – 2004, 2010, 2014
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup	6 participations (2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018) Third place - 2008

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	Fourth place	BISANZ Gero, GER
1995 SWE	Runners-up	BISANZ Gero, GER
1999 USA	Quarter-finalists	THEUNE-MEYER Tina, GER
2003 USA	Champions	THEUNE-MEYER Tina, GER
2007 CHN	Champions	NEID Silvia, GER
2011* GER	Quarter-finalists	NEID Silvia, GER
2015 CAN	Fourth place	NEID Silvia, GER
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

\* Qualified as hosts

### Team facts & figures

Germany are second only to USA in terms of the number of titles won (two compared with USA's three), games played (39 versus 43), victories (26 to 33) and goals scored (111 to 112). However, Germany are the only team to have won back-to-back Women's World Cups, in 2003 and in 2007.

The Germans hold a clutch of records in the Women's World Cup. They kept clean sheets in all six matches during their triumphant 2007 campaign; they scored the joint-most goals in a single edition (25 in 2003, the same number as USA in 1991); they went unbeaten for 15 games between 2003 and 2011; they posted the two biggest margins of victory (11-0 against Argentina in 2007 and 10-0 against Côte d'Ivoire in 2015) and no fewer than five of their players have scored a World Cup hat-trick: Inka Grings (1999), Birgit Prinz and Sandra Smisek (both in 2007), and Anja Mittag and Celia Sasic (both in 2015).

On the trail to France 2019, *Die Nationale* lost their first World Cup qualifier in almost 20 years, going down 3-2 against Iceland on 20 October 2017. Their previous loss came away to Norway by the same scoreline on 17 June 1998. The reverse against the Icelanders in Wiesbaden was also the Germans' first World Cup qualifying defeat on native soil after 24 consecutive home victories.

## Previous head-to-heads (Germany v. China PR, Spain, South Africa)

### Germany v. China PR: 31 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1991-06-30	LUEDENSCHIED (GER)	Germany	China PR	2-0	Friendly	
1994-08-06	NEW BRITAIN (USA)	China PR	Germany	3-2	Chiquita Cup	
1995-05-25	ROTENBURG (GER)	Germany	China PR	3-1	Friendly	
1995-06-15	HELSINGBORG (SWE)	Germany	China PR	1-0 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Semifinals
1997-03-20	EUSKIRCHEN (GER)	Germany	China PR	2-2 (2-0)	Friendly	
1997-03-23	WARENDORF (GER)	Germany	China PR	1-1 (1-0)	Friendly	
1999-03-25	HOLZWICKEDE (GER)	Germany	China PR	0-3	Friendly	
1999-03-28	HAMBURG (GER)	Germany	China PR	4-1	Friendly	
2000-07-16	OSNABRUECK (GER)	Germany	China PR	1-3 (1-1)	DFB Centenary Cup	
2000-09-07	TUGGERANONG (AUS)	China PR	Germany	1-0	Friendly	
2001-03-06	AUGSBURG (GER)	Germany	China PR	1-0 (0-0)	Friendly	
2001-03-08	ULM (GER)	Germany	China PR	2-4 (1-2)	Friendly	
2002-01-23	GUANGZHOU (CHN)	China PR	Germany	2-1 (1-0)	Four Nations Tournament	
2002-03-03	VILA REAL S.ANTONIO (POR)	Germany	China PR	2-4 (1-2)	Algarve Cup	
2003-01-23	YIWU (CHN)	China PR	Germany	0-0	Four Nations Tournament	
2003-03-04	GUETERSLOH (GER)	Germany	China PR	2-2 (1-2)	Friendly	
2003-03-06	ARNSBERG (GER)	Germany	China PR	3-1 (1-0)	Friendly	
2004-03-04	FUERTH (GER)	Germany	China PR	0-1 (0-0)	Friendly	
2004-08-11	PATRAS (GRE)	Germany	China PR	8-0 (2-0)	Olympic Football Tournaments	Group stage
2005-02-01	QUANZHOU (CHN)	China PR	Germany	0-2 (0-2)	Four Nations Tournament	
2005-03-13	ALVOR (POR)	China PR	Germany	0-2 (0-1)	Algarve Cup	
2006-03-01	HOMBURG (GER)	Germany	China PR	0-1 (0-0)	Friendly	
2007-01-28	GUANGZHOU (CHN)	China PR	Germany	0-0	Four Nations Tournament	
2008-02-28	FREIBURG (GER)	Germany	China PR	2-0 (0-0)	Friendly	
2009-02-25	BIELEFELD (GER)	Germany	China PR	1-1 (1-1)	Friendly	
2009-03-06	ALBUFEIRA (POR)	Germany	China PR	3-0 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2010-03-01	FARO (POR)	Germany	China PR	5-0 (3-0)	Algarve Cup	
2012-03-02	VILA REAL S.ANTONIO (POR)	Germany	China PR	1-0 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2014-03-07	ALBUFEIRA (POR)	Germany	China PR	1-0 (0-0)	Algarve Cup	
2015-03-06	VILA REAL S.ANTONIO (POR)	Germany	China PR	2-0 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2016-08-12	SALVADOR (BRA)	China PR	Germany	0-1 (0-0)	Olympic Football Tournaments	Quarter-finals

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
China PR	31	9	6	16	31	55
Germany	31	16	6	9	55	31

### Germany v. Spain: 4 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1997-04-24	LUEBECK (GER)	Germany	Spain	6-0 (2-0)	Friendly	
2011-11-24	MOTRIL (ESP)	Spain	Germany	2-2 (0-2)	UEFA Women's EURO 2013 Prel. Comp.	Group stage
2012-03-31	MANNHEIM (GER)	Germany	Spain	5-0 (1-0)	UEFA Women's EURO 2013 Prel. Comp.	Group stage
2018-11-13	ERFURT (GER)	Germany	Spain	0-0	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Germany	4	2	2	0	13	2
Spain	4	0	2	2	2	13

### Germany v. South Africa: 0 matches





## China PR (CHN) B2

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1924/1980
Confederation	AFC
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	5 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	09/04/2018
Coach	JIA Xiuquan, CHN
Date of birth	09/11/1963
Top scorer	7 goals LI Ying
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	5 (4 - 0 - 1)
Goals for/goals against	19/5
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	6 participations (1991, 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2015)
Debut - achievement	1991 quarter-finalists
Best achievement	Runners-up - 1999
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	29 (15 - 6 - 8)
Goals for/goals against	52/29
Biggest win	7-0 v. Ghana - 1999
Most capped player	20 caps SUN Wen FWWC 1991, 1995, 1999, 2003
Top scorer	11 goals SUN Wen FWWC 1991, 1995, 1999, 2003
Most matches as coach	12 matches MA Yuanan, CHN FWWC 1995, 1999
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament Best achievement	5 participations (1996, 2000, 2004, 2008, 2016) Silver medallists - 1996
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Best achievement	6 participations (2004, 2006, 2008, 2012, 2014, 2018) Runners-up - 2004, 2006
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup Best achievement	2 participations (2012, 2014) Group stage - 2012, 2014

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991* CHN	Quarter-finalists	SHANG Ruihua, CHN
1995 SWE	Fourth place	MA Yuanan, CHN
1999 USA	Runners-up	MA Yuanan, CHN
2003** USA	Quarter-finalists	MA Liangxing, CHN
2007* CHN	Quarter-finalists	DOMANSKI LYFORS Marika, SWE
2011 GER	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2015 CAN	Quarter-finalists	HAO Wei, CHN
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

\* *Qualified as hosts*

\*\* *China PR were allowed to keep the host slot despite the event being moved to the USA*

## Team facts & figures

China PR have attended every Women's World Cup except the 2011 tournament and achieved their best placing in 1999, when they lost the Final on penalties to USA.

The first goal in the competition's history was scored by China's Ma Li, in the 4-0 victory over Norway in 1991.

The *Steel Roses* became the first team to qualify for France 2019, beating Philippines 3-0 in the group stage of the AFC Women's Asian Cup before eventually finishing third.

## Previous head-to-heads (China PR v. Germany, Spain, South Africa)

### China PR v. Germany: 31 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1991-06-30	LUEDENSCHIED (GER)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	2-0	Friendly	
1994-08-06	NEW BRITAIN (USA)	<b>China PR</b>	Germany	3-2	Chiquita Cup	
1995-05-25	ROTENBURG (GER)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	3-1	Friendly	
1995-06-15	HELSINGBORG (SWE)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	1-0 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Semifinals
1997-03-20	EUSKIRCHEN (GER)	Germany	China PR	2-2 (2-0)	Friendly	
1997-03-23	WARENDORF (GER)	Germany	China PR	1-1 (1-0)	Friendly	
1999-03-25	HOLZWICKEDE (GER)	Germany	<b>China PR</b>	0-3	Friendly	
1999-03-28	HAMBURG (GER)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	4-1	Friendly	
2000-07-16	OSNABRUECK (GER)	Germany	<b>China PR</b>	1-3 (1-1)	DFB Centenary Cup	
2000-09-07	TUGGERANONG (AUS)	<b>China PR</b>	Germany	1-0	Friendly	
2001-03-06	AUGSBURG (GER)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	1-0 (0-0)	Friendly	
2001-03-08	ULM (GER)	Germany	<b>China PR</b>	2-4 (1-2)	Friendly	
2002-01-23	GUANGZHOU (CHN)	<b>China PR</b>	Germany	2-1 (1-0)	Four Nations Tournament	
2002-03-03	VILA REAL S.ANTONIO (POR)	Germany	<b>China PR</b>	2-4 (1-2)	Algarve Cup	
2003-01-23	YIWU (CHN)	China PR	Germany	0-0	Four Nations Tournament	
2003-03-04	GUETERSLOH (GER)	Germany	China PR	2-2 (1-2)	Friendly	
2003-03-06	ARNSBERG (GER)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	3-1 (1-0)	Friendly	
2004-03-04	FUERTH (GER)	Germany	<b>China PR</b>	0-1 (0-0)	Friendly	
2004-08-11	PATRAS (GRE)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	8-0 (2-0)	Olympic Football Tournaments	Group stage
2005-02-01	QUANZHOU (CHN)	China PR	<b>Germany</b>	0-2 (0-2)	Four Nations Tournament	
2005-03-13	ALVOR (POR)	China PR	<b>Germany</b>	0-2 (0-1)	Algarve Cup	
2006-03-01	HOMBURG (GER)	Germany	<b>China PR</b>	0-1 (0-0)	Friendly	
2007-01-28	GUANGZHOU (CHN)	China PR	Germany	0-0	Four Nations Tournament	
2008-02-28	FREIBURG (GER)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	2-0 (0-0)	Friendly	
2009-02-25	BIELEFELD (GER)	Germany	China PR	1-1 (1-1)	Friendly	
2009-03-06	ALBUFEIRA (POR)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	3-0 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2010-03-01	FARO (POR)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	5-0 (3-0)	Algarve Cup	
2012-03-02	VILA REAL S.ANTONIO (POR)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	1-0 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2014-03-07	ALBUFEIRA (POR)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	1-0 (0-0)	Algarve Cup	
2015-03-06	VILA REAL S.ANTONIO (POR)	<b>Germany</b>	China PR	2-0 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2016-08-12	SALVADOR (BRA)	China PR	<b>Germany</b>	0-1 (0-0)	Olympic Football Tournament	Quarter-finals

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
China PR	31	9	6	16	31	55
Germany	31	16	6	9	55	31

