

World Cup: 1978

Club	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	G	W-D-L	GF-GA	Reached
Argentina	Qualified as hosts												2/6/1978 2–1 Hungary	6/6/1978 2–1 France	10/6/1978 0–1 Italy	14/6/1978 2–0 Poland	18/6/1978 0–0 Brazil	21/6/1978 6–0 Peru	25/6/1978 3–1 ^{AET} Netherlands	7	5–1–1 H:5–1–1 A:0–0–0	15–4 H:15–4 A:0–0	Champions
Netherlands	8/9/1976 1–0 Iceland	13/10/1976 2–2 Northern Ireland	26/3/1977 2–0 Belgium	31/8/1977 4–1 Iceland	12/10/1977 1–0 Northern Ireland	26/10/1977 1–0 Belgium							3/6/1978 3–0 Iran	7/6/1978 <i>0–0</i> Peru	11/6/1978 2–3 Scotland	14/6/1978 5–1 Austria	18/6/1978 2–2 West Germany	21/6/1978 2–1 Italy	25/6/1978 1–3 ^{AET} Argentina	13	8–3–2 H:2–1–0 A:3–0–1	26–13 H:7–3 A:5–3	Final
Brazil	20/2/1977 0–0 Colombia	9/3/1977 6–0 Colombia	13/3/1977 1–0 Paraguay	20/3/1977 1–1 Paraguay	10/7/1977 1–0 Peru	14/7/1977 8–0 Bolivia							3/6/1978 <i>1–1</i> Sweden	7/6/1978 <i>0–0</i> Spain	11/6/1978 1–0 Austria	14/6/1978 3–0 Peru	18/6/1978 0–0 Argentina	21/6/1978 3–1 Poland	24/6/1978 2–1 Italy	13	8–5–0 H:3–1–0 A:1–2–0	27–4 H:16–1 A:1–0	Third place
Italy	16/10/1976 4–1 Luxembourg	17/11/1976 2–0 England	8/6/1977 3–0 Finland	15/10/1977 6–1 Finland	16/11/1977 0–2 England	3/12/1977 3–0 Luxembourg							2/6/1978 2–1 France	6/6/1978 3–1 Hungary	10/6/1978 1–0 Argentina	14/6/1978 <i>0–0</i> West Germany	18/6/1978 1–0 Austria	21/6/1978 1–2 Netherlands	24/6/1978 1–2 Brazil	13	9–1–3 H:3–0–0 A:3–0–1	27–10 H:11–1 A:8–3	Fourth place
Austria	5/12/1976 1–0 Malta	17/4/1977 1–0 Turkey	30/4/1977 9–0 Malta	24/9/1977 1–1 East Germany	12/10/1977 1–1 East Germany	30/10/1977 1–0 Turkey							3/6/1978 2–1 Spain	7/6/1978 1–0 Sweden	11/6/1978 0–1 Brazil	14/6/1978 1–5 Netherlands	18/6/1978 0–1 Italy	21/6/1978 3–2 West Germany		12	7–2–3 H:2–1–0 A:2–1–0	21–12 H:11–1 A:3–1	2nd Group stage
Peru	20/2/1977 1–1 Ecuador	6/3/1977 1–1 Chile	12/3/1977 4–0 Ecuador	26/3/1977 2–0 Chile	10/7/1977 0–1 Brazil	17/7/1977 5–0 Bolivia							3/6/1978 3–1 Scotland	7/6/1978 <i>0–0</i> Netherlands	11/6/1978 4–1 Iran	14/6/1978 0–3 Brazil	18/6/1978 0–1 Poland	21/6/1978 0–6 Argentina		12	5–3–4 H:3–0–0 A:0–2–2	20–15 H:11–0 A:2–9	2nd Group stage
Poland	16/10/1976 2–0 Portugal	31/10/1976 5–0 Cyprus	1/5/1977 2–1 Denmark	15/5/1977 3–1 Cyprus	21/9/1977 4–1 Denmark	29/10/1977 1–1 Portugal							1/6/1978 <i>0–0</i> West Germany	6/6/1978 1–0 Tunisia	10/6/1978 3–1 Mexico	14/6/1978 0–2 Argentina	18/6/1978 1–0 Peru	21/6/1978 1–3 Brazil		12	8–2–2 H:2–1–0 A:3–0–1	23–10 H:10–2 A:7–4	2nd Group stage
