



INSIGHTS - MATCHDAY 9

SERIE A 2026/2027



There have been 12 previous competitive meetings between the two sides in Emilia: 4 wins for Sassuolo (most recently 1-0 in Serie A 2026/27), 2 draws (most recently 1-1 in Serie A 2018/19) and 6 wins for Lazio (most recently 2-0 in Serie A 2023/24).

In Como-Sassuolo 2-0, **the Neroverdi failed to score for the first time in a competitive match this season.**

This match at the Mapei Stadium brings together the team that has conceded the most goals between the 46th and 60th minutes (Sassuolo, 5) and the team that has scored the most in that period (Lazio, 5, level with Inter).

Sassuolo are unbeaten in their last 5 home matches in 2026/27: 3 wins and 2 draws. The Neroverdi have also scored in 9 consecutive home matches, netting 18 goals in total. Their last home match without scoring came on 15 March (Sassuolo-Bologna 0-1).

Lazio have conceded fewer first-half goals than any other team (0). All of the Biancocelesti's goals conceded have come in the second half.

Lazio lead Serie A with 22 points: they had not been top of the table after 8 Matchdays since the 2010/11 season, which they eventually finished in 5th place with 66 points.

Lazio have lost just 1 of their last 8 competitive away matches across the end of 2025/26 and the current season (Roma-Lazio 2-0, 17 May 2026, Serie A): the remaining record is 6 wins and 1 draw.

Lazio have gone 221 minutes without conceding away from home in Serie A: the last goal they conceded was scored by Karlström in the 49th minute of Udinese-Lazio 1-2 on 7 September.

Lazio have had more different goalscorers than any other team (11).

This will be the first official meeting between Alberto Aquilani and Gennaro Gattuso.

The two were teammates at Milan in 2011/12, making 4 appearances together. As opponents, they faced each other 5 times, with 3 wins for Aquilani, 1 for Gattuso and 1 draw.

Kenneth Taylor scored against Parma: it was the Dutch midfielder's 1st goal of the current league season and his 4th in Serie A. He had not scored in a competitive match since 22 March 2026 (Bologna-Lazio 1-2, Serie A), when he scored twice. Interestingly, all 4 of his Serie A goals have come in the second half.



ROMA



CAGLIARI

There have been 49 previous competitive meetings between the two sides at Roma's home ground: 26 wins for the Giallorossi (most recently 2-0 in Serie A 2025/26), 17 draws (most recently 1-1 in Serie A 2019/20) and 6 wins for Cagliari (most recently 4-2 in Serie A 2012/13).

Roma have scored in each of their last 10 home matches against Cagliari, netting 19 goals in total. Their last home meeting without scoring came in the 0-0 draw in Serie A 2013/14.

Roma have scored in 21 consecutive home matches: 50 goals in total over that run. Their last home match without scoring came on 30 November (Roma-Napoli 0-1, Serie A).

Roma are one of 5 teams with the most goals scored by substitutes (5, level with Milan, Sassuolo, Juventus and Inter).

Roma-Cagliari is a historic fixture for the Sardinian club: on 13 September 1964, Cagliari made their Serie A debut in Roma-Cagliari 2-1. Roma's goals came through a Greatti own goal and Francesconi, while Greatti also scored Cagliari's goal.

Cagliari are winless in their last 11 away matches against Roma: their most recent victory came on 1 February 2013, a 4-2 win. Since then, they have recorded 9 defeats and 2 draws.

Cagliari have gone 360 minutes without scoring away to Roma: their last goal there was scored by João Pedro in the 90th minute of Roma-Cagliari 3-2 on 23 December 2020.

Cagliari have gone 250 minutes without scoring in Serie A: their last goal was scored by Maldini in the 20th minute of Cagliari-Juventus 1-1.

Cagliari have had fewer different goalscorers than any other team (3, level with Parma).

This will be the 3rd official meeting between Gian Piero Gasperini and Fabio Pisacane: the previous 2, both Roma-Cagliari fixtures from last season, produced 1 win each.

Matías Soulé scored against Napoli: it was the Argentine's 15th goal for Roma, with 11 of them coming away from the Olimpico. He had not scored since 5 September (Roma-Atalanta 2-1, Serie A).

