



MEDIA GUIDE

EHF FINALS WOMEN 2023

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I INTRODUCTION TO THE EHF FINALS WOMEN 2023

It is with great pleasure that we welcome all media representatives to Graz and the Raiffeisen Sportpark, home of the EHF Finals Women 2023. On 13/14 May, this is the venue for four thrilling handball games, featuring four teams from two countries, who have triumphed over some of the best opponents in Europe to get here.

Each semi-final on Saturday will see a team from Germany and a team from Denmark fight for a place in Sunday's final and the chance to lift the coveted EHF European League Women trophy for the first time, after Neptunes de Nantes (2021) and SG BBM Bietigheim (2022) won the previous editions.

Ikast Håndbold are no strangers to the EHF Finals – this is their third straight appearance, but they failed to reach the final both previous times. Undefeated this season, Ikast have impressed throughout the competition and are undoubtedly a force to be reckoned with.

They face Thüringer HC in the semi-finals. The German side started their journey back in October with a win against Chambray Touraine in qualification round 2, and have not looked back since – recording just one loss and two draws on their way to Graz.

In the other semi-final, Nykøbing Falster Håndbold have likewise made it from the first qualification round, defeating 2022 runners-up Viborg HK in qualification round 3 before winning a tight group phase with four wins and two close losses. Debutants in the competition, Nykøbing have already achieved a lot – could they now go all the way?

Their opponents are BV Borussia 09 Dortmund. After playing in the EHF Champions League Women last season, Dortmund have had a solid debut season in the European League. They lost two matches so far, including the first leg of the quarter-finals against 2021 champions Nantes. But Dortmund struck back in the second leg, overturning a nine-goal deficit to win by 10 goals at home. They also set an attendance record when 11,112 fans turned up to watch them beat Siófok KC in the group phase.

So, the stage is set for a fantastic weekend of handball and we wish all media representatives best of luck for their coverage. We pride ourselves with an excellent cooperation with media covering EHF competitions, both on club and national team level. Should you have any questions related to the EHF Finals Women 2023, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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I ALL EYES ON THE TROPHY

The EHF Finals mark the highlight weekend of the EHF European League season for both women and men. With the competition introduced in the 2020/21 season, 2023 will see the third edition of the final event taking place, with the women playing in Graz, Austria, on 13/14 May; and the men in Flensburg, Germany, on 27/28 May.

The EHF Finals Women take place at the Raiffeisen Sportpark in Austria's second-largest city, where the four remaining title contenders this season meet in a 3,000-seater arena. In the two Danish-German semi-finals, Ikast Håndbold take on Thüringer HC and Nykøbing Falster Håndbold meet BV Borussia 09 Dortmund for a place in Sunday's final.

It is the first time the EHF Finals are played in Austria. The inaugural edition in 2021 was staged in Baia Mare, Romania, and won by Nantes Atlantique Handball (meanwhile renamed into Neptunes de Nantes). The following year, Viborg, Denmark, hosted the event, where SG BBM Bietigheim celebrated the title after their final triumph over Viborg HK.

The winners receive a trophy which has been specifically designed for the EHF European League, and is the same for the women's and the men's competition. Developed by the Oiko Design Office agency in Barcelona, the trophy displays a goal, as the main objective of the sport, and reflects the dynamic movement of a ball hitting the target. The net formed in the shape of a shield symbolises handball as a team sport.

Ikast, THC, Dortmund, or Nykøbing: Which team will lift this beautiful trophy in Graz?





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I GENERAL MEDIA INFORMATION

Accreditations

You can pick up your accreditation in the media centre. The entrance to the media centre is located in Hüttenbrennergasse 31, 8010 Graz, on the left side of the Raiffeisen Sportpark from the main entrance.

You can pick up your accreditation in the following time slots:

- Friday, 12 May 2023: 13:30 – 17:00 CEST
- Saturday, 13 May 2023: 13:30 – 22:00 CEST
- Sunday, 14 May 2023: 13:30 – 22:00 CEST

At the accreditation pick-up, you will be required to present a copy of the confirmation email you received from the EHF and a valid photographic ID (e.g. passport or driving license) in order to collect your accreditation.

IMPORTANT: If for whatever reason you are not able to attend the event, you must cancel your accreditation and inform us by email: media@eurohandball.com. Failure to arrive at the event could mean that you do not receive accreditation at future EHF events.

Parking

No media parking is available at the Raiffeisen Sportpark (Hüttenbrennergasse 31, 8010 Graz).

Catering

The media catering will be divided into two categories – snacks and hot meals.

Snacks will be available for in the media centre during the day and will include hot and cold drinks and mini pastries.

Hot meals will also be available in the catering area on Saturday and Sunday. For hot meals vouchers are necessary with a prebooking upon arrival to the media centre on Saturday, 13 May. You will be able to sign up for a voucher at the info desk in the media centre for both playing days.

Media centre

The media centre will open its doors on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. It will have an info desk, working area and catering area.

Opening hours of the media centre are:

- Friday, 12 May 2023: 13:30 – 17:00 CEST
- Saturday, 13 May 2023: 13:30 – 22:00 CEST
- Sunday, 14 May 2023: 13:30 – 22:00 CEST

Media seating

Media seats will be located in sectors A, B, C, D, I and J of the Raiffeisen Sportpark. Please note that media cannot book a position in the media tribune.

Photographers

Photographers can pick up their photo bibs from the info desk in the media centre. A small deposit (20€) will be required on arrival from photographers to ensure the return of bibs after the event. Photo positions are located behind the goals. Photographers must wear their accreditation and the bib to be able to access them. Photographers are requested to take their places in the photo positions ahead of the start of each game.

It is mandatory to remain seated during a match and it is forbidden to enter the field of play. Changing sides is only possible at half-time and it is forbidden to cross the field of play to do so: the adequate routing will be presented in the photo briefing. If needed, a photo positions plan may be implemented. Please note that photographers cannot book or reserve a photo position. Priority will be given to the EHF photographers, major agencies, team photographers and national media of the teams playing.

Photo briefing will take place in the media centre at 14:15 CEST on both Saturday and Sunday.

EHF Finals Women 2023 timetable

Friday, 12 May 2023

Media calls

Media calls will take place in the IntercityHotel Graz (Finkengasse 2, 8020 Graz). The media call will take place in the lobby of the hotel. Five players and the head coach of each team will be available to the media for 30 minutes.

- 16:30 – 17:00 CEST: Thüringer HC
- 17:00 – 17:30 CEST: Nykøbing Falster Håndbold
- 17:30 – 18:00 CEST: BV Borussia 09 Dortmund
- 18:00 – 18:30 CEST: Ikast Håndbold

Open training sessions

Training sessions will take place at Raiffeisen Sportpark (Hüttenbrennergasse 31, 8010 Graz) and will be open to the media for the first 15 minutes. Interviews are not foreseen.

- 12:00 CEST: Nykøbing Falster Håndbold
- 15:45 CEST: BV Borussia 09 Dortmund
- 17:15 CEST: Thüringer HC
- 18:45 CEST: Ikast Håndbold

Saturday, 13 May 2023

14:15 CEST – Photographers' briefing

15:30 CEST – Semi-final 1: Ikast Håndbold vs Thüringer HC

18:00 CEST – Semi-final 2: BV Borussia 09 Dortmund vs Nykøbing Falster Håndbold

Sunday, 14 May 2023

14:15 CEST – Photographers' briefing

15:30 CEST – 3/4 placement match

18:00 CEST – Final

I WHERE TO FOLLOW

A worldwide TV audience will follow the EHF Finals Women 2023 live when action gets underway in Graz, Austria, on Saturday 13 and Sunday 14 May 2023.

In the countries from the participating clubs – Denmark and Germany – fans can watch the action on:

DEN – Viaplay

GER – DAZN

Other TV partners broadcasting the EHF Finals Women 2023 live include:

AUT – DAZN, ORF

BIH – Arena Sport

BUL – B1B

CAN – DAZN

CRO – Arena Sport

CZE – AMC

ESP – DAZN

FIN – Viaplay

FRA – Eurosport

GEO – Silknet

HUN – AMC

ISR – Charlton

JPN – DAZN

KOS – Arena Sport

MENA – ONTIME

MKD – Arena Sport

MNE – Arena Sport

NOR – Viaplay

POL – Eurosport

ROU – Orange Sport, Digi Sport, Prima Sport

SLO – Arena Sport

SRB – Arena Sport

SVK – AMC

SWE – Viaplay

SUI – DAZN

TUR –Tivibu

UK – Viaplay

All matches of the EHF Finals Women 2023 will also be shown live to a global audience on EHFTV, though geo-restrictions may apply.

EHF EUROPEAN LEAGUE WOMEN 2022/23 GROUP PHASE



IKAST HANDBOLD



SOLA HK



MOLDE ELITE



FANA



BV Borussia 09
Dortmund



PARIS 92



NYKØBING FALSTER
HANDBOLD



THÜRINGER HC



PRACTIKER-VÁC



DVSC SCHAEFFLER



SOM RAMNICU
VALCEA



NEPTUNES DE
NANTES



MOTHERSON
MOSONMAGYARÓVARI KC



SIÓFOK KC HUN



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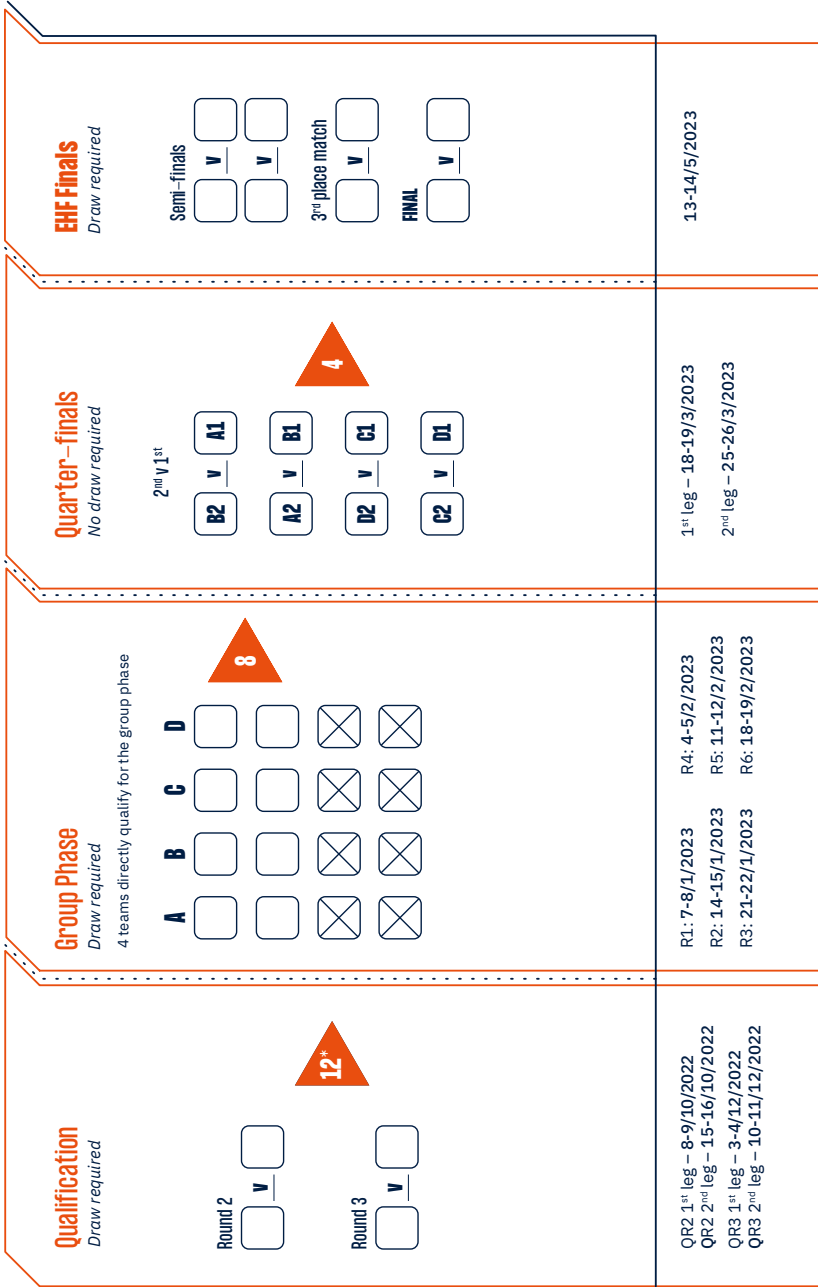


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EHF EUROPEAN LEAGUE WOMEN

2022/23 SEASON

Playing system and dates



ONE TROPHY, TWO COUNTRIES, THREE DEBUTANTS

FACTS AND FIGURES: ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW BEFORE THE EHF FINALS WOMEN 2023

There is guaranteed to be a first-time winner of the EHF European League Women this year after the conclusion of the competition's quarter-finals in March, which also saw a sensational comeback victory and a clean record maintained.

