



Orlando City SC (USA) vs. Tigres UANL (MEX)

Tuesday, March 5, 2024, Inter and Co Stadium, Orlando, USA

They will face each other for the third time in their history, the last one was in 2023.

Scores

Tigres UANL 0-0 Orlando City, Round of 16 (First leg) - 2023, University Stadium of San Nicolás de los Garza (MAR 7, 2023).

Orlando City 1-1 Tigres UANL (Ercan Kara; Francisco Córdova), Round of 16 (Second leg) - 2023, Inter&Co Stadium, Orlando (MAR 15, 2023).



Orlando City (USA)

Orlando City has never lost a Champions Cup match in regulation time (2W-2D) across 2 editions (2023 and 2024): Results: 0-0 and 1-1 vs. Tigres UANL in the 2023 Round of 16, 0-3 and 3-1 vs. Cavalry in the 2024 Round One.

They've scored 6 goals and conceded 1. They haven't conceded any goals in the first leg matches in CCC history (0-0 vs. Tigres UANL in the 2023 Round of 16 and 3-0 vs. Cavalry in the 2024 Round One).

They've kept a clean sheet in 50% of their matches in the tournament's history (0-0 vs. Tigres UANL in 2023 and 0-3 vs. Cavalry in 2024); however, they couldn't keep a clean sheet while playing at home (1-1 vs. Tigres UANL in 2023 and 3-1 vs. Cavalry in 2024).

Orlando has lost only 1 match in their last 17 home games across Major League Soccer and the Concacaf Champions Cup. During that period, they achieved 10 victories, 5 draws, and 1 defeat. They lost in extra time in the 2023 MLS Conference Semifinals.

Participations in the Concacaf Champions Cup (Since 1962): 2 (2023, 2024).

Best Result: Round of 16 in 2023.

Record in the Concacaf Champions Cup (Since 1962): GP-4 W-2 D-2 L-0 (GF-7 GA-2).

Top scorers in the CCC: Facundo Torres (URU) 2, Duncan McGuire (USA) 1, Ercan Kara (AUT), Ramiro Enrique (ARG), Nicolás Lodeiro (URU), Kyle Smith (USA).



Players with the most appearances in the CCC: Ramiro Enrique (ARG) 4, Facundo Torres (URU) 4, Martín Ojeda (ARG) 4, César Araújo (URU) 4, Rodrigo Schlegel (ARG) 4.

Record in first leg matches in the KO Phase (since 2008/09): GP-2 W-1 D-1 L-0 (GF-3 GA-0).

Biggest win (since 2008/09): 3-0 vs. Cavalry (Duncan McGuire and Facundo Torres x2), Round One (LEG 1) - CONCACAF Champions Cup 2024, Starlight Stadium, Langford (FEB 22, 2024).

Participations in the Round of 16: 2023 (eliminated vs. Tigres UANL).

Record in Round of 16: GP-2 W-0 D-2 L-0 (GF-1 GA-1).

Goals in the Round of 16: Ercan Kara (AUT) 1.

Goals in the CCC 2024: Facundo Torres (URU) 2, Duncan McGuire (USA) 1, Ramiro Enrique (ARG) 1, Nicolás Lodeiro (URU) 1, Kyle Smith (USA) 1.

Assists in the CCC 2024: Martín Ojeda (ARG) 1, Iván Angulo (COL) 1, Dagur Þór-halls-son (ISL) 1, Luis Muriel (COL) 1, Nicolás Lodeiro (URU) 1, Facundo Torres (URU) 1.

Saves in the CCC 2024: 5. Goalkeepers: Pedro Gallese (PER) 3, Mason Stajduhar (2). (1 goal conceded - 1 clean sheet).

How goals were scored: From open play (5), header (1).

Chances to score goals (22). Shots on target (8).

Players to Watch:

Facundo Torres (URU): He scored 2 goals, made 4 shots, and provided 1 assist in the series against Cavalry. Torres played in both matches against Tigres UANL in 2023.

Nicolás Lodeiro (URU): The forward reached 8 goals and 5 assists in 11 appearances in the CCC. Lodeiro became the second Uruguayan with the most goals scored in the entire history of the CCC with (8), alongside Paolo Suárez, who scored 5 goals with AD Isidro Metapán (SLV) and 3 goals with Comunicaciones FC (GUA). The Uruguayan participated in 2 of Orlando City's last 3 goals in the CCC (1 goal and 1 assist) in the second game against Cavalry. He was a champion in 2022 with Seattle Sounders.

Ramiro Enrique (ARG): He scored a goal and had 7 shots in the second match against Cavalry. The Argentine has played 4 matches in the CCC.



