



# INSIGHTS

**Matchday 30 Serie A 2023-24**  
**30 March - 1 April 2024**

**30/03/2024 12:30 - DIEGO ARMANDO MARADONA**



**NAPOLI**

**Vs**

**ATALANTA**



Napoli have won each of their last four matches against Napoli in Serie A, their longest ever winning run against the Dea in Serie A. Indeed, among teams currently in the top-flight, only against Sassuolo and Frosinone are the Campanians on a longer ongoing winning run in the competition (both 5).

Napoli and Atalanta have drawn just one of their last 17 meetings in Naples in Serie A (2-2 in October 2019), with 10 wins for the Campanians and six for the Lombards in this period.

Napoli have won 35 of their 52 home games against Atalanta in Serie A (D10 L7); only against Inter (38) have the Neapolitans won more home games in the top-flight.

Napoli are unbeaten in their last six Serie A matches (W2 D4); the Partenopei haven't had a longer such run in the competition since between January and February 2023 (eight wins in a row).

Napoli have drawn their two most recent Serie A games; the last time the Campanians recorded three draws in a row in Serie A was between November and December 2014 under Rafael Benítez.

Atalanta have gained just two points in their last four matches in Serie A, while the Dea could go five matches in a row without a win in the competition for the first time since between January and February 2022. Furthermore, the Nerazzurri haven't drawn two consecutive league matches since across April and May 2022.

Napoli are 10th for points earned in home matches in Serie A in 2023/24 (22 in 14 games), while Atalanta are 10th for points won in away games (16 in 14 matches) in the current campaign.

Atalanta have both scored the lowest percentage of their goals from set pieces (24% - 12/51) and conceded the highest percentage of their goals from set pieces (41% - 13/32) in Serie A this season.

Napoli's Victor Osimhen scored his first Serie A goal against Atalanta in October 2020. The Nigerian striker has been directly involved in five goals in five matches against Atalanta in Serie A (two goals and three assists) - his three assists against the Dea are his most against a single side in the competition, including one in the reverse meeting this season for the winning goal.

Among the players with a maximum of 15 games started in all competitions in the Big-5 European leagues in 2023/24, only Joselu (11) has scored more goals starting the match than Gianluca Scamacca (nine goals in 14 matches from the 1st minute).

**30/03/2024 15:00 - LUIGI FERRARIS**



**GENOA**

**Vs**

**FROSINONE**



Genoa have only lost one of their five matches against Frosinone in Serie A (W2 D2), however that was the most recent one, in November 2023; only twice in their history in Serie A have the Ciociari won both seasonal matches against a single side: against Hellas Verona and Empoli, both in 2015/16.

Genoa haven't conceded a goal at home against Frosinone in Serie A, winning 4-0 in April 2016 and a 0-0 draw in March 2019 - the last team against which the Grifone registered three clean sheets in their first three home meetings in Serie A was Lecce between 1989 and 1994.

Since December, Genoa have drawn the most games in Serie A (eight), while is also a joint-high across the big-five European leagues, level with Cadiz in this period.

Genoa have gained just one point in their last three league matches; only once in Serie A this season have the Grifone gone four matches in a row without a win, doing so between November and December 2023 (a streak that began with a defeat against Frosinone).

Only Granada (two) have picked up fewer away points than Frosinone (three - W0 D3 L11) in the big-five European leagues this season; in addition, only Bochum (35) have conceded more goals than the Ciociari in away matches (34).

Genoa have scored the joint-most goals from outside the box in Serie A this season (eight, level with Atalanta and Monza), while on the other hand, only AC Milan and Sassuolo (both eight) have conceded more goals from outside the box than Frosinone (seven) this term.

Frosinone have scored the highest percentage of their goals from set pieces in Serie A in 2023/24 (49% - 18/37), and also boast the highest percentage of their goals via corners (19%) and from penalties (19%).

Genoa's last eight goals in Serie A have been scored by eight different players: Ekuban, Malinovskyi, Frentrup, Retegui, Bani, Vásquez, Gudmundsson and Vítinha.

Genoa's Albert Gudmundsson (67) and Frosinone's Matías Soulé (60) are the top two players for chances created in Serie A this season; in addition, Gudmundsson has created the most chances from set pieces (42) in the big-five European leagues in 2023/24.

