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VELUX EHF Champions League
Season 2015/16

Match of the Week - Round 11

SG Flensburg-Handewitt (GER) vs THW Kiel (GER)
Flens Arena, Flensburg
Sunday 14 February, 19:30 hrs



ROUND 11

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GROUP A

SG Flensburg-Handewitt (GER) vs THW Kiel (GER)



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Playing hall
Flens Arena
Campusallee 2
24943 Flensburg
Germany
Capacity: 6,000



Most Games vs THW:

Anders Eggert Jensen	6
Mattias Andersson	4
Dan Beutler	4
Lars Christiansen	4
Jim Gottfridsson	4
Jan Holpert	4
Johnny Jensen	4
Tobias Karlsson	4
Blazenko Lackovic	4
Jan Thomas Lauritzen	4
Marcin Lijewski	4
Thomas Mogensen	4
Kasper Nielsen	4
Bogdan Radivojevic	4
Soren Carl Stryger	4
Lasse Svan & Hampus Wanne	4

Most Goals vs THW:

Lars Christiansen	29
Anders Eggert Jensen	22
Marcin Lijewski	16
Blazenko Lackovic	15
Lasse Svan	15

Domestic league

German Bundesliga

Last 4 games

26.12. @ Lemgo	W32:30
23.12. vs VfL Gummersbach	W28:25
20.12. @ Füchse Berlin	W27:26
12.12. @ N-Lübbecke	W25:19

Next game

17.02. @ Rhein-Neckar Löwen

Standings

1. Rhein-Neckar	19	536:426	34
2. THW Kiel	20	624:523	34
3. SG Flensburg-H.	19	567:476	31
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17. N-Lübbecke	18	453:536	2

- both sides are already qualified for the Last16
- THW Kiel are the only club with the full set of EHF EURO 2016 medals: gold (Rune Dahmke, Christian Dissinger, Steffen Weinhold/GER), silver (Joan Canellas/ESP) and bronze (Domagoj Duvnjak/CRO) - even the 4th Norway have Erlend Mamelund
- Kiel suffer from a long list of injuries: The line players Patrick Wiencek and Rene Toft Hansen (both torn cruciate ligaments, out for 1 month), right back Weinhold (torn abductor muscle, probably rest of the season), while left back Dissinger (1 month)
- THW signed three new players recently: Estonian Dener Jaanima (right back) and Croatian line player Ilija Brozovic arrive from bankrupt HSV Hamburg and are eligible to play in the CL, while Blazenko Lazkovic can only help in domestic competitions, as the experienced Croat already played for Vardar in CL
- due to Rene's injury there will be no brother duel of the Toft Hansens, only Henrik (Flensburg) will be on court. But five Danish internationals will face their national team goalkeeper Niklas Landin
- injured Weinhold cannot face his former team, while Flensburg's Rasmus Lauge and Mattias Andersson can
- since the 23:27 defeat at Kiel, Flensburg won all 7 matches, the THW balance since then is 3 wins, 3 defeats, 1 draw
- teams faced each other in the CL finals twice: 2007 THW were victorious on aggregate, SG took the 2014 trophy in Cologne
- both sides combine nine participations in the CL finals: Kiel were seven times finalists and three times winner, Flensburg were twice finalists and won once
- Duvnjak, Torsten Jansen (THW, still injured), Henrik Toft Hansen and Kentin Mahe (both SG) were teammates at HSV Hamburg, winning the VELUX EHF FINAL4 in 2013
- 17 players from both squads have won the CL at least once, 11 at SG, six at THW. The only triple winner is Dominik Klein (2007, 2010, 2012), who leave from Kiel to Nantes after this season
- Sunday's match is already the 5th duel of these rivals in the 4th competition during this season - Kiel won the German Supercup (27:26) and the reverse CL fixture (27:23), SG were victorious in the Bundesliga (30:25) and the German Cup (34:27 at Kiel)
- two Croatian line players, who have been signed by their respective clubs during the season, face each other: Brozovic (Kiel) and Kresimir Kozina, who arrived in SG from Bregenz in autumn
- 10 nations are represented: GER, DEN, SWE, CRO, FRA, SRB (both), ESP, BRA, EST, NOR in the THW squad
- EURO champion and All-Star-Team goalkeeper and EHF Player of January, Andreas Wolff, will join THW Kiel after this season

Most Games vs SG:

Dominik Klein	5
Christian Zeitz	5
Kim Andersson	4
Mattias Andersson	4
Niclas Ekberg	4
Nikola Karabatic	4
Vid Kavticanik	4
Per Tomas Linders	4
Henrik Lundström	4
Rene Toft Hansen	4
Marko Vujin	4
Patrick Wiencek	4

Most Goals vs SG:

Nikola Karabatic	29
Marko Vujin	23
Kim Andersson	19
Christian Zeitz	18
Niclas Ekberg	15

Domestic league

German Bundesliga

Last 4 games

10.02. vs VfL Gummersbach	W31:26
27.12. @ Bergischer HC	W31:28
23.12. vs Rhein-Neckar L.	W31:20
19.12. @ Lemgo	W34:26

