

UEFA Competitions and Stadium Categories (Season 2018/19)

COMPETITION	STAGE	STADIUM CATEGORIES			
		1	2	3	4
Women's Under 17					
Women's Under 19					
Women's Champions League	Qualifying matches to Semi-Finals				
	Final	Specific requirements			
Women's World Cup	Qualifying matches				
Women's EURO	Qualifying matches				
	Final tournament	Specific requirements			
Regions' CUP					
Under 17					
Under 19					
Youth League					
Under 21	Qualifying matches				
	Final tournament				
Europa League	PR, 1st and 2nd QR				
	3rd QR and Play-offs				
	Group stage to Semi-finals				
	Final	Specific requirements			
Champions League	PR, 1st and 2nd QR				
	3rd QR				
	Play-offs to Semi-finals				
	Final	Specific requirements			
Super Cup Final		Specific requirements			
Nations League	Qualifying matches				
	Final	Specific requirements			
EURO	European Qualifiers matches				
	Final tournament	Specific requirements			
FIFA World Cup	European Qualifiers matches				

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12.3 Floodlighting

	For matches that are played under floodlights (i.e. at night)
	350 Eh(lux)
Stadium category	Requirement for matches that are broadcast in Eh(lx)
1	Sufficient to allow the host broadcaster to ensure adequate broadcasting of the match.
2	800 Eh(lux) 350 Ev(lux)

For matches that are played under floodlights (i.e. at night)	
	350 Eh(lux)
3	1,200 Eh(lux) 750 Ev(lux)
4	1,400 Eh(lux) 1,000 Ev(lux)
Independent back-up power supply system Requirement	
For matches played under floodlights	
1	Not required
2	350 Eh(lux)
3	350 Eh(lux) 800 Eh(lux)
4	900 Eh(lux)

12.4 Ticketing

Objective

Every fan attending a match must be in possession of a valid match ticket with an individually allocated seat. Why? To avoid overcrowding of the stadium or any sector.

All clubs in the UEFA club competitions must make at least 5% of the total capacity of their stadium available exclusively to visiting supporters, in a segregated, safe area. Even if the segregated area of the stadium for visiting supporters constitutes more than 5 percent of the total stadium capacity, all places in the segregated area must be made available to the visiting association or club.

Unless the associations or clubs concerned agree otherwise, the price of tickets for supporters of the visiting team must not exceed the price paid for tickets of a comparable category that are sold to supporters of the home team.

Each participating association or club to which match tickets are allocated is responsible for ensuring that the tickets are allocated only among its own supporters.

In consultation with the police and/or other public authorities, the match organiser must ensure that, if deemed necessary, tickets are allocated in such a way as to ensure optimum segregation of the different groups of supporters, bearing in mind that, for a match played at a neutral venue, there could be three groups of spectators, i.e. supporters of each of the two participating teams and local, neutral spectators.

The match organiser shall, if necessary, discuss with the police and/or other public authorities what action to take against black-market ticket-sellers around the stadium, particularly bearing in mind that such activities can jeopardise the segregation strategy.

The associations or clubs concerned must agree on ticket quotas, unless the relevant competition regulations stipulate that the UEFA administration is responsible for taking this decision. The teams must respect the safety capacity of the stadium.

12.5 Stewarding

Objective

To ensure proper match organisation, security and to protect supporters, players, and match officials from possible crowd disturbance.