### China PR v. South Africa: 4 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2003-09-04	DALIAN (CHN)	<b>China PR</b>	South Africa	8-0 (4-0)	Friendly	
2003-09-07	DALIAN (CHN)	<b>China PR</b>	South Africa	13-0 (6-0)	Friendly	
2009-07-11	AMSTERDAM (NED)	<b>China PR</b>	South Africa	5-0 (3-0)	W-Four Nations Tournament	
2016-08-06	RIO DE JANEIRO (BRA)	South Africa	<b>China PR</b>	0-2 (0-1)	Olympic Football Tournaments	Group stage

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
China PR	4	4	0	0	28	0
South Africa	4	0	0	4	0	28

## China PR v. Spain: 2 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition
2015-09-18	WEINAN (CHN)	China PR	Spain	1-3 (0-1)	Friendly
2015-09-21	CHENZHOU (CHN)	China PR	Spain	1-2 (1-1)	Friendly

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
China PR	2	0	0	2	2	5
Spain	2	2	0	0	5	2



## Spain (ESP)

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General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1913/1904
Confederation	UEFA
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	8 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	08/06/2018
Coach	VILDA Jorge, ESP
Date of birth	07/07/1981
Top scorer	7 goals HERMOSO Jennifer
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	8 (8 – 0 – 0)
Goals for/goals against	25/2
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	1 participation (2015)
Debut - achievement	2015 Group stage
Best achievement	Group stage – 2015
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	3 (0 – 1 – 2)
Goals for/goals against	2/4
Biggest win	-
Most capped players	11 players with 3 caps
Top scorers	1 goal BOQUETE Veronica FWWC 2015 LOSADA Vicky FWWC 2015
Most matches as coach	3 matches QUEREDA Ignacio, ESP FWWC 2015
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Best achievement	3 participations (2004, 2016, 2018) Runners-up - 2018
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup Best achievement	4 participations (2010, 2014, 2016, 2018) Champions - 2018

### FIFA Women's World Cup record

Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1995 SWE	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1999 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2003 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2007 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2011 GER	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2015 CAN	Group stage	QUEREDA Ignacio, ESP
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

## Team facts & figures

Spain are appearing in their second Women's World Cup after debuting at Canada 2015, where they were eliminated in the group stage.

Spain are one of eight teams, and the only European side, to have failed to win a game in the Women's World Cup. Their only positive result was a 1-1 draw with Costa Rica in their maiden match.

*The Iberians* won all eight of their qualifiers and were the only European side to finish the preliminary competition with a 100 per cent winning record.

## Previous head-to-heads (Spain v. China PR, Germany, South Africa)

### Spain v. China PR: 2 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	
2015-09-18	WEINAN (CHN)	China PR	Spain	1-3 (0-1)	Friendly	
2015-09-21	CHENZHOU (CHN)	China PR	Spain	1-2 (1-1)	Friendly	
	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
China PR	2	0	0	2	2	5
Spain	2	2	0	0	5	2

### Spain v. Germany: 4 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1997-04-24	LUEBECK (GER)	Germany	Spain	6-0 (2-0)	Friendly	
2011-11-24	MOTRIL (ESP)	Spain	Germany	2-2 (0-2)	UEFA Women's EURO 2013 Prel. Comp.	Group stage
2012-03-31	MANNHEIM (GER)	Germany	Spain	5-0 (1-0)	UEFA Women's EURO 2013 Prel. Comp.	Group stage
2018-11-13	ERFURT (GER)	Germany	Spain	0-0	Friendly	
	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Germany	4	2	2	0	13	2
Spain	4	0	2	2	2	13

### Spain v. South Africa: 0 matches

## South Africa (RSA) B4 - Debutant

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1991/1992
Confederation	CAF
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	7 participations
2019 FIFA Women's World Cup Preliminary Competition	
Date of qualification	27/11/2018
Coach Date of Birth	ELLIS Desiree, RSA 14/03/1963
Top scorer	5 goals KGATLANA Thembi SEOPOSENWE Jermaine
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	7 (5 – 2 – 0)
Goals for/goals against	18/2
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	0 participations
Debut	2019
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament Best achievement	2 participations (2012, 2016) Group stage – 2012, 2016
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup Best achievement	2 participations (2010, 2018) Group stage – 2010, 2018

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	<i>Banned</i>	
1995 SWE	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1999 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2003 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2007 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2011 GER	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2015 CAN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

### Team facts & figures

South Africa have qualified for the finals for the first time and are the sixth African side to make their bow in the Women's World Cup. The last debutants were Cameroon at Canada 2015.

The South Africans have competed in four FIFA women's finals tournaments since 2010 - the U-17 Women's World Cup 2010 and 2018, and the Women's Olympic Football Tournament 2012 and 2016 - suffering group-stage exits in all four campaigns.

*Banyana Banyana* secured their momentous first qualification for the finals of the Women's World Cup by overcoming Mali 2-0 in the semi-finals of the Africa Women Cup of Nations, before losing the final on penalties to Nigeria.

## Previous head-to-heads (South Africa v. China PR, Germany, Spain)

### South Africa v. China PR: 4 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2003-09-04	DALIAN (CHN)	China PR	South Africa	8-0 (4-0)	Friendly	
2003-09-07	DALIAN (CHN)	China PR	South Africa	13-0 (6-0)	Friendly	
2009-07-11	AMSTERDAM (NED)	China PR	South Africa	5-0 (3-0)	Four Nations Tournament	
2016-08-06	RIO DE JANEIRO (BRA)	South Africa	China PR	0-2 (0-1)	Olympic Football Tournament	Group stage

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
China PR	4	4	0	0	28	0
South Africa	4	0	0	4	0	28

### South Africa v. Germany: 0 matches

### South Africa v. Spain: 0 matches

## Group C AUSTRALIA, ITALY, BRAZIL, JAMAICA



### Australia (AUS) C1

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1961/1963
Confederation	AFC (prior 2006 OFC)
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	8 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup™ 2019 preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	13/04/2018
Coach Date of birth	Till January 2019 STAJCIC Alen, AUS 02/11/1973
Top scorer	3 goals KERR Samantha
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	5 (1 -3 -1)
Goals for/goals against	11/4
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	6 participations (1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015)
Debut - achievement	1995 – Group stage
Best achievement	Quarter-finalists - 2007, 2011, 2015
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	22 (5 – 5 – 12)
Goals for/goals against	29/44
Biggest win	4-1 v. Ghana - 2007
Most capped player	13 caps DE VANNA Lisa FWWC 2007, 2011, 2015
Top scorer	7 goals DE VANNA Lisa FWWC 2007, 2011, 2015
Most matches as coach	11 matches SERMANNI Tom, AUS FWWC 1995, 2007, 2011
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament	3 participations (2000, 2004, 2016)
Best achievement	Quarter-finals - 2004, 2016
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup	3 participations (2002, 2004, 2006)
Best achievement	Quarter-finals - 2002, 2004

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991* CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1995* SWE	Group stage	SERMANNI Tom, AUS
1999* USA	Group stage	BROWN Greg, AUS
2003* USA	Group stage	SANTRAC Adrian, AUS
2007 CHN	Quarter-finals	SERMANNI Tom, AUS
2011 GER	Quarter-finals	SERMANNI Tom, AUS
2015 CAN	Quarter-finals	STAJCIC Alen, AUS
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

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## Team facts & figures

Australia are contesting their seventh consecutive FIFA Women's World Cup™, having missed only the inaugural tournament in 1991.

*The Matildas'* best achievement is reaching the quarter-finals, which they did in each of the last three editions, where they were respectively eliminated by Brazil (3-2 in 2007), Sweden (3-1 in 2011) and Japan (1-0 in 2015).

In 2018 the Australians reached the final of the AFC Women's Asian Cup for the third time in a row, thereby securing a place at France 2019. They went on to lose 1-0 to Japan, just as they did in the 2014 final, after winning the 2010 decider against Korea DPR on penalties.



## Previous head-to-heads (Australia v. Brazil, Italy, Jamaica)

### Australia v. Brazil: 18 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1988-06-01	JIANGMEN (CHN)	Brazil	<b>Australia</b>	0-1 (0-1)	FIFA Invitational Tournament	
1995-04-15	UBERLANDIA (BRA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Australia	3-0	Torneio Cidade de Uberlandia	
1995-04-17	UBERLANDIA (BRA)	Brazil	<b>Australia</b>	2-3	Torneio Cidade de Uberlandia	
1999-06-06	PORTLAND (USA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Australia	3-1	Friendly	
2000-09-19	SYDNEY (AUS)	Australia	<b>Brazil</b>	1-2 (1-0)	Olympic Football Tournament	Group stage
2004-08-11	THESSALONIKI (GRE)	<b>Brazil</b>	Australia	1-0 (1-0)	Olympic Football Tournament	Group stage
2007-09-23	TIANJIN (CHN)	<b>Brazil</b>	Australia	3-2 (2-1)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Quarter-final
2008-06-19	SUWON (KOR)	<b>Australia</b>	Brazil	1-0 (0-0)	Peace Queen Cup	
2011-06-29	MOENCHENGLADBACH (GER)	<b>Brazil</b>	Australia	1-0 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2014-04-06	BRISBANE (AUS)	Australia	<b>Brazil</b>	0-1 (0-0)	Friendly	
2014-04-09	BRISBANE (AUS)	<b>Australia</b>	Brazil	2-1 (1-0)	Friendly	
2015-06-21	MONCTON (CAN)	Brazil	<b>Australia</b>	0-1 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Round of 16
2016-07-23	FORTALEZA (BRA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Australia	3-1 (0-1)	Friendly	
2016-08-12	BELO HORIZONTE (BRA)	Brazil	Australia	0-0 AET 7-6 PSO	Olympic Football Tournament	Quarter-final
2017-08-03	CARSON (USA)	<b>Australia</b>	Brazil	6-1 (4-1)	Four Nations Tournament	
2017-09-16	PENRITH (AUS)	<b>Australia</b>	Brazil	2-1 (1-0)	Friendly	
2017-09-19	NEWCASTLE (AUS)	<b>Australia</b>	Brazil	3-2 (1-1)	Friendly	
2018-07-26	KANSAS CITY (USA)	Brazil	<b>Australia</b>	1-3 (0-2)	Tournament of Nations	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Australia	18	9	1	8	27	25
Brazil	18	8	1	9	25	27

### Australia v. Italy: 8 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1997-05-31	SALEM, NH (USA)	<b>Italy</b>	Australia	3-0 (2-0)	US Cup	
1999-01-08	SYDNEY (AUS)	Italy	Australia	1-1 AET (1-1, 0-0) 4-3 PSO	Australia Cup	
1999-01-13	CANBERRA (AUS)	<b>Australia</b>	Italy	1-0 (1-0)	Australia Cup	Final
2002-10-09	CARY (USA)	Australia	<b>Italy</b>	0-1 (0-0)	US Cup	
2008-06-17	SUWON (KOR)	<b>Australia</b>	Italy	3-0 (0-0)	Peace Queen Cup	
2009-01-31	SYDNEY (AUS)	Australia	Italy	2-2 (0-0)	Friendly	
2009-02-07	CANBERRA (AUS)	Australia	<b>Italy</b>	1-5 (0-3)	Friendly	
2014-03-12	PARALIMNI (CYP)	<b>Australia</b>	Italy	5-2 (3-0)	Cyprus Cup	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Australia	8	3	2	3	13	14
Italy	8	3	2	3	14	13

### Australia v. Jamaica: 0 matches



## Italy (ITA) C2

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1898/1905
Confederation	UEFA
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	8 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	08/06/2018
Coach	BERTOLINI Milena, ITA
Date of birth	24/06/1966
Top scorer	7 goals GIRELLI Cristiana
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	8 (7 - 0 - 1)
Goals for/goals against	19/4
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	2 participations (1991, 1999)
Debut - achievement	1991 Quarter-finalists
Best achievement	Quarter-finalists - 1991
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	7 (3 - 1 - 3)
Goals for/goals against	11/8
Biggest win	5-0 v. Chinese Taipei - 1991
Most capped players	6 caps D ASTOLFO Federica FWWC 1991, 1999 FIORINI Silvia FWWC 1991, 1999
Top scorer	4 goals MORACE Carolina FWWC 1991
Most matches as coach	4 matches GUENZA Sergio, ITA FWWC 1991
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Best achievement	2 participations (2004, 2012) Group stage - 2004, 2012
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup Best achievement	1 participation (2014) Third place - 2014

### FIFA Women's World Cup record

Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	Quarter-finalists	GUENZA Sergio, ITA
1995 SWE	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1999 USA	Group stage	FACCHIN Carlo, ITA
2003 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2007 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2011 GER	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2015 CAN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

## Team facts & figures

Italy are contesting their third Women's World Cup after an absence of 20 years, the longest interval between participations of any team in the competition's history. Their best result is reaching the quarter-finals in 1991.