Here are the most important Facts and Figures ahead of the EHF Finals Women 2023:

0 defeats and 10 victories in 10 matches – this is the outstanding record of Ikast Håndbold in the current European League season.

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team has been part of all three EHF Finals so far: Ikast, who also played in Baia Mare in 2021 and Viborg in 2022, but missed the final both times.

1 goal is the closest aggregate margin in the quarter-finals as BV Borussia 09 Dortmund beat 2021 champions Neptunes de Nantes 51:50.

1 team – Ikast – won both legs of the quarter-finals; Thüringer HC had a win and a draw, while Dortmund and Nykøbing Falster Håndbold both rallied after losing the first leg.

1 participant of the EHF Finals 2022 is also taking part in 2023: Ikast; winners SG BBM Bietigheim played in the EHF Champions League, finalists Viborg HK lost in qualification, CS Minaur Baia Mare did not qualify for the competition.

2 countries are represented by the four semi-finalists: Denmark (Ikast and Nykøbing) and Germany (Thüringer HC and Dortmund); also in 2022, two teams from Denmark made it to the EHF Finals: Ikast and Viborg.

2 matches only since the start of the group phase ended in a draw, and both involved THC: 32:32 at SCM Ramnicu Valcea, 35:35 at Sola HK.

2 teams made it from the first qualification round to the EHF Finals: Thüringer HC and Nykøbing.

2 clubs from two nations previously won the European League: Nantes from France in 2021, and Bietigheim from Germany in 2022.

3 of the eight quarter-final matches ended with a winning margin of 10 goals: both duels between Ikast and Siófok KC (30:20, 31:21), and the second leg between Dortmund and Nantes (32:22); only 5 of the 48 group matches ended with a difference of 10 or more goals.

3 of the eight quarter-final matches ended with 60 or more goals scored; that was also the case for 15 of the 48 group matches.

4 – or all – EHF Finals participants won their respective group in the group phase this season.

4 players scored 16 goals each in the quarter-finals: Annika Lott (Thüringer HC), Iryna Glibko, Jovana Kovacevic (both SCM Ramnicu Valcea), and Elma Halilcevic (Nykøbing).

6 nations were still represented among the eight quarter-finalists: Germany and Denmark were the only nations with two teams each – and those four teams all advanced.

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of the eight quarter-final matches ended with home victories; Ikast's win at Siófok and THC's draw at Sola were the only exceptions.

9 goals was Dortmund's deficit after the first leg of their quarter-final against Nantes (28:19), but they won the home leg by 10 goals (32:22) the following week to advance to the EHF Finals.

9 teams in total – including 2023 debutants Nykøbing, Dortmund and THC – have been or are part of an EHF Finals Women event since 2021.

20 goals was the aggregate margin between Ikast and Siófok in the quarter-finals: 61:41.

37 of the 56 matches since the start of the group phase have been won by the home team.

38 is the lowest number of goals in a single match this season, when Siófok beat Besançon 20:18; the lowest number for a quarter-final match is 47, when Nantes defeated Dortmund 28:19.

60 goals since the start of the group phase make Iryna Glibko (Valcea) the top scorer; Annika Lott (THC) follows with 56 goals and Nathalie Hagman (Nantes) with 54; the next player who, like Lott, will be active at the EHF Finals is Elma Halilcevic (Nykøbing) with 49 goals.

+62 is Ikast's goal difference after six group phase and two quarter-final matches – an average winning margin of 7.75 goals.

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is the highest number of goals scored by a team in the quarter-finals: Nykøbing; next in line are THC (62), Ikast (61), and Dortmund (51).

188 goals have been conceded by Ikast so far this season, 23.5 goals per game on average; the best defence of the four semi-finalists.

250 goals have been scored by both Ikast and THC; those two most productive teams in the competition will now meet in the semi-finals.

452 goals have been scored in the quarter-finals; 50 less than in the 2021/22 season (502), and 13 less than in 2020/21 (465).

3,142 goals in total have been scored since the start of the group phase; 28 less than in the 2021/22 season (3,170).

4,664 fans saw the two quarter-final matches between Valcea and Nykøbing – 2,239 in Romania, and 2,425 in Denmark.

11,112 fans at Dortmund vs Siófok in the group phase is the highest attendance for a single game in the EHF European League Women.

12,675 fans in total have seen the eight quarter-final matches.

EHF Finals Women 2023 participants:

Points:*

16 – Ikast (12 in group phase, 4 in quarter-finals)

12 – Thüringer HC (9 + 3)

12 – Dortmund (10 + 2)

10 – Nykøbing (8 + 2)

Goals scored:*

250 – Ikast (189 + 61)

250 – Thüringer (188 + 62)

239 – Nykøbing (172 + 67)

227 – Dortmund (176 + 51)

Goals conceded:*

188 – Ikast (147 + 41)

205 – Dortmund (154 + 51)

212 – Nykøbing (151 + 61)

221 – Thüringer (162 + 59)

Goal difference:*

+62 – Ikast

+29 – Thüringer HC

+27 – Nykøbing

+22 – Dortmund

** all stats since start of group phase; no qualification rounds included*

I IMPORTANT REGULATIONS

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN A MATCH AT THE EHF FINALS WOMEN ENDS IN A DRAW

All matches of the EHF Finals Women 2023 shall be played in 2 x 30 minutes.

If a semi-final match or the final ends in a draw, there will be a five-minute break followed by one extra time of 2 x 5 minutes; there will be a one-minute break at half-time for the changeover of teams.

If the third-place match ends in a draw, there shall be no extra time; the match will be decided directly by penalty throws.

If penalty throws are needed to decide the match, the procedure is as follows:

- Only players (incl. goalkeepers) who are listed on the match report and are not suspended or disqualified at the end of the playing time are entitled to participate at the penalty throws.

- At the technical meeting the teams will be informed at which goal the penalty throws will be taken. The team taking the first penalty throw shall be determined by the referees by drawing lots. The team winning the draw may choose whether it wishes to throw first or last.

- Prior to the penalty throws, each team shall name five by handing the referees a list of numbers. These players shall then take one throw each until a decision (a winner) is reached, alternating with their opponents. Each team is free to determine the sequence in which throwers will take their throws.

- The goalkeepers may be freely selected from the match report and exchanged in accordance with the rules of the game. Goalkeepers may take throws and throwers may perform as goalkeepers.

- If the scores are equal after the first round of penalty throws, it shall be continued until a decision is reached. In the second round, the other team shall start. Again, five players shall be named who are eligible to play (the players named before may be named once again).

- In the second round, a decision is reached when a goal difference arises after both teams have taken one throw each.

- Serious infractions committed during penalty throws shall be sanctioned by disqualification. If a thrower is disqualified or suffers an injury, an eligible substitute player shall be supplementary named.

- While the throws are being taken, only the player taking the throw, the current goalkeeper and the referees may enter the respective half of the playing court.

- If the number of eligible players falls below five, players may be named to take a second throw in the same round.



SEMI-FINAL PAIRINGS

IKAST HÅNDBOLD (DEN) VS THÜRINGER HC (GER)



Semi-final 1: Saturday, 13 May at 15:30 CEST, Graz (AUT)

Referees: Cristina Lovin, Simona Raluca Stancu (ROU)

EHF Delegates: Lidija Bojic-Cacic (CRO), Gerhard Reisinger (AUT)



- for the second straight season, Ikast are the only unbeaten team at the EHF Finals, arriving in Graz on a nine-match winning streak
- they came through the group phase and quarter-final matches with the second-best shooting percentage of 64.8
- Ikast are the only club who have been part of all three EHF Finals Women events so far; however, they failed to reach the final in each of the first two editions, finishing fourth in 2021 and third in 2022
- Ikast were unassailable against Siófok KC in the quarter-finals, securing their ticket to Graz with two 10-goal wins for an aggregate 61:41 victory
- just like the other three EHF Finals Women participants, Ikast finished as the top-ranked team in their group
- the Danish club have won various EHF competitions in the past, but not since triumphing in the Cup Winners' Cup in 2015.
- with 73 saves for a competition leading efficiency percentage of over 41, Jessica Ryde is among the top goalkeepers of the season
- returning to the EHF European League after a one-year break, Thüringer HC vastly improved compared to their previous campaign
- like fellow EHF Finals contenders Nykøbing, they started their European journey in the first qualification round in October 2022
- looking for their first European trophy, THC had four victories to win group D and reach the quarter-finals, where they had a draw followed by a 27:24 home win to get past Sola
- their attacking power is one of the team's biggest assets; since the start of the group phase, they scored a competition leading 250 goals – just as many as their semi-final opponents Ikast
- left back Annika Lott is in a strong position to become the European League's top scorer this season; with 56 goals, she ranks second behind leader Iryna Glibko, but the Ukrainian player cannot add to her tally of 60 since her club, SCM Ramnicu Valcea, lost in the quarter-finals to Nykøbing
- Irma Schjött has saved the most penalties of all goalkeepers in the European League: nine from 28 shots, for a 32.14 per cent rate

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN EHF CLUB COMPETITIONS

Ikast Håndbold vs Thüringer HC 3-0-1 (100:87) 6:2

08.10.2011	FC Midtjylland vs Thüringer H87 EHF Champions League – Group A	23:20 (15:10)
30.10.2011	Thüringer HC vs FC Midtjylland, EHF Champions League – Group A	21:27 (8:13)
08.02.2014	Thüringer HC vs FC Midtjylland, EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 1	26:24 (10:14)
16.03.2014	FC Midtjylland vs Thüringer HC, EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 1	26:20 (15:10)

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Kit colours

Light

Player shirt: yellow
Player short: navy blue
Goalkeeper shirt: black

Dark

Player shirt: white
Player short: red
Goalkeeper shirt: blue



Playing hall

IBF Arena
Stadion Allé 2b
7430 Ikast
Denmark
Capacity: 2,250

IKAST HÅNDBOLD



Road to the EHF Finals Women 2023

GROUP PHASE

vs Neptunes de Nantes	W30:20 (15:10)
@ Fana	W24:35 (15:15)
@ Motherson Mosonmagyarovari KC	W26:34 (13:15)
vs Motherson Mosonmagyarovari KC	W28:26 (15:13)
@ Neptunes de Nantes	W28:33 (15:16)
vs Fana	W29:23 (11:9)

