



2009 FIFA U-17 World Cup

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The **2009 FIFA U-17 World Cup** was the thirteenth tournament of the FIFA U-17 World Cup held in [Nigeria](#) from 24 October to 15 November 2009.^[1]

The tournament was won by [Switzerland](#), beating the host team and holders, [Nigeria](#). The Golden Ball to the Best Player was given to [Nigerian Sani Emmanuel](#); the Golden Shoe for top scorer was given to [Spaniard Borja](#), with five goals (although he tied with [Nigerian Sani Emmanuel](#), [Uruguayan Sebastián Gallegos](#), and [Swiss Haris Seferović](#)); the Golden Glove was given to [Swiss Benjamin Siegrist](#); finally, the FIFA Fair Play Award was given to [Nigeria](#).

Player eligibility

To be eligible to play, a player must have been born on or after 1 January 1992.

Venues

FIFA chose eight venues out of nine possible locations.^{[2][3][4]}

On 21 May 2009, FIFA gave Nigeria a "Yellow Card" as FIFA noted a significant delay in the preparations for the tournament.^[5] While [Abuja](#) and [Lagos](#) were ready, FIFA Vice-President [Jack Warner](#) gave four other venues ([Enugu](#), [Calabar](#), [Ijebu-Ode](#) and [Kano](#)) a month to get 100 percent ready or the tournament would be moved. One potential venue ([Warri](#)) was removed after recent violence flared up in the [Niger Delta](#).

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FIFA U-17 World Cup Nigeria 2009



Tournament details

Host country	Nigeria
Dates	24 October – 15 November
Teams	24 (from 6 confederations)
Venue(s)	8 (in 8 host cities)

Final positions

Champions	 Switzerland (1st title)
Runners-up	 Nigeria
Third place	 Spain
Fourth place	 Colombia

Tournament statistics

Matches played	52
Goals scored	151 (2.9 per match)
Attendance	778,787 (14,977 per match)
Top scorer(s)	 Borja Bastón

 Sani Emmanuel
 Sebastián Gallegos
 Haris Seferović

(5 goals each)

Best player(s)  Sani Emmanuel

Best goalkeeper  Benjamin Siegrist

Fair play award  Nigeria

← 2007

2011 →

<u>Abuja</u>	<u>Lagos</u>	<u>Enugu</u>	<u>Ijebu-Ode</u>
<u>National Stadium</u>	<u>Teslim Balogun Stadium</u>	<u>Nnamdi Azikiwe Stadium</u>	<u>Gateway Stadium</u>
Capacity: 60,491	Capacity: 24,325	Capacity: 22,000	Capacity: 20,000
			



2009 FIFA U-17 World Cup (Nigeria)

<u>Kano</u>	<u>Calabar</u>	<u>Kaduna</u>	<u>Bauchi</u>
<u>Sani Abacha Stadium</u>	<u>U.J. Esuene Stadium</u>	<u>Ahmadu Bello Stadium</u>	<u>Abubakar Tafawa Balewa Stadium</u>
Capacity: 18,000	Capacity: 16,000	Capacity: 16,500	Capacity: 11,000

Threats to the tournament

The 2009 edition was under increasing threats from the armed rebel group, The Movement for the Emancipation of the Niger Delta (MEND) and warned FIFA against hosting the tournament in Nigeria.^[6] However, the militants were offered amnesty in exchange for laying down their weapons, and the tournament went on

smoothly without any incidents.

Teams

The final draw for group stage was held on 7 August 2009 at the International Conference Centre in Abuja.^{[7][8]}

Confederation	Qualifying tournament	Qualifier(s)
<u>AFC (Asia)</u>	<u>2008 AFC U-16 Championship</u>	 <u>Iran</u>  <u>South Korea</u>  <u>Japan</u>  <u>United Arab Emirates</u>
<u>CAF (Africa)</u>	<u>2009 African Under-17 Championship</u>	 <u>Algeria</u> ¹  <u>Gambia</u>  <u>Malawi</u> ¹  <u>Burkina Faso</u>
<u>CONCACAF (Central, North America and Caribbean)</u>	<u>2009 CONCACAF U-17 Championship</u>	 <u>Mexico</u>  <u>United States</u>  <u>Costa Rica</u>  <u>Honduras</u>
<u>CONMEBOL (South America)</u>	<u>2009 South American Under-17 Football Championship</u>	 <u>Brazil</u>  <u>Argentina</u>  <u>Uruguay</u>  <u>Colombia</u>
<u>OFC (Oceania)</u>	<u>2009 OFC U-17 Championship</u>	 <u>New Zealand</u>
<u>UEFA (Europe)</u>	<u>2009 UEFA European Under-17 Championship</u>	 <u>Germany</u>  <u>Netherlands</u>  <u>Switzerland</u> ¹  <u>Italy</u>  <u>Spain</u>  <u>Turkey</u>
<u>Host nation</u>		 <u>Nigeria</u>

1.^ Teams that made their debut.

