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EHF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE WOMEN 2024/25

MOTW round 5: Metz Handball vs FTC–Rail Cargo Hungaria

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METZ HANDBALL (FRA) vs FTC-RAIL CARGO HUNGARIA (HUN)

Group A, round 5 | Saturday 12 October 2024, 18:00 CEST

Playing hall:

Palais Omnisports Les Arenes Metz
5 avenue Louis Le Débonnaire
5700 Metz, France

Capacity: 4,500

Key facts:

- FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria start the MOTW as one of the three teams that have not dropped a point so far in the EHF Champions League Women 2024/25 group phase, alongside Krim Mercator Ljubljana (also in group A) and Brest Bretagne Handball (in group B).
- Metz Handball are also undefeated but had a draw – against Storhamar Handball Elite.
- FTC lead their all-time head-to-head stats, but Metz have won four of their last five duels.
- The only time FTC won in their last five duels was in the 2022/23 quarter-finals, when they spectacularly triumphed 33:26 in France to make up for a 32:26 home defeat in the first leg.
- FTC went on to reach the final at their sole EHF FINAL4 appearance so far; Metz have played the final tournament three times – in 2019, 2022, and 2024, but never reached the final.
- Metz's squad includes two Hungarian internationals – both new arrivals for 2024/25: Petra Vamos and Zsofi Szmerey, who played for FTC from 2020 to 2023; FTC have three French players who all played for Metz: Beatrice Edwige, Laura Glauser, and Orlane Kanor.
- Russian right back Valeriia Maslova also played a season for Metz, in 2022/23.
- Metz head coach Emmanuel Mayonnade and FTC right wing Angela Malestein were both part of the Netherlands national team that won the world title in Japan in 2019.
- Both Metz and FTC won the domestic double of league and cup titles last season.
- FTC have the third-best attack of the EHF Champions League 2024/25 with 123 goals; Metz are only shortly behind on 120 goals.
- Sarah Bouktit (25 goals) and Chloé Valentini (24) are the leading scorers for Metz this season; Angela Malestein (21) and Daria Dmitrieva (19) have scored the most goals for FTC.
- On eurohandball.com: [MOTW page](#) | [group phase standings](#) | [match schedule](#)

Previous matches in European club competitions

Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria 8-2-10 (521:541) 18:22

11.11.1995	ASPTT Metz vs Ferencvaros Budapest, EHF Champions League – Qualification Round 2	21:25 (11:11)
19.11.1995	Ferencvaros Budapest vs ASPTT Metz, EHF Champions League – Qualification Round 2	31:18 (18:7)
15.11.1997	HERZ – FTC Budapest vs ASPTT Metz HB, EHF Champions League – Group B	28:20 (18:13)
11.01.1998	ASPTT Metz HB vs HERZ – FTC Budapest, EHF Champions League – Group B	21:21 (10:11)
31.10.1999	ASPTT Metz vs HERZ – FTC Budapest, EHF Champions League – Group A	20:19 (11:12)
20.02.2000	HERZ – FTC Budapest vs ASPTT Metz, EHF Champions League – Group A	27:24 (12:13)
10.04.2011	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria, Cup Winners' Cup – Semi-final	27:31 (12:17)
17.04.2011	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball, Cup Winners' Cup – Semi-final	27:29 (14:13)
28.01.2017	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria, EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 1	25:28 (14:13)
25.02.2017	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball, EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 1	29:23 (15:10)
04.02.2018	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria, EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 2	27:25 (13:10)
03.03.2018	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball, EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 2	29:27 (13:9)
13.10.2019	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball, DELO EHF Champions League – Group A	28:34 (16:20)
16.11.2019	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria, DELO EHF Champions League – Group A	24:24 (10:14)
20.01.2021	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball, DELO EHF Champions League – Group A	32:30 (18:15)
24.01.2021	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria, DELO EHF Champions League – Group A	30:29 (14:17)
29.04.2023	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball, EHF Champions League – Quarter-final	26:32 (13:15)
07.05.2023	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria, EHF Champions League – Quarter-final	26:33 (17:17)
09.09.2023	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball, EHF Champions League – Group B	25:38 (13:19)
17.02.2024	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria, EHF Champions League – Group B	25:24 (14:9)