QUARTER-FINALS

@ Siófok KC	W20:30 (7:12)
vs Siófok KC	W31:21 (17:8)

Group B final standings

	MPW	D	L	GF:GA	GD	P
1 Ikast Håndbold	6	6	0	189:147	42	12
2 Neptunes de Nantes	6	3	0	174:173	1	6
3 Motherson Mosonmagyarovari	6	2	0	174:185	-11	4
4 Fana	6	1	0	152:184	-32	2

Top scorers

Ingvild Kristiansen Bakkerud (NOR)	40
Julie Mathiesen Scaglione (DEN)	30
Emma Friis (DEN)	29
Stine Skogrand (NOR)	29
Emma Lindqvist (SWE)	20

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF European League

Participations (including 2022/23): 3

Semi-finals (2): 2020/21, 2021/22

EHF Cup

Winners (2): 2001/02, 2010/11

Final (1): 2006/07

EHF Cup Winners' Cup

Winners (2): 2003/04, 2014/15

City Cup

Winners (1): 1997/98

Final (1): 1996/97

EHF Champions Trophy

Winners (1): 1998

Final (1): 2001/02

Danish league: 4 titles (1998, 2011, 2013, 2015)


Danish cup: 8 titles (1990, 1998, 1999, 2001, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2019)





KASPER CHRISTENSEN

Coach

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

ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

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DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

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I TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	Height
1	Jessica	Ryde	SWE	Goalkeeper	18/05/1994	Östra Torn, SWE	185
4	Julie Mathiesen	Scaglione	DEN	Left Back	20/08/2004	Aarhus , DEN	175
C 5	Vilde Ingeborg	Johansen	NOR	Line Player	25/07/1994	Tønsberg, NOR	182
6	Cecilie Højgaard	Brandt	DEN	Left Wing	16/11/2001	Viborg, DEN	178
7	Stine Ruscetta	Skogrand	NOR	Right Wing	03/03/1993	Bergen, NOR	173
11	Sarah	Iversen	DEN	Line Player	10/04/1990	Frederiksbjerg, DEN	177
12	Stephanie	Andersen	DEN	Goalkeeper	19/06/1992	Randers, DEN	186
13	Julie Horsbøl	Gantzel Pedersen	DEN	Line Player	13/04/1994	Ikast-Brande, DEN	173
14	Emma	Lindqvist	SWE	Centre Back	17/09/1997	Raus, SWE	177
15	Emma	Friis	DEN	Left Wing	31/10/1999	Herning , DEN	162
16	Andrea Austmo	Pedersen	NOR	Goalkeeper	19/04/1994	Trondheim, NOR	179
17	Simone Cathrine	Petersen	DEN	Centre Back	28/08/1997	Ringsted, DEN	177
19	Alberte	Ebler	DEN	Right Back	16/01/2003	Skanderborg, DEN	175
21	Ingvild Kristiansen	Bakkerud	NOR	Left Back	09/07/1995	Kongsberg, NOR	187
23	Trine Wacker	Mortensen	DEN	Left Wing	14/09/1994	Roskilde, DEN	170
24	Emma	Jessen	DEN	Goalkeeper	20/08/2006	Sønderborg, DEN	175
25	Ditte Marie Juel	Christensen	DEN	Goalkeeper	03/07/2006	Svendborg, DEN	177
30	Camilla	Markussen	DEN	Centre Back	07/10/2003	Thisted, DEN	170
31	Johanne Møller	Kristensen	DEN	Line Player	15/01/2003	Herning, DEN	170
33	Maria Lykke	Andersen	DEN	Left Back	16/06/2004	Esbjerg, DEN	170
34	Line Edling	Lauritsen	DEN	Left Wing	08/09/2003	Herning, DEN	170
35	Maja Lundgren	Pyndt	DEN	Left Back	22/01/2004	Herning, DEN	170
55	Caroline Søgaard	Sørensen	DEN	Right Back	02/07/2004	Vesthimmerland, DEN	170
77	Line Mai Nørgaard	Hougaard	DEN	Right Wing	06/10/1999	Herning, DEN	163
93	Line Uno	Jensen	DEN	Centre Back	19/10/1993	Kolding, DEN	172



JESSICA RYDE

 @jessicaryde

Goalkeeper

- Swedish international, who joined Ikast from H65 Höör in 2017
- one of Ikast's key players in the EL 2022/23 season with 73 saves for a competition leading efficiency percentage of over 41
- won the Swedish title in 2017 and the Challenge Cup in 2014
- considered one of the best goalkeepers in the Danish league
- played her first major championship with Sweden at EHF EURO 2020

EC trophies: Challenge Cup 2014



STINE SKOGRAND

 @sskogi

Right back

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

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



JULIE SCAGLIONE

 @julie.scaglione

Left back

- one of Denmark's most promising talents, who started her pro career at Ikast
- made European debut as a 16-year-old in an EL match against Paris 92 in 2021
- contributed eight goals in total to Ikast's 2022/23 quarter-final wins over Siófok KC
- daughter of former Danish international and world champion Lone Mathiesen



SIMONE PETERSEN

 @simonecpetersen

Centre back

- returned to Denmark and joined Ikast again in 2020 after one season in Germany with TuS Metzingen; the only season with a foreign club in her career so far
- Danish international, who was an integral part of the squad which won the W19 EHF EURO in 2015; later she bronze at the 2021 WCh and silver at the EHF EURO 2022
- in 2015, she also won the Cup Winners' Cup, as well as the Danish league and cup both with senior and the under-18 team of Ikast

EC trophies: CWC 2015
EURO: S 2022; WCh: B 2021



EMMA LINDQVIST

 @emmaalindqvist

Centre back

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



EMMA FRIIS

Left wing

- born and bred in Herning, Friis started to play handball at Herning-Ikast, where she made her debut in the team in 2016, aged 17
- named the All-Star left wing of the IHF Women's Youth World Championship in 2016 and the All-Star left wing of the Women's Youth Junior World Championship in 2018
- in her debut in a major tournament for the national team, helped Denmark seal the bronze medal at the WCh in 2021, scoring 16 goals
- led Denmark to silver medals at the EHF EURO 2022 with 40 goals becoming the 7th best scorer of the tournament and named the All-star left wing

EURO : S 2022, WCh : B 2021



INGVILD KRISTIANSEN BAKKERUD

 @bakkerud

Left back

- scored 41 goals for Ikast in the 2022/23 EL season on the way to Graz
- joined from league rivals Odense in the summer of 2020
- made a breakthrough in the 2018/19 season, scoring 43 goals in the EHF Champions League
- the 187cm-tall left back is renowned for her powerful back court shooting
- played her first major championship with Norway in 2019 and was a reserve at EHF EURO 2020



SARAH IVERSEN

 @sarahiversen90

Line player

- made her comeback at Ikast in 2020, after she had previously left the club in 2017
- an integral part of the squad which won the W19 EHF EURO in 2015, she also won bronze at the WCh 2021
- the best year of her career was 2015, when she won the EHF CWC, the W19 EHF EURO, the Danish league and the Danish Cup with Herning-Ikast and the Danish league and the Danish Cup with the Herning-Ikast U18 team
- said that she was inspired by backs like Anja Andersen and Bojana Popovic when she was growing up

EURO: S 2022



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Kit colours

Light

Player shirt: red
Player short: black
GK shirt: white

Dark

Player shirt: white
Player short: blue
GK shirt: yellow



Playing hall

Salza Halle Bad Langensalza
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Capacity: 1,000

THÜRINGER HC



Road to the EHF Finals Women 2023

QUALIFICATION ROUND 2

@ Chambray Touraine Handball W28:31 (15:15)
vs Chambray Touraine Handball W27:24 (15:12)

QUALIFICATION ROUND 3

@ IK Sävehof W22:30 (14:15)
vs IK Sävehof W35:30 (16:15)

GROUP PHASE

vs Paris 92 W28:24 (17:10)
@ Praktiker-Vác W28:34 (13:21)
vs SCM Ramnicu Valcea W38:31 (19:16)
@ SCM Ramnicu Valcea D32:32 (16:17)
vs Praktiker-Vác W31:21 (16:8)
@ Paris 92 L26:25 (14:14)

QUARTER-FINALS

@ Sola HK D35:35 (19:17)
vs Sola HK W27:24 (16:12)

Group D final standings

	MP	W	D	L	GF:GA	GD	P
1 Thüringer HC	6	4	1	1	188:162	26	9
2 SCM Ramnicu Valcea	6	3	1	2	183:178	5	7
3 Paris 92	6	3	0	3	154:156	-2	6
4 Praktiker-Vác	6	1	0	5	156:185	-29	2

Top scorers

Annika Lott (GER)	56
Nathalie Hendrikse (NED)	32
Vilma Matthijs Holmberg (SWE)	23
Johanna Reichert (AUT)	23
Sonja Frey (AUT)	18

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF European League

Participations (including 2022/23): 2
Group phase (1): 2020/21

EHF Champions League

Quarter-finals (1): 2014/15
Main round (5): 2013/14, 2015/16, 2016/17, 2017/18, 2018/19
Group phase (2): 2011/12, 2012/13

EHF Cup

Quarter-finals (1): 2019/20

Challenge Cup:

Final (1): 2008/09

German league: 7 titles (2011-16, 2018)

German cup: 3 titles (2011, 2013, 2019)





HERBERT MÜLLER

Coach

- born in Timisoara, the Romanian-German coach previously worked with Brasov (ROU) and Nürnberg (GER)
- 2022/23 is his 19th straight season as THC head coach, always assisted by his brother, Helfried
- has also been working as head coach of the Austrian women's national team since 2009
- led Nürnberg to their first-ever CL qualification and won the Challenge Cup in 2004, then won seven German titles with THC since 2010
- formerly worked as a mathematics teacher

EC trophies: Challenge Cup 2004

ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

Lydia Jakubisova (SVK)

DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

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I TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	Height
1	Laura	Kuske	GER	Goalkeeper	19/11/2001	Neumarkt in der Oberpfalz, GER	178
4	Nikoline Skals	Lundgreen	DEN	Right Back	07/01/1998	Faaborg-Midtfyn, DEN	187
5	Sonja	Frey	AUT	Left Wing	22/04/1993	Wien, AUT	169
6	Nathalie	Hendrikse	NED	Right Wing	04/04/1995	Amsterdam, NED	170
7	Yuki	Tanabe	JPN	Left Wing	25/08/1989	Kyotanabe, JPN	170
8	Dominika	Zachova	CZE	Right Wing	04/06/1996	Pilsen, CZE	175
9	Madeleine	Hilby	NOR	Back	04/03/1995	Bergen, NOR	172
10	Sara Saetre	Rønningen	NOR	Line Player	03/11/1996	Levanger, NOR	180
11	Vilma Matthijs	Holmberg	SWE	Line Player	25/02/1999	Tyresö, SWE	173
12	Irma	Schjött	SWE	Goalkeeper	18/11/1998	Stockholm, SWE	179
14	Anika	Niederwieser	ITA	Centre Back	28/02/1992	Brixen, ITA	185
16	Nicole	Roth	GER	Goalkeeper	08/05/1995	Nürnberg, GER	182
18	Johanna	Stockschläder	GER	Left Wing	11/02/1995	Siegen, GER	171
21	Annika	Lott	GER	Left Back	07/12/1999	Henstedt-Ulzburg, GER	180
23	Paula	Büttner	GER	Right Back	19/12/2003	Erfurt, GER	165
24	Sarah	Kupke	GER	Right Back	11/06/2004	Erfurt, GER	170
28	Lydia	Jakubisova	SVK	Right Wing	14/10/1981	Bojnice, SVK	168
C 29	Johanna	Reichert	AUT	Left Back	31/12/2001	Korneuburg, AUT	178
43	Jennifer	Rode	GER	Right Back	03/08/1995	Berlin, GER	177
57	Josefine	Huber	AUT	Line Player	19/02/1996	Wien, AUT	180
	Kim	Ott	GER	Left Back	17/02/2006	Erfurt, GER	170



