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**MACHINESEEKER EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE 2022/23**

MOTW Round 9: OTP Bank – Pick Szeged vs Lomza Industria Kielce

# OTP BANK – PICK SZEGED (HUN) VS LOMZA INDUSTRIA KIELCE (POL)

## GROUP B



Wednesday 7 December 2022, 18:45 CET



### Playing hall

**Pick Aréna**  
Városi Stadion  
Felső Tisza-Part 1-3  
6723 Szeged  
Hungary  
Capacity: 8,300

## ROUND 9



### Most games vs Lomza Industria Kielce:

Zsolt Balogh	8
Jonas Källman	8
Szabolcs Zubai	8
Alen Blazevic	7
Gabor Ancsin	6
Dean Bombac	6
Jose Manuel Sierra	6

### Most goals vs Lomza Industria Kielce:

Zsolt Balogh	28
Dean Bombac	28
Jonas Källman	22
Rajko Prodanovic	20
Bogdan Radivojevic	15

- Match of the Week in round 9 of the Machineseeker EHF Champions League features OTP Bank - Pick Szeged and Lomza Industria Kielce, five weeks after Kielce won the reverse fixture in Poland 37:30.
- That result marked the only defeat for Szeged in their last four matches; Kielce are on a six-game winning run.
- Kielce have 14 points and are ranked second in group B behind leaders Barça; Szeged are sixth with six points.
- Szeged have beaten Kielce twice in 11 matches, but not in the six duels since their last win in September 2015.
- The teams first met in the Last 16 of the CL 2012/13 season; both won their home game, but Kielce advanced and ultimately qualified for their first EHF FINAL4.
- Kielce have played at the EHF FINAL4 five times; they won the title in 2016 and reached the final again in 2022 but lost to defending champions Barça in a shoot-out.

- No member of the squad that won the CL title in the 2015/16 season is still playing for Kielce.

- Kielce's current squad includes two CL winners: both Alex Dujšhebaev (2017) and Igor Karacic (2017, 2019) lifted the trophy with Vardar; Szeged's Bogdan Radivojevic won the CL in 2014 with SG Flensburg-Handewitt.

- Szeged's biggest international success is winning the EHF Cup in 2014; head coach Juan Carlos Pastor is still with the club (but will leave after the 2022/23 season) and goalkeeper Roland Mikler returned to Szeged in 2019 after five years with Telekom Veszprém HC.

- Szeged play their 21st CL season; Kielce their 20th.

- Szeged's Slovenian centre back Dean Bombac left the club in 2016 to join Kielce, but he returned two years later.

- Igor Karacic will face two (former) teammates of the Croatian national team: Mirko Alilovic and Luka Stepancic.

- Both teams are led by a Spanish coach: Juan Carlos Pastor is in his 10th season with Szeged; Talant Dujšhebaev has been in charge of Kielce since 2014.

- Both teams also have Spanish players in their squad: Imanol Garcandia for Szeged; brothers Alex and Daniel Dujšhebaev as well as Miguel Sanchez-Migallon for Kielce.

- Kielce also boast four French internationals: Benoit Kounkoud, Dylan Nahi, Nedim Remili, and Nicolas Tournat.

- Kent Robin Tønnesen is Szeged's best scorer so far with 28 goals; Arkadiusz Moryto (42 goals) is one of three Kielce players who have scored more than 30 times.

- Szeged have players from seven different countries in their squad; Kielce's roster includes eight different nationalities.

### Most games vs OTP Bank - Pick Szeged:

Karol Bielecki	8
Mateusz Jachlewski	8
Krzysztof Lijewski	8
Slawomir Szmal	8
Uros Zorman	8

### Most goals vs OTP Bank - Pick Szeged:

Krzysztof Lijewski	30
Karol Bielecki	26
Michal Jurecki	24
Julen Aguinagalde	23
Manuel Strlek	23

### Domestic league

#### K&H liga

Last 3 games:

03/12 @ Budai F.	W30:39
26/11 vs NEKA	W36:24
19/11 vs Budai F.	W41:29

Next game:

10/12 vs Csurgói KK

Standings as of 06/12:

1. Veszprém	11	440:310	22
<b>2. Szeged</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>440:331</b>	<b>22</b>
3. Tatabánya	11	340:305	18
4. Csurgó	11	313:310	15
5. FTC	11	381:344	13
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14. Budai F.	12	332:412	0

### Domestic league

#### PGNiG Superliga

Last 3 games:

02/12 @ Ostrów W.	W23:45
26/11 vs Tarnów	W40:25
19/11 @ Zabrze	W24:40

Next game:

11/12 @ Orlen Wisla Plock

Standings as of 06/12:

<b>1. Kielce</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>478:289</b>	<b>36</b>
2. Plock	12	408:256	36
3. Zabrze	12	343:316	24
4. Azoty-Pulawy	12	357:350	23
5. Tarnów	12	310:331	19
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14. Szczecin	12	305:359	4



## LOMZA INDUSTRIA KIELCE VS HUNGARIAN CLUBS 14–1–13

Season	Opponent	Home	Away	Competition
2003/04	Fotex KC Veszprém	30:41	24:31	EHF Champions League – Group G
2009/10	MKB Veszprém KC	29:32	26:33	EHF Champions League – Group B
2011/12	MKB Veszprém KC	25:29	24:21	VELUX EHF Champions League – Group B
2012/13	Pick Szeged	32:27	25:26	VELUX EHF Champions League – Last 16
2014/15	MOL-Pick Szeged	37:32	27:26	VELUX EHF Champions League – Group D
2015/16	MOL-Pick Szeged	27:26	30:31	VELUX EHF Champions League – Group B
2015/16	MVM Veszprém		39:38	VELUX EHF FINAL4 – Final
2016/17	MOL-Pick Szeged	28:24	29:27	VELUX EHF Champions League – Group B
2017/18	Telekom Veszprém HC	32:32	26:31	VELUX EHF Champions League – Group B
2018/19	Telekom Veszprém HC	35:36	27:29	VELUX EHF Champions League – Group A
2018/19	Telekom Veszprém HC		30:33	VELUX EHF FINAL4 – Semi-final
2019/20	Telekom Veszprém HC	34:33	24:28	VELUX EHF Champions League – Group B
2020/21	MOL-Pick Szeged	26:23	30:26	EHF Champions League – Group A
2021/22	Telekom Veszprém HC	32:29	33:35	EHF Champions League – Group B
2021/22	Telekom Veszprém HC		37:35	EHF FINAL4 – Semi-final
2022/23	Pick Szeged	37:30		Machineseeke EHF Champions League – Group B

## LAST 10 GAMES IN THE MACHINESEEKER EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE



### OTP Bank - Pick Szeged: current run – won two

30.11.2022 Celje SLO	@ RK Celje Pivovarna Laško SLO	W 28:36
23.11.2022 Szeged HUN	vs RK Celje Pivovarna Laško SLO	W 36:27
03.11.2022 Kielce POL	@ Lomza Industria Kielce POL	L 37:30
26.10.2022 Szeged HUN	vs Elverum Handball NOR	W 30:23
06.10.2022 Szeged HUN	vs Aalborg Håndbold DEN	L 29:41
29.09.2022 Kiel GER	@ THW Kiel GER	L 34:29
22.09.2022 Nantes FRA	@ HBC Nantes FRA	L 35:30
14.09.2022 Szeged HUN	vs Barça ESP	L 28:35
07.04.2022 Szeged HUN	vs SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER	W 36:35
30.03.2022 Flensburg GER	@ SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER	L 25:21



### Lomza Industria Kielce: current run – won six

30.11.2022 Elverum NOR	@ Elverum Handball NOR	W 26:27
24.11.2022 Kielce POL	vs Elverum Handball NOR	W 37:33
03.11.2022 Kielce POL	vs Pick Szeged HUN	W 37:30
27.10.2022 Celje SLO	@ RK Celje Pivovarna Laško SLO	W 30:33
06.10.2022 Kielce POL	vs THW Kiel GER	W 40:37
28.09.2022 Aalborg DEN	@ Aalborg Håndbold DEN	W 28:30
22.09.2022 Barcelona ESP	@ Barça ESP	L 32:28
14.09.2022 Kielce POL	vs HBC Nantes FRA	W 40:33
19.06.2022 Cologne GER	@ Barça ESP	L 37:35 *
18.06.2022 Cologne GER	@ Telekom Veszprém HC HUN	W 35:37

\* after shoot-out

## MOST GOALS IN ONE GAME FOR OTP BANK – PICK SZEGED VS LOMZA INDUSTRIA KIELCE

Dean Bombac	11	20.09.2015	MOL-Pick Szeged vs KS Vive Tauron Kielce	31:30
Joan Cañellas	11	23.09.2020	Lomza Vive Kielce vs MOL-Pick Szeged	26:23
Zsolt Balogh	9	04.10.2014	KS Vive Tauron Kielce vs MOL-Pick Szeged	37:32
Dean Bombac	9	04.10.2014	KS Vive Tauron Kielce vs MOL-Pick Szeged	37:32
Jonas Larholm	8	24.03.2013	KS Vive Targi Kielce vs Pick Szeged	32:27