Italy's Carolina Morace bagged the first hat-trick in Women's World Cup history, scoring three goals in the 5-0 win over Chinese Taipei on 17 November 1991.

*Le Azzurre* qualified by winning Group 6 of the UEFA preliminary round thanks to seven consecutive wins in their first seven games, their only loss coming in a dead-rubber meeting with Belgium on the final matchday.

## Previous head-to-heads (Italy v. Australia, Brazil, Jamaica)

### Italy v. Australia: 8 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1997-05-31	SALEM, NH (USA)	<b>Italy</b>	Australia	3-0 (2-0)	US Cup	
1999-01-08	SYDNEY (AUS)	Italy	Australia	1-1 AET (1-1, 0-0) 4-3 PSO	Australia Cup	
1999-01-13	CANBERRA (AUS)	<b>Australia</b>	Italy	1-0 (1-0)	Australia Cup	Final
2002-10-09	CARY (USA)	Australia	<b>Italy</b>	0-1 (0-0)	US Cup	
2008-06-17	SUWON (KOR)	<b>Australia</b>	Italy	3-0 (0-0)	Peace Queen Cup	
2009-01-31	SYDNEY (AUS)	Australia	Italy	2-2 (0-0)	Friendly	
2009-02-07	CANBERRA (AUS)	Australia	<b>Italy</b>	1-5 (0-3)	Friendly	
2014-03-12	PARALIMNI (CYP)	<b>Australia</b>	Italy	5-2 (3-0)	Cyprus Cup	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Australia	8	3	2	3	13	14
Italy	8	3	2	3	14	13

### Italy v. Brazil: 5 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1999-06-24	CHICAGO (USA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Italy	2-0 (1-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2008-06-15	SUWON (KOR)	<b>Brazil</b>	Italy	2-1 (2-1)	Peace Queen Cup	
2011-12-08	SAO PAULO (BRA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Italy	5-1 (1-1)	Torneio Internacional Cidade de São Paulo	
2016-12-14	MANAUS (BRA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Italy	3-1 (1-1)	Four Nations Tournament	
2016-12-18	MANAUS (BRA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Italy	5-3 (3-2)	Four Nations Tournament	Final

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Brazil	5	5	0	0	17	6
Italy	5	0	0	5	6	17

### Italy v. Jamaica: 0 matches



**Brazil (BRA)**

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General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1914/1923
Confederation	CONMEBOL
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	8 participations
2019 FIFA Women's World Cup Preliminary Competition	
Date of qualification	19/04/2018
Coach	VADAO, BRA
Date of Birth	21/08/1956
Top scorer	6 goals BEATRIZ
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	7 (7 - 0 - 0)
Goals for/goals against	31/2
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	7 participations (1991, 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015)
Debut - achievement	1991 Group stage
Best achievement	Runners-up – 2007
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	30 (18 - 4 - 8)
Goals for/goals against	59/35
Biggest win	7-1 v. Mexico – 1999
Most capped player	24 caps FORMIGA FWWC 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015
Top scorer	15 goals MARTA FWWC 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015
Most matches as coach	6 matches BARCELLOS Jorge, BRA FWWC 2007 WILSINHO, BRA FWWC 1999
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic women's Football Tournament Best achievement	6 participations (1996, 2000, 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016) Silver medallists - 2004, 2008
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Best achievement	9 participations (2002, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018) Third place – 2006
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup Best achievement	5 participations (2008, 2010, 2012, 2016, 2018) Quarter-finalists - 2010, 2012

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	Group stage	FERNANDO, BRA
1995 SWE	Group stage	FONSECA Ademar, BRA
1999 USA	Third place	WILSINHO, BRA
2003 USA	Quarter-final	GONCALVES Paulo, BRA
2007 CHN	Runners-up	BARCELLOS Jorge, BRA
2011 GER	Quarter-final	LIMA Kleiton, BRA
2015 CAN	Round of 16	VADAO, BRA
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

## Team facts & figures

Ever-present in all eight editions of the Women's World Cup, Brazil's best achievement is reaching the 2007 Final, which they lost 2-0 to Germany.

With 15 goals netted in four editions between 2003 and 2015, Brazil's Marta is the all-time leading scorer in the Women's World Cup.

As *Canarinhas* qualified for France 2019 by winning the Copa America Femenina for the seventh time in eight editions, notching a record seven wins in as many matches, with 31 goals scored and only two conceded.

## Previous head-to-heads (Brazil v. Australia, Italy, Jamaica)

### Brazil v. Australia: 18 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1988-06-01	JIANGMEN (CHN)	Brazil	<b>Australia</b>	0-1 (0-1)	FIFA Invitational Tournament	
1995-04-15	UBERLANDIA (BRA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Australia	3-0	Torneio Cidade de Uberlandia	
1995-04-17	UBERLANDIA (BRA)	Brazil	<b>Australia</b>	2-3	Torneio Cidade de Uberlandia	
1999-06-06	PORTLAND (USA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Australia	3-1	Friendly	
2000-09-19	SYDNEY (AUS)	Australia	<b>Brazil</b>	1-2 (1-0)	Olympic Football Tournament	Group stage
2004-08-11	THESSALONIKI (GRE)	<b>Brazil</b>	Australia	1-0 (1-0)	Olympic Football Tournament	Group stage
2007-09-23	TIANJIN (CHN)	<b>Brazil</b>	Australia	3-2 (2-1)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Quarter-final
2008-06-19	SUWON (KOR)	<b>Australia</b>	Brazil	1-0 (0-0)	Peace Queen Cup	
2011-06-29	MOENCHENGLADBACH (GER)	<b>Brazil</b>	Australia	1-0 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2014-04-06	BRISBANE (AUS)	Australia	<b>Brazil</b>	0-1 (0-0)	Friendly	
2014-04-09	BRISBANE (AUS)	<b>Australia</b>	Brazil	2-1 (1-0)	Friendly	
2015-06-21	MONCTON (CAN)	Brazil	<b>Australia</b>	0-1 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Round of 16
2016-07-23	FORTALEZA (BRA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Australia	3-1 (0-1)	Friendly	
2016-08-12	BELO HORIZONTE (BRA)	Brazil	Australia	0-0 AET 7-6 PSO	Olympic Football Tournament	Quarter-final
2017-08-03	CARSON (USA)	<b>Australia</b>	Brazil	6-1 (4-1)	Four Nations Tournament	
2017-09-16	PENRITH (AUS)	<b>Australia</b>	Brazil	2-1 (1-0)	Friendly	
2017-09-19	NEWCASTLE (AUS)	<b>Australia</b>	Brazil	3-2 (1-1)	Friendly	
2018-07-26	KANSAS CITY (USA)	Brazil	<b>Australia</b>	1-3 (0-2)	Tournament of Nations	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Australia	18	9	1	8	27	25
Brazil	18	8	1	9	25	27

### Brazil v. Italy: 5 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1999-06-24	CHICAGO (USA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Italy	2-0 (1-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2008-06-15	SUWON (KOR)	<b>Brazil</b>	Italy	2-1 (2-1)	Peace Queen Cup	
2011-12-08	SAO PAULO (BRA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Italy	5-1 (1-1)	Torneio Internacional Cidade de São Paulo	
2016-12-14	MANAUS (BRA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Italy	3-1 (1-1)	Four Nations Tournament	
2016-12-18	MANAUS (BRA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Italy	5-3 (3-2)	Four Nations Tournament	Final

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Brazil	5	5	0	0	17	6
Italy	5	0	0	5	6	17

### Brazil v. Jamaica: 1 match

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2007-07-14	RIO DE JANEIRO (BRA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Jamaica	5-0 (2-0)	Pan American Games	Group stage

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Brazil	1	1	0	0	5	0
Jamaica	1	0	0	1	0	5

## Jamaica (JAM) C4 – Debutant

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1910/1962
Confederation	CONCACAF
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	6 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	17/10/2018
Coach	MENZIES Hue, JAM
Date of birth	10/03/1964
Top scorer	19 goals SHAW Khadija
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	12 (8-2- 2)
Goals for/goals against	53/14
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	0 participations
Debut	2019
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
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FIFA Women's World Cup record	
Year Host	Participation & achievement
1991 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>
1995 SWE	<i>Did not qualify</i>
1999 USA	<i>Did not enter</i>
2003 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>
2007 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>
2011 GER	<i>Did not enter</i>
2015 CAN	<i>Did not qualify</i>
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>

### Team facts & figures

Jamaica have made history by qualifying for the finals of a FIFA women's competition for the first time. In the men's game they have notched four participations: one in the 1998 FIFA World Cup™, one in the FIFA U-20 World Cup in 2001 and two in the FIFA U-17 World Cup (1999 and 2011).

They are the fifth CONCACAF side to take part in a Women's World Cup after USA, Canada, Mexico and lastly Costa Rica, who became the last debutants from this zone four years ago in Canada.

*The Reggae Girlz* qualified by beating Panama on penalties in the play-off for third place of the CONCACAF Women's Championship. Following a 2-2 draw after extra time, Nicole McClure made two decisive saves and Dominique Bond-Flasza stroked home the winning penalty.