IRMA SCHJÖTT

 @irmaaschjott

Goalkeeper

- Swedish goalkeeper, arrived at Thüringer HC in 2022 for her first foreign club
- had 113 saves (nearly 36%) in the EL 2022/23 season coming into the EHF Finals
- previously played for Swedish clubs Eskilstuna, Västerås and, since 2019, Höörs
- arrived midway through the 2021/22 season to replace Austrian veteran Petra Blazek
- played in all Swedish youth and junior national teams before making senior debut



JOHANNA STOCKSCHLÄDER

 @johannastockschlaeder

Left wing

- German international, who arrived at THC after one year with Neckarsulm
- previously played for fellow EHF Finals 2023 contenders Dortmund, from 2017-21
- made her Bundesliga debut with Dortmund, and helped them win the league in 2021
- played her first international match at the age of 26 in 2021, and became Germany's biggest surprise at the EHF EURO 2022, scoring 25 goals in six matches



ANNIKA LOTT

Left back

- German international who arrived at THC in summer of 2022 from Buxtehude
- THC's leading scorer in EL 2022/23 with 56 goals going into EHF Finals in Graz
- joined Bayer Leverkusen at age 16 and became German youth champion in 2018
- tall shooter, who went through all German youth and junior national teams before her debut in the senior team in November 2020

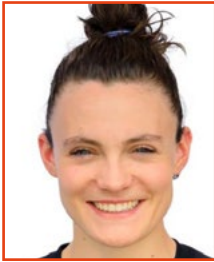


ANIKA NIEDERWIESER

 @anikaniederwieser

Left back

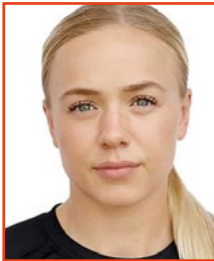
- indoor and beach handball international for Italy, who started her career in Brixen
- first joined THC in 2016 but left the club after they won the Bundesliga in 2018 to join TuS Metzingen; returned to THC in 2021
- more a defence specialist than a back court player
- awarded best defender at 2014 Beach WCh; won bronze twice at Beach Handball EURO, in 2011 and 2015, and was awarded Italian player of the year in 2019



SONJA FREY

Centre back

- Austrian international, returned to THC in 2022 after an earlier stint in 2012-16
- played in France (Dijon, Paris) and Denmark (Esbjerg, Ikast) in the meantime
- played for Austria at the 2009 WCh in China at the age of 16; meanwhile a core player for the Austrian national team, coached by her THC club coach, Herbert Müller
- classical playmaker, but also strong in one-against-one and a strong scorer



VILMA MATTHIJS HOLMBERG

 @vilmamatthijs

Line player

- played for Tyröso and Skuru in Sweden, was Swedish champion with Skuru in 2021, and joined THC in summer of 2022 for her first club abroad
- part of Swedish junior team at W19 EHF EURO 2017 and 2018 WCh
- had debut in Swedish senior national team in 2021 and played at 2021 WCh
- mother Annette Matthijs Holmberg also played for Swedish national team; her sister Tilda plays in the Swedish first league



JENNIFER RODE

 @jjrode43

Right back

- German international since 2017, joined THC in 2021 from then freshly crowned Bundesliga champions Dortmund
- started pro career at famous sports' school in Frankfurt/Oder, became Bundesliga player for FHC Frankfurt/Oder at the age of 17
- later played for Bensheim/Auerbach and, six years, for Bayer Leverkusen
- her sisters Elaine and Joana also play in the German Bundesliga



NATHALIE HENDRIKSE

 @nathaliehendrikse

Right wing

- started pro career at VOC Amsterdam, became Dutch champion and cup winner
- moved to Norwegian side Gjerpen at the age of 22, then arrived in Germany at Neckarsulm, where she became team captain of this Bundesliga club
- transferred to THC in the summer of 2022 after three years at Neckarsulm
- one of the best scorers for THC in the EL 2022/23, alongside Annika Lott

BV BORUSSIA 09 DORTMUND (GER) VS NYKØBING FALSTER HÅNDBOLD (DEN)



Semi-final 2: Saturday, 13 May at 18:00 CEST, Graz (AUT)

Referees: Vanja Antic, Jelena Jakovljevic (SRB)

EHF Delegates: Ilona Tordai (HUN), Denis Reibel (FRA)



- Dortmund used a spectacular comeback against 2021 champions Nantes in the quarter-finals, recovering from a nine-goal defeat in the first leg in France to take the second leg at home by 10 goals for an aggregate 51:50 win
- in the group phase, Dortmund made the headlines by setting an attendance record for a women's handball match in Germany when 11,112 fans visited the match against Siófok KC
- having come through a qualification round, Dortmund went on to finish top of group A, winning five of their six matches and only suffering a defeat against Siófok in Hungary
- Dutch coach Henk Groener, who previously led the national teams of Netherlands and Germany, became in charge in Dortmund in October 2022
- Dortmund are eyeing the second European trophy in the club's history, 20 years after winning the Challenge Cup
- Yara ten Holte is among the leading goalkeepers this season, with 104 saves from 281 shots for an efficiency of 37 per cent
- in their first season in the EHF European League, Nykøbing survived two qualification ties, eliminating fellow Danish side and EHF Finals 2022 hosts Viborg in the last round
- they went on to finish No. 1 in group C, after racking up four wins and two defeats; those eight points from six matches were the lowest total for any of the four group winners
- just like semi-final opponents Dortmund, Nykøbing had to come back from a defeat in the first leg of the quarter-finals, losing to Ramnicu Valcea by three goals, before dominating the return leg at home for a six-goal aggregate win
- Nykøbing's best result in Europe so far is reaching the semi-finals of the EHF Cup 2016/17; they played in the EHF Champions League group phase the following season
- Nykøbing have the competition's fourth best attack after the group phase and quarter-finals, netting 239 times
- currently on 49 goals, left wing Elma Halilcevic has an outside chance to become the competitor's top scorer this season

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN EHF CLUB COMPETITIONS

BV Borussia 09 Dortmund vs Nykøbing Falster Håndbold 0-0-0

No previous encounters in EHF club competitions

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Kit colours

Light

Player shirt: white
Player short: grey
Goalkeeper shirt: turquoise

Dark

Player shirt: black
Player short: black
Goalkeeper shirt: black



Playing hall

Westpress Arena
Ostwennemarstraße 100
59071 Hamm
Germany
Capacity: 2,600

BV BORUSSIA 09 DORTMUND



Road to the EHF Finals Women 2023

QUALIFICATION ROUND 3

vs ZRK Zeleznicar – Indjija W43:22 (24:11)
@ZRK Zeleznicar – Indjija W15:31 (6:19)

GROUP PHASE

vs Molde Elite W33:32 (19:15)
@ Siófok KC L27:24 (13:11)
@ ES Besancon Feminin W27:30 (12:16)
vs ES Besancon Feminin W31:21 (16:8)
@ Molde Elite W24:32 (8:17)
vs Siófok KC W26:23 (10:10)

QUARTER-FINALS

@ Neptunes de Nantes L28:19 (14:7)
vs Neptunes de Nantes W32:22 (13:11)

Group A final standings

	MPW	D	L	GF:GA	GD	P	
1 BV Borussia 09 Dortmund	6	5	0	1	176:154	22	10
2 Siófok KC	6	4	0	2	153:149	4	8
3 ES Besancon Feminin	6	3	0	3	172:163	9	6
4 Molde Elite	6	0	0	6	168:203	-35	0

Top scorers

Dana Bleckmann (GER)	35
Alina Grijseels (GER)	34
Emma Olsson (SWE)	25
Zoë Sprengers (NED)	25
Meret Ossenopp (GER)	23

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF European League Women

Participations (including 2022/23 season): 1

EHF Champions League Women

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

EHF Cup

Final (1): 1996/97

Semi-finals (1): 1999/2000

Quarter-finals (1): 1998/99

Challenge Cup

Winners (1): 2002/03

Quarter-finals (1): 2003/04

Cup Winners' Cup

Semi-finals (2): 1994/95, 1997/98

German league: 1 title (2021)

German cup: 1 title (1997)





HENK GROENER

Coach

- Dutch coach, who took over in October 2022 after previous coach André Fuhr was dismissed
- already had strong knowledge of the club's German players, as he was the women's national team coach from 2018 to 2022
- previously coached the Dutch national team, and led them to their first IHF World Championship final in 2015
- played over 200 times for the Netherlands' men's team and coached them from 2002 to 2005

WCh: S 2015 (coach)

ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

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DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

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I TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	Height
1	Norah	Kothen	GER	Goalkeeper	04/05/2005		171
C 4	Alina	Grijseels	GER	Centre Back	12/04/1996		175
6	Zöe	Sprengers	NED	Left Wing	19/01/2000		166
8	Maraïke	Kusian	GER	Right Wing	20/08/2002		176
9	Lisa	Antl	GER	Line Player	21/06/2000		172
11	Harma Anna	Cornelia van Kreijl	NED	Left Back	11/11/1993		175
12	Sophie Amalie	Moth	DEN	Goalkeeper	16/09/1998		176
15	Madita	Kohorst	GER	Goalkeeper	14/10/1996	Lohne, GER	183
16	Yara	Ten Holte	NED	Goalkeeper	23/11/1999		175
22	Meret	Ossenkopp	GER	Right Wing	21/06/1998		175
23	Haruno	Sasaki	JPN	Left Back	26/02/1995		172
29	Emma	Olsson	SWE	Line Player	20/08/1997		180
30	Frida Nåmo	Rønning	NOR	Centre Back	03/02/1997		165
31	Zoe	Stens	GER	Line Player	23/03/2000		170
33	Anna-Lena	Hausherr	GER	Left Wing	07/07/2001		165
66	Dana	Bleckmann	GER	Left Back	09/05/2001	Kempen, GER	179
94	Sara	Garovic	SRB	Back	22/08/1994	Beograd, SRB	172
	Lyna	Schwarz	GER	Left Back	17/03/2004		
	Mara	Birk	GER	Right Wing	06/05/2005		
	Mia Elisa	Bomnüter	GER	Right Wing	08/04/2005		

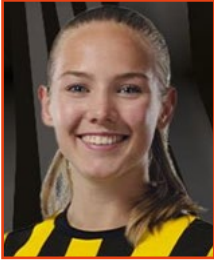


YARA TEN HOLTE

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Goalkeeper

- joined Borussia in 2018 for her first international adventure
- made her Dutch national team debut in 2021 and impressed as their number one keeper at EHF EURO 2022
- set to join Danish side Odense in the summer of 2023
- graduated with a Master of Science from VU Amsterdam in 2022



