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OVERVIEW OF CHANGES FOR 2024–27 CYCLE OF UCL, UEL AND UECL



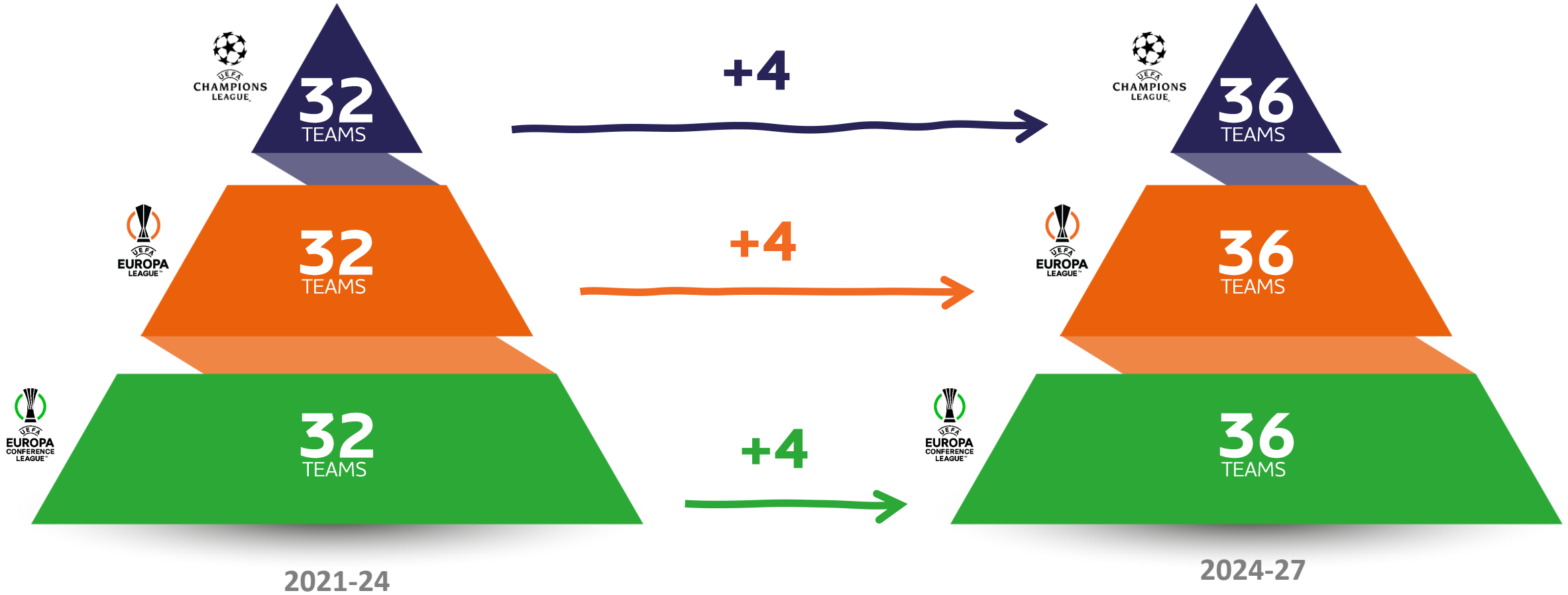


Access

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ACCESS TO UCL - UEL - UECL



UCL ACCESS – 36 TEAMS