Match officials

Confederation	Referee	Assistants
<u>AFC</u>	<u>Ravshan Irmatov</u> (Uzbekistan)	Rafael Ilyasov (Uzbekistan) Bakhadyr Kochkarov (Kyrgyzstan)
<u>CAF</u>	<u>Mohamed Benouza</u> (Algeria)	Mamar Chabane (Algeria) Nasser Abdel Nabi (Egypt)
	<u>Koman Coulibaly</u> (Mali)	Inácio Cândido (Angola) Redouane Achik (Morocco)
	<u>Jerome Damon</u> (South Africa)	Enock Molefe (South Africa) Kenneth Chichenga (Zambia)
	<u>Eddy Maillet</u> (Seychelles)	Jason Damoo (Seychelles) Evarist Menkouande (Cameroon)
<u>CONCACAF</u>	<u>Carlos Batres</u> (Guatemala)	Carlos Pastrana (Honduras) Leonel Leal (Costa Rica)
	<u>Jair Marrufo</u> (United States)	Charles Morgante (United States) Ricardo Morgan (Jamaica)
<u>CONMEBOL</u>	<u>Pablo Pozo</u> (Chile)	Patricio Basualto (Chile) Francisco Mondria (Chile)
	<u>Carlos Amarilla</u> (Paraguay)	Emigdio Ruiz (Paraguay) Nicolas Yegros (Paraguay)
	<u>Martín Vázquez</u> (Uruguay)	Miguel Nievas (Uruguay) Carlos Pastorino (Uruguay)
<u>OFC</u>	<u>Michael Hester</u> (New Zealand)	Jan-Hendrik Hintz (New Zealand) Tevita Makasini (Tonga)
<u>UEFA</u>	<u>Howard Webb</u> (England)	Michael Mullarkey (England) Darren Cann (England)
	<u>Stéphane Lannoy</u> (France)	Eric Dansault (France) Laurent Ugo (France)
	<u>Wolfgang Stark</u> (Germany)	Jan-Hendrik Salver (Germany) Volker Wezel (Germany)
	<u>Viktor Kassai</u> (Hungary)	Gábor Erős (Hungary) Tibor Vámos (Hungary)
	<u>Tom Henning Øvrebø</u> (Norway)	Geir Åge Hølen (Norway) Dag Roger Nebben (Norway)
	<u>Massimo Busacca</u> (Switzerland)	Manuel Navarro (Switzerland) Matthias Arnet (Switzerland)

Squads

Allocation of teams to groups

Teams were allocated to groups on the basis of geographical spread. Teams were placed in four pots, and one team was drawn from each pot for each group. Pot 1 contained the five African teams plus one from CONMEBOL; Pot 2 contained the remaining teams from the Americas excluding one CONCACAF team; Pot 3 consisted of teams from Asia and Oceania plus the remaining CONCACAF team; Pot 4 consisted of teams from the European confederation.

Pot 1	Pot 2	Pot 3	Pot 4
<u>Nigeria</u> <u>Algeria</u> <u>Burkina Faso</u> <u>Gambia</u> <u>Malawi</u> <u>Brazil</u>	<u>Argentina</u> <u>Colombia</u> <u>Uruguay</u> <u>Costa Rica</u> <u>Mexico</u> <u>United States</u>	<u>Iran</u> <u>Japan</u> <u>South Korea</u> <u>United Arab Emirates</u> <u>Honduras</u> <u>New Zealand</u>	<u>Germany</u> <u>Italy</u> <u>Netherlands</u> <u>Spain</u> <u>Switzerland</u> <u>Turkey</u>

Groups

All times are West Africa Time (UTC+1)