Leonardo Balerdi scored against Napoli: it was the Argentine defender's first Serie A brace and the first brace of his career. He had not scored since 21 December 2025 (Bourg-en-Bresse-Marseille 0-6, Coupe de France).



TORINO



COMO

There have been 20 previous competitive meetings between the two sides in Turin: 13 wins for Torino (most recently 1-0 in Serie A 2024/25), 5 draws (most recently 0-0 in Serie A 2002/03) and 2 wins for Como (most recently 5-1 in Serie A 2025/26).

Torino have collected 10 points from their last 4 league matches. Their last defeat came in Torino-Roma 0-2 on 14 September.

Torino have conceded in each of their last 9 home Serie A matches, allowing 14 goals in total. Their last home clean sheet came in Torino-Lazio 2-0 on 1 March.

In the three-points-for-a-win era (since 1994/95), John Fitz-Jim's goal in Torino-Monza was only the second scored by a Dutch player in Torino's history: the only previous one was Perr Schuurs' goal in Milan-Torino 4-1 on 26 August 2023.

Only Milan (11), Inter (10) and Roma (9) **have scored more goals than Torino (8) in the final 30 minutes of matches, including stoppage time.**

Como have conceded fewer second-half goals than any other team (1).

Como attempt more dribbles per match than any other team (20.5).

Only Fiorentina (5) **have scored more goals from outside the box than Torino (4).**

This will be the first official meeting between Ignazio Abate and Cesc Fabregas as coaches.

Rafik Belghali scored against Monza: it was his 1st goal of the current league season for Torino. He had not scored at club level since 6 December 2025, in Verona-Atalanta 3-1.

Nikola Vlašić scored against Monza: it was the Croatian midfielder's 1st goal of the current league season. He had not scored for Torino since 26 April 2026 (Torino-Inter 2-2, Serie A).

Anastasios Douvikas scored against Sassuolo: they were his 4th and 5th goals of the current league season. With his brace last Saturday, he became Como's highest-scoring foreign player in Serie A history with 21 goals, overtaking Nico Paz on 20. The Lariani's number 9 is also now 4 goals behind Zisis Vryzas, who leads all Greek players in Serie A history with 25. Douvikas has also scored in 7 of Como's last 8 competitive away matches across 2025/26 and the current season; the only exception was Genoa-Como 1-4 on 4 September.



MILAN



BOLOGNA

There have been 88 previous competitive meetings between the two sides at San Siro: 52 wins for Milan (most recently 1-0 in Serie A 2025/26), 22 draws (most recently 2-2 in Serie A 2023/24) and 14 wins for Bologna (most recently 1-0 in Serie A 2015/16).

Since Bologna's last win at San Siro (1-0 in Serie A 2015/16, with Giaccherini scoring the winner), **there have been 10 meetings in Milan, with 8 wins for the Rossoneri and 2 draws.**

The meeting on 6 May 1979 was a historic one: Milan-Bologna ended 0-0, and the point secured Milan the 10th Scudetto in their history.

Milan have scored more goals than any other team between the 61st and 75th minutes (10).

Milan have scored more goals through substitutes than any other team (5, level with Sassuolo, Roma, Juventus and Inter).

Only Juventus (4.6) and Inter (9.7) **have conceded more xGA than Milan (9.8).**

Only Torino (16.5%) **have a better shot conversion rate than Milan (15%).**

Bologna have won their last 2 away matches: the Rossoblù have won every away game so far under Raffaele Palladino, beating Lecce 2-1 and Cagliari 2-0.

This will be the first official meeting between Ruben Amorim and Raffaele Palladino as coaches.

Christian Pulisic scored against Udinese: it was his 33rd Serie A goal, making him the highest-scoring US player in the history of the single-group Serie A. Weston McKennie is second with 17 goals.

Omari Hutchinson scored against Udinese: it was the Milan midfielder's 1st Serie A goal. He had not scored since 27 December 2025 (Nottingham Forest-Manchester City 1-2, Premier League).

Nicolò Casale scored against Cagliari: it was the Bologna defender's 1st goal of the current league season. He had not scored since 29 January 2023 (Lazio-Fiorentina 1-1, Serie A).