ZOË SPRENGERS

 @zoesprengers

Left wing

- Dutch international, who is also a prolific beach handball player
- speedy left wing, made the move to Dortmund from Leverkusen in 2022
- made her major championship debut for Netherlands at the 2021 WCh
- won gold at the YAC Beach Handball EURO 2016, and silver at the W19 EHF EURO, where she was the All-star left wing

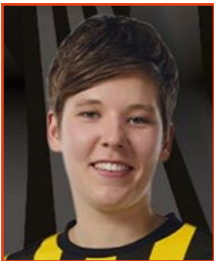


DANA BLECKMANN

 @danableckmann

Left back

- leading goal scorer for Dortmund in the EL 2022/23 season since the group phase, with 35 goals – one more than team captain Alina Grijseels
- born in Kempen, a small town close to the Dutch border; started playing for Aldekerk and moved to Dortmund at the age of 17; won W17 EHF EURO 2017 with Germany
- missed much of the 2021/22 season after tearing an ACL
- her cousin is German handball international Julius Kühn



ALINA GRIJSEELS

 @alinagrijseels

Centre back

- was 18 when she joined Dortmund in 2014, but will leave the club after nine years, having signed with Metz Handball from the 2023/24 season
- one of Dortmund's best goal scorers, netted 34 times in EL 2022/23 before the finals
- played for all German youth and junior national teams, highlighted by silver at 2014 U18 World Championship; now co-captain of senior national team
- was Germany's leading scorer at EHF EURO 2022, with 44 goals



LISA ANTL

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Line player

- one of the rising stars in German handball, making it from her Bundesliga debut to her first appearance in the national team in only a few months' time
- born in Bavaria, joined Bundesliga side Buxtehuder SV but initially played mostly in the third division in their second team
- arrived at Dortmund in the summer of 2022
- made national team debut in November 2021, joined team at 2021 WCh in Spain

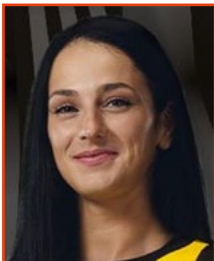


EMMA OLSSON

 @emmaoolsson

Line player

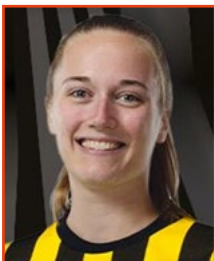
- Dortmund's defence specialist, who still scored more than 30 times in EL 2022/23
- had maiden season in first Swedish league with Eslövs at the age of 20
- went via Önnareds in 2020 to Fram Reykjavik in Iceland the following year
- won the Iceland cup in 2022 and next joined Dortmund
- shares the line player position with Lisa Antl



SARA GAROVIC

Right back

- Serbian defence specialist, who arrived at Dortmund in the summer of 2022
- contributed more than 20 goals to Dortmund's journey to the EHF Finals 2023
- one of the few Dortmund players who have played an European semi-final before: with Bukovicka Banja in the EHF European Cup Women 2021/22
- had a stint in Poland in her early 20s but returned to Serbia after two years, played for ZRK Medicinar before joining Bukovicka Banja



MERET OSSENKOPP

 @meret_oss

Right wing

- joined Dortmund in summer 2022 from Buxtehude
- spent entire career so far in Germany, learned to play in her hometown of Lüneburg
- made a strong start for Dortmund, scoring 23 goals in the EL 2022/23 group phase
- named in the initial German squad for the EHF EURO 2022, but has yet to make her international debut
- her brother Lukas is also a handball player, in Hamburg

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Goalkeeper shirt: grey

Dark

Player shirt: blue
Player short: blue
Goalkeeper shirt: light blue



Playing hall

Arena Næstved
Ved Stadion 11
4700 Næstved
Denmark
Capacity: 3,176

NYKØBING FALSTER HÅNDBOLD



Road to the EHF Finals Women 2023

QUALIFICATION ROUND 2

@ Yalikhavakssport Club W21:29 (15:15)
vs Yalikhavakssport Club W37:24 (18:13)

QUALIFICATION ROUND 3

vs Viborg HK W34:21 (15:8)
@ Viborg HK D30:30 (17:14)

GROUP PHASE

@ DVSC Schaeffler L28:27 (10:11)
vs Sola HK L26:28 (13:12)
vs HC Podravka Vegeta W28:23 (12:10)
@ HC Podravka Vegeta W24:29 (11:16)
vs DVSC Schaeffler W34:22 (14:10)
@ Sola HK W26:28 (16:17)

QUARTER-FINALS

@ SCM Ramnicu Valcea L32:29 (16:14)
vs SCM Ramnicu Valcea W38:29 (17:14)

Group C final standings

	MPW	D	L	GF:GA	GD	P	
1 Nykøbing Falster Håndbold	6	4	0	2	172:151	21	8
2 Sola HK	6	4	0	2	171:156	15	8
3 DVSC Schaeffler	6	4	0	2	158:163	-5	8
4 HC Podravka Vegeta	6	0	0	6	150:181	-31	0

Top scorers

Elma Halilcevic (DEN)	49
Mia Solberg Svele (NOR)	34
Marie Hélène Sajka (FRA)	22
Charlotte Lund Mikkelsen (DEN)	19
Amalie Wulff Nielsen (DEN)	16

PAST ACHIEVEMENTS

EHF European League

Participations (including 2022/23 season): 1

EHF Champions League

Main round (1): 2017/18

EHF Cup

Semi-finals (1): 2016/17

Quarter-finals (1): 2018/19

Danish league: 1 title (2016/17)

Danish cup: 1 title (2017/18)





JAKOB LARSEN

Coach

- has been head coach of Nykøbing since 2017, when he arrived from the men's team of GOG
- also had several stints as Odense coach in the past
- born in Greenland, spent his playing career as left back in Denmark, Spain and France
- scored more than 500 goals for Greenland and played at three WCh's alongside his older brother, Rasmus
- married to former Danish international Kamilla Larsen; the pair has two sons

ARRIVALS DURING THE SEASON

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DEPARTURES DURING THE SEASON

Estavana Polman (NED)

I TEAM ROSTER

No.	First name	Surname	Nat.	Position	Date of birth	Place of birth	Height
4	Sofie Alnor	Nielsen	DEN	Left Wing	27/05/1995	Ringsted, DEN	174
7	Amalie Wulff	Nielsen	DEN	Centre Back	18/05/1999	Ballerup, DEN	170
8	Stine Eiberg	Jørgensen	DEN	Left Back	25/11/1998	Høje-Tåstrup, DEN	183
9	Tyra	Axnér	SWE	Left Back	18/03/2002	Minden, GER	178
10	Charlotte Lund	Mikkelsen	DEN	Right Wing	20/04/1996	Aarhus, DEN	175
12	Annika Fridheim	Petersen	FAR	Goalkeeper	01/06/1999	Esbjerg, DEN	179
15	Sofie Langballe	Flader	DEN	Centre Back	04/06/1996	Copenhagen, DEN	177
16	Louise	Egestorp	DEN	Goalkeeper	28/02/1994	Kopenhagen, DEN	177
18	Alberte Kielstrup	Madsen	DEN	Right Back	15/09/2000	Assens, DEN	185
20	Mia Solberg	Svele	NOR	Centre Back	16/04/2001	Elverum, NOR	175
23	Elma	Halilcevic	DEN	Left Wing	18/06/2000	Esbjerg, DEN	168
24	Sofie Amalie	Olsen	DEN	Right Wing	16/02/1995	Frederiksberg, DEN	178
25	Marie Hélène	Sajka	FRA	Right Wing	13/09/1997	Nancy, FRA	185
27	Liv	Navne	DEN	Right Back	30/10/2000	Lolland, DEN	173
32	Cecilie	Greve	DEN	Goalkeeper	19/01/1992	Holbæk, DEN	185
34	Sofie	Bardrum	DEN	Line Player	03/04/1996	Svendborg, DEN	173
44	Nikita	Van der Vliet	NED	Line Player	14/03/2000	Zaanstad, NED	174
C 79	Kristina	Kristiansen	DEN	Centre Back	13/07/1989	Høje Taastrup, DEN	163
97	Estavana	Polman	NED	Left Back	05/08/1992	Arnhem, NED	173



CECILIE GREVE

 @cecilie_greve

Goalkeeper

- experienced goalkeeper, who has been Danish international since 2012
- played five seasons for Odense (2010-15) and two for Randers (2015-17) before joining NFH in 2017; has always played for Danish clubs in her career
- sat out the 2020/21 season because of maternity leave
- won WCh bronze in 2013 with the Danish national team

WCh: B 2013



ELMA HALILCEVIC

Left wing

- talented left wing, joined NFH in 2021 but will move to Odense in summer of 2023
- NFH's leading scorer in the EL 2022/23, with 49 goals, before the EHF Finals
- born in Esbjerg to Bosnian parents, and began her career at Team Esbjerg
- played three seasons in Esbjerg's senior squad, including two in the CL
- won silver with Denmark at EHF EURO 2022, playing a part in all eight games

EURO: S 2022



TYRA AXNER

 @tyraaxner

Left back

- Swedish talent, who switched to NFH from fellow EHF Finals 2023 contenders Ikast prior to the 2022/23 season
- considered to be one of Sweden's great young talents, made her international breakthrough during the EHF EURO 2022
- daughter of Swedish women's national coach, Tomas Axner



MIA SVELE

 @miasvele

Centre back

- one of Norway's biggest talents, with huge potential
- joined Nykøbing from Norwegian club Storhamar in the summer of 2020
- became captain of Storhamar when still a teenager
- daughter of former top player and current TV commentator, Bent Svele
- with 49 goals, the second-best scorer of her club in the 2022/23 EL campaign prior to the EHF Finals



SOFIE BARDRUM

 @sofie_bardrum

Line player

- 1996-born player from Svendborg, joined Nykøbing in the summer of 2022
- previously played for four years in Ajax København and Gudme
- 2022/23 EHF European League Women is her first international season
- shares the line player position with Dutch Nikita Van der Vliet



NIKITA VAN DER VLIET

 @nikitavandervliet

Line player

- Dutch international, started her career at HC Zaanstreek
- joined the Danish side in the 2020/21 season from VOC Amsterdam
- spent 11 years with VOC; in 2016/17, played her first European season
- had her debut for the Netherlands national team in 2018
- top scorer and All-star member at the Youth World Championship in 2018



ALBERTE KIELSTRUP MADSEN

 @albertekielstrup

Left back

- young Danish talent, came to Nykøbing in 2021
- previously played for Odense Håndbold, and was part of their 2020/21 CL squad; also spend time on loan at DHG Odense
- was part of the YAC national team and part of the Danish preliminary squad for the EHF EURO 2022



MARIE-HÉLÈNE SAJKA

 @mariesajka

Right wing

- French international, who arrived at NFH in 2022 after one season with Paris 92
- born and raised in Nancy, France, she played for Metz Handball until 2021, though she spent one year on loan at Toulon
- has been called up for the French national team, but not yet played at a major event
- with her arrival in Denmark in 2022, has thrown herself into learning Danish

I SUNDAY'S SCHEDULE

Third-place match

14 May 2023, 15:30 CEST: Losers Semi-final 1 vs Losers Semi-final 2

Referees: Malgorzata Lidacka, Urszula Lesiak (POL)

Final

14 May 2023, 18:00 CEST: Winners Semi-final 1 vs Winners Semi-final 2

Referees: Jelena Vujacic, Andjelina Kazanegra (MNE)