Group A

Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	Status
<u>Nigeria</u>	3	2	1	0	6	4	+2	7	Advanced to the round of 16
<u>Argentina</u>	3	2	0	1	4	3	+1	6	
<u>Germany</u>	3	1	1	1	7	6	+1	4	Referred to the ranking of third-placed teams
<u>Honduras</u>	3	0	0	3	1	5	-4	0	

24 October 2009
19:30

Nigeria **3 – 3** **Germany**
S. Okoro ⚽ 54' (pen.) Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102250/report.html>)
Omeruo ⚽ 59'
Egbedi ⚽ 61' Thy ⚽ 21'
Mustafi ⚽ 39'
Götze ⚽ 47'

National Stadium, Abuja
Attendance: 21,300
Referee: Ravshan Irmatov
(Uzbekistan)

24 October 2009
16:00

Honduras **0 – 1** **Argentina**
Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102250/report.html>)
Araujo ⚽ 59'

National Stadium, Abuja
Attendance: 19,560
Referee: Massimo Busacca
(Switzerland)

27 October 2009
16:00

Argentina  **2 – 1** **Germany** 
Espíndola ⚽ 57' (pen.) Report (https://
Araujo ⚽ 59' www.fifa.com/u
17worldcup/ma
tches/round=2
53807/match=
300102248/rep
ort.html)

National Stadium, Abuja
Attendance: 14,400
Referee: Koman Coulibaly
(Mali)

27 October 2009
19:00

Nigeria  **1 – 0** **Honduras** 
Ajagun ⚽ 55' Report (https://
www.fifa.com/u
17worldcup/ma
tches/round=2
53807/match=
300102247/rep
ort.html)

National Stadium, Abuja
Attendance: 42,900
Referee: Stéphane Lannoy
(France)

30 October 2009
16:00

Germany  **3 – 1** **Honduras** 
Thy ⚽ 55', 56' Report (https://
Volland ⚽ 73' www.fifa.com/u
17worldcup/ma
tches/round=2
53807/match=
300102258/rep
ort.html)

National Stadium, Abuja
Attendance: 3,090
Referee: Carlos Amarilla
(Paraguay)

30 October 2009
16:00

Argentina  **1 – 2** **Nigeria** 
Orfano ⚽ 2' Report (https://
www.fifa.com/u
17worldcup/ma
tches/round=2
53807/match=
300102257/rep
ort.html)

Abubakar Tafawa Balewa
Stadium, Bauchi
Attendance: 11,467
Referee: Jair Marrufo (United
States)

Group B

Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	Status
 <u>Switzerland</u>	3	3	0	0	7	3	+4	9	Advanced to the round of 16
 <u>Mexico</u>	3	2	0	1	3	2	+1	6	
 <u>Brazil</u>	3	1	0	2	3	4	-1	3	Referred to the ranking of third-placed teams
 <u>Japan</u>	3	0	0	3	5	9	-4	0	

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19:00

Brazil  **3 – 2** **Japan** 
Guilherme ⚽ 26' Report (https://
Neymar ⚽ 67' www.fifa.com/u
Wellington Nem ⚽ 90+4' 17worldcup/ma
tches/round=2
53807/match=
300102244/rep
ort.html)

Teslim Balogun Stadium,
Lagos
Attendance: 15,254
Referee: Howard Webb
(England)

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16:00

Mexico  **0 – 2**  **Switzerland**

Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102243/report.html>)
Kasami ⚽ 22'
Rodríguez ⚽ 42' (o.g.)

Teslim Balogun Stadium,
Lagos
Attendance: 9,870
Referee: Michael Hester (New Zealand)

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16:00

Switzerland  **4 – 3**  **Japan**

Seferović ⚽ 43', 51'
Xhaka ⚽ 53'
Rodríguez ⚽ 74'
Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102242/report.html>)
Miyayoshi ⚽ 9', 20'
Kojima ⚽ 90+3'

Teslim Balogun Stadium,
Lagos
Attendance: 9,920
Referee: Carlos Batres (Guatemala)

27 October 2009
19:00

Brazil  **0 – 1**  **Mexico**

Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102241/report.html>)
Basulto ⚽ 70'

Teslim Balogun Stadium,
Lagos
Attendance: 21,115
Referee: Tom Henning Øvrebø (Norway)

30 October 2009
19:00

Japan  **0 – 2**  **Mexico**

Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102252/report.html>)
Campos ⚽ 65'
Parra ⚽ 79'

Teslim Balogun Stadium,
Lagos
Attendance: 17,105
Referee: Stéphane Lannoy (France)

