

#91 El Salvador vs. Montserrat / Group A

Estadio Cuscatlán, San Salvador, SLV

They will face each other for the 6th time overall. El Salvador is unbeaten in the historical series against Montserrat: MP-5 W-4 D-1 L-0 (GF-10 GA-3).

It will be the 4th encounter in the CNL between both teams. El Salvador defeated Montserrat 4-1 in the last match in the opening round of Group A in League B of the current edition. La Selecta leads the series: GP-3 D-0 L-0 (GF-7 GA-1).

Results

Montserrat 0-2 El Salvador (Roberto Domínguez and Rodolfo Zelaya), League B (Group B), Blakes Estate Football Ground, St. John's, MSR (12-OCT-2019).

El Salvador 1-0 Montserrat (Juan Portillo), League B (Group B), Estadio Cuscatlán, SLV (16-NOV-2019).

Montserrat 1-4 El Salvador (Brandon Barzey; Brayan Landaverde, Emerson Mauricio, Tereso Benítez, and Kevin Santamaría), League B (Group A), Stadion Antonio Trenidat, Rincón, BOE (5-SEP-2024).

Additionally, they faced each other in the opening matchday of the Concacaf Nations League qualifiers with a 2-1 victory for El Salvador (Joseph Taylor; Óscar Cerén x2), Blakes Estate Football Ground, St. John's, MSR (8-SEP-2018).

El Salvador (SLV)

CNL Scorers: Juan Carlos Portillo, Rodolfo Zelaya (3), Emerson Mauricio (2), Nelson Bonilla (2), Styven Vásquez (2), Alexander Larín (2), Cristian Gil (1), Brayan Gil, Eriq Zavaleta, Narciso Orellana, Pablo Punyed, Roberto Domínguez, Darwin Cerén, Brayan Landaverde, Kevin Santamaría, Tereso Benítez, Santos Ortíz, Francis Castillo, Rudy Clavel.

Assists: Ibsen Castro (2), Alexander Larín (2), Jaime Alas (1), Dustin Corea, Óscar Cerén, Enrico Dueñas, Brayan Landaverde, Rafael Tejada, Darwin Cerén, Christian Martínez, Santos Ortíz.

Saves: 48. Goalkeepers: Mario González (20), Tomás Romero (16), Henry Hernández (12).

Players to Watch:

Alexander Larín. He was one of the standout players in the 1-0 victory against Bonaire in Round 5, with 2 shots, 57 passes, and 2 ball recoveries (completed 90% of his passes). He has 2 assists in the current edition in 5 appearances.

Styven Vásquez. Scored the winning goal in the 1-0 match against Bonaire. The 22-year-old forward has scored 3 goals in his 12 appearances for the Salvadoran team. Additionally, he was one of the standout players in the 2019 Concacaf U-17 Championship in the United States (2 goals in 5 matches).

Roberto Domínguez. He was impenetrable in defense against Bonaire. The central defender delivered 58 successful passes and 2 ball recoveries. He completed 97% of his passes in the last match.



CNL Scorers: Lyle Taylor (6), Brandon Barzey (3), Adrian Clifton (3), Kaleem Strawbridge (2), Donervorn Daniels (2).

Assists: Alex Dyer (3), Joseph Taylor (2), Brandon Barzey (2), Jamie Paul Allen (2), Adrian Clifton (2), James Richard Comley (1), Dean Willford Junior Mason, Dominic Richmond, Jernade Meade.

Saves: 70. Goalkeepers: Corrin Brooks (42), Kymani Nelson (21), Trent Carter Rogers (5), Amal Knight (2).

Players to Watch:

Brandon Barzey. He played in all 5-group stage matches and was the leader in shots (11). He scored the only goal in the September matches against El Salvador.

Lyle Taylor. Scored the penalty goal in Montserrat's only victory in Group A of League B in the 2024/25 CNL (1-0 against Bonaire in Round 3). The forward continues as the top scorer with (6) in the CNL.

Alex Dyer. Participated in the play for Montserrat's goal against Saint Vincent in Round 5 (1 assist). The team captain is the leader in passes for Montserrat (368) in League B of the 2024/25 edition.