



SLOVENIA

With Ljubljana and Celje hosting preliminary round matches, and the main round and final weekend matches continuing in Ljubljana, Slovenia is one of the three nations co-hosting the Women's EHF EURO 2022.

At home, they want to achieve their best EHF EURO result, which is why Dragan Adzic took over as head coach two years before the competition. The Montenegrin expert, who climbed to the top of the podium with Montenegro in 2012, had a mission of building a new, stronger Slovenia for this special event.

The last time Slovenia played more than three matches at the EHF EURO was back in 2004, when they achieved their best EHF EURO result – finishing fourth. It is no wonder that a place in the main round is the first goal for Slovenia, who dream of going even further and creating history.

"Our group is challenging; every opponent has quality. It is well known there are no easy games at the EHF EURO. My players and I are aware of it, but we also know that we can play against anyone. We are the hosts and we are looking forward to the start of the competition," said head coach Dragan Adzic.

Slovenia's goals are clear, but it will not be easy, despite playing on their home court in Celje. Group B will see them playing against two strong Scandinavian teams, Denmark and Sweden. The last match of the group will have a more special touch to it. Closing their performances in Celje, Slovenia will face their former head coach Uros Bregar when they play Serbia.

After spending six years at the helm of Slovenia, Bregar knows the players very well. It will be an additional challenge for Adzic. With a mixture of superstars, experienced leaders, promising young players and Adzic's way of understanding handball, Slovenia's fans in the Zlatorog Arena are in for a treat. With a complete, injury-free squad, Slovenia can reach their desired goal of achieving their best ranking at the EHF EURO.

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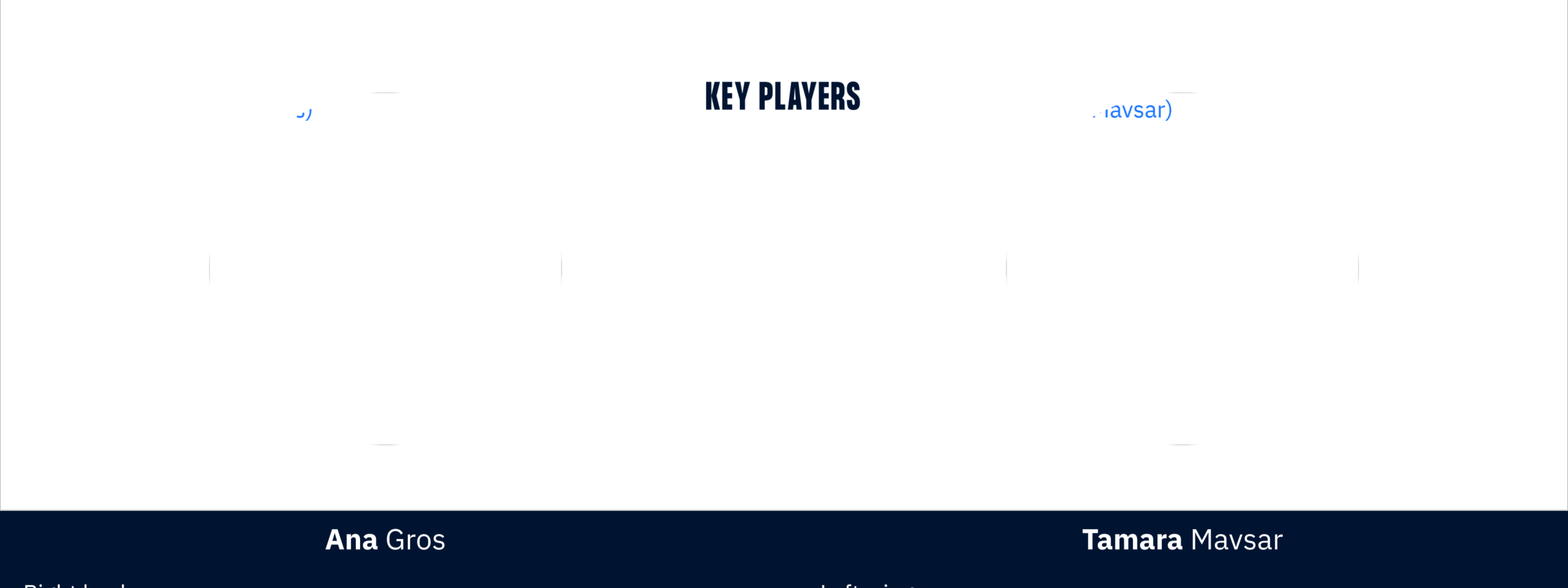
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Roster

| Player | # | PLAYER | MP | GOALS | SHOTS | % | 7M | YC | RC | 2 MIN | TP |
|--------|-----------------------|--------|----|-------|-------|-----|-----|----|----|-------|----|
| 11 | Abina, Ana | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 8 | Abina, Ema | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 5 | Bajc, Spela | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Cernigoj, Nena | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Cerovak, Laura | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 29 | Copl, Ziva | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 22 | Fegic, Nusa | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 64 | Gomilar Zickero, Tija | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Grmek, Maja | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 6 | Gros, Ana | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Hauptman, Blazka | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 36 | Hrvatina, Ema | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | Klemencic, Valentina | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 27 | Kogovsek, Manca | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 25 | Lazovic, Barbara | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 17 | Ljepoja, Nataša | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 19 | Markovic, Ema | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Matavs, Nika | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 14 | Mavsar, Tamara | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4 | Novak, Erin | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 7 | Omregle, Elizabeth | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 10 | Stanko, Tjaša | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 28 | Svetik, Maja | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Tomc, Tia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 20 | Varagic, Alja | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 26 | Vrcek, Sanja | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 9 | Zabjek, Nina | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 13 | Zelnik, Ursa | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Zener, Tjasa | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 18 | Zulic, Nina | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| # | GOALKEEPER | MP | SAVES | SHOTS | % | 7M |
|-------|------------------|----|-------|-------|---|-----|
| | Đajic, Dijana | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 |
| 21 | Pandžic, Amra | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 |
| 30 | Tripkovic, Tajda | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 |
| 16 | Vojnovic, Maja | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 |
| 1 | Zec, Branka | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 |
| TOTAL | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/0 |