## MOST GOALS IN ONE GAME FOR LOMZA INDUSTRIA KIELCE VS OTP BANK – PICK SZEGED

Thorir Olafsson	8	24.03.2013	KS Vive Targi Kielce vs Pick Szeged	32:27
Julen Aguinagalde	8	26.02.2017	KS Vive Tauron Kielce vs MOL-Pick Szeged	28:24
Alex Dujšebaev	8	23.09.2020	Lomza Vive Kielce vs MOL-Pick Szeged	26:23
Alex Dujšebaev	8	25.02.2021	MOL-Pick Szeged vs Lomza Vive Kielce	26:30
Arkadiusz Moryto	7	03.11.2022	Lomza Industria Kielce vs Pick Szeged	37:30
Szymon Sicko	7	03.11.2022	Lomza Industria Kielce vs Pick Szeged	37:30

## PLAYERS WHO PLAYED FOR BOTH TEAMS IN DIRECT ENCOUNTERS

Dean Bombac	8 matches, 29 goals	w/Szeged 6/28 (2014-2016, 2021-2022), w/Kielce 2/1 (2016-2017)
Denis Buntic	8 matches, 19 goals	w/Szeged 2/5 (2016-2017), w/Kielce 6/14 (2013-2016)
Marin Sego	5 matches, 0 goals	w/Szeged 1/0 (2016), w/Kielce 4/0 (2014S-2016)

## MOTW 'PLAYER OF THE MATCH' TROPHY

The Match of the Week 'Player of the Match' trophy, introduced by EHF Marketing GmbH in the 2017/18 season, is awarded at all MOTWs in the Machineseecker EHF Champions League 2022/23 season.

The trophy will be handed over on court shortly after the match.

### Awarded players in the 2022/23 season:

- Round 1: Harald Reinkind (THW Kiel)
- Round 2: Ludovic Fabregas (Barça)
- Round 3: Jannick Green (Paris Saint-Germain Handball)
- Round 4: Timothy N'guessan (Barça)
- Round 5: Tilen Strmljan (RK Celje Pivovarna Laško)
- Round 6: Rasmus Lauge (Telekom Veszprém HC)
- Round 7: Alexandre Cavalcanti (HBC Nantes)
- Round 8: Gonzalo Pérez de Vargas (Barça)
- Round 9:





## OTP BANK – PICK SZEGED PLAYERS' CAREER STATISTICS AGAINST LOMZA INDUSTRIA KIELCE

Goalkeeper		GP	W	D	L	G	AVG	HI	PIM
Mirko Alilovic	CRO	10	4	1	5	0	0,00	0	0
Luka Krivokapic	SRB	1	0	0	1	0	0,00	0	0
Roland Mikler	HUN	10	5	1	4	0	0,00	0	0
Player		GP	W	D	L	G	AVG	HI	PIM
Bence Bánhidi	HUN	2	0	0	2	4	2,00	3	2'
Richárd Bodó	HUN	4	0	0	4	4	1,00	2 (2)	4'
Dean Bombac	SLO	8	2	0	6	33	4,13	11	2'
Alexander Blonz	NOR	2	0	0	2	6	3,00	3 (2)	0
Gellért Fekete	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Sebastian Frimmel	AUT	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Matej Gaber	SLO	10	1	0	9	15	1,50	5	10'
Imanol Garcandia	ESP	1	0	0	1	5	5,00	5	0
Péter Gazsó	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Patrik Hegedus	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Borut Mackovsek	SLO	13	7	0	6	32	2,46	8	20' (D)
Miguel Martins	POR	6	1	1	4	22	3,67	9	2'
Robin Molnár	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Bogdan Radivojevic	SRB	8	1	1	6	16	2,00	6	2'
Zsolt Radvánszki	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Barnabás Rea	HUN	1	0	0	1	0	0,00	0	0
Miklós Rosta	HUN	3	0	0	3	5	1,67	3	2'
Mario Sostaric	SLO	4	0	0	4	5	1,25	4	0
Luka Stepancic	CRO	6	5	0	1	1	0,17	1	2'
Zoltan Szita	HUN	1	0	0	1	1	1,00	1	0
Levente Tisza	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Kent Robin Tønnesen	NOR	8	5	1	2	19	2,38	6	6'
Mihály Varga	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0