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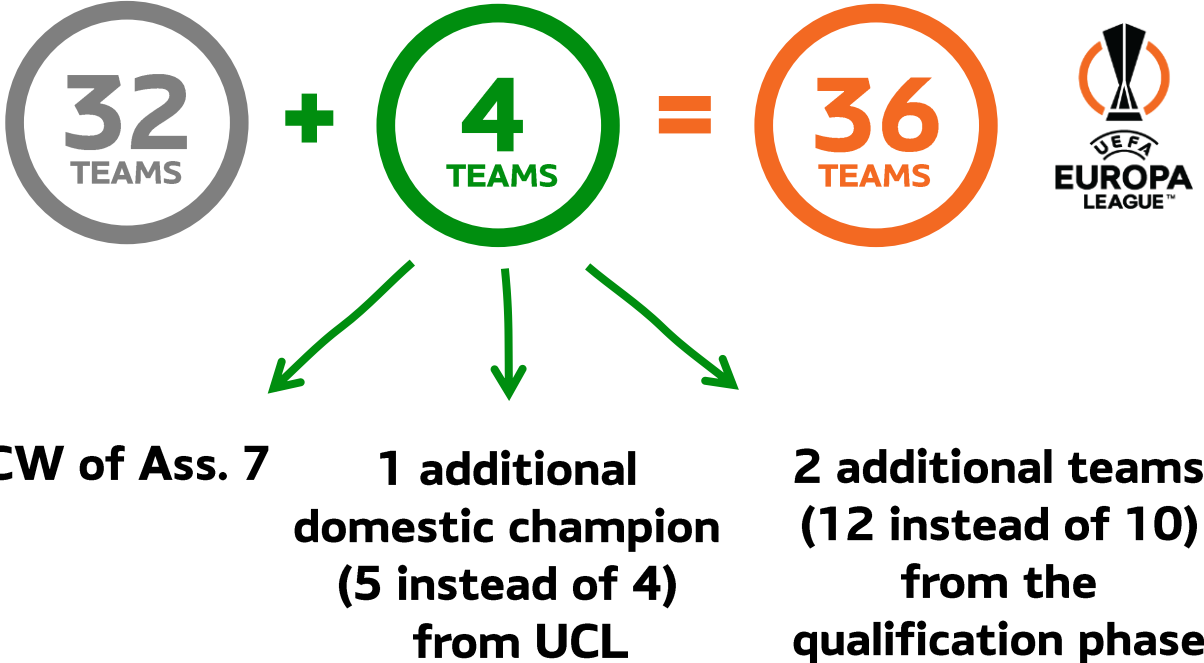
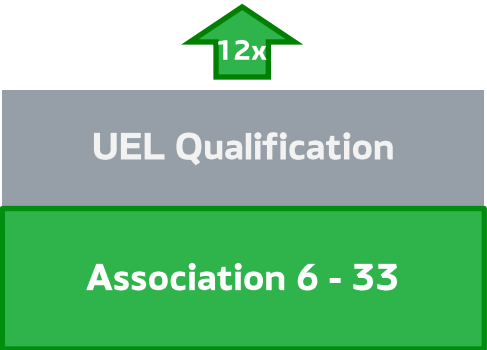


UEL ACCESS – 36 TEAMS



36 TEAMS

	UECL TH	5x UCL CH	6x UCL LP
Ass.1	CW	N5	
Ass.2	CW	N5	
Ass.3	CW	N5	
Ass.4	CW	N5	
Ass.5	CW	N5	
Ass.6	CW		
Ass.7	CW		