Frosinone's Matías Soulé has neither scored nor assisted a goal in any of his last six league appearances, this after being directly involved in five goals in his previous six Serie A games beforehand (four goals and one assist).

## 30/03/2024 15:00 - OLIMPICO GRANDE TORINO

**TORINO****Vs****MONZA**

Torino are unbeaten against Monza in Serie A (W1 D2) with their only win against them coming in I Brianzoli's first ever match in the competition in August 2022 (2-1); only against Roma (4) and Udinese (4) have Monza played more games against in the top-flight without ever winning than versus Il Toro.

Both teams have scored in each of the three previous Serie A meetings between Torino (4 goals) and Monza (3 goals).

Only Inter (18) have recorded more clean sheets than Torino in Serie A this season (14) and only once across their last 21 top-flight campaigns have I Granata recorded more shutouts (15 in 2018-19).

No team has recorded more clean sheets in home matches than Torino in Serie A this season (9 - level with Inter and Bologna) with I Granata also conceding the joint-fewest home goals so far this term (8 - level with Inter, Milan and Bologna). One more shutout will see Il Toro match their record for clean sheets at home in a single Serie A campaign, keeping 10 on eight different occasions, most recently in 1994/95.

Monza have won four of their last five Serie A games (L1) and could record three wins in a row just for the third time in the competition, also doing so in April 2023 and between September and October 2022.

Monza would be 5th in Serie A with 20 points from 11 matches in a league table based on the calendar year 2024, only trailing Inter (31), Milan (26), Bologna (23) and Roma (23) in that time.

Only Inter (38) and Milan (297) have trailed for fewer minutes than Torino in Serie A this season (305).

Only Dusan Vlahovic (11) and Paulo Dybala (9) have been directly involved in more Serie A goals than Duván Zapata in 2024 (8 – 5 goals, 3 assists): the Colombian striker only scored six league goals in the entire calendar year of 2023.

Antonio Sanabria – who has scored two goals and provided one assist against Monza – has averaged a goal involvement every 86 mins against I Brianzoli in Serie A: only against Hellas Verona (one every 80 mins) does the striker score or assist more frequently against amongst opponents he has faced at least three times in the competition.

Daniel Maldini has scored in his last two Serie A appearances and could become the first Monza player to score in three consecutive games in the competition. The 22-year-old has been directly involved in four goals (3 goals, 1 assist) in his last five league matches, more than across his first 41 appearances in the top-flight (3).

### 30/03/2024 18:00 - OLIMPICO

**LAZIO****Vs****JUVENTUS**

Across the 20 Serie A campaigns since 2004/05, only Milan (28 against Cagliari) and Juventus (27 against Udinese) have recorded more wins against a single side than the tally obtained by Juventus against Lazio (26). I Biancocelesti have recorded just three wins against Juventus across their 37 league meetings in that period (D8).

Juventus could record a league double over Lazio for the first time since the 2018-19 season, following their 3-1 win in the reverse fixture back in September 2023.

After winning their most recent match against Juventus at Stadio Olimpico in the top-flight (2-1), Lazio could win two home games in a row against I Bianconeri in Serie A for the first time since 2001.

Lazio have lost their last three home matches in Serie A and only once before they have recorded more losses in a row at Stadio Olimpico in their top-flight A history: five in a row between February and April 1961 under Jesse Carver.

Since Matchday 22 (27th/28th Jan) Juventus have only won seven points in eight matches in Serie A (W1 D4 L3) with only Salernitana (2), Frosinone (2) and Sassuolo (4) picking up fewer points in that time; furthermore, the Old Lady last registered as few points across an eight-game spell in the top-flight in 2011 (seven points between January and March under Luigi Delneri).

After drawing against Atalanta and Genoa in their two most recent games, Juventus could draw three Serie A matches in a row for the first time since doing so between September and October 2020.

During his time as Hellas Verona's manager (September 2021 – May 2022), only Inter (75), Lazio (68) and Napoli (68) scored more Serie A goals than Gli Scaligeri did under Igor Tudor (62 – level with Milan and Atalanta).