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19:00

Switzerland  **1 – 0**  **Brazil**

Ben Khalifa ⚽ 21'
Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102251/report.html>)

National Stadium, Abuja
Attendance: 4,250
Referee: Eddy Maillet (Seychelles)

Group C

Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	Status
 Iran	3	2	1	0	3	0	+3	7	Advanced to the round of 16
 Colombia	3	1	2	0	4	3	+1	5	
 Netherlands	3	1	0	2	3	4	-1	3	Referred to the ranking of third-placed teams
 Gambia	3	0	1	2	3	6	-3	1	

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Iran  **2 – 0**  **Gambia**

U.J. Esuene Stadium, Calabar
Attendance: 9,200

Sadeghian ⚽ 44' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102238/report.html>)
Rezaei ⚽ 84'

Referee: Pablo Pozo (Chile)

25 October 2009
19:00

Colombia 🇨🇴 **2 – 1** 🇳🇱 **Netherlands**
Castillo ⚽ 56' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102237/report.html>)
Córdoba ⚽ 72' Özyakup ⚽ 69' (pen.)

U.J. Esuene Stadium, Calabar
Attendance: 10,100
Referee: Jerome Damon (South Africa)

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16:00

Netherlands 🇳🇱 **2 – 1** 🇮🇸 **Gambia**
Castaños ⚽ 19' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102236/report.html>)
Boere ⚽ 70' E. Bojang ⚽ 26' (pen.)

U.J. Esuene Stadium, Calabar
Attendance: 6,800
Referee: Ravshan Irmatov (Uzbekistan)

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19:00

Iran 🇮🇷 **0 – 0** 🇨🇴 **Colombia**
Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102235/report.html>)

U.J. Esuene Stadium, Calabar
Attendance: 8,600
Referee: Michael Hester (New Zealand)

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16:00

Gambia 🇮🇸 **2 – 2** 🇨🇴 **Colombia**
L. S. Samateh ⚽ 19' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102246/report.html>)
E. Bojang ⚽ 42' Cuéllar ⚽ 78', 89' (pen.)

U.J. Esuene Stadium, Calabar
Attendance: 6,100
Referee: Howard Webb (England)

31 October 2009
16:00

Netherlands 

0 – 1

 **Iran**

Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102245/report.html>)

Nnamdi Azikiwe Stadium,
Enugu
Attendance: 7,461
Referee: Carlos Batres
(Guatemala)

Group D

Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	Status
 <u>Turkey</u>	3	2	1	0	6	2	+4	7	Advanced to the round of 16
 <u>Burkina Faso</u>	3	1	1	1	5	3	+2	4	
 <u>New Zealand</u>	3	0	3	0	3	3	0	3	Referred to the ranking of third-placed teams
 <u>Costa Rica</u>	3	0	1	2	3	9	-6	1	

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Turkey 

1 – 0

 **Burkina Faso**

Demir ⚽ 3' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102232/report.html>)

Nnamdi Azikiwe Stadium,
Enugu
Attendance: 12,350
Referee: Carlos Amarilla
(Paraguay)

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Costa Rica 

1 – 1

 **New Zealand**

Campbell ⚽ 35' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102231/report.html>)

Built ⚽ 19'

Nnamdi Azikiwe Stadium,
Enugu
Attendance: 16,850
Referee: Eddy Maillet
(Seychelles)

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New Zealand 

1 – 1

 **Burkina Faso**

Murie ⚽ 57' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102230/report.html>)

V. Nikiema ⚽ 12'

Nnamdi Azikiwe Stadium,
Enugu
Attendance: 10,195
Referee: Howard Webb
(England)

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Turkey 

4 – 1

 **Costa Rica**

Şahiner ⚽ 3' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102229/report.html>)
Demir ⚽ 33'
Bekdemir ⚽ 42'
Iravul ⚽ 70'

Moya ⚽ 44'

Nnamdi Azikiwe Stadium,
Enugu
Attendance: 5,632
Referee: Jerome Damon (South Africa)

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Burkina Faso  **4 – 1**  **Costa Rica**

Zidane ⚽ 12' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/ugolobio>) 86'
Ibrango ⚽ 38' www.fifa.com/ugolobio
Louckmane ⚽ 82' [17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102240/report.html](https://www.fifa.com/ugolobio)
B. Traoré ⚽ 90'