Metz Handball vs Hungarian clubs 14-2-23

Season	Opponent	Home	Away	Competition
1990/91	<i>Hargita (Epitök) Budapest</i>	15:18	13:17	<i>Champions Cup – Quarter-final</i>

1995/96	Ferencvaros Budapest	21:25	18:31	EHF Champions League – Qualification Round 2
1997/98	HERZ – FTC Budapest	21:21	20:28	EHF Champions League – Group B
1999/00	HERZ – FTC Budapest	20:19	24:27	EHF Champions League – Group A
2005/06	DVSC Debrecen	25:23	16:20	EHF Cup – Quarter-final
2006/07	DVSC Debrecen	25:23	17:20	EHF Cup – Last 16
2007/08	Györi Audi ETO		27:30	EHF Champions League – Qualification 2 Group 1
2010/11	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	27:31	29:27	Cup Winners' Cup – Semi-final
2011/12	Györi AUDI ETO KC	24:33	23:28	EHF Champions League – Group C
2012/13	ETV-Erdi VSE	32:26	31:37	EHF Cup – Round 3
2014/15	Györi Audi ETO KC	20:27	27:31	EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 2
2016/17	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	25:28	23:29	EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 1
2016/17	Györi Audi ETO KC	32:31	22:28	EHF Champions League – Quarter-final
2017/18	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	27:25	27:29	EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 2



2019/20	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	24:24	34:28	DELO EHF Champions League – Group A
2020/21	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	30:29	30:32	DELO EHF Champions League – Group A
2021/22	Györi Audi ETO KC	29:33	30:39	DELO EHF Champions League – Group B
2022/23	Györi Audi ETO KC	29:28	28:24	EHF Champions League – Group B
2022/23	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	26:33	32:26	EHF Champions League – Quarter-final
2023/24	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	25:24	38:25	EHF Champions League – Group B

FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs French clubs 16-3-13

Season	Opponent	Home	Away	Competition
1977/78	Bordeaux EC	39:11	25:14	Cup Winners' Cup – Quarter-final
1995/96	ASPTT Metz	31:18	25:21	EHF Champions League – Qualification Round 2
1997/98	ASPTT Metz HB	28:20	21:21	EHF Champions League – Group B
1999/00	ASPTT Metz	27:24	19:20	EHF Champions League – Group A
2010/11	Toulon Saint Cyr Var Handball	37:26	23:24	Cup Winners' Cup – Quarter-final
2010/11	Metz Handball	27:29	31:27	Cup Winners' Cup – Semi-final
2015/16	Fleury Loiret Handball	36:23	28:28	EHF Champions League – Group B
2016/17	Metz Handball	29:23	28:25	EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 1
2017/18	Metz Handball	29:27	25:27	EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 2
2019/20	Metz Handball	28:34	24:24	DELO EHF Champions League – Group A
2020/21	Metz Handball	32:30	29:30	DELO EHF Champions League – Group A
2021/22	Brest Bretagne Handball	28:27	25:30	DELO EHF Champions League – Group A
2022/23	Brest Bretagne Handball	20:21	21:24	EHF Champions League – Group A
2022/23	Metz Handball	26:32	33:26	EHF Champions League – Quarter-final
2023/24	Metz Handball	25:38	24:25	EHF Champions League – Group B
2023/24	Brest Bretagne Handball	28:30	31:26	EHF Champions League – Play-offs A

Details of the most recent direct encounter

17 February 2024 | Metz, France:

Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria (EHF Champions League – Group B) 25:24 (14:9)

Referees: William Weijmans/Rick Wolbertus (Netherlands).

