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Shakhtar beat BATE 7-0 to equal the biggest away win by Olympique Marseille against MSK Zilina in 2010.

5:

Adriano equals Messi's record for most goals in a game.

17:

Minutes taken by Luiz Adriano to score four goals setting a new record for the fastest 4 goal haul.

Sunderland players offer fans refund

AFP, London

Sunderland's embarrassed players have offered to refund the cost of tickets for supporters who made the long journey to the south coast only to see their side thrashed 8-0 by Southampton in the Premier League.

More than 2,500 Sunderland fans travelled from the north-east to St Mary's for Saturday's match. But they will now be able to claim back the £24 (\$39, 30 euros) they paid for their tickets or have that sum donated to the Grace House children's hospice in Sunderland instead.

"We wanted to acknowledge and thank the supporters who travelled such a long way to give us their backing and despite everything, stayed with us until the final whistle," said Sunderland captain John O'Shea.

Sunderland goalkeeper Vito Mannone first suggested the idea of players refunding fans.

The refund is set to cost the players more than £60,000.

Bayern Munich midfielder Mario Goetze (C) scores the third goal against Roma during their Champions League encounter at the Olympic Stadium in Rome on Tuesday.

PHOTO: AFP

Bayern's beautiful 7

AFP, Paris

Bayern Munich produced a stunning display to demolish Roma 7-1 on Tuesday but they were not the biggest winners on the most prolific evening in Champions League history. A record 40 goals were scored in just eight group games as Shakhtar Donetsk destroyed BATE Borisov 7-0 in Belarus and Chelsea recorded their biggest win in the competition, thumping Maribor 6-0 at Stamford Bridge.

There were also wins for Barcelona, Paris Saint-Germain, Schalke and Porto while Manchester City drew 2-2 away to CSKA Moscow, but it was Bayern who stole the show.

Pep Guardiola's side underlined their status as one of the contenders to win the Champions League as they took apart a Roma outfit who had enjoyed a fine start to the campaign.

An Arjen Robben brace, Mario Goetze, Robert Lewandowski and a Thomas Mueller penalty made it 5-0 at the break in the Group E game.

Gervinho got one back for Roma in the second half before substitutes Franck Ribery and Xherdan Shaqiri added further goals in a performance reminiscent of

Germany's 7-1 win over Brazil in the World Cup semifinal in July, a game in which five of Bayern's line-up against Roma featured.

However, Bayern's performance was outdone by Shakhtar, as the Ukrainians romped to a remarkable victory away to BATE in Group H.

Brazilian forward Luiz Adriano became only the second player to score five goals in a Champions League game after Lionel Messi, with his tally including four goals in the space of 16 first-half minutes.

His compatriots Alex Teixeira and Douglas Costa were also on target as Shakhtar ended BATE's unbeaten home record stretching back over a year in emphatic fashion.

Bayern and Shakhtar's feat in each scoring seven goals away from home on the same night is all the more remarkable given that only two teams had ever previously done so in the Champions League -- Marseille in 2010 and Lyon in 2011.

Jose Mourinho's Chelsea fell just short of that mark against Slovenian champions Maribor in Group G, with Loic Remy, a Didier Drogba penalty and John Terry putting them three up at the break.

Eden Hazard took centre stage in the second half, forcing Mitja Viler into scoring an own goal before netting a penalty and getting his second of the night at the death,

RESULTS

CSKA Moscow (RUS) 2 (Doumbia 64, Natcho 86-pen) Manchester City (ENG) 2 (Aguero 29, Milner 37) AS Roma (ITA) 1 (Gervinho 66) **Bayern Munich (GER) 7** (Robben 8, 30, Goetze 23, Lewandowski 25, Mueller 36-pen, Ribery 78, Shaqiri 80) **Barcelona (ESP) 3** (Neymar 7, Messi 24, Ramirez 90+4) Ajax (NED) 1 (El-Ghazi 88) APOEL Nicosia (CYP) 0 **Paris Saint-Germain (FRA) 1** (Cavani 87) **Chelsea (ENG) 6** (Remy 13, Drogba 23-pen, Terry 31, Viler 54-o.g., Hazard 77-pen, 90) Maribor (SLO) 0 **Schalke 04 (GER) 4** (Chinedu Obasi Ogbuke 34, Huntelaar 51, Howedes 60, Choupo Moting 90+3-pen) Sporting Lisbon (POR) 3 (Nani 16, A. Silva 64-pen, 78) BATE Borisov (BLR) 0 **Shakhtar Donetsk (UKR) 7** (Teixeira 11, Adriano 28-pen, 36, 40, 44, 82-pen, Costa 35) **FC Porto (POR) 2** (Herrera 45, Quaresma 75)

while Agim Ibraimi missed a penalty for the visitors.

Yet that match was not the most prolific in the group, as Schalke stayed within two points of Chelsea by beating Sporting -- who played for almost an hour with just 10 men -- 4-3 in Gelsenkirchen.

Chinedu Obasi, Klaas-Jan Huntelaar and Benedikt Hoewedes scored to have Schalke in control after Nani had put Sporting ahead, but an Adrien Silva brace made it 3-3 and it looked as if the Portuguese side would return home with a draw.

However, substitute Eric Maxim Choupo-Moting converted a stoppage-time penalty to hand new Schalke coach Roberto di Matteo a second win from as many games in charge.

Manchester City's stumbling start in Group E continued as they threw away a 2-0 lead to draw with CSKA in a game played behind closed doors in sub-zero temperatures.

Sergio Aguero and James Milner netted in the first half for the English champions only for Seydou Doumbia to pull one back before a late Bebras Natcho penalty earned the Russians a point, and left City third in their section.