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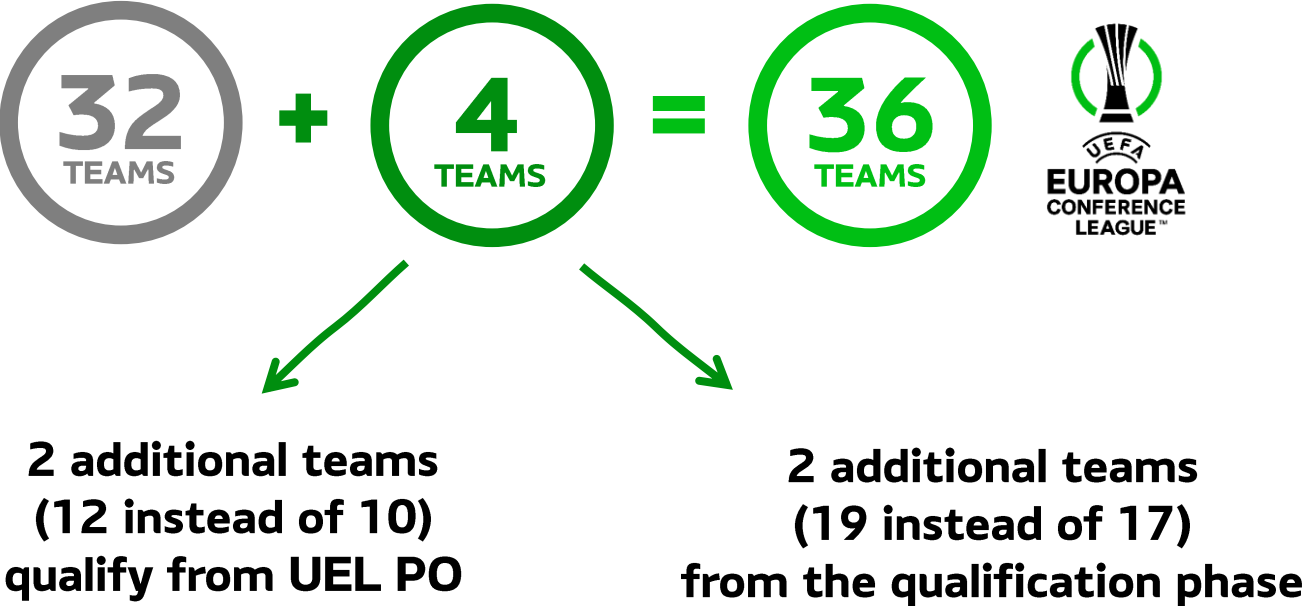
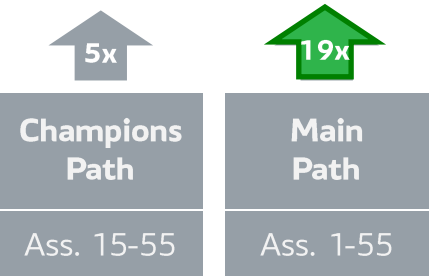


36 TEAMS

12x UEL PO

- Ass.1
- Ass.2
- Ass.3
- Ass.4
- Ass.5
- Ass.6
- Ass.7

No direct access



UEFA Champions League				UEFA Europa League				UEFA Europa Conference League															
League Phase 36 teams				Association				League Phase 36 teams				Association											
CH's				League				League Phase 36 teams				Main											
UCL TH	UCL TH	UCL TH	2x EPS	PO	Q3	Q2	Q1	PO	Q3	Q2	Q1	R	PO (12 CH & 12 Non-CH)			CH's			Main				
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CH N2 N3 N4												2	Ass. #2										
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UCL: UEFA Champions League TH: Titleholder Q: Qualifying rounds CH: Domestic champion N4: 4th placed club of domestic championship CW: Domestic Cup Winners
 UEL: UEFA Europa League EPS: European Performance Spot PO: Play-offs N2: Runners-up of domestic championship N5: 5th placed club of domestic championship
 UECL: UEFA Europa Conference League N3: 3rd placed club of domestic championship N6: 6th placed club of domestic championship

TITLEHOLDERS RE-BALANCING



If **UCL TH** is qualified for **UCL League Phase** via league



Best individual Club Coefficient of UCL CH-path is qualified directly to the UCL League Phase



If **UEL TH** is qualified for **UCL League Phase** via league



Best individual Club Coefficient of UCL CH-path & UCL League-path is qualified directly to the UCL League Phase

if it is the next best club in its domestic championship not already qualified to the UCL League Phase



If **UECL TH** is qualified for **UEL League Phase** via domestic competitions



Best individual Club Coefficient of UEL qualification is qualified directly to the UEL League Phase

if it is the next best club in its domestic championship not already qualified to the UEL League Phase



Format

UEFA CLUB COMPETITIONS 2024-27



FORMAT – NEW LEAGUE CONCEPT



From a **Group Stage** concept to a **Single League** concept

- 1
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- 36



One Ranking

- No more groups
- All teams in one ranking
- Every team is drawn against an even number of opponents from all different pots
- Same format in UCL / UEL / UECL