Suspensions: 8' – 14' (Grijseels 2', Burggaard 2', Bouktit 4' – Malestein 2', Kukely 2', Klujber 4', Cvijic 6'). Disqualification: Cvijic.

Number of 7m: 4/2 – 5/4.

Attendance: 4,451.

Metz Handball: Camille Depuisset, Hatadou Sako; Alina Grijseels (4), Chloé Valentini (5), Anne Mette Hansen (1), Delia Golvet, Kristina Jörgensen (1), Mia Brkic, Louise Katharina Vinter Burggaard (4), Zaliata Mlamali, Emma Jacques, Sarah Bouktit (6), Lucie Granier (3), Djazz Chambertin (1), Julie Le Blevac.

FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria: Kinga Janurik, Blanka Böde-Bíró; Beatrice Edwige (1), Júlia Hársfalvi (1), Anett Kovács (3), Emily Bölk (2), Gréta Márton (1), Zsuzsanna Tomori, Angela Malestein (3), Anna Kukely, Petra Anna Simon (5), Katrin Klujber (8), Fanni Horváth, Dragana Cvijic.



Most games for Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria

Jurswailly Luciano	8
Méline Nocandy	8
Orlane Kanor	7
Marie Hélène Sajka	7
Louise Burgaard	7

Most goals for Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria

Nodjialem Myaro	28
Ana Gros	26
Grace Zaadi	25
Isabelle Wendling	24
Sarah Bouktit	22

Most games for FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball

Blanka Böde-Bíró	12
Gréta Márton	10
Zita Szucsánszki	10
Anikó Cirjenics-Kovacsics	9
Klára Csiszár-Szekeres	8
Katrin Klujber	8
Nadine Schatzl	8

Most goals for FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball

Katrin Klujber	44
Angela Malestein	39
Zita Szucsánszki	32
Nadine Schatzl	28
Viktoria Lukacs	22



Most goals in one game for Metz Handball vs FTC

Ana Gros	10	04.02.2018	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	27:25
Ana Gros	9	28.01.2017	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	25:28
Chloé Valentini	9	09.09.2023	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball	25:38
Meline Nocandy	8	20.01.2021	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball	32:30
Sarah Bouktit	8	07.05.2023	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	26:33

Most goals in one game for FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz

Katrin Klujber	12	13.10.2019	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball	28:34
Rita Borók	10	15.11.1997	HERZ – FTC Budapest vs ASPTT Metz HB	28:20
Angela Malestein	9	09.09.2023	FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria vs Metz Handball	25:38
Agnes Farkas	8	11.11.1995	ASPTT Metz vs Ferencvaros Budapest	21:25
Rita Deli	8	31.10.1999	ASPTT Metz vs HERZ – FTC Budapest	20:19
Kristina Szadvari	8	10.04.2011	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	27:31
Angela Malestein	8	07.05.2023	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	26:33
Katrin Klujber	8	17.02.2024	Metz Handball vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria	25:24

Players who played for both clubs in direct encounters

Beatrice Edwige 6 matches, 3 goals w/Metz 4/2 (2017-2018); w/FTC 2/1 (2023-2024)

Current players who played in EC competitions for both clubs

Zsófi Szemerey	Metz (2024), FTC (2018-2020)
Beatrice Edwige	Metz (2016-2019), FTC (2021-2024)
Laura Glauser	Metz (2011-2019), FTC (2024)
Orlane Kanor	Metz (2016-2022), FTC (2024)
Valeriia Maslova	Metz (2022-2023), FTC (2024)