Federico Bernardeschi scored against Cagliari: it was the Italian midfielder's 2nd goal of the current league season and his 5th against the Sardinians, his favourite opponents. He has also converted 10 of the 11 penalties he has taken for Italian clubs.



PARMA



UDINESE

There have been 41 previous competitive meetings between the two sides in Emilia: 22 wins for Parma (most recently 2-0 in Serie A 2019/20), 9 draws (most recently 2-2 in Serie A 2020/21) and 10 wins for Udinese (most recently 2-0 in Serie A 2026/27).

The meeting on 24 June 1973 was a historic one: on neutral ground in Vicenza, the two sides contested a play-off for promotion to Serie B. Parma won 2-0, with goals from Sega and Volpi.

Parma have scored fewer goals than any other team (5) and have had the fewest different goalscorers **(3, level with Genoa)**.

Parma have fallen behind first more often than any other team (7 times in 8 Matchdays). The only match in which they did not concede the opening goal was Parma-Genoa 2-1, their only league win so far.

Udinese have lost 6 consecutive matches, scoring 5 goals and conceding 15 over that run. Their most recent goal was scored by Ekkelenkamp in the 43rd minute of Torino-Udinese 2-1 on 12 October.

Udinese have scored more goals than any other team in the final 15 minutes of the first half, including stoppage time (4, level with Como), **and have also conceded the most in that period** (4, level with Frosinone and Monza).

Only Lecce (5) have scored more goals from corners than Udinese (3, level with Roma).

Udinese have dropped more points from winning positions than any other team (8).

This will be the 3rd official meeting between Alberto Gilardino and Kosta Runjaic: the previous 2, both Pisa-Udinese fixtures from last season, produced 1 win for the Udinese coach and 1 draw.

Udinese are the team Alberto Gilardino scored the most goals against during his playing career (15).

Simone Lontani scored against Lazio: it was the Parma forward's 4th goal of the season and his 2nd in Serie A, after scoring against Monza on Matchday 3. Lontani is also the youngest player to have scored in Serie A this season, having been born in January 2008.

Only Giacomo Calò (24) has completed more crosses than Emanuele Valeri (21).



There have been 15 previous competitive meetings between the two sides at the Penzo: 5 wins for Venezia (most recently 1-0 in Serie A 1999/00), 4 draws (most recently 1-1 in Serie A 2001/02) and 6 wins for Inter (most recently 1-0 in Serie A 2024/25).

Venezia have not scored at home against Inter since 27 January 2002: a 1-1 draw in which Filippo Maniero converted a penalty in the 71st minute.

Venezia have gone 11 competitive matches without a draw: 3 wins and 8 defeats. Their last draw came on 1 May 2026 in Serie B, a 2-2 against Spezia.

Inter have scored in 23 consecutive competitive matches, netting 58 goals in total. Their last match without scoring came on 8 March 2026 (Inter-Milan 0-1).

Inter have kept just 3 clean sheets in their last 13 competitive matches across the end of last season and the current one: against Cagliari (1-0), Parma (3-0) and Shakhtar Donetsk (1-0).

Venezia have received more yellow cards than any other team (20).

Venezia have the lowest shot conversion rate (5.26%).

Inter have scored more goals than any other team between the 46th and 60th minutes (5, level with Lazio) and between the 76th and 90th minutes, including stoppage time (7).

Only Lazio (11) have had more different goalscorers than Inter (10).

Inter have gained more points from losing positions than any other team (13).

This will be the 3rd official meeting between Davide Nicola and Cristian Chivu: the Inter coach has won both previous encounters, both coming in last season's two meetings between Cremonese and Inter.

Piotr Zieliński scored against Fiorentina: it was the Inter midfielder's 2nd goal of the current league season. With 52 goals in 430 appearances, he is the highest-scoring Polish player in the history of the single-group Serie A, ahead of Arkadiusz Milik on 49.

Marcus Thuram scored against Fiorentina: it was the French forward's 5th goal of the current league season. Since April 2026, he has recorded more goal involvements than any other Serie A player (16, level with Malen).



GENOA



JUVENTUS

There have been 65 previous competitive meetings between the two sides in Genoa: 21 wins for Genoa (most recently 2-1 in Serie A 2021/22), 15 draws (most recently 1-1 in Serie A 2023/24) and 29 wins for Juventus (most recently 1-0 in Serie A 2025/26).