Nnamdi Azikiwe Stadium, Enugu
Attendance: 11,483
Referee: Ravshan Irmatov (Uzbekistan)

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New Zealand  **1 – 1**  **Turkey**

Hobson-McVeigh ⚽ 90+1' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/ugolobio>) 17'
www.fifa.com/ugolobio
[17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102239/report.html](https://www.fifa.com/ugolobio)

U.J. Esuene Stadium, Calabar
Attendance: 7,000
Referee: Martín Vázquez (Uruguay)

Group E

Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	Status
 Spain	3	3	0	0	9	3	+6	9	Advanced to the round of 16
 United States	3	2	0	1	3	2	+1	6	
 United Arab Emirates	3	1	0	2	3	4	-1	3	Referred to the ranking of third-placed teams
 Malawi	3	0	0	3	1	7	-6	0	

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United Arab Emirates  **2 – 0**  **Malawi**

Al-Saffar ⚽ 63' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/ugolobio>)
Sebil ⚽ 81' www.fifa.com/ugolobio
[17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102226/report.html](https://www.fifa.com/ugolobio)

Sani Abacha Stadium, Kano
Attendance: 8,500
Referee: Martín Vázquez (Uruguay)

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Spain  **2 – 1**  **United States**

Borja ⚽ 22' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/ugolobio>)
Sarabia ⚽ 30' www.fifa.com/ugolobio 4'
[17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102225/report.html](https://www.fifa.com/ugolobio)

Sani Abacha Stadium, Kano
Attendance: 19,500
Referee: Viktor Kassai (Hungary)

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United States  **1 – 0**  **Malawi**

Shinsky ⚽ 54' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/ugolobio>)
www.fifa.com/ugolobio
[17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102224/report.html](https://www.fifa.com/ugolobio)

Sani Abacha Stadium, Kano
Attendance: 9,000
Referee: Massimo Busacca (Switzerland)

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**United Arab
Emirates** 

1 – 3

 **Spain**

Sebil ⚽ 68' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102223/report.html>) Isco ⚽ 12'
Borja ⚽ 19'
Carmona ⚽ 88'

Sani Abacha Stadium, Kano
Attendance: 20,000
Referee: Wolfgang Stark
(Germany)

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Malawi 

1 – 4

 **Spain**

Milanzi ⚽ 82' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102234/report.html>) Carmona ⚽ 32'
Morata ⚽ 60', 74'
Espinosa ⚽ 62'

Sani Abacha Stadium, Kano
Attendance: 7,000
Referee: Pablo Pozo (Chile)

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United States 

1 – 0

 **United Arab
Emirates**

McInerney ⚽ 35' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102233/report.html>)

Gateway Stadium, Ijebu-Ode
Attendance: 13,780
Referee: Koman Coulibaly
(Mali)

Group F

Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	Status
 <u>Italy</u>	3	2	1	0	3	1	+2	7	Advanced to the round of 16
 <u>South Korea</u>	3	2	0	1	6	3	+3	6	
 <u>Uruguay</u>	3	1	1	1	3	3	0	4	Referred to the ranking of third-placed teams
 <u>Algeria</u>	3	0	0	3	0	5	-5	0	

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Uruguay 

1 – 3

 **South Korea**

Gallegos ⚽ 60' (pen.) Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102222/report.html>) Nam Seung-woo ⚽ 13'
Son Heung-min ⚽ 62'
Lee Jong-ho ⚽ 90'

Ahmadu Bello Stadium,
Kaduna
Attendance: 13,700
Referee: Wolfgang Stark
(Germany)

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Algeria 

0 – 1

 **Italy**

Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=>

Ahmadu Bello Stadium,
Kaduna
Attendance: 18,418
Referee: Jair Marrufo (United States)

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Italy 🇮🇹 **2 – 1** 🇰🇷 **South Korea**
Camporese ⚽ 56' Report ([https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102220/rep
ort.html](https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102220/report.html))
Iemmello ⚽ 61' Kim Jin-su ⚽ 30' (pen.)