I POTENTIAL HEAD-TO-HEADS

BV Borussia 09 Dortmund vs Ikast Håndbold 0-0-0

No previous encounters in European competitions

BV Borussia 09 Dortmund vs Thüringer HC 0-0-0

No previous encounters in European competitions

Nykøbing Falster Håndbold vs Ikast Håndbold 0-2-2 (90:99) 2:6

11.02.2018	NFH - Nykøbing Falster Håndboldklub vs FC Midtjylland (EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 1)	21:21(11:10)
10.03.2018	FC Midtjylland vs NFH - Nykøbing Falster Håndboldklub (EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 1)	24:20 (10:9)
10.11.2019	Nykøbing Falster Håndbold vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold (EHF Cup – Qualification Round 3)	23:23 (13:13)
17.11.2019	Herning-Ikast Håndbold vs Nykøbing Falster Håndbold (EHF Cup – Qualification Round 3)	31:26 (15:12)

Nykøbing Falster Håndbold vs Thüringer HC

No previous encounters in European competitions

EHF EUROPEAN LEAGUE WOMEN 2022/23 TOP SCORERS



60 goals

Iryna Glibko
SCM Ramnicu
Valcea

Player	Club	Gls*
1 Iryna Glibko	SCM Ramnicu Valcea	60
2 Annika Lott	Thüringer HC	56
3 Nathalie Hagman	Neptunes de Nantes	54
4 Elma Halilcevic	Nykøbing Falster Håndbold	49
Asma Elghaoui	SCM Ramnicu Valcea	49
6 Csenge Kuczora	Praktiker-Vac	46
7 Live Rushfeldt Deila	Sola HK	43
8 Ingvild Kristiansen Bakkerud	Ikast Håndbold	40
9 Dana Bleckmann	BV Borussia 09 Dortmund	35
Nikoletta Papp	Siófok KC	35
11 Kristiane Knutsen	Sola HK	35
12 Mia Solberg Svele	Nykøbing Falster Håndbold	34
Alina Grijsseels	BV Borussia 09 Dortmund	34
Léna Grandveau	Neptunes de Nantes	34
Barbora Lancz	Motherson Mosonmagyaróvári KC	34
16 Tamara Mavsar	Siófok KC	33
17 Nathalie Hendrikse	Thüringer HC	32
Lene Kristiansen Tveiten	Sola HK	32
Déborah Lassource	Paris 92	32
20 Gréta Kácsor	DVSC Schaeffler	31
Dejana Milosavljevic	Siófok KC	31
22 Julie Mathiesen Scaglione	Ikast Håndbold	30
Sabrina Zazai	ES Besancon Feminin	30
Maja Magnussen	Sola HK	30
25 Emma Cecilie Uhrskov Friis	Ikast Håndbold	29
Stine Russetta Skogrand	Ikast Håndbold	29
Sara Berg	Fana	29
Mona Obaidli	Molde Elite	29

* group phase and quarter-finals only

bold: EHF Finals Women 2023 teams



HISTORY

PAST WINNERS OF EHF SECOND-TIER CLUB COMPETITIONS

EHF European League Women

2022	SG BBM Bietigheim (GER)
2021	Nantes Atlantique Handball (FRA)

Previous winners

Women's EHF Cup (after merge with Cup Winners' Cup)

2020	<i>no title awarded due to Covid-19</i>
2019	Siófok KC Hungary (HUN)
2018	SCM Craiova (ROU)
2017	Rostov-Don (RUS)

Women's EHF Cup

2016	Dunaujvárosi KKA (HUN)
2015	Team Tvis Holstebro (DEN)
2014	HC Lada Togliatti (RUS)
2013	Team Tvis Holstebro (DEN)
2012	HC Lada Togliatti (RUS)
2011	FC Midtjylland Handball (DEN)
2010	Randers HK A/S (DEN)
2009	Itxako Navarra (ESP)
2008	Dinamo Volgograd (RUS)
2007	Zvezda Zvenigorod (RUS)
2006	FTC Budapest (HUN)
2005	Cornexi Alcoa (HUN)
2004	Viborg HK (DEN)
2003	Slagelse FH (DEN)
2002	Ikast Bording EH (DEN)
2001	MKS Montex Lublin (POL)
2000	El Ferrobús Mislata (ESP)
1999	Viborg HK (DEN)
1998	Dunaferr SE (HUN)
1997	Robit Olimpija Ljubljana (SLO)
1996	Debrecéni VSC (HUN)
1995	Debrecéni VSC (HUN)
1994	Viborg HK (DEN)

Women's Cup Winners' Cup

2016	Team Tvis Holstebro (DEN)
2015	FC Midtjylland (DEN)
2014	Viborg HK (DEN)
2013	Hypo Niederösterreich (AUT)
2012	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria (HUN)
2011	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria (HUN)
2010	Budučnost T-Mobile (MNE)
2009	FCK Håndbold A/S (DEN)
2008	Larvik HK (NOR)
2007	CS Oltchim Vâlcea (ROU)
2006	ZRK Budućnost MONET (SCG)
2005	Larvik HK (NOR)
2004	Ikast Bording EH (DEN)
2003	ESBF Besançon (FRA)
2002	HC Lada Togliatti (RUS)
2001	Motor Zaporozhye (UKR)
2000	L'Elia Valencia (ESP)
1999	Bækkelaget Oslo (NOR)
1998	Bækkelaget Oslo (NOR)
1997	Istochnik Rostov (RUS)
1996	Giessen Lützellinden (GER)
1995	Dunaferr SE (HUN)
1994	Tus Walle Bremen (GER)

I EHF EUROPEAN LEAGUE WOMEN ALL-TIME STANDINGS

BEFORE EHF FINALS WOMEN 2023

1	Ikast Håndbold DEN	28	24	0	4	899:755	+144	48:8	(3)	85.71%
2	Neptunes de Nantes FRA	24	14	0	10	676:657	+19	28:20	(3)	58.33%
3	Siófok KC HUN	18	12	1	5	503:488	+15	25:11	(2)	69.44%
4	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU	20	11	2	7	550:532	+18	24:16	(2)	60.00%
5	Sola HK NOR	16	10	2	4	487:437	+50	22:10	(2)	68.75%
6	SG BBM Bietigheim GER	10	10	0	0	312:230	+82	20:0	(1)	100.00%
7	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU	16	8	2	6	483:489	-6	18:14	(2)	56.25%
8	Viborg HK DEN	10	7	2	1	304:272	+32	16:4	(1)	80.00%
9	Thüringer HC GER	14	6	2	6	343:348	-5	14:14	(2)	50.00%
10	BV Borussia 09 Dortmund GER	8	6	0	2	227:204	+23	12:4	(1)	75.00%
11	Paris 92 FRA	12	6	0	6	247:257	-10	12:12	(2)	50.00%
12	ES Besancon Feminin FRA	14	6	0	8	397:410	-13	12:16	(2)	42.86%
13	Nykøbing Falster Håndbold DEN	8	5	0	3	239:212	+27	10:6	(1)	62.50%
14	Motherson Mosonmagyaróvári KCHUN	12	5	0	7	334:350	-16	10:14	(2)	41.67%
15	Storhamar Handball Elite NOR	14	5	0	9	403:425	-22	10:18	(2)	35.71%
16	DVSC Schaeffler HUN	6	4	0	2	158:163	-5	8:4	(1)	66.67%
17	Astrakhanochka RUS	8	4	0	4	191:173	+18	8:8	(1)	50.00%
18	Handball Club Lada RUS	14	4	0	10	340:350	-10	8:20	(2)	28.57%
19	HC Dunarea Braila ROU	8	3	1	4	219:225	-6	7:9	(1)	43.75%
20	Kuban RUS	6	2	2	2	130:120	+10	6:6	(1)	50.00%
21	HC Zvezda RUS	8	3	0	5	192:198	-6	6:10	(1)	37.50%
22	Praktiker-Vác HUN	18	3	0	15	473:561	-88	6:30	(3)	16.67%
23	MKS Perla Lublin POL	6	2	1	3	154:155	-1	5:7	(1)	41.67%
24	Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK TUR	6	2	1	3	156:171	-15	5:7	(1)	41.67%
25	Magura Cisnădie ROU	6	2	0	4	137:162	-25	4:8	(1)	33.33%
28	Fana NOR	6	1	0	5	152:184	-32	2:10	(1)	16.67%
29	HC Podravka Vegeta CRO	6	0	0	6	150:181	-31	0:12	(1)	0.00%
30	Molde Elite NOR	6	0	0	6	168:203	-35	0:12	(1)	0.00%

EHF European League Women 2020-23 (excluding qualification matches):

- club name is last name used in EHF European League Women
- clubs in **bold** are participating in EHF Finals Women 2023
- () = number of participations, including 2022/23 season
- % = point-winning percentage
- updated after EHF European League Women 2022/23 quarter-finals

I EHF EUROPEAN LEAGUE WOMEN ALL-TIME STATS

BIGGEST WIN

21	Viborg HK DEN vs Váci NKSE HUN	42:21 (19:10)	05.02.2022
19	SG BBM Bietigheim GER vs CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU	39:20 (19:11)	15.01.2022
17	Storhamar Handball Elite NOR vs Magura Cîsnădie ROU	35:18 (16:8)	12.02.2022
15	Sola HK NOR @ HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO	25:40 (11:23)	13.02.2022
13	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU @ Storhamar Handball Elite NOR	27:40 (11:19)	10.02.2021
12	Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN @ Váci NKSE HUN	26:38 (13:21)	23.01.2021
12	SG BBM Bietigheim GER @ MKS Zagłębie Lubin POL	21:33 (8:19)	06.02.2022
12	ES Besançon Feminin FRA @ Molde Elite NOR	29:41 (15:17)	14.01.2023
12	Nykøbing Falster Håndbold DEN vs DVSC Schaeffler HUN	34:22 (14:10)	11.02.2023
11	Siófok KC HUN @ Fleury Loiret Handball FRA	24:35 (10:20)	17.01.2021
11	Viborg HK DEN vs SCM Râmnicu Valcea ROU	31:20 (15:8)	16.02.2022
11	SG BBM Bietigheim GER @ Viborg HK DEN	20:31 (10:17)	15.05.2022
11	Ikast Håndbold DEN @ Fana NOR	24:35 (15:15)	15.01.2023

BIGGEST LEAD AT HALF-TIME

12	Sola HK NOR @ HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO	25:40 (11:23)	13.02.2022
11	SG BBM Bietigheim GER @ MKS Zagłębie Lubin POL	21:33 (8:19)	06.02.2022
10	Siófok KC HUN @ Fleury Loiret Handball FRA	24:35 (10:20)	17.01.2021
10	SCM Râmnicu Valcea ROU vs Váci NKSE HUN	39:29 (21:11)	16.01.2022
10	ES Besançon Feminin FRA vs Motherson Mosonmagyaróvári KC HUN	34:24 (19:9)	12.02.2022
9	MKS Perla Lublin POL vs Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK TUR	35:26 (18:9)	15.02.2021
9	Viborg HK DEN vs Váci NKSE HUN	42:21 (19:10)	05.02.2022
9	Sola HK NOR vs HC Podravka Vegeta CRO	35:29 (23:14)	08.01.2023
9	BV Borussia 09 Dortmund GER @ Molde Elite NOR	24:32 (8:17)	11.02.2023
9	Ikast Håndbold DEN vs Siófok KC HUN	31:21 (17:8)	25.03.2023