## Previous head-to-heads (Jamaica v. Australia, Brazil, Italy)

### Jamaica v. Australia: 0 matches

### Jamaica v. Brazil: 1 match

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2007-07-14	RIO DE JANEIRO (BRA)	<b>Brazil</b>	Jamaica	5-0 (2-0)	Pan American Games	Group stage

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Brazil	1	1	0	0	5	0
Jamaica	1	0	0	1	0	5

### Jamaica v. Italy: 0 matches

## Group D ENGLAND, SCOTLAND, ARGENTINA, JAPAN



### England (ENG) D1

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1863/1905
Confederation	UEFA
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	8 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	31/08/2018
Coach	NEVILLE Phil, ENG
Date of birth	21/01/1977
Top scorer	6 goals PARRIS Nikita
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	8 (7 – 1 – 0)
Goals for/goals against	29/1
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	4 participations (1995, 2007, 2011, 2015)
Debut - achievement	1995 – Quarter-finalists
Best achievement	Third place - 2015
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	19 (10 – 4 – 5)
Goals for/goals against	30/25
Biggest win	6-1 v. Argentina - 2007
Most capped player	14 caps SCOTT Jill FWWC 2007, 2011, 2015
Top scorer	5 goals WILLIAMS Fara FWWC 2007, 2011, 2015
Most matches as coach	8 matches POWELL Hope, ENG FWWC 2007, 2011
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Best achievement	5 participations (2002, 2008, 2010, 2014, 2018) Third place - 2018
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup Best achievement	2 participations (2008, 2016) Fourth place -2008
<i>Other - Team Great Britain Olympic Women's Football Tournament Best achievement</i>	<i>1 participation (2012) Quarter-finalists - 2012</i>

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1995 SWE	Quarter-finalists	COPELAND Ted, ENG
1999 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2003 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2007 CHN	Quarter-finalists	POWELL Hope, ENG
2011 GER	Quarter-finalists	POWELL Hope, ENG
2015 CAN	Third place	SAMPSON Mark, WAL
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

### Team facts & figures

This is England's fifth participation in the global finals and the fourth in a row. After reaching the quarter-finals in the first three editions, England achieved their best position of third in 2015.

In the 2007 campaign, England were the only team that avoided losing to Germany, drawing against the eventual champions who won all five of their other games in the tournament. Subsequently in 2011, *the Lionesses* were the only team to beat Japan (2-0 in the group round), who went on to clinch the world title.

With a total of seven wins and one draw (0-0 with Wales) on the road to France 2019, England remain unbeaten in Women's World Cup qualifying for the fourth successive campaign, extending their unbeaten streak in World Cup qualifying to 36 (32 wins and four draws), just one game short of Norway's record. The last team to beat England in a qualifier was France, who prevailed 1-0 in 2002.



## Previous head-to-heads (England v. Argentina, Japan, Scotland)

### England v. Argentina: 1 match

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2007-09-17	CHENGDU (CHN)	<b>England</b>	Argentina	6-1 (2-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Argentina	1	0	0	1	1	6
England	1	1	0	0	6	1

### England v. Japan: 4 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2007-09-11	SHANGHAI (CHN)	Japan	England	2-2 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2011-07-05	AUGSBURG (GER)	<b>England</b>	Japan	2-0 (1-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2013-06-26	BURTON UPON TRENT (ENG)	England	Japan	1-1 (1-0)	Friendly	
2015-07-01	EDMONTON (CAN)	<b>Japan</b>	England	2-1 (1-1)	FIFA Women's World Cup Canada	Semi-final

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
England	4	1	2	1	6	5
Japan	4	1	2	1	5	6

### England v. Scotland: 25 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1972-11-18	GREENOCK (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	2-3	Friendly	
1973-06-23	NUNEATON (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	8-0	Friendly	
1976-05-23	ENFIELD (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	5-1	Friendly	
1977-05-29	DUNDEE (SCO)	<b>Scotland</b>	England	2-1	Friendly	
1982-10-03	DUMBARTON (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	0-4	UEFA Women's EURO 1984 Prel. Comp.	
1983-05-22	LEEDS (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	2-0	UEFA Women's EURO 1984 Prel. Comp.	
1985-03-17	PRESTON (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	4-0 (2-0)	UEFA Women's EURO 1987 Prel. Comp.	
1986-10-12	KIRKCALDY (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	1-3 (1-2)	UEFA Women's EURO 1987 Prel. Comp.	
1989-04-30	KIRKCALDY (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	0-3	Friendly	
1990-05-06	PAISLEY (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	0-4	Friendly	
1990-05-12	LONDON (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	4-0	Friendly	
1991-04-20	HIGH WYCOMBE (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	5-0	Friendly	
1992-04-18	WALSALL (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	1-0 (0-0)	UEFA Women's EURO 1993 Prel. Comp.	
1992-08-23	PERTH (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	0-2 (0-1)	UEFA Women's EURO 1993 Prel. Comp.	
1997-03-09	SHEFFIELD (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	6-0	Friendly	
1997-08-23	LIVINGSTON (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	0-4	Friendly	
2001-05-27	BOLTON (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	1-0 (1-0)	Friendly	
2002-03-07	QUARTEIRA (POR)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	1-4 (1-2)	Algarve Cup	
2003-11-13	PRESTON (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	5-0 (2-0)	Friendly	
2005-04-21	BIRKENHEAD (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	2-1 (1-1)	Friendly	
2007-03-11	LONDON (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	1-0	Friendly	
2009-03-10	LARNACA (CYP)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	0-3 (0-1)	Cyprus Cup	
2011-03-04	NICOSIA (CYP)	England	<b>Scotland</b>	0-2 (0-1)	Cyprus Cup	
2013-03-08	LARNACA (CYP)	Scotland	England	4-4 (1-2)	Cyprus Cup	
2017-07-19	UTRECHT (NED)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	6-0 (3-0)	UEFA European Women's Championship	Group stage

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
England	25	22	1	2	85	14
Scotland	25	2	1	22	14	85

## Scotland (SCO) D2 - Debutant

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1873/1910
Confederation	UEFA
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	7 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	04/09/2018
Coach Date of birth	KERR Shelley, SCO 15/10/1969
Top scorer	4 goals CUTHBERT Erin, ROSS Jane
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	8 (7 - 0 - 1)
Goals for/goals against	19/7
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	0
Debut	2019
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
<i>Other - Team Great Britain Olympic Football Tournament Best achievement</i>	<i>1 participation (2012) Quarter-finalists - 2012</i>

FIFA Women's World Cup record	
Year Host	Participation & achievement
1991 CHN	<i>Did not enter</i>
1995 SWE	<i>Did not qualify</i>
1999 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>
2003 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>
2007 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>
2011 GER	<i>Did not qualify</i>
2015 CAN	<i>Did not qualify</i>
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>

## Team facts & figures

Scotland are competing in the finals of a FIFA women's competition for the first time. However, at continental level they made their debut in the 2017 edition of the UEFA European Women's Championship.

Scotland are the 12th European side to take part in the world finals. The last UEFA newcomers to the competition were the Netherlands, Spain and Switzerland at Canada 2015.

The Scots topped their European qualifying group with seven wins and one defeat, finishing two points above second-placed Switzerland. The final matchday proved decisive for the Scots, who won 2-1 in Albania while the Swiss could only draw 0-0 in Poland.

## Previous head-to-heads (Scotland v. Argentina, England, Japan)

Scotland v. Argentina: 0 matches

Scotland v. England: 25 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1972-11-18	GREENOCK (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	2-3	Friendly	
1973-06-23	NUNEATON (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	8-0	Friendly	
1976-05-23	ENFIELD (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	5-1	Friendly	
1977-05-29	DUNDEE (SCO)	<b>Scotland</b>	England	2-1	Friendly	
1982-10-03	DUMBARTON (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	0-4	UEFA Women's EURO 1984 Prel. Comp.	
1983-05-22	LEEDS (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	2-0	UEFA Women's EURO 1984 Prel. Comp.	
1985-03-17	PRESTON (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	4-0 (2-0)	UEFA Women's EURO 1987 Prel. Comp.	
1986-10-12	KIRKCALDY (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	1-3 (1-2)	UEFA Women's EURO 1987 Prel. Comp.	
1989-04-30	KIRKCALDY (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	0-3	Friendly	
1990-05-06	PAISLEY (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	0-4	Friendly	
1990-05-12	LONDON (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	4-0	Friendly	
1991-04-20	HIGH WYCOMBE (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	5-0	Friendly	
1992-04-18	WALSALL (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	1-0 (0-0)	UEFA Women's EURO 1993 Prel. Comp.	
1992-08-23	PERTH (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	0-2 (0-1)	UEFA Women's EURO 1993 Prel. Comp.	
1997-03-09	SHEFFIELD (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	6-0	Friendly	
1997-08-23	LIVINGSTON (SCO)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	0-4	Friendly	
2001-05-27	BOLTON (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	1-0 (1-0)	Friendly	
2002-03-07	QUARTEIRA (POR)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	1-4 (1-2)	Algarve Cup	
2003-11-13	PRESTON (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	5-0 (2-0)	Friendly	
2005-04-21	BIRKENHEAD (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	2-1 (1-1)	Friendly	
2007-03-11	LONDON (ENG)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	1-0	Friendly	
2009-03-10	LARNACA (CYP)	Scotland	<b>England</b>	0-3 (0-1)	Cyprus Cup	
2011-03-04	NICOSIA (CYP)	England	<b>Scotland</b>	0-2 (0-1)	Cyprus Cup	
2013-03-08	LARNACA (CYP)	Scotland	England	4-4 (1-2)	Cyprus Cup	
2017-07-19	UTRECHT (NED)	<b>England</b>	Scotland	6-0 (3-0)	UEFA European Women's Championship	Group stage

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
England	25	22	1	2	85	14
Scotland	25	2	1	22	14	85

Scotland v. Japan: 2 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition
2006-03-10	AGNONE (ITA)	<b>Japan</b>	Scotland	4-0 (1-0)	Friendly
2007-02-14	ACHNA (CYP)	<b>Japan</b>	Scotland	2-0 (1-0)	Friendly

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Japan	2	2	0	0	6	0
Scotland	2	0	0	2	0	6



## Argentina (ARG)

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General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1893/1912
Confederation	CONMEBOL
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	7 participations
2019 FIFA Women's World Cup Preliminary Competition	
Date of qualification	13/11/2018
Coach	BORRELLO Carlos, ARG
Date of Birth	12/09/1955
Top scorer	5 goals JAIMES Florencia
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	9 (5 -1- 3)
Goals for/goals against	20/15
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	2 participations (2003, 2007)
Debut - achievement	2003 – group stage
Best achievement	Group stage – 2003, 2007
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	6 (0 – 0 – 6)
Goals for/goals against	2/33
Biggest win	-
Most capped player	6 caps HUBER Clarisa VALLEJOS Fabiana FWWC 2003, 2007
Top scorer	1 goal GAITAN Yanina FWWC 2003 GONZALEZ Eva FWWC 2007
Most matches as coach	6 matches BORRELLO Carlos, ARG FWWC 2003, 2007
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament	1 participation (2008)
Best achievement	Group stage – 2008
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup	3 participations (2006, 2008, 2012)
Best achievement	Group stage – 2006, 2008, 2012

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	<i>Did not enter</i>	
1995 SWE	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1999 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2003 USA	Group stage	BORRELLO Carlos, ARG
2007 CHN	Group stage	BORRELLO Carlos, ARG
2011 GER	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2015 CAN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

## Team facts & figures

Argentina are competing in their third FIFA Women's World Cup™, having been eliminated in the group round of the 2003 and 2007 editions after losing all their games. In both of those previous campaigns, the South Americans faced Germany and Japan in the opening round.

The two goals bagged by Argentina in their six Women's World Cup matches contested to date both came against European teams: in 2003 Yanina Gaitan found the net against Germany, before Eva Gonzalez struck in 2007 against England.

Having finished third in the Copa America 2018, *La Albiceleste* had to overcome an intercontinental play-off against CONCACAF opposition to secure their place at France 2019. During the two-legged encounter they defeated Panama 4-0 at home before drawing 1-1 away.