Ahmadu Bello Stadium,
Kaduna
Attendance: 11,400
Referee: Pablo Pozo (Chile)

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Uruguay 🇺🇾 **2 – 0** 🇩🇿 **Algeria**
Luna ⚽ 47' Report ([https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102219/rep
ort.html](https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102219/report.html))
Gallegos ⚽ 70'

Ahmadu Bello Stadium,
Kaduna
Attendance: 13,879
Referee: Viktor Kassai (Hungary)

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South Korea 🇰🇷 **2 – 0** 🇩🇿 **Algeria**
Lee Jong-ho ⚽ 12' Report ([https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102228/rep
ort.html](https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102228/report.html))
Son Heung-min ⚽ 22'

Ahmadu Bello Stadium,
Kaduna
Attendance: 14,755
Referee: Michael Hester (New Zealand)

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Italy 🇮🇹 **0 – 0** 🇺🇾 **Uruguay**
Report ([https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102227/rep
ort.html](https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253807/match=300102227/report.html))

Sani Abacha Stadium, Kano
Attendance: 20,000
Referee: Tom Henning Øvrebø (Norway)

Ranking of third-placed teams

Group	Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	FP	Pts	Status
A	Germany	3	1	1	1	7	6	+1	-7	4	Advanced to the round of 16
F	Uruguay	3	1	1	1	3	3	0	-3	4	
D	New Zealand	3	0	3	0	3	3	0	-3	3	
E	United Arab Emirates	3	1	0	2	3	4	-1	-5	3	
B	Brazil	3	1	0	2	3	4	-1	-6	3	
C	Netherlands	3	1	0	2	3	4	-1	-6	3	

The 4 best 3rd place teams qualify for the knockout stage. The first determining factor is points, the second is goal difference, and the third is the number of goals scored. If teams are still level, then Fair-Play ranking is used as the fourth criterium. This ranking is as follows: -1 for yellow card, -3 for a red card (straight or 2 yellows in the same game), -4 in case of a yellow card followed by a straight red card in the same game. If the teams are still level at this point, a drawing of lots determine the qualified team(s).

Knockout stage

All times are West Africa Time (UTC+1)

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Round of 16

4 November
2009
16:00

Argentina  **2 – 3**  **Colombia**
González Pírez ⚽ 17' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253829/match=300102260/report.html>)
Araujo ⚽ 57' Murillo ⚽ 63'
Blanco ⚽ 88'
Quiñones ⚽ 90+1'

Gateway Stadium, Ijebu-Ode
Attendance: 12,460
Referee: Wolfgang Stark (Germany)

4 November
2009
19:00

Turkey  **2 – 0**  **United Arab Emirates**
Şeker ⚽ 2' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253829/match=300102259/report.html>)
Özbek ⚽ 90+2'

Nnamdi Azikiwe Stadium, Enugu
Attendance: 16,782
Referee: Eddy Maillet (Seychelles)

4 November
2009
19:00

Switzerland  **4 – 3 (a.e.t.)**  **Germany**
Rodríguez ⚽ 35' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253829/match=300102218/report.html>)
Seferović ⚽ 49' Trinks ⚽ 78'
Gonçalves ⚽ 101' Mali ⚽ 118'
Ben Khalifa ⚽ 116' (pen.)

Teslim Balogun Stadium, Lagos
Attendance: 15,515
Referee: Martín Vázquez (Uruguay)

4 November
2009
16:00

Italy  **2 – 1**  **United States**
Beretta ⚽ 29' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253829/match=300102217/report.html>)
Iemmello ⚽ 56' Palodichuk ⚽ 51'

Ahmadu Bello Stadium, Kaduna
Attendance: 11,301
Referee: Carlos Amarilla (Paraguay)

5 November
2009
16:00

Spain  **4 – 1**  **Burkina Faso**
Roberto ⚽ 19', 56', 67' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253829/match=300102216/report.html>)
Carmona ⚽ 83' (pen.) Ibrango ⚽ 26'

Sani Abacha Stadium, Kano
Attendance: 14,000
Referee: Michael Hester (New Zealand)

5 November
2009
19:00

Iran  **1 – 2 (a.e.t.)**  **Uruguay**
Esmaeilzadeh ⚽ 119' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253829/match=300102215/report.html>)
Gallegos ⚽ 104', 117'

U.J. Esuene Stadium, Calabar
Attendance: 3,600
Referee: Stéphane Lannoy (France)

5 November
2009
16:00

Mexico 🇲🇽 **1 – 1 (a.e.t.)** 🇰🇷 **South Korea**
Madrigal ⚽ 44' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/17worldcup/matches/round=253829/match=300102214/report.html>)
Kim Dong-jin ⚽ 90+2'

Abubarkar Tafawa Balewa Stadium, Bauchi
Attendance: 11,589
Referee: Jerome Damon (South Africa)