I EHF EUROPEAN LEAGUE WOMEN ALL-TIME STATS

MOST GOALS

42	Viborg HK DEN vs Váci NKSE HUN	42:21 (19:10)	05.02.2022
41	Thüringer HC GER vs Storhamar Handball Elite NOR	41:36 (18:15)	07.02.2021
41	ES Besancon Feminin FRA @ Molde Elite NOR	29:41 (15:17)	14.01.2023
40	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU @ Storhamar Handball Elite NOR	27:40 (11:19)	10.02.2021
40	Sola HK NOR @ HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO	25:40 (11:23)	13.02.2022
40	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU vs Sola HK NOR	40:32 (18:14)	26.03.2022
40	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU vs Praktiker-Vác HUN	40:30 (21:18)	08.01.2023
39	Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN vs Vaci NKSE HUN	39:29 (19:13)	06.02.2021
39	Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN @ HC Zvezda RUS	31:39 (13:18)	14.02.2021
39	Sola HK NOR @ ES Besancon Feminin FRA	32:39 (16:22)	15.01.2022
39	SG BBM Bietigheim GER vs CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU	39:20 (19:11)	15.01.2022
39	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU vs Váci NKSE HUN	39:29 (21:11)	16.01.2022
39	Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN @ SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU	33:39 (17:20)	27.03.2022

MOST GOALS BOTH TEAMS

77	Thüringer HC GER vs Storhamar Handball Elite NOR	41:36 (18:15)	07.02.2021
75	Viborg HK vs Storhamar Handball Elite NOR	38:37 (19:21)	03.04.2022
72	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU vs Sola HK NOR	40:32 (18:14)	26.03.2022
72	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN	33:39 (17:20)	27.03.2022
71	ES Besancon Feminin FRA vs Sola HK NOR	32:39 (16:22)	15.01.2022
70	HC Zvezda RUS vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN	31:39 (13:18)	14.02.2021
70	Nantes Atlantique Handball FRA vs CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU	36:34 (21:15)	08.05.2021
70	Siófok KC HUN vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN	36:34aet (19:18, 31:31)	08.05.2021
70	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU vs Praktiker-Vác HUN	40:30 (21:18)	08.01.2023
70	Molde Elite NOR vs ES Besancon Feminin FRA	29:41 (15:17)	14.02.2023
70	Sola HK NOR vs Thüringer HC GER	35:35 (19:17)	19.03.2023

I EHF EUROPEAN LEAGUE WOMEN ALL-TIME STATS

FEWEST GOALS

18	HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO @ Sola HK NOR	25:18 (13:11)	29.01.2022
18	Magura Cisnadie ROU @ Storhamar Handball Elite NOR	35:18 (16:8)	12.02.2022
18	ES Besancon Feminin FRA @ Siófok KC HUN	20:18 (12:9)	11.02.2023
19	HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO vs Motherson Mosonmagyarovari KC HUN	19:22 (11:12)	15.01.2022
19	MKS Zagłębie Lubin POL @ SG BBM Bietigheim GER	29:19 (16:9)	22.01.2022
19	BV Borussia 09 Dortmund GER @ Neptunes de Nantes FRA	28:19 (14:7)	19.03.2023
20	Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK TUR vs MKS Perla Lublin POL	20:20 (10:9)	09.01.2021
20	MKS Perla Lublin POL @ Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK TUR	20:20 (10:9)	09.01.2021
20	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU @ SG BBM Bietigheim GER	39:20 (19:11)	15.01.2022
20	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU @ Viborg HK DEN	31:20 (15:8)	16.02.2022
20	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU vs SG BBM Bietigheim GER	20:28 (7:13)	19.02.2022
20	ES Besancon Feminin FRA @ SG BBM Bietigheim GER	30:20 (12:10)	02.04.2022
20	Viborg HK DEN vs SG BBM Bietigheim GER	20:31 (10:17)	15.05.2022
20	Neptunes de Nantes FRA @ Ikast Håndbold DEN	30:20 (15:10)	08.01.2023
20	HC Podravka Vegeta CRO vs DVSC Schaeffler HUN	20:26 (7:11)	15.01.2023
20	Siófok KC HUN vs ES Besancon Feminin FRA	20:18 (12:9)	11.02.2023
20	Siófok KC HUN vs Ikast Håndbold DEN	20:30 (7:12)	18.03.2023

FEWEST GOALS BOTH TEAMS

38	Siófok KC HUN vs ES Besancon Feminin FRA	20:18 (12:9)	11.02.2023
40	Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK TUR vs MKS Perla Lublin POL	20:20 (10:9)	09.01.2021
41	HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO vs Motherson Mosonmagyarovari KC HUN	19:22 (11:12)	15.01.2022
43	Sola HK NOR vs HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO	25:18 (13:11)	29.01.2022
46	Nantes Atlantique Handball FRA vs MKS Perla Lublin POL	25:21 (11:12)	07.02.2021
46	MKS Zagłębie Lubin POL vs CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU	23:23 (12:12)	13.02.2022
46	HC Podravka Vegeta CRO vs DVSC Schaeffler HUN	20:26 (7:11)	15.01.2023
46	Paris 92 FRA vs SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU	24:22 (10:10)	15.01.2023
46	DVSC Schaeffler HUN vs Sola HK NOR	25:21 (13:13)	04.02.2023
47	Neptunes de Nantes FRA vs BV Borussia 09 Dortmund GER	28:19 (14:7)	19.03.2023
48	Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN vs Paris 92 FRA	25:23 (13:12)	21.02.2021
48	SG BM Bietigheim GER vs MKS Zagłębie Lubin POL	29:19 (16:9)	22.01.2022
48	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU vs SG BBM Bietigheim GER	20:28 (7:13)	19.02.2022

I EHF EUROPEAN LEAGUE WOMEN ALL-TIME STATS

BIGGEST HALF-TIME DEFICIT OVERCOME TO WIN A GAME

-4	Fana NOR vs Neptunes de Nantes FRA	30:28 (13:17)	21.01.2023
-3	Nantes Atlantique Handball FRA @ Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK TUR	26:29 (15:12)	21.02.2021
-3	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU @ Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN	31:33 (19:16)	09.05.2021
-3	Paris 92 FRA vs Praktiker-Vác HUN	26:24 (12:15)	04.02.2023
-2	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU vs Astrakhanochka RUS	30:27 (13:15)	06.02.2021
-2	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU @ Chambray Touraine Handball FRA	25:26 (14:12)	22.01.2022
-2	Viborg HK DEN vs Storhamar Handball Elite NOR	38:37 (19:21)	03.04.2022
-2	Sola HK NOR @ HC Podravka Vegeta CRO	23:31 (12:10)	12.02.2023

BIGGEST HALF-TIME DEFICIT OVERCOME TO DRAW A GAME

-6	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU @ Sola HK NOR	29:29 (16:10)	03.04.2022
-3	Siófok KC HUN vs Kuban RUS	28:28 (15:18)	09.01.2021
-3	Siófok KC HUN @ HC Dunarea Braila ROU	25:27 (14:11)	23.01.2021
-2	Kuban RUS vs HC Dunarea Braila ROU	25:25 (13:15)	17.01.2021
-2	Thüringer HC GER @ Sola HK NOR	35:35 (19:17)	19.03.2023
-1	MKS Perla Lublin POL @ Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK TUR	20:20 (10:9)	09.01.2021
-1	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU vs Viborg HK DEN	30:30 (14:15)	13.02.2022
-1	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU vs Thüringer HC GER	32:32 (16:17)	04.02.2023

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MOST GOALS IN ONE HALF

24	ES Besancon Feminin FRA @ Molde Elite NOR – 2nd half	29:41 (15:17)	14.01.2023
23	Thüringer HC GER vs Storhamar Handball Elite NOR – 2nd half	41:36 (18:15)	07.02.2021
23	Viborg HK DEN vs Váci NKSE HUN – 2nd half	42:21 (19:10)	05.02.2022
23	Sola HK NOR @ HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO – 1st half	25:40 (11:23)	13.02.2022
23	Sola HK NOR vs HC Podravka Vegeta CRO – 1st half	35:29 (23:14)	08.01.2023
22	Sola HK NOR @ ES Besancon Feminin FRA – 1st half	32:39 (16:22)	15.01.2022
22	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU vs Sola HK NOR – 2nd half	40:32 (18:14)	26.03.2022
21	Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN @ Váci NKSE HUN - 1st half	26:38 (13:21)	23.01.2021
21	Storhamar Handball Elite NOR @ Thüringer HC GER - 2nd half	41:36 (18:15)	07.02.2021
21	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU @ Storhamar Handball Elite NOR - 2nd half	27:40 (11:19)	10.02.2021
21	Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN @ HC Zvezda RUS - 2nd half	31:39 (13:18)	14.02.2021
21	Nantes Atlantique Handball FRA vs CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU – 1st half	36:34 (21:15)	08.05.2021
21	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU vs Váci NKSE HUN – 1st half	39:29 (21:11)	16.01.2022
21	Storhamar Handball Elite NOR @ Viborg HK DEN -1st half	38:37 (19:21)	03.04.2022
21	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU vs Praktiker-Vác HUN – 1st half	40:30 (21:18)	08.01.2023
21	Thüringer HC GER @ Praktiker-Vác HUN – 1st half	28:34 (13:21)	15.01.2023
21	Sola HK NOR @ HC Podravka Vegeta CRO – 2nd half	23:31 (12:10)	12.02.2023
21	Nykøbing Falster Håndbold DEN vs SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU – 2nd half	38:29 (17:14)	26.03.2023

MOST GOALS IN ONE HALF BOTH TEAMS

44	Thüringer HC GER vs Storhamar Handball Elite NOR – 2nd half	41:36 (18:15)	07.02.2021
41	Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN vs SG BBM Bietigheim GER – 2nd half	33:34 (12:14)	14.05.2022
40	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU vs Sola HK NOR – 2nd half	40:32 (18:14)	26.03.2022
40	Viborg HK DEN vs Storhamar Handball Elite NOR – 1st half	38:37 (19:21)	03.04.2022
39	HC Zvezda RUS vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN – 2nd half	31:39 (13:18)	14.02.2021
39	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU vs Praktiker-Vác HUN – 1st half	40:30 (21:18)	08.01.2023
38	Astrakhanochka RUS vs CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU – 2nd half	33:27 (14:8)	24.01.2021
38	HC Dunarea Braila ROU vs Kuban RUS – 2nd half	36:32 (17:13)	20.02.2021
38	ES Besancon Feminin FRA vs Sola HK NOR – 1st half	32:39 (16:22)	15.01.2022
38	Molde Elite NOR vs ES Besancon Feminin FRA – 2nd half	29:41 (15:17)	14.01.2023
37	Storhamar Handball Elite NOR vs CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU – 2nd half	27:40 (11:19)	10.02.2021
37	Siófok KC HUN vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN – 1st half	36:34aet (19:18, 31:31)	08.05.2021
37	Siófok KC HUN vs Nantes Atlantique Handball FRA – 2nd half	31:36 (13:17)	09.05.2021
37	Storhamar Handball Elite NOR vs Viborg HK DEN – 1st half	31:33 (19:18)	26.03.2022
37	SCM Ramnicu Valcea ROU vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN – 1st half	33:39 (17:20)	27.03.2022