NEW LEAGUE CONCEPT - POT ALLOCATION



Pot 1, 2, 3 & 4

2x

2x

2x

2x

1x home & 1x away 1x home & 1x away 1x home & 1x away 1x home & 1x away



Pot 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6

1x

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1x

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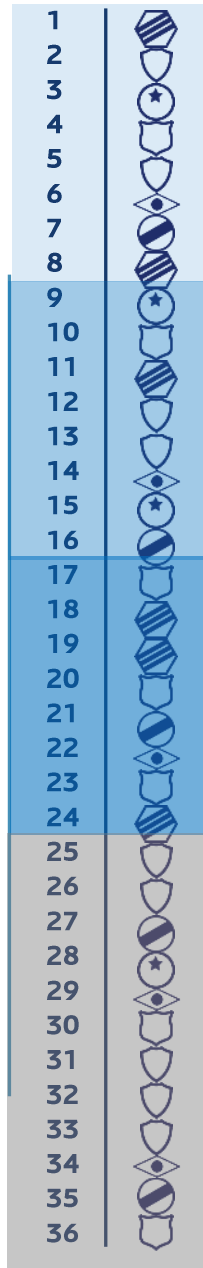
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Single League concept



Direct qualification to Round of 16



Qualification to KO Play-offs (seeded)



Qualification to KO Play-offs (unseeded)



Elimination (no feeding to other competition)



FORMAT – LEAGUE PHASE + KO-STAGE



17 MDs



NO FEEDING
after League phase



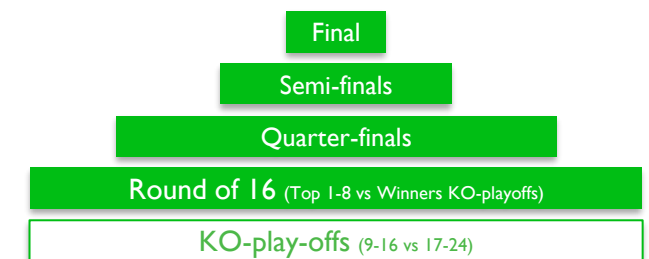
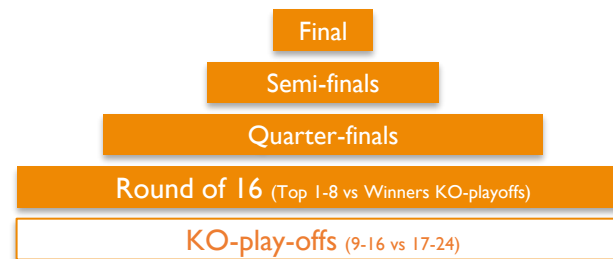
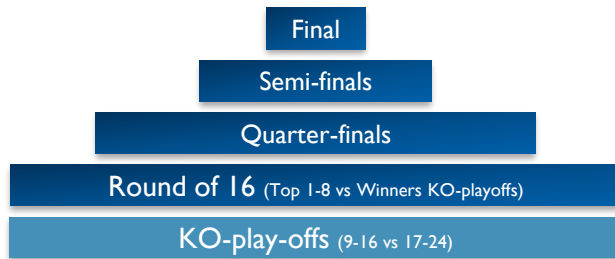
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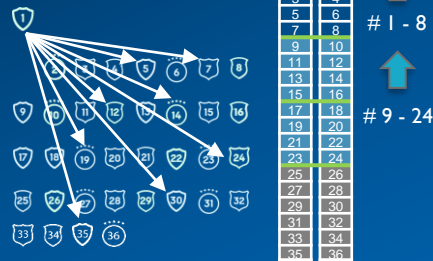