## Previous head-to-heads (Argentina v. England, Japan, Scotland)

### Argentina v. England: 1 match

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2007-09-17	CHENGDU (CHN)	<b>England</b>	Argentina	6-1 (2-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Argentina	1	0	0	1	1	6
England	1	1	0	0	6	1

### Argentina v. Japan: 4 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2003-09-20	COLUMBUS (USA)	<b>Japan</b>	Argentina	6-0 (2-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2007-09-14	SHANGHAI (CHN)	Argentina	<b>Japan</b>	0-1 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2008-07-29	TOKYO (JPN)	<b>Japan</b>	Argentina	2-0 (2-0)	Friendly	
2010-01-23	COQUIMBO (CHI)	Argentina	<b>Japan</b>	0-3 (0-2)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Argentina	4	0	0	4	0	12
Japan	4	4	0	0	12	0

### Argentina v. Scotland: 0 matches



**Japan (JPN)**

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General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1921/1921
Confederation	AFC
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	8 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	13/04/2018
Coach	TAKAKURA Asako, JPN
Date of birth	19/04/1968
Top scorer	4 goals YOKOYAMA Kumi
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	5 (3 - 2 - 0)
Goals for/goals against	9/2
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	7 participations (1991, 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015)
Debut - achievement	1991 – Group stage
Best achievement	Champions - 2011
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	29 (13 – 3 – 13)
Goals for/goals against	36/54
Biggest win	6-0 v. Argentina - 2003
Most capped player	24 caps SAWA Homare FWWC 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015
Top scorer	8 goals SAWA Homare FWWC 2003, 2011
Most matches as coach	13 matches SASAKI Norio, JPN FWWC 2011, 2015
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament	4 participations (1996, 2004, 2008, 2012)
Best achievement	Silver medallists - 2012
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup	6 participations (2002, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2016, 2018)
Best achievement	Champions - 2018
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup	6 participations (2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018)
Best achievement	Champions - 2014

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	Group stage	SUZUKI Tamotsu, JPN
1995 SWE	Quarter-finalists	SUZUKI Tamotsu, JPN
1999 USA	Group stage	MIYAUCHI Satoshi, JPN
2003 USA	Group stage	UEDA Eiji, JPN
2007 CHN	Group stage	OHASHI Hiroshi, JPN
2011 GER	Champions	SASAKI Norio, JPN
2015 CAN	Runners-up	SASAKI Norio, JPN
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

## Team facts & figures

Present in every edition, Japan clinched the 2011 title to become the fourth team to win the Women's World Cup after USA, Norway and Germany. The Japanese reached the Final in each of the last two editions, where they faced USA on both occasions.

Homare Sawa, world champion and winner of the adidas Golden Ball and adidas Golden Boot in 2011, is one of two players to have competed in six Women's World Cups. Just like Formiga of Brazil, Sawa debuted at Sweden 1995 and made her last appearance in Canada four years ago.

*The Nadeshiko* qualified by winning the AFC Women's Asian Cup for the second consecutive time in April 2018, edging Australia 1-0 in the final just as they had done four years previously.

## Previous head-to-heads (Japan v. Argentina, England, Scotland)

### Japan v. Argentina: 4 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2003-09-20	COLUMBUS (USA)	Japan	Argentina	6-0 (2-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2007-09-14	SHANGHAI (CHN)	Argentina	Japan	0-1 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2008-07-29	TOKYO (JPN)	Japan	Argentina	2-0 (2-0)	Friendly	
2010-01-23	COQUIMBO (CHI)	Argentina	Japan	0-3 (0-2)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Argentina	4	0	0	4	0	12
Japan	4	4	0	0	12	0

### Japan v. England: 4 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2007-09-11	SHANGHAI (CHN)	Japan	England	2-2 (0-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2011-07-05	AUGSBURG (GER)	England	Japan	2-0 (1-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2013-06-26	BURTON UPON TRENT (ENG)	England	Japan	1-1 (1-0)	Friendly	
2015-07-01	EDMONTON (CAN)	Japan	England	2-1 (1-1)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Semi-final

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
England	4	1	2	1	6	5
Japan	4	1	2	1	5	6

### Japan v. Scotland: 2 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition
2006-03-10	AGNONE (ITA)	Japan	Scotland	4-0 (1-0)	Friendly
2007-02-14	ACHNA (CYP)	Japan	Scotland	2-0 (1-0)	Friendly

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Japan	2	2	0	0	6	0
Scotland	2	0	0	2	0	6

## Group E

## CANADA, CAMEROO, NEW ZEALAND, NETHERLANDS



### Canada (CAN) E1

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1912/1913
Confederation	CONCACAF
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	7 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	14/10/2018
Coach Date of birth	HEINER-MOLLER Kenneth, DEN 17/01/1971
Top scorer	6 goals LEON Adriana
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	5 (4 – 0 – 1)
Goals for/goals against	24/3
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	6 participations (1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015)
Debut - achievement	1995 Group stage
Best achievement	Fourth place – 2003
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	23 (6 – 5 – 12)
Goals for/goals against	30/49
Biggest win	4-0 v. Ghana - 2007
Most capped player	17 caps SINCLAIR Christine FWWC 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015
Top scorer	9 goals SINCLAIR Christine FWWC 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015
Most matches as coach	9 matches PELLERUD Even, NOR FWWC 2003, 2007
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament Best achievement	3 participations (2008, 2012, 2016) Bronze medalists – 2012, 2016
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Best achievement	7 participations (2002, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2012, 2014, 2016) Runners-up - 2002
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup Best achievement	6 participations (2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018) 4 <sup>th</sup> place – 2018

### FIFA Women's World Cup record

Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1995 SWE	Group stage	BELIVEAU Sylvie, CAN
1999 USA	Group stage	TURNBULL Neil, CAN
2003 USA	Fourth place	PELLERUD Even, NOR
2007 CHN	Group stage	PELLERUD Even, NOR
2011 GER	Group stage	MORACE Carolina, ITA
2015* CAN	Quarter-finals	HERDMAN John, ENG
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

\* Qualified as hosts

### Team facts & figures

Canada have attended every Women's World Cup except for the inaugural edition and will be mounting their seventh title push in the 2019 finals. The *Canucks* posted their best placing of fourth in 2003.

Christine Sinclair is one of nine players to have scored in four editions of the Women's World Cup.

*The Canucks* secured a place at France 2019 by downing Panama 7-0 in the semi-finals of the CONCACAF Women's Championship. They subsequently lost the deciding match of the continental championship 2-0 to USA. Of the 30 World Cup qualifiers they have contested in total, Canada have won 25 and lost five, all against the Americans.



## Previous head-to-heads (Canada v. Cameroon, Netherlands, New Zealand)

### Canada v. Cameroon: 0 matches

### Canada v. Netherlands: 12 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1988-06-05	FOSHAN (CHN)	Canada	Netherlands	1-1 (0-1)	FIFA Invitational Tournament	
2005-04-19	APELDOORN (NED)	Netherlands	Canada	1-1 (0-0)	Friendly	
2006-03-01	VANCOUVER (CAN)	<b>Canada</b>	Netherlands	1-0 (0-0)	Friendly	
2006-03-04	VICTORIA (CAN)	<b>Canada</b>	Netherlands	3-1 (2-1)	Friendly	
2009-03-07	LARNACA (CYP)	Netherlands	<b>Canada</b>	1-2 (0-2)	Cyprus Cup	
2010-12-09	SAO PAULO (BRA)	<b>Canada</b>	Netherlands	5-0 (1-0)	Torneio Internacional Cidade de São Paulo	
2011-03-09	PARALIMNI (CYP)	Netherlands	<b>Canada</b>	1-2 AET (1-1, 1-1)	Cyprus Cup	Final
2011-05-28	ROME (ITA)	<b>Canada</b>	Netherlands	2-0 (0-0)	Friendly	
2012-03-04	NICOSIA (CYP)	Netherlands	<b>Canada</b>	0-1 (0-0)	Cyprus Cup	
2013-03-11	NICOSIA (CYP)	Netherlands	<b>Canada</b>	0-1 (0-1)	Cyprus Cup	
2015-06-15	MONTREAL (CAN)	Netherlands	Canada	1-1 (0-1)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2016-04-10	EINDHOVEN (NED)	Netherlands	<b>Canada</b>	1-2 (0-1)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Canada	12	9	3	0	22	7
Netherlands	12	0	3	9	7	22

### Canada v. New Zealand: 10 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1987-12-20	TAIPEI CITY (TPE)	<b>New Zealand</b>	Canada	1-0 (0-0)	World Invitation Tournament	
2000-05-31	CANBERRA (AUS)	<b>Canada</b>	New Zealand	2-1 (0-0)	Pacific Cup	
2007-06-03	AUCKLAND (NZL)	New Zealand	<b>Canada</b>	0-3 (0-2)	Friendly	
2007-06-06	AUCKLAND (NZL)	New Zealand	<b>Canada</b>	0-5 (0-4)	Friendly	
2008-06-18	SUWON (KOR)	New Zealand	<b>Canada</b>	0-2 (0-1)	Peace Queen Cup	
2008-07-26	SINGAPORE (SIN)	Canada	New Zealand	1-1 (1-1)	Friendly	
2009-03-05	PARALIMNI (CYP)	Canada	New Zealand	1-1 (1-1)	Cyprus Cup	
2010-03-03	NICOSIA (CYP)	New Zealand	<b>Canada</b>	0-1 (0-0)	Cyprus Cup	Final
2012-07-14	CHATEL-ST-DENIS (SUI)	New Zealand	<b>Canada</b>	0-2 (0-1)	Valais Women's Cup	
2015-06-11	EDMONTON (CAN)	Canada	New Zealand	0-0	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Canada	10	6	3	1	17	4
New Zealand	10	1	3	6	4	17



## Cameroon (CMR) E2

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1959/1962
Confederation	CAF
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	7 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	30/11/2018
Coach	NDOKO Joseph
Date of birth	23/06/1984
Top scorer	5 goals ONGUENE Gabrielle
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	7 (5 – 2 – 0)
Goals for/goals against	20/4
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	1 participation (2015)
Debut - achievement	2015 – Round of 16
Best achievement	Round of 16 – 2015
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	4 (2 – 0 – 2)
Goals for/goals against	9/4
Biggest win	6-0 v. Ecuador in 2015
Most capped player	10 players with 4 caps
Top scorer	3 goals ENGANAMOUIT Gaelle
Most matches as coach	4 matches NGACHU Enow, CMR 2015
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament	1 participation (2012)
Best achievement	Group stage - 2012
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup	2 participations (2016, 2018)
Best achievement	Group stage – 2016, 2018

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1995 SWE	<i>Withdrew</i>	
1999 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2003 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2007 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2011 GER	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2015 CAN	Round of 16	NGACHU Enow, CMR
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

## Team facts & figures

Cameroon are participating in their second Women's World Cup, having gone beyond the opening stage of Canada 2015 before losing to China PR in the Round of 16.

The Cameroonians set two continental records in their maiden match at the Women's World Cup 2015. Collectively they achieved the biggest winning margin by a CAF representative (6-0 against Ecuador), while on an individual level, Gaelle Enganamouit netted a treble to become the competition's first, and to date only, African hat-trick scorer.

After losing in the semi-finals of the Africa Women Cup of Nations on penalties to the eventual champions Nigeria, the Indomitable Lionesses secured a spot at France 2019 by overcoming Mali 4-2 in the play-off for third place.