PSG remain top of Group F after a 1-0 win at APOEL, secured thanks to a late Edinson Cavani goal, while Barcelona dismissed Ajax 3-1 to stay a point behind in second.

Neymar and Sandro Ramirez netted for the Catalans either side of a strike from Lionel Messi, who is now level with Cristiano Ronaldo on 69 Champions League goals, two behind Raul's all-time record of 71. Anwar El Ghazi scored for the visitors.

Shakhtar are second in Group H behind Porto, who beat struggling Athletic Bilbao 2-1 with Ricardo Quaresma netting the winner after Guillermo Fernandez had cancelled out Hector Herrera's opener for the Portuguese hosts.

Munich can still improve: Arjen

AFP, Berlin

Arjen Robben says Bayern Munich still have room for improvement and must keep their feet on the ground despite routing Roma in the Champions League's group stages.

The Netherlands winger scored twice in Tuesday's romp at Rome's Olympic Stadium as Bayern raced into a 5-0 half-time lead and the hosts suffered their heaviest defeat in Europe -- matched only by their 7-1 drubbing at Manchester United in 2007.

With the return leg in Munich in a fortnight's time, Bayern are now in pole-position to reach the knock-out stages after three wins from three Group E games, but Robben said the Bundesliga leaders must not get carried away.

"It was crazy to be 5-0 up at half-time in Rome," admitted Robben.

"We have to enjoy the moment, but we must also keep our feet on the ground.

"It's still early in the season and although this may sound stupid, there are still things we can improve on."

Having had an audience with Pope Francis at the Vatican on Wednesday before flying back to Munich, Pep Guardiola will get his squad back to Bundesliga business as they travel to face Borussia Moenchengladbach on Sunday in a top of the table clash.

Germany forward Thomas Mueller said Guardiola had detailed Roma's weaknesses before kick-off which had allowed the Bavarian giants to set a new away record in Europe.

"We were well set up by the coach, he had pin-pointed where the weak points in the Roma side were and they were exactly where he said they would be," said Mueller.

"We knew exactly what we had to do and we have the individual class to make it happen."

Shakhtar Donetsk striker Luiz Adriano celebrates his fifth goal against BATE Borisov.

PHOTO: AFP

Adriano scores 3rd quickest hattrick

AFP, Paris

Shakhtar Donetsk's Brazilian forward Luiz Adriano netted the third quickest hattrick in Champions League history to help his side into a record 6-0 half-time lead away to BATE Borisov in Group H on Tuesday.

The 27-year-old opened the scoring in the 28th minute with a penalty at the Borisov Arena and required just 12 minutes to complete his hattrick, before getting his fourth of the game four minutes later.

**QUICKEST HATTRICKS:** Bafetimbi Gomis, 8 minutes, (Dinamo Zagreb 1 Lyon 7), 07/12/2011 Mike Newell, 9 mins, (Blackburn Rovers 4 Rosenborg 1), 06/12/1995 Luiz Adriano, 12 mins, (Bate Borisov 0 Shakhtar Donetsk 6 at half-time), 21/10/2014 Neymar, 14 mins, (Barcelona 6 Celtic 1), 11/12/2013

# Win more important than record: Messi

REUTERS, Barcelona

Lionel Messi took a step closer to the Champions League scoring record against Ajax on Tuesday and now turns his target to the El Clasico with Real Madrid on Saturday and the all-time La Liga goals tally.

His partnership with Neymar is blossoming this season after a slow start and he set the Brazilian up for the first goal against Ajax before striking the other in the 3-1 win to give him 69 Champions League goals, two short of Raul's record.

Both were taken off in the second half with Barca coach Luis Enrique looking to rest them ahead of the Real game and Barca's mood of relaxation against a clearly inferior Ajax almost came back to bite them.

Anwar El Ghazi knocked home a loose ball inside the area to raise Dutch hopes before Sandro Ramirez wrapped up the points for the Catalan side.

In La Liga Messi has 250 goals, one short of the scoring record of Telmo Zarra for Athletic Bilbao in the 1940's and '50s, but he denies it will be on his mind against Real.

"The record is the least important, what is important is that we have a good game and get the win," he told reporters.

Barca lead the La Liga table with Real four points behind in third place but they are in

# Boxer KOs referee

THE TELEGRAPH

Croatian Vido Loncar has been banned for life by his national federation after assaulting a referee following a bout at the European Youth Boxing Championships in Zagreb.

The 18-year-old home fighter was stopped by Polish referee Mageja Dziurgota in his light-heavyweight clash with Lithuanian Algirdas Baniulis on Monday, and initially returned calmly to his corner.

But after the fight verdict was confirmed Loncar launched a vicious attack on Dziurgota, flooring him with one punch to the head before raining in a flurry of further shots.

Loncar was dragged out of the ring by his feet and according to his federation he was arrested, while his victim was taken to hospital.

The Croatian Boxing Federation has vowed Loncar will not fight again. It announced: "We apologise to the world boxing organisation - AIBA - and the European boxing organisation - EUBC, to the International Olympic Committee, the Croatian Olympic Committee, the Ministry of Education and the Office of Education and Sport in the city of Zagreb for the brutal attack on an official by the Croatian national team representative and the damage to boxing that is caused by the act."

The statement, widely published in the Croatia media, added: "The executive board of the Croatian Boxing Federation met in an emergency session and reached a decision on the suspension and lifelong exile from boxing of boxer Vido Loncar.

"We are deeply apologetic to the family of boxing referee Mageja Dziurgota who is still in hospital. Vido Loncar is in custody and we trust the Croatian institutions to do their job."

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