Last 10 matches in the EHF Champions League Women

Metz Handball: current run – unbeaten four

05.10.2024	Metz FRA	vs HC Podravka Vegeta CRO	W 35:31
22.09.2024	Nykøbing/Falster DEN	@ Nykøbing Falster Håndbold DEN	W 27:28
14.09.2024	Metz FRA	vs CS Gloria 2018 BN ROU	W 28:26
08.09.2024	Hamar NOR	@ Storhamar Handball Elite NOR	D 29:29
02.06.2024	Budapest HUN	@ Team Esbjerg DEN	L 37:33
01.06.2024	Budapest HUN	vs SG BBM Bietigheim GER	L 29:36
04.05.2024	Metz FRA	vs CSM Bucuresti ROU	W 29:23
28.04.2024	Bucharest ROU	@ CSM Bucuresti ROU	W 24:27
17.02.2024	Metz FRA	vs FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria HUN	W 25:24
11.02.2024	Ikast DEN	@ Ikast Handbold DEN	L 35:34

FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria: current run – won four

05.10.2024	Érd HUN	vs CS Gloria 2018 BN ROU	W 32:28
22.09.2024	Hamar NOR	@ Storhamar Handball Elite NOR	W 21:27
14.09.2024	Érd HUN	vs HC Podravka Vegeta CRO	W 33:24
07.09.2024	Érd HUN	vs Nykøbing Falster Håndbold DEN	W 31:22
05.05.2024	Esbjerg DEN	@ Team Esbjerg DEN	L 29:24
27.04.2024	Érd HUN	vs Team Esbjerg DEN	L 25:26
24.03.2024	Brest FRA	@ Brest Bretagne Handball FRA	W 26:31
16.03.2024	Érd HUN	vs Brest Bretagne Handball FRA	L 28:30
17.02.2024	Metz FRA	@ Metz Handball FRA	L 25:24
10.02.2024	Érd HUN	vs Vipers Kristiansand NOR	L 27:35

Player of the Match trophy awarded after each MOTW

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 EHF Champions League Women 2024/25 season.

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

Awarded players in the 2024/25 season:

Round 1: Henny Reistad (Team Esbjerg)

Round 2: Michala Møller (Team Esbjerg)

Round 3: Johanna Bundsen (HB Ludwigsburg)

Round 4: Katharina Filter (Brest Bretagne Handball)

Round 5: ...



Metz Handball players' career statistics against FTC

Goalkeepers	NOC	GP	W	D	L	G	AVG	HI	PIM
Fatima Camara	FRA	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Cléopatre Darleux	FRA	9	5	0	4	0	0,00	0	2'
Camille Depuiset	FRA	4	3	0	1	0	0,00	0	0
Zsófi Szemerey	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Players	NOC	GP	W	D	L	G	AVG	HI	PIM
Eliza Yvana Atangana	CMR	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Anne Emmanuelle Augustine	FRA	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Tyra Axné	SWE	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Sarah Bouktit	FRA	6	4	1	1	22	3,67	8	8'
Djazz Chambertin	FRA	2	2	0	0	4	2,00	3	0
Manon Errard	FRA	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Maily Etilopy	FRA	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Laura Flippes	FRA	5	2	1	2	7	1,40	3	2'
Delia Golvet	FRA	2	2	0	0	1	0,50	1	0
Fiona Goroosamy	FRA	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Nelya Goval	FRA	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Léna Grandveau	FRA	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Lucie Granier	FRA	2	2	0	0	6	3,00	3 (2)	0
Anne Mette Hansen	DEN	4	2	2	0	16	4,00	5 (3)	4'
Emma Jacques	FRA	4	3	0	1	2	0,50	2	0
Ludvyne Kaakil-Talaba	FRA	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Claire Koestner	FRA	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Zaliata Mlamali	FRA	2	2	0	0	1	0,50	1	2'
Allison Marie Pineau	FRA	14	7	0	7	36	2,57	10	16'
Chloé Valentini	FRA	4	3	0	1	21	5,25	9	6'
Petra Vamos	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0

Cléopatre Darleux (Viborg HK 2013/14, Brest Bretagne Handball 2021/22, Brest Bretagne Handball 2022/23, Brest Bretagne Handball 2023/24); Anne Mette Hansen (Györi Audi ETO KC 2018/19); Allison Pineau (Oltchim Rm. Valcea 2012/13, HCM Baia Mare 2015/16, Buducnost 2020/21, Krim Mercator Ljubljana 2021/22, Krim Mercator Ljubljana 2022/23, Krim Mercator Ljubljana 2023/24).