Lazio have conceded a lower proportion of their total goals conceded in Serie A this season from set pieces than any other team (18% - 6/33) though Juventus are one of two teams to have conceded fewer goals via set pieces than I Biancocelesti (5 - level with Inter).

Ciro Immobile has played more minutes in Serie A home games against Juventus without scoring for Lazio than any other team (401 in 5 apps) with all three of his goals for Lazio against I Bianconeri coming at the Allianz Stadium.

Moise Kean is yet to score in 14 Serie A appearances so far this season and has not found the net in any of his last 18 outings in the competition overall: Marcelo Zalayeta is the only Juventus forward to have a longer goal drought in the top-flight in the three points per win era (19 between October 2002 and April 2003).

### 30/03/2024 20:45 - ARTEMIO FRANCHI

**FIorentINA****Vs****MILAN**

Only one of the last 12 matches between Fiorentina (4 wins) and AC Milan (7 wins) in Serie A have ended in a draw: 1-1 on 22 February 2020 at the Stadio Artemio Franchi.

Fiorentina have won their last two league matches at the Stadio Artemio Franchi against AC Milan and could achieve three home wins in a row against I Rossoneri in Serie A for the first time since doing so between 1972 and 1974.

Fiorentina have drawn three of their last four league games (W1), including both of their most recent two - I Viola could draw three consecutive matches in Serie A for the first time since doing so between February and June 2020.

No team has gained more points (15) or scored more goals (15) than AC Milan away from home in Serie A in 2024 (6 games).

AC Milan have scored more goals via substitutes than any other team in the Big-5 European leagues this season with their 14 such goals a club record in a single Serie A campaign in the three points for a win era. Overall only Napoli (16 in 2022-23), Fiorentina (17 in 2022-23) and Atalanta (20 in 2019-20 and 21 in 2020-21) have scored more goals from substitutes in a single campaign since 1994/95.

Fiorentina have scored the most headed goals (12) in Serie A this season though AC Milan have conceded fewer headed goals (1) than any other team in the Big-5 European leagues in 2023-24.

Fiorentina's last 10 goals in Serie A have been scored by 10 different players: Belotti, Ikoné, Martínez Quarta, Nico González, Barák, Beltrán, Kayode, Bonaventura, Ranieri and Mandragora.

Nicolás González has already equalled his best goal return in a league campaign in Europe, netting seven goals this season as he also did in the 2021-22 season with Fiorentina. The Argentinian has however scored just once in his last 10 Serie A appearances after netting six goals across the first 11 games of the campaign.

Christian Pulisic has already equalled his best season in terms of league goals (9 goals - also in 2019-20 with Chelsea) and could score 10+ goals in a single season for the first time in the Big-5 European leagues. Meanwhile after scoring against both of Empoli and Hellas Verona, Pulisic could score in three league matches in a row for the second time in his career after doing so in the Premier League between October and November 2019 for Chelsea.

AC Milan have won 64% of their matches with Théo Hernández – who is suspended for this game – playing in the last two Serie A seasons (37/58), averaging 2.1 points and 1.9 goals per game; without the French full-back however, I Rossoneri's win-rate drops to 22% (2/9), averaging just 1.0 points and 0.8 goals per game.

**01/04/2024 12:30 - RENATO DALL'ARA**



**BOLOGNA**

**Vs**

**SALERNITANA**



After failing to win in three of their first four matches against Salernitana in Serie A (W1), Bologna are unbeaten in each of the last five matches against them in the competition (W2 D3); among the teams currently in Serie A, only against Lecce (seven) the Rossoblù have a longer unbeaten streak than against the Granata (five).

Only against Fiorentina, Inter and Roma (five), have Salernitana played more away matches without ever winning than against Bologna (four) in Serie A. In addition, the Granata haven't won any of the 10 away matches in the top-flight against opponents from the Emilia-Romagna region (D4 L6).

After the win in the reverse game (2-1), Bologna could win two matches in a row against Salernitana for the first time in Serie A.

Bologna have kept 12 clean sheets in 29 league matches this season; only once in the three points for a win era (since 1994/95) have the Rossoblù collected more clean sheets at this point of the season in a Serie A campaign (13 in 1999/2000).