15 MDs



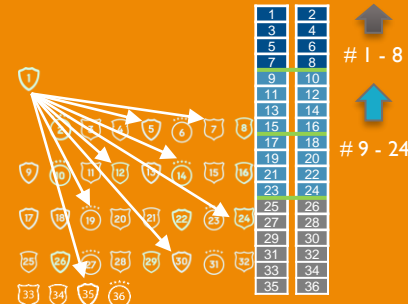
8 matches

- 8 opponents (home or away)
- Top 8 overall ranking advance to R16
- 9-24 overall ranking advance to KO-PO
- 25 and lower eliminated



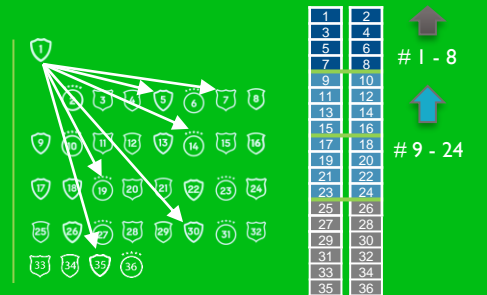
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6 matches

- 6 opponents (home or away)
- Top 8 overall ranking advance to R16
- 9-24 overall ranking advance to KO-PO
- 25 and lower eliminated



DRAW KO-STAGE



No country protection as of KO-PO



Political clashes to be avoided

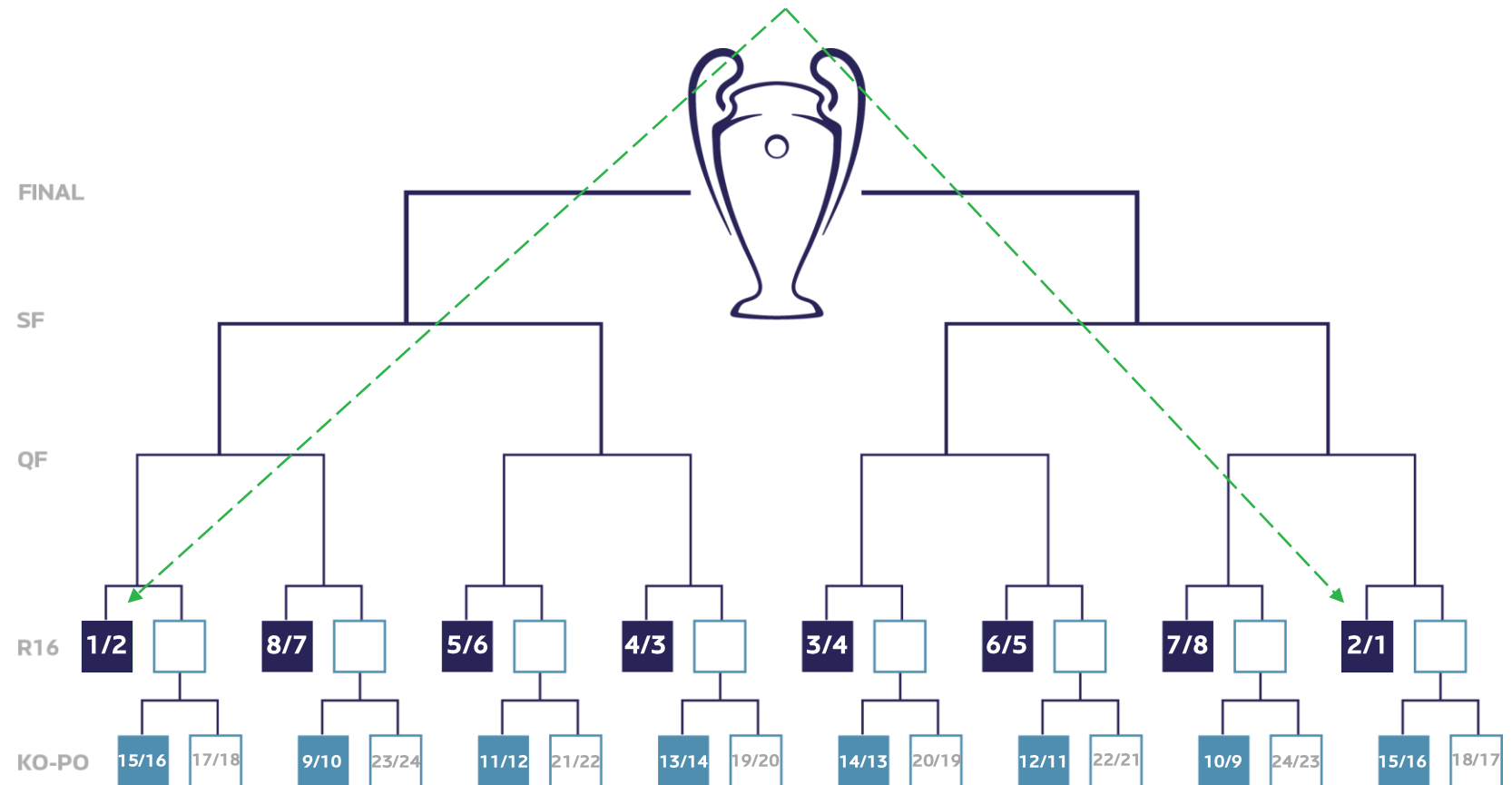
Example:



Draw by pairing 1/2 (3/4, 5/6,...) between the two possible seeding positions

Ranking after League Phase

1		5		Draw Pair
2		6		
3		7		
4		8		
9		13		Draw Pair
10		14		
11		15		
12		16		
17		21		Draw Pair or Open
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Calendar

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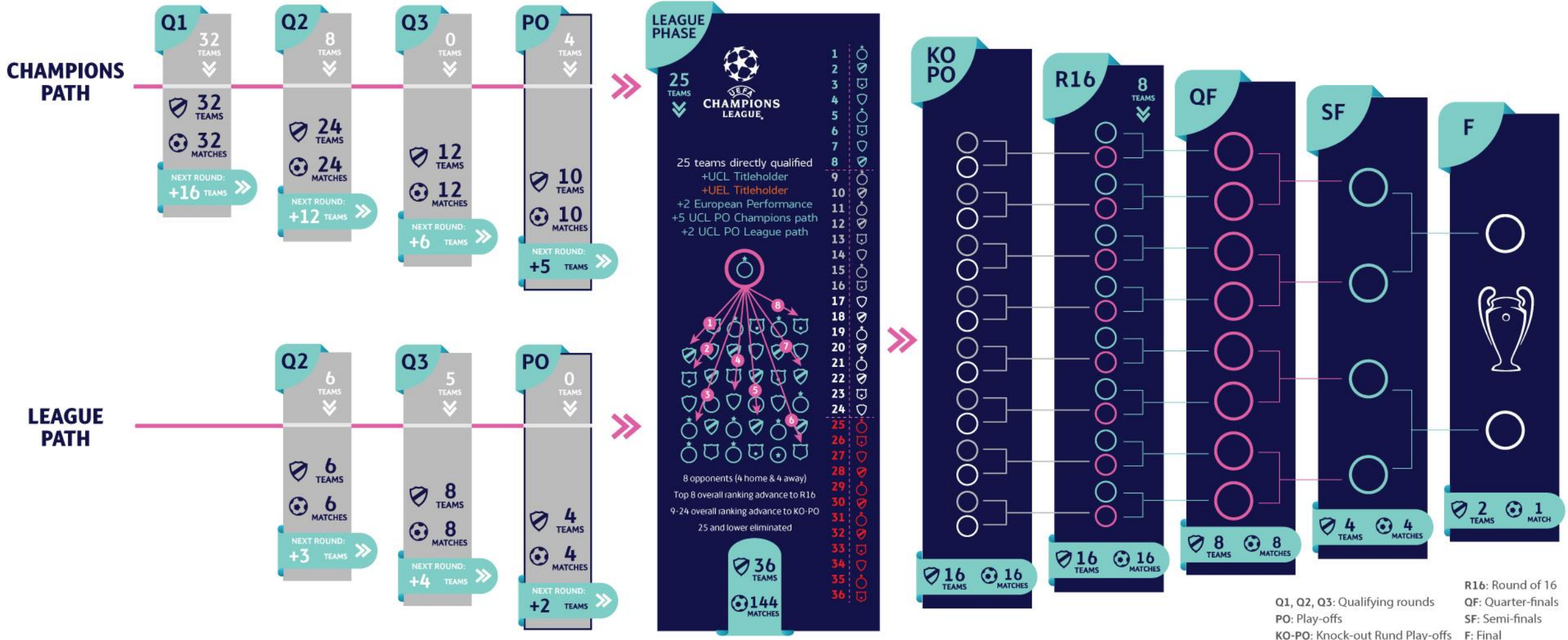