Next game

21.02. vs SC-DHFK Leipzig

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Historic encounters in the EC

SG Flensburg-Handewitt vs THW Kiel 3-1-7 (298:319) 7:15

18.04.1998	SG Flensburg-Handewitt vs THW Kiel, EHF Cup – Final	25:23 (12:9)
22.04.1998	THW Kiel vs SG Flensburg-Handewitt, EHF Cup – Final	26:21 (16:9)
28.10.2001	THW Kiel vs SG Flensburg-Handewitt, European Championship for Club Teams – Place 3/4	33:31 (17:14)
28.02.2006	THW Kiel vs SG Flensburg Handewitt, VELUX EHF Champions League – Quarter-final	28:32 (13:12)
04.03.2006	SG Flensburg Handewitt vs THW Kiel, VELUX EHF Champions League – Quarter-final	32:34 (16:17)
22.04.2007	SG Flensburg-Handewitt vs THW Kiel, VELUX EHF Champions League – Final	28:28 (10:12)
29.04.2007	THW Kiel vs SG Flensburg-Handewitt, VELUX EHF Champions League – Final	29:27 (15:10)
01.06.2014	SG Flensburg-Handewitt vs THW Kiel, VELUX EHF Champions League FINAL4 – Final	30:28 (14:16)
15.03.2015	SG Flensburg-Handewitt vs THW Kiel, VELUX EHF Champions League – Last 16	21:30 (9:16)
22.03.2015	THW Kiel vs SG Flensburg-Handewitt, VELUX EHF Champions League – Last 16	33:28 (16:10)
03.10.2015	THW Kiel vs SG Flensburg-Handewitt, VELUX EHF Champions League - Group A	27:23 (14:13)

Matchdetails of last match - 03.10.2015 (Kiel, Germany)

THW Kiel vs SG Flensburg-Handewitt 27:23 (14:13)

VELUX EHF Champions League – Group A

Referees: Vaclav Horacek/Jiri Novotny (Czech Republic)

Suspensions: 8' – 8' (Rene Toft Hansen 6', Sprengler 2' – Karlsson 4', Mogensen 2', Svan 2')

Disqualification: Rene Toft Hansen

Number of 7m: 6/5 – 3/3

Attendance: 10,285

Niklas Landin Jacobsen		Mattias Andersson
Nikolas Katsigiannis		Kevin Möller
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Domagoj Duvnjak	(6)	Tobias Karlsson
Rene Toft Hansen	(2)	Anders Eggert
Erlend Mamelund		(5) Holger Glandorf
Christian Sprenger	(4)	(2) Thomas Mogensen
Steffen Weinhold	(1)	(4) Lasse Svan
Christian Dissinger		(3) Hampus Wanne
Patrick Wiencek		Petar Djordjic
Niclas Ekberg		(1) Johan Mikael Jakobsson
Joan Cañellas Reixach	(7)	(2) Henrik Toft Hansen
Rune Dahmke		(1) Jim Gottfridsson
Alexander Williams		(1) Rasmus Lauge Schmidt
Marko Vujin	(5)	(3) Kentin Mahe
Dragos Oprea	(2)	Bogdan Radivojevic

Most Goals SG Flensburg-Handewitt vs THW Kiel Individual Game:

Lars Christiansen	13	04.03.2006	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel	32:34
Lars Christiansen	9	22.04.2007	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel	28:28
Anders Eggert Magnussen	7	01.06.2014	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel	30:28
Lasse Svan	7	01.06.2014	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel	30:28
Soren Carl Stryger	6	28.02.2006	THW Kiel-SG Flensburg-Handewitt	28:32
Johnny Jensen	6	22.04.2007	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel	28:28
Marcin Lijewski	6	29.04.2007	THW Kiel-SG Flensburg-Handewitt	29:27
Johan Mikael Jakobsson	6	22.03.2015	THW Kiel-SG Flensburg-Handewitt	33:28

Most Goals THW Kiel vs SG Flensburg-Handewitt Individual Game:

Nikola Karabatic	10	04.03.2006	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel	32:34
Nikola Karabatic	9	29.04.2007	THW Kiel-SG Flensburg-Handewitt	29:27
Henrik Lundström	8	04.03.2006	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel	32:34
Nikola Karabatic	8	22.04.2007	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel	28:28
Christian Zeitz	7	22.04.2007	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel	28:28
Christian Zeitz	7	29.04.2007	THW Kiel-SG Flensburg-Handewitt	29:27
Niclas Ekberg	7	15.03.2015	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel	21:30
Marko Vujin	7	15.03.2015	SG Flensburg-Handewitt-THW Kiel	21:30
Joan Cañellas Reixach	7	03.10.2015	THW Kiel-SG Flensburg-Handewitt	27:23