Bologna lost their last home match against Inter in Serie A (0-1) and they have never lost two consecutive league games at Dall'Ara stadium under Thiago Motta. The last time was back in the period between December 2021 and January 2022 (three defeats in a row in that case under Sinisa Mihajlovic).

Salernitana haven't won in their last 11 league matches (D2 L9) and only once have they recorded more matches in a row without win in a single in Serie A campaign: 12 (D5 L7) at the start of this season, between August and November 2023.

No team has scored more goals in injury time than Bologna in this Serie A season (six, level with Atalanta), while Salernitana have conceded 20 goals in the last 15 minutes of play of the second half (plus injury time), more than any other side.

Stefano Colantuono will be the 4th different coach of Salernitana in Serie A this season, only one team have recorded more different managers in a single season in the history of Serie A: Palermo on three occasions (six in 2015/16; five both in 1953/54 and in 2016/17).

Among the midfielders with at least five goals in Serie A this season, Giovanni Fabbian has the lowest mins/goal: one goal every 170 minutes. In addition, the Rossoblù's midfielder (exactly five goals – born in January 2003) is one of only two players born since 2002 to have scored at least five goals in Serie A this season, along with Matías Soulé (10 – April 2003).

Antonio Candreva's first goal in Serie A arrived against Bologna, for Juventus on 21 February 2010. He has been involved in nine goals against the Rossoblù in the Italian top-flight (three goals and six assists) and only two other midfielders have taken part in more goals against Bologna in the last 20 Serie A seasons (since 2004/05): Marek Hamsik (12) and Miralem Pjanic (10).

01/04/2024 15:00 - UNIPOL DOMUS



**CAGLIARI**

**Vs**

**HELLAS VERONA**



Hellas Verona are unbeaten in the last eight Serie A games against Cagliari (W5 D3), keeping three clean sheets in the last four matches; the last win for the Sardinian's was back on 5th November 2017 (2-1 with Luca Ceppitelli and Paolo Faragò goals after Bruno Zuculini's goal).

In the three points for a win era (since 1994/95), Hellas Verona have won 10 of 17 matches against Cagliari in Serie A (D4 L3), more than against any other team. In addition, after their two wins in the last two matches against the Rossoblù, the Scaligeri could win more games in a row against Cagliari for only the second time in Serie A, after three between 1999 and 2013.

Hellas Verona haven't lost any of their last three away matches against Cagliari in Serie A (W2 D1) and they never gone more away games without defeat against the Rossoblù in the competition (three in a row also between 1973 and 1976).

After four matches in a row without defeat in Serie A (W2 D2), Cagliari lost the last match against Monza without scoring (0-1); the Rossoblù could record two consecutive defeats without scoring in the competition for the first time since March 2022 (three in that case under Walter Mazzarri).

Hellas Verona won their last away league match (1-0 against Lecce) and could win two consecutive away games in Serie A for the first time since 30 April 2022, when the second of these was against Cagliari (2-1 at the Unipol Domus with Antonín Barák and Gianluca Caprari goals for the Scaligeri and João Pedro's goal for the Sardinians).

Cagliari have spent the fewest minutes in a winning position in Serie A this season (290), on the other hand, Hellas Verona have been ahead for the fewest minutes in away matches (95).

In 2024 Hellas Verona have scored the most goals from outside the box in the Big-5 European leagues (six of their seven goals from outside the box in the current league season arrived in the new calendar year) while Cagliari have netted the fewest goals from outside the box in Serie A in 2023/24 (one: Gianluca Gaetano against Lazio on 10th February).

Jakub Jankto has been involved in three goals against Hellas Verona in Serie A (one goal for Sampdoria in 2021; two assists for Udinese in 2017 and 2018) and only against Crotone (five) he has taken part in more goals in the competition. In addition, Verona could become the first team against which he has been involved in at least one goal with three different clubs in the competition.

Alberto Dossena is the defender who has recovered the most balls (163), made and won the most duels (290 and 175) and made and won the most aerial duels (154 and 92) in Serie A this term; furthermore, he is the only central back to have been involved in at least five goals (2 goals, 3 assists).

Since his debut in Serie A on 28th January 2024, Tijjani Noslin is the Verona player with the most shots on target (seven), with the most touches in the opposition box (15) and one of the two with two goals (alongside Folorunsho).