Genoa have gone 222 minutes without scoring at Marassi against Juventus: their last goal there was scored by Gudmundsson on 15 December 2023 (Genoa-Juventus, Serie A 2023/24).

On two occasions, Genoa won the Scudetto by beating Juventus in the decisive final: the title-deciding matches in 1903 and 1904 were both played in Genoa and ended in wins for the Grifone, 3-0 and 1-0 respectively.

Genoa have won 3 consecutive competitive home matches: league victories against Fiorentina and Venezia, and a Coppa Italia win over Südtirol.

This match brings together two teams with contrasting statistics: Genoa are one of 3 Serie A teams whose goals have all been scored by starters, alongside Cagliari and Como. Juventus, meanwhile, are one of 5 teams with the most goals scored by substitutes (5, level with Milan, Roma, Sassuolo and Inter).

Juventus have scored more goals than any other team in the final 15 minutes, including stoppage time (6). However, the Bianconeri have conceded 6 of their 7 goals in the final 30 minutes of matches.

Juventus have lost just 1 of their last 11 competitive away matches: Sassuolo-Juventus 3-2 on 13 September in Serie A. The remaining record is 6 wins and 4 draws.

Juventus have scored in 12 of their last 13 away matches: the only exception was against Milan on 26 April (Milan-Juventus 0-0, Serie A 2025/26). They scored 20 goals across the other 12 matches.

This will be the 2nd official meeting between Daniele De Rossi and Luciano Spalletti: the Juventus coach won their only previous encounter on 6 April (Juventus-Genoa 2-0, Serie A 2025/26).

Daniele De Rossi was coached by Luciano Spalletti at Roma during two separate spells (July 2005-August 2009 and January 2016-March 2017), making 251 appearances in total under him. The current Genoa coach was the most-used player across Spalletti's two spells, during which he won 1 Coppa Italia and 1 Supercoppa Italiana.



GENOA



JUVENTUS

Mikael Ellertsson scored against his former club Venezia: the midfielder found the net in Serie A for the first time in 13 months, since Bologna-Genoa 2-1 on 20 September 2025.

Douglas Luiz scored against Lecce: the Brazilian midfielder found the net for the first time for Juventus, on his 38th appearance for the Bianconeri.

Weston McKennie scored against Lecce: it was the US midfielder's 1st goal of the season. Genoa are now his joint-favourite opponents in Italy, alongside Parma, having scored 2 goals against both the Rossoblù and the Ducali.



There have been 9 previous competitive meetings between the two sides in Brianza: 1 win for Monza (2-0 in Serie A 2022/23), 3 draws (most recently 0-0 in Serie B 1999/00) and 5 wins for Napoli (most recently 1-0 in Serie A 2024/25).

Monza have scored 15 goals in their opening 8 Serie A Matchdays: their best-ever tally at this stage of a top-flight season. 11 of those goals have come in their 4 home matches.

Napoli have conceded 10 goals after 8 Serie A Matchdays for the first time since 2019/20. The Azzurri have also conceded 10 goals across their last 4 competitive matches, including European competitions.

Napoli have 11 points after 8 Matchdays: they had not collected so few at this stage since 2009/10, when they had 10.

Napoli are winless in their last 4 away matches: they had not gone this long without an away victory for exactly a year, between September and October 2025.

This will be the 12th official meeting between Ivan Jurić and Massimiliano Allegri: in the previous 11, the Napoli coach recorded 6 wins, with 4 draws and 1 victory for the Monza coach. Jurić's only win came in their first meeting, on 27 November 2016 (Genoa-Juventus 3-1, Serie A 2016/17).

Gustavo Varela scored against Torino: he now has 7 goals in Serie A 2026/27, just 1 short of the record for most goals by a Monza player in a single top-flight season, set by Colpani with 8 in 2023/24. Varela is also the joint-highest scorer across Italian professional clubs in all competitions this season, with 9 goals, level with Malen of Roma.

André-Frank Zambo Anguissa scored against Roma: the Cameroonian midfielder found the net for the first time in almost a year, having last scored on 28 October 2025 (Lecce-Napoli 0-1, Serie A 2025/26).