Overview

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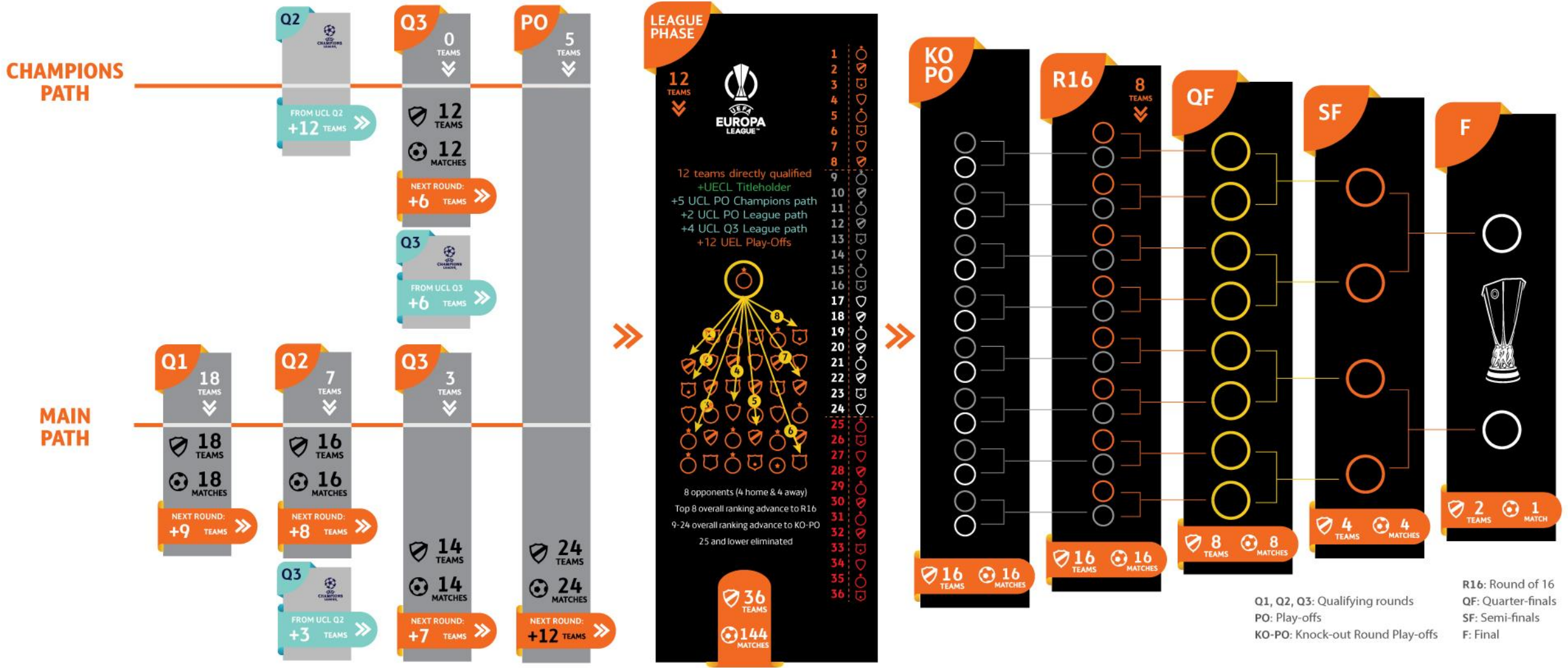
UEFA CHAMPIONS LEAGUE



