



English and Spanish clubs dominate Euro Club Index Top-10

Going into this season's European competitions, seven of the top-10 clubs in the September ranking of the Euro Club Index play in Spain's La Liga or England's Premier League. FC Barcelona top the index, Manchester United are second and Chelsea third. Hypercube's Pieter Nieuwenhuis remarked, "Jose Mourinho exposes his business intelligence by moving from Inter to Madrid since he seems to be aware of the intrinsic strengths of the powerhouses of European club football".

Euro Club Index Top-10 (Wednesday September 8, 2010)

Rank	July 2010	Club	Nation	Euro Club Index
1	1	FC Barcelona	Spain	4,099
2	3	Manchester United	England	3,820
3	2	Chelsea	England	3,806
4	4	Real Madrid	Spain	3,779
5	5	Internazionale	Italy	3,581
6	7	Arsenal	England	3,369
7	6	Bayern München	Germany	3,309
8	8	FC Porto	Portugal	3,303
9	11	Liverpool	England	3,219
10	14	Valencia CF	Spain	3,195

If the club you are interested in is not in the top-10, go to www.euroclubindex.com and click on the link for the Latest Euro Club Index to see the rankings of all top flight clubs in Europe.

FC Barcelona clear favourites to win Champions League, FC Porto Europa League favourites

We can also use the Euro Club Index to provide the odds of reaching different stages of football competitions or to predict final league tables. Our complete assessment of this season's Champions League and Europa League competitions can be found on the following pages and the most likely winners are shown below:

Champions League		Europa League	
FC Barcelona (ESP)	30%	FC Porto (POR)	12%
Manchester United (ENG)	16%	Liverpool (ENG)	10%
Chelsea (ENG)	16%	Sevilla (ESP)	7%
Real Madrid (ESP)	14%	Lille OSC (FRA)	4%
Internazionale (ITA)	8%	Manchester City (ENG)	3%

The Euro Club Index

Hypercube and Infostrada Sports have jointly developed the Euro Club Index, analysing thousands of club football matches over the last three years to produce an objective ranking of Europe's 700+ top flight clubs which is updated weekly. Further information can be found at the Euro Club Index website (www.euroclubindex.com) or by phoning Pieter Nieuwenhuis at Hypercube (+31-30-233 8080) or Philip Hennemann at Infostrada Sports (+31-30-600 7171).



Chances of reaching different stages of the 2010/2011 Champions League

Rank	Club	ECI	Champion	Final	Last 4	Last 8	Last 16
1	FC Barcelona	4099	30%	46%	62%	83%	99%
2	Chelsea	3806	16%	29%	48%	74%	98%
3	Manchester United	3820	16%	29%	49%	74%	97%
4	Real Madrid	3779	14%	26%	44%	70%	93%
5	Internazionale	3581	8%	16%	33%	58%	88%
6	Arsenal	3369	4%	11%	25%	52%	87%
7	Bayern München	3309	3%	8%	21%	45%	84%
8	Valencia CF	3195	2%	6%	17%	39%	78%
9	AS Roma	3157	2%	5%	14%	35%	74%
10	Olympique Lyon	3134	1%	4%	13%	34%	72%
11	Olympique Marseille	3125	1%	4%	12%	32%	80%
12	Tottenham Hotspur	2983	1%	2%	6%	18%	45%
13	AC Milan	3034	1%	2%	7%	20%	49%
14	Benfica	2983	1%	2%	8%	23%	61%
15	Ajax	2973	0%	2%	5%	14%	38%
16	Shakhtar Donetsk	2909	0%	2%	6%	20%	56%
17	Werder Bremen	2951	0%	1%	5%	14%	37%
18	FC Twente	2886	0%	1%	3%	10%	30%
19	Schalke 04	2805	0%	1%	4%	13%	40%
20	Sporting Braga	2800	0%	1%	4%	12%	39%
21	FC Basel	2716	0%	0%	2%	8%	30%
22	Panathinaikos	2732	0%	1%	3%	10%	35%
23	Rubin Kazan	2734	0%	1%	3%	12%	44%
24	AJ Auxerre	2734	0%	0%	1%	5%	20%
25	Rangers	2524	0%	0%	1%	3%	15%
26	Hapoel Tel Aviv	2654	0%	0%	2%	7%	27%
27	Spartak Moskva	2441	0%	0%	1%	3%	16%
28	Bursaspor	2408	0%	0%	0%	2%	10%
29	FC København	2558	0%	0%	1%	5%	22%
30	Partizan Beograd	2483	0%	0%	1%	3%	17%
31	CFR 1907 Cluj	2388	0%	0%	0%	2%	12%
32	MSK Zilina	2197	0%	0%	0%	1%	7%

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Chances of reaching different stages of the 2010/2011 Europa League