West Germany	Qualified as champions												1/6/1978 0–0 Poland	6/6/1978 6–0 Mexico	10/6/1978 0–0 Tunisia	14/6/1978 0–0 Italy	18/6/1978 2–2 Netherlands	21/6/1978 2–3 Austria		6	1–4–1 H:0–0–0 A:0–0–0	10–5 H:0–0 A:0–0	2nd Group stage
France	9/10/1976 2–2 Bulgaria	17/11/1976 2–0 Ireland	30/3/1977 0–1 Ireland	16/11/1977 3–1 Bulgaria									2/6/1978 1–2 Italy	6/6/1978 1–2 Argentina	10/6/1978 3–1 Hungary					7	3–1–3 H:2–0–0 A:0–1–2	12–9 H:5–1 A:3–5	Group stage
Hungary	9/10/1976 1–1 Greece	30/4/1977 2–1 Soviet Union	18/5/1977 0–2 Soviet Union	28/5/1977 3–0 Greece	29/10/1977 6–0 Bolivia	30/11/1977 3–2 Bolivia							2/6/1978 1–2 Argentina	6/6/1978 1–3 Italy	10/6/1978 1–3 France					9	4–1–4 H:3–0–0 A:1–1–2	18–14 H:11–1 A:5–7	Group stage
Iran	7/1/1977 3–0 Saudi Arabia	28/1/1977 1–0 Syria	6/4/1977 2–0 ¹ Syria	22/4/1977 2–0 Saudi Arabia	19/6/1977 2–0 Hong Kong	3/7/1977 <i>0–0</i> South Korea	14/8/1977 1–0 Australia	28/10/1977 1–0 Kuwait	11/11/1977 2–2 South Korea	18/11/1977 3–0 Hong Kong	25/11/1977 1–0 Australia	3/12/1977 2–1 Kuwait	3/6/1978 0–3 Netherlands	7/6/1978 1–1 Scotland	11/6/1978 1–4 Peru					15	10–3–2 H:5–1–0 A:5–1–0	22–11 H:11–2 A:9–1	Group stage
Mexico	3/10/1976 0–0 United States	10/10/1976 0–1 Canada	15/10/1976 3–0 United States	27/10/1976 0–0 Canada	9/10/1977 4–1 Haiti	12/10/1977 3–1 El Salvador	15/10/1977 8–1 Suriname	19/10/1977 2–1 Guatemala	22/10/1977 3–1 Canada				2/6/1978 1–3 Tunisia	6/6/1978 0–6 West Germany	10/6/1978 1–3 Poland					12	6–2–4 H:6–1–0 A:0–1–1	25–18 H:23–5 A:0–1	Group stage
Scotland	13/10/1976 0–2 Czechoslovakia	17/11/1976 1–0 Wales	21/9/1977 3–1 Czechoslovakia	12/10/1977 2–0 Wales									3/6/1978 1–3 Peru	7/6/1978 1–1 Iran	11/6/1978 3–2 Netherlands					7	4–1–2 H:2–0–0 A:1–0–1	11–9 H:4–1 A:2–2	Group stage
Spain	10/10/1976 1–0 Yugoslavia	16/4/1977 0–1 Romania	26/10/1977 2–0 Romania	30/11/1977 1–0 Yugoslavia									3/6/1978 1–2 Austria	7/6/1978 <i>0–0</i> Brazil	11/6/1978 1–0 Sweden					7	4–1–2 H:2–0–0 A:1–0–1	6–3 H:3–0 A:1–1	Group stage
Sweden	16/6/1976 2–0 Norway	9/10/1976 2–1 Switzerland	8/6/1977 2–1 Switzerland	7/9/1977 1–2 Norway									3/6/1978 <i>1–1</i> Brazil	7/6/1978 0–1 Austria	11/6/1978 0–1 Spain					7	3–1–3 H:2–0–0 A:1–0–1	8–7 H:4–1 A:3–3	Group stage
Tunisia	12/12/1976 1–1 Morocco	9/1/1977 1–1 ^{AET} Morocco	6/2/1977 2–0 Algeria	28/2/1977 1–1 Algeria	5/6/1977 0–1 Guinea	19/6/1977 3–1 Guinea	25/9/1977 0–0 Nigeria	12/11/1977 1–0 Nigeria	25/11/1977 2–3 Egypt	11/12/1977 4–1 Egypt			2/6/1978 3–1 Mexico	6/6/1978 0–1 Poland	10/6/1978 <i>0–0</i> West Germany					13	5–5–3 H:3–2–0 A:1–2–2	18–11 H:10–3 A:5–6	Group stage

Home fixtures in Bold Wins in blue Losses in red Neutral-site matches in italics

¹Syria withdrew; awarded 2–0.