Key Players



Ana Gros

Right back

Current club: Györi Audi ETO KC since 2022

- 31-year-old Slovenian international currently playing for Győr
- Had joined CSKA in the summer of 2021 after eight seasons in France, at Metz and Brest, but left to join Krim in March 2022
- Previously played for Krim (2009-10), Győr (2010-12) and Thüringer HC (2012-13)
- Reached the CL final with Győr in 2012 and Brest in 2021; was the CL top scorer in 2020/21 with 135 goals
- Has scored more than 660 international goals as a key player for Slovenia's national team since her debut in 2007

All-star right back: CL 2017/18

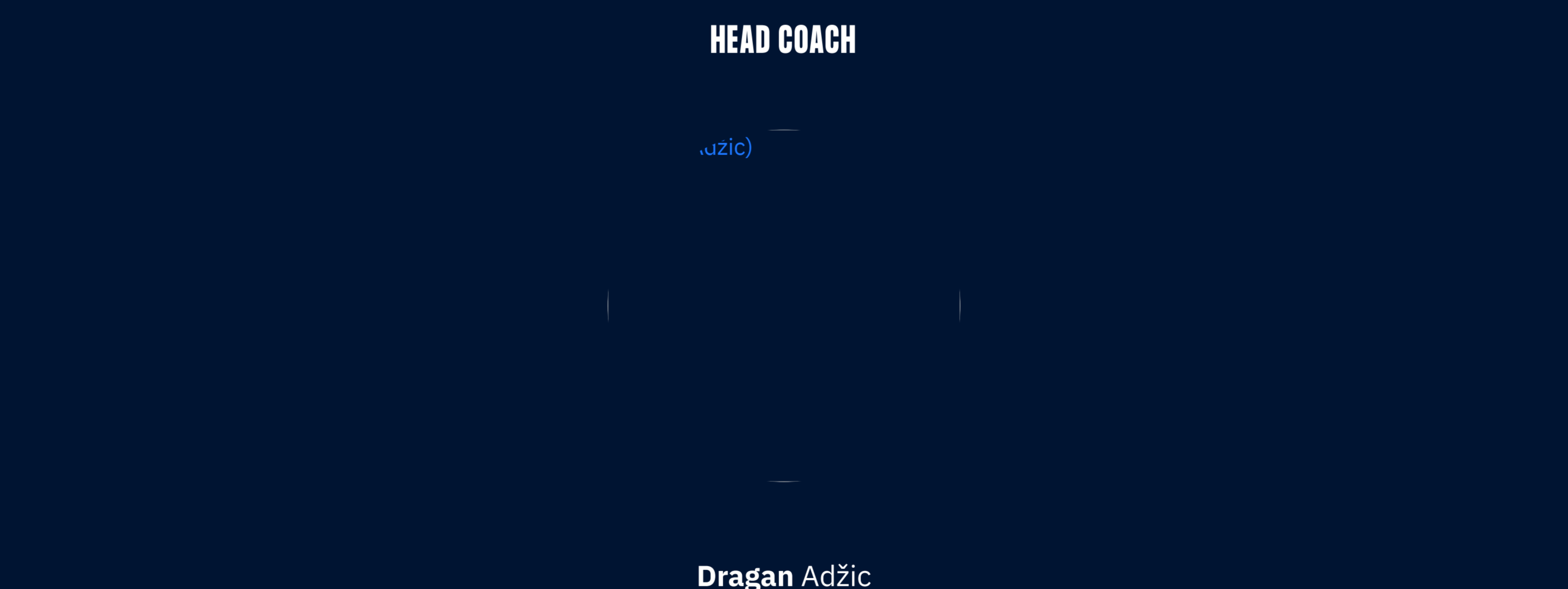
Tamara Mavsar

Left wing

Current club: Siófok KC since 2022

- Born in Ljubljana and started her handball career at Krim
- Played for Vardar for one season, returned to Krim in 2017 and joined Siófok in 2022
- Returned to the national team in April 2022 after a three-year absence; also became a mother in that period
- Made CL debut aged 17 and was named among the best up-and-coming CL players in 2012/13
- Reached CL final with Vardar in the 2016/17 season

HEAD COACH



Dragan Adžic

Coach

Current club: Krim Mercator Ljubljana since 2022

- Took over as coach of Slovenia's national team in 2021, replacing Uros Bregar at the helm to become the country's 10th head coach
- Was replaced as Buducnost head coach by former star player Bojana Popovic in November 2020; became coach of Krim Mercator in 2022
- Retired from playing due to injury in 1998 and spent 10 years as an assistant coach at Buducnost before becoming head coach of the club and Montenegro's national team in 2010
- Won the CL in May 2012 and the EHF EURO 2012 seven months later, but stepped down from national team duties with Montenegro in 2017
- Met his wife Timea when she came to the club as an interpreter for former coach Gyula Zsiga of Hungary

International medals as a coach:
 Olympic Games: S 2012; EHF EURO: G 2012
 CLW: 2012, 2015; CWC: 2010

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