Rank	Club	ECI	Champion	Final	Last 4	Last 8	Last 16	Last 32
1	FC Porto	3303	12%	20%	31%	46%	67%	93%
2	Liverpool	3219	10%	17%	28%	43%	64%	91%
3	Sevilla FC	3129	7%	13%	23%	37%	60%	89%
4	Lille OSC	2972	4%	8%	16%	29%	51%	84%
5	Manchester City	2959	3%	7%	15%	27%	49%	81%
6	PSV	2919	3%	6%	13%	25%	46%	80%
7	Villarreal CF	2919	3%	7%	14%	28%	52%	87%
8	Zenit St. Petersburg	2892	3%	6%	13%	26%	48%	84%
9	Atlético Madrid	2901	3%	6%	12%	23%	44%	78%
10	Internazionale	3581	2%	3%	4%	6%	7%	9%
11	Anderlecht	2840	2%	5%	11%	22%	42%	80%
12	Dynamo Kyiv	2792	2%	5%	11%	23%	46%	86%
13	AC Milan	3034	2%	4%	7%	12%	19%	31%
14	Bayern München	3309	2%	3%	4%	6%	9%	12%
15	Sampdoria	2781	2%	4%	9%	19%	37%	71%
16	Ajax	2973	2%	3%	7%	12%	21%	35%
17	Juventus	2816	2%	4%	9%	19%	38%	71%
18	CSKA Moskva	2796	2%	4%	10%	21%	41%	78%
19	Real Madrid	3779	2%	2%	3%	4%	5%	5%
20	Valencia CF	3195	2%	3%	4%	7%	11%	17%
21	Sporting CP	2764	2%	4%	8%	17%	36%	70%
22	Getafe CF	2754	2%	3%	8%	17%	35%	67%
23	Arsenal	3369	1%	2%	4%	5%	7%	10%
24	AS Roma	3157	1%	3%	5%	8%	13%	19%
25	Werder Bremen	2951	1%	3%	6%	10%	19%	32%
26	VfB Stuttgart	2763	1%	3%	8%	17%	37%	71%
27	Tottenham Hotspur	2983	1%	3%	5%	10%	18%	29%
28	Olympique Lyon	3134	1%	2%	4%	7%	12%	18%
29	Benfica	2983	1%	2%	4%	8%	15%	24%
30	Sporting Braga	2800	1%	2%	5%	10%	20%	36%
31	Palermo	2671	1%	2%	6%	14%	32%	68%
32	Olympique Marseille	3125	1%	2%	4%	6%	11%	16%
33	Borussia Dortmund	2720	1%	3%	6%	15%	32%	67%
34	Shakhtar Donetsk	2909	1%	2%	4%	9%	16%	29%
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44	FC Barcelona	4099	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
45	Rubin Kazan	2734	1%	1%	3%	7%	15%	32%
46	Sparta Praha	2556	0%	1%	3%	9%	22%	50%
47	Hapoel Tel Aviv	2654	0%	1%	2%	6%	13%	27%
48	AZ	2477	0%	1%	4%	10%	26%	65%
49	Rosenborg BK	2574	0%	1%	3%	8%	20%	46%
50	Rangers	2524	0%	1%	3%	8%	19%	48%
51	Spartak Moskva	2441	0%	1%	3%	7%	20%	53%
52	Napoli	2546	0%	1%	3%	8%	20%	50%
53	FC København	2558	0%	1%	2%	5%	12%	31%
54	PAOK	2414	0%	1%	2%	7%	20%	53%
55	BSC Young Boys	2479	0%	1%	2%	6%	16%	41%
56	Paris Saint-Germain	2478	0%	1%	2%	5%	15%	38%
57	Bursaspor	2408	0%	0%	1%	4%	12%	33%
58	Red Bull Salzburg	2466	0%	0%	2%	5%	13%	34%
59	Steaua Bucuresti	2434	0%	1%	2%	5%	13%	35%
60	Club Brugge	2339	0%	0%	1%	4%	14%	41%
61	Partizan Beograd	2483	0%	0%	1%	4%	10%	26%
62	Metalist Kharkiv	2390	0%	0%	1%	4%	12%	32%
63	CFR 1907 Cluj	2388	0%	0%	1%	3%	9%	25%
64	AEK Athina	2319	0%	0%	1%	3%	10%	29%
65	Rapid Wien	2409	0%	0%	1%	4%	12%	33%
66	MSK Zilina	2197	0%	0%	1%	2%	8%	29%
67	AA Gent	2300	0%	0%	1%	3%	9%	26%
68	FC Utrecht	2314	0%	0%	1%	3%	8%	24%
69	CSKA Sofia	2235	0%	0%	0%	2%	6%	20%
70	Debreceni VSC	2158	0%	0%	0%	1%	4%	16%
71	Levski Sofia	2239	0%	0%	0%	2%	6%	20%
72	OB	2257	0%	0%	1%	2%	6%	21%
73	Sheriff Tiraspol	2016	0%	0%	0%	1%	5%	21%
74	Lech Poznan	2149	0%	0%	0%	1%	4%	14%
75	BATE Borisov	2101	0%	0%	0%	2%	7%	27%
76	Aris Saloniki	2152	0%	0%	0%	1%	4%	16%
77	Dinamo Zagreb	2045	0%	0%	0%	1%	4%	19%
78	FC Lausanne-Sport	1700	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	5%
79	Hajduk Split	1865	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	7%
80	SK Karpaty L'viv	1885	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	6%

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Clubs currently in the Champions League are also included here.