## Previous head-to-heads (Cameroon v. Canada, Netherlands, New Zealand)

Cameroon v. Canada: 0 matches

Cameroon v. Netherlands: 0 matches

### Cameroon v. New Zealand: 1 match

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2012-07-31	COVENTRY (ENG)	<b>New Zealand</b>	Cameroon	3-1 (1-0)	Olympic Football Tournament	Group stage

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Cameroon	1	0	0	1	1	3
New Zealand	1	1	0	0	3	1



## New Zealand (NZL) E3

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1891/1948
Confederation	OFC
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	8 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	01/12/2018
Coach	SERMANNI Tom, AUS
Date of birth	01/07/1954
Top scorer	8 goals GREGORIUS Sarah
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	5 (5 – 0 – 0)
Goals for/goals against	43/0
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	4 participations (1991, 2007, 2011, 2015)
Debut - achievement	1991 – group stage
Best achievement	Group stage – 1991, 2007, 2011, 2015
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	12 (0 – 3 – 9)
Goals for/goals against	7/29
Biggest win	-
Most capped player	9 caps ERCEG Abby FWWC 2007, 2011, 2015 PERCIVAL Ria FWWC 2007, 2011, 2015 RILEY Ali 2007, 2011, 2015
Top scorer	2 goals WILKINSON Hannah FWWC 2011, 2015
Most matches as coach	6 matches HERDMAN John, ENG FWWC 2007, 2011
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament Best achievement	3 participations (2008, 2012, 2016) Group stage – 2008, 2012, 2016
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Best achievement	7 participations (2006, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018) Quarter-finals – 2014
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup Best achievement	6 participations (2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018) 3 <sup>rd</sup> place – 2018

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	Group stage	BOARDMAN Dave, NZL
1995 SWE	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1999 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2003 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2007 CHN	Group stage	HERDMAN John, ENG
2011 GER	Group stage	HERDMAN John, ENG
2015 CAN	Group stage	READINGS Tony, ENG
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

## Team facts & figures

New Zealand are participating in their fifth FIFA Women's World Cup™ and the fourth in a row, having been eliminated at the group stage in all of their previous campaigns.

The New Zealanders have played more Women's World Cup games without winning than any other team, collecting three draws and nine defeats in 12 matches contested.

On 1 December the Football Ferns became the 24th and last team to qualify for the finals, beating Fiji 8-0 in the OFC Women's Nations Cup to clinch their fourth straight continental title. By closing out that tournament with five victories in as many games, scoring 43 goals and conceding none, the Kiwis have now won 16 World Cup qualifiers in a row and kept clean sheets in the last 15.

## Previous head-to-heads (New Zealand v. Cameroon, Canada, Netherlands)

### New Zealand v. Cameroon: 1 match

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
2012-07-31	COVENTRY (ENG)	<b>New Zealand</b>	Cameroon	3-1 (1-0)	Olympic Football Tournament	Group stage

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Cameroon	1	0	0	1	1	3
New Zealand	1	1	0	0	3	1

### New Zealand v. Canada: 10 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1987-12-20	TAIPEI CITY (TPE)	<b>New Zealand</b>	Canada	1-0 (0-0)	World Invitation Tournament	
2000-05-31	CANBERRA (AUS)	<b>Canada</b>	New Zealand	2-1 (0-0)	Pacific Cup	
2007-06-03	AUCKLAND (NZL)	New Zealand	<b>Canada</b>	0-3 (0-2)	Friendly	
2007-06-06	AUCKLAND (NZL)	New Zealand	<b>Canada</b>	0-5 (0-4)	Friendly	
2008-06-18	SUWON (KOR)	New Zealand	<b>Canada</b>	0-2 (0-1)	Peace Queen Cup	
2008-07-26	SINGAPORE (SIN)	Canada	New Zealand	1-1 (1-1)	Friendly	
2009-03-05	PARALIMNI (CYP)	Canada	New Zealand	1-1 (1-1)	Cyprus Cup	
2010-03-03	NICOSIA (CYP)	New Zealand	<b>Canada</b>	0-1 (0-0)	Cyprus Cup	Final
2012-07-14	CHATEL-ST-DENIS (SUI)	New Zealand	<b>Canada</b>	0-2 (0-1)	Valais Women's Cup	
2015-06-11	EDMONTON (CAN)	Canada	New Zealand	0-0	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Canada	10	6	3	1	17	4
New Zealand	10	1	3	6	4	17

### New Zealand v. Netherlands: 7 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1981-10-20	TAIPEI CITY (TPE)	<b>New Zealand</b>	Netherlands	2-0	Friendly	
2009-03-10	PARALIMNI (CYP)	<b>New Zealand</b>	Netherlands	2-0 (0-0)	Cyprus Cup	
2010-02-26	LARNACA (CYP)	Netherlands	New Zealand	1-1 (1-1)	Cyprus Cup	
2011-03-02	NICOSIA (CYP)	New Zealand	<b>Netherlands</b>	1-4 (0-3)	Cyprus Cup	
2012-03-06	ACHNA (CYP)	Netherlands	New Zealand	2-2 (1-1) 4-2 PSO	Cyprus Cup	
2015-06-06	EDMONTON (CAN)	New Zealand	<b>Netherlands</b>	0-1 (0-1)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2016-04-07	VELSEN (NED)	<b>Netherlands</b>	New Zealand	2-0 (2-0)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Netherlands	7	3	2	2	10	8
New Zealand	7	2	2	3	8	10



## Netherlands (NED) E4

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1889/1904
Confederation	UEFA
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	8 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	13/11/2018
Coach	WIEGMAN Sarina
Date of birth	26/10/1969
Top scorer	7 goals MIEDEMA Vivianne
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	12 (9 - 2 - 1)
Goals for/goals against	30/4
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	1 participation (2015)
Debut - achievement	2015 – round of 16
Best achievement	Round of 16 - 2015
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	4 (1 - 1 - 2)
Goals for/goals against	3/4
Biggest win	1-0 v. New Zealand in 2015
Most capped player	9 players with 4 caps
Top scorer	2 goals VAN DE VEN Kirsten FWWC 2015
Most matches as coach	4 matches REIJNERS Roger, NED FWWC 2015
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup	1 participation (2018)
Best achievement	Quarterfinals – 2018

FIFA Women's World Cup record		
Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1995 SWE	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1999 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2003 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2007 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2011 GER	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2015 CAN	Round of 16	REIJNERS Roger, NED
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

## Team facts & figures

The Netherlands have reached their second consecutive Women's World Cup, after being eliminated in Canada four years ago in the last 16 by Japan, who went on to finish runners-up.

Two of the three goals netted by the Dutch in the Women's World Cup were struck by Kirsten Van de Ven, both after coming off the bench. Van de Ven entered the fray in the 72nd minute against Canada and sealed a 1-1 draw 15 minutes later, before joining the game against Japan on 53 minutes and securing the Dutch a 92nd-minute consolation goal in a 2-1 defeat by the East Asian team. The goal that clinched the Netherlands' only victory in the Women's World Cup was scored by Lieke Martens in the 1-0 win over New Zealand.

Having finished second behind Norway in their European zone qualifying group, the *Oranje Leeuwinnen* made it to the Women's World Cup 2019 by winning a continental play-off over Switzerland, triumphing 3-0 at home and drawing the second leg 1-1.

## Previous head-to-heads (Netherlands v. Cameroon, Canada, New Zealand)

### Netherlands v. Cameroon: 0 matches

### Netherlands v. Canada: 12 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1988-06-05	FOSHAN (CHN)	Canada	Netherlands	1-1 (0-1)	FIFA Invitational Tournament	
2005-04-19	APELDOORN (NED)	Netherlands	Canada	1-1 (0-0)	Friendly	
2006-03-01	VANCOUVER (CAN)	<b>Canada</b>	Netherlands	1-0 (0-0)	Friendly	
2006-03-04	VICTORIA (CAN)	<b>Canada</b>	Netherlands	3-1 (2-1)	Friendly	
2009-03-07	LARNACA (CYP)	Netherlands	<b>Canada</b>	1-2 (0-2)	Cyprus Cup	
2010-12-09	SAO PAULO (BRA)	<b>Canada</b>	Netherlands	5-0 (1-0)	Torneio Internacional Cidade de São Paulo	
2011-03-09	PARALIMNI (CYP)	Netherlands	<b>Canada</b>	1-2 AET (1-1, 1-1)	Cyprus Cup	Final
2011-05-28	ROME (ITA)	<b>Canada</b>	Netherlands	2-0 (0-0)	Friendly	
2012-03-04	NICOSIA (CYP)	Netherlands	<b>Canada</b>	0-1 (0-0)	Cyprus Cup	
2013-03-11	NICOSIA (CYP)	Netherlands	<b>Canada</b>	0-1 (0-1)	Cyprus Cup	
2015-06-15	MONTREAL (CAN)	Netherlands	Canada	1-1 (0-1)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2016-04-10	EINDHOVEN (NED)	Netherlands	<b>Canada</b>	1-2 (0-1)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Canada	12	9	3	0	22	7
Netherlands	12	0	3	9	7	22

### Netherlands v. New Zealand: 7 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1981-10-20	TAIPEI CITY (TPE)	<b>New Zealand</b>	Netherlands	2-0	Friendly	
2009-03-10	PARALIMNI (CYP)	<b>New Zealand</b>	Netherlands	2-0 (0-0)	Cyprus Cup	
2010-02-26	LARNACA (CYP)	Netherlands	New Zealand	1-1 (1-1)	Cyprus Cup	
2011-03-02	NICOSIA (CYP)	New Zealand	<b>Netherlands</b>	1-4 (0-3)	Cyprus Cup	
2012-03-06	ACHNA (CYP)	Netherlands	New Zealand	2-2 (1-1) 4-2 PSO	Cyprus Cup	
2015-06-06	EDMONTON (CAN)	New Zealand	<b>Netherlands</b>	0-1 (0-1)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2016-04-07	VELSEN (NED)	<b>Netherlands</b>	New Zealand	2-0 (2-0)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Netherlands	7	3	2	2	10	8
New Zealand	7	2	2	3	8	10

## Group F USA, THAILAND, CHILE, SWEDEN



### USA (USA)

### F1

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1913/1914
Confederation	CONCACAF
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	7 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	14/10/2018
Coach	ELLIS Jill, USA
Date of birth	06/09/1966
Top scorer	7 goals MORGAN Alex
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	5 ( 5 – 0 – 0)
Goals for/goals against	26/0
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	7 (1991, 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015)
Debut - achievement	1991 – Champions
Best achievement	Champions – 1991, 1999, 2015
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	43 (33 – 6 – 4)
Goals for/goals against	112/35
Biggest win	7-0 v. Chinese Taipei - 1991
Most capped player	30 caps LILLY Kristine FWWC 1991, 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007
Top scorer	14 goals WAMBACH Abby FWWC 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015
Most matches as coach	12 matches DiCICCO Tony, USA FWWC 1995, 1999
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament Best achievement	6 participations (1996, 2000, 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016) Gold medallists - 1996, 2004, 2008, 2012
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Best achievement	9 participations (2002, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018) Champions - 2002, 2008, 2012
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup Best achievement	4 participations (2008, 2012, 2016, 2018) Runners-up - 2008

### FIFA Women's World Cup record

Year	Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991	CHN	Champions	DORRANCE Anson, USA
1995	SWE	Third place	DiCICCO Tony, USA
1999*	USA	Champions	DiCICCO Tony, USA
2003	USA	Third place	HEINRICHS April, USA
2007	CHN	Third place	RYAN Greg, USA
2011	GER	Runners-up	SUNDHAGE Pia, SWE
2015	CAN	Champions	ELLIS Jill, USA
<b>2019</b>	<b>FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

\* Qualified as hosts

## Team facts & figures

Three-time champions USA have taken part in every edition and always reached at least the semi-finals, winning more titles than any other team. The Americans have also played the most games (43) in the Women's World Cup™, besides collecting the most victories (33) and scoring the most goals (112).