Scott McTominay scored against Roma: it was his 2nd consecutive brace in the space of 4 days, following his double in the 4-3 Champions League win over Bodø/Glimt. It was the Scotsman's 6th brace for Napoli and, with 24 goals, he further extended his record as the highest-scoring Scottish player in the history of the single-group Serie A.



FROSINONE



LECCE

There have been 13 previous competitive meetings between the two sides in Frosinone: 4 wins for Frosinone (most recently 3-1 after extra time in the 2013/14 Lega Pro First Division play-offs), 4 draws (most recently 1-1 in Serie A 2023/24) and 5 wins for Lecce (most recently 3-0 in Serie B 2020/21).

Frosinone-Lecce is a historic fixture for the Giallazzurri: Frosinone's last win against Lecce came on 7 June 2014, in the play-off final that earned them promotion to Serie B. They won 3-1 after extra time at the Stadio Matusa, with goals from Paganini, Frara and Viola after Beretta had given Lecce the lead.

Frosinone have scored more goals than any other team in the opening 15 minutes of the first half (4, level with Atalanta).

Frosinone have conceded more penalties than any other team (3, level with Atalanta).

Frosinone have won 3 consecutive home matches in Serie A: a 4th straight victory at the Stirpe would set a new outright club record in the top flight.

Frosinone concede more shots per match than any other team (19.3).

Frosinone commit more fouls per match than any other team (16).

Lecce have the lowest average possession in Serie A (40.5%).

This will be the first official meeting between Massimiliano Alvini and Eusebio Di Francesco.

Eusebio Di Francesco faces one of his former clubs: he coached Frosinone in 2023/24, recording 11 wins, 11 draws and 20 defeats.

Giacomo Calò has created more chances (29) and completed more crosses (24) than any other Serie A player.

Giacomo Calò scored against Atalanta: it was the Frosinone midfielder's 3rd goal of the season. He had never scored this many goals by the end of October in a single season.

Aleksa Terzić scored against Atalanta: it was the Frosinone defender's 2nd goal of the season. His previous Serie A goal had come on 30 April 2023 (Fiorentina-Sampdoria 5-0).

Gabriele Calvani has made more recoveries than any other player (67).



FROSINONE



LECCE

This match brings together the two players who have won the most tackles (38): Patrizio Masini and Jamil Siebert.



There have been 74 previous competitive meetings between the two sides in Tuscany: 46 wins for Fiorentina (most recently 1-0 in Serie A 2024/25), 18 draws (most recently 1-1 in Serie A 2025/26) and 10 wins for Atalanta (most recently 3-2 in Serie A 2020/21).

Fiorentina have scored in each of their last 12 home matches against Atalanta, netting 19 goals in total. Their last home meeting without scoring was the 0-0 draw on 16 October 2016 in Serie A.

Fiorentina are winless in their last 7 home matches in Serie A: their most recent home victory came on 13 April 2026 (Fiorentina-Lazio 1-0). Since then, across the end of last season and the current one, they have recorded 4 draws and 3 defeats.

Fiorentina have scored more goals from outside the box than any other team (5).

Fiorentina have conceded more goals than any other team (19).

Fiorentina have completed more dribbles than any other team (93).

Only Lazio (85) and Torino (86) have won fewer tackles than Fiorentina (89).

Atalanta have lost 4 consecutive away matches: their last victory on the road came on 27 August 2026 (Hapoel Tel Aviv-Atalanta 0-1, Conference League).

Atalanta have scored more goals than any other team in the opening 15 minutes of the first half (4, level with Frosinone).

Atalanta have conceded more penalties than any other team (3, level with Frosinone).

Atalanta are one of 3 teams to have received the fewest yellow cards (7, level with Torino and Napoli).

This will be the 3rd official meeting between Paolo Vanoli and Maurizio Sarri: the previous 2, both Fiorentina-Lazio fixtures from last season, produced 1 win and 1 draw for the Fiorentina coach.

Franco Mastantuono has completed more dribbles than any other player (27).

Nikola Krstović has recorded more goal involvements than any other player (8, level with Varela). His brace against Frosinone was the Montenegrin forward's 6th in Serie A and his 4th for Atalanta.



FIorentina



ATALANTA

Marco Carnesecchi is one of 3 goalkeepers to have made the most saves (36, level with Maduka Okoye and Filip Stanković).

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