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 PO: Play-offs
 KO-PO: Knock-out Rund Play-offs

QF: Quarter-finals
 SF: Semi-finals
 F: Final

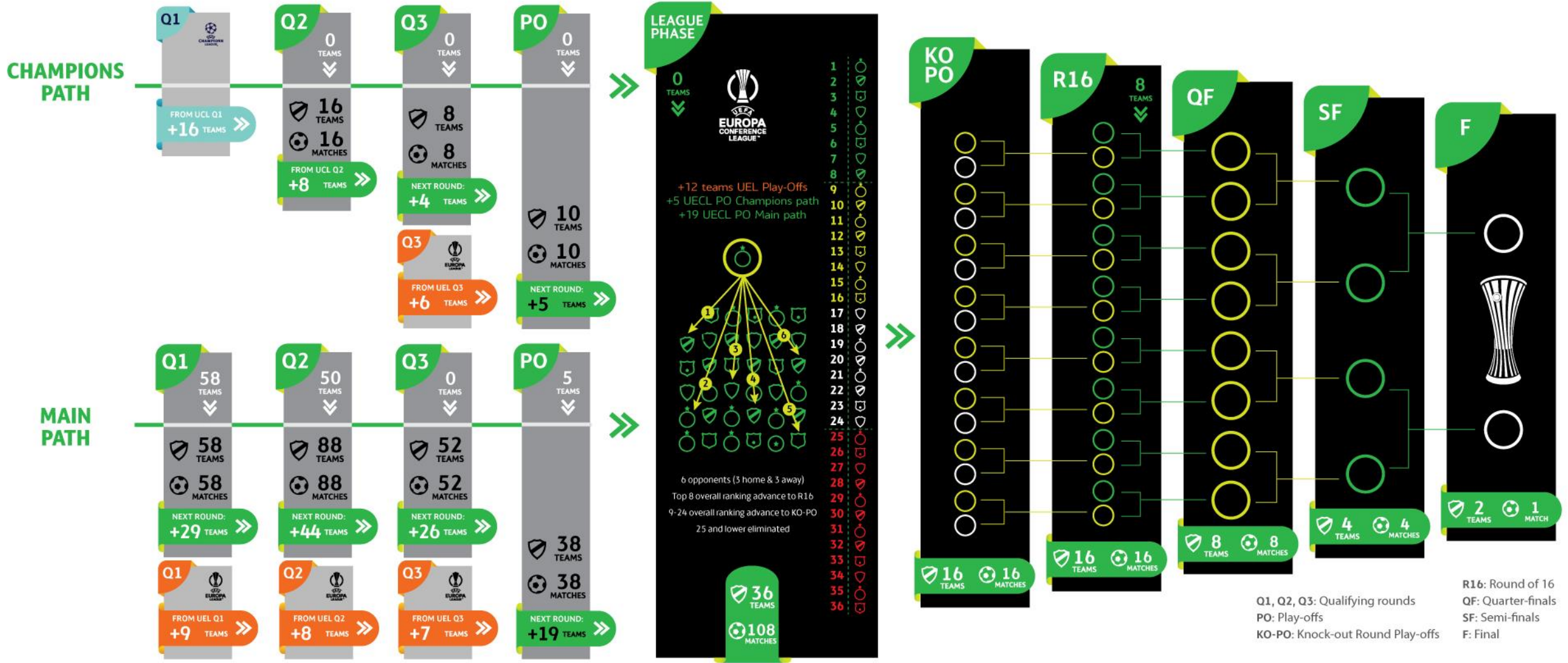
UEFA EUROPA LEAGUE



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 F: Final

UEFA EUROPA CONFERENCE LEAGUE



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