Penalties

<u>Campos</u> ❌	3 – 5	🇰🇷 <u>Lee Kang</u>
<u>Basulto</u> 🟢		🇰🇷 <u>Ahn Jin-bum</u>
<u>García</u> 🟢		🇰🇷 <u>Kim Jin-su</u>
<u>Vera</u> 🟢		🇰🇷 <u>Lee Jong-ho</u>
		🇰🇷 <u>Lee Min-soo</u>

5 November
2009
19:00

Nigeria 🇳🇬 **5 – 0** 🇳🇿 **New Zealand**
Egbedi ⚽ 14', 28' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/17worldcup/matches/round=253829/match=300102213/report.html>)
S. Okoro ⚽ 24'
Emmanuel ⚽ 75', 79'

National Stadium, Abuja
Attendance: 35,200
Referee: Massimo Busacca (Switzerland)

Quarter-finals

8 November
2009
16:00

Colombia 🇨🇴 **1 – 1 (a.e.t.)** 🇹🇷 **Turkey**
Ramos ⚽ 90' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/17worldcup/matches/round=253827/match=300102264/report.html>)
Demir ⚽ 20'

Abubarkar Tafawa Balewa Stadium, Bauchi
Attendance: 11,532
Referee: Koman Coulibaly (Mali)

Penalties

<u>Arias</u> 🟢	5 – 3	🇹🇷 <u>Gülle</u>
<u>Murillo</u> 🟢		🇹🇷 <u>Şeker</u>
<u>Ramos</u> 🟢		🇹🇷 <u>Iravul</u>
<u>Cataño</u> 🟢		🇹🇷 <u>Alkan</u>
<u>Cuéllar</u> 🟢		

8 November
2009
19:00

Switzerland 🇨🇭 **2 – 1** 🇮🇹 **Italy**
Ben Khalifa ⚽ 24' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/17worldcup/matches/round=253827/match=300102263/report.html>)
Buff ⚽ 62'
Carraro ⚽ 32'

Gateway Stadium, Ijebu-Ode
Attendance: 13,482
Referee: Viktor Kassai (Hungary)

9 November
2009
16:00

Spain 🇪🇸 **3 – 3 (a.e.t.)** 🇺🇾 **Uruguay**
Isco ⚽ 17' (pen.) Report (<https://www.fifa.com/17worldcup/matches/round=253827/match=300102262/report.html>)
Borja ⚽ 49', 50'
Luna ⚽ 10'
Mezquida ⚽ 71'
Gallegos ⚽ 84'

Ahmadu Bello Stadium, Kaduna
Attendance: 10,281
Referee: Carlos Batres (Guatemala)

Penalties

S. Gómez	✓	4 – 2	✓	Gallegos
Borja	✓		✓	Barreto
Aurtenetxe	✓		✗	Laureiro
Sarabia	✗		✗	Mezquida
Isco	✓			

9 November
2009
19:00

South Korea 🇰🇷 **1 – 3** 🇳🇮 **Nigeria**
Son Heung-Min ⚽ 40' [Report \(https://www.fifa.com/uefa17worldcup/matches/round=253827/match=300102261/report.html\)](https://www.fifa.com/uefa17worldcup/matches/round=253827/match=300102261/report.html) Azeez ⚽ 23'
Ajagun ⚽ 50' Envoh ⚽ 85'

U.J. Esuene Stadium, Calabar
Attendance: 9,100
Referee: Howard Webb
(England)

Semi-finals

12 November
2009
16:00

Colombia 🇨🇴 **0 – 4** 🇨🇭 **Switzerland**
[Report \(https://www.fifa.com/uefa17worldcup/matches/round=253825/match=300102256/report.html\)](https://www.fifa.com/uefa17worldcup/matches/round=253825/match=300102256/report.html) Ben Khalifa ⚽ 14' (pen.)
Seferović ⚽ 36' Martignoni ⚽ 50'
Rodríguez ⚽ 68'

Teslim Balogun Stadium, Lagos
Attendance: 18,011
Referee: Michael Hester (New Zealand)

12 November
2009
19:00

Spain  **1 – 3**  **Nigeria**
Borja ⚽ 83' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253825/match=300102255/report.html>) S. Okoro ⚽ 30' Emmanuel ⚽ 61', 71'