Two American goalkeepers, Briana Scurry and Hope Solo, share the record for keeping the most clean sheets in the Women's World Cup, having both avoided conceding a goal in no fewer than ten matches.

USA qualified by overpowering Jamaica 6-0 in the semi-finals of the continental championship, before going on to defeat Canada 2-0 in the final and win their eighth regional title on the back of five wins in as many games, with 26 goals scored and none conceded. In qualifying for the Women's World Cup, *the Stars and Stripes* have won a total of 31 out of 32 games, conceding just five goals and netting 172 (an average of 5.3 per match).





## Previous head-to-heads (USA v. Chile, Sweden, Thailand)

### USA v. Chile: 2 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition
2018-08-31	CARSON (USA)	<b>USA</b>	Chile	3-0 (2-0)	Friendly
2018-09-04	SAN JOSE (USA)	<b>USA</b>	Chile	4-0 (2-0)	Friendly

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Chile	2	0	0	2	0	7
USA	2	2	0	0	7	0

### USA v. Sweden: 38 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition	Stage
1987-07-09	BLAINE (USA)	USA	<b>Sweden</b>	1-2	North American Cup	
1988-06-03	PANYU (CHN)	Sweden	USA	1-1 (1-1)	FIFA Invitational Tournament	
1991-11-17	PANYU (CHN)	Sweden	<b>USA</b>	2-3 (0-1)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
1994-03-18	VILA REAL S.ANTONIO (POR)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	1-0	Algarve Cup	
1996-02-15	SAN ANTONIO (USA)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	3-0 (2-0)	Friendly	
1996-02-17	HOUSTON (USA)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	3-0 (2-0)	Friendly	
1996-07-23	ORLANDO (USA)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	2-1 (1-0)	Olympic Football Tournament	Group stage
1997-10-30	CHATTANOOGA (USA)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	3-1	Friendly	
1997-11-01	CHATTANOOGA (USA)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	3-1 (1-0)	Friendly	
1998-01-18	GUANGZHOU (CHN)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	3-0 (1-0)	Guangzhou Tournament	
1998-03-21	QUARTEIRA (POR)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	3-1	Algarve Cup	
1999-03-14	SILVES (POR)	USA	Sweden	1-1 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2000-01-10	MELBOURNE (AUS)	USA	Sweden	0-0	Australia Cup	
2000-03-16	LAGOS (POR)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	1-0 (0-0)	Algarve Cup	
2001-03-15	ALBUFEIRA (POR)	USA	<b>Sweden</b>	0-2 (0-1)	Algarve Cup	
2002-03-01	ALBUFEIRA (POR)	Sweden	USA	1-1 (0-1)	Algarve Cup	
2003-03-18	VILA REAL S.ANTONIO (POR)	USA	Sweden	1-1 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2003-09-21	WASHINGTON DC (USA)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	3-1 (2-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2004-01-30	SHENZHEN (CHN)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	3-0 (1-0)	Four Nations Tournament	
2004-03-18	LAGOS (POR)	<b>Sweden</b>	USA	3-1 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2006-07-15	BLAINE (USA)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	3-2 (1-0)	Friendly	
2007-03-12	VILA REAL S.ANTONIO (POR)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	3-2 (2-0)	Algarve Cup	
2007-09-14	CHENGDU (CHN)	Sweden	<b>USA</b>	0-2 (0-1)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2008-07-05	SKELLEFTEA (SWE)	Sweden	<b>USA</b>	0-1 (0-1)	Friendly	
2009-03-11	FARO (POR)	Sweden	USA	1-1 (1-0) 4-3 PSO	Algarve Cup	
2010-03-01	FERREIRAS (POR)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	2-0 (0-0)	Algarve Cup	
2010-07-13	OMAHA (USA)	USA	Sweden	1-1 (1-0)	Friendly	
2010-07-17	EAST HARTFORD (USA)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	3-0 (2-0)	Friendly	
2011-01-21	CHONGQING (CHN)	USA	<b>Sweden</b>	1-2 (1-1)	Four Nations Tournament	
2011-07-06	WOLFSBURG (GER)	<b>Sweden</b>	USA	2-1 (2-0)	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2011-11-19	GLENDALE (USA)	USA	Sweden	1-1 (0-1)	Friendly	



2012-03-07	PARCHAL (POR)	<b>USA</b>	Sweden	4-0 (3-0)	Algarve Cup	
2012-06-16	HALMSTAD (SWE)	Sweden	<b>USA</b>	1-3 (1-2)	Three Nations Tournament	
2013-03-11	LAGOS (POR)	Sweden	USA	1-1 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2014-03-07	ALBUFEIRA (POR)	<b>Sweden</b>	USA	1-0 (1-0)	Algarve Cup	
2015-06-12	WINNIPEG (CAN)	USA	Sweden	0-0	FIFA Women's World Cup	Group stage
2016-08-12	BRASILIA (BRA)	USA	Sweden	1-1 AET (1-1) 3-4 PSO	Olympic Football Tournament	Quarter-final
2017-06-08	GOTHENBURG (SWE)	Sweden	<b>USA</b>	0-1 (0-0)	Friendly	

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Sweden	38	6	11	21	33	66
USA	38	21	11	6	66	33

### USA v. Thailand: 1 match

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition
2016-09-15	COLUMBUS (USA)	<b>USA</b>	Thailand	9-0 (4-0)	Friendly

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Thailand	1	0	0	1	0	9
USA	1	1	0	0	9	0



## Thailand (THA) F2

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1916/1925
Confederation	AFC
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	6 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	12/04/2018
Coach Date of birth	SRATHONGVIAN Nuengrutai, THA 01/01/1972
Top scorer	5 goals SUNG-NGOEN Kanjana
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	7 (4 - 1 - 2)
Goals for/goals against	19/11
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	1 participation (2015)
Debut - achievement	2015 Group stage
Best achievement	Group stage - 2015
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	3 (1 - 0 - 2)
Goals for/goals against	3/10
Biggest win	3-2 v. Côte d'Ivoire - 2015
Most capped players	11 players with 3 caps
Top scorer	2 goals SRIMANEE Orathai FWWC 2015
Most matches as coach	3 matches SRATHONGVIAN Nuengrutai, THA FWWC 2015
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup	1 participation (2004)
Best achievement	Group stage - 2004

### FIFA Women's World Cup record

Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
1995 SWE	<i>Did not enter</i>	
1999 USA	<i>Did not enter</i>	
2003 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2007 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2011 GER	<i>Did not qualify</i>	
2015 CAN	Group stage	SRATHONGVIAN Nuengrutai, THA
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

## Team facts & figures

Thailand are competing in their second global showcase, following their maiden outing at Canada 2015, where they became the competition's seventh and last AFC debutants.

In 2015, the Thais were eliminated from a tough group after losses to former world champions Germany and Norway, but still managed to notch one victory, 3-2 over Côte d'Ivoire.

Thailand qualified for France 2019 by reaching the semi-finals of the AFC Women's Asian Cup 2018; the decisive match being a 3-1 victory over Philippines in the group stage. *The Chaba Kaew* went on to finish fourth in the continental championship.

## Previous head-to-heads (Thailand v. Chile, Sweden, USA)

Thailand v. Chile: 0 matches

Thailand v. Sweden: 0 matches

### Thailand v. USA: 1 match

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition
2016-09-15	COLUMBUS (USA)	USA	Thailand	9-0 (4-0)	Friendly

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Thailand	1	0	0	1	0	9
USA	1	1	0	0	9	0



## Chile (CHI) F3 - Debutant

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1895/1913
Confederation	CONMEBOL
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	8 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	22/04/2018
Coach	LETELIER Jose, CHI
Date of birth	23/05/1966
Top scorer	3 goals AEDO Yanara
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	7 (3 – 3 – 1)
Goals for/goals against	13/5
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	0 participations
Debut	2019
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Best achievement	1 participation (2008) Group stage – 2008
FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup Best achievement	1 participation (2010) Group Stage - 2010

FIFA Women's World Cup record	
Year Host	Participation & achievement
1991 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>
1995 SWE	<i>Did not qualify</i>
1999 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>
2003 USA	<i>Did not qualify</i>
2007 CHN	<i>Did not qualify</i>
2011 GER	<i>Did not qualify</i>
2015 CAN	<i>Did not qualify</i>
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>

## Team facts & figures

Tournament newcomers Chile previously took part in the FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup in 2008 (as the host team), before qualifying for the FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup two years later. In both campaigns, the Chileans exited in the group stage after losing all their matches. By contrast, they enjoyed a winning experience at the Youth Olympic Football Tournament Girls in Singapore in 2010, clinching gold after overcoming Equatorial Guinea on penalties in the final.

Chile are the fifth South American side to participate in the Women's World Cup after Brazil, Argentina, Colombia and finally Ecuador, who were the last debutants in 2015 in Canada.

*La Roja* booked their berth in the Women's World Cup 2019 by finishing runners-up in the Copa America Femenina, equalling their best performance back in 1991, when they also came second behind Brazil.

## Previous head-to-heads (Chile v. Sweden, Thailand, USA)

**Chile v. Sweden: 0 matches**

**Chile v. Thailand: 0 matches**

**Chile v. USA: 2 matches**

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition
2018-08-31	CARSON (USA)	USA	Chile	3-0 (2-0)	Friendly
2018-09-04	SAN JOSE (USA)	USA	Chile	4-0 (2-0)	Friendly

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Chile	2	0	0	2	0	7
USA	2	2	0	0	7	0



## Sweden (SWE) F4

General association facts	
Association founded/affiliated	1904/1904
Confederation	UEFA
Preliminary competition facts	
Preliminary competitions	7 participations
FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ preliminary competition	
Date of qualification	04/09/2018
Coach	GERHARDSSON Peter, SWE
Date of birth	22/08/1959
Top scorer	4 goals ASLLANI Kosovare
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	8 (7 -0- 1)
Goals for/goals against	22/2
FIFA Women's World Cup competition facts	
Previous participations	7 (1991, 1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015)
Debut - achievement	1991 – Third place
Best achievement	Runners-up - 2003
Matches (wins - draws - losses)	33 (18 – 5 – 10)
Goals for/goals against	59/42
Biggest win	8-0 v. Japan - 1991
Most capped player	18 caps SJOGRAN Therese FWWC 2003, 2007, 2011, 2015
Top scorer	6 goals SVENSSON Victoria FWWC 1999, 2003, 2007 VIDEKULL Lena FWWC 1991, 1995
Most matches as coach	10 matches DOMANSKI LYFORS Marika, SWE FWWC 1999, 2003
Participations in other FIFA women's competitions	
Olympic Women's Football Tournament	6 participations (1996, 2000, 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016)
Best achievement	Silver medallists - 2016
FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup	2 participations (2010, 2016)
Best achievement	Quarter-finals - 2010

### FIFA Women's World Cup record

Year Host	Participation & achievement	Coach
1991 CHN	Third place	PAJKULL Gunilla, SWE
1995* SWE	Quarter-finalists	SIMONSON Bengt, SWE
1999 USA	Quarter-finalists	DOMANSKI LYFORS Marika, SWE
2003 USA	Runners-up	DOMANSKI LYFORS Marika, SWE
2007 CHN	Group stage	DENNERBY Thomas, SWE
2011 GER	Third place	DENNERBY Thomas, SWE
2015 CAN	Round of 16	SUNDHAGE Pia, SWE
<b>2019 FRA</b>	<b>Qualified</b>	

\*Qualified as hosts

## Team facts & figures

Present in every edition, Sweden achieved their best result in 2003 when they finished runners-up to Germany, losing 2-1 after Nia Kunzer's golden goal in extra time.