SG Flensburg-Handewitt vs German clubs 13-2-15

Season	Opponent	Home	Away	Competition
1997/98	THW Kiel	25:23	21:26	EHF Cup – Final
1998/99	TuS Nettelstedt e.V.	25:22	24:25	City Cup – Semi-final
2000/01	TV Grosswallstadt	29:24	22:21	Cup Winners' Cup – Semi-final
2000/01	Sportclub Magdeburg		25:27	ECh for Club Teams – Semi-final
2000/01	THW Kiel		31:33	ECh for Club Teams – Place 3/4
2003/04	SC Magdeburg	30:20	26:36	EHF Champions League – Semi-final
2005/06	THW Kiel	32:34	32:28	EHF Champions League – Quarter-final
2006/07	THW Kiel	28:28	27:29	EHF Champions League – Final
2007/08	HSV Hamburg	33:33	30:32	EHF Champions League – Main Round Group 3
2008/09	HSV Hamburg	25:28	31:29	EHF Champions League – Quarter-final
2011/12	VfL Gummersbach	32:28	34:33	Cup Winners' Cup – Final
2012/13	HSV Hamburg	29:26	28:31	VELUX EHF Champions League – Group A
2012/13	HSV Hamburg	26:32	25:23	VELUX EHF Champions League – Quarter-final
2013/14	HSV Hamburg	27:24	27:32	VELUX EHF Champions League – Group D
2013/14	THW Kiel		30:28	VELUX EHF FINAL4 – Final
2014/15	THW Kiel	21:30	28:33	VELUX EHF Champions League – Last 16
2015/16	THW Kiel		23:27	VELUX EHF Champions League – Group A

THW Kiel vs German clubs 17-2-6

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1997/98	SG Flensburg-Handewitt	26:21	23:25	EHF Cup – Final
2000/01	SG Flensburg-Handewitt		33:31	ECh for Club Teams – Place 3/4
2001/02	TBV Lemgo	33:23	29:26	EHF Cup – Quarter-final
2001/02	SG Wallau-Massenheim	32:27	31:32	EHF Cup – Semi-final
2005/06	SG Flensburg-Handewitt	28:32	34:32	EHF Champions League – Quarter-final
2006/07	SG Flensburg-Handewitt	29:27	28:28	EHF Champions League – Final
2006/07	HSV Hamburg		31:30	EHF Champions Trophy – Semi-final
2007/08	HSG Nordhorn		36:31	EHF Champions Trophy – Place 3/4
2008/09	Rhein-Neckar Löwen	37:23	30:31	EHF Champions League – Semi-final
2009/10	Rhein-Neckar Löwen	31:30	29:28	EHF Champions League – Quarter-final
2010/11	Rhein-Neckar Löwen	30:27	30:30	VELUX EHF Champions League – Group A
2011/12	Füchse Berlin		25:24	VELUX EHF FINAL4 – Semi-final
2012/13	HSV Hamburg		33:39	VELUX EHF FINAL4 – Semi-final
2013/14	SG Flensburg-Handewitt		28:30	VELUX EHF FINAL4 – Final
2014/15	SG Flensburg-Handewitt	33:28	30:21	VELUX EHF Champions League – Last 16
2015/16	SG Flensburg-Handewitt	27:23		VELUX EHF Champions League – Group A



Last Ten Games in VELUX EHF Champions League:

SG Flensburg-Handewitt: current run - won seven (record winning run in the club's history)

19.09.2015 Flensburg GER	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	W 39:32
26.09.2015 Veszprém HUN	@ MVM Veszprém HUN	L 24:28
03.10.2015 Kiel GER	@ THW Kiel GER	L 23:27
11.10.2015 Flensburg GER	vs RK Celje Pivovarna Lasko SLO	W 30:20
14.10.2015 Flensburg GER	vs Besiktas Jimnastik Kulubu TUR	W 33:25
25.10.2015 Płock POL	@ Orlen Wisla Plock POL	W 34:30
11.11.2015 Flensburg GER	vs HC Prvo plinarsko drustvo Zagreb CRO	W 28:27
21.11.2015 Zagreb CRO	@ HC Prvo plinarsko drustvo Zagreb CRO	W 30:23
25.11.2015 Flensburg GER	vs Orlen Wisla Plock POL	W 27:25
06.12.2015 Istanbul TUR	@ Besiktas Jimnastik Kulubu TUR	W 34:26



THW Kiel: current run - won one

17.09.2015 Zagreb CRO	@ HC Prvo plinarsko drustvo Zagreb CRO	L 22:29
27.09.2015 Kiel GER	vs Besiktas Jimnastik Kulubu TUR	W 32:21
03.10.2015 Kiel GER	vs SG Flensburg-Handewitt GER	W 27:23
10.10.2015 Płock POL	@ Orlen Wisla Plock POL	W 37:23
17.10.2015 Veszprém HUN	@ MVM Veszprém HUN	L 27:29
21.10.2015 Kiel GER	vs RK Celje Pivovarna Lasko SLO	W 35:32
12.11.2015 Kiel GER	vs Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	L 26:30
21.11.2015 Paris FRA	@ Paris Saint-Germain Handball FRA	L 30:37
28.11.2015 Celje SLO	@ RK Celje Pivovarna Lasko SLO	D 23:23
06.12.2015 Kiel GER	vs MVM Veszprém HUN	W 25:24

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