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FEWEST GOALS IN ONE HALF

7	HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO @ Sola HK NOR – 2nd half	25:18 (13:11)	29.01.2022
7	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU vs SG BBM Bietigheim GER – 1st half	20:28 (7:13)	19.02.2022
7	HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO @ Motherson Mosonmagyaróvári KC HUN – 1st half	28:24 (15:7)	20.02.2022
7	HC Podravka Vegeta CRO vs DVSC Schaeffler HUN – 1st half	20:26 (7:11)	15.01.2023
7	Siófok KC HUN vs Ikast Håndbold DEN – 1st half	20:30 (7:12)	18.03.2023
7	BV Borussia 09 Dortmund GER @ Neptunes de Nantes FRA – 1st half	28:19 (14:7)	19.03.2023
8	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU @ Astrakhanochka RUS – 1st half	33:27 (14:8)	24.01.2021
8	HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO vs Motherson Mosonmagyaróvári KC HUN – 2nd half	19:22 (11:12)	15.01.2022
8	MKS Zagłębie Lubin POL vs SG BBM Bietigheim GER – 1st half	21:33 (8:19)	06.02.2022
8	Magura Cisnadie ROU @ Storhamar Handball Elite NOR – 1st half	35:18 (16:8)	12.02.2022
8	SCM Râmnicu Valcea ROU @ Viborg HK DEN – 1st half	31:20 (15:8)	16.02.2022
8	Sola HK NOR @ DVSC Schaeffler HUN – 2nd half	25:21 (13:13)	04.02.2023
8	ES Besançon Féminin FRA @ BV Borussia 09 Dortmund GER – 1st half	31:21 (16:8)	05.02.2023
8	Molde Elite NOR vs BV Borussia 09 Dortmund GER – 1st half	24:32 (8:17)	11.02.2023
8	Siófok KC HUN vs ES Besançon Féminin FRA – 2nd half	20:18 (12:9)	11.02.2023
8	Praktiker-Vác HUN @ Thüringer HC GER – 1st half	31:21 (16:8)	12.02.2023
8	Siófok KC HUN @ Ikast Håndbold DEN – 1st half	31:21 (17:8)	25.03.2023

FEWEST GOALS IN ONE HALF BOTH TEAMS

17	Siófok KC HUN vs ES Besançon Féminin FRA – 2nd half	20:18 (12:9)	11.02.2023
18	HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO vs Motherson Mosonmagyaróvári KC HUN – 2nd half	19:22 (11:12)	15.01.2022
18	HC Podravka Vegeta CRO vs DVSC Schaeffler HUN – 1st half	20:26 (7:11)	15.01.2023
19	Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK TUR vs MKS Perla Lublin POL – 1st half	20:20 (10:9)	09.01.2021
19	Les Neptunes de Nantes FRA vs SG BBM Bietigheim GER – 2nd half	25:27 (16:17)	09.01.2022
19	Sola HK NOR vs HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO – 2nd half	25:18 (13:11)	29.01.2022
19	Siófok KC HUN vs Ikast Håndbold DEN – 1st half	20:30 (7:12)	18.03.2023
20	CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU vs SG BBM Bietigheim GER – 1st half	20:28 (7:13)	19.02.2022
20	Paris 92 FRA vs SCM Râmnicu Valcea ROU – 1st half	24:22 (10:10)	15.01.2023
20	DVSC Schaeffler HUN vs Sola HK NOR – 2nd half	25:21 (13:13)	04.02.2023
20	Ikast Håndbold DEN vs Fana NOR – 1st half	29:23 (11:9)	18.02.2023
20	BV Borussia 09 Dortmund GER vs Siófok KC HUN – 1st half	26:23 (10:10)	19.02.2023
21	Kastamonu Belediyesi GSK TUR vs MKS Perla Lublin POL – 2nd half	20:20 (10:9)	09.01.2021
21	Sola HK NOR vs Motherson Mosonmagyaróvári KC HUN – 2nd half	27:22 (16:12)	06.02.2022
21	Neptunes de Nantes FRA vs BV Borussia 09 Dortmund GER – 1st half	28:19 (14:7)	19.03.2023

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LONGEST WINNING RUN

SG BBM Bietigheim GER	10 matches (09.01.2022 – 15.05.2022)
Ikast Håndbold DEN	9 matches (since 15.05.2022)
Siófok KC HUN	8 matches (17.01.2021 – 08.05.2021)
Nantes Atlantique Handball FRA	8 matches (16.01.2021 – 09.05.2021)
Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN	8 matches (09.01.2022 – 02.04.2022)

LONGEST UNBEATEN RUN

SG BBM Bietigheim GER	10 matches (09.01.2022 – 15.05.2022)
Siófok KC HUN	9 matches (09.01.2021 – 08.05.2021)
Viborg HK DEN	9 matches (15.01.2022 – 14.05.2022)
Ikast Håndbold DEN	9 matches (since 15.05.2022)
Nantes Atlantique Handball FRA	8 matches (16.01.2021 – 09.05.2021)
Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN	8 matches (09.01.2022 – 02.04.2022)

LONGEST LOSING RUN

Váci NKSE HUN	7 matches (23.01.2021 – 05.02.2022)
Handball Club Lada RUS	7 matches (27.03.2021 – 20.02.2022)
HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO	6 matches (15.01.2022 – 20.02.2022)
Molde Elite NOR	6 matches (08.01.2023 – 18.02.2023)
HC Podravka Vegeta CRO	6 matches (08.01.2023 – 19.02.2023)

LONGEST RUN WITHOUT WIN

Váci NKSE HUN	7 matches (23.01.2021 – 05.02.2022)
Handball Club Lada RUS	7 matches (27.03.2021 – 20.02.2022)
HC Lokomotiva Zagreb CRO	6 matches (15.01.2022 – 20.02.2022)
Molde Elite NOR	6 matches (08.01.2023 – 18.02.2023)
HC Podravka Vegeta CRO	6 matches (08.01.2023 – 19.02.2023)

EHF FINALS WOMEN ALL-TIME STATS

EHF FINALS WOMEN ALL-TIME STANDINGS

1. SG BBM Bietigheim GER	2	2	0	0	65:53	+12	4:0
2. Nantes Atlantique Handball FRA	2	2	0	0	72:65	+7	4:0
3. Siófok KC HUN	2	1	0	1	67:70	-3	2:2
4. Viborg HK DEN	2	1	0	1	48:55	-7	2:2
5. Herning-Ikast Håndbold DEN	4	1	0	3	127:131	-4	2:6
6. CS Minaur Baia Mare ROU	4	1	0	3	119:124	-5	2:6

MOST GOALS IN ONE MATCH — PLAYERS

11	Nathalie Hagman	08.05.2021	Nantes Atlantique Handball vs CS Minaur Baia Mare	36:34
11	Jovana Kovacevic	09.05.2021	Herning-Ikast Håndbold vs CS Minaur Baia Mare	31:33
8	Bruna De Paula	08.05.2021	Nantes Atlantique Handball vs CS Minaur Baia Mare	36:34
8	Naja Nissen Kristensen	08.05.2021	Siófok KC-Herning vs Ikast Håndbold	36:34
8	Cecilie Højgaard Brandt	14.05.2022	Herning-Ikast Håndbold vs SG BBM Bietigheim	33:34
8	Karolina Kudlacz-Gloc	14.05.2022	Herning-Ikast Håndbold vs SG BBM Bietigheim	33:34

MOST GOALS IN ONE MATCH — TEAMS

36	Nantes Atlantique Handball	08.05.2021	Nantes Atlantique Handball vs CS Minaur Baia Mare	36:34
36	Siófok KC	08.05.2021	Siófok KC vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold	36:34
36	Nantes Atlantique Handball	09.05.2021	Siófok KC vs Nantes Atlantique Handball	31:36

MOST GOALS IN ONE MATCH — BOTH TEAMS

70		08.05.2021	Nantes Atlantique Handball vs CS Minaur Baia Mare	36:34
70		08.05.2021	Siófok KC vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold	36:34

FEWEST GOALS IN ONE MATCH — TEAMS

20	Viborg HK	15.05.2022	Viborg HK vs SG BBM Bietigheim	20:31
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FEWEST GOALS IN ONE MATCH — BOTH TEAMS

51		15.05.2022	Viborg HK vs SG BBM Bietigheim	20:31
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BIGGEST WIN

+11	SG BBM Bietigheim	15.05.2022	Viborg HK vs SG BBM Bietigheim	20:31
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MOST GOALS AT HALF-TIME

21	Nantes Atlantique Handball	08.05.2021	Nantes Atlantique Handball vs CS Minaur Baia Mare	(21:15)
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MOST GOALS AT HALF-TIME – BOTH TEAMS

37		08.05.2021	Síófok KC vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold	(19:18)
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FEWEST GOALS AT HALF-TIME

10	Viborg HK	15.05.2022	Viborg HK vs SG BBM Bietigheim	(10:17)
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FEWEST GOALS AT HALF-TIME – BOTH TEAMS

26		14.05.2022	Herning-Ikast Håndbold vs SG BBM Bietigheim	(12:14)
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26		15.05.2022	CS Minaur Baia Mare vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold	(12:14)
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BIGGEST MARGIN AT HALF-TIME

+7	SG BBM Bietigheim	15.05.2022	Viborg HK vs SG BBM Bietigheim	(10:17)
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MOST TWO-MINUTE SUSPENSIONS

14'	Herning-Ikast Håndbold	14.05.2022	Herning-Ikast Håndbold vs SG BBM Bietigheim	33:34
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14'	SG BBM Bietigheim	14.05.2022	Herning-Ikast Håndbold vs SG BBM Bietigheim	33:34
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MOST TWO-MINUTE SUSPENSIONS – BOTH TEAMS

28'		14.05.2022	Herning-Ikast Håndbold vs SG BBM Bietigheim	33:34
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FEWEST TWO-MINUTE SUSPENSIONS

2'	Herning-Ikast Håndbold	08.05.2021	Siófok KC vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold	36:34
2'	Herning-Ikast Håndbold	15.05.2022	CS Minaur Baia Mare vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold	28:29

FEWEST TWO-MINUTE SUSPENSIONS – BOTH TEAMS

6'		08.05.2021	Siófok KC vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold	36:34
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MOST PENALTIES

8	SG BBM Bietigheim	15.05.2022	Viborg HK vs SG BBM Bietigheim	20:31
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MOST PENALTIES – BOTH TEAMS

15		15.05.2022	Viborg HK vs SG BBM Bietigheim	20:31
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FEWEST PENALTIES

0	Viborg HK	14.05.2022	Viborg HK vs CS Minaur Baia Mare	28:24
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FEWEST PENALTIES – BOTH TEAMS

5		08.05.2021	Siófok KC vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold	36:34
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MOST PENALTIES SCORED

6	Siófok KC	09.05.2021	Siófok KC vs Nantes Atlantique Handball	31:36
6	Herning-Ikast Håndbold	15.05.2022	CS Minaur Baia Mare vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold	28:29

MOST PENALTIES SCORED – BOTH TEAMS

11		09.05.2021	Siófok KC vs Nantes Atlantique Handball	31:36
11		15.05.2022	CS Minaur Baia Mare vs Herning-Ikast Håndbold	28:29

EHF FINALS WOMEN ALL-TIME STATS

FEWEST PENALTIES SCORED

0/0	Viborg HK	14.05.2022	Viborg HK vs CS Minaur Baia Mare	28:24
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FEWEST PENALTIES SCORED – BOTH TEAMS

4		09.05.2021	Herning-Ikast Håndbold vs CS Minaur Baia Mare	31:33
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4		14.05.2022	Viborg HK vs CS Minaur Baia Mare	28:24
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DISQUALIFICATIONS

1	Sarah Iversen	14.05.2022	Herning-Ikast Håndbold vs SG BBM Bietigheim	33:34
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