01/04/2024 15:00 - MAPEI STADIUM



**SASSUOLO**

**Vs**

**UDINESE**



Sassuolo are winless in their last 11 games against Udinese in Serie A (D6 L5): their last victory against the Friulani in the competition was on 17th March 2018 (2-1 in Friuli). Furthermore, the Neroverdi are the team against whom Udinese have their longest current unbeaten streak in the tournament (11 indeed).

After having drawn their last two matches in Serie A, Sassuolo and Udinese could draw three games in a row for the first time in the competition (two ones in a row also in 2018/19 and 2015/16 campaigns).

Sassuolo have won only one of their 10 home matches played against Udinese in Serie A (1-0, 25th September 2016) – drawing five and losing four of these, including the last one (1-3, 11th September 2022). The Friulani could win two away games in a row against the Neroverdi for the first time in the competition.

Sassuolo have suffered 18 losses in 29 matches in Serie A this season (W6 D5): only once previously have the Neroverdi had more defeats in a single top-flight tournament (22 in 2013/14 – in their competition debut – finishing in 17th place).

After winning 1-0 against Frosinone in the last Serie A match played at MAPEI Stadium, Sassuolo could gain two home victories in a row without conceding goals in the tournament for the first time since between April and May 2018 (also two in that case – with Giuseppe Iachini as manager).

Udinese have not recorded the same result in their last eight Serie A matches: two victories, three draws and three defeats in the period, including the last one in the competition (0-2 against Torino); furthermore, the Friulani could suffer two defeats in a row without scoring goals in a single top-flight campaign for the first time since May 2023 (two also in that case vs Fiorentina and Lazio).

Udinese have won two of their last three away Serie A matches (L1): as many victories as in their previous 20 in the competition (D7 L11); furthermore, after having won 2-1 against Lazio at Olimpico, the Bianconeri could gain two away successes in a row in the top-flight for the first time since August-October 2022 (three in that case – the second of these came against Sassuolo, 3-1 11th September 2022).

Udinese are the team with the highest percentage of goals scored in the first 15 minutes of the second half in Serie A this season (32%, 9/28); while three of last five goals conceded by Sassuolo in the competition came in this part of the match.

Only against Roma (five) has Andrea Pinamonti scored more goals than against Udinese in Serie A (three). Furthermore, the Neroverde forward has nine goals in 29 matches so far in the current tournament and could become the first Italian player born from 1999 onwards able to reach at least 10 goals in two different Serie A campaigns (13 also with Empoli in 2021/22).

Florian Thauvin has been involved in two goals in his last three appearances in Serie A (assist v Salernitana and Lazio); the Frenchman has created 18 chances ending carries, only fewer than Matías Soulé (21), Khvicha Kvaratskhelia (20) and Matteo Politano (19) among the strikers in Serie A this term.



01/04/2024 18:00 - ETTORE GIARDINIERO - VIA DEL MARE



LECCE

Vs

ROMA



Lecce have won only two of their 35 matches played against Roma in Serie A (9D, 24L); among teams they've faced 10+ times in the competition, only against Milan have they won as few of their matches against an opponent (also 6%, 2/35)

Lecce are the team against which Roma boast the longest ongoing streak of matches with at least one goal scored in Serie A (21 with an average of 2.3 goals per game); the last time Lecce kept a clean sheet against the Giallorossi in the competition was on April 9, 2000, in a goalless draw at the Via del Mare stadium (0-0).

Only against Milan (5.6%), do Lecce have a lower percentage of home victories than against Roma (5.9%) among the teams they have hosted at least five times in Serie A. Against today's opponents the Salentini have just one win, seven draws, and nine losses in the 17 clashes held at the Via del Mare stadium.

Since Daniele De Rossi's debut as Roma manager on January 16, the Giallorossi are both the team that has scored the most goals in Serie A (23) and the one with the highest shot conversion rate (25%) - furthermore, during this period, only Inter (25) has earned more points in Serie A (22 in nine matches).

Roma are unbeaten in their last five league matches (4W, 1D) and haven't managed to string together six consecutive positive results in the competition since between November 2022 and January 2023 (3W, 3D under José Mourinho).