Teslim Balogun Stadium, Lagos
Attendance: 24,000
Referee: Ravshan Irmatov (Uzbekistan)

Third place match

15 November
2009
16:00

Colombia  **0 – 1**  **Spain**
Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253823/match=300102254/report.html>) Isco ⚽ 75'

National Stadium, Abuja
Attendance: 40,000
Referee: Koman Coulibaly (Mali)

Final

15 November
2009
19:00

Switzerland  **1 – 0**  **Nigeria**
Seferović ⚽ 63' Report (<https://www.fifa.com/u17worldcup/matches/round=253821/match=300102253/report.html>)

National Stadium, Abuja
Attendance: 60,000
Referee: Martín Vázquez (Uruguay)

Winners

2009 FIFA U-17 World Cup winners



Switzerland
First title

Awards

Golden Ball	Silver Ball	Bronze Ball
 <u>Sani Emmanuel</u>	 <u>Nassim Ben Khalifa</u>	 <u>Ramón Azeez</u>
Golden Shoe	Silver Shoe	Bronze Shoe
 <u>Borja</u>	 <u>Sani Emmanuel</u>	 <u>Sebastián Gallegos</u>
5 goals	5 goals	5 goals
Golden Glove		
 <u>Benjamin Siegrist</u>		
FIFA Fair Play Award		

Goalscorers

5 goals

-  [Sani Emmanuel](#)
-  [Borja](#)
-  [Haris Seferović](#)
-  [Sebastián Gallegos](#)

4 goals

-  [Nassim Ben Khalifa](#)

3 goals

-  [Sergio Araujo](#)
-  [Mario Götze](#)
-  [Lennart Thy](#)
-  [Son Heung-min](#)
-  [Edafe Egbedi](#)
-  [Stanley Okoro](#)
-  [Adrià Carmona](#)
-  [Isco](#)
-  [Sergi Roberto](#)
-  [Ricardo Rodríguez](#)
-  [Muhammet Demir](#)

2 goals

-  [Abdoulaye Ibrango](#)
-  [Gustavo Cuéllar](#)
-  [Ebrima Bojang](#)
-  [Federico Carraro](#)
-  [Pietro Iemmello](#)
-  [Takumi Miyayoshi](#)
-  [Lee Jong-ho](#)
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-  [Álvaro Morata](#)
-  [Engin Bekdemir](#)
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-  [Jack McInerney](#)
-  [Adrián Luna](#)

1 goal

-  [Esteban Espíndola](#)
-  [Leandro González Pírez](#)
-  [Esteban Orfano](#)
-  [Guilherme](#)
-  [Neymar](#)
-  [Wellington Nem](#)
-  [Victor Nikiema](#)
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1 own goal

-  [José Rodríguez](#) (playing against Switzerland)

Final ranking

Rank	Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts
1	 Switzerland	7	7	0	0	18	7	+11	21
2	 Nigeria	7	5	1	1	17	7	+10	16
3	 Spain	7	5	1	1	18	10	+8	16
4	 Colombia	7	2	3	2	8	11	−3	9
Eliminated in the quarter-finals									
5	 Turkey	5	3	2	0	9	3	+6	11
6	 Italy	5	3	1	1	6	4	+2	10
7	 Uruguay	5	2	2	1	8	7	+1	8
8	 South Korea	5	2	1	2	8	7	+1	7
Eliminated in the Round of 16									
9	 Iran	4	2	1	1	4	2	+2	7
10	 Mexico	4	2	1	1	4	3	+1	7
11	 Argentina	4	2	0	2	6	6	0	6
12	 United States	4	2	0	2	4	4	0	6
13	 Germany	4	1	1	2	10	10	0	4
14	 Burkina Faso	4	1	1	2	6	7	−1	4
15	 United Arab Emirates	4	1	0	3	3	6	−3	3
16	 New Zealand	4	0	3	1	3	8	−5	3
Eliminated at the group stage									
17	 Brazil	3	1	0	2	3	4	−1	3
17	 Netherlands	3	1	0	2	3	4	−1	3
19	 Gambia	3	0	1	2	3	6	−3	1
20	 Costa Rica	3	0	1	2	3	9	−6	1
21	 Japan	3	0	0	3	5	9	−4	0
22	 Honduras	3	0	0	3	1	5	−4	0
23	 Algeria	3	0	0	3	0	5	−5	0
24	 Malawi	3	0	0	3	1	7	−6	0

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