Sweden's Lena Videkull scored the earliest goal in Women's World Cup history, netting just 30 seconds after kick-off against Japan in 1991.

*The Blågult* won their qualifying group, securing a place at France 2019 on the final matchday with their seventh victory in eight games, away to nearest rivals Denmark. The Swedes' only defeat en route to the finals was a 1-0 loss in Ukraine, which ended a 34-match unbeaten run in the preliminary tournament that stretched back to 2002, the third-longest in the competition's history after Norway on 37 matches and England on 36 (series still ongoing).

## Previous head-to-heads (Sweden v. Chile, Thailand, USA)

**Sweden v. Chile: 0 matches**

**Sweden v. Thailand: 0 matches**

### Chile v. USA: 2 matches

Date	City	Team A	Team B	Result	Competition
2018-08-31	CARSON (USA)	USA	Chile	3-0 (2-0)	Friendly
2018-09-04	SAN JOSE (USA)	USA	Chile	4-0 (2-0)	Friendly

	Matches Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Goals For	Goals Against
Chile	2	0	0	2	0	7
USA	2	2	0	0	7	0



## History of the preliminary competition

*Teams qualified for the FIFA Women's World Cup*

### Recap FIFA Women's World Cup 2015 preliminary competition

Year	Team entries	Drop-outs	Teams involved	Matches	Goals	Ø
2015	128	-	128	398	1,644	4.13
<b>AFC</b> (5 qualifiers out of 20 entrants) <b>Australia, China PR, Japan, Korea Republic, Thailand</b>						
<b>CAF</b> (3 out of 22) <b>Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire, Nigeria</b>						
<b>CONCACAF</b> (3 out of 26, plus hosts Canada) <b>Costa Rica, Mexico, USA</b>						
<b>CONMEBOL</b> (3 out of 10) <b>Brazil, Colombia, Ecuador</b>						
<b>OFC</b> (1 out of 4) <b>New Zealand</b>						
<b>UEFA</b> (8 out of 46) <b>England, France, Germany, the Netherlands, Norway, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland</b>						

### Recap FIFA Women's World Cup 2011 preliminary competition

Year	Team entries	Drop-outs	Teams involved	Matches	Goals	Ø
2011	122	1	122	355	1,437	4.05
<b>AFC</b> (3 qualifiers out of 16 entrants) <b>Australia, Japan, Korea DPR</b>						
<b>CAF</b> (2 out of 21) <b>Equatorial Guinea, Nigeria</b>						
<b>CONCACAF</b> (3 out of 26) <b>Canada, Mexico, USA</b>						
<b>CONMEBOL</b> (2 out of 10) <b>Brazil, Colombia</b>						
<b>OFC</b> (1 out of 8) <b>New Zealand</b>						
<b>UEFA</b> (4 out of 41, plus hosts Germany) <b>England, France, Norway, Sweden</b>						

### Recap FIFA Women's World Cup 2007 preliminary competition

Year	Team entries	Drop-outs	Teams involved	Matches	Goals	Ø
2007	115	-	115	289	1,148	3.89
<b>AFC</b> (3 qualifiers out of 16 entrants, plus hosts China PR) <b>Australia, Japan, Korea DPR</b>						
<b>CAF</b> (2 out of 22) <b>Ghana, Nigeria</b>						
<b>CONCACAF</b> (2 out of 25) <b>Canada, USA</b>						
<b>CONMEBOL</b> (2 out of 10) <b>Argentina, Brazil</b>						
<b>OFC</b> (1 out of 4) <b>New Zealand</b>						
<b>UEFA</b> (5 out of 37) <b>Denmark, England, Germany, Norway, Sweden</b>						

## Recap FIFA Women's World Cup 2003 preliminary competition

Year	Team entries	Drop-outs	Teams involved	Matches	Goals	Ø
2003	103	3	100	257	1,141	4.44
<b>AFC</b> (4 qualifiers out of 14 entrants) <b>China PR*, Japan, Korea DPR, Korea Republic</b>						
<b>CAF</b> (2 out of 19) <b>Ghana, Nigeria</b>						
<b>CONCACAF</b> (2 out of 18) <b>Canada, USA</b>						
<b>CONMEBOL</b> (2 out of 10) <b>Argentina, Brazil</b>						
<b>OFC</b> (1 out of 5) <b>Australia</b>						
<b>UEFA</b> (5 out of 34) <b>France, Germany, Norway, Russia, Sweden</b>						

\*China PR were allowed to keep the host slot despite the event being moved to the USA

## Recap FIFA Women's World Cup 1999 preliminary competition

Year	Team entries	Drop-outs	Teams involved	Matches	Goals	Ø
1999	85	3	82	209	1,065	5.09
<b>AFC</b> (3 qualifiers out of 11 entrants) <b>China PR, Japan, Korea DPR</b>						
<b>CAF</b> (2 out of 12) <b>Ghana, Nigeria</b>						
<b>CONCACAF</b> (2 out of 9, plus hosts USA) <b>Canada, Mexico</b>						
<b>CONMEBOL</b> (1 out of 10) <b>Brazil</b>						
<b>OFC</b> (1 out of 6) <b>Australia</b>						
<b>UEFA</b> (6 out of 34) <b>Denmark, Germany, Italy, Norway, Russia, Sweden</b>						

## Recap FIFA Women's World Cup 1995 preliminary competition

Year	Team entries	Drop-outs	Teams involved	Matches	Goals	Ø
1995	55	3	52	134	662	4.94
<b>AFC</b> (2 qualifiers out of 4 entrants) <b>China PR, Japan</b>						
<b>CAF</b> (1 out of 6) <b>Nigeria</b>						
<b>CONCACAF</b> (2 out of 5) <b>Canada, USA</b>						
<b>CONMEBOL</b> (1 out of 5) <b>Brazil</b>						
<b>OFC</b> (1 out of 3) <b>Australia</b>						
<b>UEFA</b> (4 out of 28, plus hosts Sweden) <b>Denmark, England, Germany, Norway</b>						

## Recap FIFA Women's World Cup 1991 preliminary competition

Year	Team entries	Drop-outs	Teams involved	Matches	Goals	Ø
1991	49	4	45	108	422	3.91
<b>AFC</b> (2 qualifiers out of 8 entrants, plus hosts China PR) <b>Chinese Taipei, Japan</b>						
<b>CAF</b> (1 out of 4) <b>Nigeria</b>						
<b>CONCACAF</b> (1 out of 7) <b>USA</b>						
<b>CONMEBOL</b> (1 out of 3) <b>Brazil</b>						
<b>OFC</b> (1 out of 3) <b>New Zealand,</b>						
<b>UEFA</b> (5 out of 18) <b>Denmark, Germany, Italy, Norway, Sweden</b>						



*Shannon Rosenow (no. 11) of Canada during her country's FIFA Women's World Cup 1999 qualifying match against Guatemala at the Centennial Park Stadium in Etobicoke, Canada. (Photo by Harry How/Allsport)*

*Hoda Lattaf of France runs with the ball during the FIFA Women's World Cup 2003 qualifying play-off first leg between England and France on 17 October 2002 at Selhurst Park in London. France won the match 1-0.*

*England celebrate clinching qualification for the FIFA Women's World Cup 2007 against France at the Stade de la Route de Lorient on 30 September 2006 in Rennes, France.*

*(Photos by FIFA/FIFA via Getty Images)*

## Prize money

The FIFA Women's World Cup 2019™ prize money - Team position total fee (USD)

Winners	4,000,000
Runners-up	2,600,000
3rd place	2,000,000
4th place	1,600,000
5th – 8th place	1,450,000
9th – 16th place	1,000,000
17th – 24th place	750,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>30,000,000</b>

Year	Host	Total prize money (USD)	Divided as follows (USD)
2019	France	30,000,000	Winners 4,000,000 Runners-up 2,600,000 3 <sup>rd</sup> place 2,000,000 4 <sup>th</sup> place 1,600,000 Quarter-finalists 1,450,000 9 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> place 1,000,000 17 <sup>th</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> place 750,000  <b>NEW</b> <b>Preparation money</b> to support the qualified teams in organising preparatory matches before the competition <b>11,520,000</b> <b>Club Benefits Programme</b> to reward clubs releasing players for the competition <b>8,480,000</b>
2015	Canada	15,000,000	Winners 2,000,000 Runners-up 1,300,000 3 <sup>rd</sup> place 1,000,000 4 <sup>th</sup> place 800,000 Quarter-finalists 725,000 9 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> place 500,000 17 <sup>th</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> place 375,000
2011	Germany	10,000,000	Winners 1,000,000 Runners-up 800,000 3 <sup>rd</sup> place 650,000 4 <sup>th</sup> place 550,000 Quarter-finalists 350,000 9 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> place 250,000  + 75,000 for each participating team
2007	China PR	6,400,000	Winners 1,000,000 Runners-up 800,000 3 <sup>rd</sup> place 650,000 4 <sup>th</sup> place 550,000 Quarter-finalists 350,000 9 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> place 250,000

## Winner's trophy

The Official Trophy incorporates two of the attributes of women's football: elegance and dynamism. Hand-made, it takes the form of a spiral band that encloses a football at the top. It was recently fitted with a modern, cone-shaped base that reinforces the uplifting spirit of the design.

In the designer's words, "It starts with a simple movement at the bottom, then rises upwards in a dancing crescendo of elegance, just like the level of interest that women's football is raising in the world." The design supports the FIFA President's repeated observation: "The future of football is feminine."



## Trophy details

<b>Designer</b>	Sawaya & Moroni, Milan, Italy William Sawaya
<b>Manufacturer</b>	Europokal, Volketswil, Switzerland Beat Meixger
<b>Year of design</b>	1998
<b>Year of base redesign</b>	2012
<b>Material: body</b>	Gold-plated bronze and polished aluminium
<b>Material: base</b>	Verde Candeias granite
<b>Weight</b>	4.6kg
<b>Height</b>	47cm
<b>Base diameter</b>	13cm
<b>Widest point</b>	13cm

## Official mascot



ettie is a young chicken with a passion for life and football. She comes from a long line of feathered mascots and is the daughter of Footix, the Official Mascot of the 1998 FIFA World Cup France™. Her strong family connection to the Gallic rooster, who is still a popular national French symbol, makes her a fitting choice as the Official Mascot of the FIFA Women's World Cup France 2019™.

ettie's name comes from the French word for star, "étoile", as she originated from the star that her father Footix was awarded following France's World Cup victory on home soil in 1998. Footix cast his star far into the night sky so it could shine brightly, and after a few years of travelling through the cosmos, it came back to him in the form of his twinkling daughter, ettie.