After a narrow 1-0 victory against Salernitana in their last league match, Lecce could achieve two consecutive wins in Serie A for the first time since between November 2022 and January 2023 (three wins in that case).

Roma have scored 11 headed goals in the current Serie A season - including Sardar Azmoun's v Lecce in the reverse fixtures - second only to Fiorentina (12); on the other hand, only Frosinone (12) have conceded more than Lecce (11) after 29 matchdays.

Mile Svilar has played six league matches this season, including five since De Rossi's arrival at Roma: since then (MD25) no goalkeeper has made more saves than the Giallorossi goalkeeper (22, level with Consigli) in Serie A; in the same period, only Sommer (184) has completed more passes than Svilar (168) among the goalkeepers in the competition.

Wladimiro Falcone is the goalkeeper who has made both the most saves (97) and the highest number of saves from shots attempted from inside the penalty area (68) in this Serie A season. Additionally, the 28-year-old is one of the only two goalkeepers who have not missed a single match in the current tournament (29 appearances, alongside Lorenzo Montipò).

The only miss from the penalty spot out of 15 penalties taken in Serie A by Romelu Lukaku occurred against Lecce, in the reverse fixture on November 5th last year. However, among those who have taken at least the same number of penalty kicks over the last five Serie A seasons (from 2019/20), the Belgian has the highest conversion rate from the penalty spot (93% - 14/15).

01/04/2024 20:45 - GIUSEPPE MEAZZA



INTER

Vs

EMPOLI



Inter have lost only two of the last 20 matches against Empoli in Serie A (17W, 1D), scoring 40 goals (an average of exactly two goals per game) and conceding just 13 (0.65 per match).

Inter have kept a clean sheet against Empoli in 10 of their last 15 Serie A encounters, including the two most recent ones (both away matches, 3-0 on April 23rd last year and 1-0 in the reverse fixture this season); having kept just three clean sheets in their first 16 such games against the Azzurri in the competition.

Inter lost their last home league match against Empoli (0-1, with Tommaso Baldanzi scoring on January 23, 2023) and have never recorded two consecutive home defeats against the Tuscan side in Serie A. Excluding Milan derbies, the last team to win consecutive away league matches against Inter at the San Siro was Bologna (two, between February 2019 and July 2020).

Inter shared points with Napoli in their last Serie A match (1-1) and haven't drawn two consecutive games in the competition since March 2022 (v Torino and Fiorentina). Considering all competitions, the Nerazzurri haven't won any of their last two games (1D, 1L) and haven't recorded 3+ consecutive winless matches since March-April 2023 (3 draws, 3 losses in that case).

Inter have scored in all 29 matches played in the current league campaign; so far, only one team has managed to record one or more goals in each of its first 30 games of a single Serie A campaign: Juventus in 2013/14.

Inter are the only team among the top-5 European leagues to have scored at least one goal in every league match this season (29/29), on the other hand, Empoli are the ones that have ended the most matches without scoring (16).

Empoli have lost their last three Serie A matches without scoring a goal and haven't suffered more consecutive defeats in the competition since between June and September 2023 (six losses in that case, all without finding the back of the net).

Federico Dimarco (10: four goals and six assists) is one of only four defenders to have been involved in at least 10 goals in the top five European leagues this season, alongside Álex Grimaldo (20), Jeremie Frimpong (15), and Kieran Trippier (11). Inter's full-back – who made his Serie A debut against Empoli on May 31, 2015 – has also played a total of 12 games in the competition wearing the Tuscan team's jersey (2016/17).

Lautaro Martínez has scored 23 goals in 26 appearances in this league campaign; however, the Argentine forward has failed to score in the last two matches (against Genoa and Napoli) and hasn't experienced a longer goal drought in the competition since September 2023 (three matches in that case, the second of which was against Empoli).

M'Baye Niang has scored three goals in his first six matches with Empoli in Serie A; only Arturo Di Napoli (four goals in the 1998/99 season) has done better in his first seven appearances with the Tuscan club in the competition in the era of three points for a win. Additionally, Inter are one of the four teams – along with Milan, Salernitana, and Sampdoria – against which he has both scored and provided an assist in a single match in the Italian top flight (with the Rossoneri, on January 31, 2016).