

NUMBER OF PLAYERS RELEASED BY EUROPEAN CLUBS



368

players released in total

87

players are released by ECA Member Clubs (23.6%)

238

players out of 368 are released by European clubs (64.7%)

NUMBER OF EUROPEAN CLUBS RELEASING PLAYERS



252

clubs are involved in releasing players

57

ECA Member Clubs are releasing players (22.6%)

172

European clubs are releasing players (68.3%)

TOP 15 - EUROPEAN CLUBS RELEASING PLAYERS

Club	Country	Players	Club	Country	Players
LOSC Lille	France	5	Sunderland FC	England	3
Angers SCO	France	4	Troyes AC	France	3
KV Oostende	Belgium	3	FC Metz	France	3
RSC Anderlecht	Belgium	3	FC Schalke 04	Germany	3
R. Standard de Liège	Belgium	3	Panathinaikos FC	Greece	3
Leicester City FC	England	3	FC Basel 1893	Switzerland	3
Newcastle United FC	England	3	Kayserispor KS	Turkey	3
Stoke City FC	England	3			

With 7 players released, Al Ahly SC (Egypt) is the club releasing the most players overall.

TOP 10 - ORIGIN OF EUROPEAN CLUBS RELEASING PLAYERS (BY COUNTRY)

Country	Clubs	Players	Country	Clubs	Players
France	35	57	Belgium	8	15
England	23	37	Italy	11	14
Portugal	18	19	Germany	9	11
Spain	15	18	Greece	4	8
Turkey	13	18	Switzerland	4	7

Outside Europe, 16 players are released by 5 clubs from Tunisia, and 15 players are released by 4 clubs from Egypt.

COMPARISONS WITH AFRICA CUP OF NATIONS 2013 & 2015

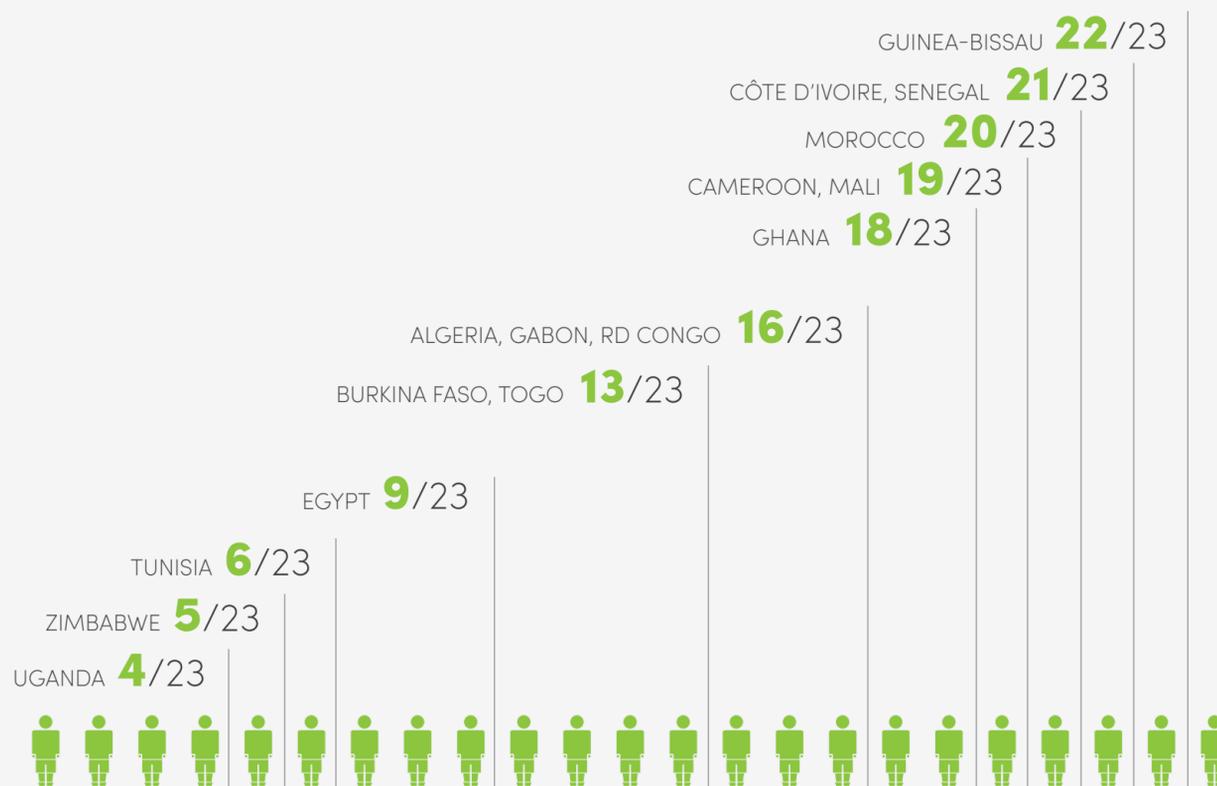
Number of players released by European clubs

2013	2015	2017
188	246	238

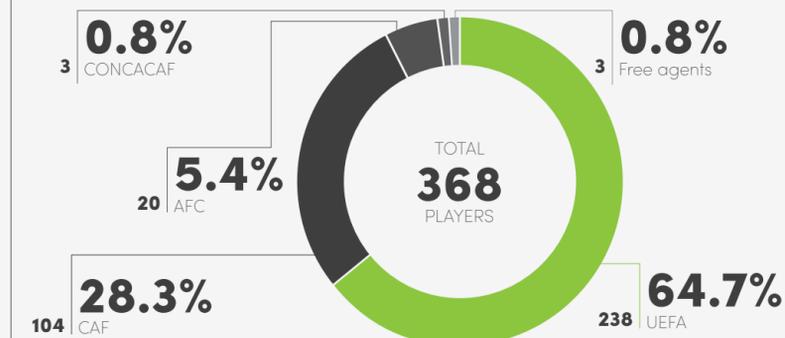
Number of European clubs releasing players

2013	2015	2017
137	170	172

PLAYERS RELEASED BY EUROPEAN CLUBS IN THE PARTICIPATING NATIONAL TEAMS



ORIGIN OF PLAYERS RELEASED (BY CONFEDERATION)



ORIGIN OF CLUBS RELEASING PLAYERS (BY CONFEDERATION)