Mirko Alilovic (HC Celje Pivovarna Lasko 2010/11, MKB Veszprém KC 2011/12, MVM Veszprém 2015/16, Telekom Veszprém HC 2017/18); Dean Bombac (RK Cimos Koper 2011/12); Alexander Blonz (Elverum Handball 2020/21); Matej Gaber (Gorenje Velenje 2012/13, Montpellier Agglomeration HB 2014/15, Montpellier HB 2015/16); Borut Mackovsek (Montpellier Agglomeration HB 2014/15, Montpellier HB 2015/16, RK Celje Pivovarna Lasko 2016/17, RK Celje Pivovarna Lasko 2017/18, Telekom Veszprém HC 2018/19, Telekom Veszprém HC 2019/20); Miguel Martins (FC Porto Vitalis 2013/14, FC Porto Sofarma 2019/20, FC Porto 2020/21); Roland Mikler (MVM Veszprém 2015/16, Telekom Veszprém HC 2017/18, Telekom Veszprém HC 2018/19); Bogdan Radivojevic (SG Flensburg-Handewitt 2015/16, Rhein-Neckar Löwen 2017/18, Rhein-Neckar Löwen 2018/19); Mario Sostaric (RK Gorenje 2009/10 – DNP); Luka Stepancic (Paris Saint-Germain Handball 2017/18, Paris Saint-Germain HB 2018/19); Zoltan Szita (MVM Veszprém 2015/16 – DNP); Kent Robin Tønnesen (Telekom Veszprém HC 2017/18, Telekom Veszprém HC 2018/19, Telekom Veszprém HC 2019/20).

## LOMZA INDUSTRIA KIELCE PLAYERS' CAREER STATISTICS AGAINST OTP BANK - PICK SZEGED

Goalkeeper		GP	W	D	L	G	AVG	HI	PIM
Mateusz Kornecki	POL	2	2	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Andreas Wolff	GER	5	4	0	1	0	0,00	0	0
Player		GP	W	D	L	G	AVG	HI	PIM
Damian Domagala	POL	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Alex Dujšhebaev	ESP	7	7	0	0	32	4,57	8 (2)	6'
Daniel Dujšhebaev	ESP	3	3	0	0	3	1,00	3	4'
Tomasz Gebala	POR	7	4	0	3	7	1,00	5	10'
Igor Karacic	CRO	10	9	0	1	45	4,50	8 (2)	2'
Artsem Karalek	BLR	3	3	0	0	10	3,33	5	4'
Benoit Kounkoud	FRA	7	4	1	2	6	0,86	2 (2)	6'
Arkadiusz Moryto	POL	3	3	0	0	12	4,00	7	2'
Dylan Nahi	FRA	7	4	1	2	14	2,00	6	0
Michał Olejniczak	POL	2	2	0	0	5	2,50	3	2'
Paweł Paczkowski	POL	9	3	0	6	15	1,67	4	0
Nedim Remili	FRA	8	5	1	2	33	4,13	8	12'
Miguel Sanchez-Migallon	ESP	1	1	0	0	0	0,00	0	2'
Szymon Sicko	POL	3	3	0	0	12	4,00	7	0
Elliot Stenmalm	SWE	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Cezary Surgiel	POL	2	2	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Haukur Thrastarson	ISL	2	2	0	0	1	0,50	1	0
Nicolas Tournat	FRA	8	7	0	1	26	3,25	6 (2)	2'
Szymon Wiaderny	POL	1	1	0	0	2	2,00	2	0

Alex Dujšhebaev (HC Vardar 2015/16, HC Vardar 2016/17); Daniel Dujšhebaev (FC Barcelona Lassa 2015/16 – DNP, RK Celje Pivovarna Lasko 2018/19 – DNP); Tomasz Gebala (Orlen Wisła Płock 2017/18, Orlen Wisła Płock 2018/19); Igor Karacic (HC Vardar 2015/16, HC Vardar 2016/17, HC Vardar 2017/18, HC Vardar 2018/19); Benoit Kounkoud (Paris Saint-Germain Handball 2016/17, Paris Saint-Germain HB 2018/19, Paris Saint-Germain HB 2019/20, Paris Saint-Germain Handball 2020/21); Dylan Nahi (Paris Saint-Germain Handball 2016/17, Paris Saint-Germain HB 2018/19, Paris Saint-Germain HB 2019/20, Paris Saint-Germain Handball 2020/21); Paweł Paczkowski (Dunkerque HB Grand Littoral 2014/15, HC Motor Zaporozhye 2018/19, HC Meshkov Brest 2020/21, HC Meshkov Brest 2021/22); Nedim Remili (Paris Saint-Germain Handball 2016/17, Paris Saint-Germain HB 2018/19, Paris Saint-Germain HB 2019/20, Paris Saint-Germain Handball 2020/21); Nicolas Tournat (HBC Nantes 2013/14, HBC Nantes 2017/18, HBC Nantes 2018/19); Andreas Wolff (THW Kiel 2017/18).

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