FTC-Rail Cargo Hungaria players' career statistics against Metz

Goalkeepers	NOC	GP	W	D	L	G	AVG	HI	PIM
Blanka Bőde-Bíró	HUN	12	5	1	6	0	0,00	0	0
Laura Glauser	FRA	4	2	0	2	0	0,00	0	0
Kinga Janurik	HUN	8	3	0	5	0	0,00	0	0
Diána Szilágyi	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Panna Szilágyi	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Players	NOC	GP	W	D	L	G	AVG	HI	PIM
Bítia Balázs	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Veronika Borbála Balogh	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Emily Bölk	GER	6	2	0	4	21	3,50	7	4'
Réka Bordás	HUN	1	0	0	1	0	1,00	1	0
Dragana Cvijic	SRB	12	7	0	5	23	1,92	7	16' (D)
Daria Dmitrieva	RUS	1	1	0	0	3	3,00	3	2'
Beatrice Edwige	FRA	2	0	0	2	1	0,50	1	0
Alina Fábián	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Júlia Hársfalvi	HUN	6	2	0	4	3	0,50	2	0
Laura Himer	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Orlane Kanor	FRA	4	0	1	3	15	3,75	6	6' (D)
Katrin Klujber	HUN	8	2	1	5	44	5,50	12	16'
Andrea Lekic	SRB	21	9	1	11	77	3,67	9	12'
Angela Malestein	NED	8	2	0	6	44	5,50	9	8'
Gréta Márton	HUN	10	3	1	6	18	1,80	4 (2)	0
Valeriia Maslova	RUS	4	1	0	3	0	0,00	0	2'
Dorka Papp	HUN	1	1	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Petra Anna Simon	HUN	2	0	0	2	5	2,50	5	0
Anna Rebeka Szeibert	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Szandra Szöllosi-Zácsik	HUN	8	6	0	2	26	3,25	5 (2)	4'
Luca Táder	HUN	0	0	0	0	0	0,00	0	0
Zsuzsanna Tomori	HUN	11	5	0	6	16	1,45	5	20' (D)

Dragana Cvijic (RK Krim Mercator 2009/10, Buducnost 2011/12, Buducnost 2016/17 – DNP, HC Vardar 2017/18, CSM Bucuresti 2018/19 – DNP, CSM Bucuresti 2019/20, CSM Bucuresti 2020/21 – DNP, Krim Mercator Ljubljana 2021/22 – DNP); Daria Dmitrieva (CSKA 2021/22, Krim Mercator Ljubljana 2023/24 – DNP); Laura Glauser (Györi Audi ETO KC 2021/22, CSM Bucuresti 2023/24); Júlia Hársfalvi (Györi Audi ETO KC 2016/17); Kinga Janurik (ETV-Erdi VSE 2012/13); Orlane Kanor (CS Rapid Bucuresti 2022/23, CS Rapid Bucuresti 2023/24); Andrea Lekic (ZRK Knjaz Milos 2006/07, RK Krim Mercator 2008/09, RK Krim Mercator 2009/10, Györi AUDI ETO KC 2011/12, HC Vardar 2016/17, HC Vardar 2017/18, CSM Bucuresti 2018/19, CSM Bucuresti 2019/20, Krim Mercator Ljubljana 2021/22); Angela Malestein (SG BBM Bietigheim 2017/18); Valeriia Maslova (Rostov-Don 2018/19, Rostov-Don 2019/20); Szandra Szöllosi-Zácsik (RK Krim Mercator 2009/10); Zsuzsanna Tomori (Györi Audi ETO 2007/08, Györi Audi ETO KC 2016/17, Vipers Kristiansand 2021/22).

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