Tigres UANL (MEX)

It is the 4th occasion that Tigres has qualified in two-legged games with 4 goals in favor in the aggregate score, they did it against Xelajú in 1981, against Pumas and Whitecaps in 2017, and against Whitecaps in 2024.

Tigres UANL has a 100% effectiveness in the Round of 16 matches of the Concacaf Champions Cup: in 2018, they eliminated Herediano, in 2019, Saprissa, in 2020, Alianza FC from El Salvador, and in 2023, Orlando City.

Their only defeat against American rivals in the history of the Concacaf Champions Cup since the format change in 2008/09 was against Seattle Sounders 3-1 (DeAndre Yedlin, Djimi Traoré, and Eddie Johnson; Elías Hernández) in the second leg of the Quarterfinals (MAR 12, 2013).

Tigres UANL won 9 out of their last 13 matches in the CCC in that period, only losing once (1-3) against the last champion León in the Semifinals of 2023.

Tigres achieved 3 victories in their last 13 away matches in the CCC, 2 of them on American soil. In QF 2019: 0-2 vs. Houston Dynamo (Enner Valencia and Julián Quiñones) at Shell Energy Stadium in Houston, TX; and in QF 2020: 0-1 vs. New York City (Eduardo Vargas) at Red Bull Arena in Harrison, NJ.

Participations in the Concacaf Champions Cup (Since 1962): 11 (1979, 1981, 1983, 2012/13, 2015/16, 2016/17, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2023, 2024).

Best results: Champion (1) 2020. Runner-up 2015/16, 2016/17, 2019.

Record in the CCC (Since 1962): GP-64 W-33 D-17 L-14 (GF-115 GA-99).

Top scorers in the CCC: André-Pierre Gignac (FRA) 17, Enner Valencia (ECU) 10, Eduardo Vargas (CHI) 7, Luis Quiñones (COL) 5, Alan Pulido (MEX) 4.

Players with the most appearances in the CCC: Nahuel Guzmán (ARG) 40, Jesús Dueñas (MEX) 36, Guido Pizarro (ARG) 33, Hugo Ayala (MEX) 32, Javier Aquino (MEX) 31, André-Pierre Gignac (FRA) 30, Jorge Torres Nilo (MEX) 26, Luis Quiñones (COL) 26.

Record in first leg matches in the KO Phase: GP-19 W-7 D-7 L-5

Biggest win (since 2008/09): Tigres UANL 5-0 Alajuelense (Edwin Hernández, Juninho, Alan Pulido x3), Group stage 2012/13; Tigres UANL 5-0 Motagua (André-Pierre Gignac x2, Luis Quiñones, Jesús Angulo, Nicolás Ibáñez), Quarterfinals 2023.

Penalty shootouts: 0

Hat-tricks: Alan Pulido (vs. Alajuelense - Group stage 2012/13), Enner Valencia (vs. Saprissa - Round of 16 2019).

Participations in the Round of 16: 2018 (vs. Herediano), 2019 (vs. Deportivo Saprissa), 2020 (vs. Alianza FC), 2023 (vs. Orlando City).

Record in Round of 16: GP-7 W-3 D-2 L-2.

Top scorers in Round of 16: Enner Valencia (ECU) 6, André-Pierre Gignac (FRA) 2.

Top scorers in CCC 2024: André-Pierre Gignac (FRA) 1, Ozziel Herrera (MEX) 1, Luis Quiñones (COL) 1, Juan Pablo Vigón (MEX) 1.

Assists in CCC 2024: Ozziel Herrera (MEX) 1, Diego Laínez (MEX) 1.

Saves in CCC 2024: 2. Goalkeepers: Nahuel Guzmán (ARG) 2. (1 goal conceded - 1 clean sheets).

How goals were scored: From open play (2), from free-kick (1), header (1).

Chances to score goals (27). Shots on target (10).

Players to Watch:

Ozziel Herrera (MEX): The Culiacán-born player scored 1 goal and provided 1 assist in the 3-0 victory against Whitecaps in the second match of the series. The forward made 5 shots in the two games. Herrera has two goals scored in the CCC, both goals were scored on the 14th of the month. The first one was on March 14, 2023, and the second one was on February 14, 2024.

André-Pierre Gignac (FRA): He scored a free-kick goal in the first match against Vancouver Whitecaps in Victoria. The Frenchman was the top scorer of the 2020 edition when they won the title (6 goals and 2 assists). The French forward leads the team in shots in the CCC with (6).

Rafael Carioca (BRA): The Brazilian midfielder has 25 appearances in the history of the CCC. He made 148 passes and recovered 4 balls in the two-match series against Vancouver Whitecaps.

Luis Quiñones (COL): He scored his 6th goal in the CCC and became the 4th highest Colombian scorer in the history of the CCC since 2008-2009.